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## 40 to be Baptized on Sunday Night

75 Added to Baptist Church and Other Churches Also Get Additions in Big Meeting

At the close of the revival at the City Park Tabernacle Sunday night, a complete list of additions to be made to the Baptist Church, showed 40 names which will be added to the church roll who are candidates for admission by baptism and 34 by letter or otherwise.

The revival, which has been conducted by the pastor of the Baptist Church, Rev. C. E. Eskridge, closed after a two-week revival campaign, in which practically all church people of the community joined. Besides additions to the Baptist Church there will be a number of additions to other churches of the city.

The announcement was made that baptismal services for the 40 candidates for admission into the Baptist Church will be held at 6:30 p. m. Sunday evening at the A. A. Jones farm 1 mile west of town.

T. D. Carroll, song leader for the meeting left Monday for his home at Fort Worth.

## Lightning Kills Boy in Roseland Community

Chester Wilson, 14 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Wilson, of Roseland Community, was struck by lightning Tuesday evening about 7:30 and instantly killed. Their home, where he was killed, is about 11 miles north of Floydada. The boy was out about the chicken house when the fatality occurred.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at Lockney Cemetery, where interment of the body was made at 4 p. m. The body, which was badly burned about the face, was prepared for burial by F. C. Harmon.

The R. V. Wilson family moved to this country from Johnson County last fall.

## Cut Weeds, Clean Up, Mayor's Appeal

Floydada is to play host to thousands of people Friday and Saturday of next week, and Mayor F. P. Henry, on the eve of his departure for an indefinite stay with his mother at Fayetteville, Ark., asked The Hesperian to publish in his name an appeal to the citizenship of the town to clean up their premises, and cut weeds in preparation for the event.

Monday he set as the day when the final drive for the thorough laundering which he declares the town should have. Recent rains have set the weeds to growing at a fast rate. Where the grounds have been neglected for only a short time the weeds are gaining big headway and will soon present a real problem to property owners who continue to neglect them.

Rubbish and cans that cannot be burned should be stacked in sacks in the alleys where they can be reached easily by the city's wagons and carted off to the dump grounds. Everything that can be burned should be burned and all weeds cleaned out and piled to burn as soon as dry enough. "We can't have the town looking too good," Judge Henry said. "Insist that every citizen cut his weeds and clean up."

## SEES 40-YEAR-OLD BROTHER FOR FIRST TIME IN LIFE

Sam Stanfield, of Dallas, was a visitor in Floydada three days of last week, and while here was a guest in the home of his half-sister, Mrs. W. A. Shipley.

His visit with Mrs. Shipley here was the first time the brother and sister had met in their lives. Mr. Stanfield is a man 40 years of age. About the time he was born in Tennessee, Mr. and Mrs. Shipley moved from the Old State, coming to Texas, and although the Shipley's have visited a number of times at their former homes in Tennessee and Texas it has happened that Mrs. Shipley and Mr. Stanfield had never met before.

## J. B. HOUSTON EXPECTED HOME WITH BRIDE THIS WEEK

J. B. Houston is expected home the latter part of this week with his bride, who was formerly Miss Nell Williams.

They were married Wednesday of last week at the home of the bride at Lampasas, and have been to Galveston on a honeymoon trip.

Mr. Houston has resided here five years, during which time he has been a member of C. R. Houston & Company, resigning a place as assistant cashier of the First National Bank at Lockney to come here.

## L. P. GUIMARIN MARRIED AT OLNEY, JUNE 14th

L. P. Guimarin, for a number of years a resident of Floydada, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Guimarin, of this city, was married in Olney Sunday, June 14th, to Miss May Andrews, daughter of a family residing near Olney.

News of the marriage reached friends and relatives of the groom here last week. The couple will make their home at Olney.

## TEXAS UTILITIES BUYS CROSBYTON LIGHT PLANT

The Texas Utilities Company has purchased the Caprock Power & Light Company's plant at Crosbyton, according to an announcement made last week, and will assume control of the plant at Crosbyton on July 1st.

## Schools of County Supplied With Teachers

Practically every rural school of Floyd County has a contract for its teaching force for the term of 1925-26, although it is yet two and a half months until time for the school year to open, according to the records of County Superintendent Price Scott, who said the condition is somewhat unusual. Heretofore, the percentage of teachers who have contracted for schools in the county has been much lower, Mr. Scott said.

Last year the teaching force of the rural schools of the county totalled 77. This year the total will be 79 and possibly 80. Of this number 70 contracts have already been signed and approved.

## EPWORTH LEAGUERS HAVE STUDY WEEK AT AMARILLO

The Northwest Texas Epworth League Assembly, an annual feature of the young people's organizations of the Methodist Church, is assembled in Amarillo this week, some 350 young people from over the Conference being present.

From the Floydada Church the intermediate league is represented by Margaret Henson and Edna Faulkner; the senior league by Roma Swain and Lavern Robinson.

Inspirational addresses are daily features in the evenings, the day being given over to study and instructions in the bible, social Christianity and "social work." The course of study outlined is so arranged as to be completed within the week.

In the afternoons model recreational exercises are given under the direction of experts, giving relaxation and at the same time affording model recreational examples by precept.

The Epworth Leaguers of Floydada will make reports of the meeting to their organizations here Sunday afternoon.

B. K. Barker spent Tuesday in Sweetwater on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Scott this week have as their guest, Mr. Scott's mother, Mrs. P. M. Scott, of Whiteflat.

## Sewer Line Tests Made by Engineer

Delivery of Completed Plant to City Made Late Yesterday Afternoon by Contractors

Acceptance by the City of Floydada from the contractors of the new sewer system, was made late yesterday afternoon at a called meeting of the City Council. W. E. Sherman, representing the Sherman Machine & Iron Works, and A. V. Shuler, construction supervisor for the city's engineer's, the Gantt-Baker Company, Wednesday completed the tests of all the lines in the system, and the formal acceptance followed.

Permits for tying in to the mains are now being granted, City Secretary Burl Bedford said late yesterday afternoon. Several applications are already in the hands of the secretary. In each instance inspections will be made of the installation and the work officially okayed by the city's inspector. Penalties for violations of the ordinance governing installations, which require a written permit and inspection, are severe. The original contract called for an expenditure of approximately \$50,000 and the lines laid more nearly reach all sections business and residence alike, than any similar expenditure has accomplished in a city of this size in this portion of Texas, it is declared. More than 80 blocks are served by the lines completed.

Floydada has been considered an over-grown town, and the lack of adequate sewerage disposal has been a distinct disadvantage. With this disadvantage overcome business men are of the belief that an era of unusual building activity here may be anticipated.

## CHEVROLET SALES

Sales of Chevrolet Motor Cars reported the past week by Floyd Motor Company include:

Touring model sold to Joe M. Smith and touring model to R. L. Carter, both of Floydada.

## TEACHERS EXAMINATIONS

Summer examination dates for teachers are as follows: July 10-11; August 14-15 and Sept. 4-5.

County Superintendent Price Scott reminds prospective applicants for the examinations that they are required to register for the examinations in advance.

## Plans Being Completed for Celebration, Barbecue

Bigger and Better Celebration in Prospect—More Entertainment Features Booked.

A bigger and better celebration this year than either of the celebrations sponsored by McDermott Post, American Legion, heretofore, is in prospect. This is the belief of T. P. Collins, Post Commander, who with C. H. Davis and L. G. Mathews are this year heading the movement for the entertainment of huge crowds in Floydada for July 3rd and 4th. J. E. Dickney, who is manager for the committee of concession rights, says that more and higher class concession men this year are asking for privileges during the celebration, which has gained wide popularity among concessionaires because of the fact that it draws heavy crowds annually.

Although the time is drawing near for the celebration the plans of the steering committee are also being brought to a climax, with the net result that already more features calculated to be entertaining are booked for the two days than were booked last year. If negotiations now underway are successful, these features will be augmented by a number of others, Mr. Collins said.

Wood for the barbecue has been received and placed at the barbecue pits. It is oak wood which is considered best for barbecuing. A heavy purchase of meat has been made to be received Tuesday night of next week, and many other preparations which must be made in advance, are being completed this week.

## Defense Day Program

One of the features of the 4th of July program will be the parade and Defense Day program. Worth while prizes are being offered for decorated automobiles in the parade and promise of a sufficient number of entries to make it interesting and attractive has been made.

## Mrs. Meharg to Speak

One stroke of good fortune the committee has had is contained in the announcement that Mrs. S. W. Meharg of Plainview, Secretary of State of the State of Texas, will be one of the principal speakers on the second day. Mrs. Meharg Tuesday promised the Legion to make a patriotic address for them. The probable hour is 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and the date will be July 4th.

Mrs. Meharg came into prominence as a public speaker during the last gubernatorial campaign when in a large political rally at Plainview, she thrilled a weary audience to cheers and wild applause, with an impromptu oration that set a new standard for speech-making in this section.

## Tony Homoky's Flyers

Tony Homoky's Flyers will furnish a part of the thrills of the two-day celebration. Definite settlement of negotiations for their services was completed Tuesday. Exhibition flying both days, with wingwalking, stunt and trick flying will be part of their entertainment. Looping the loop with a man on the top wing is to be the climax of their thrilling exhibitions daily. They will carry passengers both days. The flyers were booked out of Fort Worth for the celebration. They will use Lincoln Standard planes with large motors.

## Baseball

Floydada Baseball Team will be pitted against Ralls on the first day of the celebration and against Quitaque on the second day, it has been definitely decided, the committee of the American Legion Barbecue and Celebration announces.

The Ralls team has given evidence of being a good one in games already played with the Floydada team and the Quitaque team is usually above par as a ball playing club, assuring two good games, which will be played at Floydada Baseball Park.

## Musical Comedy Show

Ches Davis' Musical Comedy Company will be one of the amusement features of the Celebration. It is a repertoire company which also carries a good band and orchestra, according to the information the committee has. Plans are for the company to play here the entire week of July 4th.

## LYNCH DAVIDSON WILL BE CANDIDATE NEXT YEAR

Lynch Davidson will be a candidate for governor again next year in the Democratic Primaries. The ex-lieutenant governor, lumberman and railroad manager, so stated recently over his signature in a letter received in Floydada.

Friends in Floydada of the Houston man, who believe he is the logical man for the place, are planning to go into the campaign another year with the determination to give him a better vote in this county than he had a year ago.

## MARTIN—STEPHENSON

Last Saturday afternoon at 3:30 at the home of the officiating minister, Mr. H. C. Martin and Miss Charliemae Stephenson, of Muncy, were united in marriage with Rev. F. L. Davis officiating.

The young couple were accompanied here by the mother and sister of the bride.

They will make their home at Muncy.

## Death Called Joe A. Montgomery Tuesday

Diabetes Fatal to Floydada Citizen who Died at Lubbock Sanitarium. Burial Here Tuesday

Joe A. Montgomery, for the past ten years a prominent farmer and business man of Floyd County, died Monday morning at 6:15 in a sanitarium at Lubbock, where he had been taken 30 days ago for treatment. Diabetes, which recently developed, rapidly developed seriously and death came to him before many of his friends were aware of the seriousness of his condition.

The body was brought to Floydada by F. C. Harmon Tuesday morning and Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 the funeral service for the deceased was held at the First Methodist Church. Rev. J. L. Henson, pastor of the church, conducted the funeral service. Interment was made in Floydada Cemetery late Tuesday afternoon.

Joe A. Montgomery was a native of Texas. He was born at Bell, Grayson County. He lived a number of years at Memphis, and with his family came to Floyd County about ten years ago. The past three years he has resided in Floydada and for two years has been owner and manager of the White Rose Cafe. He was 39 years of age.

Surviving him are his widow, one daughter, Mary Alice, and two sons, Jodolph and Robert. He is also survived by a brother, Jim Montgomery, druggist, of Amarillo, and a sister, Mrs. F. M. Burkett, of Graham. These were here for the funeral. Mrs. Burkett being accompanied by her husband. Other relatives and friends here for the funeral included: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erwin, of Liberal, Kan., Mr. Erwin a brother of Mrs. Montgomery; Mr. and Mrs. Mulkey Ezell, of Bovina, Mrs. Ezell a sister of Mrs. Montgomery; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gamble, of Floydada. Mrs. Gamble also a sister of Mrs. Montgomery; and Mr. Fickas, of Lubbock, a friend of the family of long standing.

## FIRST WHEAT OF THE SEASON RECEIVED LAST THURSDAY

John Hammonds delivered the first wheat of the 1925 crop to the Floydada market Thursday of last week. W. J. Burke buying two loads from him. The wheat came from Mr. Hammonds' farm west of town.

Because of a heavy per centage of green suckers in all the wheat practically all wheat raisers are delaying the harvest to wait for further ripening of the green heads. Mr. Hammonds stopped his machines after he had cut two loads and is still delaying to give the green suckers a chance to fill out.

The wheat delivered here was of excellent quality except for the green grains.

## MARSHALL GIVEN CONTRACT BY WHEAT GROWERS

The Floydada unit of the Wheat Growers' Association last week signed a contract with the Marshall Grain Company for handling their wheat of the 1925 crop in this territory.

## Campbell News

Campbell, June 22.—We had very interesting services both morning and evening. In the morning Brother Smith from Turkey gave a very nice talk on various things during the Sunday School hour and helped organize a campaign to increase membership in our Sunday School. Two sides were chosen, the red and blue and each will try to get the greatest number of new members during the summer months. Nita Glover was chosen the leader for the Reds with 31 in her group and Clarence Ashton the leader of the Blues with 30 in his group.

In the evening Brother Harbiston preached for us. We had unusually good attendance at both services.

Several of the Campbell folks attended the Singing held at Lakeview last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lyles, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Spence and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rainer attended the Convention and had a mighty fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Amburn and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hart of Baker last Sunday and had dinner with them.

Mrs. Ashton is still entertaining relatives.

Mary Grace Amburn, Bernice Tinnin and Nita Glover visited the Ashton's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horn visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baxter on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Tinnin and family were guests of J. B. Tinnin and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith have bought them a new Chevrolet recently.

Earl Jameson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jameson, who has been working in the shops at Slaton the past few months returned home about a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baxter are the proud parents of a big ten-pound baby boy born Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Bond and son, Wilson Gordon who visited in Abilene and Ranger the past ten days or so returned home the latter part of last week. They report cotton knee-high around Hamlin country, with tassels headed out and corn with tassels. However, crops this side of Hamlin and on the other side towards Abilene way are later than usual and just a trifle ahead of up here. The Hamlin people were fortunate to have timely rains and get a good start of everybody else.

## WM. SALISBURY'S MOTHER ILL AT DRIFTWOOD, OKLA.

Wm. Salisbury left Tuesday afternoon for Driftwood, Okla., where his mother, Mrs. E. A. Salisbury, is not expected to live.

According to a message received from relatives by Mr. Salisbury Tuesday at noon, his mother was overcome by the extreme heat late Monday. She has been in ill health for a number of years.

## Tom W. Deen Bitten by Rattle Snake

Tom D. Deen Friday afternoon of last week was bitten by a rattlesnake slightly above the ankle, while Mr. Deen was at work at the Floydada Country Club in Blanco Canyon.

At this time he is on the way to rapid recovery and has apparently shown little of the ill effects from the bite. This fact is due, it is thought, to his presence of mind in hastening to the care-taker's house on the grounds and applying potash of permanganate. When a doctor reached the scene the medicine had seared the wound over and Mr. Deen was not suffering very seriously. Although quite sick during the late afternoon of Friday he was doing well Saturday.

The day was a sultry one, with showering clouds about, the rattler's choice of all days to lay out on a good smooth place along the edge of the canyon hills and enjoy the sun. At these times the rattler, old timers tell us, is particularly resentful of any interference with his afternoon siesta.

## TULIA TELEPHONE PLANT MANAGER MARRIED SUNDAY

E. W. Wade, plant manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company at Tulia, and Miss Grace Hayden, employe of the same company at Plainview, were married in Floydada Sunday afternoon.

Justice J. C. Gaither officiated at the wedding ceremony for the couple, who left following their marriage for their home at Tulia. The contracting couple were accompanied to Floydada by Mr. and Mrs. Davenport of Plainview.

## MRS. C. M. HENRY SERIOUSLY ILL AT FAYETTEVILLE

Mrs. C. M. Henry, of Fayetteville, is seriously ill, a message to Judge F. P. Henry here stated Monday night. She had been ill for several days and the children here have been very anxious about her condition for a week or more. Judge Henry left Tuesday morning for his mother's bedside. E. C. and R. L. Henry, two other sons of Mrs. Henry living here, could not go to Fayetteville.

## 50 Boosters Brave Mud to Talk Floydada

Swing Around Circle Made Yesterday To Invite Neighboring Cities to Celebration

Fifty boosters braved the mud yesterday morning, between Floydada and Silverton, to make the swing around the circle on a "howdying" trip and to tell the neighbors about the forthcoming American Legion Celebration in Floydada July 3rd and 4th.

Nearly 80 persons were scheduled to make the trip, but reports of heavy rains northward, with indications that the caravan would have to pull mud all the way to Silverton, caused a number to fall out.

"But good luck went with the caravan, too, and although some time was lost before Silverton was reached, the boosters were back on schedule again by the time they reached Matador for dinner. And this in spite of the fact that they added one thriving little city to their schedule that was not on the original itinerary mapped out. This was Gasoline, where the boosters were cordially received. To be sure, luck went with the trade evangels for not a puncture nor any kind of car trouble overtook any of the number on the 175 mile run.

At Crosbyton the reception for the expeditionaries was particularly cordial. A delegation of Crosbyton business men met the caravan a mile out from the city limits, and escorted them to the city, where they were given a hearty welcome by the mayor.

The Ralls Band, which accompanied the trade evangels, entered into the spirit of the thing and did well. Numerous members of the party expressed gratification at the good fortune of having this organization engaged for the year.

J. D. Starks, who led the caravan, kept up his record of never failing to make schedule. From the time the party reached Matador, when they were on schedule after losing time in the mud in north Floyd County, the party were on the dot at all points. Much cooler weather than usual made the trip a pleasant one throughout.

Silverton, Quitaque, Gasoline, Flo-mot, Whiteflat, Matador, Roaring Springs, McAadoo, Crosbyton and Ralls were visited yesterday.

Tomorrow nine points will be visited They are Petersburg, Lorenzo, Idalou, Slaton, Lubbock, Abernathy, Hale Center, Plainview, and Lockney. A big delegation is lined up for this trip.

Miss Maurine Andrews, of Amarillo, visited over Sunday with her father, Dr. V. Andrews.

## W. A. Massie Succumbs to Heart Trouble

Pioneer of Parker County Has Many Relatives in Floydada—Funeral Wednesday

W. A. Massie, pioneer of Parker County, died at his home in Weatherford Monday afternoon of this week, following an illness which developed some ten days ago. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon.

W. M. Massie and Mrs. H. D. Butler, of this city, son and daughter of the deceased, were with their father at the time of his death, and Charles and J. M. Massie, H. D. Butler, of this city, in company with F. M. Butler, of Plainview, left Monday night for Weatherford to be with the family and attend the funeral.

Deceased was 86 years of age on June 8th. His long life has been distinguished by a record of usefulness from youth. During the civil war as a young man he enlisted in the Army of Northern Virginia, his native state, under General Lee, and was mustered out as a lieutenant of artillery. In 1871 he moved to Hood County, Texas, then a frontier county, and resided a year or two, when he moved to Parker County which he has made his home ever since. He has visited Floydada many times and was generally known here. He had been a member of the Methodist Church for years and a steward of his church.

Recently Mr. Massie's health had seemed to be improved and he enjoyed very much a trip to Dallas to attend the U. C. V. Reunion in company with his daughters, Misses Janie and Bettie, and sons, Marvin and Charlie, the last two of this city.

Surviving him are four sons, W. M., Charles and J. M., of Floydada, and G. T. Massie, of San Antonio; and four daughters, Mesdames W. C. Poston, of Mineral Wells, H. D. Butler, city, and Misses Janie and Bettie Massie, who live at Weatherford. He is survived by a number of grand children, six of whom live in Floydada.

## Charter Granted to C. R. Houston Company

Charter for the consolidation of C. R. Houston & Company, with Wood Dry Goods Company, new C. R. Houston Company, was granted the latter part of last week by Secretary of State Emma Grigsby Meharg, consummating the plans for the firm's consolidation and incorporation.

The new firm has a capital stock of \$42,000, all fully paid up. C. R. Houston is president and A. B. Clark secretary-treasurer. These with W. C. Grigsby, E. G. Wood and J. B. Houston are the board of directors for the company.

Close attention to details and careful watch on overhead expenses are credited principally with the remarkable success of the firm to date, which has been one of the community's most successful enterprises.

## NORTHERN PORTION OF COUNTY RAIN SOAKED

Heavy rains Tuesday afternoon and night fell over a territory embracing portions of six counties, one of the most general in recent weeks, and thoroughly soaked the section including approximately the north half of Floyd County. At Lockney a heavy rain fell, and reports from Lockney indicate that practically all of the north half of the county had an excellent rain.

Hale, Lamb, Briscoe and Swisher Counties report rains, heavy in some portions. At Amarillo a quarter of an inch of rain fell.

## GOOD REPORTS FEATURE DISTRICT W. M. U. MEET

Good reports of the women's work in all associations of the panhandle, featured the meeting of the Thirteenth District Meeting of the Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist Church held in Crosbyton Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Good representation was present at the meeting from every association in the district.

Rev. G. W. Tubbs, Missionary of the Floyd County Baptist Association and Mrs. Lon V. Smith, Chairman of the White Cross, were present at the meeting.

## MARRIAGE RECORD

License to marry issued recently from the office of Mrs. Clara Lee Scott, County Clerk, include the following:

June 13th, Mark Nichols and Miss Virginia Price Joiner;

June 15th, C. F. James and Miss Lottie James;

June 17th, A. R. Hicks and Miss Nellie Avera;

June 17th, Burnie Lee Anderson and Miss Ada Ellison;

June 20th, H. C. Martin and Miss Charliemae Stephenson;

June 21st, Edward W. Wade and Miss Grace Hayden.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Bratton and little daughter, reached home Tuesday from Electra. Mrs. Bratton and daughter have been visiting the several weeks.

Mrs. J. D. Price, of Lubbock, has been here several days on a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Seale.



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**AFTER BUSINESS**

One reason why business in the big towns gets bigger while, it is alleged business in the smaller towns gets smaller, is that the big business man studies—not worries about—his business all the time. And he isn't afraid to get out of the rut.

Dallas retailers today are after business in Floydada and Floydada trade territory. Dallas is studying the good pay records of Floydada people along with the records of people in other towns of Texas and Oklahoma, and as a result are offering them unusual inducements to come to Dallas to shop. "Either the rail or motor trip to Dallas is a pleasant drive," says one wide-awake Dallas merchant to a prospect in Floydada, "And we have arranged for you to have the day-use of a room at the Adolphus Hotel without cost while you shop," he recites, while, of course, a charge account has been arranged.

Sometimes we "cuss" our successful competing towns or merchants when we ought to "go thou and do likewise" instead. Emulating the example of a successful man may be flattery but it sometimes pays good dividends, to adapt his system to our conditions and "follow suit". If we had our way we'd send every Floydada merchant, farmer, doctor, printer or whatnot off to "school" somewhere for 30 days every year. We "grow" in the business world by knowing how to grow.

**BICYCLES AND BOYS**

Bicycles and boys go together. Whenever you see either in any number you'll see some of the other without fail.

tempted, too. And a good talk to a boy with a bicycle temptation.

But boys and sidewalks and bicycles are dangerous for the people who are using the sidewalks to walk on. As a consequence there is a city ordinance which prohibits persons from riding on the sidewalks with bicycles.

This ordinance is being violated more and more frequently, the kids apparently beginning to think they have a presumption and that it is up to the walkers to watch their respective steps or take the consequences. Some of the walkers are getting warmed up about it. They are entirely right and the boys and girls who use the walks for their bicycle riding are entirely wrong. Which doesn't leave any room for argument.

**DOG GONE DOG DAYS**

The dog gone dog days are here. Not according to the calendar, but certainly by the amount of trouble city taxes and first one thing and another are costing the boy who owns a dog.

Everybody knows a dog has no business in town. But a boy without a dog does a dog gone lot of worrying about why is a town anyway, and why should it hurt anybody for a boy to have a puppy to play with.

And so, when he finally slips in the back way with a dog and his daddy hates to make him take the woolly back where he got him, and everything looks all right once more—about that time they come along and make him pay taxes and put a tag on him, and then chain him up, and keep him in the house, or put a muzzle on him. If all these things can't be done because, perhaps, the family's pocketbook won't stand the gaff, sonny does a lot of managing to keep the dog from getting in to the dog-catcher's hands.

Buddy does not understand, yet, that a dog is just a dog, as any grown-up can tell you, and that the rest of the community must be protected against rabies and ferocious animals. His dog is not just a dog to buddy, even in dog days. His dog is a real animal and a part of the family.

**EMANCIPATION DAY**

Negroes all over the United States had a big time Emancipation Day. They have for a long time and probably will for a long time to come. Emancipation Day is peculiarly the negro's own. The Anglo-Saxon white man hasn't known bondage for so many hundred years that he has even forgotten the name of the King who proclaimed the Magna Carta. Fact is,

he may merely have heard of Magna and didn't know the surname was carta.

But Lincoln and Emancipation Day are known to every negro to the far corners. Emancipation Day may not have meant what Lincoln thought it would mean by this time. We wonder if the Liberator would be pleased if he could be vouchsafed another visit to his beloved country. Bondage is of more kinds than one.

We know what the un-reconstructed rebel thinks. But we don't know what the judgement of time will be. One can look around and have plenty to think about.

**RAIN BY THE RULE**

Rains over West Texas do some freakish things. One part of a neighborhood gets so much rain the little chickens nearly all drown, while the neighbor across a barbed wire fence goes ahead with his threshing or cultivating.

That's the kind of rains that prevailed nearly all last week. Nearly all the county got some rain and some of it too much.

Rain right up to a barbed wire fence or a turn row; or if in town, sprinkle the lawns on one side of town good while the other side has to sprinkle with the lawn sprinkler. Reminds us of a story they used to tell about two cowboys who were riding opposite sides of the fence in the good old days. One of them got into a hard rain and had to wear his slicker all the way round, while the other one nearly starved for a drink in the sun which boiled over his head.

**TUMBLE WEED NOURISHMENT**

H. M. Bainer, head of the Southwest Wheat Improvement Association, who was in Floydada several days ago with a party of Santa Fe and A. & M. specialists, who were talking better yields on fewer acres, better seeds, and better farming conditions generally, made a striking illustration of the value of a field clean of weeds to a crop. According to Mr. Bainer, an ordinary good healthy tumble weed requires a barrel of water to mature to average size and put on a crop of seed, and said the statement was a verified fact. At least, the tumble weed will use up a barrel of water, if it is available.

Which is the best argument in the world for clean fields. He declares that the nature of the soil in this section lends itself to moisture conservation very well. He was impressed with the idea many farmers here are putting into practice of terracing their fields—apparently level though they are—to conserve the moisture. A good job of terracing and a good job of keeping the field clean will add to the production of the farm. And will, without question, mean more tons per acre and fewer acres, Mr. Bainer declares.

**TUITION FOR TRANSFERS.**

A recent decision of the Civil Appeals Court for the Third District of Texas is expected to work heavy hardship upon school districts in Texas which are taxing themselves heavily in order to support good high schools. The decision is one which is contrary to the rulings of the State Department of Education for the past 40 years. It is, in effect that when a student is transferred from one district to another, the state and county funds which had been apportioned to said district on account of his residence should follow him and that this act of transfer gave him all the rights and privileges of the school to which he was transferred without further payment of tuition.

If the case is affirmed by the Supreme Court, it will mean the suspension of the ruling of the Department of Education, which has been for a number of years, that the district receiving the transfer should calculate the actual cost of instruction and give credit for the amount received, and when the time elapsed, which was paid for by the state and county funds, the district should receive tuition for the remainder of the time at the rate per month determined by the actual cost of maintenance.

According to State Superintendent S. M. N. Marrs the solution of the financial tangle which the decision will impose on high school districts or on districts having better schools than their neighbors will be state aid. As pointed out by the superintendent, in a district unable, either from lack of taxable wealth or number of high school students to support a good high

school, the state should pay the tuition to the nearest high school, which would be an effective form of rural state aid. It would not only give an equal educational opportunity to the country boys and girls, but would relieve the small country school of the burden of teaching the high school subjects and enable the teacher to do more thorough and efficient work. This matter, however, would entail a large appropriation by the legislature for 1927-29 and there after.

**TRUTH IN ADVERTISING**

Even the crank for "truth in advertising" ought to be satisfied with an advertisement that Herbert S. Sparks is showing about town, which he found in use by a Hamlin, Texas, garage owner. It is as follows:

"Blank Garage. Located 2765 miles west of Broadway; Runs automatically; No service and without Management; All modern Inconveniences with Prices Unreasonable."

Herbert says the garage is doing a rushing business. Truth in advertising evidently does pay.

**KODAKERS**

Bring us your films today  
And get your prints tomorrow.

**WILSON STUDIO**

**Dr. J. R. Lemmon**  
Infant Feeding and Diseases of Children.  
**Dr. W. N. Lemmon**  
Diseases of Women, Rectal Diseases and Surgery  
Palace Theatre Bldg. Lubbock.

**LOANS TO BUILD, BUY OR RE-FINANCE HOMES**

On Monthly, Semi-annual or Annual payments. Make Loans on business property.  
Farm and Ranch Loans at 6 per cent interest, 5 to 33 years amortization plan.  
Make loans with option of payment after two years.

**JOHNSTON LAND COMPANY**

Telephone 74  
Opposite Post Office Upstairs.  
Typewriters for Rent, Sale or Exchange

VERY BECOMING NEW MODELS IN  
**Summer Dresses**  
At Very Special Prices

Beginning Friday, June 26th, and  
Continuing Through the  
Fourth of July

The modishness of these dresses places them well above the usual garments you expect to find for summer wear. The style of each garment is undisputed—the fabrics the season's most favored. We are featuring them all in one lot at material reductions from regular price,

From \$6.75 to  
\$29.75



**Mid-Summer Shopping Economies**

In every part of our store you will see one or more money-saving bargains that will repay you well for coming here shopping.

With Vacation Needs to be supplied, why not take advantage of these specials and use the money you save for your trip?



**C. R. Houston Co.**

P. S. Spend July 3rd and 4th in Floydada. We expect you, and specially welcome the ladies of this territory to make themselves and their children comfortable in our commodious Rest Room which we have just fitted up for your convenience.

**We Do**

- Expert Auto Repairing.
- We grind or hone cylinders.
- We make flat crankshafts perfectly round.
- Guaranteed acetylene welding
- No job too Big or too Little
- All kinds of machine work.
- All Work Guaranteed.

**FLOYDADA MACHINE SHOP**  
Located at Day & Night Garage

**CODE OF ETHICS**

Every business man has his code of ethics, the insurance man's code might be summed up in the following:

1. I believe in the insurance business, its future and its place in the economic fabric of our nation.
2. I believe that these three have their distinct rights in our business; first, the public; second, the insurance companies; and third, the insurance agent; and that the rights of the public are ever paramount.
3. To the public; I respect the confidence placed in me by intrusting to my care the fullest protection through insurance of your property.

I represent the oldest companies writing insurance in the world. They have been tested by the fires of over two centuries.

Let me write your insurance.

**G. C. Tubbs Ins. Agency**

Phone 42 and 169. Floydada, Texas

**PORTRAITS**

by Photography

We've had  
a  
World of  
Experience.  
Why  
Say More?

**Wilson Studio**

**Manning & Murray**

REAL ESTATE DEALERS  
Farms, Ranches and City Property on the South Plains.

Floyd County Farm Lands a specialty. Office phone 17; Residence Phone 19. Office Room 9, First National Bank Building

FLOYDADA, TEXAS



## Sherman Machine & Iron Works Have Never Fallen Down on a Contract

25-year-old Organization Operates Over Many States of the Southwest

SEVERAL FLOYD CONTRACTS  
Company's First Municipal Work in Floydada Still in First Class Condition

Sherman Machine & Iron Works, of Oklahoma City, who have been the contractors on the Sewer System just completed for the City of Floydada at a cost of approximately \$60,000, make the claim that their company has never yet fallen down on a contract they have made for the construction of a water works, sewer, electric light or other municipal plant in their twenty-five years of operation in the southwest.

This claim is well-backed by the experience which the City of Floydada has had with the company, at least. Every large contract for municipal improvements, except paving, which the city has let, amounting to nearly \$200,000 worth of municipal improvements have been awarded in open competition to the Sherman Machine & Iron Works, and the first work done by the company here nearly 15 years ago is still in first class condition, with a minimum repair bill.

The company began business at Oklahoma City 25 years ago and has grown to be one of the larger contracting firms of this section, operating in several states. It is an incorporation and licensed to do state-supervised or semi-supervised work such as sewer construction, in this state. One of the principal arguments put forth by the company in presenting their bids for construction work of any kind is that the job done by them receives the personal attention of some official of the firm. The firm maintains a competent corps of high class construction men, including specialists in certain classes of intricate work. Plants of various kinds constructed by Sherman are now in operation in Arkansas, Tennessee, Oklahoma, Texas, Kansas, New Mexico and Arizona.

The company specializes in water works and sewer construction work.

W. S. Sherman is president of the organization, E. W. Sherman, vice president, John H. Pope, secretary and N. S. Sherman, Jr., treasurer.

E. W. Sherman has had charge of all the jobs the company has contracted for in Floydada.

### CALENDAR ENTERTAINMENT

The next Calendar Entertainment will be held tomorrow evening at the First Christian Church, beginning at 8:15. Everybody is invited.

### NEIGHBORS TAKE MRS. C. WEST BY SURPRISE FOR FAREWELL DINNER

Honoring their neighbor of many years on the eve of her departure from the community, friends and neighbors of Mrs. C. C. West, of Mayview, Sunday noon took her by surprise with a big dinner party, some 35 friends being gathered for the occasion.

The dinner was spread under the shade of the trees in the yard, picnic style, while Mrs. West was engaged in conversation with some of the family in another part of the house. Her surprise and delight was evident when she became aware that it was a gathering of friends around the dinner table in their home—a dinner which had been prepared and brought with them as the neighbors gathered in.

Present for the delightful noon-time dinner and pleasant afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lincoln and daughter, Lou Ella; Mr. and Mrs. Miller and daughter, Elois, of Mayview; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Furrow and family; Mr. and Mrs. John Custer and family; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bloodworth and family; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newell and family; Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Nickels and Miss Johnnie Lee West, of Joe Bailey; Mr. and Mrs. Newell Golden; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lloyd and little daughter and Miss Dora Elsie Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. West and family are moving at an early date to a new home near Littlefield, and the dinner was arranged by the ladies present as a remembrance for Mrs. West of their esteem for her.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Davis and little son, left Tuesday afternoon for Abilene and Ranger on a visit with relatives. Mr. Davis will be home tomorrow or Saturday, Mrs. Davis and son going on to Dallas for several days before their return.

### SICKLY, PEEVISH CHILDREN

Children suffering from intestinal worms are cross, restless and unhealthy. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, bad breath and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by All Drug Stores.

### Dr. W. H. Alexander

General Practice  
Rooms 6 and 7 Barrow Bldg.  
Office Telephone No. 93  
Residence Phone No. 260

### LIGHTNING STRIKES ANTENNAE OF SALISBURY RADIO

One afternoon of thunder showers last week the antennae and lead wire from it to the radio in the residence of Wm. Salisbury, were burned into small pieces by the intense heat of a stroke of lightning which hit the antennae and travelled through the radio machine and was conducted into the ground without injury to any of the Salisbury family.

After the storm Mr. Salisbury picked up a handful of pieces of wire, all that he could find of a hundred feet or more. So far as he was able to determine no damage was done his radio except that two tubes were burned out.

### BRIDGE DINNER

Miss Ethel Houghton Monday evening was hostess at a bridge dinner arranged in honor of Miss Lois Young of Amarillo, who has been a guest of relatives in Floydada for the past week.

A three-course dinner was served at 8 o'clock to Messrs. Roy Baker, Royace Waters, Aubrey Bishop, Miss Blanche Abston and the honoree, following which the remainder of the evening was given over to bridge.

### H. Z. Pennington

Physician and Surgeon  
Telephones Office 73  
Res. 336

### CHRYSLER DEALERS MEET

J. U. Borum and wife attended a district meeting of Chrysler dealers in Amarillo Monday, at which a factory representative told of the plans of the company for the ensuing year.

Use Hesperian Want Ads for Results

## Oil, Gas

And Kerosene Deliveries

Call 79 when you need any of them. We make deliveries anywhere in the territory on orders of 20 gallons or more

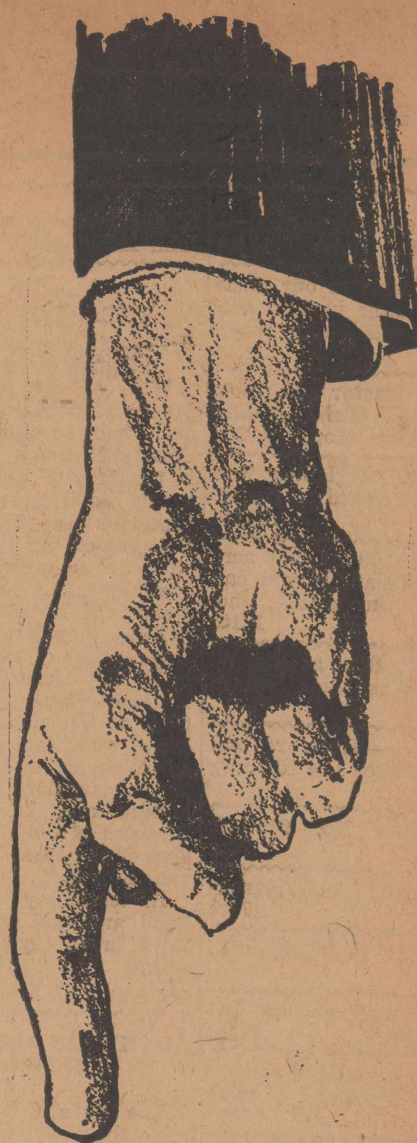
### Magnolia Petroleum Products

Known the wide-world over for their uniform excellence. Ample stocks at all times to take care of your needs the right way.

Give us a chance to serve you.

### C. W. Ginn

Representative



Watch This Space Next Week

Moving, Draying, Packing, Etc. Brick Storage Building 2 Doors North of The Floyd County National Bank.

## PITTS TRANSFER & STORAGE CO.

EXPRESS AND FREIGHT

### Truck Line to Plainview

We crate and ship to your order. Telephone Nos. 207 and 138

## "SUDDEN SERVICE"

HESPERIAN WANT ADS—QUICK RESULTS

# To the Citizens of Floydada:

We wish to take this opportunity of thanking you for the confidence and consideration you have shown us in allowing our Organization to build and install your water and sewer systems. In return we have tried to put into the construction of your plants all of the experience and skill that we have gained during the past twenty five years of successful contracting.

### We Specialize on the Construction of Water Works, Sewers and Electric Light Plants

and during the past twenty five years we have built and installed several hundred water, light, and sewer systems, in the Southwest.

### We Own and Operate a Large Foundry and Machine Shop in the Heart of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

where we manufacture a large amount of material that goes into the construction of our different contracts.

### In all our business experience we have never fallen down on a single contract

but have finished each and every one of them strictly according to the plans and specifications and to the satisfaction of the people who owned them. And now as we have completed our contract with you, our sincere wish is that as time goes by, you will have found that we have done our work honestly and skilfully, and when you are again ready for extensions to your Muncipal improvements that once again we shall be permitted to serve you.

# Sherman Machine & Iron Works

Contractors of Public Work

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma



Hesperian Want Ads

Cheapest, Busiest Salesmen in Floyd County

FOR PURE sweet milk and dairy products call 913F12. Fitch Dairy. 174tc

STRAY ewe sheep came to our place May 25th, marked ring in left ear. Owner pay for ad and claim sheep Will Snell. 171tc

FOR SALE—Titan tractor and plow, header, also good mule. See P. D. McBride, at Palace Barber Shop. 172tp

LOST.—In Floydada, Styleplus tan gaberdine raincoat. Reward to finder. R. F. Brown. 171tc

CASH BUYER for 160 or 320 acre farm, if it's a real snap. If you can fill the bill, this is your chance. Jno. A. Hollums. 171tc

Top and curtain work done at Jno. W. Jones Shoe Shop, West Side Square 171tc

FOR SALE or trade—Hereford bull yearling, a good one. See Lee Rushing 172tp

Fitch Dairy telephone No. 913F12. Pure dairy products. 174tc

1924 Ford Touring car for sale reasonable. F. C. Harmon. 171tc

ROOMS for rent. Mrs. C. W. Mitchell. 173tp

GOOD Milch cows for sale on fall time. See D. D. Shipley. 172tc

FOR SALE—Cash or credit, new 2-row go-devil. A. L. Hollums, 4 miles N. E. Floydada. 171tp

WE DO top and side curtain work. Jno. W. Jones, West Side Shoe Shop 171tc

FOR SALE—Car of sewer tile. We will furnish man to connect you up. Willson & Son Lumber Co. 163tc

ARSENIC to kill grasshoppers 12 1/2c per pound. Consumers Fuel Station, County Agent. 162tc

EXPERIENCE is our best teacher. We've been with him four years in tire service. We charge no more than others. Why not give us your tire service? Phone 83. Gullion & Son. 162tc

Let us either paint your car or sell you the paint. McCleskey Top Shop. 153tc

FOR SUDEN SERVICE call 207 or 138 Pitts Transfer & Storage Co. 31tc

Now is a good time to have your car painted and topped at McCleskey Top Shop. 15-3tc

For bargains in lands and town lots see Arthur B. Duncan, Floydada, Texas. 40ftc

FOR Marble or granite monuments, S. B. McCleskey 41ftc

Have your Abstracts made by ARTHUR B. DUNCAN The Old Reliable Abstract Man. 18ftc

CHOICE pot plants for sale at all times. Call anytime. Mrs. Maud E. Hollums. 4ftc

Cars painted and topped at McCleskey Top Shop. 15-3tc

Experienced, practical nurse. Mrs. O. E. Butler, Phone 70, Floydada, Texas 15-1tp-tfc

If it's automobile paint and top Dressing you want we have it. McCleskey Top Shop. 15-3tc

Pitts Transfer & Storage Co. We crate and ship to your order. Regular truck line to Plainview. 31tc

STEAM vulcanizing is always best. It costs no more. Why not use it? Phone 83. Gullion & Son, north side square. 162tc

FOR RENT.—To couple without children, furnished or unfurnished new 2-room apartment close in. See T. D. Woods. 162tp

LET C. A. MULLINS, experienced windmill worker, located at C. Surginer & Son, do your repair work, build your towers and put up your mill. Phone 24 or 927F21 154tp

FOR SALE.—Car of sewer tile. We will furnish man to connect you up. Willson & Son Lumber Co. 163tc

BETTER BE SAFE than sorry. Let us vulcanize your tubes. Our patch-work won't melt off from road heat. Phone 83. Gullion & Son. 162tc

ARSENIC to kill grasshoppers 12 1/2c per pound. Consumers Fuel Station, County Agent. 162tc

15 per cent interest for \$1800 for 18 months, with 640-acre farm in Harding County, N. Mex., as security. Will stand inspection. See Will Maxwell 162tp

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned until 2:00 p. m. o'clock, the 6th day of July, A. D. 1925, at Sunset School House, District No. 8, Floyd County, Texas, for the furnishing of all labor and materials, in the construction of a six room and auditorium, brick and tile, one story school house for Sunset Consolidated School District No. 8, Floyd County. Plans and specifications may be obtained for the purpose of bidding from Kerr and Walsh, Architects, Plainview, Texas, or at the main office in Amarillo, Texas by depositing \$15.00 in cash or a certified check to this amount. A certified check of \$250 (Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars) payable to R. M. Haverty, clerk of the board, shall accompany each bid.

The board reserves the right to accept any or reject all bids. (Signed) R. M. Haverty, Clerk, Sunset Consolidated School District No. 8. 172tc

1,000 Bundles good cane 5c per bundle. John McDonald. 172tc

No. 12692 TREASURY DEPARTMENT Office of Comptroller of the Currency Washington, D. C., April 23, 1925

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Floyd County National Bank of Floydada", in the City of Floydada, in the County of Floyd and State of Texas, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking;

Now, therefore, I, J. W. McIntosh, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The Floyd County National Bank of Floydada", in the City of Floydada, in the County of Floyd, and State of Texas, is authorized to commence the business of banking, as provided in Section Fifty-one hundred and sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States. Conversion of the First State Bank of Floydada, Floydada, Texas.

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office this twenty-third day of April, 1925. (Seal) J. W. McIntosh, Comptroller of the Currency.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County—Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Floyd, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice of Application for Letters—Guardianship: The State of Texas, To All Persons interested in the welfare of W. O. McNeely, Non Compos Mentis, you are hereby notified that Clara E. McNeely has filed in the County Court of Floyd County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Person and Estate of W. O. McNeely, Non Compos Mentis, which application will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in July A. D. 1925, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Floydada, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, But have you then and there before said Court this writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, June 12, A. D. 1925. Clara Lee Scott, Clerk County Court, Floyd County, Texas. 163tc

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County—Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Floyd, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice of Application for Probate of Will, and Letters Testamentary, The State of Texas: To all persons interested in the Estate of Mrs. E. M. Luttrall, deceased. You are hereby notified that Arthur B. Duncan has filed in the County Court of Floyd County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of the said Mrs. E. M. Luttrall, deceased which application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in July, A. D. 1925, at the Court House thereof, in the City of Floydada, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this 11th day of June, A. D. 1925. Clara Lee Scott, Clerk County Court, Floyd County Texas. By Mrs. Lillie Britton, Deputy 163tc

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HESPERIAN GOOD NEWS-PAPER, SUBSCRIBER SAYS.

J. A. Callihan was in the Hesperian office Wednesday morning with a letter from new-found near kinspeople, the family of L. A. Bennett, at Ferris, Texas.

Mr. Callihan attended the Confederate Reunion held recently at Dallas and while away visited with this family at Ferris. When he came home he had the Hesperian sent to them. In a letter recently from Mrs. Bennett, Uncle John was told that the family thought the Hesperian the best small-city newspaper they had ever read. Mr. Callihan added his endorsement to this statement.

METHODIST CHURCH

After the uplift of the good Baptist Revival we find ourselves settling down to our regular schedule of work again. Our services are as follows:

Mr. J. V. Daniel will open the S. S. on time, 9:45 a. m. An interesting program will be given at that time as the opening exercises of the school.

The pastor's sermon Sunday morning will be on: "God, A Spiritual Being." Opportunity will be given for Church Membership. At 8:15 p. m. the sermon will be on: "What is Man?"

The Intermediate League will meet Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. At which time Edna Faulkner, Margaret Henson and Thelma Swain, delegates to the League Institute now in session at Amarillo will report. The delegates from the Senior League: Emma Lou McKinney, Roma Swain and Lavern Robinson will report at the League meeting at 7:15 p. m. Sunday. During the summer months the Junior League will meet at the Church for Devotional Meeting on Thursdays at 4 p. m. And after these meetings, will adjourn to the City Park to play games. Mrs. W. A. Robbins is Supt. of these youngsters.

The Ladies of the Missionary Society meet at 4 p. m. Mondays.—Mrs. Porterfield, president.

Mid-week Prayer meeting at the Church from 8:15 to 9:15 Wednesday evenings.

You are invited to attend these meetings. Joseph L. Henson, Pastor

SUNRISE BREAKFAST PARTY

Wednesday morning Miss Helen King was hostess for a merry party of girls who enjoyed a sunrise breakfast on Blanco Canyon.

In the party who enjoyed the outing were Misses Syble Covington, Mildred Osburne, Mildred Carter, Inez Paschall, Francis Kinnard, Kate Stiles, Lucile Meachum and Georgie Lee Assister.

NOTICE FOR SEALED BIDS

The State of Texas, County of Floyd. Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Floyd County, Texas, will receive sealed bids up to the hour of 11:00 a. m., on Monday, July 13, 1925, for the purchase by said County of one road grader with 12-foot blade and one crawler-type tractor with sufficient power to pull said 12-foot grader successfully. A certified check for five per cent (5 per cent) of the amount of the bid shall be filed with each bid. A good and sufficient bond will be required in compliance with Section 1, Chapter 127, General Laws of the State of Texas, passed by the Thirty-eighth Legislature at its Regular Session. Prices submitted are to be F. O. B. Floydada. Bids will be mailed or delivered in person to the County Judge of Floyd County, at Floydada, Texas.

The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF FLOYD COUNTY TEXAS 164tc

Mayor Harry Mason, of Vernon, returned to his home Wednesday after two days spent with his son, Evans Mason, here, who was quite ill for three days. Mrs. Mason, who came to Floydada with her husband, will remain for a few days.

KENNETH BAIN

LAWYER Rooms 12 and 13 First National Bank Building General Practice

THE HOME OF GOOD Clean Groceries

NICE FRYING CHICKENS Everything We Sell Must Satisfy

CHICKENS EGGS CREAM BRING US YOUR DOOLEY BROS. Southwest Corner Square Phone 92

Tried Recipes for Ices and Beverages

Some ideal recipes for ices, cream and beverages for the summer months are included in the following list of tried and proven formulas. They will be of particular interest to those ladies of the Home Demonstration Clubs who have been studying these subjects during the month of June. All of the recipes are vouched for as having been used successfully:

Vanilla Ice Cream 2 cups scalded milk. 1 T. Flour 1 cup sugar 1 egg 1-4 t. salt 1 quart thin cream 2 t. vanilla

Mix flour, sugar and salt, add the egg slightly beaten and then the scalded milk gradually. Cook over boiling water in a double boiler for 15 to 20 minutes, stirring constantly at first. Remove from the fire, cool and add the cream and flavoring, strain if necessary and freeze. Use one part of salt to four parts of ice. If custard has a curdled appearance it will disappear in the freezing. Fruit juices or crushed fruit may be added to this if desired.

Cranberry Frappe 1 quart cranberries 2 cups water 2 cups sugar Juice of 2 lemons

Cook cranberries and sugar 8 minutes; then force through sieve. Add sugar and lemon juice; and freeze to a mush, using equal parts of ice and salt.

Angel Parfait 1 cup of sugar 3-4 cup water 1 T. vanilla 3 egg whites 1 pint of heavy cream

Boil sugar and water until syrup will thread when dropped from the tip of the spoon. Pour slowly on the beaten egg whites and continue the beating until the mixture is cool. Add the cream beaten until stiff add the vanilla and freeze using one part of salt to four parts of ice.

Apricot Sorbet 1 can apricots 1 cup sugar 1-2 cup grape juice or wine 1-4 cup lemon juice 1 pint cream

Drain apricots, and add to syrup the pulp rubbed through a sieve. Add sugar, grape juice and lemon juice. Freeze to a mush, then fold in the whip obtained from the cream. Let stand 1-2 hours, and serve in glasses or cups.

Pineapple Monade 1 T. granulated gelatin 1-4 cup cold water 1 cup pineapple juice 2 T. lemon juice 1 cup sugar 1 quart cream

Heat one can pineapple and drain. To one cup of the syrup, add the gelatin soaked in cold water, lemon juice and sugar. Strain and cool. As mixture thickens, fold in the whip from the cream. Mould, pack in salt and ice, using one part of salt to four parts of ice, and let stand 4 hours.

BEVERAGES Lemonade 1 cup sugar 1-4 cup lemon juice 1 pint water Make syrup by boiling water and

sugar together for 12 minutes. Add fruit juice, cool, and dilute with ice-water to suit individuals. Lemon juice may be bottled and kept on hand to use as needed.

Pineapple Lemonade 1 -int water 1 cup sugar 1 quart ice water 1 can grated pineapple juice of 3 lemons

Make syrup by boiling water and sugar for ten minutes. Add the pineapple and lemon juice, cool strain if desired and add ice-water

Orangeade Make syrup as for lemonade. Sweeten orange juice with syrup, and dilute by pouring over crushed ice.

Fruit Punch 1 quart cold water 2 cups sugar 1-2 cup lemon juice 2 cups chopped pineapple 1 cup orange juice

Boil water and sugar with pineapple 20 minutes; add fruit juice, cool, strain if desired and dilute with ice-water.

Tea Punch 4 T. tea 1-4 cup sugar 1 lemon 1 cup fruit punch

Make strong fusion of tea, allowing 3 teaspoons of tea to each cup of boiling water. To 1-4 cup of sugar, add

1 T. of water. Cook to a thick syrup, add lemon juice to syrup and mix well. Combine all materials and cool ready for serving. Do not let one flavor predominate.

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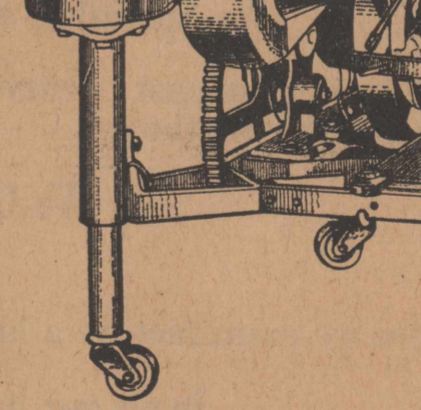
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The most recent completion of a municipality's engineering problem, solved by this firm, is at Slaton, where the question of water supply from wells has been similar to the problem of the City of Floydada. Gravel-treated wells they found to be the solution at Slaton, and wells there are now delivering several times the volume of water which wells the same depth were formerly delivering into the mains. A similar study is being made at Lubbock where recommendations will be made to the City soon.

Gantt-Baker Company are now supervising the expenditure of \$290,000 of the city's money at Paducah, where municipal water supply, paving, storm sewer and sewer system will be completed practically simultaneously. At Slaton the company has just accepted for the city \$100,000 worth of improvements, which, besides the water supply, includes water extensions and sewer extensions. \$75,000 worth of work at Littlefield, which that city is expending for a waterworks system, is being handled under the supervision of Gantt-Baker Company. Hollis, Okla. is another city, for which the company has had charge of extensive municipal improvements in the form of a 10-mile water line, the location and tapping of a soft water supply. The company has been awarded the engineering contract for paving at Hollis, likewise.

Other recent completions of jobs supervised by this company in this section of Texas includes water, light and ice plants at McLean, Perryton, Texline and Spearman. Of the firm E. W. Gantt is president; E. W. Baker, vice president and general manager; L. J. Baker, in charge of the promotion department, W. C. McManis, secretary and A. V. Shuler superintendent of construction. E. W. Baker is in charge of designing and supervision for the company.

**Off to California**

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mince left the latter part of last week for California where they will visit with their son, E. C. Mince and family.

They plan to be absent from home indefinitely, possibly until fall. They made the trip cross-country by auto.

**WORKERS MEETING PROGRAM**

Floyd County Baptist Association

The following is the program for the Workers Meeting for the Floyd County Baptist Association to be held with the Lockney Baptist Church on July 6 and 7.

**Monday, July 6**

8:30 Devotional.  
8:45 Sermon—R. C. Tennon

**Tuesday, July 7.**

10:00 A. M. Devotional—Arthur Jordan.  
10:15 A. M. "How can we have an efficient Sunday School Superintendent?"—Rev. J. C. Scott and Cal McGahey.

10:45 A. M. "What preparation should a Sunday School teacher make?"—Rev. J. M. Harder and Rev. Virgil Lemons.

11:15 Sermon—Rev. Kelley, of Ralls, Alternate, Rev. W. M. Draper.

**Noon Hour Dinner on Ground**

1:30 Board Meeting  
2:00 "How to make the church budget go."—R. A. Scanton.

2:45 "What can each member do toward having a real revival?"—Rev. W. M. Draper and Rev. Philip McGahey.

3:15 "What should be expected of every church member?"

(1)—In the work at home.—Rev. R. M. Reed.  
(2)—In the denominational work.—E. S. Weathers.

Everybody come and bring your offering for Associational Missions.

C. J. McCarty, Pastor.

**PROGRAM FOR CO-OPERATIVE MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETING**

The Co-operative Missionary Society will meet Monday, June 29th, at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church at 4 o'clock p. m. Following is the program for the meeting:

Leader.—Mrs. W. M. Massie  
Devotional, by the leader.  
Song, "More About Jesus."  
Reading.—Mrs. Clyde Davis  
Duet.—Miss Julia Adams and Mrs. Calvin Steen

Piano solo.—Miss Ethna Green.  
Reading.—Mrs. A. N. Gamble  
Vocal solo.—Mrs. E. L. Angus  
Prayer.—Mrs. J. B. Jenkins.

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**'Boocoo' Applicants Want Sheriff's Snake Medicine**

Sheriff J. R. Maddox's office has been besieged by "boocoo" applicants for "snake medicine" since Tom W. Deen's unfortunate brief but intimate encounter with the rattlesnake on Blanco Canyon at the country club grounds Friday afternoon of last week. It is stated semi-officially that the doctors obtained a slight "decoction" of the sheriff's store of stimulants for Mr. Deen. Whiskey is a good stimulant with which to aid a snake-bitten patient to fight off the effects of the poison, it is said.

The fact that the sheriff recently brought in several gallons of first class looking whiskey is generally known. If the sheriff can be prevailed upon to furnish an antidote for all the snake bites, it has been intimated that a conference of country club members has been held with the idea of conserving the supply of snakes. One prominent citizen has notified the sheriff that he has him a snake "staked out" and would appreciate a quart of "remedy." When a rabid pro suggested that he believed possibly there is no real virtue in whiskey as a remedy in case of snakebites, it drew fire.

**WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY**

The Women's Missionary Society in their meeting Monday afternoon had a real interesting lesson in Mission Study. Thirteen members were present. Mrs. H. N. Porterfield had charge of the study in the absence of Mrs. J. M. Willson, who could not be present. The society will not hold a meeting next Monday, but will meet with the Presbyterian ladies at their church.

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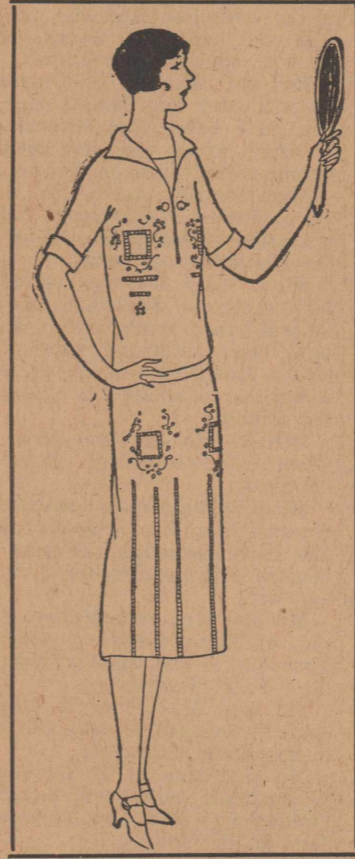
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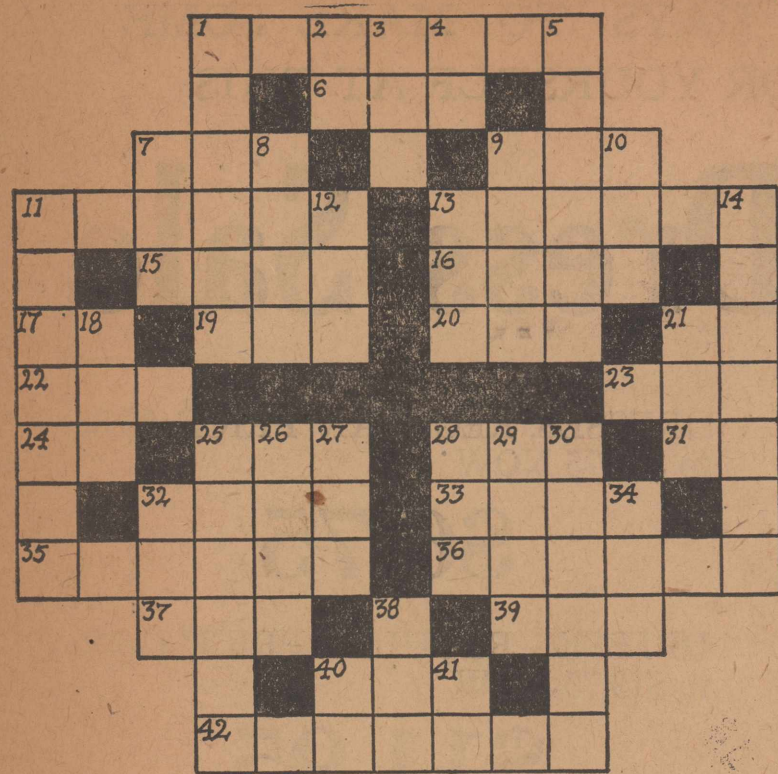
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This Week's Cross Word Puzzle



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| <b>Horizontal.</b>                 |                     | <b>Vertical.</b>                |
| 1—To demolish                      | 7—Ovum              | 1—A trench                      |
| 6—Original state of iron           | 11—Barroom          | 2—In order that                 |
| 9—Outfit                           | 15—Assistant        | 3—Attempt                       |
| 13—Wooden support for broken limbs | 17—Exist            | 5—Surrenders                    |
| 15—Silent                          | 19—Definite article | 8—A barbarian                   |
| 17—Exist                           | 21—Otherwise        | 10—To knot                      |
| 20—High hills (abbr.)              |                     | 11—Outlying districts of a city |
| 22—Large vase                      |                     | 12—Born                         |
| 23—Bibliographical collection      |                     | 13—Your uncle                   |
| 24—Second note of scale            |                     | 14—Despotic exercise of power   |
| 25—Arm of a lake                   |                     | 18—Before (poetic)              |
| 31—Printing measure                |                     | 21—Single                       |
| 32—Cut the skin off of             |                     | 25—Bread makers                 |
| 33—Impressed into speechlessness   |                     | 27—Affirmative                  |
| 35—Agitates                        |                     | 28—Indian of Algonquin tribe    |
| 37—Meadow                          |                     | 29—Shoemaker's tools            |
| 40—Enemy                           |                     | 30—Having greater depth         |
|                                    |                     | 32—Side kick                    |
|                                    |                     | 34—Having no moisture           |
|                                    |                     | 38—Boy's name                   |
|                                    |                     | 40—Fourth note of scale         |
|                                    |                     | 41—Printing measure             |

Blanco News

Blanco, June 23.—Threshing has started in our community, as J. W. Haney and Sam Brewer are using the combine in their wheat, started Monday.

Miss Irene Cates spent the past week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cates south of town. W. C. Cates and family visited there Sunday also.

Miss Velma Deen, of Floydada, spent several days the past week with her friend, Miss Nell Jones.

Mrs. Mullis and children visited Mrs. Tom Millican a day and night the past week. They once lived in this community.

Rev. J. W. Dalton filled his regular appointment at Sand Hill Sunday morning.

Rev. R. F. Dunn and wife, of Abernathy, ate dinner at the home of Will Snell last Friday.

Lee Trice and wife, of Floydada, spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Haney and family.

Roy Grigsby, of Floydada, is keeping the W. H. Smith farm the past few weeks.

Will Snell and S. F. Smith, of McCoy, attended quarterly conference at Petersburg last Saturday.

We are glad to report Mrs. W. L. Ross, who once lived here but now living at Wichita Falls, to be on the road to recovery after a very serious operation in that city.

BAKER-CAMPBELL COMPANY BUYS ROCHESTER STORE

The Baker-Campbell Company the latter part of last week consummated the purchase of another store, their new field for merchandising being at Rochester, in Haskell County.

They have also taken a term-lease on a new building to be constructed for them there, and they will get into their new quarters in time for the fall business.

One of the members of the firm out of the Munday store will likely manage the new business, according to W. A. Baker, of this city, president of the company.

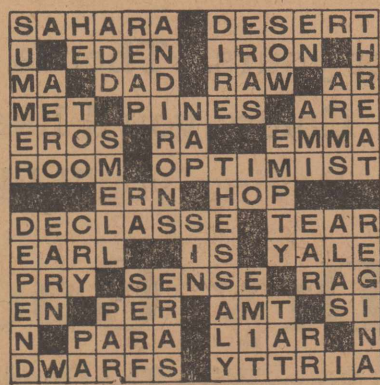
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Solution of Last Week's Puzzle



SLUGFEST WON BY FLOYDADA AT SILVERTON SUNDAY

Floydada and Silvertown Baseball teams Sunday afternoon at Silvertown engaged in an old-fashioned slugfest, Floydada team emerging from the smoke with the 16 end of a 16 to 15 score.

Brilliant, ordinary and bonehead fielding were intermixed generally on both sides, and the same can be said of the batting.

The Silvertown team will play Floydada in Floydada on Monday, July 6th, Trades Day.

BRYANT-LINK CONTRACT LET TO LOCAL FIRM

Cannaday & Stark, local firm of contractors, were awarded the job of constructing their new 50x80 brick and tile business house in Petersburg this week by the Bryant-Link Company. The building will be constructed at an early date.

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Locals and Personals

Mrs. Don Cherry and children, of Wichita Falls, have been here several days on a visit with Mrs. Cherry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bosley. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Walker visited last week at Pampa with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Holman Flynn, of Amarillo, accompanied by Miss Mildred Flynn, of Plainview, visited Friday of last week with H. N. Porterfield and family, while Mr. Flynn was here in the interest of the Amarillo Globe. Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Triplett have returned to their home in Amarillo after a visit of several days with friends here.

Mrs. S. D. Bishop and sons, Eddie and Tom, in company with Carroll Barnett, of Plainview, left the first of the week for Gatesville, where they will visit some two weeks with relatives at their former home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Martin, Miss Mary Porter and Mrs. Porter, of Ellen, have been gone several days to Colorado where they are spending an extended vacation on a tour.

Macyl Burke, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burke, has returned from Austin, after spending the school year in the University of Texas.

W. I. Allen left the latter part of last week for Savannah, Mo., where he will spend some time in a sanitarium, later returning south into the Ozark Mountain country of northeast Arkansas to spend the remainder of the summer.

BORN.—To Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Green, of Petersburg, May 23rd, a daughter.

Miss Velma Nelson reached home Sunday from Los Angeles, where she has been spending the past several months with her brother, J. V. Nelson and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haney and children, of Ralls, visited a short time Thursday of last week with Judge and Mrs. F. P. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom B. Triplett, of Amarillo, visited friends and relatives in Floydada last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Cavanaugh, of White Deer, visited over Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Cavanaugh's mother Mrs. M. E. Walling.

Miss Gertrude Conner is spending the week in Silvertown visiting friends Wesley Parker, of Crosbyton, visited in Floydada Monday.

Mrs. R. R. Alvis and daughter, Miss Helen, of Wimsboro, Texas, left Tuesday returning to their home after a visit of a few days with Mrs. Alvis' brothers, W. L. and H. E. Cannaday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Borum spent Monday in Amarillo.

Mrs. Lee Wallace left Sunday for her home at Electra, in company with her husband, after a visit of two weeks in Floydada with her sister, Mrs. Marvin Brotherton. Mr. Wallace visited with the Brotherton's for a short time.

Mrs. M. M. Robinson, of Electra, is here for an indefinite visit with her daughter, Mrs. Marvin Brotherton.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Smith left the first of the week for Chillicothe, after a brief visit with Mrs. Smith's father, E. A. Childers. They were accompanied here by their daughter, Miss Lonnie Mae, and Mrs. Clara Mae Yarbrough, also of Chillicothe, who are remaining for the week to visit Mr. Childers.

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BORN.—To Mr. and Mrs. Will Dilard, Whitfield, June 21st, a daughter Miss Vena Gilbert, of Amarillo, visited a few days during the past week with Misses Russhelle Morris and Corinne Osborne.

Miss Mary Louise Truitt, of Friona, visited from Saturday to Tuesday with Misses Cecil Covington and Russhelle Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Sparks spent Sunday in Lorenzo on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Parker.

J. L. Landrum, with the Truitt & Landrum Lumber Co., of Friona, was a visitor in Floydada from Saturday to Tuesday.

W. J. Lane, of Jayton, was here one day this week on a short visit with B. P. Woody.

Mrs. W. B. Hall spent Monday in Alcinco on a visit with her sister, Mrs. R. E. Jones

Rev. J. L. Henson and Mesdames R. E. Fry, B. P. Woody, Jno. W. Smith and H. S. Sanders Sunday afternoon visited in Lubbock with Joe A. Montgomery and family, where Mr. Montgomery was seriously ill.

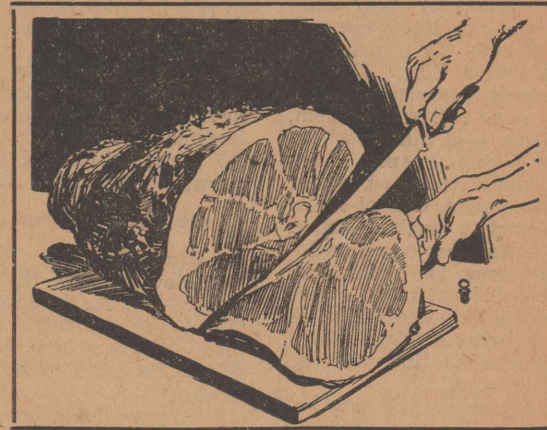
E. J. Collins, of Munday, has returned to his home after a short visit last week with his brother, G. C. Collins, and sister, Mrs. W. A. Baker.

Mrs. S. H. McCarty and children, of Canyon, were in Floydada one day the latter part of last week visiting her brother, W. A. Baker. They were enroute to Munday on a visit.

F. L. Hargis, of Bentonville, Ark., is here on a visit and will probably remain until after the 4th of July Celebration. He arrived Monday.

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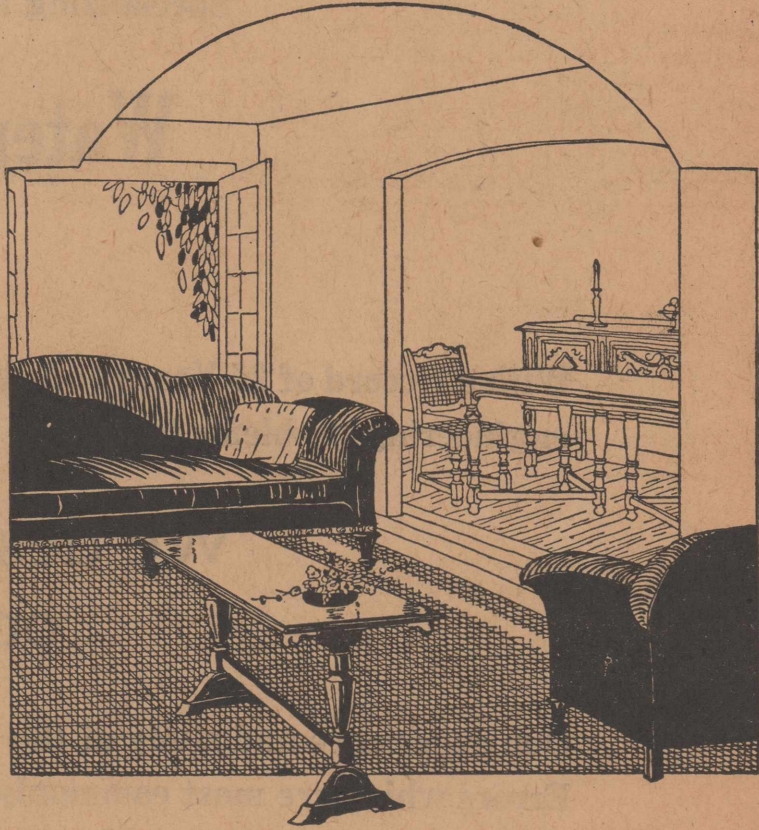
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## Home Demonstration Club News

### SAND HILL CLUB

The Sand Hill Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday of last week with Mrs. Frank Probasco. Two-thirds of the club members were present with quite a few visitors.

The business session came first, led by the president. On account of our secretary not being able to attend regularly Mrs. Alice Knight is now acting as secretary and treasurer. We are glad to report that our club lacks only a few dollars having the sidewalk debt paid out. We feel very proud that (we) our club has accomplished what we set out to do.

Miss Faulkner was with us and gave a very interesting talk and demonstration on making ice cream, frozen sherbets, and fruit punch. Those who missed this meeting surely missed a treat for the desserts were surely fine. Every time you miss a meeting you miss getting something good, and worth while.

The next meeting will be July 1st. Hostess, Mrs. H. O. Shurbet. Roll Call, "Why Can?" Order of Business. Leader, Mrs. W. E. Miller. Subject, "Canning fruits and vegetables." Demonstration by club members. Adjournment.

### COLD DESSERTS DEMONSTRATION ENJOYED BY BLANCO

The Blanco Club met with Mrs. Lon Blasingame of McCoy, Thursday afternoon, June 18th, nine members answering to roll call. Had three visitors and one new member to report—Miss Nettie Nixon.

Miss Faulkner was present and gave us the demonstration on making cold desserts and beverages, which was

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Marcelle and bob curl	1.00
Bob	.50c
Shampoo (long)	.75c
Shampoo (bob)	.50c
Facial, new pattie	1.00
(12 treatments \$10.00)	
Egg Facial	.75c
Honey Facial	1.00
Clay Pack	.50c

very much enjoyed by all present. Our present secretary, Miss Helen Geer, is to leave soon, and resigned her place. Mrs. Will Snell was elected secretary for the remainder of the year.

We meet next with Mrs. Robert Day, of McCoy. Will be glad to have more visitors at the next meeting for which the subject will be canning fruits and vegetables. Demonstrations will be made by club members.

### HARMONY CLUB

Tuesday afternoon of last week the Harmony Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Hennessee as hostess.

Most of the members were present, also Miss Faulkner, Home Demonstration Agent. The subject for the meeting was cold desserts and beverages. Miss Faulkner gave several demonstrations of ice cream, shurbet and punch.

Our next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Ralph Thomas on July 7th. The subject, "Canning Fruits and Vegetables." We hope every member will make an effort to be present, as we expect to receive some much needed and valuable information at that time.

### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The service last Sunday was indeed interesting. The Sunday School period was interesting. The contest is attracting much interest and enthusiasm. The reports from the State Convention were very interesting and enjoyed by all present. From the reports given at the convention, this was one of the best years in the work of the church in Texas. The attendance was large in spite of the fact that it was held so far toward the West Side of the State.

Tomorrow, Friday night, of this week, the second Calendar Entertainment will be held in the church. If you are a member of the Calendar be sure to be present and enjoy the evening with us. The program will begin at 8:15 and you should be there on time. If you are not on the Calendar and want to attend you can come. An admission of 25c will be charged those not belonging to the Calendar.

The service next Lord's Day morning will begin promptly at 10 o'clock and the benediction by 11:30 or 11:40. The subject of the message in the morning will be "When a Man Prays." At night the service will start at 8:15 and the theme will be "The Light Brigade."

The pastor will preach at the Newland School house at 3:30 Sunday afternoon. All living in the community are invited to be present and enjoy the service with us.

Come to the little church with a big welcome.

### Hurt When Engine Backfires

Lorraine Nelson was painfully injured Monday when a small engine at the Ledbetter Oil tanks, now being operated by Nelson, backfired. The explosion caused the crank handle to strike him in the face, cutting his lip severely and loosening two or three teeth.

Mrs. J. M. Parsons and son, David, of Aiken, visited from Tuesday to Friday of last week with friends in Floydada.

## Locals and Personals

C. C. West returned the first of the week from a business trip to Littlefield.

Miss Ethel Houghton left yesterday for Amarillo for a visit with Miss Lois Young. During her absence she will also visit at San Angelo and Midland, planning to return about the middle of August.

Miss Vera Cruze left the first of the week for her home at Crowell, after a visit of two weeks here with Mrs. Otis Abston.

Miss Elizabeth McKissick, of Sweetwater, is here on a visit. She is the house guest of Mrs. Jno. N. Farris.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ralls and Miss Ethel Houghton visited in Ralls Sunday afternoon.

Misses Alma and Pauline Ralls, of Ralls, are spending the week here, guests of their brother, Herbert Ralls and wife.

Nyles N. Morris, formerly of Ralls, but until recently of Spur, was a visitor in The Hesperian office Tuesday of this week.

Stokie Bishop, of Dallas, has been visiting his father, A. L. Bishop, here this week.

Mrs. W. C. Terrell, of Lubbock, returned to her home Sunday following a visit with her niece, Mrs. Phil Scott. Mrs. M. E. Moses, of Paducah, is spending the week here, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Jim Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Nelson left Wednesday of this week for California, where they will be gone several weeks on a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Otto Faulkner at Long Beach.

Mrs. J. O. Haymes and children, of Hereford, are here this week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hopkins. H. H. Hatchett, of Clinton, Okla., is here this week on a visit with J. C. Dickey and other relatives, having arrived Saturday. Mr. Hatchett is with the Oklahoma Gas & Electric Co.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Keese, left this week for their home at Seagraves, after a ten-day visit with their son, D. G. Keese and family in Floydada. Homer Sanders spent two days last week in Happy and Canyon on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pirtle and children, of Hedley, visited here Saturday and Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lon M. Davis.

Mrs. G. L. Richards, of Aiken is spending the week here visiting Mrs. Lon M. Davis.

Maurice Burke, who since early spring, has been playing independent baseball with Jacksonville and other East Texas teams, returned home Wednesday of this week.

Dr. J. H. Massie, of Wichita Falls, visited his brother, E. B. Massie and family, a short time the latter part of last week. He was enroute to Colorado to spend a few days and thence to Alaska on an extended vacation trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Jones, of Vernon, were here Saturday to Monday last on a visit with Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Moore. Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Callaway, of Amarillo, were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Moore over the week-end.

Dr. W. R. Moore, of Vernon, was here Monday night in consultation with local physicians. Dr. Moore is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Moore, of this city.

### BRIDGE LUNCHEON FOR MRS. T. B. TRIPLETT TUESDAY

Mrs. Tom B. Triplett, of Amarillo, was guest of honor at a pretty bridge luncheon given for her by Mrs. B. K. Barker, South First St., Tuesday morning. Bridge was played at three tables.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Floyd By virtue of an order of sale issued by the Hon. J. H. Milam, Judge of the District Court of Motley County, Texas, and by Jack Catlin, Clerk of said Court, on the 8th day of June, 1925, in the case of A. C. Traweek, Jack Luckett, A. B. Echols and F. C. Bourland vs. F. W. Strang, No. 644 on the docket of said court, and to me, J. R. Maddox, sheriff of Floyd County, Texas, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for sheriff's sales of personal property, on the 7th day of July, 1925, the following described personal property, at the depot platform in the town of Floydada, Texas, to-wit:

One second hand steam engine used in the drilling of an oil well on Whiteflat in Motley County, Texas, being a Frick Reid engine, also,

One second hand sand line wheel, used in the drilling of an oil well on Whiteflat in Motley County, Texas.

Said property being now in my hands under and by virtue of a writ of sequestration issued out of the District Court of Motley County, Texas, in the above entitled and numbered cause.

Witness my hand this the 24th day of June, 1925.

J. R. Maddox,  
Sheriff, Floyd County, Texas.  
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## Imhoff Tank Most Modern Disposal Plant

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Not only is every method of construction employed and materials used in the sewer plant being delivered to the City of Floydada this week, the most modern and latest design that engineering genius has developed to date, but also the disposal plant, which is of the Imhoff design. A. V. Shuler, superintendent of construction for Gantt-Baker Company engineers on this job, is authority for the statement that the job of construction for the disposal plant here just completed by the Sherman Machine & Iron Works, is one of the best pieces of work that any municipality has ever obtained within his knowledge.

The Imhoff Tank is the latest thing in disposal-plant construction, and when installed correctly is a marvel of efficiency and general excellence. This tank is now being used on 90 per cent of the disposal plants being built in Western United States, by cities large and small.

That the tank built here is of the best design and is likewise a first class workman-like job will be a source of gratification to Floydada taxpayers. The entire system is constructed along lines approved by the State Board of Health, and the blue prints of it have been approved by this board. The system more nearly reaches the entire population in the community. Mr. Shuler said, than any plant in this part of Texas or Oklahoma, where the towns are laid out and built on wide dimensions, covering a great deal more territory than the same-sized towns in other sections of the country.

## Ten Years in the "Home Town" Newspaper

In 1915 there were 2,445,666 automobiles in this country.

It seemed a tremendous number.

Some people were already talking about "the saturation point" being not far ahead.

But if there were some men who couldn't see the woods for the trees, there were others whose faith never faltered.

It took a lot of vision for them to see that the true market for the automobile had hardly been touched. It took a lot of courage for them to bank on the ultimate success of the automobile in that market.

They had both. Back in 1915, the United States Rubber Company said "The real future of the automobile is not in the big cities but away from them."

It is not in short runs on city streets but in mile after mile on country roads."

So back in 1915 the United States Rubber Company began to prepare for this movement—and to help it.

In 1915—ten years ago—the first U. S. Tire advertising began to appear in the "home town" papers.

Few people saw these papers in their true dimension.

Few realized the influence they had on what the people thought and did and what they bought. Because few people realized the place they filled in the minds and lives of their readers. The United States Rubber Company saw.

As clearly as it saw that the development of the automobile would be in the smaller communities, it saw that the people in these communities would have to have tires to measure up to the service and tire merchants to sell them.

And it saw that in the "home town" newspapers it had, ready at hand, the medium to help it put tire merchandising where it would have to be in the new era of the automobile.

So ten years people began to read the first U. S. Tire Advertising in their "home town" paper—over the name of their "home town" dealer.

They have been reading it ever since. They have seen these home dealers develop their little "side line of tires" into real business—always with the support of "U. S." Advertising in these local papers.

Co-incident with the tenth anniversary of "home town" advertising by the United States Rubber Company, this company announces another long step forward in the perfection of automobile tires—the greatest since the introduction of the cord itself—in its perfected Latex treated—Web Cord Royal Balloon Tire with the flat low pressure tread.

Today there are 16,000,000 automobiles in this country. 80 per cent of them are owned by men and women on the farms and in the smaller communities.

Where there was one U. S. Tire dealer in the small towns then there are hundreds today—real merchants.

What was only a vision in 1915 has come true in 1925.

## Center News

Center, June 23.—Another spell of threatening weather has passed and no rain of any consequence generally over the country. There were local showers Friday and Saturday, some places, enough to help to bring up feed, and in other places not enough to lay the dust.

We had a good crowd out Sunday. Some new people whom we welcome most heartily and others who have not been regular in attendance we hope to count with us more often.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church met with Mrs. J. L. King Monday afternoon. A few community ladies and girls met with them. We had a very enjoyable and instructive meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Meredith, Miss Maudie and E. C., Jr., attended church at town Sunday morning.

Mrs. Paul Lloyd, of La Junta, Colo., is here for a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Goodman. Mr. Lloyd expects to join his wife here for a few days before she returns home.

Mrs. Jordan and children took Sunday dinner with Mrs. A. H. Matthews. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King and daughters, Mrs. Montgomery and children and Misses Amelia and Grace Fuqua were guests for dinner Sunday at the Gohlighly home.

Remember, next Saturday at 11, Saturday night and Sunday are our regular preaching days here.

Mr. Noland and family attended church at Lakeview Sunday.

Messrs. Roy O'Brien and Lee Gohlighly, and Misses Amelia and Grace Fuqua, Lillian King and Alma Montgomery attended singing at Lakeview Sunday afternoon.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Miss Dorothy Snodgrass was 11 years old Saturday of last week and her mother helped to make it a day to be remembered by giving a party in her honor, at which a large number of the friends of the honoree were present.

Several very pretty gifts were received by the honoree.

More tin is mined in Alaska than all the rest of the United States.

## That Good MAGNOLIA GAS

Kelly Springfield Casings.

We do the kind of tube vulcanizing that stays vulcanized these hot summer days.

Drive in and let us serve you.

## MAGNOLIA FILLING STATION

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## Sand Hill Happenings

Sand Hill, June 22.—Times were never so busy out here as they are now. Wheat harvest has started and every farmer is working in the row crop.

The Community Society is being hit pretty hard. We believe if the society stands up during this season we will not dread any other time. Last Friday night "Better than Gold" a two and a quarter hour play, was presented to a very appreciative audience. Several good characters came to light by the efforts put into this play. We can hardly realize the good that is being done by the Society.

Friday night (June 26) we will present a literary program. Every effort is being made by the new program committee to make this a good program.

Wednesday night, July 1, our play, "Better than Gold" will be presented at Starkey School House. No charges whatsoever will be made. We want everybody to come. The Home Demonstration Club of Starkey will have cake and ice cream to sell "between acts," the proceeds of which will go into their treasury. Come and enjoy the play and eat ice cream.

"A Prairie Rose", the next of our series of plays, will be presented at Sand Hill Auditorium July 10th. We are trying to make this the best evening of enjoyment yet.

T. W. Quirk's Brother Dead Saturday forenoon T. W. Quirk, manager of the J. C. Wooldridge Lumber Company, received the news of the death of his half-brother, T. F. Ryan, at Chapman, Kansas.

Funeral services were held for the deceased Sunday morning.

## Close Out on KOOL SUITS

New York clothing houses have decided they know more about my business than I, therefore, have shipped me "Twenty four" EXTRA keen gaberdine suits.

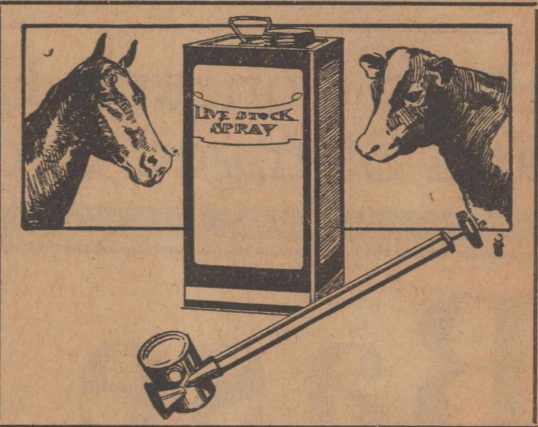
They are jam up good ones but we don't need em—all two pants. We are not going to tell you the price but we are going to sell them in six days. If you DON'T need a suit—look em over.

Then too we've got one hundred pair mens trousers—we are going to sell this week.

## Glad's

Where you buy Florsheim Shoes, Holeproof hose, Shirt Craft Shirts, Miller Imported Straws from a good store in a good town.

## Be Humane



Your live stock cannot protect themselves from the Flies as humans do, so be humane, spray them with a protective wash—it will save you many dollars in feed.

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