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"Ten thousand country editors could testify that there is more truth than humor in that anecdote. The most useful, underpaid and earnest body of men in the Nation are the editors of country newspapers. The pathetic fact is that they would be highly prosperous men if business and advertisers realized the truth, that the country newspaper, in proportion to its circulation, is the best advertising medium in the country."

Floyd county placed second in the state fair exhibit at Dallas last year. The products were gathered by Maury Hopkins, then secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and County Agent T. Scott Wilson. The Chamber of Commerce and the Farm Bureau representatives cooperated in collecting the materials for the exhibits at the Amarillo and Dallas fairs. This year Lockney, her Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. Wilson are preparing to exhibit Floyd county products at Texas and probably Oklahoma fairs. Those exhibits are undoubtedly of great advertising value to the plains country. Floydada should assist in preparing the fruits, grains, and vegetables that will be used to show the people of the other sections of the country what Floyd county can produce. Make it an all-county affair.

AN AD A DAY KEEPS THE SHERIFF AWAY

We would do well to get the habit of reading at least one ad a day. The persistent reading of store news is pleasant and profitable. Every business man will tell you that volume of sales enables him to offer you better and better prices.

Buying thru advertising is like the old Round Robin. You increase the volume of the merchants from whom you buy. He in turn offers you still better prices next time and you benefit thru reading his message again. And so on as you shop by advertising you lower your own cost of living and make your life healthier, happier, more comfortable and altogether worth while.

The sheriff won't have to advertise what you have for sale if you will regularly read the other fellow's ads and take advantage of the bargains he offers.—Plainview Herald.

Hesperettes

"Transportation in west to be prob-ed" reads newspaper headline.

Glad somebody awoke to the fact that Floydada and the Central Plains need a railroad outlet.

"Pieces of eight, pieces of eight," cried the pirate as two Fords ran together.

Bozo the Shiek had his appendix removed and that was the end.

C. C. Woodson, one of the editors of the Quana Times was in Floydada Sunday night and incidentally remained a short time until a spring, broken while traversing the streets here, was repaired.

Quana boosters who were here Sunday night were enthusiastic over the proposed new rail connection between their city and Floydada. Merchants of Quana, and the whole town for that matter, were boosting for the new road, they said.

"Fifteen-year-old girl is being held by the police for authorities of a nearby town. She is alleged to have run away Army workers."—Amarillo Globe.

Running away people who work in the Army is a serious offense. The girl is probably a bolshevik, and should be deported at once.

Abe—"What is the idea of calling that fellow 'Furnace' Richardson?"
Abel—"Because he's always full of hot air, and he smokes, too."

APPROVED LIGHT LISTS RECEIVED HERE BY POPE

Lists of the approved headlight devices for use in this state have been announced by the Texas Highway Commission, and H. O. Pope and Son, local examiners and testing station received a copy Tuesday.

In the list issued from Austin as announced in state papers will be found the standard headlight equipment which now is found on practically every car sold in Texas. This is also true for cars which have been sold during the last year. When properly adjusted, every device approved will give good driving light and at the same time only a minimum amount of glare. Before purchasing headlight devices, the motorist should be absolutely sure that his headlamps are not already equipped with an approved device.

One approved device is sufficient. Approximately 75 per cent of the cars in Texas already have headlights equipped with one of these approved devices and there is no necessity for a change. All headlights, however, must be properly adjusted at one of the county test stations which will be open for business about August 1. List of headlight devices approved for use by the Highway Commission for use in Texas under the Texas automobile headlight law follows:

Lenses—J-Bausch & Lomb Star Benzler Lens, Type A; Broadlight Lens, Ford H Lens, Flintex Lens, Hudson Ford Lens, Johnson Lens, Liberty Lens, type D; Lincoln projector Lens, McBeth green visor Lens, D; McKeel-Lite Lens, Monogram Lens, Paro-O-Lite Lens, type FW; Patterson Lens, Smith Lens Spreadlight Lens, Standard Lens and Tilt Beam Lens.

Reflectors—Brown University reflector and Brown Adaptor reflector, Flatlite reflector and Flatlite adaptor Garda reflector, Hilco reflector and Paraflector reflector.

Complete Headlamps—E. and J. type 20; Guide Ray type A Hilco.

Combination Device—Path-finder device with Spreadlight Lens.

Final decision has not been reached on the following devices and motorists having headlamps equipped with these devices should take no action in buying new devices until further notice from the Highway Commission:

Liberty Lens, Monogram twin beam headlamp, Osgood Lens, Tilt Ray headlamp and Visco Lens.

YOU ARE EDUCATED IF YOU CAN ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS

A professor in the University of Chicago told his students he should consider them educated in the best sense of the word when they say, "Yes" to every one of these questions:

Has education given you sympathy with all the good causes and made you espouse them?
Has it made you public-spirited?
Has it made you a brother to the weak?

Have you learned how to make friends and keep them?

Do you know what it is to be a friend yourself?

Can you look an honest man or a pure woman in the face?

Do you see anything to love in a little child?

Will a lonely dog follow you in the street?

Can you be highminded and happy in the meanest drudgeries of life?

Do you think washing dishes and hoeing corn just as compatible with high thinking, piano playing or golf?

Are you good for anything yourself?

Can you be happy alone?

Can you look out on the world and see anything but dollars and cents?

Can you look into a mud puddle by the wayside and see a clear sky?

Can you look into the sky at night and see beyond the stars?

Are you educated?—Baptist Observer.

EARLIEST BOOK PLATES

It probably was because books were so few and precious in that early dawn of bookmaking and printing and illustrating that the first book plates were not as book plates are today. A king or queen or lord or lady did not have printed a mere tag, reading: "This book belongs to Beatrice Aragon." Instead, Beatrice of Aragon, for her book plate, had her picture together with the picture of her husband, Mary Matthias I Corinus, king of Hungary 1443-90, at the foot of page two in their joint book. "De Spiritu Sanctu," written by Sigismundus de Sigismundus and illuminated by Attavante dell Attanti.

All in all, those early days of books had much in their favor. You didn't have to worry much about borrowed volumes. You had no worries, either, about sectional bookcases. Your one volume was per se a first edition.

Swain's Island, some 200 miles off the coast of Samoa and owned for three generations of American citizens of the Jennings family, has been taken over by the United States.

This and That

W. M. Henson, who is here to spend the winter but whose home is in California, said the other day that he "surely did want the editor to keep sending that Hesperian to the family. It's just like getting a letter from everybody."

Our subscribers can assist in making the paper "a letter from everybody" if they will telephone No. 8 when they have visitors in their home, have a social, have a party, or plan to make a trip. It is your paper, help make it more so.

C. H. Brazier and J. A. Arwine have had a banker friend from Bridgeport on a visit with them the past few days. Neither has got a loan yet, but both are still hopeful.

Finale of a six-line personal in an Amarillo paper one day last week read: "While in California Miss Witt experienced one of the quakes which rocked that territory." Probably some husbands could tell of some quakes and quaverings that have occurred nearer home.

"This has been Amarillo's warmest day this summer. Thermometers registered 101 at 2 p. m., and a warm wind was blowing from the north."—Amarillo Globe.

Such a statement undoubtedly made the wise crackers down in the "sticks" turn their heads and smile, because haven't they heard it said that Amarillo is the coldest spot in Texas and that the town is situated two and one-half miles due south of the north pole?

Bill—"What was the idea of the appendicitis operation the other day, John; wasn't sick were you?"

John—"No, but an ounce of preventative is worth a pound of cure, you know."

Sam—"Heard that Hiram and Floyd met a girl six miles out on the Matador road the other day trying to repair a puncture, and that Hiram assisted her; didn't Floydada?"

Lizzie—"Yes, he brought her to town while Hiram patched the tire."

MUSEUM GETS TREASURE

Hawick museum has been enriched by the reception of a Chinese porcelain grotto or shrine. This was brought from China some hundred years ago and the British museum authorities have furnished the following information: "It is what is called a 'grotto piece', and is probably quite fanciful, giving a suggestion of a mountain shrine or pleasure place with figures of visitors. Such pieces were made commonly in the potteries near Fatsan, to the Canton delta."—Family Herald.

EVIL SPIRIT SCARERS

No wonder the gateway of the Indian medicine man keeps the evil spirits away. The Flathead Indians, who inhabit the western slope of the Continental Divide in Glacier National park, built these grotesque "entrances" with the oddest of "nature's carvings" found on dead trees along the mountain sides. They form clusters of "scare-crow" figures that would make a white man's dog start those ominous notes announcing a funeral-to-be in the immediate neighborhood.

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UNDERMINING CONSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT

As to the possibilities of reducing the overhead cost of the federal government in years to come, President Coolidge made the following clearcut statement.

"Unfortunately the federal government has strayed far afield from its legitimate business. It has trespassed upon fields where there should be no trespass. If we could confine our federal expenditures to the legitimate obligations and functions of the federal government a material reduction would be apparent. But far more important than this would be its effect upon the fabric of our constitutional form of government, which tends to be gradually weakened and undermined by this encroachment."

ROAD IMPROVEMENT PAID FOR IN SHORTER TIME

The improvement of the important roads of the country pays for itself in a remarkably short time, according to the Bureau of Public Roads of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Data collected in a survey of highway transportation in Maine indicate that on the basis of present traffic the 300 miles of most heavily traveled road in the State could be improved from an earth-road condition to a high type pavement at a cost, with interest at 4 per cent, which could be repaid by the savings in operating costs of passenger cars only in slightly more than four years.

The actual savings would be even greater than this. Records show that traffic on the Maine highways doubled in the period from 1916 to 1919, that it doubled again from 1919 to 1923, and a careful analysis indicates that it will double again in the period of 1924 to 1930. As the traffic increases naturally the savings in motor-vehicle operation will increase.

Rapid increase in highway traffic and large possible savings in motor-vehicle operation due to the improvement of important roads is a condition common to every state. Thomas H. MacDonald, Chief of the Bureau of Public Roads, says: "We pay for improved roads whether we have them or not, and we pay less if we have them than if we do without."

MANY USE HUDSON BRIDGE

The first vehicular bridge over the Hudson south of Albany was recently opened to the public, and it is estimated that about 4,000 automobiles crossed. The bridge spans the river from a little above Peekskill to Bear Mountain park, says the New York World.

Although there was a constant procession of automobiles in both directions, there was little congestion. Guards and special police were stationed on the bridge and at the approaches to regulate traffic. The toll for an automobile and driver was 75 cents and 10 cents additional for each passenger. Pedestrians paid 10 cents each.

Hobson's choice is so called in allusion to the practice of Thomas Hobson (1631), of Cambridge, England, who let horses, and required every customer to take the horse which stood nearest the door.

Gilista Ernestine, Cornell's great Holstein cow which died last year, left a world's record in lifetime production by giving in her sixteen years of service 202,005 pounds of milk.

A golden plover on the Pacific Coast flies 2,000 miles from Alaska to the Hawaiian Islands.

ISLAND IS AMERICAN

Palmyra island came under American sovereignty with the annexation of the Hawaiian islands in 1898. It was originally known as "Eamarang" and was discovered by Captain Sawle of the American vessel Palmyra in November, 1802. An expedition conducted by Capt. Zenas Bent took possession of it in the name of the Hawaiian kingdom in 1862. It was annexed by Great Britain in May, 1889, and later became a possession of the Hawaiian islands, being included in them when these islands with all their dependencies became a part of the territory of the United States.

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Many Sign Contract for Q. A. & P. Line

Saturday afternoon's meeting of the people of this section of the county at the District Court Room, called by the railroad committee of the Chamber of Commerce to consider the contract offered by the Quanah, Acme & Pacific Company, was an enthusiastic meeting and was a gratifying culmination of five days of effort on the part of several business men and land holders, who had obtained 193 signatures to the contract at the time of the opening of the meeting, it was announced. Several scores signed the contract Saturday afternoon.

E. C. Nelson, Sr., presided at the meeting and told of the necessity for close harmonious work. He said the contract offered was a straight forward one which would mean much to the county if a permit is granted for the construction of the line, and would do no damage if the permit was not granted. "We need moral and financial help to get our right-of-way ready, in case we get the permit," he told his audience of some 400 persons, "And the more of us working at the job, the easier the task will be for each."

O. P. Rutledge read the contract which had been prepared and signed by 193 citizens, and also read a petition to the Interstate Commerce Commission from the local citizens which was freely signed. This last named petition pointed out the advantages to Floyd County and the Plains country of the proposed extension, its small cost, comparatively, and the great possibilities of savings in tonnage miles to the territory.

MINISTER DISCUSSES NEWS-PAPER

"A city must have a modern newspaper if it is to grow and prosper," said Rev. Dr. John W. Kensis, pastor of Bowman Methodist Episcopal Church, St. Louis, in a "pulpit editorial" before he began his Sunday night sermon, recently. "The kind of a newspaper depends largely not on what the people want, but on what the management think they want. We are told the editorial staff give us what we can afford."

"There are three great influences at work in modern civilization—church, press and money. We are all guided more or less by these forces. We may deny it, but that does not alter it."

The hen doesn't have a grudge against the poultryman she is laying for.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

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

You are hereby Comanded, That you summon, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Floyd if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Al Emerson and the heirs and legal representatives of said Al Emerson if he is deceased, whose names are unknown, all persons whose residence is unknown to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Floyd, at the Court House thereof, in Floydada on the 21st day of September A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 9th day of July A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1697, wherein W. J. Burke is plaintiff and Al Emerson and said heirs and legal representatives defendants.

The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit: That on or about the 1st day of July, 1925, plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises situated in Floyd County, Texas, holding and claiming same in fee simple, to-wit: Lot No. Eight (8) in Block No. Eighty (80) in the town of Floydada in Floyd County, Texas, as shown by recorded Plat thereof, being a part of Survey No. 65 in Block No. 1 in Floyd County, Texas. That on the day and year last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom to plaintiffs damage \$1000.00 and unlawfully withheld from plaintiff the possession thereof.

That plaintiff is the owner of said land by virtue of the five year statute of limitation.

Wherefore plaintiff prays judgement of the court that defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition, and that plaintiff have judgement for the title and possession of the above described land and premises, and that writ of restitution issue and for his damages and costs of suit and general relief in law and equity such as he may be justly entitled to.

Herein Fail Not, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this, the 10th day of July A. D., 1925.

G. C. TUBBS,
Clerk District Court, Floyd County, Texas.

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FLOYDADA, TEXAS.

NO NOTICE GIVEN HERE OF LIGHT RATE REDUCTION

E. E. Brown, representative of the Texas Utilities Company, has not received notice here Monday of a reduction of one cent per kilowatt hour on the local electricity rate as announced by Amarillo papers last week. The following story was carried:

"The electricity rate in 22 Panhandle cities has been reduced one cent a kilowatt effective on the June billing, according to an announcement made here yesterday by I. R. Kelso, of St. Louis, president of the Texas Utilities company, who has been making a tour of inspection of the West Texas and New Mexico plants.

This company is operating more than 30 ice plants in Panhandle towns. Among the new ones built this year are at Post, Lubbock, Brownfield, Tulla, Floydada, Ralls, Hereford and Canyon.

The light plant at Crosbyton was purchased last week, Mr. Kelso said. The one at Portales, New Mexico, has also recently been bought by this company and the rates reduced from 30 to 20 cents a kilowatt."

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our heart-felt gratitude and appreciation to our friends for the many kind words and deeds of friendship during the recent illness and death of our beloved mother, Mrs. J. B. Sandersson. Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Borum. Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon, and other relatives.

Locals and Personals

G. S. Potts of Irick community who was in town Monday on business stated that feed crops and cotton were looking pretty good in his section. He said that lice on the cotton were doing some damage and that the heat during the past few days had slightly injured the row crops, but recent rains had improved general conditions there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson and H. O. Pope and family returned Sunday after spending ten days on a vacation trip in southwest Texas and New Mexico. They visited Clovis, Roswell, and Cloudercroft, N. M., and El Paso in the southwest. Mr. Wilson, who is the local photographer, stated that he had made a number of pictures of the beautiful scenery near Cloudercroft and other interesting points.

J. B. Green and family who have been here for the past two weeks visiting Mrs. Green's sister, Mrs. E. R. Borum, and family returned to their home in Decatur Sunday.

Miss Rebecca Yearwood of Plainview and her friend, Miss Billy Bobbitt of Hillsboro, were the guests here Friday of Miss Yearwood's brother, J. R. Yearwood, and family.

Miss Wilma Sparks, who has been spending a short vacation with friends and relatives in Whiteflat has returned to her work at the Smith & Smith Sanitarium. She is a nurse there.

Mrs. C. V. Duncan, formerly of this city now of Amarillo, spent the past week here with A. B. Duncan and family. She returned home Tuesday morning.

Mrs. W. E. Landmon and children have been here since Monday of last week visiting her sister, Mrs. J. T. Howard, and family. Mrs. Landmon will likely return to her home in Post Saturday and before returning will visit her friend, Mrs. Sam Shultz.

Mrs. J. W. Rippey and daughter, Jessie Dean, of Fort Worth, are here for a short visit with her cousins, Mrs. J. U. Borum and Mrs. F. C. Harmon.

Deputy Sheriff R. D. Smith made a trip to Vernon and Wichita Falls the latter part of last week.

D. T. Caudle and son, J. R., of Alexander, Texas, were here from Thursday to Tuesday last on a visit with D. T. Caudle's brother, T. A. Caudle and wife. They also visited relatives at Ralls and Hale Center while in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Cone, of Wichita Falls, are here on a visit with Mrs. Cone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Carpenter.

BORN.—To Mr. and Mrs. George Sanders of Starkey community, July 18, a son.

Plumbing Materials

We shall carry in stock at all times a very complete line of plumbing materials. Let us figure your materials also the labor.

Remember we have a complete line of windmills and well supplies—pipe, casing, Wood rod, working barrels, repairs. We can figure your job complete.

Our stock of furniture is priced lower. Look it over.

Leather and harness. We make all strap goods.

KIRK & SONS

Call 84 North Side Square

Q. A. & P. Boosters of Quanah Stop Here

100 Trippers With Special Paper Edition Pass Through Enroute to Plainview Rail Hearing

Editors of two Quanah papers and 100 live-wire boosters passed through Floydada late Sunday afternoon and Monday morning enroute to the rail hearing being held this week at Plainview. Some of the trippers spent Sunday night here.

In support of their belief that the Quanah, Acme & Pacific proposed extension is the logical one and to present their claims in a material fashion, the Quanah Tribune-Chief and the Quanah Times published a consolidated special edition of the two papers to be distributed at Plainview.

A large map on the front page and a smaller drawing on the first page of the second section graphically presented the exact route the new line would take from Quanah, giving a direct connection with El Paso, via Floydada to St. Louis. The paper consisted of sixteen pages, well arranged and filled with advertisements from the merchants of Quanah who were enthusiastically supporting the movement for the new road. Two thousand copies were distributed, and a number of Floydada residents who obtained one of the sheets expressed belief that the edition would prove instrumental in obtaining the new rail extension from the South Plains.

Staff members of both papers attended the hearing Monday in Plainview and among the newspapermen stopping in Floydada Sunday night were: Harry Koch, editor and his son, Antone, junior editor of the Tribune-Chief and C. C. Woodson and A. C. Smith, publishers of the Quanah Times

SLAYER LIGHTLY DEALT WITH IN OLD ICELAND

Divorce by arrangement is not so new an invention as one might suppose. "The Laxdaela Saga," the 1,000-year-old epic of Iceland which Thorstein Veblen has translated, sheds light not only on the quaint institution of the "divorce shirt," but on many other customs of the time which seem strangely modern, the Kansas City Star says.

Legal hair-splitting, for example, was common even then. Witness the technical distinction between manslaughter and murder. In the former case the slayer had only to cover the body and notify the next of kin and he went free, or at least with no heavier penalty than the payment of the wergeld, the price of his man. But for exile and the criminal was immediate and the criminal was declared a lawful victim for any one who found him in the country, a handy way of dispensing with the executioner.

Politics, dress, marriage customs, real estate deal and the introductions of Christianity, all figure in the authentic background of this romantic narrative. Its heroine is Gudrun, Iceland's most noted woman, whom three successive husbands failed to divert from her love for Kjartan, the poet-adventurer.

ONE IN TEN

Neglecting a little wound, cut or abrasion of the flesh may in nine cases out of ten cause no great suffering or inconvenience, but it is the one case in ten that causes blood poisoning, lockjaw or a chronic festering sore. The cheapest, safest and best course is to disinfect the wound with liquid Borozone and apply the Borozone Powder to complete the healing process. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by All Drug Stores

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Diseases of Women, Rectal Diseases and Surgery
Palace Theatre Bldg. Lubbock.

MRS. T. M. COX ENTERTAINS FOR MRS. MOSIE LEE TYE

Mrs. T. M. Cox was hostess at a pleasant social at her home in honor of Mrs. Mosie Lee Tye of Shreveport, La., Friday afternoon from 4 to 5:30 o'clock. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served the following guests: Mrs. Frank Moore, Mrs. J. R. Yearwood, Mrs. Arthur Savage, Mrs. R. A. Garrett, Miss Ethel Houghton, Mrs. L. G. Stuart, Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Miss Janett Steen, and Miss Rebecca Yearwood of Plainview, and the honoree.

CARD OF THANKS

It is impossible for us to express our thanks and gratitude to each of our friends individually who were so faithful and kind to us and to our husband and father, who was sick so long and is now gone to heaven to live with God, who loves us all.

We take this method to sincerely thank everyone who in any way, in word or deed, helped us in the long trying hours of his sickness and death. We have a desire that we may live among this good people and in a small way return at least some of the favors shown us in this sore trial. We also want to help the good people of Floydada and surrounding vicinity to maintain that good spirit of mutual sympathy and help in times of trouble.

May God's greatest blessings be on all and may we all so live as to raise higher and higher the lofty standard of life that our husband and father and the citizenship of this community have lived.

Mrs. P. M. Smith,
Joe M. Smith,
Mrs. J. J. Crandall,
Chas. Smith,
Mrs. W. H. Bethel.

UNITED STATES OF WORLD FUTURE LEADING NATION

"Out of the chaos of today, the hatred of nations, and the mixtures of races, shall come the United States of the World—all nations shall be one, and all races one great people."

Thus did Count Ilya Tolstoy, son of the famous Russian author and philosopher, Count Leo Tolstoy, sum up the ideals of his famous father.

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if

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—No job too Big or too Little

—All kinds of machine work.

—All Work Guaranteed.

FLOYDADA MACHINE SHOP

Located at Day & Night Garage

MOVE FROM ROSCOE

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Gillian, formerly of Roscoe, have removed here to make their home. Mr. Gillian has accepted a position as bookkeeper with Higginbotham-Bartlett Company here.

FAIRVIEW CLUBS COMPLETES FOUR QUILTS IN ONE DAY

Members of the Fairview Quilting Club completed four quilts in one day recently, while meeting with Mrs. J. A. Clendennen. A chicken lunch was served at the noon hour and more than usual interest was taken in the work, reports state.

Those present were: Mesdames J. F. Conner, G. G. Randolph, Edd Bullard, J. C. Bruner, E. C. Austin, J. T. Snodgrass, E. H. Kelsey, Jancy Moore, Will Moore, J. M. Anderson, G. M. Bullard, W. B. Wilson, Ethel Horton, S. E. Crouch, J. A. Crabtree, D. O. Graham, A. J. Jetton, R. E. Clendennen, and Misses Eva Kimberley, Gladys Bruner, Odessa and Laura Mae Clendennen.

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Half of India's population lives on one-sixth the area.

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OF

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LOST.—Collie dog, yellow and white, answering to the name of "Don." Has collar with register Number 8; left home about July 12. Liberal reward. Notify Dr. G. V. Smith, Floydada 121tc

LOST.—Black 10 year old horse and dark brown mare mule, smooth mouth. No marks or brands. Finder please notify Phone No. 914-F41. R. F. Hall 211tp

FOR SALE.—Two room auto tent, second hand. Fred Brown. 211tc

HARD LUCK FOR LATE COMERS AT BANQUETS

"The sugar lies on the bottom," is an old German saying, which is untrue in America, at least in that part of America as represented by some hotels. While waiting for a banquet to end, a reporter sat in the path of the waiters scurrying to and from between the kitchen and the dining room. Toward the end of the meal the head waiter unexpectedly bore down upon a new underling and all but seized him by the back of the collar. The astonished man, in his surprise, nearly split the dishes he was carrying. "Why what's the matter?" he gasped, as he saw the gleam in the head waiter's eye. The other fairly stuttered with rage. "You gave the best service in the kitchen to the man who just came in. Don't you know that the late comers at a banquet always get the worst food?"—New York Evening World.

ERADICATING SCRUB BULLS

"Scrub bull eradication campaigns" are rapidly gaining the favor of enterprising county agents as a means of improving the cattle of their counties, says the United States Department of Agriculture. Fifteen dairy bulls of quality were added recently to the bovine population of Hopkins County, Ky. Prior to the campaign in some counties two committeemen from each community made a survey of their school district to determine the number of bulls, cows, and heifers on the farms, what breed they were, and whether scrub or purebred. The survey covered 850 farms and showed a dairy-cattle population of 1,924 mature grade cows, 536 grade heifers, 101 mature purebred cows, and 31 purebred heifers; also that more than 80 per cent of the farm herds were being bred to scrub or grade bulls and only about 19 per cent to purebred bulls.

AN EDITOR'S BLESSING

Blessed are the merchants who advertise because they believe in it and in their business; for their prosperity shall increase many fold. Blessed are the country correspondents who send in their well-written items every week, for the fame of their friendly neighborhood shall go abroad in the land. Blessed are the woman who sends in a written account of a party or wedding, for she shall see the details of the function and the names of her guests correctly reported. Blessed are those who do not expect the editor to know everything, but who call him and tell him whenever an interesting event occurs to them, for they shall have a newsy paper in their town. Blessed are they who get their copy in early, for they shall occupy a warm place in the editor's heart. Blessed are those who co-operate with the editor in his efforts in behalf of the community, for their town shall be known far and wide as a good place in which to live.

USE OF TELEPHONE "HELLO" IS WANING

Telephone officials state that usage of the familiar salutation "Hello" is gradually dying out. More and more are telephone users appreciating the fact that an effective telephone personality not only is a valuable asset, but is equally desirable as a social asset. Accordingly, when Mrs. Smith's telephone rings she tries to identify herself at once by saying, "Mrs. Smith speaking," rather than simply "Hello" which must lead to further identification.

Owners of fancy dog shops are doing a flourishing business in London this summer, for it is the vogue for women to have pets to match their gowns, or dress schemes to correspond with the coat of their favorite dog.

TEN YEARS MAY FIND MANGOSTEEN ON OUR MARKETS

At some time in the future, probably between 1935 and 1940, the mangosteen, the most famous fruit in the world, may make its first commercial appearance upon the markets of the United States, says the United States Department of Agriculture. For many years it was thought that this fruit could not be cultivated outside the Asiatic Tropics, but experiments in the West Indies have proved this to be without foundation.

In the hope of providing a nucleus from which later may be developed orchards of sufficient size to supply northern markets with commercial quantities of the fruit, the department has recently sent several shipments of young trees to the Canal Zone, Costa Rica, and Honduras.

The mangosteen is unlike any fruit cultivated in the United States, and it can only be grown where the temperature never drops below 35 degrees above zero. It is the size of a mandarin orange, deep purple externally, with a thick, woody rind. Within are several segments of snow-white pulp of extremely delicate flavor. Because of its great delicacy and the difficulty of transporting the fruit long distances, Queen Victoria once offered a handsome reward to the first person who succeeded in placing a dish of mangosteen on her table at Buckingham Palace, but the reward was never won.

With the advent of refrigeration, it has become possible to send the fruit north from the Tropics without great difficulty. It seems unlikely that American markets will be supplied from southern Asia, however. The development of commercial orchards in tropical America will be a slow process, but the project is being undertaken with energy, and it seems likely that another decade will see the first shipments of mangosteens reaching New York.

PRIDE

Stamford Leader: Funny how some men never see any good in anything they do not start themselves. But probably that fact is explained by that that we are prouder of our own children than those of our neighbors, as a general thing. So with our thoughts perhaps.

Pride of self is one thing that distinguishes mankind from other kinds. Pride is a human attribute exclusively. The anthropoid ape has no pride. He may have ferocity in a fight but it is not inspired by pride but by self-preservation, the first law of the animal kingdom. The milk cow has no pride in her lacteal out-put. The hen never counts her eggs. The horse never boasts of his horse sense. If man is an evolution from lower forms of life, where did he get his pride? When was it first implanted in his nature? Certainly a proud man may overdo his pride. But not to have any pride is not to be human. There should be some who are proud to follow, as well as many who are proud to lead. State Press is a proud sort, rather follow an army into battle than lead one. This is because he, despite his pride, cultivates humility. Too much humility isn't admirable, but it is excellent when mixed with discretion.—Dallas News.

Paper making must have flourished early in Bohemia, for among the effects of King Vladislav is a 1499 entry prohibiting the export of old clothes in order that the Abbott of Zbasler might buy them and convert them into paper.

Cigaret consumption in the United States has increased from three and one-half billion in 1905 to 75 billion in 1924.

TODAY

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- 4 general storage warehouses for every day
- 1 hospital for every day
- \$521,000,000 worth of property in 1922
- This is equivalent to the interest on a capital sum of \$10,000,000,000 which represents America's huge investment in senseless and unnecessary destruction.—"Fire Prevention Record."

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Visit to the Hermitage

(By John J. Wilson)

John J. Wilson, superintendent last year of the Floydada Public Schools, recently visited "The Hermitage", home of Andrew Jackson, and at the request of The Hesperian herewith gives a brief sketch of the historical home of the founder of the Democratic Party, who was president of the United States 100 years ago. Mr. Wilson expresses the hope that the sketch will have some educational value for the school children:

Doubtless all of you who are historically inclined remember that the "Hermitage" was the home of General Andrew Jackson, the seventh president of the United States. This quaint old-fashioned mansion is located thirteen miles from Nashville, Tennessee, out among the hills and near one fork of Stone River. The road leading out to it winds its way between the hills and mountains, through forests, and skirted on either side by small fields of grain, corn, or other crops.

As you reach the front entrance of the lawn you first catch the spirit of the Hermitage as it stands before you some three or four hundred yards in the distance, surrounded by large, towering trees, that almost hide it from view. You see before you a large red brick building of twelve large rooms and two large halls, one on the first floor and one above. On the left, as you enter the lower hall you come to the front parlor. Here you stop to marvel at the beautiful furniture which you see all about you. The crystal chandelier, the six mahogany chairs, the pair of Dresden vases on wall brackets, the damask silk curtains, the mantel mirrors, the Japanese bronze clock, the chair with back inlaid with mother of pearls and many other pieces which were used in Jackson's time, can be seen in this room.

A small hall leading to the right from the middle of the large hall takes you by General Jackson's bedroom. This room is as it was the day he died, with the same furniture he used, the bed he died upon, the chair he sat in, etc. Over the mantel is the portrait of his wife, upon which his dying gaze rested. Other portraits of members of his family are hanging on the walls.

Next to the bedroom was the General's office or library. This office was used for all business and was a place where many prominent people came to talk to the President. Many interesting pictures, maps, and pieces of furniture are to be found in this room. Passing up several of the rooms, you come to the "Lafayette Room" in which Lafayette was entertained in 1825. Here you see another large "overstuffed" bed, bed steps, mahogany

MAKE LOCKNEY-FT. WORTH DRIVE IN TWELVE HOURS

From the Lockney Beacon, July 16: Mrs. R. M. Broyles and daughters, Misses Olga and Frankie, came in from Fort Worth Friday evening, where they have been making their home for several weeks. They made the trip from Fort Worth in a Ford coupe, making the run in fourteen hours, and about two hours of the fourteen were taken up in stopping for gas and repairs.

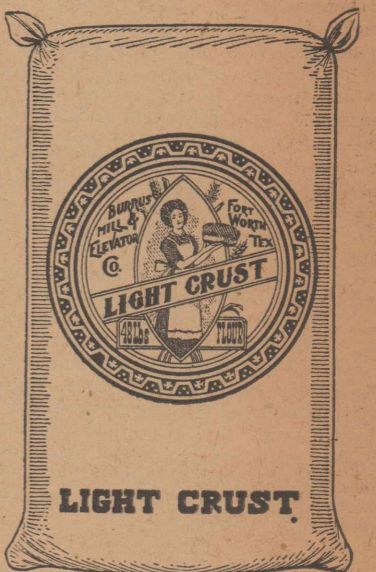
A hive full of bees brought in by the manager and released quelled a free-for-all fight which developed in a Berlin Inn.

Back of the dining room is the old kitchen with its wide open fireplace and hearth that extends out to the middle of the room. In their proper places are the cranes, the pothooks, the skillets, the candle moulds, and the spinning wheels. Although not luxuriously furnished, it represented the happiest, coziest place to be found.

Going out of the building the back way you find the little log hut which was occupied by "Uncle Alfred", Jackson's most faithful slave. This old negro lived to be nearly a hundred years old and was buried in the garden near the tomb of his master. His picture now hangs on the wall in one of the lower halls.

By the side of the kitchen and in the back yard, stands the old carriage shed which still shelters all that is left of the once magnificent vehicle that carried him over the mountains on two trips from Nashville to Washington while he was President. Now that you have seen about all there is to be seen you are interested to know that the original Hermitage was built in the year 1804. It was built of logs, and part of it is still standing today. It was in 1805 that Aaron Burr made his famous visit to this log house. General Jackson was living in this log house at the time the Battle of New Orleans was fought and returned to this humble home the idol of a nation. The present site was selected and built upon in 1819, of bricks made on the place. This house burned in 1834 but the one that now stands there was erected the next year.

General Jackson died in 1845 at the age of 78 years, and was buried by the side of his wife in the tomb in the garden.



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Skeeters In North

SUN VERSUS SON

Ice Kold Sody Pop

Just the other day the papers carried a story telling of the difficulty that the explorers on their trip to the North Pole were having with Labrador mosquitoes. There was once a fellow who had dreams of going far away into the icy north and escaping those doggone mosquitoes that almost ate him up while he was taking his fishing trip down-state. But alas! Skeeters in the north—skeeters to right of them, skeeters to left of them—buzzed the six-hundred. Heck.

Out under the shade trees, in the bath tub, beside the water cooler, in their autos and in strong and mild language the residents of Floydada sought relief Sunday from the burning rays of Old Sol. Everywhere that Mary went the heat was sure to go. The Bottling Committee made an attempt to can some of the warmth for the winter use, but only the sun crowned his efforts.

If the hot weather continues, percolators will have to be substituted for thermometers.

A man bought ten cents worth of ice the other day and the salesman asked if he wanted to wrap it up or just eat it there.

The Vigilance Committee Wednesday saw a man almost get a drink out of the water fountain beside the walk leading to the court house. The Committee kept his eyes on the man because he seemed to be nervous about something and couldn't make the trick faucet work. He succeeded in getting a good drink all over his shirt front, but apparently little elsewhere.

"Ice cold soda pop, pink lemonade!" The cry of the kiddy salesman is heard at every street corner. "Gotta a nickel, mister. Come over and try one". Busy are those little fellows about their "stores" made of colored cheese cloth, a few boards and a canvas cover. Few are the grown boys, who, when they were a lad, did not have that longing in their heart to be a store-man. Where is the fellow who never dreamed of being a candy salesman when he grew up, so that he could just eat and eat—get all he wanted just once? It's that same spirit that is tempting the laddies of Floydada and they're out working at their stand morning and late, just to earn some real money of their own. "Soda pop, ice cold sody pop."

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Houston and daughter, Mildred, are spending their vacation this week in Central Texas. They will visit at Lampasas, Belton, and Lockhart. Little Miss Mildred will spend a few days at Austin with Mrs. S. W. Meharg, Secretary of State.

Mrs. Olive Connell of Bowie is spending the summer in Floydada at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. C. Grigsby.

W. H. Seale and W. A. Robbins made a business trip to Dallas and Greenville last week.

Miss Ruth Collins, who has been attending school at C. I. A. at Denton for the past long session and the first term of the summer school, returned home Thursday of last week to spend the summer.

Miss Cecile Dowdy of Spearman returned home the first of the week after spending a short time here with Miss Lorene Carter.

Lee Pyatt of Canyon visited relatives here the last week-end, returning home Monday.

Mrs. W. B. Clements and sister, Mrs. E. A. Hopkins, of Miami, came in Thursday of last week for a short visit here with Mrs. Hopkins daughter, Mrs. Wells Henry, and son, C. D. Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hanna of Harmony community left Monday for Ponder, where they will attend the annual McElroy family reunion. They will be away some two weeks, visiting points in Oklahoma before returning.

Mrs. A. R. Hanna of Sand Hill left Monday for Meridian to spend two weeks with relatives.

Miss Mary Childers, who is now making her home in Fort Worth; and her little nephew, Carl Koontz of Vernon, are the guests this week of Mary's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Childers, having arrived Monday. They will probably be here two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bell are in Finney, near Houston, this week attending a reunion of the Bell family, which was postponed a short time ago because of the absence of some of the members. They left for Finney Thursday of last week.

Leon Collins left Saturday for San Antonio where he will spend two weeks in training with the Reserve Officers Corps. Collins is a lieutenant in the infantry. The camp opened there Monday.

Ovis Awtry spent Friday in Lorenzo.

Lloyd Paschall made a trip to Canyon Friday of last week.

Miss Jeannette Steen of Plainview has been the guest of her brother, Calvin Steen, and wife since Tuesday of this week.

Dr. and Mrs. V. Andrews are at home, having returned Monday afternoon. Mrs. Andrews was formerly Mrs. Fannie Rush of Sherman. Following their marriage at Sherman July 2nd, Dr. and Mrs. Andrews made a tour of Colorado.

Vernon and Buster Eubank spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eubank of Lorenzo, returning Wednesday.

LARGE CROWDS MARK CETA CANYON ASSEMBLY JULY 14-23

Unusually large attendance has marked the annual encampment of the Panhandle Baptists being held near Amarillo in Ceta Canyon this week, according to reports of members of the local church who were at the encampment Saturday and Sunday. Closing services, both educational and religious will close with the sermon this evening at 8:30 o'clock by Dr. H. R. Holcomb. Floydada Baptists stated that they had an enjoyable outing in addition to hearing some instructive lectures. The Assembly began this year on July 14.

Those in attendance from the Baptist church here were: W. A. Cates and family, D. I. Bolding and family, Will Weatherbee and wife, Truitt Butler, Harvey Assiter, Elmer Wood, Lloyd Paschall and Miss Inez Paschall. The Panhandle Baptist Assembly was inaugurated at a Panhandle-wide meeting in Plainview in the winter of 1919-1920. Dr. E. B. Atwood, then the president of Wayland Baptist College, Plainview, was elected president and chairman of the program committee. The first assembly was held in the buildings of the Wayland Baptist College in July, 1920.

In the winter of 1921 and 1922, a section of land, including Ceta Canyon 20 miles north of Tulia, 12 miles northeast of Happy, 20 miles southeast of Canyon and about 30 miles southwest of Amarillo was bought, and the annual encampments have been held there since 1922.

SHOE CARRIES A LOAD

Statisticians and investigators have combined to determine the strain and wear on shoes used by a man during the day, and their investigations brought out the fact that a man of 150 pounds, in ordinary activities puts a weight each day on his shoes amounting to 815,000 tons. The shoes must withstand that terrible pounding and strain and give service for many months to be satisfactory. The man of 200 pounds would put on his footwear a strain and load one-third greater than the figures given, but the man of 250 and over would not increase the load proportionately to the increase in weight, because it is a dead pull, and less pounding, the heavyweight being less active than the lightweight men.—Ohio State Journal

WONDERFUL STAR

Equaling the radiation of 600,000 stars as bright as the sun, the S. Doradus, believed to be the most luminous star known, loses two and a half trillion tons of its mass a second, by its action of producing light, according to Prof. Harlow Sharpley of the Harvard college observatory. The diameter of this giant of the skies is much greater than that of the earth's orbit, which is about 186,000,000 miles in length. The huge luminous body is classed with the stars known as variable, owing to their changing periods of maximum brilliancy. The report states it has been growing brighter for the past 29 years.

"THE GREAT OPEN SPACES."

Realism predominates in our literature; but the western story is still in the hands of the romanticists. The writers still sing of the great open spaces where a man's a man without mentioning the unutterable loneliness of these places and the crudeness of the men therein! Realists, awake! There never will be any better places to kick in the seat of the pants the great god, Romance, than these same open spaces.—Laura Kirkwood Plumb, in Scribner's Magazine.

BRIGHT SAYINGS

We are told 92 per cent of the accidents could be avoided. The other eight per cent, then, are not accidents.

Children were once told they were "to be seen and not heard." Nowadays some parents do well to tell them anything.

When we are all become perfect, we may then feel perfectly competent to make suggestions to others regarding their conduct.

Austria reports an airplane robbery. Over here it's not necessary to take the victim up in the air; our bandits just hold him up.

He who casts the first stone generally breaks the window glass, but some of the other boys in the crowd may be blamed for it.

Nothing takes the wind out of a fellow's sails more than to find everyone else in town received a souvenir postal card from his friend.

"A Prairie Rose" Plays at Sand Hill Friday

Special intermission numbers for the play, "A Prairie Rose" to be given Friday night at Sand Hill will be rendered by a Floydada quartet composed of Ira Marshall, Truitt Butler, Elmer Wood and Mrs. Calvin Steen. Ed Holmes and Grady Moore of Sand Hill are also scheduled for special numbers.

The play, a two and one-half hour comedy-drama in four acts, being sponsored by the Sand Hill Pupils-Teachers Community Society, is a western story and those in charge state that it will be filled with action and good comedy. The curtain will rise promptly at 8:30 and the entertainment will continue for three hours, advance notices state.

Members of the cast are: Misses Ola Hanna, Lucile Davis, and Ruby Tinnin; Mrs. Arthur Womack, and Messrs. Leonard Holmes, Herman Cates, Grady Moore, Faye Moore, Mason Riley, Robert Foster, and Arthur Womack.

According to Ed Holmes, the play will be given in the following communities: Sand Hill, Friday night, July 24; Starkey, Wednesday night, July 29; Floydada, Friday night, July 31; Lockney, Tuesday night, August 4; Petersburg, Wednesday night, August 5.

Admission of fifteen and twenty-five cents will be charged Friday night, the proceeds going to the P. T. C. Society.

HALF-MINUTE INTERVIEWS

Jim McPeak: The Commercial Credit Company is on a trade for my car. We have up a correspondence about it and they wrote me the other day they wanted it.

J. Q. Carpenter: My wife is providing pretty well for us now, while her son-in-law is visiting us.

LEGEND AND MYSTERY ABOUT NEVADA LAKE

From the earliest settlement of Nevada the legend of a gigantic serpent inhabiting the depths of Pyramid lake has been told. The serpent is said to enter the lake through a vast underground passage extending from the Pacific ocean and is supposed to have existed since prehistoric times.

Basking in the depths of the lake, it lies in wait for luckless adventurers draws down boats and canoes and devours its victims. The legend has been investigated by many scientists and some contend that the serpent is really an enormous mass of worms that breed in the usually placid waters. But this opinion is jeered by Indians and the old white settlers who have caught fleeting glimpses of the mammoth snake.

Pyramid lake is an inland sea of mystery. Situated 300 miles from the ocean, its isles swarm with vast flocks of seagulls and pelicans. The lake receives the discharge of the Truckee river but has no outlet—yet the waters are fresh and abound in trout and other fish.



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CHLORINATOR INSTALLED AT NEW DISPOSAL PLANT

Installation of the new chlorinator at the city disposal plant was completed last week and a tank of gas is expected to arrive soon, according to Burl Bedford, city secretary. L. G. Willis, superintendent of the Sherman Machine & Iron Works of Oklahoma City, was in charge of the work here last week.

The chlorinator will be used to aid the chemical action in the refuse tank, which is now in operation.

Secretary Bedford said that sixty-two connections had been made to the city-sewer lines and that general satisfaction was being expressed with the plant.

TO CLEAN FLOWER VASES

Flower vases that have become stained from constant use may be cleaned just as water bottles are. Put potato parings into the vase with water enough to cover the stains and leave them overnight. A cleaning pad may be made by cutting a groove around a long stick near one end and tying a bit of cloth securely to it. The cloth should be doubled up so that it makes a round ball-like covering for the end. With this all sorts of ugly stains may be reached that would otherwise be inaccessible.

Sanitarium Notes

Patients dismissed recently from Smith & Smith Sanitarium following operations had there for appendicitis and the dates they returned home follows:

Mrs. C. B. Kingcommon, Northfield, July 17; Miss Pauline Barton, Matador, July 17; and Mrs. E. G. Miller, Silverton, July 16. Mrs. W. H. Foster who received medical treatment at the sanitarium for a few days, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. M. J. Fanning was brought to the sanitarium for medical attention the latter part of last week. Mrs. L. A. Denton of Fort Worth, is receiving treatment this week. She was brought to the sanitarium Saturday.

Among those now convalescing from appendicitis operations are: Mrs. R. F. Hall, Lakeview; Jack Phillips, Matador; R. B. Harris, Flo-mot; Mrs. Harry Christian, city; J. A. Cooper, Matador, and Celie Collins, Northfield.

Taxidermy, as a decorative craft, was crudely practiced by the Carthaginians as far back as 500 B. C.

In early Bible times, a pedagogue was not a school-teacher as now, but a servant, usually a trusted slave, who conducted the children of a household to and from school.

TRICK VOTES \$12,000 SCHOOL BONDS SATURDAY 36 TO 20.

Bonds for a new \$12,000 brick school building in Trick community were accepted at an election held there Saturday by a final vote of 36 to 20, according to Price Scott, county superintendent.

The building will have four classrooms and will be built on the single unit, one story, type plan. Contracts for the construction work had not been let Monday morning, Mr. Scott stated.

G. J. Sutton, S. T. Cooper, G. S. Potts, and T. F. Beall, all of Trick community were in Floydada Monday on business matters relating to the bond election.

FALSEHOOD IN FLATTERY

In order that all men may be taught to speak the truth, it is necessary that all likewise should learn to hear it; for no species of falsehood is more frequent than flattery, to which the coward is betrayed by fear, the dependent by interest, and the friend by tenderness. Those who are neither servile nor timorous are yet desirous to bestow pleasure; and while unjust demands of praise continue to be made, there will always be some whom hope, fear, or kindness will dispose to pay them.—Samuel Johnson.

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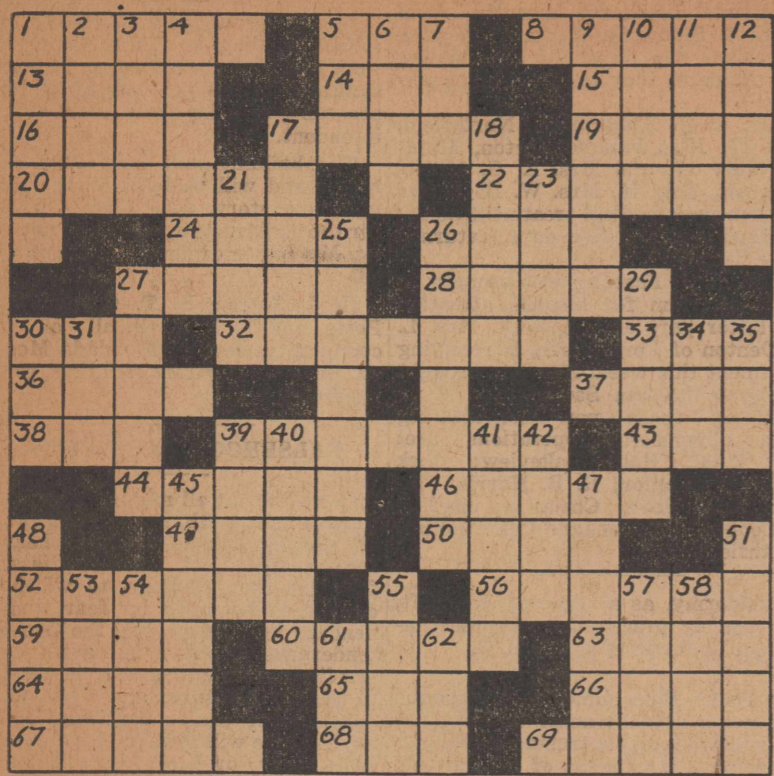
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This Week's Cross Word Puzzle



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- Horizontal.**
- 1—Shovel
 - 2—Visitor
 - 3—Ice cream container
 - 4—Shoemaker's tool
 - 5—To construct
 - 6—House covering
 - 7—A creed
 - 8—Short for preparatory school
 - 9—Kind of liniment
 - 10—Trimming consisting of loose threads
 - 11—Part of a church
 - 12—Heavenly body
 - 13—According to (French)
 - 14—Principal component
 - 15—Land measure (pl.)
 - 16—A bit cut off
 - 17—Rough
 - 18—Tibetan gazelle
 - 19—Doomiclie
 - 20—Rounded convex molding
 - 21—The fleur de lis
 - 22—To rant
 - 23—Screamed
 - 24—Pertaining to the teeth
 - 25—Spike
 - 26—To follow
 - 27—To stare fixedly at
 - 28—Land surrounded by water
 - 29—Printing measures
 - 30—To snare
 - 31—Early inhabitants of Britain
 - 32—Very small
 - 33—To sing
 - 34—To sing
 - 35—To sing

- Vertical.**
- 1—To quarrel
 - 2—Poverty stricken
 - 3—At another time
 - 4—To give the meaning of
 - 5—Sailor
 - 6—Was obligated to
 - 7—Ancient
 - 8—Referee
 - 9—To merit
 - 10—To merit
 - 11—Afterpart of the keel of a vessel
 - 12—Wigwag
 - 13—To quibble
 - 14—Frequently
 - 15—Situation
 - 16—To rave
 - 17—Loud-mouthed person
 - 18—Western cattle farm
 - 19—Spanish dance
 - 20—Mule
 - 21—Meadow
 - 22—South American city (short)
 - 23—Watering place
 - 24—Unsuited
 - 25—In a play, a remark directed at the audience
 - 26—To avoid
 - 27—Pigeonlike bird
 - 28—Opening in a fort for discharge of missiles
 - 29—Longest dimension of any object
 - 30—Misanthrope
 - 31—Slumbered
 - 32—Comfort
 - 33—Abbr. for Lillian
 - 34—Slave among Anglo-Saxons
 - 35—The harp that once through
 - 36—Mohammedan call to prayer
 - 37—Modern
 - 38—To utilize

Solution will appear in next issue.

Locals and Personals

Miss Nell Kirkpatrick returned Monday to her home in Denton, following a week's visit here with W. N. Paschall and family.

Henry Edwards and Misses Marie Moore, Mabel Faulkner, Belva Solomon and Kate McFall and Mrs. Ruby Young spent Sunday in Plainview and other neighboring towns.

J. M. Hughes returned last week from Glenrose, where he had been to take Mrs. Hughes, the latter remaining at that place for medical treatment.

Mrs. Tom Collum, of Lockney, has been here on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hilton the past several days.

W. T. Brown returned Friday from Childress, where he spent a week attending a revival meeting and visiting relatives. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. R. E. Jones of Aiken.

Miss Ethel Houghton is at home after spending some three weeks with Miss Lois Young of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thurmon and children left Sunday morning for Ruston, La., where they will visit his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Thurmon. They will also spend some time in Wichita Falls, Texas, and in Shreveport, La., returning home in three weeks or a month.

A. V. Haynes and Roe McCleskey of Lockney spent Saturday in Quanah on business. They returned Sunday.

Otis Trulove, of Amarillo, was among the business visitors in Floydada the latter part of last week.

Miss Geraldine Green, who has been the guest here of her cousin, Miss Audrey Mae Borum, returned the first of the week to her home in Deatur.

Miss Annie Lee and Prebble Durham of Sterling City are visiting here this week with their sister Mrs. Davis, who had been their guest for the past few days. They arrived here Saturday afternoon.

Dick Hyatt, editor of the Ralls Banner, in company with his father-in-law, J. W. Stahler, of Denton County, was through Floydada Thursday afternoon enroute to Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pitts and son, Melvin left Sunday for Los Angeles, where they plan to spend some 30 days on a visit with their son, Levon Pitts and wife.

B. F. Manasco, accompanied by Milton Lee, left Thursday of last week for his home at Pomona, Calif., after nearly six months spent in Floydada looking after affairs here. Mrs. Manasco, who was here for two or three weeks, had to return home some time ago on account of the illness of her son, Robert Ashley Childers.

P. D. McBride, wife and son, left Monday morning for a fishing trip, planning to spend the week on Red River.

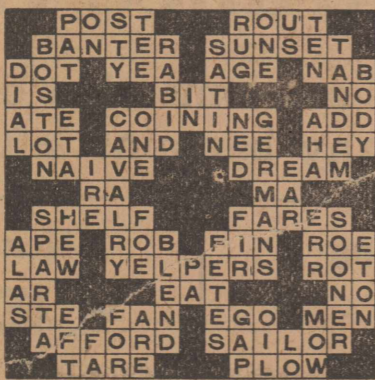
BORN.—To Rev. and Mrs. M. G. Brotherton, city, July 7th, a son. The young man has been christened M. G. Jr.

Mrs. N. W. Williams returned last mid-week from a six-weeks visit with friends and relatives in Dallas, Wise County, Electra and Memphis.

W. B. Jordan returned home Friday of last week after nearly six weeks at A. & M. College, where he studied dairy and poultry husbandry. Dr. and Mrs. C. V. Smith and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Willson returned home last mid-week from an extended trip into Colorado and California. On their return they were accompanied by Mrs. V. H. Trammell and son, Victor, who will visit for some two weeks with Mrs. Trammell's sister, Mrs. Elder Morris and family.

J. Frank Triplett, of Hale Center, field representative of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association, spent last Thursday and Friday in Floydada.

Solution of Last Week's Puzzle



A. J. Ryals was a Lubbock visitor Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Street, of Bridgeport, have been here on a visit with their former neighbors, J. A. Arwine and C. H. Brazier.

Mr. and Mrs. Jean Collins have been at Leonard since the middle of last week on a visit at their former home. They were accompanied on the trip by Misses Margaret Collins, Bessie Clara Smith and Bennie Vee Fuller. They plan to be away from home some two weeks.

James W. Jones and family are moving back to Floydada from Lorenzo, having resided there for several months.

Dr. Grigsby, member of the staff of Baylor Memorial Hospital at Dallas, was a professional visitor in Floydada Thursday of last week. While here he was a guest of his nephew, Tom Nichols.

Dr. J. C. Anderson made a professional visit to Floydada Thursday of last week. His daughter, Miss Electra, accompanied him. Miss Electra will visit in Plainview for about ten days before returning to her work at Temple.

JUNE FORD SALES

During the month of June the retail sales of Fords passed the high mark made June a year ago by 6,000 cars, the sale figures for June of this year being 195,300 cars and trucks.

* Of these 176,256 represent domestic sales. Sales of Lincoln cars during the same month this year were 892, an increase of 95 over June of last year.

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MAX BRANDIES DIED MONDAY AT HOME IN PROVIDENCE

Max Brandies, age 65, died at his home in the Providence community, northwest of Lockney, Monday of last week. He had been ill for some four weeks.

Brandies has been a prominent farmer in the Providence community since his removal there from Central Texas in 1919. He was born in Greenville, Texas, and had resided in this state practically all of his life.

Deceased is survived by his wife and five children. Three sons and two daughters: Mrs. Quebe, Ben and Clarence Brandies of Lockney, Miss Bembert and Ernest Brandies of McGregor.

Interment was made in the Plainview cemetery Wednesday afternoon of last week.

EXPLORATION OF UPPER AIR SHOWN IN MOTION PICTURES

Two new motion pictures just released by the United States Department of Agriculture show the upper-air observation work being conducted by the Weather Bureau, and one of them gives incidentally a review of important American aeronautical activities.

The first film, "Exploring the upper air," deals in a popular manner with the scientific side of upper-air observation work. It depicts flights by Weather Bureau meteorologists in airplanes, dirigible balloons, and free balloons in the study of upper-air conditions for weather forecasting. An airplane flight above the clouds, a dirigible journey in the neighborhood of St. Louis, the beginning and the end of a free balloon flight, the making of "dust counts" high above the earth's surface are among the striking scenes.

The second film, "Watching the weather above," shows the daily work of making upper-air observations at numerous stations by means of large kites and "pilot" balloons, the assembling of the information at forecast centers, and the distribution of "flying weather" forecasts from these centers. But first the film shows the need for the forecasts by means of a succession of pictures which constitute a fairly complete review of American aeronautics. It depicts flights by Army airplanes and dirigible balloons, Navy seaplanes, the great Navy dirigibles Shenandoah and Los Angeles, the progress of the air-mail planes from New York to San Francisco, the detection of forest fires by airplanes, and the "dusting" of cotton and other crops as protection against insects. The film closes with the statement:

"Fifty years from now we'll all be flying," is a frequent prophecy. If so, the Weather Bureau, through its present preparations, will be ready to help make the air safe for you."

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff of 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 of the State of Texas,
To All persons interested in the Estate of Joe A. Montgomery, deceased; Mrs. Mary A. Montgomery has filed in the County Court of Floyd County, an application for the Probate of the Last Will and Testament of the said Joe A. Montgomery, deceased, asking also for letters testamentary as independent executrix without bond as provided by said will, which said will is filed with said application in cause No. 399 on the probate docket of County Court of Floyd County, Texas which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing July 20, 1925, 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 25th, day of June A. D. 1925.
(Seal) Clara Lee Scott, Clerk County Court, Floyd County, Texas.
193tc By Mrs. Lillie Britton, Deputy

Co-Operative Cotton Farmers Get \$33,200

Organization Making Distribution in County This Week of Last Season Deliveries

Distribution of approximately \$33,200 for last season's deliveries will be made this week to the cotton growers of Floyd County, who are members of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association, the cotton co-operative marketing association of the State, according to J. Frank Triplett district supervisor of the organization in this county.

"This large sum is received at a most valuable time," he said, "and will be welcomed not only by the members themselves, but by the banks and merchants throughout the county. It is the final distribution on last season's deliveries to the Association. The amount of the final distribution is \$5,772,881, bringing the total returned to the members during the season to \$33,456,179."

In this connection Mr. Triplett also called attention to the fact that "had all the cotton of the county been marketed co-operatively through the Association last season, there would be approximately \$442,000 in cash being received by members of the Association throughout the State during the past year was approximately \$10 a bale over the average street price, Mr. Triplett stated, according to information received by him from the Association's statistical department. On this basis, had all of the cotton of this county been marketed through the Association last year, he said, the sum of \$221,000 additional purchasing power would have been had in the county, as compared to \$16,600 which was had by the members who marketed their cotton through the Association. "This large sum would have meant much to the increased prosperity of our communities and our county and directly felt by all lines of businesses," he said. "The continual success of the co-operative marketing program is accounting for the very large percent of members who are signing a new contract to start at the termination of the present contract, as well as the reason for a large number of new members joining the Association, throughout the county."

FOOT BALL TEAM TO HAVE EXTRA GOOD COACH

From the Lockney Beacon, July 16:
Prof. Nobles has accepted the high school principalship of the Lockney High School for the coming year. He has had special training under the Doc Stewart Training Camp at the Texas University, Austin, and the members of the football squad of the Lockney school are very jubilant over his accepting the position as principal of the school here.

The last survivor of the original "covered wagon train" that left Shelbyville, Missouri, in 1847, recently passed away in Spokane, Washington.

No one can tell where the chimney swift stays from November to March.

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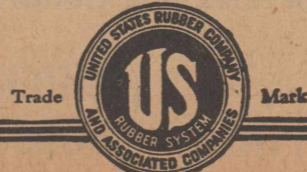
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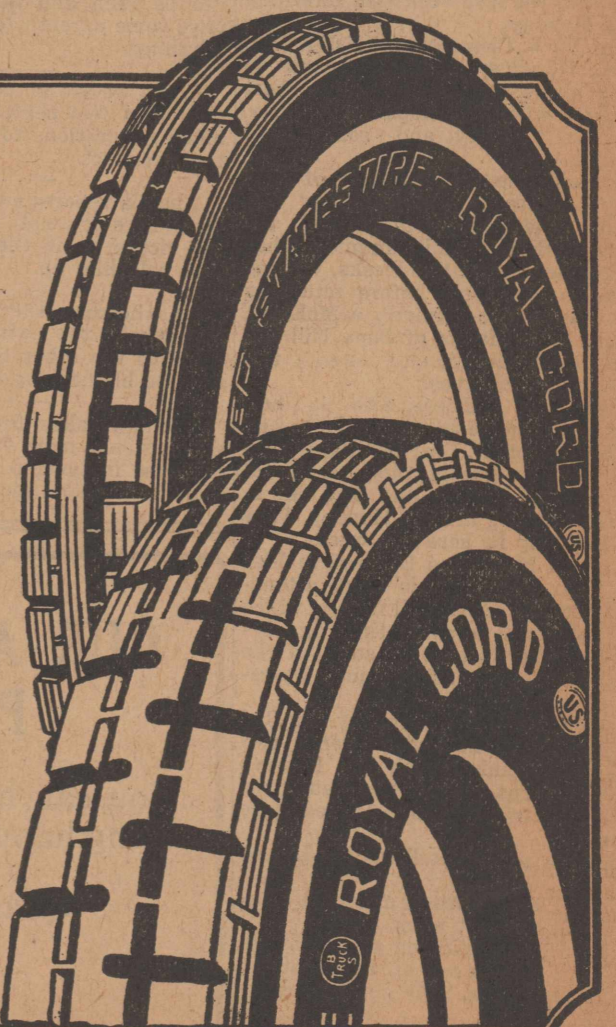
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Home Demonstration Club News

SAND HILL CLUB

The Sand Hill Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, July 15th, in the home of Mrs. W. E. Miller. There were eight members present with quite a few visitors. Our president not being present the vice president took charge of the business meeting.

Miss Faulkner made a very interesting and instructive talk on Brining, Drying of Fruits and Vegetables. She gave a demonstration of drying of okra and English peas. Mrs. Miller gave the pickling demonstration.

We all enjoyed a good social time. We are glad to report one of our club members in the Kitchen Contest goes to the Short Course at A. & M. (Mrs. W. E. Miller) on the 26th. Floyd County has two contestants to go at this time. Miss Harris, from Almon, is the Biscuit Contestant.

Our next program will be a very interesting one. We hope every member will be present and all visitors are cordially invited. The meeting date is August 5th, Hostess, Mrs. W. F. Glenn. Roll call: How can we make the club more interesting?

Leader—Mrs. A. R. Hanna.
Subject, "Jellies and Preserves."
Demonstrations.—By Club Members

BLANCO CLUB MEETING

The Blanco Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. E. W. Holmes Thursday afternoon, July 16th, at 2:30 to study pickling, brining and drying of fruits and vegetables. Miss Faulkner was unable to be with us, so we had a round-table discussion led by Mrs. Will Snell.

Nine members were present. Glad to report two new members—Mrs. W. J. Berry and daughter, Miss Lou. Mesdames S. L. Holmes, from the Sand Hill Club, and O. W. Holmes, of Knox City, were visitors, also Miss Collins of McCoy.

The club decided to quilt some quilts and shower Mrs. Harry Christian, one of our members who had her home burned this year, and has had her daughter, Edwena, under treatment of a doctor so long, and is now in a sanitarium at Floydada recovering from an operation herself. The ladies will quilt at the home of Mrs. R. B. Hooten Thursday in an all-day work.

The next meeting will be August 6th with Mrs. Hooten. Subject is to be "Making of Jellies and Preserves." Glad to have any visitors at any time.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Martin are at home, after spending five weeks on a pleasure trip in northern Colorado. They were accompanied by Mrs. A. H. Porter of Plainview, and her daughter, Miss Mary Porter, of this city. They returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Street of Bridgeport, returning home Tuesday morning, after spending a week here with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arwine.

Dr. A. C. Traweck of Matador made a business visit here last Friday.

Miss Frank Melugin of Wichita Falls, was the guest here Tuesday night of Miss Dot Welborn. Miss Melugin was returning home after attending school at Canyon during the past long and short sessions of W. T. S. T. C.

C. C. West removed with his family the latter part of last week to Anton, where they will make their home. Mr. West was in Floydada Tuesday, leaving Tuesday night for his new home with the remainder of his household goods.

Mrs. E. P. Reese has returned to her home at Sweetwater, after a several days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Smith, of McCoy.

R. M. Morgan returned last mid-week from Anson, where he spent two weeks leading the song service at a revival meeting that was conducted there.

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LUBBOCK BUSINESS COLLEGE ENJOYING HEALTHY GROWTH

Lubbock Business College has doubled its enrollment in the past year, according to G. M. Witt, its president, who was in Floydada yesterday in the interest of the school.

The college was established five years ago and has made substantial improvements all along, and is now beginning to serve a largely increased territory.

DODGE BROS. SALES

Sales of Dodge Bros. motor cars recently made by the Motor Supply Company, local distributors, include the following:

A. W. Dunn, touring; J. M. Willson, coach; Ellison Godwin, sedan; Dr. W. H. Alexander, coupe; W. N. Keller, special roadster; E. E. Boothe Bakery, panel delivery model.

WITH THE CHURCHES

PREACHES HERE

In the absence of the pastor, Dr. W. F. Connor, of the Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth, preached for the First Baptist Church in Floydada Sunday morning and evening last.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Joseph L. Henson, Pastor

Opening Exercises of Sunday School at 9:45 Sunday morning will be as follows:

Theme: "The Meaning of Consecration."

Song: "True Hearted Whole Hearted" by Congregation.

David's Prayer in Unison.

Bible Reading, Is. 6: 1-8, Mrs. Porterfield.

Solo: "Take My Life and Let It Be," Mrs. Chowning.

Talk on Consecration, Mildred Carter.

Prayer of Consecration, Mrs. Mather Carr.

Reading: "Each In His Own Tongue" Hazel Massie.

Talk on Missions, John Gamble.

Reading, Cap Felton.

At the morning service, the pastors sermon will be on "The Law of Spiritual Thrift." At 8:30 p. m. the sermon will be on "The Choice of Moses." The Quartet will sing at both services.

Last Sunday three were received in to the Church and among the visitors present was Bro. B. B. Hall, pastor of the Methodist Church at Decatur, Texas.

FIRE DAMAGED MENEFFEE RESIDENCE TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Fire, which originated from an oil stove, did considerable damage to the kitchen of the C. J. Meneffee residence in southwest Floydada Tuesday afternoon, and also to the kitchen and household effects of E. S. Shoaf, who occupies the house.

The house is outside of the water-protection area but the fire department used chemical tanks to extinguish the flames, later using water from a reservoir to complete the job.

Partial insurance is carried on the loss.

J. FRANK NORFLEET WILL GO ON VAUDEVILLE STAGE SOON

J. Frank Norfleet, noted citizen-detective of Hale Center, who became famous the world over for his perseverance in running down a gang of crooks who had defrauded him of \$45,000, and bringing them to justice has gone on the stage. The glitter of footlights and not the bright sun of the West Texas plains will shine in his eyes for a time.

He has told friends that he had accepted a vaudeville contract with a "liberal weekly stipend," according to stories carried in state papers.

ALLEN IN MAYO BROTHERS SANITARIUM FOR OPERATION

W. I. Allen is in Rochester, Minnesota, in Mayo Brothers' sanitarium, where he went for an operation on an infected eye the first of the week. His family had not received word Wednesday of his condition, but they stated that Mr. Allen had intimated in a recent letter that the operation would not be serious and he would probably be home in about a week.

Miss Willie Allen, who has been spending a short vacation with her father at Siloam Springs, Ark., before he went to Rochester, returned home Saturday. She was away ten days.

NOW THE CHAIN FARM

Now they are considering the question of "chain farming"—one big corporation operating a whole string of farms just as others now operate chains of drug stores, groceries, clothing and 5-and-10 cent stores. They argue there is a vast saving in machinery, since it can be transported from one farm to another and used on all of them in the chain; supplies can be bought more cheaply where they are bought for a whole big bunch of farms instead of each farmer buying separately. A Chicago man is now organizing the "chain farm" company and offering stock in it to anyone who wants to buy.

At a recent sale in England, 130 pounds was paid for a copy of "the letters wherein Henry the eight made answer unto a certayne letter of Martin Luther."

A mahogany tree planted in the botanical gardens of Honduras only 113 years ago and felled for the Wembley Exhibition in London contained over 4,000 board feet of fine quality wood.

A new thermometer registers accurately temperatures as low as 380 degrees below zero, Fahrenheit.

Lazarus Testifies Road Needs Floyd Extension

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standing bonds of Mr. Lazarus' road. The company's recent purchase of the Matador Northern, witness said, was made with the idea that it would serve as a valuable feeder for the main line. If the purchase of this 8-mile branch is given official countenance, it is the purpose of the company to extend the branch to Whiteflat, Mr. Lazarus said.

Thursday morning examination of citizens of the south plains territory who are supporting the Plainview and Lubbock interests, was resumed. Wednesday night's session was held in order to give time for more extended examination of witnesses of this section than was at first planned by the examiner.

Opening of the rail hearing in Plainview Monday morning started a struggle between attorneys of the Santa Fe and the Burlington, which has developed into a fight of gigantic interests, the Santa Fe asking to be protected in their territory, developed largely by them, from the encroachments of the Burlington. A day and a half was spent by this road in setting out their position and getting their contention in the record. Since that time, except for the interruption of Mr. Lazarus' testimony last night, Denver witnesses have had the stand. Some of the biggest men in both organizations have been called as witnesses.

Besides the Denver, the Santa Fe and the Quanah, Acme & Pacific, the Texas, Panhandle & Gulf and the Gulf, Texas & Western are also interested in the hearing and have their attorneys present. The Dallas Chamber of Commerce and the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce are both actively fighting for the Denver's building proposal. No fight has developed to date on the Q. A. & P., and no indication that a fight would be made on the application for the extension to Floydada.

After his testimony last night Mr. Lazarus returned to Floydada in company with Chas. H. Sommer, vice president of the Q. A. & P., and O. P. Rutledge secretary of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Rutledge took the party to Roaring Springs where they boarded the Lazarus special for St. Louis, where the latter's presence is needed on business. The fact that he was urgently needed elsewhere was the reason he was permitted to testify last night, it was stated. "We don't believe there is any probability that the Commission will refuse our application for permit," Mr. Lazarus told a Hesperian representative in Floydada last night at 11:30 just before leaving for Roaring Springs.

In 1522, William Tyndale said, "If God spare my life, ere many years I will cause a boy that driveth a plow shall know more of the Scripture than thou doest." That is why this year 1925, is the 400th anniversary of the completion of Tyndale's Bible. Just 86 years later, the Authorized Version appeared.

In Russia kerosene costs five and one-half cents a gallon, while gasoline sells for eleven cents.

A baby boy was born 6,600 feet up in the air in an airplane enroute from Budapest to Naples.

D. H. COLLINS VISITS WILSON DAM WHILE ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Collins, who returned home last mid-week from a pleasure trip of seven weeks spent touring in Georgia and Alabama, visited the immense Wilson Dam at Muscle Shoals on the Tennessee River. The structure is practically completed and the depth of the water from the top to the base of the dam is 100 feet, Mr. Collins said that he was informed.

While on their 4000-mile trip, Mr. and Mrs. Collins spent a short time with his mother, Mrs. Manda Haney, his sister, Mrs. Julia Estes and a brother, J. B. Collins, all of Cherokee county, Alabama. They also visited the Confederate Memorial being carved on Stone Mountain in Georgia.

MRS. NICHOLS BETTER

Mrs. Tom Nichols of Silverton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Willson, who has been ill here for the past 2 weeks with typhoid fever was reported Wednesday afternoon to be resting fairly well. Dr. C. M. Grigsby, head of the Seminary Clinic at Dallas, and old friend of the Willson family was in attendance Friday of last week, returning Saturday morning. A special day nurse from Quanah Mrs. Roberts, will return home this Thursday.

Mrs. C. M. Thacker has been serving as night nurse.

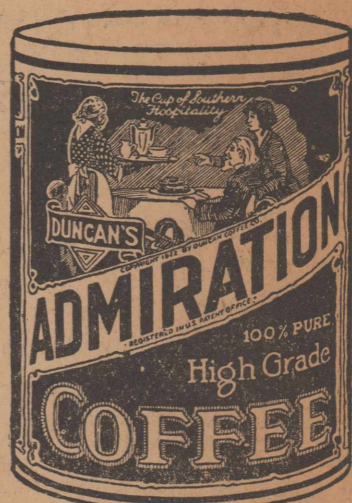
Eskimos do not drink oil. They actually consume less "food for power" than the average Scotsman or Norwegian, according to Vilhjalmur Stefansson.

Inspired by American successes, the French people have founded silver fox farms of their own in the Dauphine and in Savoy, on the slopes of the Alps.

Polar bears have been reported swimming 100 miles from land.

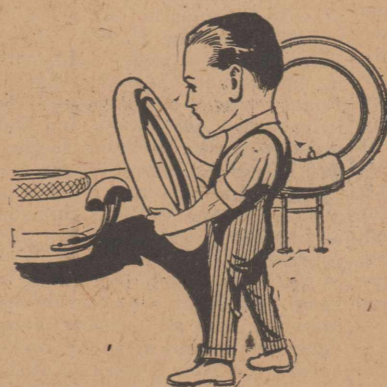
The saliva from the upper jaw of the Gila monster of Arizona is not poison, but that from the lower jaw will kill a rabbit in two minutes. Little injury to man has resulted because of the difficulty the monster has in penetrating the skin with its lower jaw.

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