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T. J. Foster Killed When Powerful Electric Shock Knocks Him From Pole

Funeral Wednesday Following Tragic Death Of Farmer Tuesday Afternoon.

T. J. Foster, 42, lived only a few hours after being struck from an eighteen-foot telephone pole at the northwest corner of Floydada Tuesday morning about 10 o'clock, when the 23,000-volt current in the Texas Utilities Company's transmission lines some two feet above him made an arc across the intervening space and struck him in the head. He fell 14 to 18 feet into a wagon.

Repairing Rural Line
W. C. Mooney, the only eye-witness to the accident, was standing at the head of the team as Mr. Foster ascended the pole. The two were beginning extensive repairs to the rural telephone line on which they lived and the wagon contained four or five posts, three or four two-by-fours, some wire, and nails. Their line had broken at the point where they were stopped and where it ties into the telephone company's exchange system. Mr. Foster had the line wrapped about his left arm when he started up the pole. Mr. Mooney remembered but could not recall positively at noon Tuesday whether Mr. Foster still had the wire about his arm when the current hit his body. A deep burn on his arm that severed an artery and caused heavy bleeding is believed to have been caused by the wire. As Mr. Foster fell into the wagon the left arm was broken. So far as could be told this was the only injury sustained from the actual fall, except slight bruises.

"Mr. Foster and I were just started on the work of repairing the line after getting what repairs we thought would be necessary. I think he had reached the top of the pole and had just placed his arm on the cross arms when I heard the crackle and saw the flame of the heavy current that knocked him from the pole," Mr. Mooney said. The high voltage wire seemed to be sagging slightly from its accustomed height, probably occasioned by the heavy load of ice it had been carrying, Mr. Mooney thought.

Mrs. E. C. Henry, near whose home the accident occurred telephoned Mr. Henry at the sheriff's office, and he with Sheriff Stegall and City Marshal Strickland went to the scene as quickly as possible. Meanwhile Mr. Mooney had tied the team and was attempting to stop the heavy flow of blood from the severed artery. He, with the officers rushed the stricken man to the sanitarium, where the physicians and assistants worked more than an hour in an effort to get heart action started. This they were successful in doing, and Mr. Foster was conscious for a little time about noon. Lapsing into unconsciousness later he died about 6 in the afternoon.

Funeral Held Wednesday
C. E. Neill, of whose place Mr. Foster lived three miles northwest of Floydada, went after the family and Mrs. Foster arrived a few minutes before her husband gained consciousness. Deceased had lived in this county ten years. He moved here from Wise County. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. G. W. Tubbs, Associational Evangelist of the Floyd County Baptist Association, formerly pastor of the deceased at Cone. Rev. Tubbs was assisted in the service by Rev. W. R. Hill, pastor of the Baptist Church here. Interment was made in Floydada Cemetery.

Surviving the deceased are his wife and five children, his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Foster, city, three brothers and two sisters. The surviving sisters are Mrs. O. H. Johnston and Mrs. A. C. Jackson, of Floydada; the brothers are Will Foster of Cement, Paul Foster who is in the navy and Silas Foster who is in New York City.

Only Half Dozen Cases Of Smallpox In County

Floyd County at the present time, has less than a half dozen cases of smallpox, contrary to the fact that an epidemic of that disease is sweeping this section of the country.

"Only five cases of smallpox have been reported to me within the past month," Dr. V. Andrews, county health officer stated. "I am positive there are over six or seven cases in the county he said.

Many West Texas towns, schools have been closed during the epidemic. Public gatherings in Amarillo have been barred, one entire section of that city being quarantined.

OF AUTOS REGISTERED AND POLL TAX PAID TODATE

Over half of the 3000 automobiles Floyd County had been registered. License plates issued late yesterday, with only four more days left before a penalty will be levied for registration. Approximately 4000 poll tax expected to be issued, only 1000 paid up at that time.

It is expected that the next few of the heaviest days for the next Monday being the last payment of the taxes.

WANT REDUCED RATES ON FIRE INSURANCE

More Effective Means of Fighting Fire Provided by Improvements in Floydada.

With improvements already completed or under way in Floydada for more adequate and certain water supply, and contracts made for additional fire fighting apparatus, officials of the city this week expressed the belief that it will be possible for Floydada to get a big reduction in fire insurance key rate this year.

Paying Big Penalty
Property in Floydada at this time is paying a big penalty on its fire insurance hazards. It now has one of the highest "key rates" of any city its size in this section of Texas, although its water system and fire fighting apparatus compare favorably with those of cities and towns of approximately the same size at this time. The town also has on an average as good fire record as any of the towns its size in the state. The biggest penalty the community is paying, in the belief of councilmen and local fire insurance agents, is in the "three-fourths value" clause which attaches to all policies. All fire losses are adjusted on the basis of three-fourths value of the destroyed property, a penalty which is attached to all property in towns where the key rate here is fifty cents.

"Reducing the fire insurance key rate is an old song," J. M. Willson, a member of the council said Tuesday. "But it appears to us that we can make a big reduction in the key rate, with improvements already made or planned. Our goal is a twenty-eight cent key rate, but if we get it below forty cents we will have been able to save property a heavy tax in the form of lower fire insurance premiums."

Program Is Outlined
In the program of the city in its efforts to lower the fire insurance key rate, the council is having the hearty co-operation of local fire insurance men. Councilmen say the insurance underwriters point out that there is no reason why the reduction should not be obtained, specific charges being made by the State Fire Insurance Commission for specific faults in the city's water and fire fighting system.

Improvements already provided which entitle the city to reductions in rate are a reserve water supply system, efficiency in pumping, and reserve pumping facilities other than electric. The reserve water system and the reserve pumping facilities each earn a credit of 3 cents on the key rate. Efficiency in pumping affords a 4 cent reduction, according to the state's specific schedules. This total of 10 cents in reduction will be augmented by making the pumping stations fire proof at a cost of some \$600, and giving a 3-cent reduction in the key rate; the purchase of a reserve pumper and hose truck, giving a 4-cent reduction; and the adoption of a building code and adequate fire alarm system, giving a 4-cent reduction. The completion of the Texas Utilities Company's new lighting system in Floydada will also entitle the city to a reduction of one cent in the rate.

The total saving possible is 22 cents at this time, of which 18 cents is altogether likely to be obtained during the next few months. The adoption of the building code and the installation of the fire alarm system are now being studied by the council. The additional pumper and hose truck were contracted for last week.

The improvements necessary to furnish the needed additional fire protection, which will obtain at the same time the reduced rates, will necessitate an expenditure of approximately \$6,500. This the council thinks can be effected without an increase in the tax rate.

Big Denver Contracts Are Let And Work Beginning

Preparations for rushing the work of getting the Fort Worth & Denver Railway Company's lines into the plains territory are under way.

Last week contracts totalling more than \$3,000,000 were let by the company, and contractors are already getting equipment assembled and camps arranged for undertaking the work. Quitaque is the scene of the biggest activity, the heaviest work on the entire line being west of that city on the caprock. Included in the contract is a considerable mileage on the plains, and the various towns which have guaranteed right-of-way have their committees busy at work completing the acquisition of land for the railway company.

ARWINE BUYS INTEREST OF C. H. BRAZIER IN B. & A.

J. A. Arwine last week became proprietor of B. & A. Drugs, popular south side pharmacy, when he purchased the interest of C. H. Brazier, senior member of the firm, who retired from the business and will likely seek another location.

The business was established something over two years ago, the partnership of C. H. Brazier and J. A. Arwine giving the store their services. It early proved a successful business venture and has become one of the well-established businesses in the retail section.

Mr. Brazier's plans for the future were not fully matured this week.

\$100 Reward Offer Made For Poultry Thieves In County

\$100 reward will be paid to any citizen in Floyd County who will catch and deliver to proper authorities anyone stealing poultry of any kind in this county, according to announcement made this week by Sheriff P. G. Stegall.

The reward that is offered by the sheriff's department is underwritten by a large majority of Floydada and Lockney merchants. Mr. Stegall stated that the reward would be paid directly after the delivery of the prisoner with no questions asked.

Dr. Standefer Will Talk At Big C. of C. Banquet

Inspirational Address From West Texas Educator Will Be Heard By 300 on February 4.

Dr. J. D. Standefer president of Simmons University, will be the principal speaker at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet to be held Friday evening, February 4 in the gymnasium of the Andrews Ward school. Dr. Standefer's acceptance of the invitation sent him by the Chamber of Commerce was received Wednesday evening. At another occasion in Floydada Dr. Standefer was the principal speaker, that being a banquet given in honor of the high school football team. His ability is well known and Chamber of Commerce officials consider themselves fortunate in being able to secure him for this event.

Tickets for the banquet are now on sale by the secretary and all members of the chamber are urged to get theirs as soon as possible so that arrangements can be made and tickets sold to those who are not members and who desire to be present. One hundred and fifty complimentary tickets are being sent out to Floyd County club women and farmers, and citizens of neighboring towns. In order to take care of the number expected it is necessary for those who wish to purchase tickets to do so at once.

Foodstuff for three hundred plates is being prepared by the club women of the county, according to Miss Blanche Bass, county home demonstration agent, who is superintending the selection of the products for the menu. "We are having no difficulty in getting the food ready as everything on the menu is produced abundantly in Floyd County," said Miss Bass.

A program is being arranged which will include the annual report of the Chamber of Commerce, report of the work of the club women of the county by the agent and the principal workers in each community, short talks by Floyd County farmers, one minute talks by out-of-the-county visitors and the principal address by Dr. Standefer. Following is the menu for the occasion:

- Baked Chicken
- Giblet Gravy
- Escalloped Corn
- Marmalade Potatoes
- Red Tomato Salad
- Parker House Rolls
- Corn Bread Sticks
- Butter
- Cucumber Pickles
- Carmel Pie
- Coffee

WEATHER HINDERS PROGRESS OF WEEK'S CHURCH MEETINGS

Inclement weather and bad roads have been a material hindrance to the success of the special meetings at the City Park Church of Christ which began Sunday and will continue through next Sunday. Meetings in the forenoon have been abandoned since Monday but nightly services have been conducted.

Tonight Early Ardenaux is expected to preach for the congregation and among the ministers who are expected during the latter part of the week if weather proves favorable are J. D. Boren, of Big Springs, F. B. Shepherd, of Abilene, Mike M. Young, of Abernathy. The latter is expected to preach Friday night.

Tuesday night Thornton Crews, of Plainview, preached and he will also be available for services during the remainder of the week.

Good singing has been a feature of the service. B. R. Bassell, one of the brotherhood's sweetest singers, R. M. Morgan, of Floydada, Elder Williams of Abernathy and Herbert Godfrey, of Plainview, will be here during the latter part of the week and will have a part in the special song service planned for Sunday afternoon, as well as during the other services planned.

Minister Ira L. Sanders said Wednesday that a number of the visiting preachers expected here, made the start but advised enroute that they would have to turn back on account of the condition of the roads.

FEDERATION MEETING TO BE HELD DESPITE BAD WEATHER

Floyd County Federation of Women's Clubs will meet Saturday, January 29th, at Sand Hill for an all day program as has previously been given. On account of the bad roads and threatening weather talk was made of postponing the meeting but officials of the Federation decided to go ahead with the meeting as planned on account of the uncertainty of being able to get the Sand Hill auditorium at a convenient later date.

No Encouragement Offered For An Early Start on Q. A. & P. Extension

Buy New Fire Truck To Aid In Control Of Fire

400 Gallon Pumper, Hook and Ladder Truck and Chemical Tanks Due Arrive in 45 Days.

As a part of their program to add protection to property in the city against spread of fire, and at the same time reduce the fire insurance rate, the purchase of a new one and a half-ton Graham chassis, equipped with triple combination fire fighting apparatus, including hook and ladder truck, 400-gallon pumper and chemical tanks at their last regular meeting, was announced the latter part of last week by the City Council. The purchase was made through Motor Supply Company at a cost of \$4750 delivered.

Advice from neighboring cities as to the size of fire truck to purchase as well as telegraphic advice from the State Fire Insurance Commission as to the probable best purchase was made before the purchase was finally closed. The truck finally agreed upon gives the city a reduction of four cents in the key rate, if the equipment already on hand is retained and maintained. The maximum reduction in the key rate obtainable by the purchase of a new truck is five cents, if the council is properly informed.

The council, in arranging their budget for the remainder of their term, have arrived at the decision that the improvements planned in the fire fighting equipment and system for the protection of the water supply can be made at a cost under \$6,500, and without increasing the tax rate in the city.

Green And White Honor Sixteen With Sweaters

Whirlwind Football Stars Presented Green And White Sweaters For 1926 Season Monday.

Green and White football sweaters were presented to fourteen players and the two coaches of the Floydada High School Whirlwind football squad last Monday morning for the fifth time in the history of the school. The presentation of the sweaters was made at the High School during the regular Morning chapel period.

The presentation of sweaters to the Bi-District Champions is an honor bestowed upon the receivers for having played a certain number of quarters of the Whirlwind team during official interscholastic games. The receiver of the sweater is said to have "made the team" and is classed as a letter man. A letter man on the football team is highly honored in the school, their honor this year having been doubly increased by the fact that they hold the undisputed title of class B champions of the Panhandle.

Last Monday was the first time during the entire history of the school that such an honor was bestowed upon a deceased student. Bob Gaither, sixteen year old star right guard during the past season, died at the local hospital on January 2. He was a freshman in high school, and had earned his first sweater this year. The sweater was presented to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Gaither.

The sweaters presented this year are believed to be the most beautiful ever given. They are coat style, made of pure wool. The body is white with dark green collars and trimmings. The emblem is triangular shaped made of white chenille. Large green "F. H. S." letters are in the center of the emblems. There is a green band around the left arm of the sweater to designate the number of years the player has lettered.

The first sweater presented by Superintendent J. C. Wester was to Captain Roy Swain who was the only member of the squad to receive his fourth sweater. Captain Swain expressed in a few words, his appreciation of the backing of the team by the school, and the whole-hearted co-operation of every member of his team.

Six members of the 1926 Whirlwind squad lettered for the first time. Those boys receiving their first sweater were: Buford Terry, Jack de Cordova, Buster Eubank, Jim Carter, Joe Carleton and Harold Porterfield. Dixie White, Captain-elect for the 1927 season, and John Edwards, star center, received their second sweaters. Coaches Wester and Ike Jay each received a sweater in appreciation of their work with the team.

MOTLEY COUNTY ELECTION IS CALLED FOR FEBRUARY 19

Motley County will vote on their bond election on February 19, an issue of \$250,000 being the amount set in the petition for the election, as made to the Commissioners' Court.

According to the plan adopted by the commissioners, if the bond issue carries \$120,000 will be expended on graveling Highway No. 18, running north and south through Motley County; \$100,000 on graveling Highway No. 28, running east and west through the county and \$30,000 will be expended for betterments of lateral roads of the county. At their election, held on December 19, the bond issue failed to carry by a few votes.

Authority Close to QuanaH Officials Says Business Conditions Do Not Warrant

That an early program of construction on the extension of the QuanaH, Acme & Pacific from MacBain to Floydada should not be expected by Floydada people is the substance of information given this week to the Railroad Committee of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce from an authority sufficiently close to the Q. A. & P. officials as to have every appearance of authenticity.

Conditions Do Not Warrant
While Chamber of Commerce officials, including President J. G. Wood, and Secretary Ed Bishop, had learned that QuanaH Route officials had contemplated the possibility of asking for an extension of time on their contract, this new information received Wednesday by the railroad committee lays the blame for the slackness on the part of the railway people to "business conditions," and while hope is given that the road may be able to carry the plan through at a later date, no definite statement as to this feature of the report would be vouchsafed the committee.

The view of the Chamber of Commerce Committee is that while Floydada people—the some two hundred guarantors on the contract with the railway company especially—could not accede to the proposition that the matter should be left entirely to the discretion of the railway company as to whether construction should be undertaken, at the same time the situation had a disquieting aspect, so far as prospects for further railway facilities for this territory at this time are concerned.

"Our attitude is that we have a plain and specific contract with the QuanaH Route for the construction of a railway into Floydada from MacBain, and we do not accede to any proposal that would look to the abrogation of this agreement on the part of the railway people without reference to their understanding with us. The producers and consumers of this large territory have rights in the matter which we must protect at all odds, if possible," the committee statement declares in discussing the matter.

Requirements Technically Met
Information locally is that the requirements of the Interstate Commerce Commission have been complied with technically, although this information does not come from Washington. However, the expectations of local people have not been met in connection with their contract with the railway company. Belief and expectation that construction would begin immediately upon receipt of permit from the commission were based on repeated declarations of the railway company that this would be their program. Repeated efforts by The Hesperian to get definite statements from QuanaH officials have met with failure.

Making Plans For Co-Op School Beginning Feb. 7

Three Days of School Here Will Be Given to Study of Marketing Systems.

Plans are maturing for the Co-operative Marketing School to be held the first three days of the week beginning February 7 in Floydada, according to M. D. Ramsey, field service director for the Texas Wheat Growers' Association, which organization in conjunction with the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association is sponsoring a school along similar lines to the school conducted here last year. The program will be definitely outlined by the earlier part of next week and will appear in The Hesperian.

The time will be given over to the study of the present marketing system in comparison with the co-operative marketing system, Mr. Ramsey said. A special feature will be Woman's Day, which will be Wednesday. Mrs. Phebe K. Warner, prominent panhandle club woman has promised to take a part in the program for that day. Mr. Ramsey said. Several men of prominence in the commodity marketing organizations expected during the meeting are J. D. Coghlan, of Dallas, field service director for the cotton association, Judge L. Gough, of Amarillo, president of the cotton association and J. Frank Triplett, district field service director of the cotton association.

The school for commodity association officials and directors of this territory, planned to be held in Amarillo beginning January 31, will be held in Canyon instead, Mr. Ramsey said, on account of the smallpox quarantine regulations against public meetings in the former city at this time.

THRIFTY NIFTY SHOP CLOSED

The Thrifty Nifty Shop which is owned by Miss Mollie Crum, closed Wednesday for a few days. The shop is in the Texas Utilities Company building and they are doing some painting and remodeling. The shop will be closed until the work is completed.

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COURT REFORM

Efforts of eminently outstanding attorneys of Texas, representing in committee the Texas Bar Association have submitted to the Fortieth Legislature a number of measures which they believe will improve the administration of justice, both civil and criminal, in the state. According to the information we have these measures in every instance will tend to simplify the methods of procedure, reduce the cost of litigation, prevent unnecessary delays and substitute flexible rules of procedure for the mandatory rules now enforced.

While it is a fact that the legislature is engrossed in several matters that are for the immediate time more in the public eye than the simplification of court procedure, we believe the Fortieth could more nearly make itself immortal by study and final passage of these measures than by most any other means. The Bar of Texas has had considerable contumely heaped upon it for the alleged bad condition of affairs in the courts of the state and the fact that this body has given years of study to their measures before submitting them for the consideration of the legislature and the people would indicate that they are worthy of passage substantially as they are.

For relief in criminal cases the bills submitted direct the judges to test the competency of jurors instead of leaving the matter to the attorneys; permit prosecuting attorneys to comment upon the failure of the defendant to testify; authorize the judge instead of the jury to assess the punishment; define murder in simpler terms and eliminate the offense of manslaughter; strengthen the law relating to bail bonds and prohibit bail after conviction, except upon certificate of the District Court or the Court of Criminal Appeals; amend the suspended sentence law; permit the amendment of indictments and informations except in matters of substance and authorize the inclusion of all offenses growing out of a single transaction in one indictment; give the trial courts authority to try all persons indicted jointly at the same time; and prohibit reversals unless the record shows that the defendant has been deprived of substantive right or has been denied a fair and impartial trial.

A thing which "the people" will be touchy about, but which will help as much or more than any of the others is a proposed constitutional amendment which would enable the legislature to create a more efficient system of courts and another is a bill that excepts the principal trial judges and all the appellate judges from the provisions of the primary election law and provides for their nomination by conventions.

COURT REFORM NEEDED

With tax measures and libel laws and highway department regulations and many other matters running the gamut of the legislative mill, the court reform measures may be overlooked. Court reform is a vitally necessary thing for the state, or we have been thoroughly mis-informed and are resting under a delusion.

If these other things must have the attention of the legislature, which it seems they must, then the legislative body should include Court Reform in capital letters on their calendar and work it out "if it takes all summer."

Hesperian Want Ads—Results.

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GAS TAX POPULAR DEMAND

Popular demand is a fickle thing. Right now the big demand over the State of Texas is the three-cent gasoline tax for the building and support of the highways of the state. You don't have to do a lot of talking around to find plenty of folks who feel like the three-cent gasoline tax is a desirable and an essential thing to put the burden of road construction "on the shoulders of the man who uses the roads." That some such measure will pass the legislature seems to have become a foregone conclusion, and if it isn't adopted the legislators are going to hear from the boys at the forks of the creek.

BIG DENVER CONTRACTS

The big contracts let last week by the Fort Worth & Denver Railway Company for building the dumps on which their steels will be laid into the plains country, indicates that company means business and quick business. \$5,000,000 worth of contracts were let, and the communities all along the line are working on the right-of-way. The total cost of the Denver project will exceed \$7,000,000. Some of the biggest railway contracting firms in the southwest have the contracts for the work on the lines and the expectation is that the big dirt, including that on the caprock, will be flying at once.

CAPROCK ENGINEERING FEAT

One of the biggest engineering feats in the southwest will be the bringing of the Denver's lines up on the plains at Quitaque. It is said to be a matter of engineering judgment whether the heaviest work will be done by tunneling or by cutting an immense gap in the hill. Months and months of work on the part of some of the best engineers the company had were required to work out a proper grade for the climb.

THE PETERSBURG JOURNAL

Issue No. One of Volume One, The Petersburg Journal, has reached The Hesperian office. It is edited by E. R. Gibson, who announces that he has moved to Petersburg to edit a newspaper and "grow up with the town."

The first issue of The Journal tells of notification having been received by their railway right-of-way committee to provide their right-of-way for the Denver extension to Lubbock. "Before we can hardly realize trains will be running through here and moving the farm products out and hauling freight in," The Journal says.

Petersburg is a good little town. It should and will grow into a better one and The Journal should have a successful career.

SLATONITE ABSORBS TIMES

After conducting The Slaton Times at Slaton for nearly two years Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Smith last week announced the sale of the subscription list and business to the Slaton Times, of which Mrs. W. Donald is publisher and Robt. Collier is editor and manager. Mr. and Mrs. Smith keep their mechanical equipment and will move it to another field, they state in their valedictory.

Announcement was made that the absorption of The Times by the Slatonite was made in the belief that one newspaper could serve the community and the territory better than two.

Local friends of Mr. and Mrs. Smith have not learned definitely what are their plans for the future.

'Round The Square

After long and careful consideration, we have come to the conclusion that there are two sides to every story—the right side and the other fellow's side.

The Luncheon Club gave a dinner and program last Monday. Somebody said that the dinner was pretty good.

We think that if it rains for several days more, and some of the folks who are "agin the road bond" get stuck in the mud and have to walk five miles before they can get help to pull out—then, when the next bond election is held there will be some of them who have suddenly changed their minds.

Floydada folks are just now beginning to realize what a good school we have. Several West Texas towns will have to close their schools soon if they don't raise money at once. Bond elections for the construction of new schools are having a hard pull in several places.

It has been said that "when you get to the end of your rope, tie a knot and hold on." To hear some folks talk, it is about time they were tying knots.

How Doctors Treat Colds and the Flu

To break up a cold overnight or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza, sore throat or tonsillitis, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the purified and refined calomel compound tablet that gives you the effects of calomel and salts combined, without the unpleasant effects of either.

One or two Calotabs at bed-time with a swallow of water,—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your eating, work or pleasure. Next morning your cold has vanished, your system is thoroughly purified and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please,—no danger.

Get a family package, containing full directions, only 35 cents, at drug store.

A Floydada man went fishing last spring in East Texas and caught an extra fine specimen. He was crazed with joy, and telegraphed his wife: "I've got one; weighs seven pounds and it is a beauty." He was surprised to receive the following: "So have I; weighs ten pounds. Not a beauty—looks like you. Come home."

Even if you don't think that you are a world-beater, go out and do a little horn-tootin' occasionally. It'll do you good.

Somebody said that evolution is just in it's infancy. Well, we hope it dies young.

One Floydada business man said that someone sure got fooled this week. They broke into his coal bin one night.

It has been said 'Round the square that money talks. We have found that love is blind but not deaf.

This sure would be a ruined country if we were in half as bad shape as some people say we are. Floyd County folks have more to be thankful for than we think.

14 YEARS AGO IN FLOYD COUNTY

News items taken from the Floyd County Hesperian files published in Floydada fourteen years ago.

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Q. A. & P. Railroad Talk

The air is full of railroad talk—the Quanah, Acme & Pacific is the road in the public eye at present. Attorney D. E. Decker has paid the Plainview people a visit and as a result those citizens are attempting to raise a \$100,000 bonus, besides right-of-way through their county and city.

At present it is not known at Floydada what the intentions of the road are. However, representatives of this road have been in Floydada in times past with propositions and our people have not been slow to respond that we are in the ring with the right kind of encouragement. Floydada should not and will

not be slow in taking advantage of an opportunity to secure an eastern outlet.

Street Crossing Laid

According to the plans of the city council the street crossings on the corners of the square, northwest and southwest, are being built this week. These wooden crossings will give access to the main thorough-fares of the town from one to the other without the necessity of wading mud shoe-mouth deep in the passage.

Lockney is entitled to the distinction of receiving the first shipment of polecat skins since the inauguration of the parcel post system. Postmaster Howard received by parcel post Tuesday from the Mickey postoffice, a sack of

polecat hides, that out "stunk" creation. The hides were addressed to a Kansas City firm, and when they were opened here they ran everybody out of the postoffice, and cleared the street for a block away.

A. J. Blackwell and Jim Hammonds of the Mickey neighborhood, were in Floydada last week on business.

Conductor E. B. Thompson took his train crew to Plainview Tuesday to see the sights.

Flynn Buys Market

Effective the first of February, P. H. Flynn has bought the interest of George Cope in the City Meat Market, and now is sole owner of the market.

T. L. Callaway made a trip to Oklahoma City the first of the week.

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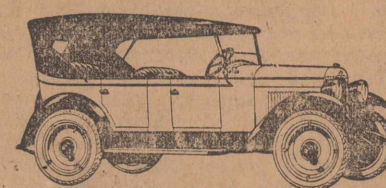
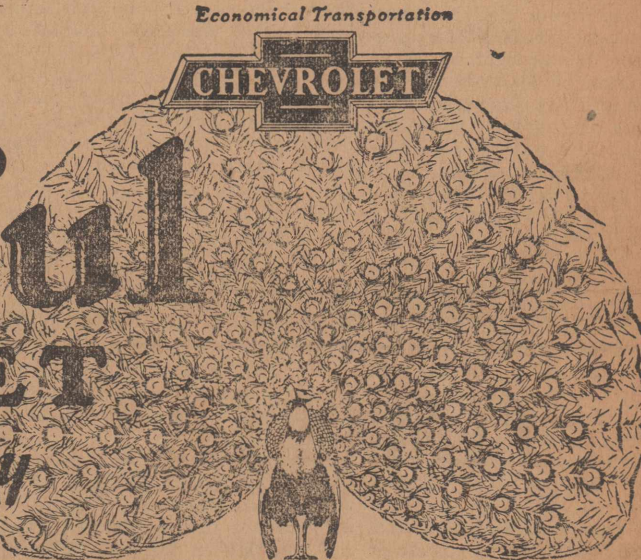
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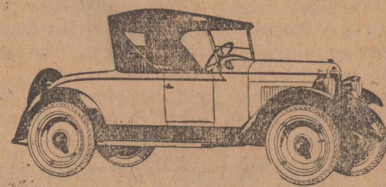
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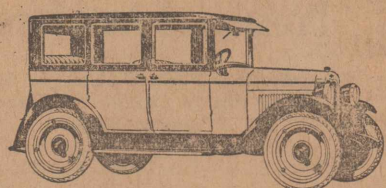
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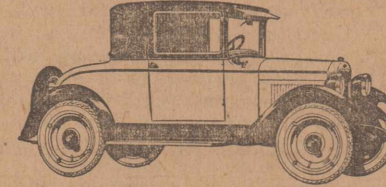
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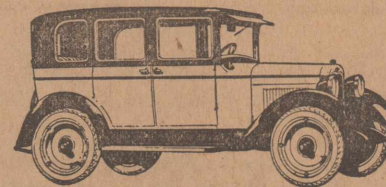
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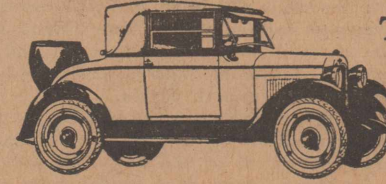
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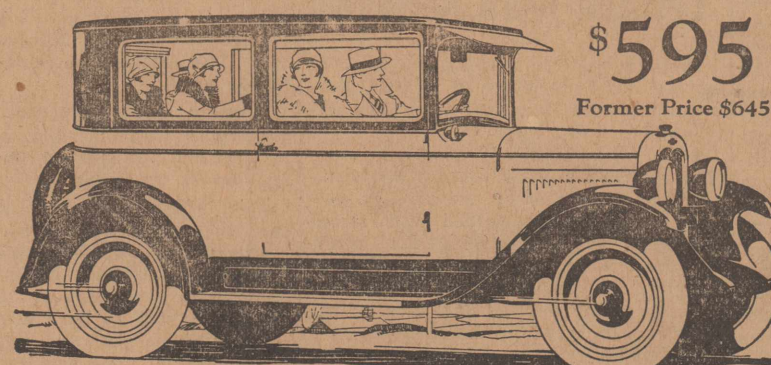
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QUALITY AT LOW COST

Lose First of Year To Slaton

Loss Friday at Slaton is First out of Nine Games This Season.

Suffering a defeat for the first time this season, the Floydada Hi Basketeers lost in a cage clash with the Slaton Tigers team last Friday, 15 to 8. This is the first game the local team has lost out of the nine games played this season. Friday's game was played in Slaton.

Although the team was handicapped through the loss of Eubank who was out of the game with a wrenched ankle, Coach Ike Jay stated that there were no acceptable excuses for the loss of Friday's game. The defensive play of the Whirlwinds was much better than that of the Slaton boys, but their offensive play proved to be their weak spot Friday.

Some two weeks ago, the Slaton five were defeated in two games with the Ralls quintet, while the local boys defeated the Ralls team in two games here. According to the results of these games, the F. H. S. team is stronger than the Slaton five, although Coach Gus Miller's boys defeated the Lubbock team, strong contenders for the Class A flag.

Friday's game was an extremely fast game, the score remaining 8 to 9 in favor of the Slaton five, until the begin-

ning of the last period. Swain was high-point man for the local boys, scoring five points in the first three quarters. Edwards, high-point man for the entire season, scored only one point Friday. Webb also scored one basket.

The F. H. S. line up Friday was as follows: Edwards and Webb, forwards; Swain, center; Marshall and de Cordova guards. Nine players made the trip to Slaton with Coach Jay.

REMARKABLE ENDURANCE TEST

Driving a Chevrolet car daily in the rough, hilly districts of Missouri for a total repair cost of \$23.85 for 20,000 miles or driving over a period of six years is the record attained by Mrs. Olen Gentry, of Mill Grove, Mo.

The sturdy endurance of the Chevrolet never was attested better than through its popularity among those who live in the mountainous localities, according to Mrs. Gentry.

In August, 1920, Mrs. Gentry purchased a Chevrolet touring car and in December of 1926, the owner figured that it was about time to buy a new model. "Although my old car is still giving excellent service, I expect to turn it in soon on a new 1927 Chevrolet Coupe," Mrs. Gentry said.

J. B. Bishop, who had been at Kress for some ten days, returned home Saturday. He had had charge of the drug store of his brother, Baird, while the latter was in Dallas and Waco on Business.

THERMOMETER DROPS TO 15 ABOVE ZERO ON SATURDAY

The heavy weight of an accumulation of ice on telephone, telegraph and power and light lines over West Texas Saturday, Sunday and Monday gave plant upkeep men plenty of work to do repairing broken lines.

The light sleet, rain and snow, totaling a precipitation of .55 inches, was accompanied Friday by a marked drop in temperature, which Saturday morning reached as low as 15 degrees above zero, the low mark for the winter. However, the temperature began rising steadily until Monday morning the temperature barely hovered about the freezing point.

W. P. Daily, who keeps a record of low temperatures, said that the low of last Friday compared with six degrees above zero January 22 one year ago and four below on January 22 of 1925.

TAKING PASTEUR TREATMENT FOR SCRATCH OF MAD CAT

Ray Slaughter, of the Motor Supply Company, this week is taking the last of a series of treatments to prevent rabies, having suffered some two weeks ago a slight scratch from a cat.

Becoming worried following the scratch, he had the cat's head examined at the Pasteur Institute in Austin, where it was pronounced to have a well-developed case of hydrophobia or rabies, and the Pasteur treatment recommended.

Treatment as a preventative against rabies is painful and extends over a period of two weeks. The treatment is being administered by Dr. W. M. Houghton.

While the patient has been confined to his room much of the time he is expected to be fully recovered from the treatments within a short time.

CHANGE AMARILLO-SWEETWATER SANTA FE SCHEDULE SLIGHTLY

A slight change in the schedule of trains Nos. 97-94, Amarillo to Sweetwater, was made by the Santa Fe effective December 15.

The southbound train leaves Amarillo on the new schedule at 8:10 a. m., leaves Plainview at 10:25 a. m., Lubbock 11:59 and arrives Slaton 12:30 p. m., and Sweetwater 4:10 p. m.

The change is made to afford better connection in Amarillo with the Fort Worth & Denver and the Rick Island, which reach Amarillo at 7:30 a. m., and 7:15 a. m. respectively.

NEW MODEL CHEVROLETS HERE

Models of the 1927 line of Chevrolet automobiles were received here for the first time and put on display last week by Floyd Motor Company.

The new line called "the most beautiful Chevrolet" is made up of models which follow the new trend in automobile construction. Recent announcement of a material reduction in the price of all models was made by the company, this announcement being accompanied with a list of improvements and refinements on the car that have been perfected recently.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County—GREETING:
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, 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, Marble Closman, Harry P. Closman, Charlotte Burke, Louis Sego, Agley Sego, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of Louis Sego and Agley Sego, deceased, of Joseph Sego, Charles Sego, Henry W. Sego, Anna Sego Knox, Charles B. Knox, Ollie M. Lilley, Josephine Sego Coash, Lawrence Coash, John Brodie, Samuel C. Hackett, Jno. E. Price, Sophia Sego, Sophie Sego, Ollie Sego, Agley DePathis, Paul DePathis, Ollie Marie Eiman, Anna Schenck Houser, Anna M. Houser, Thomas B. Houser, Elmina Hackett Benton, Charles W. Benton, William C. Hackett, Emma Hackett Snyder, Louis C. Snyder, Fred Snyder, Ralph Snyder, Myrtle Sego Ames, Harvey C. Ames, Raymond Sego, Clara Foster, Lawrence Foster, Minnie Sego Clifford, Edward Thomas Clifford, George Burke, Lydia Sego Burke, Gerald Burke, Carl Kellog, Bessie Sego Kellog, Laurence Coash, Arthur L. Coash, Gertrude Coash Anderson, Joseph Sego and wife Anna Sego, Josephine Coash, Henry W. Sego, Anna Sego Sharpe, George Sharp, Nona Hackett, Arthur L. Coash, Emma Coash, Amos Sego, Emmett Hackett Snyder, Ann J. Hackett, Annie M. Schenck, Emma Snyder, Emily Augusta Snyder, Elima Benton, Jackson Walford, Sylvester Morris, Mina Benton, Anna M. Schenck, Anna Sego Mable Coash, Myrtle Sego, Clara Sego, Bessie Sego, Minnie Sego, and the Unknown heirs and legal representatives of each of said named parties deceased.

All of whom whose names are given are nonresidents, and the heirs and legal representatives of those named above who are deceased, being persons whose names are unknown to plaintiff and his attorney, 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 28th day of February, 1927 then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 22nd day of January A. D. 1927, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1854, wherein Elmer Sego is plaintiff and Marble Closman, Harry P. Closman, Charlotte Burke, Louis Sego, Agley Sego, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of Louis Sego and Agley Sego, deceased, of Joseph Sego, Charles Sego, Henry W. Sego, Anna Sego Knox, Charles B. Knox, Ollie M. Lilley, Josephine Sego Coash, Lawrence Coash, John Brodie, Samuel C. Hackett, Jno. E. Price, Sophia Sego, Sophie Sego, Ollie Sego, Agley DePathis, Paul DePathis, Ollie Marie Eiman, Anna Schenck Houser, Anna M. Houser, Thomas B. Houser, Elmina Hackett Benton, Charles W. Benton, William C. Hackett, Emma Hackett Snyder, Louis C. Snyder, Fred Snyder, Ralph Snyder, Myrtle Sego Ames, Harvey C. Ames,

Raymond Sego, Clara Foster, Lawrence Foster, Minnie Sego Clifford, Edward Thomas Clifford, George Burke, Lydia Sego Burke, Gerald Burke, Carl Kellog, Bessie Sego Kellog, Laurence Coash, Arthur L. Coash, Gertrude Coash Anderson, Joseph Sego and wife Anna Sego, Josephine Coash, Henry W. Sego, Anna Sego Sharpe, George Sharp, Nona Hackett, Arthur L. Coash, Emma Coash, Amos Sego, Emmett Hackett Snyder, Ann J. Hackett, Annie M. Schenck, Emma Snyder, Emily Augusta Snyder, Elima Benton, Jackson Walford, Sylvester Morris, Mina Benton, Anna M. Schenck, Anna Sego Mable Coash, Myrtle Sego, Clara Sego, Bessie Sego, Minnie Sego, and the Unknown heirs and legal representatives of each of said named parties deceased are defendants.

The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit: That on or about the 21st day of January, 1927 plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises to-wit: All of Survey No. One (1) Certificate No. 394 Abstract No. 233 Patented to Louis Sego by Patent No. 305 Vol. 35. Original grantee T. T. R. Co. in Floyd County, Texas, being a tract of 640 acres of land. Plaintiff claims title by conveyances from heirs of Louis Sego Patentee, and by virtue of ten year statute of limitations, alleging nature of defendants claim unknown but that same is a cloud on his title. Plaintiff prays to recover title

and possession of said land as against all defendants.

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 24th day of Jan. A. D. 1927.

(SEAL) T. P. GUMARIN,
Clerk District Court, Floyd County, Texas. 484tc

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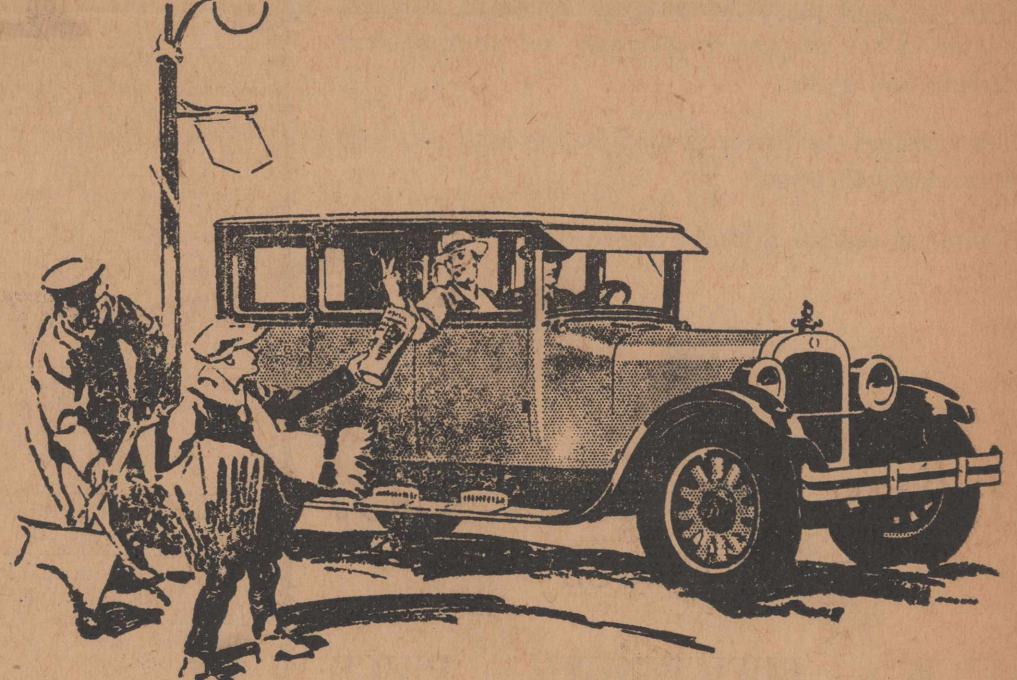
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We hope to announce our permanent location at an early date. Floydada Machine Shop. By F. J. Boerner, Mgr. 481tc

NOTICE

To all persons knowing themselves indebted to the Floydada Independent School District No. B, Floydada, for taxes for the year 1925 and all former years back to and including year 1926, that I, as collector, have been instructed to proceed for the collection of same. The school board have obligations to meet which take money—teachers to pay and many other accounts to meet—and without your help it leaves them in an embarrassing position. So you must make some arrangement soon thereby saving yourself further cost and helping your school board to meet their obligations. If you fail to see me, I must hunt you up, which means cost to you. E. C. Henry, Assessor and Collector for the School Board. 481tc

Hesperian Want Ads—Results.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County—GREETING: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, 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, Edna Floyd whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the County of Floyd, at the Court House thereof, in Floydada on the 28th day of February A. D. 1927 and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 27th day of January A. D. 1927, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1855, wherein Henry Floyd is plaintiff and Edna Floyd is defendant.

The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit: A suit for divorce, Plaintiff alleges that he is a bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas and County of Floyd; that on or about the 16th day of December A. D. 1906, in Hale County Texas plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant; that they continued to live together as husband and wife until sometime during the year of 1923 when by reason of cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct toward plaintiff he was forced to separate from the defendant; that since that time plaintiff has not heard from nor had communication with the defendant; that since their separation plaintiff and defendant have not lived together as husband and wife; that the marriage relation still exists.

Wherefore plaintiff prays the court that defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition and upon hearing hereof he have judgment dissolving said marriage, and for other and further relief in law and equity to which he may show himself entitled.

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 27th day of January A. D. 1927. (SEAL) T. P. GUIMARIN, Clerk District Court, Floyd County, Texas. 484tc

WITH THE CHURCHES

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. R. Hill, Pastor The Sunday School, for Bible Study, Sunday morning at 10:00. Mr. Gilliam is the popular superintendent. There are classes for each age, and each class supplied with efficient teacher.

Morning preaching service begins at 11 and closes at 12 sharp! The pastor will bring a message on, "Every One in His Place". Evening preaching service at 7 o'clock. The subject of the sermon will be, "God's Last Message to Man".

The music is congregational and worshipful. The services throughout are meant to be right, brief, and brotherly. Visitors are cordially invited to worship with us.

COME and WELCOME!

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Frank LeRoy Davis, Minister Owing to the weather last Lord's day the attendance was not up to the standard, but had good services anyway. Those present were interested and enjoyed the meetings. The services next Lord's day will be

as usual, unless the pastor is called to Crosbyton for the day and in that event the rest of the services will be as usual. The S. S. will meet at 10 o'clock with the Superintendent in charge. There will be a class for each one present. The preaching service will follow and the subject of the message will be vital and interesting. The Endeavor society will meet at 6:15 and the preaching service will be held at 7:15. Come out.

Don't forget the Workers Conference next Wednesday night at the prayer meeting hour. We hope for all teachers and workers to be present. This is a most important meeting and should be attended by those interested. Come to the little church with a big welcome to any and all of the services.

METHODIST CHURCH

Be sure and be at Sunday School next Sunday and get your book for the training school which begins Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Let me urge everyone that possibly can to take one of the books.

You can get your book at the parsonage now as three of them are here, one hasn't come yet but will be here any day, now I presume. This will be our opportunity probably the only one for several years to have the school. Let us show our appreciation by attending.

The courses and teachers are as follows: "Organization and Administration of the Sunday School" Teacher Rev. B. L. Nance, our Conference Sunday School Superintendent. "Training the Devotional Life," teacher, Miss Woodson, Ft. Worth. "Life and Letters of St. Paul," Rev. J. P. Patterson, of Tulsa. "The Methodist Church and its work," Teacher Prof. Evans, of Tech. College, Lubbock.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

The bad weather has hindered our work some in the Ladies Bible Study of the City Park Church of Christ for the last week or two yet some have been at each service. On account of some conditions over which we have no control we have decided to change our time of meeting from Wednesday to Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

We will meet with Mrs. J. U. Borum next Monday. All ladies are invited to be present. Ira L. Sanders, Minister.

YOUNG FOLKS

Our Young Folks' Bible Study at City Park Church of Christ with interest. Although it is muddy we had a few present. The preaching service will follow and all had a good lesson. meet again next Monday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock. Let us all be on time. Ira L. Sanders, Minister.

Floydada Circuit West, M. E. Church

A. J. Brown, Pastor On account of rain last Sunday the pastor could not reach his appointment at Sand Hill, but will preach there next Sunday morning. All who will come are cordially invited to this service.

Miss Opal Wood, County Home Demonstration Agent of Hale County returned to Plainview Monday after spending the week-end here with Miss Blanche Bass.

Dea Winn Fyffe and Clinton Fyffe, sons of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Fyffe, are recovering from the flu.

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Society and Clubs

Attendance of Cafeteria Discussed at Meeting.

Miss Blanche Bass, County Home Demonstration Agent met with the members of the East Ward Parent-Teachers' Association Friday afternoon and gave several good reasons why a cafeteria should be installed in the schools.

Five important facts were brought out in her discussion of the subject, they are: First the children are given a hot dish at the noon hour, transforming the lunch into a meal, and adding zest to the work of the afternoon. The children are given proper nourishment which is greatly needed. 14 million children out of 20 million have physical defects which have been caused by faulty diet. Second by the school cafeteria an interest in food is aroused in the boys and girls. They learn to eat foods that are more healthful and nourishing and to eat things they have not been taught to eat at home. Third the practice of good table manners as well as of good manners on other occasions can be developed somewhat through the school cafeteria. Here the teachers may help. It is well to begin with the health rules as some of these lead directly to agreeable table manners. For example the health rule that the food must be thoroughly masticated cannot be followed without leading inevitably to taking of smaller bites and more leisurely eating. So the psychological reason, as well as the aesthetic reason may be stressed.

Fourth the convenience of the school cafeteria must not be overlooked the fact that it is located in a room of the school house makes it possible for both the children and teachers to have a nice meal without being rushed, and then have time for plays and games on the outside.

The last reason, it is economy to eat at the cafeteria.

The entertainment for the remainder of the afternoon was furnished by the little pupils of the second grade who were trained by their teacher, Mrs. Hazel Hughes. Several songs and dialogues were given by the second grade children. One number that was especially pleasing was a vocal solo given by Rogene Glover.

Plans were made to entertain the business men of the city and their wives at a luncheon to be given at the East Ward cafeteria one day this week but on account of the bad weather it was postponed until conditions are more favorable.

Mrs. Rutledge Hostess To 1922 Study Club.

Mrs. O. P. Rutledge was hostess to the members of the 1922 Study Club at her home Thursday afternoon, January 20th. There was a splendid attendance. The program was led by Mrs. L. V.

Smith. Roll call was answered with Bible quotations.

"Themes in The New Poetry: Religion in New Voices" was given by Mrs. E. L. Angus; "The Modern Poet's Conception of God and of Christ in New Voices" was discussed by Mrs. Kenneth Bain and "Poetry in the Bible," Mrs. L. V. Smith.

The Study Club voted to start a movement to build a club house or to arrange for a club room in Floydada. Mrs. Lon Smith was appointed chairman.

Thursday afternoon, February 3rd, will be the next regular meeting date. Mrs. C. M. Wilson will be hostess.

High School P. T. A. Meets Today.

The High School Parent-Teachers' Association meets today at 3:00 o'clock at the High School building.

Lunch Will Be Served At Cafeteria Fri. and Sat.

Lunch and also supper will be served by the East Ward Parent-Teachers' Association at the New Cafeteria, in the East Ward school, Friday and Saturday, both days of the Tennis tournament.

Parcel Post Shower Saturday By P. T. A.

A short business session was held by the Andrews Ward Parent-Teachers' Association Wednesday afternoon. For the remainder of the school term the various rooms will have an attendance contest at each meeting. The room having the greatest number of mothers present at each meeting will be given a beautiful picture for their room. A rising vote of thanks was given O. P. Rutledge for a contribution of \$25.00 for the P. T. A. Fund.

A parcel post shower will be held Saturday at C. R. Houston & Co. dry goods store. There will be a number of packages which will be sold for 25c each. They are articles that have been made or purchased by the mothers of the Andrews Ward school children, and mailed to the P. T. A.

Mrs. Steen Hostess To Wednesday Club.

The Wednesday Bridge club was entertained Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Homer Steen as hostess. There were no guests other than club members. In the games Mrs. P. W. Cloud received high score. The hostess served a delicious salad course.

Those present were: Mmes. Bert Barker, P. W. Cloud, Roy Snodgrass, Robert Eubank, F. P. Collins, Jack Henry, Misses Ruth Collins and Ethel Houghton. The club will meet again Wednesday, February 2nd, with Mrs. Bert Barker as hostess.

"Trip Around The World" Typical Foreign Scenes.

Besides being a very delightful social affair the "Trip Around the World" proved to be a very informative affair.

In several instances curios from the country represented were displayed. This novel scheme of securing money for the East Ward Cafeteria fund was arranged by the members of the East Ward Parent-Teachers' Association. Much time and energy was expended in making the whole a success. Each of the homes representing the various countries was very cleverly arranged and was very characteristic of the countries.

America Mrs. C. R. Houston's home was a typical waiting room scene. Hazel Massie as a groom and Velma Nelson as the bride were in colonial costume ready to board the train for the trip around the world. Delbert Eubank acted as conductor. Before leaving on the trip each of the travelers were served punch by the hostess assisted by Mrs. A. N. Gamble and Mrs. S. N. Tawwater.

The first country visited was Old Mexico. Mrs. John Hammonds residence. The visitors were received by Mmes. Hammonds, S. W. Ross, and S. F. Conner dressed as señoritas. Mr. Hammonds in senior costume acted as host. Chile Con Carne was served. A collection of articles from Mexico were displayed such as rugs, pottery and hand work.

The next place visited was India at the home of Mrs. L. A. Marshall. Numerous incense burners were used to create the Indian atmosphere. Subdued candle light were the only lights used.

Harper Scoggins with flowing robes and gorgeous turban represented the ruler and conducted the visitors through his kingdom, explaining the geography, the customs and habits of the natives. The heir to the throne was Merle Friend Scoggins dressed as a prince. Mary Looper represented the Burma dancing girl in Kipling's "Mandalay" A group of children in costume around a camp fire represented the north American Indians. They were Betty Jane Rogers, Patty Looper, Vera Nell Marshall, Harper Scoggins, Jr. and Paul Scoggins. In keeping with the spirit rice and hot chocolate were served. Mrs. Harper Scoggins, Mrs. L. A. Marshall and Mrs. Eastridge served.

Egypt the next stop was at the home of Mrs. Ed Brown. One room was Egypt in miniature with its pyramids, palms, camels, camel driver and oasis. A sign post directed the visitors to King Tut's Tomb. A guard stood beside the tomb. The arrangement was very realistic. Mrs. E. L. Angus and F. L. Davis acted as Egyptian fortune tellers. The hostess assisted by Mrs. W. M. Houghton, Mrs. J. D. Ayres, Miss Ethel Houghton and Mrs. Elder Morris served date pie with whipped cream and coffee.

A real Japanese garden with the odor of sweet scented flowers and beautiful Japanese maidens portrayed well a typical Japanese scene at the home of Mrs. E. C. Henry. In the garden was trellis work entwined with climbing roses and vines and overhead were hung numerous lanterns. Misses Delphine Miller, Pearl West, Helen Hardy, Catherine Walker as Japanese maidens served refreshments of tea and wafers.

Then to Alaska, which was represented at the East Ward Cafeteria, with all of its snow, polar bears and reindeers was very beautiful. The small serving

tables were arranged to make one long table across the room and they were covered with cotton and artificial snow and miniature animals characteristic of the country. Misses Velma Terry, Emma Lou McKinney, and Mrs. Hazel Hughes dressed in fur coats, boots and caps looked the part of real eskimos. The young ladies assisted by Mrs. Bob Green, Mrs. F. M. Klebold served angel food cake and ice cream.

About two hundred people made the trip around the world. The refreshments were in each case donated by the hostess. The ice cream served at the cafeteria was the only real expense, said the president of the P. T. A. and quite a nice little sum was realized for the benefit of the cafeteria.

Society Meeting Postponed; Co-operative Meeting Monday.

On account of last Monday being such a cold, disagreeable day the missionary society meeting of the First Christian Church and Methodist church were postponed so that the members could attend the two million dollar campaign rally which was held in Plainview Monday. Next Monday afternoon, January 31st, at 3:00 o'clock at the Cumberland Presbyterian church a co-operative meeting of the Missionary societies will be held.

The following program has been arranged for the occasion:
Subject—Home Missions Among the Mountaineers.

Song—All Hail the Power of Jesus Name.

Song—Let the Lower Lights Be Burning.

Devotional—Mrs. George Linder.

Duet—Mrs. Jno. Farris and Mrs. J. A. Enoch.



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Our Mountain Mission Work—Mrs. J. M. Willson.
Our Mountain Mission Work—Mrs. E. Ray Smith.
Reading, "Mrs. Puckett's Missionary Box"—Mrs. Ford Butler.

Legion Auxiliary Will Meet Monday, Feb. 7th.

Since there are five Mondays in January there has been a little confusion about when the next meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary would be held. The next meeting will be held Monday night, February 7th. Final plans will be made for the party which will be given for the Legion boys with the non-resident members of the Legion as honor guests. The party was origi-

nally planned for Monday night February 21 but the date has been changed to Wednesday night February 23rd on account of several of the boys being unable to attend at the earlier date.

Locals and Personals

J. P. Rhodes, of Abilene left Thursday for Amarillo after a short visit with Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Alexander. Mr. Rhodes is a son-in-law of Dr. and Mrs. Mrs. Alexander.

J. G. Martin left Wednesday morning for New York where he will buy Spring and Summer merchandise for the Martin Dry Goods Co. Mrs. Homer Steen, Mrs. Jack Henry, Mrs. Luther Fry and Miss Ruth Collins spent Friday in Lubbock shopping and visiting friends.

Mrs. E. P. Nelson

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Saturday at 2 p. m. 6 big Rubber Balloons will be thrown from the roof of this Store to the street below. Three Balloons will carry a \$1 Bill inside. So be here at 2 p. m. Saturday and catch a Balloon and keep the \$1 Bill.

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A MIGHTY TRADE BATTLE!

W. R. Hill Commended By Hereford Newspaper

New Pastor of Baptist Church Was Resident of Hereford For Over Five Years.

Rev. W. R. Hill, formerly of Hereford, moved last week-end with his family to this city to take up his duties as pastor of the First Baptist church of this city. Rev. Hill has been pastor of the First Baptist church of Hereford for the past five years, and is well thought of in that city. The Hereford Brand, in a recent issue, has the following article concerning his pastorage in that city:

"In the going of Rev. W. R. Hill from our town to assume the Baptist pastorage at Floydada, we lost a man who has proven himself valuable in many ways. Rev. Hill was the successful pastor of the Baptist church here for nearly five years, leaving the pastorage and taking for a very brief period the leadership of denominational work for the Tierra Blanco territory with headquarters here. He gives this up now to take the Floydada pastorage. His many friends here are pleased that he does not leave the Panhandle. Rev. Hill has been an active member of the local Pastors' Association which has made such a fine reputation for real service rendered in this community. A noble spirit of fellowship exists among our churches due in a large measure to the choice of preachers who have served Hereford's leading churches. Rev. Hill has served longer than any other, and has the reputation of being a very able preacher. He made many friends outside the membership of his own church.

"To our people generally the two outstanding successes of Rev. Hill's resi-

dence among us was as chairman and treasurer of the Charity Fund. He was named by the Chamber of Commerce for the past three years and rendered a diligent, helpful and highly appreciated service to the needy of the community. He was very ably assisted by the other pastors and the sheriff, who compose the City Charity Committee. All cases thoroughly investigated and some few refused. Rev. Hill was considered one of the best friends of the poor and needy as a natural result of these activities.

"As secretary of the Chautauque committee, his services were indispensable, for much of the hard work rested on him. With the help of others, Rev. Hill gave his time and interest for the past two years devotedly to bringing this high class entertainment to our community.

"Rev. Hill goes to his new field of labor with the confidence and esteem of the best of our citizenship.

"We congratulate our neighbors in securing him. He left last week-end with his family for his new post."

FIRE PREVENTION STUDY GETS PROMISE FIRE RATE CUT

Superintendent J. C. Wester, of Floydada Public Schools, has received acknowledgement of report of the work done by pupils of the schools here in the study of Fire Prevention.

The report shows that the school is meeting fully the requirements of the Fire Insurance Commission.

In addition to the economic value to the student body of the study of fire prevention, a reduction of three per cent is given off the insurance premiums of the town.

Hesperian Want Ads—Results.

Public School News

Fourteen Teams Enter Tournament

Fourteen neighboring schools have entered their teams for the basketball tournament to be held this week. They are as follows: Plainview, Ralls, Crosbyton, Dickens, Southland, Hale Center, Lockney, Petersburg, Abernathy, Idaho, Roaring Springs, O'Donnell, and Lorenzo. With Floydada and one or two rural schools of the county to enter this will run the list close to twenty teams before the closing day.

If as many as sixteen teams enter there will be fifteen games required to eliminate the group to one. The preliminaries will begin Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock and continue that night. If possible all the preliminaries will be played off Friday night. This will require the playing of at least eight games that afternoon and night. The semi-finals will begin Saturday morning at nine o'clock and end Saturday afternoon about three o'clock. Then the final winners will be determined Saturday night. The Silver Basketballs will be awarded the winners following the last contest. A tournament ticket is on sale by members of the freshman class which entitles the holder to see all games of the tournament.

Canyon Officials For Tournament

A letter from W. E. Lockhart of Canyon who was asked to send two competent officials for the basketball tournament has advised the local authorities that he is sending Mr. Vaughn and Cleatie Crump to do the officiating. Crump will be remembered by local fans as one of the star players on the Ralls championship high school team several years ago. He was also a letter man in basketball at the West Texas State Teachers College last year. Vaughn is also a player of experience.

Lycens Number Not Given

The Betsy Ross Trio which was to appear here Monday Night was unable to reach Floydada in time to give the entertainment. They were delayed by the bad roads between Floydada and Matador. The company left Matador at three o'clock Monday afternoon and arrived in Floydada at two a. m. Tuesday. The crowd assembled at the school for the program at eight and waited patiently until nearly nine o'clock before it was evident that the trio would not appear. It was impossible for the group to get Floydada by telephone as the lines were down so we did not know definitely until Tuesday morning why the girls did not arrive. They took the train Tuesday to fill their date at Tahoka. Announcement will be made later about a number to take the place of this one. Holders of season tickets will please hold them as there will be a number later.

High School Out Monday

The high school was dismissed Monday on account of not having heat in the building. As the electricity was off the system was crippled. Due to the fact that the boiler is higher than the radiators on the first floor, a pump is necessary to carry the water from a condensing tank up to the boiler. This pump is operated by an electric motor and when the electric current is off the fire in the boiler has to be bedded or the boiler filled with cold water from the main as the return water cannot be pumped back into the boiler.

Football Sweaters Awarded

The letter sweaters in football were awarded Monday morning at the chapel hour. Fourteen boys and the two coaches were the happy receivers of these beautiful awards. After a few words of compliment to the boys and their seasons success the boys were asked to come to the stage where they were presented with the well deserved awards.

Cloud Honors Boys and Faculty

P. W. Cloud of the Olympic Theatre will have as his guests Wednesday and Thursday the letter men in football and the high school teachers. The picture will be "One Minute to Play" featuring Red Grange. The faculty and boys appreciate this invitation and assure him that we will all be on hand.

ADDS FINE DUROC GILT TO HOLMES' HILLTOP FARM HERD

Holmes Bros. Hilltop Farm made another addition to the fine blood lines in their herd of Duroc Jersey hogs at Sand Hill the latter part of last week when they received a gilt from the C. H. V. Earl herd at Follet, Okla. The gilt was obtained at a cost of \$125.

She was purchased by Holmes Bros. not only for her outstanding qualities as an individual, Ed Holmes said Saturday, but as well for the purpose of adding another distinct line of breeding into their herd. The gilt is bred to the junior champion boar of the Wichita Fair of last year.

"The addition of this fine gilt to our herd will make it possible for hog raisers of this territory to introduce new blood lines into their herds without having to order new stock and take the chance of getting the bad end of a trade. While we had to pay a rather steep price for this addition to our stock, we feel like we cannot stand back on account of the price in order to get the very best breeding stock in the county," Mr. Holmes said.

The gilt was received by express in Floydada Saturday. She appeared to be an outstanding individual of the breed.

MAKES PLEA FOR SUPPORT OF BAND PROPOSED FOR FLOYDADA

Making a plea for the support of a well-organized and directed band in Floydada, Ed Bishop Monday told members of the Floydada Luncheon Club that plans were under way to obtain support for a band, a good director for it was in prospect and that such a movement could be made of untold value to the community through its possibilities in working with the boys and improving their idle time. He also urged support of a Boy Scout organization here, and said that although a band and a Boy Scout organization would be distinct necessarily, the two could be correlated.

Geo. A. Linder agreed with the suggestions made by Mr. Bishop and added the idea of a goal or definite program of work for the luncheon club as his contribution to the discussion. This idea met with favor and a committee to work out a plan for program to submit to the club was named. They are C. W.

Boothe, Kight Dickey and Geo. A. Linder.

J. C. Wester told of the forthcoming basketball tournament which opens tomorrow afternoon and obtained volunteers for headquarters and sponsors for the various teams which are coming to enter the play. He said homes for the boys to stay over Friday night were being obtained through the high school. The luncheon club also promised aid in caring for the expense of the medals which will be awarded at the tournament.

Robt. A. Sone, recently-named county attorney, was present as a guest of the club. He expressed appreciation for his appointment as county attorney by the Commissioners' Court, and asked for support of the citizenship in the performance of his duties.

"Indigestion," unofficial organ of the club, came in for numerous compliments, the second issue of which was received by members Saturday prior to the meeting day. It was unanimously voted that the program committee be asked to get their program ready for publication in the tabloid newspaper. A heavy fine will be imposed on the program committee should they fail to function properly hereafter, it was voted.

CROSBYTON MAN NEW DIRECTOR FOR DISTRICT OF FARM BUREAU

W. H. Hames, of Crosbyton, is the new director for this district of the State Farm Bureau Federation.

Floyd County people who attended the state meeting of the federation in Dallas last week have returned home. Among these were W. B. Jordan, who went as delegate from this county, J. D. Christian and M. D. Ramsey, who have been officials in the organization or affiliated organizations for several years.

Clyde and Herman Cates left Tuesday for Stockton, California, where they will spend some three months in a Case tractor school studying operation and care of tractors.

J. C. Gilliam returned last Monday from Lubbock where he has been with his wife who is in the hospital in that city. Mrs. Gilliam is reported improving.

J. G. and E. G. W. returned Friday of last week from where they were called by serious illness. E. G. W. returned to his father's bedside Saturday.



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I want to thank each member for their one-hundred-per-cent co-operation which has been almost to a member. I am sure I never worked with a group of people that has been as nice and agreeable to get along with as you members. I do not believe you could have had any nicer board of directors than you have had all the way through.

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Amazing Records Made in County Home Demonstration Work

Summary Made of Work of 1926; Plans Announced For Work of Year 1927

A resume of the work of the Home Demonstration Clubs of Floyd County for the year of 1926, and announcement of the plans for 1927, give an insight into the ambitious efforts more than two hundred home makers of Floyd County, and a third as many girls, are putting forth for the betterment of themselves and their communities.

Two Outstanding Records

Every clubwoman in the county has done great work in the two years that Home Demonstration work has been undertaken here. In connection with this report, two outstanding records are given prominence on account of the recognition due them for their efforts and also to give an insight into results which are characterizing Home Demonstration work in the county.

Mrs. G. C. Collins, whose canning record exceeds in quantity of containers that of any other club woman in the county, in 1926 won seven first prizes in various divisions at the county fair and one first prize in the state fair at Dallas.

Mrs. Miller, whose record of canning last year, shows 101 varieties of food products put up, was the official garden demonstrator for the Sand Hill club during 1926, conducting various experiments including the use of fertilizers. She was state winner in the Kitchen Improvement Contest in 1925.

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1926

(By Miss Blanche Bass)

There are now organized in Floyd

County 20 Home Demonstration Clubs, 8 girl's clubs and 12 women's, representing 14 communities. The following clubs have been organized during 1926: Campbell, (girl's and women's); Starkey, (girl's); McCoy, (girl's); Pleasant Valley, (women's); Irick, (women's); Fairview (girl's); Mayview (girl's and woman's); making nine new clubs which were organized for the first time.

Enrolled in the women's clubs are 207 members, and in the girl's 68. Out of the 68 girls doing club work, there were 54 finished their required work and are entitled to certificates. Perhaps there may be five others that will be able to finish before February.

Since the Home Demonstration is based on chiefly home interests and industries, I shall name the five main heads and then take up each one and give briefly what has been accomplished in Floyd County.

The program is based on:
1. Production, which means, of course, poultry, gardening, and dairying.
2. Food preservation (canning).
3. Food preparation (cooking).

4. Clothing.
5. Home improvement (both on the inside and out side of the home).

Production

More attention has been given to gardening in Floyd County than any other phase of production. This year there were special garden demonstrators in each of the organized communities, and experiments were made with commercial fertilizer. It proved very worth while, and much interest was created as a result of these experiments. One garden demonstrator had more than 100 different varieties of vegetables planted in her garden, and the yield was great.

Reports show that 40 women raised standard bred chickens for the first time this year, and that 73 fed balanced rations. The profit on eggs sold totaled \$3932.38, and \$3519.92 profit on chickens sold.

The profit on butter sold amounted to \$852.76, and on cream \$10,081.94.

Food Preservation

Women in Floyd County are especially interested in canning. This year there has been a big demand for tin cans. More time has been given to meat canning than any other product. 3310 containers of meat were canned.

The total on all canned products for the county is 51,366 quarts, valued at \$28,868.70. Two club women have a record of more than 2500 each.

28 steam pressure cookers have been purchased through the home demonstration agent during the year, an 49 sealers. This, in a way was a result of our work on gardens.

Food Preparation

More time has been spent on cooking than any other phase of our work. 232 method demonstrations were given during the year.

Clothing

While we have not given much time to work on "clothing," the work has been creditable. The house dress contest was a result of clothing work, and Floyd County has the honor of having the biggest house dress contest in the state, and to show that the quality of our work was good, Floyd County won First and Second prizes on house dresses at the State Fair.

Home Improvement

Home Improvement has been a strong feature of our work. There were 31 state kitchen contestants and 54 women who made great improvements in their kitchens. We have the honor of winning First place in district in both classes of the contest, and Second in the State contest.

From reports sent in, I find that 136 women have done something toward beautifying the house, and adding necessary conveniences.

Briefly summarized are some of the things we have accomplished during the year:

1. Furnished five club rooms.
2. Sent five representatives to A. & M. Short Course at College Station, Texas.
3. Sent two girls to Club Girl's Encampment at Dallas.
4. Held County Rally.
5. Nine complete club exhibits at the Floyd County Fair.
6. Nine state winners at Dallas Fair, more than any other county in the state of Texas.
7. The social side has certainly not been neglected in our program of work. In all the communities entertainments have been given for the purpose of bringing the people together. Stunt nights, community picnics, pie suppers, plays, etc., have been given for the purpose of raising money for the club funds, and now every club has money in its treasury to begin the new year's work.

The primary aim of Home Demonstration Club work in Floyd County this year has been:

- To stimulate interest in home making, based upon the dignity of home life;
- To develop ideas of true economy and thrift through systematic conservation, and elimination of needless waste;
- To encourage home industries through gardening, poultry raising, and dairying thereby increasing food production;
- To develop leadership for community life;
- In a word, to develop in women and girls a new satisfaction and enjoyment that we may find in our home environment and community life more happiness.

Blanche Bass,
County Home Demonstration Agent.

WINNERS ANNOUNCED IN FOOD PRESERVATION WORK FOR 1926

(By Miss Blanche Bass)
Club women of Floyd County this year have been especially interested in canning. Through this past year our slogan has been "Can All You Can" and from the reports, it seems that our people are becoming sold to the "Live At Home Idea."

We have encouraged food preservation, first for its dietary value, to insure a balanced diet when it is not possible to have fresh vegetables. Then for its convenience and economy. It adds, also, to the financial increase of the family.

The first three winners in canning for 1926 are as follows: Mrs. G. C. Collins, Sand Hill Club, 2755 Containers, 51 varieties.

Mrs. W. E. Miller, Sand Hill Club, 2676 containers, 101 varieties.

Mrs. L. Poteet, Sand Hill Club, 1505 Containers.

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BRIGHT OUTLOOK 1927

The year 1927 promises to be the best ever for Club work in Floyd County. The clubs have now been organized long enough that they more thoroughly understand what the Home Demonstration program is based on and they are going to have more initiative in carrying out this program. Their conception of the work is bigger.

The County Council which is composed of the presidents of each of the Women's clubs, has meant perhaps, more to club work than anything else. Here the leaders come together, give their reports and get new ideas and inspiration to carry back to their clubs. We are learning to work together for one common interest.

Girls Club work is in demand in the rural schools, and with the enthusiasm that the mothers have, as well as the girls, themselves, prospects for 1927 are bright.

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CANNING RECORD FOR 1926

(By Mrs. G. C. Collins)

Another year has passed and our final reports are all in. It does not seem possible that a year has passed since I was asked to write a story on my 1925 canning, which then sounded like a big thing as it was the first year of our Home Demonstration work. In 1925 I canned something over 700 containers but that sounds very small compared with my 1926 report.

My report for the year is as follows:

1927 No. 3 cans,
1281 No. 2 cans,
199 quart jars,
88 pint jars,
2755 containers of 2020 quarts.

These containers consist of fifty one varieties.

Raised Products Canned

I had one fourth acre garden spot and raised everything I canned with the exception of 225 containers, besides having enough to furnish my table and the colored family's table all year.

How did I raise all of these products and can them? Just simply by will power and determination and help of a negro. The negro assisted me in working the garden and it kept both of us pretty busy. When it needed plowing we put a mule to the plow and plowed it. The negro did the hoeing and I did the irrigating and spraying for insects. I raised a spring, summer and fall garden.

I had lots of trouble in getting my spring garden started on account of the late freezes and cutworms.

I planted and replanted, set plants and reset plants but I was determined not to give up so I would try, try again. Finally I succeeded and raised a splendid garden although we had insects to fight all of the year.

Entered Canning Contest

In January 1926 our Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Bass, started a canning contest for the year, giving small prizes, and of course I wanted to do my best so I planted my garden early and

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Floydada, Texas

Amazing Records in Home Demonstration Work

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started with it just as a farmer makes a cotton crop. I did practically all of the canning myself both preparing the products and canning them. Some things such as corn that I could not manage very well by myself I had help, but to make a long story short I did not have three days help all year on canning. I packed and sealed every can of the 2755 containers. My negro helped me other ways, like washing, ironing, in fact anything I wanted her to do, while I did the canning.

I set in to make a record on canning this year and wanted to do all of it myself as nearly as possible. I surprised our Home Demonstration Agent with my final report, as I did not tell anyone how much I had canned until I sent in my final report the 14th day of December. She was amazed and said I want you to fix your cellar and put what you have canned on display so folks can see what you have done, and gave me suggestions about how to proceed.

Did Carpenter Work

I began planning at once to get it arranged better as I just had the cans stacked back in the boxes they came in and of course they didn't show up at all. I was very anxious to get the cellar fixed before Miss Bass brought any-

one to see it. My husband was very busy and just couldn't possibly get to the work that had to be done. He said "I'll have to get a carpenter to do the work." I said if you will get the lumber I will do the work. After my husband had gotten the lumber for me it took me three days and a half of real work to get the work completed. I was indeed much prouder of it than if a carpenter had done the work.

My cellar is 12x16 with six foot walls. I put 12 inch shelves all around it with a row through the center. This size shelf furnished space for two rows of No. 3 cans and three rows of No. 2 cans to the shelf. I arranged my glass jars on the shelves in the center to look pretty. Even with this I could not get all of my cans on display, but the walls are a solid wall of cans. The shelves are just wide enough apart for the cans.

I am real proud of my little grocery store. I am much prouder of it since I did nearly all of the work myself. I feel like I have already been repaid for my trouble. I am sure at least a hundred people have already been to see my work and I expect many more to see it.

I forgot to say I did this canning with a steam pressure cooker and a Burpee can sealer.

In addition to my canning I did various other things I raised between 300

and 400 young chickens, worked my flower garden, cooked for hired hands, milked cows and other things too numerous to mention.

Profit in Canary Birds

And last but not least I raised canary birds for pleasure, which netted me a nice little sum of \$56.00 in one year. I am not planning canning for another year but Home Improvements. I have entered the kitchen contest and aim to make my kitchen 100 per cent for convenience.

Some one might like to know what size family I have, I have my husband and myself.

Following is an itemized list of what Mrs. Collins canned:

Variety,	no containers.
Tomatoes	450
Black eyed peas	110
English peas	7
Wheat	200
Corn	233
Carrots	120
Lima Beans	18
Okra	15
Soup Mixture	56
Chili	44
Liver Paste	11
Sausage	12
Steak	42
Beef meat loaf	16
Hash	18
Soup stock	23
Pressed chicken	6
Turnip greens	113
Turnips	40
Wax beans	128
Kentucky Wonder	49
Sweet Potatoes	225
Hominy	193
Tomatoes	49
Pumpkin	15
Chicken	10
Beef Roast	87
Roll Roast	16
Pork Roast	29
Meat loaf	8
Beef hash	28
Apples	48
Peaches	32
Pears	17
Kraut	68
Cucumber pickles	37
Beet pickle	42
Pear preserves	20
Grape conserve	15
Mince meat	15
Carrot Marmalade	2
Apple butter	6
Apple preserves	4
Apple Jelly	2
Plum butter	2
Plum Jelly	8
Grape Jelly	13
Grape Jam	16
Grape Juice	25
Carrot Marmalade	8
Citron	4

Total containers. 2755
51 different varieties.

CLUB WORK OF PAST YEAR

(By Mrs. W. E. Miller)

What prompted me last year to try more than ever before to can on a larger scale, was that the experience of the year before of using a pressure cooker and sealer, being able to successfully can any perishable food I had tried and keep it.

To my mind the most important duty of any mother to her family's physical well being is proper food each day. I had for years canned vegetables on a small scale just to have for a treat once in a while but the great "Live At Home Idea" and balanced meals each day go hand in hand with the pressure cooker and sealer. We have a small mill to grind our own corn meal and whole wheat flour. A small gasoline engine furnishes power and we get the food value of the entire grain minus the inferior grains on the end of the corn cob which gives so much meal that bitter taste.

Garden Part of Work

The contest garden with the use of nitrate of soda was also a part of our past year's work. Really as I look back now I guess the main idea I had in mind in taking the contest garden was to furnish products to fill the 1000 cans I expected to fill. I also pledge myself in taking this garden work to keep a record. That was more work but it really lifted gardening out of its rut and at the end of the year it was very interesting to know just how many pound of vegetables the plot had produced. That was something I had never done before. The one fourth acre for the contest garden was only a part of my entire garden which contains three-fourths of an acre.

In addition to taking care of our own products, I canned 500 containers for the neighbors. I use one number 18 Pressure cooker for all canning and did all of my own work for a family of seven.

We often hear someone say "One thing calls for another" and still someone else said "It is good something happens to make us do something." With us it was shelving our cellar, just an ordinary cellar but fixed to take care of canned products in an inexpensive yet, to us, satisfactory way.

An itemized list of the foods Mrs. Miller canned are as follows:

Variety,	No Containers.
Snap beans	183
Black eyed peas	134
Crowder peas	17
Lima beans	14
English peas	28
Kraut	45
Swiss Chard	10
Collards	5
Bussel sprouts	6
Cabbage sprouts	6
Mustard	8
Spinach	19
Lamb's quarter	50
Essex rape	6
Mixed greens	20
Asparagus	12
Okra	5
Tomatoes	273
Soup mixture	90
Summer squash	12
Winter squash	26
Kershaw	9
Pumpkin	9
Kohl Rabi	2
Sweet potatoes	149
Baked sweet potatoes	18
Sweet potato pudding	18
Corn	352
Carrot	8
Carrot pickle	2
Beet pickle	12
Cucumber pickle	118
Pear pickle	8

Sweet pepper stuffed	9
Cucumber stuffed	3
Hot pepper pickle	5
Chow-chow	9
Tomato pickle	4
Mixed pickle	4
Tomato preserves	14
Pear preserves	20
Apple preserves	5
Water melon rind preserves	5
Grape marmalade	4
Apple butter	4
Apple sauce	4
Rhubarb Sauce	10
Pear honey	3
Grape juice	15
Apple juice	15
Peach juice	5
Jelly	114
Wonder berry jam	4
Grapes	14
Peaches	11
Apples	11
Pears	7
Baked apples	120
Fried chicken	10
Roast chicken	15
Smothered chicken	12
Pressed chicken	16
Stewed chicken	9
Chicken loaf	3
Fried chicken gravy	4
Smothered chicken gravy	9
Giblet chicken gravy	8
Chicken dressing	20
Ribs	5
Back bone	9
Sausage	40
Pork chops	9
Fried tenderloin	5
Roast shoulders	32
Tenderloin roast	4
Stew of liver, heart,	4
Liver paste	16
Scrapple	35
Hogs head mince meat	10
Roast gravy	43
Cracklins	5
Beef roast	20
Steak	24
Chili	26
Stew	14
Meat loaf	31
Hash	30
Mince meat	29
Goulach	19
Soup stock	32
Steak gravy	7
Cranberries	8
Prunes	3
Pie raisins	2
Hominy	80
Hot tamalies	5

Baked heart with dressing	4
Meat rolls	3
Brains with eggs	2
Pot roast	3
Roast with carrot, turnip, onions and potatoes	6
Baked apple	3

Total Containers 2676
101 Different varieties.

CARE OF BABY CHICKS

(By Ophelia Bartlett)

In May when our club was organized, Miss Bass gave us some ideas on how to care for poultry and what a great profit was in this work and how much we would enjoy it. So I decided to raise

a bunch of chicks that went to setting. I would like to try chickens. I made the good nest out of hay and good eggs under her. I cared for her three weeks. When I started to feed her surprise she had a nest full of "Negro" chicks (Langshangs).

Before the chicks were old enough to take from the nest Daddy built a nice little coop for me, that I had planned. I will give the description of it. I used a window sash that had four panes size 10x12 and this made one side of the coop. The other side was covered with shingles. When it was too

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Our egg price is always interesting—call us before selling.

Shaw, Felton & Collins

PHONE 27

Mr. Wheat Grower:

Indications at the present time are that Floyd County will have the greatest wheat crop in her history this year and we want to let you know that this agency has made arrangements to take care of your Hail Insurance on this crop and give you the best service obtainable so far as Companies and adjustments of losses are concerned.

We believe we have the best companies writing hail insurance and our adjustors will be men who live in this territory assuring you of prompt adjustments when a loss occurs.

Don't forget to call on this agency for anything in the insurance line, "The Agency of Service."

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PHONE 273

To Sell at Auction

I will sell at auction a five room house and barn 16x24 located five blocks south on Main Street, on Saturday, February 5th.

One month's time will be given to move houses off of property.

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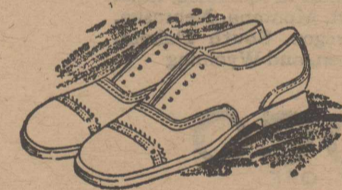
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FAMFORD—Manager Homer D. ... of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has gone to Austin to establish the legislative bureau of the regional organization there during the session of the Fortieth Legislature, and to watch legislation of general interest. Member towns of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce are free to call upon the bureau upon any matter which they consider of interest to West Texas.

SPEARMAN—Contract for 24,397 yards of pavement to be constructed on the principal streets of Spearman has been signed by the city. The contract calls for a pavement construction of 2 1/2 inches of Vitrified Brick on a four inch concrete base. The price agreed upon is \$3.47 per yard, the deal representing an expenditure of approximately \$104,000.

CLYDE—A five mile extension is to be made by the West Texas Utilities Company to serve a number of farm houses southwest of Clyde with electricity. Some 25 houses have agreed to wire for electric lights.

JACKSBORO—The home beef canning movement inaugurated by the County Home Demonstration Agent is showing increased interest on the part of farmers in Jack County communities. The Shannon Community came out 25 strong with halves of two beeves for a canning program. A number of rural citizens, in addition to those already served are planning to can beeves.

FREDERICKSBURG—Construction work on "The Nimitz", Fredericksburg's new \$125,000 hotel is well under way. The structure is to have 50 guest rooms, a 100 capacity dining room, a ball room that can be converted into a 350 capacity banquet hall, several sample rooms, and free garages for guests. All modern conveniences and equipment will be included in the building.

SAN SABA—A. W. Woodruff, pecan expert, and E. E. Risien & Son, nurserymen, of this place have contributed six fine pecan trees to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for planting in front of the new headquarters building.

... trees, scientifically grown by Risien, the world's only pecan breeder, are the "highest of highbrow" pecans, according to Woodruff. They will be set in front of the regional chamber's new building with fitting ceremony at an early date.

STANTON—Representatives from more than twenty-five Texas towns are expected to attend the first West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention of 1927 to be held here January 25. Delegates will be members from the Central West Texas District, large delegations coming from Big Springs, Midland, Colorado, Snyder, and Post. B. Reagan of Big Springs will be master of ceremonies. A number of prominent speakers have been secured for the convention, with the general trend of the program along agricultural lines.

WICHITA FALLS—W. B. Hamilton, well known oil man and city builder of Wichita Falls, has been appointed general chairman for the annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held here May 16 and 17. Hubert Harrison, secretary of the Wichita Chamber, is now enroute for New York and Washington to do work in the interest of the convention. He will try to interest the National Geographic Magazine to devote an issue to the convention, and will undertake to secure a staff representative of the National Geographic Society to attend the big pageant, "The Congress of Nations."

TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYDADA

I will be a candidate for re-election to the Office of City Secretary, Assessor and Collector of the City of Floydada, Texas, subject to the action of the City Election to be held April, 5th, 1927. The privilege of having served you in this capacity for the past four years has been to me a source of much pleasure and gratification. It has been my true intentions to give you the honest and efficient service which my ability affords.

I respectfully solicit your vote and influence in the next Election. Thanking you for the many kind favors and courtesies which I have received from you in the past, I am, Very sincerely yours,
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COUNTY JUST WALKING; PLENTY TIME LATER FOR PAVED ROADS

January 23, 1927.

To The Hesperian: I have just read Mrs. L. H. Newell's letter in The Hesperian last week, and in reply will say I could sell a quarter section of land and take a trip to California and see the sights and enjoy the good roads. That would be fine. But I do not care to do so. We are only trying to protect the man that raised that wheat that gave us the biscuits we ate this morning for breakfast.

And you must remember, California is a developed country. And West Texas has just now started, so to speak. We all know a child must crawl before it can walk; and it must walk before it can run. The most of us think Floyd County is just walking about a little bit. And we do not think it would be wise to impose another half million dollar debt on the landholder in Floyd County on top of what he already owes. We know that Floyd County land stands behind all the bonds that are against it. (Personal property isn't a drop in the bucket.)

But we say, give us a chance to get on our feet. And then we will be ready for good roads. That will be fine. I have seen Floyd County grow from nothing to what it is, having been here now close on to forty years. So mote it be.
J. J. Day, Floydada, Texas.

TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYDADA

I wish to announce my candidacy for re-election to the Office of Mayor of the City of Floydada, Texas, subject to the action of the City election in April, 1927.

I have served as Mayor of Your City for the past four years. I have endeavored to administer the affairs of the City in a progressive and business-like manner consistent with the principles of practical economy.

Floydada's future is resplendent and shining with new things to be accomplished; which will require active and alert judgment in the management of the progress of the City. If re-elected I will give my best efforts to an efficient administration of your City. I will appreciate very much your vote and influence in the coming election.

Appreciative of the favors extended to me in the past, I am,
Yours very truly,
F. P. HENRY.
(Political Advertisement)

LEGION LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM WILL BE PUSHED AT AUSTIN

Amarillo, Texas, Jan. 22—Legionnaire Ben Dean of Breckenridge, has been appointed the Chairman of the American Legion Legislative committee, and will look after matters pertaining to the welfare of the Legion during the present session of the Legislature. It will necessitate the advancement of approximately \$3,000 to finance the committee of which Mr. Dean is chairman and this amount is being raised by the various legion posts of Texas, by donations. Breckenridge and Abilene have each sent in \$100. Contributions should be sent to the Department Adjutant S. M. Hankins, 3rd Floor, Land Office Bldg., Austin, Texas.

Among the various measures which the Legion seeks to have enacted into law, is one that would legalize boxing contests in Legion exhibitions, with proper restrictions, against gambling. Ten per cent of the receipts to go to the Public Free School of Texas.

Another law is sought that would exempt from taxation all Legion owned property in Texas, like church property. It is to be hoped that every Legion Post in Texas will get squarely behind Ben Dean and help him put over these Legion measures by sending in contributions immediately to the address mentioned above.

There is confidence in the boxing bill going over, and this means a financial benefit to each Post, therefore the money contributed to the Legislative Committee is loaned on a big interest basis with much to gain financially.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS DEPOSITORY OF COUNTY AND SCHOOL FUNDS

Notice is hereby given as required by law (Articles 2544, 2545, and 2546 R. S. 1925) that the Commissioners Court of Floyd County, Texas will consider bids from the various banking institutions of Floyd County for the selection of a depository for the funds of Floyd County and those of Floyd County Common School Districts. All bids must be sealed, and must be deposited with Wm. McGehee County Judge not later than 10:00 a. m. February 14th, 1927.

The above bids shall state the rate of interest to be paid by the bidder if chosen. Interest to be figured on daily average balance, payable monthly. Said bids shall be accompanied by a certified check, payable to Wm. McGehee County Judge, for not less than one half of one per cent (\$625.00) of said County and Common School District revenue for the preceding year, as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder and if his bid is accepted that he will enter into a bond hereinafter provided. The Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
Wm. McGEHEE,
County Judge Floyd County, Texas.

BUICK'S BROUGHAM, NEW MODEL, BEING SHOWN BY CALLAWAY

The first of the newest type of Buick motor vehicles to be shown locally—the 5-passenger town brougham—is at the show rooms of the Callaway Motor Company on West California Street, having been received from the Oklahoma City distributing house this week.

Buick has made the complete line of open and closed cars, with the exception of the 5-passenger brougham, for years. This model was announced when

the 1927 cars were put on the market in August.

T. L. Callaway of the firm of Buick dealers, said he felt that the new car would prove popular with people in this territory.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the 40th Legislature, at its regular session, for the enactment of a law repealing H. B. No. 377, entitled an act to create Lockney Independent School District, passed by the 39th Legislature at the First called session thereof, and approved Oct. 13th, 1926.

R. E. L. Muncy,
J. F. Dollar,
J. F. Morrison,
N. T. A. Byars

For ourselves and about eight hundred others. 464c

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zimmerman left last week for Los Angeles, Cal., to spend a few weeks and will go from that place to Portland, Ore., Mr. Zimmerman's former home, to spend some time on a visit with his mother.

J. E. Stephens, who is making his headquarters at Midland where he recently acquired extensive business interests, was in Floydada over the weekend on business.

J. W. Haney and A. N. Bratton left Tuesday for Wichita Falls on business.

G. M. Bullard spent last Monday in Plainview attending a Baptist Conference meeting there.

E. E. Boothe is spending the week in Hurley, New Mexico, visiting friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Maynard and Miss Vera Hamilton, of Dimmitt, are spending the week here visiting Mrs. P. I. Greer and Mrs. Elmer Caudle.

N. L. Ross, who was formerly employed by the Star Cash Grocery, left last week for Abilene to attend Draughon's Business College.

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BLANCO NEWS

Blanco, January 18.—Prayer meeting at this place is growing in attendance. Miss Catherine Alexander was leader for last Sunday night. Mrs. John G. Martin was appointed leader for next Sunday night. There were several new members in Sunday school.

Sunday morning Mr. and Mrs. Leathman and children and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd joined the Sunday School. We were glad to have Messrs. Jink Carter and Lloyd Horn from the Campbell community as visitors.

Geo. R. Smith and family visited her parents near Electra from Friday until Sunday of the past week.

T. L. Dickerson and family have moved to their new home at Lockney. Mesdames A. H. Manning, Jennie Bishop and Miss Daltis Rea of Floydada visited Mrs. Will Snell Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. L. T. Bishop and little son of Floydada spent one day the past week in the home of her brother, D. R. Badgett.

Rev. J. W. Dalton and S. F. Smith, of McCoy spent last Tuesday in Plainview at a District Steward and Layman's meeting.

Mrs. Georgia Dodd and little son have returned from a visit with relatives near Clarendon.

J. B. Tinnin and family and Miss Irene Cates visited in the J. L. McPeak home last Sunday. Their daughter and family from near Plainview visited them Sunday also.

Mrs. Mildred Gullion of Floydada, who was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bagwell, attended prayer meeting here Sunday night. Lee McSpadden of Starkey was also a visitor.

Rev. J. W. Dalton and children; Gid Moss, A. H. and Woodrow Howell, Misses Eva Alexander of this community; Marie Parkey and Hattie Bagwell of Harmony visited in the S. F. Smith home in the McCoy community Sunday afternoon.

Prof. M. B. Hood, of Paducah assumed his duties as principal of Blanco school Monday morning.

The children are pleased with his management and say they expect to study and try to pass. We understand Miss Ruby Keeling resigned and has entered school at Canyon.

Mrs. Will Snell entertained her Sunday School class of the McCoy Methodist church in her home last Friday night. P. H. Pharr of the Baptist Sunday School at McCoy and his class were also guests. Other guests were D. R. Badgett and family and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hicks, of Floydada. After playing a number of games and contests, refreshments of hot chocolate with whipped cream and cake was served.

OLYMPIC THEATRE

PROGRAM FOR THE WEEK

Thursday, January 27th—

"ONE MINUTE TO PLAY"

Starring Red Grange, the nation's idol, the greatest football player the world has ever known, in a smashing, exultant, sweeping tale of campus life—a thrill with the joyous struggle of the scrimmage line, vibrant with tender emotion—bubbling with comedy! The greatest football and college picture ever made. The surprise sensation of the year! Super-idol of America's Millions! Don't miss it. Also "Cunning Fiats," "Tight Cargo" Comedy and Fox News.

Friday, January 28th—

"ROCKING MOON"

With Lilyan Tashman, John Bowers, Rockcliffe Fellows and Laska Winter, from the novel by Barrett Willoughby. Romantic, colorful, soul-stirring and thrilling is this superb Alaskan picture, supreme, vibrant with thrills and deep appeal. In the shadow of grotesque totem-poles, in the light of the midnight sun, grim tragedy stalks, while romance, love, intrigue, hate, cunning and superstition play their parts in one of the most dramatic stories ever screened. Made in Alaska, a land of flowering beauty, of green grass, azure-hued water, eternal snows and glaciers. Also a good comedy and "The Silent Flyer."

Saturday Matinee, Jan. 29th—

"THE LONG LOOP"

Starring Leo Maloney, with the quickest two-gun draw on the Pecos, the bark of his 45's was the law. Thrills and heart throbs galore. Look for him where danger is thickest—bad men are boldest—two guns draw quickest—action is swiftest. Also a good two-reel comedy, and Silent Flyer.

Saturday Night, Jan. 29th—

"THE HIDDEN LOOP"

Starring Jack Hoxie in a Western drama that, among the great, is the greatest of all. Plenty of thrills, action suspense galore. Don't miss this fast-moving western. Also a good comedy.

Mon. & Tues., Jan. 31, Feb. 1st—

"THE MIDNIGHT SUN"

With Laura La Plante, Pat O'Malley and others, in a gorgeous, glittering, romantic spectacle; a magnificent picturization of romance amid the splendor of the Imperial Russian Court. She had the night in her eyes, the sun upon her lips, and he called her his "Midnight Sun." Don't miss this glorious, glamorous drama of a Grand Duke and a Dancing Toy. A special that is a special. Also "Fighting Hearts" and Fox News.

Wed. & Thurs., Feb. 2 & 3—

"THE COMING OF AMOS"

With Rod La Rocque, Jetta Goudal, Noah Beery and all-star cast. Scintillating melodrama, in a gorgeous setting of unrivaled splendor and beauty—sprinkled with comedy—abounding in action and thrills—teeming with romance, ranging from the wildernesses of Australia to the wildernesses of the Riviera—a Cecil B. De Mille picture. From wild Australia to gay Monte Carlo—a melodramatic comedy that sweeps with amazing speed—and carries all before it. The story of a sheep herder who sought education and found fascination, story by William J. Locke. Don't miss it. Also Fox News a good two-reel comedy and Western.

Amazing Record Made In Co. Home Dem. Work

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wet for the chicks to be out they had plenty of sunshine as I kept the glass side turned to the sun. The coop was covered good so that it would not leak in wet weather. It was finished with a nice little door and was whitewashed good inside to keep away insects.

The next thing I did was to prepare a nice drinking fountain which I made out of a quart tin can. I cut the can about two inches from the bottom, leaving about one inch on both sides and mashed it in to the center of the can. This makes a very good drinking fountain. A cup made in this manner will keep the little chicks out of the water with their feet. I cleaned the fountain each morning.

When the chicks were old enough to leave the coop the mother hen was allowed to care for them.

While they were real young I fed them on milk and cornbread which they thrived and grew rapidly on. After they were about two weeks old I began to feed them higer and milk curd. Each morning they were anxious to be fed. My greatest enjoyment is to sit and watch a bunch of little chicks run here and there, playing in the sunshine.

I raised 53 large healthy chickens in this manner and realized a sum of \$21.75 for them when they were sold.

In order to have a healthy bunch of chickens you must keep their house clean and plenty of pure food and free from insects.

I only raised a small bunch of chickens last year but for this year's work my intentions are to confine the greater part of my club work to the raising of poultry. My plan is to use the Safety Hatch incubator and not waste time with the hen.

CONTEST WORK FOR 1927

(By Blanche Bass)
The contest work for Home Demonstration clubs of Floyd County has been changed somewhat from what it has been for the past year. The contests for 1927 will be as follows:

- 1. Rug Contest.
 - 2. Kitchen.
 - 3. Garden.
- The rug contest will take the place of the house dress contest which has been repeated in Floyd County three successive years. The house dress contest has never been a State wide contest and the women have voted unanimously to substitute for it the rug. Since Hale County is also interested in rug making, the two counties are to have a joint contest. The date will probably be sometime in March at either Plainview or Floydada.

The State Kitchen contest which was one of the strongest features of our Contest work for 1926 will not be given so much time this year. Only a few will enter the State contest proper. A County wide kitchen improvement program will take the place of this, however, and we believe that most of the homes will be reached thru this plan. A score card has been worked out for this giving credit on what we believe are the most important things that we may add to our kitchens. Such a plan means that we may work through school districts instead of homes of strictly club members. Below is the score card which will be used:

Score Card	
1. Percent club membership	75
2. Running water	125
3. Scrubless Floors	125
4. Sink	100
5. Screens	100
6. Lighting:	
A. Natural	100
B. Artificial	75
C. Walls	75
7. Correct Working Heights	75
8. High Stool Chair	50
9. Small Equipment:	
A. Steam Pressure Cooker	50
B. Sealer	25
C. Food Chopper	15
D. Double Boiler	10
Total	1000

Four prizes will be given by the Chamber of Commerce of Floydada to the communities making most improvements in their kitchens, these prizes to be awarded some time in July.

Since last year was the first year for garden contest work, it will be repeated in each organized community. More time will be given to gardening than any other phase of productive work.

Floyd County falls short on garden products and this year we are going to work even harder on the "Live At Home Idea." The garden demonstration work proved to be such a very worthwhile thing last year, that every club is going into it this year.

Starkey News

Starkey Saturday, Sunday and Monday were bad days for this community. Not much visiting was among the folks. Everybody had to stay at home, because the roads are so bad and the weather is very cold too.

Just a few absent from school now. Nearly all have started, however, there are still a few absent.

There is still, nearly ever where, some cotton yet to be gathered. If pretty weather would permit the farmers would soon be through gathering the crops.

Miss Sallie Rattan spent Saturday night with Miss Letha Elmore.

Miss Etta and Esther Collins spent Sunday at the W. R. Barham home.

A small crowd attended the musical at Mr. Clay's home Saturday night.

Dr. I. W. Hicks and little daughter returned Monday afternoon from Lubbock where they have been with Mrs. Hicks who recently underwent an operation for mastoid trouble in the Lubbock Sanitarium. Dr. Hicks reports that his wife is getting along very nicely.

Mrs. E. P. Nelson left Tuesday for millinery markets where she will buy hats for The Hat Shop.

D. W. Fyffe returned Monday from a business trip to Dallas.

Mrs. Cella Ross left last Monday for Wichita Falls where she is spending the week visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. C. McReynolds.

CLARENCE MILLER HELD UNDER LIQUOR CHARGES IN JAIL HERE

Clarence Miller, of the north-east part of Floyd County, was arrested in Floydada last Tuesday afternoon by city and county officers on liquor charges and placed in the county jail.

Examining trial was held Wednesday afternoon before Justice J. S. Solomon and bond set at \$500. Bond had not been made at a late hour Wednesday evening.

EXPLORATION OIL CO. MAN MARRIES SAN ANGELO GIRL

C. L. Jackson, who is with the Exploration Oil Co. of Texas, and with headquarters in this city for the past several weeks, was married to Miss Velma Pratt, Monday, January 17th, at Midland. For the past several years the bride made her home at San Angelo.

After spending several days in Fort Worth and Amarillo the bride and groom arrived here Tuesday afternoon and are making their home at the Commercial Hotel for the present.

WINTER EGGS PROFITABLE

Production of winter eggs has proved profitable to J. A. Huckabay, who has 300 White Leghorn pullets that began to lay in October on his farm seven miles south of Floydada.

In November Mr. Huckabay marketed from this flock 2384 eggs, in December 3480 and in the first fifteen days of January 2968 eggs.

In checking up on the prices received Mr. Huckabay finds that the average in November and December was from 40 cents to 50 cents and in January from 30 cents to 35 cents. He avoided holding heavily for the Christmas market, his judgment proving to be correct when the price at that time tumbled instead of making a heavy advance.

CHANGE IN MANAGEMENT OF COMMUNITY SUPPLY ANNOUNCED

Announcement is made this week that Clarence Foster, at present manager of the Consumer's Fuel Association, will succeed T. Scott Wilson as manager of the Community Supply Company, south side mercantile establishment, about the first of February.

Mr. Foster said yesterday that he would probably remain with the Consumer's Fuel Association until after his successor is named, although this might be after the first of the month.

Mr. Wilson's plans are not mature. "I have not decided what I am going to do yet," he said late yesterday.

PLAY AT BAKER FRIDAY

"The Road to the City" is the title of a play to be presented tomorrow night at Baker by a cast made up of pupils of the school. Principal R. L. Glenn said Tuesday the players had the play well in hand and that a good play is expected.

Proceeds of the play, for which a small admission charge will be made, will be used to pay for basketball suits for the school's team.

The date is Friday, January 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Roman S. Moore and family have moved to Floydada from their farm west of town to make their home for the remainder of the winter. They have purchased the G. N. Shirey residence West Kentucky Street. Mr. Shirey and his family are moving their residence to Lakeview. Mr. Shirey is carrier on Route No. 5, which extends in a loop from Lakeview, covering the territory southeast of that point.

Gus de Cordova returned the latter part of last week from a visit of several days in central and eastern Texas. During his absence he spent a short time at St. Augustine with his daughter, Mrs. M. M. Brady, also visiting two sisters at Waco, a sister at Dallas and his mother, Mrs. M. H. Brumly of Dublin.

Paul Huey, of Plainview visited in Floydada Sunday.

I. C. Surginer spent last week-end in Snyder visiting friends.

RED GRANGE AT THE OLYMPIC TONIGHT "ONE MINUTE TO PLAY"

All lovers of football will want to see Red Grange the greatest player the world has ever known in his first picture, "One Minute to Play," a Greater F. B. O. production showing at the Olympic Theatre for the last time today. Aside from the smashing football thrills which he supplies, Grange proves to be an actor of genuine ability and has a charming screen personality. The picture, which is one of sustained swift action, is also a happy mixture of delightful comedy and youthful romance.

George Wilson, All-American half-back, plays on the rival football team, and the big game, which is the climax of the picture, is played with tremendous realism. It has some breath-taking moments which will long be remembered by fans of America's most popular sport. The story is an original written expressly for Grange by Byron Morgan and was made under the direction of Sam Wood. The excellent supporting cast includes such favorites as Mary McAllister, Ben Hendricks, Jr., Lincoln Steadman, Lee Shumway, Charles Ogle, Jay Hunt, Edythe Chapman.

W.N. Brown, formerly of Lockney, now of Wichita Falls was in Floydada Tuesday looking after property interests.

Mrs. Francis White left Tuesday for Kress to visit Mr. and Mrs. Baird Bishop and family.

Mr. and Mrs. McEnnis, of Waco, spent this week here visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dickey.

Miss Nettie Lynn Harrison of Lubbock returned home Friday after spending a week with Mrs. Dallas Husky.

Mrs. A. N. Gamble who has been quite ill for about two weeks is reported to be very much improved.

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- Tuxedo smoking tobacco, 1 per can, 10c
- 25 lbs. choice dried peaches \$4.50
- Gallon can grapes, per can 50c

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Remnant Sale

On Friday, Jan. 21, all remnants which have been saved all through the year for this event will be placed on sale. All kinds of materials are included in this sale.

You are assured of finding the materials you wish, for every kind of material that may be found in regular stock are also in this immense group of remnants.

Half Price

New Spring Prints

This week we have just received a large assortment of delightful prints for Spring. Light and airy, they seem to breath the very spirit of the year's most joyous season. All are fast colors. The prices range from 19c to 45c.

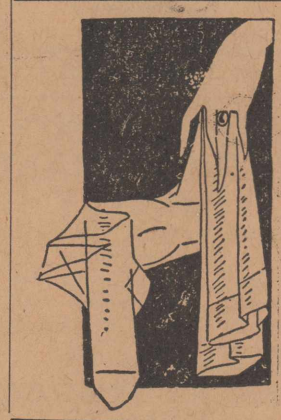
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