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# Co-operative Marketing School Begins Jan. 25th

Study of Marketing Problems of Pro-ducers Promised for Floydada For Three Days This Month

Promise that something worth while may be expected by farmers and business men who have time or take the time to attend, is made by W. B. Jordan, president of the Floyd County Farm Bureau, and J. D. Christian, director on the State Board of the Bureau, who Saturday announced the dates for a three-day co-operative marketing school here beginning on Monday, January 25, and three days at Lockney beginning Thursday, January

Judge L. Gough, of Amarillo, president of the Texas Wheat Growers' Association and Mr. Lockwood, traffic manager for the same association, are two of the men who will make addresses and answer questions during the progress of the schools in this county. Lockwood is said to be one of the ablest traffic men in the southwest. Other co-operative marketing experts will be here for the meetings, and Rural Tel. Developer the announcement of the names will be

"What we plan to do is to get right down to a study of the matter of cooperative marketing, and there is go-ing to be some stuff worth while for every man who conducts a business in the county-farmer, merchant or what not," Mr. Christian said. "We would like to see a representative of every store in Floydada in regular attendance at these meetings in Floydada. We feel sure we will have a representative of the cotton association here who will go into the facts of the operations of this commodity organization thoroughly, and in such a way as to be convincing of the real value of commodiay marketing in the cotton industry.'

Sessions will be held mornings, afternoons and nights of each day at both Floydads and Lockney, it is announced, the exact hours for each to be set

Daily, Henry Get Tech Sweaters

Among the twenty-three Matadors who were awarded sweaters at the con-vocation of the Texas Tech called Thursday morning, January 7, were Bill Daily and Kenneth Henry of Floydada, both having played end on the col-

According to Ewing Freeland, coach, the record of the Matadors is an unusual one, in that the team lost only

# W. C. Clements, Pioneer

services conducted by Revs. L. N. Lip-selves as being very favorably inclined learned of by neighbors. scomb and J. Pat Horton at the First to the proposition at a later date.

Methodist Church there. He was sick

Headquarters for Mr. Hooks is in her sudden illness, her body being discovered by a five-year-old daughter

Clements, nine sons and two daughters. pany. the children are:

Billie Clements of Corsicana; Homer and Melvin Clements of California; Daily News of Amarillo Joubert Clements, Floydada; Mrs. Hattie Sparks, Vermillion, S. D.; Solon, Charles, Pelham, Louis, Roy and Miss Bettie Clements, of Plainview.

afternoon. McCoy girls played the newspaper.

Starkey. Miss Artie Mitchell visited Miss Ida

Lee Sargent of Cone Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Newel Golden of New- AT NEWLAND LAST FRIDAY NIGHT land spent Sunday with Mrs. Golden's

aunt, Mrs. W. F. Furguson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Sargent spent The play will be presented at Lake-

brother, T. E. Assiter.

oon. Travis Mitchell was elected the Sunday School.
hairman and Lillian Allen secretary. Miss Lela Swain, teacher at Newland, heir motto is "Bring home the Loving is director of the pageant-play.

The boys and girls basketball teams ell's place as reporter from our com- near Lockney.

# **Last of County Court House Debt** Paid This Week

The last warrant representing indebtedness created by Floyd County in 1912 for the construction of the county court house, was paid off Tuesday, according to announcement from the office of County Treasurer Mrs. Elder Morris, who issued a warrant for \$1,000 covering the last principal payment and two warrants for \$30 each, covering the last two interest coupons, the total being \$1060.

The court house cost \$90,000 to construct, this indebtedness and the interest charges on it having been paid off in full in the fourteen years that have fol-

# Working in Floydada

E. Hooks, Representative Bell Telephone Co. Assisting Users Country Lines to Better Conditions

Opportunities for general betterment of rural telephone conditions in the Floydada territory are being offered patrons through the services of E. Hooks, rural developer for The Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, who has been headquartering in Floydada

telephone are urged to avail themselves of the opportunity of Mr. Hooks' services, and he is giving all lines a shape to better their evicting troubles. while in this immediate territory. His procedure in helping the rural subscribers is to take two or more representative of any line, make a thorough examination for any defects present.

While in this immediate territory. His had been issued.

J. E. Lancaster, for whose estate Mr. Terry has been receiver since the death of L. A. Knight, was a prominent jurist of this section at the time of his death.

Practically all of the actate has been received their share of the Llano Estated for 1925 were retained. They are A. A. Beedy president, w. A. Cates, vice president, and J. K. Green secretary-treasurer. The president and successful to the cate of the Llano Estated for 1925 were retained. They are A. A. Beedy president, and J. K. Green secretary-treasurer. The president with R. B. Smith, J. W. burselined. They are A. A. Beedy president, w. A. Cates, vice president and secretary-treasurer. The president with R. B. Smith, J. W. burselined. They are A. A. Beedy president, w. A. Cates, vice president with R. B. Smith, J. W. burselined. They are A. A. Beedy president, w. A. Cates, vice president, and J. K. Green secretary-treasurer. The president with R. B. Smith, J. W. burselined. They are A. A. Beedy president, w. A. Cates, vice president, w. A. Cates, vice president with R. B. Smith, J. W. burselined. They are A. A. Beedy president, w. A. Cates, vice president, w. A. Cates, vice president, and J. K. Green secretary-treasurer. The president with R. B. Smith, J. W. burselined. They are A. A. Beedy president, w. A. Cates, vice president chance to better their existing troubles while in this immediate territory. His J. E. Lancaster, for whose estate Mr. had been issued. sentative of any line, make a thorough examination for any defects present and likely to arise, then have persons assisting to carry out his suggestions of line. A. Rnight, was a prominent durist of this section at the time of his death. Practically all of the estate has been liquidated except some lots in Floydada and a half-section of land in Reagan for improvement.

Mr. Hooks is very desirous of help-Plainview Citizen Dead ing to install real good lines in the Floydada territory, which would include special telephone poles, wire and the like, through, under present finan-W. C. Clements, pioneer citizen of Hale County, father of J. G. Clements of this city died Saturday afternoon of last week at the age of 77 years, and of last w cial conditions, the cost to the users is considered too great. The possibiliwas buried Wednesday afternoon in Plainview Cemetery following funeral one of the lines having expressed them-

for about 24 hours before his death. Fort Worth, and his territory as rural covered by a five-year-old daughter Mr. Clements was a native of Geor- developer extends all over north-west who came in to ask her mother's pergia and spent two years in the Con- Texas. His services with the Bell mission to play in a neighbor's yard. federate army. He came to Texas in Telephone Co. covers a period of seven- Neighbors were trying to revive Mrs. an early day and moved from East Tex-as to Hale County in 1900. Surviv-ing him are his widow, Mrs. Lizzie commercial department of the Com- brief inquiry was conducted by Jus-

# Sold to Howe by Nunn's

Sale of the Amarillo Daily News, big- ices.

the score was 40 to 9 in favor of Star- announces, and the further announcement is made that the Globe, after-Sand Hill boys also visited Starkey, noon newspaper established by Howe Sand Hill boys also visited Starkey, noon newspaper established by Howe the score being 32 to 10 in favor of in Amarillo two years ago will continue of Young County. to be published.

# PAGEANT—PLAY WELL RECEIVED

Newland Sunday School's pageant-J. L. Barnett and family moved play given at the Newland School Mississippi Street last mid-week built to our community last week. We give house Friday night of last week was by the church members on a lot dothem a hearty welcome and hope they well-received, a crowded house witness- nated for the purpose by Mrs. Jno. N. ing the performance.

Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Sargent's view Friday night of next week (Jan- and breakfast room, garage and all uary 22) by the Sunday School. Starkey school organized a debating Funds received from the performance make for a real cozy home, stated Rev.

nd declamation society Monday after- will be used to provide for a piano for Davis, who heretofore occupied the Lu-

W. W. Allen is recovering from e out to win the rural championship bruises and cuts sustained recently

R. A. Wilkinson, real estate dealer of baths. His telegram stated: BORN-To Mr. and Mrs. W. D. New-Raymondville, Texas, was here this n, of McCoy, January 9, a daughter. week with Jno. A. Fawver.

# Rutledge New President of Chamber of Commerce

Reins of Organization Turned Over To New Regime Following Election on Friday Night.

O. P. Rutledge was chosen president of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce intendent J.C. Wester. at its annual election of officers Friday night of last week. J. G. Wood was elected vice-president. The five directors are Lon M. Davis, J. I. Hammons, S. N. Tawwater, Homer Steen and Geo. A. Lider. They are to serve

Selection of O. P. Rutledge as president was made unanimous, when it became evident he had received a maority of the votes cast. Rutledge has been one of the best workers in the local organization and last spring and summer gave several months time to the organization as its secretary.

T. R. Webb, retiring president of the organization, presided at the meeting at which was a representative attendance of the more than 200 members. The new president and directors made talks of appreciation, and asked for hearty assistance from the member-ship generally to make this a big year for the organization and for the comnunity in every civic undertaking.

Besides the officers-elect, others who made talks suggesting work for the new year included Judge F. P. Henry, R. E. Fry, G. C. Tubbs, J. A. Nickels, R. F. Brown, Glad Snodgrass, and the retiring president T. R. Webb.

### EXPRESSES WISH FOR SUCCESS OF THE Q. A. & P. PETITION

J. C. Terry, ex-sheriff of Hale County, now president of the Guaranty for the past several days, and will State Bank of Plainview, who was in continue here as long as his time is Floydada Saturday on business con- of cars in this month is also being justified and his services desired, with nected with the estate of J. E. Lancas- done, although the highway laws rejustified and his services desired, with no expense to the people whatever.

Most of the twenty-five lines leading from Floydada are in bad shape, according to Mr. Hooks, who also stated that 90 per cent of the trouble encountered is in the telephone boxes, house wiring and the like—things about which the ordinary, unexperienced person is unfamiliar. Rural users of the telephone are urged to avail themselves.

# **Died Suddenly Monday**

tice J. C. Gaither to establish the circumstances of her death.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon from the residence, and interment was made in Floydada Cemetery. Rev. F. L. Davis, Pastor of the Christian Church, conducted the serv-

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Starkey, Jan. 12.—Three games of basketball were played at Starkey Friday afternoon. McCoy girls played

is given at \$200,000.

A statement from the new and old owners said that the Nunn's would retain a small interest in the business, but that Howe obtains for himself the majority and controlling interest in the newspaper.

day afternoon. McCoy girls played the newspaper.

Starkey girls and the score was 11 to 2 in favor of McCoy.

Cone boys visited Starkey boys and Cone boys v

# Davis Occupies New Parsonage

Rev. F. L. Davis moved into the Church of Christ parsonage on West Farris.

The residence has five rooms, bath the other conveniences which go ther Dorrell house on Georgia Street.

# MEREDITH WILL RUN AGAIN FOR COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR

C. M. Meredith, tax assessor of Floyd when a Ford car ran into him as he County, will be a candidate again for Georgia Eudy has taken Eunice Max- was riding along the road horseback, this office, a wire to The Hesperian, received Tuesday stated. Mr. Meredith is in Marlin taking the

"Will return when able and announce for re-election."

SCHOOL WILL EXCHANGE PLAYS WITH SAND HILL AND LOCKNEY

A three-cornered arrangement, whereby Floydada High School will exchange plays with the Sand Hill P. T. C. Society and with the Lockney High School, has been announced by Super-

The first of these plays will be given tonight at the high school auditorium when the Sand Hill organization will present "Willowdale" their Christmasweek play which proved so popular at home. The local school will be given all the proceeds from this play, and in turn will present a play they are pre-paring at Sand Hill sometime this spring, the exact date yet to be an-

The exchange with the Lockney High School is being made on a similar basis, Lockney High to present a play here with the understanding that the date be returned by this school.

# "Paying Mighty Slow;" 935 Poll Taxes Are Paid

Collector's Records Indicate Less Than Thousand Had Qualified as Voters Tuesday Night.

"Tax payments are mighty slow," Tax Collector J. R. Maddox commented Tuesday night, when asked about collection of taxes for the current year, the final limit for payment of which is January 31, to avoid the penalty on real

and personal property. Following a custom of years making

	Tuesday night are as follows:	
	Pre. No. No.	. Paid
	Floydada, No. 1,	
	Starkey, No. 2,	
	Allmon, No. 3,	22
	Sand Hill, No. 4,	50
	Lockney, No. 5,	283
	Meteor, No, 6,	19
	Providence, No. 7,	10
	Lone Star, No. 8,	46
	Sunset, No. 9.	18
	Fairmont, No. 10,	8
	Cedar, No. 11,	34
	Center, No. 12,	33
	Baker, No. 13,	46
	Antelope, No. 14,	29
	Lakeview, No. 15,	51
	Harmony, No. 16,	7
K	Goodnight, No. 17,	17
	16.	-
	Total,	935

Splendid Sea Story

# Valhalla and Out

By George Ethelbert Walsh

# Gold!

But it mostly is in the treasure vaults of Wall

# Pirates!

Principally the modern sort who do their scuttling and sinking in the stock market.

# Kidnapped Maiden!

Yes, but she proved more than a handful for the kidnappers.

Indeed, yes! All the world will love the two in this story.

# Villains and Plots!

Just as wicked as any in older tales of the sea, with radio and other modern improvements to further their schemes.

# Our New Serial Starting in

The Hesperian begins with this issue

# Approve School Bonds Floydada **School District**

Quick action was obtained in the matter of the approval of the bonds of Floydada Independent School District, voted by taxpayers of the district on December 19 for the construction of a ward school.

Following the election the canvas of the result has been made by the board and all details of the matter completed, including the approval of the Attorney General's Department of the bond issue. E. C. Nelson, Jr., who made the

transcript for the bond buyers, received notice last week that approval of the issue and the record had been made by the attorney general.

The bond issue is for \$85,000 and bears 5 per cent beginning March 1, when the money on the issue will be available.

Although the method of procedure in preparing a bond issue for approval has been completely changed by the last legislature, obtaining the approval of an issue in less than twenty days is believed to be the low record for this immediate territory, at least.

# Floydada Banks Retain Old Officers, Directors

Floydada National Farm Loan Association Also Makes no Change in Management of Business

Tuesday and Tuesday night of this nstitutions of Floydada held their anofficers for the year were named, and each of the three had satisfactory busi\$170.40 due him from the liquidation ness years during 1925, they reported. Floydada National Farm Loan Association: The same officers and directors as served for 1925 were retained.

Howard and W. C. Hanna constitute the board of directors.

Smith, J. W. estate, Dr. T. L. Woods estate, K. D. Jones and C. D. Smith, and Mr. Lider the board of directors. dividend of 4 per cent on their capital stock of \$29,800, making a total of 7 per cent paid in the year of 1925, the biggest with one exception the association has ever paid. \$1,000 of the association's permanent reserve was invested in Federal Farm Loan Bonds,

considered one of the safest invest-ments offered at this time to the pubdirectors. No change was made in the of The Hesperian yesterday.

and cashier, Joubert Clements assistant over," Judge Nelson said. cashier, Mrs. May M. Garrett assistant "I appreciate the favors shown, the cashier and Albert R. Clubb assistant solicitations received and assurance of cashier. C. Surginer is chairman of the help given, in the race for district atboard of directors, of which the oth- torney, by numerous friends in Floyd er members are S. A. Greer, R. E. L. County and over the district, but I will Muncy, W. I. Allen, T. S. Stevenson, not offer myself as a candidate at this Jas. K. Green and Mrs. W. D. Long.

First National Bank: 15 per cent Judge Nelson has served three years dividend was declared by the directors, as judge and will complete his fourth and all officers and directors retained vear on December 31 of this year. for 1926. The officers are: E. C. Nelson president, Thos. Montgomery vice president, Mrs. Jno. N. Farris vice president, J. V. Daniel cashier, O. M. man assistant cashier. The Board of Tuesday of last week. directors: E. C. Nelson, Thos. Mont-

# STREET SALE SATURDAY WAS

the country and times are so hard Belew of Denton county, and another there's nothing doing in Floydada, you son residing in Decatur. are all wrong. At least, that is the indication given by the success of Saturday's street sale in Floydada conducted by Col. W. H. Seale. The gross sales on that date were in

excess of \$1700.

Mary Elizabeth Broyles of Lockney had her tonsils removed yesterday. Miss Electra Linsby of Flomot had a tonsil operation last Monday. Dr. Eargle and daughter, Mrs. Thom-

SANITARIUM NOTES

as, of Matador were visitors at the sanitarium Tuesday. Dr. and Mrs. Hughes of Roaring

Springs visited friends Sunday. ing recovery from a major operation, employed. was a sanitarium visitor yesterday.

family recently returned from Hillswith relatives.

Miss Norton is reported ill with influenza at this time. She has been out of school for a week.

# Llano Estacado Railway Still Paying Dividends

Ancient History Recounted Following Finding of Address of an Early-Day Stockholder

This might be the story of how the Llano Estacado Railway Company, the citizens' company which constructed Floydada Branch of the Santa Fe back in 1909-10, is still trying to locate a few old stockholders, or it might be the story of how a Christmas letter written to remember an old friend paid the writer a good dividend for his

L. L. Powers, back in 1910, was auditor for the Llano Estacado Railway Company, and one of the stockholders in the company, which started con-struction of the railway line from Plainview to Floydada and later sold it to the Santa Fe before it was completed. At that time he also bought a few shares of the stock from dissatis-fied stockholders. When the final adjustment was made Powers received his 100 per cent dividend along with others in the liquidation. However, the company had not wound up all its affairs for in 1921, 11 years later, dis-posal was made of a tract of land it owned adjoining Aiken siding and this money, together with a \$500 balance, which had been in the bank since the original sale to the Santa Fe, was distributed among as many as could be found of the original 1499 shareholders. All of these were located except five. Many of them had forgotten they ever owned stock in the organization but the dividend was welcomed just the same. L. L. Powers was one among the five stockholders who could not be located in 1921, but the remembrances of old times and old friends here located him for the committee Christmas, when he wrote a Christmas letter to Geo. A. Lider. It developed that soon after leaving Floydada Mr. Powers went to Washington and has been week stockholders of three financial working in the office of the Interstate Commerce Commission for twelve nual meetings, at which directors and years. Figuring up Mr. Powers' interof the Llano Estacado, based on a disbursement of \$3.55 per share.

the disbursement of the Llano Es-The board declared a semi-annual suggests that anyone who has information as to their whereabouts advise

# Race for District Attv.

E. C. Nelson, Jr., County Judge of Floyd County National Bank: This Floyd County, who has been considerbank reports a very satisfactory business year in 1925, a ten per cent dividend being ordered paid and \$2,500 or- Judicial District, will not be in polidered passed to the surplus account by tics this year, he told a representative

officials or directors of the bank, which are as follows:

"Although it is possible I will want to get back into politics again at a T. S. Stevenson president, C. Surgi- future date, just now I am planning to ner vice president, S. A. Greer vice return to the practice of law as soon president, Jas. K. Green vice president as my tenure in office as judge is

time," was the further statement.

Mrs. W. N. Paschall's Mother Dies

Paralysis snuffed out the life of Mrs. Watson assistant cashier, Frank L. W. N. Paschall's mother, Mrs. Belew, Moore assistant cashier and E. L. Nor- age 71, at the family home in Decatur,

Funeral services were held in Decagomery, Mrs. Jno. N. Farris, J. V. Dan- tur Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and iel, J. B. Jenkins, O. W. Stroup and H. interment followed in the Decatur cemetery. Besides Mrs. Paschall, who attended the funeral, four sons and two other daughters survive the deceased. ONE OF CITY'S BIGGEST YET They are Mrs. L. L. Mann of Vernon, Mrs. Frank Messenger, Washington, D. If you think all the money's out of C., F. and C. Belew of Vernon, Mark

# Mrs. Adams Seriously III

Mrs. J. W. Adams, of this city, suffered a paralytic stroke last week and has been seriously ill since.

Her son, T. P. Adams, of Wichita Falls, was here for several days, and her condition still is not altogether reassuring to the children of the family

### COLLECTOR HAS DAWSON AND BOLDING DURING THE RUSH

Tax Collector J. R. Maddox has increased his office force by two during the rush of the collection period, J. T. Mrs. C. H. Norton of White Flat, who J. Dawson and D. I. Bolding, both good returned to her home last week follow- clerical aids, being the additional help

Santa Fe here and Bolding was tax as-Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thurston and sessor four years in this county. Other assistants in the collecting boro, where they spent the holidays department are Miss Margaret Grigsby and L. B. Maxey. The latter has charge of automobile registrations.

Dawson was for years agent for the

J. A. Price, of Plainview, was a business visitor in Floydada Tuesday.

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### BANK STATEMENTS

While financial statements of the Floydada banks for the close of business on December 31, 1925, published in this issue of The Hesperian, do not show as big deposits nor as much cash danger of frost is over. on hand as on December they do show something over a million dollars in deposits and a healthy cash reserve.

apparently there is less actual distress March likely. Bonds already approvland loan demand at this time than in ed. the history of the county for years. And other business of the general public seems to be in better condition. This, we deduce from the fact that loan hard.

### PUSHING AHEAD

Floydada people have every reason for going ahead with their plans for a big year of activity in buildings and other permanent improvements. It is a source of gratification to see the the school building and paving projects were favorably passed upon.

Such a spirit should also make itself Randerson holds that low score.

evident in the private enterprises hereabout, and the continued building activity have no let up.

best towns of the plains country. It road situation. has a big territory that it must continue to serve adequately.

Go ahead with your building plans. Help consolidate the big gains we made 1925, and make 1926 the biggest building year in the history of the community.

# AMPLE WATER SUPPLY

plan is not adopted.

courage your neighbors to do likewise. Miss Bass desires entries: Good homes that show care are big should be an asset to Floydada. Make it such—every way you can.

# IN VALHALLA AND OUT

The Hesperian this week offers the first installment of a new mystery and adventure story we intend to give in generous installments during the next few weeks. The story will be enjoyed mystery and a bit of adventure.

selected it to present at some con- spectively. siderable cost to ourselves. We hope

# VANOGRAMS

By Van

"The naked hills lie wanton in the breeze; the fields are nude, the grass unfrocked; bare the limbs of all the trees. No wonder that the corn is shocked!"

Did you ever listen for the bark of the trees?

\* \* \* \* So rare as a day in June? Wellthere are the February days!

Once got a letter, under our name white). being General Delivery. 'Taint our nick-name, and we were never in the army either.

Of all things—a man in—advertises for "42" and domino pupils, offering expert instruction, backed by 40 years of experience! Yet, why not, if any one has anough time the anough time because the second property of the second propert one has enough time to take off from their radio and other forms of enter-

and two or more comin' girls pass on the side walk. For we've wondered what kind of gentlewoman's agreement the female sex has with each other as regards their passing on the side No use to ponder over their attitude toward man, since the general-if not universal-tendency appears to be to crowd them off-even if it's in snow, water, slush, weeds, etc, eye

Hesperian Want Ads Get Results.

EASY

Man-"I would like-ah-ah you see

Salesman in jewelry store-"Take the elevator. Diamond rings third floor."

# This and That

Another mortgage lifter or two this have an office.

Nelson, Jr., but I'm not E. C. Nelson, local store of the company. Sr. I'm just E. C. Nelson."

Days like Sunday in Floyd County tives.

buctoo or Florida. City's paving job will be one of the first things to help keep business

At the same time, it should be said to begin building a ward school in

Read the bank statements of Floy-

Wish we could talk by telephone to Matador, Silverton, Quitaque, Flomot, Ralls, Crosbyton, McAdoo, Spur with-out paying a "differential."

Read the want ads. Honest, they'll make you money.

J. W. Clonts says The Hesperian gave a source of gratification to see the practically animous way in which him credit for a score of 41 on the one day the latter part of last week Country Club course that he is not entitled to. However, he says that E. S.

Newspaper reports say we will have the examiner's recommendations Floydada is sure to be one of the in two or three weeks on the rail-

# Home Dem. Club Prizes at Stock Show Listed

County Members for Entries at Fort Worth in March

Don't worry about the possibility of demonstration clubs throughout the shortage in water in Floydada during state being offered by the Fort Worth. The only possibility of a short- Fat Stock Show, to be held in March, age will come through an inadequate has been received by Miss Blanch Star Cash Grocery, having taken the pumping plant for the big well the Bass, Floyd County Home Demonstra- place left vacant by N. L. Ross, who city has just finished. Doubtless, the tion agent, who earnestly requests that has entered Draughon's business colcity council will see that an insecure each member of a Floyd County Club lege of Abilene. study the various classes of exhibits Meanwhile, make your plans to con- and make preparations to enter as which you call your home. And endemonstration club members in which for a visit with her parents.

Best exhibit: 1 loaf wheat bread, 1 assets to any community. Your home loaf white bread, 1/2 dozen soda biscuits, dozen corn meal muffins.

Best exhibit: 1 iced angel food cake,

Best exhibit: house dress and slip. Best exhibit: home dyed article (at least four).

soap (uncooked), 1 dozen eggs.

For the foregoing exhibits first, Slaton. by every reader of our newspapers who second and third prizes are scholarship likes a good action story with some to Farmer's Short Course (\$15), \$5 on trip to Farmers' Short Course, and \$2 We thought it a good one when we on trip to Farmers' Short Course, re-

> are first prize, \$3; second prize, \$2; and third prize, \$1: Best exhibit: 3 jars pickles or rel-

ishes (uniform containers). Best exhibit: man's shirt. Best exhibit: girl's dress with

bloomers. Best exhibit: boy's suit for child. Best exhibit: bed spread.

Best exhibit: best home made braided rug.

(at least four.) Best exhibit: collection of tea towels (at least four).

napkin. exhibit: pillow cases white).

Best exhibit: vanity set. Best exhibit: piece cut work embroidery.

Best exhibit: dresser scarf (all Best exhibit: container of parsley.

Use Hesperian Want Ads.

**Nervous and Restless** 

Gas pressure in the abdomen causes a restless, nervous feeling and prevents Sometimes, just for curiosity, we're going to observe how two goin' girls minutes and brings out surprising amounts of old waste matter you never thought was in your system. This excellent intestinal evacuant is wonderful for constipation or allied stomach trouble. Don't waste time with pills or tablets but get REAL adlerika action! For Sale by Floydada Drug Co.

# **Locals and Personals**

E. C. Nelson and E. C. Nelson, Jr. pent last Wednesday and Thursday in marillo on business.

The world's fur capital has ever moved westward, it having started at

E. C. Nelson (the one you borrow manager of the Baker, Hanna Company, was here last week on a visit with the home here. At present they are living the McNeely farm six miles north

W. U. White returned this week from Announce for office. We promise Abilene, where he accompanied Mrs.

can't be duplicated in California, Tim-Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cowart, of Lockney, were visitors in Floydada Friday afternoon of last week.

> W. A. Baker and son, Roy, are at day.

son have returned to Weinert, after trees. dada in this issue. Times are not so spending several days here on a visit

men say their business is duller than for years and the apparent calmness with which the conditions following the freeze of early fall have been met. It is evidence of the solid basis on which the section's business foundation without cost.

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Geo. A. Hill, district commercial manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., of Amarillo, was a business visitor in Floydada the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Millican were here from their new home near Lubbock.

R. C. Ramsey, of Lockney, was a business visitor in Floydada Satur-

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Butler visited Mrs. Butler's parents in Canyon the past week-end.

Mrs. John Wilson of Lockney visited her son, C. M. Wilson, Sunday.

J. T. Kirk has returned from a visit Miss Bass Urges Co-operation Among with relatives at Clarksville his old home town.

J. A. Arwine and family left the city A list of prizes to women's home Tuesday for an extended visit with

H. C. Stanley is now working at the

Clyde Davis accompanied his wife to tinue your program of beautifying and many products as is possible. Follow- Sterling City last week and returned making more presentable the premises ing are the exhibits open to home to the city Friday, his wife remaining the chairman for this neglect, to the city Friday, his wife remaining the chairman for this neglect, to the city Friday.

> jam layer cake, ½ dozen oatmeal Jones, in a verion sample and bet-discuss with the city council the po ter from her illness.

Miss Lucille Goodwin visited home-Best exhibit: 1 pound butter, 1 folks in Plainview over the past weekpound cottage cheese, 1 bar laundry end and was accompanied to Floydada Sunday afternoon by Tommie Word of

# Candidate For Commissioner

E. H. Rankin, of Lone Star, will be candidate for Commissioner of Pre-Prizes for the exhibits which follow cinct No. 2, which includes Lockney. Mr. Rankin was formerly in business at Lockney but for the past few years has been on the farm. He announced his candidacy last week.

# IT DRIVES OUT WORMS

The surest sign of worms in children is paleness, lack of interest in play, Best exhibit: collection of towels fretfulness, variable appetite, picking at the nose and sudden starting in sleep. When these symptoms appear it is time to give White's Cream Vermifuge. Best exhibit: lunch cloth and one A few doses drives out the worms and puts the little one on the road to health again. White's Cream Vermifuge has a record of fifty years of successful use. Price 35c. Sold by all drug stores.

# SOMETHING NEW FOR CAR OWNERS

A DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPERTY

-a cheap balloon Goodyear Pathfinder, 29x440, casing, that carries the same guarantee as the higher priced balloons. See us for your casings and other service station

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# Society and Clubs

RIPPY-McNEELY

We love candidates. But we Capvienna and moved to Leipzig, Am-Neely, both residents of this city for Mrs. Mable Rippy and Mr. T. J. Mc- year, 1926. 20th, 1907, at the Post Office at Floy- don't think there are enough of them dada, Texas, under the Act of Congress yet. Every good Democrat ought to dada, Texas, under the Act of Congress yet. Every good Democrat ought to it is located at St. Louis, Missouri. a number of years, were married at Examinations will be offered at the the Methodist Parsonage in Floydada County site on each of the following Agriculture, Drawing, Ancient History, Saturday afternoon, January 9. Rev. dates: F. M. Kennerly, of Quanah, general J. L. Henson officiated at the marriage. on the McNeely farm six miles north

here and now to do all we can for you. White last Friday to visit with rela-homefolks over Saturday night and

# LOCAL MEN BUY REAL ESTATE

of Floydada.

Two Floyd County men bought telephone. moving along in the spring as soon as Munday and Stamford this week where 50,000-acre tract in the Rio Grande the annual meeting of the Baker-Cam- Valley last week, through the Jno. A. Then the Floydada Independent School District will get all shaped up to hegin building a ward school in the School District will get all shaped up are expected home tomorrow or Satureighty acres, and according to Mr. of the Second Class. Fawver Mr. Shurbet will have his Required Subjects for (1) above are

> Mrs. J. W. Shurbet and T. R. Harris any two of the following group: Agriwere in the party which accompanied culture, Elementary Composition, Draw-

to the Valley once every two weeks.

### County Board Meets

Members of the Floyd County School Board met in a brief business session

being among other things done

LUNCHEON CLUB TO HOLD MEET-

Members of the Boosters' Luncheon Club present at Monday's meeting at dining room of the Commercial Hotel, voted to hold bi-monthly meetings hereafter, the dates to be Monday of the second and fourth weeks. The

next meeting date is January 25th. The greater part of the time Monday was given over to short talks on things that the Club can accomplish for their own good or for the good of the community at large. Rather than make a speech C. M. Wilson offered to pay a fine. He was let off with the payment of the fine and an admonition.

R. E. Fry, member of the entertainment committee, was not given an op portunity to present entertainment for the day until one-half minute before the close of the meeting. In this halfminute his oratory obtained a unanimous vote from the house to censure the chairman for this neglect, toge-

Better street lighting, more paving, better relations with neighboring com Mrs. L. A. Moore returned to the city munities, were among the things dissaturday after a ten-day stay at the cussed briefly in a round-table talk bedside of her daughter, Mrs. H. D. Lon M. Davis, G. C. Tubbs and C. R. Jones, in a Vernon sanitarium. Mrs. Houston were named as a committee to bility of getting an extension of the to cut short an attack of grippe, in-

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North Side Square Floydada, Texas Telephone 170 TEACHER'S EXAMS FOR 1926 GIVEN BY COUNTY SUPT. Geography, Botany.

Superintendent S. M. N. Marrs, contains graphy, Plane Geometry, and Amerithe following information which will can Literature.

Schedule of Examinations

February 5th and 6th.

April 2nd and 3rd. June 4th and 5th. July 2nd and 3rd. August 13th and 14th. September 3rd and 4th.

December 3rd and 4th.

Those desiring to take any of these County Superintendent, not later than teachers. L MEN BUY REAL ESTATE the 20th of the month preceding said Reading, us IN THE RIO GRANDE VALLEY examinations. Registration may be Oral Reading. made either in person, by letter, or by

# Schedule of Certificates

Only two certificates may now be secured by examination. The 2 are (1)

acreage planted to cotton, while Mr. Arithmetic, Grammar, Geogrephy, Tex-Mr. and Mrs. Pitzer Baker and small Harris is having his land set in fruit as History, U. S. History, Physiology, Texas School Laws, Spelling, Writing. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shurbet, Mr. and Optional Subjects for (1) above are

Montgomery has advised The Hesper- for the spring planting, Mr. Fawver quired: Civil Government, Higher Engsaid. Mr. Fawver is running excursions lish, Composition, Elementary Physiology, and any four out of the following optional group,-Algebra, Botany, Physical Geography, Plane Geometry, Ancient History, Modern History, and American Literature.

The Elementary Certificate referred to above is valid only in Grades 1 to Matters of routine were given atten- 7 inclusive. The High School certifition by the board, filling a trustee cate is valid in all high school work vacancy on the board of Irick District except in first and second class accredited high schools.

Schedule of Subjects The following examination schedule INGS 2ND AND 4TH MONDAYS will be followed in all of the examina-

> Friday forenoon: Spelling, Physiology, Music, Elementary Composition,

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FLOYDADA, TEXAS

# **How Doctors Treat** Colds and the Flu

To break up a cold overnight or paving program into the residential districts.

fluenza, 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 nas vanished, your system is thor-oughly purified and you are feeling line with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please,—no dan-

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

# Cramped and Suffered

"My back and head would ache, and I had to go to bed," says Mrs. W. L. Ennis, of Worthville, Ky. "I just could not stay up, for I would cramp and suffer so. I was very nervous. My children would 'get on my nerves.' a pleasure for me to try to go anywhere, I felt so bad. "My mother had taken

For Female Troubles

at one time, so she insisted that I try it. I took four bottles of Cardui, and if one should see me now they wouldn't think I had ever

been sick.
"I have gained twenty pounds, and my cheeks are rosy. I feel just fine. I am regular and haven't the pain.

"Life is a pleasure. I can
do my work with ease. I
give Cardui the praise."

Cardui has relieved many thousands of cases of pain and female trouble, and should help you, too. Take Cardui.

At All Druggists'

Higher English, Composition, Physical

Friday afternoon: A recent communication from State Elementary Grammar, Descriptive Geo-

be of interest to those expecting to Saturday forenoon: Arithmetic, Writtake teacher's examinations during the ing, Methods and Management, Reading, Civics, Modern History, Physiology

Algebra, School Law.

The books to be studied in preparing for the above examinations are the regular adopted texts in said subjects, with the following additions, or excep-

Elementary Composition, use Webster's Elementary Composition. Music, use state course of study, also examinations must register with the Hollis and Dann's Manual of Music for

Reading, use Stone's Silent and

Management & Methods of Teaching, use Sutton and Horn's School Room Essentials; Parker's Types of Elementary Teaching, and Learning; Cub-Rural Life and Education;

School Laws; Use the Texas School Law for Ready Reference, by Practical Drawing Company, Dallas, Texas.

Botany, use Coulter's Plant Life & Plant Uses. Physiology use Averill's Physiology.

for Normal Sschools. Respectfully submitted.

PRICE SCOTT, County Supt., Floyd County, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. W. Killer, Flor-

ence Garmon and Henry Brown of

Lockney visited in the home of Mr.

and Mrs. C. M. Wilson Sunday. Mrs.

Killer is a sister of Mr. Wilson

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# **Dangerous Cough** -How to End it

To quickly end a dangerous cough there is a very simple treatment which gives almost instant relief and often breaks the cough entirely in 24 hours.
This treatment is based on the famous

Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs. You take just one teaspoonful and hold it in your throat for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing it. The prescription has a double action. It not only soothes and heals soreness and irritation, but also loosens and removes the phlegn and congestion which are the real cause of the coughing. So the worst cough

usually disappears quickly.

Dr. King's New Discovery is for coughs, chest colds, bronchitis, spas modic croup, etc. Fine for children, toc-no harmful drugs. Very economical as the dose is only one teaspoonful. A



## L W Baker Mourns

But Finds 35 Pound Pig

# He Loses Hog Meat

One little middlin' from a 500 pound hog was all that burglars left L. W. hog. The smoke-house door was not and Ford Butler, reporter. to who committed the theft were found, pointed, although every person now and Mr. Barker plans to comply with Graham Brothers trucks, also a pro-

serve as a gentle reminder to other thought, be considerably increased. persons so fortunate as to possess home-killed swines that added theftpreventative and prowler-proof measures henceforth and immediately be insituated on their respective premises -lest a similar tearful, unretrievable calamity befall them!

Still, things could have been worse for Mr. Baker! The silver lining to the clouded incident appeared with the finding of a thirty-five pound pig ports he was thought to be improving. help develop this new mode of transwhich had been lost several days

### NEW TELEPHONE DIRECTORIES

New telephone directories for Floydada will be issued sometime in the latter part of this month or February, it is reported.

Last number and ad changes that will go into the directory for the period have been or will be made this week.

# **Locals and Personals**

Marvin Massie returned last Thurs-day from Fort Worth, where he has dada for several months. They are been for some time with his wife, who now at home in Lockney. is in a sanitarium there. He reports Mrs. Massie as doing very nicely.

Maud Huckabay in Lorenzo Sunday.

iting her daughter, Mrs. B. K. Barker.

Plainview Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Blanche Bass will attend a conin Dallas next week ..

E. S. Shoaf of Lockney was a business visitor in the city last Saturday.

### MANY SNAKES DESERVE PROTEC-TION

Contrary to popular belief, most common snakes are neither obnoxious nor poisonous, says the Bioligical Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture. The prevalent dread of snakes is due largely to the fear of such venomous species as the cotton-mouse moccasin, the copperhead, the rattlesnake, the massasauga, and the coral newspaper try, and efforts should be made to eradicate them, yet most common snakes are beneficial in their food habsnakes have no place in a settled counits and should be protected.

Wherever snakes are present in abnormally large numbers there must be an adundance of living animal food in home the vicinity to attract them. This food Brown's home on East Jefferson Street. consists largely of injurious rodents and insects, pests of garden crops and stored foodstuffs. Snakes eat such small living creatures as earthworms, spiders, grasshoppers, salamanders, small frogs, mice, rats, chipmunks, and young rabbits. King snakes are able to to eat them. The little red-bellied snake subsists to a large extent on gardens. Bull snakes and gopher a part time clerk on the local budget. slugs, which are very destructive to snakes destory large numbers of in-

conflict with man's interests. Water months last year. snakes feed largely on small fish, but not as a rule on species used as food by man. The moon or queen snake eats crawfish and toads. The black snake and coach-whip destroy a certain number of ground-nesting birds, particularly quail and eggs in the nest, and have been known to eat young chickens when the liver fails to act. They feel and even young pheasants. Local cam- languid, half-sick, "blue" and discourpaigns for the destruction of these and of poisonous snakes may be desirable Neglect of these symptoms might reshooting are, so far as known, the only ble course is to take a dose or two of successful method of eradication. No Herbine. It is just the medicine needsuccessful apparatus for snaring snakes ed to purify the system and restore has ever been devised, and most species the vim and ambition of health. Price seem immune to poison gases.

# **Legion Elects Officers** Starts Membership Drive

Election or installation of 1926 of- FORD MOTOR CO. SPONSORING icers and beginning of special membership drive were the principal features which took place at a special call-

who committed the their were round, actioning every person now that all balled in the request, he states.

He has been a resident of Floyd duct of the Dodge plant, quoted at the communication requests that the following prices, F. O. B. Detroit:

This piece of "tuff-luck" suffered by The communication requests that the following prices, F. O. B. Detroit:

One ton chassis, \$975: 1½ ton chassis, \$975: 1½ ton chassis, \$975: 1½ ton chassis, \$1,245: MBM low chassis, \$1,24 save a big foot-print near the meat belonging to the local Legion is expect- the request, he states. Mr. Baker should—doubtless will— time the present membership will, it is white, spaced well apart, not less than \$1,245; MBM low chassis, \$1,295.

# Lockney News Briefs

(From The Beacon) N. W. Morgan Sick

Thursday of last week, at his imple- their Company is actively interested in

the Plainview Sanitarium last Friday practiced by the Ford Company, while should be able to fill the office with for appendicitis. At last reports she contracts for the carrying of U. S. was getting along well.

Killer-Wilson Mr. J. A. W. Killer and Miss Effie Wilson were married at the Methodist parsonage in Tulia Friday, January Dodge Bros. Reduction 1st, Rev. J. P. Patterson performing the ceremony. They will spend a honeymoon of several days in Amarillo and New Mexico. Mr. Killer is

Uncle Frank Back to Farm Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Ford are mov-Miss Thyra Eubank visited Miss acrop this year and is preparing to gest things I ever had a part in," Mr. Snodgrass said. "Thirteen train loads make a crop this year and is preparing to go to work on his place. He is assembling teams tools are and expect." Mrs. W. D. Long of Lockney is vis- sembling teams, tools, etc., and expects in fifteen minutes of each other and it to be ready for business within the required 400 Dodge sedans and next few days. Uncle Frank is 75 Dodge busses to transport the three T. R. Webb made a business trip to years old, but in many ways he is still a young man, and has more "pep" than hall," he said. most men of half his age. Uncle Frank's title will be "Mayor of Lone and Graham Bros. factories occupied vention of home demonstration agents Star," the coming year, and we expect much of the time, while the convention to hear a great deal in the way of boosting from that community.

Willkinson-Riddle Mr. C. R. Willkinson and Miss Vel- Detroit Theatre for the dealers. ma (Stell) Riddle were married at the performing the ceremony.

# W. T. Brown Marries Jan. 3.

W. T. Brown, formerly of this city was married to Mrs. Lula Guy at Palmer, Texas, Sunday, January 3, according to the following report appearing in The Palmer Rustler, Ellis County

Although these poisonous T. Brown of Dallas were married here ber of friends and relatives of the con-

> Mr. and Mrs. Brown will make their in Palmer, occupying Mrs.

### POST OFFICE ALLOWED MORE HELP TO DISPATCH MAILS

An order permitting additional help to be employed by the local post office kill rattlesnakes, and have been known during the peak weeks of the holiday season has since that time been made permanent. Postmaster J. D. Starks having been given authority to continue November was the only unsatisfacjurious rodents in the course of a tory month in the business of the local post office in 1926, the other months The food habits of very few snakes showing material gains over the same

Use Hesperian Want Ads.

# FOR WORKING PEOPLE

The best of workers get out of sorts many districts, and clubbing and sult in a sick spell, therefore the sensi-60c. Sold by all drug stores.

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# When It's Cold Weather ....

Cold weather is the real test of coal. Then's when you find out whether it fills the bill-whether it keeps you warm without burning out too quickly or with too much soot and ashes.

That's the proof we like to have made of Mutual. We are receiving Mutual now in fairly liberal quantities. Stock up against the cold weather of January and

# I. R. Yearwood

PHONE 247

ASK YOUR NEIGHBOR

# Automobile News

SIGN BOARDS FOR AVIATORS

the name of the city or town.

mails have already been received, stat-

prescription clerk at the Stewart Drug Motor Supply Company, dealers in make the county an efficient, capable Co., and Mrs. Killer has been sales- Dodge Bros. Motor Cars, reached home treasurer. Monday night from Detroit, where he Her candidacy is subject to the achad spent five days at a Dodge dealers tion of the Democratic Primary. convention at the home office and factory of the company.

"The convention was one of the big-

Inspection of portions of the Dodge proper, side trips, entertainments and dinners kept the dealers on the move. One evening Dodge Bros, reserved the

Methodist parsonage in Plainview als of the Dodge Bros, factory ex-Tuesday of last week, Rev. Lipscomb pressed the belief to dealers that the hard pace being set by the manufacturers of automobiles means the elimination in the course of a few years of a large number of the automobile

> Ford parts, Cold patching, high grade tubes and casings, and a general line of automobile accessories are carried by us, and a portion of your patronage will be highly appreciated thru-out 1926.

> > **MAGNOLIA** FILLING STATION

three which took place at a special called meeting of McDermett Post, American Legion, last week.

John Reagan was installed as Post Commander; Homer Baker, First Vice-Commander; Homer Baker, Commander; Walter Collins, Second to paint on the roof of their respective below: hog was all that burglars left L. W. Commander; Watter Collins, Second Baker, route 2 farmer, last Saturday Nice-Commander; John Maxwell, Post Right, when they broke into his smokeness and carried off the remainder block of the city or town, according to an official letter received by B. K. Barhouse and carried off the remainder of the remainder of the remainder of the received by B. K. Barhouse and carried off the remainder of house and carried off the remainder offiof his freshly killed and salted-down of his freshly killed and salted-down of the voters and of his freshly killed and salted-down of the calls the attention of the voters and by Judge Howard and if he is elected, ker, manager of the local Ford dealers, type it settan, \$1,575, ccape, \$625, he cans the attention of the voters and by Judge Howard and if he is elected, from Edsel B. Ford, president of the commercial car, \$885; screen car, \$885; screen commercial car, \$885; screen car, locked, it was stated, and no clues as A membership committee was not ap- Ford Motor Company of Detroit, Mich. cial car, \$810; chassis, \$665.

> twelve inches in height, facing toward the sky, and whenever possible the MRS. MAUD MERRICK CANDIDATE name should extend due east and west, with the top of the letters to the north. Also an arrow, pointed due north, is to be painted immediately following

Mr. N. W. Morgan was stricken Mr. Ford states in his letter that ed President Ford.

Mr. Snodgrass says that high offici-

# GENUINE

R. L. Hinkson, Prop.

manufacturing concerns, and the ranks may be thinned down to as low as six, of which Dodge Bros., they declare, will be one. The present output is approximately 1500 cars at this factory.

FOR TREASURER FLOYD COUNTY

Mrs. Maud Merrick, of this city, is a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Floyd County. Authori-

Friday of last week. Mrs. Merrick has been a resident of ment store, and has been in a very the promotion of commercial aviation, Floyd County for seven years, and critical condition since. At last re- and feels it the duty of all dealers to during and prior to that time has had experience as a bookkeeper for mer- 1. a Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, accept-Mrs. Yearly Operated on

Mrs. Rene Yeary, who lives in the Center community, was operated on at Chicago and Cleveland is now being the community, was operated on at Chicago and Cleveland is now being the community of the commun herself.

voter and ask for their support and Effective on All Models influence in her race. Meanwhile, she asks that before committing yourself, you give her candidacy every consid-Roy L. Snodgrass, proprietor of the eration, in the belief that she can

(Political Advertisement)

# CARRY

# **Auto Insurance**

And Smile at Fate!

Cold days, with their snow, sleet, slick roads, or collision with another car is likely to cause a crash any day—hence damage to your car. Then the possibility of loss by fire and theft is ever present.

So then, Mr. Farsighted Motorist, invest a few dollars in Auto Insurance now, rather than risk the loss of hundreds of dollars through such incidents as those mentioned above.

No use to ponder over such an obvious necessity!

See Me Today!

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LEAVE SATURDAY. RETURN THE **NEXT FRIDAY** 

Get out for a short vacation and see the wonderful country in the Rio Grande Valley at little cost.

We are running two excursions to the Valley in January. The first leaves

## **JANUARY 16TH** and the second on JANUARY 30TH

Big railroad developments are being made in the valley now by the Missouri Pacific Railway and we have

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known as the Harding-Gill Tract, located between Edinburg and Raymondville, which we are selling out. Three new towns-Hargil, Lasaro and Rollo, are being established, with the approval of the Missouri Pacific Railway Company, and no farm will be more than four miles from

You will not question the success of the proposition when you see it.

Make your arrangements to make the trip and get in touch with—

# JNO. A. FAWVER, Land Agent

FLOYDADA, TEXAS

for further details and particulars.

Actory.

New low prices announced on Dodge dacy for the office of County Judge of on any issues which are in Sign boards for the aviators! The

Bros. cars and Graham Bros. trucks was a big surprise in the automotive was a big surprise was a big surprise in the automotive was a big surprise was a big surpris

New prices F. O. B. Detroit for one term, and as a commissioner for ed.

He has been a resident of Floyd

is always concerned with matte taining to the public good.

disposition of the holder of this im-As County judge of Floyd County for portant office," Judge Howard declar-

best efforts to see that the office is

Charter No. 12692

Reserve District No. 11 REPORT OF CONDITION OF

## THE FLOYD COUNTY NATIONAL BANK

zation for this announcement was given of Floydada at Floydada in the state of Texas, at the close of business on December 31, 1925.

# RESOURCES

cantile establishments, and has also ances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or had experience in bank bookkeeping, drafts, sold with indorsement of this bank (except those Total loans\_ \$348,952.62 credit to the taxpayers, if they select 2. Overdrafts, secured, \$227.50; unsecured, \$218.46; 445.9 her for the office, and with honor to 5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.: 6. Banking House, \$10,000.00; Furniture and fixtures, \$7,800.00; Mrs. Merrick plans a canvas of the 7. Real estated owned other than banking house \_\_\_\_ county, when she wants to meet every 8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank . 85.368.12

10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks 13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting 5,032.30 bank (other than Item 12) Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 b Miscellaneous cash items 905.99 16. Other assets, if any ... 16,433.10 Total\_\_\_

\$512.597.07 LIABILITIES \$ 50,000.00 17. Capital stock paid in \_ 7,500.00 18. Surplus fund \_\_\_\_ \$3,600.00 3,600.00 19. a Undivided profits \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\$3,600\_\_\_\_ 1,254.39 20. Reserved for taxes, interest, etc., accrued 22. Amount due to Federal Reserve Bank (deferred credits)\_\_\_\_\_ 3,791.57 23. Amount due to national banks (deferred credits) \_\_\_\_ 479.77 24. Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the

United States and foreign countries (other than included in Items 20,000.00 22 or 23) 26. Cashier's checks outstanding Total of Items 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26\_\_\_ Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve (deposits payable within 30 days): 314.123.63

27. Individual deposits subject to check 28. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for 37,596,42 money borrowed) 29. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of 5,926.17 assets of this bank or surety bond \_\_

Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, items 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32 Time deposits subject to reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings): 33. Certificates of deposits (other than for money borrowed)\_\_\_

Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 33, 34, 35,

\$512,597.07 Total STATE OF TEXAS, County of Floyd, ss: I, Jas. K. Green, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly sv above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JAS. K. GREEN, Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of Jan., 1926. KENNETH BAIN, Notary Pt CORRECT—ATTEST:

C. SURGINER, S STEVENSON R. E. L. MUNCY, Directors.

Charter No. 7045

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Reserve District No. REPORT OF CONDITION OF

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# THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Floydada in the State of Texas, at the close of business on December 31.

### RESOURCES 1. a Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or

drafts, sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c) \_\_\_\_\_ \$364,417.2 Total loans 2. Overdrafts, secured, NONE; unsecured, \$1,085.77;\_\_\_ 1,085. 4. U. S. Government securities owned: a Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value 12,500.00

5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.: \_\_\_ Banking House, \$18,412.68; Furniture and fixtures, \$4550.40; Real estate owned other than banking house Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank \_\_ 9. Items with Federal Reserve Bank in process of collection \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks 119,0

13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 12) . Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 \_\_ 14. a Checks and drafts on banks (including Federal Reserve Bank) located outside of city or town of reporting

10,111.9 15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. 625.00 57,688.24 16. Other assets, if any \_\_

\$640,221.29 LIABILITIES \$ 50,000.00 17. Capital stock paid in \_ 50,000.00 18. Surplus fund -19. a Undivided profits \$5.16\_\_\_ 12,500.00 21. Circulating notes outstanding

22. Amount due to Federal Reserve Bank (deferred credits).... 26. Cashier's checks outstanding \_\_\_\_\_ Cashier's checks outstanding
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Reserve, Items 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32 Time deposits subject to reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):

35. Other time deposits Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 33, 34, 35,

I, J. V. Daniel, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. V. DANIEL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, 1926. R. E. FRY, Notary Public. CORRECT-ATTEST:

E. C. NELSON, MRS. JNO. N. FARRIS, J. B. JENKINS, Directors.

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Floyd, ss:

# ome Demonstration Club News

FRIENDS

By Gertrude Friend Scoggins

Our friends, what priceless gems! And yet how little we think of them Until we need their aid; Their unremitting love, it comes As a stream and is not stemmed But flows on unafraid-

Their sweet, consoling smypathy Comes in time of grief and pain As free as air; Their tears flow freely for our woes, They smile when comes our gain, They're ours tho dark or fair-

Death stalks near, true friends Come to us and pray that Life might stay, We sigh, content and smile our love, We beg them yet to linger

Nor yet to go away. But to stay close by and give Of their kind heartfelt help Until we seem

To want dear hands to touch us

As we linger on the threshold of a dream. 'he father hears the heart throbs, he prayers of trusted friends

To save a soul, bonds of love draw close and weld nks of friendship's chain hundredfold.

### PROVIDENCE 4H CLUB

The Providence "4H" Girls' Club met Monday of this week and reorganized the girls' club. We had an interesting talk about the things we are going to do during this year. Miss Bass, the Demonstration Agent, was out to help the starkey Home Demonstration hour before eating breakfast, then eat home of Mrs. D. W. Allman. It being the starkey Home Demonstration hour before eating breakfast, then eat home of Mrs. D. W. Allman. It being a day

and reporter, Dorothy Pullen.

Nine girls were present and we hope for more next time. The things we at 2:30 o'clock in the school house. would like for each girl to bring are: Two cup towels, scissors, needles, tape thread and pens. We certainly have a beautiful club room and will soon have it equipped with all the articles needed for a room. We already have an oil stove and art square.

Girls who joined are: Ella Bennett, Myrtabelle Lovvorn, Gladys Smith, Olamae Gamble, Thelma Bennett, Eulamae Gilbreath, Doris Bennett, Exa Lovwere "4H" girls last year.

The next meeting will be the twenty- ing very helpful on the subject. sixth of January at 1:30 p. m. Everyelse. Bring them along. Don't forget time. the date. We hope Miss Bass will get Let to be with us next time.

LAKEVIEW GIRL'S MEET

auditorium

for their productive project. Plans the utmost. subject. At our next meeting we are calling the house to order. Roll call have received through the Club work is birch, Kathleen Hodge, Dorothy Allen to answer the roll call with the type of was answered with "What can we do to realize the need of a pressure cooker High first: Mahel Moore Ruth Gill. and also a hint on raising poultry.

cup towels and by the next meeting given to help make our Club better helped me in so many ways that it is were want all the girls to have their towels finished, and an extra flour regular, be on time, respond when put most. Learning the necessity of a property of the most interesting things in the Home Demonstration Club has believed the hard to tell just what has helped me towels finished, and an extra flour regular, be on time, respond when put most. Learning the necessity of a property of the most interesting things in the Home Demonstration Club has believed to the most interesting things in the Home Demonstration Club has believed to the most interesting things in the Home Demonstration Club has believed to the most interesting things in the Home Demonstration Club has believed to the most interesting things in the Home Demonstration Club has believed to the most interesting the home Demonstration Club has believed to the most interesting the home Demonstration Club has believed to the most interesting the home Demonstration Club has believed to the most interesting the home Demonstration Club has believed to the most interesting the home Demonstration Club has believed to the most interesting the home Demonstration Club has believed to the most interesting things in the most interesting the home Demonstration Club has believed to the most interesting the most intere our hot dish holder.

The next meeting will be held Friday, January 22.

great success.

### McCOY CLUB

The cup towels were finished last hot dish holders. All members were esting facts on "The relation of diet We will meet again January 14. Each not present last Thursday, because of to health." Miss Bass gave us some girl please remember to bring a cup Low fifth grade: Lois Brunson, Sam bad weather.

### STARKEY CLUB

us to elect new officers, which are as moving day we did not have many pres- a day. ollows:

President, Olamae Gamble; vice play to raise money for furnishing a play to president, Thelma Bennett; secretary club room, and we certainly will apand treasurer, Myrtabelle Lovvorn; preciate the co-operation of the community.

The Club meets Friday, January 15, Every member be sure to come and bring some one with you.

Miss Bass will be with us, and she they will be discussed are as follows: has some very important business. She will also meet the Girls' Club at Holmes.

### ALLMAN CLUB

The Allman Club met last Friday with Mrs. H. A. Krause. Plans were A. R. Hanna. vorn, Dorothy Pullen. Some of these made for the new year and the Year Books were discussed, Miss Bass be- Mrs. W. M. Knight.

Delicious refreshments were served

SAND HILL CLUB

The Sand Hill Home Demonstration an all-day meeting, and we were de- Club has helped its members: lighted to see so many present, and to The Sand Hill Home Demonstration were more than interesting. The Lakeview Club girls met Friday ack (who has entered the kitchen conto time, which causes us to know and A program will be given, some of the yer in the place?" he asked a resident. morning, January 8, in the school test) and also Mrs. Jim Holmes. Oth- love one another better, besides the primary pupils giving various numers wanted to join but thought best good work we are doing. Our motto bers. The president being absent, the vice- to wait a while longer, as they weren't is "To make the best better." Come Mr. and Mrs. Truett Butler were president took charge. This was the sure they could attend regular. Those on ladies and join us. Let's make 1926 guests in the F. M. Hood home at first regular meeting we have had, and of you who weren't present surely did better!-Mrs. G. C. Collins. there was quite a lot of business to miss a treat. The program was edu- The reason I love the Club is that Mrs. Elmer C. Caudle's brother, discuss and plans to make for our cational as well as interesting. The we learn how to cook, sew, and how Bryan H. Hamilton, is her guest this year's work.

discuss and plans to make for our dinner was fit for a king, and the to make our kitchen more convenient. All of the girls decided on "Poultry" writer thinks every one enjoyed it to And we all have a good social time

were made for the early hatch, and The business session of the meeting J. S. McLain. Miss Bass gave us literature on the began soon after dinner, the president One of the greatest helps that I Junior Rutledge, Fleeta Manning, Cleo tion. See J. D. Starks at Post Office. bird we have selected for our project make our Club a better club in 1926?" and to learn some of its uses for Almena Carr, Leon Blair, Nelson Stan-Not only did the members respond, but cooking and canning.-Mrs. J. T. Mc-Our subject for this meeting was quite a few visitors responded also. Lain. "Sewing." We started work on our Some of the most interesting things The Home Demonstration Club has

will have an ideal Club. told us that the required material for sewing, and the new methods of cook- Gladys Ruth Brown. From that date we will meet every fixing the auditorium seats had been ing-for instance the standard biscuit second and fourth Friday's in each bought and the seats repaired. The making. I follow the recipe always stiles, Mable Tubbs, Lauless Jones. month at 10:30.

Stiles, Mable Tubbs, Lauless Jones. High third: Jaunita Hatchell. For We wish to make this year's work a agreed that we would hire some one Green to finish the work as most of our men the work.

Health, Diet Rules

meeting the Club members will make ferent topics gave us some very inter- bership of twelve. very simple rules to practice, pertain- towel. scissors, thimble, needle and ing to health, yet very important and thread. much neglected. One is drinking as We much water as the system requires; we an invitation to come and join us. The Starkey Home Demonstration should drink at least a glass a half-

> served my family yesterday." Order of business will follow, under the leadership of Mrs. W. E. Miller. Subject for the meeting will be "The place of meat

> Topics for discussion and by whom Value of meat as food-Mrs. M. B.

Principles of cooking meats-Mrs. C.

Meat substitutes-Mrs. A. B. Master-

Ways of reducing the meat bill-Mrs. Danger in using too much meat-

Every one come early, for we are going to quilt a quilt the same aftervery pretty quilt.

Members Give Testimonials

have so many visitors, and especially Club is doing good work in various the new members, Mrs. Arthur Wom- ways. It brings us together from time day afternoon at 2:30 at Ward School. information. "Have you a criminal law-

and learn to love one another.-Mrs. for December:

sack, so that we can start to work on on the program. If we all do this we steam pressure cooker and sealer has been worth more than I can express. A report from the finance committee The helps on sewing have improved my

folks are too busy to meet and finish FAIRVIEW GIRLS ORGANIZE CLUB Miss Bass, county home demonstration agent, organized a Girls' Home Next, was the rendering of the pro- Demonstration Club at Fairview school Thursday, January 7. At our next gram. Those who discussed the dif- house January 6, with a charter mem-

We extend to all the outside girls

SOUTH WARD SCHOOL NEWS

Mr. Whyte, the story teller, proved

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in a pretty old rose. This makes a to be indeed a wonderful story teller uel Rutledge, Enid Scoggins, Mary Tuesday morning at the chapel period. Alice Sommerville.

The primary pupils sentiment was Club met Wednesday, January 6, in the home of Mrs. W. E. Miller. This was the Sand Hill Home Demonstration faculty expressed themselves in like Welch. These are some of the ways in which "Tell it again." The older pupils and Roxie Norton, Jaunita Hand, Billie Joe manner, and the Brer Rabbit stories

The Primary P. T. A. will meet Fri-

Canyon last week-end.

Pupils making "A's" in their work Low first grade: Jack Stansell,

High first: Mabel Moore, Ruth Gill,

Low second: Mildred Houston, Mary man Browning, Ruby Belle Harris.

High second grade: Rex Brown, Dor- mi. so. Floydada or phone 910F13. othy Thurmon, Clairbelle Yearwood, 461tp.

Low third: Maxine Fry, Loraine High third: Jaunita Hatchell, Folia Randerson, Kyle Glover, Thelma Jo Hamilton, Marie Finley.

Low fourth: Louise Conner, Waldo Houghton, Virginia Welch, Mary Ann Kimble, Mary Louise Thurman.

High fourth grade: Selma Louise Lider, Genell Stovall, Jean Bain, Cather-Low fifth grade: Lois Brunson, Sam-

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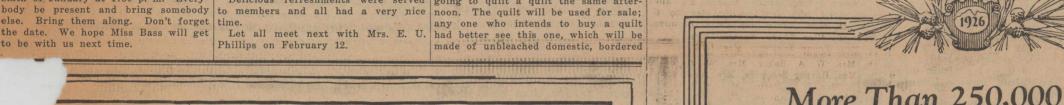


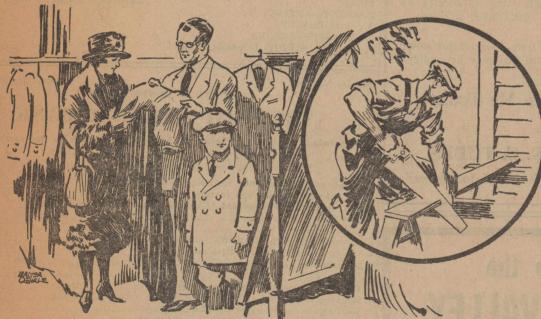
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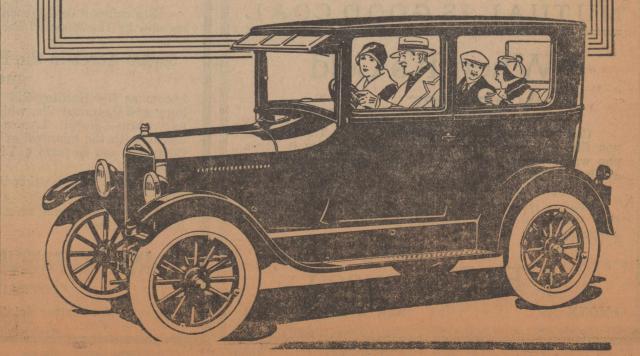
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FAIRVIEW SCHOOL NOTES

E. Ray Smith, Principal

Ray Crabtree has been elected to

lead our "pep squad" for the now ap-

Primary Room, Vera White, Teacher

First grade-Edna Beth Wilson.

Cooper, Helen Allen, Ruby Allen, Mar-

vin Kesey, Ruth Cosby, Clara Carter,

Intermediate Room-Nanemae Bullard

teacher

is gradually increasing. All are work-

highest average last month are as fol-

Fifth Grade-Bernice Crabtree and

The boys basketball team of Center

came over to Fairview last Friday for

a practice game. Both teams played

hard, but Fairview came out loser.

Next Friday we will meet them on

their own court and try to give them

some more practice. We will have

on our tennis shoes instead of our "brogans." The pep squad will be there

Members of our team are Sidney

tin, Carl Burgett, Beryl Saunders and

Blanco News

Blanco, Jan. 13.-We have four more

Fourth grade-John Hoffman.

Sixth grade-Bessie Mae Brown.

Attendance in the intermediate grades

Second grade-Charlie Cook.

Third grade-M. C. Cooper.

Those making the highest average

proaching games of basketball.

during the last month were:

Wilma Lee Smith.

lows:

Cleo Crosby.

Robert Carter.

The score was 14 to 12.

Primer-Claudia Fay Teel.

# **Society and Clubs**

# Given Gala Shower

Butler on West Mississippi Street with
Mrs. Butler, Mrs. M. F. Husky, Mrs.

Jno. W. Smith and Mrs. Claude M. Mar
After the gifts had been opened on the increase since the holidys.

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Perfect in its appointment this entertainment was given in the form of a reception and shower for the newly wedded couple and came as a complete surprise to them. Pink and white was the chosen color scheme, and numerous baskets of pink and white cut flowers added beauty to the effect. As the guests arrived they inscribed their names in the bride's book which was painted by Miss Blanch Abston. On the table with the bride's book stood a minature bride and groom. The bride book was presided over by Mrs. Husky.

a game of forty-two in the home of friends boisterously entered and an- Henry Edwards presided over the punch nounced that the groom was to get the usual ducking in the swimming pool. The following were guests: Mrs. S. his eyes. The bride's hands were then Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Boone Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Butler where about eighty and Mrs. W. H. Edwards, Mrs. J. M. friends awaited their arrival.

white. In front of the chairs was ar- W. L. Fry, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bishop,

Because "All the world loves a lover" editor of the Plainview Evening Herald. We are here this evening to rejoice that the little blind god with a quiver has been in our midst and wounded Mc-Guire and made him acquire a maiden--a fair and radiant maiden whom her parents called Delise, but whom we would like to call Delight. As we welcome her into our presence, I offer a toast to the bride, the most delightful of God's creatures: Heaven's best gift to man; man's joy and pride in prosperity; man's comfort in affliction; I drink her health, God bless her. Judge E. C. Nelson, Jr. gave a very

clever toast to the groom Miss Mary Porter and Miss Blanche Mr. and Mrs. McGuire were enjoy 13 Abston presided over the punch bowl in the reception room. In the dining Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Bishop when several room Miss Jennie Lewis and Mrs.

All of his arguing that the water was too cold was of no avail. His hands Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Gamble, Mr. and were securely tied and a blind put over Mrs. C. M. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. tied and she was blindfolded. She was told that she might go to see that it was well done. They were put in separate cars and taken to the home of Mr.

Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Boolie Hall, Mrs. doller Hall, Mrs. and Mrs. Oliver Allen, Mrs. Addie Thagard, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wood, Mrs. C. W. Mitchell, Mr. Aller Mrs. J. G. Wood, Mrs. C. W. Mitchell, Mrs. J. W. W Willson, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baker, Mr. As they entered Mrs. Jno. W. Smith and Mrs. Wilson Kimble, Mrs. B. P. played a few measures of Mendelsohn's Woody, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Williams, wedding march. They were then escort- Mrs. R. C. Henry, Mrs. H. M. McDoned to chairs which were artistically dec- ald, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Butler, Mr. and orated in the color scheme of pink and Mrs. Carroll Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs.

ranged an old curbed well overhung with vines and moss in which was suspended "An Old Oaken Bucket." Follow- Standefer, Dr. and Mrs. Lon V. Smith, and P. W. Cloud.

Robert Eubank, W. L. Fry, B. K. Barand family have moved into the house was defined and family have moved into the house was defined by J. W. Haney. So our school is visiting her uncle, W. B. Tinnin and P. W. Cloud. ing this Mrs. E. C. Nelson sang "I love Mr. and Mrs. Claude Martin, Mr. and The next meeting will be with Mrs. You Truly." Mrs. D. Ford Butler then, Mrs. D. Ford Butler, Mrs. S. J. Rich- Travis Collins Jan. 27. in her charming and winsome manner, ardson, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Mr. Mr., Mrs. Bob McGuire gave the lovely reading "The December and Mrs. C. H. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Bride and Groom". Bride and Groom".

Earl Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boerner, Mr.

"The Old Oaken Bucket," the groom and Mrs. W. C. Grigsby, Mr. and Mrs. drew the first bucket of good wishes H. D. Butler, Rev. J. L. Henson, Dr. and One of the prettiest and largest so-cial affairs ever held in this city was given Friday evening, January 8 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ford amusement was furnished the guests Joe Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Albert something about our work this year. day.

Misses Anna Belle Thagard, Mary Sidney Carter has entered our school tin as hostesses honoring Mr. and Mrs.

Robert McGuire, a yule-tide bride and Mrs. Lon V. Smith gave the following Porter, Elsie Barnett, Jennie Lewis, and is getting down to business, both Rea, Francis Edwards, Lorene in athletics and in literary work. We Carter, Ruby Higgs, Mildred Kiser. Messrs. Roy Eubank, John Maxwell, for the county contests. Jack Folley, C. W. Mitchell, Roy Ba-

> 1922 STUDY CLUB ENTERTAINS WITH OPEN-HOUSE JANUARY 7

> On January 7, the 1922 Study Club held open-house at the American Legion Hall. Fifty or more ladies were present to enjoy the interesting program and the delicious refreshments which followed. Mrs. M. L. Kizziar made a short address of welcome, after which the following program was rendered to an attentive and appreciative

> audience: Reading-"That Old Sweetheart of Mine," Lucile Goodwin. Mixed Quartette-Mrs. Calvin Steen,

Miss Thyra Eubank, J. W. Clonts and ing very faithfully to complete their E. S. Randerson. grade this year. Those who made the Reading-"The Girl I Used To Be"

and "It Has Ever Been Thus"-Mrs. T. R. Webb. Voice solo-"Morning"-Mrs. J. M.

Folk dance-Billy Max Snodgrass.

Piano solo-Margaret Henson. Readings, composed by reader-"The Old Home Town" and "Eyes of Blue," by Mrs. Harper Scoggins.

Voice solo-Mrs. E. C. Nelson, Jr. Piano solo-Jesse Mae Wood. Reading-"The Little Step Dog"-Mrs. Herbert Ralls.

Hawaiian folk dance-Misses Angell and Evelyn Kizziar.

Pianologue—"I Love My Old Doll to sing for all. Best," by Carrie Bell Carter. Delicious refreshments of sandwiches Carter, Randolph Wilson, Arthur Stewbrick ice cream, nuts and coffee in art, Willie Bruner and Jesse Foster. which the Club colors were artfully The subs are J. C. Bullard, E. C. Auscarried out were served to the following guests: Mrs. T. R. Webb, Mrs. C. R. Houston, Mrs. R. E. Fry, Mrs. B. J. Dooley, Mrs. H. S. Sanders, Mrs. Jim Willson, Mrs. Clarence Snodgrass, Mrs. Wells Henry, Mrs. Turner Stevenson, Mrs. Luther Fry, Mrs. E. L. Angus, Mrs. P. W. Cloud, Mrs. O. P. Rutledge, Mrs. Lon Davis, Mrs. L. C. McDonald, Mrs. new families in our community to re-J. B. Jenkins, Mrs. G. A. Lider, Miss port. Mr. and Mrs. Reese Grubbs have Winsdor, Mrs. Bratton, Mrs. W. C. moved into the house Mrs. Hillburn Grigsby, Mrs. W. I. Cannaday, Mrs. used to own; Mr. Tennen and family Thacker, Mrs. Ewing Huffhines, Mrs. into the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs.

Edward Brown, Mrs. M. L. Kizziar, Mrs. L. C. Wheeler; and a nephew of Judge J. C. Wester, Mrs. Homer McDonald, Duncan is moving on his place, vacated Mrs. Ed Bond, Mrs. Ott Gamble, Mrs. by G. H. Davis and family, who have John Smith, Mrs. Calvin Steen, Mrs. J. moved near Sand Hill; and Vige Smith M. Parsons, Miss Thyra Eubank, Mrs. Hicks, Mrs. Edgar Eskridge, Mrs. L. V Smith, Mrs. W. A. Baker, Mrs. W. J Burke, Mrs. Harper Scoggins, Mrs. Mae Anderson, Mrs. J. U. Borum, Mrs. S. Y. Carter, Mrs. Frank Harmon, Mrs. Wilson Kimble, Mrs. E. B. Massie, Mrs. Martin Brown, Mrs. E. C. Nelson, Jr. Miss Angell, Evelyn Kizziar, Jessie Mae Wood, Margaret Henson, Carrie Belle Carter, Billy Max Snodgrass, and Mildred Houston.

The Study Club will meet in regular session at the home of Mrs. M. L. Kizziar on January 21.

Mrs. Harper Scoggins, reporter.

L. H. LEWIS FAMILY OBSERVE 36TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Observing the thirty-sixth anniversary of their wedding and Mr. Lewis' 64th birthday, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lewis, pioneer residents of West Texas and Floyd County, were hosts to seven of their eight children, together with five grandchildren, at their ranch home east of the city last Sunday, and a most enjoyable day was re-

In celebration of the occasion a large turkey with all of the known trimmings was served at the mid-day meal to the following persons: Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Bostick and infant daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Swepston and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis, Misses Jennie and Bettie Lewis, Lawrence and Charlie Lewis all residents of Floydada or the county. Another daughter, Mrs. Martt of Colorada City was unable to attend the wedding anniversary.

SOUTH WARD P. T. A. PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY ANNOUNCED

South Ward P. T. A. will hold its first meeting of the new year Friday afternoon, January 15. Mothers, be

with us. We need you! Business meeting will begin at 2:30, and the following program at 3:30 o'-

Reading-"A little girl's troubles," Dorothy Louise Allen.

Piano solo-Victoria Fitch. Song-"The Bremen Town Musiciby four girls from low second grade.

All-Day Quilting

The ladies of the Church of Christ met with Mrs. Mal Jarboe on Thursday of last week for an all-day quilting.

Three quilts were quilted. Ten members and guests were present. Everyone carried a dish of something to eat and a bountiful dinner was

THE WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Herbert Ralls entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club this week. Mrs. Key Green won high score. A short business session was held at which new officers were elected as follows:

President, Mrs. Homer Steen; press reporter, Mrs. W. L. Fry.

The Hostess had as her guests Mrs. Bratton and her sister Mrs. Butler. Members present were: Mdms. J. M. Parsons, Homer Steen, B. J. Dooley,

W. C. Cates and family visited relatives at Happy and Amarillo from Fri- "Willowdale," wlil be presented

gin at Aiken the past season, is spend- to come, as we assure you a plea Since we were fortunate in winning brother, D. R. Badgett.

the cup offered by The Hesperian, and Several from this community attend- Jan. 16. Our attendance is improving and

L. T. Bishop and family, of Floydada, er, D. R. Badgett and family.

Mrs. A. N. Gamble, of Floydada, visited our school one day the past week feel that he will strengthen our force in the interest of an expression class. She gave several readings which were very much enjoyed by the pupils. We hope she visits us again in the near

### Sand Hill News

Sand Hill, Jan. 11.—Elder Mullins of Floydada preached at the Church of

Christ Sunday morning. The singing Sunday night was at the Honor roll for primary room: Monte Smith, Naomi Hodge, Charlie Cook, large crowd was present. Edith Crabtree, Ruby Cook, M. C.

The Sand Hill boys played Starkey and shot or a new pair of home-knit in basketball Friday afternoon at socks for Christmas now has a grand-Starkey. The score was 22 to 9 in son who must have a new car, a dia-Starkey's favor.

The P. T. C. Society's latest Floydada High School audit Cecil Badgett, who worked at the Thursday night, January 14. Be ing a few days in the home of his evening's entertainment. The play will also be given at Lockney, Saturday,

Mrs. A. R. Tinnin, who has been visiting her son-in-law, Tom Goodman of Center, returned to the home of her son, W. B. Tinnin, of this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Brock are moving to their home in town this week The honor roll for the month of December is as follows:

High first grade: B. J. Phillips. Low first grade: Billie Green, Doris

Sixth grade: W. E. Dooley, Denzil Probasco.

Seventh grade: Ross Hanna. Eighth grade: Claudia Green, Patty Riley, Opal Lee Shurbet.

### THEN AND NOW

The old-fashioned boy who used to home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Moore. A get an apple, an orange, a handful of mixed nuts, a dime's worth of powder mond ring and a check. Times change.

# PUBLIC SALE

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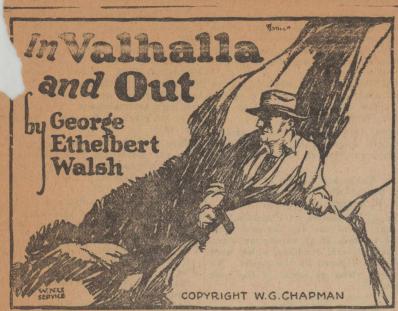
**PLAINVIEW** 

"Plains' Largest Cash Store"



OT the Valhalla of Scandinavian mythology, the hall of Odin, where warriors slain in battle were supposed to spend their future existence in combat with each other as their daily sport, but an island somewhere near the tropics. The actors are all flesh and blood and of the twentieth century, and they stage some plots and combats of a peculiarly modern character. Here is an old-fashioned sea story translated into the atmosphere and conditions of the present without lessening any of the romantic and stirring qualities. For entertainment and excitement, you will find it hard to beat.

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Whoever named the island Valhalla, a sort of paradise in the South Atlantic that figures in this story, must have had in mind some of the strenuous characteristics of Valhalla, hall of the gods in Scandinavian mythology. Odin's abode had innumerable doors corresponding to the caves and secret pasages of Mr. Walsh's island. The former was the heaven, a place of eternal feasting and dally combat for warmer was the heaven, a place of eternal feasting and daily combat for warriors who had been slain in battle. The island is a millionaire's winter home, designed probably for feasting and recreation, but which through the machinations of certain evil-minded persons in the rich man's entourage becomes a place of combats, dark plots and exciting adventures.

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George Ethelbert Walsh is one of a small group of writers who are proving that good sea stories did not become extinct with the passing of the sailing ship. While steam, electricity, the radio and other modern developments have lessened the perils of the ocean, they have not diminished its charm, mystery and romantic qualities. There are still many far places, many sparsely inhabited shores and many islands out of the paths of commerce lands out of the paths of commerce that are ideal spots for adventure. Hu-

lands out of the paths of commerce that are ideal spots for adventure. Human passions have not changed and the sea, no less than the land, furnishes all the materials which a novelist needs for stirring, red-blooded stories. The modern tale of the deep can be made, and in this case is, as fascinating as anything produced by story-tellers of an earlier generation.

Mr. Walsh has been writing sea stories, western stories, boys' stories, animal stories and others dealing largely with adventure and outdoor life for more than thirty years. He was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., and graduated into writing from newspaper work. His serial stories have appeared in most of the leading magazines and weeklies and his books have had a wide distribution. He is the author of something like 60 serials and novels. He is a member of the Authors' League of America and makes his home in Yonkers, N. Y.

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### CHAPTER I

Dick Van Ness was smoking and idly angling off the end of the private dock, a place where he had no business to be, when a pleasure yacht slipped down the river and came to anchor in midstream nearly abreast him. At first Dick was no more

mildly interested, for he knew screen of spiles would effectually ceal him from view on the water ont: but a moment later he began ning forward, forgetting his fishing ole and the glowing pipe in his hand, so eager was he to read the name on

"The Pelican!" he muttered, frown-"It's the old Beacon. I'm sure

of that! I'd recognize her anywhere." Then came pleasant and unpleasant memories to occupy his thoughts. His fishing tackle was neglected, and when a fish nibbled at the bait he made no responsive jerk.

"Cutler got the yacht in the final breakup, I suppose," he mused. "That's why she's renamed."

Before the financial crash came that ruined his father, Dick had only to signify a desire to take a cruise in the Beacon and it was at his service. Now the yacht was Steve Cutler's, the man who had profited by his father's downfall.

He stopped in his musings to watch a small boat being lowered over the side of the yacht. When it came plunging through the water under the powerful oars of two sailors, Dick gathered up his line.

"This must be Cutler's private dock," he grinned. "Rotten luck to be caught fishing on it. But"-reflectively- "he wouldn't recognize me-never had a speaking acquaintance with him. Guess I'll wait."

There were only two passengers In the boat—a medium-size man, with dark hair and gray eyes, and a nose inclined to hook a little at the end, and a girl in her early twenties, with fair hair and blue eyes. Dick studied them closely from his hiding place.

"If that's Steve Cutler," he mused thoughtfully, "he's younger than dad was by twenty years. Thought he was older.'

He turned his attention from the man to the girl.

"Cutler wasn't married," he resumed after a pause. "Therefore, she"meaning the girl in the boat-"can't be his daughter. A guest, maybe."

The sailors warped the small boat alongside the float, and the first to come ashore was the one who held the center of the stage. The easy, graceful way in which she jumped to the float, a little recklessly, it seemed at a distance, won Dick's admiration; but her companion, who had leaned forward to forestall her action, appeared annoyed and distressed.

"You should be more careful, Miss Alice," he protested, landing clumsily. "Please don't be so reckless."

For reply the girl laughed merrily. "Oh, fudge! I'm old enough to look efter myself. There's uncle waving

She flaunted a strip of gauzy lace is the air in response to something white fluttering over the rail of the

dismissed and were rowing lustily back to the parent craft. The girl continued watching until the small boat was hauled out of the water and

swung to the davits of the yacht. "I wish uncle had come with us," she observed; then, speaking half petulantly, "I don't see why-"

A sudden gust of wind tore at her lace scarf, and in her effort to recover it she jerked both hands upward. Something light and glittering flew in the air and landed with a splash in time." the water. A little exclamation of dismay escaped her lips.

"Oh, my hand bag!" she cried. "It's in the river, Mr. Blake! Please get it! It's full of my papers and cards-Oh, what shall I do!"

She ran to the edge of the float as if to plunge in after the bag, but a restraining hand detained her.

"I'll signal for the boat to come back and pick it up, Miss Alice," replied Mr. Blake calmly. "Don't do anything rash now!"

"But it's sinking, and the tide's carrying it away. Oh, can't you get it

"I'm a poor swimmer, Miss Alice," strong. I'll have the boat back in a few minutes."

At this juncture both were startled | this acid test. by a voice that seemed to come from had risen from his hiding place, and

"I think I can get it for you," he announced calmly.

They glanced up at the tall, lithe figure, as if it were an apparition, Mr. Blake frowningly and Miss Alice with eyes; but if either thought to see him disappointment was mutual.

Dick was calmly gathering in his financial world. line for a cast. In more than one casting tournament he had won out floating down on the tide, fifty feet away, sinking gradually below the surface as the water soaked in it.

The long bamboo pole was not the kind he would choose for a casting tournament, and lacking all pretense and in the end he returned in disgust. of a reel to control it, the line was liable to whip and snarl in the wind: but there was a heavy sinker on the end, and Dick gauged this against the wind before he threw.

The two below watched the hook and sinker describe an arc in the air, hesitate a moment over his head, and



The Two Below Watched the Hook and Sinker Describe an Arc in

then as if propelled by some invisible force both went hurtling in a graceful curve directly for the floating bag. It seemed for an instant that Dick had overestimated the distance, and something approaching a sigh escaped the girl's lips; but a second later it was changed to an exclamation of pure de-

"Oh, you've got it!" she cried, clapping her hands. The hook had caught in the lacy

mesh, and as if he were hauling a trout out of the stream Dick lifted the bag from the water, and swung it within reach of the eager owner.

"If you'll unhook my catch," he said smiling, "I'll be obliged."

Before she had the dripping bag clear of the hook, Mr. Blake was mounting the steps to the dock. A near view of the man's face was not friendly. He was clearly annoyed.

"That was a lucky throw of yours,

ice we'll overlook that."

He fumbled in his pocket zer, drew out a bill. "I'll reward you for saving the bag," he added. "But you must glimpse of his face. positively leave the dock, and not return. Here, take this!"

Dick glanced from the man's face to the bill extended to him, a slow, slumberous anger in his eyes. Then he suddenly smiled and took the bill. Crumpling it in his hand, he made a wad of it, and deliberately thrust the hook through it.

"This might be goo ers," he remarked. way, I'll try it."

He flung the money-b... hook back in the water, and calmly reseated himself on the pier. Mr. Blake glared furiously at him, his eyes glinting dangerously; but before he could speak Alice Cutler was up the steps and by his side. Dick could see by the amusement in her eyes that she had witnessed the whole proceeding.

"Oh, let him fish here as long as he wants to, Mr. Blake," she exclaimed impulsively. "I owe him that much." Dick smiled into her eyes, but when she fumbled into her bag for something his face grew red and hot.

"Now please don't use this for bait," she said merrily, "but keep it until some day you may need it. It's more than a card of introduction. I'll redeem it in any way you ask at any

Dick looked at the white piece of pasteboard thrust into his hand. It was an ordinary visiting card, with her name engraved neatly across the face.

# CHAPTER II

About the shabbiest trick that fate can play on us is to bring us into the world with a silver spoon in the mouth, and then, when we grow accustomed to it, change it into cheap pewter metal. It leaves an unpleasant taste for years after, and some never quite get rid of that tin-coppery-brassy

Dick Van Ness was an amiable he apologized weakly, "and the tide is young man, without more than his share of faults and possibly with as many virtues in a potential state as "Oh, dear, it will sink before they the average man carries around in his system, when fate subjected him to

How he met it is not necessarily the air directly over their heads. Dick nearly so interesting and spectacular as many fiction writers would invent stood in clear view on the end of the for their heroes. He was a bit put out by it, considerably chagrined and disappointed, but being young and in fine health he thought the world was his oyster, and he could open it.

A chip of the old block, why couldn't he make a fortune as easily as his the light of expectation in her blue father? There was no reason, except that apparently he didn't inherit the plunge recklessly into the river the peculiar quality of mind that had made the elder Van Ness a power in the

Dick didn't know it at the time, but it was revealed to him in the course of against all contestants. The bag was years. Combined with the utter lack of all experience and training, the handicap was fatal. He drifted and floundered, driven from pillar to post, making fool mistakes that an office boy could have put him straight on,

> Dick had a vein of romance in his much at stake?" system, inherited from his mother perhaps, and a love for adventure; but neither of these had found lodgment in the elder Van Ness, which may have accounted for his remarkable success in finance. They are not necessarily incompatible with achievement, but they have to be held in subjection when business calls.

Self-acknowledged, and by common consent admitted by the world, to be a failure, Dick had no scruples in giving full vent to his imaginings. Forgetting his fishing, he dreamily pictured scenes quite different from the reality until suddenly aroused by the footsteps of the watchman.

He effected his escape from the private dock with much greater celerity and safety than the previous owner of his fishing tackle. Once on solid land again, he gave a last wistful look at

the Pelican. "I'd sell my right hand for a long cruise in her again," he sighed. "I'd even be willing to go as a deck hand." He stopped, and looked startled at

his own suggestion. Why not? Then he answered himself with a sad shake of the head. Because he had no experience or references, they would not employ him even as a deck hand. Deck hands had to know something. "And I don't know anything worth

knowing!" he blurted out in disgust.

Nevertheless all that afternoon and evening the fancy clung to him that his future was in some way inextricably mixed up with his father's old yacht and the girl who had rewarded him with the gift of her visiting card. She had promised to redeem it in any way he asked, at any time, and if he went to her and begged a berth on her uncle's yacht she would undoubtedly grant his request; but such a course was repugnant to him, and not to be considered.

Late in the evening Dick, still lingering in the vicinity of the waterfront, as if fascinated by the smell of the ships and the salt brine across the harbor, rubbed elbows with a couple bound in the opposite direction. The night was dark, and the waterfront poorly lighted; but for all that Dick recognized one of the men. He stopped abruptly in his tracks, and watched the receding figures.

"Mr. Blake," he mused, placing Ironic emphasis on the name. "Wonder if he's going aboard the Pelican." He meditated in silence a few moments, and then followed. It was easy :o keep the couple within sign . . thout exposing himself to view. Too, were my man," he said. "Of course, you going in the direction of the private Meanwhile, the sailors had been know fishing is forbidden on this dock, dock, and Dick had no doubts about

their objective. He took advantage of every favorable street lamp to stud; their backs, and once, when the second man stopped to light a cigar, he got a

"That isn't old man Cutler, either," he said, frowning. "Too young for him, and too big and husky. If I remember rightly he was a small, wiz-

ened, dried-up man." The one accompanying Mr. Blake was anything but that. Tall, square shouldered and bony of arms and legs, he was the very picture of health and for suck- muscular strength. Dick caught a glimpse of gold braid on an arm strengthened. All the facts fitted adsleeve, and the flash of something on his cap.

"The captain of the Pelican," he breathed.

He smiled as he recalled the amount father's skipper wore. Captain Johnston! Where was he? Had he lost his job with the sale of the old Beacon? his servitors would be any wiser. Apparently he had, for this one was ownership.

The dock was in dense gloom, except a white one at the entrance. There the men were unchallenged Dick followed. When they stopped abruptly at the head of the steps leading down to the float Dick was within twenty feet of them. He slid behind a spile and remained motionless.

"You'd better coal early in the morning, Captain Brent," Mr. Blake was saying. "Take enough aboard for a couple of months. We may need it. We don't want to get caught short."

"Reckon not, Mr. Blake," replied the other chuckling. "'Twould sort of let the cat out of the bag if we had to sneak into some harbor for coal before the time was up."

"Yes, we must guard against any I'll phone to such contingency. Blank's pier the first thing in the morning for all the coal you can store

aboard." "What time'll the old man want to come aboard?" queried Captain Brent, puffing volcanically at his cigar.

"Shortly after sundown. Lay off here at sunset, and when you see the signals send the boats ashore." "There'll be a lot of dunnage, I

"No, nothing but light traps-chiefly personal things of Miss Cutler's. Most

of the baggage will go aboard earlier. I'll see to that." "You say there'll be four of 'em?" "Yes, Mr. Cutler, Miss Alice, her

maid and Doctor Alster." "And yourself?" "Certainly!" said Mr. Blake, a little "L'll come down with the

"All right! I'll have everything ready. Reckon, now, if I don't have any trouble finding that island we'll

have a pleasant voyage." "Why do you say that?" demanded Blake uneasily. "Have you any doubts

about finding it?" "Why, no, if the map you gave me's correct.

"Well, it is!" snapped the other. "I've verified it in every particular. You don't think I'd slip up on such a small thing as that when there's so

'No. I reckon not, but it's a bit puzzling in places. Some of them dots and marks looks like as if they'd been put there for private use. You don't s'pose, now, that captain was up to any misleading tricks, marking the location wrong and shifting the channel buoys, do you?"

Mr. Blake smiled and shrugged his shoulders.

"You forget," he said coldly, "that I'm running this little expedition, and I never make mistakes. The chart is

"All right!" replied Brent, moving toward the steps, "Then we'll pick up the island in a couple of days." He stopped and stared out into midstream. "Why don't they send that boat ashore?" he added irritably.

"Here it comes now!" "Well, I'll be going. I got to put in

a night doing some figuring." Blake nodded, and waited for him to descend the steps, then walked to the end of the float. A few minutes later the yacht's tender appeared, and Captain Brent was whisked out into the gloom. The man on the end of the dock remained motionless until it was gone, and then turned and walked briskly away.

Dick's first impulse was to follow and then he changed his mind. He came from behind his hiding place and stood near the steps, watching the lights flickering on the river and running over again in his mind the words he had heard.

They were a little puzzling; but the main fact was clear to him. Steve Cutler and his niece were starting on a long cruise in the Pelican the following evening, sailing under the cover of darkness, which might or might not mean anything unusual. Mr. Blake was to accompany them, and, according to his own statement, he was running the expedition.

Their destination was some island whose exact location was a mystery to Captain Brent. Who was Mr. Blake, and what island was it? Dick puzzled over the situation for a long time. He recalled the reference to some mysterious captain who might have played a trick on them by marking the map wrong. Who was he?

Piecing together one thing after another, Dick finally came to the conclusion that the expedition was an adventure, undertaken by Cutler for the furtherance of some personal scheme that he wished to keep secret, and Mr. Blake was managing it for him.

So far all seemed plain, but the mystery of the island to which they were going introduced a puzzling factor that baffled Dick for a long time. It was hours later when the truth

seemed to dawn upon him. "That's it!" he exclaimed suddenly, bringing his two hands together. "It's a treasure hunt, or something like that. Old Cutler's come into possession of some old sea captain's chart of an island where the treasure's buried. And hog-like, he's tricked the owner of it, and intends to gobble up the whole thing. It's like Steve Cutler!"

He went over the conversation again, sentence by sentence as he recalled it. and in the end his conclusion was mirably into this theory. With the chart of the unknown island in his friends. possession, Cutler intended to pay a visit to it and, if there was any treasnre on it, dig it up and add it to his gold braid and emblems that his already swollen fortune. In the event of its proving a hoax he could hush up the matter, and no one but a few of

"A treasure hunting expedition in the very antithesis of the short, fat the Pelican!" Dick mused thoughtnavigator of the yacht under its former fully. "What an adventure! I wish I were going."

He cast longing glances at the yacht for red lights burning at the end, and in midstream. The wild idea entered his head of swimming out to the craft was no sign of a watchman, and as and smuggling himself aboard. As a stowaway he might make the trip and bluff it out when discovered.

> But this was impractical for several reasons. The tide in the river was strong, and even if he made the yacht safely the chances were ten to one that he could not climb aboard unobserved. That, he concluded, would have to be his last resort.

> The yacht would coal at Blank's pier in the morning. Could he disguise himself as a coal heaver, and, during the bustle, hide in one of the bunkers? Dick knew every nook and corner of the craft, and he felt if he could once get below decks he would be safe from discovery.

> Then the card that Alice Cutler had given him jogged his memory. He took it out and stared at it in the gloom as if trying to read some message from it. For a long time he sat in puzzled silence, frowning at the bit of white pasteboard. Then an eyelid flickered, and his lips parted; a smile slowly spread across his features, and a chuckle broke the silence.

"I could work it," he mused. "with a little luck. I believe I'll try it in the morning. At the worst I could say it was just a lark—an original method of

making her redeem her promise." He chuckled softly, and waved a hand as if in farewell to the city that had treated him so shabbily. "I'll bet," he murmured, "it will be a big improvement on this smoky, godless city of Mammon!"

(Continued next week)

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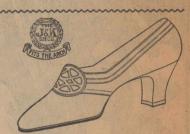
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WANTED-High school girl to work for room and board. See Harper Scoggins at the high school or call in person at the old Brown house 2 blocks southwest high school. 461tc

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462tp. Agent. dada, Texas. WANTED-Plain sewing. Mrs. W. H. EXPERIENCED Windmill man at your Taylor, second door east of Boothe service for putting up or repairing your 462tp. mills. Phone 24 or 927F21. C. A. Mul-

WANTED-Position as cook on ranch in Floyd County. Una Medart, Route 2, Sidney, Texas.

WANTED-roomers or boarders, front room heated. Three doors west of M. E. Church, Mrs. S. D. Bishop.

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TRADE-Good work stock for

For Sale

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## Political Column

WE serve hot lunches, sandwiches, to the Democratic Primary, July 24.

R. C. Joiner, candidate for District Judge, 64th Judicial District, asks your 115-acre improved farm for sale, support and influence in his race. He \$500 down and \$500 per year. See J. A. will be a candidate subject to the Demo-45tfc. cratic Primary.

CHOICE pot plants for sale at all Judge, 64th Judicial District (re-elec- and the district conference assessment times. Call any time. Mrs. Maud E. tion) asks your support and influence has been paid in full. in his race. He will be candidate sub-FARMS FOR SALE-Castro County-I ject to the Democratic Primary.

have several 160-acre tracts near Hart, Castro County, \$1500 cash, easy terms on balance. R. A. Underwood, Plainview, trick Attorney, will appreciate your dada and conduct a metting here. The out to fit oldal needs.

Texas.

35tfc support and influence. Subject to the Hogg party is now in Cleveland, O. Will The church has been studying the quid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 30c action of the Democratic Primary.

For bargains in lands and town lots see Arthur B. Duncan, Floydada, Tex-J. R. Maddox, Candidate for Sheriff 40tfc and Tax Collector of Floyd County subject to the Democratic Primary, will FOR SALE-250 bushels Mebane cotton appreciate your vote and influence in seed; 1.25 per bushel. Second year and his race to succeed himself for the from picked cotton. Mrs. T. J. Embry. second term. 443tp.

Mrs. Maud Merrick, candidate for We have installed a long distance county treasurer of Floyd County, will appreciate your support and influence. 461tc Subject to the Democratic Primary.

J. W. Howard will appreciate your Snell 2½ miles E. S. Blanco School support and influence in his race for 461tc county judge of Floyd County, subject to the Democratic Primary.

T. P. Guimarin, candidate for district 462tp. clerk of Floyd County, subject to the Democratic Primary, will appreciate FOR SALE-Good young milch cow, your vote and influence. fresh. J. T. Mercer, Northeast of Joe-

FOR SALE-2 room house. Call 34. T. To continue the work of creating new 461tc plants and flowers, Stanford University proposes to take over Luther Bur-Pangburn's bulk candies, also packbank's experimental farm. age candy. Sold only by B. & A. Drugs

> Though it is claimed that man has been on the earth 500,000 years, half his knowledge and control of nature has come within the last hundred

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# WITH THE CHURCHES

presided at the first quarterly confer- ly made now for a date in March to be hour. ence of the M. E. Church of Floydada announced later. Report that the and of Floydada Circuit East and Floy- training school is assured was made at worship with us. dada Circuit West, held jointly at the the conference Sunday afternoon. Methodist Parsonage in Floydada Sun- Report for the two circuits also day afternoon at 2:30.

Some of the more interesting fea- working. tures of the report of the local church for the first quarter are:

Net gain of two in the membership; Miss Anna Sims, Candidate for Coun- the effort to get one-third of the total ty Clerk of Floyd County, will appre- annual budget of this church and oneciate your vote and influence. Subject half of the total annual assessment for gratifying results; the first half of Preaching at 7:30 p.m. the district assessments, including \$215 for conference work and \$215 for gen- the afternoon. eral work has been paid in or sub-Charles Clements, candidate for scribed for payment within sixty days BAPTIST CHURCH ON BUDGET

The pastor reported that arrange-Hogg is a nephew of ex-Governor Jim budget plan for some months.

show that these churches are actively

FLOYDADA CIRCUIT EAST A. D. Moore, Postor.

Sunday is our day at Fairview. Sunday school at 10 a. m.; preaching the benevolences of the church in- at 11 a.m.; Epworth League meets at cluding conference claims, foreign and 6:30 p. m. Following the program we domestic missions, etc., has met with will have the installation of officers. Preaching at Mayview at 3 o'clock in

ments have been definitely completed dada Sunday adopted the budget plan poisons and infectious germs, while the w. E. Huffhines, candidate for Disparty spend the month of July in Floy-

METHODIST CHURCH

Preaching by pastor Sunday at 11 m. and 7 p. m. Music by Male Quar-

tette at both services. The sermon will be on "Character Dr. Ernest E. Robinson, new presiding elder of the Plainview District, School at Floydada are being definite on "For God's Sake" at the evening

We will be mighty glad to have you

### FLOYDADA CIRCUIT WEST

J. N. S. Webb, Pastor Preaching at Cone after the Sunday School in the morning, and at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Sunday night at 7 o'clock preaching ervices will be held at Farmer.

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PROGRAM AT CEDAR ON

will be staged at the school auditorium haven't a book come anyhow, you will at Cedar Community Friday night of enjoy it. The choir will practice after next week, beginning at 7:45. The prayer meeting. program being arranged will be under program being arranged will be under the auspices of the Lockney Communities. A big welcome awaits you at the little Church. Come and see if there ty Chamber of Commerce and will in- isn't. clude several numbers by local talent of Lockney and the Cedar Community. According to the announcement one of the features will be an address on di-

Mr. Shoaf is trying to secure bard and Tom Bishop. one of the greatest "Zoological" singers in captivity, he says.

til all communities have been visited, young ones.

### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

F. L. Davis, Pastor

The all day Council meeting at Mrs. B. Jenkins was a great success last Monday. The attendance was good and the dinner was fine. The program was one of the best yet. Those who were church Sunday morning next at 11 a. not present missed a good time. They also gave Mrs. C. J. Smith, whose home burned lately, a shower. It consisted of useful things about the house.

Last Lord's Day was a good day all around. Had two good services in town by Baptist women of the W. M. U. for and an excellent one out at Newland next Monday, at 3:30 has been announcin the afternoon. The attendance there ed as follows: was good and interest fine.

The services next Lord's Day will be T. J. Dawson. as follows: S. S. at 10 o'clock, Lon M. Davis, Supt. We all decided last Sunday night that we were not satisfied with the number attending the S. S. and each one said that they thought we should have over 100 next Sunday. Let's have it.

The morning preaching will begin immediately after the Bible study period. The subject will be: "Our Lord's Last Command."

This will be an interesting and instructive message. Come hear it for it will do you good. We will also have special music.

The services at night will begin at o'clock and the subject will be: Webb. "The Book of Deuteronomy or Review of the Family History." This is the the different hooks

TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY be here soon. It is a lecture on "Sportsmanship" by Charley Paddock, "Sportsmanship" by Charley Paddock, of the Bible. They are proving very interesting and helpful to those attending. Many expressions of appreciation and enjoyment were given last Suninterecting. District Clerk, will appreciate your vote and support for that office in the coming July primary election. interesting and helpful to those attendday night at the close of the service. Come hear this one.

cold weather last third Sunday there did not heretofore know. was no one present, except the pastor and three others.

The Woman's Council will meet, both sections together, next Monday a ternoon with Mrs. J. M. Parsons. They will have the regular business meeting at that time. All of the ladies of the Council are urged to be pres-

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Don't forget the prayer meeting FRIDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 22 Wednesday night. They are getting more interesting. Those who have the A musical and educational program books can read lesson No. 7. If you

### BAPTIST CHURCH

The senior B. Y. P. U. elected new versified farming by some one from officers last Sunday as follows:
one of our agricultural colleges.

President, Miss Carver; vice-presi-

All the Baptist boys and girls are A similar program will be given at Roseland on January 29 and Lone Star on February 5, and a program at the various communities every Friday un-

### CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. L. B. Saxton, of Quanah, will preach at the Cumberland Presbyterian

W. M. U. PROGRAM, JAN. 18

The program which will be rendered

Subject-"Prayer;" leader, Mrs. J.

Song-"Jesus, Savior Pilot Me." "Bible Study"—Mrs. Lon Smith.
"Personal Service Period"

"Enrichment of Prayer"-Mrs. W. I

Duet-Miss Lela Windsor and Mrs. "Our Bible Work"-Mrs. E. R. Borum

Piano Solo. "Do You Remember?"-Mrs. Elbert Norman. "Our Home Beauitful"-Mrs. Bishop.

"Concerning Spiritual Gifts"-Mrs. M. L. Kizziar. Reading, "Sons of Earth"-Mrs. T. R.

Am taking this opportunity to again thank my friends for their support in Weather and roads permitting the my last race for this office, lost to Pastor will preach at Starkey next my worthy opponent by a narrow mar-Lord's Day afternoon immediately fol-lowing the S. S. Owing to the extreme this office, having met many that I

Wishing each and every one a prosperous year, I am

Yours very sincerely, T. P. Guimarin. Subject to the Democratic primary. (Political Advertisement)

TO RAISE BASIC MINIMUM OF AT-TENDANCE

Schools are crowded to the utmost throughout the Phillippine Islands exties, and attendance is increasing even husband's father, at Plainview. there. Three years is the average time Miss Ruby Norton is still absent nual message at the opening of the Phillippine legislature, Governor General Wood stated that special effort week.

Mrs. Eskridge is substituting in Miss had been made for the improvement of Norton's place in her absence. the primary and intermediate schools, where 951/2 per cent of the children receive their education. He recommended that four years be made the basic minimum of attendance, and that the minimum be raised to five years as soon as possible.

Indians on the Navajo Reservation in Arizona use prairie dogs for food, and consequently object to the usual methods of killing these pests by the distribution of poison baits. They are willing, however, to cooperate with Government and State officials in eradication campaigns carried on by running water down the prairie dog burrows after a heavy rain, forcing the rodents into the open, where they can be caught or killed.

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# Floydada Public School News

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FACULTY CHANGES MADE

The following changes are to be made E. S. Shoaf, secretary of the Lockney Chamber of Commerce, has charge of the program and says, "It will be first class in every respect, and there will be several surprises for those who attended." Mr. Shoaf, is trying to go to the Senior Class in every respect, and there will be several surprises for those who attended. The group captains are Pinky Hubton will take over the fourth grade and ninth grade English work, as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work, as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work, as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work, as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work, as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work, as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work, as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work, as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work, as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work, as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work, as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work, as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work, as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss Northead and ninth grade English work as assistant to Miss Alexander. Miss N the ward school, now taught by Miss is asked to help out with it. Manning, who will take up the work of urged to come. We especially ask that Mrs. Nelson in the sixth and 7th

# SUPERINTENDENT'S NOTES

The first meeting of the High School Next Sunday we will study about P. T. A., since Christmas, will be held view at Floydada.

John Huss (1373-1415), a reformer be- Thursday evening of this week. All —o fore the Reformation. Come and bring parents of high school students should

> iors of Lockney High School will give a play, "The Road to the City," at the high school auditorium here. The proceeds of this play go to the Floydada high sweater fund. The senior which will go the Sand Hill P. T. C. an annual this year, has taken up the ly and everyone should make an atimprovement of the school library at tempt to attend this play.

> All students intending to take up ommercial law, a arithmetic or geograwith the teacher who has that subject in charge before Friday of this week. The reason for this is to be subject in the subject in charge before Friday of this subject in the subject in charge before Friday of this subject in the s the teachers in re-arranging the schedule for the coming half term.

Spelling lists have been ordered.
Also material for declamations has been sent for. There should be more entrants in these contests, for it costs nothing to enter, and helps those who do enter a great deal.

The Lockney debating team this year is composed entirely of freshman students. This is an advantage to our

Feeling that I am well qualified to be and promises to be very interesting.

Those who intend to graduate this year should call at the principal's office and look into the condition of their credits. It is almost time to order the diplomas, and if you have not already gotton twelve credits, no diploma will be ordered for you. It a diploma is ordered for you and fail to graduate you will have to pay for it. Otherwise it will be paid for out of the proceeds of the senior play at the end of school.

PERSONALS

Irvan M. West of Munday, visited Ruby K. Higgs, head of the Commercial Department of Floydada High School, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. G. Clements is absent from

spent in the public schools. In his an- from school with an attack of Influenza

Mrs. Eskridge is substituting in Miss

Clark Battey from the rural district,

has entered the junior class. A. A. White, of Plainview, a noted in the positions of the teachers: Miss story-teller, provided the program Alexander will take over the two Monday morning in chapel. Among eleventh grade English classes now the stories he told was "The Lady of taught by Miss Norton, and will be- the Lake." His program was well ren-

### BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Girls: Dickens at Crosbyton-Wed-

Boys: Dickens at Crosbyton-Wed-Fairview at Fairview. Plain-

The play "Willowdale," given by the Sand Hill P. T. C. will be presented next Thursday evening. Entire pro-On Thursday of next week the Sen- ceeds of this play will go to the senior class at Lockney, instead of putting out Society. The seniors need money bad-

### **Locals and Personals**

Hazel Parker recently suffered an attack of appendicitis.

S. N. Tawwater, manager of Baker, Hanna & Co., returned Tuesday from Quanah, after a short business trip to

Mrs. Ama Smalley left yesterday to spend several days at Oklahoma City buying for Baker, Hanna & Co., late winter and early spring merchandise.

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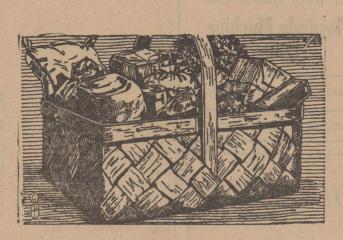


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