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## Keen Program Planned For Third and Fourth

American Legion Getting Hearty Cooperation from Business Interests of Community

Rounding out what is believed will be one of the most enjoyable two-day celebrations ever held on the south plains the American Legion executive committee, working with representatives of the Chamber of Commerce and business interests in general, has been meeting daily and developing their plans in a very systematic manner.

Two or three novel features besides the anticipated features of a two-days celebration and barbecue are being closed up this week.

The orator for the day of July 4th will be Joe Dibrell, Jr., of Coleman, a prominent lawyer, and a candidate for congress from that district. Writing the committee Mr. Dibrell declared the American Legion could count on his presence without either charge or expense. The hour for his address will be announced later.

Dare Devil Dyanshine is the thriller booked for two exhibitions daily. In this feature the performer is laced into a straight jacket, tied behind an automobile and drug until he extricates himself from the straight jacket. He has featured in several big celebrations so that the genuineness of the performances he gives is assured.

For both nights band concerts in one section of the business district and old-fashioned square dance with fiddlers furnishing the music are to be features. A caller will be used and old-fashioned fiddling. No modern dancing will be allowed. It will be just an enjoyable gathering of old-timers and their friends.

Immense crowds are promised from points surrounding.

Other features include the big parade on the morning of the 4th with 26 firms of Floydada represented. 24 Legion Posts have been extended an invitation to take part in this parade.

## STAR-TELEGRAM "IN" ON AMERICAN LEGION BARBECUE

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram is "in" on the big barbecue and celebration the McDermott Post American Legion is fostering for the third and fourth in Floydada.

Silliman Evans, reporter for the Star-Telegram, was here Monday. "Will you boys let the Star-Telegram in on this to the extent of a dollar?" he asked the committee who were raising money for the celebration, as he subscribed his dollar. The committee, figuring on the Star-Telegram's donation, decided that if everybody in Ft. Worth would be as liberal as West Texas' leading newspaper, the barbecue could be financed easily by close management.

## FISHED ON VACATION BUT IS AN HONEST MAN

The most honest man has been found. The Hesperian reporter gets the honor for digging up this unusual specimen in the person of a Floydada business man, J. G. Wood.

Mr. Wood in company with his wife and daughter and Mrs. T. P. Guimarin returned Saturday from a vacation visit with relatives at Olney and Graham.

Mr. Wood admits having been fishing while on his trip and even admits having fish for dinner. But he says the extent of his string of fish was a catfish about six or eight inches long. Members of the company caught fish all around him, but he refused even to tell of a big one that got away.

Special ceremonies will be observed when Mr. Wood is awarded the double-spouted molasses pitcher.

## MISS JOYCE HOPKINS GIVEN FAREWELL PARTY

A farewell party was given Miss Joyce Hopkins Thursday evening of last week by the Glad Girls Class of the Baptist Sunday School of which she is a member. The entertainment was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burke.

Miss Hopkins will leave the latter part of the week with her parents for White Deer, Texas, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. M. L. Childress and Mary and Martin, returned Friday from a visit of about their former home in Willy, also visiting with their Fort Worth while away.

## Cemetery Ass'n Not Attempting Lot Sale

Mrs. E. C. Henry, acting president of the Floydada Cemetery Association, yesterday taking notice of reports to the effect that the association is making an effort to sell lots in the cemetery, declared that an understanding to this effect is erroneous.

"We are aware of the fact that the Cemetery belongs to the public already and is in the hands of the county judge and his successors in office," Mrs. Henry said. "We are not now attempting to sell plots in the cemetery and do not have any plans like that under consideration for the future."

## AMMONIA BLAST INJURES STEPHENS' BROTHER-IN-LAW

A. F. Drysdale, of Fort Worth, was seriously injured by the explosion of a tank of ammonia at an ice plant where he was working Saturday night, a telegram Sunday to J. E. Stephens, his brother-in-law, stated.

Mr. Stephens and family left Tuesday for Fort Worth, where Mr. Drysdale's condition is said to be serious.

The blast broke both the victim's legs and severely scalded him. Even with these injuries, however, he was not overcome with the fumes but crawled to a window and escaped from the building.

## ROSS TRIAL OPENED MONDAY IN LUBBOCK COUNTY

The most noted criminal trial in the annals of south plains history is being held this week in Lubbock, Tom Ross, prominent cattleman of Gaines County being on trial charged with the murder of W. D. Allison at a hotel in Seminole on April 1st. Allison was an inspector for the cattle raisers' association and was sitting in the hotel lobby with a number of men when he and H. L. Robertson, another inspector, were shot and instantly killed where they sat. Tom Ross and Milt Goode are charged with the double killing. Ross' trial came first.

Monday was consumed by attorneys in argument of a motion for continuance. At the close of the day Judge Mullican over ruled the motion of the defense for a new trial and assessed ten fines of \$500 each against ten witnesses who were not present for the trial.

Hundreds of persons are in Lubbock for the trial. All spectators are being searched and every precaution taken for the prevention of any outbreak. Deputy Sheriff C. H. West, who had been in Lubbock Sunday, said that Sunday night it was impossible to get a bed, and the crowds increased considerably Monday morning.

Sheriff J. A. Grigsby, of this county, is in Lubbock at the request of the sheriff there, aiding in the handling of the large crowds and waiting on the court. He will be absent from home probably for several days.

## LOCKNEY PLEDGES HEARTY SUPPORT IN BARBECUE PLANS

Business men of Lockney pledged hearty support to the American Legion's big third and fourth of July celebration in Floydada at their weekly luncheon Monday noon.

Judge F. P. Henry and Attorney L. G. Mathews, of this city, were guests at the luncheon and told of the plans under way here for the big barbecue. Upon their return the Floydada men declared the committee named to raise barbecue and funds is composed of three live wires who will get results.

## MARCUS, FINE PERCHERON STALLION, IS DEAD

Marcus, fine pedigreed grey Percheron stallion, belonging to Horace T. Owen, died yesterday afternoon about one o'clock.

Spasmodic colic from eating corn chops was ascribed as the reason for the horse's demise.

The horse was considered one of the best in this county. He was six years old.

F. M. Northcutt, of Plainview, spent Monday to Wednesday in Floydada with the local Northcutt Grocery, exchanging with his brother, J. L. Northcutt who with his wife and two sons spent the time in Plainview at the store there.

Bill Allison, of Mt. Pleasant, arrived in Floydada yesterday for a visit with C. Snodgrass and family.

## Judge C. L. Glenn Injured in Wreck

Judge C. L. Glenn, former resident of Floydada, County Judge of Motley County, and pioneer citizen of West Texas, was very seriously injured and may not survive, and W. J. Whitworth, also a prominent citizen of Matador sustained a broken collar bone, in an automobile accident three miles east of Flomot Sunday morning. They were in company with Grover Frier to Flomot where the judge was to have officiated at an inquest. Frier sustained only minor bruises.

The car threw a rear tire on good road and turned turtle in an instant, persons who viewed the scene of the accident say. Judge Glenn was pinned underneath the car and sustained internal injuries in the upper part of the abdomen and lower part of the chest. Tuesday he was still in a serious condition at the home of Leonard Crowell in Flomot.

Widespread interest was evidenced here when it became known that Judge Glenn was injured. He has been considered one of the most progressive officials of this section of the state and has also made a record as a man of sound business judgment. He is well-known throughout this section of the state.

Rev. G. I. Britain, of Plainview, was in Floydada Tuesday morning, enroute home. He had been at the bedside of the judge and expressed the fear that Judge Glenn could not survive, unless his rugged constitution pulled him through.

A report from Matador this morning says the judge rested well yesterday afternoon and last night.

## NOMINATING COMMITTEE FOR RED CROSS NAMED

At Friday night's called session of the Chamber of Commerce L. G. Mathews, R. C. Henry and Glad Snodgrass were named as a nominating committee to select officers for the Floyd County Chapter of the Red Cross. Their nominations will be sent to the headquarters of the southwestern division for approval.

Although the county chapter has several hundred dollars in funds the organization, except for the Home Service Department, has been inactive for more than a year. The choice of officers is made for the purpose of retaining the organization and funds.

That the Chamber of Commerce is deeply interested in seeing that the American Legion Barbecue has every aid possible to give was indicated when volunteers were called for to aid the barbecue committee, to stage a mammoth trade and booster trip, covering some three hundred miles by auto, and to have all members as committee men to boost generally for the celebration here. J. T. Howard, Edgar Jones, Harry Snodgrass and A. H. Manning were named to be added to the barbecue committee.

O. M. Watson, A. L. Scoggin and Ed Johnson were named to work up the booster trip personnel.

## FLOYD COUNTY LARGE CONTRIBUTOR TO W. T. S. N. STUDENT BODY

Canyon, Texas, June 14.—Floyd County has been one of the largest contributors to the student body of the West Texas State Normal College during the regular session that has recently been finished. There were thirty-eight students enrolled from this county of whom twelve were young men and twenty-two were young ladies.

James Ishom Goins, of Lockney, besides carrying his regular work distinguished himself by qualifying for membership on the College debating team, which represented the West Texas State Teachers College in the debate against the East Texas State Teachers College at Commerce, Texas.

James Otus Mitchell of Floydada was a member of the Buffalo Football team, the Basketball team and the Baseball team; as center in the Basketball team Mitch was one of the best that the College has ever had.

## DINNER PARTY FOR MADDOX'S 49th BIRTHDAY

Mrs. J. R. Maddox gave a dinner Saturday honoring her husband on the occasion of his forty-ninth birthday. A number of friends of Mr. Maddox were present and enjoyed a delightful dinner.

## Tech Locating Board Coming August 2nd

In the itinerary of the Texas Technological College Locating Committee, announced Saturday from Austin, by Secretary W. R. Nabours, Floydada is scheduled to be visited on August 2nd. The detailed schedule was made up and announced two days after the announcement was made that thirty-seven offers from as many towns would be inspected and considered by the committee. The itinerary is so arranged that two sites a day will be inspected on many days, the total time to be consumed being 26 days, according to present arrangements. The schedule puts Boerne as the first town to be visited and Vernon as the last. Floydada's site will be inspected on the day following the committee's visit to Crosbyton and Spur and Plainview's site will be inspected on the same day of the inspection at Floydada.

This is the official itinerary:

July 14, Boerne, returning to Austin; July 16, Lampasas, going from Austin; July 17, Brady and Menard; July 18, Brownwood and Coleman; July 19, Ballinger and Paint Rock; July 20, Miles and San Angelo; July 21, Midland going from San Angelo that day; July 23, Slaton and Big Spring; July 24, Colorado and Sweetwater; July 25, Abilene and Buffalo Gap; July 26, Clyde and Cisco; July 27, Seymour and Munday; July 28, Haskell and Stamford; July 30, Snyder and Post; July 31, Wilson and Lubbock; August 1, Crosbyton and Spur; August 2, Floydada and Plainview; August 3, Tulia and Amarillo; August 4, Claude going to Memphis; August 5, Memphis and Quanah; August 7, Vernon, completing the itinerary.

## CENTER ITEMS

Center, June 18.—We keep having threatening weather. People appreciate the rains but they would appreciate a few days in which to kill the grass and weeds.

Harvest will soon be here. Not over a week or ten days now and lots of grain will be put in the shock.

Mr. Noland and family spent Sunday at Mr. Huckabee's. The young people all attended Sunday School and Singing.

J. B. Henderson and son, Frank, spent a few days visiting the G. C. Tubbs and W. B. Jordan families. Mr. Henderson is Mesdames Tubbs' and Jordan's father. They returned Monday to their home at Temple, Okla.

Mrs. Montgomery attended children's day exercises at Fairview last Sunday. Mr. Lightfoot and family and Mr. Cozby and family were there, too.

Remember, next Saturday and Sunday are church days here. We invite all to come out.

Mrs. S. J. Hooser and daughter, Mattie Lee Richardson, of Seymour, Texas, are here for an extended visit with Mrs. Hooser's son, T. J. Hooser and family.

T. S. Rucker, of San Francisco, visited from Friday to Tuesday in Floydada with his sisters, Mesdames J. B. Jenkins and Jno. N. Farris.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Kight, of Claude, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sheid and Mrs. H. M. Kight, of Long Beach, Cal., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dickey.

Elder E. B. Mullins returned last week from Hillsboro, where he had been at the bedside of a sick brother-in-law for some weeks.

J. D. Farmer is recovering slowly from an illness which has lasted throughout the spring and early summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Steen and Misses Roma Swain and Kate McFall reached home the first of the week from a vacation trip through Colorado, Kansas and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Smith, of Tonkawa, Oklahoma, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Smith, left Wednesday for Corsicana to visit other relatives.

B. P. Woody has been in Girard this week on business.

Mrs. B. P. Woody and little son left Monday for San Antonio on a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Montgomery and family are visiting in Bovina and Clovis this week with relatives. They left last Thursday and expect to return about Saturday.

T. S. Stevenson returned the first of the week from Sweetwater, where he had been to attend the meeting of the directors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

## Devol, Okla., Man Died at Cedar Friday

Charles M. Hammons of Devol, Oklahoma, brother of H. A. Hammons of Cedar Community, died at his brother's home last Friday after being here some two months. He had been suffering from tuberculosis.

F. C. Harmon prepared the remains for shipment to the home of his family at Devol and shipment was made Sunday morning from Roaring Springs.

Mr. Hammons is survived by his wife and nine children. His brother, H. A. has resided in this county for seven years.

## ATTEND BANKERS CONVENTION AT PLAINVIEW

The Floydada banks sent strong delegations to the nineteenth annual convention of the Panhandle Bankers Association held Tuesday and Wednesday in Plainview. Practically all the officers, directors and employees of the First National and First State banks attended. They were guests at a number of social affairs following the business sessions.

The executive committee was appointed to select the date and place of the next convention.

## FLOYD COUNTY BEST OF 20 SEEN ON TRIP SOUTH

J. A. Blackwell and family are at home from a trip to the south and southwest lasting over a period of twenty days or more, visiting as far south as San Antonio in their absence. "We had a great trip," Mr. Blackwell said, "and enjoyed it immensely. I can't help going on record as a booster for Floyd County for our crop prospects and conditions generally impressed me on my return as being better than those I found in the fifteen or twenty other counties I visited."

G. R. Strickland had charge of the Electric Shoe Shop in Mr. Blackwell's absence.

## PARTY HONORS VISITORS FROM DOWN-STATE CITIES

Thursday afternoon of last week a delightfully appointed party, given by Mrs. J. M. Parsons and her sister, Miss Lois Richards at the Parsons home in Baker Community, honored Mrs. L. S. Tanner of Texarkana, and Miss Pat McCartney of Waxahachie.

Bridge was played at three tables, first prize going to Mrs. Lon I. Davis. Guest prizes went to Mrs. Tanner and Miss McCartney.

Decorations in yellow and purple color scheme were used and the motif was carried out in the refreshments served in two courses.

Other guests of the afternoon were Mrs. Frank Ewing and Miss Ollie Echols of Matador; Misses Tip Bradford, of Canyon, Naomi Harmonson of Fort Worth, Ruth Collins and Marie Henry; Mesdames T. B. Triplett, Roy L. Snodgrass and W. B. Henry.

## PLAY AT MCCOY SCHOOL HOUSE SATURDAY NIGHT

The young people of the Methodist Sunday School at McCoy, are to give the play, "A Kentucky Bell" at the school house Saturday night. "Cindy and Henry," two characters in the play, are expected to cure the blues with their stunts.

Proceeds go to the W. M. Society of McCoy to be used to further the cause of missionary work.

## MCCOY HAPPENINGS

McCoy, June 19.—Every farmer of the community seems to be very busy in his crops for the past several days. Some few in this part of the county will start to harvesting this week.

Miss Winnie Jackson was married to Mr. Joe Childress last Thursday evening at the home of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Childress are making their home near Allmon.

There were several from this community who took dinner at Mr. L. T. Grace's home in Petersburg Sunday.

Rev. Tenison filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday. His sermons were fine, and enjoyed.

Mr. Moore, of Allmon, visited in this community Sunday.

George Smith has been suffering the past few days from some injury, probably a poison insect bite.

Stanley Childress has recently purchased a new combine harvester.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McLain, of Mickey, June 19th, a son.

## Itinerary for 2-Day Trade Trip Announced

The itinerary for the two-day trade trip and booster automobile excursion by Floydada business men and Legionnaires for the celebration on July 3rd and 4th were announced yesterday, and plans are being made to make the trip a real "Pep" caravan, extolling the good will of Floydada for its neighbors and boosting the forth-coming celebration. The trips will be made on next Tuesday and Wednesday, June 26th and 27th.

O. M. Watson, A. L. Scoggin and Ed Johnson announced Tuesday that forty-five cars had been pledged for the trip and the personnel of the excursion train may be made up of 125 or more persons including representatives of many of the business houses of Floydada. Twenty pieces of the Lorenzo Chamber of Commerce Band, official band for the 3rd and 4th, will accompany the trade trippers and make the music on the rounds. Harvest field hats, the wide-brimmed straws, have been decided upon as the official headgear and everybody on the trip will wear one of them with a specially designed hat band.

The first day's trip will touch at eight points for stops enroute. Leaving Floydada at 7 o'clock the caravan will reach Ralls at 8:15 for the first stop, where 30 minutes will be spent. Crosbyton and Roaring Springs will be visited in succession and the noon stop made at Matador. Leaving Matador at 12:45 Whiteflat, Flomot and Quitaque will be visited in succession for 15 minutes each and Silvertown will be reached at 4 p. m. for the last stop of the day.

Wednesday, June 27th the trade trippers will leave Floydada at 8 a. m., reach Lockney at 8:30, then Plainview and Hale Center, reaching Abernathy for the noon stop at 12:05. Leaving Abernathy at 1 p. m., the caravan will visit Lubbock, Dalou and Lorenzo in succession, reaching home at 6:30 p. m.

The importance of these trips to the business interests of the town in creating good will toward Floydada at this time as well as its value as an advertising feature for the 3rd and 4th of July celebration, are stressed by the committee of which Mr. Watson is chairman. "We can combine a hefty boost for the business interests of Floydada in general as well as for the Legion boys' celebration, which we want to make our celebration as well," Mr. Watson said.

## ON FISHING TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Fagan, Mrs. A. D. White and daughters Ruby and Jack and son A. D., Jr., in company with Mr. and Mrs. Fahey Pundt left Monday morning for points downstate where they will spend several days on an outing and fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Pundt will proceed to their home at Goose Creek, accompanied by Misses Ruby and Jack White, who will be their guests for several days.

## MISS ROXYE IVEY ACCEPTS NORTH SIDE PRINCIPALSHIP

Miss Roxye Ivey advised the school board yesterday in a communication from Boulder of her acceptance of the place as principal of the North Side School, to which she was elected several days ago by the board.

Two or three other members of the faculty elected at the same time have advised of their acceptance of places.

## GRAIN INSPECTOR TO BE MAINTAINED BY GRAIN MEN

Grain men of Floyd, Hale, Swisher and Briscoe Counties in a meeting at Plainview Saturday afternoon decided to employ a federal inspector to maintain an inspection office at Plainview, and J. B. Wallace was re-employed to have charge of the exchange.

Among the dealers from Floydada who attended the conference were W. H. Edwards of the Edwards Grain Company, W. J. Burke, C. W. and J. F. Boothe of Boothe Bros., and L. A. Marshall from the Marshall Grain Company.

The value of the grain exchange near at home is in the saving effected in weights and grades based on federal inspection, destination weights and grades having served to lose the dealers heavil yin the past in many instances.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Atkins spent last Sunday with home-folks at Slaton.



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Floydada doesn't need a sewer system next year; it needs a sewer system this year.

B. O. Brown, formerly assistant professor of Journalism at the Texas University and for the past year editor of the Electra News, has been named as a teacher in the School of Journalism at Leland Stanford University in California. Mr. Brown is, without doubt, one of the ablest editors in the Texas field. He will go to California about September 1st.

Now that the date for the visit of the Tech Locating Board has been definitely set and the rapid approach of the Fourth of July is told in a brief glance at the calendar we suggest that Floydada people should "Spruce up" more than ever. Floydada has a moderately clean town. It is above the average, we admit with much pleasure. But it can be a much cleaner town, no one can successfully deny. As long as there is room for improvement we can't afford to let up on the work of presenting a good appearance for the sake of the civic betterment as well as the possible financial gain.

In the program of development for Floydada, as in any community, there are certain steps always best arrived at their proper sequence, which must be taken in their order and at the proper time if the town develops into a really valuable distributing center and justifies its existence as a competitor for the favor and patronage of any given trade territory. It is at one of these times when a step is necessary that Floydada has arrived. That times will ever be good again when they are so-called "bad" or that they will ever be bad again when they are so-called "good" is apparently doubted by a majority of the people. It is a short three years ago since it was advanced as an axiom that times would never be "hard" again. Some kind of a hocus pocus had been said and things would never be the same; there'd always be plenty of work, plenty of this and that, at good prices, etc, etc, without end. Now, the story is reversed and there'll never be good times again, "they" say. Both wrong. Good and bad times, so-called, are as inevitable as the swing of the pendulum. Public improvements, when needed, may as well be started at one time as another. If the money is expended wisely and economically it will be worth much more than the cost. The additional tax will be outweighed by the additional benefits and the community will grow. "Good" or "bad" times are so unimportant, relatively, as regards the building of a sewer system that they can both be discarded as an argument either for or against a public improvement so badly needed that the community

is beginning to pay the penalty for backwardness in undertaking it. Floydada really needs and really must have a sewer system. Let us not delay the undertaking.

**GLARING HEADLIGHTS**

And what has become of the old fashioned car driver who used to dim his glaring headlights when passing another auto? Two or three years ago huge sums of money were spent in buying new lenses which were supposed to prevent glare. Every car had to be equipped with the new lenses, and it certainly sounded like a sensible idea. It worked satisfactorily to a degree, but the idea seems to have been lost sight of. Headlights are more glaring than ever, and the custom of dimming has become a lost art.

The way it is now, when two cars pass at night, there is a certain space during which the drivers can only hope that they are on the road, or that no obstacle is directly in front of them. It seems to the Tribune-Chief that the laws regarding headlights should be strictly enforced. There seems to be no reason why the cars should not be equipped with lights which will not blind the driver of an approaching car. And the courtesy of dimming might also be revived with no hurt resulting.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

**TO THE TAX PAYERS OF FLOYD COUNTY:**

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Floyd County, Texas, will sit as a board of equalization on the 2nd day of July, 1923. Notices have been mailed to the taxpayers whose renditions the court proposes to raise, and they are hereby requested to appear before said board, and give cause if any why their taxes should not be raised.

LOLA WALLING,  
Clerk County Court, Floyd County,  
Texas. 16-2tc

Elder and Mrs. C. W. Watkins, of Petersburg, were in Floydada Monday shopping.

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP**

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County—Greeting:

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

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP**

The State of Texas,  
To all persons interested in the welfare of Marion Rasco, Lenard Rasco, Pink Rasco and Inda Rasco, minors, J. C. Gaither has filed in the County Court of Floyd County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the estate of Marion Rasco, Lenard Rasco, Pink Rasco and Inda Rasco, minors, which application will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in July, A. D. 1923, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Floydada, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this 12th day of June, A. D. 1923.

(Seal) LOLA WALLING,  
Clerk County Court, Floyd County,  
Texas. 15-3tc

**W. U. WHITE SLIGHTLY INJURED WHEN CAR WRECKED**

W. U. White was only slightly injured but his car was badly wrecked when the car turned turtle on the Floydada-Plainview road about three miles out of Plainview last Sunday. Mr. White was enroute to Floydada when the accident occurred.

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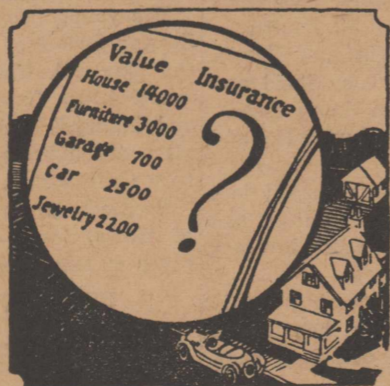
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#### ASSOCIATIONAL B.Y.P.U. MEETS HERE SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The Floyd County Associational B. Y. P. U. will meet with the Floydada Union Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in a joint meeting. Representatives from nearly all the churches where B. Y. P. U.'s have an organized work are expected to attend the meeting. The Floydada B. Y. P. U. will render the program after several important business matters will have been discussed and disposed of. The program follows:

Subject—The life of Joseph.  
Song service in charge of Elmer Wood, chorister; "My Desire," "Zeal, Our Watchword," "Loyalty to Christ," "Reapers are Needed."  
Leader Otis Carter.

Business meeting presided over by Margaret Grigsby, president of the Associational B. Y. P. U.

Mixed Quartette—"Is it Well?"  
The life of Joseph up to sixteen years of age—Wallace Maxwell.

Joseph in Egyptian Slavery—Louise Wright.

Solo—Ira Marshall.  
Joseph as a ruler—Rev. J. Pat Horton.

#### CHRISTIAN CHURCH CONGREGATION MAKE PICNIC OF CLEAN UP

Many of the members of the Christian Church met Friday afternoon of last week and made a picnic of the clean up of weeds on the church lots on West Missouri Street.

Fifty or more members took part in the weed cutting activities and the festivities in the form of a picnic lunch served following the completion of the work.

The church's example is being followed this week by a number of owners of homes who saw the great improvement in appearances on the church lots.



REV. J. E. BELL

of Marlow, Oklahoma, who will preach for the revival services of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, which will begin on July 22nd.

Rev. Bell is state evangelist for the Cumberland Church in Oklahoma. He is a very earnest preacher. The meeting, according to present plans will last through to August 5th and will be held in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

#### METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday at 11 a. m., I will preach on "Holiness."

At 3 p. m. I will preach on the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper and also administer the sacrament at McCoy.

The preaching service begins at 8:15 p. m., Sunday evening at Floydada and the sermon will be on the subject, "What Think Ye of Christ?"

J. L. HENSON, Pastor.

#### FLOYDADA AND LOCKNEY SUNDAY SCHOOLS IN PICNIC

Members of the Methodist Sunday Schools of Floydada and Lockney are this afternoon enjoying a picnic on Blanco Canyon. The two schools have been in an attendance and good lessons contest for several weeks. The contest closes Sunday, and the picnic was to have been held next week sometime.

The approach of the harvest, however, was the occasion for the change in the plan by which the date for the picnic was set forward a week.

#### DISTRICT MEETING

The annual district meeting of the Womans Missionary Societies of the Plainview District will be held at the Methodist Church in Plainview June 28 and 29th.

Session will open 10 a. m. Thursday the 28th. We will have with us at that time Mrs. T. C. Delaney, of Memphis, Texas, Conference Supt. Young People, Mrs. R. L. Smallwood, of Stratford Conference Supt. of Children's Work, Mrs. J. Frank Potts of Hereford Conference Rec. Sec. and Miss Laura Edwards Missionary to Korea.

A pageant will be rendered on the

evening of the 28th by the Young People of the district. Make your plans to attend the entire session. Please send names of all who will attend, to Mrs. C. E. Cunningham, Plainview, Texas, and state whether you will come by rail or automobile.

Mrs. O. P. Clark, Dist. Secretary.

#### SENIOR B. Y. P. U.

Program for Sunday, June 24th at 7:30 P. M.

Subject: Missionary meeting—"Unto the uttermost parts."  
Song service—Elmer Wood.

Bible readers' quiz—Miss Windsor. Reading—Rosa Jones.

Introduction by Pinky Hubbard, leader.

Our sixteen mission fields—Louise Wright.

How distance has practically been done away with—Wallace Maxwell.

To the uttermost parts racially—Ruby Price.

The cost of going to the uttermost parts—the wealth of Southern Baptists—Miss Annie Bond.

Giving ourselves "unto the uttermost part."—R. V. Bond.

My part in the "uttermost part"—Audrey Mae Borum.

Report of secretary and various committees.

#### CHURCH PREPARING FOR N. W. TEXAS CAMPMEETING

The Christian Church at Floydada is studying plans for the Northwest Texas Campmeeting to be held here in August and committee meetings will be held soon to settle definitely some of the preliminaries.

On Monday of next week advertising plans will be threshed out by local committeemen, who will confer here with Rev. Mr. Wright, of the Christian Church of Plainview.

#### MEETING DATE

The date for the meeting of the Church of Christ in Floydada, which will be held at the Tabernacle, is Saturday night before the second Sunday in July, it is announced.

Elder N. L. Clark, of Fort Worth, will preach during the meeting.

#### PREACHING ANNOUNCEMENT

Elder C. W. Smith of Sand Hill, will preach next Sunday morning at the Church of Christ, on South Wall Street, it is announced.

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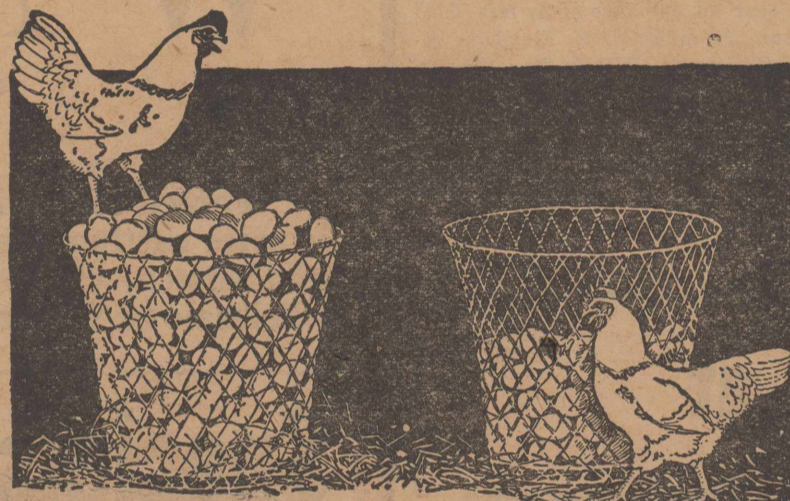
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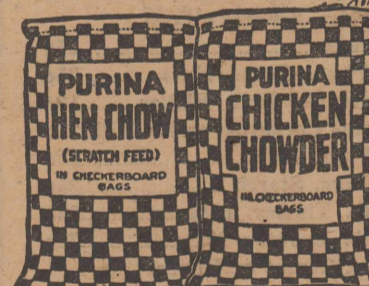
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**\$125 LEAK-PROOF** — an exclusive two-piece design, preventing loss of gas and compression. Gives equal pressure at all points on cylinder walls. For all piston grooves except top, which should have Superoyl. Each ring packed in a parchment container.

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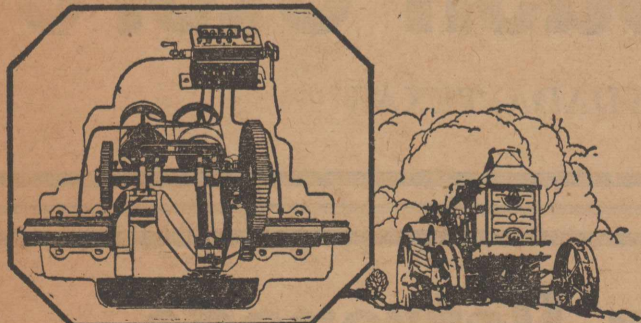
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**The Hesperian Want Ad Department**

**OSTEOPATH**

Dr. W. H. Ballew, of Plainview, will open an office in Floydada for the practice of Osteopathy Mon., June 4. Dr. Ballew will be in Floydada Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings of each week only, from 8:30 to 12:00. Office over Mitchell Hardware, West Side Square. 13-4tp

Lubricating oils, gas and kerosene. Collins Gro. Company. 4-tfc

FOR Sewing see Mrs. Tom Smith. 15-3tp.

Beginning June 15th my price for milk will be 10c per quart delivered. O. R. Gordon Dairy. 15-3tc

FOR SALE—header with Binder attachment. J. J. Day. 16-tfc.



THERE'S ONLY ONE BAD FEATURE ABOUT GLAD'S CLOTHES

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That's bad for me, but it's good for you.

You'll never find anything in this store that hasn't a national reputation behind it.

This week I am featuring "Carhartt" and "Big Joe" work clothes.

WHEAT RAISERS Send the hands in here for their harvest clothes. YOUR credit is good here until you harvest.

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FOR SALE BY Barker Bros. Floydada, Texas

Pipe, casing, wood rod, cylinders, fittings, Challenge and Standard wind mills. Kirk and Sons. 16-1tc

Have 320 acres improved farm 13 miles from Floydada, 100 acres in cotton, shallow water, close to school, that would trade for smaller farm closer to town, or would trade for good dwelling in Floydada. R. E. Fry. 15-2tc.

FOR SALE—8 pigs. See W. H. Finley. 16-2tp

CHERRIES at Orchard or mail orders delivered daily 50c per gallon. R. C. Scott. 16-1tc

Some real specials in the best line of furniture in town. Kirk and Sons. 16-1tc

Marshall wants to buy your wheat this time. Our 12 years experience is worth money to you if you know it. Let's talk it over. Marshall Grain Company, at Public Scales. 15-3tc

WANTED—To buy small tandem. J. S. Hale. 14-3tp

Plymouth twine at 14c. Kirk and Sons. 16-1tc

Ladies get the new shades in Holeproof Hosiery at Glad's. 16-1tc

Fire, Tornado, Hail, Life, Automobile and Plate Glass Insurance, Surety Bonds, no application, no delay, Strong Old Line Companies Represented, Efficient, Prompt and courteous service. On this basis your business is solicited and will be appreciated. DUNCAN INSURANCE AGENCY. Rooms 8 and 9, Natl. Bank Bldg. Phone No. 272. 3-tcf

FOR SALE—A thresher, been run one season. 22 inch cylinder. Can be pulled with Fordson Tractor. See J. J. Day. 15-2tp

One more header at good price and terms. Kirk and Sons. 16-1tc

FOR SALE—5 good fresh milk cows. J. H. Cooper. 15-4tp.

WANTED—To cook for independent threshing crew. Experienced cook. See W. W. Wilks at Curley's Cafe. 16-2tp.

All work and no play makes some people grouchy. Try a swim. You'll enjoy it. 15-tf.

When you need a high grade piano, phonograph, or sheet music write or call on J. W. Boyle & Son, Plainview. We will sell you on time or will take live stock in exchange. Just unloaded a car of pianos. 8-tfc.

Good Gasoline, Good Coal Oil, Good Lubricating Oil, at Stephens' Store, successors to Floydada Oil Co. 3-tfc

The JUMBO line of harness is very complete. Kirk and Sons. 16-1tc

For marble or granite Monuments see S. B. McCleskey. 4-tfc.

First class dress making. See Miss Mollie Crum at Floydada Variety Store. 15-tfc

Just received at Glads all the new shades in Holeproof Hosiery. 16-1tc

Oil cloth patterns for kitchen walls, at Harmon's. 14-1tc

A good swim makes you feel 10 years younger. 15-tfc

Well supplies, complete stock at lowest prices. Kirk and Sons. 16-1tc

If you want a farm lease see W. M. Massie & Bro. 31-tfc

960 acres improved deeded land in Colorado to exchange for Floyd County property. Seven typewriters for sale or trade. J. N. Johnston. 11-tfc

You don't have to dig up the cash to buy a piano of J. W. Boyle & Son, Plainview; round up old Kate and Mollie, drive them in and lead a piano home. 13-tfc

CHERRIES at Orchard or mail orders delivered daily 50c per gallon. R. C. Scott. 16-1tc

LOST—Tall bay mare about 9 years old, scar on one fore foot, left Todd pasture 25 miles N. E. Floydada before Christmas. Notify Roy Shirley, Floydada, Texas.

If you want a right lap plow, see us at once, as we are unable to get a supply of these plows this year. Kirk and Sons. 16-1tc

Best grade kerosene. Collins Gro. Company. 4-tfc

If it is not in town, let us get it for you. Kirk and Sons. 16-1tc

Bring your tin work and sheet metal repairs to W.S. Kennon & Son. 13-tfc.

We are now heating the water at the swimming pool and you'll find it just right. Marshall Bros. 15-tfc

FOR SALE—Used McCormick 7-foot binder. W. B. Jordan, a cross the road from Center School house 15-2tp.

FRESH MILK at 10c a quart. T. D. Woods. 16-3tp

Wanted to sell 100 pair ladies Holeproof hose this month. Glad's. 16-1tc

FOR SALE or trade—Double disc plow and 12-hole Kentucky Drill. 400 acres drilled with. Will sell on time or trade for stock B. W. McReynolds, Petersburg, Texas. 16-3tp

FOR SALE—Two galvanized grain bins, 1000 bu. capacity and platform. S. D. Ferguson & Co. 16-tfc

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FOR SALE—Harley-Davidson motorcycle with side car in good shape. R. G. French at Harmon's. 16-3tp

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ROBT. T. MILLER, PROP.

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I will try to give you the best of service and highest market prices at all times.

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**Another Big WALLOP To Prices**

Forced to sacrifice entire stock to raise cash—The most drastic price cutting ever known in the panhandle country. Come, men and women, who are in need of merchandise and buy at less than wholesale or factory cost—We must sell and sell quick.

**Specials on Sale Saturday**

Look Them Over—Then Come Early Before They're Gone.

One lot 36-inch soft finish Bleached Domestic.....	14c	One lot Infants Black and Fancy Hose.....	4c
One lot 36 inch "LL" Unbleached Domestic.....	9c	One lot men's Black Seamless Socks.....	7c
The above are worth 25 and 20c			
One lot 36 inch Indian Head.....	23c	One lot men's Rockford Mixed Work Socks.....	10c
Extra—One lot Shirting Prints, 10 yards to a customer.....	4c	One lot 10c Toilet Paper.....	5c
One lot Dress Gingham.....	10c	One lot men's all Leather Calf Skin Gloves.....	75c
Extra—32 inch Toile du Nord Gingham.....	25c	One lot ladies Patent and Kid Slippers.....	\$1.19
Special—Extra wide Fancy Hair Ribbons.....	11c	One lot regular 50c child's Wash and Straw Hats.....	25c
		Values to \$7.50; 1 lot Ladies Georgette and Silk Waists.....	\$3.98

Many More Bargains as Good as These—Come and Save.

**Berry Cash Store**

FLOYDADA, TEXAS

**Prices at Northcutt Grocery First Door West of City Cafe**

<b>FLOUR AND MEAL</b>	2 Cans No. 2 Pork & Beans 25c
48 lb. Sack Light Crust.....\$1.95	6 lb. box Crackers.....75c
48 lb. Sack Belle of Vernon 1.95	2 Pkgs. Post Toasties.....25c
48 lb. Sack Cream of the Plains.....\$1.90	2 Pkgs. Post Bran.....25c
48 lb. Sack White Dove.....\$1.90	2 Pkgs. Shredded Wheat.....25c
25 lb. Sack Cream Meal.....70c	2 Pkgs. Kellogg's Corn Flakes.....25c
25 lb. Sack Pearl Meal.....70c	2 Pkgs. Grape Nuts.....25c
<b>SYRUP</b>	Kellogg's Bran Flakes.....10c
Gallon can Red Label Karo 65c	4 cans Carnation or Pet Milk 25c
Gallon can Blue Label Karo 60c	3 Pkgs. Soda.....25c
Gallon can Mary Jane.....65c	3 Pkgs. Starch.....25c
Gallon can Pancake.....65c	1 lb. Tinsley Tobacco.....90c
Gallon pure Sorghum.....95c	1 lb. Brown's Mule.....70c
Gallon pure Ribbon Cane.....95c	6-oz. Garret or Honest Snuff.....35c
<b>BEANS</b>	Plain Block Salt.....55c
Lima Beans.....12 1-2c	Sulphur Block Salt.....65c
Pink Beans.....10c	Gray Salt.....50c
Navy Beans.....11c	Bulk Coconut, lb.....35c
Gal. pure Apple Vinegar.....40c	Best Peaberry Coffee.....32c
2 Cans No. 2 Tomatoes.....25c	Arbuckle's Coffee.....32c
2 Cans No. 3 Tomatoes.....35c	Compound, 8 lb. Pail.....\$1.45
2 Cans No. 3 Hominy.....25c	Sugar cured Bacon.....26c
2 Cans No. 2 Corn.....25c	

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**COLLINS GROCERY COMPANY**

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# STOCK REDUCTION SALE FOR 10 DAYS

Beginning Friday, June 22nd and Closing July 3rd.

Everything goes in this sale. Everything is cut and cut deep. We must reduce our stock to its normal size in ten days. ¶ Our staple merchandise was bought early before the advancing market. We buy our merchandise in New York and other Eastern markets. We buy in large quantities and by doing this we give you at all times the advantage of our buying power. ¶ And now that we have cut the price to the core on everything we want you to come and look. We guarantee that every purchase you make is bona fide cut price purchase. If you are not satisfied your money is cheerfully refunded. Everything sold during this big sale is for cash only.

## Purses

Ladies, see the newest thing in Purses, a wonderful variety of colors and designs in Paisley and King Tut, all shapes and sizes including the new Pouches. A purse for every frock, at lower prices.

One Lot of

**\$1.50 PURSES 98c**

All higher priced purses reduced 1-3.

## Apron Dresses

Just the dress you want for house and yard wear; made of good quality percale, good workmanship and choice designs. The best we can say. Come look the line over.

**87 Cents**

## Silk Dresses

All of our fine silk dresses, this includes Palmers, go in this sale less

**33 1-3%**

## Silk Blouses Sweaters

All silk blouses and sweaters go at a discount

**33 1-3%**

All Middy Blouses, all styles less 25 per cent.

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CHILDREN'S, MISSES' AND WOMEN'S.

\$1.25 Shoes	98c
\$1.50 Shoes	\$1.25
\$1.75 Shoes	\$1.45
\$2.25 Shoes	\$1.85
\$2.75 Shoes	\$2.35
\$2.95 Shoes	\$2.55
\$3.25 Shoes	\$2.75
\$3.45 Shoes	\$2.85
\$3.95 Shoes	\$3.35
\$4.95 Shoes	\$3.85
\$6.45 Shoes	\$4.35

## Queen Quality Shoes

FOR WOMEN

\$6.85 Shoes	\$4.95
\$7.50 Shoes	\$5.55
\$8.50 Shoes	\$6.85

SPECIAL PRICES ON ALL BOYS' AND MEN'S SHOES

## Men's Clothing---Hart Schaffner & Marx

VALUES UP TO \$50.00, YOUR CHOICE.....\$34.75

### FRAT CLOTHES

\$25.00 Suits, this sale at	\$19.75
\$29.00 Suits, this sale at	\$23.75
\$35.00 and \$39.00 Suits, this sale at	\$28.50

### Light Tropical Clothes

\$17.50 Genuine Palmbeach	\$12.85
\$25.00 Gabardine	\$19.75

### SPECIALS

Only three to the customer, heavy blue work shirt, our regular \$1.00 value, three shirts for.....\$2.00  
Men's 220 weight overalls, sizes 28 to 44.....\$1.35  
Boys' overalls, heavy weight.....79c

### BLOOMERS FOR MISSES AND WOMEN

Pink knit bloomers, regular value 85c, special	69c
\$1.50 Bloomers, assorted colors	98c
\$2.95 Bloomers	\$1.98
\$3.45 Jersey Silk Bloomers	\$2.65
\$4.85 Knit Silk Bloomers	\$2.98

## Gingham and Cotton Fabrics

27 inch 12 1-2c Dress Gingham	10c
32 inch 23c Dress Gingham	17c
32 inch 25c Dress Gingham	19c
32 inch 29c Dress Gingham	24c
32 inch 65c Gilbrae Gingham	39c
36 inch 59c Everfast Gingham	39c
28 inch 25c Dutches Madress	19c
28 inch 25c Cheviots	19c
31 inch Mattress Ticking	16c
36 inch 39c Indian Head	29c
38 inch 50c Flaxon white	39c
36 inch 75c Daisy Stain, underwear material	58c
81-90 Premium Sheets, each	\$1.29

### SPECIAL

2,000 yards brown domestic, 36 inches wide, limited 20 yards to the customer,

**Per Yard 10c**

Ten Bargain Days

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Ten Days of Big Bargains



HARMONY NEWS

Harmony, June 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Markham and father, J. M. Markham, of Tullia, have been at the Seth Waddill home the past few days. They are moving their big threshing outfit to a point east of Floydada, preparatory to the harvest.

Rev. and Mrs. Maxwell, of Ozona, Texas, have been visiting his aunt, Mrs. M. J. Carr, the past week. Mr. Maxwell preached to the people of Carr's Chapel Sunday, both morning and night. They left for home Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hargis and son, Charley, of Plainview, came to the home of Mrs. Hargis' parents Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hanna are receiving a visit from their sons, who have been attending school at Norman, Oklahoma. J. D. came Wednesday, bringing his bride, and Gordie came Friday. He finished high school there this year.

The young people enjoyed a picnic at Roaring Springs last week.

Warren and Nova Waddill attended church and visited friends in the community Sunday.

W. C. Clubb is having a visit from his sister, Mrs. Redmond.

Ralph Thomas spent Monday night in Plainview.

Mrs. L. E. Williams has been suffering from a fall sustained a few days ago. She is able to be up most of the time.

Several houses have been reshingled as a result of the recent hail storms. Mr. Hale, Mr. Scott and Mr. Williams have new roofs while other roofs have been patched.

Mr. and Mrs. George Finkner entertained the young folks with a party Wednesday night in honor of Mr. Finkner's brother, Will Finkner, who was twenty-one years of age that day. Ice cream and cake were served and all enjoyed the evening.

OFFICER KILLS SON OF FORMER HALE COUNTY SHERIFF

Alvie Hooper, 30, son of J. C. Hooper, former sheriff and tax collector of Hale County for eight years, was shot and killed instantly in Lubbock on Sunday morning about one o'clock. His assailant, John T. Halbert, a deputy constable, was severely wounded, though probably not fatally, by Hooper. Both men used .38 automatic pistols.

That it was a case of mistaken identity on the part of both men is the belief of officers who investigated the killing, it is reported in Floydada. The officer, a part-time man on special duty, is said to have mistaken Hooper, a dark-complected man for a negro in the company of two white women. The women were Hooper's wife and a friend. Hooper, upon reaching home returned to the streets with his pistol, it is said, determined to see the man who had followed himself and wife home. "It might have been," Halbert answered when Hooper accosted him and asked if he were the man who had followed them. Then, according to a statement of Halbert, Hooper shot him through the abdomen. Hal-

bert answered fire, one shot out of three taking effect in Hooper's eye. He died at once. Halbert ran toward a nearby sanitarium falling on the lawn.

Hooper was a native of Hale County and his remains were shipped to Plainview Monday morning for burial.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS

By special appointment of the State Superintendent, examinations for teachers' certificates will be held on July 6th and 7th, and also on August 17th and 18th. Persons desiring to take the July examinations should have registered with the County Judge by June 20th, but registrations will be received up to and including June 23rd. Those desiring to take the August examinations must register not later than August 1st.

All teachers who hold certificates granted under the old law, if they desire to build upon them to certificates of higher grades and have not begun to do so, must begin to build at one of the other of these two examinations. After September 1, 1923, a person is not allowed to begin building on a certificate granted under the old law.

SUMMER BEGINS TOMORROW

Summer is not here today but it will be tomorrow. June 22 is the date on which summer officially begins.

It is also the date of the spring-summer equinox, and beginning with tomorrow the days will begin to get longer than the nights.

J. R. ROSS, OLD TIMER AT FLOMOT, DIED SATURDAY

J. R. Ross, an old-timer in this section, 68 years of age, died at his home near Flomot Saturday afternoon of last week, and the remains were buried in Flomot Cemetery on Monday afternoon at four o'clock. Rev. G. I. Britain, former pastor of the deceased and for many years his friend, conducted the funeral service. He was in Floydada Tuesday morning enroute home.

Dr. Ross, of Plainview is a son of the deceased, who is also survived by his wife.

WITNESSES IN FEDERAL COURT

Judge A. P. McKinnon, E. C. Henry and Rev. G. W. Tubbs went up to Amarillo yesterday to attend Federal Court as witnesses.

They were summoned in the case of W. C. Toler against the First National Bank of Lockney, a damage suit in which the plaintiff alleges damage and injury to his reputation.

JONES & HOWARD BUY CITY MARKET ONCE MORE

Jones & Howard are in the meat market business in Floydada once more. Monday of this week they bought back the City Market, recently sold to Gragg & Nation of Higgins, and of which Mr. Nation has been in charge for the past two months.

H. L. Snodgrass is interested with the firm in the purchase of the market business.

NATIONAL BANK TO INSTALL NEW BANKING FIXTURES

The installation of cages for the various members of the working force of the First National Bank was decided upon by the directors of this bank at their regular meeting last week and the fixtures have been ordered. They will be installed during the next few weeks, if shipments are made promptly from the factory.

The addition of the cages for the tellers, three in number, will simplify and systematize the work in the bank, officials say. It will give an added appearance of an "up town" bank, too, incidentally.

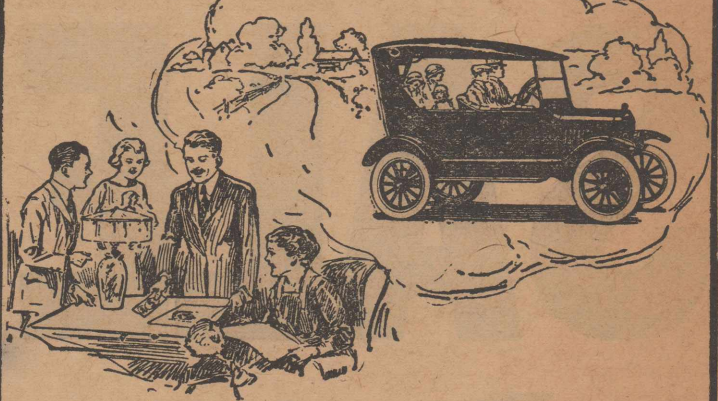
MCCOY COUPLE WED

Thursday afternoon, June 14th, Mr. J. S. Childers and Miss Winnie Mae Jackson, of McCoy, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Jackson.

Rev. G. W. Tubbs officiated at the ceremony which was held at 6 o'clock. The young couple will make their home west of McCoy.

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**CARDUI**

The Woman's Tonic

and her condition was much better.

"We have lived here, near Jennings, for 26 years, and now we have our own home in town. I have had to work pretty hard, as this country wasn't built up, and it made it hard for us.

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A VICTORY FOR AMERICAN MOTORISTS

The Crude Rubber Monopoly weakened when it came into contact with aroused public sentiment. The press of the country today reflects the determination of the American motorist that tire prices shall stay at a reasonable level—and that America must produce its own rubber.

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**10%**

EFFECTIVE JUNE 11

We announce a 10% reduction in tires and tubes effective June 11th. The lowered cost of crude rubber and the special Firestone manufacturing and distribution advantages make this possible.

Firestone factories are organized on a basis of large volume and effective production. Costs are down but quality is at its peak. Stockholder workmen are daily building many thousands of Gum-Dipped Cords—the best tire Firestone ever produced and, we believe, the leader on the market today.

Firestone Cords took the first four places and eight of the ten money positions in the Indianapolis Sweepstakes, May 30th, without a single tire failure.

Firestone Gum-Dipped Cords have set new standards in mileage, traction, comfort and safety. Car owners have expressed their approval of the extra value in Firestone Gum-Dipped Cords by increasing their purchases 194% in the past six months.

We have replaced many expensive branches with warehouses. We now have 108 distributing points which are delivering Firestone tires to the consumer at the lowest cost in our history.

Follow the tide of economical tire buying—equip with Firestone Gum-Dipped Cords—and learn what Most Miles per Dollar means to you today.

Get a set of these Gum-Dipped Cords from one of the following dealers:

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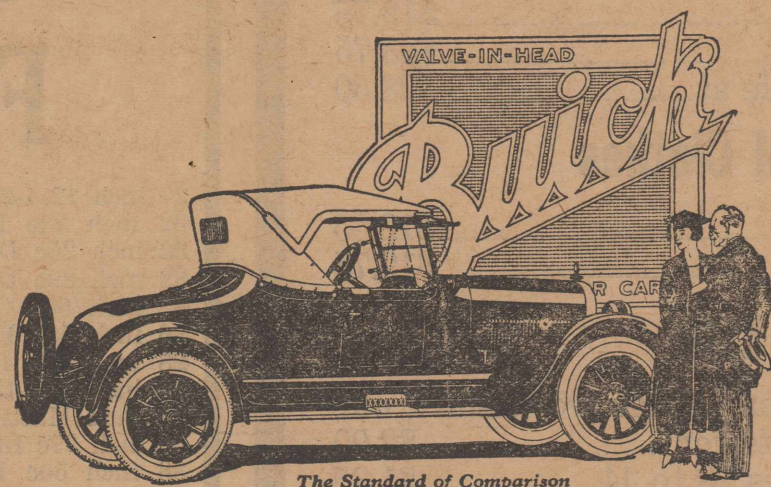
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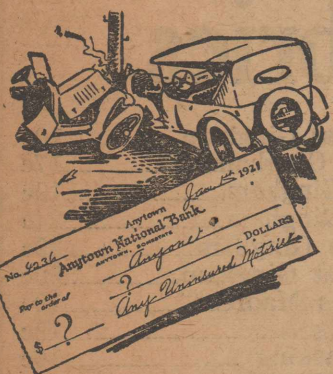
Fours		Sixes	
2 Pass. Road.	\$865	2 Pass. Road.	\$1175
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Fred Bradley and family left Friday for Wilson, Texas, near which place Mr. Bradley will be employed with a gin company.

### COTTON

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#### NEW AMERICAN EXPRESS AGENT CHECKED IN THURS.

M. W. Herring is the new agent of the American Railway Express Company at Floydada, succeeding Mrs. J. B. Gordon. He was checked into the office by the district route agent last Thursday.

Mr. Herring's home has been at Sweetwater. He has a wife and one child who will arrive here probably the first of next week.

Lee Haymes, wife and son, of Monday, left Friday for their home after a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hopkins. Mr. Haymes is a brother of Mrs. Hopkins.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. John M. Hughes, City, June 14th, a daughter.

#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR GUARDIANSHIP

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County—Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded to cause to be posted for ten days, exclusive of the day of posting, before the return day hereof, in three of the most public places in Floyd County, one of which shall be at the Court-house door, and no two of which shall be in the same city or town, copies of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To all persons interested in the welfare of Geneva Shipley, a girl about 12 years of age, Worth Gwendlyn Shipley, a girl about 4 years of age, Mrs. Jeffie Shipley has filed in the County Court of Floyd County, an application for letters of Guardianship, upon the estate of the said Geneva Shipley and Worth Gwendlyn Shipley which application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in July, A. D. 1923, the same being the 16th day of July, A. D. 1923, at the Courthouse thereof, in Floydada, Texas, at which time all persons interested in estate and welfare of said Geneva Shipley and Worth Gwendlyn Shipley may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

Herein fall not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this 11th day of June, A. D. 1923.

(Seal) LOLA WALLING,  
Clerk County Court, Floyd County, Texas. 15-3tc

#### ORDER AND NOTICE OF STOCK LAW ELECTION

The State of Texas, County of Floyd.

On this the 15th day of June, A. D. 1923, came on to be considered by the County Judge of Floyd County, Texas, the petition of W. E. Rawlings and seventy-two other freeholders of said County of Floyd, State of Texas, for an order of election to be held throughout the entire County of Floyd, State of Texas, for the purpose of enabling the freeholders of said County to determine whether or not hogs, goats, and sheep shall be permitted to run at large in said County.

And it appearing to the undersigned judge of said County that the aforesaid petition was filed with the Commissioners' Court of said County on the 9th day of June, 1923, and that said Court thereafter, on the 13th day of June, 1923, heard, considered, and granted said petition, and ordered that said election be held on the 28th day of July, A. D. 1923; and that said Court ordered that the County Judge of said County issue an order therefor and cause notice thereof to be given as provided by law;

Now, therefore, by virtue of the authority in me vested by such order and the laws of the State of Texas, I, E. C. Nelson, Jr., County Judge of Floyd County, Texas, do hereby order that on Saturday, the 28th day of July, A. D. 1923, at the usual voting boxes in said County, an election shall be held for the purpose of enabling the freeholders of said County to determine whether or not hogs, goats, and sheep shall be permitted to run at large in said County.

The polls for said election shall be opened at the usual voting places in said County used for the purpose of holding general elections in said County. No person shall vote at said election unless he be a freeholder and also a qualified voter under the constitution and laws of this State. All votes at said election shall be cast by ballot, and voters desiring to prevent the animals designated herein from running at large in said County shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: FOR THE STOCK LAW; and those desiring to permit the animals designated herein to run at large in said County shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: AGAINST THE STOCK LAW.

On or before the tenth day after said election, the persons holding said election shall make due return of all the votes cast at their respective vot-

ing places for and against said proposition to the County Judge of said County, who will count and tabulate said returns and ascertain and proclaim the result of said election in the manner prescribed by law.

Public notice of said election shall be given by publication of this order for at least thirty days before the date of said election in some newspaper published in said Floyd County. Witness my hand this 15th day of June, A. D. 1923.

E. C. NELSON, Jr.,  
County Judge, Floyd County, Texas. 16-5tc.

#### LOCKNEY NEWS BRIEFS

From the Beacon:

Fifteen applicants for Route A., a 71-mile motor route out of Lockney, took a rural mail carrier's examination at Floydada last Saturday. Those being examined were: Mrs. C. D. Fowler, O. T. Prickett, Glenn Hamilton, Logan, Edd Muncy, J. D. Huggins, N. W. Waller, Wayne Carthel, R. G. Morgan, J. H. Hall, George Newman, John Stalcup, Willis Roberts, B. P. Blake and C. F. Ramsey, Jr.

If making routes when the roads are muddy and otherwise bad has anything to do with qualifications, all these applicants are well qualified for the job, as the road between Lockney and Floydada seldom gets in worse shape than it was in Saturday. All these applicants got there Saturday in time for the examination.

At present Mrs. Fowler is carrying the mail on this route, she having taken the place of Dick Groves, who sometime ago resigned.

The high east winds last Friday did considerable damage to some of the cotton of this section, entirely ruining the stand in some fields, so we are informed.

Clyde Bennett, who has over two hundred acres of fine cotton about three miles east of town, seeing the sandstorm coming, and knowing it would damage his crop if something was not done to save it, put three two-section harrows and two go-devils in the field, we understand, and by stirring the soil over the cotton, saved it from even the slightest damage by the wind and sand.

Ben Whitfill and sons are now overhauling their boilers and engine which are on the ground where their former gin was destroyed by fire, preparatory to using them in the new gin which they are to erect for the coming cotton crop.

The new gin, we understand, will be very modernly equipped, and it is expected that the building will be under way very soon. Ruins of the old building have been cleared away, and that part of the machinery which is now on the ground is being put in first class shape.

#### SALVATION ARMY APPEAL MADE HERE THIS WEEK

E. R. Baldry, envoy from the Dallas branch of the Salvation Army, spent Monday and Tuesday in Floydada, working with the Advisory Board for Floyd County in the annual appeal of the organization for funds. Floyd County's quota for this year was set at \$500 and the appeal was made for this amount total.

Mr. Baldry, closing his work in Floydada Tuesday afternoon, asked The Hesperian to express appreciation and thanks for the help extended the organization, and declared that, as is usually understood, the Salvation Army would be first to strive to be on the job locally in case of calamity or other need for their services. "The result of the efforts here was unusually satisfactory," he said, "and in behalf of the Salvation Army I am glad to have the opportunity to express appreciation and thanks through The Hesperian."

The Local Advisory Board, through whom the Army will work in Floyd County, is composed of the following members: G. A. Linder, president; Dr. V. Andrews, vice president; Glad Snodgrass, J. G. Martin, B. K. Barker, J. M. Willson, W. A. Baker, J. R. Maddox, J. V. Daniel, O. P. Rutledge, J. H. Reagan and E. C. Nelson, Jr.

Lorraine Nelson and Macyle Burke were at home over Sunday from Canyon visiting home folks.

Deputy Sheriff C. H. West left this week for Wellington, Kansas, where he will be employed with the Santa Fe Railway Company.

Miss Gladys Hicks, of Hereford, has been here on a visit with Mrs. Foy Stewart at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Cannaday.

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PRACTICE IN DISTRICT AND APPELLATE COURTS  
OFFICE AT COURT HOUSE  
FLOYDADA, TEXAS.

#### BAYLOR FEMALE COLLEGE REPRESENTATIVE HERE

Misses Maurine and Fenet Griffis, of Greenville, Texas, were here the first of the week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Henry, being in this section of Texas on a tour in the interest of Baylor Female College of Belton, Texas.

**Dr. C. M. Thacker**  
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**ADVICE TO THE AGED**  
Age brings infirmities, such as sluggish bowels, weak kidneys, torpid liver.  
**Tutt's Pills**  
have a specific effect on these organs, stimulating the bowels, give natural action, and impart vigor to the system.

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We are prepared to do your refrigerator repair work, or any kind of metal or plumbing repairs.  
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OLD PLAN  
Interest on \$10,000.00 at 8 per cent for 34 1-2 years \$800.00 per year \$27,600.00  
Principal still unpaid 10,000.00

TOTAL 37,600.00

OUR PLAN  
Ninety nine amortization payments of \$325.00 each \$22,425.00  
Principal fully paid.  
You save on \$10,000.00 loan 15,175.00

We have loaned in Floyd county over \$875,000.00. Our loans are handled by us direct thru the Federal Land Bank, of Houston.

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BAKER NEWS

Baker, June 20.—The Parent-Teacher Association of Baker gave a hen shower for the benefit of the piano fund recently. The movement was actively led by Miss Virgie Fawver. Mrs. Wash Hart, Mrs. Joe Hart and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fox. The following friends and patrons of Baker School gave hens:

Mrs. S. R. Colston, Mrs. Chas. Sanders, Mrs. J. T. Colston, Mrs. B. A. Colston, Mrs. W. A. Colston, Mrs. Katie Moon, W. A. Cates, J. L. McPeak, A. A. Beedy, Henry Bloodworth, Mrs. Smith, Jim Hart, Hollis Stevens, Miss Virgie Fawver, Miss Ruby Ross and Mr. Sidney West. The fund was also substantially increased by the business men of Floydada. The subscription was made through the further efforts of Mrs. Joe Hart, Mrs. Wash Hart and Miss Virgie Fawver.

The following contributed: Brown Bros., \$5; Clark-Wood \$2.50; F. C. Harmon \$2.50; C. M. Wilson \$1; J. A. Awtrey \$1; Collins Grocery Co., \$2.50; Eubank Cafe \$1; Northcutt Grocery \$1; Joe Hicks \$1; J. D. Starks \$1; J. A. Fawver \$2.50; First National Bank \$1; Mitchell Hardware \$1; Wilson Kimble \$1; Martin Dry Goods Co. \$2.50; O. P. Rutledge \$1; C. Surginer & Son \$2; Kirk & Sons \$1; Woody Drug Co. \$1; Dr. V. Andrews \$1; C. R. Hounston & Co. \$2.50; W. M. Houghton \$1; Floydada Drug Co. \$1; T. S. Stevenson \$1; J. D. Hart \$1.

The Parent-Teachers Association sincerely thank all who so liberally contributed.

Last Friday night the Baker school boys and girls presented the play "Just Plain Folks" at Whiteflat, the door receipts going to the piano fund.

PROVIDENCE NEWS

Providence, June 18.—Robert Dieter had his foot cut quite badly on a go-devil last week, while playing around where one of his brothers was working in the field.

F. J. Boedeker and son, Walter, attended preaching at Kress Sunday.

Messrs. Gilbreath and Kennedy were in the Lone Star Community Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. H. Sammaan is on the sick list the past week.

The stork got quite busy lately and left a baby boy at the Herring home on the Joe Barret old place, and a girl at the Starks home and also at Claud Nation's home.

Willie Sammaan and father took dinner Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Kramer.

Wes Gilbreath has a new Fordson which he purchased last week.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sabbath school 9:45 a. m. (Missions in the S. S.)

Preaching 11 A. M.

Preaching 8:30 P. M.

C. E. Meets 7:30 P. M.

Prayermeeting every Wednesday 8 P. M.

Missionary Society meets Monday 3:30 P. M.

The Revival Starts July 22nd.

All members are expected and all friends and visitors will find a welcome.

O. N. BAUCOM, Pastor.

C. E. PROGRAM FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 24th AT 7:30 P. M.

Leader—Helen King.

Subject—Friendship. (A numbered meeting.)

Scripture Lesson; Proverb—27, 5, 6, 9, 10

Song—No. 99 by numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.

Scripture reading and comments by leader.

Prayer by No. 6.

Song by No. 7, 8, 9, 10, 11.

Reading by No. 12.

To be answered in meeting:

How does religion promote friendship?—Mrs. Bain.

Give some biblical examples of friendship—Mrs. Baucum.

What part should prayer play in

friendship—Pierce King.

Seed thoughts on friendship by No. 13.

Prayer No. 14.

Duet.

Five minute talk by pastor.

Business.

Dismissal.

Mrs. Lula Bates and sons, Opal and Ray, of Dallas have been here since Tuesday visiting with Will Morgan and family. Mrs. Bates and Mrs. Morgan are sisters.



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Our claim is that we know how to tailor your clothes to give you that individual appearance of quiet refinement demanded by good dressers.

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The bank that says: "Thank You."

FLOYDADA, TEXAS

CHRISTIAN CHURCH SERVICES

Preaching services were held both morning and evening at the Christian Church last Sunday.

The pastor, W. H. Marler, had for his morning subject, "The Christian Race," preaching from Cor. 9:24-27. In the evening the subject was "A Contribution in Life."

Mrs. G. W. Bell of Sealey, Texas, is here on an extended visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Alexander. Mrs. J. T. Rhodes, of Wharton, and Mrs. Frank Nugent, of Seymour, daughters of Dr. and Mrs. Alexander who spent the past week here, returned to their homes Tuesday.

R. T. Stribling was at home over Sunday from Lubbock.

FURNITURE

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The JUMBO line of harness.

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The Challenge windmill and the Standard windmill, pipe, casing, wood rod, cylinders, fittings.

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