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WHICH IS THE BEST CITIZEN?

Some million and a half railroad workers are voting whether to strike against a 12 per cent reduction of wages. At the same time six million farmers took a fifty percent reduction without any thought of striking. Which is the best citizen?—Randall County News.

Comparisons are odious, but there is no doubt the farmer has taken the biggest loss of any class of citizens in America, while being at the same time the least class conscious of all our workers. While we are not familiar with all the circumstances surrounding the threatened strike of railway workers it will be difficult for these people to get public sentiment's kindly ear while every other form of business is taking losses that are nothing short of tremendous.

Floydada is seventh city in the panhandle in population now. It will be second, if not first, in 1930.

Congressman Thos. L. Blanton thinks of running for the senate. A recent letter to various people, probably newspapers only, over the state, asked for a frank statement as to the outlook in view of his strenuous efforts as watchdog of the U. S. Treasury during his work as member of the House of Representatives.

It is a point of real gratification to the people of Floydada to have the honor and pleasure of entertaining the people who are arriving in town today as delegates to the first Annual Convention of the F. F. F. Highway Association. An opportunity to entertain one hundred and fifty of the livest wires in all of West Texas and Northeastern New Mexico does not come to every little city every year.

Cotton has gone up and with it has gone cotton goods. Merchants are getting daily notices from manufacturers and jobbers telling of advances in cotton goods and allied lines. However, the worth of a fair price for cotton in the strictly cotton counties of the south will greatly overbalance the increased cost of cotton goods. A good price for cotton was practically the only salvation for some sections of Texas. It is a most fortunate thing that better prices arrived when they did.

The United States will raise the smallest cotton crop in 33 years and Texas' crop estimate is now below two million bales. Ravages of the boll weevil are the principal cause of the shortage the acreage being large enough this year, contrary to much opinion to have raised a good sized crop, possibly eleven or twelve million bales. Now, everybody in Floyd County who does not have a big cotton crop is talking about himself something scandalous. But \$500,000 worth of cotton was plowed under in Floyd County this last winter and spring to make way for wheat. Folks are funny.

While there are a few unfair situations in the State Senatorial Redistricting measure which will become a law soon without the governor's signature, taken as a whole it is a great

improvement over the former districting of the state. It is fair to assume, however, that there will be some litigation to determine the constitutionality of the law, as it was passed to become effective in 1924, whereas the mandatory provision of the constitution is that the redistricting shall be done following the decennial census. Would be funny to have West Texas assume for the period of the next three years that the state is to be redistricted effective in 1924, and then have some fellow knock the law into a cocked hat about the time it is supposed to go into effect.

There ought to be some way of getting returns from elections more quickly in the state of Texas. On Saturday, July 25th, a general election was held over the state to determine whether four constitutional amendments should be adopted. Last week the State Tax Board learned, after some delay, just how many of these amendments carried, so they could go ahead with computing and setting the state tax rate for the year. And even at that, there is no way of being sure for thirty-four of the counties of the state have never yet made returns on the election to the State Department and if all these returns were in the result might possibly have been different. These officials of these thirty four counties disfranchised all citizens who voted in those counties as effectually as if none of these voters had taken the trouble to cast a ballot.

Amarillo is now discussing a railroad to the north, thus connecting that city with a hundred miles of undeveloped territory. Amarillo is also saying that unless this is done Amarillo will be second to some city on the South Plains. She cites as a reason for this prediction the fact that in the not far distant future the Santa Fe will build a line of road direct to Fort Worth from some South Plains point. Amarillo has a clear vision in these matters. In a few years the Santa Fe will run its roads into Fort Worth. It will be either the Floydada Branch extension or the Crosbyton extension. It is more likely that the

Floydada Branch than the latter. In the next two or three years we may expect to see this extension in operation. The towns that get this extension will be most fortunate. When this line is entered Amarillo will have to look to her laurels. There will be built either at Lubbock, Plainview, Lockney or Floydada a wholesale center that will give Amarillo a run for her money.—Lockney Beacon.

Jean Pittman, Rath Boon and R. D. Davidson, all of Abilene, visited here the latter part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pittman, who accompanied them home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Pittman formerly lived in Abilene and will spend two weeks there before returning.

W. H. Hilton returned Friday morning from Jacksboro, Texas, where he had gone to attend the funeral of his father who died there some three weeks ago. He was accompanied home by his mother, Mrs. J. T. Hilton, who will remain here for a while.

Bruner Gound made a trip to Lubbock for treatment of ear trouble Saturday of last week.

HUSTLERS WIN CONTEST AND GET PICNIC ON SILVER FALLS

The closing of a contest between the Methodist Hustlers and Rustlers in which Hustlers carried off the honors was marked by an all day picnic near Silver Falls Friday of last week. Almost a hundred boys and girls as well as many of the older folk gathered at the Methodist church at eight o'clock Friday morning and went to the picnicing grounds in cars and trucks.

BIRTHS

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. P. E. York, Mayview, August 23rd, a son.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jones, Mickey, August 27th, a son.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Stovall, city, September 3rd, a daughter.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Daniel, Baker, September 5th, a daughter.

W. H. Nelson and W. M. Nelson returned the latter part of last week from Waxahachie, Texas, where they visited their relatives.

Miss Studie Miller visited in Canyon City last mid-week.

J. E. Norman and wife are now making their home in Amarillo.

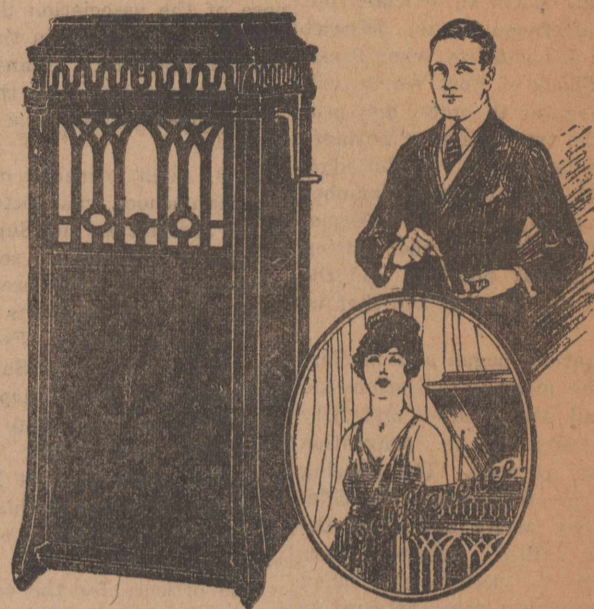
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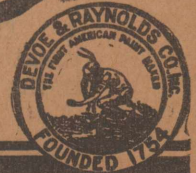
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INDIANS' WATER SIGN

In traveling over the Plains of Western Texas, one now and then comes upon little isolated heaps of rocks in twos, that at first glance seem not at all remarkable. After a time, however, one notices that one heap is generally about three feet high and the other about a foot lower. The two are always within a few feet of each other, and usually on an elevation or a plateau commanding a view of the country for five miles or more.

The rocks are roughly heaped together, as if left by children at play. At first one is likely to wonder whether they can be ruins of ancient stone buildings but this idea is at once dismissed as improbable, for there is scarcely another stone in sight.

In time one learns the significance of these rock heaps, as he talks with some of the Indians who know by heart all the legends and customs and deeds of their people. According to these Indians when the great Spirit lapped up the mighty rivers of the Plains, he left springs and water basins here and there for the antelope and the Indians. These the antelope easily found by scent, but the Indians had to search long and anxiously for them. Once found, they were seldom lost, thanks to these rude rock heaps. You may see an Indian crouch down behind the taller heap, sight over the low one, and mark the farthest object in a straight line, which is likely to be a bunch of bushes on the horizon. Then he rides toward these bushes and finds—not water, as he expected but two other heaps of rocks, sighting as before and taking a rock-faced cliff perhaps, toward the Southwest as a goal he rides a couple of miles further and there, trickling out from beneath the cliff's rocky brow, is a spring of fresh, clear water.

It is said that wherever a band of Indians came upon a new spring they built the rock heads along the trail. At any rate it appears that these rude signposts lead either to water or to places that show traces of a former water-course.—Excerpt of an Indian Fighter's Experiences.

W. M. Earls of Fredericks Oklahoma was in Floydada Friday of last week enroute home following a tour of west Texas and New Mexico.

STATE TAX RATE REMAINS THE SAME AS LAST YEAR

Austin, Texas, September 7.—There will be no increase in any State taxes this year, the Automatic Tax Board announced today after it had learned from the Secretary of State's office that the amendment increasing the Confederate pension tax from 5c to 7c had been defeated. The total State tax will remain at 62c—22c ad valorem, 35c school tax and 5c for pensions.

The board had previously fixed the pension tax at 7c, working under the impression that the amendment had carried. Today, however, an official canvass was ordered and it was found that the amendment had lost by a 1,716 majority. The board immediately changed the rate so as to conform to the present constitutional limit of 5c on the \$100 valuation.

Comptroller Lon A. Smith today sent out notices of the board's action in fixing the rates to all County Tax Assessors.

HENS "ROLL THEIR OWN"—HIGH EGG RECORDS FOLLOW

As a result of eight years' feeding tests at the United States Department of Agriculture poultry yards at Beltsville, Md., a mash has been compounded which gives uniform high egg production. This mash, which has been tested for three years, is made of 4 per cent bran, 4 per cent middlings, 26 per cent meat scrap, and 66 per cent corn meal. In the experiments the hens were allowed to select their own mash ingredients. This is the proportion of those different feeds which they ate during the year. Several pens of 30 hens each, both of Leghorns and of Rhode Island Reds, have averaged from 140 to 155 eggs apiece while this mash was fed. While the mash seems to be especially adapted for Leghorns, it has given very good results with Reds. Wyandottes and Plymouth Rocks were found to get too fat on the ration and a mash somewhat lower in meat scrap has given

better results with these breeds. Both the Wyandottes and Plymouth Rocks at Beltsville are large standard sized fowls. The tendency to become over-fat on this mash probably would not be found in a smaller type of Plymouth Rocks, such as is often found on commercial poultry farms.

FLOYDADA DRUG COMPANY CHANGING OWNERSHIP

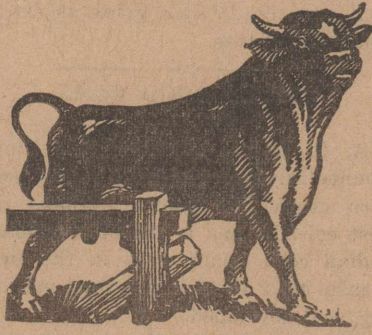
The Floydada Drug Company is being transferred this week from the ownership of Tom B. Triplett to Wyckoff and O'Keefe, a Plainview firm.

The deal was completed last week and the work of invoicing began Monday morning.

George Wyckoff will have charge of the business here, according to present plans.

Lee Wofford, of Lockney, was transacting business in Floydada Friday.

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Financial Statement

We append hereto a statement of the Financial Condition of our bank at the close of business, September 6th, 1921, condensed from our report to the State Commissioner of Banking.

The Loyalty and sincere co-operation of the many friends of this institution, all working together during the period of readjustment, has made this statement possible. To these we take this occasion to express our appreciation and to say we shall strive to maintain a bank of Safety, Courtesy and Service.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$450,047.23
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures	16,600.00
Other Real Estate	28,576.00
Depositors Guaranty Fund	4,478.81
Assessment Guaranty Fund	7,048.72
City, County and School Warrants	2,221.75
Stock in Federal International Banking Co. (Cotton)	720.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	1,900.00
Cash and Due From Banks	79,423.71
Total	\$591,015.72
LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	18,854.16
Rediscounts with Federal Reserve Bank	76,707.20
Bills Payable	10,000.00
Bills Payable Assumed (Real Estate)	5,500.00
Deposits	\$429,954.36
Total	\$591,015.72

First State Bank of Floydada

FLOYDADA, TEXAS

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NEWS OF LOCKNEY

From The Beacon:

Originating from an unknown source yesterday morning about 2 o'clock, flames did considerable damage to the large stock of merchandise of the Page Dry Goods Company, in the McCollum Building on the corner of Main and Locust Streets.

Mr. Black, service car driver of Plainview, who was passing through town, noticed the fire through the windows, and gave the alarm. Many citizens responded immediately, but the flames were so well under way that great damage was done to the stock before they could be quelled.

Messrs. G. W. Brewer, V. N. Dillard, Rodney Thompson and Clarence Brewster left Friday for Greeley, Colorado, on a prospecting tour.

Mr. Jack Brewster left for his home in Washington last Friday after a visit in Lockney with his brother, Mr. G. W. Brewster and family. Quite a pleasant visit it must have been, as this is the first time these brothers had met for twenty-nine years.

Miss Mary Stanley returned Friday of last week from Clinton, Oklahoma, where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. E. Dickey.

NOTICE OF SALE

Whereas the undersigned has for the past one hundred twenty days (120) retained possession of certain personal property belonging to Charles Owens, of Floydada, Texas, described as follows; One Dodge Brothers Roadster Model Car, Motor No. 261488, License No. 231387 and Serial No. destroyed, as we are empowered to do under the law, to secure our charges amounting to One Hundred Eighty Five Dollars, 51 cents, together with any additional expense of storage, advertising, auctioneering Etc., said described amount being past due for more than ninety days as per contract between the said Charles Owens and the undersigned L. A. White Motor Co.

And, whereas the said Charles Owens, though duly notified, as required by law, to come forward and pay such charges, has failed and refused to do so; therefore, notice is hereby given that after the expiration of twenty days from this date, to-wit: on the 17th day of September, A. D. 1921, being the third Saturday in the said month of September, between the hours of 1 P. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., at the L. A. White Motor Co. of Floydada, Floyd County, Texas, we shall sell said property at public sale, following the manner of sale under execution, and apply the proceeds to the payment of such charges; and balance to be turned over to the said Charles Owens.

Witness our hand this 23rd day of August, A. D. 1921.

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FLOYDADA, TEXAS

TRACTOR DOPED WITH EMORY DUST IN RANDALL COUNTY

H. C. Roffey left his tractor standing in the field Saturday and Sunday nights. After the machine was started Monday morning it was noticed that it soon began to knock. Investigation proved that emery dust had been placed in the crank case and that the bearings had been badly cut. Mr. Roffey states that he has no idea as to the guilty party.

There have been many such cases in other sections of the Panhandle in the past few years, but this is the first reported in Randall county.—Randall County News.

Mrs. Bertie Muncy and daughter, Myrtle who have been living in Greens Gap, New Mexico, during the summer, returned here Wednesday of last week. They will live here during the school term so that Myrtle may attend public school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown and little daughter returned last mid-week from a vacation of some three weeks. During their absence they visited with relatives and friends at Abilene and Denton, also spending several days in the Ozark mountains of northwest Arkansas.

J. A. Maynard returned the latter part of last week from a stay of some months at Graham and other points in north Texas.

J. D. Christian, who has been visiting in Cooke County for sometime, returned the latter part of last week.

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BUT ONE AMENDMENT CARRIES IN ELECTION

Austin, Texas, Sept. 7.—Only one of the five constitutional amendments submitted to the people on the last Saturday in July, 1921, was adopted, according to the official count of the ballots made here today.

The one that carried was providing that only native-born or naturalized citizens shall be qualified electors, and that the husband or wife may pay the poll tax of the other.

Until the official count it was thought that amendment raising the Confederate pension tax from five to seven cents had been adopted, but the count shows it was defeated by 10,000 majority.

Roy K. Bruner, of Hereford, was here on business the latter part of last week and the first of this.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Evans reached Hereford Friday from Chautauqua, N. Y., where they have spent the summer. They are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Collins. Both are improved in health from their summer's trip. Mr. Evans stated that they had intended staying at Chautauqua only a week or so but liked the place so well they spent the entire summer.—Hereford Brand.



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CONDITIONS ARE GOOD IN NORTHEASTERN NEW MEXICO

Lee Montague returned Sunday from his ranch near Tucumcari, New Mexico, having spent several days there with George Hall, who has charge of the ranch and cattle. Grass and crops are good in that section, Mr. Montague said Monday, and cattle are in fine shape.

Mr. Montague loaded out a car of steer yearlings for Kansas City while there.

Judge L. S. Kinder, of Plainview, was in Floydada on business Saturday.

C. W. Smith of Canyon City Thursday night of last week visited here with J. J. Day and family.

GINS "TUNING UP" FOR SEASON'S COTTON RUN

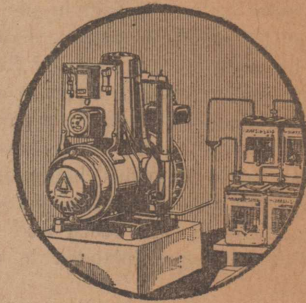
Gins of Floydada the past several days have been "tuning up" preparatory to taking care of the season's run of cotton.

Estimates of gin men place the yield at 1,000 to 1,250 bales in this territory this season, the fleecy staple having been crowded out by the heavy acreage in wheat.

SAVAGE BUYS LOTS

F. E. Savage, formerly superintendent of the Tulia schools and now a member of the Normal faculty, is moving to Canyon this week. He has bought lots east of the Bob Donald residence and will build in the spring.—Randall County News.

District Attorney Charles Clements, of Plainview, was here Saturday on official business.



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**EX-MANAGER OF THE
J. A. RANCH DIES ON HIS
ESTATE IN AFRICA**

Richard Walsh, 60, for eighteen years manager of the famous "J. A." ranch at Palodura, and known throughout two hemispheres as one of the greatest figures of the cattle industry, died recently of apoplexy at Bulawayo, Rhodesia, South Africa. At the time of his death Walsh was head of the stock department of the British South African Company, a Cecil Rhodes project.

News of Walsh's death was received in Fort Worth Tuesday by A. C. Williams, secretary of the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas, of which Walsh was a former president. Williams learned of Walsh's death in a message from W. H. Patrick, president of the First National Bank of Clarendon, who was informed by Mrs. Walsh in a cable received Monday.

Coming to Texas in the early eighties from his English birthplace, Walsh was first cowboy, then ranch manager, then organizer and international factor in a great industry. Though he became a giant in the industry, Walsh never lost touch with the range itself. His early days were spent on the 500,000 acre "J. A." in a time when ranches were beset by marauders, Indians and wild animals. His latter days were passed on a ranch in South Africa, where naked cowboys herded and watched for lions and other armed natives rode the fences to protect them from ostriches and elephants.

Walsh was in Fort Worth a greater part of last winter. It was the first time he had been back to Texas since he left in 1910 to go to Brazil, where he made extensive surveys for the Brazil Land, Cattle and Packing Company. He was in South America for more than a year and went from there to South Africa.

Walsh came back to Texas to obtain a large stock of Brahma and Hereford bulls which he intended to ship to South Africa to improve the native breed. He also planned to take a large shipment of Texas blooded cattle back to South Africa for auction. He spent several months here endeavoring to obtain shipping room, but was unable to obtain it and abandoned this project until 1922 when he planned to make another trip to Texas. To Texas cattlemen this last and unfinished project of Walsh's was one of his important and one which they believed eventually meant much for the industry in Texas.

Fort Worth friends of Walsh said Tuesday that it was probably a love of adventure that brought the young Englishman to the then undeveloped state of Texas. James Adair and Col. Charles Goodnight, the former an Englishman at that time owned the "J. A." ranch. Walsh went with them and learned the business. Goodnight later left the cattle business for the work which later made him famous—the preservation of the buffalo. Adair died and Mrs. Cornelia Adair, his widow, became the controlling head of the ranch. She made Walsh her manager in the early nineties and he served in that capacity for eighteen years.

Walsh consolidated the "J. A." holdings and made it a 500,000 acre ranch and one of the greatest in the world. This accomplishment is considered one of his most remarkable and made for him a wide reputation for squareness and for diplomacy. Squatters and other settlers whose claims were disputed were given outside tracts in exchange for the lands which the "J. A." claimed, and though this was accomplished in a time when the pistol was in general use, there was no trouble.

The "J. A." holdings consolidated, Walsh turned his attention to the development of the ranch and brought the standard of his herd to a point where the "J. A." became famous. At the same time he found an opportunity to devote his faculty for organization and his power of diplomacy to

the general good of the industry, and as an active member and as president of the Cattle Raisers Association of Texas, he did much for the good of the cattle industry throughout the Southwest.

In 1910 the Brazil Land, Cattle and Packing Company retained Walsh and he made a visit to Brazil and remained there several years. Then he went to Rhodesia, South Africa, with the British South African Company. This concern, fostered by Rhodes, had obtained a grant of the entire state of Rhodesia. It built cities, railroads, canals and developed that country which had been taken over from a native king, Lobengula, himself a great cattle raiser. Walsh was made head of the cattle department, but one of many departments of the company, any of which was large enough to be considered a great industry in itself. A year ago on the British company's holdings Walsh had 90,000 cattle. He had greatly improved the breed and was planning still further improvements. Climatic conditions, however, had their effect on Walsh and on his recent visit here he was not in the best of health. Up to this time, friends say, Walsh grew older without an outward sign. He was a big and rugged man and was ever in good health.

Walsh was a man of refinement and education and was a tireless worker in the cause of progress in the business which he followed so long. He had friends and admirers throughout the Southwest and never gave up his Texas friends and associates. His widow survives him. Texas friends have not been advised of funeral arrangements.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

**WILD ANIMALS AND BIRDS
PREPARING FOR HARD WINTER**

According to a dispatch under recent date from New York City, the various opinions of experts who have been predicting an early and unusually hard winter, are being backed up by the animals in the parks there.

Squirrels are storing up unusually large quantities of nuts. The prairie dogs, a full month ahead of time, are carrying food down into their diggings, and plenty of it. Robins and blackbirds are flocking together, presumably preparing for migration a month earlier than usual.

Raymond L. Ditmars, curator at the Bronx Zoo, admits the animals are making preparations for winter much ahead of the usual time, but he inclines to the belief that they have been deceived by the misbehavior of the seasons. Spring came in a month ahead of time this year and now the leaves have about reached the end of their summer life. Ditmars says we may have an unusually long Autumn with a protracted period of Indian summer, or we may jump headlong into an early and very severe winter.

The animals and birds, however, are taking no chances.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ramsey left Wednesday of last week for Chickasha, Oklahoma, where they will visit for a while before returning to their home Spingdale, Arkansas. Mr. Ramsey was connected with the Express Company while here.

M. L. Kizziar returned Tuesday afternoon from Albuquerque, New Mexico, where his father, M. E. Kizziar has been seriously ill from an attack of pneumonia. Mr. Kizziar had been in Albuquerque two weeks and left his father practically recovered.

**LUBBOCK PRISONERS IN
ATTEMPT AT JAIL DELIVERY**

Lubbock, Sept. 10.—Mere chance prevented a wholesale jail delivery from the Lubbock county jail here Wednesday noon, when Deputy Sheriff John McCullum just happened to drop around to the jail right at noon to speak to Sheriff Halcomb a moment on business.

He found Sheriff Halcomb looking into the face of his own gun, held by Sam Cates, waiting repeal of his recent sentences for murder, while the sheriff's wife was being choked by a prisoner by the name of Smith, waiting trial for forgery.

The sheriff and his wife went upstairs in the jail at noon to feed the prisoners, and after feeding all of them except in one cell, the sheriff unlocked the door to this cell and stepped back for his wife to hand the tray to Sam Cates. Cates reached out his hands for the tray, dodged under it and got the sheriff around the waist and went to the floor with him, assisted by Smith, another prisoner. Calahan, a third prisoner, grabbed Mrs. Holcomb and began to choke her to prevent an outcry.

In the scramble Cates got the sheriff's gun, a Colt's automatic. Just at this time Deputy Sheriff McCullum appeared on the stairs and took a shot at Cates, who dodged and started to run. The sheriff wrenched the gun from his hand, and all three prisoners scurried back into their cells.

This is the second escape said to have been planned by Cates and Smith. The first was broken up by a ruse played by the sheriff in appearing to leave late one afternoon for a drive in his car with the entire family. Shortly afterwards a Mexican passed near the jail and Cates threw him a letter, which was intercepted by the sheriff, who was watching from a nearby building. In this letter Smith's brother was asked to send hacksaws in a box of candy from Fort Worth, with which they planned to saw their way to freedom.

The only statement made by the prisoners is that they wanted their freedom.

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We make regular trips to Plainview each week. Any hauling to or from that point? Call 207. We handle it Pitts Transfer Co. 27-tfc.

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FOR TRADE—Overland 3-passenger roadster for maize or milk cows or would sell cheap. Fred W. Nickels. 26-3tp.

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The Will Baird well-known 640-acre stock farm about 12 miles west of Floydada. Well improved. Subdivided into fields, hog, sheep, etc., pastures. W. M. Massie & Bro. 31-tfc.

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FOR SALE—Nice home in Floydada. Inquire at Legion Cafe. 25-4tc.

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Dress Making—First class dress making, alterations. Mrs. Case, third block west of square on Missouri Street. 26-tfc.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER ORDER OF SALE
State of Texas, County of Floyd: No. 1930
Keith Catto et. al. vs. G. F. Self et. al.
In the District Court of Hale County, Texas.
By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Hale County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in above styled and numbered cause in said court on the 2nd day of August 1921, in favor of Keith Catto and against W. C. Lee and J. W. Taylor, and on a judgment rendered at the same time and on said 2nd day of August, 1921, in favor of Lee Davis and against J. W. Taylor, I did on the 7th day of September, 1921, at 5 o'clock p. m. levy upon the following described tract and parcel of land situated in Floyd County, Texas, belonging to said J. W. Taylor, to-wit:
Section No. twenty-eight (28) in block lettered "G-M".
And on the fourth day of October, 1921, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. on said day at the court house door of Floyd County, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said J. W. Taylor in and to said property.
Dated at Floydada, Texas, this 7th day of September, 1921.
J. A. GRIGSBY,
27-4tc Sheriff of Floyd County, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Starks, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eubanks, Mrs. E. C. Henry and Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Green, accompanied by Mr. Green's mother, Mrs. A. P. Green, made a trip by automobile to Roaring Springs, Sunday.

OSTEOPATH DOCTOR TO PRACTICE IN FLOYDADA
Dr. K. J. Clements, osteopath, who has been engaged in practice at Plainview for some time, was in Floydada Wednesday and made the announcement that he would spend half of his time at this place for an indefinite period.
He is a graduate of the American School of Osteopathy, and has been in the practice for sixteen years.

FLOYDADA CIRCUIT
The meeting at Fairview closed Sunday night. Rev. J. A. Laney did the preaching. There were five conversions during the meeting, and three additions to the church.
The meeting at Campbell will begin Sunday night next.
Fourth Quarterly Conference for the circuit will be held Sunday at Cone. Members of the conference are urged to be there.
The pastor will be unable to meet his appointment at Mayview Sunday afternoon on account of Quarterly Conference, but will be at Mayview on the fourth Sunday afternoon.
J. J. McNeely, P. C.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hamner left for Abilene Tuesday morning. They were accompanied by their son, Jack, who is entering Simmons College at that place.

PLAINVIEW NEWS
From The Herald:
A deal was consummated Thursday by which J. O. Wyckoff, of the O. K. Drug Store of Plainview, becomes owner of the Floydada Drug Company's store at Floydada. The Floydada store will be under the general supervision of Mr. Wyckoff, but he will place a manager for the store there, and will do the buying for both stores here. The name of the business will probably be changed to that of O. K. Company of Floydada, Mr. Wyckoff stated.
Rates of one and a half fare for the round trip have been announced by the Santa Fe to the Fall Stock Exposition in Plainview, September 27, 28 and 29. The reduced rates will be effective from Slaton, Amarillo, Hereford, Floydada, Littlefield and intermediate points, and are good for a day before and a day after the show.

BUILDING RESIDENCE
W. C. Williams this week began the construction of a new residence he will occupy when completed, in the Bartley Heights Addition.
The residence will be a very attractive addition to that portion of the residence section.
A. B. Clark, J. D. Price and A. C. Goen returned Thursday of last week from a business trip to Dallas.

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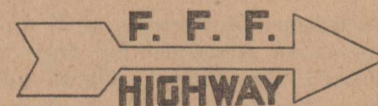
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SCHOOL OPENS WITH BIG INCREASE IN ATTENDANCE

The Floydada Public Schools opened Monday, September 12, with an approximate total enrollment of 625 students against the 525 students who were enrolled at the beginning of the school term last year.

The average attendance last year, according to statistics furnished by James E. Parks, superintendent, was 600, and the total enrollment for the entire year was 819 students. This year's attendance is expected to far exceed that of the 1920-21 term.

The greatest increase this year is in High school which has an opening enrollment of 174 students as compared with the total attendance of 159 last year.

SMUT PREVENTION DEMONSTRATION GIVEN BY REPERT

Demonstration in detail of the best manner of treating wheat to prevent smut was given a large crowd of farmers at the courthouse in Floydada Tuesday afternoon by R. R. Reppert, extension service entomologist, of A. & M. College.

Mr. Reppert was here with County Agent T. Scott Wilson and spent Monday at Lockney where a similar demonstration was made.

Smut has made considerable inroads into the production of wheat in the entire plains country during the past years and his tour will include several other points in this section.

Vernie Beauchamp and Tom Kennedy, both of Matador, were in Floydada the first of the week.

TRIBUTE TO THE MEMORY OF DR. J. W. MORRIS

As has been stated Dr. Morris was a native of Tennessee, but he was reared to manhood in the state of Arkansas, where he received his early education and taught school number of years before entering the profession of the practice of medicine, and before his death became so impaired he was an active friend of all educational interests at all times. He served efficiently as a member of the school board at Wolfe City a number of years, always looking to every advancement of the good of the community as well as educational advancement of the younger minds.

He was ever a friend to young men and none ever went astray who came under his influence and took his advice, the influence for good being the prominent feature which dominated his life of usefulness.

As a physician he was tenderly kind and gentle with his patients and guided them through serious ailments, cheering the aged as well as the young when life seemed hardly worthwhile to them.

In his home life where his noble wife and children surrounded him true old fashioned hospitality reigned supreme. Few homes in this modern day possess just such qualities to constitute true home happiness. The simple life of this goodman should be an inspiration to his sons and daughter, as well as others who wish to emulate his good example.

Last but not least, was his Christian character always above reproach, and he stood high in the congregation of the saints of all denominations, and

especially so as a faithful member of the Methodist Church.

We might extend this eulogy further but why should we? Modesty forbids us in life to show or speak our regards for those whom we hold in high esteem, and as this is so, suffice it to say: Truly a good man has gone to his reward and where we all shall know as we are known.

A Friend.

CUMBERLAND PRES. CHURCH

(O. N. Baucom, Pastor)
Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m.
Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m.
Missionary society 3 p. m. Monday.
We will not have preaching on Sunday evening on the account of the revival meeting in progress here.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Scripture, John 15:7-14—Garnet White.
Leader and Introduction—Rufus Lowry.

1. The great question "How can we receive this power?"—Geo. W. Ellis.
2. How can we let God dwell in our hearts?—Mrs. Charles Lowry.
3. Obedience to God's will and its value to us—Elmer Wood.
4. Prayer the secret of obedience and power—Mrs. Hamilton.
5. A lesson from Jesus at prayer—Mrs. Doyle Garrison.
6. Let God in our lives—Mrs. Roland Lowry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fisher of White Flat were shopping in Floydada Saturday of last week.

C. E. PROGRAM

For September 18, at 6:45 p. m.
Subject "Sins of our tongues."
Leader—Rev. O. N. Baucom.
Song "To the Work."
Text James 3:1-12.
Song "Higher Ground."
Scripture talks.
1. Evil speech. Psa. 5:9 Rom. 3:13—Roy Baker.
2. God's warnings. Eph. 4:31-32. James 4:11—Alpha King.
3. Anger Psa. 37:8-9. Matt 5:22.—Mrs. Pierce King.
4. Falsehood. Prov. 12:22 and Col. 3:9—Roy H. Baker.
5. Boasting. Psa. 10:3 and James 3:5—Mrs. Bain.
6. Gossip. Prov. 11:13 and 17:9—Mrs. E. C. King.
Song "Take Time to be Holy."
Debate: Resolved that we are never justified in a falsehood.
Affirmative Anna King; negative Helen King.
Questions to be answered in meeting. (Impromptu.)
Song "I Love to Tell the Story."
Business.
Benediction.

CARD OF THANKS

To our friends in Floydada whose thoughtfulness has made our sadness less heavy to bear through helpfulness and sympathy, while on our sad mission, we extend our deepest appreciation and heartfelt thanks.

Mrs. J. W. Morris and Children.

Mrs. Fannie Montague this week bought a Ford of the sedan type from the Barker Bros. agency.

OPENING EXERCISES OF SCHOOL HELD IN SPITE OF RAIN STORM

The opening exercises of school held between 9:30 and 11:00 Monday morning were well attended in spite of the threatening weather. The large pavillion at the city park where the exercises were held was packed to its fullest capacity.

After Superintendent James E. Parks had called the house to order, America and The Star Spangled Banner were sung by the entire assembly as the opening songs. This was followed by a prayer from Rev. J. Pat Horton, pastor of the Baptist Church.

The program for the morning was well arranged and included a piano solo by Miss Naoma Harmonson, talks by Revs. Baucom, Horton and Day, and by several of the board members. Following a talk by J. C. Wester, principal of the high school on the school work for the coming year, a reading was given by Miss Berta Nobles, which was interrupted by the hard downpour of rain making further continuation of the program impossible.

INFANT SON OF J. S. HALE DIES NEAR CARR'S CHAPEL

The two day old baby son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hale died at four o'clock Sunday morning at their home near Carr's Chapel. Interment was held Sunday afternoon at Carr's Chapel cemetery.

Elmer Wood of the Price-Clark Dry Goods Company is being employed by the Star Cash Grocery this week while J. M. Hamner is in Abilene.

CELEBRATE FORTIETH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY BY TRIP BACK TO OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Battey are celebrating the fortieth anniversary of their wedding by taking a trip through Oklahoma, having made that state their home following their marriage forty years ago last Saturday, in Wabash, Indiana.

They left Friday of last week and will visit their children and other relatives who are residing in Oklahoma besides many old friends and acquaintances. Mrs. Battey was once a school teacher in that state.

Mr. Battey jokingly remarked to his friends as they boarded the train that they were going to take a long delayed honeymoon—much to the consternation of his wife.

APPLICATION FOR PETERSBURG ROUTE IS REFUSED

Notice was received Tuesday by Postmaster F. P. Henry from the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, saying that the petition for the route from Floydada to Petersburg had been acted upon unfavorably and that the route would not be granted.

The failure of the department to grant the route was a serious disappointment to business interests of the two towns and a number of residents between them who would have been served by it.

W. H. Wain who moved from Floydada to Clovis early this spring, is working with the Santa Fe now, he says in a recent letter, and likes to live in Clovis.

AUTO TIRES

Our sales on United States Tires and Tubes are steadily increasing from month to month... There's a reason for this increased popularity of United States Tires and Tubes. This popularity is not merely a local matter but extends all over the United States as is evidenced by the fact that contracts for 1921 show that over a third of all cars made in 1921 will be equipped with United States Tires. This is a big item when it is remembered that there are possibly a hundred factories making tires in the United States. Ask any user of United States Tires and Tubes about them. You'll find thousands of users of U. S. Tires and Tubes all over Floyd County. GET THE NEW PRICES.

BROWN BROTHERS

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

AT FLOYDADA IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON SEPTEMBER 6, 1921.

RESOURCES:

1. a Loans and discounts, including rediscounts (except those shown in b and c).....	\$381,753.13		
c Customers' liability account of acceptances of this bank purchased or discounted by it.....	12,671.67		
Total loans.....	\$394,424.80		
Deduct:			
d Notes and bills rediscounted with Federal Reserve Bank (other than bank acceptances sold.....)	\$43,092.26	43,092.26	351,332.54
2. Overdrafts, secured, none; unsecured, \$2,334.22.....	2,334.22		2,334.22
4. U. S. Government securities owned:			
a Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value.....)	12,500.00		12,500.00
Total.....		12,500.00	3,000.00
5. other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.....	3,000.00		3,000.00
6. Banking House, \$14,000.00; Furniture and fixtures, \$6,362.00.....	20,362.00		20,362.00
7. Real estate owned other than banking house.....	25,151.32		25,151.32
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....	20,188.07		20,188.07
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks.....	21,632.27		21,632.27
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8, 9, or 10).....	752.46		752.46
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 12).....	3,203.47		3,203.47
Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13.....	25,588.20		25,588.20
14. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items.....	3,628.73		3,628.73
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer.....	625.00		625.00
Other assets, if any: Floyd County Warrants.....	1,568.36		1,568.36
Total.....	\$466,278.44		\$466,278.44
LIABILITIES:			
17. Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 50,000.00		50,000.00
18. Surplus fund.....	50,000.00		50,000.00
19. Undivided profits.....	\$16,304.64		16,304.64
a Reserved for interest and taxes accrued.....	77.48		77.48
Total.....	\$16,382.12		16,382.12
c Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid.....	4,836.64	11,545.48	11,545.48
20. Circulating notes outstanding.....	12,100.00		12,100.00
25. Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding.....	5,493.41		5,493.41
Total of Items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25.....	5,493.41		5,493.41
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):			
26. Individual deposits subject to check.....	281,635.86		281,635.86
27. Certificates of deposits due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed).....	1,622.53		1,622.53
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31.....	283,258.39		283,258.39
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 or more notice, and postal savings):			
Other time deposits.....	53,631.16		53,631.16
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 32, 33, 34, and 35.....	53,631.16		53,631.16
Liabilities other than those above stated: Bills payable, assumed on other Real Estate.....	250.00		250.00
Total.....	\$466,278.44		\$466,278.44

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Floyd, ss:

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 15th day of September, 1921.

E. L. NORMAN, Notary Public.

CORRECT-ATTEST:

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

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF

THE FIRST STATE BANK

AT FLOYDADA STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE 6th DAY OF SEPT., 1921. PUBLISHED IN THE FLOYD COUNTY HESPERIAN, A NEWSPAPER PRINTED AND PUBLISHED AT FLOYDADA, STATE OF TEXAS, ON THE 22ND DAY OF SEPTEMBER 1921

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts, personal or collateral.....	\$406,754.48		
Loans, real estate.....	40,252.20		
Overdrafts.....	3,040.55		
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank.....	1,900.00		
Stocks in Federal International Banking Company.....	720.00		
Real Estate (banking house).....	10,000.00		
Other Real Estate.....	28,576.00		
Furniture and Fixtures.....	6,600.00		
Due from other Banks and Bankers and cash on hand.....	79,423.71		
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	4,478.31		
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	7,048.72		
Other Resources: City, County and School Warrants.....	2,221.75		
Total.....	\$591,015.72		\$591,015.72
LIABILITIES:			
Capital Stock paid in.....	\$ 50,000.00		50,000.00
Surplus Fund.....	15,000.00		15,000.00
Undivided Profits, net.....	3,854.16		3,854.16
Dividends Unpaid.....	110.00		110.00
Individual Deposits, subject to check.....	361,059.45		361,059.45
Time Certificates of Deposit.....	63,026.00		63,026.00
Cashier's Checks.....	5,758.91		5,758.91
Bills Payable and Rediscounts.....	86,707.20		86,707.20
Other Liabilities: Bills payable, Assumed (Real Estate).....	5,500.00		5,500.00
Total.....	\$591,015.72		\$591,015.72

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Floyd.

We, T. S. Stevenson, as vice president, and Irvin Bishop, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

T. S. STEVENSON, Vice President,
IRVIN BISHOP, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of September, A. D. 1921.

(Seal) J. K. GREEN, Notary Public Floyd County, Texas.

CORRECT-ATTEST:

S. A. GREER,
S. E. DUNCAN,
LEE MONTAGUE.
—Directors.

Mrs. E. G. Carpenter and children returned last week from McLean Texas, where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. O. Clark. The Carpenter's had as guests for several days Mrs. Carpenter's sister, Mrs. T. O. Hopwood and her husband of Denison, Texas, and Miss Ruby Goin, of Bonham, who also visited at McLean.

S. O. Adams is home after a visit of several weeks at Kingfisher, Oklahoma, with his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Maynes.

RETURNS MANY BILLS

Griffin Not Guilty of Embezzlement —Auditorium Bonds Carry by Big Majority

Hale County Herald:

The Hale County grand jury was adjourned late Tuesday afternoon for the term. The grand jury made its last report Tuesday and asked that, as it had no further work to perform, it be dismissed.

In making its report to Judge Joiner, the grand jury stated that it has returned a total of 54 bills to the court. Of these 54 bills, 13 were felonies and 41 were misdemeanors.

In the district court yesterday, County Judge L. D. Griffin, was indicted by the grand jury a few days ago, was cleared of the charge of embezzlement on which a bill was found. The case did not go to the jury. When the testimony was in Judge Joiner stated that he would leave the matter up to the state's attorney, Charles Clements, who promptly told the Court he would leave the matter to the Court. Judge Joiner then instructed the jury to find a verdict of not guilty.

The proposal for the issuance of bonds to erect an auditorium for the city of Plainview was carried in the election which was held yesterday. At the final count, the result of the election was as follows: For the proposal, 240, against the proposal, 84. A total of 324 votes were cast.

By the action of the city voters, the city council is authorized to issue city bonds in the sum of \$60,000, for the erection of a city auditorium, and to sell these bonds. Some time will be required to draw up the bonds, have them approved by the attorney general of the state and to dispose of them on the market. J. M. Waller, city alderman, stated that it usually required from ninety to one hundred and twenty days to go through with this process.

Mack Hudson, negro, was found guilty of a charge of assault with intent to murder, by the jury sitting in his case, Thursday, and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. Hudson was charged with shooting Guy Barnett, another negro, last Saturday afternoon with a six shooter.

Hudson pleaded self-defense. He employed no lawyer, but plead his own case.

High school authorities are wondering what they are going to do with the overflow of students who have already enrolled. To date there have been enrolled 387 students in the high school alone, and the building which was erected to take care of only 300 students, has now standing room only. Principal Sparks states that last year there was an enrollment of only 370 students for entire year. This year the total will run well over the 400 mark.

New Location

We are now located on the south west corner of square, and will be pleased to have you call in and see our new array of stock.

New goods are arriving daily and our fall stock will soon be complete, in every department. Our continuous buying for the past sixty days, and taking advantage of price declines, enables us to sell you good goods at a saving. Many things in the hardware line have declined considerably. While others not so much. Remember: We have a nice line of school supplies, pencils, pens, ink, tablets, composition books, note books, drinking cups, lunch boxes and numerous other things.

J. U. Borum, Hardware

S. W. CORNER SQUARE FLOYDADA, TEXAS

TRUCK COLLIDES WITH WAGON ON PETERSBURG ROAD

Tuesday night a wagon driven by L. F. Pierce figured in a collision with an automobile truck on the Petersburg road.

Mr. Pierce's little son, who was in the wagon with him, was hurt severely but not seriously when the collision occurred and a wheat drill he was pulling was badly torn up as the truck clashed with it.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Willson returned home the first of the week from Colorado where they had been spending the summer months.

Preston Martin, of Wichita Falls, a brother of J. G. and C. M. Martin, has been here this week in District Court for clients.

R. H. Willis is building a modern residence on West California Street. He will occupy it as a dwelling when completed.

WARREN & TUBBS

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DEALERS IN FARMS, RANCHES AND TOWN PROPERTY

SEE US FOR BARGAINS. DISTRICT CLERK'S OFFICE IN COURT HOUSE, FLOYDADA, TEXAS.

New Fall Draperies

We have received in the last few weeks a wonderful assortment of new fall draperies. Patterns that are very pleasing to the lovers of beautiful house furnishings.

Ladies' Fall Footwear

New arrivals are coming in daily. They are now on display in our shoe department. Styles that are up to the minute. Let us show them to you.



Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

Our stocks are in the best of condition to supply the needs of every type of figure. A most wonderful array of new fall wearing apparel awaits your selection.

Special price on cotton sacks—
7 1-2 foot sacks.....\$1.00
9 foot sacks.....\$1.20

Carter-Houston's, Plainview

GOODS THAT SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES

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WILSON KIMBLE

LIGHTS ON THE F. F. F. HIGHWAY CONVENTION

W. Wilson, of Mineral Wells, who attended the meeting as a representative of the Chamber of Commerce from the famous Texas health resort, is a newspaperman who has been in the harness a long time. Mr. Wilson said to worry about the shop a whole lot and feared for many years, he said, that the wheels would cease to turn if he left town. Nowadays he has learned better. He has an efficient organization, leaves town when he feels like it and gets along as well as he formerly did. Incidentally, he started a daily in Mineral Wells twenty-one years ago, and after he started the daily started a weekly as well. The point is he started the daily first,—rather unusual.

Another newspaper man present was Ben F. Smith, of Lockney, who is all "warmed up" about the idea of a playground some where in Floyd County where Floyd County people can enjoy the pleasures of fishing, boating and swimming without taking a two-days journey. On Blanco and on one or more beauty spots of streams in the northeast part of the county are available places for such a resort, and Mr. Smith thinks that one or all of these should be developed for the pleasure and benefit of the people of the county. Mr. Massie's pasture, where the barbecue was held Friday offers an ideal site with the expenditure of a little money. Mr. Smith rightly believes that the people of Lockney and Floydada can and should finance the improvement of this or some other place as a "fishin' and swimmin' hole." It ought to be done before next summer.

The Mothers' Club of Floydada, as individuals and collectively, do not seem to have taken the "swell head" over the overwhelming compliments paid them by visitors at the banquet. The Club indeed did well. Their part of the program was the most delightful of the two days, it should be said. Women most certainly can be systematic and efficient, serve the chicken and rolls hot, see that everything goes off just right and at the same time be good looking. How they manage it is not for mere man to say.

Judge Curtis Hancock, of Dallas, formerly chairman of the State Highway Commission, resigned, made a most interesting and instructive talk at the banquet. The Automobile Club of Southern California, he declared, should have credit for all the good roads and the great amount of advertising which that state has enjoyed in consequence. While in that

state they have built two thousand miles of hard surfaced roads, Texas now has under construction four thousand miles of hard surfaced roads. He hopes to help make the Automobile Club of Texas of as great value to this state as the California Club has been to that state.

Col. R. P. Smyth of Plainview, sees a bright future for the F. F. F. Highway. Any highway to make a successful bid for the travel of the public must have an objective worth the while. The F. F. F. Highway, he points out, has both a good place to start and a very excellent objective. Trails from the north and east centralizing at Fort Worth and Dallas are offered the Three F route, the shortest and best, to the Rocky Mountains of Northern New Mexico and from thence the southern passes to California and the Pacific Coast, with side trips to the ruins of the Aztec and Cliff Dweller civilizations, the National Forests and the Grand Canyons.

Indicating the excellence of the Three F Route Curtis Hancock in his address said that with Mr. Samman he left Corsicana Wednesday noon and reached Floydada Thursday evening in time to have a part in the banquet. The distance is slightly more than 500 miles by auto.

The principal part of the missionary work to be done on this highway will be in Texas, R. J. Taupert of Las Vegas, declared. The route from the New Mexico line westward is recognized as a state highway of major importance and a tremendous expenditure is being made on it to put it in good shape for tourist travel throughout the season. Mr. Taupert is anxious to see the sectional meetings held in October and the business meeting in the spring at Crowell well attended. They are of much importance to the value of the highway to the travelling public and mean a great deal in the scheme to popularize the

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Disease germs attack the scalp, destroying the hair growth, causing baldness, excessive dandruff, premature grayness, dead-looking, lusterless hair and itching scalp. The rich lather of Hunt's Medicated Soap carries with it to the very hair roots just the right combination of medicinal ingredients to correct scalp troubles, causing luxuriant hair growth and imparting that fluffiness of the hair that indicates the proper hair health.



HUNT'S Soap
Floydada Drug Company

route next summer. J. F. Anton, superintendent of the Slaton Division of the Santa Fe, who was here by invitation of Mayor Fry, though a booster of the Santa Fe Route in particular. Though giving much attention to the business of his company while here, was prevailed upon to attend the banquet Thursday night and spent a little time in the convention hall. He met several friends and former neighbors in the delegation from Las Vegas while here.

The Commissioners and Road Superintendent R. C. Covington, of Floyd County, came in for a good word from the delegates who declared the Floyd County line was easily told by the excellence of the roads. Secretary D. W. Jones, of the Clovis Chamber of Commerce, who is also secretary of the F. F. F. Highway Association declared a part of the route from Floydada to the Hale County line was a 100 per cent perfect dirt road.

Officials of the Chamber of Commerce are deeply grateful they declare in a statement issued this week, to the Mothers' Club and other citizens for the unstinted co-operation given in entertaining the guests of the town during the highway convention. A number of homes were used in housing guests and many more were available. So far as has been learned no guest left with any but the highest praise for the entire community and its citizenship. This was the desired end and is a matter of deep gratification to all. The following words from Jno. L. Boswell, publicity director of the highway, following his return home, as printed in one of the Plainview to their homes declare that "The Plainview delegates and delegates from other towns passing thru Plainview to their homes declare that Floydada now has the undisputed

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championship of the Southwest as an entertainer and all are singing the praises of the Floyd County seat with many words of praise for the spirit of friendly co-operation shown in the entertainment by her sister city, Lockney.

That is the kind of publicity which cannot be bought.

Incidentally the little menu used at the banquet with its insert of the panoramic view of Floydada, one of the most unique incidental "stunts" of the convention, was the idea of Geo. A. Lider, one of the members of the entertainment committee. He with J. M. Willson, R. E. Fry, W. C. Grigsby and E. C. Nelson, Jr., as chairmen of the various committees, were untiring workers to make the convention a successful one from the view point of proper entertainment for the visitors. Secretary A. Pennington, of the Lockney Commercial League, who was water bound in Central West Texas prior to the meeting, was one of the best "leggers" on the ground for the success of the convention.

I. M. Pittman and wife returned Monday from Abilene where they had been visiting with relatives. On their return they were accompanied by T. H. Pittman, a brother, who will visit here and possibly locate.

PRISONER INDUCED FEVER BY HOLDING SOAP IN ARM PIT

Judge R. C. Joiner's knowledge of a method of inducing a raise in temperature by putting soap in the arm pit probably kept a man in Floyd county several months ago from delaying trial of his case. Judge Joiner knew a man who had practiced this while in a state penitentiary. His general emaciated condition and the periodically regular raise in temperature led the prison authorities to believe that he was afflicted with tuberculosis. This particular Floyd county man was developing fever, and nausea.

Knowing that he could be inducing his own fever Judge Joiner had all soap removed from the cell and soon his fever subsided. He found, too, that the prisoner was inducing nausea by swallowing tobacco.

The practice of raising temperature on convenient occasions to escape hikes, fatigue details and other unpleasant duties in the army, is known to many ex-service men.—Plainview Herald.

Jack Robinson of Whiteflat was in Floydada attending to business matters Tuesday.

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Time to leave the order for that New Fall Suit.

Do-U-Rite Clothing Co.

TELEPHONE 184

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We are cutting up an 8000 acre ranch into farms, and are putting it on the market so poor man can own a home.

LOCATED in Hockley County, Texas, one of the best farming counties on the Plains, 14 miles from railroad at Littlefield, a nice little town on the Santa Fe Railroad, and about 10 miles northwest of Hockley City, the county site.

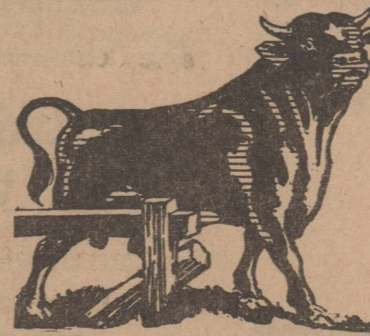
DESCRIPTION—99 per cent tillable, soil dark red loam, very rich, works easy, pure sparkling water at shallow depth.

Will sell you one or more tracts of 147 acres each for \$21.00 per acre; \$2.00 per acre cash and the balance 35 years time at low rate of interest. If you are looking for a home it will pay you to investigate.

We leave Lubbock for these lands Tuesday and Friday at 8:00 o'clock each week. Notify us when to expect you.

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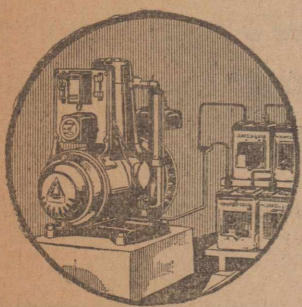


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B. C. BLACKMON, Dealer

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Attention Ladies

Your New Hat is here. Our stocks are complete, attractive models of the new season are now on display in a variety that allows the widest freedom of preference. Prices are right so is the quality.

Our millinery experts are here to serve you. Many new models invite your inspection.

At The Hat Shop

LOCATED BALCONY AT HOUSTON'S

Coming to Floydada

AMERICA'S PREMIER MALE QUARTETTE

The Orpheus Four

As the first Attraction on the 1921-22 Lyceum Course for Floydada we offer the Orpheus Four Quartette, one of the most widely known organizations of its kind on the lyceum platform today. We feel free to say we expect this organization to please patrons this year most highly. They are coming

Monday, September 26

and will present their program at

City Park Tabernacle

Subscribers to Season Tickets are asked to make their reservations at an early date. The schedule of seats will be at the Woody Drug Company on Friday, Saturday and Monday, and your reservations can be made on these dates. General Admission Charges for this number will be

50 AND 75 CENTS

No individual in Floydada makes any money from these lyceum attractions. All funds above expenses go to a fund for Civic Improvements here.

Floydada Lyceum Committee

MARTIN DRY GOODS COMP

READY MADE COTTON PICKER'S SACKS

Made of 88 Ounce Dubk, 7 1/2 and 9 Feet

Anniversary Special Each 98c

LADIES' SUITS

553 Brand new ladies suits, every one of them are different styles and are all the newest in this season's styles. The best shades of brown and navy blues, beautifully fur trimmed. Sizes are 16 to 44.

The regular price of these suits are \$35.00 and \$39.00. Our Anniversary Price on these Coat Suits..... \$25.00

Other Coat Suits values equally as good, ranging in price from—

\$45.00 to \$100.00

LADIES' COATS

This is the most comprehensive assemblage of Coats that we have ever been able to get together and the styles are the most beautiful, many hand embroidered, fur trimmed.

Suits' Finish coats in all sizes, every coat has been specially priced.

\$22.50 to \$85.00

One lot of ladies' Coats materials are all the heavy coating material, large collars, all are excellent styles and a good range of sizes and here for you to choose from. Specially priced for this Anniversary.

\$9.85 to \$19.75



Twelve days of profit sharing for you with us, twelve years made a wonderful growth, a growth which we are very proud of. share profits with you. We have been very fortunate in getting our stock to save you money. The markets are advancing rapidly and our stock prices, for replacement values are bound to be higher.

Our Anniversary Sale Starts Friday, September

Very Special Prices on Ladies' Dresses and Frocks

Simple lined, dainties in the smart new dresses of Tulle, Cord and Piquette models, Canton Crepe Etc.

You'll have to see these dresses to appreciate the values that we are offering during our Anniversary Celebration.

Children's Coats

We have just received a shipment of children's Coats. All are pretty new little Coats and the styles are beautiful and the values are big. Size 2 years to 6 years. Specially priced..... \$5.00

Size 10 years to 14 years, in a price range of

\$9.00 to \$25.00

One lot coats made of heavy coating materials, sizes are 6 to 14 years, a special price..... \$3.85

PILLOWS! PILLOWS!

The pillows covered with good striped Tulle, 75c
A lot of pillows and larger pillows filled with good feathers, 1.00
A lot of pillows filled with real down feathers, a special value, each..... 1.25



Toilet Articles

We quote here a list of some of the over the list and note the savings. They are here for lack of room. These prices have to pay. We pay the revenue.

- Special, 15 bars Jergens toilet soaps \$1.00
- Woodburys' shaving cream..... 35c
- Woodburys' shaving stick..... 35c
- Woodburys' facial cream, large size jar 50c
- Woodburys' cold cream, large jar..... 50c
- Woodburys' facial cream, tubes..... 25c
- Woodburys' cold cream, tubes 25c
- Woodburys' face powder..... 50c
- Peroxide, small size bottle..... 25c
- Peroxide, large size bottle..... 40c
- Jergens Benzoin and Almond hand lotion, bottle 35c

There's many things we have money on in the notion line. Lack of room here.

FREE!

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We are going to give to the first forty customers as much as \$25.00 or blown glass tumbler as pretty and any customer having them.



KALBURNIE GINGHAMS

Fast Color 32 inches wide

Extraordinary Display of Wash and Dress Goods

A great number of new fall and winter materials are on display here we can take care of your wants in this line no matter what you may wish.

New Fall Gingham

A choice and complete line of the wanted checks and plaids in the wanted colors pink, red, green, black, brown, many styles in light to dark colors. The new low prices are very reasonable.

Outings--1921 Outings

1921 Outings—Every woman knows what 1921 clothing means. The best quality outing to be had. We have a large assortment of this outing for you to pick from and a special price on them that you will welcome, too, a yard 17-12c

A very good outing in dark to light colors one that we have been able to get in a long time at anything near the price, a good stock to choose from. Special a yard..... 17-12c

We have a very limited stock of bleached and brown domestics, sheetings, plain socks, long sleeve shirts, etc. The prices are very low and reasonable now. Replacement values in any of this material will be much higher. Buy now.

Woollen Goods

Solid Colored Serges in navy brown, wine and green shades. A number of different widths. The values are really exciting for they are so low. Trenches, Porters, Tails, Etc. will also be found at low prices.

PLAIN SUITINGS: yard wide and some wider, all wool and wool mixed, they come in a choice line of combination colored dress plaids. Prices are very reasonable.

Silks

We have arranged for the display of silks that will be quite interesting to all who call. Charmeuse, Satin, Canton Crepe, Crepe Charmeuse, Metee, Satins and many other beautiful silks that we can't mention here. Specially low prices for our Anniversary.

Ladies' Misses and Children's Underwear

See with how we selected in our underwear for the whole of family that you can't find elsewhere and do all your purchasing without going elsewhere and we are very fortunate in having secured this underwear at an advantage that will enable us to pass the good things along to our customers.

Misses' Unions

Misses' Union suits in a wide variety of styles, long sleeve union suits, long neck, come in sizes 4 to 8 and 9 to 12. Specially priced at..... \$3.75

Children's Unions

Children's union suits in a wide variety of styles, long sleeve union suits, long neck, come in sizes 4 to 8 and 9 to 12. Specially priced at..... \$3.25

Children's Unions

This garment is made in the waist union style and is also a very good garment and we think that it is a very extra value. Long sleeve, ankle length, high neck. Sizes to 13. Special suit..... \$3.75

Children's Sleeping Garments

We have a good stock of children's sleeping garments, made of a good grade of heavy material that gives good service in all seasons from 1 to 13. per garment..... \$1.90

Ladies' Underwear

We have specially well prepared for the ladies in the underwear line and can give you almost anything that you may want.

LADIES' UNION Suits in a wide variety of styles, long sleeve union suits, long neck, come in sizes 4 to 8 and 9 to 12. Specially priced at..... \$3.75

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Nashua Woolnap Blankets

Keep You Warm

BLANKETS! BLANKETS!

Look over your needs in the Blanket line at once and come here and supply your needs. Our stock of blankets is well assorted and no need to wait longer when the stocks are rapidly picked over. Nashua Woolnap Blankets will keep you warm and they are pretty patterns in plain colors, large and small plaids. All standard sizes. We are offering some wonderful values. Be sure to see our line. Price range is..... \$1.95, \$3.85, \$4.50

FINE ALL-WOOL BLANKETS

We have a good and well assorted stock of all wool blankets in beautiful patterns of Hudson plaids. Good firm construction and made to give long and lasting service. The prices are a good deal lower than we have been able to offer in a long time. There's real values here if you need any blankets let us show them to you.

COMFORTS AND QUILTS

Good large comforts filled with good white cotton, covered with good grade of silkline, stitched and quilted, pretty designs and a nice covering. Two or three of these comforts will come in mighty handy when unexpected company drops in to spend the night.

Army comforters, covered with khaki muslin, special \$1.75
Fancy comforters with silkline, good ones, special..... \$2.35
Fancy silkline covered comforts, good heavy ones..... \$3.95

Millinery

LADIES' and MISSES' Hats at prices that you won't mind so much to pay. We can save you from 10 to 25 per cent on our ladies' or Misses' hats that you buy from us, our stocks are large and well assorted and we bought them so as to be able to offer them to our customers at this finding.



The Martin Dry

FLOYDADA,

"THE STORE"

NY'S TWELFTH ANNIVERSARY

we started business in Floydada and every year since the start we have mentally this may be called our fall opening sale, for twelve days we will merchandise in early this fall. And right now we are prepared to limited. The early shopper will get the best selection and the lowest

ber 23rd, and Closes Thursday, October 6th

8 OUNCE COTTON PICKERS DUCK
Anniversary Special for Twelve Days Only
per yard 11c

Notions, Etc.

toilet articles that we handle. Look here's many things we do not mention quote will be the prices you will

- Jergens big cans of talc powder, all scents 25c
- Pepsodent tooth paste, tube... 50c
- Pebeco tooth paste 50c
- Prophylatic tooth brushes 35c
- Mentholatums, small jars 25c, large jars 50c
- A big fine cloth brush..... \$1.00
- Ladies' and Gentlemen's dressing combs..... 25c, 50c and \$1.00

We handle all kinds of perfumes and toilet waters and can save you quite a little money on them, me and see.

We handle school tablets of all kinds, pencils, Etc.

- 6 Spools O. N. T. Sewing thread for..... 25c

mentioned here that we can save you space prevents us from making quo-

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re absolutely away comers that buys as more one set of six s. These tumblers lady would appre-

The Store Where Most Men Do Their Shopping

We want the men in this section of the Plains to know that this is the store where you can come for your furnishings and find what you want and at the prices that you have been longing for since the old days.

We have the best stock of men and boys furnishings that you have seen assembled in a long time, but the stock is limited to the extent that when this is gone many of the items will be much higher than now. We urge you to make your selections early so as to get these savings.

MEN'S SUITS

Men's fine all wool suits, and the richest ever assembled in point of tone and color. Unsurpassed qualities and astounding values, workmanship of the highest character is embodied in every suit. There is a fine stock of all kinds of woollens and worsteds to choose from and a big array of the season's most approved models.

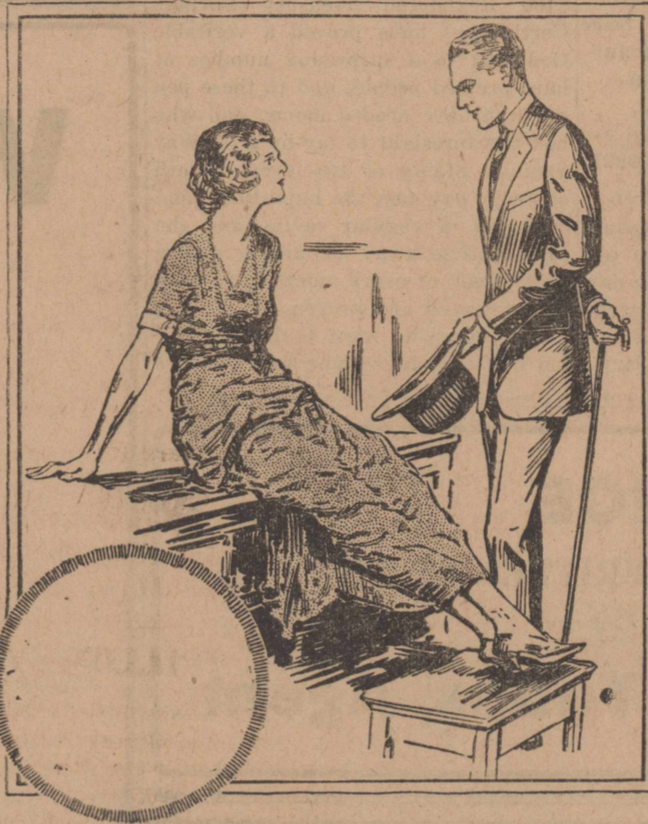
Prices are very reasonable in a range to please all

- \$20.00, \$25.00, \$30.00, \$35.00,
- \$40.00, \$45.00 and \$50.00

MEN'S OVERCOATS

You will find here a stock of men's fine overcoats that will make choosing an easy matter for you, for you can find a model that will please your individual liking, in the fabric you will find the quality that will give you lasting service, and all the models are full of snap and style.

- A wide price range to suit all.
- \$12.50, \$15.00, \$20.00, \$25.00
- \$30.00, \$35.00 and \$40.00



BOYS' SUITS

Real service that's what we give you in our Boys' Suits. There's no reason why any lad should not be well groomed. They have fine style and the style is tailored to stay. There's always less worry, more satisfaction, less upkeep if you buy THE PERFECT BOYS' SUITS. Mothers and parents that have bought them here-to-fore know that in the long run they are most economical. Jaunty Models that the boys all like. A price range to suit all.

- \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.50, \$10.00
- \$12.50 and \$15.00

MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN'S SHOES



Every person buys shoes and every one should be very particular about the kind of shoes that they buy. All leather shoes should be the kind that you buy and that is the only kind that you can buy here. We sell the famous Red Goose School Shoes for children and we don't believe that you can buy better shoes. We carry a full line of sizes for all the family and we have priced our shoes for this fall a great deal lower than we have been able to do in several seasons. Good shoes are not so cheap and cheap shoes are not any good. Good shoes are always the cheapest to buy so we say let us show you our line of shoes before you make your purchase.

A special lot of ladies' French heel shoes in brown and black kid, worth \$10.00 to \$15.00 per pair, good sizes and the values are so great that if you need a dress shoe you can't afford to pass this buy up. Special a pair.....\$6.95

A full line of men's and boys' dress shoes, also a full line of the best all leather work shoes.



MEN'S HATS

Most men are going to be looking around shortly for a new fall hat, and to make it easy for you and to save you a lot of time and worry shopping around we can say to you that you need go no farther than our store to pick your hat for we have a very fine selection of hats for you to choose from and the prices are a good deal lower than you will be liable to find elsewhere.

MEN'S AND BOYS' CAPS

Especially well have we prepared for the boys and young men's good warm winter caps, a line of pretty caps in all sizes and a good number of shapes, and best of all a good range of prices from 50c to.....\$3.00

For the little men we have a good stock of the most wanted little cloth hats, nifty little cloth hats, nifty little shapes and styles that will appeal to you. Very reasonably priced.

Men's and Boys' Underwear

We take pride in our men and boys underwear department and we haven't overlooked a single thing to make it complete. We can assure you that we can give you what you want here and at the prices you won't mind to pay.

Boys' Unions, heavy fleeced well made, all sizes from 4 to 16. Specially priced at per suit 90c BOYS UNIONS, a good ribbed union, ecru color, light fleece on inside, all sizes from 4 to 16, Special, per suit..... 75c

MEN'S UNIONS. For men we are prepared to fill your needs in anything that you demand and in sizes from 34 to 50. A good ribbed union in a very good weight, suit.....\$1.00

A good union in a heavier weight, a little more fleece \$1.50

MEN'S PURE WOOL UNIONS

A fine all pure wool garment that won't scratch and is heavy enough to keep out all the cold. We haven't seen a garment of this quality in a long time and we think that the value is the best that we have been able to offer in a good many seasons, too.



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MEN'S AND BOYS' MACKINAW'S

There's only one mission that a mackinaw coat fulfills and that is protection against hard weather.

The vogue for them started up in the northwest in the lumber camps. Lumber Jacks braved zero weather with them for years.

Even though they are rough about coats these we are featuring are very pretty styles and the makers have woven some wonderful designs and coupled with their durability and protection makes them an ideal coat for this climate.

Boys' coats, size 6 to 16. Men's sizes 34 to 46. A price range that will make them very popular.

BOYS' OVERCOATS

Boys winter proof coats that all boys should have and one of the outstanding facts is that they have fine style. We'll show you some very wonderful coats, made of all wool coatings that will keep the cold out. Sizes are 6 to 18 years. The prices are very reasonable.

MEN'S ROUGH WEATHER CLOTHING

We are showing a line of men's suits in the good heavy moleskin and corduroys in three piece suits that you'll be delighted to get for we have never had anything like them before in a full matched suit.

The price of the full suit is so low that you will surely want one of them and they are, in reach of your pocket book.

MEN'S GOOD WINTER VESTS

Every man that has ever worn a good moleskin or sheep lined or a leather vest in the winter needs no urging to buy another if he needs one for he knows how warm they are. To the man who has never worn one we will say that you should by all means if you have any out side work to do this winter, buy one of these warm vests and defy the cold weather when you are out.

A wide range of prices and many different kinds to choose from.

MEN'S WINTER SHIRTS

We have a full line of men's all wool, wool mixed and cotton flannel shirts, in a very wide range of prices. Men's good cotton flannel shirts, dark colors, all sizes from 14 to 18, special....98c

Goods Company

WITH THE GOODS"

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS:
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the Co. of Floyd if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest Co. where a newspaper is published once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day thereof, unknown heirs of G. M. Todd, Jennie Todd and Ethel Todd whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. County Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Floyd, at the Court house thereof, in Floydada, Texas, on the 17th, day of October A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court, on the 17th day of September A. D. 1921, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 281, wherein R. I. Todd is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of G. M. Todd, Jennie Todd and Ethel Todd are defendants. The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit: The State of Texas, County of Floyd.
In County Court of Floyd County, Texas, October term A. D. 1921.
To the Hon. Judge of said Court:
Now comes R. I. Todd, who resides in Floyd county, Texas, hereinafter called plaintiff, and files this his application to declare heirship, complaining of the unknown heirs of G. M. Todd, the unknown heirs of Jennie Todd and the unknown heirs of Ethel Todd, hereinafter called defendants. And for cause of action plaintiff shows to the Court:
That Jennie Todd is dead; that she died Nov. 18, 1920 in Floyd County, Texas; that she was the wife of G. M. Todd herein mentioned and the mother of plaintiff. That G. M. Todd died the 19th day of August 1921, in Floyd County, Texas, and was the father of plaintiff. That Ethel Todd died the 19th day of August, 1921 in Floyd County, Texas, and she was the sister of plaintiff and had never been married, and had had no children. That plaintiff and said Ethel Todd were the only children ever born to either G. M. Todd or Jennie Todd. That at the time of the death of said named parties they each owned property both real and personal situated in Floyd County, Texas, hereinafter described. That no administration has been had on the estates of said named parties or any of them; that they each died intestate, and there is no necessity for administration of their estates. That plaintiff is the sole heir of said named parties and of each of them.
That at the time of the death of

said G. M. Todd, Jennie Todd and Ethel Todd, they each owned an interest in the property hereinafter described, said parties together with plaintiff owning all said property, same being described as follows:
(1) Survey No. 8 in Block G. M. Cert. 1-88, Abstract 1913 in Floyd County, Texas, containing 640 acres of land.
(2) Survey No. 16 in Block G. M. Cert. 1-92, Abstract 1912 in Floyd Co., Texas, containing 640 acres of land.
(3) 128 head of stock cattle.
(4) 10 head of horses and mules.
(5) Household goods etc.
Wherefore premises considered, plaintiff prays the court that citation issue as required by statutes of this state relating to determination of heirship and that on final hearing he have judgment declaring the names and place of residence of the heirs of said G. M. Todd, Jennie Todd and Ethel Todd, deceased.
R. I. TODD,
Kenneth Bain, Atty. for Petitioner.
The State of Texas, County of Floyd.
I, R. I. Todd state on oath that in so far as is known to me, all the allegations of the foregoing petition are true in substance and in fact, and that no material fact or circumstance has within affiants knowledge been omitted from said petition, and further that I am petitioner therein.
R. I. TODD,
Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 17th day of September, 1921.
(Seal) LOLA WALLING,
County Clerk, Floyd County, Texas.
Herein fail not, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this, the 19th day of September, A. D. 1921.
LOLA WALLING,
Clerk County Court, Floyd Co., Texas.
(Seal)
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URGES COMMUNITY BE MADE
A SAVING COMMUNITY
Floydada, Texas, September 19.—
TO THE EDITOR:
In the interest of the greatest of all commercial games—the savings-game—I hope you may be able to give space to the following:
While times are hard, I have local evidence and general statistics before me showing that these hard times are showing people generally, as nothing else has done, the important place that thrift and saving occupy in any man's or any woman's life. Paradoxical as it may seem, people save more during hard times than during plentiful periods. In good times, so many people take "eat, drink and be merry" too literally.
In this community, Government War Savings Stamps and the \$25 and \$100 Registered Treasury Savings Certificates have proved a veritable God-send to a surprising number of hard-pressed people; and to these people who have needed money and who had the foresight to lay-by a \$5 War Savings Stamp or two every month or every pay day, the importance and necessity of regular saving and the safe salting away of a little money every week or every month have been demonstrated and proven.
To those who want to begin playing in the savings game that provides

when crops fail and extends a helping hand when money is tight, I'd like to say that Uncle Sam extends that privilege and opportunity at the Post Office where \$5 War Savings Stamps and \$25 and \$100 Registered Treasury Savings Certificates can always be had.
Let's make our community a saving community; where there's thrift, want is not found.
F. P. Henry, P. M.
SMITH: AN APPRECIATION
The Smith, a mighty man is he. We see him everywhere.
Whene'er a big thing is pulled off a Smith is always there.
He is in jail, in Congress, too, in almost every fight,
And he is held up now and then by foot-pads in the night.
We hum a tune, and some one says that some Smith wrote that song,
And in the war he bravely fought, some fifty thousand strong.
He farms, he writes, he buys and sells, he soothes our aches and pains.
He goes to sea in submarines, aloft in frail airplanes.
He's killed by Fords, blown up by

bombs, and when one least expects
To see the poor chap e'er again he forthwith resurrects.
He is a good scout and true, a man of verve and pitch.
We're glad he is so plentiful. Hurrah for Mister Smith!
—Tennyson J. Daft.

Wm. Salisbury left the latter part of last week for Wichita, Kansas, where he will spend a few days on vacation. His family, who have been there for several weeks, will return home with him.
Misses Doris Armstrong and Virginia Lewis spent last Friday shopping in Plainview.

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Embalmer furnished if desired.
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Dozens of tires for your choice at this store. Our tire racks are constantly filled with the best shoes from the best makers. All kinds of treads; smooth, cup, button, diagonal, non-skid, etc. High grade inner tubes, also. We guarantee tire satisfaction. Come to tire headquarters.
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We Have Moved

We are now located in our new home on the west side of Square, in the H. J. Willis Building, where we invite everybody to come, and see us.

We are getting in new goods every day, are in position to give you service in the Hardware lines, and we believe you will always find our prices right.

These gentle northers remind us that winter is approaching, and you will find us ready to care for your needs in heating stoves, stove pipe, coal hods, stove boards, pokers shovels, and dampers; prices right.

We are able to announce a considerable decline in Perfection oil cook stoves. We are headquarters for these, good stock of wicks on hand at all times.

We solicit your business, and our desire is to always give the best service and prices.

MITCHELL HARDWARE

NOTICE

Within a few days, we will go to market and buy a car of mixed furniture for immediate shipment. If there is anything in the furniture line that you want, we will be glad to make selection for you.

ADVANTAGES TO BE GAINED

We can get what you want.
The price will be less.
The freight will be less.
No damage in shipping.

We are advised that the furniture market has reached a stable level. In general, no further decline is anticipated before January; a few advances in some lines have come and more are expected.

If your home is not furnished as you want it, we offer you this opportunity to get what you want at a rock bottom price. We please you or you have bought nothing. You will be surprised at the bargains we can secure for you, if you will let us know your wants. We can get what you have been wanting at a price and on terms you can afford.

Telephone 84 or call at the store and explain fully what you desire bought. We will be glad to execute your order and incidentally save you money.

KIRK & SONS
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Marshall Will Trade With You

DEVELOPMENT OF GRAIN

Pat Nix has on his farm three miles east of Lubbock a field of pure line kafir that is a splendid showing in uniformity and desirable showing as well as in high yield. Mr. Nix obtained seed from supplies grown at the Lubbock Substation in an increase plot from one of Superintendent R. E. Karper's selections which had survived 4 years of the most drastic requirements known to the science of plant breeding. The uniformity and high quality of this crop will result perhaps in an increased demand from growers of grain sorghums for seed of absolute purity from the very best of the known selections.

Numerous fine fields of Spur feterita in West Texas this season further attest the value of pure line selections. The yields of Spur feterita are reported by the Experiment Station to show about seven bushels per acre better than common feterita from which the Spur type was selected. Those who have been observing the pure line kafir selection made by Mr. Karper predict that it will show even a greater increase over the common blackhul white kafir from which it was developed than has the Spur feterita over its parent stock.

Enough progress has been made by the Experiment Station specialists in breeding grain sorghums that the station has announced in Bulletin No. 279 recently published that purity and uniformity of characters in kafir can be obtained in the second generation and that successive crops will show continued purity and uniformity with respect to individual characters. This means this pure line kafir known as Blackhul No. 153 if kept free from contamination will continue as a satisfactory high yielder.

Fourteen hundred pounds of this seed was distributed by the Experiment Station last season and it is expected that when reports are received, most of the results will show up as well as that on the Nix farm.

Statistics indicate that West Texas is producing annually about sixty million bushels of kafir, milo and feterita. This is conceded to be only a par-

showing of the possible production in this section, because the area planted to these grain sorghums is limited to the popular annual estimates of the farmers as to how much production the markets will absorb. There seems to exist still a general notion that grain sorghums are not worth as much pound for pound as is corn. In fact, the market price has been around 40 per cent less than the market price of corn. The Texas agricultural experiment station has been for a number of years making exhaustive investigations to determine the comparative value of kafir, milo and feterita not only in competition among themselves but with corn. These investigations now point conclusively to the fact that there is no appreciable superiority of corn over grain sorghums nor milo, feterita or kafir over each other in a ration for fattening farm animals. Feeding tests recently conducted at the Spur substation confirmed practically the scientific conclusion that there is only a slight difference in the productive value of either of these grain sorghums and of corn in a feed ration.

Producers of grain sorghums are therefore greatly interested now in bringing the feeding public to a better understanding of the value of the grain so that it may take its rightful place alongside corn in the grain markets. They argue plausibly that feeders will not continue very long to buy corn to feed their hogs and cattle and lambs at a price far above that at which kafir, milo and feterita may be had when they once learn that the grain sorghums are quite as good or better than the corn. They like to grow the grain sorghums because with the highly improved new varieties they have no trouble in producing more bushels per acre than they can corn and for that matter more bushels per acre than accredited yields of corn in the great corn belt of the middle west. The grain sorghums are more certain of producing good yields in good and bad years than is corn.

They are more cheaply cultivated. They yield a better forage and in

larger quantities and more easy of utilization.

All things considered the West Texas farmer is coming to wonder why his land is not worth even more per acre than the great corn farms of Iowa. He is particularly interested in the building up of the stock feeding industry right here in Texas so that the grain sorghums and forage sorghums and alfalfa and cotton seed meal may be converted into marketable fat on the hoof before shipment on the railroads. In this way tremendous savings in freight may be effected. He argues that it does not take any more steam to pull a carload of 12c cattle or hogs than to pull a carload of the same weight of cotton, grain or other cheap feedstuffs.

WARFARE PLANNED TO DRIVE RATS FROM EASTERN STATES

Damage totaling \$200,000,000 in stored foodstuffs, grain, field crops, and other injurable materials is done by rats in the United States annually. Only the united efforts of every home owner and tenant can effect the abolition of these rodent pests. The Biological Survey, United States Department of Agriculture, is starting a big campaign against rodents throughout the eastern United States. Much has been accomplished in the matter of control in the Western and Middle Western States, where effective cooperation was secured. On the other hand, residents of the Eastern and

Southern States, as a rule, have been exposed to widespread ravages and attacks from rodents for such long periods that they have become so accustomed to the nuisances as to accept them as a matter of course. Uncle Sam is doing his utmost to awaken these sections to the need for eradicating rats.

To illustrate the enormous damages which rats annually accomplish in grain and corn fields, the experience of the State Penitentiary Farm, covering 2,500 acres, at Baton Rouge, La., is of interest. Last year a 200-acre field of corn was planted on this farm. The rats worked their way through the field, stealing all the seed before the kernels could germinate. The field was planted a second time, and again the rats overran the prospective cornfield, leaving in their wake paths of destruction. Undeterred, the farm manager planted the field to corn a third time, and ultimately secured a poor stand, which resulted in the production of about one-third of a normal corn crop.

This year, just before planting, a drive on the rats was organized, following methods recommended by the Biological Survey. Convict labor was used in distributing poison bait over the entire 2,500-acre tract, and as a consequence the place was practically freed of rats. As a direct result of this rat-eradication drive, the farm this year secured from a single planting an excellent stand of corn that

bears indications of an early harvest of a good crop.

Mrs. O. Z. Smith of the Lakeview community, accompanied by her sons, Lynn and Earl, left the first of the week for Canyon where the boys will enter school.

J. S. Simmons, Studebaker dealer of Lockney, was a business visitor in Floydada Saturday.

B. G. Moreton, of Plainview, was in Floydada Tuesday.

POULTRY CULLING

On Wednesday of last week County Agent T. Scott Wilson conducted a culling demonstration at Mr. Nelson Coward's place. This demonstration was well attended by the neighborhood. More of these culling demonstrations will be conducted in other communities that are interested.

Little Miss Mildred Houston, of Plainview, is visiting this week in Floydada with her father, C. R. Houston.

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Have you the blues*

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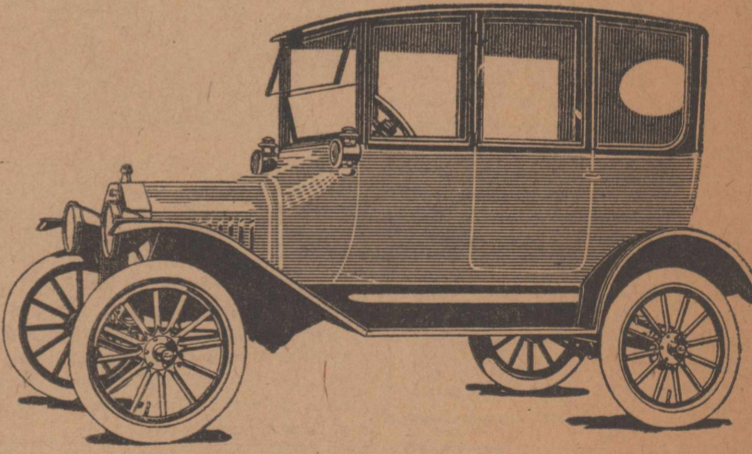
To our friends and customers, we are now installing a new modern Bowser, 5 gallon stroke gasoline pump, 1/2 block south of First National Bank. We will handle all kinds of oils, tires and accessories.

Our air compressor has been shipped, and as soon as it arrives, will be ready to give you free air and water.

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GRAIN JUDGING TO BE BOYS' CLUBS FEATURE

The boys who come to the educational encampment for Boys' Clubs at the State Fair of Texas, October 8 to 23, will find an interesting bit of work ahead of them, with worthy rewards for the winners. This is a grain judging contest, in which any individual is competent to enter provided he attend the encampment.

Each boy will have the opportunity to judge corn and grain sorghums, with prizes in each class. Each contestant must have a ten ear and a ten head exhibit of corn and grain sorghums from his own club plot on exhibit, however, to enter. The prizes, given by well-known seed firms interested in encouraging agricultural development, are both money prizes and pedigreed seed prizes.

TEXAS FIRST TO MAKE POLAND CHINA FUTURITY

Texas was the first State in the Union to make the required number of entries in 1921 for a Poland China futurity at the State Fair. This State led all others by several weeks, according to the breed promotion committee announcement.

The State Fair of Texas Poland China futurity is one of the largest held annually in America. This year \$1,020 in premiums are offered for this single event.

The Story of Our States

By JONATHAN BRACE
XXII.—ALABAMA



THE discovery of Alabama is credited to De Soto in 1540. The English also laid claim to this territory and included it in the grant to North Carolina. But it was the French who first settled here erecting in 1702 Fort St. Louis on Mobile Bay and founding the town of Mobile nine years later. Mobile was for many years the capital of Louisiana. France in 1763 ceded the territory east of the Mississippi to England and the northern part of the present State of Alabama was joined to the Illinois territory. The southern portion was known as West Florida. Serious conflict with the Indians was kept up for many years. In fact, even as late as 1812, there was an uprising of the Creeks which resulted in terrible atrocities and massacres.

During the Revolution West Florida remained loyal to England, but was seized by Spain only to be turned over to the United States in 1813. This Mobile section was then added to the northern district and the State of Alabama was formed and became the twenty-second state of the Union in 1819. The meaning of the name Alabama is variously interpreted. It was the name of an Indian tribe which inhabited this territory at the time of De Soto's first visit. After this tribe the river was named and the state was called Alabama after the river. The Indian word was supposed to mean "Here we rest," and these words are used on the state's coat of arms, but this interpretation is doubtful and its real meaning is uncertain. Alabama is sometimes called the Plantation State. Its area is 51,998 square miles.

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Spirit of Pioneer Days in Texas Will Hover Over State Fair During the Great Centennial Celebration



One of the most interesting announcements for the season of 1921 was recently made by the officials of the State Fair of Texas in outlining a great Texas Centennial Celebration during the 1921 Fair—Dallas, October 8 to 23. This affair is going to be the most solemn historical event Texas has ever seen, yet with a full dash of the spectacular to make it worth the while of thousands of Fair visitors.

The Texas Centennial Pageant will be the formal opening fete of the Fair, and will be staged in the great Athletic Stadium on the evening of October 8. Five thousand people will take part in a picturesque pageant of pantomime and tableaux, in which costumes will be a bright feature. Brilliant decorations, wonderful lighting effects, and especially adapted music will make the Pageant com-

plete in artistic triumph. The story of one hundred years of Anglo-American progress—of how a great state has been built on the little Stephen F. Austin colony of 1821—will be faithfully portrayed. It promises to be the most interesting production ever seen in Texas.

The State Fair of Texas has secured the services of Jack Webster Harkrider, a native Texan and nationally prominent Pageant Master, to direct the Texas Centennial Pageant. The Pageant will have a distinctive social side. Mr. Harkrider is now arranging this feature. The Pageant will have a Queen, who will hold social Court for the occasion. Every city and town in Texas will send its fair representative to this Court of Honor, and foreign countries and other states and their principal cities, will do likewise.

BECOMING TO MATRONS



The fine art of dressing up to one's age demands dignified, brilliant and beautiful hats for middle life. Matrons wear such lovely and flattering bits of millinery as the hat at the top of the group above with braided crown and malines brim in brown. A wreath of metallic silk roses interspersed with grasses livens it with rich color. The hat at the left is a favorite shape with up-rolling brim and a soft crown of silk braid.

EYELET WORK IN BLOUSES



The last word in blouses appears in this rich model of crepe de chine and eyelet embroidery. It has a short peplum pointed at the bottom, each point supporting a long silk tassel and a girde of ribbon held to the long waistline by little rings.

From the larger proceeds of the Baptist 75 Million Campaign the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention has been enabled to send out more than 160 new missionaries since that movement was launched. It is announced, and of that number sixty young men and women, representing fourteen states, have just sailed for China, Japan, Africa, Brazil, Argentina and Chile. In addition to these, Dr. and Mrs. Everett Gill of Kansas City will sail September 14 to become representatives of the Board in Europe, while Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Hamlett of Austin, Texas, have just sailed for Jerusalem, where they will maintain headquarters in acting as the Near East representatives of the Board.

The new missionaries to China and Japan sailed from Seattle, Saturday, August 27, on the Hawkeye State of the Admiral Line, while those for Brazil, Argentina, Chile and Africa sailed from New York on the Aeolus August 17. They will be engaged chiefly in evangelistic, educational, medical and agricultural work and will be stationed at various points in these fields. While a large number of new workers have been sent out by the Board since the beginning of the Campaign, at least 100 other capable young men and women could be employed to advantage if they were available, Secretary J. F. Love advises.

Mission Money Gets Results.
Of the more than \$25,000,000 that has been collected in cash on the 75 Million Campaign to date, about \$5,000,000 has gone to foreign missions. This has made it possible not only to strengthen the old work on all fields and employ a large number of new

missionaries, but to do much other work, including building or making substantial additions to 15 boys' schools, 17 girls' schools, 37 mission residences, five hospitals and dispensaries, four light and power plants for mission compounds, 26 church buildings, four colleges, seven theological seminaries. In addition, assistance has been given seven church building loan associations, six new stations have been opened and equipped, land has been bought for the enlargement of several mission compounds, a home for orphans in Italy has been established, and a block of ground has been purchased in the heart of Rome for headquarters for the work in Italy, a theological seminary, publishing house, church and mission residence being provided on this property.

Enlarge European Field.
As a result of the Campaign, Southern Baptists have been enabled to greatly enlarge their work in Europe. They have carried on mission work in Italy since 1870, but now they have opened up new work in Jugo-Slavia, Hungary and Roumania, and have made a beginning, through the distribution of Bibles, in the Ukraine and Southern Russia and Siberia. To act as the European representatives of the Board in this enlarged program, Dr. and Mrs. Everett Gill of Kansas City were recently named. They will probably make their headquarters in Switzerland.

The first work Southern Baptists have eyes done looking to the evangelization of Mohammedan lands has just been undertaken in Palestine and Syria, and Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Hamlett of Austin, Texas, have gone to Jerusalem, where they will superintend

the work of the native evangelists. It is planned to establish a church, theological seminary and college, hospital and orphanage at Jerusalem as soon as practicable and thus seek to reach other points in Palestine and Syria from this center.

Minister to 900,000,000 People.
With the enlarged foreign mission program of Southern Baptists that denomination is now operating in 18 countries on every side of the globe, and has in its employ practically 500 foreign missionaries and twice that number of native workers trained in the mission schools. Through its present missionary operations the Board is seeking to minister to 475,000,000 yellow people, 4,000,000 brown people, 200,000,000 black people and 225,000,000 white people, making a total of 900,000,000 people, or more than half the population of the globe. Numbered among its workers already on the field are 21 foreign physicians and 8 foreign mission nurses who last year gave 154,970 treatments. There are now 611 mission churches on the foreign fields and of this number 184 are self-supporting. The average contributions of these mission churches last year to denominational causes was \$5 per member, the Christians on the foreign fields responding more liberally as a result of the 75 Million Campaign.

The new missionaries sailing at this time were contributed by the following states: Alabama two, Arkansas one, Georgia five, Kentucky six, Louisiana two, Mississippi four, Missouri four, North Carolina three, South Carolina five, Tennessee five, Texas three, Virginia six, Iowa one and Pennsylvania one.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Whereas, The City Council of the City of Floydada, Texas, deems it advisable to issue bonds of said city for the purposes hereinafter mentioned:

Therefore it is hereby ordered by the City Council of the City of Floydada, Texas, that an election be held on Tuesday the twenty fifth (25th) day of October, 1921, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

Shall the City Council of the City of Floydada, Texas, be authorized to issue bonds of said City in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) payable as follows: One thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) payable each year for fifteen years beginning one year from the date of issuance of said bonds, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable annually, and to levy and collect a tax to create a sinking fund sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and redeem them at maturity, for the purpose of improving the waterworks within the limits of said city, and extending the water mains in said city.

Said election shall be held in the City Hall of the City of Floydada, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, to-wit: Homer Steen, presiding officer; A. C. Goen, judge, Frank L. Moore and J. E. Swenson clerks.

Said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter nine (9) Acts of the Thirty-seventh Legislature of the State of Texas, and the General Laws of 1899 and the amendments thereto if any, and only qualified voters who are property tax-payers in said City shall be allowed to vote in said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue bonds shall have printed or written on their ballots the words "For the

issuance of Bonds", and those opposed shall have printed or written on their ballots the words "Against the issuance of Bonds". The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections.

A copy of this order signed by the Mayor of said City and posted at least 30 days prior to date of said election shall serve as a proper notice of said election and the Mayor is directed to cause it to be posted at the Postoffice of the City of Floydada, Texas, at the County Court House of Floyd County, and in the City Hall of the City of Floydada. The notice is also ordered published in the Floyd

County Hesperian, a newspaper published in Floydada, Texas.
Given under my hand this 13th day of September, A. D. 1921.

(Seal) R. E. FRY,
Mayor, City of Floydada, Texas.
29-4tc.

Mrs. E. C. Mince and little son, of Coalinga, Calif., arrived here Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mince and other relatives in Floydada.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Turner, Lakeview, September 13th, a daughter.

Saturday, Sept. 24

A VITAGRAPH SPECIAL AT THE OLYMPIC THEATRE

"From The Manger to The Cross"

This play was produced in authentic locations in Palestine and Egypt. A very interesting play from beginning to end. Jesus preaching to the multitude on the shores of the Sea of Galilee.

Also a 2-Reel Comedy "HIS FIERY BEAT"

In connection with the regular program there will be 200 feet of style show put on by THE MARTIN DRY GOODS COMPANY.

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When school opens you begin to wonder how you can keep the BOYS in CLOTHING at a MINIMUM COST. We HAVE eliminated the greater part of your trouble with our

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They come in a range of colors and materials. The pants are full lined and all seams taped and double stitched. Other suits have one pair pants. THE PRICES ARE MODERATE.

\$4.95 to \$15.00

HOUSTON'S

Closing Out Removal Sale

We are preparing to move about October 1st and will combine the stock in our Floydada Store with our Aspermont Stock. Owing to the heavy cost of packing and moving goods and the limited space in our new location

We are going to sell everything in the house at wholesale prices until Oct. 1

This will prove a big money-saving opportunity for the people of this territory.

REMOVAL PRICES ON TOILET ARTICLES	REMOVAL PRICES ON STATIONERY
Mavis Face Powder, per box.....39c	\$1.50 Box Stationery, per box.....85c
Mavis Talcum, per can.....19c	\$1.00 Box Stationery, per box.....60c
Pompeian Talcum, per can.....23c	75c Box Stationery, per box.....40c
Mennen's Talcum, per can.....19c	50c Box Stationery, per box.....30c
Palmolive Soap, per bar.....8c	35c Box Stationery, per box.....22c
Lava Soap, per bar.....8c	
Woodbury's Soap, per bar.....23c	Choice any lace in the house, per yard.....4c
	Extra large bread trays.....\$1.35
	16-oz oblong butter molds, the new kind.....42c

REMOVAL PRICES ON DISHES	ALUMINUM WARE, GRANITE-WARE, ETC.
Plain White Plates, per set.....72c	Churns and jars, per gallon.....18c
Plain white cups and saucers, per set.....99c	Flower pots, size No. 5, each only.....7c
Best grade Gold Band Cups and Saucers, per set \$1.19	Flower pots, size No. 6, each only.....10c
32-Piece Dinner Sets in the famous Blue Bird designs and others, at per set.....\$5.50	12-qt. Galvanized Water buckets.....30c
Big 17-oz. ice tea goblets, per set.....94c	10-qt. blue and white granite water buckets.....\$1.15
11-oz. tumblers, per set.....69c	5 qt. gray enameled tea pots.....\$1.05
Spoon holders, each, only.....11c	6 qt. Stew pans, enameled.....85c
Fish bowls, \$1 size, for.....65c	8 qt. Boilers, enameled.....95c
	17-qt. Gray enameled dish pans.....79c

REMOVAL BARGAINS IN SCHOOL SUPPLIES
6 Big value tablets, for.....24c
6 Wide scratch tablets for.....24c
3 Theme tablets for.....24c
3 Spelling tablets for.....24c
3 Note books for.....24c
3 Packages note book paper for.....24c
Hy-Tone Linen Tablets, each.....8c
Hy-Tone Linen Envelopes, per package.....8c
Stick candy per pound.....16c
Other candies in proportion.....
7-oz. rolls toilet paper, per roll.....8c
All Dolls and Toys at Wholesale Cost.....
Famous Unicum Human Hair Nets, double mesh, each.....14c
"Bonnie B" Hair Nets, each.....9c
Famous "Her Majesty" Hair nets, each.....5c
Child's Pearl Necklaces, each.....9c
Ladies' Medium length pearl necklaces, each.....20c
Ladies' 52-inch pearl necklaces, each.....43c
Ladies' genuine Spanish leather purse, large size.....90c
Children's purses, black, gray and blue, only.....43c
New style barrettes with brilliant sets, only.....20c

It is impossible for us to quote prices on everyone of the thousands of articles in the store but everything takes the wholesale cost price.

Ferrell's Variety Store

NORTH SIDE SQUARE

FLOYDADA, TEXAS

Mrs. W. D. Smith returned last Saturday from Lubbock where she visited her daughter, Mrs. P. T. Rucker. She was accompanied home by another daughter, Mrs. C. P. Coates of North, who will visit here for a

Bruce Meador spent the early part of last week in Abilene, Texas, where he was present at the dirt break ceremony of the new Methodist school, the McMurry College, which was held Tuesday.

Mrs. H. H. Allen and baby son, Kirby K., of Mexico, Missouri, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Burrows. They were met in Plainview by Mr. and Mrs. Burrows Saturday morning of last week.

Mrs. Lula Gatewood, of Amarillo, accompanied by her little granddaughter is visiting J. R. Day and family in the Pleasant Hill Community, having arrived here last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Whitely returned the latter part of last week from a vacation visit of several weeks spent in Florence, Temple and other mid-Texas points with relatives and friends.

Judson Wyman of Redlands, California, is here this week visiting friends. He will leave in a few days for Waco where he will enter Baylor University.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hamner returned Thursday of last week from Abilene, Texas, where they accompanied their son, Jack, who has entered Simmons College there.

Miss Ola Hanner, accompanied by her sister, left Monday morning for Canyon, Texas, where they will attend the West Texas State Normal during the coming school term.

Mrs. Elmer Wood returned Friday night of last week from Olney, Texas, where she has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Wallace, who will visit here for a few weeks.

C. Snodgrass returned the latter part of last week from Hereford, Texas, where he had been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Roy Bruner, for a few days.

Edwin McReynolds of Canyon, Texas, spent last week end here visiting friends.

Curtis Martin of Matador was in Floydada on business the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Polk who have been here visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. Pat Horton, left Tuesday morning for their home in Belin, New Mexico.

Mrs. T. R. Ross left Friday for her home at South Bend, Texas, after a three-weeks visit with her son, S. W. Ross and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Atkinson left Friday for Florence, Texas, to be away from home several days.

Mrs. W. L. Boerner returned last Thursday from Lubbock where she had been spending a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Attorney Preston Martin, of Weatherford, Texas, is here this week attending district court.

Ira D. Gamble accompanied his daughter, Miss Erin, to Dallas, Monday, where she is entering the Southern Methodist University.

Mrs. L. O. Norman and Mrs. B. B. Pierce were visitors in Plainview Tuesday.

New Garage IN FLOYDADA

I have leased the rear of the BOSLEY BLACKSMITH SHOP and have opened up a GARAGE.

Am prepared to do work on practically any kind of car or tractor as well as starters, Generators, Etc.

First class work assured on every job. Come in and let me figure with you.

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And, just between ourselves! Ever dip into the sport of rolling 'em? Get some Prince Albert and the makin's papers—quick—and cash in on a cigarette that will prove a revelation!

Prince Albert is sold in tippy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half pound tin humidors and in the pound crystal glass humidors with sponge moistener top.



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To Holders of Floyd County Warrants or Script

We are informed by the Commissioners Court of Floyd County that they are making an effort to borrow money for the purpose of taking up outstanding warrants (or script) held by various people over the county for road work or other work, and have signed a contract to make an effort to get these warrants together in the hands of one person or institution by the 20th of October, at about which time they will get the money to pay the script off, they think.

On Request, this bank is offering its services for the purpose of getting these warrants together. If you hold a warrant against the county and want to leave it here for collection in the event the court borrows the money, we will be glad to accomodate you in this way.

However, we do not in this offer take and responsibility except for the safe-keeping of warrants, for which we will receipt holders when turned over to us.

First National Bank
FLOYDADA, TEXAS

"SHALL WE SELL OR ELECTRIFY THE FARM?"

This question has arisen in the mind of many a farmer who is "getting on in years," and who begins to feel that it is about his time to give up the grinding hard work he has always had to do, retire and take things easy. So he thinks of selling the farm and moving to town. Many farmers do his, almost always to their later regret, because they find that they are not comfortable in town and that while they don't want to grind as they've always had to before, still they miss their farm work and farm interests. So they fail to find satisfaction after all.

Others have struck a much better solution of the problem during the last few years, within which time the farm electric plant has put in its appearance and changed the whole face of country life. The farmer who has reached the retiring age finds that it isn't at all necessary for him to go to town to find the leisure that he needs. He finds that if he electrifies his farm, the drudgery will disappear from farm work, chores will almost do themselves, and he'll have an extra hired man.

Electrical conveniences of all kinds, such as washing machines, vacuum sweepers and flat irons will make his wife's lot much easier and give her, too, the increased leisure that she needs as much as he does.

They will have in their house bright and safe electric lights in every room

upstairs and down, lights in the halls, controlled from either floor, lights on the porches and at the barn that can be turned on and off from the house. They will have a bath room with hot and cold running water. There will be water on tap in the kitchen, faucets outside for sprinkling the lawn.

All of these conveniences come with electricity, and the farmer who takes advantage of them finds that he no longer has to think of selling the farm and moving to town for ease and comfort in his declining years. He can enjoy them much better right on the farm where he has spent his life, and he can still take an interest in his life work.

FLOYDADA SCHOOLS WILL HAVE HONOR ROLLS

James E. Parks, superintendent of the Floydada public schools, has announced that students in the high school making a general average of 90 in their school work, 90 or above in deportment, and who are neither absent nor tardy during the month will have their names placed upon an honor roll which will be published in the Hesperian the week that the monthly report cards are issued.

The north side school will also have a roll of honor, according to Miss Ivey, principal of that school, but it will require a general average of 85 instead of 90. Both honor rolls will be published once each month during the entire nine months of school.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Subject: B. Y. P. U. and Mission work.

Leader: Rosa Jones.

Scripture: Lloyd Paschall and Louise Wright.

Song: "From Greenland's Icy Mountains."

Missions Required by standard of excellence: Mrs. R. G. Brannen.

The material for these meetings: Gladys Covington.

Studying mission text books: Mrs. W. T. Hamilton.

Our plans for giving: Annie Nickell.

Giving to special causes: Virgil Norman.

The B. Y. P. U. and new missions: Joyce Hopkins.

How to make our works effective: R. G. Brannen.

Special Music: Virgie Price.

Prayer for our B. Y. P. U. work.

BAPTIST REVIVAL MEETING CLOSED SUNDAY NIGHT

The Baptist revival meeting conducted by Rev. J. Pat Horton, pastor of the church, at the tabernacle in the city park, closed with the evening service last Sunday. The meeting had been going on for two weeks and was well attended when the weather allowed.

Miss Alice Davidson of Abilene is here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Pittman.

SUNDAY TRAIN WILL BE DISCUSSED BY C. OF C.

Whether Floydada would prefer a six-day train service with "on the dot" trains or trains seven days a week over the Santa Fe with schedules not so carefully observed, is one of the three questions which will be discussed tomorrow night at the Chamber of Commerce called meeting.

Besides the matter of train service the question of employing a full time secretary in co-operation with an organization of retail stores in a credit association will also be gone into fully, and a concerted plan to get an increase in the membership of the Chamber of Commerce will get some attention.

The call for the meeting was issued this morning. It is set more especially to thresh out the matter of the train service. Supt. J. F. Anton, of Slaton, of the Santa Fe, has requested the organization for a statement of their preferences in this particular. Quite a bit of agitation has been raised first and last during the past several months for the Sunday train. Mr. Anton's plan which will be given in full at the meeting tomorrow night, he believes will be accepted by his superiors, if an assurance of satisfaction can be obtained from the customers of the road here.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

September 25th at 7 p. m.
Subject: South America.
Leader: Mr. Roy H. Baker.
Song: "The Kingdom Coming."
Text: Psa. 2:1-8.
Song: "Help Somebody Today."
1. Give a geographical of S. A.—Anna King.
2. What are the principal products of S. A?—Alpha King.
3. What is the leading nationality of S. A?—Thelma Teeples.
4. What is the principle religion of S. A? Miss Murchison.
Song: "Send the Light."
BIBLE:
1. The aim of the gospel. Psa. 19:7.—Mrs. Baucom.
2. Matt. 18:3—Roy Baker.
Results of Preaching:
1. Luke 19:9—Miss Campbell.
2. Acts. 8:37—Mrs. J. W. Burgett.
Song: "Loyalty to Christ."
Business.
Benediction.

Mr. and Mrs. D.T. Scott and children returned home the earlier part of last week from Aspermont where they had been on a visit with Mrs. Scott's brother, John S. Zant and family.

IMPROVEMENT IN BUSINESS CONDITIONS IS NOTED

H. T. Bridges, State Bank Examiner from the Department of Banking of Texas, was here yesterday on his quarterly inspection visit to the First State Bank.

Mr. Bridges is a relative of J. M. Hamner of this city and has a number of other friends and former neighbors here.

He notes a generally more optimistic outlook in banking circles the past few weeks, he said while here.

CHICKEN FRY ON BLANCO

A number of young people enjoyed a moonlight picnic and chicken fry on Blanco canyon Tuesday night. In the crowd were Misses Clara Lee Johnson, Bess Bentley, Gladys Johnston, Stella Tubbs, Mollie and Lola Walling; Messrs. Ben Morton, of Plainview, H. E. Cannaday, M. B. Cavanaugh and Robt McGuire; and Mrs. and Mrs. Charlie Wilson.

Mrs. A. P. Green, who has been here since June visiting her son, J. K. Green and family, returned to her home in Brownsville, Texas, 1 morning.

BE COURAGEOUS

Business conditions in the United States rest today on a sound foundation of fundamental constructive conditions.

With a body of industrial citizenship working more harmoniously each day toward mutually satisfactory understanding, our great country may face, with confidence, the problems of the future.

The general conditions are much better, save more and spend less.

FIRST STATE BANK

Floydada, Texas

"The Bank of Friendly Service."

Cotton Raisers

Beginning Saturday, 24

Will begin running and be ready to gin all cotton offered from this date.

Farmers Gin Co.

W. L. BOERNER, MANAGER

30x3 1/2
\$13.85

Effective now we offer United States Usco (rough tread) tires, sizes 30x3 1/2, at \$13.95. This is the lowest price we have ever had on this casing since we have been in business in Floydada. This price puts the genuine USCO United States Tread casing, in the above size, on a price level with the cheap quality casings that are now flooding the market. And the quality of the United States tires is guaranteed to be the highest that it is possible to produce under the present art of tire manufacture.

As you have doubtless seen from the papers, the United States Tire Company has contracts for 1921 to furnish tires for over a third of all cars made, so the United States Tire Company in carrying out its 1921 contracts will be furnishing between a fourth and a third of all the tires used on cars made throughout the world in 1921. There's a reason for this great increased business and it is not the price alone for you can buy perhaps as many as fifty different brands of casings at a lower price than you can buy United States. But at no price can you buy a casing of higher and better quality, barring none, than you get in United States casings. We have three grades of casings in the U. S. line—Standard Fabric, Long Staple Fabric, and Cord. Each of these three grades is a standard by which the bulk of casings are judged. We carry all regular sizes in stock. Get the new prices.

We carry the best line of standard grade AUTO SUPPLIES in Floyd County and our prices are always the lowest.

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