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CITY TAX RATE IS SET AT \$1.10 THIS YEAR

Waterworks Bonds Record in Austin for Approval of Attorney General

The tax rate for property in the City of Floydada was set last week at the regular meeting of the City Council at \$1.10 on the \$100 valuation, divided as follows:

General fund	55c
Park fund	5c
Waterworks fund	25c
Street fund	25c

Total.....\$1.10

The tax rate set will take care of outstanding sinking funds for previous bond issues and warrants outstanding and provide for the bond issue recently voted for water works improvements and extensions.

The record for the waterworks bond issue has been completed by City Secretary Maury Hopkins and it is now in Austin awaiting the approval of the attorney general. If the record is approved in every respect the actual preparation of the bond issue and putting them on the market should not require a great length of time. On account of the fact the bonds bear 6 per cent interest, and are of short maturity date, as well as serial bonds, they are expected to find a ready market and the council does not anticipate having to take a sacrifice in their sale.

Plans are being made up for the improvements and extensions which it is most desired to be effected, but all plans are subject to revision and change, the council being of the belief that it will be an excellent idea to make haste slowly to insure consideration of every phase of the situation and obtain the greatest value for the money to be expended.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO HOLD OPEN MEETING

The Chamber of Commerce meeting tomorrow night will, it is hoped, resolve itself into a general mass meeting of the citizenship of Floydada, announcement of the plan for this kind of meeting having been made by Secretary R. E. Fry Wednesday after a conference with O. P. Rutledge and other officials of the organization.

Not only members but their wives as well and other persons, not members, but interested in the welfare of Floydada and Floyd County are invited to this meeting.

A full report from every standing and special committee has been asked for by the secretary in notices sent out to chairmen of the various committees.

In addition to this business and the routine work to have attention, R. A. Underwood, of Plainview, banker and townbuilder, has been invited as a special guest, and will address the assemblage. Arrangements have been made to hold the meeting in the District court room if the county court room will not accommodate the crowd present. The expectation is Mr. Underwood's talk will be one of the great value. F. M. Butler, formerly president of the Chamber of Commerce here, has also been invited to be present. He has tentatively accepted the invitation.

The meeting will open promptly at seven-thirty, and as indicated above, will be open to all citizens, including women.

PREMIUM LIST FOR TRI-STATE POULTRY SHOW READY

The regular and special premiums to be awarded at the Panhandle-Plains Tri-State Poultry Show to be held in Amarillo December 7 to 11, inclusive, and the rules and regulations governing the show, have been announced by H. W. Duke, secretary of the Tri-State Association.

These premiums are declared to be among the most liberal ever offered at a poultry show in this section of the State of Texas and some of the specials are said to be even larger than those paid for winning birds at the Texas State Fair at Dallas.

The premium list is not yet complete for specials, it is announced, as there are persons interested in the poultry industry who will make additional special premium offers, which will be announced by Mr. Duke when they are offered.

Mrs. C. H. Owen returned last week from Paris where she had been with her brother. The latter was seriously injured in an accident. He was not returning home.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ANSWERS TWO CALLS ON SUNDAY

L. M. Flanary Home and White Grocery Blazes Stopped with Water and Chemicals

The Fire Department made a good record Sunday when it stopped two fires, one of which threatened the entire business section.

The first call was about ten thirty, when the E. P. Nelson house on South Wall Street, occupied by L. M. Flanary, caught fire in a closet adjoining a brick flue. Considerable damage was done to the clothing of the family before the fire was extinguished and the house was also damaged by smoke and water.

The A. D. White Grocery blaze was the result of a "short" in a sterilizing machine in the creamery department of the store. The fire was discovered about two thirty. The principal damage was done in the creamery room and to salt and flour stored in the rear part of the building.

All the property destroyed was partially covered by insurance.

F. H. S. FOOTBALL SQUAD WINS GAME FROM LOCKNEY

The score of 24 to 7, which was the score by which Floydada High School won their game from the Lockney High School boys, does not indicate as hot a game as was really played between the two teams on Armistice Day at the Floydada Baseball Park.

The first half closed with the Lockney School in the lead 7 to 3. The visiting boys were unable to score in the last half, however, while the F. H. S. boys were making three touchdowns and kicking a goal on each.

Over-confidence almost lost the game for Hi, as the result of the first half would indicate. The visiting team had been greatly strengthened in team play and individual work since the last game between the two and put up a worth-while scrap.

The game was witnessed by a large number of local people and visitors, besides rooters from the two high school teams.

DEPARTMENT WILL RECEIVE BIDS ON TWO STAR ROUTES

Contract on two star mail routes running out of Floydada will expire on July 1, 1922, and the Post Office Department began advertising this week that bids on the routes will be received January 10th, 1922, for the service four years until June 30th, 1926.

These routes are the Roaring Springs-Matador Route and the Silvertown Route. The former is a seven-day service route, the latter a six-day route. From Floydada to Roaring Springs by way of Matador the distance is 42.6 miles, the present pay is \$3,004.34 and the bond required \$4,500. To Silvertown the distance is 35.5 miles, the present pay \$1,974 and the bond required \$3,000.

On both routes it is required that motor vehicle be used when road and weather condition permit. On the Silvertown route the contractor will be required, in addition to usual box delivery and collection service, to sell stamp supplies, deliver registered matter, accept and give receipt for applications for money orders and the money therefor, also for matter presented for registration or for insurance and C. O. D. parcels.

The time schedules advertised are approximately the same as at present in effect on the routes.

HAMMONDS ADDS DUROCS FROM LYLES FARM

J. I. Hammonds received last Saturday from H. L. Lyles, of Garland, Texas, 22 head of Durocs, including a boar pig and 21 head of gilts and young sows. Mr. Lyles shipped the car through and accompanied it.

Mr. Hammonds is making his plans for his February sale and not having a sufficient stock to effect the sale from his own herd is importing this lot to add to his own list.

The pig which heads the lot was second prize junior pig at the Texas State Fair of Dallas and headed the third prize futurity litter at Waco at the Cotton Palace in the Duroc Division and seven head of the gilts and sows are from the show herd of the Lyles Durocs at Dallas and Waco. The Lyles herd boar is the one which beat Mr. Hammonds' hog for first place in Junior Yearling class at Dallas.

INTERSCHOLASTIC BASKETBALL SCHEDULE ARRANGED

W. E. Patty, District Athletic Director, Announces Schedules for Boys' Games

W. E. Patty, of Plainview, director of district athletics, Lubbock District, Interscholastic League, last week announced the schedule for boys' basketball to be played under interscholastic rules. In making the schedule announced Mr. Patty divided the district into four sub-districts the same as last year as follows:

Sub-District No. 1, composed of Dawson, Gaines, Terry and Yoakum.

Sub-District No. 2, composed of Borden, Garza, Lynn and Scurry.

Sub-District No. 3, composed of Dickens, Crosby, Floyd and Motley.

Sub-District No. 4, composed of Bailey, Hale, Lamb and Lubbock.

Announcing the plan he says:

"The directors of athletics of the several counties should determine the winning team for boys in their respective counties on or before January the fourteenth and should furnish me with a certificate of same not later than January the seventeenth. He should also furnish the Director of athletics in the county, and if possible the director of athletics in the school that his team will play in the following schedule, with copies of said certificate. The directors of athletics in the winning schools should then arrange games according to the following schedule. Should the directors of athletics be unable to agree on a time and a place then report the matter to your respective county directors who should arrange such games.

"Every contesting team, before entering county contests, should send a fee of \$1.00 to Austin and secure a card which will admit the team to all contests.

January 20th and 21st first preliminaries:

"Dawson vs. Gaines, schedule (a); Terry vs. Yoakum, schedule (b); Borden vs. Scurry, schedule (c); Garza vs. Lynn, schedule (d); Motley vs. Floyd, schedule (e); Crosby vs. Dickens, schedule (f); Lubbock vs. Hale, schedule (g); Lamb vs. Bailey, schedule (h).

"January 27th and 28th second preliminaries:

Winners in (a) vs. Winners in (b); Winners in (c) vs. Winners in (d); Winners in (e) vs. Winners in (f); Winners in (g) vs. Winners in (h).

"February 3rd and 4th, semi-finals, (in Lubbock.) Sub-District No. 1, vs. Sub-District No. 2; Sub-District No. 3, vs. Sub-District No. 4.

Finals: Winners in Semi-finals play each other.

"The State Committee has made no provisions for girls basket ball, but I suggest that the County Directors of Athletics determine the winning teams of girls in their respective counties as per above schedule. I shall bring the matter before the District Executive Committee for consideration before the District Schedule is to begin. In the meantime I should like to hear from the County Directors in regard to the advisability of holding District contest in basket ball for girls. The girls teams would not have to pay the \$1.00 fee referred to above."

McDERMOTT POST A. L. WILL MEET BI-MONTHLY

McDermott Post American Legion at their regular Monday night meeting at the Post rooms in the Barrow Building, voted to meet each first and third Monday nights in each month.

Officials of the Post are delighted with the manner in which ex-service men are co-operating to make the local organization a live one, and a campaign for further memberships and renewals is to be inaugurated at an early date. "We want every man who is eligible for membership in this Post, linked up with us," Post Commander E. C. Nelson, Jr., said Tuesday.

Several additions to the furnishings of the Post rooms are among the improvements planned for the local quarters by the Legion.

TENNESSEE MAN TRAVELS 3 STATES—NO MUD

A middle Tennessee traveler was in Floydada Monday en-route west by automobile, and according to his story, the largest territory in many years, is affected by the dry weather since the early fall floods.

The tourist said that in his travel from middle Tennessee through Arkansas, part of Oklahoma and thus far in Texas he had not been in mud.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT INSPECTS NEW BRIDGE

Commissioners' Court Accept New Proposal for Refunding Warrants from Simpson

The Commissioners' Court in regular session this week voted to accept a new proposal of the Geo. L. Simpson Company for the sale of refunding warrants of the county, a proposition identical with the one recently turned down on technical grounds, being adopted by the court. The vote was three to one, Commissioner Orman voting against the measure.

The technical objections to which the purchasing company objected, the majority of the court think, have been met, the principal objection being that all the court were not present at a regular session when the vote was taken last month. The new move was made at the suggestion of the Geo. L. Simpson Company, from which it may be surmised they expect the new record to be acceptable to their attorneys. The same amount of warrants are contracted to be sold as before, \$15,000 worth of general and \$30,000 worth of road and bridge fund warrants, on the same basis as the first sale was made, which was 85 cents on the dollar.

The Court spent Wednesday in the northeast part of the county where they inspected in Commissioners Orman's precinct the additions to the bridge recently contracted, and now practically completed.

AMERICAN LEGION BANQUET

If one had dropped into the lobby of the Viles Hotel just before eight o'clock on the evening of November 11, he would have been reminded of the days of 1917 and 1918. The boys of the McDermott Post No. 118 of the American Legion had assembled, each with his wife or a lady friend, for a banquet on the occasion of Armistice Day. The boys were in uniform, and the occasion was quite military.

One of the boys blew "Chow Call" at the appointed hour, and everybody lined up. Here the army style was used a bit, however, and beginning at the end everybody passed along the line, speaking to everybody and getting acquainted with any whom they had not met, and then passed into the dining room. Some of the ladies, particularly Miss Ruth Collins, and Mrs. Alline Henry, had assisted with the decorations, and had made the dining room very beautiful. The American colors dominated the decorative scheme, and tiny American flags served as favors.

During the evening the following program was rendered:

Reading.....Miss Marie Henry
Piano Solo.....Miss Naomi Harmonson
Toast, To the American Legion.....
.....Miss Berta Nobles
Voluntary Toasts,.....
.....Legionnaires and Guests
Address.....Rev. Pat Horton

Brother Horton took as his theme "The American Soldier in Civilian Life," and his address was very much appreciated by the Legionnaires and their guests.

The American Legion wishes to extend its thanks to Mrs. M. E. Cope, who arranged the menu and had charge of its preparation, to the management of the Viles Hotel for the very satisfactory arrangements made, to The Hesperian for printing the program and menu cards free of charge; and to all those friends who by their labor and their talents contributed to the enjoyment of the evening.

The following ladies were present: Misses Gladys Felton, Gladys Johnston, Nell Baggett, Naomi Harmonson, Bertie Wilson, Fae Stephens, Alline Wood, Theresa Hamilton, Rosa Jones, Glenn, Flavia Baker, Alice Holmes, Berta Nobles, Ruth Collins, Marie Henry, Clara Lee Johnston, Winette Brittain; Mesdames W. L. Fry, R. L. Harrell, Wells Henry, Calvin Steen, R. T. Miller, R. E. Lowrey, and Pat Horton.

"A WHITE LIE" PRESENTED TO FULL HOUSE THURSDAY

"A White Lie," home-talent play, presented last Thursday night at the Olympic Theatre by a cast of Floydada players under the auspices of the Young People's Missionary Society, drew a full house and was heartily applauded throughout.

The play is a four-act comedy-drama. Its presentation was unusually well done, the talent executing parts in excellent manner.

Proceeds are to be used by the Society in its activities.

LOGGERS DECLARE THREE-F HIGHWAY MOST LOGICAL

Hancock and Sammons Visit Floydada and Report Big Enthusiasm on East End

"The F. F. F. Highway is the logical route from the hot portions of Texas to the Rocky Mountains and the Pacific Slope and it awaits only the proper logging and exploiting to make it one of the most-traveled routes in all the southwest," declared Hardy Sammons, business manager of the Automobile Club of Texas in Floydada Monday morning. Mr. Sammons in company with Judge Curtis Hancock, both of Dallas, are traveling west on a logging trip of the route from Fort Worth to Las Vegas in compliance with the contract made by the Automobile Club of Texas and the F. F. F. Highway officials in Floydada in September. They report much enthusiasm on the route from Fort Worth westward to this point.

"The F. F. F. Highway has been a route on paper only these many years. With the enthusiasm being put behind it and lot of hard work it can easily be taken out of the "paper" class of highways and put into the foremost ranks of west and east routes," they were unanimous in declaring at the office of R. E. Fry, Secretary of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce Monday morning.

Last week coming from Mineral Wells westward Messrs. Hancock and Sammons addressed massmeetings at Graham and Olney, where they found much interest in the route. Betterment of the road conditions through that territory is promised, Judge Hancock declared, and it is possible that instead of representing the worst part of the route that territory will have the best roads on the route.

The log of the route shows the distance from the corner of 7th and Main in Fort Worth to the corner of Main and California in Floydada to be exactly 336.7 miles by way of the F. F. F. Highway, and these two gentlemen are convinced that the distance from Fort Worth over the F. F. F. Highway will prove to be several hundred miles shorter than any other route now bidding for the travel of the autoist westward to the Rocky Mountains and Pacific slope.

At every point west of Fort Worth the interest in the route was quite satisfactory in every respect, Mr. Sammons declared. The expenditure of \$4 per mile on the highway, which will obtain the logging, marking and considerable exploitation work through the Automobile Club of Texas, it now appears, is one of the best contracts made for similar work by a highway association.

FRANK B. LOGAN, CARTOONIST FORMER A. E. F. MAN

Frank B. Logan, who is to appear in Floydada Saturday night of this week, is an ex-service man, and was with the American Expeditionary Forces in France. He was stationed at LeMons much of the time while in the army. And although he had experience in newspaper work as a cartoonist before joining the army and had also done some work on the Chautauqua platform, it was in France that he did the work which gave him his large popularity. His facile pen pictured the things about the life of the A. E. F. in France which intrigued his fancy and his drawings were in great demand among the soldier-editors in the army.

And while Mr. Logan considers the war a matter of ancient history a small part of his program Saturday night will be given to the portrayal of army life in France. As a chalk-talk artist he works rapidly and keeps his audience with him with a line of talk that also gets over readily.

The program will be given at the City Park Auditorium, which will be completed sufficiently to accommodate in comfort the crowds who attend. The auditorium which is made from the pavilion by the simple expedient of making it a frame instead of an open-sided building, will accommodate 1200 people and is the largest auditorium in Floydada.

B. J. Nelson, who has filed on land northwest of Santa Fe, N. Mexico, and who has been here several days on business, will return to his new home in the next few days.

R. T. Stribling returned this mid-week from Wichita and Kansas City, where he had been on the market with young cattle.

L. H. Hart was here yesterday on a business visit from his new home at Priona.

U. S. HIGHWAY ENGINEER URGES ROAD PROTECTION

Tells Floydada People Maintenance and Protection for Roads Already Built Important

U. S. Highway Engineer L. Messigman, out of Fort Worth, on a tour of the panhandle, told a few Floydada business men and public-spirited citizens of the county at the county judge's office Tuesday afternoon that maintenance and protection of the roads they have already built in Floyd County are quite as important, if not more so, than a further extension of the county's road building program. In a general way, he declares it is more important.

Stressing the matter of protection for roads as well as maintenance, he called attention to methods by which other sections of the country were preventing ruts and chug holes from forming in their roads and declared that finally some such system as the patrol system by which one man is made responsible for the condition of a stretch of road, would be adopted as the most logical and cheapest in the long run.

Mr. Messigman thinks that the dirt of Floyd County is unusually well adapted for road building and does not believe for the present that hard-surfaced roads are the proper thing for this county. Maintenance and protection costs are too high on hard-surfaced roads except in more heavily populated districts. And even on dirt roads it is his idea that communities try to maintain too many roads with the funds which they have available for the purpose.

Floyd County's 900 miles of roads are theoretically in need of more money than the county is now able to expend upon them for maintenance and protection, according to this authority, who recognizes that in a rapidly growing community such as Floyd County, new roads must be opened and laid out. This should be reduced to the minimum, he believes, and the effort concentrated on roads already improved.

Methods of obtaining funds for highway maintenance from the State Highway Department, ways of increasing the good roads spirit in the community, and the provisions of the new highway protection laws of this state, were among other things discussed by Mr. Messigman during his hour stay here. With the passage of time the new road protection law of the state will become more and more popular with its provisions and the saving it will effect in the road money of the various counties, he declares. The law, while not perfect, is modeled after laws in other states which are working with a great deal of satisfaction to the taxpayers, he said.

In his tour of this section, Mr. Messigman finds a most commendable start in road building effected in the greater number of counties, the most-marked need of the section being, according to his idea, the services of a highway engineer to stake out work to obtain best drainage effects. As a rule, this engineer is available in each county or at most in adjoining counties. While this service would increase the first cost of a dirt road, it would save tremendously in the cost of ten years in maintenance costs.

G. V. SLAUGHTER'S CONDITION QUITE CRITICAL

G. V. Slaughter, for many years a resident of Floydada, and until the past two years one of its leading business spirits, has been very sick at his home in southeast Floydada this week and physicians are convinced he will be unable to recover.

His health has been poor for more than two years and he has gradually sunk until his death is momentarily expected.

His brothers, E. C. Slaughter, of Roosevelt, Okla., and John Slaughter, of Megargel, are here with him, the latter having arrived Tuesday afternoon.

MRS. W. I. CANNADAY HOSTESS FOR ALL-DAY PARTY

Mrs. W. I. Cannaday washed last Thursday an all-day party when several friends spent a pleasant day at the Cannadays on West California Street.

Dinner was served at the home of Mesdames F. S. Truett, J. T. J. Dawson, Gladys E. Johnson, W. P. Pope.

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GIVE THANKS FOR ALL

Thanksgiving, Lord, Thanksgiving!
For the blessings of our days;
For the joy that sings through homely
things
In the common trodden ways.
For life and love and plenty,
For laughter and for tears;
For thy wise plan of good to man,
Thanksgiving through the years!

Thanksgiving, Lord, Thanksgiving!
For thy bounty unto us;
For the gracious yields of ripened
fields
That are so marvelous.
For the summer's golden promise
That the fruitful autumn bore,
Thy people raise the voice of praise—
Thanksgiving evermore!

Thanksgiving, Lord, Thanksgiving!
For all thy ships at sea
That bear afar the brave that are
In service unto Thee.
Thanksgiving, Lord, Thanksgiving!
For Thy hosts in ev'ry clime
And ev'ry land, where'er they stand,
Thanksgiving through all time!
—ESTHER CLARK HILL.

TURKEY MARKET BETTER

Farmers and dealers in general in
the south plains are glad to have seen
during the past few days the steady
advance in the turkey market, but
even at that both dealer and farmer
are nonplused at a situation which is
not understood. While Floyd County
farmers were offered a 19 to 23 cent
market last week it was a notable fact,
established by dealers here, that dealers
as close as Childress were able
to pay the farmers 30 to 32 cents for
their turkeys. Monday the local price
was advanced to 25 cents through the
activities of dealers in getting better
prices. And while this price is a good
one—25 cents is a good turkey mar-
ket—if other dealers elsewhere are
able to buy on a market that allows
the farmer 30 cents local dealers want

to know why they can't do the same.
The situation is not exclusively at
Floydada but appears to be general all
over the plains.

While dealers are working on the
matter of obtaining this stronger mar-
ket it must not be taken for granted
they are advising customers to hold
their turkeys. The turkey market is
usually short-lived and so long as a
good market prevails it doesn't pay to
hold for that better market which may
never be realized.

**FRANK LOGAN, CARTOONIST,
TO APPEAR HERE SOON**

Was Doughboy Artist on LeMons Bul-
letin in France During War

A clever young cartoonist whose
work while in the army in France at-
tracted the attention of the French
and English newspapers, is to give his
popular, chalk-talk here on the even-
ing of November 19th at City Park
Auditorium.

Mr. Logan was a lieutenant in the
army in France. He had had previous
newspaper experience in America, and
his sketch work, done in idle moments,
created considerable interest. He was
suddenly "borrowed" from his super-
ior officers to do feature cartoon
work on the LeMons Bulletin. His
series of drawings portraying the life
of the doughboy in France attracted
wide attention. His work carries the
requisite "punch" so characteristic of
the successful newspaper cartoonist.

A portion of his lecture is devoted
to humorous impressions of the dough-
boy. His pictures are artistically cor-
rect; they sparkle with keen humor
and irony. He works with lightning
rapidity, and he is a master of splen-
did color effects.

His art is just a little different from
any other cartoonist, and his draw-
ings accurately picture the many
sides of life gathered from first hand
experience.

**COL. THOS. MONTGOMERY,
HOME FROM U. C. V. MEET**

Col. Thos. Montgomery, of TM Bar
Ranch in southeast Floyd County,
reached home Tuesday afternoon from
the annual Convention of the United
Confederate Veterans, held this year
at Chattanooga. He also visited fol-
lowing the convention at his former
home in Georgia and with his brother
at Rome, Ga.

The convention had an excellent
turnout and visitors in Chattanooga
were royally entertained, Col. Mont-
gomery said.

Col. Montgomery is an aide on the
staff of the Commander in Chief of
the U. C. V.

E. C. Slaughter, of Roosevelt, Ok-
lahoma, reached Floydada Monday
night in response to information from
relatives here that his brother, G. V.
Slaughter, is very seriously ill.

**MOTHERS' CLUB PLANS HOME
TALENT LYCEUM PROGRAM**

The Mothers' Club met in regular
session at the North Side School build-
ing Friday afternoon of last week.
The usual routine business was at-
tended to and standing committees for
the year were appointed.

A home talent lyceum is to be a
feature which the Mothers' Club will
present to Floydada people soon, if
present plans are carried out. Much
talent is available for this purpose,
and it is believed that one of the
most entertaining programs of the
year can be given by local musicians,
readers and entertainers. Further
particulars will be announced later.
The funds from the home talent pro-
gram are to be used in forwarding
plans now made by the club.

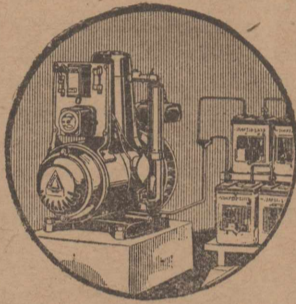
The next regular meeting of the
club will be held on November 26th,
at the High School building. A very
interesting program is expected and
all the ladies, whether members or not,
are invited.

—Reporter.

S. E. Goslee spent Armistice Day
in Amarillo, where he went as a
bugler in the Bugle Corps of the Plain-
view Legion Post contingent.

Ed Russell, sheriff of Motley Coun-
ty, was in Floydada Tuesday on of-
ficial business.

**Solves the Retired
Farmer Problem**



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WRITE FOR CATALOG
B. C. BLACKMON
DEALER
FLOYDADA, TEXAS

TYE-BYARS

Mr. Earl Byars and Miss Clede Tye
were united in matrimony at the home
of A. B. Muncy, Rev. R. E. L. Muncy
officiating Friday evening, November
11th. The wedding was a quiet affair
and came as a surprise to their many
friends.

Mr. Byars has been raised in Floyd
County, being the son of N. T. A.
Byars, while Miss Tye is a charming
young lady of Plainview.

Their many friends wish them a
happy life.

—Contributed.

JUNIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

For Sunday, November 20th.
Subject—The gateway of the world.
Song—America.

1. Map study of Panama—Albert Grigsby.
 2. Panama socially and physically—Anna Maude Garison.
 3. Panama for Christ—Ruth Crane.
 4. Another significant work of the home board—Richard Stovall.
 5. Poem, "Little Jack Horner"—Clara Tubbs.
- Leader—10-minute talk.

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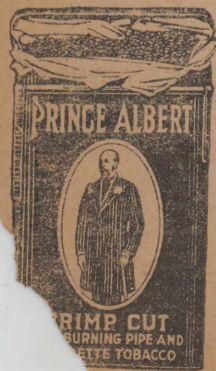
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pipe!—and forget every smoke experience you ever had
that spilled the beans! For a jimmy pipe, packed
brimful with Prince Albert, will trim any degree of
smokejoy you ever registered! It's a revelation!

Put a pin in here! Prince Albert can't bite your
tongue or parch your throat. Both are cut out by our
exclusive patented process. So, just pass up any old
idea you may have stored away that you can't smoke a
pipe! We tell you that you can—and just have the time
of your life on every fire-up—if you play Prince Albert
for packing!

What P. A. hands you in a pipe it will duplicate in a
home-made cigarette! Gee—but you'll have a lot of
fun rolling 'em with Prince Albert; and, it's a cinch
because P. A. is crimp cut and stays put!

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



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**Turkey Tastes Better
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Have you the proper kind of Roasting Pans—the big
ones with large covers and plenty of room for the "trim-
mings" along with the bird?

If not you should prepare now by buying one of our
Roasters—in varying sizes, big enough to accomodate
any bird from pullet to gobbler.

MIRRO ALUMINUM SPECIAL

All this week we offer at a special introductory MIR-
RO ALUMINUM SAUCE PANS, 1½ quart size, for
ONLY 69c. You will recognize this as a bargain when
you see it. Gooduntil Thursday, November 24th, only.

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FLOYDADA, TEXAS TELEPHONE 24

NOTICE OF STOCK LAW ELECTION

As the 18th day of October, A. D. came on to be considered by the Judge of Floyd County, Texas, the petition of F. T. Emert and one hundred fifty-two other free holders of the County of Floyd, State of Texas, for an order of election in the County of Floyd, Texas, for the purpose of enabling the freeholders thereof to determine whether horses, mules, cattle, jacks and jennets shall be permitted to run at large therein; And it appearing to the undersigned judge of such county that such petition was filed with the Commissioners' Court of said county on the 12th day of September, 1921, and that such court thereafter, on the 10th day of October, A. D. 1921, heard and granted the same and ordered that such election be held on the 3rd day of December, 1921, and that the judge of said county issue an order thereof and cause public notice thereof to be given as required by law;

Now, therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me under such order and the law, I, W. B. Clark, County Judge of Floyd County, Texas, do hereby order that on the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1921, at the usual voting boxes in said county, an election shall be held for the purpose of enabling the freeholders of the said county of Floyd, Texas, to determine whether horses, mules, cattle, jacks and jennets, shall be permitted to run at large in said county of Floyd, Texas;

That said polls shall be open for such election at the usual places in the said county used for the purpose of holding general elections in said county; no person shall vote at such election unless he is a freeholder and also a qualified voter under the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas; all votes at such election shall be by ballot and voters desiring to prevent the animals designated herein from running at large shall place upon their ballots the words "For the Stock Law," and those in favor of allowing such animals to run at large, shall place upon their ballots the words, "Against the Stock Law."

On or before the tenth day after such election, the persons holding such election shall make due return of all the votes cast at their respective voting places for and against said proposition, to the Co. judge of said county, who will tabulate and count said returns and ascertain and proclaim the result of said election in the manner prescribed by law.

Public notice of this order shall be given for at least thirty days before the date of such election by the publication thereof in some newspaper published in said county, if there be one, and if no newspaper be published in said county, one of which shall be shall be posted at three public places in said county, one of which shall be at the court house door thereof.

Witness the hand of the county

Judge of Floyd County, Texas, his October 18th, 1921.

W. B. CLARK,
County Judge, Floyd County, Texas.
33-4tc.

GIRLS' BASKET BALL TEAM WINS FIRST GAME

The girls' basket ball team of the Floydada High School won their first game of the season on Armistice Day at the High School grounds when they defeated the team of the Lockney High School 20 to 9.

The game was played before the scheduled football game between the boys of the two schools.

POSSESSION OF STILL NOT ILLEGAL IN TEXAS

Austin, November 9.—It is not against the State law to possess equipment for manufacturing intoxicating liquors, the Court of Criminal Appeals held today in reversing and dismissing the case of Frank Cox, sentenced to one year in Shelby County for that offense.

In amending the Dean law the Legislature at the last special session did not enumerate possession of equipment in the forbidden acts, the court held, after an examination of the amended statutes. Therefore it is not unlawful, the court decided.

An All-Wool Jersey Petticoat at

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While this is low in price yet it is made from a very fine quality of "Kayser's" glove silk jersey.

The upper part of the flounce is trimmed with three rows of shirring and finished at the bottom with a wide pleated ruffle.

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We anticipate this will be one of the most pleasing programs we have had an opportunity to present recently. Auditorium will be platted and reserved seat purchasers well-placed. Other reserved seats are available and on sale.

Comfortably Seated, Comfortably Heated and Well Lighted

You will find the auditorium comfortably seated, well lighted and heated.

Spend the evening with us and enjoy this program. All proceeds used for civic improvements.

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RUMELY OIL-PULL TRACTOR
The Oil-Pull Tractor Repeats

In 1912 the Oil-Pull Tractor set a worlds record for FUEL ECONOMY at Winnipeg, by using only .7 of a pound of fuel (KEROSENE) per horse power hour. Made under actual field conditions, recorded by most competent and unbiased judges to be found. In addition to setting a worlds fuel economy record the OIL-PULL was:

First in Maximum brake tests, First in overload capacity, First in plowing test, First in total points.

And, as evidence of allround superiority of the OIL-PULL, was declared the SWEEPSTAKES WINNER over all contestants, 33 in number.

Nineteen Hundred Eighteen thoroughly demonstrated the supremacy of the OIL-PULL. Every test entered gave indisputable proof that the OIL-PULL can plow an acre of ground CHEAPER THAN ANY OTHER TRACTOR.

REPEATS THREE TIMES IN 1918

AT MINOT, N. D. Competing with 29 other tractors the OIL-PULL used 21 per cent less fuel than the average.

AT TOPPENISH, WASH. Competing with 10 other tractors, the OIL-PULL used 33 per cent less fuel than the average.

AT SALINA, KANSAS. Won at Salina, but the Officials only announced the winners, giving no figures.

LOWERS OWN RECORD IN 1920

At Columbus in 1920 the bombshell exploded when an OIL-PULL lowered its own record for fuel economy made at Winnipeg in 1912 by using only .606 of a pound of fuel per horse power hour. The remarkable feature of this contest was the saving of 84 per cent IN FUEL COSTS OVER THE AVERAGE OF ALL OTHER TRACTORS ENTERED. This same tractor developed 40 3-4 per cent overload, and finished "GOOD PLUGS" (a high rating) in close governing in the variable load test.

SAME OLD STORY THIS YEAR

At Fargo from June 28th, to 30th, competing with 35 tractors, plowing heavy gumbo, the OIL-PULL as usual "topped out" winner, consuming 2.3 gallons KEROSENE per acre, which was 30 per cent less than the average.

NOTE: Above figures are for KEROSENE burning machines as GASOLINE burning machines have never in any way competed.

BUILT FROM THE GROUND UP TO BURN KEROSENE

Old Number One—the first OIL-PULL built—twelve years old—after 7,350 acres plowing, over 750,000 bushels threshing, and a total repair bill of less than \$200—is still on the job going strong. Built from the ground up to burn KEROSENE (80 per cent of our fuels are low grades) the OIL-PULL of today, more refined, and surely destined to give longer service than the thousands of others eight, nine, ten and twelve years old.

POWER, THE WHEAT GROWERS PROBLEM

Moisture is no respecter of person—having sufficient today is by no means an insurance policy that the same condition will be prevalent next week—our great experimental stations have taught us to conserve moisture while we have it. Dependable power, is the only solution. "Rat in" your wheat and you will always be indebted to your bank. Put it in RIGHT, on as large scale as practical, and your increased yield will more than pay for your machinery, and you will keep on the "black side" with your bank.

MR. FARMER: There is an OIL-PULL tractor for your size farm. If you buy an OIL-PULL, you buy the longest lived, most economical tractor built to date. You will get your work done on time, with NO "hired help" expense. No flies, no getting "tired," "eats" only while working, and gives you more time with your family and other business. The NEW IDEAL STEEL SEPARATOR is the greatest grain saver offered. Contract your wheat early and make the delivery on time by purchasing a small IDEAL SEPARATOR for your own and neighborhood use. The RUMELY TRUCK insures quick deliveries, and is by no means a liability to the wheat grower.

DEVELOP YOUR MECHANICAL TALENT AT OUR EXPENSE

Growing wheat as a business can only be made profitable by the use of MODERN MACHINERY, and the success or failure by the use of machinery depends altogether on your mechanical knowledge of same. The ADVANCE RUMELY THRESHER CO. are going to hold a big TRACTOR AND SEPARATOR school in Dallas from November 28th, to December 2nd, inclusive, and we want you to be our guest to that school. The requirements are easy, and here they are:

Give us your order NOW, for a RUMELY TRACTOR, SEPARATOR or TRUCK for delivery now, or as late as June 1st, 1922, and we will refund your R. R. fare (or your automobile expense not to exceed R. R. fare) as well as your legitimate living expenses (not to exceed \$5 per day) while in actual attendance at the school in Dallas. Here's your opportunity to know your machinery, and it will mean dollars to you to go yourself, or send your machine man with us. TERMS: will be two and three falls depending on the size rig you buy. The ONLY ACTUAL CASH you would be required to put into a delivery NOW (in case you accept delivery now) is the freight on the rig you buy.

GET RID OF MISFIT AND SURPLUS

As a SPECIAL INDUCEMENT to purchasers that will accept deliveries prior to the school, we will accept a REASONABLE amount of trade; In Tractors, (any make) Separators (any make) Automobiles, Trucks or Livestock. We have had one decline in price this year, and on orders dated for delivery after the school will be accompanied with a rider protecting purchaser against any further decline in price the Company might by chance be able to make prior to delivery.

QUICK ACTION NECESSARY

REMEMBER: All orders must be accepted prior to the school by the Advance-Rumely Threshing Co. as usual, and quick action will be necessary. Therefore, we urge you to drop us a line NOW, or phone us, giving exact location in every case, and we will call on you and explain more thoroughly. DO IT NOW.

NOTE: On this campaign we are pleased to announce that FIVE GENTLEMEN are "on the dotted line" ready for the school. We may form an automobile party and go overland. Their purchases embrace a 12-20 and two 20-40 OIL-PULLS, a 28-44 Ideal Steel Separator and two 28-48 Steel Ideal Separators.

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TOM MIX
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"AFTER YOUR OWN HEART"

Here is a big drama—swift moving scenes—a brilliant cast—and one of the greatest stories of all time. One that has thrilled millions. It is a wholesome, human story and according to all accounts the best ever filmed by Tom Mix.

It Is Full of Pep From Beginning to End

You will remember Tom Mix played in "The Texan," "Big Town Round Up" and "Ridin' Romeo," all of which have been shown at this theatre as they were released, and this one, his latest release, will be shown

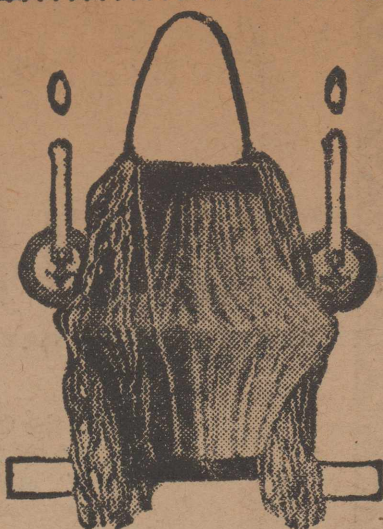
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MATINEE AND NIGHT

Don't miss seeing this powerful heart-stirring drama.

Also a good, two-reel comedy, "JANITORS." A big laugh for everyone.

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Christmas Decorations



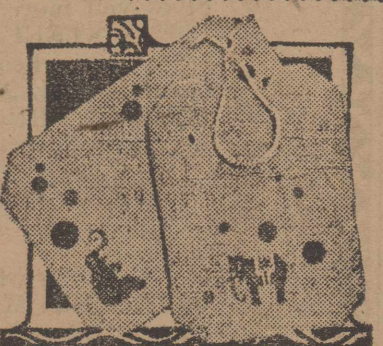
One of the easiest ways for dressing up the house at holiday time is to make lamp, candle and electric light shades or lanterns of crepe or tissue paper and tinsel. To make the small lantern pictured two rings of cardboard are covered with plain black or gold paper pasted over them. A length of light green tissue paper is folded along the center, slashed into narrow strips and pasted inside the rings. Under this a length of rose-colored crepe paper narrower than the green is pasted; this causes the strips of green paper to spread and stand out. Silver tinsel hangs from the wire handle at each side.

Gifts for Gay Hours



Christmas never brought lovelier remembrances to fair women than the picturesque hair ornaments for their gayer hours which this season presents. There are many of them made of ribbon, beads, flowers or mock jewels in headbands, and finished with a feather or blossom or other ornament. The sparkling piece pictured is merely a fillet of rhinestones that encircles the head and supports a small poinsettia flower at the left with a few sparkling rhinestones scattered on its leaves.

Bib and Tray Cloth



Balloons, in bright colors, and an angular elephant decorate the ample bib and tray cloth to match, made of oilcloth, as pictured above. They will afford the youngest member of the family much joy and his mother much peace of mind at the dinner table. Therefore the donor of this gift will be twice-blessed and long remembered. The mottled oilcloth is cream colored and the bib is bound at the neck with white tape which is extended into ties.

THREE PHASE CIRCUIT OF TEXAS UTILITIES FINISHED

Completion of the three-phase high line circuit of the Texas Utilities Company into Floydada was announced Monday by Local Manager E. E. Brown and regular 24-hour service was resumed Monday morning. The completion of the lines required several weeks. Three copper wires were strung taking place of the two iron wires previously carrying the load into Floydada and Leckney. A fourth wire was also strung to catch the static electricity and act as a lightning arrester. This fourth wire is expected to obviate the danger of burning poles and reduce interruptions of service to the minimum.

During the period of installation of the new circuit the service given by the company to residents and business portions of Floydada has been very poor, many interruptions to service having occurred. This cause for trouble it is believed, is fully eliminated. The linemen who have had the construction work in hand are spending a part of this week in Floydada making some extensions of service lines and inspecting all the lines in town to prevent future trouble.

BLANCO NEWS

Blanco, November 16.—There is to be a pie supper at McCoy School House Friday night. Everyone urged to be present.

Miss Vera Smith has accepted a position as saleslady with a dry goods house at Ralls and began her work last week.

Bud Jackson and family moved over north of town Monday. A Mr. Griffiths is to live where he moved from.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, of Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baumann, of McCoy, were Sunday guests at the J. R. Brewer home.

J. R. Brewer and wife returned to their home at Electra Tuesday, after spending several days on their farm here.

George White left for his home at Troy Tuesday. He had been working in this community for several months.

Rev. Roy Baker, of Floydada, is to preach at the school house here Sunday. Hope he has a full house.

The ladies of this community have organized a Quilting Club and met with Mrs. Nora E. Jones last Friday. They quilted three quilts and tacked one comfort. Each lady takes a dish of something to eat and we had a regular picnic dinner and a nice sociable time together, also. The following ladies were present: Mrs. W. C. Clubb and daughter, Miss Minnie Bell, of Carr's Chapel, Mesdames W. C. Cates, W. H. Smith, W. H. Millican, G. Scott King, Tom W. Deen, T. L. Grace, Tom Millican, Harry Miller, Will Snell, E. T. Williamson, P. E. McCarty, L. C. Wheeler, J. T. Billington; Misses Lena Millican, L. Eschal Wheeler.

We are to meet at Mr. Dalton's next Friday to quilt for him and his little children. All the ladies are invited to be there and help with the good work. John L. West, of Floydada, spent last Wednesday night at the home of Will Snell.

COUNTY AGENT NOTES

Two very interesting poultry demonstrations were held this week. One at Mr. Belts place north of Lockney and one at Mr. Solomons near Sunset School. Both of these demonstrations were well attended and those present showed great interest in the work. This is one of the most important pieces of work we can do at this time of the year. What we are trying to do is to rid the flocks of the loafers and then arrange to care for the others so that they will lay during winter as well as summer. The poultry of this country can be made to pay a great deal more than it does if properly studied and cared for. If you do not believe in this culling business give me a chance. I will convince you. You may mark your good layers and I can pick them out from among the others. If you are a skeptic all you have to do is to give me a hearing and watch results, the hens will do the rest.

Big Poultry Show

Remember the big poultry show beginning on the 25th and lasting through Saturday the 26th. This is going to be one of the biggest poultry shows the county has ever witnessed. Every one who has any good poultry bring it there and let people see it. Do not go to the show and then say Oh shucks, I have some better than that at home. If you have any better bring it out and show us, we are from "Mo." That is what makes the business grow, advertising.

Club Show

Also remember the club show at Lockney on the 25th. All club boys and girls should come and bring their exhibits.

Farmers are urged to prepare their cotton and other row crop land this fall and winter. You will have a chance to catch any moisture that may come during the winter and at the same time help to mix any vegetable matter into the soil and after it rots it will help to hold the moisture. This soil is very fertile but needs more humus or decayed vegetable matter to make it work well and help hold moisture. Also any manure accumulating on the place should be put on the soil where it will do good. Some say the soil does better without manure but after the first year you will notice a great deal of difference. Straw and other vegetation should be put on the soil and turned under during fall or winter instead of being burned. You should not rob the future generations of the fertility of the virgin soil.

J. J. MCGREGOR, PIONEER OF PARKER, IS DEAD

J. J. McGregor, of Weatherford, pioneer Parker county resident, died in Weatherford last Saturday at the age of 74, and was buried Monday. He was the father of Mrs. A. V. Haynes, of this city, who left Saturday afternoon for her father's home. Mr. McGregor was 74 years of age

and had lived in Parker county years where he reared his four daughters and two sons survive him. His wife is dead. Mrs. Haynes will possibly home this week.

KANSAS CITY MARKET

Kansas City Stock Yard
Another heavy run of short red cattle in Chicago, following last week's slow trade there, added further weakness to the market, and caused a rather slow trade at points that had moderate receipts. Here receipts were less than a week ago, and materially short of a year ago. Trade was rather slow with prices steady to slightly lower. Hogs were steady to 15 cents lower, mostly 15 cents lower. Lambs were strong to 25 cents higher. Straight range lambs sold up to \$9.00.

Receipts today were 23,000 cattle, 8,000 hogs, and 6,000 sheep, compared with 25,000 cattle, 7,500 hogs, and 3,500 sheep a week ago, and 38,000 cattle, 11,650 hogs, and 8,250 sheep a year ago.

C. E. PROGRAM

For November 20 at 6 p. m.
Subject—God's goodness (Thanksgiving.)

Leader—Mr. Frede.
Song: "Praise God from whom all blessings flow."

Prayer.
Text—Psa. 34:1-10.
Song: "Praise Him, Praise Him."

Thanksgiving proclamation—Psa. 100—Lillian King.

Story of the first Thanksgiving in America—Mildred Teeple.

What are some evidences of God's goodness that the past year has furnished our nation—Mr. E. C. King.

What is the greatest proof of God's goodness, and why?—Mrs. Ona Mitchell.

What evidences of God's goodness is there in His warnings—Mr. Bain.

What grounds of God's goodness have we concerning the future—Mrs. Pierce King.

Give an expression of God's goodness in brief—Each member.

Why is Thanksgiving a National Holiday?—Thelma Teeple.

Song: "Revive us again."
Business.
Benediction.

Hesperian Want Ads Get Results—Try One.

DEATH CLAIMS L. V. STEEN AT TERRA BELLA, CAL.

Steen, for many years a resident of Floydada but who in 1917 moved to California, died Saturday at Terra Bella, Cal., his home. Mrs. W. G. Collins, his widow, was notified by telegraph on Sunday morning. Services were held yesterday at Terra Bella, Cal. Mrs. Collins did not reach that place in time for the funeral but will leave sometime in the latter part of this week to spend some time with her mother and family. Mr. Steen was 63 years of age in February. He had been in ill health several years, but his condition recently had been favorable, it was thought. He moved recently to Terra Bella from Placentia, but was taken back to the latter place for burial.

His widow and six children survive him. The children are Mrs. W. G. Collins, city; P. V. Steen, Placentia, Cal.; Mrs. L. A. Morris, Terra Bella, Cal.; Owen, L. V. Jr., and Marshall Steen, Terra Bella.

FAIRVIEW NOTES

Fairview, November 16.—Most all are through with their farm work.

The ladies in this community are still very industrious as nine ladies met at Mrs. A. C. Jackson's yesterday and quilted two quilts and kept two machines singing. They report a nice time. Those present were: Mesdames McAfee, Shaw, Kimble, Snodgrass, Singleton, Neely, Austin, Old Timer was absent on account of sickness.

Messrs. Nix and Austin made a flying trip to Vernon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Belden had quite a crowd Sunday for dinner, the Conner's, Montgomery's and Misses Glenie Austin and Kate Bullard.

Fairview will have Thanksgiving Service. Everybody invited.

A. C. Jackson gave Silas Foster a farewell party last Saturday night. There were sixty-two present. Chocolate cake was served, and all had an excellent time.

Wishing all a happy Thanksgiving.
—Old Timer.

Subscribe for The Hesperian. \$1.50.

Time For Economy

We believe it is time for economy. We are ready to help you practice economy. The time is past when merchandise sells at any price asked for it. We are jealously guarding our buying and overhead expense in order to be able to save you money.

It is a time when markets are changing swiftly, most of the time downward but sometimes upward. Our price changes instantly with the market.

We have a car of furniture moving this week. We expect to have this in the house by November 25th or before. To convince you of the quality and price it will be necessary for you to visit our store and see this furniture for yourself. We sell on reasonable installment payments. Our stock will be complete in every department.

**Furniture Hardware
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Ladies' and Misses' Hats go at
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25 SUITS Values up to \$35.00..... **\$19** 35 SUITS Values up to \$50.00.... **\$25**

Carter-Houston's

**RTING THE LAYERS ON
THE WINTER EGG CAMPAIGN**

**Late Molting Hens, Which Are the Profit Makers of the Flock—
A High Protein Ration Needed to Make Quick Growth
of Feathers**

Hens that devote too much attention early in the season to the fall styles in feathers are not the kind that please the flock owner. It costs too much to support them and they demand too long a vacation period. But the hen that wears her old clothes until autumn has almost passed is the best of the flock, for she has kept on laying since the previous fall or winter. So now when you see a bird that looks shabbier than the others, do not conclude that she is of the no-account kind and that her smartly dressed sisters are the ones to keep.

Late Molters Take Short Vacation

Of course some of the hens that molted earlier, say in August and September, are profitable enough to keep, but the cream of the flock is made up of hens that do not change their feathers until October or November. Their molting will require only a few weeks, and they will probably be laying again by the 1st of January. The poor ones, the early-molting loafers, will not begin until about this time, even though they have been resting since the middle of the summer. It takes one about two months and the other twice that long to get back into production.

The poultry keeper who has an eye for business will not neglect this worn looking late layer, for she is the best profit maker he has. She needs a highly nutritious ration if she is to be in the best condition to start on another year of high production. When she quits laying and starts to molt she has as much need for a ration strong in protein as she has when she is shelling out the eggs, as feathers are highly nitrogenous in their makeup. They use the materials supplied by beef scrap, gluten feed, and oil meal. The oil meal is very effective in keeping the feathers in a healthy, glossy condition.

Hens that lay eggs late in the fall and in the winter are really producing an out-of-season crop, for it is normal for the hen to lay for a time in the spring and early summer and then rest for the remainder of the year. Profitable hens are really those that have the capacity to force their egg-making machinery, but they must have the right sort of feed with which to do it. That means feeding well-balanced rations designed for the particular class, and sometimes for the particular breed. A balanced ration is a combination of feeds which furnish just the necessary amount of nutrients to produce the highest and most economical egg yields. The amount of feed needed to produce a dozen eggs varies with the kind of birds. According to experiments conducted by the United States Department of Agriculture general-purpose pullets produced a dozen eggs from 6.7 pounds of feed, and Leghorn pullets laid the same number from 4.8 pounds.

Simple mixtures are usually the most desirable. As the fall advances and the days grow shorter the birds should be encouraged to put away as much feed as possible during the day so that their bodies will have plenty to work on for all the 24 hours. A good handful of scratch grain for each bird at night will fill the crop. It is not desirable that the hens be made to work very hard for this feed. Be sure that the hens go to roost with a full crop.

In making up rations it is necessary to adhere to standards with certain limits, but some feeds may be substituted for others, as barley, wheat, and oats for corn. However, meat

scrap and other animal-protein feeds can not be replaced by high-vegetable protein feeds. All changes should be made gradually, as sudden changes may decrease egg production.

A great many poultrymen and livestock feeders now believe that if the animal has a free choice it will select the ration that is most suitable. At the Government farm at Veltsville, Md., the following mash was made up by keeping account of the amounts of the different feeds a laying flock consumed:

Samples of Balanced Rations

MASH.

- 16 pounds corn meal.
- 6 1-2 pounds meat scrap.
- 1 pound bran.
- 1 pound middlings.

SCRATCH MIXTURE

- 1 pound cracked corn.
- 1 pound wheat.
- 1 pound oats.

Here is a simple ration that has given very good results with Leghorns but that has proved too fattening for Rocks and Wyandottes. Meat scrap, it will be seen, makes up over 25 per cent of the mash.

MASH.

- 3 pounds corn meal.
- 1 pound meat scrap.

SCRATCH MIXTURE

- 2 pounds cracked corn.
- 1 pound oats.

For birds that are made too fat by the preceding ration, the following, containing only 16 per cent of meat scrap but having considerable protein in other feeds, has been found a good one.

MASH.

- 1 pound corn meal.
- 1 pound bran.
- 3-4 pound meat scrap.
- 1 pound middlings.
- 1 pound ground oats.

SCRATCH MIXTURE

- 2 pounds cracked corn.
- 1 pound wheat.
- 1 pound oats.
- 1 pound barley.

Poultrymen resort to every possible means to get their hens to eat a great deal of feed, especially in the winter when the days are short. One way is to cut the morning scratch feed to about half. The hungry bird then goes to the mash trough and gorges on the dry mash. Then to increase the consumption of mash some of it is fed wet at noon and the hens will eat it when they would take no more of it dry.

**BAG LARGE COYOTE
WHILE ON DUCK HUNT**

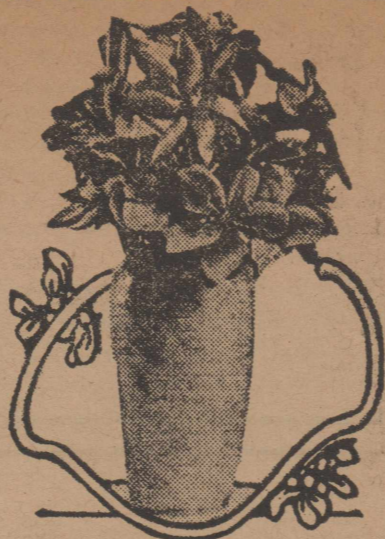
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bain went duck-hunting Armistice Day and killed a wolf. Their good luck started when they started the wolf in the Massie pasture southwest of Floydada. It so happened there were no nearby fences and the contest was one of speed on the open prairie between a Ford and the wolf.

The only weapon Mr. Bain had was a shotgun loaded with birdshot. The wolf was peppered until he was slowed down. Mr. Bain was particularly well-pleased with the job because the wolf was unusually large.

Several hunters have bagged wolves the past few days. C. C. Wright one day last week bagged two and other hunters have had good luck during the past two weeks chasing wolves.

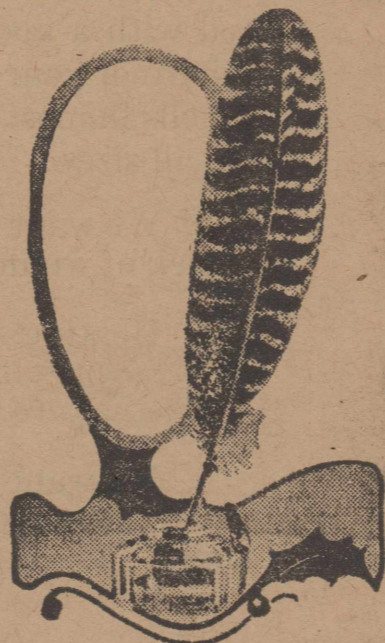
BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Hampton, City, November 12th, a daughter.

Fadeless Flowers



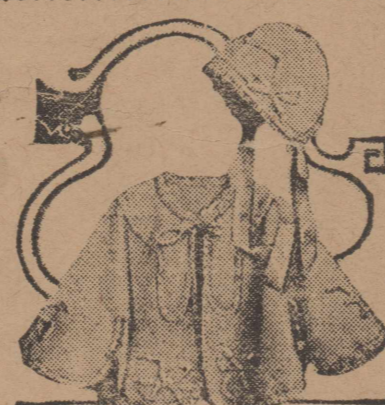
Flowers made of petals cut from paper tape and coated with colored sealing wax, are among the novelties that add to the cheerfulness of home and Christmas this year. A cluster of them in several different colors, in a vase that is also coated with the wax, makes a very pleasing bouquet for the living room or dining table. The colored wax is a substitute for paint and a small alcohol flame becomes the brush for making the fadeless blossoms.

A Decorative Pen



For the writing desk or as a companion piece to the guest book, a pen with a feather quill for a handle makes a beautiful gift. Natural feathers are as marvelous and beautiful in their markings as flowers and those in neutral colors can be tinted if one wishes to brighten them. Many kinds of feathers, including those of the ostrich, are used for these decorative pens and they make a gift suited to every grown-up.

Santa Remembers Baby



Santa Claus never forgets the babies and each year presents their little belongings made in new and pretty ways. This year "nightingales" and bonnets seem even better than their predecessors. A set to match is shown above, made of fine flannel and trimmed with narrow satin ribbon gathered along one edge and feather-stitched down. A frill of narrow lace finishes the cap.

For Little Garments



Hangers for wee garments make a lovely gift for young children, especially when they look like dolls. Here two are dressed up to represent a girl and a boy doll and a third is simply covered with ribbon and decorated with ribbon flowers. Little celluloid doll heads, wide and narrow satin ribbon and wire hangers with a little ingenious sewing are all that is needed for the doll hangers.

**SPECIAL VALUES THAT WILL INTEREST
YOU AT MARTIN'S**

We are offering some specials all over the house in merchandise that will interest you and will be a saving to you if you are going to need merchandise. We can't tell you here all about the things that we are offering but we can assure you that everything you may purchase from this store in a good value. If you haven't already done all your winter shopping you had better do so at once before everything has been picked over.



**JUST RECEIVED
a shipment of
Ladies' Dresses**

A shipment of Ladies' Mid Winter Dresses came to us by express this week, the styles are the very newest, everything about these beautiful dresses is the last word in style. They are beautifully trimmed with beads and military braids. These dresses are made of Poirer Twills and Tricotines. The colors are navy blue and brown. You'll have to see them to appreciate their beauty, and the prices are very special on all other dresses in the house at a price.

Ladies' Coat Suits

We are still showing a very good line of Ladies' Coat Suits that are this season's latest styles and colors. You are likely to need a Coat Suit a lot before time to buy Spring Clothes and one of these suits will be very much appreciated.

The prices on these suits make them very attractive if you need a suit.

SPECIALS IN LADIES' AND MISSES' SWEATERS

Ladies' and Misses' Sweaters in sizes from 28 to 34, 36 to 42, all colors and styles. The values we are offering are the greatest we have offered in a long time.

\$5.00 to \$8 Sweaters, special \$3.95

Woolen Goods Specials, Serges

Special good worsted Dress Serge, 36 inches wide, colors are brown, navy blue, and red. Specially priced, a yard 98c

ALL WOOL FRENCH SERGE, 36 inches wide, colors are red, green, brown. Specially priced, a yard \$1.75

54 inches wide all wool French Serge, colors are navy blue only, beautifully finished and very fine quality.

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Woolnap Blankets**
Keep You Warm

**SPECIAL
One Case Blankets**

One case cotton blankets, nicely finished, and dark grays size 60x76. (Double blankets.)

SPECIAL A PAIR \$1.95

Men's Suits

We offer special prices on Men's and Young Men's Suits, right at this time when men are needing a new suit, a chance to save here should mean something to you. Offer absolutely all wool suits and new models all this season's merchandise.

We invite your close inspection of these suits before you make a purchase, inspect the fabrics, inspect the tailoring and the styles, and then let us tell you the price. We believe we can convince you that they are good values and cannot be duplicated elsewhere for the money.

Men, Women, Boys, Children's Shoes

We received last week a large shipment of shoes for Women, Men, Boys and Children, this shipment of shoes makes our stock one of the most complete you will find anywhere and we are making some of the lowest prices on good shoes that we have made in long time.

Men's Shoes in brown and black calf skins, \$2.95, \$3.45 and \$3.95. Others from \$4.45 to \$8.00.

Women's and Misses' Shoes, low and military heels, brown and black calf and \$2.95, \$3.25, \$3.45, \$3.95, \$4.45 and \$5.00. Others from \$5.65 to \$9.00.

Children's Shoes in all lasts in brown kid and calf skins, blacks in calf and kid, sizes from 11 1-2 to 2. \$1.95 to \$4.45. Sizes 8 1-2 to 11, \$1.45 to \$3.95.

Boys' good all leather shoes in good conservative lasts that won't hurt the boys feet in sizes 11 1-2 to 2. \$2.45 to \$3.75. Sizes 2 1-2 to 5 1-2 \$2.85 to \$4.45.

Bring the folks in and let us fit them out in shoes and notice how much more we think you will get and the saving in money that you will make.

STORE CLOSURE EVERY EVENING AT 5:30 O'CLOCK EXCEPT SATURDAY

Martin Dry Goods Company

"THE STORE WITH THE GOODS"

Just Arrived

Walnuts, pecans, almonds, sun-maid seeded and seedless raisins, orange, lemon and citron peel, White Swan Currants, glace cherries, Blue Ribbon peaches, choice California dried apples, apricots, prunes, figs, dromedary dates, all new crop.

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Brown Brothers

F. F. F. HIGHWAY TO BE DEVELOPED FOR TOURIST TRAVEL

Officials of Automobile Club of Texas Now Engaged in Work

In the official scout car of the Automobile Club of Texas, Curtis Hancock, former chairman of the state highway committee, and Hardy Sammons, business manager of the club left Fort Worth Friday morning to begin a tour of road development over the F. F. F. highway. The development program will consist of logging, marking, mapping and advertising this highway which extends something over 650 miles from Fort Worth to Las Vegas, N. M., from which point it joins the Santa Fe Trail, affording a most direct route to the Pacific coast.

Mr. Hancock, who is chairman of the state highway committee of the Automobile Club of Texas, is an acknowledged authority on good roads matters and is keenly, enthusiastic over the possibilities of the Three F's. The party will hold good roads meetings in all of the towns along the route, waking them up to the value of good and better roads, ironing out their little difficulties and injecting the missing links of enthusiasm.

Texas Touring State
"Texas will be a greater touring state than California when she realizes the value of improved roads," said Mr. Hancock, "and that isn't far from the truth. California has a sixty-million dollar highway program this year covering 1,000 miles, while the state of Texas has a total mileage of 1,500 miles. Texas is around two thousand miles of road. This advertised state is the most attractive to the world—why not Texas? She has in addition to her undeveloped resources far better calculation of man. Every product of the soil that has California famous can be produced somewhere in Texas. If one-tenth of the energy and money that has been spent in that famous state was used in a systematic and judicious manner for Texas, this state would have been harvesting the tourist crop that has made California so rich. Tourists have been visiting California for years and have been served the same artificial menu, they have become burned out and are now seeking new fields.

The Fort Worth, Floydada and Frisco highway, popularly known as the F. F. F., beginning at Fort Worth, traverses the great Llano Estacado of Texas (the "Plains") and enters New Mexico at Farwell-Texico, penetrating the interior as far as Las Vegas through the wonderfully beautiful scenic mountain region of that state. It affords a direct cut off from the heart of Texas, giving an entirely new and shorter route to California.

F. F. F. Recently Organized
This highway was recently organized and held its first annual convention at Floydada in September. Ford is the highway's president; D. W. Jones, Clovis, secretary, and John Boswell, director. The new publicity campaign is being impressed with the enthusiasm shown by the large number of people present when we attended our first annual convention at Floydada. Mr. Sammons, "as the highway goes from one line to the other, it has done credit to a much older highway. We expect to meet with a warm welcome and the heartiest cooperation everywhere, for it was the development work was the machinery of the club. We are going to preach the value of good roads without a miss. The value of a marked highway that leads somewhere, and the value of spreading the highway throughout the entire state.

The automobile club of Southern Texas has done more for that state than any other single factor," said Mr. Sammons, "and their contribution has been publicity. They are responsible for her good roads and the establishment of tourist camps all over the state. We are now working out the same proven plans for the development of Texas as an ideal tourist state. We are going to set old before the eyes of the nation, and forth her charms in all positions, and invite foreign capital looking for investment, turning a more salubrious climate and the rigorous winters of the north, and the more plentiful crop of tourists that make up the owner of America's \$3,000,000 pleasure which travel our national highway at the rate of 800 per day. These camps average \$1 per day per town. That's \$800 per day. That's hardly realized business and possibly \$291,200 for the advertised highway. The tourist crop in live Texas—Ft. Worth

man of the Highway Department and Hardy Sammon, business manager of the Texas Automobile Club, of Dallas, arrived here last night on the first lap of their logging and posting the F. F. F. Highway from Fort Worth to Las Vegas, N. M., Mrs. Sammon is accompanying her husband on the trip.

At the Chamber of Commerce this morning these gentlemen were in conference with C. W. Wilson, director and H. P. Dotson, vice president of the F. F. F. Highway Association. Plans were completed for properly financing Mineral Wells' part in the mapping and posting. This work is being done on a straight legitimate basis of \$4.00 per mile, we to pay one half the distance between here and Weatherford and half the distance between here and Graham.

This is a most praiseworthy movement and the Index heartily approves the plans worked out by the highway Association for doing this work that must be done by some one and paid for by somebody. Most of the plans adopted for doing this class of work in the past has smacked just a little of graft, hence our unqualified endorsement of the plans and methods pursued by these gentlemen at the direction of the Executive Board of the F. F. F. Highway Association.

For the benefit of some who might have failed to notice it, we want to reiterate a statement we made recently in these columns that the F. F. F. Highway is next in importance to the Bankhead Highway to Mineral Wells.—Mineral Wells Index.

SCHOOL DIST. TAXES ASSESSED GIVEN BY DISTRICT

The abstract of school district taxes assessed in Floyd County by County Assessor D. I. Bolding for the year 1921, as furnished W. B. Clark, County Superintendent for the 32 common school districts and Holt County Line Common School District, show the following amounts, which will be the sums available for each district as indicated, basing the statement on 100 per cent collections. Non-collections will reduce the amounts in each instance:

School District	Amount
Irick No. 1.....	\$1,718.10
Pleasant Valley No. 2.....	1,979.40
Muncy No. 3.....	1,049.05
Pleasant Hill No. 4.....	1,734.57
Fairview No. 5.....	1,914.40
Starkey No. 6.....	1,151.60
Meteor No. 7.....	2,526.96
Sunset No. 8.....	2,411.26
Sand Hill No. 9.....	4,483.60
Harmony No. 10.....	1,762.00
Lakeview No. 11.....	3,455.60
Fairmont No. 12.....	410.68
Center No. 13.....	1,354.07
Lone Star No. 14.....	2,087.74
Cedar No. 15.....	2,187.00
McCoy No. 16.....	926.50
Roseland No. 17.....	1,441.80
Mayview No. 18.....	1,374.55
Baker No. 19.....	3,522.30
Antelope No. 20.....	1,311.90
Providence No. 21.....	1,841.07
Blanco No. 22.....	884.60
Allmon No. 23.....	1,895.35
Liberty No. 24.....	1,078.80
Bobbitt No. 25.....	1,386.10
Campbell No. 26.....	1,134.70
Ramsey No. 27.....	985.70
Hillcrest No. 28.....	1,103.00
Goodnight No. 29.....	889.70
Weathers No. 30.....	1,730.70
Mountainview No. 31.....	897.56
Newland No. 32.....	859.30
Holt Co. Line District.....	108.20

The last-named County Line District is included in a district made up principally of lands lying in Briscoe County and the funds are transferred from this county to that for executive purposes. Many residents of Floyd County have probably been unaware that Floyd County had any territory included in a county line district.

L. P. Barker, of Plainview, was a business visitor in Floydada Friday forenoon.

W. A. Brewster, of Lockney, was a business visitor in Floydada Monday.

Clem Ross spent Armistice Day in Plainview with relatives and friends.

F. M. Crump and Edd Cox, of north Crosby County, were trading in Floydada Saturday.

A. Pennington, secretary of Lockney Chamber of Commerce, business visitor in Floydada Monday.

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Phone 201

Lard Cans! Lard Cans! Lard Cans!

We have a good stock of Lard Cans, and can supply you at THE RIGHT PRICE; hog killing time is near at hand, and it will be wise to buy the cans you will need.

The hunting season is also here, and we are prepared with a good assortment of amunition, and solicit a share of your business in this line,—We have loaded shells in most all loads used in this section, also metallics in all sizes.

We want to again call attention that we have a good stock of window shades, and will save you money.

Heating stoves are now selling, and we still have a good supply in all sizes in Coles and Shapleigh Hot Blast, lines that are well known by all. They all give service.

We want your business, and remember us for Hardware, Queensware, Cutlery, and Leather Goods, Windmills, Pipe, and Fittings.

Yours for service,

MITCHELL HARDWARE

LARGE CLEAN, WHITE RAGS WANTED AT THE HESPERIAN OFFICE

BUY LAND WHERE ONE CROP OFTEN PAYS FOR IT

We have most anything from Hard to Red Sandy Land. Improved farms from \$25.00 to \$50.00 per acre. Unimproved from \$10.00 to \$20.00 per acre. Easy terms. Standard crops and fruit are grown. Land lies on both sides of the Santa Fe Railroad.

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BROWNFIELD, TERRY COUNTY, TEXAS

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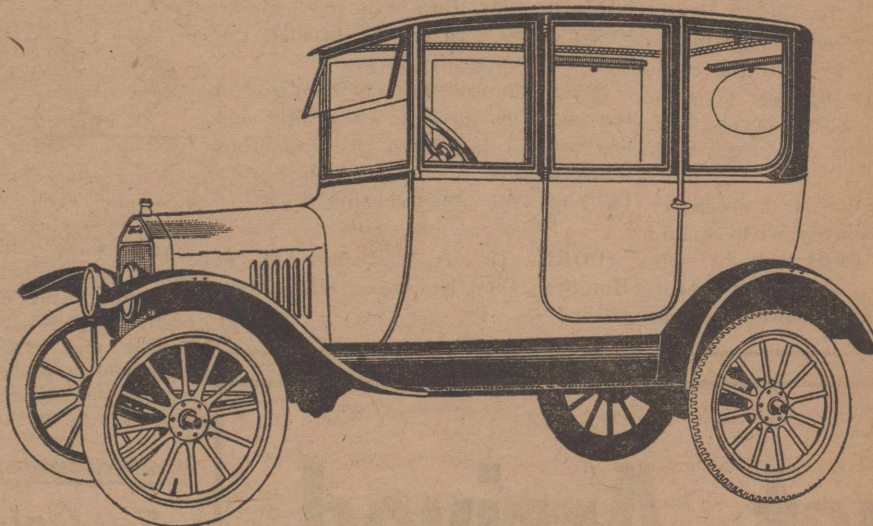
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Order your Ford car now. Don't wait until the rush season comes. Just phone us or drop us a card.

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BARKER BROTHERS
FORD DEALERS FLOYDADA, TEXAS

The Hesperian Want Ad Department

G. G. Tye & Smith, agents, want your gas, kerosene and lubricating oil business. Phone 74. 35-8tp

We have some brick storage room available now. Call 207. We do the rest. Pitts Transfer & Storage Co. 37-2tc.

Good old Pennant gasoline and oils—plus service. F. F. F. Service Station. 37-2tc

Try us and see if we can not save you money on window shades. Kirk and Sons. 37-1tc

If you want flour that is uniform, no uncertainties, no changes, you should investigate SMITH'S BEST. It's the finest grade for the finest people. S. D. Ferguson & Co. 34tc

We always pay market price for butter and eggs. W. R. Johnson Grocery Company. 35-3tc

Good line Del Monte canned fruits. W. R. Johnson Grocery Co. 35-3tc

HEATERS! HEATERS! Keep warm this winter. Buy a Round Oak and be satisfied. C. Surginer & Son. 36-2tc.

PURE BRED White, Brown and Buff Leghorn, Black Minorca, Barred Rock, Black Langshan and S. S. Hamburg hens, pullets, cocks and cockerels \$1 to \$5 each. J. S. Dunavant. 35-3p

FOR SALE—My home in Floydada, 10 acres, well improved. Will consider some trade. R. B. Smith. 35-4tp

Our motto: Small profits and quick sales. S. D. Ferguson & Co. 34-1tc

Price with us and buy where you can get things the cheapest. Isn't that fair. S. D. Ferguson & Co. 34tc

Don't fail to get our prices on lube oil, 1 qt. to 5 gallons. F. F. F. Service Station. 37-2tc

The only sanitary mattress made is a Sanidown. Kirk and Sons. 37-1tc

J. E. McNeal will be at H. C. Bosley Blacksmith Shop to do shoeing, anybody wanting shoeing done. 35-3tp

We have quite a few meat bills yet unpaid. Please call and settle. City Market. 36-2tc

DANDRUFF

Disease germs attack the scalp, destroying the hair growth, causing baldness, excessive dandruff, premature greyness, 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

NOTICE!

To Whom it May Concern: Fire Insurance Policies Nos. 202551 to 202575 inclusive, of the Floydada, Texas, Agency of this Company, have been mislaid, lost or stolen from the office of R. O. Fields, and this is to notify any person or persons holding the above policies that same are void and of no effect.

Superior Fire Insurance Company. C. R. Fleisher Special Agent, Floydada, Texas. 35-3tc

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

Miss Mollie Crum, Spirella Corsetier. Phone 129. 10tfc

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Tin and sheet metal work of every kind at Allen's Tin Shop. We can make up stove pipe from the best materials to your order. 37-2tc

A BARGAIN FOR QUICK SALE
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

We are still here. The only strictly welding and Radiator repair shop in the city. 10 years experience. All work guaranteed. Stovall & Wiseman, Day & Night Garage. Phone 20. 34-tfc

We feed you; we feed your cow. S. D. Ferguson & Co. 34-tfc

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

HUNTERS NOT ALLOWED
Hunting or shooting in our pastures will not be allowed, and all persons are notified that anyone caught so doing will be prosecuted.

R. B. SMITH, THOS. MONTGOMERY.

We test and fill your tires with air while you wait. Try our service. F. F. F. Service Station. 37-2tc

The guarantee on a Sanidown mattress is satisfaction. Kirk and Sons. 37-1tc.

WANTED—Maize in the head to be delivered, call C.C. West on my ranch about fifteen miles east of Floydada. W. H. Freeman, Sentinel, Okla. 34-tfc

CRATING—We know how. Crate and ship to destination. Phone 207. Pitts Transfer & Storage Co. 37-2tc

Thanksgiving soon will be here. Fresh and canned fruits, Heinz salads and dressings for that turkey dinner at W. R. Johnson Grocery Co. 35-3tc

Majestic Ranges are known throughout the nation as the best range you can buy. Let us show you these ranges. C. Surginer & Son. 36-2tc

Get our price. We sell you, we don't break you. S. D. Ferguson & Co. 34-tfc

Light housekeeping rooms. Call Mrs. J. W. Adams. 36-1tc

FOR LEASE OR RENT

Small ranch, well situated near Clovis, N. Mex., 200 acres in cultivation, 920 acres in pasture, 5 room house, barns and sheds, hog pasture, windmill and other improvements. Cash rent or lease for a term of years, subject to sale, if desired. W. A. Shipley, Floydada, Texas. 37-3tc

COAL SALES CASH

We are paying cash for freight and coal and interest for money, and we find it necessary to handle coal sales on a cash basis. We will ask therefore, that all customers be prepared to pay for their coal on the day of delivery.

To those owing us, we insist that you come in and make settlement of account.

EDWARDS GRAIN & ELEVATOR COMPANY. 36-1tc

Your interest is our interest. We serve you. Try us. Kirk and Sons. 37-1tc.

DAIRY ANNOUNCEMENT

I have moved from the Bishop place to a place 1 mile east of Floydada, and am giving my time exclusively to the dairy business. Have good Jersey milk. Leave orders for milk or cream at Stephens Store, phone 234. O. R. Gordon. 35-3tp

Don't fail to see those Savage Tires before you buy. F. F. F. Service Station. 37-2tc

FOR SALE—Turkey toms; Bronze; sired by first prize tom at Floydada show last year. Mrs. Earl Cowand. 36-4tp

FOR SALE—Four A-1 Duroc Jersey boars from J. I. Hammonds boar. W. H. Finley. 36-3tp

A car of new furniture expected soon. Kirk and Sons. 37-1tc

We crate and ship to your order. You pay when you receive the goods. Pitts Transfer & Storage Co. 37-2tc.

Buy Stovepipe now. Allen, the Tinner. 37-2tc

NOTICE TO TRAVELERS

The practice of traveling through the field of my place 3 miles west of Floydada, occupied by Mr. Shultz, is doing much damage. You are notified to keep out. Mrs. A. D. White. 36-1tc.

FOR SALE or trade—Cleveland tractor. Consider good auto. J. C. Parker. 36-3tp

Furniture is cheaper—we have some real bargains. Kirk and Sons. 37-1tc

Majestic Ranges are known throughout the nation as the best range you can buy. Let us show you these ranges. C. Surginer & Son. 36-2tc

No house rents, no clerk hire; quick sales, small profits. S. D. Ferguson & Co. 34-tfc

A big reduction in United States tires. We sell them. F. F. F. Service Station. 37-2tc

FOR SALE—5-room modern residence, good location. Some terms. L. H. Earthman at Stephens' Store. 37-4tp

It is time for economy—that is why we say trade with us. Kirk and Sons. 37-1tc

FOUND—An Overcoat. Inquire at A. D. White Grocery Co. 37-2tc

WANTED TO TRADE—Team of mares and colts for Ford. Must be in good shape. See I. F. Barton. 37-2tp.

FOR RENT—Two good rooms close in for light housekeeping or will furnish board and room for two. Phone 164. C. D. Long. 37-2tc

We repair your harness. Kirk and Sons. 37-1tc

TURKEY market has been advancing steadily. Looks like market is in pretty good shape. See us before you sell if you want top price. A. D. White Grocery Co. 37-1tc

FOR SALE or trade—Used Buick car. See E. P. Nelson or W. M. Windsor. 37-1tc

HOG KILLING—Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. We will butcher for 75c per 100 on foot. Call 118. Robert Alldredge. 37-4tp

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Hard times need not worry you. Our free Employment Department takes all the risk by insuring positions or refunding tuition. Recent telephones, letters and telegrams offer \$100 to \$150 positions to Draughton-trained graduates. Positions unfilled every week. Special rates now. Catalog free. Draughton's Business College, Box 38K, Abilene, Texas. 37-1tp.

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Anything in the plumbing line. Kirk and Sons. 37-1tc

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We invite all, and appreciate every customer and visitor that comes to our store. It is a pleasure for us to show you our goods whether you buy or not. We believe that if you will carefully compare Quality and Price you will shop with us.

NEW SHIPMENT OF DRESSES JUST ARRIVED

A very large assortment in small, medium and large sizes. Truly a most astounding value that most women will buy when they come to see the Models, Quality and Price. Nicely fashioned for street and service wear, all wool serge and tricotine, also a few silk crepes in the lot, navy, midnight blue and black. Various models, some trimmed with cire or moire ribbon, others with cire braid, others nicely stitched and embroidered in rope silk in contrasting colors, sprays and medallion effects, also jet and steel nailheads and beaded styles. Come see them.

Clark-Wood Dry Goods Co.

FLOYDADA, TEXAS

SOUTH SIDE

PROGRAM Y. L. M. SOCIETY

Saturday afternoon, November 19, 3 p. m.
Subject: Tithing.
Song. Song.
Prayer: Roy H. Baker.
Scripture: Matt. 3:8-12; Anna King.
Sentence prayers for tithing spirit.
President: Our duty to tithing.
Song.
Roll call, with tithing scripture.
Reading: Helen King.
Talk, Why we should tithing: Miss Campbell.
Song, That Window in the Sky: Miss Murchison.
Reading: Miss Belle McClure.
Discussion on the blessings of tithing: Mrs. C. W. Bolding.
Song: Count your blessings.
Report of tithing, by secretary.
Reports of other committees.
Business.
Song.
Closing prayer: Mrs. Pierce King.

Rev. G. I. Britain, of Plainview, was in Floydada Tuesday afternoon renewing acquaintances and friendships.

We haul all the time, anywhere, any time. Phone 207. Pitts Transfer Co. 37-2tc.

We make a specialty of greasing Dodge and Ford cars. F. F. F. Service Station. 37-2tc

F. H. S. SECOND TEAM IS DEFEATED AT RALLS

Floydada High School's second team lost their second game of the season with the Ralls team at Ralls on Armistice Day, the score being 27 to 3 in favor of the Ralls High School team.
The first team is anxiously trying to match a game for Thanksgiving Day. They will play the Spur High School here on Saturday of this week.

Robin Baker, of Baker Bros., Lockney, was a Tuesday business visitor in Floydada.

HEATING PLANT FOR M. E. CHURCH ALMOST READY

The new heating and ventilating plant being installed in the M. E. Church of Floydada is almost completed and will likely be in operation at Sunday services.

The plant is being installed a rather heavy cost but will be one of the best in the state, maintaining most comfortable temperature throughout the building at all times it is stated.

T. C. Shepard, of Plainview, was in Floydada Tuesday on business.

O. P. RUTLEDGE CO.

Full Line International Dealers Tractors, Trucks, Harvesting and Tillage and other Power Farming Machinery.

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FLOYDADA

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LET'S BE THANKFUL

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If you want to dress well for Thanksgiving Day bring your Clothes for Cleaning, Pressing, Dyeing or Alterations to

Do-U-Rite Clothing Co.

OPPOSITE POST OFFICE. TELEPHONE 184

P. S. See these wonderful Suit Samples we have for winter wear. Overcoats, Too.

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Don't take chances of having one fire wipe out your savings of years. Hard times do not affect the paying ability of the OLD RELIABLE INSURANCE COMPANIES that we represent. Ask your banker if he thinks it a safe plan to keep your property insured.

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 In appreciation of the prompt
 tion of the fire department of Floy-
 ada Sunday, when they stopped
 blaze in the White Grocery, A. D.
 White Tuesday gave the department
 his check for \$25, declaring when he
 presented the check to Chief R. L.
 Snodgrass that the work was accom-
 plished very effectively and with a
 minimum of damage to the building
 and goods of the firm.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Martin left
 Saturday for Cooke County to be
 absent from home the remainder of
 the month on a visit with relatives
 and friends.



**Holeproof
 Hosiery**

Can I have the had here in Floydada.
 I have the had here in Floydada.
 style for men in every color and
 silks for men. A few blacks in
 boxes. Ladies. All in Holiday
 equal. Holeproof hose have no

Men's Clothing
 GLAD SAYS HE'D Rather be
 than a SMALL FROG in a large pond
 than a LARGE FROG in a small
 pond. Lots of clothes merchants
 shoot 'em up and go in at the big
 end of the horn. Very few ever
 TURN around and get back out
 the big end. I've watched and
 studied this clothing business
 for eighteen years. I've seen
 merchants make a noise over
 bunches of cheap clothing, like
 a pack of fox hounds after a
 small wolf. Where most of these
 merchants are now I don't know.
 They sold 'em once, out couldn't
 do it more than twice. The boys
 never came back. Consequently
 the merchant was forced to the
 ropes. However, this didn't
 help the fellow who spent his
 money for the clothes. During
 this time THIS STORE has con-
 tinually sold the same line of
 clothing. INTERNATIONAL
 MADE TO MEASURE CLOTH-
 ING. Now here's a fair propo-
 sition:

Look Around Everywhere
 And see the kind of clothes
 they have bought here—at any
 old price. If you find a bad one
 bring it in. I can afford to make
 this statement for nothing in
 America can equal the values of
 my clothes.
 No, Sir! They don't cost a
 cent more, and look at the style
 and quality. Suppose you drop
 in and look over the fabrics. We
 have also made arrangements
 from now until Xmas to handle
 several Misfits—Some of these
 sold as high as \$70 and nothing
 less than \$42.50—these will all
 be sold for

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Every Friday we have a new
 shipment from INTERNA-
 TIONAL TAILORING CO. We
 have just opened some KEEN
 pull on sweaters in all colors and
 always have a complete line of
 new wearing apparel, such as
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THE TURKEY'S LAST LAMENT
**Bird's Ante-Mortem Statement Dwells
 Pathetically on the Ingratitude
 Displayed by Mankind**

It's a gay life. And I haven't wea-
 ened yet.
 The boss feeder isn't as mean as I
 used to think him.

He restricts my liberty, 'tis true,
 but the eats are great. A double por-
 tion of shelled corn for breakfast.
 Twice as much for dinner. Hot mash
 for supper. I'm getting fat, posi-
 tively; I had to let out my waist feath-
 ers two notches this morning.

Gratitude will become the boss.
 Didn't I chase the bugs out of the
 garden last summer? I have much to
 be thankful for.

Here comes the boss now. I'll give
 him the razz. Gobble! Gobble!
 But I have strange misgivings. Isn't
 that an ax he is swinging at his side?
 It was an ax that orphaned me.

For the love of Mike, boss, use dis-
 cretion! Remember the bugs!
 Squawk!—Exchange.

**QUILTING CLUB MET WITH
 MRS. M. F. HUSKY**

The Quilting Club had their regular
 weekly meeting last Thursday when
 the day was spent with Mrs. M. F.
 Husky. Five quilts were completed in
 the day.

Today's meeting of the club is with
 Mrs. C. Snodgrass.

**CITATION OF APPOINTMENT
 OF PERMANENT GUARDIAN**

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

You are hereby commanded to cause
 to be published once each week for
 a period of ten days before the return
 day hereof, in the newspaper of gen-
 eral circulation which has been con-
 tinuously and regularly published for
 a period of not less than one year in
 said Floyd County, a copy of the fol-
 lowing notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the es-
 tate of Victor H. Trammell, Jr., a
 minor, Victor H. Trammell, Sr., has
 filed in the County Court of Floyd
 County an application for appoint-
 ment as Permanent Guardian of the
 estate of above mentioned minor,
 which will be heard at the next term
 of said Court, commencing on the 3rd
 Monday in January, A. D. 1922, the
 same being the 16th day of January,
 A. D. 1922, at the Court House there-
 of, in Floydada, Texas, at which time
 all persons interested in said estate
 may appear and contest said applica-
 tion, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you be-
 fore said Court on the said day of
 the next term thereof this writ, with
 your return thereon, showing how you
 have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal
 of said Court at office in Floydada,
 Texas, this 12th day of November,
 A. D. 1921.

(Seal) LOLA WALLING,
 Clerk County Court Floyd Co., Texas.
 37-3tc.

NATION'S DEBT TO PILGRIMS

Present Blessings Largely Made Pos-
 sible Through the Devotion of
 That Heroic Band

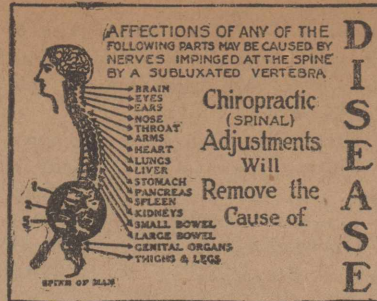
Three hundred years ago a pilgrim
 band gave thanks for the prospect of
 a home in the wilderness, where they
 might worship according to the dic-
 tates of their conscience. Today mil-
 lions of people give thanks for the
 blessings that have accrued through
 the intervening years, blessings made
 possible by the fortitude of that little
 band. Tercentenary celebrations were
 given to commemorate their coming
 and brought to the mind vivid con-
 trasts of the age in which we live
 in comparison with those pioneer
 times of frugality and danger. If
 they could give thanks for what seems
 to us such meager blessings, what a
 depth of gratitude should be ours, who
 have inherited ease and the modern
 opportunities because of their per-
 severing and conscientious effort.

Where the wilderness spread over
 the land huge buildings and mar-
 velous cities now stand. Where our
 forefathers plodded in tangled paths
 and unblazed trails, the airplane wings
 its swift way, eliminating time and
 distance in its flight. Yet, with all
 this progress, we hold in reverence the
 traditions, established by this band,
 as we annually repeat our "Hymn of
 Thanksgiving."

Physically we change, but the heart
 echoes today as truly the message of
 love that has rung down through the
 ages. Physically the world has

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 posing the spinal column. When one of these small bones, (vertebra)
 becomes slipped or twisted and presses upon a nerve it shuts off part
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changed—yes. Humanly we are the
 same. We look forward through the
 months to the day when we may stop
 from the rush of daily demands and
 take time to show our love and loyalty
 and appreciation for the gifts of
 friendship and freedom and family
 ties. We haven't forgotten. We are
 not indifferent. We are not ungrate-
 ful. So we keep the day and its cus-

—00—
 Judge L. S. Kinder, of Plainview,
 was a business visitor in Floydada
 Saturday.

—00—
 Mr. and Mrs. W. U. White visited
 in Floydada Sunday.

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PHONE 224

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 Turkeys!**

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 for any man and his wife. This will pay your dues up to May
 1922, and pay for the first death.

There is no life insurance cheaper than this, and the money
 will be kept in the First National Bank of Floydada to pay off
 death claims and thus eliminate red tape.

See either J. G. Wood or R. E. Fry at once and get in be-
 fore circle number One is filled up. Or see any member of the
 Association and they will turn your name in for membership.

R. E. Fry's

OFFICE IS HEADQUARTERS OF THE ASS'N... PHONE 273

LAKEVIEW ITEMS

November 14.—Our Sunday school well-attended Sunday. Bro. Baker preached after Sunday school.

Supt. L. L. Price, of Matador, agent for a school supply house, was here Saturday. The trustees bought some seats and shades.

We are glad to know that Grandma Hooser is up again.

The Primitive Baptist congregation had preaching Saturday and Sunday morning.

The program and pie supper was well attended Friday night. There were 32 pies which brought \$24.05.

We have eleven new pupils this morning, making a total of 112.

There was a party at Mr. and Mrs. Fieldon Roy's Saturday night. All reported a splendid time.

Miss Corda Sparks spent the day Thursday with Miss Letha Hopé Coward.

Mr. and Mrs. Theogial Cardinal, from the Van Martin Ranch, are visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Jones went to Plainview Friday.

Bro. Moody preached here last Wednesday and Thursday night.

There will be a play rendered at Lakeview Friday night, "A White Lie."

ONE OF THREE NEGRO HI-JACKERS FROM MOTLEY CAUGHT

Three negroes hi-jacked a fourth negro five miles north of Flomot in Motley County last Saturday night, taking \$26 or \$28 and making their getaway supposedly into Floyd County.

One of the negroes sought was caught in Floydada Sunday night and has been returned to Motley County, charged as an accomplice in the affair. Two of the negroes were still at large Tuesday night.

REPORT FROM BAPTIST FIDELIS CLASS

There were thirty-five present Sunday. We hope to increase our membership to fifty.

A meeting of class officers will be held Wednesday evening, at six-thirty o'clock; please be present.

—Reporter.

Subscribe for The Hesperian. \$1.50.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

To the Worshipful Master, Wardens and Brethren of Floyd City Lodge No. 712 A. F. and A. M., Floydada, Texas:

We, your committee, beg leave to submit the following:

WHEREAS, it has pleased the Supreme Grand Ruler of the Universe in His wisdom to remove from this earthly abode the spirit of our Deceased Brother M. F. Swain;

Be it therefore resolved; first, that while we humble bow in submission to the will of our Supreme Grand Master and realize amply in our prayers that it is His will, not ours, to be done;

Resolved; second, that in the death of our Brother, this Lodge has lost one of its most zealous and useful members; his family a devoted husband and father; and the community one its most useful citizens.

Resolved; third, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Lodge, a copy be furnished the family of our Deceased Brother, and a copy be furnished the local press for publication.

Respectfully,
V. Andrews,
A. L. Bishop,
S. B. McCleskey.

SPANISH WAR VETERANS

Attention! Of all ex-soldiers who served in the War with Spain at home or abroad, or those who saw service in the Philippine Insurrection or the China relief expedition and their widows. The late Congress passed laws of the utmost interest to soldiers and if they will send name and address to Walter S. Buchanan, National Aided-Camp, Army and Navy Union, Route 2, Louisa, Va., he will be glad to advise them fully as to their rights under the new law. Prompt action will mean the possible saving of money, as the pension commences from the filing of the claim. Mr. Buchanan wishes to assist his comrades in every possible manner. Write him and enclose stamp for reply.

GOV. JIM BROWNING DIES SLEEP AT AMARILLO

Amarillo, Nov. 9.—James N. Browning, 71, former Lieutenant Governor of Texas, was found dead in bed this morning. He died during the night after being at his law office yesterday as usual.

Governor Browning was well known throughout Texas. He was a member of the Eighteenth, Nineteenth and Twentieth Legislatures and a candidate for speaker of the House in 1890, being defeated by R. T. Milner of Rusk County by only three votes.

He was elected Lieutenant Governor in 1898 and served in that capacity during the two terms of Governor Joseph D. Sayers. Governor Lanham appointed him a member of the board of Regents of the State University and he served four years. From 1907 to 1915 he was judge of the Forty-Seventh Judicial District.

WOMEN CANNOT SERVE ON GRAND OR PETIT JURIES

Austin, Nov. 9.—Women are not eligible to serve on grand juries in Texas, the Court of Criminal Appeals held today in reversing and dismissing the case of Dick Harper, given two years for burglary in McLennan County.

The records showed that ten men and two women composed the grand jury which returned an indictment against Harper. He appealed his case, claiming that such a grand jury was illegal and could not return a legal indictment.

In returning the decision the court held that the Constitution says that grand juries must be composed of "twelve men" and that it cannot be construed as including women. Also that the suffrage act by Congress gave the women right to vote but that did not qualify them as grand jurors.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baker, City, November 12th, a thirteen and a half pound boy.

TEXAS CROP CONDITIONS

Houston, Texas, November 9th.—The one outstanding feature of the past month has been the continued dry weather which has prevailed, throughout, over the major portion of the state as a continuation of the rather dry late summer months. Its effect, so far as harvesting of matured crops such as corn, peanuts, sweet potatoes and rice, parts of which remained to be harvested, is concerned has been beneficial while, on the other hand these conditions will have a bearing on fall plantings which will in some instances be adverse.

Ranges, especially throughout the central western part of the state, have become extremely dry and stock water scarce in places.

The movement of corn has been quickened somewhat but still remains rather sluggish with more labor at present turned to the harvesting of the crop. This month shows a considerable advance in average yields and most of it of merchantable quality.

Continued dry weather has reduced the yields of peanuts and sweet potatoes slightly during the month.

Actual yield figures for the grain sorghums indicate an average of 29 bushels of 56 pounds per acre which indicated a total production of 59,682,000 bushels for the state. This is an increase of more than two million bushels as indicated by last month's condition figure. The average yield of forage per acre is 2.2 tons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carruth spent the latter part of last week in Amarillo visiting their son, James Carruth and family.

HESPERIAN WANT ADS—QUICK

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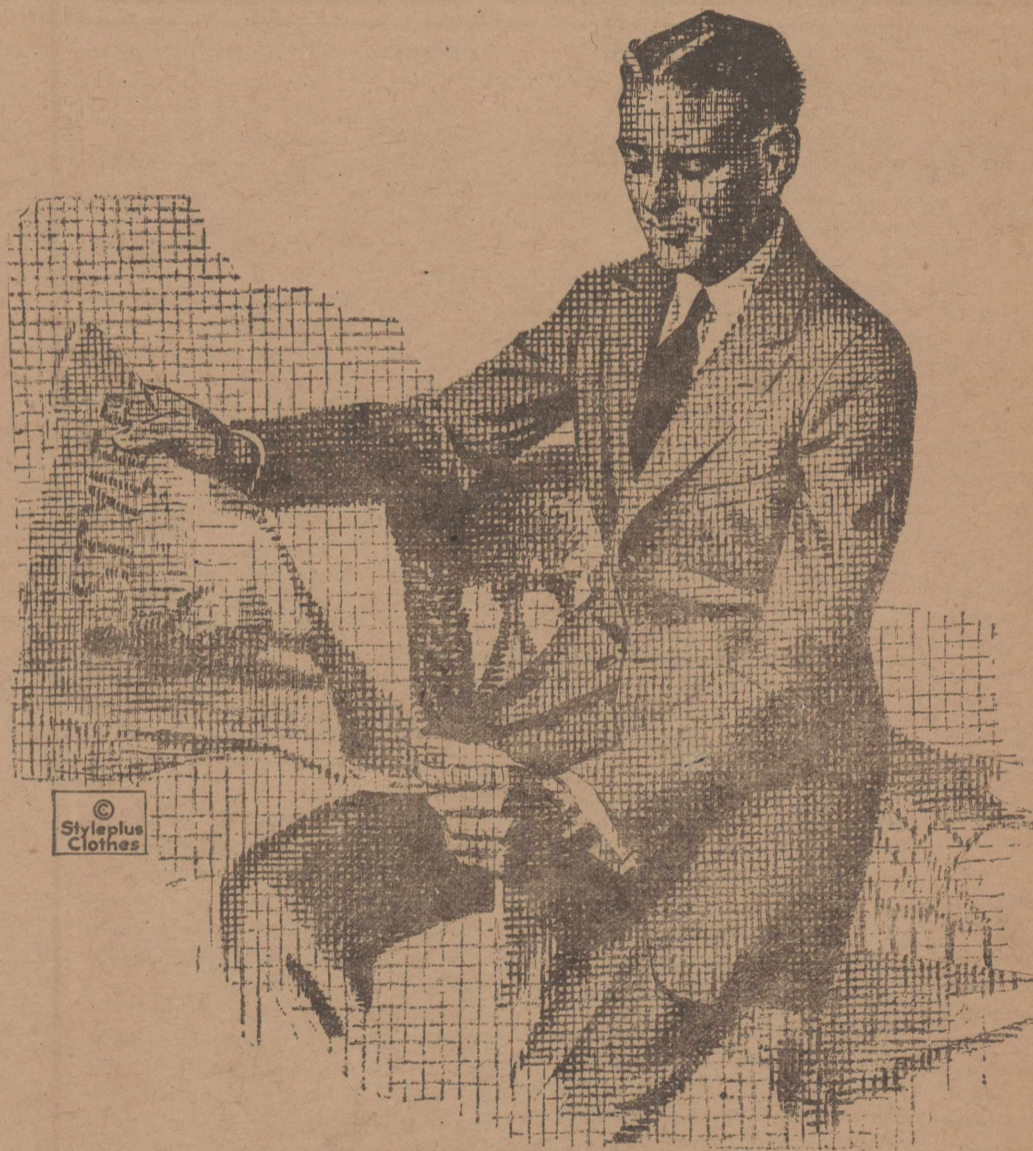
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INTEREST IN SOCIETY EVENTS THIS WEEK WILL CENTER ON

Turkey Races

Sometime ago we saw the finish of a wonderful TURKEY race and it was a NECK AND NECK FINISH.

THIS WEEK WILL PROBABLY WITNESS THE TOTAL DESTRUCTION OF TURKEY, and there will probably be more "neck and neck finishes." We sincerely hope you may be "in at the finish."

Meanwhile we will not forget that Infinite power that has so graciously willed that we go about, free people, with hearts full of thanks for the wonderful things He has given us.

This year we have much to be thankful for, so with our feasting let's not forget our

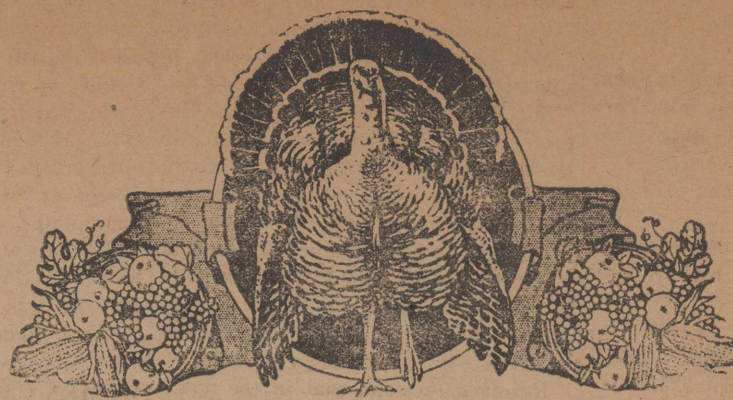
THANKSGIVING

Sincerely,

First State Bank

Floydada, Texas

A GUARANTY FUND BANK



WE ARE THANKFUL

This, the season of abundance, is the time for giving thanks.

The strenuous labors of the year are over at last and bins and warehouses are full against the winter's need.

But, after all, the BANK OF THE COMMUNITY is the real storehouse. Here is stored that which is the result of all labor.

If you will show true gratitude for an abundant harvest, put aside something for the days to come.

BANK CLOSED ALL DAY THANKSGIVING.

First National Bank

FLOYDADA, TEXAS

THE BANK THAT SAYS: "THANK YOU."

Stock Reducing Sale

We are unloading. We have a price on our entire stock that is moving it. We have received lots of new goods this week, all going in this sale at extra low price.

We are making special prices on shoes during this sale. You can buy

Men's High Grade Dress Shoes
Friday, Saturday and Monday
\$7.50 Values for \$5.95 and \$6.50 Values \$4.95

We have a full stock of Little Gents' and Children's Shoes. You can buy Friday, Saturday and Monday at.....\$1.19, \$1.49 and \$1.95 Boys' Shoes at.....\$1.95 and \$2.95

These are extra low prices

We have just received new shipment of Ladies' brown brogue oxfords, regular \$6.50 value, will go Friday, Saturday and Monday at.....\$4.95

Don't fail to see our Bargain Counter Shoes. Some real bargains.

MEN'S SUITS

All Men's Blue and brown Serge Suits, regular value \$35.00, will sell Friday, Saturday and Monday at.....\$24.95 Boys' Suits.....\$1.95, \$3.95, \$4.95, \$5.95 and \$8.95

PIECE GOODS

700 yards silks, Taffeta, Messaline, Crepe de Chine—regular value, \$1.95 to \$4.95 per yard, during this sale at.....\$1.49

W. H. SEALE, DRY GOODS

"THE PRICE IS THE THING"

EX-SERVICE MEN HONOREES AT MEMORIAL SERVICES

Hinging his talk around the gold star on the service flag, Rev. J. Pat Herton Sunday morning paid a glowing tribute to the men of the A. E. F. who made the supreme sacrifice in the World War in the Memorial Service at the First Baptist Church. His address was the closing feature of a pretty and impressive service was designed especially to honor service men. Members of the McDermott Post American Legion honored with reserve seats for service and the attendance from the local organization was good.

At the opening of the service each service man was presented with a wreath from the gardens of Floydada, the church having been decorated with the national colors of the season. Following distribution of the favors by the audience sang "The Star Spangled Banner." The invocation was by Elmer Caudle, and a quartette sang Kipling's "If."

W. L. Fry, made an address for the McDermott Post, reciting the immediate leading up to the war and which led America into it, a tribute to the French people for the sympathy and aid of Americans with the fighting out that soldiers of had an opportunity to see the worst side of French life. The introductory of the pastime, Truett Butler sang, "The Star Spangled Banner." The audience was present for the service.

J. H. Herton spent Monday afternoon at Post City, where he conducted the funeral service for a former member of his organization there.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Herton, November 15th, a daughter.

OLD FASHIONED BASKET DINNER FOR THANKSGIVING

The Methodist Sunday School will have an old-fashioned basket dinner in the basement of the church on Thanksgiving Day. Be sure to come with a well-filled basket.

A contest in the Sunday School the past quarter resulted in the men and boys having to serve the ladies and girls. Ira D. Gamble, Jim Willson and W. A. Robbins will wash the dishes.

We are going to have an enjoyable and fat time. Get in and help.

C. B. Meador, Pastor.

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

You are cordially invited to attend services with us next Sunday. We will do our best to warm your spiritual life with a good gospel sermon and a live Sunday school. If it is cold weather we will give you comfort, as our heating plant will be on the job to warm you.

Everyone in a civilized land like ours should go to church and Sunday school and help the cause. Your presence will help. We will be glad to have you with us.

C. B. Meador, Pastor.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Miss Juanita Hatchell entertained a number of her friends Saturday, November 12, celebrating her sixth birthday. Many different games were played and enjoyed by the guests. At five they were each given a hook and line and told to cast their hooks over the edge of the "fish pond," and see what they could catch. When they pulled out their hooks their delight was great to find on them dainty baskets filled with candy, apples and novelty cookies. Those present were: Misses Edclair Stevens, Anna May Baucom, Elizabeth Ann Hopkins, Minnie Annon Stanley, Florene Dorrell, Una May Jenkins, Dorothy and Mary Helen Snodgrass, Ada Belle Gamble, Lorene Stacy, Ollie Virginia Grigsby, Hazel Probasco, Virginia Hatchell, Donnie Stephenson; Masters Billy Tad Probasco, Wendell Jenkins, Austin Lee Hatchell, Donley Stephenson, Layton Dorrell, Bun and Floyd Hatchell and the little hostess.

CUMBERLAND PRES. CHURCH

Preaching 11 a. m.—Subject, "Divine Touch."

Preaching 7:15 p. m.—Subject, "Humbleness."

Sabbath school 9:45 a. m.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday night.

Bible training class and Choir practice every Friday night.

Missionary Society every Monday 2 p. m.

A hearty welcome awaits you.

O. N. Baucom, Pastor.

DELCO PLANT SAVES DAY WHEN LIGHTS FAIL

Floydada was in total darkness two or three hours Thursday night, all parts of it except those homes having oil lamps stored in the pantry or closet, and one other exception. This last exception was the stage at the Olympic Theatre where the home-talent play, "A White Lie," was presented.

When the lights failed the Electric Supply Shop hurriedly wired the stage for Delco lights, turned on the power and excellent results were obtained, although limited time made it impossible to wire the entire house and the audience sat in darkness.

During the period of time the Texas Utilities Company has been stringing new three-phase wire circuits for their business here many interruptions have occurred in the service, not only in the forenoon but throughout the afternoon and night.

TEXAS UTILITIES PLANT AT LUBBOCK BURNED

The big plant of the Texas Utilities Company in Lubbock was burned Tuesday night, proving practically a total loss, estimated at approximately \$200,000.

The plant is both an ice and electric plant and when the fire was well under way threatened the entire industrial switch of the town. Two cars of crude oil were destroyed and several loads of cotton seed and other cars on the tracks were saved by a fast run of a switch engine from Slaton.

The origin of the fire is unknown.

ANOTHER DECLINE

United States Tires and Tubes on a price level if not at a lower price, than the "Gyp" and off brand casings and tubes that are being advertised all over the country. AND WE GUARANTEE United States Tires and Tubes to be as high in quality as is possible to produce under the present art of tire manufacture. We carry the full United States line in all the regular sizes. See our line and make comparison of quality before you buy.

Note: We are Making Close Out Prices

Our full line of shot guns, pump guns, targets, and winchesters, also have full line of shells and lowest prices.

BROWN BROS.

Effective today we announce another sweeping decline in the full line of United States Tires and Tubes. Here are the new prices on Ford sizes: 30x3 plain tread \$9.60, 30x3 1-2 non skid \$10.90, 30x3 1-2 chain tread \$14.90, 30x3 1-2 nobby tread \$17.90, 30x3 1-2 Royal Cord \$19.85. Other sizes in proportion. These prices put us in line with the best of the country. AND WE GUARANTEE.