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WOULD RE-STOCK FLOYD CO. WITH PURE BRED HOGS

ing Here Saturday-Meet Again August 16th

Farmers and stockmen in Floyd ty, are trying to get together on a for West Texas Chamber of Comco-operative basis to replenish the merce, were amonglast week's promi-County, and will make an effort this here to urge that Floyd County have time to re-stock with pure bred sows an exhibit of her agricultural prodfrom immunized quality herds. A ucts at the 1919 Cotton Palace this fall meeting to consider the matter was and conferred with numerous citizens held Saturday afternoon at the county on the subject. court room. The meeting was called Mr. Crowell, in outlining the reaby County Agent W. H. Darrow, and sons for the decision of the West Texthirty or more hog raisers were in at- as Chamber of Commerce to get as unanimous decision resulting from the that city was approximately the cenloads should be shipped here for dis- figures compiled in his office indieach of Durocs and Poland Chinas, if the population of West Texas was project during the next two weeks.

mentioned, determine their cost at exhibit at the Cotton Palace," he said. Floydada ,and how many can be ob- "Not only a good exhibit from 10 or tained. He expects to be able to re- 15 counties, but an exhibit from 30 port fully at the meeting set for Aug- to 40 counties that will make it the ust 16th. Meanwhile hog raisers pres- big feature of the show,—a feature ent at the meeting are pledged to talk that will overwhelm everything else many sows can be sold in the county southwest that West Texas has withof good pure bred quality, if prices in one year come back completely can be agreed upon and immunized into its own."

lieved, in financing the purchases, as many as 50 to come. though the machinery of the scheme | Last year the average attendance at

or sows are urged to notify Mr. Dar- and farm owners, he explained—the loads, or about 1,0 head will be first looking for. shipped in, as an experiment, unless Definite reply to the invitation to the demand is for a greater supply.

Two features of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Picnic at Pleasant Valley August 21-22, will be baseball and debates on the road bond issue.

The ball games will be three in number, according to present arrangement and will be played between Wellington and Gasoline. Wellington wired their acceptance of the committee's offer the first of the week. These two teams are among the fastest on the plains.

The road bond issue debates, A. A. Whyte, Secretary, says, will be held . A good "cotton shower" fell over a beginning at two o'clock on the second large part of the territory tributary afternoon. They are to be at the to Floydada Sunday, and previous arbor or tabernacle erected on the showers have been quite beneficial to grounds. The importance of this is- this crop, which is now looking better sue in the county and the fact that it all the time. will be voted upon soon makes it | Some reports indicate that the crop Whyte says.

B. K. Barker left Sunday for Dallas to spend several days on business.

SPURLIN URGES FLOYD CO. DISPLAY AT COTTON PALACE

Co-Operative Effort Started in Meet- Best Opportunity to Show World West Texas Has Come Back, He Says

Jno. L. Spurlin, of Waco, represent-County who realize the tremendous ing the Texas Cotton Palace, and value of the hog industry to the coun- Chester T. Crowell, publicity manager depleted supply of hogs in Floyd nent visitors in Floydada. They were

tendance. Ways and means of ob- many counties as possible in West taining sows were discussed, and the Texas to exhibit at Waco, explained meeting was that at least two car- ter of population in Texas, and that tribution at approximate cost, one car cated something like 80 per cent of sufficient interest is manifest in the made up of former citizens of the section of country within a radius of Mr. Darrow has inquiries out to 100 miles of Waco. "We are anxious locate purebred herds of the types to have an overwhelming West Texas the matter up with their neighbors and stand out so vividly that it will and determine approximately how indelibly impress the rest of the

Mr. Spurlin said that todate they Previous efforts at locating good | had met with complete success in linhogs indicate that a surplus will not ing up West Texas counties for exbe found in the southwest and that hibits at Waco. Only one town out Floyd County raisers will likely have of 15 or 20 visited prior to their comto go to Missouri, Iowa or Illinois to ing to Floydada, had failed to give find hogs that may be bought reason- them a promise to be at the Cotton Palace. They have 14 more counties The movement has the endorsement to visit on their present itinerary, and of the banks of the county and no he believes they will line up at least trouble will be experienced, it is be- 30 in all and has hopes of getting

must be worked out at the next meet- the Cotton Palace was around 70,000 people per day. On two or three days 'll persons who are interested in the attendance ran above 100,000. obtaining one or more good bred gilts These people are principally farmers row. It appears likely that two car- kind of immigration West Texas is

show at Waco was not given them. More than one citizen told Mr. Spur-BALL GAMES AND ROAD BOND | lin that Floyd County was most anx; DISCUSSION AT PICNIC ious just now to make the Floyd County Fair the big success hoped for. The period elasping between this show and the big show at Waco would be ample time, it is thought, to give definite shape to plans to show at the latter place.

The idea of showing at Waco met with general approval, it may be stated, more especially since this county has never sent to that section of the state an exhibit of its products.

HALF INCH RAIN

worthy of a place on the program, Mr. is fruiting fast and many cotton growers have the best prospects in years for yields of cotton.

Half an inch of rain fell at Floyd-

If a Hog Squeal is Music to You, **Listen to This**

You men who are in the hog game, or who used to be in it and want in again, do you know that Floyd County is dangerously short of hogs? Do you know that there are not enough porkers in the county to supply our own need for meat? You know something about the enormous feed crop that is in sight, but do you know what you are going to feed it to? You know without being told that stock farming is the only profitable farming in the long run, and that grain fed to hogs usually, and doubtless will this year, bring from 25 per cent to 100 per cent more than if sold for cash. But where are the hogs and the cows and the sheep and other stock? Floyd County hasn't them, and can't herself re-stock the country where it ought to be stocked now, The only solution of the problem that confronts us this fall, and the only way to prepare for next year and all the succeeding good crop years, is to go out and bring in the hogs, and sheep and other stock

Last Saturday a few of the most enterprising men in Floyd County got together in the Court House and discussed what the farmers ought to do about it. All realizel that individual effort on the part of each farmer, unless hooked up with the similar efforts of the rest of the farmers, would fail to bring results. This is not an individual problem, but a County problem, and only the concerted action of Floyd County farmers can solve it. These men agreed, having consulted the bankers, that the smallest part of the problem was getting the money to buy hogs with. The big part of the problem is to get every farmer who wants a few good sows that will bring pigs this fall to let his wants be known, as to breed, age, weight, size and price. With this as a starter, the backers of the move can get the money at the banks and go out and buy as many hogs as are wanted at reasonable prices, and sell them to the farmers at cost. No one interested in this move wants to make one cent on the deal because it is a County affair and it is to the interest of everybody in the county that hogs be brought in here that are both good and cheap.

I therefore ask every farmer who really wants from one to one hundred good breeding hogs to fill out the attached blank and return to me at once. Remember that it will be difficult to get stock hogs at reasonable price and that sows will be the cheapest buy. Remember also that the hogs will have to be bought in the Northern States as hogs are a very scarce article in Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Kansas. No hogs will be brought in except those cholera immune, and all precautions will be taken to keep out all others.

By sending in the attached coupon you are not signing up an agreement to buy a single hog, nor will you be asked to. We simply want to know exactly what you want. You take no risk of any kind. If you want hogs and you don't take enough interest in it to let your wants be known by sending back the coupon, you can't expect others to take the interest to offer to sell you the stock when it comes.

Name			
Address	Y.		
Number of sows wanted	 		
Breed wanted			*
Age and size wanted			
Price you are willing to pay	\$		
Details of other hogs wanted		/	

FIRST MAIZE WILL BE

big yields, and the farmers of the there. county will be gathering feed when Christmas arrives, and much longer, too, if the present big cotton crop prospect materializes.

Next week will see a few maize growers in the field. J. D. Mince of Lakeview, is among these. He will begin cutting Monday on early-planted maize which is now ready for market.

Present indications are that the market will be good. The price may open as high as \$40 per ton. This would depend on the amount of green grain in the particular crop offered.

FLOYD COUNTY TEACHERS WILL ATTEND INSTI-TUTE AT CANYON

All teachers of Floyd County will attend the Joint Teachers' Institute this fall at West Texas State Normal at Canyon, arrangements for this having been made last week by Prof. J. E. Parks and a committee of teachers, with the sanction of County Superintendent J. W. Howard.

The institute will be held beginning Monday, September 1st and will last one week.

Solon Featherston and wife, of Eastland, Texas, visited several days last week with W. M. Featherston and family on their farm near Petersburg. The two Featherston brothers were in town Thursday for a short time.

Floyd County's forage crop will be Plainview, on their way from Olney, time of hisdischarge he was stationed good this year. Three fourths of all Young County. Homer Minor has been at San Domingo. the forage feeds planted will make spending the summer with relatives

DUNCAN FAMILY ARE HAVING | FLOYDADA SCHOOLS WILL ANNUAL REUNION HERE

Judge Duncan and Wife Entertaining All of Faculty, Save One, Elected-Relatives Here in Annual Family Reunion

Judge and Mrs. Arthur B. Duncan have as their guests this week more than twenty immediate relatives of the family from Texas and Oklahoma points, who are here at the annual reunion of the family.

The last reunion was held at Wau-

rike last year.

W. V. Duncan, of British Columbia, was the first of the out-of-town members of the family to reach here. He has been in the western part of the United States looking for a lost brother since his visit here in February last. Honoring this lost brother's birthday ,the big day of the reunion has been set for Saturday, when the brother, if still living, will be 51 years of age. Mr. Duncan has hopes that they have located the brother and that he will surprise the family by being here Saturday. The last certain knowledge of the brother's whereabouts was 14 years ago. He was at Trinidad, Colorado, at that time. His name is Ed. The last time any member of the family saw him was 20 years ago. In attempting to trace the brother, W. V. Duncan, who has given a great deal of time to the search in the last few years and practically all his time the last year, has had some unusual experiences. He has visited many sections of the west during the time and has traced down a large number of Ed Duncan's. He says he had no idea there were so many Ed Duncan's in the world. If the man he now thinks is the long-lost brother, is located, he is residing in South Dakota. W. V. Duncan moved to Hale Coun-

ty at about the same time Judge Arthur B. Duncan moved to Floyd County and filed on land in Blanco Canyon, where his first children were born. He says this country looks as fine as at any time he lived here or re-visited the section. Really, it looks better, he thinks, because there those times all there was to look good nic Committee at Pleasant Valley, had

There are three brothers and four sisters in the family. Of the two known-living brothers and four sisters there are now 145 direct descen-Judge Duncan's family of ten leads announce to the public his coming.

During the week here the family will visit around at their former homes on Blanco and in Hale County.

MRS. T. F. HOUGHTON WILL

Monday with Mrs. Houghton, wife of ed in comparison to the wage offered the latter, for Temple, Texas, where in other industries where teachers are she will be placed in the sanitarium for treatment.

It is probable that an operation will be necessary.

ROSCO HANNA HOME

Rev. G. I. Britain and grandson, nesday of last week, after receiving lic has learned of the high cost of liv-HARVESTED NEXT WEEK Home: Minor, passed through Floyd- his discharge from the Aviation Sec- ing for everybody but the school ada Saturday afternoon enroute to tion of the Marine Corps. At the teacher.

and was discharged at Charleston, S.C. acting business.

BEGIN TERM SEPT. 8th

Free Text Book Law in Effect for This Term

The fall, 1919, term of the Public Schools of Floydada will open Monday, September 8th. The Board of Trustees set this date definitely at a meeting the latter part of last week.

In making the announcement of the opening date for the school, Superintendent J. E. Parks also gave out a list of teachers who have places on the faculty. All places are now filled except one in the high school. The principal was elected Friday and accepted the place by wire Tuesday. Following it the list:

James E. Parks, Supt., science; J. C. Wester, principal high school, mathematics and science; Miss Daltis Rea, history; Miss Elfie Savage, English; to be supplied, Latin; Misses Ruby Maxey and Ona Hanna, 7th grade; Misses Jessie Green and Mary Beedy, sixth grade; Miss Ruth Collins, 5th grade; Misses Mabel Yearwood and Irene Trowbridge, 4th grade; Miss Bernice Henry, 3rd grade; Misses Lula Rushing and Onie Williams, 2nd grade; Miss Weah McCulloch, high first; Miss Roxye Ivey, primary and principal North Side School.

The Free Text Book Bill will be operative for the first time this year, and Supt. Parks will be custodian of the books. He will be under \$4,500 bond. He hopes to receive the books in ample time for their distribution during the opening of school at least. If they are received here before the first of September, when he will spend a week in Canyon, he will make a portion of the distribution before the op ening of school. The supply ordered he thinks will be ample, if they get here in time.

W. H. BLEDSOE WILL ADDRESS PICNIC CROWD AUGUST 22

A. A. Whyte, Secretary of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Barbecue and Pic-Bledsoe accepting an invitation to make an address at the picnic on the second day.

Mr. Bledsoe is a speaker of unusudants, children and grand children. committee is delighted to be able to

TEACHER SHORTAGE; SCHOOLS LACK TEACHERS

There is a shortage of teachers all BE TREATED AT TEMPLE over Texas if reports are correct, and the principal reason assigned for the Dr. W. M. and T. F. Houghton left shortage is the low wage being offerqualified to work.

In Floyd County the shortage is said not to be so great as in some other sections, but even in this county less than two-thirds of the schools have contracts with teachers for the term beginning this fall. Teachers Rosco Hanna returned home Wed- say that apparently the general pub-

George Cope, of Vigo Park, was He left San Domingo on July 8th here the latter part of last week trans-

The Secret of Wealth

Immense wealth is, of course, something that is beyond the reach of most people, and indeed it is an open question whether vast riches are really worth having. But everyone needs and should accumulate a comfortable competence to provide for old age or in case of sickness, accident, etc.

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Weekly Club Letter to Boys

W. H. Darrow, County Agent.

but that you shouldn't. How in the who are to be the nation's farmers in crop or pig or calf if you don't keep fathers are because we live in an age a record? And when you go into farm- of progress and "what was good whether you are making or losing for me." If it was farming would be

You hear a good deal now days about "business farming," which simhad 50 hogs on hand a year ago and for all the work you have done. sold them off during the year. The So the cost records I have asked you

know whether they gain or lose, but I you wages. know very exactly how much he made record book that the competition rules Parmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Scur

Many of you have probably won- | tell exactly where he made or lost it. dered "why all the fuss about my keep I do not say that this makes him a ing a record of costs on my crop or poor farmer, but he could be a lot bet-The strangeness of the matter ter farmer if he knew these things. is not it at you should keep a record, And I want to drive home to you boys world are you going to know how a few years that the world expects nuch money you make or lose on your you to be better farmers than your ing ater in life how will you know enough for daddy isn't good enough and where, unless you keep accounts. no further advanced in 1950 than it is now.

If you are losing money as a farmply means that the farmer tries to er on this crop or that, or one partiknow as much about the money ex- cular kind of stock feeding, the best penditures and receipts as the busi- way to correct it is to first find out ness man must know about his. Many where the loss is. To do this you farmers say they can tell you whether must keep cost records, much as you Hilsboro, Hill County. or not they have made or lost money are now keeping cost records on a any given year, and nearly always single crop or pig or calf. Then you they can, but there is not one farmer can study over various items of cost in a thousand who doesn't keep cost and tell definitely whether the loss records who can tell how much he was due to poor farming, a bad year, made or lost any year. The reason is poor feeding, unwise use of your own that the average farmer doesn't take labor or that of your teams, or whethinto account such items as the rental er that particular crop or kind of stock of land, interest on investment the simply doesn't pay. In other words cost of his own labor and of that of you have got to study your farm busihis horses and mules. The average ness to find how to improve it, and farmer figures how much cash he when you study it you must use facts paid out last year, how much he took and figures and not rely on guesses. in and the difference between the two If you learn this one lesson from the is the loss or gain. But perhaps he Club Work it will have paid you well

return from the hogs is counted as a to keep in connection with raising your by, Uvalde, Uvalde County. receipt for the year and it swells his pig or crop are not a foolish waste of income so that he feels that he made time. They are designed to show you San Angelo, Tom Green County. a lot of money. But did he? At the how much it cost you to raise a bushel beginning of the year he had 50 hogs of grain or a pound of pork so that Sledge, Ballinger, Runnels County. and at the end he had none, so how next year you will better be able to ever much he had in cash for the sale figure a cheaper way of doing it. It burn, Shamrock, Wheeler County, him without any hogs, so he may have items of expense in raising crops and following counties: made money, or he might have lost stock, and it should teach you that Armstrong, Bailey, Borden, Briscoe, money, and in any case the chances your own time and the time of your Carson, Castro, Childress, Cochran, are strong that he really doesn't team is as much an item of cost.as the Collingsworth, Cottle, Crosby, Dallam, know which. He is merely fooling seed you buy. If you can't pay your Dawson, Deaf Smith, Dickens, Donley, himself when he swells up with pride self and team wages for working your Fisher, Floyd, Foard, Gaines, Garza, and says he "made" so much off his crop then you had better learn a better Gray, Hale, Hall, Hansford, Harde I am not saying that farmers don't to some one who can afford to pay Hockley, Hutchison, Kent, King, Knox,

- lost any year, and certainly can't for the Boy Club Contest at the Coun-ry, Sherman, Stonewall, Swisher, Ter-

have your record book complete in or- ties). Population (1910) 203,679. der to try for a prize.

Remember the Boys' and Girls' Club Encampment on August 28th and 29th Full particulars will be sent each one want a good time, don't come to the 31, O. E. S.:

APPOINTMENT OF CENSUS SUPERVISORS OF TEXAS | mit the following:

sus for the State of Texas. First District—Arland L. Ward, La-

well, Center, Shelby County.

Athens, Henderson County. Fourth District-Henry E. Denison, Grayson County.

later.) Sixth District-Mrs. Roy E. Smith, sister and daughter.

Crockett, Houston County.

ton, Harris County. Ninth District-Emil J. Pesek, Moul cation. ton, Lavaca County.

Tenth District-John D. Hudson, Georgetown, Williamson County. Eleventh District-Clay McClellan,

Gatesville, Coryell County. Twelfth District-Gladden Lovell, Dicey, Parker County.

Thirteenth District-McAfee Wayland Burch, Decatur, Wise County. Fourteenth District-William G. Tobin, San Antonio, Bexar County. Fifteenth District—Harry P. Horn- July, A. D. 1919 at \$30.

Seventeenth District-Albert W. (Seal)

Eighteenth District-Jas. A. Hil- 22-3tc. of the hogs, the end of the year finds is designed to show you the principal | The 18th District is composed of the

way of growing the crop, or hire out man, Hartley, Haskell, Hemphill Lamb, Lipscomb, Lubbock, Lynn, do say that the average farmer doesn't So important is the keeping of the Moore, Motley, Ochiltree, Oldham,

ty Fair make it necessary for you to ry, Wheeler, and Yoakum (53 coun-

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

To the Worthy Matron ,officers and of you early next week. If you don't members of Floyd City Chapter, No.

> We, your committee, appointed to draft resolutions upon the death of sister Fannie A. Golden beg to sub-

In as much as our Supreme Grand Washington, D. C., August 5, 1919. Master, in His wisdom has seen proper -The Secretary of Commerce, upon to remove from our midst the spirit the recommendation of the Director of of our beloved sister Fannie A. Golthe Census, has made the following den and transplant it to that Celestial appointments of supervisors of cen- Shrine from whose bourne no traveler returns.

Be it therefore resolved: That we must humbly and reverently bow and Second District-Joshua W. Shot- submit to the will of our Supreme Grand Master realizing that in all Third District-Robert E. Yantis, things His wisdom is unbounded and our salvation.

Ellis, Be it resolved second: That in the death of sister Golden thischapter has Fifth District—(To be announced lost one of its faithful and zealous members, the family a devoted loving

Resolved that a copy of these reso-Seventh District-James H. Painter, lutions be spread upon the minutes of the Chapter, a copy furnished the Eighth District-C. J. Kirk, Hous- family of the deceased and a copy furnished the local press for publi-

> EMMA J. ANDREWS, FANNIE JENKINS, B. G. MORTON.

-Committee.

Tak n up, by G. S. King, one mouse or blue colored mare mule, about 14 years of age branded flying T on left thigh; Appraised on the 19th day of

ESTRAY NOTICE

Unless animal is claimed and prov-Sixteenth District-Jesse T. Couch, en same will be sold as an estray under the laws of the State of Texas. TOM W. DEEN, County Clerk Floyd County, Texas

> C. C. Wright left Saturday for Ponder, Texas, for a visit with relatives

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Of the First State Bank immediately north of that bank. and will, on August 15th, begin moving to that location.

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Discontinuing all Shelf Hardware, Stoves, Etc. And We Do Not Want to Move Them Ourselves

We will not have shelving room nor floor space for this kind of merchandise at our new location and so we want you,—our customers—to move them for us. As an inducement to get you to do this for us we are

Making Tremenduous Sacrifice of

On every item of this nature—enough to get them out of the way by the arrival of MOVING DAY.

Ever-rising prices on all goods of this nature will really make it worth your time to come and buy the things you need. Most of our present prices are based on purchases made several weeks to several months ago. When we put the reduction price on you will be saving from 20 to 50 per cent.

Removal Sale Prices Will Naturally FOR CASH

We are telling you right when we say that you can afford to take the time to buy between this date and the day we move.

We have given ourselves very little time to arrange for moving day—our plans have been made hurriedly price sacrifices would have been unnecessary, otherwise, and this hurriedly written ad is just to let you know about it the quickest way, and get our Shelf Hardware, Stoves, and a hundred et ceteras of one kind and another out of the store. We are not going to move them unless we have it to do.

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NEWS OF LOCKNEY

From the Beacon:

The Lockney Public School will opchers have been employed:

A. L. Foster, Superintendent, Mathematics; J. K. Greer, Principal, His- by Mr. Ivey as part consideration in CHARTER ASKED FOR \$50,000 tory; Miss Ruth Evans, Science; Miss Thelma McLean, Latin; Miss Dana Ivey will keep this Castro county Lancaster, seventh grade; Miss Annie ranch stocked, but will devote his ma-Embry, sixth grade; to be elected, fifth grade; Miss Lena Burns, fourth Plains, Texas, for the time being. garde: Miss Trowbridge, third garde; Miss Martha Brotherton, second garde Brown, expression.

here this week visiting his parents, past, but it is believed that never be- B. Pope, Jr., of Fort Worth , will be Uncle Frank Ford and wife. This is fore has an entire herd of this size stockholders. his first visit here in seven years and and quality sold on the farm as a The corner lots on Broadway, across length of time. Austin, as he is fami- ford Brand. liarly known by all the old settlers of this community, drove the mail car from here to Estelline for five years and 5 months without missing a day. His many friends are indeed glad to prosperity. have the pleasure of again having him come to see them.

Jack Norris who farms in the Provi- the country, said: dence community, threshed his wheat | "Imperative demands for more credthis week, and reports the largest it are in sight. An enormous crop is yield to the acre that has yet been reto be financed and our export trade Engineer will devote the greater part ported to this office. On the acre of must be financed if it is to go on. A wheat he measured he got 52 bushels. heavy fall trade is in prospect and This report was made before the en- the price level is rising." tire crop of 180 acres was threshed, All of these demands for credit wheat in the county, and those that serve the country's financial stability. have seen it have predicted an aston- The country must produce more ishingly large yield.

received two new motors for their perous speed. tractors used in road work, and the This is of vital import to the south machines will be put in first class which depends so largely on cotton.

pects to be home within a few days. incident thereto.

SEARCHING THE STATUTES

price of a kiss from \$10 to \$25 last teed government securities. week, and recently at Wichita Falls, this state, a man paid a girl \$20 for the privilege of osculation. In justice to Texas, however, it should be stated

ue of a kiss. The subject has too many own words. Here was his version: ramifications. It is the unsportsmanlike conduct of the Wichita Falls kisser that deserves attention.

When the pretty girl-sh ty, for who would pay good money to the money in War Savings Stamps kiss a homely girl?—had been kissed, the newspaper article informs us, the man took the \$20 away from the girl. On the face of the facts, it was an unworthy performance, unless, indeed, the man, having sampled, took the money in order that he might pay for

The astonishing thing in the affair, was that the law officers of Wichita Falls were "searching the statutes." Why search the statues? Wasn't the man plainly guilty of highway robbery?

The kiss was obtained through operation of a perfectly valid contract. A consideration passed, as the law requires. The kiss was the property of the man. The money belonged to the girl. The man was a robber, and the punishment should me made to fit the crime.—Hereford Brand.

\$135,000 REGISTERED CATTLE DEAL AT HEREFORD

A registered cattle deal of a magnitude that will send a ripple through the pool of cattle interests from Canada to Mexico occurred in Hereford this week. Not the actual money value exchanged would cause such a ripple ,but rather the significance of the blood-lines, the history the ancestry and the future of the consolidated herd which will grow out of the transaction will cause every registered breeder in the United States to sit up and take notice.

A. M. Jones and his brother-in-law, W. E. Dameron, who, under the firm name of Jones & Dameron have already started one of the best herds in the country, have closed a deal with T. C. Ivey whereby the latter sells every hoof he has on the famous Springvale Farm, east of Hereford to these two enterprising young breeders, the total consideration reaching \$135,-000. Approximately 90 head of the famous Anxiety strain cattle, with the other considerations involved, ping Mr. Ivey in round rumbers \$1,500 a head, including five great herd bulls, a bunch of line-bred cows, the peces of anything in the United States, and

calves from famous matings. Mr. and keep the rest ourselves. His wife reau of Sanitary Engineering has ranch in Castro county was accepted the trade. It is understood that Mr.

Rat Jowell and other posted registered breeders state that in all prob- stood that the new institution is to where she had been visiting some Miss Ethel Wells, first grade; Miss

Debora Pope, music; Miss Gladys

ability this deal involved the highest price ever paid for a complete herd of citizens. Among others who will be Austin P. Ford of Fort Worth is have gone to higher figures in the of the Littlefield State Bank, and John

AMERICA NEEDS THE MONEY

America needs money to finance

The National City Bank of New York ,in a recent 'discussion of the economic situation which confronts

but the estimate is conservative, and mean that the country must have capihe will not miss an average of 50 tal upon which to extend this credit. bushels to the acre very far. Mr. Unless actual cash capital is forth-Norris is reported to have the best coming, credits must be limited to pre-

than it consumes, must earn more than it spends. Savings, in some form County Commissioner Chas. Trow- or other must be ready for investment bride was in the city Tuesday on busi- if the wheels of commerce and indusness. The Commissioners' Court has try are to be kept turning at pros-

shape at an early date and ready for The Bankers of the country are look ing toward the Thrift Movement for aid. Investment in War Savings C. J. Busby received a telegram Stamps and Registered Treasury Sav-Monday from the Red Cross at New ings Certificates means money loan-York stating that his son, Frank, had ed to the Government to help finance landed there safe and sound and ex- the cotton crop and the export trade

Every man and woman residing in the Eleventh Federal District should bear this situation in mind and invest A judge in Chicago boosted the as much as possible in these guaran-

MIXED HISTORY

Dallas, Texas, Augus 7.— Patriotthat the Chicago price was enforced ism and Bible history were somewhat while the one at Wichita Falls was mixed in the mind of a youngster who attends a local Sunday School. The It is not the purpose here to con-members of his class were asked to sider the question of the intrinsic val- write the story of Ananias in their

> "Ananias was a very wicked man who once said to his wife, 'Everybody | is buying War Savings Stamps; let us sell our field for \$1,000 and put half

Application has been made to the jor interest to his big ranch near State for a charter for the Guaranty State Bank of Plainview, Texas, with a capital stock of \$50,000. It is underregistered cattle of any breed. Of interested in it are E. E. Winn and course, special sales of picked stuff P. B. Barker. Rube S. Beard, cashier

he finds a great many changes in this whole for this average price.—Here- the street from the Ellerd Building have been purchased from Drs. Anderson & Gidney, for a site for the building for the new institution .- Plainview Herald.

SANITARY ENGINEER WILL ADVISE CITIES OF TEXAS

At the recent called session of the 36th Legislature provisions were made for an additional Sanitary Engineer of his time to Field work, and will make it possible of the Health Department to respond to requests for Sanitary Engineering advice and visits more promptly than ever before.

Although he will not be permitted to do any desiging work, he will council with city officials and give technical advice on water, sewage, and garbage plants, mosquito control, sanitary ordinances, etc. There will be no charges for his services, but towns availing themselves of said service will be asked to pay his traveling expen-

ses. The extension of this field work will not affect the work that the Bu-

Ivey would not sell his Big Spring said alright and they did. When An- been doing for the cities of the State. section and other holdings on the creek anias gave the \$500 to the man, the but will make it possible for the Bubut leased the 1,280 acre ranch to man said, 'This is not all.' Ananias reau to give service to the many small en September 8th. The following tea- Jones & Dameron for a period of three said, 'Yes it is,' and immediately towns that can not send out of the years and ten months. A four-section dropped down dead, and his wife also." State for expert advice and that heretofore have been unable to have such sanita y service.

BANK AT PLAINVIEW | This Field Engineer will be at the disposal of the people after September

> Mrs. T. P. Guimran returned Saturday from Young County and Dallas

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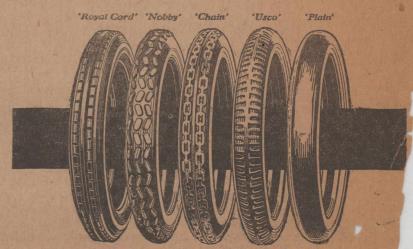
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PLAINVIEW NEWS

From The Herald:

having been completed Wednesday Plainview Herald. night, on property of Reuben M. Elord, according to Mr. Ellerd, who re- WYOMING VISITORS HERE TO turned to Plainview Monday for a few days' business visit. He expects to return soon to the Texas oil fields.

beld a meeting this week and decided the limit that could be floated, were voted and sold, but the cost of material puts the building beyond their reach for the time being.

view is contemplated by Barrier to him,—a delightful surprise. Brothers Dry Goods Company. G. C. Barrier, manager of the string of stores of this company at Lubbock, Fleydada and Brownfield, all countyor the proposition.

lainview visiting his parents, Dr. and miles northeast of Plainview. usiness of several weeks' duration to I. C. Nations of Whitfield. ne will practice law.

days on avacation and business visit. Herald. Mr. Shields owns property here.

his realty interests.

EAST OF HALE CENTER

within the next thir Entered as second class matter April ty days. Mr. Miller has ordered a tonio at an early date. 20th, 1907, at the Post Office at Floyd-drilling outfit. He expects to start material arrives.

J. J. Barton and associates, of Bartonsite, have a contract pending for one copy one year, in advance....\$1.00 drilling a well on his place. This suffering this week from injuries sus- ing Thursday and Friday, days of the ne copy six months, in advance....50c contract must be closed within two tained Monday and Tuesday. weeks to become effective. It is Mr. Cope has an injured shoulder County Agent Darrow gives an iidvt. Rates Furnished on Application stated by a friend of The Herald at sustained in a fall from a ladder Mon- lustrated lecture at each of these Hale Center, who made personal in- day morning. It was quite painful meetings on "The Social and Economic vestigation for The Herald, that Mr. and kept him confined until his wife Value of Good Roads." And at the Barton has two other drilling con- sustained a broken arm Tuesday morn- McCoy and Lakeview meetings County tractors who are awaiting the out- ing in a fall, when he improved con- Clerk Tom W. Deen and Tax Assess-A deal involving a consideration of come of this negotiation to open the siderably by force of circumstances. or A. A. Whyte debated the merits of \$295,000 has been closed, the contract proposition of a contract with him.-

SEE H. B. CALLIHAN

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Callihan have had as guests the past several days ly growing power of utilities over places and a delegation will go to The trustees of the Liberty School Mr. C llihan's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Roberts, of Sheridan, not to commence erection of their Wyoming. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts are nicipalities which will meet in Austin Jas. E. Berry and wife, of Dayton,

more here with the Callihan's. This League has issued a call urging the Dayton and president of a large drain-A new dry goods store for Plain- Roberts says the country is beautiful

FRANK YEARWOOD MARRIED

Frank Yearwood, a recent member seat towns ,and R. B. Barrier, Jr., a of the American E. F., and Miss Florwoon the race against Andrew Cornel with them. Both men were interested member of the firm who has just re- ida Pullen, prominent young lady of gie's hope to give away all his millions in our climate and country. turned from service in France, were the Whitfill community were married in his last days. The veteran steel ere early in the week making plans Saturday at Lockney at the home of manufacturer died at 7 a. m. today at Mrs. J. A. Price left this week for Capt. Austin F. Anderson is in make their home on a farm thirteen pneumonia.

E. E. Shiels and wife, of Green- vember 5th. He returned to the Unit- rate of nearly \$21,000,000 yearly. ville, Texas, have been here several ed States in February.—Plainview But Carnegie still has many millions Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mince returned

Clifford Kreis, of Miami, Florida, City, are here on a visit with Mrs. negie would be held from the home has been here this week looking after Greenway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. and would be strictly private. No Q. Carpenter.

E. C. NELSON, Jr., HOME ON FURLOUGH FROM ARMY

Lieut. E. C. Nelson, Jr., is home on probably. He will report at San An- two mee

to be present.

WILL COMBAT GROWTH

municipal affairs is centered in the Baker tonight.

ANDREW CARNEGIE DEAD

Rev. Bascom Watts, Pastor of the his Summer home, "Shadow Brook" Mineral Wells. Mr. Price will remain Lockney Methodist Church. They will The cause of his death was bronchial here two weeks and possibly longer

Mrs. J. C. Anderson, after a visit on Miss Pullen is the daughter of Mrs. amassing a fortune of nearly half a Falls. billion dolars. He then expressed his arious points in Texas. Captain An- Mr. Yearwood was a member of great hope that he would be able to die J. R. Leach, buyer for Leach's, rerson will locate in Eastland, where Company G, 16th Infantry, First Di- poor and began giving away his for- turned home Monday from market. vision. He was gassed on October 10, tune by the millions. In the past He bought for fall and winter and and shot through the hand on No- seventeen years he has given at the holiday trade while away.

and died a rich man. Robt. Greenway and wife of Wolfe noon that the funeral of Andrew Car- and wife. date was given out.

GOOD ROADS MEETINGS BEING HELD IN COUNTY

cently purchased the Gilbert section a visit with his parents, having a fur- ty to cause interest in the road bond or ten days duration into northeastern the banking business at Leonard. eight and one-half miles southeast of lough from the army. He just re-election to be held August 25th, are New Mexico. Hale Center, do not go awry, work cently reached the states from France. being held this week and will continue will commence on an oil well on that He expects to be dishcarged soon through to next mid-week. The first Lakeview, Monday and Tuesday nights. Tonight a meeting will be ada, Texas, under the Act of Congress work on a deep well as soon as the W. R. COPE INJURES SHOULDER; held at Baker, tomorrow night at Fair-WIFE HAS BROKEN ARM view and Saturday night at Pleasant Valley. These meetings will also be Both Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cope are continued through next week, except-

picnic and barbecue at Pleasant Valley Mrs. Cope's arm was broken in the the proposed bond issue, Mr. Whyte favoring the building of good roads through increased taxation without the bonds. Commissioner Trowbridge OF UTILITIES POWERS also made addresses at each of these meetings favoring the bond issue. A Dallas, Texas, Aug. 12.—The first small delegation from Floydada acorganized effort to combat the steadi- companied the speakers at these two

on August 19th and take formal steps near falveston, have been visiting W. for the protection of municipal inter- J. Berry, his brother, this week. Mr. They plan to spend several days ests. The Executive committee of the Berry is vice president of the bank of mayors and interested citizens from age company there and also has oil every city, town and village in Texas and farming interests. They raise rice only. They came by auto and are taking the daughter of W. J Berry home with them where she will spend several months in school. A Lenox, Mass., Aug. 11.—Death has Mr. Weston and wife are traveling

> to wind up his business affairs. They Carnegie retired in 1902 after will likely make their home at Wichita

home Sunday from a short visit at Announcement was made this after | Hereford with their son, E. C. Mince

> BORN-To Mr. and Mrs. Ohmer W Kirk, City, August 13th, a son.

Watson, in company with W. C. Wat- ard Texas, have been here this week son and family, of San Angelo, left visiting Mr. Collin's parents, Mr. and

Good roads meetings in Floyd Coun- Monday morning for a trip of a week Mrs. J. S. Collins. Mr. Collins is in

Homer Collins and family, of Leon-

Ervin Evans, of Lampasas, has been last for Cloudcroft, New Mexico, here the past two weeks buying mules. where they will spend their vacation

Mr. and W. U. White left Thursday

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STARKEY NEWS

August 11.—We are having some fine weather at present. Had a nice was fine on our row crops.

Grandma Youngblood from here spent part of last week in Floydada visiting friends.

Mr. Jones and family spent Sunday at Mr. Kelleys.

Marvin Jones has just returned home from over sea service. All were glad to welcome him back home again.

Those visiting at Mr. Hammit's last Tuesday were Mrs. McSpadden, Mrs. Turnbow, Delma Turnbow, Willie and

Miss Mae McSpadden. Mrs. McSpadden's daughters from Oklahoma are visiting them at pres-

Mr. McSpadden entertained with a singing Sunday night.

Allen Cook and family spent Sunday in McCoy community at the home of Mr. Robertson.

Mrs. Allmon and daughter left last week for Brownfield. Buster Allmon and wife spent Sun

day in McCoy community at the home

Emmet Foster has just returned home from Fort Worth with his new bride.

Mr. Foster entertained with a party Friday night. A few from here attended the pie supper at Blanco Saturday night. We

enjoyed it fine. A number of people from Starkey enjoyed the fine sermon preached by

Rev. Geo. Montgomery Sunday afternoon at McCoy. Bro. Montgomery and wife called

at Mr. Hammits Monday. Miss Jewell Roland spent a few days last week in Floydada with Bro. and Sister Montgomery.

Miss Lela Barton of Floydada spent Sunday with the Saunders girls.

Mr. Sparks is to entertain the young folks with a party Friday night.

CENTER NEWS

August 13.—We are having a shower this morning, wish it would keep on till a good general rain fell that man, August 9th. would insure a good feed crop.

R. F. Luttrell and family spent from FIRST STATE BANK MAKES Thursday until Monday of week before last visiting friends here. This part of the plains still looks good to them.

er relatives. =

Mr. Meredith was expecting his sis-

Misses Clyde and Ila Carpenter attended singing here Sunday afternoon. WOULD SET CLEAN-UP DAY Clifford Tubbs is still at Whiteflat where he is leading the singing dur ing the meeting there.

more than two years ago and a sec- can be done toward improving the apond stroke on Tuesday before his pearance of the cemetery.

he is a relative of Mr. Warren. All the Warren kin were to leave

for their homes Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edwards visited his people at Hereford recently. Ross Hickman is visiting at Mata-

Robert Edwards.

visited in Floydada Saturday. Mr. Johnston spent Saturday visit-

GAS SPOILS WATER WELL ON W. B. WALDROM FARM

three years ago had a water well dug Texas. on his half section in the Antelope community, which was spoiled for waa shallow depth. Since that time the visiting his brother, Jnc. A., and proswell has intermittently made show- pecting.

ings of gas. Mr. Waldrom is here now on a Wm. McGehee, of Lockney, was in business visit connected with his prop- Floydada Saturday at the hog raisers erty. When his well struck gas he meeting. gave the information to the Texas Oil Company and asked for a leasing proposition. The company did not at that time want to make other than long term leases on large acreage. The matter is being investigated by that company, however, and another large company is said to be interested also in the prospects for gas or oil in that territory, which is about 18 miles southeast of Floydada.

GOEN & CLARK FORM REAL ESTATE SALES PARTNERSHIP

A. C. Goen, former Sheriff and Tax Collector, and W. B. Clark, former County and District Clerk of Floyd County, this week launched into real

estate business. They have leased Room 8 in the First National Bank building.

PREACHING ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. Atwood, president of Wayland College, will preach at the Baptist

RUSSELL & FRY BUY COX

West Side Square, known as the City trustees asked for one of the new Barber Shop Building, to Messrs. T. C. \$1,000 certificates. Russell and W. L. Fry. The barber shop and fixtures go in the deal.

The purchasers of the property have pletion of the details of the trade.

MRS. VESTA FREEMAN MARRIES

and J. J. Thomas, of Durant, Oklaho- desired. ma, were married here Saturday afternoon, Elder W. Brooks Stell officiat-

The wedding came as a surprise to Mrs. Freeman's numerous friends.

Mr. Thomas has resided at Durant here as Miss Nell Collins. a number of years. He is a brother of Mrs. H. J. Willis, of this city.

They will make their home here.

KIRKENDALL-MOORE

Saturday Judge J. W. Howard officiated at the marriage of T. W. Moore and Miss May Kirkendall.

Miss Kirkendall was a teacher last year in the Lakeview Public School.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

The following marriage licenses were issued last week at the office of County Clerk Tom W. Deen:

Charlie Walter Dillards and Miss Clersey Lackey, August 6th; T. W. Moore and Miss May Kirken-

dall, August 9th; J. J. Thomas and Mrs. Vesta Free-

INCREASE IN CAPITAL

Tuesday the capital stock of the First State Bank of Floydada was in-Mr. Chas. Spence and family left creased from \$40,000 to \$50,000, the last Friday for Winters, Runnells Co., second increase in capital to be made and Stephens County. to visit Mrs. Spence's parents and oth- by the institution in the period of the

The increase in capital was absorbter and his daughter last Monday. ed by the stockholders, who were is-Haven't heard whether they came or sued stock dividends in proportion to the amount of stock held by each.

FOR LAKEVIEW CEMETERY

Persons who are interested in Lake We received news yesterday of the view Cemetery are asked to meet at death of our oldest uncle last Satur- Lakeview at two o'clock Monday, Aug-He had a stroke of paralysis ust 25th, (election day) to decide what

The graveyard is said to be badly A Mr. Drum has bought the place in need of working and the meeting where Mr. Jeff Foster lives. Think is suggested by persons interested in keeping it looking better.

\$300,000 ROAD BONDS WOULD TAKE NEARLY 27 CENTS TAX

The proposed \$300,000 road bond issue in Floyd County would require Holly Clyde and Jewell Martin a tax rate of nearly 27 cents on the spent Sunday with their sister. Mrs. Lundred dollar valuation the county over the first year, according to fig-Miss Jessie and Ora May Foster ures compiled by Tax Assessor A. A. White.

Commissioner Trowbridge said Tues day that this would mean a tax of not Mr. Jordan and family and Mrs. over \$4.00 on each quarter section land Tubbs 1 k Sunday dinner at Mr. owner in the county, which as he puts it, would not be half as much as the saving in jitney repair bills annually.

A. L. Stovall, formerly a resident of this county, is here this week on busi-W. B. Waldrom, of Oakwood, Texas, ness. His home is now at Caddo,

A. L. Hollums, of Anson, Texas, was ter when a gas pocket was struck at here for a short time last mid-week

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\$3,000 WORTH WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES SOLD HERE

The War Savings Plan, and especilittle rain Saturday morning which Church here Sunday morning at 11 ally the new \$100 and \$1,000 War Savings Certificates were given an-\$3,000 worth of them were purchased, MAIN STREET PROPERTY | First National Bank and the Floydada Independent School District. The lat-T. M. Cox last week contracted the ter purchase was made with money sale of his brick building and lot on of the district's sinking fund and the

> The banks bought ten each of the \$100 certificates.

Robt. L. Dudney, Territorial Savnot made public their future plans for ings Adviser, who made the sales, says their new property, awaiting the com- that the new certificates of the \$100 and \$1,000 denominations are meeting Mr. Cox will likely retire from the with much favor, especially from the there will be an all Panhandle exhibit barber business for the present when purchaser who can put the cost of one at the Dalias State Fair in October of the transfer of the property is made. of the new certificates into a single the present year. It is designed that

> Mrs. W. H. Cline and baby, of Du-this organization. rant. Oklahoma, are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Collins. She will be remembered by her friends

J. A. Keown, of Devol, Oklahoma, formerly a resident of Floydada, has been here the pest several days on business. Mr. Keown still owns residence property here.

John Carr has sold his farm in the Carr's Chapel neighborhood to Mr. Tucker of the same neighborhood, and has re-bought in the edge of Hale County near Petersburg.

Mrs. Ed Sears, of Valley Mills, and Mrs. Levi A. Dunlap, of Meridian, are here on a visit with their sister, Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, and mother Mrs. J.

Dr. J. H. Massie, whose residence is now at Eastland, formerly of Floydada, was here Thursday of last week on business. He was accompanied by R. H. Venable, of Wichita Falls.

J. E. Stephens, wife and daughter. returned last week from a visit of some weeks at points in Oklahoma, Fort Smith, Arkansas, Fort Worth,

Jake Greer, who was recently discharged from the navy, returned home last week. During his service he spent the greater part of his time on the South American coast.



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PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

FLYER WHO VISITED PLAINVIEW JULY 4th KILLED IN DALLAS

Second Lieutenant Edward M. Anderson, who was one of the Fourth of other boost here this week when July crowd at Plainview, was killed Saturday, at Love Field, Dallas, when the buyers being the First State Bank, the right wing of a machine he was piloting from Wichita Falls to Love Field collapsed and the machine went into a nose dive.

> Lieutenant Anderson was preparing to land when the accident occurred, and the machine fell from an altitude of 100 feet.—Hereford Brand.

"PANHANDLE DAY" AT THE DALLAS STATE FAIR

It has definitely been decided that

purchase. Mr. Dudney was here from the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Wednesday of last week to Monday Commerce will group all of its ex-DURANT, OKLAHOMA, MAN morning. He was ill part of his time, hibits, in county units, under one covhowever, and was unable to give as er or one enclosure, thus preserving Mrs. Vesta Freeman, of this city, much time to his work as he had the identy of the county and at the same time representative of t e unity which is desired to be expressed by

> Mrs. E. A. Harris, of Whiteflat, is here this week for an operation for appendicitis at the Childers Sanitarium. The operation was performed yesterday. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Irwin of Fairview.

Will Morgan, wife and son, left Tuesday for Hico, Hamilton County, where they will spend some two weeks on a vacation. They are going cross country by auto.

Mrs. A. P. McKinnon is at San Angelo for a two-weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. T. S. Causey.

Judge E. P. Thompson was a business visitor from Lockney here Tues-

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welcome.

Harry Grigsby of west of Canyon City, was here from Friday to Tues- was here Thursday and Friday last day last on a visit with his brother, J. visiting here cousin, Miss Wynette A. Grigsby and family.

Miss Wynona Guest, of Plainview, Britton.

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on your rights when you delay ordering that Fall and Winter Suit from us. Deliveries are slow, of course, and it is difficult to say when a late-ordered suit is going to be handed to the customer.

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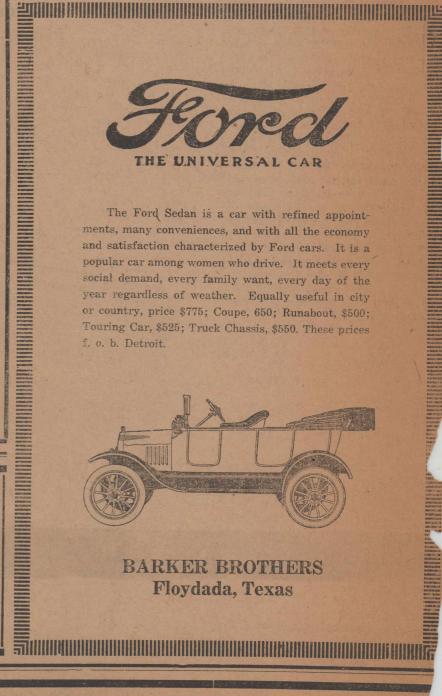
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You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Floyd State of Texas and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of 20 days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof. Notice of Appointment of Temporary

Guardian THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To All Persons interested in the welfare of Lillie May Coper and Fred prior to said election Cooper Minors, L. A. Cooper was, by the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the person and estate of said Minors, which appointment will be made permanent, unless the same shall be successfully contested at the THE STATE OF TEXAS, next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in October A. D. October A. D. 1919, at the Court house | by law. thereof, in Floydada, Texas, at which

said Court, on the said first day of four successive weeks previous to the the next term thereof, this Writ, with return day hereof, in some newspaper your return thereon, showing how you published in your county, if there be have executed the same.

County Court of Floyd County.

TOM W. DEEN,

(Seal) Clerk County County, Floyd County, District Court of Floyd County, to be Lockney this week. Texas.

ORDER FOR ROAD BOND ELECTION

On this the 24th day of July, A. D. 1919 at a special term of the Commissioners' Court of Floyd County, Texas, J. W. Howard County Judge and B. C. Willis, Chas. Trowbridge, H. R. Brown and G. F. Rigdon, County Commissioners, being present, the following order of the Court was duly passed and is hereby entered.

By virtue of authority vested in this court by chapter 1 Title 18 of Vernon Sayles civil Statutes a special Election is hereby ordered to be held in Floyd County, Texas, on Monday, the 25th day of August, A. D. 1919, for the purpose of submitting a proposition to a vote of the qualified voters of Floyd County, Texas, who are property tax payers of Floyd County, Texas, as to whether or not Bonds shall be issued by Floyd County, Texas, for the purpose of Improving and maintaining the public roads of Floyd the total amount of \$300,000.00 consisting of 300 \$1,000.00 bonds to bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum payable annually on April 10th of each year. To be payable 30 years from their date and to be Redeemable at the pleasure of the County at any time after 5 years after the Issuance of the Bonds; and to determine whether or not the Commissioners' Court shall levy annual Ad Valorem taxes sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund for their redemption, and let notice of said election be given as required by

Said Election shall be held at the several voting places in said County and the following named persons respectively, of the said Election Precincts are hereby appointed managers of said Election:

Voting Precinct No. 1, Floydada, W. L. Boerner, Manager

Voting Precinct No. 2, Starkey, D.

Voting Precinct No. 3, Allmon, C. C. Krause, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 4, Sandhill, W.

Voting Precinct No. 5, Lockney,

m. McGehee, Manager. Voting Precinct No. 7, Providence,

C. Hartman, Manager. Voting Precinct No. 8, Lone Star,

Voting Precinct No. 9, Sunset, Chas. . Wilson, Manager.

C. Applewhite, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 10, Fairmont,

Geo. R. Tibbits, Manager. Voting Precinct No. 11, Cedar, R.

L. Orman, Manager. Voting Precinct No. 12, Center, L.

B. Maxey, Manager. Voting Precinct No. 13, Baker, J. D.

armer, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 14, Antelope,

Will Graham, Manager.
Voting Precinct No. 15, Lakeview, D. Hopper, Manager.

The place of voting in each voting recinct shall be at the respective hool Houses thereof, with the exotion of the Voting Precinct No. 1, where the place of voting shall be at the Court House of Floyd County,

Texas.

And only qualified voters, who are words "Against the Bonds."

State governing general elections. serve as proper notice of said Election. newspaper published in said County posted at three public places in the Court House Door, for three weeks

J. W. HOWARD, County Judge of Floyd County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

To the Sheriff or any Constable of

Floyd County, Greeting: 1919, the same being the 20th day of Oath having been made as required

You are hereby commanded to sumtime all persons interested in the wel- mon J. T. Byars and T. J. Byars and if fare of said Minors may appear and said parties or either of them is dead, contest such appointment, if they see then the heirs of the said J. T. Byars and T. J. Byars by making publication 22-4tc. Herein fail not, but have you before of this Citation once in each week for a newspaper published therein, but if WitnessTom W. Deen Clerk of the not, then in any newspaper published in the 64th Judicial District; but if mal School will start Monday morn-Given under my hand and the seal there be no newspaper published in ing next, and on Sunday afternoon of said Court, at office in Floydada said Judicial District, then in a news- previous a general singing to which Texas, this the 1st day of August, A. paper published in the nearest District all are cordially invited will be held to said 64th Judicial District, to ap- at the Baptist church. pear at the next regular term of the Prof. Cornelius closes a school at

holden at the Court House thereof, in OF TEMPORARY GUARDIAN property tax payers of said County, Floydada, Texas, on the 4th Monday shall be allowed to vote and all voters in September A. D. 1919 the same bedesiring to support the proposition to ing the 22nd day of September A. D. issue Bonds shall have printed or written on their ballots the words "For the Bonds". And those opposed shall have printed or written on their ballots the words "Against the Bonds."

1919, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 5th day of August A. D. 1919 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1240, wherein J. C. Gaither Adissue Bonds shall have printed or writ- 1919, then and there to answer a pe-No. 1240, wherein J. C. Gaither Ad-The manner of holding said election ministrator of the Estate of W. T. shall be governed by the Laws of the Montgomery deceased is plaintiff, and J. T. Byars and T. J. Byars if living, A copy of this order signed by the and if dead, then the heirs County Judge of Floyd County, shall of J. T. Byars and T. J. Byars whose names and residence are and the County Judge is directed to unknown to plaintiff are defendants, cause said notice to be published in a and said petition alleging as a cause of action as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff for four successive weeks ,and in ad- sues in tresspass to try title of Lot 14, dition thereto to have notice thereof Block 93, situated in Floyd County, Texas and in Floyd City, (Floydada) County, one of which shall be at the according to plat of said town Plaintiff also avers that the estate of W. T. Montgomery has title to said Lot by virtue of the ten years statute of

Limitations which he duly pleads. Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Tom W. Deen, Clerk of

the District Court of Floyd County. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this the 5th day of August A.

TOM W. DEEN, Clerk District Court, Floyd County. By Frank L. Moore, Deputy. By Frank L. Moore, Deputy

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THE TEXAS COTTON CROP

(By F. N. Gray, Texas Cotton Crop Specialist.)

month's condition 69.

The i dicated crop for Texas on condition of 67 per cent of a normal, is for a production of 3,088,000 equivalent 500 pound gross weight bales, or an average yield of 137 pounds of lint cotton per acre on an acreage of 10,755,000, estimated planted and standing, in preliminary estimate as of June 25, 1919.

This is a forecast of the condition of the crop as of July 25th and is based on factors of both condition and abandonment of acreage as stated by the Bureau of Crop Estimates in its Tulia, and George R. Tibbetts, of Floreport of August 1st, which is as follows: "The Bureau's estimate of acreage includes the amount standing on which laid one of the greatest ma-June 25th, and therefore does not in- chine gun barrages of the war, ac- of the attack and the co-ordination coclude acreage planted and abandoned before that date. Usually very little E. F. headquarters. H. S. Hilburn, brought him a promotion to Lieutenabandonment occurs after June 25. This year, however, the adverse conditions affecting the crop, particularly excessive rains and boll weevil have caused material abandonment since June 25, the amount has not been estimated in acres, but this factor taken into account on the condition figure The December estimate of acreage picked compared with the preliminary estimate of acreage as of June 25 will show the acreage abandoned since that

The condition by counties and the district summaries contained in this report show diversities ranging from 29 in the southeast district to a condition of 86 in the northwest district. Northwest of a line drawn through Harricc. Rusk, Cherokee, Anderson, Leon, Robertson, Milam, Williamson, Travis, Hays, Comal, Bexar and Medina counties to the southwest, representing according to the Weights or proportion of the crop usually produced in the districts, about three fourths of the crop of the state, the condition by counties is from good to normal and above in the extreme northwest part. In most of this favored part of Texas, while there has been a superabundance of rainfall during the past montr, comparatively a great amount of work has been done in freestimulation of moisture and high temnumber, because of the effects of the the continuous fire. great drought that prevailed in that "The gun used was the Vickers, I got a bottle of your wonderful tonic, to July 25. Great abandonment of their development of the machine gun. Rich-Tone makes more red corpusacreage has taken place in the south, But in its application and in markscels, enriching and purifying the blood stances entire farms have been aband the record for their use in the war. healthful sleep-it gives you all those oned, because of inability to free the fields of grass and weeds and the mul-toric Bois de Rappes, a small wood being. Get a bottle to-day on our tiplication of weevils. In all of this northeast of Romangne, where now money-back guarantee. Sold locally part of the state, weevil infestation 22,000 American dead lie in one of our by—WOODY DRUG COMPANY. under the rank growth of the plant which the moisture and heat has produced, is hard to control and comparatively little fruitage is resulting.

Very little damage has resulted thus far from the common boll worm, which sometimes leaves the corn field where it originates, to go into cotton. Labor is generally scarce and is very high

FORMER OWNER OF ECHOLS TRACT IS BACK IN DESDEMONA

Desdemona, Texas. -A. C. Nash has returned to Desdemona after an absence of eight years and is now conducting a small store on the land which he once owned-land that is now invaluable because of the discovery of oil.

Until eight years ago Nash had been owner of twenty-six acres on which is now located the famous Echols oil well, which for many weeks has been producing 6,000 barrels of oil daily, and the royalty to which is worth more than \$1,500 each day. Nash sold the strip of land and moved to De Leon. The land finally passed into possession of W. M. Echols.

When Nash heard of the big oil strike on the land he once owned, he returned to Desdemona to look for a business opportunity, and finally secured a surface lease to a few acres of the land he had formerly owned, and on which he has erected a smail

When Nash owned the land he induced the county authorities to create a road through the strip of land, and his small store is located on the south side of the road he had created, and rithin two hundred feet of the house which he once lived. Nash salls eries and cold drinks. The fact

becoming ill tempered at the world. Nash is of a charitable disposition, and within his means he is ever ready some 200 pieces of artillery concen- simply scared the German soldiers out to extend a helping hand to strangers trated within two or three miles of of their wits, so that they could not this county, who has been farming Houston, Texas, Aug. 2.—Condition and acquaintances alike. The road on the spot. compared with a normal 67. Last one de of which his store is located,

TEXANS LAID GREATEST MA-

'Betsy," "The Teaser," "Elizabeth," "Wilson's Pride," Typical Names of Guns

"Hum" Patrick and Frank Henderson, of Plainview; E. T. Kunkle, of mont, were members of the machine gun batallions of the 90th Division ocrding to an official report from A. the infantry and machine gunners, of Plainview, commanded one of the ant Colonel. infantry companies which advanced at Bantheville under this protective fire

Concerning this barrage, The Dal-

"The greatest machine gun barrage named his gun 'Wilson's Answer.' of the war was fired by three units of the Ninetieth Division—the 343rd, the 344th and the 345th Machine Gun Battalions-on the morning of November 1, 1918, according to the records in the office of the Ninetieth Division Association in Dallas. On that day 1,500,- Not One Penny Will RICH-TONE Cost 000 rounds of caliber .30 ammunition were expended in the space of three hours on a front about a mile deep. The barrage was fired to support the

ed particularly hard to assault," Mathe Ninetieth Division Association, NY. said yesterday. "All the available arother part of the front, and this barrage was conceived as a result.

200 Guns Used

"Altogether 200 machine guns were a smile on your lips! On each bottle is plainly printed, ing the fields of grass and under the the construction of bomb proof pits "Money cheerfully refunded if not enperatures, the plant has made wonder- struction of 'foolproofs,' to prevent the cal druggist will let you try Rich ful growth and development, over- aim of the guns from being deranged Tone on this money-back guarantee. coming to a large extent its lateness. and the collection of ammunition re-Again, while weevil ravages are noted quired three days. One hundred ex- ter a bad case of 'flu' ". Was in bed in localities over a portion of this tra machine gun barrels were brought four months and under the care of five area, they are comparatively few in up to replace the barrels worn out by doctors ,had nervous prostration and

region for nearly three years past the heavy type in use by the British Rich-Tone, and am now eating three having reduced their number to a mini Army. It was the one made famous times a day and I sure sleep sound. I under certain condtions as the season sines Ridge, in 1917, when this ridge tonic, Rich-Tone. It is worth its weight advances. Southeast of the line above was taken from the Germans through in gold. It has saved me \$50 or \$60 defined, representing approximately the destructive power of the machine as I was going to Mineral Wells, but 25 per cent of the crop of the State, gun barrage. We owe more to the I do not need to go now, thanks to the rains have been almost continuous British than to any other army for Rich-Tone." southeast, east and parts of the cen- manship the Americans excelled. It It contains all of the elements that are ter districts, particularly in the south- was the fortune of the Ninetieth Di- needed most in maintaining tired east and south districts, where in in- vision machine gun organization to set nerves, restores appetite, induces

"The final phase of the Meuse Arand on the other side of which his gonne assault, on November 1 and 2, former home is located, is hourly sa wthe greatest concentration of arthronged with all field traffic from tillery and machine guns, as well as infantry, during the entire war. On the road from Cunel to Romangne, a disance of two miles, guns of every CHINE GUN BARRAGE OF WAR caliber, from three to seven inch were standing almost hub to hub. Concealment was not even attempted, as there were so many targets for the German artillery that it was unnecessary.

Texan Prepared Barrage

"Lieut. Col. Ernest Thompson, of Amarillo, a graduate of the academic and law department of the University of Texas, at that time a Major, had charge of the preparations for this barrage. The overwhelming success

"Major Thompson encouraged his nen to name their guns after their best girls, and 'Betsy,' 'Elizabeth' and las Morning News of August seventh 'Mary Jane' spoke many times to the Germans. One enterprising gunner

"A German officer captured during the attack was very bitter in his com-

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for the gunners to work in, the con- tirely satisfactory," and your own lo-

One user says: "I was run down afcould not sleep and ate very little, can't say enough for your

"The guns were set up in the his- things which mean energy and well-

agined, the noise from the 200 guns | the machine gun, because, as he said, effect.'. was deafening, even above the roar of a rain of a million and a half bullets holes and operate their guns, as they business this week.

ly with Nash has not resulted in his national cemeteries. As can be im- plaints against such extended use of preferred to lie down to escape the

be made to stand up in their little fox near Wolfe City this year, is here on

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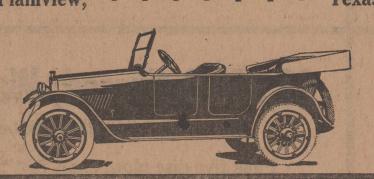
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> Miss Aura Adams was in Floydada Monday with Geo. W. Smith and fami-

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1. Do not allow children to play with matches. Buy only Safety Matches and keep them out of the reach of the children.

2. After using a match, be sure the flame is extinguished before throwing the match away

3. Do not leave matches in clothing that is to be put away, as in a closet, or in a trunk.

4. Do not use matches or open lights in clothes closets.

5. Do not allow bonfires to be built on your own premises. Wooden fences, wooden roofs, etc., are easily ignited by sparks

are no breaks or holes in stovepipes, chimneys, etc., where sparks might escape and start 7. Do not put hot ashes in

6. Be sure at all times there

wooden boxes or wooden barrels, on wooden floors, or in contact with any combustible material. 8. Do not leave dampers in

stovepipes open when you go to bed, or go out of the house. Over heated stoves do start fires.

9. Do not allow curtains, etc., to come near open lights, stoves, hot irons, etc. 10. Do not leave hot irons

standing on anything that will 11. Do not wind electric wires

around nails or any other metal 12. Do not allow incandescent

electric lamps to remain in contact with curtains, towels, or any other inflamable material

inside of your building, nor near an open flame or fire of any

13. Do not clean with gasoline

14. Do not attempt to fill lamps, or gasoline or oil stoves, while they are lighted.

15. Remove all combustible rubbish from unoccupied rooms, and from attics, cellars and

16. Do not hunt for gas leaks with open lights or flames.

17. Do not use fire heat of any kind for melting frizen any kind for melting frozen