

Weekly Club Letter to Boys

W. H. Darrow, County Agent.

Many of you have probably wondered "why all the fuss about my keeping a record of costs on my crop or pig?" The strangeness of the matter is not that you should keep a record, but that you shouldn't. How in the world are you going to know how much money you make or lose on your crop or pig or calf if you don't keep a record? And when you go into farming later in life how will you know whether you are making or losing and where, unless you keep accounts.

You hear a good deal now days about "business farming," which simply means that the farmer tries to know as much about the money expenditures and receipts as the business man must know about his. Many farmers say they can tell you whether or not they have made or lost money any given year, and nearly always they can, but there is not one farmer in a thousand who doesn't keep cost records who can tell how much he made or lost any year. The reason is that the average farmer doesn't take into account such items as the rental of land, interest on investment the cost of his own labor and of that of his horses and mules. The average farmer figures how much cash he paid out last year, how much he took in and the difference between the two is the loss or gain. But perhaps he had 50 hogs on hand a year ago and sold them off during the year. The return from the hogs is counted as a receipt for the year and it swells his income so that he feels that he made a lot of money. But did he? At the beginning of the year he had 50 hogs and at the end he had none, so how ever much he had in cash for the sale of the hogs, the end of the year finds him without any hogs, so he may have made money, or he might have lost money, and in any case the chances are strong that he really doesn't know which. He is merely fooling himself when he swells up with pride and says he "made" so much off his hogs.

I am not saying that farmers don't know whether they gain or lose, but I do say that the average farmer doesn't know very exactly how much he made or lost any year, and certainly can't

tell exactly where he made or lost it. I do not say that this makes him a poor farmer, but he could be a lot better farmer if he knew these things. And I want to drive home to you boys who are to be the nation's farmers in a few years that the world expects you to be better farmers than your fathers are because we live in an age of progress and "what was good enough for daddy isn't good enough for me." If it was farming would be no further advanced in 1950 than it is now.

If you are losing money as a farmer on this crop or that, or one particular kind of stock feeding, the best way to correct it is to first find out where the loss is. To do this you must keep cost records, much as you are now keeping cost records on a single crop or pig or calf. Then you can study over various items of cost and tell definitely whether the loss was due to poor farming, a bad year, poor feeding, unwise use of your own labor or that of your teams, or whether that particular crop or kind of stock simply doesn't pay. In other words you have got to study your farm business to find how to improve it, and when you study it you must use facts and figures and not rely on guesses. If you learn this one lesson from the Club Work it will have paid you well for all the work you have done.

So the cost records I have asked you to keep in connection with raising your pig or crop are not a foolish waste of time. They are designed to show you how much it cost you to raise a bushel of grain or a pound of pork so that next year you will better be able to figure a cheaper way of doing it. It is designed to show you the principal items of expense in raising crops and stock, and it should teach you that your own time and the time of your team is as much an item of cost as the seed you buy. If you can't pay yourself and team wages for working your crop then you had better learn a better way of growing the crop, or hire out to some one who can afford to pay you wages.

So important is the keeping of the record book that the competition rules for the Boy Club Contest at the Coun-

ty Fair make it necessary for you to have your record book complete in order to try for a prize.

Remember the Boys' and Girls' Club Encampment on August 28th and 29th Full particulars will be sent each one of you early next week. If you don't want a good time, don't come to the Encampment.

APPOINTMENT OF CENSUS SUPERVISORS OF TEXAS

Washington, D. C., August 5, 1919.—The Secretary of Commerce, upon the recommendation of the Director of the Census, has made the following appointments of supervisors of census for the State of Texas.

First District—Arland L. Ward, Lamar County.

Second District—Joshua W. Shotwell, Center, Shelby County.

Third District—Robert E. Yantis, Athens, Henderson County.

Fourth District—Henry E. Ellis, Denison, Grayson County.

Fifth District—(To be announced later.)

Sixth District—Mrs. Roy E. Smith, Hillsboro, Hill County.

Seventh District—James H. Painter, Crockett, Houston County.

Eighth District—C. J. Kirk, Houston, Harris County.

Ninth District—Emil J. Pesek, Moulton, 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. Hornby, Uvalde, Uvalde County.

Sixteenth District—Jesse T. Couch, San Angelo, Tom Green County.

Seventeenth District—Albert W. Sledge, Ballinger, Runnels County.

Eighteenth District—Jas. A. Hilburn, Shamrock, Wheeler County.

The 18th District is composed of the following counties:

Armstrong, Bailey, Borden, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Cochran, Collingsworth, Cottle, Crosby, Dallam, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Dickens, Donley, Fisher, Floyd, Foard, Gaines, Garza, Gray, Hale, Hall, Hansford, Hardeman, Hartley, Haskell, Hemphill, Hockley, Hutchison, Kent, King, Knox, Lamb, Lipscomb, Lubbock, Lynn, Moore, Motley, Ochiltree, Oldham, Farmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Scurry, Sherman, Stonewall, Swisher, Ter-

ry, Wheeler, and Yoakum (53 counties). Population (1910) 203,679.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

To the Worthy Matron, officers and members of Floyd City Chapter, No. 31, O. E. S.:

We, your committee, appointed to draft resolutions upon the death of sister Fannie A. Golden beg to submit the following:

In as much as our Supreme Grand Master, in His wisdom has seen proper to remove from our midst the spirit of our beloved sister Fannie A. Golden and transplant it to that Celestial Shrine from whose bourne no traveler returns.

Be it therefore resolved: That we must humbly and reverently bow and submit to the will of our Supreme Grand Master realizing that in all things His wisdom is unbounded and our salvation.

Be it resolved second: That in the death of sister Golden this chapter has lost one of its faithful and zealous members, the family a devoted loving sister and daughter.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Chapter, a copy furnished the family of the deceased and a copy furnished the local press for publication.

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

—Committee.

ESTRAY NOTICE

Taken 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 July, A. D. 1919 at \$30.

Unless animal is claimed and proven same will be sold as an estray under the laws of the State of Texas. (Seal) TOM W. DEEN, County Clerk Floyd County, Texas, 22-3tc.

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

THE MOVIE CAFE

- Place for good eats. Regular dinners every day.
- Special Sunday dinners. Short orders day and night.
- Drop in when in town. Plenty of fresh ice water free for the asking.
- Nice Rooms in Connection.

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**Low Interest Rate
Long Term Loan
Quick Service**

—On that Farm Loan you are needing to make improvements or take up indebtedness.

—For the man to whom these features appeal we extend a cordial invitation to become a member of this association and enjoy the benefits to be derived from it, under Federal supervision. See any member or officer of.

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LOAN ASSOCIATION**

JAS. K. GREEN, Secretary

**BOOTHE & FERGUSON
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REMOVAL SALE!

Of STOVES, SHELF HARDWARE, AMMUNITION, QUEENSWARE, GRANITEWARE, TINWARE, ETC.

We have leased the two 25-foot buildings

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

We will specialize in our new location, on Harvesting Machinery, Twine, Wagons, Heavy Implements, Tractors and Trucks, and will feature a Repair Service for all classes of Machinery we Carry. This means we will need all the room we can get, even after doubling our floor space and increasing largely our yard space. We are, therefore,

**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 Tremendous Sacrifice of Profit

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 Be
FOR CASH ONLY**

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.

Auction Sale of These Goods will be Held Saturday Afternoon, August 16, beginning promptly at 2:00 p.m.

O. P. RUTLEDGE, FLOYDADA, TEXAS

"STORE OF SERVICE" Permanently Located after Aug. 15th First and Second Door North of First State Bank

NEWS OF LOCKNEY

From the Beacon:

The Lockney Public School will open September 8th. The following teachers have been employed:

A. L. Foster, Superintendent, Mathematics; J. K. Greer, Principal, History; Miss Ruth Evans, Science; Miss Thelma McLean, Latin; Miss Dana Lancaster, seventh grade; Miss Annie Embry, sixth grade; to be elected, fifth grade; Miss Lena Burns, fourth grade; Miss Trowbridge, third grade; Miss Martha Brotherton, second grade; Miss Ethel Wells, first grade; Miss Debora Pope, music; Miss Gladys Brown, expression.

Austin P. Ford of Fort Worth is here this week visiting his parents, Uncle Frank Ford and wife. This is his first visit here in seven years and he finds a great many changes in this length of time. Austin, as he is familiarly 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 have the pleasure of again having him come to see them.

Jack Norris who farms in the Providence community, threshed his wheat this week, and reports the largest yield to the acre that has yet been reported to this office. On the acre of wheat he measured he got 52 bushels. This report was made before the entire crop of 180 acres was threshed, but the estimate is conservative, and he will not miss an average of 50 bushels to the acre very far. Mr. Norris is reported to have the best wheat in the county, and those that have seen it have predicted an astonishingly large yield.

County Commissioner Chas. Trowbridge was in the city Tuesday on business. The Commissioners' Court has received two new motors for their tractors used in road work, and the machines will be put in first class shape at an early date and ready for road work.

C. J. Busby received a telegram Monday from the Red Cross at New York stating that his son, Frank, had landed there safe and sound and expects to be home within a few days.

SEARCHING THE STATUTES

A judge in Chicago boosted the price of a kiss from \$10 to \$25 last 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 that the Chicago price was enforced while the one at Wichita Falls was voluntary.

It is not the purpose here to consider the question of the intrinsic value of a kiss. The subject has too many ramifications. It is the unsportsmanlike conduct of the Wichita Falls kisser that deserves attention.

When the pretty girl—she was pretty, for who would pay good money to 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 another kiss.

The astonishing thing in the affair, was that the law officers of Wichita Falls were "searching the statutes." Why search the statutes? 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 be 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, being Mr. Ivey in round numbers \$1,500 a head, including five great herd bulls, a bunch of line-bred cows, the pecks of anything in the United States, and

calves from famous matings. Mr. Ivey would not sell his Big Spring section and other holdings on the creek but leased the 1,280 acre ranch to Jones & Dameron for a period of three years and ten months. A four-section ranch in Castro county was accepted by Mr. Ivey as part consideration in the trade. It is understood that Mr. Ivey will keep this Castro county ranch stocked, but will devote his major interest to his big ranch near Plains, Texas, for the time being.

Rat Jowell and other posted registered breeders state that in all probability this deal involved the highest price ever paid for a complete herd of registered cattle of any breed. Of course, special sales of picked stuff have gone to higher figures in the past, but it is believed that never before has an entire herd of this size and quality sold on the farm as a whole for this average price.—Hereford B-and.

AMERICA NEEDS THE MONEY

America needs money to finance prosperity.

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

"Imperative demands for more credit are in sight. An enormous crop is to be financed and our export trade must be financed if it is to go on. A heavy fall trade is in prospect and the price level is rising."

All of these demands for credit mean that the country must have capital upon which to extend this credit. Unless actual cash capital is forthcoming, credits must be limited to preserve the country's financial stability.

The country must produce more than it consumes, must earn more than it spends. Savings, in some form or other must be ready for investment if the wheels of commerce and industry are to be kept turning at prosperous speed.

This is of vital import to the south which depends so largely on cotton.

The Bankers of the country are looking toward the Thrift Movement for aid. Investment in War Savings Stamps and Registered Treasury Savings Certificates means money loaned to the Government to help finance the cotton crop and the export trade incident thereto.

Every man and woman residing in the Eleventh Federal District should bear this situation in mind and invest as much as possible in these guaranteed government securities.

MIXED HISTORY

Dallas, Texas, August 7.—Patriotism and Bible history were somewhat mixed in the mind of a youngster who attends a local Sunday School. The members of his class were asked to write the story of Ananias in their own words. Here was his version:

"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 the money in War Savings Stamps

and keep the rest ourselves.' His wife said alright and they did. When Ananias gave the \$500 to the man, the man said, 'This is not all.' Ananias said, 'Yes it is,' and immediately dropped down dead, and his wife also."

CHARTER ASKED FOR \$50,000 BANK AT PLAINVIEW

Application has been made to the State for a charter for the Guaranty State Bank of Plainview, Texas, with a capital stock of \$50,000. It is understood that the new institution is to have a strong representation of local citizens. Among others who will be interested in it are E. E. Winn and P. B. Barker. Rube S. Beard, cashier of the Littlefield State Bank, and John B. Pope, Jr., of Fort Worth, will be stockholders.

The corner lots on Broadway, across 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 in the State Board of Health. This Engineer will devote the greater part 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 designing 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 expenses. The extension of this field work will not affect the work that the Bu-

reau of Sanitary Engineering has been doing for the cities of the State, but will make it possible for the Bureau to give service to the many small towns that can not send out of the State for expert advice and that heretofore have been unable to have such sanitary service.

This Field Engineer will be at the disposal of the people after September 1st, 1919.

Mrs. T. P. Guimran returned Saturday from Young County and Dallas where she had been visiting some three weeks.

ARTHUR B. DUNCAN

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Floydada, Texas

Buys, sells and leases Real Estate on commission; Renders and pays taxes for non-resident land owners; Investigates and perfects titles; Furnishes abstracts of title from records;

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Have had 25 years experience with Floyd County Lands and land titles. List your land and town lots with me if for sale or lease; and give me your abstract of title work. Office South East Corner of Square.

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FLOYDADA, TEXAS

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1919 Models

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The American Tobacco Co.

It's toasted

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Effective September 1st, the subscription price of THE HESPERIAN for both new and renewal subscriptions will be as follows:

ONE YEAR \$1.50
SIX MONTHS85
THREE MONTHS45

Increased production costs make a greater revenue from subscription sources imperative.

UNTIL SEPTEMBER 1st subscriptions will be accepted at the old rate, but subscription will be \$1.50 in advance invariably from that date.

Hesperian Publishing Co., Pubs.

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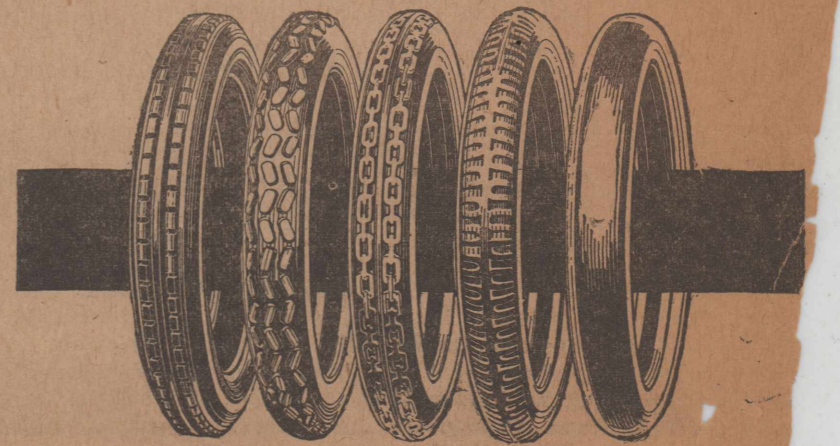
The 'Nobby' is just the tire for our roads. No better non-skid built.

It puts confidence into your driving—makes you sure of safety.

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For the 'Nobby' is a United States Tire, and—United States Tires Are Good Tires.

'Royal Cord' 'Nobby' 'Chain' 'Usco' 'Plain'



We know United States Tires are good tires; that's why we sell them.

Brown Bros., Floydada; Crowells Cash Gro., Flomont
Williams & Jones, Aiken; Thompsons Garage Lorenzo

CITATION ON APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY GUARDIAN

No. 251
 THE STATE OF TEXAS,
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County—Greeting:
 You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Floyd State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of 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 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 next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in October A. D. 1919, the same being the 20th day of October A. D. 1919, at the Court House thereof, in Floydada, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minors may appear and contest such appointment, if they see proper to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
 Witness Tom W. Deen Clerk of the County Court of Floyd County.
 Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this 1st day of August, A. D. 1919.
 (Seal) TOM W. DEEN,
 Clerk County Court, Floyd County, Texas. 22-3tc

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 County, Texas, said bonds to be for 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 law.

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. H. Roland, Manager.
- Voting Precinct No. 3, Allmon, C. C. Krause, Manager.
- Voting Precinct No. 4, Sandhill, W. C. Hanna, Manager.
- Voting Precinct No. 5, Lockney, Wm. McGehee, Manager.
- Voting Precinct No. 7, Providence, G. C. Hartman, Manager.
- Voting Precinct No. 8, Lone Star, C. Applewhite, Manager.
- Voting Precinct No. 9, Sunset, Chas. A. Wilson, Manager.
- Voting Precinct No. 10, Fairmont, Geo. J. Tibbitts, 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. Farmer, Manager.
- Voting Precinct No. 14, Antelope, Will Graham, Manager.
- Voting Precinct No. 15, Lakeview, I. D. Hopper, Manager.

The place of voting in each voting precinct shall be at the respective School Houses thereof, with the exception 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 property tax payers of said County, shall be allowed to vote and all voters desiring to support the proposition to 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."

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the Laws of the State governing general elections.

A copy of this order signed by the County Judge of Floyd County, shall serve as proper notice of said Election, and the County Judge is directed to cause said notice to be published in a newspaper published in said County for four successive weeks, and in addition thereto to have notice thereof posted at three public places in the County, one of which shall be at the Court House Door, for three weeks prior to said election.

J. W. HOWARD,
 County Judge of Floyd County, Texas. 21-4tc.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

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

Oath having been made as required by law.

You are hereby commanded to summon J. T. Byars and T. J. Byars and if said parties or either of them is dead, then the heirs of the said J. T. Byars and T. J. Byars by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 64th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 64th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Floyd County, to be

holden at the Court House thereof, in Floydada, Texas, on the 4th Monday in September A. D. 1919 the same being the 22nd day of September A. D. 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 Administrator of the Estate of W. T. Montgomery deceased is plaintiff, and J. T. Byars and T. J. Byars if living, and if dead, then the heirs of J. T. Byars and T. J. Byars whose names and residence are unknown to plaintiff are defendants, and said petition alleging as a cause of action as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff sues in trespass to try title of Lot 14, Block 93, situated in Floyd County, Texas and in Floyd City, (Floydada) 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 5th day of August A. D. 1919.

(Seal) TOM W. DEEN,
 Clerk District Court, Floyd County.
 By Frank L. Moore, Deputy.
 22-4tc. By Frank L. Moore, Deputy

CORNELIUS SCHOOL STARTS MONDAY

The R. H. Cornelius Musical Normal School will start Monday morning next, and on Sunday afternoon previous a general singing to which all are cordially invited will be held at the Baptist church.

Prof. Cornelius closes a school at Lockney this week.

Now is a Good Time to Buy Your Coal!!

The mines keep warning us that late fall and winter coal deliveries are going to be uncertain, and that people who do not now lay in their supply may find themselves short of coal this winter.

While deliveries may not be so difficult as we are told, we are inclined to believe that they will, and advise our customers that now is a good time to insure yourselves against this winter's shortage.

You'll get some better prices by buying, too, which is an advantage.

At present we have a good supply. Why not haul your coal out as you haul your grain to town?

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For men who don't smoke pipes and kiddies who don't believe in Santa Claus—we hereby pass resolutions of sympathy.

Velvet Joe

There's Taste to It!

It's easy to find a mild tobacco that's tasteless. There are full bodied tobaccos that are strong. But there's one that's cool as a cucumber and lively as a cricket. And it's friendly. That's Velvet. Have some?

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

Roll a cigarette with Velvet and know how a cigarette ought to taste.

—the friendly tobacco

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Actual Size

