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## DISTRICT TRUSTEES MEET WITH THE COUNTY BOARD

More than thirty of the common school district trustees of Floyd County met with the county board in an all-day session Monday of this week at the regular session of the board, when a special program was arranged for the discussion of the condition of the schools of the county, the teaching of high school subjects, location of high schools, classification of the schools of the county and other matters relating to school work. Every subject assigned was discussed with enthusiasm. Each discussion was followed by round table discussion.

As a result of the meeting the trustees of the schools of the county will co-operate with the board in an effort to more closely affiliate every school, systemizing the courses of study and more closely affiliating the rural schools with the high schools. This was embodied in a motion by R. E. L. Muncy, seconded by L. B. Maxey, the motion also carrying a clause covering the appointment of a committee to go into the matter of adopting a method of gradation and affiliation for the county. This committee is composed of F. E. Savage, Superintendent of Floydada Schools; R. A. Collins, Superintendent of Lockney Schools; and Price Scott, Principal of the Meteor School.

The meeting was thoroughly enjoyed as a social affair as well as a school meeting.

The effects of the co-operative effort to be made by the schools, following this meeting are expected to be of great value to the schools of the county.

## NEW GROCERY

G. R. Griggs and C. W. Boothe are opening a grocery in the Griggs building on South Main Street, formerly occupied by the Seale Grocery Co.

Mrs. F. M. Christy, of Quitman, is visiting here with the families of A. L. Bishop and Mrs. S. D. Bishop, having arrived Tuesday afternoon. She is the sister of Mr. Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Carter and little sons, H. R. Albert and Herron, of Moran, Shackelford county, and Miss Ethel Herron of Albany are the guests of Mr. Carter's father, R. Carter and family.

## 47 FORMER JOHNSON COUNTY PEOPLE HAVE PARTY

A very jolly party of Johnson County and former Johnson County people, totalling forty-seven persons, enjoyed the day at the E. J. Loe home south-east of Floydada Sunday.

Among the guests present were: L. S. Loe and family and Mrs. Frank Thornton and two children, of Burleson, Texas, T. L. Brown and wife, also of Burleson, who are visiting D. L. Widener and family of the same community, D. L. Widener and family, Brencé Breed and wife and Mrs. Jos. Breed, Fayette Murphey and wife, and W. A. Huckabee and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy were present only a part of the day being called about mid-day by a telegram which contained the information that a daughter living at Dallas was seriously ill.

## McCOY NEWS

August 6th.—Mr. and Mrs. Hulsey received a message Sunday afternoon from Childress, Texas, that their daughter was very low. Mrs. Hulsey will leave Tuesday morning for Childress.

Several young people of Carr's Chapel attended Union Sunday School Sunday afternoon. We hope they will come and be with us again.

Miss Zoë Smith entertained the young folks with a birthday dinner Sunday at 6 o'clock. Ice cream was served at seven o'clock. Everybody certainly enjoyed themselves. Those present were: Misses Mae McSpaddin, Vester Reynolds, Jewell Rowland, Winnie Jackson, Holly Elliott, Ruby Norton, Gena Coldwell, Nellie Willmon and Messrs. Willie Hulsey, Edd Davis, Lee McSpaddin, Sterit Dodson, Claud Payne, Billie Jackson, Bill Mays, Earl Sawyer, Lewis Coldwell and John Pharr.

Edd Cox attended services at Petersburg Sunday morning.

Richard Rippy, of Cone, visited his parents of this community Sunday.

W. J. Berry and family are riding around in their new Maxwell now.

Mr. Raby Manning and wife called on S. E. Lowrance and family Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Wallace Davenport, of Plainview, is visiting here this week, the guest of Mrs. J. D. Price.

THE RED CROSS is this week asking for means to be able, when your boy and my boy lies wounded on the field of carnage, where you sent him and I sent him to contend for his principles and our principles—lying there to die if aid does not come—

it is asking for means to reach them and bind up their wounds, soothe their raging agony, and bring them back, maimed perhaps, but bring them back alive to us and their mothers. Was there ever work more holy? One might refuse to subscribe money to carry on the war because one might think it ought not to have commenced or ought not to be continued. One might refuse to fight for his country because one might oppose the shedding of even an enemy's blood or feel that his family should not be deprived of his support. But he who would permit the love of money or the black spirit of

greed to stay his hand when he is called on to do a human's part in softening the agonies and preserving the life of a human who has responded to his duty to his country merits an isolation far from the pale of men.—W. G. Sterrett, in The Dallas Morning News.

## ANOTHER CALL REQUIRED TO GET COUNTY'S QUOTA

Thirty-five men were certified last night by the Floyd County Exemption Board to the District Board at Fort Worth as called for military service and not exempted or discharged, nor having filed claims for exemption or discharge. This represents about the net results of the three days' labor of the board this week, though the list will be enlarged by the number whose claims for discharge or exemption are denied, and will be reduced by the number in the list certified who will file claim on agricultural or industrial grounds and whose claims are allowed by the district board. About one-third the number certified last night, it is estimated, will file claim for agricultural or industrial exemption.

Following is the record of the disposal of the 186 men in the first draft:	
Transferred to other boards.....	12
Discharged on physical examination.....	32
Military exemptions.....	1
Passed examination and filed no claims.....	35
Claims filed for exemption or discharge, not physically deficient.....	100
Not reporting for examination.....	5
Felons discharged.....	1
Total.....	186

The board also handled the cases of four persons transferred to this county, two of whom claimed discharge and two of whom filed no claims and are to be certified today to the adjutant general for military service.

A careful estimate on the basis of the first three days' results of the examinations, makes it very probable that the board will have to call as high as the 480th or 485th man in order to fill Floyd County's quota. The board did not indicate this morning when this call would be made but it will be made at an early date.

The board members, Chairman Jim Downs, of Lockney, Secretary N. W. McCleskey and Dr. Andrews, began sessions last night considering the claims for exemption or discharge. The board in each case is required to render a decision within three days of presenting by the claimant of proofs of claims, though this decision can be revoked at any time by them, at their discretion.

Following is the list certified to the district board:

- 1—Hugh Murphey Fisher, Floydada
- 2—James Artie LeMay, Floydada.
- 13—William Edward Muncy, Lockney
- 24—Geo. R. Tibbetts, Flomot.
- 30—Charlie Judson White, Lockney.
- 34—William Nelson Anderson, Floydada.
- 43—Harvey Lee Cota Pace, Lockney.
- 47—George C. Dooley, Floydada.
- 51—W. C. Boren, Floydada.

- 52—Grover Newton Standlee, Floydada.
- 54—Walter George Talley, Lockney.
- 60—Benjamin Franklin Mudgett, Lockney.
- 65—Lloyd Rippy, Floydada.
- 66—Esker Verdo Harris, Lockney.
- 67—Stanton Greer Sims, Lockney.
- 77—Truman Alvia Myers, Lockney.
- 78—William Oliver McGown, Floydada.
- 87—Arthur James Beedy, Floydada.
- 93—Charlie Arthur Myers, Flomot.
- 96—Claus Herman Schacht, Lockney.
- 113—Virgil Hewett Boteler, Floydada.
- 118—Richard Orval Thompson, Lockney.
- 133—Jay Vincent Daniel, Floydada.
- 135—Harry Reginald Stanley, Floydada.
- 147—Armand Raphael Cardinal, Floydada.
- 153—Welborn Jackson Griffith, Lockney.
- 156—Robert Lee Hinkson, Floydada.
- 158—Joseph Andrew Zimmerman, Lockney.
- 159—Henry Fred Ratjen, Lockney.
- 161—Guy Jackson Shaffer, Floydada.
- 165—Alley Germany, Mickey.
- 169—Garrett Harvey Graham, Floydada.
- 176—Otto Corley, Lockney.
- 179—William Christian Ratjen, Lockney.
- 185—Roscoe D. Moreland, Lockney.

The following named, transferred to this jurisdiction from another, will be certified today to the adjutant general: Whitaker, Howard Earl, Serial No. 187, from Hereford, Deaf Smith Co. Conner, L. G., Serial No. 31, from Dimmitt, Castro County.

M. B. Smithermon, of Rhome, Texas has bought 320 acres of land north of Floydada from W. J. Myers, and will move here about September first. The deal was handled by Ratliff & Johnson, city.

T. L. Brown and wife, of Burleson, Johnson County, have been visiting the D. L. Widener family southeast of Floydada this week.

L. T. Bishop, Roy Snodgrass, Wade Roberts, Mrs. T. B. Triplett and little daughter, Mrs. E. C. Henry and son, Kenneth, and daughters, Bernice and Marie, of this city, who in company with Mrs. W. H. Roberts and daughters, Misses Nettie and Ruth, of Memphis, spent several weeks on a tour of Colorado and northeastern New Mexico, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Boothe, of Elida, New Mexico, are visiting here with their sons, C. W. and J. F. Boothe and families.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Mitchell have moved to Matador to make their home.

## DELEGATES AT FORT WORTH—CLOVIS HIGHWAY MEETING

A delegation of Floydada good roads enthusiasts, consisting of W. R. Cope, and Dr. J. H. Masie, left Wednesday morning for Seymour to attend a meeting of persons representing towns on the proposed route of the highway which will extend from Fort Worth to Clovis.

The meeting is expected to be largely attended, as the route suggested can be made a big factor in the automobile travel of the state.

The delegates are in meeting today. They expect to return home tomorrow or Saturday.

E. C. Nelson, Jr., left Wednesday morning for Amarillo where he will apply for a place in some arm of the service of the United States Army.

Mrs. J. C. Finger and daughter, Miss Cordia, who have been visiting in different parts of New Mexico, returned home this week in company with her daughter, Mrs. Gordon Templeton, who will visit here for a time.

Mrs. W. E. Buckley and daughter, Miss Grace, are visiting here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Benton. They arrived Saturday afternoon.

Rev. C. A. Joiner, of Fairview, was in Floydada, Monday transacting business.

## FIRST PASSENGER TRAIN ENTERS BROWNFIELD

Brownfield, Texas, August 3.—The entrance of the first passenger train into Brownfield today was cheered by 5,000 people, who had come from miles around to celebrate the event and attend the annual barbecue.

The event was of double importance inasmuch as it followed close upon the drouth breaking rains which fell throughout this section and brought joy to the hearts of ranchers and townspeople alike.

T. H. Sears, general superintendent, of Amarillo, and other Santa Fe officials, "escorted" the train into the city.

## REVIVAL MEETING AT TABERNACLE THIS WEEK

Evangelists C. E. Hunt and Henry Hagemeyer, are conducting a revival meeting at the tabernacle this week.

Evangelist C. E. Hunt has had more than fifteen years experience in evangelistic work and more than two thousand people have been won to a Christian life through his ministry.

Henry Hagemeyer has a state-wide reputation as a proficient leader of song service. Everybody in Floydada and the surrounding country is invited to attend these meetings.

Services every day at 10 o'clock and every night at 8:30.

J. M. Rogers, local cashier of the Santa Fe and family left last Saturday morning for Titton, Oklahoma, having gotten word that his mother was very ill. Boone Hall formerly warehouse man is succeeding Mr. Rogers as cashier, and Roy McDaniel is taking Mr. Hall's position as warehouse man. Mr. Rogers has received word from the Superintendent of a better position waiting him upon his return home.

J. R. Brewer and family, of Electra, are spending several days here on a visit with friends while Mr. Brewer is giving business matters his attention.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Henry returned Sunday from the northwest country, where they went some two weeks on a honeymoon trip. They visited Denver, Colorado, and Cheyenne, Wyoming, while away.

T. R. Wilson, of Lexington, Oklahoma, who has been in New Mexico with a seriously ill sister, is spending this week here as the guest of R. A. Burrows, his former neighbor.

J. J. Jones, one of the assistant cashiers of the Wolfe City National Bank, has been visiting the family of R. Carter and other friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. English and little daughter Jaunita of Albany, Shackelford County are visiting the family of R. Carter.

Mrs. T. M. Bartley and two children, of Waco, Texas, have been visiting here the guests of Mrs. Bartley's father, Judge F. P. Henry, and wife.

Banks or through other banks or agencies it is important that these and succeeding installments be paid promptly.

**Maitland Coal**  
Cake, Meal and Hulls  
FOR SALE BY  
**A. V. Haynes Gin**

DON'T CARRY AROUND A GREAT AMOUNT OF CURRENCY. IF YOU DO YOU ARE BESET BY TWO

Great evils. One is the temptation to spend readily. A man with \$100 in currency in his pocket is freer to spend than the man with little currency. He is more apt to break a ten dollar bill than he is to draw a ten dollar check.

The other evil is the bait offered to thieves. A man who is known to carry a large sum of money in his possession never can tell when he will be set upon by a highwayman. The wealthiest men in the country seldom carry large amounts of cash. When you accumulate a goodly amount of currency deposit it in the bank at once.

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FLOYDADA, TEXAS



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Will care for themselves. The most difficult part in starting an account is the beginning. Save the cents in youth—Reap dollars in old age. This is the story of the person who begins early to accumulate. Start an account today.

**First State Bank**  
FLOYDADA, TEXAS

# TO THE PEOPLE OF TEXAS

The railroads of Texas were built and are maintained and operated for your benefit. They are necessary for your welfare and happiness, else they would not have been authorized or constructed.

Legally, it is the duty of the railroads to furnish you with reasonably adequate and expeditious transportation service.

You are required to pay, in the way of freight and passenger rates and fares, enough to pay all of the necessary expenses of operating and maintaining the railroads and in addition thereto, enough to yield to the owners a reasonably fair return upon the value of the property devoted to your use and benefit.

The amount that you are required to pay is controlled by your public officials, acting under oath, and appointed by your President or elected by you. The amount that these public officials require you to pay is determined mainly by what it costs to operate the railroads. As you will see further on, neither the Interstate Commerce Commission or the Texas Railroad Commission have authorized the charging of more than is necessary.

The records of the railroads are kept in accordance with rules and regulations prescribed by the Interstate Commerce Commission. Those rules require the operating expenses of the railroads to be kept separate from all other expenses.

Each month there is given out from Austin for publication a statement of the gross revenues of the railroads and their operating expenses. These statements are correct as far as they go, but they

do not tell all the truth, for the reason that they do not show the other expenses of the railroads, such as taxes, etc. These other expenses, taxes, hire and rent of equipment, rents of joint facilities, rents accrued for lease of roads and miscellaneous rents will, for the year ending June 30, 1917, amount to above seventeen million five hundred thousand dollars. Taxes alone will amount to over five million dollars. These expenses are just as legitimate and necessary as the expense of running the trains.

When these other necessary expenses are deducted, it will be seen that the railroads of Texas have earned during the year ending June 30 not over 6 per cent upon the value of their properties that are used exclusively for transportation purposes for your benefit.

For the eight preceding years the railroads of Texas had been operated at a net loss of over twenty million dollars.

While other legitimate business is paying dividends of from ten to fifty per cent per annum, surely no just man will object to the railroads occasionally earning such a small return on the value of their property. Surely they ought to be permitted to earn 6 per cent once in nine years without being complained at, or abused.

Out of the aforesaid return, the railroads must pay the interest on their bonds and other indebtedness and make betterments, etc.

Unfortunately, the inability of the railroads to earn anything like adequate returns makes rail-

road investments very unattractive and accounts for the almost complete cessation of railroad construction.

More and better railroads are needed, but until the business and earnings of the railroads improve so as to favorably compare with other business, men with money will not invest in railroads, there being so many other avenues of investment where the returns are much larger and much more certain. Whenever the operation of railroads becomes reasonably profitable, money will be readily obtainable for building additional lines.

An analysis and understanding of the conditions of the railroads, physical and financial, will convince any fair-minded man that they cannot stand a reduction in either their freight or passenger rates, and give to the people anything like adequate service. If passenger rates were reduced, freight rates would necessarily have to be increased. Everyone who buys anything, shipped by rail, has to contribute to pay freight rates. Only those who travel extensively would want passenger rates reduced and freight rates increased. These few are more able to pay the present reasonable passenger fares, than the masses of the people to pay greater freight rates.

To you who pay the expenses and are entitled to know the facts, this simple statement of the condition of these public service utilities is submitted and we most respectfully and earnestly ask your fair and intelligent consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

Austin, Texas General Managers Texas Railroads

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Carter and little sons, Albert and Herron, of Moran, Shackelford county, and Miss Albany of that county are the guests of the family of Mr. Carter's father, R. Carter.

Tom Terry, son of J. R. Terry, has accepted a place with the Price-Goen Dry Goods Company, as bookkeeper.

Johnnie Cooper, Phil Scott, and Ed Bourland are among the Motley County men who have been called for examination under the first draft quota.

L. S. Loe and family, of Burleson, Johnson County, are visiting here with Mr. Loe's father E. J. Loe and family.

Hesperian Ads. Pay.

#### G. T. MASSIE TO BURNETT

G. T. Massie left Saturday for Burnett, Texas, where he takes a place in a mercantile company as bookkeeper, and will make that place his home.

M. A. Crum returned last Saturday from Kansas where he had been for several months.

#### McCOY NEWS

McCoy, July 31.—J. H. Watson, of Dimmitt, came down on business this week. He was accompanied by his daughter, Edith.

Misses Edith Watson and Vivian Manning visited the home of J. E. Hammitt Tuesday. Miss Edith will leave for her home at Dimmitt, Wednesday.

Miss Vester Reynolds has just returned home from an extended visit in east Texas.

Mr. Reynolds is very sick at this time with the rheumatism. We hope to see him improving.

Mr. Pharr conducted the prayer service Sunday night.

Miss Mae McSpaddin and Edd Davis were guests at the home of Mr. Clardy Sunday evening.

Lee Hammitt of Dickens visited his parents Monday.

Rev. Griggs and daughter left here Saturday for their home in Johnson County.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley called on G. F. Shipman and wife Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Griffith entertained the young folks with a party Monday night.

Miss Lucy E. Graham and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Burke, of Portsmouth, Ohio were visitors in Floydada last Friday. They were here looking after their real estate interests in company with J. B. Downs, of Lockney. Their land lies north of this place. Miss Graham, who has visited this county before is said to have been greatly impressed with the development of Floydada and Floyd County since her last visit.

#### WHERE WHETSTONES GROW

One of the many curiosities of Ute Canyon is Whet-stone Hill, which is on the state line of Oklahoma and Colorado. The hill is on the right-hand bank of the Ute, just above where Wild Cat Canyon empties her limpid waters into the Ute valley. The hill towers about three hundred feet above the valley, covering probably forty acres, and is laid with tier upon tier of as fine whetstone rock as can be found anywhere. A railroad and capital is all that is needed to develop this industry.—Ute Valley correspondent in Campo (Colo.) Enterprise.

Miss Bessie Edwards, of near Lockney, visited with her uncle, H. E. Edwards and family here last week.

### AUTO MAIL LINE

FLOYDADA—ROARING SPRINGS DAILY

#### OFFICIAL SCHEDULE:

Leave Floydada	8 a. m.	Leave Roaring Springs	1:30 p. m.
Arrive Roaring Springs	11:30 a. m.	Arrive Floydada	6 p. m.

RATES: \$3.00 EACH WAY

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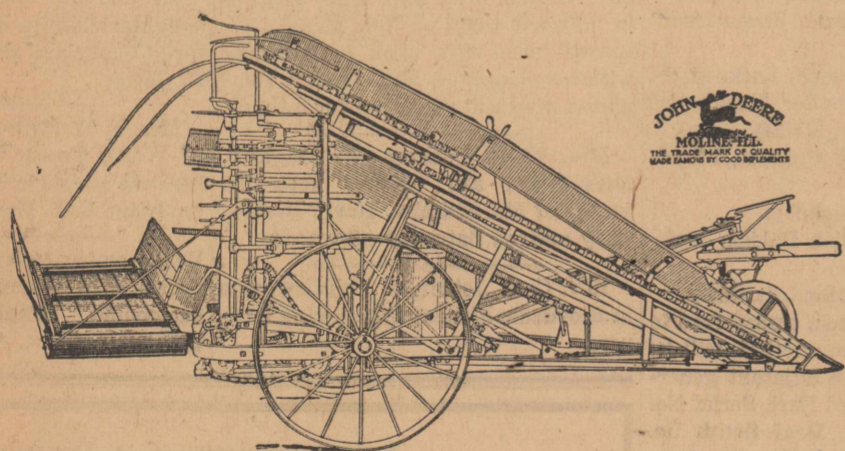
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Accurate Knotter, with all wearing parts specially hardened, guarantees sure, positive tying.

Eighteen roller and ball bearings to reduce friction and lighten draft.

Quick turn tongue truck counteracts side draft, allows the operator to guide and control the machine easily under practically all field conditions. Short quick turns run down very little corn. There is no neck

weight. In turning corners horses do not have to push or drag the machine around, but instead pull it by the tugs in the proper way.

Hot Riveted Frame designed and constructed to form practically a one piece solid steel frame. The continuous outside sill, the long center sill and the three cross sills are wide steel bars rigidly connected, make a rigid foundation for the cutting device. The entire frame is put together with the idea of insuring permanence and durability.

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Clean Cutting—the wide stationary knives are shaped and placed to cut off a large percentage of the corn before reaching the sickle.

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PLAINVIEW NEWS

From the News:

Santa Fe Enlarging Yard

The Santa Fe railroad has a force of workmen enlarging the trackage in the Plainview yards, laying almost

a mile of additional track. The Lake Plainview park fence has been moved back about twenty feet and two tracks from about in front of the Texas Utilities Company plant to the stock yards will be laid.

The Floydada trains will come in

over one of these tracks, and discharge its passengers and baggage on a platform across from the depot.

Young Man Killed

Andy Taylor, age 19 years, was fatally crushed by being run over by a grain separator, pulled by a tractor, one mile north of Kress Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock, and died four hours later. He was with a gang of workmen, and they were engaged in moving the separator, his foot caught in the wheel and he slipped and fell under the machine, which ran across his back, crushing him internally.

The Hale county exemption board, composed of Fred Pearce, E. Graham and Dr. J. P. Lattimore, assisted by J. E. Watson, as stenographer, are at work in the commissioners' court room going over the master list as sent out by the federal government, and making a list of the Hale county registrants, as per the drawing and as soon as the proper blanks are received, each of the first eighty-two as per the published list, for the first call, will be duly notified to come in and be examined for service. The blanks were missed, and more had to be wired for. They are expected in this afternoon, and the board expects the boys to report as follows—twenty-eight on Monday, twenty-seven on Tuesday and twenty-seven on Wednesday.

Goes to France

Miss Amy Faulkner, niece of L. M. Faulkner of this city, and who taught a class in music here for several years prior to 1912, and is quite well remembered by our people, has been sent with the first unit of Red Cross nurse to the battle lines in France.

After leaving here she entered John Hopkins University hospital in Baltimore for instruction as a trained nurse. Her proficiency has been so marked that she is a member of the first unit.

A Touch of War.

Those who were at the depot at the trains this morning saw a touch of the war, when an old lady from the country, whose son was leaving to join the army, gave way to her feelings and moaned and cried aloud as she clung to his neck and kissed him good bye—maybe for the last time. In her anxiety she clung to him for a long time. It was indeed pitiful to hear her heart rending moans.

Re-appointed Postmaster

Ben O. Sanford has been re-appointed postmaster for another term of four years in Plainview, his term having expired last month.

TYPHOID is no more necessary than Smallpox. Army experience has demonstrated the almost miraculous efficacy and harmlessness of Antityphoid Vaccination. Be vaccinated NOW by your physician, you and your family. It is more vital than house insurance. Ask your physician, druggist, or send for "Have you had Typhoid?" telling of Typhoid Vaccine, results from us, and danger from Typhoid Carriers. THE CUTLER LABORATORY, BERKELEY, CAL. PRODUCING VACCINES & SERUMS UNDER U. S. GOV. LICENSE

ORDER OF LIABILITY FOR SERVICE GIVEN

Floyd County Registrants for National Army Beginning With 187th Man.

The Hesperian gives herewith a list of the registrants in Floyd County, in the order of their liability for service as determined by the drawing held at Washington. This list is a copy of the official bulletin posted by the local board of exemption last week, with the exception that it does not include the first 186 men, whose names were published last week as having been called for physical examination on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday of this week. The first number in each instance is the "serial" or red ink number. The last number is the order of liability, beginning with the 187th person liable.

Table with 3 columns: Serial No., Name, Address Given, Order No. on Registration Card. Lists registrants from 212 to 304.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Address Given, Order No. on Registration Card. Lists registrants from 581 to 440.

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We are anxious to serve our patrons to their utmost satisfaction and you'll always find at this establishment the best that can be procured on the market. We have nice, clean rooms in connection; spend the night here when you're in town. You'll be pleased and come back again.

FRESH PLAINVIEW BREAD DAILY

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THE FOURTH PAYMENT

The fourth payment of thirty per centum of Liberty Loan Bonds purchased on installments is due on August 15th. The payments must be made on or before that date according to the official statement of terms and conditions of the sale of Liberty Loan Bonds issued by Secretary McAdoo of the Treasury at the time subscriptions to the bonds were invited. Whether the bonds were purchased from the Treasury or from the Federal Reserve

E. C. Batchelor, of Galveston, Texas brother of Miss Louis Batchelor, Mrs. W. J. MacNeil and Mrs. A. J. Ryals arrived last week and will make Floydada his home.

From information compiled by the Colorado Chamber of Commerce, The Hesperian notes that Mrs. Tom B. Triplett, Mary E. Triplett, Roy Snodgrass and Bernice Henry, of Floydada, were among Texans who recently visited the summit of Pike's Peak, taking the Cog Railway trip.

The Hesperian Want Ad Department

Just received, a car load of White Billows flour. A. D. White Grocery Company. 22-2tc

He that selleth his wheat before getting Marshall's bid, the same loseth money. Office south of public scales. 17tf

We still have a few milk coolers to go at the old price. Get yours before iron takes another advance. Allen & Johnson. 14-2tc

Transfer and hauling at any time of day. Just phone 81 or 178. Colville Transfer. 6-tf

High grade kerosene oil, wholesale and retail. Duncan Grocery. 22-2tc

For marble monuments see S. B. McCleskey. 9-tf

If it is credit you want trade at the other stores, but if you pay cash, White Sells for Less. 20-tf.

We have several good black land farms in Hill and adjoining counties we can trade for good farm or ranch property in Floyd County. If you have anything to offer see us at our office over the First National Bank. 16-tf. FAWVER & CHRISTIAN

Marshall is after your business in the grain line. 6-tf

Cash or no trade with us. White sells for less. 22-2tc

TOWN LOTS for sale, southwest part of town. Easy terms. See J. D. Price. tf

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FOR SALE—203 acres of patented land for sale at \$20 per acre. \$1300 cash, balance good terms. 2-acre lake in one corner, balance all good. J. W. Blair, Floydada. 22-tf

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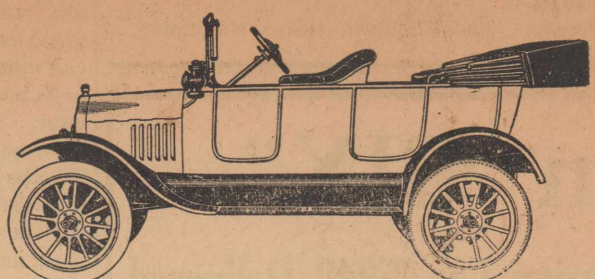
52-gallon capacity, suitable for water barrels.

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FOR SALE

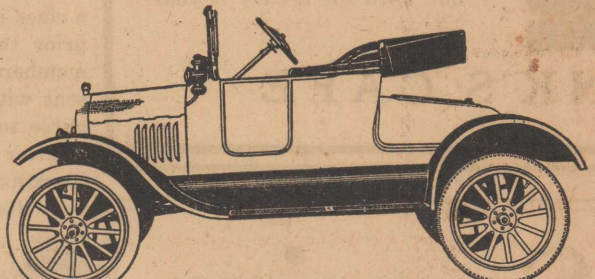
320 acres of good raw land, 6 miles from town. \$19 per acre. Easy terms. Ratliff & Johnson. 21-2tc

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To Our Many Friends and Customers:

Since opening our new store on March 1st of this year our business has increased and grown to where it became necessary for us to secure larger quarters for our rapidly increasing business, with this in view we contracted for a new building just one door east of our present location which has been designed and built especially for dry goods. This structure is rapidly nearing completion and we expect to open in this well lighted and roomy building about September 1st with one of the most complete lines of Dry Goods and ladies' ready to wear ever shown in Floydada. Our buyer, Mr. Pirce, will spend some time in the eastern markets adding to our already well assorted stock, buying nothing but seasonable and high grade merchandise. Our ladies ready to wear department will be the crowning feature of our store and we expect to show a line equal to anything to be seen west of Fort Worth. We are already receiving many of our fall goods bought early in the season before the recent advances and we shall give our customers the benefit of the prices. Everything will be marked in Plain Figures. REMEMBER, ours is one price to all.

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Reasonable charges, quick service. That's Colville Transfer. Phone 81 or 178. 6-tf

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FOR SALE—Some very nice residences in Floydada for sale; might trade for first-class vendor's lien notes. One place at edge of town about eleven acres, nice house, barn etc., at reasonable price. See W. M. Massie & Bro. Floydada, Texas.

We buy all kinds of junk casings, tubes, brass, copper, aluminum, lead, tin foil, etc. Allen & Johnson. 14tf

Remember we sell only for cash, if you want credit trade at the other stores. White sells for less. 22-2tc

FOR SALE

640 acres, close in, with two sets of improvements. 350 acres in cultivation. \$24 per acre. Easy terms. Ratliff & Johnson. 21-2tc

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160 and 320 acre farm near Lakeview. A snap. Only \$35 per acre. R. O. Fields & Co. 21-2tc

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My pastures on Blanco Canyon are posted and you are warned that trespassers will be prosecuted. THOS. MONTGOMERY. 20-tf

See J. A. Lowry & Son for general blacksmithing and practical horse-shoeing. 13-tf

Triple "B" block salt and other salts, at Duncan's. 22-2tc

FOR SALE

60 acres of splendid raw land, well located. \$22.50 per acre. Easy terms. Ratliff & Johnson. 21-2tc

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## THE OLYMPIC THEATRE

Program, Week Ending, August 18th. Matinee, 4 to 6 p. m. EVENING 8:00 to 11:00 P. M.

MONDAY 13th

A Paramount picture in five acts. "PRISON WITHOUT WALLS". Wallace Reid and Myrtle Steadman

TUESDAY 14th

Regina Badet and Albert Singer, The Vampire of France in "ATONEMENT." A story that is full of thrills and throbs is told in "ATONEMENT." "ATONEMENT" is the first in the series of Brady International Service—World Pictures.

WEDNESDAY 15th

William Fox's Sunshine Maid now appearing in, "A SMALL TOWN GIRL." Miss June Caprice, in a five reel feature.

THURSDAY 16th

Mary Pickford in "DUMMY". A Paramount Picture in five acts. Miss Pickford is one of the world's greatest actors.

FRIDAY 17th

Pathe presents Gladys Hulette in "THE CIGARETTE GIRL." STORY NO. ONE, FRIDAY THE 17th. Gladys Hulette, star of "THE SHINE GIRL", "Prudence, the Pirate", "Pots and Pans Peggy", "Her New York", and "The Candy Girl", all Pathe Gold Rooster Plays, which have been more than ordinarily successful, has completed the first picture in which she has appeared since joining the Astra-Pathe forces, her other pictures having been made by the Thanouser company.

"The Cigarette Girl", is the title,—Manager Conner of the Olympic Theatre announces that he will present it at an early date. It was directed by William Parke, the director of "The Shine Girl", "Mystery of the Double Cross", and other hits. In the cast are Warner Oland, the celebrated villain of "Patria", and William Parker, Jr.

SATURDAY 18th

Mrs. Vernon Castle as "PATRIA". This is the last episode of Patria and is very interesting.

Also a TWO REEL FOX COMEDY. Miss Pearl White in the "FATAL RING." This is one of Pathe's latest serials.

Matinee each day 4 to 6 p. m. Admission 10c. Evening, 8 to 11 p. m. Admission 10 and 15 cents. Saturday Matinee, 2:30 to 6:00 p. m.

Admission 10 and 15 Cents

WANT AD DEPARTMENT

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170,000 acres of land in Terry, Yoakum and Gaines counties, on the new Santa Fe extension, to sell in 160 acre tracts, \$10 to \$20 per acre. \$2 and \$2.50 cash, balance 7 equal payments, 6 per cent interest, first note due December, 1919. For particulars, see Fawver & Christian, agents, Floydada. 1tc

Milk cows for sale. See C. C. West, 15 miles southeast Floydada. 2-2f

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Miss Mollie Crum Spirella Corsiere. Phone 141. 4tp

A god car for sale or trade. Will sell on time. Mrs. Fannie Montague. 20ffc.

For quick sale list your land with R. O. Fields & Co. 21-2tc

There is more power in that good Gulf Gasoline and Supreme Auto Oil at Duncan's Filling Station. 22-2tc

CAR FOR SALE or trade. Electric lights and starter, good casings and in good running shape. See E. P. Parrish, Floydada, Texas. 21-tfc

I have 160 acres well-improved combination sandy land valley farm 38 miles north of Fort Worth. Would consider good trade in Floyd or adjoining counties. What have you? D. O. LAWSON, Decatur, Texas. 20-4tp.

160 acre farm, only \$16 per acre. One mile of school. R. O. Fields & Co. 21-2tc.

TO RENT—One large front room, to two ladies or two gentlemen. Would furnish board if required. Enquire at The Hesperian office. 21-1tc

RANCH FOR SALE

Three sections all good grass land, 75 per cent tillable. Only \$6 bonus. \$1 due state. R. O. Fields & Co. 21-2tc.

High Grade Kerosene Oil, wholesale and retail. Duncan Grocery. 22-2tc

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Have opened a first class stock of groceries in the Griggs Building recently vacated by Seale & Son. We wish to thank our many customers for their patronage in the past and respectfully solicit your future business. Come see us for bargains.

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We will pay \$10.00 for the recovery of the following team of mules:

1 bay mare mule, 4 years old, about 14 1-2 hands high, scar on shoulder.

1 iron gray mare mule, 5 years old, about 14 1-2 hands high. Collar scars on both shoulders.

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WANTED—To sell or exchange for good unimproved black land of like value. Three-story brick, situated in good black land city. Address Owner, Box 824, Lubbock, Texas. 22-4tc

FOR SALE—\$500.00 worth 10 per cent vendor lien notes. Mature in one and two years. Will discount 10 per cent. Address Box 1, Floydada, Texas 22-2tc.

NOTICE!

I have decided to take up my old occupation here Selling Land. I have had 10 years experience selling land here and if any one wants to know whether I sold land or was just a street walker they can ask some of the old timers. I published many of my sales in the Hesperian and I am not ashamed of my record. If you have any land to sell list it with me at the right price and let me show you I do my part. J. W. BLAIR, Floydada, Texas. 22-1tc

LOST—Fountain pen with spring and chain attached. Return to J. B. Bartley. 22-1tc

CENTER

Center, August 7.—There is work for everybody since the fine rain last week. Help has been in demand for farm work. We had about 2 3-4 inches of rain.

We forgot two or three items last week so will try to get them in this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Barn Martin spent fifth Sunday with Mr. Martin's parents and attended church here.

Mr. and Mrs. Greenway of Wolfe City spent week before last here visiting Mrs. Greenway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Carpenter.

Mr. Luttrell and family have been visiting in Hall county the past ten days. Some of Mr. Luttrell's people were very sick.

Most every one went either to Cedar Hill to the singing convention or town to church last Sunday. Hence no Sunday school again.

Mrs. Prestidge and two daughters, Suvilla and Inez have been quite sick the past several days.

Somebody made an error last week when it read that one of Mr. Bolding's brothers was here from Altus. It should have been Alabama.

Mr. Roe, of Waco, and son Herman, of Lockney, were at the Prestidge home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson of Merkel, are visiting their daughters, the Mesdames Rainer, Lyles and Golightly.

Mesdames Hickman, Love and Austin, spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Martin.

Hewett Boteler is here to answer his country's call as his name was on the draft list.

Miss Kate Bullard visited in Floydada Sunday and Monday.

Mr. Bob Rogers and Miss Stella Warren drove to Floydada Sunday morning and were married, then to the singing at Cedar Hill. Mr. Rogers has made his home with his parents since moving to this community soon after Christmas. Miss Warren is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Warren having grown into womanhood here so is well known and has many friends who wish for her and her husband a happy married life.

The appointed leader for prayer meeting being absent Sunday night Brother Virgil Lemons conducted the service.

Mrs. Lyon and Miss Linnie were in Floydada Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Maxey and family returned from their trip to Oklahoma last Friday afternoon.

A goodly number of our farmers have sown millet since the rain.

Harry H. Campbell, of Motley county, was in Floydada Friday last transacting business.

FAIRVIEW ITEMS

Fairview, August 8.—Work on the new school building is going forward steadily and rapidly. The brick work has gone to the top of the lower story and is now waiting on the carpenters who will be ready for the brick layers to begin work again in a day or two. Contractor Dane was on the works Tuesday of this week and reported that he was well pleased with the progress being made.

The building, a modern two story structure, when completed, should be regarded with pride by every resident of the district, as it will be a building that would be a credit to any community and should be a great factor in drawing desirable citizens to this section.

The trustees are exhibiting untiring interest and energy in furthering the work and should be assisted and encouraged by every means possible by the entire community. This is not a time for petty faultfinding and no slacker will be able to enjoy the finished product as will the one who has done his "bit".

If you love your country, show your patriotism by doing your part.

—Contributed.

The good rains of last week put everyone behind with their farm work and crops of all kinds are looking much better.

S. L. Rushing has ben nursing a case of the rheumatism the last few days.

S. D. Irwin is on a visit to our neighboring city of Spur at this writing.

W. D. Wilson and S. D. Irwin attended the county and rural trustees meeting at the county capitol Monday of this week.

Many of the good people of this community attended the singing convention and meeting at Cedar Hill last Sunday. They report a great crowd and lots of good singing.

Messrs. Garland and Kneirem have been trading horses and mules lately. Both expect to make money by the trade.

There has been no Sunday school the last two Sundays on account of services in neighboring communities.

It is reported that the Methodists will begin a revival under the tabernacle next Friday night. It is hoped that much good will be accomplished during this series of services.

Messrs. Bullard and Cope came to Sunday school last Sunday and helped to pull the sucker rod from the well for putting on new leathers. Mr. Young also came but did not like the services.

Mr. Griggs, of the Coxton school furniture people, was trying to carrol the trustees the first of the week.



Evangelist C. E. Hunt, Revival Preacher, at The Tabernacle this week.

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