

## NEW TRIAL GRANTED IN FEDERAL COURT DAMAGE SUIT

### Sheriff Goen Defendant in Suit in Which Wichita, Kan., Man was First Granted \$1250

A new trial was granted last Saturday by Federal Judge Meek in Federal Court for the Amarillo District, in the suit in which Sheriff A. C. Goen is made defendant and C. A. Saunders, of Wichita, Kansas, is suing for \$10,000 damage alleged to have been done in Floydada in November of 1915 when he was held here by the sheriff on a telegram from Alabama officials, who wanted an escaped defaulter who had made away with Alabama State funds.

In a habeas corpus hearing before District Judge Joiner, Saunders proved his identity, and was granted his freedom. His suit alleges false imprisonment and resultant damage, and the jury in the case at Amarillo gave him a \$1250 judgment against Sheriff Goen.

Upon motion for new trial by Mr. Goen's attorneys the new trial was granted by the judge Saturday on the grounds that telegrams from Alabama officials which should have been admitted for evidence in the first trial were not.

Sheriff Goen is widely known in other counties of the South Plains as well as Floyd County, and the case is being watched with close interest.

## Opening Number Lyceum Season the Mendelssohn Sextette.

The Mendelssohn Sextette, six young ladies who did excellent singing, reading and concert playing opened the 1916-17 lyceum season in Floydada before a comfortably filled house at the High School Auditorium last Saturday night.

Their entertainment was very pleasing, various numbers drawing repeated encores.

The next number is announced for October 31st.

## Cole's Demonstration.

H. J. Willis & Company have had a special demonstration of their Cole's Hot Blast Ranges and heaters the first three days of this week, Mr. J. F. Chedester, from the factory having charge of the demonstration.

"This is a fine business point," Mr. Chedester said. "In spite of the bad weather this week we have had a successful demonstration."

Ross Cope, of Swisher County, was visiting friends in Floydada Saturday to Monday.

## Pioneer Citizen of Lockney Succumbs at Sweetwater

A. J. Byars, pioneer citizen of Floyd County, for the past several years a resident of Lockney, died last Sunday afternoon at the home of a son at Sweetwater and was buried Monday afternoon in the Lockney cemetery.

Mr. Byars was seventy-two years of age. He is survived by his wife and several children, among them N. T. A. Byars, of the Pleasant Valley community, Walter Byars, of Lockney, and the son at Sweetwater.

## Rain and Cloudy Weather Stop Harvesting Operations

Harvesting operations in Floyd County have been at a standstill for three days. A threatening cold wave Monday turned into a drizzling rain early Tuesday and cloudy weather prevailed since stopping cotton picking, feed gathering and wheat sowing.

Six-tenths of an inch of rain has been recorded at Floydada.

## White Billows Demonstration

During the last two days of the fair A. D. White Grocery Company served hot biscuits and butter at their grocery store and demonstrated White Billows flour with which the biscuits were made.

Mrs. Luther Rogers had charge of the demonstration.

## Tax Rolls Completed

The tax rolls for Floyd County have been completed and are in the hands of the tax collector for collection.

Collector A. C. Goen said Monday that quite a number were paying their taxes, and that for this time of year the number paying is unusual.

Joe W. Williams was up this week from his new home near Plains, in Yoakum County, for a short time on business.

Mrs. Hugh Adkins of Lubbock, returned home Saturday after a two weeks' visit here with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Lane.

W. D. Bomar and wife, of McKinney, have moved to Floydada and will make this their home. Mrs. Bomar is a sister of Mrs. W. M. Lane.

Mrs. B. L. Fain, of Lubbock, was a guest of Mrs. W. M. Lane for several days last week.

W. F. Gregory and family, of Goodlet, Texas, spent the past few days in the Sandhill neighborhood visiting with friends.

## Fair Days Bring Big Crowds to Floydada

### Saturday Biggest Day With 5,000 People on Grounds.—Many Attractive Features

The total attendance at the Fair last Friday and Saturday is conservatively estimated at 11,000 people, 2,000 attended on Thursday, opening day; 4,500 on Friday, and 5,000 on Saturday, which was the feature day of the three.

The agricultural and horticultural exhibits made at the Pavillion were equal to any that has been made in the history of the Fair. In most classes the competition was keen in this department. Five communities—Meteor, Lakeview, Sandhill, Baker and Center—were entered for prizes in the Community Exhibit Department, and each made very creditable exhibits of industrial, art and agricultural enterprises. Lakeview was given first prize, Meteor second, and Sandhill third.

As predicted the Live Stock Department was a big feature of the Fair. Temporary stalls and sheds were built one-half block from the Agricultural Hall and in all about 150 entries were made. The live stock parade on the morning of the third day was witnessed by some three thousand people lined up on the route of march. The exhibits of pigs made by the Boys' Pig Club drew attention.

The poultry department had by far the largest number of entries it has ever had, and was a revelation to chicken fanciers.

## MERCHANTS' PARADE

The Farmers' and Merchants' Parade on the morning of the second day had twenty-one decorated autos in line and 14 floats. Glad Snodgrass' auto was given the blue ribbon in the auto division, and the float of C. W. Dodson, contractor and builder, West Plains Lumber Co., the Floydada Planing Mill, T. H. Benton, painter and paper hanger, on which was mounted an ideal miniature dwelling, was given the blue ribbon in the Float Division.

## OLD SETTLERS' PARADE

Perhaps the most talked-of parade was that of the Old Settlers, who had their inning on Saturday, and their parade at 10 o'clock. This parade was more of a pageant, representing the days of '96. No autos were in line in this parade. A strikingly characteristic balky team of broom tails hauling a load of "surface fuel" was in the pageant and stuck at every street crossing, and every time the team stuck all hands laid to pull them out. Cowboys with their lariats tied on to the tongue while others scotched the wheels. Each time the wagon was again started on its way the fact was loudly acclaimed by the Old Settlers as another difficulty overcome. Other most laughable features of former days were also depicted.

In the afternoon another parade by the Old Settlers depicting the new era was a feature, immediately following which the meeting was called to order at the Pavillion. R. E. L. Muncy, president of the association, made the principal address of the afternoon. J. J. Day and E. M. Walling also addressed the gathering. 225 persons whose residence in the county dates back to 1896 and prior, registered on the roll of the Association. The earliest date of settlement on the register is

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## Sidewalk Ordinance Begins to Get Results at Once

The sidewalk ordinance passed on October 3 by the City Council, notice of which is given in this issue of the Hesperian, is bearing fruit already.

In compliance with the order Dr. R. A. Childers let a contract to Sam Dane for laying 125 lineal feet of walk in the business district, and J. H. Reagan let a contract for 25 lineal feet in the business section, all on the South side of West California Street.

## Undergoes Operation

Miss Mae Farmer, of Lakeview, underwent an operation at the Childers Sanitarium Monday for appendicitis. She is resting well.

## C. Surginer & Son Contract Chevrolet Agency Floyd and Motley

C. Surginer & Son have contracted for the Chevrolet Automobile agency for Floyd and Motley Counties, and now have demonstrator in stock.

They expect to sell a large number of the cars during the year.

## R. L. Henry Sustains Injury to Leg When Gas Barrel Falls

Last Friday R. L. Henry, of the Reagan Garage, sustained a rather seriously injured leg when a gas barrel being unloaded from a truck fell, its weight striking the member.

The leg was not fractured. It was badly bruised and skinned, however, and Mr. Henry has been confined at home the past several days.

## Anderson-Fawver

Mr. Roy L. Fawver and Miss Flora S. Anderson, of the Baker community, were united in matrimony Sunday, October 8, at 2:30 p. m., at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Anderson, Rev. R. E. L. Muncy officiating.

Roy is the son of Ex-Commissioner G. L. Fawver, and has been raised in this country, while Miss Flora is the daughter of T. F. Anderson, who moved here from Red River County last year. Only the families of the bride and groom were present at the nuptials.

Their many friends wish them a happy and prosperous life. Contributed.

## Sunday School Rally Day Program

Methodist Church, Sunday morning, Oct. 15, at 11 o'clock. Song No. 232—(Crowns). Prayer—Bro. H. E. Smith. Opening Address—J. V. Daniel.

Special Music by Choir. Address—Judge J. B. Bartley.

Reading—Velma Deen. Piano Solo—Ora Slaughter. Address—Bro. R. T. Miller. Special Music by Choir.

Reading—Clay Willis. Collection. Reading—Sabra Thagard.

Reading—Ora Mae Robbins. Reading—Ocie Huskey. Duet.

Reading—Marie Henry. Reading—Clement McDonald. Piano Duet—Friendship Class. Reading—Mamie McPeak.

Special Music—Choir. Reading—Miss Leach. Doxology. Benediction.

Mesdames Wm. N. Baker, J. N. Jordan and J. A. Johnson, of Plainview, were in Floydada Sunday afternoon automobiling. They brought Wm. N. Baker, who is court stenographer for the 64th Judicial District Court.

## EXHIBIT TO DALLAS

### W. R. Cope Has Charge of the Floyd County Exhibit at the Texas State Fair

Floyd County visitors to the Texas State Fair at Dallas will have a place to call "Home" again this year while at Fair Park.

The first installment of Floyd County's exhibit was shipped by express Tuesday morning and W. R. Cope, who is to have it in charge, left on the same day. The first shipment consisted of about three thousand pounds. This will be supplemented from time to time with other shipments.

## Attending Surgeons' Meeting

Dr. G. V. Smith left this morning for Topeka, Kansas, where he will spend several days and attend the Santa Fe Railway Surgeon's Association.

Mrs. W. J. Burke and sons, Maurice and Macyl, of Dallas, joined Mr. Burke here last week and the Burke family will make this their home permanently.

Mr. Burke has entered the grain business here with L. A. Crews under the firm name of Burke & Crews.

O. Cross, of Frederick, Okla., who bought land recently in the Lakeview neighborhood, was here the latter part of last week and the first of this. Mr. Cross is preparing to move here during the earlier part of the new year.

E. A. Birch and wife, of Harrold, Texas, were in Floydada this week. Mr. Birch has bought a farm here and will move to this section during January.

Mrs. N. W. McCleskey and children left this week for Kansas City, where they will visit for a month or longer with Mrs. McCleskey's sister.

H. H. Meador left Monday for Cedarvale, New Mexico, where he will spend several months looking after his property interests.

Elmer Russell and Lum Lancaster were among other Matador people in Floydada attending the fair during last week.

Mrs. A. D. Amos left last week for Woodward, Okla., on a visit.

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## BOYS' PIG CLUB MEMBERS BANQUETED ON SATURDAY

### With Dr. Hare, are Guests of Jno. N. Farris at Dinner at the Commercial Hotel

The members of the Floyd County Boys' Pig Club, who exhibited their pigs at the Fair and competed for the prizes offered by the fair association and the First State Bank, were banqueted at the Commercial Hotel Saturday at high noon, where they and Dr. Hare, county agent, were guests of Jno. N. Farris.

During the hour Dr. Hare made the boys a short address commending them for their efforts and telling them of the plans for next year's work.

The host also addressed the membership in a highly complimentary manner. "You are the kind of fellows that I want to deal with, and the efforts you have put forth with the profits you have shown on your pigs are proof to me that you can and will do things. When you need money to buy another pig or two pigs or five, come around to see me," Mr. Farris said in part.

Following Mr. Farris' address the boys gave three rousing cheers for him. Late in the afternoon the boys held another meeting with Dr. Hare, in which plans for the next year's work were gone over more fully.

## Preaching Announcement

Elder E. B. Mullins will preach at the Church of Christ, on south Wall street next Sunday at 11 A. M.

Nute Nelson's unimproved quarter section seven miles east of Floydada was sold Monday through the Fawver & Seale agency.


Guy Arterburn, of Lockney, spent Saturday night and Sunday in Floydada, the guest of A. V. Haynes.

We had a good day at the Christian Church last Sunday. Come next Sunday, 9:45 a. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m.

J. F. Mathews, Pastor.

J. E. Watson and G. W. Cooksey were visiting F. W. Cooksey the last of last week.

Mrs. R. P. Reeves, of Alarreed, is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Scott, having arrived last week to spend some two weeks here.



**SECURITY SAFETY**

**D**ON'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.

**THAT IS THE SAFEST PLACE FOR IT.**

**THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
FLOYDADA, TEXAS

## We Are Tickled

Over the highly successful manner in which the Tenth Annual Floyd County Fair was handled; and as citizens of Floyd County want to extend congratulations to the gentlemen who had charge of the arrangements and the faithful workers who assisted in making it a worthy institution to go down in the history of the County.

Here's hoping that we may all join in making the Eleventh Annual Fair an even greater event in 1917.

## The First State Bank

Jas. K. Green, Vice-Pres.      N. W. McCleskey, Cashier.  
FLOYDADA, TEXAS.

## Slip a few Prince Albert smokes into your system!

You've heard many an earful about the Prince Albert patented process that cuts out bite and parch and lets you smoke your fill without a comeback! Stake your bank roll that it proves out every hour of the day. Prince Albert has always been sold without coupons or premiums. We prefer to give quality!

There's sport smoking a pipe or rolling your own, but you know that you've got to have the right tobacco! We tell you Prince Albert will bang the doors wide open for you to come in on a good time firing up every little so often, without a regret!

You'll feel like your smoke past has been wasted and will be sorry you cannot back up for a fresh start.

You swing on this say-so like it was a tip to a thousand-dollar bill! It's worth that in happiness and contentment to you, to every man who knows what can be gotten out of a chummy jimmy pipe or a makin's cigarette with Prince Albert for "packing"!

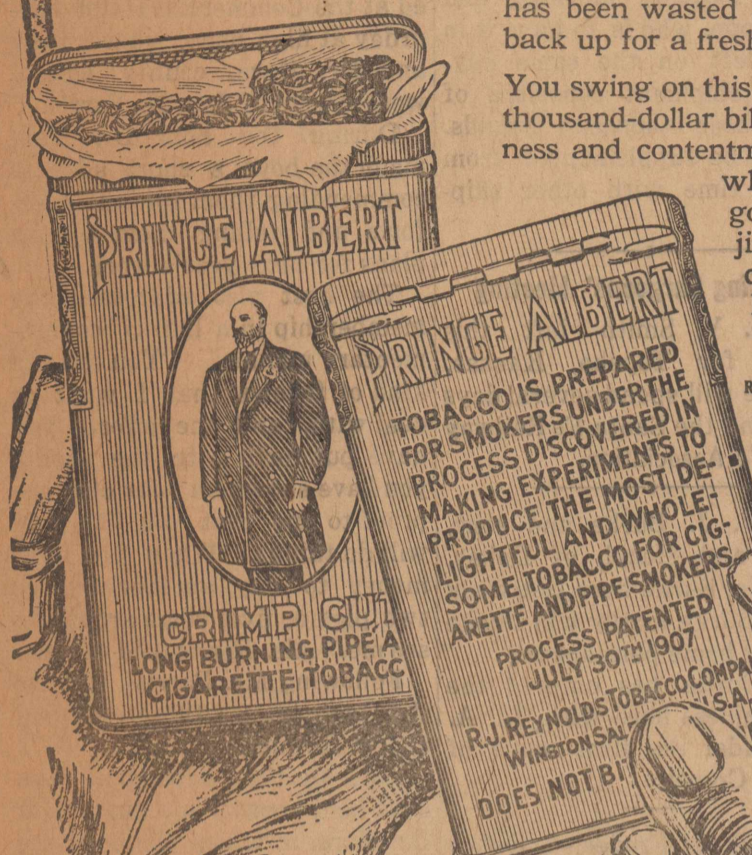
# PRINCE ALBERT

the national joy smoke

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO.  
Winston-Salem, N. C.

This is the reverse side of the tidy red tin

THE Prince Albert tidy red tin, and in fact, every Prince Albert package, has a real message-to-you on its reverse side. You'll read "Process Patented July 30th, 1907." That means that the United States Government has granted a patent on the process by which Prince Albert is made. And by which tongue bite and throat parch are cut out! Everywhere tobacco is sold you'll find Prince Albert awaiting you in its tidy red tin, 10c; handsome pound and half-pound tin humidor and in that clever crystal-glass humidor, with sponge-moistener top, that keeps the tobacco in such fine condition—always!



### The Hesperian's Want Ad Department

The only Grocery Store in Floydada—on the east side of square—can save you Grocery money. Try Phillips-Sands. 2tc

Call 94 for fresh groceries and milk deliveries. 2tc

We pay no clerk hire, and have that high rent, hence can save you money on groceries. Phillips-Sands & Co., East Side. 2tc

WANTED—Bright young women to enter the training school for nurses. Phone Plainview Sanitarium, Plainview, Tex. 4tc.

WANTED TO BUY—Second hand windmill outfit. E. L. Morris. tf

You will find me on the south side of the square. If you want your land sold, list your bargains with us. Jno. A. Hollums. tf

Sows, pigs and shoats for sale. See G. D. French. tf

For Sale or Trade—Good Deering row binder at a bargain. A. C. Yocham, on the E. Thornton place. 2tp

For first class shoe and harness work bring your work to

**EXCURSIONS**

**Santa Fe** TO DALLAS Account Texas State Fair. SPECIAL 5-day trip. Tickets sell Oct. 20, limited to Oct. 24th, \$8.55 round trip.

To Bonham, Texas, account Grand Encampment Odd Fellows of Texas. Oct. 9-10, Dates of sale, Oct. 7 and 8th, limited to Oct. 12. One and one-third fare round trip!

To Corpus Christi, account Meeting of the Grand Chapter O. E. S. Oct. 10-14; dates of sale, Oct. 7, 8, 9. Limited to Oct. 17th. One and one-third fare round trip.

For further particulars phone 95

**J. T. J. DAWS** (N) Agt. P. & S. F. Ry. Co.

north side repair shop. Open all work days of the week. tfc. O. R. Eastwood.

See C. H. Featherston for fire insurance. Itc.

**For Sale.** Wagon Yard well equipped, good location. 2tc

Two residences, might take good Vendor's Lien notes on one. Some choice business and residence sites. tf. W. M. Massie & Bro.

See C. H. Featherston for fire insurance. Itc.

Motorcycle for sale. See R. W. Vaughan. tf

See C. H. Featherston for fire insurance. Itc.

For plymoth rock roosters apply to Mrs. C. C. West 15 miles Southeast Floydada. 4tp.

**For Sale** A good five room house and seven lots. This will be sold in the next thirty days for \$450 down and \$20 per month on balance. Banana Land and Loan Company. 3tc

Miss Mollie Crum Spirella Corsetiere. Phone 141. 4tp.

See J. A. Lowry & Son for expert Blacksmithing and horse-shoeing. Satisfaction guaranteed. tf.

See C. H. Featherston for fire insurance. Itc.

We want to show you the Home Baseburner. Saves money for fuel. C. Surginer & Son. Itc

WANTED.—12 coming year old mare mule colts. A. L. Bishop. tf

**Bringing Negroes to Cottle County Cotton Fields**

Negroes are being imported from East and South Texas to Cottle County to pick cotton, according to the Paducah Post, which says that 125 negroes were imported in one day.

Advertise in The Hesperian.

### Plasterers Rules Do Not Violate Law

Austin, Texas, Oct. 4.—In an opinion by Assistant Attorney General C. A. Sweeton, it is held by the Attorney General's Department that the plasterers' union does not violate the law by adopting rules providing how many coats of plaster must be placed on different classes of walls regardless of the wishes of the architect, the owner of the building and the contractor. The opinion, in effect, says the union plasterers do not violate the anti-trust law by observing such rules; that if the owner, architect and contractor do not like it they are privileged to employ other plasterers.

The opinion written today was addressed to Olle J. Lorehn of Houston, president Texas State Association of Architects, and the organization involved was the Plasterers' Union of Houston.

Mr. Sweeton reviews the various statutes affecting labor organizations, conspiracies against trade, monopolies, trusts, combinations, unlawful agreements, etc., and finds that none is violated by the two rules quoted. An important statement by Mr. Sweeton in that connection is that the "Legislature did not intend to exempt labor organizations from the operation of the anti-trust statutes. If the Legislature had undertaken to do this its efforts would have been futile, for such exemption would have rendered the anti-trust code unconstitutional and void."

In pursuance of that he wrote that no right is conferred on labor organizations by the labor organization statute of 1899 that is denied by the anti-trust statute.

Mr. Sweeton writes at length in quoting provisions of the several laws and decisions of courts construing laws to prove that the plasterers have not violated any law; that the rules do not prevent others from doing the work as desired by owners, architects and contractors. He says there is no law to compel freemen to work for another, nor is there any law to compel any person to give work to others. He insists that it is a question between employer and employe and that "if the laborer declines the proffered employ-

ment unless certain stipulations be complied with, he is clearly within his legal rights. If the employer does not desire to meet the requirements of the laborer, he has the lawful right to refuse to enter into the contract demanded."

### Where All This Beef is Going These Days

Packers are freezing beef by the thousand tons and putting it away at a price that will mean a profit at distribution time several months hence. Without adequate storage capacity at the principal slaughtering centers it would be necessary to throw this mass of beef on the market, causing congestion and demoralization, says the Live Stock World. That the packer takes advantage of the August to December period of plenty is not to be disputed, but if we were unable to put excess supply away in his cavernous coolers it is doubtful if such markets as exist would be open to the producer. Just as long as it is necessary for the packer to accumulate beef, just so long will cattle markets be erratic and unstable.

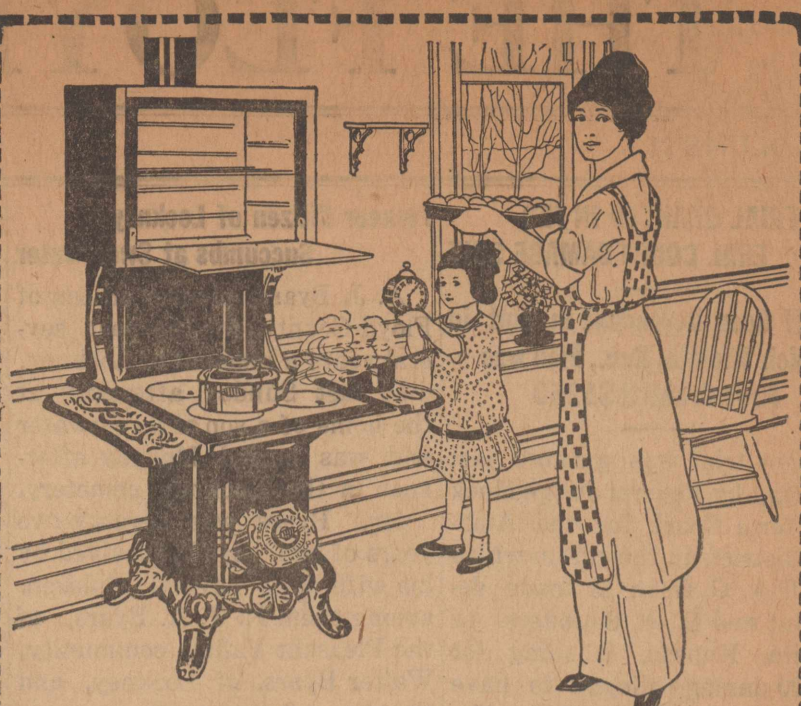
Under present conditions pastures are depleted late in the summer and through the fall season. From Virginia to Colorado and Texas to Manitoba, gathering is prosecuted vigorously, markets are glutted and buyers make prices. It happens as regularly as dead leaves are torn from the calendar. If this flood of grass beef could be more equitably distributed, producers would get better results, and until that is possible complaint at market conditions will continue. Packers cannot afford to freeze beef without some assurance that it will realize carrying charges. Montana cattlemen are threatening to discontinue round up work, holding cattle over until 1917 that would have been marketed this year had values continued attractive. If they could devise a system by which an all-the-year-round marketward movement could be established, they would work a needed trade revolution. What the West needs is a feeding industry.

It may not be unappropriate to call cattle raisers' attention to recent stability of live mutton trade and suggest that they take pattern thereby. Until two years ago the bulk of the western lamb crop was marketed in September and October, creating gluts and causing demoralization. Loss of lambing range necessitated early lambing, distributing the movement over a six month period and stabilizing prices. Western lamb and sheep feeding has also developed, keeping a lot of this stuff off the eastern market at this season and injecting another stability element. Present cattle trade conditions are calculated to demoralize markets and the producer should endeavor to put his business on a new basis. The packer cannot be blamed for "getting while the getting is good." An equalized supply would be equally to his advantage. A few weeks hence such common cattle as are now a drug at bargain prices will be in the market spotlight. — Oklahoma Daily L. S. News.

Sam Sluder and daughter, Miss Clara, and son, Ernest, were in Floydada visiting friends and attending the fair the latter part of last week. Their home is at Summerfield, near Hereford.

W. J. Lane and wife of Jayton, were here during the fair visiting with Mr. Lane's partner, B. P. Woody of the Woody Drug Co.

M. A. Crum returned last week from Kansas where he has been spending the past few months.



## Quicker Than a Gas Range

Breakfast Biscuit Quick

and perfectly browned top, bottom and sides, in oven with

## Cole's High Oven Range

### Quick Heating Oven

No anxious waiting for oven to heat up. Breakfast biscuit steaming on your table in much less time than with a gas range.

Oven heat can be regulated instantly. Range is sanitary, easily cleaned and occupies small space. It enables wife or mother to prepare breakfast in a comfortable room.

Come in and see one on display—it's well worth your while.

See the name "Cole's" on the oven door—none genuine without it.

H. J. Willis & Co.



## NOTICE

We are making our headquarters at the Phillips-Sands Company, Grocery on the East side of the square. We want your grain of all kinds at all times. Will pay all the market will justify. We also handle Coal.

We are not here for a day or a month but expect to make our home here.

Yours Respectfully,

## Crews & Burke

Phone 94

### MUST BE THE OTHER ONE.

Mrs. Nextdore—My daughter plays the piano. Perhaps you've heard her.

Mrs. Newcome (with great self-restraint)—I've heard the piano.

Mrs. Nextdore—Yes, my daughter Mary is very musical.

Mrs. Newcome—Ah! You have two daughters, then?—Musical America.

### LITERAL HONOR.

"I thought you told me you played a leading part in this moving picture production."

"So I do. Didn't you recognize me leading the heroine's pet dog?"

### GO WELL TOGETHER.

Bill—It is said one of its moons circles Mars every seven hours.

Jill—That ought to help the ham-mock industry considerable.

### TWO TERRORS.

His Wife—John, what has become of all those English dreadnaughts?

Her Husband—Which do you mean, dear? Battleships or suffragettes?

### WORSE AND WORSE.

"My husband is very revengeful."

"Grumbles when his meals are late, I suppose?"

"Grumbles? Worse still, he sings."

### 'TIS FALSE.

Patience—How is she wearing her hair this season?

Patrice—Oh, pinned on, as usual.

### THREE HE KNEW OF.

Bacon—How many languages does your wife speak?

Egbert—Three—near-English, baby talk and bridge whist.

# AUTO MAIL LINE

FLOYDADA-ROARING SPRINGS-MATADOR  
DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY

Connecting Q. A. & P. Ry. at Roaring Springs with Santa Fe at Floydada. The shortest, quickest, and cheapest route between East Texas and South Plains points. A delightful trip for tourists. 45 miles of picturesque scenery, showing a sample of every kind of land in the Panhandle.

**OFFICIAL SCHEDULE:** Leave Roaring Springs  
Leave Floydada 1:30 P. M.  
8:00 A. M. Arrive Matador 2:10 P. M.  
Arrive Roaring Springs Arrive Floydada  
11:30 A. M. 6:00 P. M.

**RATES:** Floydada to Roaring Springs or Matador, \$3.50.  
Round Trip \$6

**W. R. COPE, Prop.**  
FLOYDADA, TEXAS

### Announcements

Nominees of the Democratic Primary held July 22, 1916:

For District Attorney, 64th Judicial District:

AUSTIN C. HATCHELL.  
For Co. and Dist. Clerk.  
TOM W. DEEN.

For County Judge:  
E. P. THOMPSON.

For County Attorney:  
C. K. HOLLOWAY.

For Treasurer Floyd County:  
MRS. ADDIE THAGARD.

For Tax Assessor:  
A. A. WHYTE.

For Sheriff & Tax Collector:  
J. A. GRIGSBY.

For County Surveyor:  
GEO. A. LIDER.

For Commissioner Pre. No. 1  
W. E. SMITH.

For Commissioner Pre No. 4  
W. F. WEATHERBEE.

For Public Weigher Precincts,  
No. 4 and 4:

S. B. MCCLESKEY.

For Justice of Peace Pre. No. 1:  
R. T. MILLER.

### Auto Accident Fatal

Hereford, Texas, Oct. 4 —Miss Olive Buster, aged twenty-two, daughter of Mrs. George Karr, was thrown from an automobile two miles north of Hereford this afternoon and instantly killed, her neck being dislocated, according to the statements of Dr. Price following an examination shortly after the tragedy.

Miss Buster was riding in a car driven by Willie Jones and it is stated that the vehicle struck a rough place in the road swerving and throwing the young lady to the ground with great force.

The dead girl has lived in Hereford practically all her life and is known to everyone here. Young Jones has relatives here and has spent much time in Hereford.

Hesperian ad liners pay.

### HAVE YOU WEAK LUNGS?

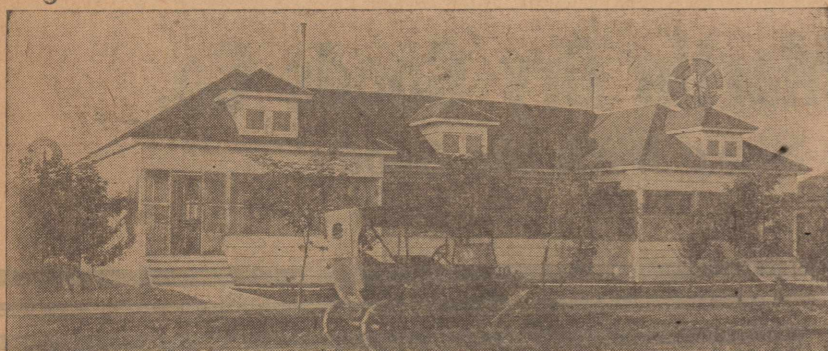
Do colds settle on your chest or in your bronchial tubes? Do coughs hang on, or are you subject to throat troubles?

Such troubles should have immediate treatment with the strengthening powers of Scott's Emulsion to guard against consumption which so easily follows.

Scott's Emulsion contains pure cod liver oil which peculiarly strengthens the respiratory tract and improves the quality of the blood; the glycerine in it soothes and heals the tender membranes of the throat.

Scott's is prescribed by the best specialists. You can get it at any drug store. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

## CHILDERS PRIVATE SANITARIUM



For Medical and Surgical Cases

**R. A. CHILDERS, Physician and Surgeon**

Floydada, Texas

### It Always Helps

says Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky., in writing of her experience with Cardui, the woman's tonic. She says further: "Before I began to use Cardui, my back and head would hurt so bad, I thought the pain would kill me. I was hardly able to do any of my housework. After taking three bottles of Cardui, I began to feel like a new woman. I soon gained 35 pounds, and now, I do all my housework, as well as run a big water mill.

I wish every suffering woman would give

# GARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

a trial. I still use Cardui when I feel a little bad, and it always does me good."

Headache, backache, side ache, nervousness, tired, worn-out feelings, etc., are sure signs of womanly trouble. Signs that you need Cardui, the woman's tonic. You cannot make a mistake in trying Cardui for your trouble. It has been helping weak, ailing women for more than fifty years.

Get a Bottle Today!

### PREMIUM AWARDS AT TENTH ANNUAL FLOYD COUNTY FAIR

Floydada, Texas, Oct. 5, 6, and 7.

#### FRUITS

Apples; L. H. Lewis, first and second on eight varieties; R. C. Scott, first on two varieties; Mrs. Tom Ross, first on one variety.

Peaches; L. H. Lewis, first and second on four varieties; R. C. Scott, first on two varieties; Allert and Geraldine Massie, first on one variety, second on one variety; Mrs. Tom Ross, second on one variety.

Plums; Mrs. Tom Ross, first. Grapes, D. T. Scott, first and second on three varieties.

#### VEGETABLES

Irish potatoes; first, C. H. Schacht.

Sweet potatoes; first, Lal Lewis; second, Mrs. M. Webb.

Cauliflower; first, Mrs. J. T. J. Dawson.

Celery; first, W. L. Boerner. Pumpkins; first, M. R. Pelphrey; second, V. G. Lowe.

Watermelon; first, W. J. Higgins; second, Mrs. Ned King.

Onions; first, Geo. Dickey.

Turnips; first, Geo. Dickey.

Sugar beets; first, Mrs. H. D. Butler.

Beets; first, D. T. Scott.

String beans; first, Geo. Dickey; second, L. H. Williams.

Tomatoes; first, Mrs. Geo. Dickey; second, L. H. Lewis.

Cabbage; first, J. F. McGregor; second, M. R. Pelphrey.

Carrots; first, W. L. Boerner.

Parsnips; first, W. L. Boerner.

Radishes; first, H. C. Bosley; Mrs. M. A. Marshbanks, second.

Winter squash- Mrs. Arthur Byars, first; Mrs. B. Yearwood, second.

Cashaw; Clayton Shipman, first; second, D. T. Scott.

Cantaloupe; first, V. G. Lowe; second, Mrs. Sam Webb.

Okra; first, M. R. Pelphrey; second, Mrs. E. T. Green.

Peas; first, D. T. Scott.

Exhibit of gourds; first, Mrs. M. Webb.

Turnips; first, Geo. Dickey.

#### GRAINS

Mediterranean wheat; first, J. E. Staley; second, I. D. Gamble.

Nicaragua wheat; first, J. E. Staley; second, H. E. Cannaday.

Oats; first, L. E. Williams; second, J. E. Staley.

Barley; first, J. A. Meador.

Speltz; first, Geo. Dickey; second, J. E. Staley.

Half dozen stalks of corn; first, L. H. Lewis.

Sorghum seed; first, J. F. Conner.

Millet; first, Geo. Dickey.

Kaffir; first, Mrs. G. S. King.

Peanuts; first, Mrs. M. Webb; second, Mrs. M. Webb.

White corn; first, L. E. McCrawey; second, W. H. Baker.

Peck maize; first, Geo. Dickey.

White maize heads; H. L. Puryear, first; I. D. Gamble, second.

Peterita heads; D. T. Scott, first.

Red maize heads; H. Martin, first; R. A. Talley, second.

Kaffir heads; first, I. D. Gamble; T. E. Lemons, second.

#### COTTON

10 pounds seed cotton; first, W. J. Higgins; second, B. C. Bunn.

Best 50 bolls cotton; first, I. D. Gamble; second, W. J. Higgins.

Best 3 stalks; first, Grody Mason; second, W. J. Higgins.

#### COMMUNITY EXHIBITS

Lakeview, first; meteor, second; Sandhill, third.

L. L. Johnson and Dr. R. F. Hare, Judges.

#### CATTLE

Hereford bull; first, E. C. Dodson; second, R. B. Smith.

Milk cow; first, J. L. West; second, G. V. Slaughter.

#### HORSES

Saddle and harness stallion; first, B. M. Gamble; second, J. W. Freeman.

Draft stallion; M. D. Ramsey.

first; Tobe Picklesimer, second. Jack; J. W. Freeman, first and second.

Saddle and harness mare; S. N. McPeak, first; E. Mickey, second.

Saddle and harness gelding; W. C. Hanna, first; O. A. Gamble, second.

Draft mare; L. Ball, first; S. C. Green, second.

Jennet; any age; J. W. Freeman, first and second.

Mule colt; J. J. Ryals, first; T. H. Tedford, second.

Suckling colt, any breed; W. C. Hanna, first; Oliver Allen, second.

#### SPECIAL

Percheron colt; W. P. Messimer, first.

Work team horses; H. L. Snodgrass, first; O. A. Gamble, second.

Work team mares; L. Ball, first; L. E. Williams, second.

#### HOGS

Berkshire sow; first, Manvel Elder.

Poland China boar; J. R. Mahaffey, first; H. E. Cannaday, second.

Poland China sow; H. E. Cannaday, first; J. R. Mahaffey, second.

Duroc Jersey boar; G. L. Fawver, first; Charlie Adams, second.

Duroc Jersey sow; G. L. Fawver, first; Floyd Trowbridge, second.

O. I. C. boar; C. C. Krause, first and second.

O. I. C. sow; C. C. Krause, first and second.

#### BOYS' PIG CLUB

Frank Fawver, first; Claud Fawver, second; Merle Woltmon, third.

Winners of first and second also winning special prizes offered by the First State Bank.

Best exhibit of sheep: Frank Fawver, first; Claud Fawver, second.

#### CULINARY

Loaf cake; first, Mrs. W. M. Lane.

Layer cake; first, Mrs. M. L. Guyer.

Angel food; Mrs. E. T. Green, first; Miss Myrtle Thompson, second.

Tea cakes; Mrs. E. T. Green, first.

Light bread; Mrs. J. H. Massie, first; Mrs. H. D. Butler, second.

Double crust pie; Mrs. W. W. Miller, first.

Plum jelly; Mrs. A. P. McKinnon, first; Mrs. J. M. Massie, second.

Grape jelly; Mrs. McKinnon, first.

Blackberry jelly; Mrs. J. R. Hall, first.

Peach preserves; Mrs. J. R. Hall, first; Mrs. C. Surginer, second.

Watermelon rind preserves; Mrs. A. P. McKinnon, first.

Peach sweet pickles; Mrs. W. M. Lane, first.

Cucumber pickles; Mrs. M. F. Husky.

#### PAINTINGS

Oil painting; Mrs. N. B. Pace, first and second.

Water colors; Mrs. Lem Flanary, first; Miss Ola Slaughter, second.

China painting; Miss Mabel Yearwood, first; Miss Bernice Henry, second.

#### FLOWERS

Geraniums; Mrs. C. Surginer, first.

Fern; Mrs. E. P. Nelson, first and second.

Display of pot flowers; Mrs.

E. P. Nelson, first. Display of cut flowers; Mrs. Bishop, of Sandhill, first; Mrs. M. F. Husky, second.

#### TEXTILE

Crochet, filet; Miss Myrtle Thompson, first; Miss Ida Johnson, second.

Tatting; Mrs. J. T. Jones, first; Mrs. Mary Ross, second.

Hardanger; Mrs. W. M. Lane, first; Mrs. Ora Husky, second.

French embroidery; Mrs. Alice Dycus, first; Mrs. L. C. McDonald, second.

Bedsread; Mrs. M. E. Hand, first; Mrs. Luther Marshall, second.

Crazy quilt; Mrs. M. Rippey, first; Mrs. W. A. Parks, second.

Lady's dress; Miss Jessie Green, first.

Sofa pillow; Mrs. M. E. Hand, first; Miss Jewel Allcorn, second.

#### LOAN CURIO

First prize; spinning wheel, in use before the Civil War, owned and exhibited by M. A. Crum; second, quilt 45 years old, exhibited and owned by Mrs. C. S. Lowery.

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### Users of Gasoline Warned

Washington, Oct. 4.—Gasoline users were warned today by Vann H. Manning, Director of the Bureau of Mines, that specific gravity was not a satisfactory basis for the purchase of gasoline and that tests with machines made within the last two years had shown less than two per cent difference in power between 74 gravity and 60 gravity.

Mr. Manning was speaking before a meeting of Washington automobile men and merchants held in connection with a local inquiry into the price of gasoline. He reminded his hearers that it was estimated the country had only enough petroleum resources to last 27 to 30 years at the present rate of consumption and that automobile manufacturers figured on seeing more than 3,250,000 cars in use in the United States by the first of next year.

### Jos. Biles Succumbs to Long Attack of Bright's Disease

Jos. Biles died of Bright's disease Friday night, at Hot Springs, Ark., where he had gone for his health. He had been in feeble health for several years. Burial was made yesterday at Budah, near Austin, Texas.

Mr. Biles is survived by his wife, who was unable to attend the funeral on account of poor health, and his two sons, Chas. R. and Wyth Biles, who live in Plainview.—Plainview Herald.

Mrs. M. Webb left Saturday for Houston where she will visit during the winter with her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Poplisse.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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N. P. Gregg, of the Allmon community, was in Floydada Saturday seeing the fair. Mr. Gregg returned from an extended visit in Dublin during August.

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TURKEYS

Mammoth Boonze tom; first, W. H. Mason; second, J. A. Meador.

Mammoth Bronze hen; first, Mrs. H. Martin; second, W. H. Mason.

DUCKS

Pair Pekin ducks; first, J. A. Meador; second, W. H. Nelson. Pair geese, any strain; first, C. M. Lyles; second, J. A. Meador.

Barred Plymouth Rock cock; first, F. T. Emert; second, W. M. Massie.

Barred Plymouth Rock cockerel; Mrs. W. M. Massie, first.

Barred Plymouth Rock hen; Mrs. Jno. L. West, first; Mrs. W. M. Massie, second.

Barred Plymouth Rock pullet; Mrs. Jno. L. West, first; Mrs. W. M. Massie, second.

Rhode Island Red S. C. cock; Mrs. H. Martin, first.

R. I. Red S. C. cockerel; Mrs. M. T. Byars, first and second.

R. I. Red S. C. hen; Mrs. M. T. Byars, first.

R. I. Red S. C. pullet; Mrs. H. Martin, first and second.

R. I. Red S. C. pen; Mrs. H. Martin, first.

White Leghorn cock; A. A. Gordon, first; W. S. Goen, second.

White Leghorn cockerel; A. A. Gordon, first; W. S. Goen, second.

White Leghorn pullet; A. A. Gordon, first; W. S. Goen, second.

White Orphington cock; Mrs. W. M. Lane, first and second.

White Orphington hen; Mrs. W. M. Lane, first and second.

Buff Orphington cockerel; Mrs. E. P. Thompson, first.

Buff Orphington hen; Mrs. E. P. Thompson, first.

Buff Orphington pullet; Mrs. E. P. Thompson.

Langshan pen; S. S. Lowery, first.

Minorca pen; W. F. Weatherbee, first.

Bantam pen; C. A. Boothe, first.

Light Brahma cockerel; Mrs. McConnell, first; Mrs. C. W. Boothe, second.

Light Brahma pullet; Mrs. McConnell, first.

Light Brahma, pen; Mrs. C. W. Boothe, second.

White Wyandotte cock; S. S. Lowery, first.

White Wyandotte pullet; S. S. Lowery, second.

Partridge Wyandotte cock; Mrs. Champ Walters, first.

Partridge Wyandotte pullet; Mrs. Champ Walters, second.

CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

Dress cut and made by exhibitor under 12; first, Goldie Miller; second, Mary Frona Edwards.

Half dozen button holes, made by child under ten; Goldie Miller, first.

Drawing by child under 15 years of age; Rebecca Yearwood first; Leslie Surginer, second.

SINGING CONTEST, Baker class, first, Lakeview class, second.

DOLL PARADE

Most attractive display of doll and conveyance; Gwendolin Snodgrass, first; Roberta Louise Picklesimer, second; Eugenia Hoffman, third.

Most attractive display of doll carried in arms; Frances Mary

Picklesimer, first; Lula Kate Johnson, second; Olive Mae Liston, third.

BOYS' PONY RACE

Distance, one-eighth mile; Ocie Husky, first; Rip Snodgrass, second; Wilburn Ross, third.

BOYS' BICYCLE RACE

Distance one-eighth mile; James Shurbet, first; Dorsey Baker, second.

BOYS' PUSHMOBILE RACE

Carl Wagner and Roy Lee Haynes, first; Raymond Darsey and Dan Jenkins, second.

ORATORICAL CONTEST

Byron Clark, first; Chester French, second.

READING CONTEST

Miss Norma Thomas, the only entry in this contest.

Ordinance No. 29

An Ordinance to prohibit the driving, running, or moving of any wagon, vehicle, etc., including automobiles, engines, machinery, etc., on, over or across any fire hose of the city of Floydada, the prohibition of the walking or stepping on same by any person or persons, or otherwise doing anything to the injury of such fire hose, and of the prohibition of the riding or driving any animal or animals on, over or across, and allowing such animal or animals to step on such fire hose. And to provide a penalty for the violation of such ordinance.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the city of Floydada, Texas:

Section 1.—That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, firm or corporation, to drive, run, or move, any wagon, vehicle, etc., including automobiles, engines, machinery, etc., on, over or across any fire hose of the city of Floydada, Texas, when stretched out on the ground, or when in any manner being used by the Fire Department of the city, or by any person or persons with or without authority or permission from the city to use same, when such fire hose is being used in any manner for any purpose. And also it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, with boots or shoes on their feet, to walk or step on such fire hose, or otherwise doing anything to the injury of same, or for any person or persons to ride or drive any animal or animals on, over or across, and allow such animal or animals to step on such fire hose, when such fire hose is being stretched out on the ground, or being used in any manner or for any purpose as heretofore stated.

Section 2.—Any person or persons who willfully violates any of the provisions of this Ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum of not less than one dollar nor more than fifty dollars, and each time violated shall constitute a separate offense.

Section 3.—This ordinance shall go into effect and be in force on and after the 23rd day of October A. D., 1916.

Passed October 10, A. D., 1916.

Approved Oct. 10, A. D., 1916.

W. T. Montgomery, Mayor.

Attest: J. B. Jenkins, City Sec'y.

Hesperian \$1 per year.

Guthrie Boyd  
OF THE  
Shooting Star

By REX BEACH.

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"BISCUITS for supper tonight, or is it going to be them infernal flapjacks again?" asked Painter from his bunk in the corner of the cabin.

"Biscuits, I reckon, if the sour dough is old enough," said Boyd, peering into a bucket above the stove. "Smells all right. Guess we'll have some of them petrified potatoes too. I put 'em to soak yesterday morning, and they'd ought to be soft now."

"Them Lubekers, 'made in Germany,' ain't fit for a Siwash," said Painter. "More you soak 'em, ossifieder they get. Lord, I'd give a year of my life for a fresh Irish spud! Say, it's strawberry time now out'n the States, and pieplant is up and garden truck of all!"

"Will you shut up?" cried the other. "Ain't it bad enough for a man to be in here eight months with no mail nor outside news without adding to his misery by sicking his stomach on to him? My gastric nerves gets plumb hysterical at the thought of fresh grub, but what I want most is news—letters, papers, anything to break this blamed monotony."

He sliced viciously into a slab of bacon.

"Don't fry that one," said Painter. "It's pay streaked wider'n your thumb. Take that hunk hanging by the door. It ain't quite so rusty."

It was the middle of May on the Yukon, and the snow was melting fast beneath the warming glances of the arctic sun, which daily mounted higher and traced a wider circle in the clear sky. Here and there the hills were baring their shoulders of their ermine cloaks, showing dark and raw against the hollows wherein the matted drifts clung, while at midday the gurgle of laughing streamlets sounded on the slopes, and the feel of spring was everywhere.

The nights were cold, however, and no sooner had the sun nested in the ragged mountains across the great valley than the chill hand of the arctic gripped the landscape and stilled the vernal sounds.

"It won't be more'n three weeks till the Yukon breaks, if she's on time," continued the man in the bunk, "and two weeks later we'll get mail down from Dawson."

"Are those evaporated eggs all gone?" questioned the cook. "I've et dried fruit, evaporated vegetables, desiccated eggs and exiccated meats till I'm as arid inside as Death valley on a hot summer. I've got a drought in my vitals that booze vaporizes against, and all that'll satisfy it is something fresh to eat, something with natural juice in it."

A knock sounded at the door, and a man came stooping into the low cabin. He gazed doubtfully from one to the other.

"Are you Mr. Boyd," questioned the newcomer, "Guthrie Boyd, from Oklahoma deputy marshal? Yes? Well, I thought you were a bigger man."

He looked critically at the chef with a disappointed air. Boyd was a slender, grayish man, with indeterminate age marks and a noticeable stoop.

"I've heard so much about you that I had you framed up as a pretty sizeable customer. My name is White—Captain White of the steamer Shooting Star—and I'm in trouble."

"What is it?"

"You see, I've got 200 passengers down here at Cochran's Landing in winter quarters. Last fall I left St. Michaels for Dawson with a crowd of gold crazy 'Cheechakos,' mad and tramping each other to get to the Klondike.

"We were heavy loaded and slow and only got as far as Cochran's when she closed on us and we had to lay up, a thousand miles from Dawson and farther from the mouth of the river.

"We went into winter quarters, unloaded ship and stored the grub in warehouses, and then the trouble began.

"There's a man named Bardell down there, and he's a single handed devil. He's turned those 200 tenderfeet into a pack of liars, thieves, mutineers and cutthroats.

"No sooner had he landed than he called a miners' meeting, and they voted for me to pay all hands a dollar an hour for unloading their own outfits off the boat for safe keeping.

"Then they voted that, seeing as the company had agreed to carry 'em to Dawson, they were entitled to board till they got there. So they took charge of my cargo and have been eating it all winter, just gorging on my grub and saving their own to take up river in the spring, when it's worth \$1 a pound. And, mind you, every man's ticket reads that I ain't responsible for delays.

"I stood pat and wouldn't pay 'em wages for building their own houses, but Bardell held me with his gun while they went through the purser's safe."

"What was the purser doing?" queried Boyd. "Is he a cripple?"

"No! He's just a harmless wart of a boy that's got a new wife, and it's gone to his head, makin' it mushy like a frost bit persimmon. But listen! Now they don't want to go to Dawson at all. Instead they want to go up the

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HER CHAP, BUT NO "LOAFER"

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A few months ago a landlady living in the Midlands engaged a new servant, and having views on the question of "followers," she expounded them to the girl upon her arrival.

"Mind you, Jane," she said, seriously, "I will have no loafers about the place. You quite understand?"

"Yes, ma'am," replied Jane.

Within the short period of a week, however, the lady had grounds for suspecting that her orders had been disobeyed, and Jane was promptly interrogated.

"Did I not make it a stipulation of your engagement that no followers were to be allowed?"

"No, ma'am. You said loafers."

"Well, you may have it that way if you wish. You were talking to a man for ten minutes at the area gate last night."

"Yes, ma'am. That's my chap!" said Jane, unblushingly.

"How dare you disobey my express orders in this way?"

"I ain't disobeyed 'em, ma'am!" persisted Jane. "George—that's my young man—is a baker, sure enough, but 'e ain't a loafer. 'E's a biscuit hand, 'e is."—London Tit-Bits.

Ethel—Fancy Jack calling Miss Sereleaf the apple of his eye.

Maud—He must have meant the evaporated kind.

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**Guthrie Boyd of the Shooting Star**  
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Koyukuk river to the new strike, and, what's more, I feel like they're going to do it too. Take me, boat and all."

"Well, I don't exactly see where I figger in this," said the marshal.

"Here's how you cut in," said the other. "You're the only man on the river with a worse reputation than Bardell. You're a hard man, and there's nobody that wants trouble with you. You're a United States deputy, too, or you was, and here's my proposition. I'll turn the Shooting Star over to you from keelson to flagstaff, and you take her through to Dawson on the high water."

"Thank you for that first remark," said Boyd cynically. "But what if I am a deputy? There ain't a court west of Sitka nor a soldier north of Vancouver barracks. I reckon perhaps my reputation is bad, seeing that I've been a man hunter for twenty-four years, but your compliment don't bring no joyful flush to my cheeks." And he turned a pair of tired cold eyes to the captain. They were the blue gray eyes of the dangerous man, a type peculiar to the frontier.

"I'm old at this game. How old? Might be fifty-five and might be sixty, eh? I'm forty-four. Wrinkles come fast when you nurse a sawed off shotgun and wear a shoulder holster steady and see certain old faces every night when you sleep. I don't go looking for trouble, as a rule, but a man'll fight his daddy after eight months of bacon diet and no news from home. I'm dying for a change. I suppose we'll start in the morning, eh?"

Snuggled under the high bank in a kink of the river, the Shooting Star lay, while above her, in the edge of the firs, sprawled the winter quarters of the gold seekers.

Bardell and his two lieutenants, Hadden, who had been a drummer out of Fall River, and "Missouri Bill," a gambler, sat in the captain's cabin one day when a slender man climbed over the rail, stiffly mounted the stairs to the deck above and entered the small room, foul with smoke and the reek of liquor.

"Howdy," said Boyd, hanging his coat near the fire. He spread his cap and mittens beneath the stove with an air of insolent proprietorship; then, dropping into the remaining chair, he filled a short pipe.

"Well, who the— began Bardell roughly, but the stranger's eyes were bent on him coldly, while his hands were busy, and the speaker finished, "Are you?"

"Me?" said the stranger. "I'm the captain just come down to take charge of this wagon."

"What?" roared Bardell, rising. "Here to take charge? What do you want of you? There's enough of us to run the craft, I guess."

"Umph!" said Boyd, lighting up. "We're going up the Koyukuk to the new stampede as soon as the ice breaks," said Hadden.

"How ye going?" said the new captain.

"Why, on this here boat, of course," chimed Bardell and the gambler.

"Guess you didn't savvy that last remark of mine," murmured the man. "I remarked that I was going to drive this hearse."

"You be hanged!" cried Bardell menacingly. "I tell you we don't want no little evaporated runts like you. We're the law here, and don't you overlook that."

"I represent a fragment of it myself, being a deputy. And, moreover, I fig-

guainted, he found a pretty little slip of a woman who had married the good natured boy less than a year before, forsaking her country school for the fortunes of the mines with him.

Their home sat on the tiny island midway of the river, connected with the settlement by a well beaten trail across the ice.

Here one day at supper Boyd spoke of Bardell. "I saw him up in the Coeur d'Alenes at the time of the dynamiting. He got playful and dropped a box of giant down the shoot into one of the mills with results exceeding his expectations. Killed quite a batch. There's a big reward on him, and I guess I'll have to take him in."

Mrs. Marks' cup rattled in her saucer, and she paled slightly. When the dishes were done and the men had lighted up she put on her furs, saying:

"I'm going to run across and see Mrs. Collins for awhile, Tom."

"All right, dearie," answered Marks. "I'll go over with Mr. Boyd and the captain and bring you home."

"Still in love, eh?" queried Boyd.

"You bet we are!" he answered earnestly. "We're the whole world to each other and always will be. She's the best girl in the world too. Wouldn't do a wrong to any one. I don't know what I'd do without her."

In the dusk that evening as the men climbed the steep bank at the settlement Boyd saw a woman's figure flit from behind the long warehouse, disappearing in the direction of the clustered huts. It reminded him vaguely of his hostess; then, as they reached the building, the tall figure of Bardell emerged from the shadows and brushed past in silence.

The next morning, as he stepped from his stateroom out upon the deck, he heard the crash of a bullet in the door casing at his cheek and the roar of a rifle in the timber 200 yards above the landing. A wreath of smoke floated lazily among the tree trunks, but no figure showed.

White burst out of his room and followed Boyd at a run up the bank and into the grove. They found heavy footprints leading through the scattered snow patches back to the rear of the settlement.

"It's no use," said the captain. "You can't follow that trail in the open."

"If there had been a fresh snowfall last night you'd be burying somebody today," grieved Boyd through his teeth, and White started at the ugly discordance of his voice.

When they had returned to the steamer the marshal inquired, "Does any one besides Bardell wear rubber shoe packs with a star on the heel?"

"It's more'n likely. But he's the man that did it. You don't reckon that boy Marks blabbed what you said last night? If he did Bardell will get you if you ain't careful."

"I don't know. But the river is due to open up any minute now, and we'll know before long," said Boyd, scanning the mile wide stretch of ice, stained and mottled with spots of standing water.

One day, even while the onlookers were watching it, a magic hand whipped the pinioned flood until it knew its might, and without a sound the solid field from bank to bank began to move off at a crawling pace that quickened steadily. Where a moment before had gleamed a mile of solid, rocklike whiteness, now the eye grasped a sliding desert drifting past.

Quietly it went at first as if the titan forces underneath strained with breathless effort to shake free their burden, and then the river began to speak. The snapping and rending of foes rose above the whisper of running water.

At the first stir the camp broke into joyful riot. The banging of guns, the shouts and clamor of the people, joined with the rising noises of the stream. At last they were "old timers" all, and each "Cheechako" had become a "Sourdough."

All that day the rush of ice rolled past, grinding and roaring like distant thunder, choking the wide channel till great piles rose out of the boiling surge, growing magically until the raging waters burst them with the noise of battles. It rumbled on through the night, swelling constantly, while the Shooting Star, with stacks ablaze and winches clanking, clung tightly to the shelter of the little bend which broke the force of the bergs.

The sudden breaking had caught Marks and his bride on their island, and soon they were isolated from the landing by a terrifying and impossible barrier.

At daybreak Boyd, worn and tired with two nights of sleepless struggle, noted from his pilot house the fluttering signal on the island opposite. Then with the growing light he spied the two inhabitants huddled upon the highest point with the hungry river eating upward toward their feet. Others were equally observant, and soon the encampment was in an uproar.

As the village watched the cabin was seen to turn and tilt at the touch of an ice cake and then gyrate slowly down the current.

"I guess they're gone," said White sadly. "I told Marks not to stay there till she broke. This stream's been known to raise sixty feet in three days."

Boyd called the crew to him. "Will any of you go after them with me?"

"No, sir!" answered the crew. "There's too much ice running."

Bardell swung himself aboard the steamer by the taut hawser at her bows.

"I want one of the small boats," he said shortly, and his voice shook, while intense emotion burned in his reckless features.

Boyd studied him a moment. "All right," he said. "Do you want another man?"

"No! Hadden and Missou are going

with me."

He trembled as he loosed the painter, and Boyd thought—

"It was her the other night at the warehouse. She must have told him. God! Ain't there any good women?"

The three men struck boldly across for the island, the tall standing figure of Bardell guiding the boat. They entered the cataclysm with the cold daring that prompts strong men to hazard their all on the turn of a card, fighting desperately into the rush of the ice rip, now backing from some closing trap in the jam, now dodging floes that fled by them dangerously. Drifting with the stream, winding in and out, toiling slowly upward, they finally reached the slack water below the island and crept along its sheltered banks to the prisoners.

Never had the watching people seen a more daring rescue nor one fraught with more strenuous effort and recklessness.

With cheers and acclamations they were met on the return half a mile below the steamer, but no one save Guthrie Boyd saw Mrs. Marks tremble under the gaze of her rescuer as he bore her from the boat.

Three days later the river was free of ice and the steamer loaded. In the darkness of the evening Boyd walked to the warehouse to see that the cargo was indeed aboard. As he neared the corner he heard the voice of Mrs. Marks speaking rapidly.

"Oh, I can't do it! You ask too much."

The listener sunk his feet in the soft moss and listened. He knew whose voice would answer.

"You must, Dolly!" came the voice of Bardell, intense and dominant. "I love you a thousand times more than he does, and you love me too. We must go tonight. You told me that marshal was on to me. Well, he'll get me sure if I stay another day. I can read it in his eyes. I know I'm bad, but you don't care, do you?"

"No, no! That's the strangest part. I don't know what has come over me. I'd do anything you want me to. Yes, and I was a good woman till I saw you. You're bad, I know, but still I'd do anything, risk anything—yes, everything—for you, but not this."

"You must and you will!" Bardell's voice was hoarse and trembling with desire. "The skiff is at the lower bend. Meet me here in an hour. We'll go away—you and I—you and I always. If you fall me I'll come for you, and heaven help the man that interferes."

Boyd heard her sobbing sigh as the man crushed her to him and then he surrying footfalls.

He stood closely against the log walls, and as Bardell rounded the corner he shoved the muzzle of a revolver roughly into the other's ribs.

Bardell's breath whistled through his teeth, but he stood rigid. "That's right," commanded Boyd. "Don't move till I ring two bells and a jingle." He linked his arm into Bardell's and shoved the gun into his coat pocket so that the muzzle covered the other's abdomen.

"Come on. Make you seasick to have a 45 staring into your innards?" he questioned as they moved down the trail. "I always calculate it brings things home to a feller more to feel he's going to get disfigured in the bowels than in the brain."

"What are you going to do?" said the prisoner.

"Suppose we look at that boat of yours?"

When they reached the skiff the marshal halted his man.

"Now I'm going to make a proposition, Bardell. I know the reward that's out for you from the Coeur d'Alenes, and I know you tried to pot me the other morning from the grove too. Them's trifles. But you're trying to bust a home and ruin a good woman. That's the outside limit. What's become of the girl in Spokane? Alvé yet, eh? You'd leave this one, too, as soon as you got tired of her."

"No!" cried Bardell. "So help me God, I love this woman, and I'm going to have her!"

"No, you ain't! When you see her next, if you ever do, she'll know what's right, for she's a pure woman. Here's my proposition, though God knows I ought to kill you like a reptile and kick you over the bank. You're a nery blackguard, and you saved that girl and her husband all right, so I'm here to let you choose one of two things—climb into that dory and hit for St. Michaels, or these."

He dragged out a pair of handcuffs and clanked them before Bardell's eyes. "And before you choose," he added, "let me state that there won't be no gallant rescuing parties if you come with me. I've been in the business twenty-four years, and Guthrie Boyd never lost a man. I'll hand you over to the mounted police. You know the rest."

Bardell's hands twitched hungrily, and he stammered in his rage, but the small gray man watched him like a cat.

"I choose," he said hoarsely, making for the boat.

"Hold on! One minute! I'll get that gun! Hands up! Good! Now throw me one of them oars. You only need one going downstream, and you might tire yourself trying to get back before we start in the morning. Now off you go."

He watched the boat as it swept out into the whirl and disappeared in the gloom.

His footfalls, muffled by the carpeting moss, brought him close to the warehouse before he was spied by the waiting figure.

"Stop where you are!" came the voice of Dollie Marks. And Boyd marveled at its charge.

"I won't go! I can't go! Thank God, I've seen the horror of it in time!

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W. M. Ward, of Childress, has returned to Floydada to buy on the cotton market again this year.

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"Next time you do that I'll kill ye sure."

ger on taking this outfit to Dawson regardless of you Vermont desperadoes and ribbon counter renegades. Don't do that!" he cried sharply, and with a darting movement he snatched a gun from under his left armpit, arresting the other's desperate move. The strap of a shoulder holster, worn and dark, showed beneath his vest.

"God! It's just flying in the face of Providence to draw on me. Next time you do that I'll kill ye sure." He spoke grimly, and his eyes had narrowed.

"Who are you?" asked Bardell.

"My name's Boyd, sometimes known as Hard Frank, Guthrie Boyd and a few other titles more or less deceiving."

"I know you now," said Bardell blackly, "but you're bucking the wrong game here. We make our own laws in this bend of the river, and your health must have been bad up above for you to come down here. You've got a miserable poor show to last long around this resort."

The three fled out, and Boyd turned in, sleeping peacefully until Captain White hobbled in at dark.

At the cheery cabin of Marks, the purser, once Boyd began to get ac-

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### "Unquestionably the Best Country I Ever Saw"

R. D. Bell, of Fayetteville, Ark., who has lumber interests at Roaring Springs, was in Floydada Thursday last enroute home and visited with Judge F. P. Henry, who is a friend of former days.

Mr. Bell thinks this is the best country he ever visited. "Unquestionably," he told Judge Henry. "It is the best country I ever saw. When it is dry here like this year has been, this country demonstrates that it is the greatest drouth register in the world, and when it's wet like 1914 and 1915, it raises just as good crops, instead of drowning them out."

Mr. Bell returned to his home Friday.

### Mothers' Club Program

For Friday afternoon, October 20, at 4 o'clock.

Song—Marie, Henry, Ruth Brown, Gertrude Mathews, Mosie Lee Oden, Bertha Snodgrass and Alpha Price.

What the Club Has Done Since Organization—Mrs. Henry. Piano Solo—Miss Hamilton. Reading—Mrs. Parks.

What the Club in my Town Did. Suggestions, etc., Misses Henderson and Collier.

Piano Solo—Miss Terry. What Our Club can Do this Term—Mrs. Buckingham.

Mrs. J. D. Starks left Saturday morning for Corpus Christi to attend the meeting of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star in session October 19, 10, 11, as a delegate from Floyd City Chapter.

### Prize Winning Pig Nets

#### 2.4 Pounds Daily Gain

The boys in the Floyd County Pig Club made most excellent showing with their pigs, net profits of a big margin being shown in each instance. Fourteen boys finished in the competition.

The prize winning pig, owned and fed by Frank Fawver, weighed 308 pounds on the day the prizes were awarded, and was valued at \$30.80.

The pig weighed 92 pounds when Frank began feeding him, and made a daily gain of two and four-tenths pounds.

The net profits from the feeding operation was \$16.57, after deducting an expense of \$14.23, figuring feed at prevailing market prices.

### New Marching Record Set

#### By Guard Infantry

Laredo, Texas, Oct. 5.—By marching twenty-five miles in a little less than ten hours, the first New Hampshire infantry today established what military officers here believe to be a record for the National Guard "hikes." The regiment was twenty-five miles from Laredo early today, on a five days' practice march when word was received that Major General Funston was coming to inspect the troops at Laredo. It immediately turned back, making the march in less than ten hours, in order to be here during the department commander's inspection.

### Buys More Land

W. F. Cooksey, who lives fifteen miles southeast of Floydada, has bought another half-section of land adjoining his home.

Mr. Cooksey bought the land for \$15 per acre, through Judge Arthur B. Duncan from a non-resident.

Chas. Latimer, of Hill County, brother-in-law of A. L. Stovall, left Tuesday for home after spending more than a week here visiting Mr. Stovall. Mr. Latimer bought Mr. Stovall's place while here. This is the third relative Mr. Stovall has sold land, having sold to two brothers from Hill County previously. Mr. Stovall bought a 160-acre place near Fairview after disposing of his other place.

Fletcher Haines and wife have been over from Texico the past several days visiting with relatives, coming over for the fair the latter part of last week.

### Order Carrying Returns, and Prohibiting Liquor Sales in Floyd Co.

PROHIBITION ELECTION RETURNS CANVASSED IN COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF FLOYD CO., TEXAS. SPECIAL SESSION

On this the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1916, came on to be canvassed the returns of an Election held in Floyd County Texas, on the ninth day of September, A. D. 1916, to determine whether or not the sale of Intoxicating Liquors should be prohibited in said Floyd County, Texas. And it appearing to the Court, that five copies of the order of the Court, ordering said Election were posted in said Floyd County, according to law; and after opening the returns and counting the votes cast at said Election at the various voting precincts in said County, the Election returns being in due form of law, and properly certified to by the Officers holding said Election, and it appearing to the Court that a majority of votes cast at said Election were for Prohibition. It is shown by the returns that there were cast for Prohibition in said County 440 votes, against Prohibition 78 votes, making a total of 519 votes cast in the county, of which number there were cast in favor of Prohibition 440 votes. It is therefore ordered by the Court that the result of said Election be declared in favor of Prohibition.

And it is therefore ordered by this Court that the sale of Intoxicating Liquors be hereby absolutely prohibited within the limits of Floyd County, Texas, except for the purposes and under the regulations prescribed by law, as enacted in title 88, Vernon Sayles Texas Civil Statutes Vol. 4, Laws of the State of Texas.

This order to remain in full force and effect until such time as the qualified voters of said County may at a legal Election held for that purpose by a majority vote, decide otherwise.

It is further ordered that the County Judge of Floyd County, Texas, give due notice according to law, of the order of this Court, declaring the result of said Election.

The State of Texas ) I Tom W. County of Floyd ) Deen, Clerk County Court in and for said County and State, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an Order of the Court Declaring the Results of said Election, as the same appears of record in Volume 4, Pages 395-96, Minutes Commissioners' Court Floyd County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 27th day of September, A. D. 1916.

Tom W. Deen, Clerk County Court, Floyd County, Texas.  
By Lola Walling, Deputy.  
[SEAL.] 4tc

### Couple Married Friday

B. M. Bryant and Miss Piercie Reynolds were married in the sheriff's office in Floydada Friday afternoon shortly after 4 o'clock, Judge J. C. Gaither officiating.

### Rev. Baites Moves to Weatherford

Rev. B. L. Baites, wife and son, left Friday for Weatherford where he will make his home and will preach on a circuit in Parker County.

Rev. Baites was pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church at Floydada for a year or more. He endeared himself to many friends while here.

R. L. Denny, of Halsell, was here last week on a short prospecting trip with D. T. Curry.

P. B. Brown of Lubbock visited his sister, Mrs. F. W. Cooksey, last week.

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### Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912,

Of the Floyd County Hesperian published weekly at Floydada, Texas, for October 1, 1916.

State of Texas, ) Before me, a County of Floyd, ) notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Homer Steen, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor and business manager of the Floyd County Hesperian and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:

Publisher, Hesperian Publishing Co., Floydada, Texas; Editor, Homer Steen, Floydada, Texas; Managing Editor, Homer Steen, Floydada, Texas; Business Manager, Homer Steen, Floydada, Texas.

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uted, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the six months preceding the date shown above is—(This information is required from daily publications only.)

Homer Steen, Editor and Business Mgr. Sworn and subscribed before me this 2nd day of October, 1916.

F. M. Butler, Notary Public, Floyd County, Texas.

(My commission expires June 1, 1917.) (SEAL.)

Henry Hobbs and wife and Bob Johnson, of Matador, the latter editor of the Motley County News, were in Floydada Friday of the fair.

J. H. Ratjen, of Providence, father of Will Ratjen, student in Floydada High School, was here Friday attending the fair and visiting with his son.

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J. N. Shaddock, of Randlett, Okla., is spending this week with his brother-in-law, R. L. Day, in the south part of the county on a visit and prospecting. Mr. Shaddock plans to buy and locate here.

J. S. Young of Shattuck, Okla., is visiting with his son, J. E. Young and family, this week.

**Order Passed by City Council**

At a Called Meeting of the City Council of Floydada, Texas, on the 3rd day of October A. D. 1916, the following resolution was passed by order of said City Council, to-wit:

"That it is hereby ordered and directed that sidewalks of concrete material be constructed along certain streets and highways within the city of Floydada, Texas, and that all the expenses of such construction be proportioned among and charged to the owners of abutting property along said streets and highways herein ordered to be improved, wherein such property fronts upon and along the portion and line of streets and highways so ordered to be improved. Such sidewalks are herein ordered to be constructed as follows, to-wit:

Of sidewalks to be of the width of 4 ft. 2 in. and 22 inches from property line, and designated as Residence Sidewalks, as follows: For the west side of Fifth Street, from Tennessee St. to Jackson St. and in front of the east sides of lots Nos. 9 and 8, in block No. 107, lot No. 9, in block 92, lots No. 17 and 16, in block No. 85, lots No. 17 and 16, in block No. 70, lots Nos. 9 and 8, in block No. 63, and lots Nos. 9 and 8, in block No. 48. For the south side of Kentucky Street, from Main St. to Third St. and in front of the north side of lot No. 10, in block No. 106, in front of lots Nos. 9, 8, 7, 6, 5 and 4, in block No. 106, lot No. 2, in block No. 107, and lots Nos. 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2 and 1, in block No. 108. For east side of Main St. and between Kentucky and Tennessee Sts. and in front of lots Nos. 21, 20, 19, 18, 17, 16, 15, 14 and 13, in block No. 105. For south side of Tennessee St. from Main St. to 8th St. and in front of the north sides of lots Nos. 12 and 1, in block No. 116, and lot No. 6, in block No. 117, and in front of lots Nos. 5, 4, 3, 2 and 1, in block No. 117. For west side of Main St. from Mississippi St. to Houston St. and in front of lot No. 11, in block No. 93, lots Nos. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19, in block No. 106, lot No. 8, in block No. 115, and lots Nos. 6, 9, 10 and 11, in block No. 128. For south side of Mississippi St. from Main St.

to Fourth St. and in front of the north side of lot No. 10, in block No. 93, in front of lots Nos. 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2 and 1, in block No. 93, and lots Nos. 5 and 4, in block No. 92. For the south side of Missouri St. from Fourth to Third Sts. and in front of lots Nos. 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2 and 1, in block No. 69.

Of sidewalks to be of the width of 5 feet, and 5 feet from the property line, and designated as the middle section of business sidewalks (the other sections to complete sidewalk of a width of 15 ft. 6 in. wherein not already constructed, not being required to be constructed by this order), as follows: For north side of Missouri St., between Main and Fifth Sts. and in front of lots No. 24, 23 and 22, in block No. 62. For the south side of Missouri St. between Main and Fifth Sts. and in front of lots Nos. 20, 21 and 22, in block No. 71. For south side of California St. between Main and Fifth Sts. and in front of lots Nos. 20, 21 and 22, in block No. 84, and in front of Lots Nos. 30, 29, 28, 27, 26, 25 and 24, in block No. 84. For the north side of California St. between Main and Fifth Sts. and in front of lots Nos. 30, 29, 28, 27, 26, 25, 24 and 23, in block No. 71.

Wherein any of the aforesaid lots are corner lots, it is also hereby ordered that such sidewalks be ordered as extended beyond the frontage of such lot or lots into the intersecting street with that on which said corner lot fronts, for 12 1/2 lineal feet further, if intersecting street is that of 75 feet in width, and 15 1/2 lineal feet further, if intersecting street is that of 100 feet in width, as additional, and the expenses of construction of same to be charged to such corner lots respectively."

W. T. Montgomery, Mayor. Attest:

J. B. Jenkins, City Sec'y.

The following named are known to be, or shown from the Deed Records of Floyd County, Texas, to be the owner or owners of one or more of the aforesaid lots, to-wit:

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**Union Pacific Railroad Earns Over 15 Per Cent**

New York, Oct. 4.—The annual report of the Union Pacific Railroad Company for the year ended June 30, last, made public today, showed earnings of 15 65 per cent for the common stock, compared with 10.98 per cent the previous year.

Reviewing the operations for the year, Chairman Robert S. Lovett said, in part:

"Operating revenues for the year are the largest in the history of the Union Pacific system. This extraordinary increase is due to the business revival affecting all lines of traffic, which set in along our territory October 1, 1915, and the curtailment of shipping through Pacific Coast ports and our Atlantic ports on account of the withdrawal of ships to more profitable lines as a result of the European war and the closing of the Panama Canal."

Mrs. A. H. Brooks, of Tulia, was the guest of Mrs. R. L. Henry in Floydada during the fair.

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The past sixty days have seen an unprecedented influx of immigration to Floyd County, and land sales have been so numerous that it has been practically impossible to record all of them in the Hesperian.

In the sixty days a conservative estimate of the number of tracts that have changed hands is placed at one hundred.

In most instances where purchases were made the buyers are preparing to move or have moved to this county, while most of the people who have sold are also remaining. Some who have sold, however, are moving to cheaper lands where pastures are more easily obtained for grazing.

**Well-Bred Cattle Make Money**

E. C. Dodson, of Lockney, eighteen months ago invested \$1800 in eight head of thoroughbred Hereford cattle, and today has fourteen head of thoroughbreds, including a two thousand dollar bull calf, after selling \$2300 worth from the herd.

Mr. Dodson's herd came from the famous Gudgell & Simpson herd at Independence, Mo., which was dispersed at the time Mr. Dodson bought.

W. R. Ivey and wife, of Amarillo, were in Floydada the latter part of last week visiting with Mrs. Ivey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Surginer, and attending the fair.

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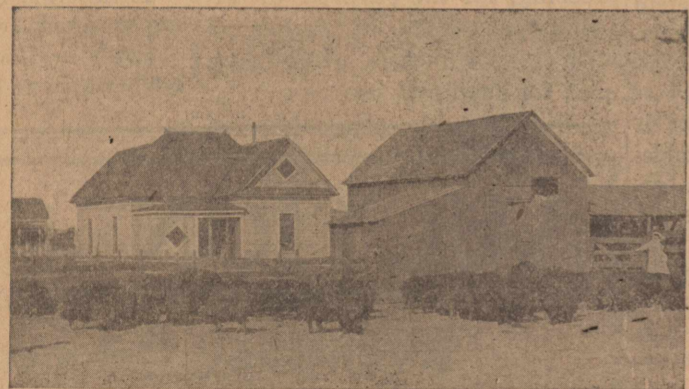
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FLOYDADA,

A. M. Stoddard, Manager

TEXAS

### Fair Days Bring Big

#### Crowds to Floydada

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that of Frank Leonard, who settled in 1881, about the time the big ranches began to operate in this country. Several registered as having settled here in '82, '83 and '84. According to the most authentic sources available to this writer the first permanent ranch to be established in this section was made in 1878, and the eighties and early nineties saw the hey-day of the big ranches. Previous to that time the country had been given over to the Indian and the buffalo.

Several out-of-county old settlers visited here during the day. Mrs. Muncy, mother of the president of the association, was the oldest woman among the number.

Curiously enough, as one stood and watched the Old Settlers in the New Era Parade in the afternoon it could not be forgotten that, though posing as Old Timers, this parade included in its ranks a big per cent of the most progressive and forward-looking citizenship of the present day.

Officers of the association for the ensuing year are: R. E. L. Muncy, president; J. J. Day, vice president; R. C. Scott, secretary; Executive Committee, W. L. Boerner, R. T. Miller, W. A. Shipley, E. G. Foster and J. C. Fortenberry.

#### FOOT BALL BOYS LOSE

The Floydada High School Foot Ball Team lost the second game of the season on Friday afternoon to Plainview High School, being out-weighted and out-played by the visitors in every department of the game, the score stood 31 to 0, the visitors taking the game with ease.

Matador and Silvertown High School teams which played Saturday afternoon were more evenly matched, Matador winning a

stubbornly contested game 7 to 6. The Doll Parade on Friday afternoon drew its usual quota of interest. Fifty children with dolls and conveyances marched in the parade. The winners of prizes are given in another column.

Winners in the various departments, including the oratorical and reading contest, the boys' races, and all regular departments of the fair are given in another column.

Ideal weather prevailed throughout each day. The attendance is considered all the more remarkable since the people of the county have been needed so badly in their harvesting.

#### McCoy News Notes.

##### By Stupid.

Many were the ones that attended the Fair at Floydada last week. Everybody and his best girl were there; also their parents. Among those who went Friday were: F. J. McDermott and family, W. H. Furrow and family, J. W. Jones and family, M. C. Cox and family, C. F. Lincoln and family, W. E. Wright and family, R. N. Hamilton and family, G. F. Shipman and family, A. C. McSpadden and family, Mr. LaMay and family, W. L. Berry and family and many others.

Among those who attended on Saturday were D. F. Payne and family, W. E. Smith and family, F. J. McDermott and family, and several young folks. Last week saw many of the farmers in Floydada with cotton. R. B. Caldwell was in town Saturday with a bale.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lincoln were in Floydada all day Sunday attending the county meeting of the Christian church.

A large crowd attended the evening services at this place Sunday and also at prayer meet-

ing service at night.

Messrs. Sawyers, Caldwell, Chapman, Sawyers of Cone and Neil Goggins of Ralls were in this vicinity Sunday afternoon.

A. H. Manning and daughters of Floydada were out at the evening service Sunday.

Lee Hammit of Cone was in this neighborhood Sunday afternoon.

Jim Jones of Amarillo is spending the week with his parents at this place.

R. G. Elliott and L. Comer were in town Monday on business.

W. E. Smith was in Floydada Monday.

W. J. Berry was in town Monday with a bale of the staple.

Bonnie Parrish was trading in town the first of the week.

Mrs. R. N. Hamilton was in Floydada Monday in her car.

Marvin Jones was in town the first of the week with cotton.

A. L. Hurst was in town the fore part of the week on business.

W. V. Smith was in Lockney Tuesday.

W. E. Wright was in Floydada this week with a load of the staple.

#### The Week's News From the Providence Community

Providence, October 9, 1916.—

Mr. Garner has moved to Plainview to live.

J. B. Smith and family of Mickey spent a couple of days at the home of Mrs. M. E. Nations this week.

Lon Pendley and family have moved to Seth Ward Heights to live.

Rogers Hays of Midway was a pleasant caller in the community Sunday evening.

Most everybody from here took in the Fox-Carter show Saturday night it being the last night at Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Palmer of Plainview were the guests of I. C. Nations and wife over Sunday.

S. M. Nations returned Monday from old Mexico where he has been for the past three or four months.

School is progressing fine.

The singing at E. C. Dodson's Sunday night was well attended.

An oil stove caused quite a scare here Saturday night. As Mrs. Crosthwait was baking on oil stove, the wicks became caught and the flames began to get high, the stove was taken out and the fire was put out by prompt action.

Mr. Fred Boedeker gave a select dance Saturday night.

R. B. Mercer is in this locality

putting in wheat on his place.

W. C. Ooley was a Plainview caller Monday.

Chas. Veigel and family did shopping in Plainview Saturday.

W. A. Bates and wife, also Mrs. E. C. Dodson took in the Fair at Floydada Friday.

John Thomas of Floydada is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Chas. Barrett.

#### Guthrie Boyd of the Shooting Star

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Don't touch!" "That you, Mrs. Marks?" he broke in. "Can't see very well in this light. Thought I was Marks, eh?" The woman drew back against the logs with a cry. Boyd took her quaking arm and guided her back along the trail toward the twinkling lights, talking as he went. He spoke of the coming start and the varied incidents of the flood. "Bardell just left," he remarked casually, and at her frightened gasp he continued: "Yes; he got



"His wife!" she repeated slowly, painfully.

a small boat and went down the river. I saw him off. Ain't it strange how a bad man always gets a good woman?" "What do you mean?" she whispered, stopping suddenly.

"I know his wife well?" "His wife!" she repeated slowly, painfully.

"Yes. She's living in Spokane. Awful sweet little woman and working hard to keep the youngster in school."

The Marks woman shivered as if the night air bit to her bones, and as they neared the village her husband met them.

"Is that you, Dollie?" he cried anxiously. "I didn't know where you'd gone." He placed an affectionate arm about her.

"Isn't she a darling?" said the impulsive husband fondly. "A fellow can always tell when a woman loves him and him alone, can't he? I tell you there's nothing like the honest affection of a true woman. I know her every thought. I suppose you think I'm a fool, don't you?" he apologized.

"You a fool!" said Boyd, with extreme surprise. "No, sir—ee. I consider you just as acute as the majority."

#### ESKIMOS HAVE MANY GAMES

Also Are Said to Show Remarkable Proficiency in Contests That Call for Skill.

In the matter of amusements the Eskimos are not badly off. They have a form of the cup-and-ball game played there, the ball being a block of ivory with holes at different angles, into which one of the players strives to insert an ivory peg as the block falls, the position of the hole determining the value of the stroke.

Another game closely resembles dominoes, while, when they can borrow or purchase a pack of cards, the more intelligent of them will play with considerable skill; and they enjoy drafts, having learned these games from the whalers. They also have a game exactly like solitaire, with the exception that ivory pegs take the place of glass balls.

The special amusement of the women is a species of "cat's cradle," which has been brought to such perfection that they develop from the string twenty to thirty different figures in it. Indeed, they are extremely clever in performing tricks with string, winding and twisting a piece in and out among their fingers, and then disentangling it by a single pull of the end.

#### RANGE FINDING IN AIR DUELS.

A French writer on aircraft indicated the difficulty in finding the range in an air duel. If you have two machines flying in opposite directions each at a speed of 100 miles an hour and thus having a combined speed of 200 miles an hour the distance of the two machines varies at the rate of nearly 300 feet a second, which means, he says, that within the space of five seconds required for aiming after estimating the range the target is 1,500 feet closer than it was at first. If the trajectory of your missile is slightly too curved you will fire over the target.

## The Baldwin Piano

ALTHOUGH its creator was unknown, the Venus de Milo was hailed immediately upon its discovery as the world's greatest sculpture. Likewise, the Baldwin Piano when exhibited at the Paris Exposition was the product of comparatively unknown makers but it was awarded the Grand Prix and was declared "hors concours" (beyond competition). True genius proclaims itself. It needs no pedigree. Ask for The Book of the Baldwin



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#### Ordinance No. 28

An Ordinance to prohibit tractors, engines, and like heavy machinery of any kind, and any kind of machinery, etc., having wheels, the tire surfaces of which are not smooth, from being driven or moved on or across any of the street and alley crossings of the city of Floydada, Texas, which have been constructed of concrete, brick, or like materials, without first reinforcing such crossings, and to provide a penalty for the violation of same.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the city of Floydada Texas:

Section 1.—That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, firm or corporation, to drive or move any tractor, engine, or like heavy machinery, or machinery, etc., of any kind having wheels, the tire surface of which are not smooth, on or across any of the street and alley crossings of the city of Floydada, Texas, which have been constructed of concrete, brick, or like materials, without first reinforcing such crossings, whereby such machinery, etc., can be moved across such street and alley crossings without injury to such street and alley crossings being made by such machinery, etc.

Section 2.—The street and alley crossings, when such crossing of same by such machinery, etc., is made, shall be made good as before, or restored to the conditions prevailing before crossing was made by such machinery, etc., to be done by the removal of all dirt, rubbish, etc., created on or about such street or alley crossing, for the purpose of effecting a crossing in compliance with this Ordinance, after being used for such purpose.

Section 3.—The materials used to reinforce street and alley crossings, for the purpose as named, shall be of sufficient thickness, so as to insure no injury to such street and alley crossings, and any injury to any such street and alley crossings, wherein a reinforcement was made, which injury might have been prevented by the reinforcement being thicker, shall not absolve the person or persons, firm or corporation making the injury in such case, from liability in the violation of this Ordinance.

Section 4.—Any person or persons who willfully violates any of the provisions of this Ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not less than one dollar nor more than fifty dollars, and each street or alley crossing, so crossed in violation of this Ordinance shall constitute a separate offense for each time.

Section 5.—This ordinance shall go into effect and be in force on and after the 23rd day of October, A. D., 1916.

Passed Oct. 10, A. D., 1916.

Approved Oct. 10, A. D., 1916.

W. T. Montgomery, Mayor.

Attest:

J. B. Jenkins, City Sec'y.

#### NOT LIKELY.

"Can I have another plate of ice cream, mother?"

"No, Freddie. Too much ice cream isn't good for little boys."

"How do you know it isn't mother? Did you ever hear of a little boy having too much ice cream?"

#### WRONG COLOR.

Tittle—She told me she was going to bleach her hair.

Tattle—How indiscreet. She really ought to keep it dark.

## AUCTION SALE

Wednesday, October 18

At My Place one and a half miles west of Lockney, on Plainview road—beginning at 10 o'clock. FREE LUNCH AT NOON.

#### 19 Head of Horses and Mules

Two Mares.  
Two big work mules—coming 4s, mares matched.  
One pair Mules—coming 3s.  
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One Jennett—subject to registration,—coming 3.  
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Nearly all high-grade Short-horns.  
One Milch cow and calf—good cow,  
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