

Kaffir Corn on The Chicago Market

Curiosity ten years ago, Now Staple
 Commodity on Markets.---
 First Lake Shipment
 Made.

(A. M. HOVE.)

Kaffir corn and milo maize were curiosities east of the Missouri River ten years ago. Today both are recognized staples in the great markets as the following from the Chicago Herald of the 8th inst., indicates.

"Chicago is doing considerable business in kaffir corn and milo maize. No. 4 and sample grade kaffir sold in the sample market yesterday at \$1.26, No. 3 milo at \$1.25, and No. 4 mixed milo at \$1.20 per 100 lbs. A sale 25,000 bushels milo was made yesterday to go east by lake, the first bulk shipment of milo by lake in the history of this market."

As the food value of kaffir and other grains becomes better understood, there will be demand for them in all markets. Even the growers have not fully comprehended the feeding value of these grains. But it is being demonstrated in this section that kaffir and milo make market topping pork, beef, and mutton.

Miss Beulah Sparks, of Crystal City, is out on a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. A. Burrus, having arrived last week.

John B. Stetson & Davis Hats
 Carhart Overalls
 Hamilton Brown Shoes
FAIR STORE-Floydada

God never made a country that could prosper permanently without livestock. That fact should be preached from every platform.—Dr. J. D. Eggleton.

Many of the most successful Exhibitors at the annual Fairs held in Floydada have long been good customers of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

We have aided them, they have aided us, and we are growing together all the time. Our Success has been theirs.

As the time rolls around for the Ninth Annual Floyd County Fair, Sep. 9, 10th 11th, and you are preparing your best Products for the occasion, you should not forget that a good bank is the farmer's best friend. Come around and start an account with us now. We feel sure that your business with us will prove permanently agreeable and mutually profitable.

The
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 Of Floydada,

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 J. H. Donaldson, Assistant Cashier,
 F. M. Butler, Assistant Cashier.

MUCH LOSS NOW ON EGGS.

Fertile Eggs cannot be Put on
 Market.--Merchants Resorting to
 Candling to Avoid Loss

Floydada merchants are finding it necessary to candle all the eggs now coming on the market here in order to avoid heavy losses in shipping. This is due to the fact that roosters are allowed to run with the flocks and a large percent of the eggs are fertile. Fertile eggs are classed by the dealers as rotten, because they become unmarketable within a few days. The federal law also prohibits the sale of unsound eggs.

Having taken several heavy losses on account of the fertile eggs being mixed with the infertile, local merchants have had to begin candling.

A. D. White who is one of the largest shippers of eggs locally says that possibly eighty per cent of the eggs marketed here the last ten days have been unmerchantable, and have been separated from the merchantable eggs by candling at a heavy expense.

Baker-Campbell Consolidation Matter Settled Harmoniously.

The Baker-Campbell School district consolidation matter which has occupied the attention of the residents of the two districts for the matter of several months, and has also had quite a little consideration in local official circles, has been settled harmoniously and to the satisfaction of all parties concerned.

BORN.—To Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Morris, city, July 19th, a son.

FAIR PREMIUM LIST IN THIS ISSUE

This issue of The Hesperian contains the premium list of the Ninth Annual Floyd County Fair, to be held in Floydada September 9th, 10 and 11th, 1915.

Read the list over and note carefully the rules governing each department.

Note the attractive premiums offered and begin now to make preparations for your exhibits.

Floydada Base Ball Team Goes to Matador for 3 Games.

Floydada Baseball team will go to Matador on the 28th and 29th for a series of three games, during the picnic to be held there.

One game will be played the first afternoon, one the second morning and one the second afternoon.

The locals have played 20 games this year, winning 16. This is the best record of any team in this section. Matador expects to have a team to play on the 28th and 29th that will make a much better showing than the one that visited Floydada earlier in the season. For this reason no little interest is attached in local ball circles to the forthcoming games.

Big Rains in North Floyd County

Big Rains have fallen the past ten days in the north and north-west portions of Floyd County, extending northward several counties and including the north part of Hale County. The rain extended south to within a few miles of Floydada. Only light showers fell at this point and south.

Interviews with scores of farmers who have not yet had rains since the early summer planting was finished, are authority for the statement that crops continue to hold up well and are not suffering for lack of rain. Young crops especially continue to grow vigorously while older feed stuffs will hold several days without material damage. Cool nights and cloudy days have been of value to crops where rains have not fallen.

Duncan Has White Crest Demonstration.

Duncan Grocery Company held their White Crest Demonstration last Saturday and Monday, with Mrs. Montebaro and Miss Maupin in charge. The ladies did not reach this place until Friday afternoon. Friday was to have been the first day of the demonstration.

Many of the store's customers and friends attended the demonstration.

Young Lady Drowns In Blanco Canyon.

Miss Grace Clark, daughter of W. Clark of the Amity community north of Dickens, was drowned Tuesday afternoon while bathing in Blanco Canyon and her remains were buried Wednesday in the Dickens cemetery.

Miss Clark and Miss Wilson, daughter of Minor Wilson, accompanied by Mr. Clark, had gone to Blanco to fish. The young ladies were bathing at the time of the accident. Miss Clark was about twenty five years of age and had lived in Dickens county the greater part of her life. She had taught school a number of years in both the Liberty and Amity schools and was a lady of intelligence, lovable character and high accomplishments.—The Texas Spur.

Williams and Hodge Hogs Bring Top for the day at Ft. Worth.

The hogs shipped by J. W. Williams and V. F. Hodge last Saturday to the Fort Worth market, were not sold until Tuesday, being a day longer on the road than usual. They weighed out about the figures expected however, according to a telegram returned here by Mr. Hodge Tuesday.

The hogs brought \$7.80, which was the top for the day.

Meeting Begins at McCoy Friday Night.

Rev. G. W. Tubbs will begin a revival meeting at McCoy on Friday night of this week. His brother, Rev. W. L. Tubbs, of Fort Worth, will assist him in the meeting.

They closed a successful meeting at Cone last Sunday night.

Chatman-Day.

Miss Lillie Mae Chatman and Mr. M. H. Day, of the Cone community, were united in marriage Sunday forenoon at Cone. Rev. G. W. Tubbs performed the ceremony.

Father of W. A. Knox Killed in Auto Accident at Big Springs.

Tuesday afternoon W. A. Knox, who lives five miles northwest of Floydada, received a telephone message stating that his father had been killed at or near Big Springs in an auto accident.

His father lived in South Texas, and was enroute to this county to visit with his son, when the accident occurred. He was killed on Monday but Mr. Knox did not receive the news until Tuesday afternoon. He left immediately for the scene.

None of the particulars of the accident are obtainable.

Six Amendments to be Voted on Saturday July 24th.

Following are six proposed amendments to the State Constitution to be voted upon July 24th—next Saturday:

1. To increase the membership of the supreme court from three to five.
2. To permit counties to vote for the creation of a special loan fund for students.
3. To authorize the levy of a special road tax of not to exceed fifty cents on the \$100 valuation in counties or subdivisions thereof.
4. Authorizing the issuance of bonds for public improvements including drainage, levees, etc.
5. To permit traveling men to vote wherever they may be on election day.
6. The Sackett resolution providing for the separation of the Texas University and the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College.

W. R. Cope left Tuesday for Dallas on a business trip of several days duration. He plans to buy an auto for use on the Roaring Springs line while away

FAST-HOG TRAIN SOUTH PLAINS TO FT. WORTH MARKET

Beginning Saturday Santa Fe Institutes Weekly Fast Train to Market From Plains Points.

Every Saturday beginning Saturday, July 24th, the Santa Fe will run a special fast hog train from plains points to Fort Worth, via Sweetwater and the Texas Pacific. Heavy hog shipments from Sout Plains points has made this train necessary.

The special train is scheduled to reach Fort Worth about midnight Sunday. It will enable the shippers from plains points to appear on the market early Monday morning.

REVIVAL MEETING IN PROGRESS.

The Union Revival being held at the tabernacle, with Evangelist Sid Williams doing the preaching, has been in progress since Sunday forenoon, opening with an attendance that taxed the capacity of the tabernacle. Successive services have been well-attended, the evening crowds being quite large.

Rev. Brown, who is leading the song service, arrived Wednesday afternoon, after being delayed for three days. F. M. Butler led the song service during the time.

Much interest is being manifested in the meeting.

Mrs. Emma Armstrong and daughter, Miss Myrtle, of Brown County, left Monday morning for points in Denver and in Oklahoma, where they will visit with Mrs. Armstrong's brothers, after a visit here of several days duration with R. T. Miller and family. On Sunday the connections of the family here enjoyed the day together at R. T. Miller's residence. There were 32 present of the family. Mr. Miller had not seen his sister for many years.

Judge F. P. Henry went to visit with his son, S. A. Henry, north of Lockney last week, and after arriving there became sick. He has been unable to return home as yet.

Lem Flannary and wife returned Monday from an extended visit in Central Texas, at Mr. Flannary's former home in Bosque County.

Gus DeCordova and family, of the Allmon community, and brother Frank DeCordova, of Collinsville, visited in Floydada Sunday the guests of H. C. Bcsley and family.

Lockney State Bank Loses Case Against Bolin

Two Pleas of Guilty in Co. Court Giving Checks without funds in Bank to Cover.

Floyd County Court has been in session since Monday, with Judge E. P. Thompson presiding. The jury for the first week was empanelled Monday and the trial of the case of The Lockney State Bank vs. H. S. Bolin was begun Tuesday morning. The case went to the jury late Wednesday afternoon and a verdict for the defendant was returned by the jury. Attorneys for the plaintiff bank filed motion for a new trial.

Monday fines were entered up on two pleas of guilty to charges of giving checks without having funds in the bank.

Other civil cases will come up for trial today.

Eight Week Club.

Miss Willie Slaughter entertained the Eight Week Club girls last Wednesday night with a slumber party. The earlier part of the evening was spent at the theatre, after which we returned to Miss Slaughter's and spent a few hours in social chattering which several selections of music were given. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

The Eight Week Club met Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist Church. There were only eight members present, but important business was transacted.

Five committees were appointed: Social, educational, religious social service and reporting. A chairman was appointed for each committee, and two assistants for each.

This club is not only for amusement, but is for creating an all-embracing bond of friendship among the girls in our town.

The club will meet again next week at the M. E. Church. The time is 3:30. Every girl of Floydada is cordially invited to attend.
 Reporter.

Ira D. Gamble, of the Gamble Land & Cattle Co., left this morning for Wolfe City to spend several days on business. He will visit other central and north Texas points while away.

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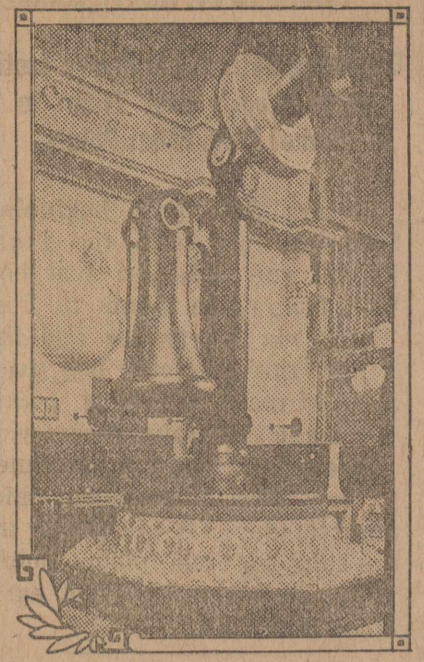
FROM every part of the world visitors are thronging to the great Exposition at San Francisco. The Exposition there is the most comprehensive and interesting of all universal expositions, and it will probably be the last to be held within the present generation. Now is the time to see it.

The Panama-Pacific International Exposition, which opened on Feb. 20 last, has charmed the millions who have already beheld the magic city by the Golden Gate.

The marvels of the universe are displayed in the vast exhibit palaces, affording the most comprehensive summary of the world's progress ever disclosed. Many of the exhibits are as revolutionary in their character and mean as much to future generations as did the locomotive or telegraph when it was first introduced. The audion amplifier, for example, makes it possible for a man in New York city to deliver an address through the telephone to a large audience in San Francisco, 3,000 miles away. Through the use of heat waves the intensity of the voice vibrations is increased to such an extent that, although the orator may deliver his address in a low voice into the telephone in New York, in San Francisco it is possible to increase the sound in volume sufficient to fill a large hall. On the other hand, the New York speaker's address may be distributed through telephonic receiving disks attached to each chair in the hall in San Francisco. In one of the exhibit palaces visitors may, without charge, hear a man in New York read from the headlines of the New York newspapers. This performance begins in the Palace of Liberal Arts each day at 3 o'clock.

The amazing voice amplifier is but

one of many revolutionary scientific advances demonstrated at the Exposition. The invention has made possible the transcontinental telephone, and the principle which is applied has not been developed to its fullest extent. It is said that with the probable develop-



TELEPHONE TWENTY-TWO FEET HIGH AT THE PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION.

This giant telephone is shown in the Palace of Liberal Arts, Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco.

ment of the long distance wireless telephone this new invention will make it possible to project the human voice halfway around the globe without the use of a telephone wire. Contrast the era sixty-five years ago, when the pio-

neer required months to cross the plains, with that of today, when the orator in New York may address his audience in San Francisco.

And there are many other developments as wonderful and as revolutionary, all revealing the trend of the world's progress in the arts, sciences and industries. If you are interested in mining, for example, beneath the floor of the vast Palace of Mines you may find a mine in operation, with its stopes and tunnels and shafts and compressed air drills. Wait a moment and you may witness an explosion in the mine. A gong rings; an ambulance dashes up with a corps of rescuers provided with respiratory apparatus, and effects a rescue.

In the Palace of Machinery you may see a miniature battleship blown up by a miniature mine patterned after one of the latest types of the submarine mine. In the Palace of Education you will see classes of students engaged in their studies, and perhaps you may be able to see Mme. Montessori, the celebrated Italian teacher, instructing classes of children. In the vast exhibit palaces and state buildings motion pictures are freely employed with this object in view. There are forty-three free cinematograph shows upon the Exposition grounds, and, by the way, there is no charge to enter the exhibit palaces.

If you are interested in what the foreign nations have accomplished you have only to visit the marvelous displays of the European countries or of those of the Orient or South America, Canada or Australia. Among the French displays you may, if you wish, behold priceless works of art never before exhibited in America and which at the Exposition find sanctuary from the ravages of war.

and marched out of the big tabernacle. One of the evangelists choice gems was in regard to some members of the choir who had attended a dance, whom he said were "liars and bound for hell, and had no more religion than a Georgia gopher."

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Norton Baker and Arleigh Cooper were transacting business in Floydada Wednesday from Lockney.

Ex-Bandit Gets Dose of Old Game.

Los Angeles, July 12.—Al Jennings, the former Oklahoma bandit, was discussing the sensations experienced by persons who are compelled at the point of a revolver to give up their valuables.

Jennings was a passenger last night on an interurban electric car which was held up by two masked men. He, with other passengers, yielded money and jewelry amounting to about \$200.

Mrs. Odessa Spillman, of Tulia is visiting here this week with her brothers, Edgar and R. E. Jones.

Give The Bat a Clean Bill of Health

Referring to popular superstitions that bring the bat into unmerited disrepute, Prof. W. S. Taylor, of the Department of Agricultural Education of the University of Texas, says:

"There are a number of popular superstitions regarding the bat that should be corrected in the minds of the people. It is commonly believed that bats bring bed bugs into houses. They are also accused of being infested with lice. Some people are foolish enough to believe that bats entangle themselves in ladies' tresses. And still others accuse these most extremely sanitary little animals of being unclean. Not one single one of these indictments is well-found-

ed. Bats never carried insects into any home except those insects that were in their stomachs. He frequently flies into houses to feed on the insects in the rooms. The appearance of a bat in a house is a reflection on the home and not on the bat. So, instead of arming every member of the family with brooms, shovels, rakes, etc., and killing the poor little creature that is trying to serve humanity, it would be well to give him a chance to rid the house of bugs. The idea that they get in ladies' tresses is most ridiculous. This Superstition must have arisen from the fact that bats are naturally insectivorous and if they are fed lice they eat them with a relish. But it would scare the poor little fellow almost to death to find himself entangled in a woman's hair. Those people who accuse the bat of being unclean would do well to see to it that they are just as sanitary as the bat. There never was a human being more careful about his personal cleanliness than is a bat about his own. He makes his toilet regularly and carefully. 'He washes his face with the front part of his wings and then licks the washcloth clean; he scratches the back of his head with his hind foot and then licks the foot; when hanging head down, he will reach one foot down and scratch behind his ear with an aplomb truly comical in such a mite; but it is most fun of all to see him clean his wings. He seizes the edges in his mouth and stretches and licks the membranes until we are sure it is made of silk elastic, for he pulls and hauls it in a way truly amazing.'

"There is still another accusation made against the bat that it might be well to mention. It is still believed by a few people that bats are vampires and if they get an opportunity will suck the blood from sleeping children or grown ups. There are two species of bats in South America that sometimes attack people sleeping, but the injury caused is entirely negligible. Nobody ever heard of any fatalities resulting from their bites. They annoy stock to a certain extent but they do not bother people except to wake them from peaceful slumbers by biting their toes when they are so foolish as to sleep with them exposed. But the bats in North America are not vampires. They are insect feeders and are greatly beneficial."

East Texan Notes Many Improvements in Floyd County.

K. G. A. Kusch, of Gay Hill, Texas, visited Floydada last week on a trip to see his real estate here. This is his second visit to the county in three years, and he expressed himself as very much gratified over the substantial improvements he sees in the development of the county.

The excellent farm houses and the substantiality which they denote was a special feature of Mr. Kusch's comment.

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Pay-Up Week Plan
May Sweep Nation.

Hume, Mo., July 11.—A call for the observance of national pay-up week, Jan. 1 to 8, 1916, was issued here today. That week every person in the United States will have a chance to pay what he owes and start the new year square with the world.

The call is the result of the satisfactory effect of pay-up week in Hume which was observed here the first week in June. The idea attracted attention and many requests came from various parts of the country asking how to organize a pay-up campaign.

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horticultural exhibits as heretofore, but also school work, ladies' work, or other industry of the community that adds to its industrial or social attractiveness.

The prizes in this department, it will be noted, are to be paid directly to the school board of the successful competing communities. School trustees and teachers should be especially interested for the reason these communities will receive special benefit from the valuable publicity growing out of their efforts.

V. F. Hodge left Saturday for Fort Worth on business. From that place he will go on to his former home in Williamson County for a visit of a week or more.

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Community Co-Operation
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We have said a great deal to our readers about the advantages and possibilities of properly directed co-operative effort. Developments in many communities in the Southwest are bearing us out in our contention that the undivided cooperation of the residents of this or any other locality, will result in increased prosperity and happiness to all interested persons.

In one Texas county that we know of the merchants, bankers and professional men have all joined hands in a movement designed to develop the possibilities of the community to the highest point. Results being secured are most satisfying and the people are wondering why they waited so long to get together and take advantage of the opportunities so long at their command.

The leading banker in one of the towns in the above mentioned county stated to the writer that, while every interest and individual engaged in the work is due a share of the credit, the greater part of it belongs to the merchants who bear the brunt of the hard work and expense. It is needless to say that these merchants could not extend their cooperation unless their businesses were in a healthy condition. In other words it is necessary for people in the community to patronize local stores in order to enable the merchants to take active part in community welfare work.

This community offers as good opportunity for work of this kind as any other section. We will gladly do our part, as we have always done, in any movement for the good of this community.

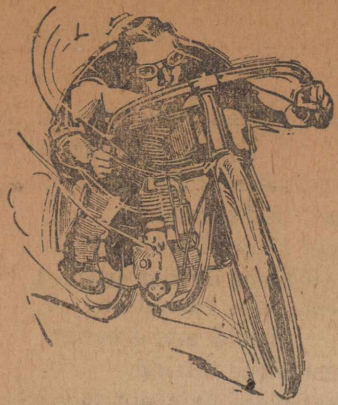
Evangelist Starts Sensation at Sweetwater Revival.

Down at Sweetwater a genuine sensation was pulled off last week at the union revival being held by Evangelists Ham and Ramsey. It seems Evangelist Ham had been scoring the Elks lodge very severely, among other things saying no Christian would belong to the order, in fact all Elks are criminals in a way, and that to wear an Elk pin was equivalent to inviting a man to take a drink of liquor with one. The Elks came back at him by inviting him to attend the Fourth of July dance. He "went up in the air" as it were, upon receiving the invitation, and what he said then was "a sure enough plenty." He became so offensive that one of the local pastors in the meeting and a number of his members withdrew from the revival.

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Dr. Ellis. Other numbers will follow dealing with many specific preventable diseases.

ALIKE IN THEIR FEELINGS

Sample of the Unhappy Conditions Created by the Great Conflict in Europe.

They were sitting in a cafe near Washington square. On the table between them lay a "war extra" with staring headlines. The big, blond man, a typical Teuton, was talking loudly with many gestures; the small, dark man, unmistakably Gallic, listened—save for an occasional flash of the eye—with apparent calm. Two later comers at a nearby table watched them.

"Do you understand German?" asked one. "Can you tell me what the big fellow is saying?" "I can make out most of it," replied his companion, "and I know who the men are: Johann Schulz and Pierre Dumont."

"Jove!" exclaimed the first, as the big man leaned forward and pounded the table vehemently, "he'll be pitching into the little chap next." "Oh, no," said the other spectator, "the two agree to a dot. Johann is calling the Germans "Lumppe" and "Diebe" and "verdammte Schweine" and about every other abusive name he can lay tongue to. Queer, isn't it, when he can speak hardly a word of any other language but German? But, you see, he happens to be an Alsatian. His national hymn of hate is directed accordingly. — New York Evening Post.

PROFITS OF SHEEP MEN CUT

Depredations of Dogs Cause Immense Annual Loss to the Raisers of the Animals.

Thirty-six of the states of the Union are classified as agricultural states. The United States department of agriculture has recently completed an estimate of the number of sheep killed by dogs every year. The estimate is based upon figures collected for 1913. It shows that in the 36 agricultural states the annual loss totals 107,760. Ohio's loss reaches 15,500 yearly; Indiana, 12,000; Iowa, 11,000; Kentucky, 6,600; Illinois, 1,920 and other states in proportion.

The total loss compared with the number of sheep shown by the 1910 census seems small. It is less than one per cent of the sheep population of the country. However, that sheep grower who is getting a return of five per cent on his investment, taking one year with another, is doing well. This makes a loss of one per cent loom up dangerously. Nor is the loss of one per cent from dog depredations the worst feature of the situation. The dread of what dogs may do to the flock is preventing any increase in sheep keeping. To the question, "What causes are preventing an increase in sheep raising?" 531 of 894 growers answered "Dogs!"

MORE PRECIOUS THAN LIFE.

One American with the legion was telling me of a zouave battalion that was fighting in the same part of the line with him, and at a charge of the zouaves the commandant suddenly cried out, "Lie down," as a hail of German shells came over them. They all dropped but one.

"Nom de Dieu, lie down!" the lieutenant colonel called out, furiously, to the one man.

This zouave tapped his large pocket and called back to his chief: "Mon colonel, I can't! I've got a quart-bottle full of wine in here and it hasn't any cork in it."—Boston Journal.

At Ninety in The Shade.

(By James Whitcomb Riley).
Hot weather? Yes; but really not,

Compare with weather twice as hot.
Find comfort, then, in arguing thus,

And you'll pull through victoriously!
For instance, while you gasp and pant

And try to cool yourself—and can't

With soda, cream and lemonade,
The heat is ninety in the shade—
Just calmly sit and ponder o'er

These same degrees, with ninety more

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Every wheat farmer is interested now in getting his small grain land into proper condition for the fall planting.

For flat-breaking the old reliable P. & O. Success Sulkey has been the farmers standby for seventeen years. It is well-adapted to the conditions of the soil in this county, as your neighbors will testify.

If you want a disc plow the Emerson 2-gang is the easiest to adjust to the number of horses you have to use—a simple adjustment cuts a furrow 16 to 24 inches wide. Disc plows are 'dry-time' plows and can be used when the ground is "good and hard."

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Come to our store for Hard-wear Hardware.

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Texas

On top of them, and so concede! The weather now is cool indeed! Consider how the sun would pour At one hundred and eighty four Just twice the heat that seems

to be Affecting you unpleasantly, The very hour that you might find

As cool as dew were you inclined But why proceed when none will heed

Advice apportioned to the need? Hot weather? Yes; but really not, Compared with weather twice as hot!

GAVE HERSELF AWAY



"She's strong on the suffrage question."

"I thought she was, too, until a bargain sale was advertised last week, and it interfered with a suffrage meeting she had on hand, and—"

"And, of course, she cut out the sale?"

"No; she cut out the meeting."

ADMIRER OF BEAUTY.

"Has your father any favorites among the grand opera prima donnas, Miss Cutter?"

"Oh, yes," replied that young woman, in sarcastic tones. "Father's choice of a singer is soon made. All he requires is a glance at her photograph."

Typewriter and Carbon paper at Hesperian office.

USED TO IT.

"I understand your friend Boffeds is a creature of fixed habits."

"That's true. Boffeds has been a commuter for twenty years, and if he fails to hang on his favorite strap going home in the evening it frets him so that he has no appetite for dinner."

TYRANNIZED PARENT.

"I have come to ask the hand of your daughter in marriage, sir."

"Why do you ask me?"

"Aren't you her father?"

"Yes, but I'm the kind of father who would hesitate to join a club without my daughter's consent."

The Grandstand Manager.

I'm monarch of all I survey
I'm there with the timely advice;

I'm right on the job every day
And my service I give without price.

I'm there with an eye like a hawk
My knowledge is keen and exact.

Whenever a guy makes a balk,
I'm the first one to notice the fact.

Although I'm a plumber by trade,
I never miss out on a point;
I know how each play should be made

As easy as wiping a joint.

I'm as wise as a tree full of owls,
I'm hep to the rules of the game;

I distinguish the fair ones from fools
And tip off the "ump" to the same.

I've never yet made a mistake
In all my eventful career;
But those that the managers make
I think are exceedingly queer.

I'm monarch of all I survey;
I'm there with the friendly advice.

If the owners would do as I say,
We'd soon put the pennant on ice.

—L. C. Davis.—in the Record.

Flour is down. Get our prices. White Sells for less. tf

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PREMIUM LIST OF FLOYD COUNTY FAIR

To Be Held at Floydada, Texas.

SEPT. 9--10--11th, 1915.

No entrance fee will be charged for any exhibit entered for premiums offered in this list, but all entries made, except community, stock, fowls, culinary and fancy needle work, are to become the property of the FLOYD COUNTY FAIR, to be used as advertising to such extent as the management of Floyd County Fair may see fit. All premiums payable in merchandise except where otherwise noted.

Where there is no competition single entry will be awarded second prize.

Applications for space in the Live Stock and Poultry Dept's should be made with the Sec'y of the Fair a week in advance of the opening DAY, failure to do so will prevent entries from competing for Premiums.

Entries in all Departments will be received up to four p. m. of the first day of the Fair, those entering exhibits later will not be allowed to compete for Premiums.

Farm and Orchard

Ira D. Gamble, Superintendent

Fruits.

A plate shall consist of 8 or more specimens and shall be in good merchantable condition.

	1st	2nd.
Best plate of Apples, each variety	\$1.00	\$.50
Best plate of Pears, " "	1.00	.50
Best plate of Peaches " "	1.00	.50
Best plate of Plums " "	1.00	.50
Eight bunches Grapes " "	1.00	.50

Vegetables.

Best peck Irish Potatoes	\$1.00	\$.50
" " Sweet " "	1.00	.50
" Dozen Tomatoes	1.00	.50
Best 3 heads Cabbages	1.00	.50
Best 3 heads Cauliflower	1.00	.50
Best 5 bunches Celery	1.00	.50
Best and Largest Pumpkin	1.00	.50
Best and Largest Watermelon	1.00	.50
Best peck of Onions	1.00	.50
Best peck of Turnips	1.00	.50
Best 10 Sugar Beets	1.00	.50
Best 1-2 doz. Beets	.50	.25
Best gallon String Beans	.50	.25
Best gallon Dry Beans	.50	.25
Best 1-2 doz. Carrots	.50	.25
Best 1-2 Doz Parsnips	.50	.25
Best 1-2 doz. Egg Plants	.50	.25
Best 1-2 doz. Radishes	.50	.25
Best winter Squash	.50	.25
Best Cashaw	.50	.25
Best Canteloupe	.50	.25
Best and largest Muskmelon	.50	.25
Best dozen pods of Okra	.50	.25
Best gallon of Peas any variety	.50	.22
Best exhibit of gourds	.50	.25

Grains.

Best peck Nicaragua wheat	\$1.00	.50
" " Mediterranean wheat	1.00	.50
" " Oats	1.00	.50
" " Rye	1.00	.50
" " Barley	1.00	.50
" " Speltz	1.00	.50
" 1-2 dozen stalks of Corn	.50	.25
" 3 sheaves of Oats	.50	.25
" 3 sheaves of Rye	.50	.25
" Barley	.50	.25
" 15 stalks of broom corn	.50	.25
" Peck Sorghum seed	.50	.25
" " Millet seed	.50	.25
" 1-2 bu Milo Maize	.50	.25
" 1-2 bu Kaffir	.50	.25
" 1 2 Fetereta	.50	.25
" Peck Peanuts	.50	.25
" bunch of Peanuts	.50	.25
" 20 ears White Corn	1.	.50
" 20 ears of Yellow Corn	1.	.50
" bale Millet hay	1.	.50
" bale Alfalfa hay	1.00	.50
" gallon Alfalfa seed	1.00	.50
" bale of Peanut hay	1.00	.50

Special.

Best 15 heads of Milo Maize	\$5.00	\$1.00
" " of Kaffir	5.00	1.00
" " of Fetereta	5.00	1.00

Cotton.

Best 10 lbs Seed Cotton	\$2.00	\$1.00
" 50 bolls cotton	2.00	1.00
" 3 stalks of cotton	2.00	1.00

Live Stock

N. A. Armstrong and B. M. Gamble, Supts.

Cattle

Best Hereford Bull any age	\$2.00	\$1.00
" Durham bull any age	2.00	1.00
" Hereford cow any age	2.00	1.00
" Durham cow any age	2.00	1.00
" Milk cow any breed	2.00	1.00

Horses.

Best Saddle and harness Stallion	\$2.00	\$1.00
" Draft " "	2.00	1.00
" Jack any age	2.	1.
" Saddle and Harness mare	2.	1.
" " " gelding	2.	1.
" Jennet any age	2.	1.
" Mule colt	2.	1.
" Suckling colt any breed	2.	1.

Special.

Best work team	Special Cash	\$10.	\$5.
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Hogs.

Best Berkshire boar any age	\$2.00	\$1.00
" " sow " "	2.	1.
" Poland China boar any age	2.	1.
" " sow any age	2.	1.
" Duroc Jersey boar any age	2.	1.
" " sow any age	2.	1.
" Essex boar any age	2.	1.
" " sow any age	2.	1.
" Hampshire boar any age	2.	1.
" " sow any age	2.	1.

" Tamworths boar any age	2.	1.
" " sow any age	2.	1.

Sheep.

Best exhibit of Seep	\$3.00	\$1.50
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Poultry

Harry Dawson, Superintendent.

Turkeys.

Best Mammoth Bronze, Tom	\$1.00	\$.50
" " " Hen	1.	.50
" White Holland Tom	1.	.50
" " " Hen	1.	.50

Ducks.

Best Pair Perkin ducks	\$1.00	\$.50
" " Indian Runner ducks	1.	.50
" " Geese any strain,	1.	.50

Chickens.

Best White Plymouth Rock, Cock	\$.50	.25
" " " " " Cockerel	.50	.25
" " " " " Hen	.50	.25
" " " " " Pullet	.50	.25
" " " " " pen, consisting of one male and four females	.50	.25
Best barred Plymouth Rock, cock	.50	.25
" " " " " Cockerel	.50	.25
" " " " " Hen	.50	.25
" " " " " Pullet	.50	.25
" " " " " Pen	.50	.25
" Rhode Island Red, Single comb cock	.50	.25
" " " " " Cockerel	.50	.25
" " " " " hen	.50	.25
" " " " " pullet	do	do
" " " " " pen.	do	do
" " " " " Rose Comb cock	do	do
" " " " " Cockerel	do	do
" " " " " pullet	do	do
" " " " " hen	do	do
" " " " " pen	do	do
" White Orpington cock	do	do
" " " " " Cockerel	do	do
" " " " " hen	do	do
" " " " " pullet	do	do
" " " " " pen	do	do
" Buff Orpington cock	do	do
" " " " " Cockerel	do	do
" " " " " hen	do	do
" " " " " pullet	do	do
" " " " " pen	do	do
" Blue Abdulusion pen only	\$1.00	.50
" Langshan " "	1.00	.50
" Minorcas " "	1.	do
" Houdan " "	1.	do
" Bantoms " "	1.	do

Community Prizes.

Best general exhibit of farm and garden products from district school community. This exhibit to be independent of any entries made in competition for premiums in the general farm and garden departments; and shall remain the property of those making the exhibit.

Communities intending to compete for these prizes shall notify the Secretary of the Fair prior to one week of the opening day, designating the amount of space required for their exhibit.

First prize---\$20.00, 2nd prize---\$15.00, 3rd prize---\$7.50

Prizes to be paid in cash to the board of trustees, for the use and benefit of the school.

List of Special Premiums to be Paid in Cash.

Best decorated store window, decorated by one regularly employed in the store	\$5.00	\$2.50	
" decorated business house 'Outside decoration 50 pc inside dec't'n 50 pc	do	do	
Most attractive display in merchants parade	do	do	
	1st	2nd	3rd
Most attractive display of doll and conveyance	\$2.00	\$1.50	\$1.00
Prettiest dressed doll carried in arms	1.50	1.00	.50

Singing Contest.

Class to consist of ten singers. This contest is open to all classes composing the Floyd Co. Singing convention. First prize \$20.00, second \$10.00 to be paid in cash to the leader of the class.

Ladies Department

Mdmes. E. C. Henry, F. E. Savage and J. M. Massie, Superintennents.

All articles submitted for competition must not have taken a prize in this department at any previous Floyd County Fair.

Cake.

Best loaf cake	\$1.00	Ribbon
" Angel foods cake	1.	Ribbon

" Layer cake	1.	Ribbon
" Dozen tea cakes	.50	Ribbon
" Dozen dough nuts	.50	Ribbon

Bread.

Best Light bread salt rising	\$1.00	Ribbon
" loaf light bread white yeast	1.	Ribbon
" double crust pie	.50	Ribbon

Jellies.

Best Strawberry	.25	Ribbon
" Plum	.25	Ribbon
" Grape	do	Ribbon
" Blackberry	do	Ribbon
" Cherry	do	Ribbon
" Currant	do	Ribbon
" display of jellies	1.00	Ribbon

Preserves.

Best Apple	.25	Ribbon
" Peach	do	Ribbon
" Apricot	do	Ribbon
" Cherry	do	Ribbon
" Strawberry	do	Ribbon
" Plum	do	Ribbon
" Grape	do	Ribbon
" Watermelon	do	Ribbon
" display of preserves	do	Ribbon

Pickles.

" Cucumber	.25	Ribbon
" Beet	do	Ribbon
" Onion	do	Ribbon
" Chowchow	do	Ribbon
" Picallili	do	Ribbon
" Peach sweet pickle	do	Ribbon
" Watermelon pickle	do	Ribbon
" Ripe tomato catsup	do	Ribbon
" Display of pickles	1.00	Ribbon

Art Department.

Best painting from life in oil	1.00	Ribbon
" painting in water colors	1.00	Ribbon
" painting in black and white	1.	Ribbon
" painting china	1.	Ribbon

Flowers.

Best geranium	.50	Ribbon
" Fern	do	Ribbon
" Oleander	do	Ribbon
" Display of flowers	1.00	Ribbon
" bouquet cut flowers	.50	Ribbon

All flowers growing and cut to have been grown in Floyd Co.

Textile Department.

	1st	2nd
Best piece of French and Eyelet embroidery,	\$1.00	Ribbon.
Best piece of Hardanger,	1.00	Ribbon.
Best bed spread,	1.00	Ribbon.
Best piece of Irish crochet	1.00	Ribbon.
Best piece of filet crochet.	1.00	Ribbon.
Best piece carnation braid and crochet,	1.00	Ribbon.
Best piece tatting,	1.00	Ribbon.
Best piece hair pin lace,	.50	Ribbon.
Best infants set, consisting of two shirts, flannel and white, dress, cap, booties, and sack,	1.00	Ribbon.
Best piece of point lace,	1.00	Ribbon.
Best made ladies' dress, cut and made by exhibitor	1.00	Ribbon.
Best crazy quilt,	1.00	Ribbon.
Best home-made rug,	1.00	Ribbon.
Best sofa pillow,	1.00	Ribbon.
Best ladies outfit, three pieces, cut and made by exhibitor	1.00	Ribbon.

Loan Curio Exhibit.

Curios of interest of any sort acceptable. First and second prizes, \$2.00 and \$1.00.

Loan Art Exhibit.

Offart specimens entered by owners. First and second prizes, \$2.00 and \$1.00.

Children's Department.

	1st.	2nd.
Best drawing by child under 15 years	\$1.00	\$.50
" dress cut and made by child under 12	1.00	do
" cookies made by child under 10	.50	.25
" half doz button holes by child under 10	do	do
" piece darning done by child under 10	do	do
" exhibit of knots, tied by boys 16 or under. All rope to be 1-4 in.; all knots to be tied and named without instruction.	do	do

First prize---\$1.00 Second \$.50.

9TH ANNUAL FLOYD COUNTY FAIR POINTS TO BE A RECORD BREAKER

---And Price-Foster wants to extend a hearty invitation to all who attend Sep. 9th, 10th and 11th, to visit our store on this occasion. We are at work now making new additions to our floor space, re-arranging our stock and fixtures, giving more space for our shoppers, adding more seats, and a dressing room. Plenty of ice water. All for your convenience

Our store will be beautified in the spirit of the occasion, Come see for yourself. Our stock is all new. Our buyer will be in the Eastern markets at an early date. He will spend much time and thought selecting our fall line.

See our ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department. Many new things will be added to our line this season.

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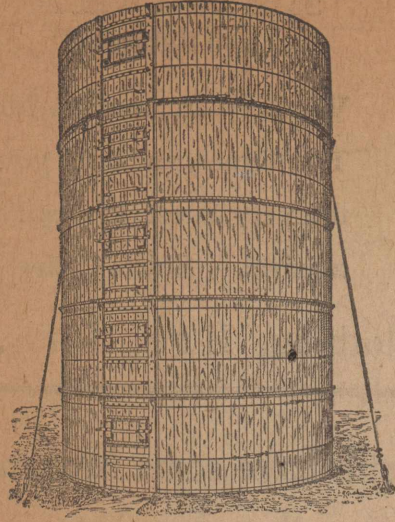
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Sylvester E. Jeffries writes from Hale, Mo., Jan. 20, 1915: "My cattle have had nothing but ensilage fed from a Tulsa silo and a little wheat straw for the last 30 days. They are in good condition and gaining flesh every day. The ensilage is just as good at the extreme out edge as it is in the center. The Tulsa is good enough for any man, and is in reach of the small farmer."

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TWO SHIPMENTS OF JULY HOGS FROM FLOYDADA SATURDAY

Year-Round Feeding and Fattening Good Feature of Floyd Co. Industry.

J. W. Williams and V. F. Hodge each shipped a carload of fat hogs to the Fort Worth market last Saturday, both cars of uniformity in size and fattened condition that marks hogs fed on

the South Plains.

Mr. Williams' car will weigh out about 215 lbs. average and Mr. Hodges' car about 240 lbs. average.

Ground maize and kaffir and a slight mixture of tankage to balance the ration was used to fatten out the hogs.

Local hog raisers are finding it advantageous, as in the case of Messrs. Williams and Hodge, to feed out their stock to get the best results at the market regardless of the season.

Childress Editor Visits Plains

Editor J. C. Thomas, of Childress, was in Floydada last Thursday in his '15 Buick, enroute to points west where they visited for a short time with relatives, returning home by way of Floydada on Sunday.

Mr. Thomas was accompanied by his wife and daughter, Maynet, and Mrs. Will Chandler and daughter.

W. M. Husky, of Carrollton, is out visiting with his cousins, the Huggins brothers, four miles south of town.

For Spirella Corsets, not sold in stores, see Miss Mollie Crum, Floydada.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stacy of Sandhill, Sunday, July 18th, a son.

Spending Vacation in Colorado

Cashier Jas. K. Green and wife left last week for Denver and Boulder, Colorado, to spend a two weeks vacation, seeing the scenic wonders of that state.

During Mr. Green's absence J. E. Young is assisting N. W. McCleskey in the First State Bank.

Superintendents of Fair Departments Have Been Selected.

In order to get all preliminaries completed for the Floyd County Fair, so that the utmost convenience and ease may exist relative to the exhibits to be made in all departments, it has been thought wise to make announcement at this early date of the various persons who will have the different exhibits in charge during the Fair and previous. The persons thus selected are expected to make their different departments successful and attractive units of the fair generally with the aid of the executive committee and the persons from whom they may find it convenient to ask help.

The superintendents are as follows:

Farm, Orchard and Community Exhibits, Ira D. Gamble; Poultry Department, Harry Dawson; Culinary, Textile and Fine Arts, Mmes. F. E. Savage, E. C. Henry and J. M. Massie; Livestock: B. M. Gamble, horses and

C. C. McMillan's Oklahoma Friends Want to See Floyd County.

C. C. McMillan returned last Friday from a short business trip to his former home, Shattuck, Okla. As is his custom Mr. McMillan spread the news about Floydada and Floyd county, and the Floyd County Fair, among his friends in that state. He declares it is gratifying to note the interest of people in that section in Floyd County, and that a number of his former friends from Shattuck are planning to attend the Fair here on September, 9th, 10th and 11th to see the products of the county, and see if things told them of this county are true.

Mrs. T. H. Buster Poisoned on Alkali Water in New Mexico.

T. H. Buster and wife, and J. A. Bagwell and wife, returned last Saturday from an extended visit in east and northern New Mexico, their trip, however being cut short on account of Mrs. Buster's becoming sick from



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mules; N. A. Armstrong, Cattle, Hogs and Sheep.

G. A. Linder and C. C. McMillan are a committee on Decorations, and J. A. Meador, A. N. Gamble and G. C. Tubbs, committee in charge of singing contests.

W. P. Pelphey and Frank De Cordova, of Collinsville, Texas, have been out the past several days on a visit with their uncle, F. Pelphey. They came thru on an automobile tour and are accompanied by Mr. DeCordova's son, Willie. Mr. DeCordova is a brother of Gus DeCordova, of the southwest part of the county.

Frank Scott is in town for a few days with friends, having returned from a several weeks stay in the North Plains.

Rainey Yearwood and sister, Miss Mabel, spent last Friday and Saturday in Tulsa with friends and attended the 24th Annual Celebration of Swisher County.

District Attorney Geo. L. Mayfield, of Plainview, was in town the latter part of last week on official business.

drinking alkali water. They were near Santa Rosa when the incident occurred, but were near Vaughn before Mrs. Buster became very sick. Mr. Buster and the party returned with her to the hospital at Clovis where they stayed a short time, while Mrs. Buster was recovering.

She was able to travel soon after having treatment at the hospital.

W. L. Boerner Sells Part of His Land Southeast of Floydada.

The latter part of last week Gamble Land and Cattle Co., completed the final negotiations between W. L. Boerner of this city and T. F. Anderson of Red River County, whereby Mr. Boerner disposes of 3 sections of his land southeast of town, and a part of the consideration being a 533 acre farm in Red River County.

The total consideration was \$92,000.

Mr. Anderson will move here during the early fall and take charge of his land in this county.

Miss Adeline Irick, of Plainview, visited her sister, Miss Anna, last Saturday and Sunday.

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Earl Rainer, Secretary, Floydada, Texas

Santa Fe Officials Inspect Line

D. S. Farley, division superintendent, I. O. Wilson, train master and C. Daugherty, road master, Santa Fe officials out of Amarillo, spent last Friday night in Floydada.

Reports have it that the Santa Fe will make some improvements in the condition of the road bed of the Floydada Branch.

J. A. Greenway, of Wolfe City is spending sometime in Floyd County visiting and prospecting. Mr. Greenway hopes to make this his home within a few months.

POLICE SERVICE ON WARSHIP

Seems to Be on Much the Same Order as That Performed on the Land.

A battleship's police maintain discipline in general, constantly patrolling the ship to see that everything is in order. Having investigated an irregularity, they bring the culprit before the commander for judgment, and keep a record of all punishments, as well as checking the wines and spirits coming into the ship. They take charge of all prisoners in cells or awaiting punishment, of all men's effects who are in hospital, sick, on long leave, or in prison; they attend the "issue" of all spirits, clothing, money and "baccy," and see that no unwholesome food comes into the ship.

Letters and parcels are delivered and dispatched by them, and they look after the midshipmen's hammocks, seeing them up and down at the proper time. Besides all these duties, they have the supervision of the men's messes, and are responsible that the proper hands go away in their boats, and attend their "gun's crews," etc. The police have a difficult role to fill, being always connected with punishments, which is naturally disliked; still, their unpleasant duties are ably done, and many of them are most popular in spite of everything.—London Tit-Bits.

Dr. and Mrs. G. V. Smith spent last Thursday in Hale Center.

R. A. Johnson and family of Wolfe City are in Floydada to make this their home, having arrived last week.

Ships Two Cars Hogs.

Tom Ross and W. A. Parks each shipped a carload of hogs to the Fort Worth market last Tuesday, reaching that market on Wednesday.

Robert Greenway and Marvin Jackson, of Wolfe City, arrived in Floydada last Saturday to make this their home.

Fresh bread daily at Duncan's.

A Berry with Three Different Flavors

In Jamaica grows a berry that tastes like cinnamon, cloves and nutmeg. When the natives of that island discovered this berry, being unable to decide on which spice it tasted most like, they compromised the matter by calling it "allspice." That is where allspice got its name.

Allspice is grown in other places, but the Island where it was first discovered and which named it, still produces the best allspice—for that reason all White Swan Allspice is Jamaica Allspice. Now inasmuch as it is a certain oil in the berry which gives it its flavor, or rather its three flavors, the drying and grinding and packing of the berry must be very, very carefully handled so as not to let that oil be lost by evaporation. In the matter of White Swan Allspice the greatest care is taken to retain every drop of oilness—the grinding is done by our own process which preserves all the original rich flavor. Finally it is packed in air-tight tins which keep all the good in. Your grocer sells White Swan Allspice—ask for it.



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Senator Johnson, an ardent pro, and Governor Ferguson, an ardent anti, are agreed that the single board control for A. & M. College and the Texas University should be retained. A provision for an amendment to the Constitution to allow the divorce of the two schools is to be voted upon Saturday, July 24th. A few others of prominence have pronounced against the proposed amendment, but the main sentiment is for their divorce. Very little opposition to an amendment is necessary to kill it, but very much influence must be brought to bear to pass one. We believe the amendment should be adopted. The present condition is conducive to a continual fight between the two institutions that is not for the best interests of either.

of the Santa Fe lines in West Texas has been authorized, or even considered, said F. C. Fox, general manager of the Santa Fe railroad today. Mr. Fox made this statement in explaining an article recently carried in a Topeka newspaper. The speculation was based on the recent authority granted to the Santa Fe by the Kansas Railway Commission to issue \$10,808,000 in bonds. These bonds were issued for work done last year Mr. Fox said. The valuation was received late last year and this explained the lateness in issuing the bonds. The extension of line from Lamesa to Sterling city has long been discussed, railroad men say.—Amarillo Panhandle.

Colorado Stock Salt 45 cts. 100 lb. sack at Duncan Grocery. 2tc
No construction or extension

Governor Against Three Amendments.

Austin, Texas, July 10.—Governor Ferguson this evening announced his attitude on the six proposed amendments to the constitution to be voted on at a special election to be held throughout the State on Saturday, July 24. He will vote against three and for three of the amendments.

The three he will vote against are: Providing for increasing the number of judges of the supreme court from three to five, because he believes three can dispatch the business quicker than five; authorizing counties to vote a students' loan fund, because he does not believe the government has any right to make personal loans to students; and the proposed divorce of the University and A. & M. College, having come to the conclusion that a central board can better control these institutions.

The three he favors and will vote for are: Authorizing the issuance of irrigation and drainage bonds; allowing the levy of additional taxes for public roads and public buildings and the proposed amendment permitting qualified voters to vote in any precinct in a state election other than their home precinct.

"Our Home" High Patent Flour, best for light bread, \$1.65 per sack at Duncan's. 2tc.

Denver Gets New big Oil Engines for Freight Service.

The Fort Worth & Denver Railway has ten new engines in the shops at Childress being made ready for the heavy freight traffic between Denver and Fort Worth. The new engines are the largest the road has ever bought and will use oil for fuel.

A nice assortment of Granite Ware cheap at Duncan's. 2tc.

J. R. Andrews, of Whitewright Texas, brother of Dr. R. C. Andrews, is visiting here. Mrs. Sallie Flynt, of Vernon, a daughter of Dr. R. C. Andrews is also here for a visit with her parents.

Gallon cans Crusto cooking oil 85 cents at Duncan's. 2tc.

C. L. Cowart, S. I. Farnsworth and John Broyles were among Lockney business men in Floydada Tuesday attending court.

Mrs. Mary Gregory, of Swenson, has been visiting here with her brother, C. H. Featherston and wife. She will return home by way of Spur tomorrow, to which place Mr. Featherston will take her by auto.

Magic Washing Stick, makes dirty clothes easily cleaned, for sale at Duncan's. 2tc.

BORN.—To Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wright of the McCoy community, Monday, July 19th, a daughter.

Fruit jars cheap at Duncan's.

Preston Martin and family of Weatherford are visiting here this week with the families of Mr. Martin's brother and sister, J. G. Martin and Mrs. W. M. Massie. They will spend several days here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Campbell of Floydada visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Procter in Slaton Thursday and Friday of last week. The Campbells were formerly residents of Slaton and their friends here were glad to meet them. Mr. Campbell, who is with the Santa Fe, was taking his annual vacation.—Slaton Slatonite.

To Close During Morning Services of Revival Meeting.

We, the undersigned dry goods firms will close our stores from 10 to 11 every day except Saturday during the revival. It is with pleasure that we close for the meeting at this hour as we feel it is our Christian duty.

Price-Foster Dry Goods Co. O. B. Olson. Glad Snodgrass. Fair Store.

We are not selling as many boys suits as we should. Have you forgotten that we have a line of them that's hard to beat? Itc. Fair Store.

J. H. Donaldson spent the latter part of last week and the first of this in Tulia with friends and relatives. His wife and child have been in Tulia two or three weeks visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Curry left last Friday for Clovis, N. Mex., to visit several days with Mrs. Curry's brothers there.

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For the past ten days eggs that have come to town have been 80 per cent bad on account of being fertile. Fertile eggs will begin to incubate within a few hours if kept in a warm place. This makes them unmerchantable and useless to ship.

It will be absolutely necessary to kill or dispose of your roosters during the hot weather to have good eggs.

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Official, Legal Citations, Notices, Etc.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas; To the Sheriff or any constable of Floyd County, Greeting: Oath having been made as required by law, you are hereby commanded to summon Eliza E. Lack, if living, and if dead, her unknown heirs at law; Laura E. Stephens, and her husband, John Stephens, if living, if dead, their unknown heirs at law; Effie Riddle, and her husband, Ira Riddle, if living, and if dead, their unknown heirs at law; Sarah B. Pipple, if living, and if dead, her unknown heirs at law; and the unknown heirs of W. H. Beacom, deceased (It not being known whether or not any of said parties are living or dead, it is hereby intended that this citation is to said parties if living and if dead then to their unknown heirs) by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in Floyd County, Texas, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Floyd County, Texas, to be holden at the court house there of in Floydada, Texas, on the sixth Monday after the first Monday in August, 1915, the same being the 13 day of September, A. D. 1915, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1915, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 957, wherein R. H. Buckingham is plaintiff and Elmer Lewton, Herbert Lewton, Mina Hamilton, and her husband, —Hamilton, Eliza E. Lack, if living and if dead her heirs at law, Laura E. Stephens and her husband, John Stephens, if living, and if dead their heirs at law, Effie Riddle and her husband, Ira Riddle, if living, and if dead their heirs at law, Sarah B. Pipple, if living, and if dead her heirs at law, Mrs. W. H. Beacom and the unknown heirs at law of W. H. Beacom, deceased, are defendants; and said petition alleging in substance as follows, to-wit:

1
Plaintiff avers that he resides in the County of Floyd, and State of Texas; that the defendant, Elmer Lewton, resides in the State of Missouri, at Excelsior Springs; that Herbert Lewton resides in the State of Texas in the City of Beaumont; That Mrs. Mina Hamilton and her husband, whose given name is to plaintiff unknown, resides in the State of Missouri and in Kansas City. That plaintiff does not know the residence of Eliza E. Lack, if living, and if dead, he does not know the names of her heirs at law, nor the place of their residence; that plaintiff does not know the residence of Laura E. Stephens and her husband, John Stephens, if living, if dead he does not know the names of their heirs at law nor the place of their residence; that plaintiff does not know the residence of Effie Riddle and her husband, Ira Riddle, if living, and if dead, he does not know the names of the heirs at law of said Effie Riddle and her husband, Ira Riddle, nor the place of the residence of said heirs, that he does not know the place of the residence of Sarah B. Pipple, if living and if dead, he does not know the names of the heirs at law of the said Sarah B. Pipple, nor the place of their said residence; that Mrs. W. H. Beacom resides in the State of Missouri and in the county of Paris, that he does not know the names of the heirs at law of W. H. Beacom, deceased, nor the place of their residence.

This suit is brought against the aforesaid parties, if living, and if dead, against each of their unknown heirs.

2
Plaintiff avers that he and the

defendants own as tenants in common, or each an undivided interest as here in after averred, a tract of land situated in the County of Floyd and State of Texas and described as follows, to-wit:

640 acres of land known as Survey No. 25, on the waters of White River, a tributary of Brazos River, about 11 miles north, 12 degrees west from Dewey's Lake.

Beginning at a stake, the southeast corner of Survey No. 24, A. B. & M.—L. S. No. 448, this Co. is 171 varas, north of the southwest corner of the Eddy Sparks Survey. Thence west 1900 varas to the southwest corner of said survey No. 24, thence South 1900 varas, thence east 1900 varas to a stake on the west line of the John McNeese Survey. Thence north with west line of said McNeese Survey at 1729 varas, pass its northwest corner 1900 varas to the place of beginning. Bearings marked x.

3
That said tract of land is of the value of \$6400.

4
Plaintiff avers that he owns an undivided five-sevenths interest in and to said tract of land and that the defendants own the other two-sevenths as herein-after shown.

5
Plaintiff avers that his claim as title and the defendants' claim is shown as follows, to-wit:

(a) Said tract of land was patented by the State of Texas to Nelson Lewton assignee of Beaty, Seale and Forwood, May 18th, 1875.

(b) Nelson Lewton died on the 5th day of May, 1883, and his estate was duly administered in the State of Illinois, and County of Pike, as shown by transcript of the proceedings of said administration recorded in the Deed Records of Floyd County, Texas, Volume 24, page 185.

(c) That he left surviving him as his heirs at law, Sarah Lewton, his widow, and the following children: Allen Lewton, Isaac Lewton, Edson Lewton, Eliza E. Lack, Arabella Parrick, Hannah Hollenbeak, and grandchildren, Elmer Lewton, Herbert Lewton and Minnie Lewton, children of Jasper Lewton, deceased.

(d) Edson M. Lewton and wife, Mary E. Lewton, by deed dated February 3rd, 1887, conveyed their undivided one seventh interest in said land to Joshua H. Lile.

(e) Isaac Lewton and wife, Margaret Lewton by deed dated January 24, 1889, conveyed to Allen Lewton, all their interest in the aforesaid land.

(f) Isaac Lewton and wife, Margaret Lewton, by deed dated January 24th, 1889, conveyed to Allen Lewton all their interest in said land.

(g) Joshua H. Lile and wife, Mary B. Lile, by deed dated April 27, 1901, conveyed to Allen Lewton their undivided one seventh interest in said land.

(h) Eliza E. Lack and her husband, H. A. Lack, by deed dated October 24, 1891, conveyed to Allen Lewton their undivided one seventh interest in and to said tract of land.

(i) The Last Will and Testament of said Allen Lewton was duly probated in the State of Illinois, Adams County, a certified copy of the proceedings of which was filed for record January 8, 1908, and recorded in Volume 15, page 455, in the office of the county clerk of Floyd County, Texas; by which will Mollie E. Tyler took title to four sevenths undivided interest of the said tract of land in controversy.

(j) Hannah Lewton Hollenbeak and John W. Hollenbeak, by deed dated June 1, 1907,

conveyed to Richard H. Buckingham and his wife, Lou M. Buckingham, an undivided one seventh interest in said tract of land.

(k) William A. Parrick, Laura E. Stephens, Charles Nelson Parrick, Sarah B. Pipple, Edson O. Parrick, Eddie Riddle, George A. Parrick, Marcus H. Parrick, Andrew J. Parrick and Scott E. Parrick, as only heirs of Sarah Belle Lewton Parrick, deceased, formerly Sarah Belle Lewton, by deed dated July 24, 1908, conveyed to W. H. Beacom their undivided interest in and to said land.

(l) Sarah B. Parrick, by deed dated January 14, 1884, conveyed to W. H. Beacom her interest in the tract of land aforesaid.

(m) Richard H. Buckingham, by deed dated October 4, 1910, conveyed to Mollie E. Tyler an undivided one seventh interest in said tract of land.

(n) Mollie E. Tyler, on the 9 day of October, 1908, executed to Clifford E. Tyler, a general power of attorney to sell her interest in said tract of land.

(o) Mollie E. Tyler conveyed to Clifford E. Tyler by deed dated April 20th, 1912, one-half of five-sevenths interest in said tract of land.

(p) William H. Beacom and wife, Elizabeth Beacom, by deed dated October 5th, 1912, conveyed to Clifford E. Tyler, and Mollie E. Tyler a one-seventh interest in said tract of land.

(q) Clifford E. Tyler and wife, Edna Tyler, and Mollie E. Tyler, by her attorney in fact, Clifford E. Tyler, by deed dated September 26th, 1912, conveyed to William H. Beacom a one-seventh undivided interest in the tract of land aforesaid.

(r) Mollie E. Tyler by Clifford E. Tyler, her attorney in fact, Clifford E. Tyler and Edna Tyler, by deed dated December 17th, 1914, conveyed to R. H. Buckingham an undivided five sevenths interest in said tract of land.

(s) Mollie E. Tyler, by deed dated February 18th, 1915, conveyed to R. H. Buckingham an undivided three-sevenths interest in and to the tract of land aforesaid.

(t) Plaintiff avers that in the event there should be a defect in his title to any part of five sevenths undivided interest in and to said tract of land, then he avers that he and those under whom he claims title to said tract of land have had and held peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using, and enjoying the same and paying taxes thereon for a period of five years next before the filing of this suit, and that he has title to said five-sevenths undivided interests in and to said tract of land by virtue of the five years statute of limitation.

(u) Plaintiff avers that in the event there should be a defect in his title to any part of five-sevenths undivided interest in and to said tract of land, then he avers that he and those under whom he claims title to said tract of land have had and held peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period of ten years next before the filing of this suit and that he claims title to said five-sevenths undivided interest in said tract of land by virtue of the ten-year statute of limitation.

6. Plaintiff seeks to have said land partitioned, and his interest thereto established and his title decreed to be in him, to the extent of five-sevenths of said tract of land.

7. Wherefore, premises considered, plaintiff prays for citation and notice to the non-resident defendants and citation by publication for the defendants whose residences are alleged to be unknown, and if dead, to their unknown heirs.

That upon a hearing hereof he have judgment decreeing title to him to the extent of

five-sevenths interest in said tract of land; that his said interest be partitioned and set apart to him by metes and bounds; and that the interest of the defendants, which has been stated as clearly as can be, be partitioned to them according to the interest of each; that commissioners be appointed to partition said land in accordance with the decree of this court, and that title be decreed in accordance with the report of said commissioners; that plaintiff recover costs of court, and that as to non-resident defendants no personal judgment for cost be rendered, but that the cost be apportioned and a lien fixed on the interest of each in said land to satisfy said costs as apportioned; and plaintiff prays for general and equitable relief as he shows himself entitled to.

Herein Fail Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Tom W. Deen, Clerk of the District Court of Floyd County.

Given Under My Hand and Seal of said Court, at office in Floydada this the 15th day of July A. D. 1915.

[Seal] Tom W. Deen, Clerk, District Court Floyd County.

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Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas; To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County Greeting: Oath having been made as required by law

You Are Hereby Commanded to summon Elmer I Goshen, Mrs. Nellie Rose, James Rose, Levi Goshen, Mrs. Anna V. Alyard and her husband, whose given name is unknown, and Bell Goshen. If any one of said parties be dead, then you are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of said parties. It not being known whether or not any of said parties be living or dead, it is hereby intended that this citation is to said parties if living and if dead then to their unknown heirs, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 64th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 64th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Floyd County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Floydada, Texas, on the sixth Monday after the first Monday in August 1915, the same being the 13th day of September A. D. 1915, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 15th day of July A. D. 1915 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 956, wherein Louis Lightner is Plaintiff and Elmer I. Goshen if living, if dead his unknown heirs, Mrs. Nellie Rose and her husband James Rose if living, if dead then their unknown heirs, Levi Goshen, if living, if dead, his unknown heirs, Mrs. Anna V. Alyard and her husband whose given name is unknown, if living, if dead their unknown heirs, and Bell Goshen, if living, if dead her unknown heirs, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff and said defendants are the joint owners of a certain tract or parcel of land, situated in the County of Floyd, and State of Texas, described as follows to-wit:—

640 acres of land known as survey No. 75 in Block D 3, abstract No. 321 situated on the waters of Pease River, about Nine Miles N.-70 degrees East from the center of the County, located by virtue of land scrip No. 104 is-

sued by the Commissioner of the General Land Office of the State of Texas to the E. L. & R. R. Ry Co Decr. 6th 1876 and transferred to Mary A. Newcomb March 24th 1877, and patented to said Mary A. Newcomb Nov. 28th 1879, by Patent No. 145 Vol. 53. Plaintiff avers that he has title to and owns an undivided one sixth interest in and to said tract of land. That the defendants Elmer I. Goshen, or his heirs at law, Nellie Rose or her heirs at law, Levi Goshen or his heirs at law, Bell Goshen or her heirs at law and Anna M. Alyard or her heirs at law each have title to and owns an undivided one sixth interest in said tract of land. That the reasonable market value of said tract of land is Ten dollars per acre, or Six thousand four hundred dollars. Plaintiff avers that before his death, Levi Goshen, owned the tract of land aforesaid in fee simple, that he died intestate on July 31st A. D. 1895, and left as his heirs at law, his wife Harriett Goshen, who died intestate in 1897, and that the children of the said Levi and Harriett Goshen, inherited from their said father and mother the tract of land in controversy that the children surviving of said parties and entitled to said land are the defendants in this cause and George H. Goshen, to wit;

Elmer I. Goshen, Mrs. Nellie Rose, Levi Goshen, Mrs. Anna V. Alyard, Belle Goshen, and George H. Goshen; That Plaintiff by deed dated the 2nd day of December A. D. 1914, acquired the interest of said George H. Goshen, said deed duly recorded in Floyd County, Texas, in deed records, Volume 36, on pages 427 and 428 that said tract of land was patented to Mary A. Newcomb, by the State of Texas November—, 1879 and Mary A. Newcomb, conveyed said land by deed dated November 29th, 1883 to Levi Goshen, and the said Levi Goshen, is the common source of title as to both Plaintiff and Defendants. Plaintiff sues to have his undivided one-sixth interest in said tract of land partitioned and set apart to him separate and apart from the land of the other joint owners and said interest so set apart be described by metes and bounds. Plaintiff prays for citation by publication for partition of said land and for the cost of suit to be prorated, for the appointment of an attorney to represent the defendants and for general and equitable relief.

Herein Fail Not, but have before said Court at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Tom W. Deen, Clerk of the District Court of Floyd County.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in (SEAL) Floydada this the 15th day of July A. D. 1915.

Tom W. Deen, Clerk, Dist. Court, Floyd County

Notice of Stockholders Meeting. Of the Crosbyton-Southplains Railroad Company, to be held Wednesday, September 1st, 1915, for the purpose of authorizing the directors thereof to issue bonds, etc.

To the Stockholders of the Crosbyton-Southplains Railroad Company: You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 16th day of June, 1915, at special meeting of the Board of Directors of said Company a resolution was unanimously adopted calling a meeting of the stockholders of said company, to be held Wednesday, September 1, 1915, at offices of the Company, in Crosbyton Texas, at 10 O'clock a. m., for the purpose of authorizing the directors thereof to execute a mortgage upon the property of the Company and to issue bonds there under to an amount and

for a period to be fixed by the Stockholders at said meeting; and to authorize the directors to apply to the Railroad Commission of Texas for authority to issue such bonds; and to take such further and other steps as may be necessary under the laws of Texas for the final approval by said Commission of said bonds; and to obtain the authority of said Commission to register said bonds when issued in the office of the Secretary of State of Texas.

Dated this June 16th, 1915, at Crosbyton, Texas.

624 W. R. Lotspeich, (Seal) Secretary.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded, That you summon, by making Publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Floyd, State of Texas, if there be a newspaper therein but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 64th., judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 64th., judicial district, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, A. J. Dodd whose residence is in the State of Texas, but whose present whereabouts are unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Floyd at the Court House thereof, in Floydada, Floyd County, Texas, on the 13th day of September, A. D., 1915, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 1st day of June A. D. 1915, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court 938, wherein Mrs. S. C. Dodd is plaintiff and A. J. Dodd is defendant. The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit:—

The State of Texas, } In The County of Floyd, } District Court of Floyd County, Texas September Term, A. D., 1915.

To the Hon. R. C. Joiner, Judge of the 64th. Judicial District of Texas:

Now comes Mrs. S. C. Dodd, who resides in the County of Floyd and State of Texas, hereinafter called Plaintiff, complaining of A. J. Dodd, a resident of the State of Texas, hereinafter styled Defendant, and for cause of action states and shows to the Court as follows, to-wit:

1. That the Plaintiff, Mrs. S. C. Dodd, is an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has been such an inhabitant of the State of Texas for a period of more than twelve months next preceeding the filing of this suit and has been a resident of the County of Floyd and State of Texas for a period of more than six months next preceeding the filing of this suit. That the defendant is a resident of the State of Texas, but his present whereabouts are unknown to this plaintiff.

2. That on or about the 15th. day of February, A. D., 1896, the plaintiff, then a single woman, was legally married to the defendant, A. J. Dodd and continued to live with him as his wife until sometime during the month of February, A. D., 1897. That at the time of their marriage both plaintiff and defendant were residents of the State of Texas, and were married in the County of Floyd and State of Texas.

3. Plaintiff further alleges that there were no children born to them by said marriage.

4. Plaintiff further alleges that sometime during the month of February, A. D., 1897, the defendant abandoned this plaintiff and has not since said time returned to her and has remained away from her continuously from said date until the filing of this suit, and that they have

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ed apart without co-habitation for a period of more than ten years before the filing of this suit.

5. Plaintiff further alleges that subsequent to the abandonment by the defendant of this plaintiff, above referred to, this plaintiff purchased from the State of Texas, out of her own separate estate, the following described land lying and being situated in the County of Floyd and State of Texas, known and described as follows, to-wit: All of Section No. sixty two (62) in Block G, Certificate No. 61-G, Original Grantee D. & W. Ry. Co., containing 640 acres of land. Plaintiff further alleges that she purchased this land from the State of Texas in her former name, to-wit: S. C. Green, and that title to said above described land is vested in her under the said name of S. C. Green.

6. Plaintiff further alleges that the defendant has no claim or right to said land, save and except the fact that he was her husband at the time she purchased same, as above set forth, and that he owns no further interest in and to said land.

7. WHEREFORE, Premises Considered, the plaintiff prays that the defendant, A. J. Dodd, be cited in terms of law to appear and answer herein; and that upon hearing hereof she have judgment of the Court dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between her and said defendant, that same be annulled and that she be divorced from said defendant; that she be restored to her former name S. C. Green; and that she have judgment investing title in her to the above described property

in her former name of S. C. Green, and that, any claim, right, title or interest that the defendant may have or hold be divested out of the said defendant and be fully vested in this said plaintiff in the name of S. C. Green; and for her costs herein incurred; and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, as she may be justly entitled to.

HEREIN FAIL NOT. And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this the 1st day of June,--A. D. 1915.

(Seal) Tom W. Deen,
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Resume of Week's Live Stock Market at Kansas City.

Kansas City Stock Yards, July 19, 1915. A quarter to fifty cents was taken off cattle values last week, due to the advent of a large delegation of grass cattle at Western markets generally. Prime fed cattle suffered somewhat in the general slump. Receipts here today are 8500 head, of which 1600 head are yarded in

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the Southern division, and the drop in the supply from last Monday, when 13000 head arrived, resulted in an active market and considerable recovery in values. Prime steers, including numerous lots from Clinton County, Missouri, the great corn and blue grass section, brought \$9.85 to 10.10, on a parity with a week ago. A drove of 100 head of yearlings from the same section, of which 82 were heifers, brought \$9.85, 830 lbs. average. Greenwood County, Kansas, steers climbed back up to \$9.60 to day; about as good as best time last week. Texas steers in the na-

tive division brought \$7.30 for which \$7 would have been the price last Thursday. The rank and file of cattle moved at slightly better prices than the middle of last week. South Texas grass steers sold in the quarantine division at \$6.40 to \$7.25, and Oklahoma grassers weighing 900 lbs. at \$6.80 were considered higher than they would have sold last Thursday. Ten loads of R. E. Gatewood's steers, around 1200, lbs., from North Texas, brought \$8.40 in the quarantine division. Stockers and feeders sold slightly better, but without any special dash. In the hog yards the supply was 5000 head, market steady to five lower for an hour or two, during which time order buyers made their purchases, up to \$7.70, including choice heavies at \$7.65. Packers bid 10 to 15 lower prices, paying \$7.35 to \$7.50 for most of their hogs, around \$7.30 for rough heavy weights. Provision prices have sharply declined recently because of England's interference with shipments to neutral countries, and recent weakness in hog prices is traced to that cause. Prophecy is made that hog prices will decline till England abides by the rule of international laws and ceases to interfere with shipments of food products which laws the State Department of Washington is demanding shall be enforced. Sheep and lamb receipts are 6000 head. Lambs dropped close to \$1.50 in value last week, but sales today were still lower, top

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Dynamite tore up the floor of a two story negro hotel at Snyder last Thursday morning. No one was hurt. There had been no negroes in Scurry until last year and the feeling against them is reported to be strong.--Avalanche.

Record Additions to American Merchant Marine.

Merchant vessels built in the United States and officially numbered by the Bureau of Navigation, Department of Commerce, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1915, were 1,226, of 215,711 gross tons, compared with 1,291, of 311,578 gross tons, for the fiscal year 1914.

During the past 10 months, however, under the Ship Registry Act of August 18, 1914, to the American merchant fleet, 147 foreign-build vessels of 523,907 gross tons have been added, making the total for the year from both sources 1,373 vessels of 744,618 gross tons.

This tonnage is the largest annual addition to the American merchant fleet in the history of the United States. In 1908 the total increase was 718,683 gross tons, in 1907 it was 596,708 gross tons, and in 1855 it was 586,102 gross tons.

The losses to the merchant fleet for the past year have not all been reported, but for the first nine months they number 1,062 vessels of 195,052 gross tons.

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H. O. Satterwhite and wife, of Roaring Springs, were in Floydada Sunday, the guests of W. H. Hilton and wife.



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