

## Panhandle Fair Seems Assured

A recent communication from Secretary Seth B. Holman, of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, says in part:

"The citizens of Amarillo feel that a Panhandle Fair is an absolute necessity, and that as the largest city in this section, the Gateway to the entire Panhandle, the distributing center of the Frying Pan, it is not only her pleasure, but her duty as well, to take the lead in this vital step upward and forward.

As to the necessity for a Panhandle Fair, I do not believe there can be any argument. Nothing under the sun more quickly silences the Knocker, enthruses the local people, convinces the prospective investor, and starts a section on the upward trend than a modern, up-to-date, carefully arranged display of its agricultural natural, stock and textile industries. And it is a fact that the Panhandle sorely needs this presentation to the world. Go down in South Texas, to Oklahoma, Kansas, and into the Northern and eastern States, and you will hear that the staple output of the Panhandle is cattle, snow storms in the winter and dust storms in the summer. It is time we were showing the world what the Panhandle really is, and I know of no better or more effective way of presenting its claims than through the medium of a cracking good panhandle State Fair.

This Fair is to be chartered under the laws of the State of Texas for a period of Fifty Years, with a paid-up capital stock of Fifty Thousand Dollars, non-assessable. It is to be organized along the lines of the Dallas State Fair, its officers being President, Vice-President, Secretary-Treasurer, and five to seven Directors. The stockholders are to receive eight per cent interest, payable annually. The Fair Association will take over Glenwood Park, now leased for a period of five years, for a sum assuring eight per cent on the total investment of Fifty Thousand Dollars, which assures the stockholders interest on their money up to and including the year 1917, provided the Fair is organized and in operation during the time. This lease runs from April 1st to September 1st,

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## H. B. Murray Favors Extermination Law.

H. B. Murray, editor of the Post at Post City, and traveling representative of the State Agricultural Department, was in Floydada Second Monday and mixed with the farmers and former friends in the Country. The weather prevented his making an open-air address.

Mr. Murray is favoring a state-wide extermination fight on the jack-rabbit and prairie dog, a thing which should have the hearty support of every farmer and business man, and makes some excellent arguments in its favor.

While local county bounty laws have the effect of killing thousands of these pests yearly still the fact that both migrate so rapidly and multiply in a heavy ratio, makes one county's efforts a nullity unless all adjoining counties aid in the good work.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Sanders have just returned from Quanah where they have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. J. Hoyle. They also attended the graduating exercises of their granddaughter, Miss Violet Hoyle.

Old Dominion writes from Lone Star, N. M., that good rains fell at that place on the first and third, fine rains at Knowles on the third, and winds up by saying, "We can hear the frogs hollering up at Pendleton 35 miles west over the telephone."

### Miss Jane Price Married.

Miss Jane Price, who taught music in the public schools at Floydada in 1911-12 and who has a host of friends at this place, was married at her home in Harrison, Ark., June 4th, to Arthur Benjamin Rand, according to announcements friends have received in Floydada.

Her many friends wish her bon voyage on the matrimonial sea.

Phone Williams-Brown. Itc.

J. A. Price returned Friday from Chattanooga, Tenn., and points in Arkansas where he spent a part of his time visiting after taking in the re-union. He is the first of the Floydadaites to return from the big show.

of each year, allowing ample time for holding the annual Fair.

All profits over and above the eight per cent interest and an additional six per cent in dividends, which may be voted by the Directors each year on the capital stock, shall go into the accounts of the Fair as a surplus and be used for permanent improvements, for paying premiums, and defraying other expenses necessary to make the Fair a success as an annual "event."

With this organization, it is possible to make this Fair equal to the "Texas State Fair" in less time than the "Dallas Fair" has required to assume its present proportions."

### Crosbyton Has Muddy Picnic Day

Some fifteen or twenty of Floydada and Floyd County people attended the Crosbyton picnic last Saturday, all of whom report a windy, dusty day—nit. Water stood all over the whole country, copious rains having fallen the day previous and another rain coming up in the afternoon of Saturday.

Most of the bunch got wet but enjoyed themselves to the utmost.

## Fishing on Blanco.

Blanco canyon is the annual fishing and outing grounds for the population of a large part of the south plains, and this year proves no exception. Fishermen from Floyd report from one to five parties on the creek all the time.

Just at this time luck does not seem to be as good as the recent heavy hail and rains accompanied by rises on the Canyon have washed out a great many of the largest fish which can be seen dead many yards from the banks of the stream.

A big lake and a park on Blanco is one of the dreams of future beauty in the landscape near Floydada.

## Attending Lumbermen's Convention.

Marager W. I. Cannaday of the local McAdams Yard, left Tuesday for Lubbock to attend a meeting of the West Texas Managers for McAdams. He is spending three days away.

A good program has been arranged for the occasion, which is the first annual event of its kind.

A. G. McAdams, of Dallas, president of the company, with J. L. Lackey and Sam Airhart, of the Main office force, and H. M. Lawrence and J. L. Lester, managers respectively at Wylie and Paducah, passed through by auto Monday enroute to the same place to attend the convention.

Conductor E. B. Thompson and family returned Monday from their vacation spent with Mr. Thompson's brother at Port Aransas on the Gulf. Mr. Thompson reports a great time while away, but owing to the fact that his wife was along the largest fish he reports catching weighed only 30 pounds.

J. R. Jones, of the Sandhill community, in company with his son, H. P. Jones, of Eldorado, Okla., who is out on a visit was in Floydada last Monday. The elder Mr. Jones moved to this section in April and is farming the J. S. Pickel homestead which he purchased some five or six years ago.

J. A. Callihan and wife returned Monday from the Confederate Reunion at Chattanooga, and report a fine trip, and a well attended re-union. They also spent a week in New Orleans on a stop-over with friends and relatives.

J. W. Woodruff, of Anson, Jones County, is visiting this week in Floydada with W. L. Sawyer. Mr. Woodruff has been teaching the past few years in the Indian schools of Oklahoma, but returned to Anson recently on account of pressure of private business affairs.

He is well impressed with this section of the state.

Mrs. McKinnon of Crosbyton, is spending the week in Floydada with Judge A. P. McKinnon and family.

J. R. Kerlin and family left last Friday for points in Louisiana where they will visit with relatives.

W. A. Nash, of Plainview, auctioneer, was in Floydada Second Monday and did quite a good business in his line.

Dr. R. C. Andrews and granddaughter, Miss Maurine, were Plainview visitors Tuesday.

R. H. Baker was in Plainview Tuesday transacting business.

## A Big Steer.

Probably most of the readers of the Hesperian have read accounts of the biggest steer in the world, the property of Jon. W. Lovelady, of Lubbock, which steer received so much comment and newspaper space during the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth during the spring. This steer weighs 3540 now, and is certainly some big steer. He is sixteen and a half or seventeen hands high and broad in proportion. Mr. Lovelady has had an offer of a large sum for the steer by a big packery if he can make the steer weigh an even two ton by 1915 at the San Francisco World's Fair. The steer weighed 3400 in Fort Worth and will come very near winning the packery's money in another two years.

## Young Teacher Marries Pupil.

V. A. Duck, son of J. F. Duck of the Baker community, was married at a late hour Sunday one week ago to the Miss Graham of the Petersburg community, having stole a march on his friends and securing a marriage license at Plainview, and driving to Floyd from Petersburg, when Rev. Shearer married them at his residence at a late hour. The young lady had been one of her husbands pupils in the Allmon school last year.

Both members of the new alliance are of excellent families and have a host of friends who wish them the utmost happiness and prosperity.

Sam Sluder, wife and younger children and Sam Pool and family left on Wednesday morning overland for New Mexico. They will go first to Texico and Portales following the Belen cut-off for a distance, then turn down the Rio Grande coming home in about two months by way of the Capitan Mountains and Roswell.

This will be a great outing, and they declared before leaving that they intended to enjoy it to the fullest.

Mrs. Jno L. West received twenty-two very pretty Indian runner goslings from a poultry farm at Plainview Wednesday, which she will add to her poultry yard. Ducks are becoming popular in the modern poultry yard, as their value becomes more recognized.

"Uncle Joe" Foster was in town Saturday and informed the News editor that he had decided not to begin publication of a second newspaper at Lockney, but to take a position with his sons, who are publishing the Tulia Herald.—Plainview News.

C. W. Gound, formerly of Floydada, and later of Knox City, in Knox County, has established himself in the mercantile business at Post City.

Mrs. C. J. Menefee and son, Robert, went up to Plainview Saturday returning home Tuesday afternoon.

John Fawver, of Plainview, spent Monday night in Floydada on business and on a visit with relations.

Mayor W. T. Montgomery spent last Friday in Plainview on business.

J. S. Callihan, of the Wake country, was in Floyd Friday on business.

Try the one zone store, that's Williams-Brown. Itc.

## 12 Applicants for Teachers' Certificates.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week was teachers' examination day in Floyd county and Professors Nix, of Lockney, and Savage of this city, presided over 12 applicants for certificates during this time. Five applied for first grade state certificates, four for second grade state certificates and three for second grade county certificates.

## School District Transfers Before July 1.

Transfers of school children from one district to another should be made before July first, the time prescribed by law as the latest date.

Many parties intending to make transfer often forget to give this attention until too late, therefore, it is well that all be informed on the subject.

## Mrs. Ivey Entertains.

Wednesday evening Mrs. George Ivey entertained in honor of her cousins, Mrs. Gibson and Miss Surginer, of Blum, Texas.

The evening was delightfully spent in playing rook, Thurmond Bishop winning high score. Music was furnished during the evening by Miss Stella Edwards. At a late hour a salad and ice course was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Surginer.

Mrs. G. A. Smith, of Hastings, Okla., sister of Mrs. A. G. Smith, of this city, and Mrs. Tom Jones and daughters, Misses Mattie and Grace, of Waurika, Okla., are out on a visit of a month or more, arriving in Floydada Wednesday afternoon.

Misses Elnora Dunn and Mary Hinson, of Spur, are visiting in Floydada this week with Mrs. A. C. Bowers, having been in town since Monday.

Brown's "White House" slippers and oxfords for the ladies; Packard slippers and oxfords for men satisfaction goes with every pair.

Itc. Mathis-Martin D. G. Co.

## Trades Day Crowd Here

### Threatening Weather does not Hinder large Crowd in Floydada Second Monday.

Considering the weather the crowd in Floydada Second Monday Trades Day was much larger than the crowd on the previous trades day. Before the hour for the arrival of the crowds many predicted that few would come on account of threatening weather. The usual quota of traders were on hand from various parts of the south plains and one or two Soap sellers kept corner crowds interested. Grocery dealers especially report sales as very good, and the dry goods men say that business was not lacking.

Trades Day is really a day for the trader and the man who wishes to find a buyer for the thing which he does not need. However, in Floyd the past two "events" have been marked by brisk mercantile activity as well. Fact is, the bargains in the stores have been as attractive as the bargains which were picked up on the streets.

### Rains Continue.

Saturday, Saturday night and Sunday, rains fell over the larger portion of Floyd county to about the extent of .82 inches, the amount of precipitation at Floydada. All portions had some rain though some say that small sections in spots are dryer than the average over the county.

However, this rain in appearance general over the northwest portion of the state is said not to have extended south of Spur far, nor east of Matador.

### Rural Carrier Exams. Saturday.

Postmaster Starks announces that the rural carrier examinations set for Saturday will be held at the public school building, beginning promptly at 9:30. Six applicants will take the examination.

Try a blue jay Broom.—Williams-Brown. Itc.

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**Prest Mezes on Constitutional Amendment.**

Austin, Texas, June 6, 1913. Many erroneous statements have been widely published about the position of the University authorities in the event that the constitutional amendment submitted in Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 should be adopted. It seems fitting, therefore that an authoritative statement should come from one in a position to speak for the University.

The Amendment does not contemplate, and gives no authority for the consolidation of the A. & M. College and the University in Austin.

The Amendment gives no authority to move the Medical Department.

The Amendment gives no authority to move the College of Industrial Arts for women.

The Amendment gives no authority to move the Sam Houston Normal, the Southwest Texas Normal, the North Texas Normal, or the West Texas Normal.

The Amendment will in no way change the constitutional relations between the University and the A. & M. College, the College of Industrial Arts, or the four State normals.

If the Amendment is adopted the authorities of the University will continue to develop the course of study as seems best for the needs of its thirty-three hundred students. Four hundred and sixty-one of these students, in the regular session alone, come direct from the farm, and more than a thousand of them are preparing to teach in the common schools. It is probable that the demands of these students will require more courses than we now offer in agriculture, both for those who plan to teach agriculture in the public schools and for those who expect to go back to the farm. If the capacity of the University, the A. & M. College, the College of Industrial Arts, the four State normals schools, and the public schools were doubled, all of them could

not supply the needs of the three hundred and fifty thousand white farmers of Texas.

The Directors of the A. & M. College in their last biennial report state that nearly a million dollars are needed at once for buildings. Under the provisions of the Amendment buildings could be provided without delay at an immediate cost of \$50,000 a year. Moreover, the adoption of the Amendment would forever free the College from the danger of being unable to get buildings from appropriations should another Governor, or the Supreme Court, consider such a method unconstitutional. Should this Amendment fail and should another disastrous fire revisit the College during the administration of a governor who considered appropriations for A. & M. buildings unconstitutional, how would it be possible to replace the burned buildings? I cannot think that the opponents of the Amendment have seriously considered the question.

I have spent twenty of my best years in educational work in Texas, and I expect to spend the rest of my life here. I am more confident than ever that the people of Texas wish to develop all their educational institutions and will deal generously by them. The pending Amendment, in my judgment, is the most equitable and beneficial measure in the interest of every higher educational institution that has been submitted to the people during my long residence in the state. I confidently urge every friend of education to vote and work for the constitutional amendment submitted in Senate Joint Resolution Number 18.

S. E. Mezes,  
 President of the University of Texas.

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**Holiness Meeting**

Remember that the Holiness Meeting will begin June 20th. Get ready to attend. It will be a non-sectarian meeting held solely for the salvation of souls. Christians of all denominations are cordially requested to attend and assist us in the meeting.

Rev. A. G. Jeffries, of Peniel, Texas, will be in charge. The meeting will be held at the tabernacle.

**Juror League Program.**

Sunday afternoon, June 15th. Subject.—"In the cities." Scripture.—Matt. 25; 34-40. Leader.—Virgie Gatewood. Song, "What a friend we have in Jesus."

Prayer by superintendent. Reading.—Velma Rodgers. References, Psalms 24:7.—Lucile Toler.

Ps. 31:20.—Dona Gibson. Ps. 34:15, 17, 18.—Talmage Rogers.

Ps. 36:7.—Cleo Andrews. Story by superintendent. League Benediction.

**Meeting at Harmony.**

A meeting at Harmony beginning on the 14th, next Saturday, and lasting through the 22nd of the month, has been planned for sometime by the people of that community. Rev. M. L. Lancaster, of east Texas, Free Methodist, will conduct the meeting, and a cordial invitation has been extended to all who desire to attend.

**Union Meeting in August.**

The month of August has been set apart as the month for the Union Meeting which is to be held in Floydada this summer. The meeting will probably begin the first Sunday in that month.

Rev. Ham, of Louisville, Ky., Baptist evangelist, will conduct the services. He is said to be a man of great power and preparations looking forward to a great meeting, are being made.

Try Heinz Apple Butter. 1tc. Williams-Brown.

Struggling Against Injury. "What's the terrible pain going on over there?" "Oh, that's just an alderman trying to prevent a corporation agent from crowding a thousand dollars into his pocket."—Detroit Free Press.

Nature Note. Little Dorothy had never before visited her grandfather, who lived in the country. The chickens occupied her undivided attention for half her first day at the farm. Finally she sought her grandfather and shyly asked: "Grandpa, do all hens eat with their noses?"

It Depends. The Springfield Republican, replying to an inquirer who wants to know if children are worth while, says it depends on whether they're yours or the neighbors. That goes for dogs and chickens, too.—Kansas City Times.

Daily Thought. Every man stamps his value on himself; the price we challenge for ourselves is given us.—Schiller.

Daily Thought. It is indeed a desirable thing to be well descended, but the glory belongs to our ancestors.—Plutarch.

Short Life of Dollar Bill. The life of a dollar bill is about fourteen months.

Increased Comfort for Hog. A hog's habit of scratching itself against a post has led to the invention of an automatic disinfectant for animals, which are sprayed with a fluid as they rub against a supporting column.

And His Self-Respect. The man who marries for money sells his liberty.—Proverb.

Such Are Great Men. Great men are the fire-pillars in the great pilgrimage of mankind; they stand as heavenly signs, ever-living witnesses of what has been, prophetic tokens of what may still be, the revealed, embodied possibilities of human nature.—Thomas Carlyle.

Up to the Doctor. "Well, here I am," announced the fashionable physician in his breezy way. "And now, what do you think is the matter with you?" "Doctor, hardly know!" murmured the fashionable patient. "What is new?"—Pearson's Weekly.

**Texas Cowboys in 1,500-Mile Race.**

Kansas City, June 7.—A 1,500-mile cowboy race for a prize of \$1,000 started from Kansas City yesterday. Miller Hawk of Spur, Texas; William Benten, Sierra Blanca, Texas, and T. O. Henderson, Coyama, N. M., are the contestants and their destination is Winnipeg.

Each of the riders has a pack pony besides his mount. They will go by way of Omaha over the same route to Minneapolis. There each will choose a separate trail.

"We will make twenty-five miles a day at first," said one of the riders, "but on the home stretch we will make seventy miles a day."

Mayor Jost, who sent a letter with the racers to the mayor of Winnipeg, acted as official starter.

Ask for Heinz dill pickles. 1tc. Williams-Brown.

Money in Butterfly Farm. An Englishman operating a butterfly farm is said to sell to museum and collectors upward of 50,000 specimens yearly. He obtains as high as \$50 for exceptionally fine ones, and his net income is said to be fully \$2,500.

Simple Remedy for Burns. Common whitening, mixed with water to the consistency of a thick cream spread on linen, forms an excellent local application to burns and scalds. The whole burnt surface should be covered, thus excluding the action of the air. The ease it affords is instantaneous, and it only requires to be kept moist by occasional sprinkling of cold water.

Immense Auto Industry. Few persons, however well they may be informed about the vast extent of the automobile industry, would estimate the consumption of cotton in making fabrics for motor vehicle tops and tires at anything like the true figures, which are about 1,500,000 bales.

The Miser. "Here," said Teddy's papa, showing the little boy a coin, "is a penny 300 years old. It was given to me when I was a little boy." "Gee whiz!" ejaculated Teddy, "just think of anybody being able to keep a penny as long as that without spending it."

**No. 7045**

Report of the condition of The First National Bank at Floydada, in the state of Texas, at the close of business, June 4, 1913.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and discounts	\$142,108.75
Overdrafts, secured and unsec.	795.63
U.S. Bonds to secure circula'n	12,500.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	462.22
Banking house, Furn. and Fix.	28,598.20
Other Real Estate owned	825.95
Due from National Banks, not reserve agents	3,167.79
Due from state and private banks and bankers, trust companies and savings banks,	69.86
Cash Collection acct.	none
Due from Approved Res. Agts.	18,200.78
Checks and other cash items	3,544.13
Notes of other National Banks	2,327.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents,	65.70
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	9,605.90
9,605.90	9,605.90
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, 5 per cent of Circ.	625.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer,	none
Total	\$222,896.91

**LIABILITIES**

Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	15,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	14,160.11
National Bank notes outst'g	12,500.00
Due to other Nat. banks	48.32
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	3,616.40
Due to Approved Res. Agts.	None
Individual Deposits sub.to chk	89,179.24
Time certificates of deposit	10,992.84
Cashiers Checks Outstanding	None
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrow	15,000.00
Contribution by Stock holders	12,000.00
Liabilities other than those above stated	400.00
Total	\$222,896.91

State of Texas, County of Floyd, ss: I, E. C. Nelson, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. C. Nelson, Cashier  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of June, 1913.  
 J. B. Bartley  
 Notary Public  
 CORRECT—Attest:  
 R. C. Andrews.  
 C. Surginer.  
 Jno. N. Farris.  
 Directors.

**Nix Loses Home by Fire.**

J. F. Nix was filling his appointment at Happy Union Sunday when his home burned. The blaze consumed everything Mr. Nix had, and came near proving fatal to his fifteen-months-old baby and to his cousin, who rescued the child. Mr. Nix' loss included three gold watches, a good library and all of his own and his wife's clothing except what they wore. He had just put up a new windmill and tank, both of which were destroyed.

The fire boys made a run, but could do little. They had no water. The Nix home was northwest of Wayland College, outside of the water limits. W. H. Box saved a trunk.

The fire originated from the use of a gasoline iron. Willie Nix, a cousin of J. F., had been pressing his suit of clothes with a gasoline iron on Saturday night. It seems that he left the can of gasoline open so that it evaporated into the room. Next morning he went to light the iron to finish pressing and an explosion followed.

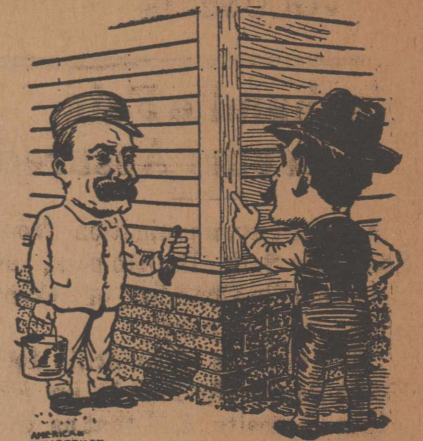
Mrs. Nix carried the older child outside and called for her baby. Willie dashed into an adjoining room and rescued the child. His arms were badly burned. The child was not seriously injured.—Plainview Herald.

J. F. Nix is a brother of E. C. Nix of Lockney, prominent in Floyd county educational circles, and has taught extensively in this county. He will continue in college despite his loss.

Harmful Confidence. Much of the charm of life is ruined by the exacting demands of confidence.—Stopford Brooke.

Worth Remembering. "You have never suffered from financial reverses?" "No," replied Mr. Dustin Stax. "Finance is like dancing. When the market turns around and goes the other way you must reverse with it."

Miss Pauline Goins, who has been spending the past three years in school in Virginia, is in Floydada on a visit with her brother, T. A. Goins, and sisters, having arrived Saturday last.



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**The Hesperian**

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#### SANTA FE TIME TABLE.

West Bound	East Bound
Train No. 802	Train No. 801
Leaves	Arrives
8:00 a. m.	5: p. m.

#### City Building Notes.

The way to build a city is to build it.

When sidewalks go down property values go up.

Instead of kicking your town try kicking yourself.

All things come to towns that present a solid front.

Don't bleed your town to fatten some other—trade at home.

What your town needs is not merely to say what your town needs.

It is a short cut from the garbage can to the dinner table, via the fly route.

Selfishness is responsible for more sorrow in the world than anything else.

There must be organized strength, harmoniously working together to build a city.

An ad in your local paper is the advance agent that goes ahead and creates the desire.

The man who boosts intelligently, truthfully and persistently is truly a builder of builders.

The merchant who talks mostly about hard times doesn't advertise in his home paper.

Lots of people pretend progressiveness, but their actions give this the denial. After all, actions are what count.

The booster has his uses as well as the builder—the rooster is a booster, but as a laying proposition he does not amount to much.

A man who wouldn't fight for his town in a pinch shouldn't feel peeved if the town lays down upon him at a critical moment.—C. S. Service.

#### The Silo and Its Value.

It is said that there is nothing new under the sun, and the truth of this saying is well brought out in the present agitation among the well informed to induce the farmers of this State to give more attention to the silo. To many the name silo conveys no meaning, as they are in total ignorance of what it is, and yet the ancient Egyptians used the silo thousands of years ago. Reduced to its simplest terms, a silo is really a big can, corresponding in nearly every way to the cans in which the housewife preserves her fruit, and it is intended to, and does serve, the same purpose. It is a means of preserving green feed in its original form for stock of all kinds. Just as the housewife can insure a plentiful supply of both fruit and vegetables for the use of her family during the whole year, so the provident farmer who provides himself with a silo can be assured of an abundance of wholesome, nutritious food for his stock in times of scarcity. The principle upon which the silo is founded is the fact that decomposition and decay can only take place in any material through the agency of germ life, and in the presence of air. If this material is placed in an air-tight vessel, the germs that contain are killed, the air surrounding the material withdrawn, and if no new germ are allowed to enter, the material will remain in the same condition in which it was gathered for an indefinite time, and will be just as valuable as a feed as when fresh. The housewife accomplishes these desired results first by heating the material and then by sealing up the can. This would not be practical with the large quantities of feed required for our stock. So the same results is accomplished in a different way. Using the ground as a bottom a structure is erected the sides of which are air tight, or are made air-tight, when they get wet. These sides are made of a variety of materials, the most common being lumber, stone, steel cement and brick. It does not make much difference what the material used just so the sides are air-tight, and that they will hold the pressure of the material with which the structure is filled.

After the silo is erected it is filled with such material as green corn, sorghum, kaffir milo, or almost any green feed which is chopped into lengths, varying from one-half to three-quarters of an inch and packed firmly into the silo. When first placed in the silo the material undergoes quite a heating and some souring. This heat, however, expels the air that is held between the particles of material, and at the same time goes so high that it kills all germ life. As in the meantime the material has packed down very closely, no new

air or germs can enter; so the material soon cools off to an extent and remains unchanged for an indefinite period. This first heating has done two things. It has generated a small amount of acetic acid, a substance that aids digestion and has also acted upon many of the substances of the food and rendered them easier of digestion when taken into the animal's stomach. The result, then, is preserved green feed for stock for any time of the year and that green feed is even more digestible than when it was first cut. A silo can be built at a cost of a little over a dollar per ton capacity to two or three dollars, depending upon the material and the finish. No cover is necessary, as rain does not injure the ensilage. Even a pit in the ground can be made to do service as a silo, especially in the dryer sections. After the silo is filled to the top, two or three inches of material spoils, so in designing the silo it is necessary to calculate to feed a layer over the whole surface each day. In this way it is fed up before it has time to spoil.

Ensilage keeps better in a deep, than in a shallow silo, so it is customary to build them twenty to twenty-five feet in height. A silo ten feet in diameter and twenty-five feet high will hold about thirty-six tons of ensilage. A well-fed dairy cow will consume from thirty to forty pounds of ensilage a day. From this data one should be able to calculate the size of silo needed.

Ensilage can ordinarily be grown and put up for about three dollars a ton while in feed value, when properly combined with other materials, it is easily worth six dollars. Outside of the actual nutrients it contains it is of especial value to the dairyman, because it enables him at all times to have green feed. It is of equal value to the beef feeder as it is well known that animals never take on flesh as rapidly and as cheaply as when supplied with a certain amount of green succulent feed. Besides proving of value during winter, the Texas feeder will find ensilage of inestimable use in helping him tide over the hot, dry summers and falls. While almost any feed material, except those consisting of hollow stems, will make valuable ensilage, there is nothing quite so good and so valuable as corn and the grain sorghums. Ordinarily for each five bushels of corn that a field will yield it will make a ton of ensilage. The corn from a thirty-bushel field would be worth, at fifty cents, fifteen dollars, while the ensilage from the same field would be worth twice as much. So, besides being a means of supplying green food to stock, the silo is also a means of adding very materially to the value of the feed stuff, and also of utilizing the corn-

stalks that constitute forty per cent of the value of a cornfield, and that are too often lost. Again, it costs less to save ensilage than to save the crop in any other form. At the same time a man with a silo is independent of the weather. He can fill his silo while the rain is pouring down. On the other hand, should there be danger of losing his crop from dry weather he can cut it and place it in the silo and so save it. Forage crops make the best ensilage when cut well glazed, but it can be cut at any time during its growth and will still make valuable feed.

Texas Industrial Congress  
 Dallas, Texas.

### You can Depend On Your Neighbors

By HOLLAND.

To whom do you appeal for help in time of trouble or sickness? On whom would you depend if dread misfortune laid its heavy hand on you? Your neighbor? Exactly.

Man is aggregarious animal and he naturally cares for relatives, friends and acquaintances rather than strangers. Social affairs depend entirely on acquaintanceship, and business affairs are controlled to large extent by the same element. It would be better if business and friendship were still more closely linked.

If you would depend on your neighbors in time of adversity why not depend on them in prosperity? Isn't the man whose hand you would like to grasp the man to whom you ought to hand the dollar that you have to spend? Why send it away to a mail order house which would be interested in a death in your family merely because it offered a possible chance to sell you a tombstone or a crape band for your hat?

You know your neighbors are reliable, that they can be depended on, that they would come to your aid with sympathy or material help should the occasion arise. Then why not show that you appreciate their good qualities by doing business with them regularly and as a matter of habit? They know you and are interested in you. The mail order man is merely interested in getting your money, and that in advance.

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#### Invents Machine for Sharpening Gin Saws.

Ballinger, June 8.—R. B. Creasy, superintendent of the Ballinger cotton oil mill, has perfected a machine for gumming and sharpening gin and inter saws.

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Mr. Creasy will leave for Little Rock, Ark., with his machine to demonstrate it before the National Oil Mill Superintendents' association, which convenes in that city next week.

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#### His Nationality.

During the recent trouble on the Mexican border one of the Americans damaged by bullets from across the line gave in his name as Patrick O'Ryany Vasquez. When carried into the zone of safety he was found to be armed too the teeth.

"Are you an American or a Mexican?" he was asked.

"Just enough av an American to shoot on the slightest provocation," he groaned, "an' jist enough av a Mexican to miss iv'ry thing oi shoot at."—Selected.

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HOMER MINOR.

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Ples Skeen, of Silverton, was in Floydada over Sunday.

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#### Newspapers And Suicide.

A few days ago a Mr. Walker of Macon, Ga., mistaking it for a headache tablet, swallowed an antiseptic tablet containing 7 grains of bichlorid of mercury. The newspaper announcements said that he vomited soon afterward, and that his stomach was washed out. Hence the probability is that the man retained barely a fatal dose, and therefore lived longer than he would have lived had the full amount of mercury taken been retained. This case was not an unusual one. Although such accidents have occurred many times, this case was "featured" by the newspapers of the country day after day, and the idea conveyed that Mr. Walker was having a good time although knowing that he was going to die. Of course the "stories" were embellished to make good reading. As might have been expected, the suggestion has had its effect on despondent waverers, and suicides by this method are now being reported; in fact, before Mr. Walker had died a Chicago paper announced one. It is a pity, says The Journal of the American Medical Association, that the sense of responsibility to the public is so little developed in the editors (or those responsible for the policy) of such papers as those that "featured" the Walker accident. One of our most prominent dailies recently published a cartoon ridiculing the federal senate "pure news bill" designed to prevent the publication of unwholesome news. The sensational press is doing its best to hasten the day of such legislation.

#### For Sale.

Threshed sorghum baled \$7.50 ton, sorghum seed \$1 per bu; bundle kafir corn 2 1/2c. W. L. Boerner, S. E. Floydada. tf.

#### O. Dammitt Wants Change.

Elmsford, N. C., June 4.—Orlando Dammitt of this village wishes to change his name and has started proceedings to that end. Dammitt says his name has caused him a great deal of worry. For instance, it is a thing common to hear some friend shout, "Danmitt! Come here a second, will you?" Then again, Dammitt says that it is rather awkward for him when his name is being called at lodge meetings. The secretary goes down the list of names and when he comes to his, says: "O. Dammitt!"

Half the time Dammitt says he doesn't know whether his name is being called or whether the secretary has made a blot on the books and is merely giving vent to his feelings.

"I'm getting sick of it," says Dammitt. "Good heavens, it was bad enough when I went to school. I played on the football team and whenever I made a good play the fellows used to give me a long cheer. It went something like this: 'Rah, rah, rah, hoo-ray, Dammitt! Dammitt! O. Dammitt!'"

#### Sells Transfer Business.

B. B. King who has been draying and has had the mail contract from the local depot to the Post office, has sold the business to E. L. Jackson, who will continue same.

Sid will probably haul for the Southwestern for a few weeks.

Sam Goslee spent Friday and Saturday of last week in Crosbyton with the Plainview Band where he played the lead cornet on the picnic grounds. He returned home Monday.

#### Vendor's Lien Notes Bought.

I am in the market to buy first Vendor's Lien notes on country property. Describe notes and property, stating price wanted. W. B. JOINER  
Loan Agent, Plainview, Texas. 4tc

#### The Silo That Never Falls Down Or Goes To Staves.

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It is not so constructed that there is danger of blowing down, or dry weather shrinking it to the point of falling down. Ask those that have built a Common Sense Silo near Lubbock, Texas, see what they claim. For further particulars call on manager of yard or write to W. B. Atkins, Lubbock, Texas, for names of parties who own common Sense Silos.

tf A. G. McAdams Lbr. Co.

While returning from Dickens Monday in an automobile, Lawyer Wicks of Ralls, J. W. Burton of Crosbyton, and Senator Veale of Amarillo, together with the driver, happened to an accident which might have resulted seriously, and probably fatally to all of them. While climbing the cap rock near Crosbyton, and when at the steepest place, the car suddenly skidded and became uncontrollable, and in spite of all that could be done tumbled over a fifteen foot precipice, at the bottom of which it is now lying. Fortunately for the occupants, they were able to jump safely to the ground before the machine fell.—Ralls Banner.

I. C. Surginer and family and Mrs. Gibson and Miss Surginer were among others who attended the Crosbyton Picnic Saturday and returned Sunday through the mud.

#### DON'T FORGET ITS TIME TO PAINT.

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tf. A. G. McAdams Lbr. Co.

E. C. Nelson spent Tuesday in Plainview on business.

#### Date Omission Kills Senate Resolution.

Austin, June 4.—Senate joint resolution No. 4, proposing an amendment to section 52 of article 3 of the constitution so as to authorize the issuance of bonds by a majority vote for the construction, maintenance and operation of macademized roads and the erection and maintenance of public warehouses, will not be submitted in the July election or at any other election, for the reason that it is void and of no force or effect. The trouble is that it failed to state when it shall be voted on, the resolution reading that it shall be submitted on the "third Saturday in July, the same being the 19th day of said month," omitting the year.

First Assistant Attorney General Cureton holds that a resolution which, though giving the day and the month when an election shall be held on a proposed amendment to the constitution, but which fails to name the year for the election does not comply with article 17 of the constitution which requires that the date shall be specified, and is a nullity.

The resolution was also defective in that it made no provision for drainage districts.

However, house joint resolution No. 18 contains all of the changes proposed in No. 4, and the failure to submit instead of complicating matters, will have a tendency to clear up the situation and prevent needless confusion.

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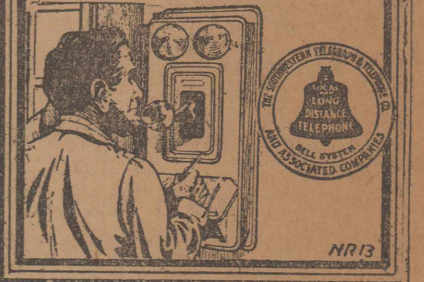
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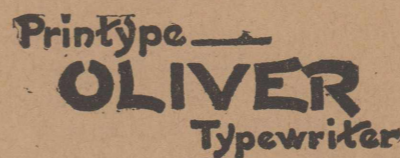
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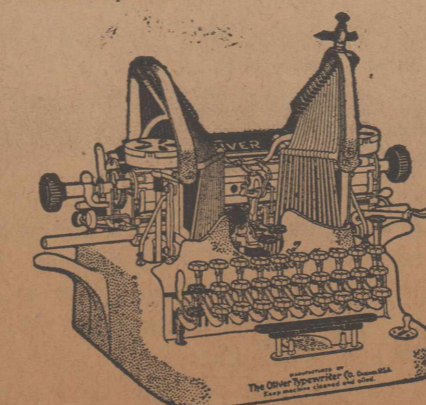
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### Jackass Statistics.

C. S. News Service.

In the Spring of 1910 the enumerators of the Federal Census Department visited every farm house in Floyd County and made inquiries pertaining to the "various phases of our agriculture. The result of the canvasses have just been published and reveal some unique as well as interesting information. According to the reports there are 159 jackasses on the farms and ranges of this county and their total valuation is given at \$15,380.

The jackass population of Texas is 20,408 which have a total value of \$1,720,074. Only two farms out of one hundred reported jackasses at the last census and the total number of Texas farms reporting was \$151. The average value per head is \$4.28 or \$12.47 more than that of the Texas horse.

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Dr. M. F. Huskey and O. P. Darsey spent Friday in Plainview on business.

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### Bought an Auto.

Old man Otto bought an auto which he ought not to have done, till he studied fully how an auto ought to run; but old Otto did not do it, so he had himself to thank, then when Otto cranked the auto, why old Otto was the crank. For old Otto left the auto with lever pushed to go, when he ought to have reversed it with the power off you know. So when Otto cranked the auto, the auto gave a jump, and landed Otto sprawling with an automatic thump. But Otto grabbed the auto as the auto autoed by, then Otto and the auto down the auto road did fly; and at a speed that auto luckless Otto whirled, like an auto autoerat who thinks he owns the world. While the auto hating public stood and watched auto rash, till it ran against a lamp post with a most terrific crash! Then they sadly laid poor Otto who has lost his auto zest, where the autoers cease from troubling and the Ottoes are at rest.—Ex.

Try Jackson square Coffee next time. 1tc. Williams-Brown.

Shipment just arrived Armour's Hams & Bacon. 1tc. Williams-Brown.

### The Other View Point.

Austin Texas, June 9.—The following statement has been issued from the headquarters of the State Organization which is opposing the adoption of the amendment to Sections 49 and 52 Article 3 of the Constitution:

"An address issued by the Regents of the University, which has been extensively circulated makes the statement that the adoption of the bond amendment, 'Will provide the funds necessary for the proposed expansion of the University without any addition whatever to the taxes borne by the people. The income from the University permanent endowment is amply sufficient to pay the interest and provide a sinking fund for the bonds proposed.'"

"This is very clever, but a very misleading statement, in that it does not inform the reader of the fact that nowhere in the amendment is there anything which compels the Legislature or says that the Legislature shall use any part of the permanent fund to pay off either the interest or bonds. It is left to the Legislature entirely. Besides, the permanent income of the University will not pay the interest, to say nothing of the bonds, for the Five or Seven million Dollars which the Regents said in their report for 1912 that the University would soon need. Again there is no mention in the address of the fact that if bonds are issued for other State institutions that the tax payers have not got to pay them. Any person who will secure a copy of the amendment and read it can see for himself that the statement that the adoption of Constitutional amendment providing for unlimited bonds will not cost the tax payers a cent is not based upon anything in the amendment itself. All bonds must be paid by the tax payers. The adoption of the bond amendment will cost the tax payers in interest and increased appropriations more than a quarter of a Million Dollars each year, and it means the destruction of the Agricultural and Mechanical College, the farm school. This, within itself, would destroy a Million and a Half Dollars of property, paid for by the tax payers."

### Floyd County Has Large Families.

C. S. News Service

The average size of a Texas family is 4.9 compared with 5.4 ten years ago. The average family in Floyd County contains 5 persons and we have 923 families residing in this county according to a census report which has just been issued. Floyd is one of the 117 Texas counties whose families are larger than the State's average and if all the families in the State were as large as those of our county Texas' population would be nearer the five million mark.

### Their Endless Wrangle.

The Doctor—"Natural endowment goes a great way, I grant you, but it takes education to make a man of parts." The Professor—"Yes, but monkeying with a buzzsaw will do it quicker."

### Art or Service

A leader of a chamber-music string quartet used to say that he was never sure when he approached a private house whether he would be let in with the caterer's men at the back or with the honored guests at the front.—New York Evening Post.

### Ouch!

Mrs. Exe—"There's no use. I can't get my husband to listen to common sense." Mrs. Wye—"Who did you get to talk to him?"

Where Honesty is Worthless.

### Pay for Privilege of Hunting.

Different German states have different rates for persons who want to hunt. In Prussia, for instance, Germans pay about \$5.50 a year for the privilege, and foreigners pay four times that amount. In Wurtemberg native hunters pay about \$7.50 a year and foreigners pay twice that amount.

### A Lesson To All Judges.

The Boys' Court of Boston, managed and presided over by boys, is a legal part of the city government, and its decisions are of as much binding force as those of any other court. It tries the case against boys—especially newsboys—for the infraction of city ordinances, such as those against jumping on moving cars and against gambling. It has greatly reduced the police problem, and it has raised the ideals of the boys, as appears from the following conversation with a boy judge of the court:

"How do you like your job?" A serious expression came into his face as he replied, "In a way, I like it, but a feller has got to keep his eye peeled on himself and his 'think-tank' pretty clear."

"I hear your court sat very late last night."

"Yes," he said, "we had a good many cases last night."

"How many sessions do you hold a week?"

"One, usually, and sometimes two."

"How much are you paid for service on the bench?"

"Fifty cents from the city every night we serve."

"Who decides the number of nights you shall sit?"

"We do—the judges."

"If you wanted to, could you hold a session every evening?"

"I think prob'ly we could," he answered.

"Then, why don't you hold more sessions, instead of continuing them so late?"

"Because," he said, "we don't want to have it look as if we was graftin' off the city."

World's Work.

### Creighton—Byars.

A. E. Creighton, for the past two years on the Lockney Beacon force, was in Floydada Saturday and secured the license from the clerk's office for his marriage to Miss Flora Byars of that city, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Byars.

On Sunday the marriage was consummated, Rev. H. G. Finley, pastor of the Baptist Church officiating.

"In the good old days" Ed was a compositor on The Hesperian and is widely known in this city, and popular, too.

Miss Byars is one of the most popular of Lockney's social set and the couple begin their wedded life with the best wishes of a large circle of friends and admirers.

They will be at home in Lockney.

Heinz mustard—the best.—Williams-Brown. 1tc.

Mrs. D. T. Heatley, of Plainview, is spending the week in Floyd with her sister, Mrs. George McPeak, having arrived Thursday last.

### Good Business.

An evangelist who has been holding services in Atchison received \$1,700 for two weeks' effort. This is more than most of the faithful Atchison pastors receive for a year's work. However, the revivalist made a record of 895 conversions, which is also largely in excess of that of any local pastor.—Kansas City Star.

### For Rusted Saws.

When the saw becomes rusted it may be removed with emery dust mixed with sweet oil. Apply this with a large corncob.

Are You a Woman?

Take Cardui

The Woman's Tonic

FOR SALE AT ALL DRUGGISTS

### Oklahoma Parties Plead Guilty.

The man, Haywood, and wife, arrested in Floydada by the local sheriff's department last week, were taken to Amarillo and turned over to the Quanah sheriff last Thursday night, by A. C. Goen.

The ring which had been taken by the woman was returned to the lawful owners and charges dismissed as against her, the man in the case assuming all responsibility and pleading guilty to a charge of adultery.

The Oklahoma City bank with which Haywood did business telephoned Sheriff Goen that his (Haywood's) check for any amount was good, it later developing that he had given a check on a different bank through error, in which he had no funds.

Alex Shipley, accompanied by a Mr. Schutt wife and sister, all of Clovis, were in Floydada over Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Shipley is a son of W. A. Shipley of this city.

L. T. Lester, of Canyon, and a director of the First National Bank of this place, was in town Tuesday

### Appreciate Your Blessings.

Don't kick because you have to button your wife's waist. Be glad your wife has a waist, and doubly glad you have a wife to button a waist for. Some men's wives' waists have not buttons on to button. Some men's wives' waists who have buttons on to button don't care a continental whether they are buttoned or not. Some men don't have any wives with waists with buttons on to button.—Tea (Tex.) Chronicle.

### Each Pew a Heater.

A Nuremberg church seating 1,200 has an electric heater for each pew. A three-inch iron tube incloses a smaller tube wound with resistance wire, and this heater runs in front of the seat and along the back of the pew ahead. Each heater has its own switch.

E. C. Nelson, Jr., returned from Austin Tuesday. He has been attending the State University the past year.

Clean, fresh groceries, that's 42. Williams-Brown. 1tc

## Maize Chops

Made on Our New Mill First Class Stuff.

WE SELL 'EM

Bring in that load of maize the next time you come to town and we will unload it, grind it and put it back in your wagon in less time than it takes to say good bye to your wife, all for the small sum of 10c per 100 lbs.

## BARKEMEYER GRAIN CO.

June 12th, 1913



## Excursion

TO Lubbock, Texas Account

Grand Round Up Littlefield Yellow House Ranch July 4th. Tickets sell July 1, 2 and 3. Final limit July 8. Round trip fare \$2.90.

J. T. J. DAWSON, Agent

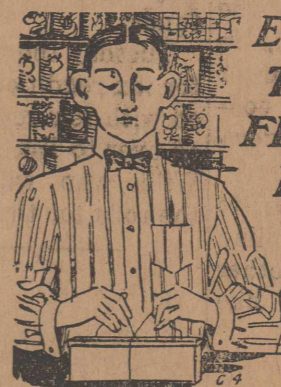
## You Need a Tonic

There are times in every woman's life when she needs a tonic to help her over the hard places. When that time comes to you, you know what tonic to take—Cardui, the woman's tonic. Cardui is composed of purely vegetable ingredients, which act gently, yet surely, on the weakened womanly organs, and helps build them back to strength and health. It has benefited thousands and thousands of weak, ailing women in its past half century of wonderful success, and it will do the same for you. You can't make a mistake in taking

## CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

Miss Amelia Wilson, R. F. D. No. 4, Alma, Ark., says: "I think Cardui is the greatest medicine on earth, for women. Before I began to take Cardui, I was so weak and nervous, and had such awful dizzy spells and a poor appetite. Now I feel as well and as strong as I ever did, and can eat most anything." Begin taking Cardui today. Sold by all dealers.

Has Helped Thousands.



EVERYTHING FRESH BUT THE HELP

If You Want Fresh Groceries Read This.

All of our foods and groceries are fresh from the farm, the creamery, the garden, cannery or factory. The shortest cut from the producer to your table is through our grocery store.

QUANTITY, QUALITY AND SERVICE.

## S. E. Duncan Grocery Co.

PHONES 77 or 88

## ANY RAGS!

Cash your "old rags" at THE HESPERIAN OFFICE

at 2 cents per lb.

Must be clean.

**OUR TRADES DAY HAT SALE WAS A WINNER BOTH FOR US AND OUR CUSTOMERS.**

WE SOLD DOZENS OF HATS

**June 13 And 14, Friday And Saturday**

Will Show Days In Floydada, Shoe Days At Morris Bros.

WE WILL HAVE ON SALE A NICE ASSORTMENT MEN&BOYS SHOES

Men's shoes that sell regular at \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50 & \$4 will be on sale at <b>\$1 \$1.50 \$2.35</b> And <b>\$2.75.</b>	A few pair of men's Oxfords, sizes 5½ to 7½, \$4.50 and \$5 shoes and are worth the money, your Choice <b>\$3.00</b>	Boys shoes that are bargains at \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50 Friday and Saturday <b>90c \$1.25 AND \$1.50.</b>
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We will have other Bargains Friday and Saturday, see us before you Buy.

**MORRIS BROS.**

"The Store that Treats the People Right."

**The Social Spirit.—The Main Idea**

Speaking of a monthly Trades' Day the Hereford Brand produces an unique and clever idea that is well worth thought. It hits the nail on the head:

"Down in the sticks" they call the day First Monday, and in some other places the First Saturday, just because the people have formed the good habit of coming together at least one time during each month to trade among themselves and to make purchases of their necessary supplies. But the best reason why the people of any community should meet often is a social one. The acquaintance of neighbors, the friendly spirit formed, the hospitality extended is worth more than the mere fact of swappin horses and buying something at the stores.

In Floydada the past two trades days we believe that acquaintances have been formed and enough ideas "swapped" among the attendants to be well worth the time spent in town, aside from the commercial value the day is assuming.

Special values in suits, \$10, \$12.50, \$15. No use for you to go without that new suit any longer.

1tc. Mathis-Martin D. G. Co.

California Club Logan-berries. 1tc. Williams-Brown.

Under the heading, "The other viewpoint" we print in this issue of the Hesperian an article from the pen of A. M. Kennedy, of Kerrville, who advocates the defeat of the amendment to sections 49 and 52, Article 3, of the state constitution. We are always willing that our readers see both sides of every public question.—willing enough that we reproduce arguments for both sides. However well we may think that we know that this amendment would be a saving in taxation to the taxpayers and a great aid, in fact, the salvation of the larger institutions of the state we concede the other man his viewpoint.

The way the wind seems to be blowing now, we are willing to concede, too, that the "other side" will win something like 5 to 3.

King Komas syrup, pure Louisiana Cane. 1tc. Williams-Brown.

Miss Cleo Caldwell, of Lockney, spent the first part of the week in Floydada visiting with her sister, Mrs. E. W. Jackson.

Special reduction on all ladies' and Misses' dresses and hats. Ask to see them. 1tc. Mathis-Martin D. G. Co.

White Swan dried peaches.—Williams-Brown. 1tc.

**Floydada 1913-14 Teachers Chosen.**

Teachers in Floydada Public School for the year of 1913-14 have been chosen and the list of those accepting the positions tendered, was completed this morning.

Dr. V. Andrews, secretary of the board, gave us the following list:

High School.—F. E. Savage, Supt.; T. H. Yarbrough, principal; Miss Prudence Moorehouse. Grades.—Misses Elfie Savage; Bee Collier, of Lockney; Maggie Warren, Dublin; Pauline Smith, Holland; Virginia Rucker, Lubbock.

Primary.—Miss Roxye Ivey.

According to the secretary the board of trustees are congratulating themselves that the scholarship of the new faculty will equal that of almost any other school in the state. All save two hold permanent certificates, and all have attended teachers normals of high grade, where thoroughness in methods and management as well as scholarship has been demanded. Should their teaching ability equal their scholarship Floydada's schools the following year should be the best yet.

**Habeas Corpus for Peters Saturday?**

It is reported that state and defendent attorneys for Horace Peters, the young teacher held in connection with the J. M. Muncy killing, have practically determined on next Saturday as the date for his habeas corpus hearing, if District Judge Kinder can be communicated with and officially set the day.

If the hearing is heard it will be at Plainview.

**Commissioners' Court.**

Commissioners' Court sat two days this week, during this time approving the new bond of the Lockney State Bank as depository for the county and school funds.

Tuesday the list of inventories for tax renditions were completed with few revisions and turned over to Tax assessor B. C. Willis who will now complete the rolls for the year.

**May Ward Off Pneumonia.**

Here is a recipe which a physician gave me several years ago, says a writer, and I have used it in my family ever since. For coughs, colds or any bronchial trouble saturate a handkerchief and apply to chest: Turpentine liniment.—Take a pint bottle, put in white of one egg, shake well, add four tablespoonfuls turpentine, shake till foamy, then fill with good vinegar; shake well.

**Gigantic Bog Oak Tree.**

Twenty tons of bog oak were recently unearthed at Llanwrtyd Wells, Wales. It measures 48 feet long with a diameter of 2 feet 9 inches. This giant oak tree is by far the largest which has been found within memory on the peat land near Llanwrtyd. Portions of it have been exposed for some years, but no one thought of such dimensions and no interest was taken in it until a few days ago.

**Executive's Apartment in Senate.**

Washington, June 9.—President Wilson has taken actual, physical possession of the officially designated President's room in the Senate wing of the capitol. He carries the key to its door in his pants pocket and then and thereby has shattered another precedent. It is not within the memory of the oldest employe about the big building, on the hill when a President of the United States has taken that key out of the possession of the Senate.

President Wilson appeared to regard the President's room in the Capitol as much his work room as the executive offices. It would occasion little surprise if he should show up there one of these days with an automobile full of stenographers and proceed to dig into his correspondence and go through with his day's business while keeping in touch with the Senators and Representatives.

All of his visits to the Capitol have been made while the Senate was in session until last Thursday. Then, as everybody now knows, he appeared, accompanied by Secretary Tumulty, long after both the House and Senate had adjourned, called for the key to his room, opened it and, calling for a messenger, proceeded to summon 20 or more august Senators into his presence to talk over patronage matters, chiefly relating to the diplomatic service.

**Sun Shines Twice in Six Days.**

Colonel Ju Peter Pluvius has been threatening the south plains the past few days with his rain battalions and while a sufficiency of moisture has fallen in most sections the citizens hereof are somewhat tickled at the maneuvers. Rain clouds have covered the sun's face for six days straight with two intermissions of an hour each Wednesday afternoon and this morning.

During the time the wind has been steadily from the southeast and the cloud banks continue more rainy-looking with each successive day.

To date the rainfall for the month of June has been 2.22.

**To Debate the Virtues of Buttermilk.**

Dallas, Texas, June 8.—Editor Jim Lowrey of the Honey Grove Signal and Editor L. M. Greene of the Tyler Courier-Times have accepted invitations to debate before the Dallas Press Club on the following topic:

"Resolved, That pot liquor is more beneficial to the genus homo than buttermilk."

"Buttermilk" Jim will argue for milk and Greene for pot liquor. The debate will be at a banquet June 23.

Try the Hesperian one year.

**New Testimony in Lobby Probe.**

Washington, D. C., June 10.—Former governor Carter and Sidney Ballou, told the Senate lobby investigation committee of their activities in behalf of Hawaiian sugar producers.

Carter testified he received no payment and paid his own expenses. Ballou testified that he was the regular Washington agent for the Hawaiian producers and received \$12000 yearly salary and \$3000 for yearly expenses. Both agreed the sugar people spent about one hundred thousand dollars in the campaign against free sugar, but denied tangible communication between Hawaiians and the United States beet producers.

Try an ad liner.

**Hogs.**  
For sale 4 Registered Durco-Jersey's Kentucky bred 8 mo. old. Write P. O. Box 435 Paducah, Texas. 2tp.

**For Sale.**  
Emerson 2-row cultivator. Apply to Irwin Young at Bosley's shop. 3tp.

S. A. Henry and Will Brewster, of Lockney, were in Floydada Monday on business.

Mrs. L. H. Liston left Monday for Hereford to spend a short visit with friends.

**Advertised Letters.**  
The following is a list of letters remaining in the Post Office at Floydada, Texas, June 9, 1913, to be advertised. If not called for in one week, will be sent to The Dead Letter office.  
J. C. Mr. 1  
Gentry, Dan. 1  
Taylor, Mr. S. E. 1  
Wear, J. W. 1  
Persons calling for above letters, will please say advertised, and give date of list.  
J. D. Starks, Postmaster.

**Official Statement Of The Financial Condition Of the**

**FIRST STATE BANK**

at Floydada State of Texas, at the close of business on the 4th day of June 1913 published in the Floyd Co. Hesperian, a newspaper printed and published at Floydada, State of Texas, on the 12 day of June 1913.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$94,628.77
Loans, real estate.	6,664.19
Overdrafts.	127.05
Real Estate, banking house.	8,792.99
Other Real Estate.	3,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures.	2,286.65
Due from Approved Reserve Agent, net	43,039.82
Due from other Bk's. and Bankers.	3,616.40
Sub. to check, net	46,656.22
Cash Items	421.24
Currency	7,159.00
Specie	2,636.11
Other Resources as follow:	
Interest in Depositors	1,617.29
Guaranty Fund	200.00
Cash Collections	57.39
Asst. G. Fund	
Total	174,246.90

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	30,000.00
Surplus Fund	2,940.00
Undivided Profits, net	252.09
Due to Bk's and Bankers, subject to checks, net	4,885.08
Individual Deposits subject to check	104,181.08
Time Certificates of Deposit	24,785.13
Cashier's Check	1,973.10
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	5,000.00
Other Liabilities as follow:	
Letter of Credit	230.00
Suspense	.42
Total	174,246.90

State Of Texas County of Floyd. We, L. H. Newell as President, and Jas. K. Green as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

L. H. Newell President, Jas. K. Green, Cashier.  
Sworn and subscribed to before me this 11 day of June, A. D. nineteen hundred and thirteen. Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.  
J. C. Gailther Notary Public.  
CORRECT-ATTEST:  
John C. Ranft  
W. A. Robbins  
S. A. Greer  
DIRECTORS

**Carnation Club Entertains.**

On Thursday evening June 5th., the Carnation Club entertained its members and their husbands at the home of Mrs. E. C. Henry.

The evening's entertainment consisted of progressive Rook, at which the men proved themselves quite proficient. In summing up the score for the evening, it was found that Mrs. G. A. Linder and Mr. C. R. Biles were entitled to high score. During the evening pineapple punch was served to the guests.

After a number of games had been played, delicious refreshments were served, following out the color scheme for the evening and consisting of pink brick cream and "Angel food cake."

Those present expressed themselves as having had a very delightful time and hoped that the Club would see fit to repeat the entertainment again in the near future.

There will be services at the Baptist Church next Sunday morning and evening. Subject for morning, "The things that hinder the growth of the Kingdom and some remedies." Everybody invited to come and worship with us.  
G. I. Britain.

**French Aviator Breaks Long Distance Record.**

Paris, France, June 10.—The young French aviator Brindejone Des Moulinais beat the long distance record flight from Paris to Warsaw via Berlin, a distance of nine hundred and thirty three miles in thirteen hours, an average speed of ninety three and one third miles hourly excluding stops.

Remember that each pair of "Cadet Hose" you get here is positively guaranteed.  
Itc. Mathis-Martin D. G. Co.

Washington, June 10— Just to prove his theories of pure food Dr. Wiley exhibited his own baby the other day. The young one, less than a year old, can pull out his father's hair, though the hair is scant and tough. Dr. Wiley, who had the fight for pure food before he was forced from the Agricultural Department has some distinct ideas on the subject of food for babies. He believes if they are properly fed they will grow strong, and if not they will be puny.

To prove that his scheme of feeding had been successful the doctor let little Wiley tug at his hair, and the man who made the bet with him lost.

Hesperian ads bring results.

**GLAD SNODGRAS**

"The home of good fitting Clothes."

**Walk Over Shoes**

**Hole Proof hose, Hand Sewed Gloves and Stetson Hats.**

Business is gradually growing because I sell the best to be had for a fair profit.

Don't miss the Free Pants Offer this week with any Worthmore suit from \$15 to \$23 you get absolutely free an extra pair of trousers made to measure "Giving them away."

**Glad**

**NOW IT'S UP TO YOU.**

How about building that fence you promised your self if it rained? We have the post and wire to sell. Give us a call.  
A. G. McAdams Lbr. Co.

Jack Luckett and wife were in Floydada Tuesday to meet friends.

"Seal Brand" coffee, 'Tis packed air-tight, To Keep it right.

Chase and Sanborn's importations are sold in Floydada only by S. E. Duncan. 2tc.

**Old Joe Bowers Appreciates your trade**

All I want is a chance to show you the prices and the goods.

Just Received a nice line of goods this week. Come and see what I got.

**OLD JOE BOWERS**  
The Store That Sells the Goods