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Texas-New Mexico Utilities Asks For Enjoining Order

City, Contractor Named Defendants In Federal Court

Order To Produce Records At Dallas On January 14 Issued By Judge

A double-barreled order of the federal court for the Northern District of Texas is being sought this week by the Community Power and Light company, a Delaware corporation, that would:

(1) Require the officials of the City of Floydada, Texas, to produce and permit the inspection and copying of documents, papers and other written instruments in connection with the letting of the city's contract for a light and power plant and distribution lines to A. M. Lockett & Company, a Dallas concern; and

(2) Restrain the city officials and A. M. Lockett & Company, Ltd., from the construction of a municipal light plant and distribution system, and from proceeding or taking any further steps or doing any further work toward the construction and erection of a light and power plant in Floydada; and restrain the city from issuing any of the light plant system bonds to any person or delivering any checks, warrants, or payments of any kind under the city's contract with A. M. Lockett & Company, Ltd.

Under the first petition Judge James C. Wilson, of the Northern District of Texas, issued an order for the city to produce all of its records in Dallas on Saturday morning, January 14; and

Under the second petition ordered city officials and A. M. Lockett & Company to show cause in Fort Worth on January 21, why a preliminary injunction should not issue as sought by the complaining company.

The mayor, Glad Snodgrass, and all members of the council including B. K. Barker, J. B. Bishop, W. U. White, F. C. Harmon and R. E. Fry, aldermen, and S. E. Duncan, city secretary, are cited in the petition as well as A. M. Lockett & Company.

The hearing in Dallas Saturday is expected to develop and prove or disprove the power and light company's avowal that a policy of secrecy and concealment has been followed by the city in its negotiations for financing and constructing a light and power plant. The various contracts and documents, the holding company alleges, have been withheld from inspection as well as the negotiations between the city and the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, and additionally the contract for the construction of the light and power plant. Their bill of complaints, the company alleges, cannot be made with greater particularity on this account.

The bill of complaint is signed by Chas. C. Crenshaw as attorney for the Community Light & Power Company, and attested by R. G. Taber, vice-president of the company.

UTILITIES COMPANY HAS \$88,000 SPENT HERE

The petition of the Community Power and Light company, a Delaware corporation, filed last week in the federal court for the Northern District of Texas, does not disclose (See UTILITIES page 5)

Another Municipal Bond Debt Cut Of \$5,000 Is Planned

Racing with time against a deadline of January 1, 1941, when the city must have retired some \$60,000 in refunding bonds together with a current interest bill of \$11,000 per annum, the city council of Floydada Monday night voted to ask for offers of the city's bonds not to exceed \$5,000 in total face value at a price below par.

Since 1936, when the agreement was reached with city bondholders to reduce the interest rate from an approximate 5 1/2 per cent to 3 per cent for 6 years and postpone maturity dates on bonds until the city could get its financial affairs in better condition, the city has retired \$28,000 in bonds. The February offer of \$5,000 will make the total \$32,000 if bid submitted is accepted by the council.

The first \$7,000 was retired in May of 1937, and successively in December, 1937, April, 1938, and August, 1938, \$5,000 has been retired.

Of the \$60,000 on which agreement for deferred payment was obtained the city owns \$10,000, leaving a net of \$18,000 "to go" when the city shall have completed its February purchase.



Knows His Squares. — John Winters of Mineral Wells, square dance authority, who will be general chairman of the square dance contest to be held at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show, March 10 to 19, in Fort Worth.

Radio Electric Co. Gets Contract For House Wiring Jobs

Work Is Expected To Begin Within Short Time; 35 Miles Poles Set

The Radio Electric company of Floydada owned by E. E. Hinson was the low bidder on a house wiring project including some 50 houses on Line 1 from Floydada to Dougherty, it was disclosed yesterday by the Floyd County Rural Electric of which L. W. Chapman is superintendent.

Other companies submitting bids on the project were Delta Electric of Lubbock, Reams Electric of Plainview, and Lockney Electric of Lockney.

Superintendent Chapman said that continued progress could be reported in all respects. Some out-of-county owners have been difficult to contact for easements and have caused some delay, but by the time weather is favorable, construction on the remainder of the project will proceed.

Some changes have been made in the routing of the line in order to be as convenient as possible to future customers. Additional easements will be necessary where these changes have been made but solicitors are busy now and provided owners grant these easements, delay is not expected to be great, Chapman said.

Approximately 35 miles of line has been constructed with the exception of stringing wire and setting transformers. Work is being arranged in such a manner that as little delay as possible will be encountered between the time the 170 miles of line is completed and the energization of the line.

A. J. Cline New Agent For McMakin Coaches

Routine work has again fallen upon the ticket office of the McMakin Motor coaches following its removal from the Floyd County Bank building to Magnolia Station No. 1 operated by A. J. Cline.

Verner Norman, former ticket agent, is now employed by the line as driver. His run being from Matador to Muleshoe, with his home in Plainview.

The bus station is on the corner northeast of the Commercial hotel with A. J. Cline ticket agent. The change was made several weeks ago when the lease expired on the bank building location.

MRS. HAGOOD HOME Mrs. Cecil Hagood and son Dan, returned home Sunday night from Canyon where they had been for the past week with Mrs. Hagood's mother, Mrs. W. A. Jennings, who has been ill.

Mrs. Jennings had an operation in an Amarillo hospital but was able to be brought home before her daughter left. She is improving nicely.

OPENING WHOLESALE OIL STATION AT CEDAR HILL Tom Fortenberry, Cedar Hill merchant, is opening a wholesale oil distributing station there and Frank Taylor will have charge of the business for him.

The new enterprise is expected to be under way in a few days.

County May Lose Portion of Funds For Tenant Loans

Officials Find Increasing Difficulty In Obtaining Purchase Options

That a situation may develop in Floyd county where desirable land cannot be purchased by the Federal Security Administration under the Bankhead-Jones Tenant Farm Purchase act is indicated as a possibility during the year of 1939.

Late in 1938 it was announced that 6 and possibly 7 farmer-tenants would be placed on farms of their own under the Bankhead-Jones act but today the local committee and the F. S. A. have found only two farms on which they could obtain options at figures which are considered fair agricultural values.

Other regions have, in a few instances, failed to find desirable land to be purchased at reasonable values and have been forced to transfer their tenant purchase funds elsewhere. And this is what may happen here.

There is a time limit at which the farms in Floyd county may be purchased, it was indicated this week by Claude C. Carpenter, local supervisor for the F. S. A. He is anxious to have any and all landowners who desire to sell farms in the county to contact the local committee or the local office of the Farm Security Administration. It is hoped by officials of the F. S. A. that the money appropriated and designated may be used in the county as originally planned by the state committee.

Farms purchased to date in Floyd county through the Bankhead-Jones Tenancy act have been recognized by officials of the Regional office as desirable farms and containing good quality soil. The acreages on farms are sufficient, it is believed, to allow a farm family to maintain a comfortable living and retire the land notes and the 3 per cent interest charge authorized in the Tenancy bill.

The improvements on farms selected to-date are that of an average farmstead and other improvements are being made in order that these farms will offer sufficient feed storage, protection for livestock and a modern, convenient farm home for the families.

Much credit is due the present local county committee, O. L. Allen, Fred M. Battey and J. A. Taylor, in selecting desirable farms in this county. It is hoped the Farm Security Administration will be able to make several loans this year for the purchase of farm homes in Floyd county. However, a number of farms have been inspected this year both by the local committee as well as a technical appraiser from the regional office and only two farms have been officially approved to-date.

The deceased, who had been in ill health for several years, died without regaining consciousness from a paralytic stroke Tuesday. She is survived by the following children: Mrs. Ross Cherry, Wichita Falls; Mrs. C. A. Walker, Vega; Mrs. George Seitz, Union City, New Jersey; Marion Bosley, Floydada and Henry Bosley, Holbrook, Arizona; and one brother M. H. Davis, Lockney. All the children were present with the exception of Henry who was snow bound at Albuquerque, New Mexico as he was enroute here.

Golden Glove Tourney Plans Nearly Complete

Final plans for the Golden Glove boxing tournament to be staged at Andrews Ward gym next Thursday and Friday night were formulated Wednesday morning by a joint meeting of the Whirlwind club officials and Floydada High School officials.

It was agreed that circulars and placards be distributed in all of the towns in this area and that all of the boosting possible be done to insure the tournaments success.

All amateur boxers in this area are invited to compete in the tourney. All entries may be sent to Odell Winter, coach at Floydada High school. Winners in the tourney will be sent to the Golden Glove tourney at Lubbock by the Whirlwind club from the receipts.

The tournament is open to all battlers in the South Plains area as well as those in Floyd county and below the Caprock. Championships will be awarded in 112, 118, 126, 135, 147, 160, 175 and heavy weights.

Since this is the first boxing tourney in this area it offers a chance for the amateurs to try their ability at boxing before they enter the arena at Lubbock. Even if they happen to "lose" here they can still enter the district tourney and profit by the experience gained here.

INTERSCHEOLASTIC LEAGUE MEETING TO BE MONDAY

The executive committee of the interscholastic league will meet at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon at Floydada High school to set the dates which will be held sometime in the early spring in Floydada. The committee will make final plans for playoffs in baseball, volleyball, and arrange other matters in order that the meet will go forward as smoothly as possible.

A. D. Cummings, superintendent of Floydada High school, is chairman of the committee this year.

Jones Added To Board At First Nat'l

Bank Has Satisfactory Year In Earnings And Volume Of Business

The name of W. N. Jones was added to the board of directors of The First National bank of Floydada at the annual meeting of the stockholders held on Tuesday afternoon.

Otherwise the personnel of the bank remains unchanged from last year, with Thomas Montgomery, chairman of the board, J. V. Daniel, president; Mrs. Jno. N. Farris and O. M. Watson, vice-presidents, E. L. Norman, cashier, Chas. H. Bedford, Lewis I. Norman and Earl Crow assistant cashiers, and J. B. Jenkins and H. E. Cannaday directors.

A satisfactory year both in revenues and in volume of business done was reported following the meeting by J. V. Daniel, president of the bank.

"It was a satisfactory year in the way of earnings," Mr. Daniel said. "About the only surprising thing in connection with our business was the fact that our deposits were from \$30,000 to \$40,000 in excess of the deposits at the same period last year," he added.

In the bank's report to the Comptroller of the Currency as of December 31, 1938, the capital, surplus and undivided profits and reserves set up in the bank are given as \$102,963.72. At the same time the deposits are shown at \$1,008,625.77.

W. N. Jones, who is named as a director, has been identified as a stockholder in the bank for many years. He has been active in numerous business enterprises in the county for many years.

Stroke Fatal To Mrs. H. C. Bosley Saturday

Funeral Rites For Pioneer Resident Held Monday From Wall St. Church of Christ

Funeral services for Mrs. H. C. Bosley, 67, were held at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Wall Street Church of Christ by Elder Earl Cantrell, of Silverton, following her death at 7:20 Saturday morning at her home on South Fifth street.

Directors from the Harmon Funeral home had charge of arrangements. Interment was made in the Floydada cemetery beside her husband who preceded her in death one year.

Mrs. Bosley, who before her marriage was Miss Valrie Frances Davis was born in Erath county. She was a daughter of the late R. T. F. M. Davis, of Lockney. She was married to H. C. Bosley October 15, 1902, at Lockney, Texas. She and her husband made their home in Floyd county the majority of their married life. Mr. Bosley was engaged in business as blacksmith here for many years.

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Palbearers were Polk Goen, G. F. West, D. H. Davis, Ulmer White, R. D. Jackson and Jim Davis. Flower attendants were Ruby Kilpatrick, Verlene Kilpatrick, Mrs. Roy Nabors, Mrs. I. E. Murray, Bernice Russell, Jess Cardwell, Mrs. Veda Womack and Mrs. S. E. Duncan.

Out of town relatives and friends for the funeral were here from Lorenzo, Silverton, Lockney, Hale Center, Wichita Falls and Vega.

Any Way To Combat Paralysis, Fry's Plan

R. E. Fry, chairman of the celebration of the president's birthday in the fight against infantile paralysis, has submitted a partial list of committeemen of the Floyd county organization. Plans are under way to organize the entire county within the next few days, to arrange for parties, balls or whatever plans that are most adaptable to the community, that will be used to raise funds in the campaign.

All net funds will be sent to the state headquarters where it will be divided between the state and nation in the fight against the dreaded disease.

Committees that have been appointed to date to serve with the chairman are Mrs. S. J. Latta, vice chairman of women's activities of the county; O. M. Watson, treasurer; Mrs. Wilmer Jones, Jr., executive secretary.

Coin cans, coin cards, buttons and posters will be delivered to committeemen by the early part of next week. A "March of Dimes" drive will be held from January 16 to 30.

The president's suggestion is to have parties for fun, and to raise funds to fight paralysis.

Problems of Unemployment Pester Commissioners Who Seek Jobs For The Needy

Plight Of 80 Families Stressed By Removal Of 24 More By WPA

Problems of employment for the unemployed in Floyd county, with a considerable sprinkle of worry about how to meet the bills for the county's administration this month and the succeeding months of 1939, occupied the time of the Commissioners court in their three-day session this week.

Interspersed among their discussions the court allowed bills, approved reports, bought the sheriff a new Dodge automobile from Floyd Motor company, advertised for a county depository, gave the new judge a leave of absence from the county of not to exceed 30 days, and set salaries for the succeeding year.

Additionally, they re-named Dr. V. Andrews, of Floydada, as county health officer for a 2-year period. Dr. Andrews has been health officer for the past 28 years.

No changes were made in any of the salaries of county officials or their deputies from the previous year. The court went over the salary list from top to bottom, and okeyed it finally as it stood.

Unemployment problems which the court has sought vainly to untangle, were aggravated Saturday when WPA removed 24 names from the list of eligibles and thus cut off the groceries and food of 24 families at one swoop. Some way to take care of this 24 might not have been so hard to find if there were not already a list of 80 who had been certified as eligible for WPA work but had not been put on the rolls, because of the retrenchment program that has been found necessary.

The court, the relief office, and other agencies have been busy answering questions and attempting to find jobs and this week, failing to find what they needed, issued an appeal to the general public, including the cities of Floydada and Lockney to do what they could.

"These people need jobs and they need them bad," judge and commissioners said Wednesday. "We are looking for just anything honest they can do to tide them over for the present." A day's work right now would mean a lot to many a man in Floyd county and the court is asking every citizen who has something to offer to make it known.

After 24 names have been taken from the rolls Mrs. Dett Slough at the relief office, estimated that approximately 176 persons now are left on WPA standing in the county. "We had between 70 and 80 applications on our list who had been certified as eligible to the works department of WPA when we got the order to take 24 names off. This makes the total of needy persons who want something to do within the neighborhood of 125," she said.

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The invitation to make the tour has been made a general one.

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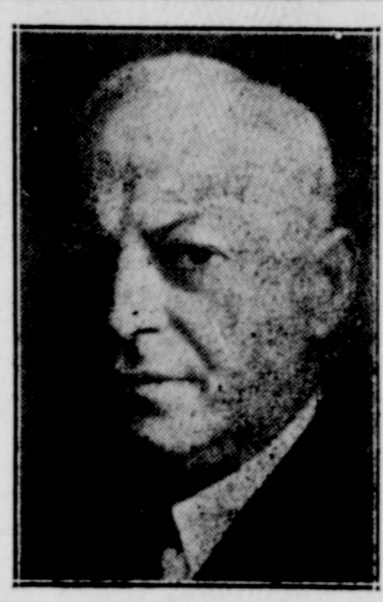
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The appointments of H. H. Nye, above, as Assistant General Freight Agent and Passenger Agent and James P. Hackler, as Assistant General Freight Agent of the Panhandle & Santa Fe railway, effective January 1 has been announced by M. C. Burton, general freight and passenger agent.

Caravan Will See Demonstration Of Soil Conservation

Trippers Also To View Latest Practices In Lamb, Cattle Feeding

Enlightenment for the average interested citizen in matters of good farm management, particularly with reference to water and soil conservation will be afforded this afternoon in a tour of southwest Floyd county leaving Floydada at 1:30 p. m.

County Agricultural Agent D. P. Bredthauer is sponsoring the tour as a part of the soil conservation program of the week, national in scope.

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A. D. Cummings Named To TSTA Executive Committee Friday

A. D. Cummings, superintendent of Floydada High school, J. W. Jones, superintendent of Lockney high school, and Walter Travis, superintendent of Floyd county schools were in Austin last week attending the annual meeting of the Texas State Teachers Association.

Superintendent Cummings was appointed to the executive committee of the association and will from now on represent District 4, of which Floyd County is a part, at all executive meetings. It is considered quite an honor to be on the executive committee and only outstanding educators are given a place on the committee.

There are 33 members composing the committee, three committeemen from each of the 11 districts. The other representing district 4 are Geo. Gentry of Big Springs, and W. B. Irvin of Lubbock.

The school officials from Floyd County left last Wednesday and arrived in time to attend the executive committee meeting on January 6-7. The meeting was opened by Geo. T. Wilcox, president of the T. S. T. A. graduate of A & M college.

On Thursday and Friday, January 5 and 6, the school administrators' conference was held at the First Baptist Church in Austin with the general theme of "safety".

A banquet was given on Thursday night for those attending. State Superintendent L. A. Woods was present for all meetings.

The Floyd County delegation returned home early Sunday morning.

Rain Makes Big Change In Outlook

Near-Record Dry Fall Followed By Mid-Winter Down-pour During Week

Rain that covered an area at least 600 miles north and south and 500 miles east and west in extent, took the whole of West Texas. Eastern New Mexico and Southwestern Oklahoma by surprise last week-end and left one of the best January seasons in many years when the sun shone out Monday morning.

A check-up this week indicates that the fall of 2.02 inches at Floydada is about an average, with numerous points reporting up to 3 inches in the 300,000 square-mile area.

Wednesday morning of this week much of Floyd county had additional moisture in the form of snow turning to rain that measured 4 of an inch in Floydada. South and southwest the fall was heavier. J. W. Clonts, carrier on Route 1 said the roads on the other side of Blanco were the heaviest in months yesterday.

On the heels of a very dry fall during which many wheat farmers had dry-planted their crops, the rain brings adequate moisture to bring the wheat to a good stand and puts row crop land in excellent condition for the first open weather of February. Sunday afternoon the water had soaked some 8 inches deep and a season of 12 to 15 inches in even the driest areas has resulted. Perhaps half of Floyd county had a fair to good sub-soil moisture content but the greater part of it did not. The same was true of a very great per centage of the area covered. The rain that fell changes this picture completely.

Temperatures Stay Mild In the immediate east plains area the reports are gratifyingly uniform. Dougherty, Falls, Crosbyton, Roaring Springs, Matador, Flomot, Silverton, Quitaque, Plainview, Aiken, Lockney, Petersburg, McAdoo, all have about the same story—the finest winter rain in many years, and all reports put the fall at about 1 1/2 inches and up to 2.50 or more.

On north of Silverton into Swisher county where exceeding dry has prevailed the rain was heavier, if anything, than in the formerly more favored sections.

During the entire storm period beginning Friday night and until Tuesday night the temperature did not fall low enough to freeze. Tuesday morning the thermometer dipped barely to freezing. As a result no damage was felt by the range cattlemen. Also as a result wheat that was dry planted already was beginning to sprout Tuesday.

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School Cafeteria Must Close Unless Funds Are Secured

Unless more funds or goods are received soon the WPA cafeteria at Andrews Ward school may be forced to close down, it was indicated today. The cafeteria has been feeding 225 children daily, on an average, and although the average cost is low the funds coming in have been hardly enough to keep the lunch room in operation.

The cafeteria is not allowed to charge for the lunches but it is intended that those able to pay for lunches do so by donation, no matter how little or how much. Unless such donations are made from families able to give the cafeteria must of a necessity be closed.

School officials plan to make a drive beginning next week to acquaint patrons of the school with the situation and ask that the patrons cooperate more with the project in order that the cafeteria may continue to operate for the benefit of the children.

Menu and service at the lunch room has been generally satisfactory. Extreme care is being taken that the food is wholesome and well prepared. High standards of cleanliness and care are taken at all times, officials said.

The official report made this week shows that during the past month 3,704 children have been fed at the cafeteria, an average of 206 per day.

The lunches cost a total of 10.25 cents, each 5.5 cents of which is furnished by school project and 4.75 cents furnished by the government. The total cost for the month was \$390.35, the report said.

Authorities urge that more funds must be made available to the project to match the government money or the cafeteria will of a necessity be closed. Commodities are as acceptable as cash, provided of course that they are in a condition or of a kind that can be used at the cafeteria.

HOMER STEEN, Editor

## Editorial

### SPREAD THIS NEWS AROUND

As a matter of principle this family periodical is opposed to blackmail. For instance, we are horrified that certain men of Italian extraction should have made Mr. Musica their victims and mulcted him of his ill-gotten gains.

And it is not our intention to hold anything over anybody in connection with the open season on ducks, quail and deer. However, expediency demands that we protect ourselves and furnish the chillern with something that will stick to their little ribs and make them grow fat and greasy and some day be big fine men and women.

At which point we arrive at the fact that of all the many Floyd county men who have been duck-hunting, quail-hunting, deer-hunting, only one party has returned with anything for the newspaper man's larder. We have no positive knowledge at this minute that anybody has violated any of the many rules of the sportsman's code, but we know there must have been some who have done so, even if only unintentionally. Further, we have been taught by lawyers of undoubted standing that ignorance has no standing in a plea against violation of the legal code. So, we plan to ferret out those old boys just as fast as we can. We haven't time (nor funds for gun, wading boots, cap and hunter's jacket) to hunt so we have been trying to depend on our friends. Apparently they are few in number. Self-preservation is the first law, say we. And so, we give all who bring something around a clean bill of health so far as we are concerned. Their openness we shall take as proof they have violated none of the hunting laws. Others may as well look out. As said in the beginning we do not want to blackmail anybody unless we have to do it. Both our readers: tell your friends.

### QUAIL BROTH FOR THE ILL

In a generation now gone by, of which we learn through letters now musty with age, and from conversations of the old-timers when we're not in too big a gallop to listen, quail was considered mighty good for what ails you. The plains pioneers, however, were so busy trying to make a living they didn't have time for a quail hunt in our present-day sense. They usually caught their birds by trapping. There were nearly always a few quail in the trap or some could be had the next morning by baiting it and setting the trigger.

And when the word went around that one of the neighbors was ill, the pleasantest, most efficacious thing that could be done after sulphur, grease, et cetera, had been applied, was to make up some quail broth and take it across the prairie to that neighbor's little two-room house for the sick.

All that only a generation ago. Their smart Alex children now couldn't go to less than a \$100 doctor. And that's a part of what is the matter with our great country. We are far away, too quick, from quail broth and common sense neighborliness.

### BUNDLES CAN BE MOVED NOW

The town farmers and high-powered young men who travel the highways to sell things from city to city will now be much relieved to see the farmers moving their bundles from fields—thousands of tons of which have been setting in shocks row on row since away back in November.

Many thousand acres of feed land which could have been utilized—and still can, possibly—for grazing, have been useless while

the bundles stayed in the way. For the information of those who have been bothered about how lazy their farmer friends were we'll explain that to move bundles when they are too dry is to destroy much of their value, and this is their answer, not improvidence or laziness, to the question of why so many farms are dotted with forage feeds that haven't been moved.

Now that there is a bit of moisture in the ground and in the elements the fields will be cleaned up, the forage stacked in the lots. It will certainly be a relief to the man who runs the farm to be able to get this job out of the way at last, to say nothing of the relief to his best and most interested adviser, friend and critic, the man who farms vicariously from the highway at 50 miles per hour.

### WHENCE DO THE DOLLARS COME?

An interesting "stunt" a local car distributing agency is pulling this month is calculated by them to show the rest of the community how much their patronage means around town in the run of 30 days. The agency is the Oden Chevrolet company and the "stunt" is to pay all small local bills and meet the payroll with silver dollars.

Their idea is that every time you see a silver dollar in the cash tray you'll know that somebody from their place has been around trading with you—or that if you're not in retail trade, somebody with whom you are doing business, has had the benefit of their patronage and—let's hope—a bit of profit from the transaction.

Between \$300 and \$500 was put in circulation last week this way by this agency—more silver dollars than have been going the rounds since before the depression hit.

It is a good idea occasionally to remind your friends that you do business with them. Sometimes it stops little spite speeches that hurt. It is a positive way to stop negative influences. It recognizes the cussedness of human nature that strains at a chance to hang a barb in the flesh of a worthy contemporary to make him spend an hour or two tossing in bed, after working long hours the day before trying to make this business be so worthwhile to the community that it will show him a profit when the year ends.

It ought not to be that way, but it is. And you're guilty of some of that meanness yourself. Don't deny it.

### PORTS OF ENTRY

The further the states that have ports of entry go with their crazy idea of stopping all traffic at state lines and giving the riders the once over, the gladder one becomes that Texas has adopted an exactly opposite plan of operation. That is, of putting up a sign, "Information," right across the line from the port of entry in the other states, welcoming travelers to Texas, urging that the facilities of the highway department be used to facilitate their travel in this state.

Ports of entry may serve a good purpose in some respects. But the idea originates in Europe, it is selfish, silly and will do more harm than good in the long run. The other states need to be rid of their ports of entry and the frumpery that goes with it. Free interchange of commerce between the states is one of the things that made America great before we went cock-eyed.

Call on a business man at business time only, and on business; transact your business and go about your business, in order to give him time to finish his business.—Wellington.

### As A Farm Woman Thinks

(By Nellie Witt Spikes)

The good rain has washed away the doubts and fears the drouth was causing. Has put new hope in our lives. The old saying is that one sparrow does not make a summer. We realize that one rain does not make a crop, but where one swallow comes, others will follow, and more moisture will likely follow this.

Elsie and Pat Scott came to see me recently. They were once my neighbors but now live in Comanche. Elsie raised 175 turkeys the past year. Wasn't that an accomplishment? Peas and peanuts, the peanuts plowed up, and gathered by the turkeys themselves. Many happy hours I enjoyed in Elsie's and her mother's company. We miss these good friends and were so happy to see them again.

Do you remember the glass butter molds that left such a lovely print on what a thing made a shirt? The children used them for a top when I quit using it and it was broken. My aunt gave me a wooden mold, but Wilson, my little boy said, Aunt Sadie it will be no use to give mother that mold, she will wrap the butter in newspaper. He did so admire my aunt's butter wrapped in white waxed paper.

New seed catalogues delight us with their beauty of summer flowers and vegetables. We forget the cold. We know this year our gardens will look like the pictures. We pick out things on every page that we must have. If we added it all up, the amount would astonish us. But it costs nothing to choose what we would like to have.

I lay down the catalogue with its wealth of modern achievements in the vegetable kingdom, my mind goes back to my childhood days and I remember; a little girl pinching a leaf of rose geranium, the smell of sweet basil in my grandmother's window; a vase of heavenly blue spiderwort, fresh from its home in the lacy mesquite bush; the starchy blue flowers of the tame china tree in the courtyard at Emma; acres of sunflowers their yellow petals turned to the bright sun; a bare footed freckle faced boy giving a little timid

### FLOYD COUNTY 14 YEARS AGO

News items taken from files of the Floyd County Hesperian published in Floydada fourteen years ago.

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Plans for a new home for their church which will cost \$50,000 were adopted by members of the First Baptist church, of Floydada in conference last Sunday, and the church is beginning preparation for an active building campaign. The conference authorized the plans for a church building costing \$50,000 when finished, adopting plans submitted by Peters, Hays and Singleton, architects of Lubbock.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Dunavant of McCoy, January 6, a daughter.

Returning to Canyon the first of the week were, Tate Fry, Lorena Carter, Dot Welborn, Pauline Stovall, Dan Jenkins, Odus Mitchell, Lela Swaine, Ora Mae Robbins, Sudie Miller.

Mesdames C. M. Wilson and A. J. Welch, yesterday afternoon bought the stock of the Wolfe Specialty shop, from P. S. Wolfe, of Plainview and have announced that they will continue the business in the same location under the name of "Mistresses Specialty Shop."

Bill Dally was elected captain of the 1925 basketball team of Floydada High school Monday when 20 men went out on the first day of try-outs for places on the basketball team.

Starting their offensive with a rush against the Lockney All-Stars at the new year game of football in Lockney Thursday last, the Floydada all-stars who were in reality all students or ex-students of J. C. Wester, coach of F. H. S., won their game 27 to 0, and made it two out of two for their holiday football scrimmage with their neighbor of the north.

Mrs. M. L. Probasco was hostess to a large group of children at a birthday party given in honor of her eleven year old daughter Hazel Saturday afternoon. Some 35 children gathered at the Probasco home and many games were played on the front lawn during the beautiful sunshine afternoon.

Mrs. E. P. Nelson entertained in her new home last Friday night a group of friends in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Otto Faulkner, of Los Angeles, who has been visiting her the past three weeks. The party took the nature of a house-warming, this being the first social affair Mrs. Nelson has had since taking up occupancy in her recently built and beautifully appointed home on West Virginia street.

Refreshments were served to the following: Misses Wynell Masterson, Ora Slaughter, Elma Eubank, Mary Porter, Belle Cannaday, Lena Stephens, Ethel Houghton, Evelyn Kizlar, Betty Lewis, Garnet White, Marilou Crane, Myrtle Henry, Mary Anna Ross; Mrs. Baird Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eubank, Mr. and Mrs. Flynn Thagard, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross;

Messrs. Roy Baker, Jodie Day, Bill Dally, Lorraine Nelson, Jeff Welborn, Faye Maxey, Aubrey Bishop, Macy Burke, Chester Day, John Farrell, Kenneth Henry and Tate Fry.

girl a bouquet of blue flags and sweet peach blossoms. The scent of blue sage flowers and yellow roses a kind old man is giving me. I hear a sweet voice of Mrs. Martin as she gathers gay zinnias and feathery asparagus. I hear the mocking bird singing in the flat like near grandmother's home. The yellow and white daisies nod in the mesquite grass to the bluebells and the red wine cups. I see again the cabbage and the Tom Thumb pepper that we loved with its hot flavor, the yellow pear tomatoes. Man has made many improvements over the things of that day, I know, but in memory they were better then than now.

The wind wakes me from my dreaming, it shrieks and whistles round the house. Will it turn very cold by morning? Some of us say one thing about what it will do and some another.

I was getting along pretty well on this column, when the rest started a game of Chinese checkers. I stopped to play for some one has to lose, and it is always me. Some how I can't look ahead or see the jumps I have. But I can play tid-dle-winks.

This poem by Elizabeth C. Wherry expresses my thoughts about the farm and in much more charming manner.

Do You Know the Farm?  
Oh, do you know the farm, and all the things about it?  
Oh, do you know how lonely you would be without it?  
Do you know the funny babies that

squeal or chirp or moo?  
And how the chickens swallow and how the old cows chew?  
And do you know the mornings when the dew is sparkling bright?  
And the cozy lullabies of animals at night?  
And do you know the fragrance of freshly upturned sod?  
Oh, do you know a farm is very near to God?

### ANSWERS TO OUR PUZZLE CORNER

Dots—Self explanatory.  
Goofygraph—black star, water spurting out of chimney, snow, grass flowers, bird with hat, anchor, figure on fence, short ear on donkey, eyeglasses, feed bag, necktie and collar.

Riddle—Self explanatory.  
"S" objects—squirrel, sign, shoot, snake, smoke, stool, stone, stem, scene, shirt, shoe, sole, stick, stack side, skin, sock, steeple.

### Just In Fun

That noise and fury coming from a group of ordinarily peaceful citizens may be merely New Year's resolutions breaking up.

If Hitler throws Goebbels out of Germany, he might have a future as a jockey.

The Seventy-sixth Congress may soon be all at sixes and sevens.

## Keep This In Mind....

1. We sell quality merchandise . . .
2. Standard brands, no off-breed merchandise to fool you . . .
3. Lowest prices for our goods at all times. . . we don't have to have "bargain days" because every day is "bargain day" in our store.
4. We handle a full line of hardware, furniture, paint, wallpaper, etc.

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### STATEMENT OF

## The First National Bank of FLOYDADA, TEXAS

At the close of business December 31, 1938.

### RESOURCES

|  |                |
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| Loans and Discounts                    | \$ 264,870.64  |
| Stock in Federal Reserve Bank          | 2,000.00       |
| Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures, | 14,620.00      |
| United States and Other Bonds,         | \$185,570.00   |
| School, County and State Warrants,     | 33,239.32      |
| Government Cotton, Wool & Wheat loans  | 349,343.52     |
| Cash,                                  | 262,482.84     |
|  | 830,635.68     |
|  | \$1,112,126.32 |

### LIABILITIES

|                                     |                |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| Capital Stock,                      | \$ 50,000.00   |
| Surplus and Undivided Profits,      | 37,768.74      |
| Interest collected, Unearned,       | 536.83         |
| Reserved for Taxes, Interest, Etc., | 7,194.98       |
| Reserved for Contingencies,         | 8,000.00       |
| Deposits,                           | 1,008,625.77   |
|                                     | \$1,112,126.32 |

THOS. MONTGOMERY, Chairman

J. V. Daniel, President  
Mrs. Jno. N. Farris, Vice President  
O. M. Watson, Vice President  
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Lewis I. Norman, Asst. Cashier  
Earl Crow, Asst. Cashier  
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### OUR PUZZLE CORNER

**DRAW A LINE FROM 1 TO 30 AND FINISH THIS MOUNTAIN SCENE FOR ARTISTIC ARTIE**

**WILL GO UP OR DOWN? WONT GO DOWN UP?**

**GOOFYGRAPH**

**CAN YOU FIND 10'S OBJECTS IN THIS SCENE?**

**FIND 10 QUEER THINGS**



# The WOMAN'S Page

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## Margaret Henson Married At Green Home January 8

Sandra Margaret Henson, daughter of Rev. J. L. Henson of Lockney, former pastor of the Methodist church, became the bride of William K. Crispin of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Green.

The impressive single ring ceremony was read by her father, Rev. Henson, before an improvised altar of Woodwardia and Plumbago ferns. On the altar burned white taper in crystal holders placed at each side of an open Bible. At each side of the altar stood large Tiffany vases filled with plumosa and woodwardia fern and Picardy Gladioli. Beyond these were crystal vases in white wrought iron stands filled with the chosen flowers.

Mrs. George V. Smith played the bridal music, "Berceuse," was played softly while Joseph Henson, brother of the bride, lighted the candles on the altar. Lohengrin's bridal chorus was played as the couple entered and "Traumerel" by Schuman was played softly during the ceremony.

Mrs. Clayton Lusby, nee Oneta Carter, of Abilene and Milton Sims were the couple's attendants. Mrs. Lusby wore a blue satin gown. She carried a bouquet of pink spectum carnations tied with pink taffeta.

The bride was attired in full length white shirtdress with a filmy white tulle veil fastened to a monk's collar decorated with white rose buds. She carried a showered muff of white gardenias, rose buds and adiantum fern.

The bride-groom and best man wore boutonnières of white carnations.

Mrs. Crispin is the only daughter of Rev. Henson. They made their home here from 1922 until 1926 when the family moved to Sweetwater where she graduated from high school, attended McMurray college at Abilene and T. S. W. C. at Denton where she received her B. S. degree in 1931. She was employed as art supervisor in the schools at Poteau, Oklahoma until this fall when she went to New York city where she was specializing in art at Traphagan art school.

The bride-groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Crispin of Hume, Illinois. He is a graduate of the high school at Hume, and while in college here he took a pre-medical course, won many honors in the athletic fields. He is employed as business manager for the Hulman and Company's business in the state of Oklahoma.

**Reception Follows Ceremony**  
A reception at the Green home followed the ceremony. The three tiered wedding cake in pink and white was placed on the lace covered dining table in a spray of pink sweet peas and plumosa fern. Crystal candelabra holding pink tapers were at each end.

Mrs. W. H. Nelson served the cake while Mrs. J. H. Green poured coffee from a silver server. The guests were served by Miss Ina Sims, Lou and Gene Nelson, Milton Sims and Herschel Green.

Later the bride changed to a purple dress of soft wool with teal blue accessories and a corsage of gardenias before they left for Oklahoma City, where they will make their home.

Guests attending the wedding were Dr. and Mrs. George V. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Wilson Kimble, Dr. and Mrs. V. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sims, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Griffith and son of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Duncan;

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Green of Clovis, California, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Green, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nelson and Junior, Mesdames Will Walker, Dean Hill, Lee Wilkinson, and daughter, H. M. McDonald, C. Y. Carter and Cayton Lusby of Abilene;

Miss Daltis Rea, Ina Sims, Peggy McKinney, Lou and Gene Nelson, Wanda Lucille Green of Clovis, California, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Green and Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Henson and son, Joseph of Lockney.

## Bishops-Gilliams Hosts To Friends With Bridge Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gilliam entertained friends with a bridge dinner Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bishop.

After the dinner was served games of contract bridge were played with Mrs. R. C. Wakefield and B. K. Barker holding high score.

Guests of the evening were Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wakefield, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Minor, Dr. and Mrs. Donald H. Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin English, Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Loran, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clubb of Peetersburg, Mr. and Mrs. Conner Oden, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arvine, Miss Ruth Collins and Miss Tessie Coleman.

## NADEANE MOORE WEDS E. E. MABREY OF DUNCAN, OKLA.

Miss Nadeane Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore, became the bride of E. E. Mabrey of Duncan, Oklahoma on December 27. The wedding took place in Lovington, New Mexico.

The young couple will make their home in Allred, Texas.

## Post-Nuptial Shower Given Honoring Mr. And Mrs. Baxter

A post-nuptial shower was given last Monday evening at the Baker school honoring Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Baxter, who were married December 17.

Mrs. Ham Smith, the honoree, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Finley and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baxter were in the receiving line.

Miss Delzie Bradford registered the guests in a lovely bride's book. An informal program with different guests offering advice to the honoree was held followed by a toast to the bride by Mrs. G. R. May and a toast to the bride-groom by Mrs. W. H. Bethel.

Little Tommie Price dressed as a farm woman and Jimmie Price dressed to represent the farmer delivered the gifts to the honorees in a farm wagon.

Refreshments were served to Messrs. and Mesdames R. F. Finley, Walter Baxter, Frank Gearhart, Jim Hart, W. H. Bethel, Henry Price, Fred Whitley, Pete Kendrick, Tom Hart, P. B. Murrif, Pay Hart, A. H. Kreis, George Stiles, Carl Yarbrough, Tate Jones;

Messrs. and Mesdames Fred Battey, Jeff Hart, Joe M. Smith, E. B. Chestnut, Cecil Baxter, Ray Smith, M. J. McNeill, Herschel Green, J. B. Claiborne, John Allen, Lee Rushing;

Mesdames Addie Martin, G. W. Hart, Jess Glover, R. H. Ashton, R. L. McNeil, E. B. Mullins, C. B. Lyles, Woodrow Lanier, C. B. Smart, Misses Lois Martin, Wanda Baxter, Doris Dyer, Euna Fawver, Elizabeth Whitley, Juanel Glover, Dorothy Stovall, Edna Mae Smith;

Bill Deabman, Kenneth Finley, George Gearhart, Roy Baxter, Debbie Gearhart, J. C. Baxter, George Reid May, Jimmie and Stanley Price, James Whitley, Tresman Glover, Tommy, Elwanda and Herman Hart, Volie McNeill, Hal Reid Bethel, J. L. Baxter, Billie Hart, Lindy Lanier.

Sending gifts were Messrs. and Mesdames Cecil Hart, J. T. Finley, Leland Hart, Taylor Leach, R. G. Leach, L. C. McDonald, George Williams, Roe Jones, Bill Dyer, Frank Jackson, S. J. Latta, A. F. Finley;

Mesdames Mabel Sims, Annie Gunnels, S. L. Rushing, Messrs. and Mesdames R. M. Stovall, Dick Graves, Clarence Ashton, Bill Sanders, Claude Fawver, T. J. Campbell, Elmer Harper, Dwight Jackson, Anna Jones and Maurice Campbell.

Hostesses for the affair were Mesdames G. R. May, Jim Hart, Henry Price, T. B. Gearhart, Ham Smith, Elmer Harper and Miss Delzie Bradford.

## Pla-Mor Bridge Club Play Thursday In The Richard Stovall Home

Pla-Mor Bridge club was entertained in their first meeting since the holidays Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stovall.

Following the games of bridge in which the host and hostess held high score delicious refreshments were served.

Attending the club meeting were Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Hammonds, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry, Mr. and Mrs. W. Luther Fry, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Steen and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Steen.

Mr. and Mrs. Hammonds will be hosts to the club this evening at their home, 129 West Houston street, at 7:45.

## Mrs. Fuqua Hostess To Blue Bonnet Club Thursday Afternoon

Mrs. F. F. Fuqua was hostess to the Blue Bonnet Needle club at her home at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

A short business meeting was held and the remainder of the afternoon was spent working on the club quilt and individual pieces of fancy work.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mrs. B. F. McIntosh, Mrs. Oliver Allen, Mrs. Wesley Little, Mrs. E. L. Teague, Mrs. D. W. Fyffe, Mrs. W. D. Johnson, Mrs. L. H. Dorrell, Mrs. Elvin Rainer, Mrs. E. F. Cline, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and Mrs. Dennis Murphy.

Mrs. Fyffe will entertain the club January 19 at her home, 529 West California street, at 3 o'clock.

## MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER HONORS MRS. COOPER

Mrs. G. R. May and Mrs. Jim Hart entertained with a miscellaneous shower last Thursday afternoon to compliment Mrs. Lester Cooper, a recent bride, at the home of Mrs. May.

Mrs. May gave a toast to the bride and the gifts were presented after dainty refreshments had been served.

Attending the shower were Mesdames A. H. Kreis, George Stiles, Sid Williams, Johnnie Baxter, R. F. Finley, Fred Battey, Addie Martin and J. E. Otambers.

Sending gifts were Mesdames G. W. Hart, Elmer Harper, Bradford, John Smith, J. D. Hart and Miss Delzie Bradford.

## 1922 Study Club Elects Mrs. Rutledge President For 1939

An election of officers and the book review by Mrs. G. A. Linder were features of the Thursday afternoon meeting of the 1922 Study club in the home of Mrs. O. P. Rutledge. Mrs. Kenneth Bain presided over the meeting.

Mrs. Rutledge gave a report on the Christmas activities of the club. Seventy two baskets were sent out; Mrs. Glad Snodgrass reported on the financial report and Christmas expenses and Mrs. J. B. Jenkins made the report for the nominating committee.

Officers nominated and elected for the following two years were Mrs. O. P. Rutledge, president; Mrs. Kenneth Bain, first vice-president; Mrs. W. I. Cannaday, second vice-president; Mrs. C. K. Arnold, recording secretary; Mrs. Edd Johnson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Lon M. Davis, treasurer; Mrs. S. W. Ross, reporter; Mrs. I. W. Hicks, custodian; Mrs. L. G. Mathews, parliamentarian. These officers will take charge at the opening of the club work in September.

Roll call was answered with fifty century historical facts. Martha Yearwood gave two piano solos and Mrs. G. A. Linder reviewed the book, "Swords in the Dawn," by Dr. J. O. Beatty.

The club will meet January 19 with Mrs. J. M. Willson.

## MRS. SHELTON PRESENTED WITH FRIENDSHIP GIFTS

A number of friends of Mrs. A. E. Shelton gathered at the home of Mrs. C. F. Lincoln last Friday afternoon to pack a box of gifts as a token of friendship to her to be sent by her son, Joe, who left this week for Carlsbad, New Mexico, where they are making their home.

"Friendship" was the theme of the afternoon entertainment in games and contests. Delicious refreshments were served to the guests.

Those who took part in the remembrance were Mrs. E. B. Mayhew, Mrs. V. A. Leonard, Mrs. C. P. Loper, Mrs. A. F. Norton, Mrs. A. A. Beedy, Mrs. J. N. Gullion, Mrs. J. H. Tribble, Mrs. D. D. Lippard, Mrs. E. R. Borum, Mrs. Martin E. Brown, Mrs. W. A. Amburn, Mrs. Lee Howard;

Mrs. Sam Bishop, Mrs. L. A. Marshall, Mrs. G. C. Tubbs, Mrs. D. I. Bolding, Mrs. Alma Goughly, Mrs. J. W. Chapman, Mrs. O. M. Conway, Mrs. J. D. McBrien, Mrs. W. I. Norman, Mrs. I. W. Hicks, Mrs. W. D. Newell and Mrs. F. C. Cincin.

## A. S. CUMMINGS FAMILY ALL HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Cummings entertained all their children and grandchildren at their home during the course of the recent holidays.

Their guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cummings and daughters Katherine, Denise and Clydelle, of Galveston; Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Cummings and children Doyle and Dorothy Sue, of Friona;

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cummings and children Rose Ann and Neil, of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cummings and children Elma Lynn and Sterling, of Ralls; Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Hale and children Mike and Jann and Wiley Hale, father of Mr. Hale, all of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smithernon and children Polly, Patsy, Tony and Edith Rue, of Hart; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mince, of Lubbock; R. K. Sidney and Joyce Rogers, grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Cummings, of Lubbock.

## MR. AND MRS. JARBOE ENTERTAIN WITH SOCIAL

Mr. and Mrs. Mal Jarboe were hosts to friends at a social Thursday evening.

Games of 42 furnished diversion for the evening in which Mrs. Walter Travis and Andrew Jackson held high score.

Lovely refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Roe McCleskey, Mr. and Mrs. K. Terrell, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kreis, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Travis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jackson.

## ALATHEAN CLASS SOCIAL AT W. C. SIMS HOME

The Alathean Sunday School class of the First Baptist church had a covered dish luncheon and all day meeting in the home of Mrs. W. C. Sims last Thursday.

A short business meeting and program was given in the afternoon. Mrs. W. A. Amburn opened the session with prayer and Mrs. L. H. Newell read the scripture from Acts 6-13 then gave a beautiful poem entitled, "Fellowship." Quilting was the pastime for the day.

Members attending were Mrs. Jennie Bishop, Mrs. Sam Bishop, Mrs. Amburn, Mrs. A. D. White, Mrs. Newell, Mrs. J. A. Grigsby, Mrs. Morgan Wright, Mrs. Mollie Rees, Mrs. J. B. Swinson and Mrs. C. B. Sims. Guests at the noon hour were Mrs. Milton Sims, Misses Ina Sims and Faye Newell. Visitors for the day were Mrs. Margaret Jones, Barbara Sims and Kris Wise.

## TO PRIBACH

Rev. A. C. Huff, district missionary, will preach at Center Sunday night, January 15. Everyone is invited.

Writing fluids, Hesperian.

## Social Calendar

TODAY

Pla-Mor Bridge club meets this evening at 7:45 with Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Hammonds.

1929 Study club meets this afternoon at 3:15 with Mrs. A. J. Welch.

Thursday Contract Bridge club will meet this evening at 7 o'clock with Mrs. Jake Hill.

Idle Hour 42 club meets this evening at 7:30 with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon as hosts.

FRIDAY  
Friendship Bridge club will meet January 13 at 7:45 with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gilliam.

MONDAY  
Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will meet at the church January 16 at 3 o'clock.

Woman's council of the First Christian church meets in the week-day meeting January 16 at the church at 3 o'clock.

Methodist Woman's Missionary society will meet at the home of Mrs. George V. Smith January 16 for a social at 3 o'clock.

TUESDAY  
1934 Study club meets January 17 at 6:45 with Mrs. Truitt McClung.

WEDNESDAY  
Wednesday Luncheon club meets January 18 at 1 o'clock with Mrs. W. Luther Fry.

## Lovely Luncheon Given Wednesday For Sans Souci Club

Members of the Sans Souci Bridge Club and other guests enjoyed a lovely 1 o'clock luncheon Wednesday in the dining room at the Commercial hotel with Mrs. George McAllister and Mrs. Bill Daily as hostesses.

The dining table was attractive with a potted flower as a centerpiece. Bouquets of autumn leaves and goldenrods were at each guest's place with individual score cards used to designate their places.

After the luncheon they were entertained with the games at the home of Mrs. Daily. Mrs. C. L. Minor held high score for the guests. Mrs. R. C. Wakefield for members and Mrs. Baird Bishop held low.

Others playing were Mrs. A. D. Cummings, a guest, Mrs. G. L. Kirk, Mrs. Terrell Loran, Mrs. Cecil Hagedorn, Mrs. Polk Goen, Mrs. Jack Deakins, Mrs. A. E. Guthrie, Mrs. Marvin English, members.

Mrs. Kirk will be hostess to the club January 25 at 2 o'clock.

## BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Counts, city, on December 7, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKinney, city, December 16, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Palmer, Dougherty, December 16, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Powell, Lakeview, December 21, a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Owens, Dougherty, December 26, a daughter named Jerry Ann.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pollock, Campbell, December 22, a son named Curtis Wayne.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mince, city, December 24, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Furrow, of Pleasant Hill, January 10, a son.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express appreciation to all our friends, the doctors and nurse who were so faithful in administering to our mother, Mrs. J. L. Montgomery, during her recent illness.

her children,  
Mrs. Frank Dunn  
Floyd Montgomery



Queen Dolores. — Choice of the townspeople of French Lick, Ind., for harvest queen was beautiful Dolores Cleaver, above, Indiana University junior from Fort Wayne.

## Margaret Henson Honored At Lovely Pre-Nuptial Shower

One of the loveliest social events of the season was the pre-nuptial shower given Tuesday evening, January 3, at the home of Mrs. L. C. McDonald honoring Mrs. William K. Crispin, nee Margaret Henson former Floydada girl, now of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, before her marriage Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Green.

Hostesses with Mrs. McDonald were Mrs. H. M. McDonald, Mrs. Wilson Kimble, Mrs. S. W. Ross, Mrs. George V. Smith and Miss Ina Sims.

As the guests entered they registered in a beautiful white bride's book presided over by Miss Sims then were invited into the dining room where refreshments were served.

Miss Esther Finkner played throughout the evening on the marimba.

After the guests were seated Louise Wilson gave, "Aunt Tabitha's Day," which was an appropriate toast to the bride to be. Miss Daltis Rea, former teacher of Margaret, gave a humorous summary of her girlhood as a student and her courtship and betrothal.

The hostesses introduced the shower when they entered with arms loaded with bundles and packages, as though they were returning from a long shopping tour, placing them at the feet of the honoree. Margaret was then asked to open her packages which proved to be many beautiful and useful gifts.

Guests for the evening were Mesdames J. M. Willson, S. F. Conner, W. O. Tye, Lee Wilkinson, Clem Henry, E. C. Henry, O. B. Olson, D. D. Shipley, Lala Slaughter, Della Alexander, J. G. Martin, W. C. Sims;

Mesdames Milton Sims, Dean Hill, J. J. McKinney, Will Walker, T. A. Rogers, Edgar Duncan, J. H. Green, J. L. Henson, S. L. Rushing, Virgie Shaw, Misses Anne Martin, Thomasine Cox, Esther Finkner, Peggy McKinney, Daltis Rea, Lula Teal, Mildred Olson and the honoree.

Those sending gifts were Mesdames W. H. Nelson, R. E. Fry, Lou V. Smith, W. H. Henderson, E. W. Holmes, J. D. Colville, Lal Lewis, Paul Conner, D. T. Curry, Lola Gallows, J. V. Daniel, George Finkner, Tom Smith, Will Snell, B. P. Woody, Nora Cox, Tom W. Deen;

Mesdames J. E. Eldridge, O. B. Haught, Terrell Loran, Herschel Green, Jake Griffith, V. Andrews, P. M. Felton, J. B. Bishop, G. R. May, N. W. Williams, Tom Shaw, George Lader, Mark Martin, R. M. McCauley, Fred Dickert, J. M. Wright and J. G. Wood;

Misses Selma Lader, Mary Anna Ross, Wilma Deen and Emma Lou McKinney.

## Miss Thomasine Cox Honored At Party

Mrs. John McKinney, Miss Vera Nell Marshall and Miss Edith Grimes were joint hostesses Tuesday night at a farewell party given at the home of Miss Grimes on South Main street in honor of Miss Thomasine Cox, who will leave soon to attend Flemings Business college at Amarillo.

Miss Cox received many remembrances from her friends. After a number of games were played, refreshments were served to the following guests: Misses Alene McIntyre, Alene Warren, Oneca Hamilton, Frances Lovell, Gladys Lovell, Imogene Caldwell, Coleta Moore, Erma Dean Moore, Erma Fokerson; C. W. Denison, Charles Denison, Ralph Taylor, Eldon Burgett, Adolph Burgett, Gerald Carathers, Lynn Colville; the hostesses and the honoree, Miss Cox.

Present at the meeting were visitors including Dr. John M. Hooper, director of Unit 1, State Department of Health; Don Evans of Dallas; Alfred Chetham-Strode, L. W. Chapman and A. W. Williams of the Floyd County Rural Electric Co-Operative, and J. L. Adams of Lubbock.

## CEDAR HILL 4-H CLUB

The Cedar Hill 4-H club met Friday of last week with their sponsor, Mrs. Biggs, who gave a demonstration on the care of the hair. "Your hair is your crowning glory," she told the club.

Many fine recreational games were enjoyed. Members present were Lois Lee Calloway, Bennie Fred Lackey, Ruth Cypert, Lois Beard, Edith Cypert, Billie Ruth Love, Dora Faye Lackey, Imogene Love, Billie Louise Durham, Wanda Nell Lackey, Betty Jean Beard, Norma Dean Kelly and Ella Marie Fortenberry.

## Public Records

New Car Registrations  
Jan. 1-1939 Chevrolet town sedan, Ruth Stapleton, Lockney.

Jan. 2-1939 Chevrolet deluxe town sedan, Vernon Shaw, Floydada.

Jan. 4-1939 Ford deluxe coupe, T. A. Smith, Floydada.

Jan. 3-1938 Ford 1 1/2 Ton truck, E. M. Hatton, Quitaque.

Jan. 4-1939 Chevrolet pick up, Armour Creamery.

Jan. 4-1939 Ford pickup, T. A. Smith, Floydada.

Jan. 4-1939 Dodge truck, Angus Ferguson, Floydada.

Marriage License  
Jan. 3-D. C. Caruthers and Ida Mae Owens.

Jan. 5-D. R. Meek and Marion Beldon.

Jan. 7-William Keith Crispin and Sandra Margaret Henson.

Jan. 10-James A. Smith and Wanda Lee Dobson.

Jan. 10-Albert Artisan and Josephine Lauterdale.

Probate Court Docket  
Jan. 10-Case No. 689, E. C. Nelson, deceased, Emma D. Nelson, applicant, will, R. C. Scott, A. S. Cummings and J. B. Houston appointed to appraise value of estate and fixed total value at \$3,900. Emma D. Nelson appointed executrix without bond.

District Court  
Jan. 6-Case No. 3089, E. K. Huff-stedler, Jr. vs Texas-New Mexico Utilities Co., suit for damages.  
Jan. 9-Case No. 3040, G. E. Johnson vs C. V. Duncaan, suit on note for foreclosure.  
Jan. 9-Case No. 3041, Elba Sharp vs B. O. Sharp, divorce.



They Look Alike. — With names like "Hakar Zuni" and "Skoko Zuni" they should have won some sort of prize. Posed with Florence Myers are two Siamese cats in the New York annual cat show.

## Pastor's Helpers S. S. Class Meet In Olson Home Tues.

The Pastor's Helpers class of the First Methodist church had an all day meeting Tuesday at the home of Mrs. O. B. Olson. The morning was spent in devotional and lesson work and the afternoon spent in doing fancy work.

Those present for the day were Mrs. R. M. McCauley, Mrs. Will Walker, Mrs. W. A. Colville, Mrs. W. H. Alexander, Mrs. E. C. Henry, Mrs. Lula Slaughter, Mrs. Sam Henry, Mrs. R. H. Willis, Mrs. Tom W. Deen, Mrs. Lillie Britton, Mrs. Annie Steen, Mrs. D. D. Shipley, Mrs. P. M. Felton, Mrs. R. H. Green and Mrs. O. B. Olson. Visitors present were Misses Mildred Olson, Vera Lynn Olson and O. B. Olson.

The next meeting of the class will be an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Jno. E. Eldridge, February 14.

## KING TELLS LIONS CLUB OF SOIL SAVING EFFORTS

What has been left undone and what is now being done in an effort to conserve the soil of the farms in the United States was told briefly to members of the Lions club by W. A. King, teacher of agriculture in Floydada High school Tuesday noon. King followed his talk with a series of slides depicting on the screen to showing the type of work now being done to save the richness of the farm lands of the country. The club was observing soil conservation week, a nation-wide observance.

Ed Johnson reported briefly on charter night at the Levelland club last week, which was attended by himself and Mrs. Johnson, and also by Tucker Teutsch, Hugh Jeff Ayres and Dale Strickland.

Present at the meeting were visitors including Dr. John M. Hooper, director of Unit 1, State Department of Health; Don Evans of Dallas; Alfred Chetham-Strode, L. W. Chapman and A. W. Williams of the Floyd County Rural Electric Co-Operative, and J. L. Adams of Lubbock.

## SUNNY SIDE H. D. CLUB HEARS TALK BY MISS GRIMES

Six members were present for the Sunny Side Home Demonstration club meeting Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. C. Sims.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. W. C. Sims, presiding. The club prayer was repeated and minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Miss Ruth Grimes, demonstration agent, was present to discuss "Growing the string garden to this country" also, "the importance of green vegetables in the daily diet." Discussions were heard for ways of making money for the club treasury. Nothing definite was decided on.

The next meeting will be held January 20 at 2:30 with Mrs. C. B. Sims when a fair demonstration will be given. All members are requested to be present.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. R. M. McCauley, Mrs. G. N. Shirey, Mrs. Dean Hill, Mrs. S. J. Latta and Mrs. C. B. Sims. Mrs. Tip Kendrick was enlisted as a new member. Mrs. Margaret Jones, Alice Latta and Jean Sims were visitors at the meeting.

## CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST

The regular services next Lord's day; Bible study 10; sermon 11; communion 11:45. The subject for the 11 o'clock hour, "The Hardening of Pharaoh's Heart."

The Young People's Bible study 6; and preaching at 7. The Ladies' Bible study each Monday at 2:30 p. m. Mid-week services Wednesday, 7. We invite you to attend these services.

**Liberty Breezes**

LIBERTY, January 11.—People in the Liberty community are wearing a big smile this week because of the good rains that fell over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Huckabee were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Huckabee and family Sunday.

Burl Huckabee, Charlie Huckabee and son Archie visited in the W. A. Huckabee home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCormick were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Box Thursday night.

Little Cy Whitfill, who had the misfortune of falling on glass and cutting three fingers rather badly, is reported to be improving nicely. A farewell party was given Friday night honoring the Lybrands.

Those on the sick list this week are Mrs. W. A. Huckabee and Mrs. Bessie Anderson.

There will be a farewell party at the Liberty school house Friday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dillard.

The Liberty school children and teachers are sorry to lose many of their students and classmates by their families moving.

**Cedar Hill School News**

The good rain received in Cedar Hill community Saturday and Sunday was greatly appreciated by all. The church services had to be postponed on account of the rain.

The Cedar Hill boys started playing tennis this week.

A. S. Mize and J. S. Lackey went to Earth, Texas, Monday.

**Split In Basketball**

The Cedar Hill boys and girls basketball teams played South Plains teams last Wednesday. The boys' game was 16-9 in favor of Cedar Hill and the girls game was 29-3 in favor of South Plains.

The Cedar Hill teams probably will play Fairview this week.

**RESISTANT PLANTS OFFER BEST CONTROL FOR INSECTS**

Many insects that attack field crops cannot be controlled economically by the use of insecticides, especially, when the net profit per acre is low. In many cases the most effective control may lie in the development of plant varieties resistant to insects.

Entomologists and plant breeders of the United States Department of Agriculture are cooperating in testing many plant varieties that show resistance to insect damage. Alfalfa and peas resistant to pea aphids, corn resistant to the corn earworm, and the European corn borer, corn and grain sorghums resistant to chinch bug attack, and wheats resistant to the hessian fly are a few of the plants that have shown promise.

A sorghum developed at the Lawton, Okla., Experiment Station is an example. In 1932 Chiltex sorghum was grown under a heavy chinch bug infestation. Only a few heads produced grain. This seed was saved and planted the following year to several rows of the original Chiltex seed which had not had natural selection by chinch bugs. More than half, or 53.1 percent, of the crop from the original Chiltex seed was killed by chinch bugs. Only 22.6 percent of the plants from seed grown in 1932 were killed.

The experiment was repeated under a heavy infestation of chinch bugs in 1934 and all plants of the original Chiltex were killed, but only 68 percent of the Lawton selection failed to produce heads. The Lawton selection apparently does not differ from the original Chiltex, except in resistance to chinch bugs.

If a million dollars in gold were made into a single coin it would weigh about 1785 pounds.

**Utilities**

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what its proprietorship of the Texas-New Mexico Utilities company cost its stockholders, but does decline the value at which its lines and physical properties here are valued.

According to the allegations in its petition to Judge T. Whit Davidson, the investment in property in Floydada in substation and distribution system has been \$88,247.

However, the company points out that of the investment of Texas-New Mexico Utilities company in the western part of Texas and eastern New Mexico, it has allocated to Floydada as proper charges the following:

\$35,933.50 as Floydada's proportionate part of the entire transmission line used and useful in serving the City of Floydada and the inhabitants thereof;

\$1,442.42 as its proportionate part of the company's investment in a general office building in the City of Plainview, Texas, including equipment and facilities necessary and used and useful in supplying the City of Floydada and its inhabitants with electric current;

and \$82,341.94 as Floydada's proportionate part of the cost of generating plants in Clovis, New Mexico, Plainview, Texas, Lubbock, Texas, and a large central power plant near Abilene, Texas.

The total of the investment in Floydada, the petition recites, plus the investments in other portions of West Texas and New Mexico "allocated" to Floydada is \$207,966.86.

**High Rate of Interest**

According to the petition of the light and power company the Texas-New Mexico Utilities company is paying a high rate of interest for more than \$7,000,000 it has borrowed for its West Texas and eastern New Mexico investment. The deed of trust and bond issue indenture totaling \$7,919,900 was purchased by the Community Power & Light company for a valuable consideration, not stated, and bear interest at the rate of 7 and 7/8 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually.

**FEDERAL CHEMISTS DEVISE QUICK TEST FOR FOOD CHEAT**

A quick test and a cheap test is a first class aid to the Food and Drug Administration in protecting the public from food and drug cheats. A simple test for mineral oil in butter—worked out by chemists of the Administration's Chicago laboratory—makes it easy to detect as little as one-half of 1 percent of mineral oil, takes only about 20 minutes, and costs only a few cents for chemicals.

In the test the butter is melted, diluted with distilled water. A resulting milky or turbid solution indicates adulteration with mineral oil. Pure butterfat is clear upon dilution.

On rare occasions when butter plant—about \$50,000 worth of but-expense of the consumer. Mineral oil sells for only a few cents a pound.

In the first big application of this new method, the Chicago office tested the whole output of one suspected ter in all. Some was of market quality, some lots adulterated with is adulterated with mineral oil, the cheater stands to make a substantial profit from the substitution, at the mineral oil, and some short in butterfat. The adulterated butter had to go to soap manufacturers. Butter low in fat had to be reworked to get rid of the extra water.

**Too Late To Classify**

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**Half-Minute Interviews**

W. B. Jordan: "I need some shoes for my lambs. The 'goat heads' are making it hard for them to get around over the place."

**GOOD GRADING BENCH IS AID TO POULTRY FARMER**

The grading and packing of eggs is a pleasant task on the poultry farm equipped with a grading bench, and egg scale and egg candler.

Many farms have egg scales and candlers, but it is surprising how few have grading benches. Without this important piece of equipment, notes a writer in the Philadelphia Inquirer, egg grading and packing is a back-breaking practice which is not conducive to efficient work. A convenient and easily constructed bench can be made, however, at very little expense.

The table top should be six feet long, 26 inches wide and 25 inches from the floor. The height will depend on the size of the person doing the grading.

Its height should be such that the top of an egg case placed on the table will be at the waistline of the operator. A shelf 12 inches wide and 24 inches above the top of the bench would be very handy for scales, fillers, nails and other articles.

Mustard, tender greens, rape, and kale are ready to eat in from three to six weeks after planting.



Snake Venom—Injections of water moccasin venom are bringing recovery to three-year-old Donald Richardson, of Kansas City who is suffering from a rare blood disease.

Mrs. D. L. Owen, of Sulphur Springs visited her daughter Mrs. Bert Williams during the New Year's holidays. She returned to her home Monday.

Rex Johnston, with the soil conservation service at Springfield, Missouri, was at home during the holidays visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Johnston. Ralph, another son who is a student at Texas Tech, also spent the holidays here.

**Sell Government Corn**—Corn acquired by the government when farmers failed to re-pay government loans to the Commodity Credit corporation will be sold by these two CCC officials with headquarters in Chicago. Left, Milton Briggs, CCC administrative assistant for Chicago; right, Ivan Harden, special representative sent from Washington.

Mrs. Tom Hall, who has been convalescing from an operation at Floydada Hospital & Clinic, was dismissed and returned to her home Monday of this week.

Gwilyn Enoch, patient at the Floydada Hospital & Clinic, has been dismissed and Tuesday was at his home after several weeks in the hospital.

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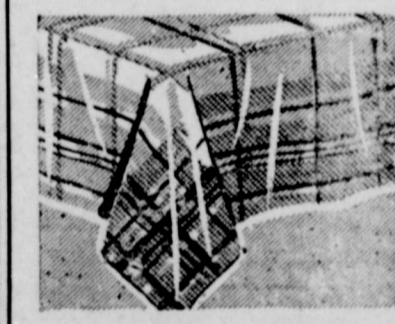


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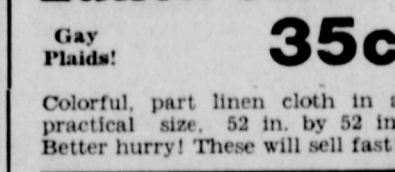
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**PERIOD OF MILD EXPANSION DUE IN CATTLE INDUSTRY**

COLLEGE STATION.—The cattle industry has started upon a period of moderate expansion that may continue for years, G. W. Barnes, animal husbandman of the Texas A. and M. College Extension service, pointed out in discussing the long-time outlook for beef cattle recently released by the U. S. Department of Agriculture Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

"Cattle production operates in cycles," Barnes said. "The high point in cattle numbers was reached in 1934, and declined to the low point by January 1, 1938. This year will see cattle numbers increase about 1 percent, and apparently the increase in the new cycle has started."

"Barring the recurrence of a series of drought years such as prevailed from 1934 to 1937 it seems fairly certain that cattle numbers will tend to expand for some years. The rate and extent of this increase cannot be predicted now, but it appears unlikely that cattle numbers will reach as high a peak in the present cycle as was reached early in 1934."

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Barnes pointed out that increased numbers of cattle in the next few years will come largely from with-holding cattle mostly cows and calves, from slaughter. Supplies of hogs and hog slaughter are expected to expand rather sharply, and total meat supplies will be larger than the average of the past 4 years. During 1939, it is expected that fewer cattle and calves will be slaughtered than in the present year, with the reduction chiefly in calves, cows, and heifers. With plentiful supplies of feed the finish and weights of cattle slaughtered will still be relatively high.

**COCKROACH OLD-TIMER**

The lowly cockroach has existed in its present form a long time. There are four different types of cockroach—the Croton bug, first found in New York; the proper cockroach of the East; the American cockroach, which probably came from tropical America, and the Australian cockroach, which is much like the large, reddish-brown American cockroach except that it is a trifle smaller. There are said to be 225 fossil species of the pest.



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# WANTS

## Band Parents Hold Meeting: Report On Cotton Bowl Trip

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### How To Win Grades And Influence Teachers

The beginning of a new semester is much like the beginning of a new year. After struggling through countless thousands of final exam questions, the exam-taker resolves in his deepest soul that he will never again subject himself to such wholesale torture. He gets out his little yellow "remember to do such and such pad" and jots down a new motto. Make good grades and get exempt!

### New Subjects Are Offered At FHS

At each mid term of every school year, there are always changes made in the curriculum. Some subjects are taken out and some are put in. This year several changes have been made in schedule and in electives. Some of the subjects which were not offered the first semester have been given the students this term and each student will have a variety of electives to choose from.

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The band-parents had a meeting Monday night at the high school auditorium. A very amusing game was played in which the band played songs and the parents guessed the name of the song. After the trip to Dallas the band has been inspired, and are beginning to swing out on some of the old songs so that one would hardly recognize them.

At noon the band members hurry back from lunch and practice new tunes as well as some popular hits and marches. The students seem to enjoy these jam sessions and often stay in the auditorium to hear them.

Speaking about the trip to Dallas, reminds that after seeing some girls in extremely short skirts, Joe Arwine was heard to remark, "you know, I think I am going to like it here after all." And from the animated look on his face after he returned to school, we believe it.

### Green Peppers

The Green Peppers had on their best boosting spirit last Friday night when the Whirlwind basketball team played Flomot. Coach Jackson, with the fighting Longhorns traveled westward to Floydada to settle a little argument with Coach Winter and the courageous Whirlwinds. They settled it.

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## English Literature Projects Completed by H. S. Students

In concluding the study of English literature many interesting English projects were turned in to Miss Cade, junior and senior English teacher, by members of the senior classes.

There are two miniature theatres made to represent the Globe theatre which was located just outside London in Shakespeare's day. Most of Shakespeare's plays were presented here. One was made by Harold Cothern and Edward Wester, the other by Jewel Elza and J. T. Stovall.

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Olin Watson handed in a commendable booklet containing sketches of famous characters from Shakespeare's plays.

Several characters were dressed to represent figures in literature. The best one was a Lady Macbeth from Shakespeare's play. This project was made by Verda Frances Turner.

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## Officially Clamp Down On Studes

With the beginning of the new term many new rules and regulations were made to enforce better discipline and make the school a place of more interest in learning.

Among these was the rule regarding the number of days in detention and their connection with the taking of final exams. It was decided that after eight days in detention, the penalty would be that the person would have to take all of his final exams.

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Because different sockets have different needs, we have prepared a special carton of one 40-watt, two 60-watt, one 75-watt, one 100-watt and one 150-watt lamps for only 95c. O. a carton of six 100-watt, or any size smaller, for 90c. All Mazda lamp purchases will be added to next month's service bill if desired.

**Texas-New Mexico Utilities Company**

**LITTLE BUDDY**  
By Bruce Stuart

Panel 1: "WHAT'CHA LOOKIN' AT, JAY?"  
Panel 2: "I'M WATCHING A BUNCH OF ANTS, BUDDY!"  
Panel 3: "GEE, THEY'RE CERTAINLY HARD WORKERS! NIGHT AND DAY, THEY'RE ALWAYS AT IT!!"  
Panel 4: "ANTS NEVER HAVE ANY FUN OR PLAY! ALL THEY DO IS WORK-WORK-WORK!!"  
Panel 5: "QUIT YOUR KIDDING!! THEY ALWAYS GO TO ALL THE PICNICS I'VE EVER BEEN AT!!"

## Ninety-Three Boys, Girls From East Plains at Tech

The east plains area is a strong supporter of Texas Technological college. The fact is plainly shown by the fact that 93 students there list towns in the east plains area as their home.

Floydada heads the list with 34 students represented there. Crosbyton and McAdoo are tied at second place with 17 students listed, while Petersburg is third with 10 students attending. Other towns represented in the figures are Lockney, Plomot, and South Plains.

Students from these towns represent every department at the college from textile engineering to music and from home economics to chemical engineering. Classification ranges from freshmen to seniors and possibly some are working for their masters degree.

It is possible that even more would be attending if it were not for the fact that the capacity of the college is at its limit. Places to room and board are almost impossible to find and for that reason a number of students were forced to enroll elsewhere.

Students listed in the college directory are: Floydada; L. V. Assiter, Kenneth Bain, Charles P. Cox, Laverne Day, Marilyn Fry, Geraldine Gambin, Edwin Goolightly, J. S. Hale, Herschel Hammonds, James Hammonds, Ralph Duncan Hammonds, Walton Henderson, Harvey L. Howard, Charles Hulsey, Ralph Johnston;

Joe H. Marshall, Ersel Matthews, Elnora Miller, Orba Erwin Miller, Verl Louwil Miller, Welborn Miller, La Von Rainer, Jeanne Mable Roane, L. D. Simpson, Virginia Simpson, Edna Mae Smith, Ham Smith, Orvel Spence, Jack Stansell, Dorothy Stovall, Virginia Stovall, Erwin Loyce Turner, Keith Tye, and Roy Phillip Wilkes.

Lockney: Mary Alice Baker, Gerald Ramsey, J. Clayton Roach, Ireta Payne Roberson, Robert Lee Smith, Jack A. Spence, Billy Ed Whitfill, and Alva Marie Wood.

Crosbyton: Romery John Coffee, Clyde Crubay, Monroe Dunn, Gerald Edler, A. H. Farris, Joyce Leonard Glass, Murray Hefner, John Hicks, Adeline Hodges, Clyde Hodges, Joe Ann Lamb, Fabian Lemley, J. H. Lemley, Gwen McPherson, R. C. Mitchell, Mina Nation, Helen

Pieratt.  
Plomot: Clyde Amonett, Georgia Alva McReynolds, Overton McReynolds, Melva Jo Speer, Ila Faye Webb, and Marue Williams.  
McAdoo: Terry Mayo Boucher, Robena Formby, J. Walter Grist, Billy Hash, Willard A. Lewis, Roberta McDonald, Asa Reid McLaughlin, France McLaughlin, Gordon Rome Miller, Hazel Moore, W. H. Moore, Kof Neely, Mary Emma Pipkin, Edward Robertson, Juanita Rose, Nuge Rose, and Vera Mae Tillson.

Petersburg: Frankie Mae Case, Robert Case, L. Carroll Claitor, Anna Lee Fisher, Louise Germany, W. Bounds Mask, Paul Reynolds, Pearl M. Scarborough, Wayne Thorpe and Arthur Lee Wylie.  
South Plains: Mildred Deavenport.

### Community Mourns Death Of Parrish Baby Last Week-End

McCOY, Jan. 10.—Mary Ann, 6-month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parrish, died of double pneumonia in the Floydada hospital on Tuesday of last week. Born on July 3, 1938, the baby was exactly 6 months old at the time of her death on January 3. She is survived by her parents, and one brother Jimmie, and two sets of grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Tardy, of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parrish of Las Cruces, New Mexico, and a great grandmother, Mrs. J. B. Tardy, of Lott, Texas. Aunts and uncles present for the funeral included Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Tardy, Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. K. Terrell, Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Bullock, Becton; and Mrs. Charlie Cook of El Paso. A cousin, Carl Tardy, and Mrs. Tardy, of Matador, also attending the last rites and a host of other cousins.

**Rains Brings Rejoicing**  
The farmers are rejoicing over the fine rain of last Friday night, Saturday night and Sunday. About 2 inches fell. Some say there was more than that. Enough to put the farmers to work plowing for another crop.

We have a lot of sickness in our neighborhood. S. W. Ewing has had quite a siege of cold in the bronchial tubes. Little Jimmie Parrish has been sick with a cold, also Tubie Pittman has been quite sick with cold.  
H. P. Puckett went to Sweetwater to the clinic for examination a week ago. He says he is feeling pretty good now. Mrs. Puckett is sick with cold, and many others have had coughs and colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Shaw, of Henrietta, and Mrs. Veda West of Amarillo, were guests for a time last week with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shaw. Jess Shaw is a brother of Tom Shaw and Leslie Shaw and Mrs. West nephew and niece.

Mrs. Elizabeth Snell and little son Harold returned to her home in Fort Worth this week accompanied by Mrs. Bess Cantwell. Mrs. Cantwell is expected home the last of the week.

### Blanco Grateful For Good Rain

BLANCO, Jan. 10. — Everyone in this community is wearing huge smiles because of the recent rain. A good season is reported and wheat that was dry-sown several weeks ago will soon be up. The community is truly grateful for the prospects ahead at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bennett and children of Hart visited with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Brewer Saturday.

Mary Stewart, Irene Cates and Lee Roy Cates took supper with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cates Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass from Harmony have moved into our community. They will occupy the house of W. H. Simpson, who moved to Floydada.

Mrs. Clyde Snell, who moved back to Fort Worth spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Will Snell.

Miss Corene Daniel has gone back to Lubbock to continue her work in Draughon's Business college.

Mrs. Arthur J. Beedy and children spent Wednesday with Mrs. S. E. Brewer.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Faulkenberry spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wise near Floydada.

Miss Ida Mae Beedy who was exempt in all of her mid-term examinations visited in Blanco school Tuesday.

### Center People Stay Home, Watch Rain

CENTER, Jan. 10.—There was little visiting Sunday in this community as everyone stayed home to watch the rain fall. It fell so slowly that every drop was saved.

Mrs. Montgomery continues to improve but is still very weak. Floyd came from Canyon Saturday and returned Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Jones and sons from Hill county are visiting in the O. G. Mayfield home. They are looking for a new location.  
The Cumble and Kirk families moved last week to the Starkey community.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mankins spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Frizzell.

Mr. Bullock has moved into the house formerly occupied by the Cumble family and the Westfall family are to move into the Kirk home.

Edwin, Nita and Leon Anderson have been ill with colds.

Mrs. Olin Miller is busy selecting her breeding stock of chickens for this coming season and getting her hens properly penned.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carpenter spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Frizzell.

Next Friday night is Dramatic club night. Unless the date is changed by a later announcement.

### Baker Locals

BAKER, Jan. 9.—Dr. and Mrs. W. B. May and daughter of Colorado City and Miss Bert Ione Smith from Denton spent Christmas with Mrs. G. R. May.

Wanda Lee and Sammie Lou West spent the holidays in Floydada with Mrs. C. D. Hart and Maurine.

Those who took new years dinner with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Fawver were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn and daughter, Nancy of Lubbock, Mrs. B. C. Willis and sons, Edgar and Emmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Willis and children, Kenneth, Nadine and Rena Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fawver and children, Leslie, Carlton, and Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fawver and daughter, Euna, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Fawver, Jr. and daughter, Mary Lou.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Towry and daughter, Belle, of Chillicothe and Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Towry of Odelle visited in the Claude Fawver home during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fawver and daughter, Euna, Wanda Lee and Sammie Lou West and Miss Olive West attended the birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Woolsey and daughter in the Pleasant Hill community Thursday.

### AN APPRECIATION

In appreciation of the many kindnesses to each who helped, in any way, during our recent sorrow, and for the hearty untiring efforts of Dr. George Smith, we wish to express our gratitude.

Also to let you know of the comfort we felt for the beautiful flowers.

Mrs. Ross Cherry  
Mrs. C. A. Walker  
Mrs. George Seitz  
Marion Bosley  
Henry Bosley  
M. H. Davis

### Friendship Circle Honors Recent Bride Mrs. Floyd Lawson

MT. BLANCO, Jan. 10. — The Friendship circle met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. V. F. Crabtree to honor Mrs. Floyd Lawson, a recent bride with a miscellaneous shower.

Little Miss Catherine Appling and Elvis Dean Powell dressed as bride and groom entered the room carrying a bushel basket of presents and presented them to the honoree, who was before her marriage, Miss Queen Annie Powell.

Those who registered in the bride's book were Mrs. Myrtle Switzer, Mrs. Ola Coleman, Mrs. Herman Armstrong, Mrs. Charlie Wright, Mrs. Holt Bishop, Mrs. Floyd Ballard, Mrs. W. O. Baker, Mrs. B. P. Davis, Mrs. Earl Bishop, Mrs. Riley Teague, Mrs. S. G. Appling, Mrs. R. D. Armstrong, Mrs. Hoyt McClure, Mrs. C. M. Norris, Mrs. T. R. Elder, Mrs. L. M. Powell, Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mrs. Thford Taylor, Mrs. J. A. Hodges, Mrs. J. H. Watson, Mrs. Walter Crawford, Mrs. Wesley Hay, Mrs. Eugene

Brown, Mrs. Lewis Franklin, Mrs. J. O. McMurray, Mrs. M. J. Mosley, Mrs. W. A. Latta, Mrs. V. F. Crabtree, Mrs. Mary Kirk, Mrs. Byron Powell, and Misses Iva and Oma Lee Watson, Maxine Powell, Inez Mosley, Jimmie Poore, Ouida Armstrong, Modena Hartsell and Gladys Powell.

Those who were unable to be present but presented gifts were Mrs.

J. A. Trammel, Mr. and Mrs. William Powell, Melba Joyce McMurray, Maude Palmer, Mrs. W. F. Palmer, Mrs. J. A. Hartsell, Mrs. J. I. Singleton, Ila Acker, J. W. McCravy, Mrs. J. C. Largent and Mrs. C. A. McClure.

Everyone in this community is rejoicing over the nice rain the first of the week. In a few days the wheat will look quite different. Several of the young folks of this

community enjoyed a "42" party Wednesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Trammel.

The J. A. Hartsell family moved to their place north of Floydada last week-end. The C. M. Norris family moved the first of the week. Both of these good families will be missed in our community and we wish for them happiness in their new home. Families like these are assets to the community in which they live.

The Y. W. A. met Friday night at the home of the V. F. Crabtree family. Six members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crawford and Joy have returned from Arkadelphia, Arkansas where they have been visiting for several weeks.

The Woman's Missionary society had a meeting Monday afternoon. Four members were present.

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All 54 in. Dress Woollens go in These Last Few Days at—  
**1/2 Price**  
98c Values, 49c  
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1 Lot Ladies' Silk Dresses, Values to \$5.95, To Close Out at—  
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1 Lot Ladies' Dresses, Values to \$7.90, To Close Out at—  
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**CLASSY JEAN DRESSES**  
Here is a Big Bargain in High Quality Dresses, \$17.00 and \$19.75 Dresses now—  
**\$13.00**

**Wool Jackets**  
Ladies' and Misses' Plaid and Striped Sport Jackets, Quarter Silk Lined, \$2.98 Values for—  
**\$1.99**

**LADIES COATS**  
Only a Few Ladies' Coats left to Close Out at this Low price  
**\$4.98**

**GIRLS' COATS**  
All Winter Coats, To Close Out at—  
**1/2 PRICE**

**RAYON SLIPS: 1 Lot of Ladies' Fine Rayon Slips to Close Out at,** **38c**

**PREMIUM SHEETING: Known for its Extra Smoothness with a wide selvage which makes it wear longer, Per Yard,** **25c**

**BROWN SHEETING: 81 inches wide, wide selvage, per yard,** **15c**

**BROADCLOTH: solid colors worth 12 1/2c, Goes in this Sale at, Per Yard,** **8c**

**PRINTS: 15c Fairy prints go in This Big Clearance Sale at, per yard,** **10c**

**CRETONNE: Fancy new patterns, 36 inches Wide, 12 1/2c Values, Now Per Yard,** **8c**

**SILK: 39 in. wide, Prints and fancy solid designs, values to 69c Go at Per Yard,** **29c**

**LUNCH CLOTHS: All Linen, Gay Designs, regular \$1.49 values, Now,** **98c**

**TURKISH TOWELS: Size 20 by 40, white with fancy border, Only, each,** **13c**

**KITCHEN TOWELS: Part Linen, Fancy Prints, 15c Values, Now, Each,** **10c**

**GREY BLANKETS: for double beds, Fancy Border. Here is a Big Bargain, Per Pair,** **68c**

**DOUBLE BLANKETS: Size 72 by 84, 3 1/2 lbs. Beautiful Plaids, \$2.95 Values Now Per Pair, .....** **\$2.19**

**25% WOOL BLANKETS: Double, Size 72x84, Extra Heavy and Warm, \$3.95 Values, Now, .....** **\$2.99**

**MEN'S SOCKS: Part Wool, Fancy Patterns, 15c values to Close Out, Per Pair,** **10c**

**DRESS SHIRTS: 1 Lot Men's \$1.65 and \$1.95 Shirts to Close Out in This Sale for, .....** **\$1.19**

**COAT SWEATERS: Men's heavy Fleece Sweaters, Brown color, 98c Values for only,** **68c**

**MEN'S UNIONS: Heavy Winter Unions, 98c values go in this Sale for Only,** **68c**

**GABARDINE SHIRTS: Men's Fine Wool Gabardine Shirts, \$4.95 Values, Now, .....** **\$2.99**

**PLAID SHIRTS: Heavy Flannels, All Cotton, \$1.49 values to close out at,** **96c**

**FLANNEL SHIRTS: Men's or boys' solid color shirts, 79c values to close out at,** **59c**

**HAWK OVERALLS: Your choice of any style Men's Hawk Brand Overall, Only,** **96c**

**MEN'S SUITS**  
1 Lot Suits, A Few Curlees, to Close Out at—  
**\$10.00**

**Overcoats**  
1 Big Lot of Curlee Coats to Close Out at—  
**1/2 PRICE**  
Others Reduced 1-3 and 1/4

**BOYS' JACKETS**  
Blue Meltons, size 6 to 18 \$1.98 Values to Close Out at,  
**99c**

**MEN'S JACKETS**  
Wool with Leather Sleeves, \$6.95 Values to Close Out for Only—  
**\$4.78**

**MEN'S CORDUROY CAPS**  
Heavy Fur Lined Flaps to Close Out at—  
69c Caps now, **48c**  
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1 Table of High Grade Shoes To Close Out at—  
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Replacement Parts — Retread Tires  
Guaranteed Motor Work  
**FINKNER'S TRIANGLE GARAGE**

Miss Nora Edna Carlton, of the district health office has been spending most of last week and part of this week in Jones county where she is organizing health clubs.

Two light garments make warmer winter wear than one heavy garment. The two garments build up an insulated layer of air to protect the body. (You're welcome!)

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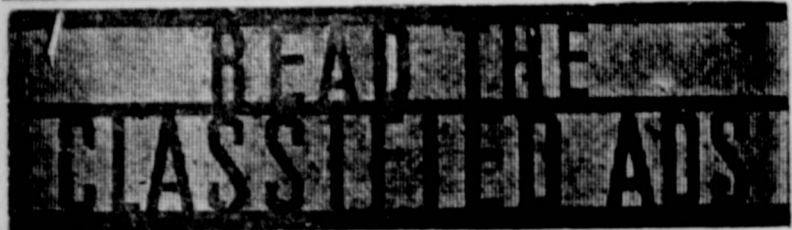


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MOST Complete line of Radios in the County—both Electric and Farm types. 1939 Model Radios as low as \$9.95. Brown's Household Supply. 371tc

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FOR SALE, good four room house two miles north of Sterley. R. W. Smith, Jr. 484tp

FOR QUICK SALE—2,500 feet of good lumber at a sacrifice price. Inquire of Chas. Rosenberg, Surginer building, north side square, Floydada. 481tc

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**For Sale Or Trade**

FOR SALE or trade—On account of bad health I must dispose of my automobile shop and accessories. H. O. Pope. 472tp

MODERN Stucco, 5 rooms, with 14 lots, or will trade for equity in 320 acres. Jno. L. West. 404tc

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Notice to Flock Owners  
You who are planning on selling hatching eggs the coming season—See us at once. We are now culling Texas-U. S. approving and Pullorum-testing our breeding flocks. All work done by official state agency. 41tc Carmack Hatchery, Phone 307.

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**For Rent**

FURNISHED apartment for rent. Mrs. R. C. Watson 1 blk. west High School. 481tc

3-ROOM House 1 block west of High School will be vacant Jan. 15. See Mrs. John Wahl. 481tp

**Land For Sale**

SEE us for five per cent farm loans. Coon & Coen. 41tc

**Houses For Sale**

HOUSES for sale and rent. W. Ed Brown, owner. 289tc

MODERN Homes for sale, easy terms. Phone 273. W. H. Henderson. 161tc

FOR SALE—To close estate, my mother's home in west Floydada. Lots 1 and 2, Block 89, 4-room house. See H. O. Pope. 472tp

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WANTED practical nursing, or any kind of work, at once Mrs. Pearl Bryant, hiway 207, 1 mi. N. Cone. 482tp

A FURNISHED house or apartment. Telephone 134. 471tc

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**Area Council Meeting Scheduled January 24**

The complete organization of all committees together with their chairmen for the thirteenth Annual South Plains Area Council meeting, scheduled for January 24, was announced this week by Dr. P. B. Malone, Lubbock Council president.

K. N. Clapp, Lubbock council commissioner, was appointed program chairman, with the following committees serving on his committee: J. Edd McLaughlin, Ralls; Sam A. Henry, Rev. John W. Winslow, and Dr. C. C. Schmidt, all of Lubbock. Charles Day, Lubbock, was appointed as chairman of exhibits. J. C. Reynolds, Lubbock, was made chairman of attendance committee. He appointed the following district

attendance chairmen:

Central district, M. E. Heard; Northwest district, Dr. Wm. Orr, Littlefield; Western, P. O. Smith, Whiteface; Southwestern, R. A. Simms, Brownfield; Southern, W. K. Crawley, Lamesa; Southeastern, G. E. Welch, Slaton; Eastern, Maurice Golding, Spur; Northeastern, Jim Wilson, Floydada; North central, Bob Hooper, Plainview; Northern, Rev. John Thorns, Silverton.

Approximately 400 Scout leaders and their wives from over the twenty counties of the council are expected to attend.

Clint Anderson of Albuquerque, New Mexico, former president of the Northern New Mexico council and past president of Rotary International, will deliver the address.

**Antelope Club Plans For Good Year 1939**

Miss Ruth Grimes met with the Antelope Home Demonstration club on Thursday afternoon in Poole's VT ranch home, with Mrs. W. S. Poole the new president in the chair. Roll call was answered by giving new year's resolutions. Mrs. Poole read an inspiring paper on "Ambitions for the year."

"Plans for the family home produced food" is to be the aim of each club member, stated Miss Grimes in the inspirational first lesson for the new year. Old resolutions were strengthened and new ones were made under her able leadership on "Good Health for a good year."

"Planning the Family Vegetable Budget" was the instructive demonstration given by Miss Grimes; "Plant seeds that are adapted to this soil and climate and those brands of seed which contain needed vitamins and minerals." Our demonstrator followed this lecture by demonstrating ways of "getting up" sluggish seed, rotating plantings, and helping us plan our budgets for the year. She gave us names and brands of best adapted seed.

Our local merchants have been advised of these preferred varieties and have stocked them for our convenience.

Miss Grimes passed year books for 1939, which outline a year of interesting and instructive work.

During the social hour the hostess superintended new year games with Miss Grimes, Mrs. T. J. Boyd and Mrs. S. M. Crawford, holding highest scores. Delectable new year refreshments were passed to Miss Grimes and members.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. T. J. Boyd January 29, "Growing Winter Salads" will be studied.

**DOUGHERTY H. D. CLUB**

Dougherty Home Demonstration club met January 4 with Mrs. A. H. Kreis for the first meeting in the new year.

Twelve members and one visitor attended. Mrs. C. A. Caffee newly elected president had charge and made an interesting talk to the members on the club work. Committee reports were made by the various chairmen.

Miss Grimes talked to the club on vegetables, foods, and different varieties of seeds and garden fruits.

Games and contests were directed by Mrs. C. E. Bartlett with Mrs. Caffee winning. Mrs. O. G. Glassmoyer gave special musical numbers.

Refreshments were served to Miss Grimes, Mrs. Henry Hood, Mrs. C. E. Bartlett, Mrs. R. T. Jones, Mrs. Bill Norman, Mrs. Glassmoyer, Mrs. E. Caldwell, Mrs. Caffee, Mrs. R. W. Lotspeich, Mrs. J. T. Poole, Mrs. Claude Ring, Mrs. E. S. Foster.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Caldwell. Mrs. Glassmoyer will give a demonstration.

J. U. Borum made a business trip to St. Louis last week.

Hesperian Ads Pay

**MISS GRIMES DEMONSTRATES FOR STARKEY 4-H CLUB**

Miss Ruth Grimes was present for the meeting of the Starkey 4-H club Wednesday afternoon at the Starkey school.

Miss Grimes gave a demonstration on "Your Crowning Glory" in which she advised the girls to brush their hair one hundred strokes a day.

Attending the meeting were Alameda Sargeant, Billie Jones, Ethleen Bishop, Joyce Holmes, Myrtice Sargent, Etola Parrish, Janet Reddy, Vera Waller, Lela Faye Neff, Mary Frances Bishop, Leona Parrish, Mable Ruth Cooper, Elzbie Brinkley, Glenna Faye Parrish.

Miss Grimes will be present at the next meeting and give a demonstration on how to make kitchen aprons.

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**HEALTH OFFICIALS IN BRECKENRIDGE THIS WEEK**

Dr. John M. Hooper, district director and Bruce E. Sasse, sanitarian of District 1, are attending a joint meeting of the Central West Texas and North West Texas Water Works association in session at Breckenridge this week.

They left Wednesday and are expected home tomorrow.

**COMMUNITY SINGING TO BE HELD AT MUNCY SUN.**

There will be an old time community singing at the Muncy school house Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, January 15.

C. M. Lyles will be present to help with the singing. A moderator will be chosen at this meeting and the community is urged to be present, is the invitation given by Mrs. W. B. Harris.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We take this method of trying to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and expression of sympathy and for the many flowers during the sickness and death of our darling baby girl, Mary Ann.

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Floydada Lodge No. 712 A. P. & A. M. meets Saturday night, Jan. 14. Stated meeting, J. G. Wood, W. M., M. L. Probasco, Secy.

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**Thurs., Jan. 19**

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1 8-ft. grain binder, John Deere;  
1 cotton sled;  
1 2-section harrow 10 ft., nearly new;  
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1 farm wagon, new bed;  
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1 brown jersey cow, about 9 yrs. old, good milker;  
1 black jersey cow, 4 yrs. old, good milker;  
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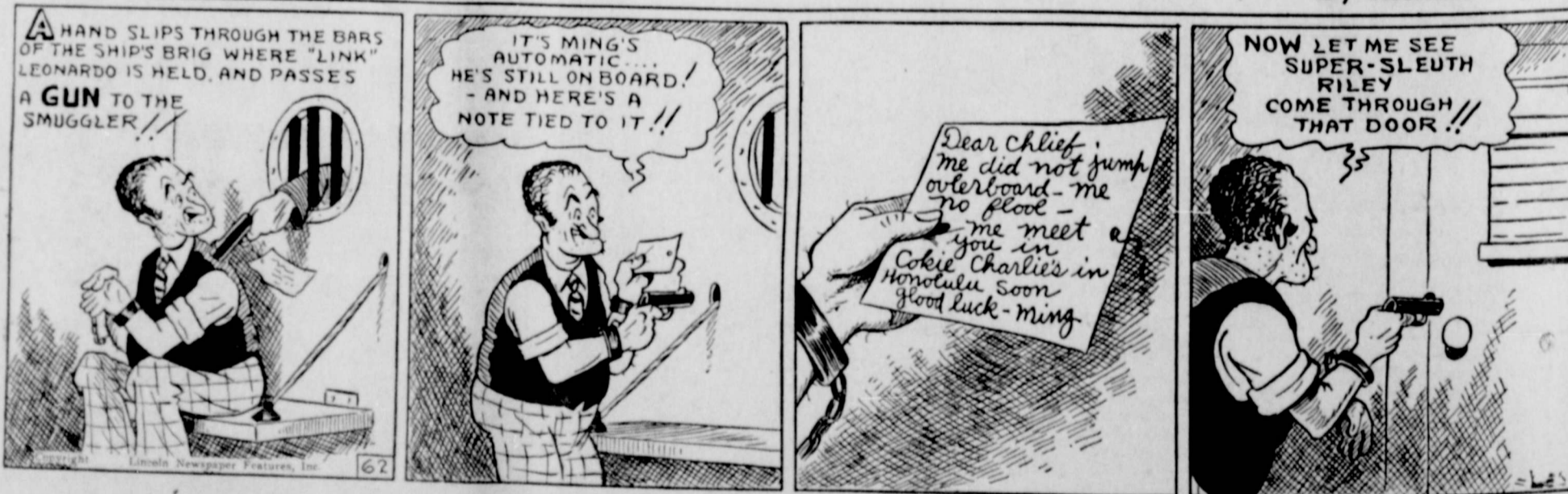
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# Annual P-P Dairy Show Apr. 18-22

C. B. Martin, Hale County Agent, Named General Superintendent

PLAINVIEW, Jan. 9.—Dates for the twelfth annual Panhandle Plains Dairy show were set for April 18 to 22 inclusive at a meeting of directors of the show association here Thursday.

"Plainview, home of the Panhandle Plains Dairy show, can expect one of the best shows in the history of the association this year," declared Pete Smith, show manager, and chamber of commerce secretary. C. B. Martin, Hale county agent, was re-appointed general superintendent of the show.

Directors instructed Smith to notify all exhibitors and prospective exhibitors of the ruling passed prior to the 1938 show regarding requirements of certificates showing cattle to be free from bangs disease before they can be exhibited in the 1939 show.

Superintendents of the various show departments were named as follows: P. C. Colgin, Swisher county agent, jersey department; Finley R. White, Briscoe county agent, holstein-friesian; Ralph Howe, Crosby county agent, guernsey; Frank Well, Hale Center, milking shorthorn;

Wayne Thomas, Ochiltree county agent, production; D. M. Carroll, Central Plains Dairy Herd Improvement association field representative assistant in production department; D. F. Bredthauer, Floyd county agent, dairy calf club superintendent;

M. C. Fine, Texas Technological college, vocational cattle judging; M. G. Pederson, instructor in dairy products manufacture, Texas Tech, vocational dairy products judging; Miss Lucille Shultz, Hale county home demonstration agent, dairy products department; K. M. Renner, head of the dairy manufacturing department, Texas Tech, dairy products department.

The educational committee for the show is composed of K. M. Renner, Ray Mowery, associate professor in animal husbandry, Texas Tech; Miss Lida Cooper, district home demonstration agent; G. G. Gibson, assistant dairyman, Texas A & M college; E. R. Eudaly, A & M



Girl's Age Spans Decade of Progress.—At an exhibit in Detroit last week, a decade of progress in the automotive industry was vividly portrayed by cars, automobile engines and parts made in 1928 and 1938. In the photo, at the left is a typical 1939 engine, while in the center little ten-year-old Marianna Klix is sitting on an engine built in 1928, which seems almost a toy counterpart of the modern motor. She is holding a 24-pound 1939 crankshaft. Louis Barger of the Chevrolet Forge plant forged it and also the 68½-pound 1939 shaft which he holds.

extension dairyman, and Miss Lucille Shultz.

The annual show exhibitors meeting was scheduled for 7 o'clock on the night of April 19.

## Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School lesson for January 15, 1939.

**Christ's Glory as Peter Sees It**  
Golden Text.—"We beheld his glory, glory as of the only begotten from the father." (John 1:14).

Lesson Text.—Matthew 17:1-9; 14-18.

And after six days Jesus taketh Peter, James, and John his brother, and bringeth them up into an high mountain apart.

2 And was transfigured before them: and his face did shine as the sun, and his raiment was white as the light.

3 And, behold, there appeared unto them Moses and Elias talking with him.

4 Then answered Peter, and said unto Jesus, Lord, it is good for us to be here: if thou wilt, let us make here three tabernacles; one for thee, and one for Moses, and one for Elias.

5 While he yet spake, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them: and behold a voice out of the cloud, which said, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased; hear ye him.

6 And when the disciples heard it, they fell on their faces and were sore afraid.

7 And Jesus came and touched them, and said, Arise, and be not afraid.

8 And when they had lifted up their eyes, they saw no man, save Jesus only.

9 And as they came down from the mountain, Jesus charged them, saying, Tell the vision to no man, until the Son of man be risen again from the dead.

14 And when they were come to the multitude, there came to him

a certain man, kneeling down to him, and saying,

15 Lord, have mercy on my son; for he is lunatic, and sore vexed: for oftentimes he falleth into the fire, and oft into the water.

16 And I brought him to thy disciples, and they could not cure him.

17 Then Jesus answered and said, O faithless and perverse generation! how long shall I be with you? how long shall I suffer you? bring him hither to me.

18 And Jesus rebuked the devil, and he departed out of him: and the child was cured from that very hour.

**Lesson Comment**  
The story of the Transfiguration seems to suggest that some unusual experiences are necessary to gain religious faith and experience.

Why should this be true? I suppose it is because if there were no such experiences one would tend to become discouraged through not seeing things in their right perspective, and getting the sort of vision that is only possible where one ascends to some place that is above the ordinary level.

Why did Jesus take with Him only James, Peter and John? Why did He not take with Him all the disciples? The answer is that if He had taken them all, it would have lacked the quality of unusual experience.

He took these three because they were the three who either most needed this vision from the heights and from the heights of experience, or because they were the three most forceful disciples who, if their own faith was strengthened and inspired, would be most calculated to strengthen and inspire others.

The very fact that Peter was so impulsive, and that James and John were so filled with ambition, made these men open to the temptations that beset the impulsive and that are apt to overwhelm men who set for themselves very high goals when they do not seem to be attaining their object.

The mountain-top experience may seem strange to us. We do not know just what happened. We call it the

transfiguration, and Jesus in some way was glorified before these disciples in such a way that His very appearance became illuminated and splendid. Also there appeared with Him in the vision the great leaders of Israel, Moses and Elijah. They also heard the voice proclaiming Jesus as the Beloved Son.

It was no wonder that they fell on their faces, and that fear came upon them. Perhaps it was awe rather than fear. At any rate, they were restored to the human touch as Jesus came and touched them and bade them arise and be not afraid. Then came the return to normal experience as they saw Jesus only, and came down from the mountain top to relate the magnificent story.

## BOX SUPPER WILL BE PRESENTED AT FAIRVIEW FRIDAY NIGHT, JAN. 20

Announcement was made this week that a box supper will be held at the Fairview school auditorium on the night of Friday January 20, to begin at 7:30 o'clock.

R. C. Fisher, superintendent of the Fairview school is sponsor of the supper. The money is to be used for school equipment.

The public is invited to keep this date in mind and attend the box supper, is the invitation from the school.

P. H. Pharr, who spent Christmas and the new year in Hunt and Fannin counties with his children and old friends, returned home last week.

J. R. Brewer, of Electra, has been here this week on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Trice and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Neil left Tuesday for Mineral Wells where they will spend two weeks or more for the baths.

Mrs. S. Y. Carter and daughter, Mrs. Clayton Lusby, of Abilene visited here with friends from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Bess Pendergrass of Memphis came Saturday to visit this week with her sister, Mrs. D. H. Collins.

## Lakeview Happy Over Good Rain

LAKEVIEW, Jan. 10.—The farmers in this community are rejoicing over the fine rain that fell over the week-end. It is expected that the moisture will make the wheat develop into good pasturage and later good production.

Oliver and Leonard Alexander spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John Hambright.

C. A. Russell has opened a blacksmith and repair shop at Lakeview. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bartlett of Dougherty spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poore.

Mr. and Mrs. John Conway and son and Grandmother Conway returned home from Houston where they visited Mrs. Conway's mother. J. D. Pierce also visited C. H. Conway of Lafayette, Louisiana and spent New Year's day in New Orleans. He returned home by way of Baton Rouge and Shreveport.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mal Jarboe had as their guests for new years and part of last week Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Wilhite and son, Donnie, of Lexington, Oklahoma. Mrs. Ova Lewis and son, Thomas Alvin and Bill Holtschue of Norman, Oklahoma. Mrs. Lewis is a sister to Mrs. Jarboe and D. C. Wilhite her brother.

Judge and Mrs. A. J. Polley of Amarillo were here Friday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Minor and attending to business.

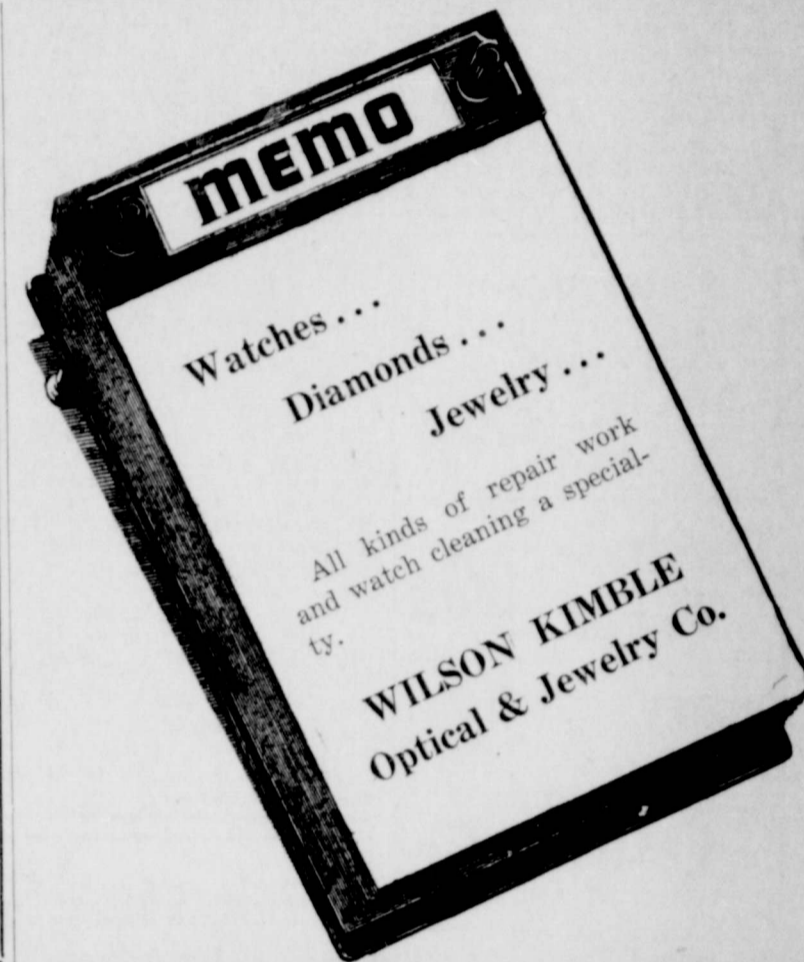
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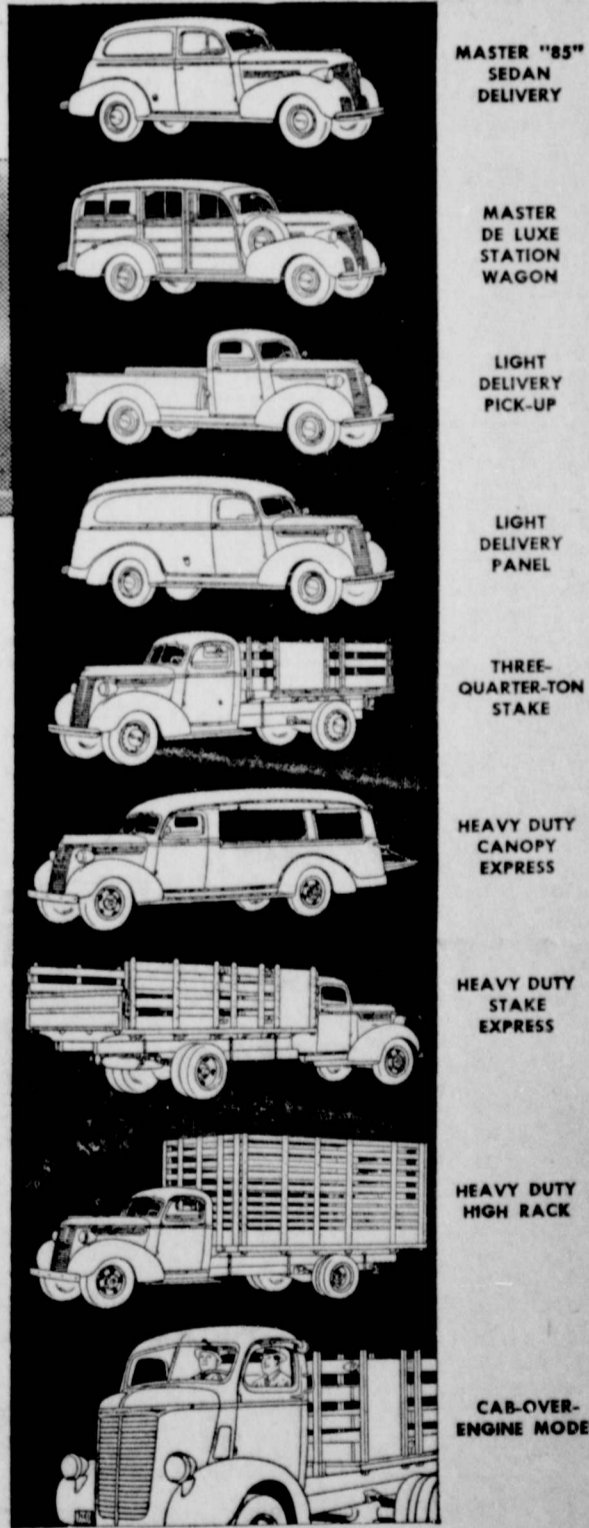
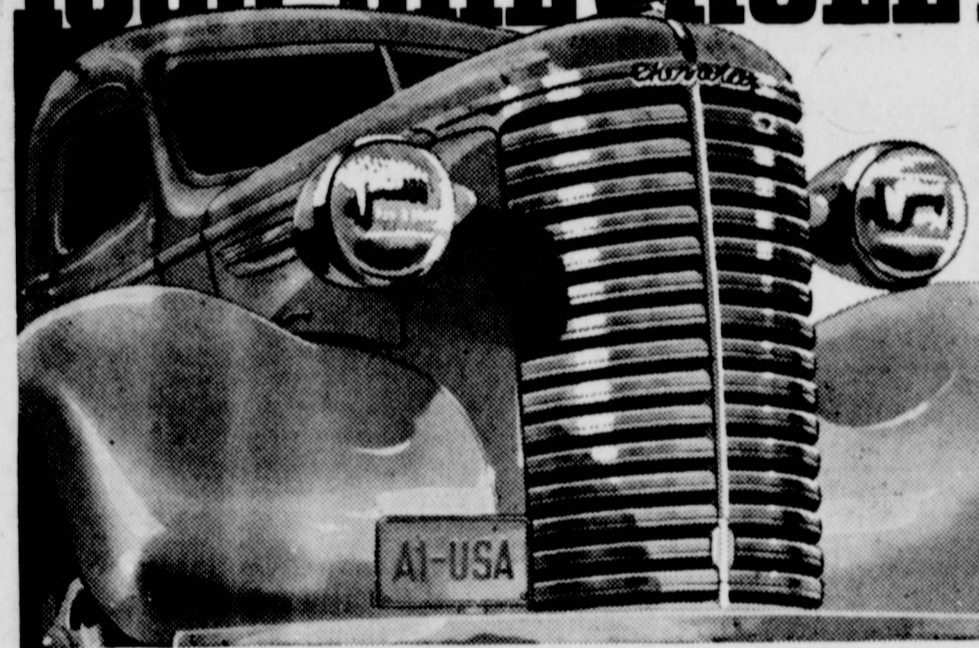
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## REPORT OF CONDITION OF The First National Bank of Floydada

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on December 31, 1938, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

| ASSETS   |                |
|--|----------------|
| 1. Loans and discounts (including \$2,514.96 overdrafts) . . . . .   | \$ 614,214.16  |
| 2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed . . . . .   | 126,375.00     |
| 3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions . . . . .  | 92,434.32      |
| 5. Corporate stocks, including stock of Federal Reserve bank . . . . .   | 2,000.00       |
| 6. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection . . . . .   | 262,368.84     |
| 7. Bank premises owned \$13,000, furniture and fixtures \$1620 . . . . .   | 14,620.00      |
| 11. Other assets . . . . .   | 114.00         |
| 12. TOTAL ASSETS . . . . .   | \$1,112,126.32 |
| LIABILITIES  |                |
| 13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations . . . . .   | \$ 751,088.84  |
| 14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations . . . . .   | 99,273.06      |
| 16. Deposits of State and political subdivisions . . . . .   | 109,866.59     |
| 18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.) . . . . .  | 48,397.28      |
| 19. Total Deposits . . . . .   | \$1,008,625.77 |
| 23. Other liabilities . . . . .  | 3,554.06       |
| 24. Total Liabilities . . . . .  | \$1,012,179.83 |
| CAPITAL ACCOUNT  |                |
| 25. Capital stock: (a) Class A preferred, total par \$21,850, retrievable value \$21,850; (c) Common, total par \$28,150 . . . . .   | \$ 50,000.00   |
| 26. Surplus . . . . .  | 18,000.00      |
| 27. Undivided profits . . . . .  | 19,768.74      |
| 28. Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock) . . . . .  | 12,177.75      |
| 29. Total Capital Account . . . . .  | 99,946.49      |
| 30. Total Liabilities and Capital Account . . . . .  | \$1,112,126.32 |
| MEMORANDA  |                |
| 31. Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value): (a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities . . . . . | 42,800.00      |
| (b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement) . . . . .                  | 49,600.00      |
| (e) Total . . . . .  | \$ 92,200.00   |
| 32. Secured liabilities: (a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law . . . . .  | \$ 92,200.00   |
| (d) Total . . . . .  | \$ 92,200.00   |

State of Texas, County of Floyd, ss:  
I, E. L. Norman, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
E. L. NORMAN, Cashier.  
(SEAL)  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of January, 1939.  
HELENE HAY HOLT, Notary Public.  
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# Youths Gain Training On Actual Jobs

What NYA Is Spending Its Money For In Floyd County Is Told

Sixty-three Floyd county youths are gaining work experience and training on National Youth Administration work projects according to A. V. Bullock, NYA District supervisor of Lubbock.

Thirty boys are employed on a project sponsored by the State highway department. This project is set up to beautify and improve state highway rights-of-way. The work consists of planting and cultivating shrubs and trees, building mail box turnouts, school bus stops, graveling shoulders and building ditch retarders. The boys work under skilled supervision furnished by the state highway department.

Seventeen girls are working as assistants in the various county offices. This project is sponsored by the county judge. The girls receive valuable training in the various types of office work such as typing, filing, etc.

Three youths are assigned to the county agricultural agent's office and assist in running lines for contours and terraces. They also assist in various other work of the agent.

Ten girls and 3 boys from Floyd county are attending NYA resident training projects in Lubbock. Ida May Bell, Helen Lawson, Lillian Morrison, Bernice Exum, Mildred O'Connor, Macel Pemberton, Lou Ellen Anderson, Camilla Campbell, Mary Nell Mangum and Mildred Anderson are assigned to the Resident Training project for girls on which they work part time and receive training in homemaking and home economics practices. Roy Coleman, Charles Cox and Truman Woods are assigned to the Resident Training project for boys which is sponsored by Texas Technological college. These boys work half time and attend classes in practical agriculture the other half.

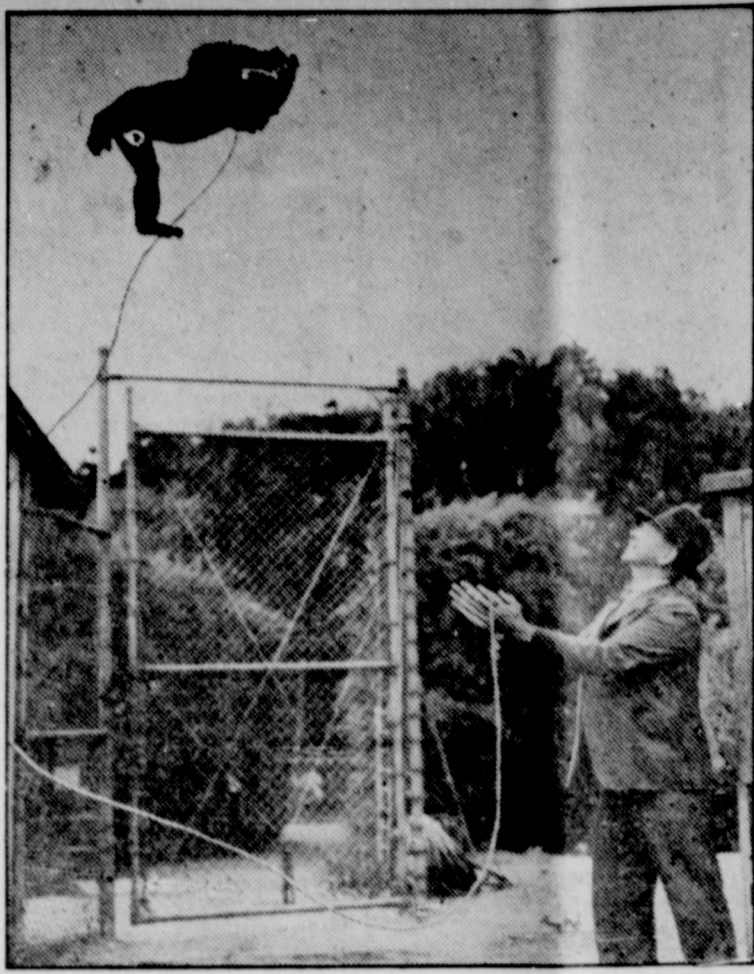
In addition to the youths working on the NYA work projects there are some 30 or 40 youths receiving high school aid in Floyd county. A student may earn a wage not to exceed \$6 a month for part-time work which he performs under the supervision of his own teachers. In many instances, funds allotted for one of these jobs are divided between two students in order that a larger number of deserving students may be benefited.

In a recent statement, J. C. Kellam, state director of NYA, said, "Although the NYA has not been able to reach all the boys and girls in Texas who ought to be back in school, it has allotted all available funds to help the maximum number to obtain additional education and better fit themselves for life."

Urnson Borum left last week for Memphis, Tennessee, where he has entered the Southern School of Optometry. With him also went Billie Joe Welch and Waldo Houghton who returned to that school to continue their studies.

Friends of the H. C. Bosley family here for the funeral Monday included Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Blanton, Mrs. E. C. McReynolds, Mrs. Hubert Lewis and Mrs. Arthur Sandefur all of Wichita Falls.

Telephone No. 8 for office supplies, office forms.



**Chimp a Champ** — This chimpanzee, Bimbo, attracts a great deal of attention for himself and his trainer as they demonstrate the remarkable agility of the little fellow. His confidence that his master will catch him is well illustrated in the picture above, taken at Fleishacher zoo in San Francisco.

### OLD PEOPLE'S GOOD GOV. MEET AT 2 P. M. SATURDAY

The Old People's Good Government association will be in session at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the county court room for the purpose of completing plans for their delegate to Austin. The meeting is announced by W. W. Payne, president and Tom W. Deen secretary of the organization. Both old and young people are invited to attend the meeting.

Tom W. Deen is the delegate named at the last meeting who will represent the association and will spend a short while in the Capitol city following the inauguration of the governor.

### MILLIONS VIEW FEDERAL EXHIBITS FOR FARMERS

Nearly 12 million persons in the year just ended had a chance to see in exhibits at the bigger fairs and expositions over the country the latest recommendations and research findings of the Department of Agriculture.

That is the estimated attendance at the 46 state and interstate fairs and expositions at which the department showed exhibits during the year, according to the Division of Exhibits. Seventeen carload groups of exhibit material and 15 smaller lots of exhibits were required.

The exhibits program for the year started with the Florida State fair at Tampa in January and ended with the showing of 15 sections of exhibit material at the International Livestock exposition in Chicago in late November and early December.

The fairs getting the exhibits furnished thousands of dollars worth of free display space and contributed heavily to the cost of transporting the exhibits. The department's exhibits program is handled by the Division of Exhibits in the Extension Service, which looks to the various bureaus of the department for research facts and recommendations that make up the exhibits.

The exhibits shown during the year covered almost every phase of farm and home life, with special emphasis on soil, forest, and wildlife conservation and the recommendation of technical practices that make for more profitable farming and more satisfactory rural life.

### FARM RADIOS MORE RARE IN COMMUNITIES WHERE NO POWER LINES EXIST

A nearby power line, rather than a love of music or an interest in politics, is a first consideration in the purchase of a radio in many farm homes, it was said at the recent Agricultural Outlook Conference held in Washington, D. C. As electric lines are extended into farm districts, families with improved income are likely to consider the purchase of a radio.

For this reason there is considerable difference in the number of farm radios in different sections of the country, the Consumer Purchases Study of the Bureau of Home Economics, made in 1935-36, showed. In 10 farming areas in the North Central states, for example, over 50 percent of the homes averaged radios. But there was one area where nearly every household could listen to broadcasts, and another where barely half the families could tune in. Villages usually have current, and radios were reported in well over three-fourths of the village homes.

Tracing the increase in farm radio ownership from 1925, when only 6 percent of the homes surveyed had radios, it was found that by January 1, 1938, 62 percent of the families included in the survey of farm home equipment had radios. It is predicted that this percentage will increase during the coming year if farm income rises and power lines are extended.

A fat negro bumped into a rather lean son of the dusky race. "From the looks of you," he said angrily, "there must've been a famine." "And from the looks of you," replied the lean gent, "you is the guy that caused it."

### GOOD BARN HELP COWS MAINTAIN MILK YIELDS

A cold snap in winter, as farmers well know, almost always causes a sharp drop in production of dairy cows. When warmer weather returns the herd may make up practically all this temporary loss and return to the previous level of production—or it may not.

On analyzing herd records of Wisconsin dairymen, M. A. R. Kelley of the Federal Bureau of Agricultural Engineering was able to trace a rather definite relationship between good stabling and good management and the recovery of production after cold snaps.

In herds that qualify as producers of grade A milk the stabling and management must be good. In such herds production did not drop seriously as the result of a 3-day snap and when the weather moderated half of the cows returned to or exceeded their records for the days just before the cold weather.

In the poorer barns in the study only a quarter of the cows came back to their former records, and in cases where the cows were poorly fed as well as poorly housed the shrinkage in milk yield was sharp and there was not a satisfactory recovery. "Cows kept in poorly lighted and poorly ventilated barns," says Kelley, "did not respond so readily when once their yield was upset, as did the cows in better barns."

### AN APPRECIATION

I wish to express appreciation for the help and attention given me during the past three months illness. Mrs. J. S. Solomon and children. Use the Want Ads. They pay.

### DUMP CLUB PUBLIC COMM.

How the public has been misled by the dumping of roadways on the ground of roadways on the ground of roadways in at least one instance has been found by the new commission of Precinct 4, who, when he started his road crew to re-building a dump southeast of Floydada, found the men would have to move quite a bit of debris before they could get started.

Attention is called by Mr. Nelson to the fact that dumping on the public highways is forbidden by law and asked full compliance with this requirement. Not only does the dumping add to the unsightliness of the roadways but also it adds materially to costs when improvements are undertaken, Mr. Nelson said.

### LIVESTOCK COULD EAT MORE OF BETTER HAY

Hay is one of the cheapest feeds for forage consuming livestock, but the amount of hay an animal will eat can't be increased much unless the quality of the forage is improved, says R. R. Graves, in charge of cattle feeding investigations for the Bureau of Dairy Industry. In the 1938 annual report of this bureau it is pointed out that dairymen can do much to reduce costs by feeding better roughage.

United States Department of Agriculture scientists find it possible to increase the value of hay about 20 percent by earlier cutting and improved methods of curing, handling and storing.

Early-cut hay is more palatable, digestible, and nutritious. Protein content decreases and crude fiber increases with maturity. Proper curing and storage keeps leaves from shattering and retains a good green color—the best indicator of high vitamin A content.

That early-cut grass hay is nutritious was proved recently in a test under Mr. Graves' direction, in which four Holstein-Friesian cows were carried through a complete lactation period on grass hay alone. The grass was made into hay after an average of 40 days' growth on irrigated land.

The cows produced an average of 11,325 pounds of milk and 403 pounds of butterfat. This was 64.6 percent as much milk and 63.4 percent as much butterfat as their production for a previous lactation period on full feed. They consumed an average of 43.5 pounds of hay per cow daily. Each cow consumed 19 percent more of digestible nutrients than needed for maintenance and production requirements. The four animals were in normal health at the end of the 360-day lactation period and had gained an average of 52 pounds.

To get the most digestible food per acre rather than the most tons per acre, Mr. Graves finds that most grasses should be cut when they first start heading out. Alfalfa, however, should be cut at one-tenth to one-half bloom stage as earlier cutting, while it would give more nutritious hay, will ruin the stand.

While the mechanics of handling hay determines quality to a large extent, department scientists hope soon to study the possibilities of breeding more nutritious grasses. Basic research on cereal crops—such as corn—has developed rapidly but relatively little has been done with grasses.

Cook green vegetables in uncovered vessels to preserve the color, Extension Service food specialists advise.

### HEALTH OFF BRECKEN CLUB

Dr. John BOARD WILL HOLD MEET MONDAY

The county school board will hold a special meeting Monday afternoon at 2 p. m. at the county superintendent's office. Matters of transportation and appointment of trustees will be undertaken, Superintendent Travis announced.

Mrs. J. U. Borum returned Sunday from a visit of a week in Clovis, New Mexico, where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Lowell Gamblin and Mr. Gamblin.

### ONE DOLLAR PER CAPITA ARRIVES AT SUPT. OFFICE

County Superintendent Walter Travis announced yesterday that the state had sent \$1 per capita, or \$1,294.15, to deposit for the schools in this county. A total of \$6 per capita has been received.

Mrs. Jim Hardgrove and daughter Betty Jean spent Sunday to Tuesday here on a brief visit with Mrs. Hardgrove's mother, Mrs. Anna Smalley.



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| PEARS                  | Syrup Pack 11 oz. can.                              | 5c  |
| Tomato Juice           | Fancy CHB Pressed from whole ripe Tomatoes 9oz can. | 5c  |
| FIGS                   | Fancy Breakfast Figs in syrup lb can.               | 10c |
| Apricot Nectar         | Town Talk 12 oz. can.                               | 9c  |
| PEAS                   | Brimfull Finest flavor 2 No. 2 cans.                | 25c |
| Green Beans            | 10 oz. can.   | 5c  |
| Spagetti & Meat        | With Rich Sauce lb. can.                            | 15c |
| Crackers               | A-1 Salad 2 lb.                                     | 15c |
| Dog Food               | Guardian lb. can.                                   | 5c  |
| Ivory Flakes           | Large Size  | 23c |
| P-G Soap               | 5 Giant Bars  | 19c |
| Kirk's Hard Water Soap | 6 bars  | 25c |
| Oranges                | Full of Juice Med Size Doz.                         | 15c |
| Grapefruit             | Texas Seedless 2 for                                | 5c  |

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| PICNIC                                      |                             |     |
| HAMS  | Wilson's Tender cured lb.   | 23c |
| Oleomargarine                               | Sunlight Brand 2 lb.        | 25c |
| Sausage                                     | Fresh Homemade lb.          | 19c |
| SLICED BACON                                | Sugar Cured Home Sliced lb. | 20c |
| BUTTERMILK                                  |                             |     |
| Biscuits                                    | Ballard's Oven Ready 2 cans | 19c |
| LAMB CHOPS & ROASTS                         |                             |     |
| DRESSED CHICKENS                            |                             |     |
| Fresh Oysters—Haddock Fillets—Salt Mackerel |                             |     |

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**SUGGESTIONS FOR Friday and Saturday BUYING**

|                                    |     |
|------------------------------------|-----|
| Country Ribbon Cane Syrup, Gallon, | 59c |
| Honey Colorado, Gal.,              | 89c |
| Grapefruit 2 for,                  | 5c  |
| Bunch Vegetables 3 For,            | 10c |
| MILK 3 Quarts,                     | 25c |
| FRESH Fish & Oysters               |     |
| Steak Per Lb.,                     | 15c |
| Roast 12 1/2 & 15c Per Lb.,        |     |
| DRESSED HENS                       |     |
| <b>KING'S</b>                      |     |
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| 10 Lb. Bag SUGAR,                        | 45c |
| 10 Lbs. SPUDS,                           | 17c |
| 3 Rolls TOWELS,                          | 25c |
| Reagan's Grapefruit JUICE, No. 2, 3 for, | 25c |
| Longhorn CHEESE, Lb.,                    | 17c |
| Good Sliced BACON, Lb.,                  | 25c |
| LETTUCE, Per Head,                       | 5c  |
| Winesap APPLES, Doz.,                    | 15c |

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