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BARKER BROTHERS WILL BUILD GARAGE BUILDING

Barker Bros., Ford and Fordson distributors for Floyd County, will build a large garage in Floydada this summer, contract for the building site having been closed the first of this week, on West Missouri Street immediately west of the First State Bank property. Four lots were purchased from C. F. Thornton of Lockney, and their plan, according to B. K. Barker, is to complete the deal as quickly as possible in order to begin their building preparations. Thirty days may elapse, however, before construction is begun, he said.

The new garage building will probably be 50 by 125 feet, practically covering two lots. It will be a two-story structure.

3-CENT STAMPS NOT REDEEMABLE UNDER NEW SCHEDULE

Three cent stamped envelopes and two-cent postal cards will be redeemed at the local post office during the month of July only, to the original purchasers at the price paid for them. Three cent stamps will not be cashed, according to a bulletin ruling received at the post office. They may, however, be used at their face value in cases where the regular postage exceeds the two-cent rate, which would include their use on parcel post packages.

Only one cent is required on first class mail within the city. First class mail sent on the routes will require two cents per ounce or fraction thereof, the same as before the three-cent rate went into effect.

WAYLAND COLLEGE PRESIDENT TO BE HERE SUNDAY NIGHT

Dr. E. B. Atwood, of Plainview, president of Wayland Baptist College, will speak at the Baptist church here Sunday night.

Rev. W. L. Tubbs will appear with him in the service. They are making a drive over this associational district in the interest of an increased student body at Wayland the coming school year.

MAYOR BOERNER SPENDING VACATION ON DEVIL'S RIVER

Mayor W. L. Boerner and wife left Saturday for the Devil's River below San Angelo, where they will spend some three weeks on a vacation. They were accompanied by Dr. J. L. Guest and wife, of Plainview, and W. S. Posey and wife of Lubbock.

They will be the guests while away of Mr. Boerner's daughter, Mrs. Badgett.

OFF TO CALIFORNIA

W. L. Morris and family left this morning for Southern and Central California and will spend several weeks on a cross-country trip and vacation. They will visit his brother, L. A. Morris, at Placentia, Cal., and will also spend some time at Los Angeles and other parts of that state.

HAVE FORD TRUCK

Boothe & Furgerson last week bought a Ford truck for their use in the feed business during the heavy grain season.

Hesperian Ad Liners Get Results.

FIRST THRESHING SCHEDULED TO BEGIN TODAY

Yesterday plans were being made for the first threshing to begin in the wheat crop in this territory, probably on the P. M. Smith place northeast of Floydada. This wheat has been in the shock about two weeks.

Within a few days several threshers will likely be busy in the crop. Heading and binding continues with good weather, light showers the past few days having caused little delay, but proving beneficial to row crops in some sections of the county. Present indications are that there will be no surplus of labor for several weeks yet at least. With threshing and cutting something over half completed the crops are requiring the work of all labor available.

McCARTY'S HOME

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McCarty, who have been making their home at Fort Worth for almost two years, are home once more, having reached Floydada the first of the week. They will live here permanently, Mr. McCarty says.

They have moved to his place at the Section 12 Crossing where they will live.

WHEAT RAISERS SPEEDING UP THEIR HARVESTING

Wheat raisers are putting the speed in their harvesting in Floyd County, some records having been broken for acreage handled.

Frank Kinnard, who has 750 acres of wheat, the last of which was cut Monday, had 315 acres in one field, which with two 8-foot binders and tractors, he cut in two hours more than four days. This is at the rate of 37 1-2 acres per day per binder.

HOG MARKET STILL GOOD

Kansas City Stock Yards, June 30th.—Last week's big advance in prices attracted increased receipts of hogs today and prices were lower. Here however some hogs were steady, and the top remained at \$21.00. Though Chicago had 22,000 cattle and lower prices, receipts here were 10,000 about as expected, and the market fully steady, in some cases yearlings selling stronger. Sheep and lambs were 25 to 50 cents lower.

Cattle receipts today were 10,000, about 3,000 less than a week ago, and a year ago. Hog receipts 15,000 were 5,000 larger than a week ago, and 6,000 larger than a year ago. Sheep receipts 14,000 were double those of a week ago, and a year ago.

CANADIAN WHEAT IS TO BE SENT TO GREECE

Toronto, June 30.—Wheat in all Canadian elevators has been commandeered by the board of grain supervisors in order to provide Greece with fifteen million bushels within the next twelve months it was announced tonight. No shipments can be made at present without permits from the boards.

J. T. Beck returned home Monday from a three weeks visit at Dallas, Denton and Comanche, Oklahoma, with relatives. At Dallas he attended the commencement exercises at S. M. U., where he had two sons, John W. and Martin L. Beck, one of whom was in the graduating class.

SENATORIAL ELECTION SET FOR JULY THE 14th

The senatorial election in the 29th District, which includes Floyd County, has been set by the governor in a proclamation for July 14th, and County Judge Howard gave notice of the election this week.

A successor to Senator W. S. Bell, late deceased of Crowell, will be chosen in the election. Reports are to the effect that four candidates are in the race, County Clerk Deen having had notice from only one of these, R. L. Templeton, of Wellington, who was a candidate against Mr. Bell in the last election. Representative W. H. Bledsoe, of Lubbock, is also said to be definitely in the race.

AMERICANS AND FRENCH IN RIOT AT BREST

Brest, June 30.—Two French civilians were killed and five American soldiers and sailors were injured severely, and more than 100 wounded in riots here last night. Two of the American soldiers are expected to die. The casualties occurred as a result of the exchange of shots between American military and naval police and French sailors.

The trouble began, according to available accounts, when an American naval officer who is said to have been drinking heavily, tore down a French flag and trampled on it. A crowd of Frenchmen attacked the officer, and it is said, kicked and beat him until he was unconscious.

Americans who were not aware of the cause of the fighting, went to the aid of the naval officer. The fight then became general. A mob of French civilians and soldiers and sailors attempted to rush the Hotel Moderne where American officers were quartered. They burned a sentry box and threw stones at Americans in uniforms wherever they found them. The Americans, it is said, retaliated.

A company of marines was hurried to the scene and soon restored order. Admiral Henri Salaun, the French naval commander at Brest, ordered the marines marched back to their quarters, it is declared. They were pursued by a mob throwing stones and bricks. The city is quiet today.

COTTLE COUNTY MULE DROWNED IN A FIELD

We all know that Cottle County has been wet this spring, but who would have thought of a mule drowning right out in the middle of the field?

Well, this is what happened to one of Mr. Price's mules, who lives in the Chalk community. One of the little children was plowing the mule in the field. A low place was in the middle of the field, in which was considerable water. The child drove the mule into the water—which was a swag and always tillable—and the mule began to bog. The child was unable to get the mule out, and the outcome was that the mule drowned before help could be secured.—Paducah Post.

MAIL AND PASSENGER ROUTE PORT WORTH TO DENVER

Memphis Herald:

According to Lieut. William Ferdon, authorized pilot for the government board of aeronautic cognization for this district, an Eastern syndicate is planning to start a mail and passenger line between Fort Worth and Denver in the very near future. It is planned to use planes of the bomber type carrying twelve to fifteen passengers and make flights daily both ways. Just what the routing of the line will be is yet problematical, but it will probably follow closely the Fort Worth & Denver rail line and pass over this city. Before the summer is out it may be a usual sight to see the big air liners winging their way over the city with passengers and mail. If the line is established as planned steps will be taken to provide a landing field in or near this city, so that planes may land here for supplies or passengers. The government requirements for landing fields call for a field 1800 feet square with supplies available on request.

Lieut. Gordon Pope, of Hillsboro, was here from Saturday till Wednesday visiting his cousins, H. O. and R. A. Pope. He is still in the service. John Haynie and T. E. Bowers, of Dallas, were in Floydada for a short time Wednesday enroute to Lockney on business.

Mrs. Bennie Blackmon and little son of Amarillo, are here on a visit with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Arthur B. Duncan.

141st WILL PARADE AT SAN ANTONIO JULY 4th

The 141st Infantry, which arrived in America at the same time as the 144th, but was held in quarantine near New York City for several days following a small pox scare, left the camp at that place on June 25th, according to advices received by relatives in this county from sons in the organization, and were due to parade in Austin on July 1st, and at San Antonio July 4th.

Following the July 4th parade the outfit will be demobilized.

Among the Floyd County boys in the 141st are Jim Sparks and Watt Griffith, of Lockney, Ed Muncey, of Muncey, and Will Anderson of Baker.

CHILDREN'S DAY PROGRAM AT METHODIST CHURCH

The Children's Day Program of the Methodist Church will be held next Sunday morning beginning at 11 o'clock. The program is as follows: March, "Onward, we are Marching" Prayer.

Superintendent's or pastor's remarks. "Welcome,"—Aubrey Herberg. "Jesus Loves Me,"—Carrie Bell Carter and others.

"The Dearest Gem of All,"—Mildred Olson.

Welcome to Cradle Roll.—By four little girls.

"Jesus was once a little child,"—E. L. Morris.

Song, "I think when I read that Sweet Story,"—by Primaries.

The Scene in a Tenement house.—Lena Thagard.

"A Little Child's Prayer,"—Ruby Hendrix.

"A Child in the Centenary,"—Wallace Robbins.

"The Spirit of Service,"—Lena Thagard and six others.

"Why we take an offering,"—John Gamble.

Collection, by 8 girls, Mina Steen at the piano.

Reading—Miss Marie Henry.

"Primary Class"—Thirteen children

"I want to send a Whisper,"—Tommy Deen.

Song, "Children's Day."

"A Motion Picture,"—Hermas Olson.

"Weeds and Deeds,"—Capitola Hardgrove.

"I Wonder,"—Minnie Bell McKinley.

Instrumental "Melody of Love,"—Mildred Flynn.

Scriptural Alphabet—by 26 children

"Put on the Whole Armor of God"—by four boys.

"Loyal Hearts,"—Delbert Eubank.

Boys' Chorus.

Reading by Clement McDonald.

"Little Children, Follow Me,"—Helen Timmins.

"Old Dobbin,"—Clifford Herberg.

"As we part,"—by Veda Wooton.

Doxology.

FLAWS WITH MILK AND HONEY, SAYS FAMOUS MARRYING JUDGE

Judge C. J. Arington, famous as the Justice who will marry you in two minutes, day or night, returned to his matrimonial duties at the Court house Sunday morning after an absence of ten days in Floyd County, 105 miles south of Amarillo. He was the guest of R. O. Fields and A. V. Haynes at Floydada, prominent oil men well known in Wichita Falls and the judge bears eloquent tribute to the charming hospitality of the ladies of their households in the entertainment of their guests.

The judge reports Floyd county as a land flowing with milk and honey. He ate so much chicken that he was mistaken for a Methodist preacher. They have no oil in Floyd county that he knows of but the oil of joy and happiness, in the finest farming country on the face of the earth. At the ranch of Mr. Lewis, 18 miles east of Floydada, the judge saw celery as big as your arm, peaches as big as baseballs and trees bearing 50 bushels of apples. There were also almonds, walnuts, apricots and blackberries galore, with fruits and vegetables of all kinds. The farmers were harvesting wheat at the rate of 35 bushels per acre. They raise 90 bushels or more to the acre of oats. His honor also went fishing, but this is too long a story. He states that the water is 98 per cent pure, but as he was on a vacation he did not ask him of what the other 2 per cent consisted. It is safe to say that the judge's trip has qualified him better than ever to do justice to the many couples that have been anxiously awaiting his return.—Wichita Falls Daily Times.

Hollis Moore returned Tuesday to Lubbock after a week's visit with his mother, Mrs. Will Moore.

ATTENDS SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE AT AMARILLO

Rev. W. L. Tubbs went to Amarillo Monday morning to attend the Panhandle Sunday School Institute of the Baptist Church, which is being held under the auspices of the state board. The institute was in session three days.

RAEBURN THOMPSON HOME

Raeburn Thompson returned home Saturday of last week from the army, after receiving his discharge.

While in France he was a member of a truck company in the 4th Army Transport Corps, spending most of his time in the repair shops. He was a sergeant at the time of his discharge.

COURT AND CITIZENS DISCUSS ROAD BOND ISSUE

The Commissioners' Court and citizens from various parts of the county discussed the proposed road bond issue at a meeting here Tuesday at the Commissioners' Court Room.

How to get the people of the county interested in the measures necessary to obtain good roads, and the most careful and economical manner of the expenditure of the funds, if the bonds carry, were among the matters discussed.

J. L. ADAMS WEDDED TO OKLAHOMA GIRL SUNDAY

J. L. Adams, of Dalhart, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Adams, of this city, was married Sunday, June 29th, to Miss Blanche Gault, of Wellston, Oklahoma, the nuptial ceremony being performed in that town. They are here spending this week with Mr. Adams' parents on their honeymoon.

The first of next week they plan to go to Dalhart, where they will make their home, and Mr. Adams will resume his duties as civil engineer with the Rock Island Railway, with whom he has been employed since his discharge from the U. S. Army.

CANYON IS TALKED ABOUT IN THE LEGISLATURE

Austin, Texas, June 17.—There was animated discussion today before the House Appropriation Committee over the location of the State Normal at Canyon. It's location was attacked by several members because of lack of accommodations for students in the town and other conditions now existing.

Dr. J. A. Hill, president of the Normal, said the institution will not grow unless boarding accommodations are provided for more students, that the enrollment of 714 will be the maximum.

Representative Satterwhite observed that the State simply sold the school to Canyon for \$100,000 if the town has not provided accommodations.

It was suggested several times that the State and the interest of students would be subserved by moving the school to Amarillo, where adequate accommodations would be available for a large student body. It was also said that Amarillo would pay the state for the loss of the building.

W. P. Nobitt, of Beaumont, is spending the week here on a visit with his sisters, Mesdames A. D. Summerville and E. C. Nelson. He is enroute home from Kansas City where he had an operation. He is the father of Miss Louie Nobitt, who taught in Floydada Public Schools in 1912-13.

GASOLINE EXPLODES BALL PLAYING FRATERNITY HERE

The Gasoline, Hall County, Baseball Team ran rings around the Floydada Baseball Team on the local diamond Saturday afternoon.

The game was a good one up to the sixth when the wrong bunch "exploded and blew up." The report was heard all around town. The visitors found Womack for six hits when hits meant runs. With errors to help along they ran in 12 scores, while holding the locals to four scattered hits and playing an errorless game.

The alibi offered by the home team is a good one. They played with only two men in their regular positions with several out-of-practice players on the team.

The team expects to make a much better showing against a strong aggregation tomorrow afternoon at Plainview.

BLED SOE CANDIDATE FOR SENATOR BELL'S PLACE

W. H. Bledsoe, of Lubbock, is a candidate to succeed the late Senator W. S. Bell as senator from this district in the State Legislature, according to a report that is current.

Mr. Bledsoe has been representative from this representative district the past four years.

LOCKNEY MAN STABBED; ASSAILANT GIVES BOND

Ed Huskey, of Lockney, was stabbed between the shoulders on the streets of Lockney Tuesday night, and W. M. Billings, of that city, is charged with assault with intent to murder in connection with the affair. It is alleged that he stabbed Huskey.

The hearing in the case was held yesterday afternoon in the justice court at Lockney. Billings was released on \$500 bond.

BROTHER OF MRS. SALISBURY KILLED BY TRACTOR

The Wichita Daily Eagle of June 28th contained the following dispatch: "Cotton Wood Falls, Kans., June 27.—Riley Brumfield, a young farmer, was killed today when a tractor which he was driving overturned and pinned him to the ground. He was hauling a binder on a farm near here. Brumfield is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brumfield, of Wichita."

Mr. Brumfield was a brother of Mrs. Wm. Salisbury of this city, who learned of her brother's death Thursday afternoon through a telegram from relatives. Her sister, Miss Ada Brumfield, who had been visiting here for two months, left Friday morning for home to attend the funeral service.

The deceased visited his sister here early last spring. At that time he had been living in New Mexico for some two years.

Mrs. Salisbury has received no details of her brother's fatal accident as yet.

C. H. McDaniel, nephew of Rev. W. B. McDaniel and brother of Mrs. Martin George, has returned from France and is now at home with his uncle following his return to civilian life. He went to the army from Oklahoma and was in the 141st, the Texas boys in the organization having been held for demobilization at San Antonio, while the Oklahoma boys were released last week.

Hesperian Ad Liners Get Results.

A Point of View

Some people, we fear, look upon a bank as a place where a few "rich old codgers" keep their money. Others not so fully prejudiced, may think only large accounts are wanted and that this bank would not care for their business.

If your point of view has been anything like this, we want to correct it. We want you to feel that this bank wants and appreciates your business—large or small—and that an account here will be of great practical value to you.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
Floydada, - - - - - Texas

Your Business Partner

It is a good bank's duty to assist its clients in the solution of their problems—whether they be the problems of merchant or a farmer. Both are business men.

In fulfilling this moral obligation, we like to consider our organization as your business partner—interested in your success and eager to forward your plans.

Confidential Counsel

If you wish sound advice in seeking credit, making investments, or even the more personal problems of your business you will be welcomed here. You will find a talk with our officers helpful.

This service is in addition to those commonly attributed to banks and is a mark of our appreciation for your account.

We want to show you that this bank wants your business. And we want to show you the many practical benefits you receive through placing it here.

The First State Bank
FLOYDADA, TEXAS

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
OF FINAL ACCOUNT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Floyd County, Greeting:
E. S. Randerson Guardian of the es-
tate of Ray Vernon Randerson having
filed in our County Court his Final
Account of the condition of the Estate
of said Ray Vernon Randerson num-
bered 233 on the Probate Docket of
Floyd County, together with an ap-
plication to be discharged from said
Guardianship.

You are hereby commanded, that by
publication of this writ for twenty
days in a newspaper printed in the
County of Floyd you give due notice
to all persons interested in the Ac-
count for Final Settlement of said Es-
tate, to appear and contest the same
if they see proper so to do on or before
the July Term, 1919, of said County
Court, commencing and to be holden at
the Court House of said County, in the
Town of Floydada on the Third Mon-
day in July, A. D. 1919, when said
Account and Application will be acted
upon by said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of
said Court, at my office in the Town
of Floydada, Texas, this 17th day of
June A. D. 1919.

(Seal) TOM W. DEEN,
Clerk, County Court Floyd County.
I hereby certify that the above and
foregoing is a true and correct copy
of the Original Writ now in my hands
J. A. GRIGSBY,
Sheriff Floyd County.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR ORDER OF SALE

STATE OF TEXAS,
the Sheriff or any Constable of
County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause
the following notice to be published in
a newspaper of general circulation
which has been continuously and regu-
larly published for a period of not less
than one year preceding the date of
the notice in the County of Floyd
State of Texas, and you shall cause
said notice to be printed at least once
each week for the period of twenty
days exclusive of the first day of pub-
lication before the return day hereof.
Notice of Application for

Order of Sale—Estate
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To all Persons interested in the Es-
tate of W. T. Montgomery, deceased,
J. C. Gaither, Administrator, has filed
in the County Court of Floyd County,
an application for an order to sell the
following property of said Estate, to-
wit:

Personal Property, Stocks, Bonds, Etc.
Two (2) Shares, U. S. Automatic
Train Pipe Co. of Washington, D. C.
One (1) Share, Conservative Oil Co.
Plainview, Texas.
Fifty (50) Shares, Liberty Oil &
Gas Co. of Maine.
Twenty (20) Shares, Cuban-Ameri-
can Petroleum Co. Arizona.
One (1) Share West Texas Oil Co.,
Burkburnett, Texas.
One (1) Liberty Bond, 4th issue
1-4 per cent (50.00)
U. S. War Savings Stamps, Series
of 1918 (\$42.60).

List of Personal Effects
1 Office Desk.
1 Remington Typewriter (Used
about four years.)
1 L. C. Smith Typewriter (Used
about two years.)
1 Check Protector.
1 Iron Safe (Weight about 1000.)
1 Settee (in office)
1 Office Chair.
2 Notary Seals.
1 Heating Stove.
1 Cook Stove (Small.)
1 3-4 Iron Bed.
1 Gasoline Lantern.
6 Cane bottom chairs.
1 Chest of Carpenters tools.
Typewriter paper and supplies.
1 6-foot table (plane) homemade.
1 Cupboard.
1 Town Lot Abstract Book (Floyd-
ada, Texas) Not up to date.

Miscellaneous Items
Office Buildings on back part of
1 Blk. 62, Floydada, Texas.
50-Foot Section Rubber hose.
Part roll hog wire.
2 Post hole diggers.
1 Mattock.
1 Spade.
1 Oil Barrel (iron.)
1 Pipe Wrench.
1 Bedstead.
2 Screen doors.

Real Property of Said Estate
(Situated in Floyd Co. Texas)
Abst. 32 Cert. No. 1231 Sur. No. 61
Original Grantee, A. B. & M. 40 acres
Part S. W. 1-4 of S. W. 1-4.
Abst. 32 Cert. No. 1231 Sur. No. 61
Original Grantee A. B. & M. 40 acres
Part S. E. 1-4 of S. W. 1-4.
Abst. 32 Cert. No. 1231 Sur. No. 61
Original Grantee A. B. & M. 20 acres
1-2 S. W. 1-4 of S. E. 1-4.
Abst. 32 Cert. No. 1231 Sur. No. 61
Original Grantee A. B. & M. 13 1-3
acres 1-3 S. E. 1-4 of S. E. 1-4.
Lots in Floydada, Floyd County Texas

Lots Blocks
Pts 6 & 10 4
6 21
8 19
2 22

16	1
8	24
Pt 5	28
1-2	39
16-18-22-26	40
2-3	48
11-18	49
4-5	50
1-2	50
Pt 9	52
1-2	53
6	55
1-2	59
11-12-14	59
Pt 16-17-18	59
26	60
6-7-13	61
5-6	68
16-23-24-25-26	73
27	73
32	74
10	75
Pt 18-20	75
16-22	82
10	84
11-12-13-15	93
11-12-14-20-22	94
10	97
Pt 8-12	98
Pt 2	101
14	103
26	106
5-14	110
1	112
2	115
14	122
12	127
16-14	133
1-2 Int 1	50 Mont. & Farris
1-2 Int 7	62 Mont. & Farris
14	43
2	44
16	55
12	137
13	137
25	42
4	13
12	13
12	117
16	117
7	48
8	48
1-6 Int 10	3
1-6 Int 12	32
1-6 Int 14	39
1-6 Int 14	62
1-6 Int 4	129

Real Estate in Saguache Co. Colo.
Tract No. 14, Sec. 2, Twp. 43, Range
8, Acres 10.

Real Estate in Tarrant Co. Texas
Lot 23 Block 14 Ryan So. Park.

Real Estate in Fort Bend Co. Texas
Lot No. 298 Block No. 9 Situated in
the Pilant Lake Oil & Gas Co. Sub. of
100 acres out of the Barrett & Harris
League, Fort Bend Co., Texas.

Equity in 79 acres out of Survey
No. 10, Block D-5, Cert. No. 63, Ab-
stract No. 1396, belonging to share-
holders in Llano-Estacado, Ry. Co.
based on number of shares owned in
said Ry. Co. and pro-rated on a per-
centage basis of amount of paid in
funds on stock subscribed.

Which will be heard at the next
Term of said Court, commencing the
Third Monday in July A. D. 1919, at
the Court House thereof, in the town
of Floydada, Texas, at which time all
persons interested in said Estate are
required to appear and show cause
why such sale should not be made,
should they choose to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you then
and there before said Court this writ,
with your return thereon endorsed,
showing how you have executed same.

Given under my hand and the seal of
said Court, this the 24th day of June,
A. D. 1919.

(Seal) TOM W. DEEN,
Clerk County Court, Floyd County,
Texas. 16-4tc.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR
LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Floyd County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause
the following notice to be published in
a newspaper of general circulation
which has been continuously and regu-
larly published for a period of not
less than one year preceding the date
of the notice in the County of Floyd
State of Texas, and you shall cause
said notice to be printed at least once
each week for the period of ten days
exclusive of the first day of publica-
tion before the return day hereof:
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR
LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To All Persons interested in the wel-
fare of Gipsie Hodge Alsop, H. B. Cal-
lihan has filed in the County Court
of Floyd County, an application for
Letters of Guardianship of the Estate
and Custody of the said minor Gipsie
Hodge Alsop which will be heard at
the next Term of said Court, com-
mencing the Third Monday in July, A.
D. 1919, at the Court House thereof,
in the Town of Floydada, Texas, at
which time all persons interested in
the welfare of such minors may ap-
pear and contest such application
should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you then
and there before said Court this Writ,
with your return thereon endorsed,
showing how you have executed the
same.

Given under my hand and the seal
of said Court, this the 17th day of
June, A. D. 1919.

(Seal) TOM W. DEEN,
Clerk County Court, Floyd County,
Texas. 15-3tc.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF ELECTION
For the Issuance of School Bonds

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Floyd

Notice is hereby given that an elec-
tion will be held on the 12th day of
July, 1919, at Pleasant Hill in Common
School District No. 4 of this County,
as established by order of the Com-
missioners' Court of this County, of
date 28th day of May 1913, which is re-
corded in Book 3, pages 518, of the
minutes of said court to determine
whether a majority of the legally
qualified property taxpaying voters of
that district desire the issuance of
bonds on the faith of said Common
School District in the amount of \$4-
500, the bonds to be of the denomina-
tion of \$225.00 each, numbered con-
secutively from one to 20, both in-
clusive, payable 40 years from their
date, with option of redemption after
10 years, and bearing 5 per cent in-
terest per annum, payable annually on
April 10th of each year, to provide
funds to be expended in payment of
accounts legally contracted in con-
structing and equipping a free school
building of brick material in said com-
mon school district No. 4, and to de-
termine whether the Commissioners' Court
of this County shall be author-
ized to levy, assess and collect annu-
ally while said bonds or any of them
are outstanding, a tax upon all tax-
able property within said district suf-
ficient to pay the current interest on
said bonds and provide a sinking fund
sufficient to pay the principal at ma-
turity.

All persons who are legally qual-
ified voters of this State and County,
and who are resident property tax-
payers in said district shall be enti-
tled to vote at said election.

Said election was ordered by the
County Judge of this County by order
made on the 12th day of June, 1919,
and this notice is given in pursuance
of said order.

Dated the 18th day of June, 1919
J. A. GRIGSBY,
15-4tc Sheriff Floyd County, Texas

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Floyd County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause
the following notice to be published in
a newspaper of general circulation
which has been continuously and regu-
larly published for a period of not
less than one year preceding the date
of the notice in the County of Floyd
State of Texas, and you shall cause
said notice to be printed at least once
each week for the period of ten days
exclusive of the first day of publica-
tion before the return day hereof:
NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To all Persons interested in the Es-
tate of Mrs. A. F. Vanderlip Deceas-
ed. You are hereby notified that S.
C. Vanderlip has filed in the County
Court of Floyd County, an application
for the probate of the will of Mrs. A.
F. Vanderlip, deceased, which will be
heard at the next Term of said Court,
commencing the 3rd, Monday in July
A. D. 1919, at the Court House thereof,
in the town of Floydada, Texas, at
which time all persons interested in
said Estate may appear and contest
said application should they desire to
do so.

Herein fail not, but have you then
and there before said Court this Writ,
with your return thereon endorsed,
showing how you have executed the
same.

Given under my hand and the seal
of said Court, this the 27th day of
June, A. D. 1919.

(Seal) TOM W. DEEN,
Clerk County Court, Floyd County,
Texas. 17-2tc

IMBECILE SON KILLS
MOTHER NEAR CANYON

Amarillo News:

Mrs. J. O. Turner of near Canyon
died Thursday night after injuries re-
ceived early in the afternoon, at the
hand of her imbecile step-son, Onnie
Turner. So far as can be ascertained
the two were at the house alone when
the accident occurred, though a full
report has not been received.

The boy was about thirty years of
age, but has been an imbecile since
birth. He was not considered danger-
ous or unruly, and the accident came
as a shock to the entire community.
Using the stock of a winchester as
a club, the boy struck his mother sev-
eral blows on the head, which later
resulted in her death. Leaving her in
this state, he shouldered the gun and
made his way to the canyons, but was
located this morning by members of a
searching party only a short distance
from his home.

J. Q. Carpenter and wife have as
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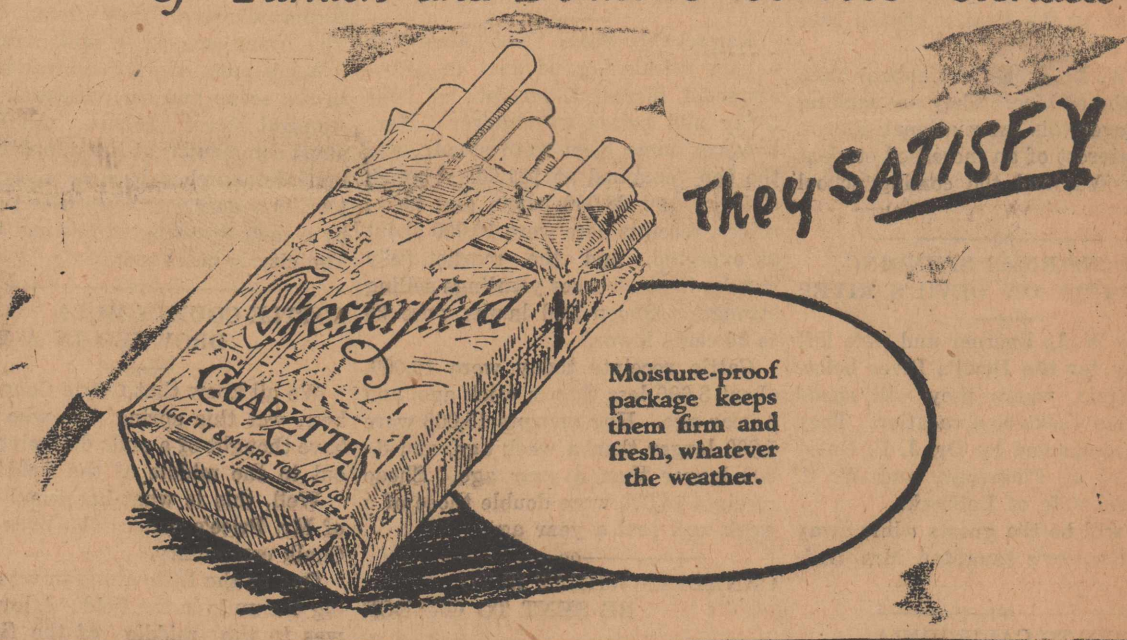
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SHOW AT FAIRS**
Says Counties of West Texas Must Show Rest of State Agricultural Possibilities

The Hesperian is in receipt of the following letter from the publicity department of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce:

"We believe that 1919 offers to West Texas a supreme opportunity to make a big showing at the Texas Cotton Palace and the State Fair of Texas. Perhaps the best crops in all our history are being harvested and grown in West Texas today.

"Through mistaken interest, though perhaps with the best of motives, West Texas was in 1918 advertised to the nation as a devastated, poverty-stricken region. We were told that it would take us 20 years to "come-back." And some said the task of making West Texas a permanently prosperous agricultural region had well nigh received a death blow. Some advocated, including supposedly informed journalists, a return to the cattle range and the consequent depopulation of vast regions of West Texas. Exaggeration exaggerated and developed fact exploded cumulatively, the further the story going the worse it becoming, the condition of West Texas in 1918 was never properly understood nor the possibility of prompt recovery, based upon recorded fact, never properly estimated; and pictured as a second Belgium almost from coast to coast, West Texas always heretofore advertised to the nation as the nation's most favored section was forced to undergo the ignominy of becoming the victim of a gigantic campaign of misapprehension.

Accustomed to the tales of horror in a world war catastrophe, the American public's state of mind was peculiarly receptive to just such tales as were told and the exaggeration accumulating as an aftermath thereof naturally found lodgment in minds already keyed up to expect and believe anything about anybody anywhere. Never perhaps in the world's history was American psychology better prepared to believe and to accept without investigation this campaign of unintentional calumny directed against West Texas mostly by its desired friends.

"Such a blow at almost any other region of the United States might have been fatal. This blow "hit" at that region of the United States then standing most preeminently advantageously in the public eye. It tended to blast a region where more money has been spent and more time given to common human advancement than anywhere else on the continent during the past 20 years. A region which had successfully gathered its cosmopolitan population from almost every state, almost totally passing up immigration from the foreign or ignorant population of the other states and subtracting the near best from the native white American stock of the American commonwealth, could stand, did stand and will forever stand the attack. It is history but the corollary effect of it still colors the minds of many, and of this many perhaps the most part are those of our own commonwealth. For after all, Texans do not know Texas; and it is here in Texas where we must eradicate the last vestige of the same.

"Had the law of average been well understood and the law of indirection been considered, we should have missed and passed the story of 1918. And it is because of the law of average that we address you. Let's average up!

"West Texas shall show at the Cotton Palace and at the State Fair what the law of average means, and what the effects of its application have been. Every one of the 100 counties affiliated or co-operating with this association should have agricultural and mineral exhibits at these fairs, both if possible, but surely at one of them. Think it over. Also remember that thousands of new people are coming to Texas attracted by the oil discoveries. It is a wonderful time to advertise. And it is a wonderful time to do some "coloring" ourselves.

"We shall shortly begin plans for securing adjoining spaces in both these fairs, to be set aside for the use of West Texas counties. Our plan is to have all of the West Texas counties'

exhibits assembled together at both fairs. Also to have special write-ups, etc., about them as a whole and individually; to have special West Texas days, special West Texas stunts. Our plan—well it is to capture both fairs.

"Later on full details will be given you. But get ready. Talk it over with your organization.

"In the meantime, let us know what you think of the plan. Also which is your preference—the Cotton Palace or the State Fair, or perhaps you want to exhibit at both. Also write in your ideas."

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Arthur B. Duncan, Jr., returned home Saturday from Pittsburg, Kansas, where he had been on a visit of several weeks with his sister, Mrs. J. E. Pitts. The latter returned with him for a visit with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Arthur B. Duncan.

Attorney Otis Truelove, of Amarillo, was here the latter part of last week looking after his farming interests in this county. Mr. Truelove is interested with E. J. Hoffman in extensive farming operations in Hill Crest District. This season they have a considerable acreage in wheat.

Mrs. J. R. Kerlin, who has been spending the past several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Kent Foster, left Monday returning to her home at Clayton, New Mexico.

C. E. Neil left last week to spend a short time in Haskell County where he will build granaries on his farm in which to store a 200-acre wheat crop.

**SON, OFFICIALLY KILLED.
RETURNS FROM WAR**

Ballinger, Texas, June 23.—Although the War Risk Department attempted to pay his father insurance carried on his life, and he was reported dead in action, Henry Vorbeck, a member of the Thirty-sixth Division, returned home today.

While the Government was notifying the soldier's father to qualify for receiving the insurance money on Henry's life, Henry was writing to his father regular. The father finally convinced the Government that it was some other Henry Vorbeck who had been killed and not his son.

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Sion Edgerton spent Monday in Plainview on business.

Miss Annette Newell spent the week-end here visiting her sister, Mrs. L. H. Liston, returning Monday to Amarillo where she is employed in the millinery department of a ladies' department store.

Mrs. J. H. Donaldson and little daughter returned last week from Mineral Wells after several days there.

A. H. Manning has been home the past few days from Wichita Falls. He is returning to that place this week, and will be accompanied by his wife. They will spend most of their time this summer there.

S. H. Moss, of Portales, New Mexico, was here for several days until yesterday visiting his son, Perry Moss and family.

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Think these things over then place your order immediately, because with this marked reduction in price the demand is sure to be heavy and we may have trouble in getting enough tractors.

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R. L. TEMPLETON OF WELLINGTON, ANNOUNCES FOR STATE SENATOR TO SUCCEED SENATOR BELL.

To the people of the 29th Senatorial District:

Through the death of Senator Bell the people of West Texas have lost a faithful friend, and all of Texas has lost an able public citizen.

The Governor has called a special election to elect a successor to Senator Bell on the 14th of July, 1919. I am a candidate to succeed Senator Bell as State Senator and I will appreciate your favorable consideration of my candidacy.

If elected to the State Senate I will work faithfully for the best interests of the people of West Texas.

Very Respectfully,

R. L. TEMPLETON,

Wellington, Texas, June 25th, 1919.

THE COAL SITUATION

Dr. Garfield, of the United States Fuel Administration, and other prominent men who, we believe, are in a position to know, have called the attention of the public to a serious shortage of coal this early fall and throughout the winter. From the best information we can get, this is no doubt true.

Last year we all put our coal away early because we realized under war conditions the demand that would be made upon the coal producers to keep the necessary war industries going and we would have to protect ourselves accordingly. The past winter was a mild one and no doubt prevented a shortage of coal, regardless of the heavy storing by the people and industries, and it is just possible, from what we can learn, that the majority of the people this year have concluded there is no necessity of putting coal away until the weather necessitates purchasing.

The information that reaches us is that the shortage of miners throughout the United States will result in a greatly reduced production of coal. The figures which have been furnished us show that over fifty thousand coal miners have left the United States since the first of January, with many more seeking transportation as soon as transports are available. Inquiry as to the exodus of this class of labor reveals that a portion are returning to their native land through curiosity, some to look up missing relative, and others to contribute their help in the rebuilding of their countries.

It therefore seems that the necessity should be apparent to every household to start at once putting away a good supply and even with the immediate purchasing on the part of the public it is questionable if at this late date a coal famine can be averted, but it certainly can be considerably reduced.

But the old-time two-centers on 'em and they'll ride first class once more.

Some fellow got up in a supposedly religious meeting in Dallas and advocated rewriting the bible, making the statement that the bible was not written by inspired minds, but merely ignorant men, who expressed their individual opinions of the matters contained therein. He evidently overlooks the fact that our state, national, county, and precinct laws are written by "smart men," and they are usually found to be full of flaws, and bring on more trouble than the laws of Moses and others as laid down in Holy Writ. It is our humble opinion that the less we tamper with changing the wording of the bible, and the closer we try to live up to its teachings, the better off we will be when the final reckoning takes place. The peculiar part of the thing is, the statement was made in the presence of able ministers of the gospel, and not a word of resentment was offered, according to the statement in the paper.—Lynn County News.

A saving people make a safe government. Buy W. S. S.

Leon Collins returned home Friday last from College Station where he had been attending A. & M. College.

Hesperian Want Ads Bring Results.

MANY VARIETIES OF SMITH

No Name in the Language is More Common or Has More Familiar Derivations.

The defendant at Bloomsbury County court who, although British born, announced his pride in the name of Schmidt, shares a feeling common to other bearers of that name or its variants. Professor Mahaffy has discovered that a man named Smith lived under Ptolemy III 227 B. C., so that members of "the great Fabrician family, whether crisped into Smith, smoothed into Smyth, or smidged into Smijth," show a long line of ancestors. When some years ago an American, Telamon Cuyler Smith, took steps to drop his third name, the application was opposed by his fellow-citizen, John Smith, who engaged counsel to fight the change and called upon other Smiths to support him. "Why should the opposition be thus narrowed?" asked a writer in the New York World. "Why not seek also the help of every Smiths, Smyth, Smythe, Smit, Smed, Smid, Smidt, Smeed, Smedes, Smitz, Smitt, Schmidt, Schmid, Schmitt, Schmitt, Schmedes and Schmitz? Why bar the derivative Smithsons, Smithers, Smeatons and Smedleys?"—London Mail.

NATURE DEALS IN OPPOSITES

Explanation of Fact That No Two of Any Species Are Found Precisely Alike.

All countenances, all forms, all created beings, are not only different from each other in their classes, races and kinds, but are also individually distinct.

Each being differs from every other being of its species. However generally known, it is a truth the most important to our purpose, and necessary to repeat, that, "There is no rose perfectly similar to another rose, no egg to an egg, no eel to an eel, no lion to a lion, no eagle to an eagle, no man to a man."

Confining this proposition to man only, it is the first, the most profound, most secure, and unshaken foundation stone of physiognomy that, however intimate the analogy and similarity of the innumerable forms of men, no two men can be found who, brought together, and accurately compared, will not appear to be very remarkably different.—John Lavater.

UNTHRIFT OF SICKNESS.

A group of clubwomen laughed recently when told by Miss Helen Grimes, president of the Congress of Women's Clubs of Western Pennsylvania, that it was wicked to be sick. Miss Grimes was talking on thrift, and said that sickness was a most unthrifty habit, which could generally be avoided by an intelligent observance of the simple laws of health, including proper rest, and that most of our sickness comes from overeating, overfatigue or some other indiscretion which we could have avoided. The idea is not a new one. Goethe declared it a crime to be sick.

STRETCHING IT.

"What kind of a big fish was it Wombat caught?"
"Must have been an accordion fish."
"Huh?"
"Anyhow, he gets his hands further apart every time he shows how long it was."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

TRUE.

"I see a New Yorker says he will move to Europe if the United States goes dry."
"That kind of a fellow is the kind which made prohibition necessary."

READY TO TREAT.

Government Inspector—Any alcohol on your premises?
Todd—Any alcohol? You don't think I would have the heart to disappoint you, do you?—Life.

A PUZZLE.

"Why do they say the unspeakable Turk?"
"I don't know. His names are much easier to speak than the Russians' or the Poles'."

HARD WORK.

"You tell me to drink in what this preacher is saying, but there is no punch in his words."
"Of course not. Only soft drinks are allowed in this town."

STARKEY NEWS

July 1.—We are having some few showers around, which will be fine on part of our crops, of course it might damage the wheat fields a little.

Most all the farmers are very busy working in the harvest fields as harvest has just begun here.

Several from here attended the Fifth Sunday meeting held at McCoy beginning Thursday and ending Sunday morning, which we all enjoyed fine.

Mr. Sparks and family called at Mr. Griffiths in McCoy community Sunday. Vincent Manning and family, Buster Allmon and wife, Jess McSpadden and Miss Vivian Manning were guests at the home of Allen Cook Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Saunders have relatives visiting them from near Lubbock.

Clarence Travis and brother visited in McCoy community at Mr. Jacksons Sunday.

Mr. Travis took dinner at the home of C. H. Payne Sunday.

Jess McSpadden came in on the Saturday train from over sea service. Everyone was glad to welcome him back home.

Miss Mae McSpadden spent the latter part of last week with Mrs. C. F. Lincoln in McCoy community.

Mr. and Mrs. Faurey called at Mr. Hammit Sunday afternoon.

Mr. McSpadden entertained with a singing Sunday night. A large crowd attended. Several from McCoy were present. All reported a nice time.

Chester Day of Floydada spent Sunday in this community.

Claude Dempsey of Blanco spent Saturday evening with Mike Lowrance

NEWS OF LOCKNEY

From The Beacon:

Tuesday was home-coming for a number of Lockney boys who sailed away nearly two years ago for far away France to fight for democracy and home. The train brought the largest bunch of boys that have returned at any one time since the home-coming started several months ago. Some fifteen of the boys from Lockney and the north half of Floyd county came in on this occasion, besides a goodly number that went to Floydada. It is said that twenty-three in all belonging to Floyd county came in.

Messrs. Stanley, Jerry and Frank Mudgett are now back from overseas. Frank was the first to return, which was several weeks ago. Stanley returned the latter part of last week, and Jerry came in Tuesday. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Mudgett of the Roseland community.

Last Saturday morning at the Lockney State Bank the business men of Lockney met and organized a Board of Trade by electing E. Guthrie president; France Baker, vice president; C. C. Miller secretary; Lawrence Gruver assistant secretary; D. P. Carter treasurer. The next meeting was held Monday night, when further organization was perfected, and business transacted. After committee reports on various topics, it was decided to have a trade excursion on Saturday, July 12, including the towns of Silvertown, Quitaque, Gasoline, Turkey, and Flomot.

Judge J. N. Stalbird was taken to Plainview last Saturday where he was operated on for appendicitis. He stood the operation fine, and his friends will be glad to know that he is now on the high-way to recovery.

Tuesday Mr. J. B. Downs was host to a number of recent returned soldier boys at his home with a sumptuous dinner. Mr. Downs was chairman of the board when these boys were sent away, and through his manifest fairness and thoughtful consideration of their welfare has made a warm spot in the heart of Floyd county soldier boys. Those comprising the dinner party were Orville Thompson, Truman Meyers, Henry and Hermon Schacht, Stanton Sims, and Ivan Hess.

C. K. Thomas has sold his quarter section home place one and one-half miles west of Lockney to E. R. Hanks, of Eastland county. The consideration was \$100 per acre including the crop growing on same. Mr. Hanks is

a prominent Eastland county farmer and comes from the oil belt. In addition to the Thomas quarter he purchased a quarter section of land well improved near the Meteor school house. He left Thursday for his home to make arrangements to move out here and expects to arrive within 90 days.

Sam Brown returned the latter part of last week from overseas where he saw active service for his country. Sam received favorable mention for his bravery while in action.

Willie S. Sims came in last Saturday from overseas. He is the son of J. W. Sims of Curlew. He has been mustered out of service. His friends in Lockney and Floyd county are glad to see him back among them again.

Misses Artie and Etta Smith, who have been visiting for several weeks at Hillsboro, returned home Monday afternoon. They were accompanied by their grandmother, Mrs. R. H. Edmonson, of that city, who will spend the summer here with her son, W. D. Smith and family.

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ONE BIG RACK SPLENDID SKIRTS—

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Patent and Kids, sizes 2 1-2 to 4 1-2, your choice Clearance Sale—

\$1.00 Pair

July Clearance Sale

Children's Latest Gingham Dresses

Nobby, new and attractive styles, colorful plaids and stripes, clean, fresh and desirable, your choice the rack

33 1-3 per cent off

Children's White Organdy Dresses Fancy lace trimmed, many beautiful styles to choose from, sizes 2 to 6 years

Your Choice 69c

July Clearance Sale

BOYS' WASH SUITS

Mothers will read this announcement with great joy, for the one thing that gives them much worry is the appearance of the boys whose play works havoc with his clothes. You can buy these wash suits in a good variety of styles all neatly trimmed, your choice

33 1-3 per cent off

CHILDREN'S ROMPERS

Every kiddy needs three or four of these useful garments for summer wear, saves washing so much and they are a real comfort for the children to wear. You will find here most any kind you may have in mind and the prices for this clearance sale will interest you, Sizes from 0 to 6.

FANCY COLORED ORGANDIES

Beautiful patterns, regular 50c yard value, suitable for Summer Dress. Clearance sale price—

Per Yard 22 1-2c

FOULARD SUSENE SILK

Suitable for Kimonas, beautiful patterns, values to \$2.00 per yard. Clearance Sale Price.

\$1.65 Per Yard

10 per cent Discount on Men's Hats

10 per cent Discount on Men's Work Pants

10 per cent Discount on Boys Pants

33 1-3 per cent discount Mens Oxfords

ONE BIG LOT LADIES' and MISSES' WHITE CANVASS OXFORDS

Pumps, Mary Janes, and Sport Oxfords, sizes 2 to 4 1-2, your choice Clearance Sale Price—

50c Per Pair



JULY CLEARANCE SALE—

SILK TAFFETA DRESSES—A remarkable clear away price on our entire stock of fine silk Taffeta Dresses, artistic conceptions of this season's latest Taffeta and Georgette Dresses. Ideal for the summer vacation or trip or for general wear. Taupe, Blues, Tans, Gray, Navy and etc., all sizes, your choice this clearance sale at—

33 1-3 per cent off

LADIES' WASH DRESSES—

One rack ladies white wash dresses, neatly trimmed, good styles, your Choice this Clearance Sale at.....\$2.95

LADIES' BLEACHED UNIONS—

Low neck, no sleeves, lace knee, closed, Sizes 34, 36, 38, clearance sale Price Each.....48c

Sizes 40, 42, 44, Clearance Sale Price Each.....58c

One lot ladies unions, styles same as above, sizes 36, 38, Clearance Sale Price Each.....58c

Sizes 40, 42, 44, Clearance Sale.....76c One lot ladies' fine lisle unions, lace knee, low neck, no sleeve, closed. Sizes 34, to 44, Clearance Sale price.....90c

Children's Nazareth Waists, sizes 2 to 11, Clearance Sale Price.....31c

CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR

Underwear presents another item of interest to mothers. Let the children have their way and they probably would never wear any. You know of course, that they must, so why not come in and pick out what you need from our stock. Nainsook, Athletic Style, Drop Seat, Sizes 2 to 12, your choice per suit.....45c

MISSES KNIT UNIONS, SIZES 14 to 16 CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 76c

The Martin Dry Goods Company

FLOYDADA, TEXAS

"The Store With the Goods"

FLOYDADA, TEXAS

Weekly Club Letter to Boys

W. H. Darrow, County Agent.

No part of stock farming is more important than correct feeding, and probably less is known by the average farmer about this subject than almost any other. If an animal fails to get the proper amounts of the two principal nutrients, protein and carbohydrates, in the right proportions, it will either check growth or cause it to eat greater amounts than is economical, of feed, in an attempt to supply the nutrient which is lacking, or both. In any case the feeding results in a loss of money, or at least a failure to make as much as should be made.

To show this more clearly it may be illustrated in the eating of men. If the food you eat fails to supply your body with enough of any nutrient you are hungry for that nutrient. It may show itself in a craving for sweets or for meat or for vegetables. All have experienced that feeling, and know that the only way to satisfy it is to eat some of the food that is craved. If all the nutrients are not present in the meals in the right proportions this craving for something else, unless it is satisfied, will lead to over-eating in an attempt to furnish the amount of the missing nutrient necessary to health, and this will result in digestive troubles and poor health. Or if over eating does not result, then the system will starve for the particular nutrient lacking, and this will result in bodily disorders and poor health. The cheapest way for us to live is to eat a variety of foods in moderate amounts, and this will usually insure health.

The same applies to animals. If a pig doesn't get enough protein in his ration he will usually over eat in a vain attempt to supply his growing body with enough protein to thrive on. In so doing he will glut his system with a lot of feed that he doesn't need and which his body cannot take care of, and yet he will not get enough protein to supply his need. This is expensive, because it wastes feed, and the pig is worse off than ever and fails to gain as he ought. There is absolutely no doubt but that thousands of tons of feed are wasted annually in America because of incorrect feeding, and the American farmer loses millions of dollars in his business thereby.

I have said a good deal and written a good deal to you boys about feeding your pigs, but I find that the lesson is yet to be learned by many, so I will set forth here in very brief space a few pointers which should be of great help to you.

The two chief nutrients are protein, which builds bone and muscle (the frame) and which is more necessary for a young growing animal than an older one; and carbohydrates or starch which supplies energy for the animal machine and makes fat, and which should be fed in much smaller proportion to a young animal than an older one. Protein is supplied in such foods as green pastures, milk of any kind, wheat shorts, tankage, and to a smaller extent bran. Cotton seed meal also supplies large amounts of protein but is not to be recommended for feeding pigs until they are in the last stages of fattening and then in only limited amounts and for a short period. The reason for this is that cotton seed meal contains a poison which often results in death if not fed according to the suggestions above. Starch is supplied in such feeds as corn, maize, kaffir or feterita. All the feeds mentioned contain both protein and starch, but the ones first given are relatively high in protein and low in starch, while the latter are low in protein and high in starch.

A young growing animal then ought to be fed a large proportion of milk, pastureage, shorts, etc. and a much smaller quantity of the starchy feeds, like maize chops. For instance, if you have one half gallon or more of milk slop to feed your pig a day, and some pasture for him to graze on, this feed would supply him with enough protein, and you could make your grain mixture up of about 3 parts maize chops, one part wheat shorts, with a couple of handfuls of bran thrown in to keep him healthy and, enlarge his body capacity. On the other hand, if you have almost no milk, your slop being mostly table scraps and dish-water, and you have little or no pasture, you will have to give in the grain

allowance more of the feeds high in protein. That is, you might make a grain mixture consisting of 3 parts wheat shorts, one part maize chops, with a small amount of tankage and bran thrown in. Do not make the mistake of feeding high priced tankage to a pig that is getting plenty of milk slop, or pasture, or both. Tankage is only intended to be used when you do not have these.

As to the amount to feed, work your pig up gradually to a full feed, that is, the amount that he will clean up with relish. Do not feed so much he will leave any, or so much that he will lay around without exercising. If fed too much grain he will fail to go out to graze, and this is unprofitable, for pastureage is your cheapest feed. If you feed too much starchy food such as maize chops to a growing pig you will soon have him quit building a frame and he will turn blocky and "poddy." Don't worry about the fat he isn't putting on,—you aren't after fat yet. It is easy to put on fat but it is much more of a trick to build a good substantial frame that will hold the fat. You can easily put on 75 pounds to 100 pounds of fat in the last four weeks of the contest if you will build a good frame for it in the preceding weeks.

The directions given above will hold for either fattening or breeding stock, being equally important for both. Let the other fellow fatten his pig in the first three months if he wants to, you follow these directions and you will have more hog and cheaper hog next fall than he.

HOME FROM COLORADO

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Willson reached home Friday from Colorado Springs after spending some weeks at that place following their marriage at Hale Center.

Mrs. Willson was formerly Miss Mavis Terry.

PLENTY OF WATER ON SQUARE FOR TEAMS

Particular attention is being paid by the city to the water supply in the watering troughs on the square at this time and it will continue to have attention throughout the season, J. R. Maddox, City Marshal, said this week. Watering troughs are located on both the north and south sides of the square. They are connected with the city water mains and are kept filled all the time automatically.

Mrs. Y. A. Hall of Amarillo and little grand son, Ceile Hall, are visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Collins.

Mrs. W. E. Brown returned Monday from an extended visit at San Antonio, Brady and Denton, with relatives.

5th SUNDAY
McCOY WELL ATTENDED

The Fifth Sunday Meeting of the Floyd County Baptist Association was held from Thursday to Sunday last with McCoy Church. The attendance and interest at the meeting was excellent.

Rev. G. W. Tubbs is pastor of the Baptist Church at McCoy.

SOUTH TO THE FRONT IN ROAD BUILDING

Recent reports received by the United States Department of Agriculture on Federal aid road projects show the South moving forward in the road building campaign, with projects showing higher grade construction. Of the 16 Georgia projects approved for April, two were for bridges, 7 for concrete and 1 for either a brick, concrete, or bituminous road, the others being for sand-clay roads. The concrete roads will cost from \$30,000 to \$32,000 a mile, indicating the highest type construction, for the cost in the South is usually less than that in the North. Louisiana will build a short bituminous macadam road at an estimated cost of \$36,377 a mile. Virginia has one bituminous macadam and three concrete roads in 9 projects approved.

ARRYL MARTIN RETURNS HOME

Arryl Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Martin, who was among the first of the Floyd County boys to enlist in the army following the declaration of war in 1917, reached home the latter part of last week.

Throughout the period of his enlistment he was with the 144th Infantry of the 36th Division, training at Camp Bowie. He spent quite a period of time on the front, but was uninjured.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Fields left Tuesday for Wichita Falls.

Mrs. A. J. Ryals left Tuesday morning for Galveston to spend an indefinite time on a visit with her mother.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Walter West, of Mayview, June 30th, a son.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Peck, of Mt. Blanco, June 30th, a daughter

THRIFT TABLES

THE HEEDLESS KITTEN
Once upon a time there was a headstrong Kitten who insisted on frolicking around on the highway where autos and trucks passed back and forth all day long. Her mother warned her of the danger but she said to herself; "Nothing has ever hit me." And one day, when she was watching a sparrow nearby, a big touring car came speeding along noiselessly, ran over her and it was all off with the Heedless Kitten.
Moral—Good advice can't help you unless you take it. Begin saving and buying Thrift and War Savings Stamps TODAY. Have you bought your Thrift Stamps today?

The Eubank Cafe

Has moved to a new location on West Side Square, next door to Glad's Furnishing Store.

GOOD EATS ALL THE TIME

J. E. EUBANK, Prop.

CHEAPEST AND QUICKEST

Save money and time from Fort Worth to Floydada—travel the Denver, Q. A. & P. and the—

Floydada-Roaring Springs Auto Mail Line

\$ 2.46 cheaper than by Amarillo, \$1.11 cheaper than by Sweetwater; 6 hours quicker than either route. \$3.50 including war tax, one way to Roaring Springs or Matador. PHONE NO. 12

C. C. WRIGHT, MANAGER

PRICE-GOEN SELLS FOR CASH

EXTRA! LEACH'S EXTRA! SPECIAL—5c Per Yard—SPECIAL

The greatest event in the way of LACE VALUES ever held in Floydada will be held at our store next—

SATURDAY, JULY 5th and MONDAY, JULY the 7th

VAL LACES	12 1-2c TO 20c VALUES, ALL GO
TORCHON LACES	DURING THIS SALE AT, PER YD.
FILET LACES	FIVE CTS.
PILLOW CASE LACES.....	

No less than 12 yards nor over 24 yards sold at this price.

DO NOT SEND YOUR CHILDREN for THESE LACES

Other UNHEARD of VALUES During This SALE

SHADOW BEADING	ANY AMOUNT AT, PER
ORIENTAL LACES	YARD—
VANDYKE LACES	TEN CENTS
BEADING TOPS	
18-IN. ALLOVER-NETS	

We have 1795 yards of these laces that will go on sale SATURDAY and MONDAY. You will have to see these goods to appreciate the wonderful values we are offering. So be on hand at 9 a. m., Saturday in order to get your choice.

Besides the above special we will have several other BIG BARGAINS for you. So be sure and visit our store during this sale and see what we have in store for you.

LEACH'S

South Side Square. Watch our Windows. It Pays

You Should Use Western Red Cedar A LIFE TIME POST!

The western pioneers have selected this Western Red Cedar for fences and other purposes. We would be glad to explain to those of you who need posts, the merits of this wood. The United States Department of Agriculture in Bulletin Number 95 has this to say about Western Red Cedar: "The wood's softness had tempted the Indians to use it and the same property appealed to white men, who succeeded the Indian as the possessor of the country. It was one of the first woods cut for fences and for many years it was commonly so used wherever it was within reach. It was employed for rails and for posts and its long resistance to decay is shown by the fact that some of the fence built nearly a half century ago were doing service until very recently."

The report of the United States Department of Agriculture in Bulletin referred to above also published the results of scientific tests of the comparative strength of Western Red Cedar with relation to white oak, and it gives the breaking strength of this wood 81 per cent of the white oak.

We expect to keep a nice stock of these posts and be prepared to supply your needs at all times.

A. G. McAdams Lumber Co.
HOME BUILDERS

FLOYDADA TEXAS

SIMMONS RESIGNS AS
HEAD OF RED CROSS

St. Louis, Mo., June 25.—Alfred W. Fairbank, acting manager of the Southwestern Division, American Red Cross, has been appointed manager of the division to succeed Maj. George W. Simmons, who has resigned on account of increased private business affairs, according to announcement made at division headquarters. Maj. Simmons recently returned from Siberia where he spent six months as the head of a Red Cross Mission there. Fairbank joined the staff of the Southwestern Division of the Red Cross in August 1917 as Director of Russian Relief. When Maj. Simmons left for Russia last January, Fairbank was made acting manager. Before resigning on his Red Cross duties he was member of the St. Louis Board of Children's Guardian. He was also formerly assistant superintendent of the St. Louis Industrial school.

Word of the change of management in the Southwestern Division was brought to St. Louis by Willoughby Walling, vice chairman of the Central Committee of the Red Cross, who was in St. Louis during the past week to attend the peace conference of the organization.

Dr. Livingston Farrand, chairman of the Central Committee, also attended the conference and in discussing the peace time program of the American Red Cross declared that one of the biggest problems facing the organization today was the fighting of preventable diseases and the betterment of social conditions in all communities of the country.

In his address to the delegates to the conference Dr. Farrand said that the American Red Cross above all loved the Allies from defeat at the hands of the Germans through the strengthening of the morale of the soldiers and civilians in France and Italy long before the American Army had a chance to set foot on European soil.

The fact is that the American Red Cross workers in France quietly and faithfully worked among the civilian population during the most critical period of the war, he declared. They cared for the refugees and children, giving a helpful hand wherever it was needed. This saved the people from desperation and defeat.

We all know that at the time the United States entered the war the situation in France was at a most desperate stage," said Dr. Farrand. "The people of France knew that America had declared war, but they could not conceive why the American soldiers did not come at once. They wondered and waited and despaired, and it was not till many months that they saw the first American armies in France."

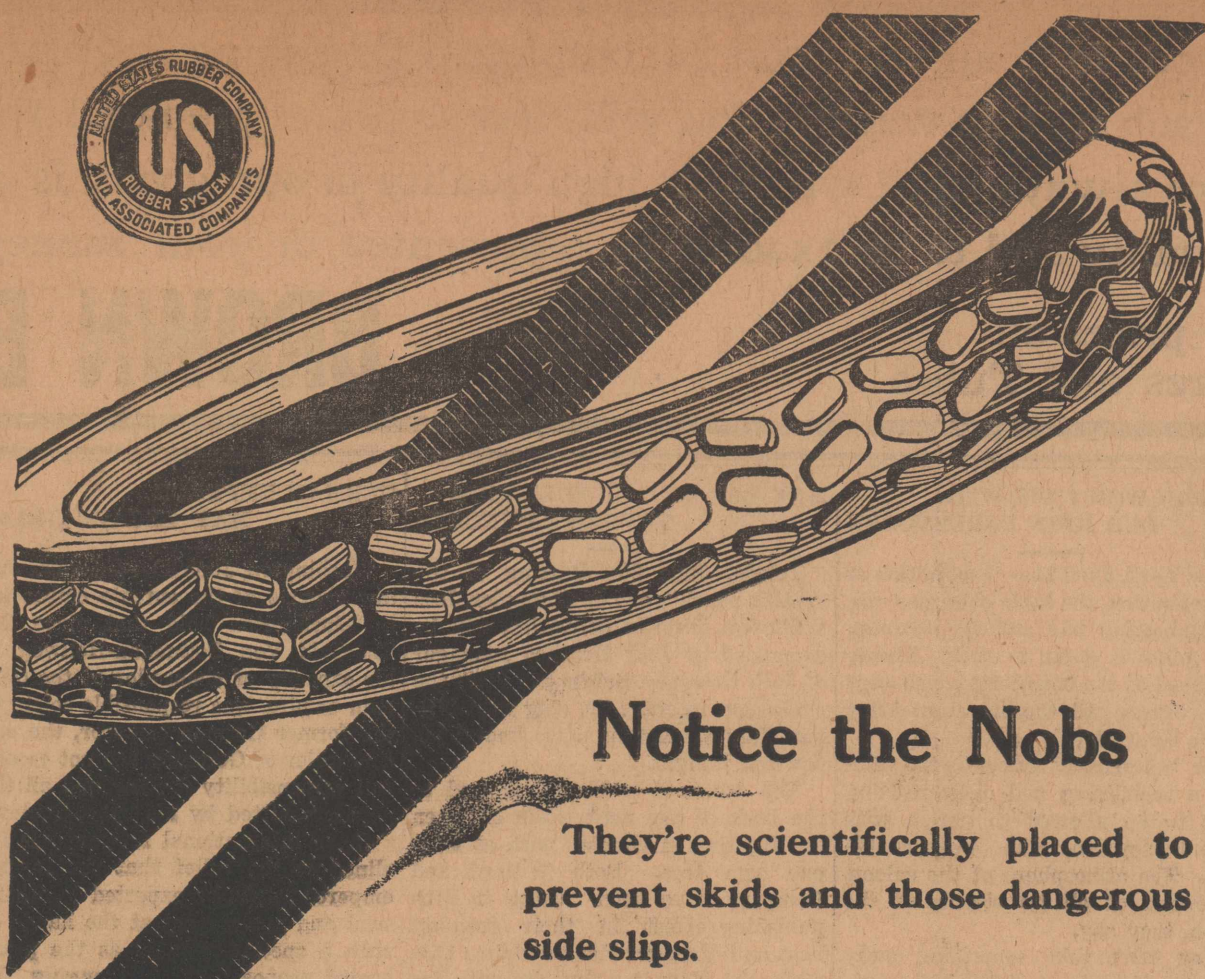
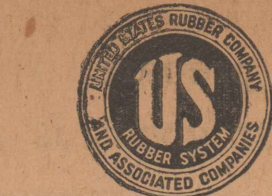
But there was one sign which unmistakably showed America's entrance into the war from the day of the declaration on, and that one sign was the American Red Cross. Its workers went about and did heroic work among the soldiers as well as among the civilians, caring for the wounded and fighting diseases. Never will the French people forget what the American Red Cross has done for the little children."

ORDER FOR ROAD
BOND ELECTION

June 10th, 1919.
This day came on to be considered the Petition of E. P. Thompson and more than fifty other property taxing voters of Floyd County, Texas, an election to be held within said county, to determine if the Bonds of county shall be issued to the amount of \$500,000.00, payable forty years from their date and bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent, per annum, with option of redemption any time after ten years from their date, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining or operating, macadamized, gravel or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof; and whether the same shall be annually levied and collected on all of the taxable property in said County, while said Bonds or any of them are outstanding, a tax sufficient to pay the current interest thereon, and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal thereof at maturity;

it appearing to the Commissioners' Court of Floyd County, Texas, that it is advisable to issue said Bonds, for the purpose therein stated; therefore it is hereby ordered by the Commissioners' Court of Floyd County, Texas, that an Election be held on the 9th day of August, 'A. D. 1920, at which Election the following proposition shall be submitted:

That the Commissioners' Court of Floyd County, Texas, be authorized to issue Bonds of said County, numbered consecutively from 1 to 500, both inclusive, of the denomination of \$1,000.00 each, aggregating \$500,000.00 to bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent, per annum, payable annually April 1st of each year, said Bonds to be redeemable any time after ten years from their date, on payment of the principal and interest, and credit of said Floyd County funds to be expended



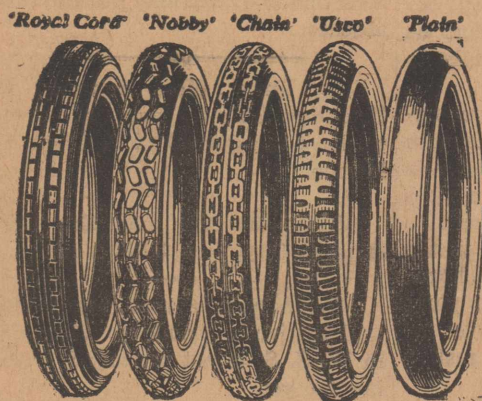
Notice the Nobs

They're scientifically placed to prevent skids and those dangerous side slips.

Their firm, sure grip means safety. And yet, they don't "fight the road."

Just the tires for our kind of roads.

There are four other United States Tires—every one of them a good tire.



No matter what your individual needs may be, we can fill them.

United States Tires
are Good Tires

We know United States Tires are good tires. That's why we sell them
Brown Bros., Floydada Williams & Jones, Aiken
Crowell's Cash Gro., Flomot; Thompson's Garage, Lorenzo

ed in payment of accounts legally contracted for in constructing, maintaining and operating, macadamized, graveled or paved Roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof; and to levy, assess and collect annually, while said bonds or any of them are outstanding, a tax upon all taxable property within said County sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity.

In accordance with Chapter Two, Art., 627, et seq. Revised Statute of the State of Texas, 1911, and Acts amendatory thereof.

Said Election shall be held at the several voting places of said County and the following named persons respectively, of the said Election Precincts are hereby appointed managers of said Election;

Voting Precinct No. 1, Floydada, W. L. Boerner, Manager.
Voting Precinct No. 2, Starkey, D. H. Roland, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 3, Allmon, C. C. Krause, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 4, Sandhill, W. C. Hanna, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 5, Lockney, Wm. McGehee, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 7, Providence, G. C. Hartman, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 8, Lone Star, C. Applewhite, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 9, Sunset, Chas. A. Wilson, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 10, Fairmont, Geo. R. Tibbitts, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 11, Cedar, R. L. Orman, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 12, Center, L. B. Maxey, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 13, Baker, J. D. Farmer, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 14, Antelope, Will Graham, Manager.

Voting Precinct No. 15, Lakeview, J. D. Hopper, Manager.

The place of voting in each voting precinct shall be at the respective School Houses thereof, with the exception of the Voting Precinct No. 1, where the place of Voting shall be at the Court House of Floyd County, Texas.

Said Election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter Two, Art., 627 et seq., Revised Statutes, State of Texas, 1911 and Acts amendatory thereof, and only qualified voters, who are property tax payers of said County, shall be allowed to vote and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue Bonds shall have printed or written on their ballots the

words "For the Bonds". And those opposed shall have printed or written on their ballots the words "Against the Bonds."

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the Laws of the State governing general elections.

A copy of this order, signed by the County Judge of Floyd County, shall serve as proper notice of said Election, and the County Judge is directed to cause said notice to be published in a Newspaper published in said County for four successive weeks, and in addition thereto to have notice thereof posted at three public places in the county, one of which shall be at the Court House door, for three weeks prior to said election.

J. W. HOWARD,

County Judge of Floyd County, Texas.
16-4tc.

STARKEY NEWS

June 24.—We had a nice little rain last Friday evening, also a little shower Saturday evening, which was fine on our crops. Crops are looking pretty good at present in this part of the county.

Mrs. D. H. Roland's brother visited them the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lowrance called on Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Lowrance Sunday.

Mrs. Travis spent last Tuesday evening at Mr. McSpaddens.

Mr. Roland and family called at Mr. Hammit's Friday afternoon.

Mike Lowrance visited in Blanco community Sunday.

Miss Lela Barton of Floydada called at Mr. Saunders Saturday.

Mr. Travis entertained the young folks with a party Saturday night. Everyone enjoyed themselves very much.

Mr. Jones entertained with a singing Sunday night. All report a nice time. A large crowd attended. Several from McCoy.

A few attended Sunday school and singing at McCoy Sunday. All enjoyed it fine.

Mrs. John Howard left the 15th for Colorado where she is visiting among friends and relatives.

J. R. McSpadden reached home Saturday from France, after receiving his discharge from the army earlier in the week. He spent 10 months in foreign service. He was with the Veterinary Corps.

THOUGHT HE HAD A BOMB

Memphis had a "bomb" scare one day the first of the week. True, only one young man was scared, but he was scared, so rumor states, enough to make up for everybody in town. A certain young man of the city made up a suspicious looking package and mailed to himself through the local post-office. When he received it in his mail he carried it to the store where another certain young man is employed and showed him the package, stating that he was afraid to open it. With the assistance of remarks from several bystanders, the second young man was made to believe that maybe, after all, the package might contain T. N. T. or some other devilish explosive. However, he stated that he would open it and took it into the alley back of the store. Here he tied a stout string to the lid of the package and stepped back a piece and pulled the string. In the meantime another gentleman had slipped up behind him with a shotgun and just as the string pulled he discharged the gun. With a startled yell and leap that onlookers declared prodigious, the young man who volunteered to open the box sprang into the air with visions of a horrible death or at the very least a sojourn in the hospital. It took some time for him to regain his composure and he is still visibly nervous, though several days have elapsed since the occurrence.—Hall County Herald.

Rosco Stark, of Lockney, returned home last week from army service. He went across with the 90th and spent the last five days of the war in the Meuse-Argonne Sector. He wears the insignia of the Wild Cat (81st) Division, having been returned with that bunch as a casual.

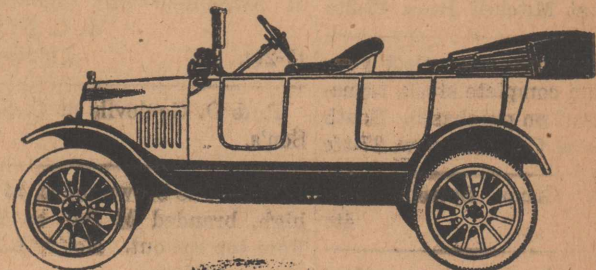
Henry Ratjen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ratjen, of Providence community, returned to his home last Tuesday after having served with the 90th Division in France. He is well known here, having spent two or three years in school in Floydada High School.

E. E. Brown returned the first of the week from Lubbock where he had been on electric lighting contract work for several days.

Mrs. John C. F. ... a Anna, ... he summer with her ... C. M. Wilson. She ... after noon.

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

It's no longer necessary to go into the details describing the practical merits of the Ford car—everybody knows all about "The Universal Car." How it goes and comes day after day and year after year at an operating expense so small that it's wonderful. This advertisement is to urge prospective buyers to place orders without delay. Buy a Ford car when you can get one. We'll take good care of your order—get your Ford to you as soon as possible—and give the best in "after service" when required.



BARKER BROTHERS
Floydada, Texas

NOW
is the time

to sow

ALFALFA

We Have Home-Grown Seed

A. D. White Gro. Co.

ECZEMA

Hunt's Salve, formerly called Hunt's Ointment, is guaranteed to stop and permanently cure that terrible itching. It is compounded for that purpose and your money will be promptly refunded without question if Hunt's Salve fails to cure Itch, Eczema, Tetter, Ring Worm or any other skin disease. See the box.

For sale locally by
FLOYDADA DRUG COMPANY

GARNER BROS.

Undertakers and Embalmers. All calls answered promptly.

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

JOHNSON THROUGH

Mexico City, June 22.—Jack Johnson wrote the finish to his fighting career this afternoon in an exhibition with Bob Roper of Chicago. Johnson weighed 210 pounds, with rolls of fat on his stomach. He lacked judgment of distance and although he had two months' training he puffed like a porpoise. Johnson told the press Dempsey had promised to visit Mexico for a twenty-five round fight. Johnson's usefulness as a fighter is limited to six round exhibitions.

J. J. Davis was here from Thursday to Monday last from Gorman, Texas, where he and his family are making their home for the present.

Dr. E. A. Hopkins, who is travelling in Oklahoma and Arkansas for a supply house which sells to physicians, was home from Friday to Tuesday on a short visit with his family.

Hesperian Want Ads Bring Results.

Drs. Smith & Smith

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Floydada, Texas

MEN OF ENERGY
ARE IN DEMAND

Energy comes of health—of good appetite and good digestion; of restful sleep and nerves that are all in order. Nervousness, sleeplessness, poor digestion—that generally run-down feeling takes all the energy out of you and renders you unfit to do your part in the world's work.

WOODY DRUG COMPANY

Harness

Our stock of Harness Goods for Fall will soon be complete. One shipment arrived last week and another shipment will reach us this week. You will find us better prepared than ever to supply your Harness Wants. And our prices are always right when the high quality of our goods is considered. Every article we sell is guaranteed to be first quality and to be exactly as represented or your money will be refunded.

Get our new prices on
United States Tires and Tubes

BROWN BROTHERS

The Hesperian Want Ad Department

Liberty Bonds or Vendors Lien Notes will buy nice home in Floydada Easy terms. See W. M. Massie & Bro. 25-tfc

Camp cots at Mitchell Bros. 17-2tc

Come to Plainview and select your monument from complete stock, transportation allowed on purchases. South Plains Monument Co. Plainview. 27-tfc

Miss Mollie Crum Spirella Corsiere. 4tc

If you want to borrow money or buy land see, W. D. Smith, National Bank Building. 17-tfc.

All work finished and erected by experts. South Plains Monument Co. Plainview. 27-tfc.

For Sale—Ford car with delivery body. In good condition. Engine in fine shape. Call or see D. E. Pitts, phone 216. 12-2tc

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

FOR SALE

Good horse and buggy See Roy Curry, phone 923-F21. 14-tfc

TRACTOR FOR SALE

12-25 Avery Tractor in good condition. Will consider trade. Harry Chatham, 9 miles West Floydada. 15-3tp.

LOST—One brown mare, 14 1-2 hands high, branded M Bar on left thigh. Fore top cut out. Notify L. B. Fulfer, Matador, Texas. 17-1tc

WANTED—To buy good second hand Ford. Roadster preferred. C. T. Stevens, phone 96. Office with Motor Supply Co. 16-tfc

FOR SALE—320 acres good plains land 1 1-2 miles from Friona. Price \$15.00 an acre. See us for cheap farm and ranch land. M. A. Crum & Company, Friona, Texas. 16-2tc

If you want the money on your vendors lien notes see W. D. Smith at National Bank Building. 17-tfc.

FOR SALE—Combination toilet and wheel chair. See S. C. Vanderlip. 17-2tc

See our new queensware and get our prices. Mitchell Bros. 17-2tc

Bundle Oats for sale—Cash or credit—A. L. Bishop. 16-2tc

WHEAT FARMERS

Marshall is back from the oil fields and tuning up the elevator for the big wheat crop this week. It will have a loading out capacity of 10 cars of wheat daily. Can dump the wagon loads of wheat as fast as they come.

As usual will buy over Public Scales paying highest government price. Marshall pays for the weighing.

The wheat buyer this season who gives better service, pays more money, or who appreciates your patronage more than Marshall will be going some. When ready to sell wheat call at office near Public Scales. 16-4tc Marshall Grain Company.

P. & O. Sled Go-devils will clean that crop for you. Buy them at Surginer's. 17-2tc

If you want to sell your land list it with W. D. Smith, National Bank Building. 17-tfc.

STRAYED OR SOLEN

One Dunn Horse branded JPY on left thigh and bay horse branded J31 on left thigh. Will pay \$10 reward for horses delivered to W. M. Stovall, Floydada, Texas. 17-2tp.

Bring us your bulk butter. Don't matter how old. A. D. White Gro. Co. 16-2tc.

WHO HAS LAND FOR SALE?

In quarters, halves or whole sections, improved or unimproved. If you do write me carefully full description and location, giving No. of section, price and terms. If you really want to sell set your price reasonable, smallest cash payment, and interest as low as possible. 8 per cent interest on land notes is becoming a thing of the past, would like time to run until first of November—suit yourself. W. C. FRYFE, Floydada, Texas. 17-2tc.

P. & O. Go-devils at C. Surginer & Son's. 17-2tc.

LOST—One brown mare, 14 1-2 hands high, branded M Bar on left thigh. Fore top cut out. Notify L. B. Fulfer, Matador, Texas. 17-1tc

Rucker is now in the market for all kinds of butter. 17-2tc

CARD OF THANKS

We are retiring this week from the Bakery business and in doing so we wish to thank the public for their patronage, also the business men for all courtesies shown us. 17-1tp Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Menefee.

COTTON CHOPPERS WANTED

\$2 with board, \$3 without. House and pasture furnished. See J. S. Dunavant, 4 miles S. E. Floydada. 17-1tp.

Bring us your poultry, hides, butter and eggs. Rucker Produce Co. 17-2tc

BINDER FOR SALE

New 7-foot, Deering for sale or trade. Roy Curry, phone 923-F21. 17-1tc.

WHO WON THE WAR?

The secret is out. It was won by the Smiths. In the A. E. F. alone more than 51,000 of them. Still, if it had not been for the Schmidts the war would have been over earlier.—Ex. 17-1tc

SALE OF LIGHT BEERS AND WINES TO CONTINUE

Attorney General Rules That Prosecutions Will Not Be Made at Present

Washington, D. C., June 30.—As war time prohibition took effect tonight the department of justice announced that its agents throughout the country would not attempt tomorrow to stop the sale of two and three-quarters per cent beer.

This eleventh hour development, a flat reversal of an earlier ruling today by the department, was due to the uncertainty as to how the federal district court of New York might rule on a pending claim by brewers, that beer containing that much alcohol was not intoxicating.

But while this uncertainty existed as to beer of lighter alcoholic percentage than that sold generally heretofore, full warning was given that with respect to whiskey and all beverages as to whose intoxicating powers there was no doubt every governmental agency would be set to work in a determined effort to prevent their manufacture and sale.

How long the sale of two and three quarters per cent beer might continue would depend ordinarily upon the speed of the courts but meanwhile will step to to front in an effort to complete the effectiveness of the war-time law.

Prohibition members of the house will not attempt passage of a straight, clear-cut bill for enforcement of war time prohibition.

When word spread tonight that the attorney general by his ruling has permitted beer saloons and breweries to remain in operation, members of the judiciary committee counted noses to find a sufficient number ready to go to the front to demand separation of the enforcement measures so to get through at once a bill that would stop the sale of all beer containing more than one-half of one per cent alcohol.

SALOON WON'T DIE WITH OLD JOHN BARLEYCORN

New York, June 21.—Prohibition or no prohibition, the little old brass rail, the mahogany bar and the foaming beer spigot is going to stick. Firmly convinced of the beneficial psychology of the brassy rail, the Salvation Army has so decreed.

The "waterfront" saloon is too valuable a socializing and democratizing asset to be allowed to perish with John Barleycorn, slum workers believe. The atmosphere of the saloon, deodorized of all its stench, of the saloon, they say.

"You can't take something away from a man without giving him something in return," Brigadier James Welte, purchasing agent for the Salvation Army during the war said today. "Deprive the 'floaters' and saloon frequenters of a place to congregate and something equally as undesirable as the saloon will take its place.

"The Salvation Army does not intend to eliminate the saloon. It aims to reform it—make it a power for decency and cleanliness rather than a demoralizing influence in the community."

Already Salvation Army officials in New York have secured options on saloon locations in preparation for the day when prohibition goes into effect. But not for a single day will these places close their doors. The same old mahogany bar, the same brass rail and the same bartenders—in many instances—will remain. Only the "kick" in the drinks will disappear.

New York's pioneer "soft drink" bar, located in the heart of Broadway's Tenderloin, just off Broadway near Forty-Seventh Street, where hearts are supposed to be light and lights are bright and champagne flows like water, has proved the theory of its founders. Two months ago Tango Lizards, Folly girls, "pugs", and Broadway habitués draped themselves across the hardwood bar of the Victoria Hotel. From noon till early morn the place was crowded.

Today the place still is crowded, but the men who lounge with hobnailed boot upon the rail are bronzed, weather-beaten veterans of the A. E. F. or Uncle Sam's navy. And the women, not the delicately tinted, hand-painted Folly favorites, but clear-eyed Salvation Army ladies, war workers and returned nurses. And before the war many that new call for a "grape fizz" had called for a "mickie" or a Scotch straight.

"It's the psychology of the brass rail," quoth Tony, the bartender, who for a decade has mixed refreshing potions here. "Put a glass in a man's hand and he instantly fishes around with his foot for the rail. Makes no difference whether he is drinking Scotch or Soda; with his hoof comfortably fixed he will talk as long as anyone listens to him—just like in the olden days. Gradually he eases himself down his chin gets in his hand and his elbow on the table or bar—and he's anchored until closing time."

In the river-front saloon, where the Bowery bum formerly got a glass of beer and a sandwich for a nickel, the Salvation Army intends to have the same bartender with his cheery "Howdy, Mike! Hello Bill!" on the job. That is, if he wants to stay, and many have said they would. But light drinks and doughnuts will replace the hard drinks. The stove and smoke and atmosphere will still be there, Welte declared.

"And we don't intend to feed him religion, either. Saloons and religion don't synchronize. If we can maintain the saloon as a place where a man can drop in, get a bite to eat and warm himself, and incidentally eliminate all the demoralizing influences that surrounded him in the old rum house, we believe it will be worth while," Welte added.

Salvation Army lassies—veterans also of the A. E. F., will capitalize their immense popularity among the returning doughboys to assist in making the saloon an attractive place for the "down and outer."

MAY BAR ONE OF WILLARD'S FAVORITE PUNCHES

Toledo, June 30.—Barring of the "rabbit punch", one of Champion Jess Willard's favorite deliveries, will be demanded by Jack Kearns, manager of Jack Dempsey, before he allows the challenger to enter the ring with Willard July 4. Kearns made known his decision tonight.

The punch is a blow delivered to the back of the neck while the men are fighting in clinches with at least one arm free. Both Willard and Dempsey have been using it with punishing effect in their training bout and Manager Kearns claims that while the blow is a favorite with the champion, it is not at all important in Dempsey's repertoire of punches.

Such a delivery is barred or has been forbidden in big fights. The rules of the Toledo Boxing commission are silent about this punch. Dempsey was measured for height this afternoon by William Muldoon of New York, whose figures gave him six feet, two inches.

Dempsey did his last boxing today, when he finished four rounds. The challenger plans to loaf about his camp, eating and drinking what he pleases, merely taking light walks to keep his muscles loosened.

The cut over Willard's eye was opened today while he was boxing with Walter Monahan, but the blood was quickly stopped. The champion does not believe the wound will bother him to any extent even if opened in the Independence Day contest. He boxed six rounds this afternoon and plans to continue work with the gloves tomorrow and Wednesday, resting Thursday.

The total receipts passed the half million mark today and there was every indication that all records for receipts for any form of a one-day exhibition or entertainment would be broken within the next twenty-four or forty-eight hours.

Not more than one-third of the seats have been disposed of to date.

Betting on the result is not as great as has been the case in some previous heavyweight championship contests. There is a noticeable absence of Willard backing while there is all kinds of Dempsey money with the result that the challenger's supporters do not ask odds, being satisfied to cover Willard coin at about evens.

ELECTION NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Floyd.

Pursuant to the Election Proclamation issued by the Governor of Texas, notice is hereby given that an Election will be held on Monday the Fourteenth (14) day of July, A. D. 1919, for the following purpose.

To elect a member of the Senate of the State Legislature from the Twenty ninth Senatorial District of Texas, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of the Honorable W. S. Bell of Crowell. Said election shall be held on the day and date above written, by the proper officers in said voting precincts in said Floyd County, in accordance with the requirements of law, and return thereof made in conformity with the laws of the State, and in accordance with this Proclamation, due and proper notice of said election shall be given as required by law.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto signed my name officially, and caused the seal of Floyd County, to be hereon impressed, at the City of Floydada, Texas, this 28th day of June. (Seal) J. W. HOWARD, 17-2tc County Judge Floyd County.

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GERMAN EMPEROR MAY ESCAPE TRIAL

Washington, June 30.—International law experts of the entente embassies in Washington hold that since Dr. Theobald Von Bethmann-Hollweg in his capacity of chancellor of the German empire, was responsible solely to the former German emperor, the one time ruler of Germany can not escape full responsibility for any and all the acts committed by his subordinates.

Some international lawyers are inclined to the belief that the former emperor might be expected to escape trial and punishment at the hands of such a special tribunal as the peace treaty proposes by challenging its fairness and demanding a change of venue on the ground that the members of the court would be at once his accusers and judges.

Officials in a position to know the sentiment of neutral governments are of the opinion that the Netherlands never will voluntarily surrender the former emperor under extradition proceedings and they say that inasmuch as there has been no serious suggestion that force be used to apprehend him, his trial may proceed in his absence.

Mrs. Perry Moss returned last Thursday from a visit of several weeks with relatives at Portales, New Mexico.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Burrows, City, June 30th, a son.

"Waste neither time nor money," said Benjamin Franklin. Money put in W. S. S. is not wasted; it's working for you.

SILVERTON NEWS

From The Star:

The Montgomery boy who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. M. West, north of town, was bitten by a large rattlesnake having ten rattles, last Sunday while over on the canyon plume hunting. He was brought to town for medical attention is reported getting along nicely.

Nearly all of the Briscoe county boys are back home now, and only three had to make the supreme sacrifice. They were John C. Williams, Oscar Baker and Benton Graves for whom the entire county mourns.

R. Sedgwick and wife, and son, W. A., and family left last Monday Sabinal, to make their future home. Will has a good place open to him there in his professional line of jewelry and optometry.

Harvest work is in full swing here now, and there are very few people to be seen on our streets, only as the farmers of their wives, children and helpers come in after repairs or chug it is indeed a busy time, and everyone is making every minute count.

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