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Approximately \$1,925,000 Daughter In Law Of In Checks Mailed For Last Half Of August Relief Mrs. E. B. Mayhew Died Tuesday Morning

Austin, August 20.—Checks totaling approximately \$1,925,000 representing relief money allotments for the last half of August have been mailed to county administrators throughout Texas.

Administrators in cotton-producing counties were instructed by Assistant Director Charles B. Braum to reduce relief loads insofar as possible by placing able-bodied relief clients in cotton fields.

In this connection, Braum called attention to the resolution passed by the relief commission denying to those who refuse to work.

Administrators also were requested to study conditions in the counties preparatory to supplying information on which requests for aid from federal authorities will be based.

Hotel Burns At South Plains, Leon Horn Injured Feet In Jump From Top

South Plains' one and only hostelry is no more. Fire of unknown origin destroyed the two story, 20-room hotel Saturday morning at 1 o'clock.

Leon Horn, of South Plains, sustained bruised feet when he was trapped in the burning building and forced to jump from the upper story. None others were injured. The hotel, which was the property of a Slaton resident, was a total loss.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Daily and daughter, Joan, returned Sunday from Corpus Christi and other points down state where they had visited with friends for a week. They accompanied Mrs. Quinby Kizzar and Mrs. Garmon Massie, of Corpus, who visited in Floydada Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. W. B. Mayhew, of Culver City, California, died Tuesday morning at 2 o'clock in a hospital there from injuries she received in an accident 15 days ago. She had been unconscious since the automobile wreck.

Mrs. Mayhew was the wife of W. B. Mayhew, son of Mrs. E. B. Mayhew and brother of Lee Mayhew of Floydada. They received word of her death Tuesday evening, but were unable to go to California for the funeral services.

Funeral services were to be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock in Culver City, California.

L. B. TURNER, FARMING NEAR DOVE CREEK, COLORADO, HAS GOOD CROPS

L. B. Turner and family, former residents of Floydada, and who are now farming just over the line in Utah from Dove Creek, Colorado, have good crops this year, Mr. Turner's brother, V. D. Turner, reported this week.

V. D. Turner with his nephew, Loyce Turner, returned Wednesday from the valley at Grand Junction, Colorado, where they bought a load of peaches to place on the Floydada market. Enroute to Grand Junction, they stopped at Dove Creek for a visit with his brother and family. Mr. and Mrs. Turner moved to Dove Creek last fall from Floydada.

Mr. Turner reported plenty of rain in the mountains and good crops in the valleys of Colorado. He said that the weather was colder this year at this time than any other year previous that he had been there. Mr. Turner and Loyce brought the load of peaches back over Monarch pass in Colorado.

Any August Afternoon by A. B. Chapin



Emergency Loans To Farmers and Stockmen To Move Livestock

Emergency loans to farmers and stockmen in the emergency drought areas to pay the cost of moving livestock to new pastures and range lands from the recently appropriated drought relief fund are available through the Emergency Crop and Feed Loans office in Dallas, Charles W. Skerrill, regional manager has announced.

Applications for these loans may be made to the local emergency crop and feed loans committee in Floyd County. Miss Wilma Fuller is in charge of taking applications at the County Relief Office in the court house.

The announcement states that the loans for transporting livestock will be made only for the purpose of moving animals to and from pastures and ranges to avoid drought conditions, and not for the purpose of paying the costs of transporting or pasturing livestock which are on the way to terminal markets.

Money loaned to pay transportation will be limited to a maximum not exceeding \$3.00 per head for farm cattle, \$1.50 per head for range cattle, \$4.00 for farm workstock, \$2.00 for saddle and pack horses, 50 cents for sheep and 35 cents for goats. These respective maximum allowances for transportation are the same as the maximum base rates now being allowed to purchase feed for livestock for one month.

Where the livestock moved from drought areas to new pasture or range are to be returned, the allowance for transportation must cover the costs both ways; and farmers and stockmen who obtain such loans are urged to utilize the greatly reduced freight rates on livestock shipments which are now in effect.

In addition to loans for transportation of cattle and livestock monthly loans may be made to pay not to exceed the actual cost of pasture or range rent but in no case will loans be made to exceed 50¢ per head per month for any class of livestock for which a base rate is allowed under the regulations. No advance or allowance may be made to pay the cost of pasture or range rent for any class or kind of livestock for which a base rate is not allowed. Funds advanced not exceeding the maximum base rates effective at the time of any advance are hereby authorized to be used for the purpose of providing feed, water, or both.

The advances for transportation and pasturage are available throughout the emergency drought area which now covers 233 counties in Texas, 27 in New Mexico, and 11 in Arizona.

Mrs. W. W. Nance Jr., and Pete Nance, of Fort Worth, were guests of Miss Oma Johnson last week.

Cattle Buying Program Resumed In Floyd County Today; 450 Head Per Wk

Buying cattle for shipment was resumed in Floyd County this morning by agents of the government cattle buying program. Until further orders 150 head per day will be bought during the last three days of each week.

The inspector and appraiser will spend the first three days of the week in Hale County and the latter three in Floyd County.

Cattle checks are being received daily. The notices are mailed to each cattle raiser requesting him to call at the South Main street office for this check.

WILLIAM McCRAW BELIEVES PEOPLE WILL ELECT HIM SATURDAY

Austin, August 22.—Special to the Plainsman—His intense, 5000-mile runoff tour of Texas has convinced him that the people will overwhelmingly choose William McCraw, the lawyer, as their attorney general, McCraw announced as he swept through the final week of his second primary drive.

McCraw, who led the field in the first primary by nearly 30,000 votes, declared, "The people of Texas now know that it would be a dangerous mistake to elect Walter Woodward, the utility-controlled politician to the highest law office of their state. They know that it is a lawyer's office and that McCraw, the lawyer, is the man for the job."

In his concluding addresses in the larger cities of the state, McCraw continued to point out his opponent's "insincerities and inconsistencies," and to stress his own platform aims and qualifications.

An outstanding example of the Coleman Senator's lack of "truth and honesty," McCraw urged that the senator "is wet in one language and dry in another."

In support of this he presented a copy of an advertisement printed in "Der Hermanns Sohn," a German language newspaper. The advertisement in German read, "He (Woodward) is a good anti-prohibitionist." "That appeared in German in San Antonio, where wet sentiment prevails," McCraw said, "But in North Texas in the Star-Telegram and the Cleburne Review, both printed in English, the senator said he personally was a dry and had always voted a dry ticket."

"The liquor question is not an issue in this race, but truth and integrity are," McCraw urged.

Mrs. W. H. Cline and daughters, Mary Francis and Jo Ann, of Dallas, are visiting in Floydada with her father, J. S. Collins and her brothers and sisters in Floydada.

Lakeview School Will Open Monday September 3, Have New Teachers

The Lakeview school will open Monday, September 3, it has been announced. L. B. Williams, of Sulphur Springs, will be superintendent of the Lakeview school system this year.

Wayne Coleman, of Lockney, will teach the seventh and eighth grade classes. Mrs. Williams will have the fourth, fifth and sixth grades and Mrs. Cella Ross will be primary teacher.

Plans are being made for a successful school year.

"Front Wheel Springing" Attracts Much Attention On Boys Bicycle

Buster Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Davidson of Floydada, has shown some engineering genius in arranging the front wheel of his bicycle to have "individual front wheel springing."

The contrivance which Buster attached to his bicycle takes the bumps out of the street just as the new type front wheels on automobiles operate. The mechanism was constructed by use of an extra front "fork" and a long spring, and works perfectly.

Get busy fellows and invent front wheel springing for skates and scooters, they are next in line.

M. F. HAMPTON, 78, CRITICALLY ILL IN FLOYDADA. CHILDREN AT BEDSIDE

M. F. Hampton, aged 78 years, is critically ill at his home, 602 West Virginia street, this week and members of the family are at the bedside. His condition remained unchanged yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Hampton and the following children are at his bedside: M. S. Hampton, Oklahoma City, J. P. Hampton, of Sanger, Texas; Ben Hampton, Sanger; Ross Hampton, Apache, Oklahoma; and Mrs. Clarence Snodgrass and daughter, of Houston.

Mr. Hampton has been ill for several days.

W. E. Grimes and Miss Nona Wells Employed To Teach In Muncy School

W. E. Grimes, former principal of Sterley school, and Miss Nona Wells, of Lockney, have been employed by the Muncy board of school trustees to teach in the Muncy school during 1934-35 term.

Mr. Grimes and Miss Wells succeeded Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Copeland who recently resigned.

Floyd County Farm Association Organized In Meeting Monday

A farmers organization, which will be used as a medium for farm people to study the government programs and discuss common problems, was perfected in a meeting held Monday afternoon in the district court room in Floydada.

During the past month each community in the county has met and elected an executive committee to represent that community in the county organization. These representatives were present to organize the permanent county association and elect permanent officers Monday afternoon.

W. H. Nelson, of Baker community, was selected as chairman. E. C. King of Floydada district was elected vice-chairman and Ed Holmes, of Sandhill was elected secretary of the association. In addition one man from each Commissioners precinct was elected to complete the executive committee of seven. W. M. Ferguson was elected in precinct 1, Bert Bobbitt in precinct 2, J. A. Taylor from precinct 3 and Claude Pawwer in precinct 4.

The following are the community officers elected:

Dougherty-Antelope; J. A. Hatley, chairman; R. H. Crawford, vice chairman; J. R. Hinton secretary.

Baker; W. H. Nelson, chairman; H. L. Farmer, vice chairman; C. O. Wise, secretary.

Pleasant Hill; R. M. Battey, chairman; D. C. Day, vice chairman; L. Y. Woolsey, secretary.

Lakeview; Claude Patton, chairman; H. J. Nelson, vice chairman; John A. Lloyd secretary.

Starkey; W. F. Ferguson, chairman; W. J. Waller, vice chairman; Marion Hassell, secretary.

McCoy; H. P. Puckett, chairman; W. F. Culpepper, vice chairman; H. R. Kelley, secretary.

Muncy; Ed Muncy, chairman; J. M. Sandusky, vice chairman; L. B. Pawwer, secretary.

Pleasant Valley; J. T. Bloxom, chairman; J. E. Watson, vice chairman; J. P. A. Blankenship, secretary.

Sandhill; Ed Holmes, chairman; Henry Graham, vice chairman; Arthur Womack, secretary.

Center; C. M. Meredith, chairman; J. E. Green, vice chairman; W. B. Jordan, secretary.

Campbell-Hillcrest; A. L. Jackson, chairman; C. A. Hough, vice chairman; Ray Smith, secretary.

Fairview; Lee Burgett, chairman; L. B. Cozby, vice chairman; Clifford Crabtree, secretary.

Liberty; W. D. Beedy, chairman; Glen Watson, vice chairman; Otis Huckabee, secretary.

Cedar Hill; Johnny Lackey, chairman; Ed Hawkins, vice chairman; H. L. Rafferty, secretary.

Irtek; Raymond Blount, chairman; Geo. Graham, vice chairman; John M. Holmes, secretary.

Aiken Henry W. Schacht, chairman; Bill Logan, vice chairman; Austin Dollar, secretary.

Blanco; W. H. Simpson, chairman; L. C. Wheeler, vice chairman; S. E. Brewer, secretary.

Harmony; W. S. Hanna, chairman; Zant Scott, vice chairman; D. S. Battey, secretary.

Almon; W. B. Eakin, chairman; J. S. Jones, vice chairman; E. E. Foster, secretary.

Lone Star; G. B. Johnston, chairman; James Smith, vice chairman; Hubert Frizzell, secretary.

Prairie Chapel; E. M. Whorton, chairman; P. G. Jones, vice chairman; O. W. Schmidt, secretary.

Sterley; Robert W. Smith, Jr., chairman; Roy Tinsley, vice chairman; Bert Bobbitt, secretary.

Providence; Ben Quebe, chairman; J. W. Darnon, vice chairman; K. Sammann, secretary.

Fairmont; Neil Smith, chairman; Wm. Welch, vice chairman; Fred Skinner, secretary.

Edgin; J. A. Taylor, chairman; T. A. Ramsey, vice chairman; C. L. Kelsler, secretary.

Floydada; H. L. Crow, chairman; W. A. Cates, vice chairman; E. C. King, secretary.

Roseland; Paul Sims, chairman; T. F. Casey, vice chairman; John Key West, secretary.

South Plains; C. L. Knierin, chairman; J. H. Karr, vice chairman; H. T. Bradshaw, secretary.

Lockney - Ramsey; Ed Teuton, chairman.

Wanted setting eggs Saturday. Will pay premium. Floydada Hatchery.

Miss Myrtle Terry Died Saturday Afternoon In Baylow Hospital

Miss Myrtle Terry, aged 34 years, 8 months and 28 days, died Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Baylow Hospital in Dallas. She underwent an operation for a brain tumor earlier in the day but the malignant had advanced to the stage that recovery was impossible.

The body was prepared for burial at the Ed C. Smith and Bro. funeral home in Dallas and shipped to Floydada. Members of the family present during the operation returned home Saturday night.

Miss Terry was a teacher in the Floydada Schools having taught here for several years. She received her high school education in Floydada and later attended college at W. T. S. T. C. in Canyon.

Miss Terry was born in Bell county near Temple, November 20, 1899, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Terry. She moved with her parents to Plainview about 1915, later returning to Temple to make their home before coming to Floyd County to live about 18 years ago.

Mr. Terry died Thursday morning, July 5, this year and at that time Miss Terry was in Dallas preparing to undergo the operation but returned home upon learning of her father's death. She returned to Dallas last week for the operation.

Survivors of the immediate family are: the mother, Mrs. J. B. Terry; five brothers, Tom, Milton, Buford and Jim Terry, all of Floydada; two sisters, Mrs. W. F. Daniels, of Blanco community and Mrs. Lawson Stevens, Floydada. All were present for the funeral services.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock from the First Baptist Church in Floydada, with the Rev. S. R. McClung, pastor, conducting. Miss Terry was active in church work, being a teacher in the Sunday school for some time.

Pallbearers were: J. C. Wester, O. K. Davis, O. T. Williams, J. W. Hardgrove, Ray Bennett, and Hollis Bond. Honorary pallbearers were: Lon M. Davis, E. C. Nelson, W. T. Stiles, J. L. Walding, T. J. Heard, J. L. Fuller, Frank L. Moore, J. N. Johnston, Wilson Kimble, Earl Edwards, J. G. Wood, R. E. Fry, L. E. Fagan, R. S. Johnson, Edd Moore, E. C. King, B. P. Woody, Dr. V. Andrews, Dr. I. W. Hicks, G. R. Strickland, J. R. Yearwood, Paul Denison, Glyn Pearlson.

Flower girls were: Miss Ina Sims, Vera Meredith, Wilma Fuller, Jessie Mae Wood, Kate Stiles, Emma Lou McKinney, Lydia Belle Walding, Lucille Hunt, Mrs. Minnie Smart and Mrs. Bynum Bolding.

A large number of friends and members of the family gathered to pay a last tribute to their friend and relative. Miss Terry had many friends among the school students whom she taught and with whom she associated, who attended.

Interment was in Floydada cemetery.

E. T. Prother Starts Operations On Highway 28 Improvement Monday

E. T. Prother, of Memphis, started work this week on blocking out for Highway 28 drainage and grading improvement northwest from Floydada to Hale County line. Mr. Prother's camp is located between Lockney and the Hale county line on the northwest.

Mr. Prother is using a crew of his own assistants this week. He expects to change to local labor Friday morning as soon as blocking out is completed and will do his own employing.

Extension Service Plant Pathologist Will Visit In Floydada Friday

Dr. H. J. Haskell, plant pathologist extension service, Washington, D. C., and Mr. E. A. Miller, agronomist of the Texas Extension Service, will visit Floyd County August 24th.

These men are working in the interest of smut control in wheat. Friday morning they plan to visit several of the elevators in Floyd County. Friday afternoon a lecture, showing slides of wheat smut, will be given at the Floydada High School auditorium at two o'clock.

Wheat growers of Floyd County are urged to attend.

VOTE IN THE ELECTION SATURDAY, AND DON'T FORGET WE ARE CANDIDATES FOR YOUR PATRONAGE

Here it is, folks, take your choice—that is exactly what we expect to do on election day.

SAMPLE OF THE Official Ballot!!

I am a Democrat, and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary.

FOR GOVERNOR:

James V. Allred, of Wichita County
Tom F. Hunter, of Wichita County

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR:

Joe Moore, of Hunt County
Walter F. Woodul, of Harris County

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL:

William McCraw, of Dallas County
Walter Woodward, of Coleman County

FOR STATE RAILROAD COMMISSIONER:

John Pundt, of Dallas County
Lon A. Smith, of Travis County

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT:

John H. Sharp, of Ellis County
H. S. Lattimore, of Tarrant County

FOR CONGRESSMAN OF THE 19th CONGRESSIONAL DIST.:

Clark M. Mullican, of Lubbock County
George Mahon, of Mitchell County

FOR REPRESENTATIVE OF THE 120th LEGISLATIVE DIST.:

A. B. Tarwater, of Hale County
J. N. Johnston, of Floyd County

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE OF THE 110th JUDICIAL DISTRICT:

A. J. Polley, of Floyd County
H. A. C. Brummett, of Dickens County

FOR DISTRICT CLERK:

George B. Marshall
Robert McGuire

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

E. C. Nelson
C. A. Case

FOR CONSTABLE OF PRECINCT NO. 1:

E. L. Campbell
J. P. Davidson

FOR CHAIRMAN PRECINCT 14, ANTELOPE:

S. M. Crawford
W. S. Poole

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14

Be It Resolved By The Legislature Of The State Of Texas:

Section 1. That there be added to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas a new section to be numbered Section 2-A and to have five (5) lettered subdivisions and which sections shall read as follows:

Section 2-A. (a) General management and control of the affairs of the County shall hereafter be vested in the Commissioners Court, provided that in the exercise of powers not specifically granted to the Commissioners Court by the Constitution and Amendments thereto, the Court shall be subject to the authority of the Legislature of the State, and the Court shall also be subject to all general laws of the State now in force not in conflict with the provisions of this Amendment until such laws are modified or repealed.

(b) All duties heretofore performed by the Clerk of the District Court and the County Clerk shall hereafter be performed by an officer to be known as Record Clerk; all duties heretofore performed by the County Tax Assessor and the County Tax Collector shall hereafter be performed by one officer known as Tax Clerk; and in the counties where the sheriff performs the duties of the Tax Collector he may hereafter perform the duties of the Tax Clerk. The Record Clerk and the Tax Clerk shall be elected to hold office for a term of two (2) years and until their successors shall be elected and qualified. The Commissioners Court shall have authority to combine the office of County Treasurer and the office of County Surveyor, or to combine either, or both, of said offices with any county office. Within the maximum and minimum limits prescribed by the Legislature the Commissioners Court shall have authority to fix the compensation of all county and precinct officers except County Auditor, County Judge and County Commissioners. The Legislature shall fix the compensation of District Judges, District Attorneys, County Judges and the County Commissioners and may provide for a County Auditor and prescribe his duties and fix his compensation and the number and compensation of his assistants. The Commissioners Court shall fix the compensation of and determine the number of deputies, assistants and clerical personnel of all precinct officers and county officers except the county auditor.

(c) City and county officers and employees may, in addition to their duties as such city and county officers or employees, be required to perform such other similar duties for cities, towns and districts within the county, or for the county, as may be mutually agreed upon and contracted for between the Commissioners Court of said county and the governing board, or boards, of such cities, towns and districts; and the cost of such service shall be provided for in said contracts and paid by such county, cities, towns or districts into the Treasury of the county or city, town or district, as provided for in said contract. All such contracts shall be approved by the Attorney General of this State and such contracts shall not cover a period longer than two (2) years.

(d) The Legislature shall have authority, by general law, to provide for complete forms of county government and organizations different from that provided for in this Constitution to become effective in any county when submitted in such manner as may be prescribed by the Legislature to the qualified voters of such county in an election held for such purpose and approved by a majority of the qualified voters voting in said election. Provided, however, that no such law shall impair the authority of the Commissioners Court to determine the compensation of county and precinct officers other than the County Auditor, to fix the number of assistants, deputies, and clerical personnel which said officers may employ; nor shall such general law change the present constitutional limitations as to particular and total tax levies for any or all county purposes; nor shall such general law change the present constitutional limitations on counties to incur public debts.

(e) In any and all cases where provisions of the Constitution of this State are in conflict with the provisions of this Amendment, the provision of this Amendment (Section 2-A, Article IX) shall control; provided, however, should any county adopt a Home Rule Charter under authority of any provisions of the State Constitution or Amendment thereto, this Amendment shall not be applicable to such county.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State,

qualified to vote on Constitutional Amendments, at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November A. D. 1934, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the words:

"For the Amendment of Article IX of the State Constitution by adding Section 2-A thereto, giving the Commissioners Court general management and control of county affairs, and authorizing the Legislature to provide more economical forms of county government and different than as now provided by law."

"Against the Amendment of Article IX of the State Constitution by adding Section 2-A thereto, giving the Commissioners Court general management and control of county affairs, and authorizing the Legislature to provide more economical forms of county government, and different than as now provided by law."

Each voter shall scratch out with pen or pencil the clause which he desires to vote against so as to indicate whether he is voting for or against said proposed amendment.

A true copy,
W. W. HEATH,
Secretary of State.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2

Be It Resolved By The Legislature Of The State Of Texas:

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas, Article 16, be amended by adding thereto another Section, Section 61, which shall read as follows:

"Section 61. All district officers in the State and all county officers in counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000), or more, according to the then last preceding Federal census, shall hereafter be compensated on a salary basis. In all counties of this State the Commissioners' Court shall be authorized to determine whether precinct officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis; and in counties having a population of less than twenty thousand (20,000) according to the then last preceding Federal census, the Commissioners' Court shall also have the authority to determine whether county officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis. All fees earned by district, county or precinct officers shall be paid into the County Treasury where earned, for the account of the proper fund, provided that fees incurred by the State, county and any municipality, or in case where pauper's oath is filed, shall be paid to the County Treasury, when collected, and provided that where any officer is compensated wholly on a fee basis, such fees may be retained by such officer, or paid into the Treasury of the county as the Commissioners' Court may direct. All Notaries Public, County Surveyors and Public Weighers shall continue to be compensated on a fee basis."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to vote of the qualified voters of this State and the next general election to be held on Tuesday, after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1934, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas adding Section 61 to Article XVI, abolishing the fee system of compensating all district officers and all county officers in counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or more; and authorizing the Commissioners' Court to determine whether County officers in counties containing less than twenty thousand (20,000) population shall be compensated on a fee basis or a salary basis; and authorizing the Commissioners' Court in all counties of this State to determine whether precinct officers shall be compensated on a fee or a salary basis."

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas adding Section 61 to Article XVI, abolishing the fee system of compensating all district officers and all county officers in counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or more; and authorizing the Commissioners' Court to determine whether county officers in counties containing less than twenty thousand (20,000) population shall be compensated on a fee basis or a salary basis; and authorizing the Commissioners' Court in all counties of this State to determine whether precinct officers shall be compensated on a fee or a salary basis."

Each voter shall scratch out with pen or pencil the clause which he desires to vote against so as to indicate whether he is voting for or against said proposed amendment.

A true copy,
W. W. HEATH,
Secretary of State.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 41

Be It Resolved By The Legislature Of The State Of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 5, of Article XI, of the Constitution of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 5. Cities having more than five thousand (5000) inhabitants may, by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, at an election held for that purpose, adopt or amend their charters, subject to such limitations as may be prescribed by the Legislature, and providing that no charter or any ordinance passed under said charter shall contain any provision inconsistent with the Constitution of the State, or of the general laws enacted by the Legislature of this State; said cities may levy, assess and collect such taxes as may be authorized by law or by their charters; but no tax for any purpose shall ever be lawful for any one year, which shall exceed two and one-half per cent (2½%) of the taxable property of such city, and no debt shall ever be created by any city, unless at the same time provision be made to assess and collect annually a sufficient sum to pay the interest thereon and creating a sinking fund for at least two per cent (2%) thereon; provided further, that no city charter shall be altered, amended or repealed oftener than every twelve (12) months."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State at the next general election, to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1934; at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting any Home Rule City to alter, amend or repeal its charter every twelve (12) months;" and those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting any Home Rule City to alter, amend or repeal its charter every twelve (12) months."

A true copy,
W. W. HEATH,
Secretary of State.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 30

Be It Resolved By The Legislature Of The State Of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 16, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereinafter read as follows:

"Section 16. All land mentioned in Sections 11, 12 and 15 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, now belonging to the University of Texas shall be subject to the taxation for county and school district purposes to the same extent as lands privately owned; provided they shall be rendered for taxation upon the values fixed by the State Tax Board and that the values fixed for school district purposes shall not exceed the values fixed for county purposes on the same land; and provided that the University of Texas from the University Available Fund, shall remit annually to each of the counties and school districts in which said lands are located an amount equal to the tax imposed upon said land for county and school district purposes."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State at the next general election, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas subjecting the lands of the University of Texas to taxation for county and school purposes, and providing for the payment of said taxes to the proper authorities of the counties and school districts where said lands are located," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas subjecting the lands of the University of Texas to taxation for county and school district purposes, and providing for the payment of said taxes to the proper authorities of the counties and school districts where said lands are located."

A true copy,
W. W. HEATH,
Secretary of State.

Dr. C. Q. Smith, president of McMurray Methodist College in Abilene filled the pulpit at the First Methodist Church in Floydada Sunday.

Miss Doris Clonts, of Abilene, is in Floydada this week visiting with her father, J. W. Clonts.

CATTLE BUYING RESUMED BY GOVERNMENT IN DROUTH DISTRICTS

Austin, August 20.—The government has resumed its cattle buying program in Texas.

C. Z. Crain, director of the commodities distribution department of the Texas Relief Commission instructed appraisers and Bureau of Animal Industry inspectors to resume buying on the basis of quota allotment to all emergency drouth counties.

By the new arrangement, the most emaciated herds will be bought first and all farmers and ranchmen in the designated counties will be reached. In arriving at the quota basis, the 233 emergency drouth counties were divided into 110 districts and cattle to be shipped out of the state will be bought in each district at the rate of 150 head per day.

"Every county will benefit from this new plan," Crain said. "Up to the time orders were issued to stop buying, we had no system, and things were soon out of control and pens were overflowed. We received many complaints from owners about the way the program was being handled. So, in working out the new plan, we went down the list of counties, rated them good, fair or poor according to authentic reports as to their condition. The number of cattle previously taken out of the county was considered and the state was divided into 110 districts. Most of the districts include two counties; some embrace three."

One crew of appraisers, consisting of Bureau of Animal Industry representatives and county agents, will be assigned to each district. In the two-county districts, they will work three days in one county then move to the other county to finish up the week.

Adding cows condemned as unfit for shipment out of state, the crews will buy a total of approximately 200 head per day in each district or a grand total of approximately 20,000. In order to insure observance of the program, county administrators, who are agents of the Federal Surplus Relief Corporation in the cattle buying program, have been instructed to accept not more than 450 head for shipping purposes from any one county per week.

Government canneries will continue to take care of some of the surplus beefs at the rate of about 2,000 per day, Crain said, and shipments out of state will be resumed at the rate of 15,000 per day, the greatest out-of-state allotment of any state in the union, Crain said.

ZONE MEETING WILL GATHER AT WHITEFLAT

The third zone in the Plainview district of the Methodist Missionary Society will hold their next meeting in Whiteflat (near Matador) Tuesday, August 28, beginning at 10 a. m. Mrs. S. S. Sloneker, Plainview, is district secretary and will be at the meeting. Mrs. Bryan Wells, Lockney, is zone leader and Mrs. Will Scell, Floydada, is secretary.

A large representation is expected from all the auxiliaries in the zone which includes Floydada, Matador, Cone, Flomot, Whiteflat, Fairview, Lockney and Dougherty. The following is the program for the day:

Devotional—Mrs. John Smith, of Matador.
Welcome Address—Mrs. Charlie Harris, Whiteflat.
Response—Mrs. Mina Lee Solomon, Floydada.
Recent News From China—Mrs. J. L. West, Floydada.
Reading—Mrs. J. R. Whitworth, Matador.
Sermon, "Peace in the World Today"—Rev. L. L. Hill, Lockney.
Noon—Covered Dish Luncheon.
Devotional—Mrs. G. D. Pope, of Flomot.
Address on Peace—Mrs. J. M. Wilson, Floydada.
Playlet—The World Outlook, by Lockney.
Reports from every auxiliary.
Quartet by Matador.
Words from Mrs. S. S. Sloneker.
Benediction.

REPAIRS AT HILLOREST SCHOOL

Recent repairs in schools of Floyd County include a repair project at the Hillcrest school in northeast Floyd County. The repairs included a general repairing, on both interior and exterior of the building.

Mrs. J. E. Swinson, and daughters Billy Jean, Nell and Mrs. Merle E. Reed and Mrs. E. C. Nelson were visitors in Lubbock Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cothran and Miss Ruby Cothran returned Sunday from Wellington and other points where they had been on a week's visit.

FUEL SURVEY WILL BE MADE BY COUNTY RELIEF ADMINISTRATORS

County administrators have been asked to conduct a survey relating to the problem of fuel for relief clients the coming winter.

The survey will ascertain the cost of fuel last winter and the estimated cost of fuel necessary to furnish during October, November, December, January, and February next. Administrators also were requested to estimate the average cost of fuel per family and the number of families for whom fuel will have to be provided.

Results will be compiled and forwarded to Washington, C. Z. Crain, director of commodities distribution, said. The survey is expected to determine on what basis fuel will be supplied during the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parks, of Crosbyton, visited in Floydada Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Johnston.

J. D. McBrien left Sunday for Arkansas where he is visiting with his relatives. He will be gone for several days.

Alvah Hull went to Snyder Sunday to take his father, I. D. Hull, who had been visiting in Floydada for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy O'Brien and Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Callihan returned Thursday night from Highland, Los Angeles, California, where they had visited for a week. They visited Mr. O'Brien's father, Leo O'Brien, in Highland and the Catalina Islands.

BUDGET FOR 1934-35 TERM FLOYDADA SCHOOLS ADOPTED FOLLOWING HEARING

A budget for the schools in the Floydada Independent School District was adopted last week following a hearing before the public held Wednesday afternoon. The budget was for the 1934-35 term of school which opens Monday, September 3.

The total amount of available funds during the year, exclusive of \$26,936.00 delinquent taxes, is \$44,289.88. Total disbursements set out in the budget amounts to \$43,881.00.

Receipts in the total available fund are: State available fund, \$14,784.00; County available fund, \$896; Local taxes, \$23,747.38; tuition, \$2,500.00; vocational aid, \$1,537.50.

Disbursements will be as follows: A General Control, Educational administration, etc., \$3,696.00; B. Instructional service \$23,540.00; Operation school plant, \$2,875.00; maintenance of school plant, \$250.00; total fixed charges \$950.00; total debt service, \$12,850.00; total disbursements, \$43,881.00.

Total receipts, including \$26,936 delinquent taxes collectable, and against which there are vouchers and short time loans outstanding amounting to \$17,010.81—\$71,226.54. Total disbursements with payment of vouchers and short time loan and borrowed money, \$60,891.81.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Abernathy and family left Friday morning for points in Alabama and other southern states. They will visit with relatives in Alabama, returning in two weeks.

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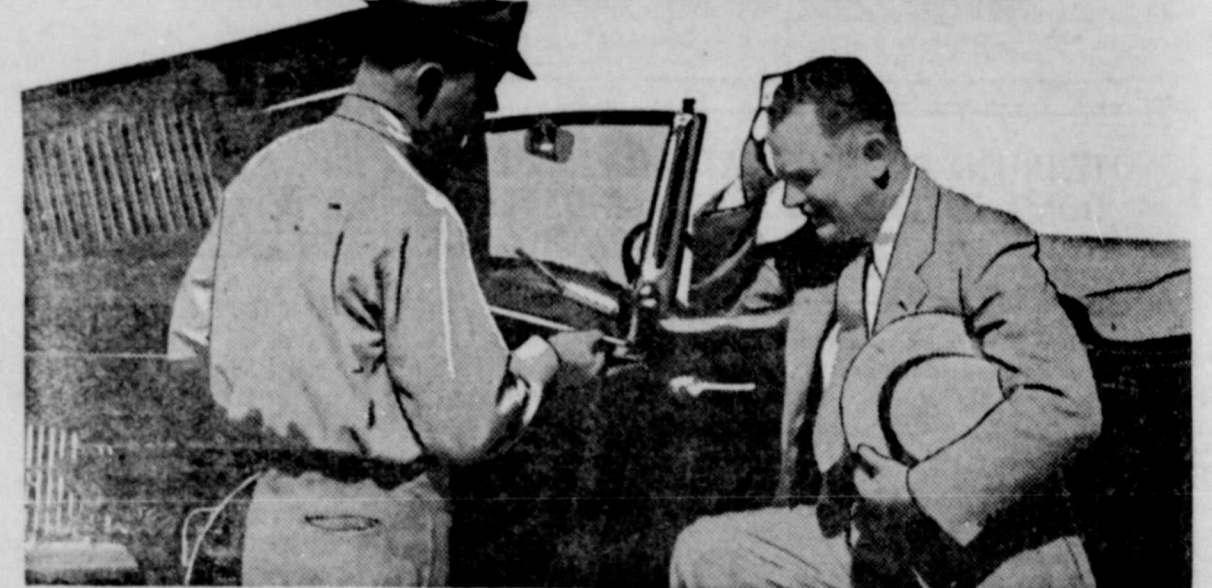
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CONSTRUCTION STARTER ON SERVICE STATION ON HIGHWAY 28 MONDAY

Construction work was started Monday morning on a 20 by 32 foot building on Armstrong's corner in southeast Floydada, which will house a Texaco service station. The new station will be owned and operated by Sam Smith formerly operator of the Blue Goose.

The station, which will be built of wood and stucco, will be located in the corner of Highway 28 and South 12th street. Cost will be approximately \$1,000.00, when completed. Will Walker has the contract for the construction of the station.

Workmen expect to complete the building this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Warren and daughter are expected to return this week from a ten day vacation trip to east Texas. They have been gone since last Thursday.

W. H. Seale left Sunday for Kansas City where he is in market for merchandise for the Seale store in Floydada. He will return the latter part of this week.

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1934 ANNUAL REPORT SHOWS COLLECTIONS TAXES GREATER LAST YEAR

An annual report filed by County Tax Collector Frank L. Moore with the state comptroller shows that the tax collections thus far during 1934 have been less than during a similar period during 1933.

The annual report in July 1933 showed: State tax collections for Floyd County to be \$24,854.55; county taxes \$19,437.53 and school collections to be \$21,035.08. For July 1934 the annual report shows the following collections: State \$7,965.92; county \$7,846.71 and school \$7,287.91.

I. M. Steen, of Canyon, spent last week end visiting in Floydada with his daughters, Mrs. O. W. Harris and Mrs. Euell Johnston and his son, Bob Steen, of Wake. He returned home Monday morning.

Miss Beth Pitts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pitts of Canyon, and granddaughter of Mrs. Sarah K. Duncan, Floydada, is in Chicago at the World's Fair. She went in company with four friends, two of whom were from Clayton, New Mexico, where she taught school last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Johnston returned Saturday from East Texas where they had been visiting for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cline spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting in Sudan with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nickels and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Pope and family, of Dallas, are visiting in Floydada with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Pope. Mr. Pope is employed by the Humble Refining Company.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Those whose names appear below have authorized The Floyd County Plainsman to announce their candidacy for nomination for the office under which their names appear subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election of July 28, 1934:

For Congress 19th Congressional District:
CLARK M. MULLICAN
Lubbock, Texas
GEORGE H. MAHON
Colorado, Texas

For Judge 110th Judicial District:
A. J. FOLLEY
H. A. C. BRUMMETT

For District Attorney 110th Judicial District:
ALTON B. CHAPMAN

For County Treasurer:
MRS. MAUD MERRICK
(Re-election)

For County Attorney:
WINFRED F. NEWSOME

For District Clerk:
GEORGE B. (B) MARSHALL

For County Clerk:
A. B. CLARK

For County School Superintendent:
E. C. NELSON
C. A. CASS

For Collector and Assessor:
FRANK L. MOORE
(Re-election)

For Sheriff of Floyd County:
E. S. RANDERSON

For Commissioner Precinct One:
A. S. CUMMINGS
(Re-election)

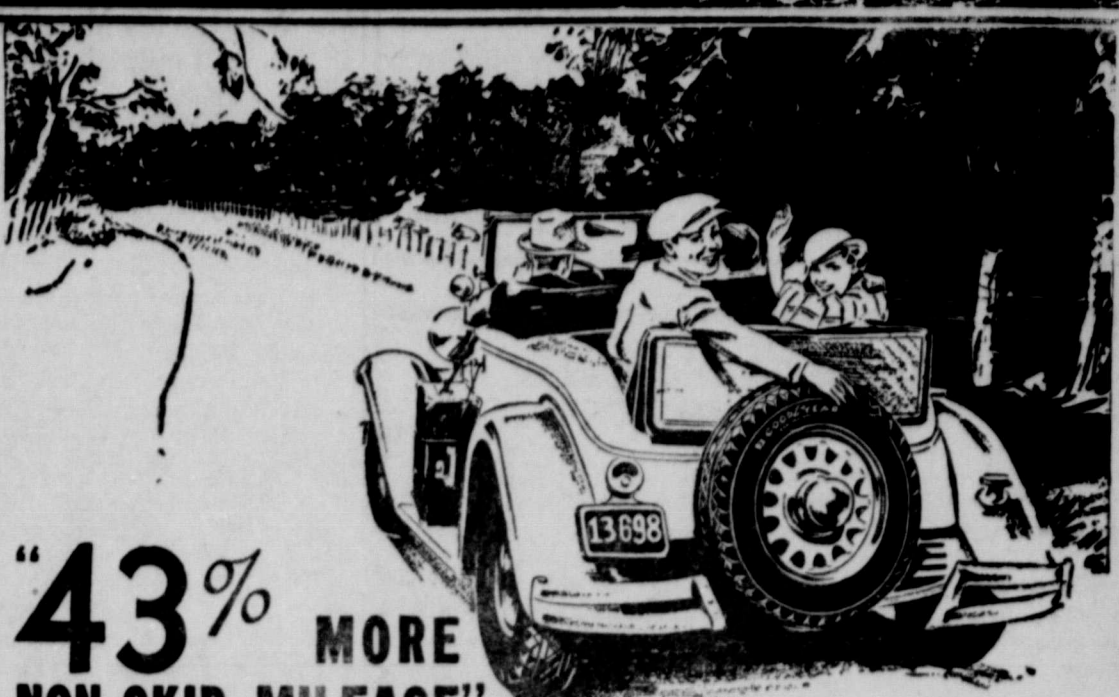
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J. N. Johnston

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, 120th DISTRICT.

The July Primary disclosed the fact that a majority did not favor A. B. Tarwater; that several thousand voters did not vote; that promises made and not fulfilled will reverse the votes of A. B. Tarwater; that many votes in the Legislature would not be approved by the voters if they had a way to know the facts; that his promises to get highways designated and constructed by the Commission failed.

He failed in all his efforts to get over the "Oleomargarine Bill". Several claim the distinction of getting over the gas refund to the farmers. Tarwater has never explained the bill in full to any audience. He never explained his efforts in restricting the State for Senators and Representatives.

He has never explained why so many sessions of the Legislature in matters of the relief bonds. He has never explained why certain interests with headquarters at Austin wrote many letters to voters in his favor. He does not and cannot show by the records any great constructive measure he introduced and passed in his six years at Austin. Six years is too long a term. Elect a new Representative.

Mr. Tarwater has never explained why he voted to refund all counties that had constructed highways before constructing highways in counties that have none. Mr. Tarwater never discusses his vote on pari-mutuel race betting. (H. B. No. 12, Nov. 3, 1933, House Journal, Second Called Session, 43rd Legislature). In the gasoline refund to farmers, Mr. Tarwater has never explained that other interests receive refunds.

If you want to build highways in the counties of this district.

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FLOYDADA, TEXAS,

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(Political Advertising)

Miss Virginia Welch And Mr. Wm. Cauley Married In Lubbock Sunday

Miss Virginia Welch, daughter of Mrs. A. J. Welch of Floydada, and Mr. Wm. Cauley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cauley, of Comanche, Texas, were married in Lubbock Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

The wedding was held at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. A. L. Scoggin, 1908 Main street. Rev. N. L. Clark, pastor of the Church of Christ in Fort Worth and superintendent of the Fort Worth Schools, read the ceremony. Rev. Clark was conducting a meeting in Lubbock.

Miss Merle Scoggin, cousin of the bride, was bride's maid and Mr. Lewis I. Norman, of Floydada, was best man.

The bride wore a navy blue sport suit with navy accessories and wore a corsage of baby-breath, pink rosebuds and fern.

The bride was reared in Floydada and attended the schools here. She finished Floydada High School in 1933 and attended Abilene Christian College in 1933-34. She was prominent in school activities.

The groom finished high school in Comanche in 1928. He was a student in Texas University at Austin for three years where he was a member of Alpha Epsilon Delta fraternity. He was a student in Duncan's School of Pharmacy at Dallas in 1933 and 1934.

Mr. and Mrs. Cauley visited in Floydada Monday and Tuesday, leaving Wednesday morning for Comanche where they are making their home. He is employed in Service Drug in Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis I. Norman, Misses Mildred Strickland and Maxine Fry and Messrs. Ernest Carter and Claud Hammonds attended the wedding from Floydada.

Announcement For Mt. Blanco Baptist Church For Saturday and Sunday

Following is the announcement of services for the Mt. Blanco Baptist Church for Sunday, August 26 and Saturday night, August 25:

Preaching Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

Sunday school 10 o'clock Sunday morning.

Preaching 11 o'clock Sunday morning.

B. Y. P. U. 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening.

Preaching 8:30 o'clock Sunday evening.

Members urged to be present. Visitors welcomed.

REV. G. W. TUBBS, Pastor.

FIRST BALE 1934 COTTON FOR FLOYD COUNTY GINNED WEDNESDAY MORNING

The first bale of 1934 cotton crop from Floyd County was ginned Wednesday morning, having been brought in Tuesday afternoon by D. W. Burke who farms three miles south of Sandhill, on the Lewis farm.

Floyd County's first 1934 bale was ginned at the Texas Cotton Growers Gin. The bale which was received this week was brought in earlier this year than any other year in the history of the county gin men said.

The first bale weighed 470 pounds and graded strict middling with 13-16 inch staple. Mr. Burke said that he picked the cotton from a 36 acre patch which had started opening up. The yield was said to be fair.

Due to an extended dry period the cotton harvest will start in Floyd County earlier this year than ever before, it is thought. The drought, together with the government curtailment programs, have cut Floyd County's production down several thousand bales.

The first 1934 bale had not been sold yesterday afternoon but Mr. Burke was ready to sell as soon as gin men could arrange for the premium and get transactions for a Bankhead tax exemption tag completed.

In 1933 the first bale was brought to Floydada by S. M. Crawford of near Dougherty. It weighed 584 pounds, graded bright middling. This bale sold for nine cents plus the premium. Mr. Crawford ginned the first bale at the Texas Cotton Growers Gin on September 7.

MRS. B. HATLEY ON VACATION

Mrs. B. Hatley, operator of the Western Union Telegraph Company in Floydada, Tuesday at noon started her vacation from her duties there. She will be gone two weeks.

F. E. Smith, of Dallas, relief operator started work Tuesday at noon in Mrs. Hatley's place. Mrs. Hatley and Mr. Hatley, who is employed at Texas Service Station, plan to leave this week for the World's Fair in Chicago.

MISS EVELYN WRIGHT AND MR. HAL SCOTT MARRIED LAST SUNDAY NIGHT

Miss Evelyn Wright, of Farmer community in Crosby county, and Mr. Hal Scott, of Carr's Chapel in Floyd County, were married Sunday night at 8:30 o'clock in a beautiful church wedding at the Carr's Chapel Methodist Church.

Rev. E. L. Hill, pastor of the Lockney Methodist Circuit, read the simple ring ceremony.

Mrs. M. D. Ramsey, of Carr's Chapel, played Lohengrin's wedding procession and Mendelssohn's wedding recessional. Mrs. Ruben Ruthford, sister of the groom, sang "I Love You" preceding the ceremony and following the ceremony, "When Your Hair Has Turned to Silver."

D. A. Edwards, of Crosbyton, cousin of the groom was the best man and Horace Carr was another attendant. The bride's sister was brides maid, and two of her nieces served as flower girls. Following the ceremony the wedding party and several friends and relatives went to the Scott home in the Harmony community where an informal reception was held and refreshments of cake and punch were served. A number of the younger people of the community gave the newly married couple a chairvree later in the evening.

The bride is a daughter of a pioneer family of Crosby county and is well known and well liked in the community. The groom was reared in Floyd County, attending school at Harmony and in Floydada. He finished Floydada Schools in 1927. Mr. and Mrs. Scott will make their home in the Harmony community.

MRS. WM. CAULEY, RECENTLY MARRIED, HONORED WITH CINDERELLA SHOWER

Mrs. Wm. Cauley, who before her marriage Sunday was Miss Virginia Welch, was named honoree at a shower Tuesday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock.

The shower, which carried out a cinderella motif, was given at the home of Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, 503 West California, with the following as hostesses: Mrs. C. L. Minor, Mrs. Tony B. Maxey, Mrs. Roe McCleskey, Mrs. W. E. Stone, Mrs. J. M. Gambelin, Mrs. J. A. Arwine, Mrs. Lewis I. Norman, and Misses Mildred Strickland, Maxine Fry, Mrs. Snodgrass, Mrs. W. R. Dopley and Mrs. J. U. Borum.

The lawn, where the guests assembled, was made more beautiful with cut flowers and baskets of flowers and greenery. A large cinderella slipper held the large number of gifts to the bride and little Charlotte Ray Scoggin, cousin of the bride of Lubbock, sat in the shoe, presiding over the gifts. A orange and green color scheme was carried out.

Mary Lou Scoggin, of Lubbock, gave a reading as the first number of a short program. Mrs. G. E. Bond gave a vocal solo and Mrs. Lou V. Smith, made a toast to the bride. Charlotte Ray Scoggin carried a slipper to several of the guests and they fitted it, but not correctly and she then carried it to the honoree, whose foot it fit exactly and she was named the cinderella.

Approximately 80 guests registered in the bride's book.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breed will leave this week for Houston where Mr. Breed has been transferred to work in the office of the Land Bank with whom he has been employed for some time.

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MRS. O. M. McREYNOLDS HONOREE AT SHOWER GIVEN BY JOINT HOSTESSES

Mrs. C. P. Looper, Miss Edwina Christian, Miss Marguerite Leonard, Mrs. Martin Brown and Miss Mary Looper were joint hostesses at a shower Tuesday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock honoring Mrs. O. M. McReynolds, who before her recent marriage was Miss Florence Summers.

The shower was given at the Looper home, on West Houston street. A dutch idea was carried out in the arrangements. Mrs. Floyd Simpson sang, "Little Dutch Mill," and was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Martin Brown.

Many useful gifts were received by the bride. Following registered in the bride's book: Mrs. J. A. Carruth, Mrs. Lucien Wheeler, Mrs. W. F. Daniels, Mrs. Reece Grubbs, Mrs. Holland, Mrs. Patterson, Miss Bernita Patterson, Miss Mildred Wilson, Miss Mabel Teague, Mrs. W. S. Goen, Mrs. A. B. Clark, Mrs. R. F. Jackson, Miss Floyd Holland, Mrs. Harry Christian, Mrs. G. T. Young, Mrs. Troy Leonard, Mrs. Floyd Simpson, Mrs. E. C. Brown, and the hostesses.

MISS FLORENCE SUMMERS AND MR. O. M. McREYNOLDS MARRIED SATURDAY EVENING

Miss Florence Summers, daughter of Mrs. Summers of south of Floydada, and Mr. O. M. McReynolds, also of Floydada, were married Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

County Judge J. W. Howard officiated at the ceremony held in his office in the court house.

The bride was attended by her sister-in-law, Mrs. McReynolds, Misses Edwina Christian, Marguerite Leonard and Mary Looper.

Both the bride and groom have resided in Floydada for some time and are well known. Mr. and Mrs. McReynolds will make their home in this county.

County Judge J. W. Howard and Mrs. Howard left last week for Pueblo, Colorado, where they are visiting with their son for several days.

Miss Rachael Eubanks, of Whitney, is visiting in Floydada this week with her uncle, J. E. Eubank, Mrs. Eubank and the family.

Misses Helene and Maureen Hay left Sunday for Monahans, Texas, where they are visiting for several days.

Forrest Fry returned Sunday from Dallas where he had been visiting for several days with relatives and friends.

Buster Smalley returned Friday from Dallas and other points in East Texas, where he had visited with relatives for two weeks.

Mrs. Harry L. Gynes, of San Antonio, visited in Floydada last mid-week with friends. She was visiting with her mother, Mrs. Hubbard, in Lockney.

Miss Mildred Houston, of Hamilton, Texas, arrived Thursday for a visit in Floydada with her uncle, J. B. Houston and Mrs. Houston.



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Miss. Thelma Swain, who had been visiting in Floydada for several days, left Sunday to return to her home in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Allen and son, Rellis, of Lubbock, visited in Floydada Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Eubank.

A RURAL SCHOOL MAN SEEKING TO BE SUPERINTENDENT OF RURAL SCHOOLS

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WE WISH TO THANK THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY FOR THE SPLENDID VOTE GIVEN GEORGE MAHON ON THE 28th OF JULY

In his race for Congress in this district and ask for their continued good will and support. To those who did not support him in the first Primary we invite your consideration and support of his candidacy.

If elected to Congress George Mahon will represent **ALL** the people of the District. He is honest, capable and qualified to be the personal representative of every citizen in this District in any worthy undertaking.

Age 33. 26 years in the District. Serving fourth term as District Attorney.

Let's elect him to Congress!

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