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2.80 Inches Rain Brightens Crop Hopes City Officials To Be Selected Tuesday, April 1

Present Incumbents Draw Opponents In Race This Year

Interest Indicates That
Voting Will Be Heavy
For "Off Year"

Electors in the City of Floydada will name a complete slate of officials in the biennial election to be held Tuesday, April 1, when they go to the polls and select:

A mayor, a city secretary, a marshal, and

Five members of the council or aldermen all to serve for a two-year period.

All preparations for the election had been completed this week, and now only awaits the opening of the polls on Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock. J. G. Wood has been named as presiding judge, E. P. Nelson associate judge, W. H. Henderson, Mrs. G. Scott King and two others to be named by the presiding judge. Polls will remain open throughout the day and until 7 p. m. Voting will be done at the city hall on West Virginia street.

A departure is noted this year from the practice for about the past 15 years of requiring a city poll tax receipt in order to participate in city elections. The council did not levy a city poll tax for this year following a decision by a Texas high court holding that where city poll taxes are levied a resident within the city must hold city poll tax as well as county and state to participate in general and special elections and party primaries.

However, it is pointed out, the statutory requirement is that for a person to participate in a city election he must hold a receipt showing payment of the state and county poll tax. A certified list of poll tax payers from the county assessor-collector's office will be used to check electors who offer to vote.

Todate there has been little of the usual fireworks incident to the annual election of city officers. However, it appears that interest is keen in all races and that there will be a relatively high vote for an off-year in politics. A sample ballot is presented in this newspaper.

Officials whose successors will be chosen Tuesday are as follows: Mayor, Glad Snodgrass; secretary, Silas E. Duncan; marshal, Morgan Wright; aldermen, Conner Oden, R. E. Fry, Mark Martin, John Lanier, and W. U. White.

Under each office a blank space is left for the benefit of the elector who wishes to vote for any person other than those whose names have been filed.

**MASONIC CERTIFICATE
MEN TO MEET HERE**

Members of the Certificate Men's association of the 96th district, A. F. & A. M., will gather at the hall of Floydada lodge tonight for a founders' meeting.

E. P. Stone, of Plainview, is secretary of the association.

**Committee Decides To Sponsor Rodeo
Here For Pioneer Celebration Next May**

**Roy Snodgrass To Head
Rodeo Association
Again This Year**

It begins to look like you'd better take up practice on your horsemanship, to train your favorite nag not to be skittish around crowds and to make any other arrangements necessary in advance of the rodeo on May 28 and 29.

What to do and how to get it done were discussed Monday night at the American Legion hall when several enthusiasts for the rodeo met and talked things over, with Roy L. Snodgrass, president of last year's organization, presiding. Inclement weather cut down the attendance considerably but those present:

Tentatively set the dates for the rodeo for May 28 (Pioneer's Re-union day) and May 29.

Named as committee composed of J. A. Arwine, Cecil Hagood, Irvin Bennett and T. P. Collins to make a drive for pledges against loss on the rodeo.

And began plans for advertising the event, getting local and other sponsors.

Definite enthusiasm for the rodeo already has become evident in widely varied sections and in Floydada.

Roy Snodgrass said Monday night that Ollie Cox, Sweetwater rancher who was here last year with stock and riding horses for the rodeo, would like to come back again this year on the same profit-sharing basis as last. Cox will not "make" (See RODEO, back page)

Sample Ballot

CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS

For Mayor--

GLAD SNODGRASS

W. U. WHITE

For Secretary--

SILAS E. DUNCAN

CLYDE W. HENDERSON

For City Marshal--

MORGAN WRIGHT

BOB SMITH

For Aldermen--

(Vote for 5 Only)

CONNER ODEN

MARK MARTIN

JOHN LANIER

R. A. GARRETT

J. D. MCBRIEN

V. WILLIAMS

CHARLIE BEDFORD

F. C. HARMON

B. K. BARKER

105 Seniors Named To Graduate

Exercise Set For May
23, Baccalaureate
On May 18

One-hundred-five seniors will march up for high school diplomas on May 23, according to Walter Travis, superintendent of Floydada High school.

The list of graduates includes the names of 54 boys and 51 girls. This beats by three the number of seniors who received diplomas at graduation exercises last spring.

The seniors listed for diplomas are:

Boys
Anderson, James; Arnold, Robert; Arwine, Joe; Asher, Billy; Bishop, Kenneth; Boyd, James; Brown, Winston; Burke, James;

Chowning, LeRoy; Cornelius, Donald; Cozby, L. B.; Crawford, Benny; Daily, Jack; Denison, Gilmer; DuBois, Weldon; Foster, Bruce; Goen, Norman; Griffin, Tommie; Grigsby, J. W.;

Handley, Leon; Head, Noel; Hill, Calvin; Hodge, Kenneth; Irwin, Shirley; Jester, J. P.; Johnston, Warren; Jones, Neel; Kennamer, Presley; Kirk, David; Love, H. C.;

McCleskey, Greer; McIntosh, Tommie; McNeely, Vernon; Michael, Jess; Nichols, J. L.; Norman, Buddy; Owens, Charlie Bill; Parrish, Carl; Patterson, Dillon; Patterson, Gordon; Patterson, Russell; Smith, Jack; Smith, L. H.; Sneythe, Jimmie; Steen, Maurice; Steen, Phil; Tubbs, George; Turner, James; Turner, Royce; Tyler, E. L.; Walls, Doyle; Wester, James; Williams, Aldine; Womack, Arthur, Jr.;

Girls
Barbee, Eula; Battey, Vera Faye; Baxter, Wanda; Billingsley, Lavelle; Blackmon, Mona Ruth; Bratton, Janette; Brock, Ellen; Clubb, Lee Dale; Connelley, Geneva; Crabtree, Ella B.; Cypert, Edith Kate;

Duncan, Marjorie; Edwards, Mozelle; Fagan, Nelda; Felps, Lois; Fields, Francis; Finley, Wida Ruth; Fortenberry, Evelyn; Fyffe, Ariene; Graham, Nadine;

Hamm, Madine; Handley, Layverne; Harris, Norma Mae; Head, Mary Lois; Head, Rachel; Hinton, Maudell; Hopper, Laddelle; Jackson, Bennie Ruth; Jernigan, Bertha Lee; Jones, Ima Nell; Lide, Dellah; Martin, Eugenia; McCleskey, Bettie Jo; Millican, Juanita; Moore, Corene; Morrison, Phyllis; Morrison, Virginia;

Olson, Verna Lynn; Perry, Betty Jo; Powell, Helen; Rafferty, Virginia; Ring, Helen; Russell, Bonnie; Shirley, Edith; Stanton, Loyce; Willson, Louise; Womack, Mattie Lee; Woody, Imogene; Woolsey, Vonnell; Yearwood, Martha; Yoakum, Virginia.

Democratic Drive For Funds Still Lags, Chairman

Appreciation For Benefits
Seems To Be Lacking
Among Democrats

Floyd county Democrats who have taken a half million dollars a year for the past five years from the farm program initiated by the Democratic party evidently have been doing so with tongue in cheek, if response to the appeal of the Democratic chairman of the county last week can be taken as a measure.

Seeking only \$115 of a \$210 deficit in the county party deficit the chairman Tuesday announced that \$51 had been received. This in response to a county-wide appeal. "The response in some instances has been everything that could be expected," said the chairman.

On the other hand we have had no response whatever from many people who have been looked upon as life-long Democrats and supporters of the party and its program.

While the drive for funds to make up the party's national committee deficit formally closes with Jackson Day dinners over the state Saturday night, local weather conditions are looked upon as having hampered the drive in this county and the list will be kept open all of next week, it was announced yesterday.

Floyd county residents owe much to the present administration in bettered economic conditions, it was pointed out by the county chairman this week. Any precinct chairman in the county is empowered to receive and receipt for funds from those who want to aid in raising this county's quota.

Future Farmers And 4-H Groom Their Show Stock

Committee Adopts Rules To Govern Livestock Show
During Meeting Friday Night With
County Agent

Floyd county F. F. A. and 4-H club boys were busy this past week polishing and grooming their entries for the annual Floyd County Junior livestock show.

The weather cooperated little in the matter and threatened to disrupt some of the plans being made for the event, and forced the boys to confine their grooming and polishing to the barns and sheds.

The show committee headed by County Agent D. F. Bredthauer met Friday night in the agriculture offices and adopted a set of rules which would govern the show on Friday, April 4.

Due to the number of entries which has been listed for the show, no building of sufficient capacity to house the event could be found. It was agreed to hold the show in the open, the lot next to Armour creamery was selected.

4-H F. F. A. and adult breeders are requested to have their livestock on the ground ready to show at 9 a. m. Pens are being arranged for this week under the direction of the County Agent, E. L. Angus, Geo. B. McAllister and H. G. Barber.

Attention is called to 4-H and F. F. A. boys that the committee requests that no boy enter more than five pigs or five lambs, and that no boy can enter more than three dairy calves or three fat calves.

A. L. Smith and G. G. Gibson of the extension service, will act as judges and make the proper classifications during the show. The judging will start immediately after 9 o'clock.

Adult dairy breeders of Floyd county entered some 15 head of dairy cattle last year, and it is expected that a fine array of dairy cows will be on display during the show from such herds as Geo. B. McAllister and V. Williams, Judge Alton B. Chapman, W. H. Brock, J. R. Hinton, Oscar Stansell and others.

The show committee decided at the meeting to encourage as many of the 4-H and FFA boys who have projects to sell their fat calves and lambs with the South Plains group who will take their livestock and sell on the open market at Kansas City.

This will give these boys another opportunity to show their livestock at the Plainview Dairy show, which is one week later. The livestock going to Kansas City will move over the Santa Fe system and arrangements are being made where 4-H and FFA boys will be able to load their livestock at Floydada in the morning by 8 o'clock and the remainder of the Plainview cattle will be concentrated at Plainview.

Floyd county junior feeders have contributed livestock to the Kansas City junior sale for a number of years and it is expected that a number of 1940 feeding demonstrations will be disposed of in this manner. Arrangements are also being made where boys may accompany their livestock to Kansas City under the supervision of adult leaders and agricultural agents in the South Plains.

In the past the expenses of travel lodging and meals have been around \$7.50 and anyone, 4-H or FFA boy, wishing to make this trip personally may contact the county agent and make reservations.

Due to the complications that have come up in a number of entries in the different classes of livestock, the committee decided that it would be best to distribute the prize money equally among dairy calves and beef calves; therefore, instead of \$50 in one class or \$75 in another class the money would be added together and \$125 placed in the calf division for dairy and beef calves.

The hog and lamb money would be done the same way, making \$70 in the "pot" for hogs and lambs. Three divisions in the prize money will be made. All livestock entered in the first class will receive three points; all in the second class will receive two points; all in the third class will receive one point and each exhibitor will share in the prize money according to his rating or classification.

The weather man threatened to put a crimp into Floyd county interscholastic league plans for this week-end. The rains of this week have definitely created a hardship for all outdoor events, and may prove to be the cause of a postponement.

With over 150 children out of school this week because of bad roads, it may be that the entire program will be postponed until a later date to be announced by Director General Walter Travis.

Travis said Wednesday that the "postponement" would depend upon the weather this morning, and the "promise" of the weather man. It appeared a cinch that the meet would not be "dusted" out as has happened so often in the past.

Track will of a necessity be held on a pasture ground, or possibly the golf course just southwest of Floydada, since the regular track is a lake at this time. Even with bright sunshine the remainder of the week, it would be almost impossible to use Wester Field.

Playground ball scheduled for last Saturday was also rained out and a completely new date must be determined by the director and his aides. Tennis is set for next week-end, and with a big quota of sunshine the courts should be in tip top shape for those events.

In case of a postponement, Travis said that he would notify all schools and directors so that they would not make the trip to town for nothing.

School Busses Are Halted By A Sea Of Mud, Water

League Meet Will Be
Badly Hampered By
Continued Wet

Floyd county splashed about in the finest March wet season in better than 10 years, according to old rain records in The Hesperian office.

With 2.80 inches of rainfall recorded since Friday of last week, Floyd county practically wallowed in a sea of mud and water puddles. Country highways were impassable for all except the most hardy and chain equipped motorist.

Over 175 school children were recorded as absent from Floydada schools because of impassable roads that halted all bus transportation to and from school. Rural school enrollment dropped in some areas because of the soggy highways.

Moisture began falling Friday in the form of a mist and drizzle and by Saturday morning had turned into a heavy rainfall that prevented many of the rural residents from doing their weekly shopping.

Tuesday Jupiter Pluvius again went to work with a will and Floyd county was again treated to a downpour that alternated with slow drizzle and fog. Just to spice up the program a thunderstorm was recorded Tuesday night and Wednesday morning snow was sifting down from time to time.

Rainfall records show that in 1929 March piled up a rainfall total of 3.60 inches, but since that time the best March total was 2 inches in 1935.

First Quarter Report
January, February and March to date have piled up a total of 4.12 inches of moisture. The rainfall record for three months since 1925 reads as follows:

Year	Inches	Year	Inches
1925—	55	1934—	2.60
1926—	2.40	1935—	2.45
1927—	95	1936—	1.25
1928—	2.20	1937—	1.60
1929—	5.30	1938—	4.80
1930—	2.10	1939—	3.90
1931—	2.55	1940—	—
1932—	2.35	1941—	4.12
1933—	1.55		

The Hesperian's 1940 rain reports are missing at this time as the volumes containing the report are being bound in permanent files.

Prospects Are Good
Prospects for a bumper wheat (See RAIN, back page)

Lockney Boxers Will Meet Plainview On Friday Night At 8 In City Auditorium

Longhorn Boxers Busted
Ralls Team Last
Friday Night

LOCKNEY, March 26.—The second of a series of weekly boxing cards will be held in the Lockney city auditorium Friday, March 28 at 8 p. m. when the Lockney High school mittmen tangle with an experienced Plainview team in a 36 round match.

The Lockney Lombasters pounded their ways into the hearts of fandom in last week's matches as they blasted out a seven of ten bout decision at the expense of leather pushers from Ralls, Floydada and South Plains.

The competition Friday is expected to stiffen as the star-studded Plainview aggregation, featuring two state Golden Glove semi-finalists, lead the assault against the rugged Lockney crew.

Big Curtis Kelley, sensational heavyweight kingpin of the Lockney pugilists, is expected to supply the fuse for the evening's feature bout when he squares off with either Rhea Mitchell, Texas Tech's great fighting behemoth and state Golden Glove semi-finalist; or Punchy Henderson, former titleholder of the state at 165 pounds.

Kelley is a lad who packs a knockout wallop in either duke and has been stamped by ringwise veterans of the professional arena as one of the most promising young boxers ever to draw the laces.

Powerful Marvin Brown, Lockney's lightweight sensation is expected to face game little Roy Belk, state Golden Glove semi-finalist. While Brown does not have the ring experience of Belk, he is owner of the most deadly pair of fists within the amateur ranks of lightweights, as evidenced by last week's bout when one of Brown's whistling fists sent his opponent sprawling completely out of the ring.

Market Today

Colored Hens, 4 lbs. and up, . . .	15c
Colored Hens, under 4 lbs. and . . .	12c
all Leghorns, lb., . . .	12c
Cocks, lb., . . .	15c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, lb., . . .	28c
Butterfat, No. 2, . . .	Not Wanted
Eggs	
Eggs, per dozen, candled, No. 1 . . .	15c
Hides	
Free from holes	
No. 1 Hides, lb., . . .	6c
No. 2 Hides, lb., . . .	3c
Grain	
Wheat, bushel, . . .	71c
Threshed Maize, dry, cwt., . . .	90c
Maize cHads, dry, ton \$12 on sood heads.	
Hogs	
(Subject to Change)	
Tops, per cwt., . . .	\$7.70
Packer S-ws, . . .	\$5.50 to \$5.75

EDITORIALS

When the little man undertakes to whip the big man, speaking business-wise, he sometimes gets the decision of the judges but he always comes out second best regardless. As witness the film exhibitors. Members of that guild bucked up at block booking for years. They were victims of an unholy alliance of Jews and Greeks and bankers and were being bled white, the testimony shows. They finally got a decision in the federal courts. This cure they now find is worse than the disease. Whereas small town exhibitors once got their first class pictures 40 to 60 days after the big towns had shown them they will now get them, it appears, 90 to 120 days after the key towns. Whereas the exhibitors paid one price they will now pay a higher price and will take what they can get instead of what they want or have vacancy in their dates, and a generally unstable arrangement throughout. A federal judge says thus and so and the exhibitor not in the know whips himself with his hat. But later he begins to pay and pay.

A few years ago the renter whipped the landlord in the Texas legislature, and re-elected Mr. Ferguson by proxy for governor because of this fact. Has the renter whipped the landlord? Is his situation better than it was fifteen years ago? We do not know but we have an idea he is not. At least he does not live on the farm now. He has moved to town and is working for somebody for so much a day or month or, if particularly good fortune attended, is on the rolls of the Works Progress administration and is trying to be a good citizen by not working more than his allotted hours nor taking any employment on the side that would cheat some fellow man less fortunate of a few hours of work. But the renter, like the picture show man got the decision.

While national defense is spreading employment to a marked degree it is spreading it thick in places and thin in others, making more business at concentration points than can be readily cared for. No military camps, no new highway paving, no manufacturing in your area means you are being drained of your natural quota of youth and artisans and that the big wages and the huge payrolls are going elsewhere. Among other things that may come along is a shortage, for a while at least, of new automobiles. Maybe you will be standing in line to get that new car. Old-timers tell us of the good old days in the other war when low-priced cars were sold on a first-come, first-served basis. You registered and put up a deposit. When your turn came you got your car or transferred your "right" to another at a profit.

Men who were in business, either on the farm or in other lines of endeavor when World War I hit, recall the springs of 1916, 1917 and 1918 were very, very dry in the southwest. It made business very difficult. Most everybody was well down toward the last resource when rains began falling late in 1919 to make a huge return on the investment in 1920. This spring of 1941 the season is a way down deep in the ground, which means a much better situation locally than it did when Uncle Sam first dipped his foot into that other war. There is just mighty little comparison, except there was a question mark then as now about what prices might turn out to be.

How to make money in the next year or more? Would it be a good idea to go into the auto parts business, dealing in parts of popular priced cars now on the market? If you could spend \$20,000 for Chevrolet and Ford replacement parts today would the folks be coming to see you a year hence? Or would it be a profitable thing to go into the wrecking, yard business, assemble hundreds of used cars and have the parts for sale shortly? One cannot know. Who makes a good guess will be a smart man some of these days. As for instance cattlemen who have spent a lifetime in the cattle business agree that cattle are too high for the good of the industry. But with army and navy orders not near filled by the packers would you say to get out of the cattle business, let the grass lease go? Or with wheat nearly 20 cents below the 25-year average would you say hold on to wheat and plant some more with practically all the available storage space already taken? Or would you back cotton or town lots or would you sell some or all these short and buy scrap iron?

On every side it is declared that money will get cheaper and cheaper. But do you see in recent years any banker fellows getting out of the banking business? Are they backing the wrong horse? Wheat and cotton are relatively cheaper than forage feeds but do you see anybody voluntarily cutting their acreage in products to produce either fabric material or the makings of flour? All a sort of mixed up business, and probably the man who does what the most of the folks are not doing will be the long run winner. Hasn't it always been that way?

An Iowa town of 800 population discovered that it was located in Nebraska, and automatically had a tax reduction.

The light of truth never casts shadows of doubt.

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As A Farm Woman Thinks

Nellie Witt Sparks

If you are a new-comer, and by that I mean one that has never seen it rain at this time of year before, by now I am sure that some old-timer has patted you on the back and said, "Bud, this is how it used to rain in this country, before the years of the great drought. I have told you before about it and you would not believe me."

While we are so pepped up, the old adage comes into my mind. "One swallow does not make a summer." And we know that one rain does not make a crop. But it will go a long way toward one. Some say they can raise a crop if they get a few big dews, some sandstorms, assorted and several foggy mornings, but I am sure they will like the slow soaking rain to go with the other ingredients.

The Resurrection Plant

When I was a child we had a plant called the resurrection plant which was brown and dry and curled up till put in water, then we saw it slowly uncurl and turn green before our astonished eyes. In front of our house is a little pasture, called a "starout" in early days. Yesterday it was brown slightly tinged with brownish-green. Today it is very green and seems a miracle wrought by the rain. The winter weeds only were waiting like the resurrection plant for the water to make them unfold and make a green pasture.

Seed's Tiny Life Heart

The development of agriculture, horticulture, and the like is one of the most important and fascinating branches of scientific research. From millions of farm homes and fields comes the supply that feeds the world. There is plenty and to spare. If our laws conformed to God's laws, none would ever go hungry. When we plant a grain of corn, we know we will not get a tomato plant. We can have new and better varieties, but man cannot put the tiny life heart in seeds. Farmers have to have faith when they plant, whether they think so or not. Our thoughts and our ideas are like the seed we sow. Our faith is the soil in which they are planted. Like the gentle life-giving rain that waters the roots of the plant, multiplying them as they seek further for

the precious moisture, is our sincere and grateful praise for the good things we possess. As we breathe words of praise and gratitude for our blessings, they will grow and increase like the tiny seeds of the corn we plant that gives us such an abundant harvest when it has water and the weeds are kept out. What ugly weeds had thoughts are! How the good is choked out by them if we do not get them out.

When we thank the Good Lord for the abundant blessing of the rain, may we ask Him for the blessings of Faith in our hearts.

Here is a prophecy made over two hundred years ago by Thomas Gray the English poet who wrote the famous poem, "Elegy in a Country Churchyard."

"The time shall come when thou shalt lift thine eyes

To watch a long-drawn battle in the skies, While aged peasants, too amazed for words, Stare at the flying fleets of wondrous birds. England, so long the mistress of the sea,

Where winds and waves confess her sovereignty And reign, the sovereign of the conquered air."

Below is a beautiful tribute to Rural Churches, by Dr. Charles Josiah Galpin.

The Rural Church

"The Rural church has handed on to rural men, women and children the precious inner life of the Christian centuries. It continues to impart the gentleness of love, but also the tough steel of endurance. It stands guard night and day over that delicate organ of race, the family. As the horizon of farm and village life widens, the expanding facilities of the rural church will give fresh moral power and influence to the rural community. Our children may live to see an illustrious era in rural American religious history."

Once I thought it would be a good idea for country people to go to town to church and give up the country churches. Swift cars and good roads seemed to make it advisable for this change, I argued. I found I was entirely wrong. The Russians think it best to do away with the family life altogether. We of America know that our whole civilization is founded in good homes scattered all over its broad expanse. We need the country churches, just in the same way we need families in separate homes. Each is a needed unit to make a great nation. Let us be loyal to the church standing for the right in every small community, give our best to make it stand for the things the Savior taught as he walked by the sea of Galilee.

New Life In The Garden

I bogged around in the mud yesterday just to see what things were putting out to new life. The weeping willow swayed green arms to me as I passed. The new roses I set out

this spring have tiny new sprouts. Peach trees are sprouting up in delicate pink, the bridal wreath looks like green mist. Numberless as the sands of the sea seem the buds on the pear trees. Tiny white balls on the wild plum promise sweet beauty soon. The peony is pushing a red head from the wet ground, and the trees I set out two years ago have sturdy strong trunks and will soon make some shade. I plan a long row of blue misty hardy asters this year. Behind them I will put a row of golden Mexican sunflowers. I can hardly keep from ordering everything in the annual flower line the catalogues have to sell. Each flower has an appeal it is hard to resist. I like the flowers that can be cut and brought in the house. This year there will be roses on the old bushes that grew last year. We have put out some fruit trees. What if there is not a crop in many years, it is sufficient pay when they do bear and trees always look good. Fall before last I buried lots of leaves around my roses. Last spring seven Indian peach trees came up from seed with the leaves. We set them out the other day. When I think of Indian peaches it always reminds me of Mrs. H. C. McDermott of Ralls. When I was a child she brought peaches of this variety to Emma to my mother, and these trees I have are some of those same good peaches. But it is a peculiar thing, those she raised were dark red and the ones we raise are white with red streaks. Must be some difference in the land or they have changed with time.

POET'S CORNER

(This column carried on by contributors, entirely without remuneration, under direction of Mary Dean Waters, Becton, Texas, to whom correspondence should be addressed. All manuscripts accompanied by a stamped, self-addressed envelope will be returned. Subjects must be panhandle subjects, or at the most Texas and the immediate southwest).

PANHANDLE TREASURES

The panhandle is chuck full of gold. But not the kind that can grow cold To the touch, nor will it mold When in the hands of the farmer bold. Panhandle beauty is food for the eyes; Just take a look at the stars in the skies, Their silver twinkling removes all sighs. That is one treasure that never dies. Panhandle wealth is the carpet of green On level, level land as far as can be seen. Dotted with cattle, sheep and buffalo bean. With a shimmering mirage to comfort the scene.

Looking for diamonds? I'd say to you Look down at your feet at crystals of dew. See it sparkling and twinkling, so do not rue These riches which are the plains-man's due. Something queer about the panhandle plains, If you ever leave you'll come back again. And with the rest, wait for the rain Which makes gold of the panhandle plains.

Mrs. Carl W. Smith.

BAKE ELM TREES

Cold and bleak with naked arms, To nature's demands the elms stood Senseless to all man-made alarms And man's ever changing mood.

Of the warmer season's green love, liness shorn No more upon their shade could any depend Still there was charm in their bare limbs borne— And with Spring's return beauty again they would blend.

Anne Dodson Buck.

SNOW

When I got sleepy and went to bed, The ground was brown last night, When I awoke this morning The whole wide world was white. The earth looked like a chocolate pie, Now isn't that enticing? With a hard crust underneath And white snow for icing.

Gertrude Friend Scoggins.

AFTERWHILE

A dreary blanket of clouds Covers the sky today, Shutting away the radiance Of the sun's healing ray.

And we walk alone in our grief Too sad to ever smile; But the sun will shine through And banish our tears, 'afterwhile'.

Fay Stapleton, Roy, N. M.

Business man's department store, Hesperian Publishing Co.

LAND

We have land to Sell and to Lease for Farming, Stock-Farming and Grazing purposes, and about 80 acres up, in Floyd, Briscoe, Hall, Motley and other counties. Also large list of Lots in Floydada.

W. M. Massie & Bro. Floydada, Texas

NOTICE TO Car Owners

Cars Must Be Registered In County Where Owner Lives!

1941 Motor Vehicle Licenses are now due and should be paid between now and April 1, 1941. License plates should be placed on all cars by midnight April 1.

Car Owners applying for 1941 license plates, should have their 1940 license number or bring a receipt for 1940 license.

Car Owners driving motor vehicles with out-of-county license for 1940, MUST present 1940 Car license receipt.

All trucks should be weighed the day of registration and affidavit made to that effect.

BUY YOUR LICENSE THIS WEEK

REMEMBER—All motor vehicles must have new 1941 license tags attached by Midnight Tuesday, April 1.

Avoid the last minute rush Monday, by buying your tags this week. If you will observe the requests listed above, we can give you quick and efficient service.

Floyd County gets the benefit of all money taken in from Automobile and Truck registrations... If you live in Floyd County... buy your license at Home.

Geo. B. Marshall

Tax Assessor and Collector, Floyd County, Texas

FLOYD COUNTY 14 YEARS AGO

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

(Thursday, March 24, 1927)

Probability that he will add a third story to the Commercial hotel, plans for which he is now making to be matured early this spring and summer, was announced this week by W. P. Daily, proprietor of the hotel.

E. E. Hinson of Mineral Wells, and E. R. Hinson of Dallas, Tuesday completed arrangements here for store space in the Sarginer & Parris building, adjoining the Morris Variety store, for a new electrical and radio supply store.

Mrs. Geo. V. Smith, Miss Eddythe Walker, and Miss Pearl West visited in Lubbock Saturday.

W. J. Lester, formerly of Pampa, and Charles Osborne, of this city, last Tuesday purchased the McCleskey Auto Top and Point Shop from Sam McCleskey, owner of the shop for the past six years.

Mrs. W. P. Daily and Mrs. R. C. Henry spent Tuesday in Plainview visiting with Mrs. E. J. Morehead.

Mrs. J. B. Jenkins, Mrs. Jno. Parris and Mrs. Lon Davis went to Lubbock Monday to take Mrs. Jenkins' son, Dan, back to Tech college.

Miss Mildred Osburn, who is attending W. T. S. C. at Canyon, spent the week-end with home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Glad Snodgrass spent last Sunday visiting in Matador.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Beard Cedar, March 19 a daughter.

W. H. Jenkins and son, Fred, of Estacado, spent last Monday here visiting friends.

"A Dark Secret," a one act play staged by a selected cast of characters of the Floydada High school won third place Saturday in a contest at Canyon. Members of the cast were Jack Sims, Allen Berry, Francis Kinnard, Henry Bosley, and Jack deCordova. Miss Delphine Miller coached the play.

R. E. Patterson, of Lockney, was here Saturday visiting his recently acquired gin, the Floydada Gin.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crabtree, Fairview, March 21 a daughter Lola Mae.

Ralston Scott, of New Braunfels, is here on a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Scott.

A REPORT to America

The Ford Motor Company's business has always been to serve the needs of the American people. In providing them with low-cost transportation for the past 38 years, we have developed one of the country's largest and most useful industrial units. During a national emergency, we feel that these facilities should be devoted without reserve to our country's needs. Toward that end we started rolling months ago, with these results:

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2 We are building a new \$800,000 Ford magnesium alloy foundry, one of the few in the country. It is already producing lightweight airplane engine castings.

3 Army reconnaissance cars—military vehicles of an entirely new type—are rolling off special Ford assembly lines at the rate of more than 600 a month. We have produced Army staff cars and bomber service trucks.

4 The government has given the "go-ahead" and work is now under way for the fast construction of an \$11,000,000 Ford plant to produce bomber airframe assemblies by mass production methods.

5 Several months ago work was started, on our own initiative, on an entirely new 1500 horsepower airplane engine especially designed for mass production. This engine is now in the test stage and plans are being developed for producing it in large quantities when and if needed.

6 A Ford aircraft apprentice school has been established, to train 2000 students at a time.

That is a report of progress to date.

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We are ready to make anything we know how to make, to make it to the limit of our capacity if need be, to make it as fast as we can go, and to start the next job whenever our country asks us to. And to this end, we know we have the full confidence and loyal support of the workmen throughout our plants.



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Texas Dusters Ain't So Bad-Texan Says After N.D. Blizzard

West Texas Had A Sample Of North Dakota Weather In February, 1941. We'll Take Dust, Thank You

Up in Wimbledon, North Dakota a former Floyd county resident, B. A. Boling, says Texas dusters and blue northerners aren't so bad compared to some of the stuff the weather man dishes out up there.

In a letter to The Hesperian this week, Mr. Boling told some of his own personal experiences with the latest chunk of northern weather and also enclosed a clipping from one of the papers.

Quoting from Mr. Boling's letter which was written March 17: "I take this opportunity to renew my subscription to The Hesperian and to give you a little information about the storm that we experienced here last Saturday night.

"About 7:30 p. m. Saturday a storm from the north hit. Starting all of a sudden and hitting a velocity at the peak of 85 miles and hour. People who were in town made no attempt to go home.

"Unfortunately there was a lot of people caught in the country in cars and most of them froze to death. At the time of this writing 56 are known dead, and a lot are still missing. This is in a radius of about 300 miles, covering the eastern part of North Dakota and Minnesota.

"To give you an idea about how bad it really was here in Wimbledon, they were having a basketball tournament, after the storm struck,

they assembled in groups of from 10 to 20 and holding hands, they started for home.

"At times they couldn't even see the party that was holding their hand. Fortunately none of our bunch was caught out. The bad part of the storm lasted about 4 or 5 hours or there would have been a lot more deaths.

"I am sending you a clipping from the paper up here so that you can see that it is really worse to be in a blizzard like this than to be in a West Texas sandstorm."

Below are some clippings from the news story:

"North Dakota and northwestern Minnesota were hit by one of the worst wind and snow storms in years Saturday night when gales reaching a velocity of 85 miles an hour in Grand Forks and more than 75 in Fargo swept out of the north.

"In Fargo and Moorhead hundreds of theatre-goers were held at the showhouses. Police picked up a large number of children as they came out of shows and took them to headquarters.

"In Moorhead more than 2,000 persons attending a district high school basketball tournament were being held at the school. Classrooms were opened to provide a place to rest.

"Hundreds of dancers were held at Crystal ballroom.



George E. Adams



Specialist C. Hohn

Five Reassignments Made In Extension Personnel

COLLEGE STATION, March 24.—Reassignments involving five members of the extension headquarters personnel have been announced by Director H. H. Williamson.

George E. Adams is promoted to vice director and state agent, succeeding Jack Shelton who left the service last December to become general agent for the tenth district of the Farm Credit administration.

Adams will be administratively responsible for the work of the men district agents and men specialists at headquarters, and through the district agents for the work of the county agricultural agents and their assistants.

C. Hohn, specialist in soil and water conservation, is transferred to the new position of extension project leader in land use planning.

Paul G. Haines, who has been serving as extension economist in organization work, is assigned as specialist in soil and water conservation.

C. E. Bowles will conduct the organization work formerly handled by Haines in connection with co-operative marketing, with the title of extension specialist in organization and co-operative marketing.

Roy W. Snyder is reassigned to his former activities with the title of specialist in animal industries. His work will cover the many phases of handling, processing and marketing of meat products.

Director Williamson said the demand for this line of extension work is increasing rapidly on account of the development of freezer locker plants and the expansion of rural electrification.

Third Grade Andrews Ward News Reported By Young Writers

We are making a Mexican scene in our sand table. Miss Rhodes drew a picture of "Popo" and the "Sleeping Lady" on a blackboard at the back of the sand table. Some of the pupils made a little grass hut out of brown paper. Rose Marie Scoggins is going to bring three little adobe houses.

Dorman Stanley and Geneva Richardson went to Amarillo this week-end.

Betty Ruth Redd went to Mata-

INJURED BY HOIST MACHINERY

Clement B. McDonald of McDonald & Son has been wearing bandages on his head this week, the result of a clout in the top of the head by machinery of a hoist last Saturday.

He was taken to the hospital when the accident occurred and five stitches sewed up the wound.

dor Sunday.

George Pyles went to Childress Saturday.

By Geneva Richardson.

Gene Dale Jackson went to Amarillo Friday and Saturday for the speech contest.

Don Boothe went to Muleshoe this week-end.

Mr. Travis visited our room Monday. We were very glad to have him. We hope he comes again.

By Patty Jo Hennessee.

FLOYD MONTGOMERY WILL TEACH IN EASTLAND

Floyd Montgomery, son of Mrs. J. L. Montgomery, left Tuesday for Eastland where he will teach Agriculture and science the next two months. He has attended W. T. S. C. at Canyon previous to the time he accepted the position at the Eastland school.

When he has finished work at Eastland, he will re-enter summer school at W. T. S. C. and will graduate with the summer class. Floyd graduated from Floydada High school with a high scholastic average.

Manager, pointing to a cigarette-end on floor—"Smith, is this yours? Smith, pleasantly—"Not at all, sir. You saw it first."—Tid Bits.

"Oh, doctor," said the young lady, "will the scar show?" "That, madam," said the doctor, "is entirely up to you."

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Measles Upswing Noted By State Health Office

AUSTIN, March 23.—The annual spring upswing in measles prevalence is evident from reports to the State Health department by more than 300 city and county health officers throughout the state.

The prevalence of measles was 338 per cent higher than the normal prevalence for last week, figured on a seven-year median, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health officer.

Since measles is a disease which should be given careful nursing, with isolation of the patient to protect others against the disease, and since it is characteristic of the disease that it usually becomes more prevalent in the spring season, the State Health department issues this warning to the parents of Texas children—guard your children against measles, and if they contract this disease, put them to bed immediately, call your family physician, and see that cases are promptly reported to the local health officers, and that your home is properly placarded.

The stage of measles preceding the eruption is frequently mistaken for a common cold, and as the disease is highly communicable at this stage the germs are widely spread because, as a rule, we take no common-sense precautions either in treating or protecting others from a common cold.

This disease is particularly dangerous in the very young children. It is a serious mistake to expose a small child to measles so that he will have it before school age, because the mortality rate for measles and its complications is much lower among children of school age than younger children.

He: "I'm thinking of asking some girl to marry me. What do you think of the idea?" She: "It's a great idea, if you ask me."

Texan, Former Royal Air Force Flyer, May Speak Here

If plans mature as expected Floydada Lions club will have the pleasure of presenting Captain Ira Lee Sullivan, of Hillsboro, in an address here soon. The club Tuesday voted to do this if dates and other arrangements can be worked out satisfactorily. The vote was taken after a report from Terrell Loran, M. P. Goen and John Stapleton who went to Wichita Falls to hear the young aviator Monday night. A huge crowd there heard Sullivan, who recently returned from England after spending nearly a year as a flyer in the Royal Air force. Stapleton, Loran and Goen with J. C. Gilliam, a committee on arrangements, are expected to make more definite announcements soon.

J. C. Grimes, of Plainview, Scout executive, with D. I. Bolding, Jr., and Dale King, members of Boy Scout Troop No. 64, were honor guests at the Tuesday club meeting. The Scout program of training for home and citizenship was featured in an address by Mr. Grimes. J. C. Gilliam was program chairman for the day. Other guests present included D. A. Edwards, W. A. Robertson and Dr. F. S. Green of Crosbyton and V. Williams, city.

Harmon President Retail Merchants Association

F. C. Harmon was elected president of the Floyd County Retail Merchants' association in the annual meeting of the association at the county court room last Wednesday night.

At the meeting Mrs. P. G. Stegall, secretary, gave a brief resume of activities and pointed to needed effort during the ensuing year. Elected with Harmon were Mrs. A. J. Welch as vice-president, and J. D. McBrien, R. C. Henry, E. L. Norman, J. C. Gilliam and Homer Steen directors.

Further discussion of the association's program and plans for the fiscal year beginning March 31 were taken up at a director's breakfast Monday morning when the group met.

TURKEY STEAK FOR HOT DAYS

A toothsome turkey dish which is easy to cook in hot weather is "turkey steak," says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. These steaks are small pieces of turkey meat, and housewives can buy them wherever turkey is sold by the piece. Many butchers who do not carry turkey steaks can order them for customers.

Frozen turkeys are low in price this summer, and a large supply is in storage, according to a special turkey committee of the Department. The committee hopes the new turkey steaks will prove popular enough to reduce the storage supply.

Turkey steaks from the breast features they say, is that housewives can buy the turkey meat in quantities to fit the family.

To prepare turkey steaks from young birds, home economists suggest that the pieces be floured or dipped in batter or in egg and crumbs, browned in fat, covered, and cooked slowly until tender. If a turkey is older than ten months it should be cooked, preferably whole, in water until tender, and cooled in the broth. Then slice the breast, dip in batter or in egg and crumbs, and fry until well browned, quickly in deep fat. Use the small bits of white and dark meat in salad, in sandwich fillings, and in creamed dishes. The broth, seasoned with bay leaf, onion, and celery, makes excellent soup or jellied consommé.

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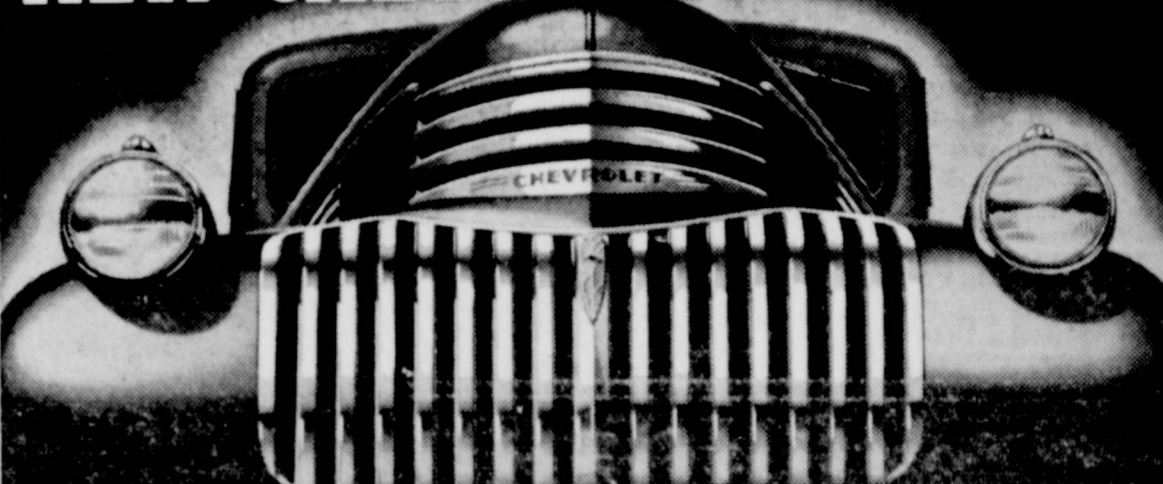
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Mary Anne Kimble And Rev. Donald Harris Wed Saturday Morning At Methodist Church

Miss Mary Anne Kimble, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Wilson Kimble, and Rev. W. Donald Harris of Jacksonville, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. Will Harris of Dilley, were married Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at the First Methodist church. The bridegroom's father, founder and president for the past 25 years of the Polytechnic Institute of Puerto Rico, officiated with the single ring ceremony.

Miss Laura Virginia Bills of Littlefield played the wedding marches and other music which included Cadman's "At Dawning" and Bond's "I Love You Truly" preceding the ceremony and d'Harcourt's "Because" during the ceremony. Jack Norman of Slaton sang "My Task" (E. L. Ashford) before the procession.

The wedding party stood before the all-white altar which was banked with fern trees and three large bouquets of calla lilies. Tall white tapers in wrought iron candelabra were placed on each side of the altar and the white calla lilies and fern were used throughout the church. The attendants, Miss Nannie Margaret Overton and Betty Alice Gordon of Lubbock, wore identical gowns of soft rose marquisette with bouffant skirts. The molded bodices and fitted midriffs of the frocks were embroidered with the same shade of rose and they wore pompadour bows of rose veiling in their hair. They carried bouquets of sweetheart roses and blue delphinium with rose tulle backdrops.

Cleland Harris of Dilley, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

Ushers were John Kimble, brother of the bride, and Rev. James Aiken of Hereford.

Gowned in White

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a satin gown of white, fashioned with long-fitted sleeves and a sweetheart neckline from which extended tiny covered buttons to the waistline. The paneled skirt widened from the waistline into a deep fan-shaped train. Her finger-tip length veil of imported bridal illusion fell from a halo of pearly orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of calla lilies.

The bride's mother wore a rose and white print dress with black accessories and a corsage of pink roses. Mrs. Harris wore a black ensemble with a corsage of white roses.

Reception Follows

Following the ceremony, a reception was held for members of the wedding party and out-of-town guests at the Kimble home. Calla lilies and white tapers were used in reception appointments and the three-tiered white wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom under a wedding bell, was edged with a garland of fern and small white flowers.

Those assisting in serving, included the bride's aunt, Mrs. M. E. Collins, of Fort Worth, who presided at the coffee service and Mesdames J. B. Claiborne of Floydada, John Mast of Wichita Falls, Guy Ginn of Hereford, Hugh D. McCullough of Clarendon and W. M. Cauley of Lubbock.

After a wedding trip to New Mexico, the couple will be at home in Jacksonville. The traveling cost



Mrs. Donald Harris is the former Mary Anne Kimble, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Wilson Kimble. The wedding took place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at the First Methodist church. After a wedding trip to New Mexico the couple will make their home at Jacksonville, where the bridegroom is serving as pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

Speech Festival Winner Speaks On Radio Saturday

Miss Florence Lloyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lloyd, was one of three pupils who made highly superior grade in the Panhandle Speech Festival, held at Amarillo Friday and Saturday, and had the privilege of reading her contest number, "Manhood" by Jeanne Spole over KGNC at 4:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd who had been notified in advance had the pleasure of listening to their daughter.

Miss Lloyd was one of five pupils entered in the festival by Mrs. G. E. Bond. The other pupils were Geraldine Simon who made superior; Jean Battey, superior; Martine Louise Bond, excellent; and Bobby Jean Stephens, who was entered but was unable to attend at the last minute.

Mrs. Bond and Miss Lloyd attended the reception for the teachers and pupils Friday night at the Federation club rooms. The guests were entertained with two plays, a tragedy and a comedy, presented by the Amarillo Little theatre.

Among those from Floydada who attended the festival were Mrs. John Lloyd, Mrs. Alta Smith and little son; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Simon and son; Charles Ray and daughters Phyllis Jean and Geraldine and Mr. and Mrs. David Battey and daughters.

time of the bride was a two-piece suit of black tulle made with long torso lines with braided trim. Her accessories were black and white and she wore a corsage of gardenias.

Mrs. Harris is a graduate of Texas Technological college where she was a member of Las Chaparritas social club. The past two and one-half years she has taught in the Littlefield public schools.

Rev. Harris is a graduate of Trinity university and Princeton Seminary. For the past several years he has been pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Littlefield and is now officiating in the same capacity in Jacksonville.

Among the out-of-town guests here for the wedding were Judge and Mrs. E. A. Bills and daughter Laura Virginia, Miss Margaret Teel, Mrs. L. C. Grissom, Mrs. Phelps Walker, Mrs. W. W. Brown, Miss Myrtle Woodfin, Miss Fern Holland, Mrs. G. M. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Flesher, Miss Gladys Jones and Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Willemans all of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Timmons of Amarillo, Rev. James Aiken and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ginn of Hereford;

Rev. and Mrs. J. Paul Stevens and Jack Norman of Slaton; Miss Mary Earle Sanson and Mrs. M. R. Hart and daughter Hope Marie of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh D. McCullough of Clarendon; Mrs. B. H. Stacy of Fort Worth, Mrs. E. E. Walker of Dallas; Mrs. W. M. Cauley, Mrs. J. D. McPhaul and Mr. and Mrs. J. Holt Waldrep of Lubbock; Mrs. John Mast and son Johnnie of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. McIntosh New President Of P. T. A.

Mrs. B. F. McIntosh will head the Andrews Ward Parent-Teacher association the coming school year and will be installed at the meeting in May, along with other officers elected to serve with her. The annual election of officers was held at the regular meeting Wednesday afternoon, March 19.

Other officers are vice-president, Mrs. W. O. Tye; secretary, Mrs. Conner Oden; treasurer, Mrs. A. J. Jackson.

Delegates elected to attend the meeting of Fourteenth District Texas congress of Parents and Teachers which will be held at Brownfield April 26 and 27 were Mrs. B. F. McIntosh, Mrs. W. O. Tye, Mrs. Conner Oden, Mrs. Robert McGuire, Mrs. Cecil Hagood, Mrs. Walton Hale, Mrs. G. L. Kirk, Miss Margaret Stuart, Miss Rita Rhodes, Mrs. A. J. Jackson, Miss Ruby Norton, Miss Elizabeth Caldwell, Miss Sybil Poole, Miss Beryl Busby and Miss Fannie Mae Bail.

Plans were announced by the program chairman, Mrs. Cecil Hagood, for a tea which will be given Wednesday afternoon, April 16, honoring Mrs. H. G. Stinnett of Plainview, president of Fourteenth district and Mrs. Walton Hale of Floydada, vice-president of the district.

The following committees were appointed to have charge of the tea: Welcome committee, Mrs. J. M. Willson, Mrs. Mal Jarboe and all of the teachers of the school; Invitation committee, Mrs. W. R. Simon, Mrs. Floyd Fuqua, Mrs. Scase Stanley, Mrs. Fred Lambert, Mrs. J. A. Arwine, Mrs. W. B. Hinkle, Mrs. Teague, Mrs. Mark Martin, Mrs. J. A. Howard, Mrs. L. B. Wilkinson, Mrs. Pete McGee, and Mrs. D. F. Bredthauer, table committee, Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Mrs. Ernest Fowler and Mrs. J. A. Arwine; refreshments, Mrs. Mark Martin, Mrs. Jno. Buchanan, and Mrs. Elvin Rainer; serving, Mrs. B. F. McIntosh, Mrs. Jno. Hammonds, and Mrs. Roy Nabors; dish committee, Mrs. J. B. Bishop, Mrs. Robert Medlen and Mrs. Shorty Price; program committee, Mrs. Cecil Hagood, Mrs. Conner Oden and Miss Fannie Mae Bail.

The association voted to have a cake sale at J. C. Gilliam's store Saturday, March 29, beginning at 10 o'clock.

Clarence Guffee Speaker

Clarence Guffee, county superintendent of schools, was the principal speaker for the meeting Wednesday, and used for his subject "Highway Safety." He said the highway traffic is more dangerous than the American Indian ever was. Each victim has said it could not happen to them yet it did. He said that in order to be able to cope with an emergency, a driver should keep both hands on the steering wheel at all times. Mr. Guffee said that drivers should be very considerate of pedestrians and especially children and called attention to the fact that children would be much safer if parents would approach the Andrews Ward school building from the east road and put their children out on the right instead of coming up the south road.

The program was opened with two selections by the Rhythm band, directed by Miss Elizabeth Caldwell followed by a short playlet on fire prevention given by grade school pupils and directed by Miss Dorothy Hoyle. In keeping with the fire prevention idea many attractive posters which had been made by seventh grade pupils, under the direction of Miss Bail, were displayed at the front of the building. Two prizes were offered by the association for the best posters, one to the girls and one to the boys, these were awarded to Lajuana Jo Sharp daughter of W. H. Sharp and Fred Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Martin.

Floydada Music Club Met Thursday Night With Mrs. Gallaway

The Floydada Music Club met Thursday evening with Mrs. Lola Gallaway. Mrs. Elvin Rainer was leader of the program. Members answered to roll call by naming a world famous musician.

Miss Vera Meredith led in a discussion of "Chamber Music" Mrs. Dean Hill gave a parliamentary quiz.

During the business session Mrs. Pearl Fagan, vice-president, presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. C. B. McDonald. The club voted to purchase two membership tickets from the Lubbock Civic Music Association.

Mrs. Lola Gallaway was elected delegate to the State Music Convention which meets in Dallas April 16 to 19.

Mrs. Elvin Rainer will be hostess to the club Thursday evening, April 3, at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ginn and son Vaughn of Hereford spent the week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. V. Smith, and attended the Kimble-Harris wedding Saturday morning.

Business man's department store, Hesperian Publishing Co.

Mrs. V. Andrews And Pupils Attend Speech Festival

Mrs. V. Andrews and her pupils returned Saturday from Amarillo where they participated in the Panhandle Speech Festival which was held Friday and Saturday. "Despite the downpour of rain there were more than 150 contestants from 11 Panhandle towns who competed in the speech arts" Mrs. Andrews said.

Miss Ruth Pirtle and John Harding of the Texas Technological college speech department at Lubbock acted as judges for the festival and spoke at the luncheon given Saturday for the teachers.

At the luncheon Miss Pirtle suggested some changes in their grading system, saying, "Superior was the highest grade she could give a pupil and suggested that the highly superior grade be dispensed with." The question was placed and unanimously carried.

Following are the names and grades of Mrs. Andrews pupils who attended the festival: Mable June Foster, highly superior; Johnny Hammonds, superior; Joyce Williams, superior; Gene Dale Jackson, superior; Norma Jean Moore, excellent; Vaneta Barton, Lockney, excellent; Irene Wisdom, good;

SUNBEAMS HEAR STORY AT MEETING MONDAY

"Teaching Other Boys and Girls about Jesus" was the subject of the lesson studied by the Sunbeams at the meeting held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist church. Several sacred songs were sung by the group, including "Jesus Loves Me," "What a Friend," "Two Little Hands" and "Into My Heart." Mrs. W. C. Sims told an interesting story about "Steadfast Jerry."

Those attending the meeting were June Chapman, Shirlene Brown, Murna Marshall, Bobby Cantrell, Doris Elaine Amburn, Peggy Collier, Dorothy Bishop, Katy Collier, Mary Lynn Harris, Harold Jones, Barbara Sims, Donald Ray Smith, Don Ewing, Lee Roy Burgett and Laveranda Crumpton.

Mrs. Sims, Mrs. T. T. Hamilton, directors, and Miss Lyndell Mae Glenn, pianist, were also present. The Sunbeams meet each Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brock of Brownwood spent the week-end in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Randerson.

Maurine Hart, good. Miss Andrews stated that Miss Hart had only studied four months and entered the contest for the experience and not the honor.

Mrs. E. L. Angus Hostess Friday To Sunday School Class

The Fidelity Matron's Sunday School class met Friday at the home of Mrs. E. L. Angus for a covered dish luncheon. It being the birthday of their teacher, Mrs. J. H. Myers, she was given a surprise shower. The regular business meeting was held in the afternoon.

Mrs. M. P. Funk of Duncan, Oklahoma and Mrs. Maud Burrus were guests of the class.

Members attending were Mrs. J. D. McBrien, Mrs. R. C. Henry, Mrs. E. L. Norman, Mrs. Angus, Mrs. R. T. Roane, Mrs. Clarence Guffee, Mrs. Conner Oden, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. J. H. Myers, Mrs. Troy Leonard, Mrs. Clarence Foster, Mrs. H. G. Barber, Mrs. Harry Stanley, Mrs. Jno. McCleskey, Mrs. L. J. Welborn, Mrs. Floyd Fuqua, Mrs. J. M. Gamblin and Mrs. Alton B. Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Martin and daughter, of Ralls, visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Martin and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Grundy.

Mrs. Ed Bishop and children of Dalhart visited Sunday with relatives here and at Matador.

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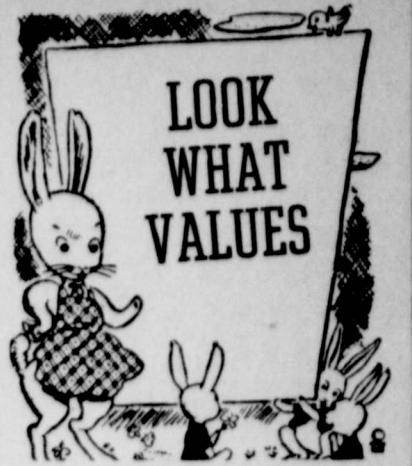
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\$10.90 Coats for, **\$9.67**
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SILKS: Alpaca and other sheer Silks for Easter Per Yard, **78c**

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Easter Sunday and Suits go together. We have only a few and they go at this great sacrifice...

\$12.50 Suits \$8.00
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New Short Coats that are so comfortable and stylish. Made of Parker Wilder Flannels, Red Blue or Beige, Only, **\$2.47**

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Smart Styles in the Newest Colors, Easter Special—

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84 x 105, New Spring Patterns, colors of gold, rose, green, blue and lavender, Each... **\$1.98**

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Size 15 x 30 part linen, printed patterns, extra good value, Each— **10c**

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EXTRA SPECIAL

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EASTER SPECIAL ON BLANKETS

Single Blankets

Size 70 x 84, solid tan color, weighs 3 lbs., Extra good for cover, \$1.69 value for only— **94c**

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Part wool, pretty block plaids. \$1.98 values, Easter Special— **\$1.19**

Lotion

Jergen's Lotion, 50c Size for, **29c**

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Havis Talcum, 25c Size for, **15c**



COTTAGE CURTAINS

Regular 98c Values, Special-ly Priced for Easter, **77c**

MEN'S

DRESS SHIRTS

New Spring Patterns, Non-Wilt Collars, Sanforized Shrink. Will not Fade, Easter Special— **94c**

Boys' Sport Shirts

Fast Vat Colors, Teal only, 69c Values for, **48c**

MEN'S

Khaki Shirts

Sanforized, Extra big and roomy, 98c value for only, **77c**

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Modern Styles for Modern Men

Young men of all ages—men who know the value of clothes that are smartly styled and correctly tailored—will appreciate our newly arrived offerings of Curlee Spring Suits.

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Easter

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In these New Tans and Blacks by Jolene—

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Jolene's perfect color innovation. Just enough spice and tang to add new glamour to your Spring ensemble. Be wise... be first to wear it.

The EASTER Shoe Hunt

Begins and Ends with these

New—**ODDETES**

We have the styles and colors you'll love—And at a price you can well afford.

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Pumps, open toes, novelty trims, perforations—new leathers and colors.

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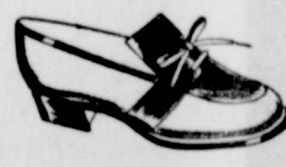


LADIES'

Pumps, Straps and Ties

Styles that will please and you'll marvel at the value—Values to \$4.95—

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CHILDREN'S

SHOES

Young folks "go for" these new styles because they're fashioned along youthful lines—

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Shell horsehide work shoes Extra soft with long wear. Worth \$4.45—SPECIAL

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OTHER HIGH GRADE WORK SHOES

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Young Men's New

Tan Oxfords

\$2.95

Men's Genuine Kangaroo

Shoes and Oxfords, worth \$5.50, Easter Special—

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WINDCHARGER and Radio with three glass batteries and House wiring. A real bargain. Gilliam's Appliance. 6tfc

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, Mrs. J. S. Solomon, 511 West Missouri. 6tfc

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment with adjoining bath April 1. Mrs. W. M. Dorsey, 220 South 2nd. 6tfc

FOR RENT—Two modern houses; one furnished. See E. L. Norman at First National Bank. 2tfc

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GOOD milk cows for sale or for trade for dry cattle. W. F. Hinkle. 4tfc

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Do You Need Money

To Register Your Car?

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Pleasant Hill Club Planning 42 Party For Friday Night

PLEASANT HILL, March 26 — The Pleasant Hill Recreation club is sponsoring a "42" party Friday night at the auditorium. Every one is invited to come. You are requested to bring chairs and tables if you have them.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Furrow and family spent Sunday night with T. J. Cardinal and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Cook visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Hemphill at Floydada Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bradford and sons visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bradford and family last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harrison and son, Jerry Don, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Willis and family.

Miss Lena Scott, who is employed at Lubbock, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Scott.

LOCAL YOUTHS HONORED WITH FAREWELL DINNER

Dee Noyes and Buster Dickerson were honored at a farewell dinner Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Price with Edna Earl Gee and her mother Mrs. Price, assisted by Mrs. Alvis Chowning as hostesses. Dee left Thursday for the training camp and Buster will leave in the near future.

Those enjoying the lovely dinner were Mrs. Nell Officer of Lubbock, Carl Nelson, Jennie Pauline and Billie Vivian Chowning, Gayle Gee, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Chowning, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Price, Edna Earl Gee and the honorees, Dee Noyes and Buster Dickerson.

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Legal Notices

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDING BONDS

Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of April, 1941, the Commissioners' Court of Floyd County, Texas, will pass an order authorizing the issuance of Road and Bridge Funding Bonds of said County, in the maximum amount of Eight Thousand Four Hundred (\$8,400.00) Dollars, bearing interest at the rate of three and one-half (3½%) per cent per annum, and maturing serially in such installments as may be fixed by the Court, the maximum maturity or final installment to be not later than Ten (10) years after the date of said bonds, for the purpose of taking up, canceling, funding and in lieu of a like amount of interest-bearing time warrants described as follows:

Floyd County Road Machinery Warrants, Series 1941, dated January 13, 1941, bearing 4½% interest, numbered One (1) to Four (4), both inclusive, of the denomination of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars each, except Number One (1) for Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars, maturing serially \$300.00 4-15-44; \$500.00 4-15-45; and \$1,000.00 4-15-46.

Floyd County Road Machinery Warrants, Series 1941-B, dated February 10, 1941, bearing 4½% interest, numbered One (1) to Four (4), both inclusive, of the denomination of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars each, except Number One (1) for Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars, maturing serially \$300.00 4-15-44; \$500.00 4-15-45; and \$1,000.00 4-15-46.

Floyd County Road Machinery Warrants, Series 1941-B, dated March 10, 1941, bearing 4½% interest, numbered One (1) to Ten (10), both inclusive, of the denomination of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars each, except Number Nine (9) for Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars, maturing serially \$1,500.00 4-15-47; \$1,000.00 4-15-48; \$1,800.00 4-15-49; and \$500.00 4-15-50.

This notice is given in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 163, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty Second Legislature.

EXECUTED by order of the Commissioners' Court passed on the 12th day of March, 1941.

G. C. TUBBS, County Judge, Floyd County, Texas.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF M. W. WHITLOW, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the estate of M. W. Whitlow, deceased was granted to the undersigned on the 17th day of March, 1941, by the County Court of Floyd County, Texas. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same to me as the law directs.

My address is Boothe Building, Floydada, Floyd County, Texas. This 24 day of March, 1941.

A. C. GOEN, Administrator of the Estate of M. W. Whitlow, Deceased.

Andrews Ward Spring Pageant To Be Held Friday, April 4

A musical pageant entitled, "Blue-bonnet Land" will be presented Friday night of next week at the Andrews Ward school auditorium. The pageant, sponsored by the school, is an annual spring entertainment feature in which all the pupils of the school have a part.

A preview of the pageant will be given in next week's issue of The Hesperian.

4,000,000 BIBLES FOR SOLDIERS

The Gideon Society is an international Christian Commercial men's association which has as its special slogan "A Bible in Every hotel Guest Room." Up to date they have placed 1,823,769 Bibles in hotels, hospitals, penal institutions, and schools. In the Hollywood Bowl last summer, 15,000 Bibles were dedicated for placement in every California public school classroom.

By authority of President Roosevelt, the Army and Navy departments have called upon the Gideons to supply them with over four million New Testaments (with Psalms) within the next four years. 1,300,000 are to be delivered this year.

Mothers and fathers of trainees and enlisted men might well be encouraged in this provision for their sons' spiritual lives.

The Psalmist said, "I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go into the house of the Lord." Psalm 122:1 And the warmest invitation is given to all to worship at the Cumberland Presbyterian church.

The interest is constantly at the highest pitch in the adult Bible class of Lawyer Kenneth Bain in the 9:45 o'clock Sunday School hour. In the 11 and 7:30 o'clock services interesting sermons and Bible study are featured.

THE METHODIST CHURCH

(R. T. Breedlove, pastor)

Business As Usual

Suppose every family on all the rolls of churches in the community gave their church the same consideration they do their home, their schools, their businesses and their social activities! Well, why not? The church is a worthy institution, an important one, a necessary one.

During the past week, not a store failed to open on account of bad weather, postmen made their rounds, schools carried on as usual, meals were served in the homes of all the people. During the week three men drove from Crosbyton to make up a club attendance. Neighbor, were you as faithful to your church as to the other interests of yours in our community?

Suppose we give God and the church the same chance to carry on as usual that we give everything else! It will transform the community and the people. Try it Sunday and see if you do not get a blessing. Take a friend with you to church.

Hesperian Wantads work cheap

DE LEON RESIDENT STRICKEN WHILE HERE ON VISIT WITH RELATIVES

T. D. Robinette of De Leon, brother-in-law of M. C. Fuqua is reported to be seriously ill at the Floydada hospital where he was admitted Tuesday for treatment for heart attack. He was here on a visit with relatives and preparing to return home when he became ill.

His relatives were notified of his condition and arrived Wednesday.

Jim Bob Rafferty, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Rafferty had his tonsils removed Sunday. He was carried to his home Tuesday.

Col. Thomas Montgomery is reported improving following medical treatment at the Floydada hospital the past two weeks.

Mrs. W. O. Baker returned home Tuesday from the hospital after a tonsil operation Monday.

J. P. Hart received medical treatment at the hospital Tuesday.

Miss Merle Eaton, teacher in the Floydada schools is reported improving. She had been in the hospital the past week.

LAKEVIEW CEMETERY TO BE CLEANED AND WORKED THURSDAY, APRIL 3

People of the Lakeview community and all who are interested are asked to be present Thursday morning, April 3 at the Lakeview school for work on the cemetery.

"Bring your hoes, rakes and lunch," are the instructions to volunteers who will help in the work.

MISS LEONA PECK HOSTESS TO Y. W. A. MONDAY NIGHT

The Lillie Hundley Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church met with Miss Leona Peck Monday evening. Mrs. E. L. Norman had charge of the group and led them in the study of several chapters in the Bible. Mrs. Jim Houston and Mrs. Hersell Hammonds are sponsors for the group.

Those who attended the meeting were Modena Hartsell, Alene Warren, Maureen Hart, Maurice Burton, Nell Swinson, Betty Newell, Lyndell Mae Glenn, Kathryn McDonald, Mrs. Hersell Hammonds, Mrs. Jim Houston, Mrs. E. L. Norman, and the hostess, Leona Peck.

Nell Swinson will be hostess at the meeting Monday, March 31 at 7:30 o'clock. A social meeting will be held at this time.

MRS. CLEM HENRY EXPECTED HOME THIS WEEK END

Mrs. Clem Henry is expected home this week-end from a Temple hospital, according to Mrs. Jack Henry who reported her condition as improved.

She underwent a major operation at King's Daughters hospital March 13.

Y. M. MOORE HOME AFTER WEEKS AT WEATHERFORD

Mr. and Mrs. Y. M. Moore and family have returned from Weatherford, where they had been for several weeks while Mr. Moore was working on construction of Camp Wolters at Mineral Wells.

While the huge camp was built in a big hurry, all the buildings are very substantial and comfortable, Mr. Moore said.

Mr. Moore left a panoramic view of the big camp at The Hesperian office for those who are interested to see during the next few days.

GRACE NOLL CROWELL, POET LAUREATE OF TEXAS TO APPEAR AT PLAINVIEW

Grace Noll Crowell who has been chosen as Poet Laureate of Texas and as one of the ten outstanding women of America, is scheduled to appear tomorrow night at 8 p. m. at the First Christian church at Plainview.

Mrs. Crowell, author of the book entitled, "Splendor Ahead," is being presented by the women of the church of Plainview.

A limited number of tickets are available in Floydada in charge of Mrs. J. C. Wester.

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Call at our office for particulars.
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A Statement From Silas E. Duncan
— Candidate for Re-election as —
City Secretary of Floydada

On account of an unusual amount of business at the City Office incident to the close of the City's Fiscal Year on March 31, we have been working early and late, and I have not been able to find time to see many of the voters.

I would Appreciate being returned to the Office of City Secretary and Earnestly Solicit your Vote and Influence.

But believe it my duty to get the work done that properly falls to the Secretary to do. For this reason I ask you not to consider it a Slight if I fail to see you personally before next Tuesday.

Silas E. Duncan
(Political Advertisement)

What We Have Done In the Last 4 Years

Floydada's outstanding indebtedness has been paid and reduced approximately \$60,000.00.

The interest rate on Floydada's bonded indebtedness has been reduced from an average rate of 5.60% to 4% — an annual saving of approximately \$4,800.00 in interest. And the bonds are now refunded, payable annually, and approximately \$100,000 subject to call.

We have built and now have in operation one of the most modern Light and Power Plants in Texas. With the aid of the Federal grant of \$70,900.00 we built this modern plant and only used \$85,000.00 of the authorized \$120,000.00 which the City of Floydada voted bonds for.

This plant has been on a dividend-paying basis from its second month of operation. Revenues from it have paid off all its debts for extra equipment not included in the original contract; the first \$3,000.00 of its maturing bonded indebtedness; and has a reserve of \$7,000.00 in the bank at this time.

The old \$5,000.00 Fire Truck Judgment against Floydada has been settled in full at a discount of approximately 50%. And we now have a new, modern Fire Truck with new equipment, and it is all fully paid for.

These are not by any means all, but are some of the major accomplishments of the City of Floydada under the administration of our present Mayor, Glad Snodgrass. Four years ago there were many who thought we were headed for bankruptcy and receivership, but by putting BUSINESS methods into the affairs of the City, and by adopting a policy of "pay as you go or don't go," Mayor Snodgrass has accomplished, through the wholehearted cooperation of an able City Council, what many said was an impossible job.

We think it to the best interest of Floydada, for the present and for the next two years, to reelect Glad Snodgrass as our Mayor in the election to be held Tuesday, April 1st, 1941.

Political advertisement by —

Friends Of GLAD SNODGRASS

Social Calendar

ODAY
Mrs. Wallace King will be hostess the 1929 Study club this afternoon at 3:15 o'clock. A Texas Day program will be given under the direction of Mrs. G. E. Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Minor will be hostess to the Tuesday Evening bridge club this evening at 7:45 o'clock. The meeting was postponed from Monday evening.

The Pla-Mor Bridge club meets tonight at 7:45 o'clock with Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Stovall.

FRIDAY
The Floydada Garden club will meet Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock with Mrs. Jack Henry instead of Mrs. R. S. Wilkinson as was previously announced.

Mrs. J. M. Willson will be hostess the Wesley Girls Sunday School class of the Methodist church Friday afternoon, March 28, at 3 o'clock.

MONDAY
The Co-operative Missionary society will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist church.

The Sunbeams of the First Baptist church will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church.

The Bonnie Ray G. A. will meet Monday afternoon, March 31 at 4:15 o'clock at the church.

TUESDAY
The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club will meet Tuesday afternoon, April 1, at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Richard F. Stovall.

WEDNESDAY
The Woman's council of the First Christian church will meet Wednesday afternoon, April 2 at 2 o'clock at Fellowship hall.

THURSDAY
Mrs. Elvin Rainer will be hostess to the Floydada Music club Thursday evening, April 3, at 7:30 o'clock.

The 1922 Study club will meet Thursday afternoon, April 3, at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. C. K. Arnold.

Mrs. Seaton Howard will be hostess to the Blue Bonnet Needle club Thursday afternoon, April 3 at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Aubrey Stewart will be hostess to the Thursday Evening Bridge club Thursday evening, April 3 at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. L. J. Welborn
Hostess At Luncheon For Dept. Teachers

Mrs. L. J. Welborn was hostess at a luncheon Tuesday for the teachers in the junior department of the Baptist Sunday school. Mrs. J. V. Daniel superintendent of the department was given a surprise shower, as a token of appreciation for her work in the group.

Those attending were Mrs. J. W. Chapman, Mrs. G. N. Shirey, Mrs. S. G. Bishop, Mrs. Bertha Gilbert, Mrs. W. I. Cannaday and Mrs. S. J. Latta.

Two members of the department, Miss Emma Louise Smith, teacher and Mrs. Blondy Finley, secretary, were unable to be present.

Little Miss Ann Carolyn Welborn had as her guests, Alice Latta and Mack Travis.

Honoree At Shower
Thursday Before Moving To Abilene

As a courtesy to Mrs. Herwin Strickland who is leaving this week for Abilene to make her home, members of the Thursday Evening Bridge club gave her a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening at the regular meeting of the club held at the home of Mrs. Clinton Fyffe with Mrs. Arthur Stewart as hostess.

Following the shower the usual number of games of bridge were played. Mrs. Lewis Norman won high score.

Members playing were Mrs. J. D. Moore, Miss Hazel Probasco, Mrs. L. D. Britton, Mrs. Herwin Strickland, Mrs. Bill Fowler, Mrs. Lewis Norman, Mrs. Ernest Carter, Mrs. Clinton Fyffe, Mrs. Wallace King and Mrs. Aubrey Stewart.

Mrs. Stewart will be hostess to the club Thursday evening, April 3, at 7 o'clock.

Odd Tuesday Bridge
Club Meeting Held With Miss Busby

Miss Beryl Busby was hostess to the Odd Tuesday Bridge club Tuesday evening, March 25. The house was decorated with bouquets of flowers and gay table covers and tallies were used in keeping with the theme of Spring. Mrs. H. G. Barber received high score and Mrs. Francis Wester was given the travel prize.

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. Barber, Mrs. Walter Travis, Mrs. Robert Linder, Mrs. M. T. Camp, Mrs. Odell Winter, Mrs. Francis Wester, Miss Carolyn Wester, Miss Maurine Hoyle, Mrs. George Sherrill, Mrs. Russell King, Miss Betty Newell and Mrs. G. L. Kirk and Mrs. Aubrey Stewart guests of the club.

The club will meet with Miss Maurine Hoyle Tuesday evening, April 8, at 7:30.

District Y. W. A. Meeting April 4-5 At Wayland College

The Eleventh Annual Session of District Nine Y. W. A. will be held April 4 and 5 at Wayland Baptist college, Plainview. Mrs. Vernon Shaw is district councilor and will be in charge of the program. The district includes Brownfield, Dickens, Lubbock, Floyd county, Staked Plains, Tierra Blanca and West Plains associations.

What promises to be a very interesting feature of the program will be a review of "Tepee Trails" by G. Lee Phelps which will be given by Mrs. Aaron W. Hancock of McAllister, Oklahoma, and a missionary to the Indians of Oklahoma, Friday evening at 7:45 o'clock. Mrs. Hancock is also said to be of Indian descent.

Miss Doris Jordan of the Center community, Miss Ruth Jordan, of Littlefield and Miss Maurine Hart of Floydada will serve as pianists throughout the meeting.

Registration is to begin at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Administration building with Mrs. B. W. Baker of Wilson, in charge. The program, proper will begin Friday evening at 7 o'clock. A social hour will be held at 9 o'clock with Mrs. H. G. Barber, in charge with the members of the Floydada Y. W. A. acting as hostesses.

The meeting will be concluded Saturday afternoon. A large group from Floydada are planning to attend both days of the meeting.

Idle Hour 42 Club Entertained At Kreis Home

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kreis entertained the Idle Hour 42 club Monday night at their home. Spring flowers were used for decoration throughout the entertainment rooms and the Spring motif was prominent in tallies and table decorations.

A salad course was served preceding the games in which Mrs. A. J. Jackson and C. A. Caffee won high score. Mrs. C. A. Caffee was awarded the traveling prize.

All the members were present for the meeting. They were Mr. and Mrs. Roe McCleskey, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Travis, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rushing, Mr. and Mrs. Mal Jarboe, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Caffee, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Newell, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Tom J. Boyd, of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Poole and Mr. and Mrs. Kreis.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross will entertain the club April 14.

Arwines Are Hosts To Bridge Club Friday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arwine were hosts to the Friendship Bridge club Friday evening. Dinner was served preceding the games of bridge. The dining table was centered with a bowl of spring flowers and red tapers in crystal holders were used at each end of the table. Mrs. A. E. Guthrie and A. B. Keim held high score for the evening.

Members playing were Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gilliam, Mr. and Mrs. Walton Hale and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Keim.

Mr. and Mrs. Barker will be hosts to the club Friday evening April 4 at 7:30 o'clock.

Weather Prevents Girls Appearance On District Program

The Bonnie Ray G. A. met Monday afternoon and practiced a program which was to have been presented at the district meeting held at Brownfield Tuesday night. The girls were unable to attend on account of the inclement weather. All of the girls were to have been recognized as "Queens with Scepters."

Those attending the meeting Monday were Frances Ruth Garrett, Donice Cline, Joy Cardwell, Mary Frances Jones, Billie Jean Swinson, Margaret Conner, Ruth Hamilton, Eugenia Martin and Mrs. Jno. Hoffman and Mrs. R. C. Henry sponsors.

A meeting will be held Monday afternoon at the church at 4:15 o'clock.

W. L. Cox, Pioneer Of County Buried At Lockney Monday

Funeral rites for W. L. Cox, pioneer resident of Lockney were held Monday afternoon at the Lockney Methodist church with Rev. T. C. Bush in charge. He died Saturday at 10 p. m. at his home 7 miles east of Plainview after illness of a short duration. He was born March 28, 1855.

Survivors include two sons, three daughters and 23 grandchildren. His wife preceded him in death and was buried in the Lockney cemetery in 1930.

Interment was made in the Lockney cemetery directed by the Crager Funeral home of Lockney.

Mrs. Floyd Fuqua Hostess Thursday To Sewing Club

Mrs. Floyd Fuqua entertained the members of the Blue Bonnet Needle club Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The afternoon was spent in the usual pastime of sewing and visiting. A lovely refreshment plate was served by the hostess.

Members attending the meeting were Mrs. Tink Carter, Mrs. D. Fyffe, Mrs. Roy Nabors, Mrs. Al Edwards, Mrs. J. E. Collier, Mrs. C. C. Davis, Mrs. Everett Perry, Mrs. Shorty Price, Mrs. Blondy Finley, Mrs. Jno. Buchanan, Mrs. W. B. Eakin, Mrs. Elvin Rainer, Mrs. Alva Sparks, Mrs. Oliver Allen, Mrs. L. H. Dorrell, Mrs. Seaton Howard and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.

Mrs. Seaton Howard will be hostess to the club Thursday afternoon, April 3 at 3 o'clock.

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CAMP BOWIE, March 19.—Relatives and friends of men quartered in Camp Bowie who feel that they may never get the opportunity to see just how the young men of the Thirty-Sixth division live are provided with comfortable quarters under just such conditions.

The guest house, equipped with the same type of cots, mattresses, blankets, sheets and other bedding, is open to visitors. The only difference between the quarters there and those of the men is that the guest house is a frame building whereas the soldiers are quartered in walled tents. Mother and dad may come down, spend the night in Camp Bowie and know they have occupied the same type beds as their sons.

Reservations are made by addressing the Senior Hostess, Camp Bowie, Texas. Rates are \$1 per night for one person or \$1.50 for two. Each room is equipped with two cots.

Guests are allowed to stay two nights on week-ends and one night through the week. This rule, however, is altered in the case of a person who has a relative seriously ill in the hospital.

A guard is maintained at all times. His duties are to answer questions and otherwise aid the visitors. The reading room is open but the cafeteria is not functioning yet due to lack of equipment.

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Rules of the guest house are the same as those governing the remainder of the camp. Guests must return to camp by taps each evening.

Fifteen Scouts Attend Council First Aid Meeting Friday

Fifteen Floydada scouts, representing Troops 57 and 64, attended the South Plains council first aid meeting at Lubbock Friday night.

All of the boys made an "A" rating in advanced first aid, John Farris, scoutmaster, troop 57, reported.

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. J. C. Wester, John Farris, and Dave Fogerson. Scouts taking part in the meet were James Wester, James Turner, Johnnie Collins, Gene Collins, John Colville, L. W. Bridges, Jr., Jimmie Tye, Randolph Rutledge, all of Troop 57.

Dale King, Cubert Gray, L. B. Stewart, D. I. Bolding, Jr., Ray Tribble, Jimmie Laminack and Jim Bob Rafferty, all of troop 64.

GRANDDAUGHTER OF MRS. P. G. STEGALL BORN IN AMARILLO

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williamson of Amarillo a little daughter that has been named Ruth Ann. The little girl is the granddaughter of Mrs. P. G. Stegall and weighed 6 pounds and 11 ounces.

Mrs. Williamson and little daughter were carried home from an Amarillo hospital Saturday. The baby was born March 13.

Mrs. Stegall visited her daughter and family this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGuire and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Schudel of Lubbock Sunday.

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Sixteen Names Are Listed On Lockney Election Ballot

One Of Longest Lists To Appear Before City In Years

One of the longest election ballots in years will face Lockney residents Tuesday when they march to the polls to select their city officials for the next two years.

A mayor, city marshal, city secretary, and four aldermen are to be named.

Names listed with Mrs. Ellen Bellamy, city secretary, last week were for mayor: Jesse Cox, and T. Z. Reed.

For city marshal: Hugh Robertson, C. C. Hackney, Bill Virden and Jason Miller.

For city secretary: Mrs. John Anderson, and Mrs. Ellen Bellamy.

For city aldermen, one year term: Henry Ford, and Dee Copeland; two year term: R. C. McGilvary, J. M. Floyd, E. M. Wharton, R. J. (Bill) Dison, M. H. Davis, and Condie Davis.

The aldermen elected for the one year term will fill the unexpired term of Lloyd Wofford, who recently moved to a location outside the city limits. Three aldermen will be named for two year terms.

Cattle To Iowa Corn Belt From Floyd County Fields

Young cattle from the Floyd county wheat fields and ranges began moving to the corn belt last week when the Shipley brothers and Curry and the Cannaday brothers loaded out cattle consigned to feed lots in Iowa.

In the shipments that left over the Santa Fe were 96 head of yearlings from the Cannaday brothers and Curry and the Cannaday brothers.

The loading was completed Saturday around midnight and the yearlings went out over the Santa Fe consigned to dealers for distribution to feed lots.

James David Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Jones of Lubbock, returned home Sunday after a visit of several days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McCleskey and Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Jones. Mrs. Jones accompanied him home returning the same afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Gillespie and children of Lubbock were guests of Mrs. Gillespie's sister, Mrs. C. B. McDonald, and family Sunday.

AS I SEE IT



(By Bill Hams)

What Are The Facts

What happened to the Nazi submarine that was destined to blast shipping in American waters, and since when has American waters extended 1,500 miles eastward from New York?

Even Roosevelt's neutrality zone (which the British refuse to recognize) extends only 300 miles into the Atlantic, and according to all rules of war, a Nazi submarine can cruise anywhere in the "free" ocean. The British fleet will permit, and the president has designated the waters around England as part of the "war zone" and will allow no American ships to cruise therein. So why all the hullabaloo?

We had read so much in the press about British defenses against German night attackers that we had felt in our bones that night-bombings of English cities were things of the past. . . but Thursday's papers told of a six hour bombing of London, and one (1) Nazi bomber shot down, and that is the English side of the story.

What happened to the "night defenses" the British spoke so highly of. . . looks as if "odds" would have gotten more than one lousy German plane out of several hundred attacking. Anti-aircraft fire was "reported" to be the heaviest "since the war," yet it only accounted for one plane. Where were the British night fighters we had read so much about?

The list of cities bombed and practically destroyed grows ever longer. . . if the British have these "defenses" we read about, why don't they put them to practical use instead of telling America about them?

Battle Of The Balkins Looms
The "powder keg" of Europe is primed and the fuse burning now that Germany has taken over Bulgaria. The Greeks won't bow to Hitler or anyone, and English troops and equipment are pouring into the Greek territory.

The papers say the British plan a "surprise" attack on Germany through Bulgaria, although how it can be a "secret" with American radio and press speaking it in a loud voice, we don't know. The German reports already recognize the fact that British are in Greece, but claim they aren't worried. The Nazi say when they get oiled up and get going they will toss Greeks and English into the Aegean sea. . . and remind "remember Dunquerque." So far the British have not thought up an answer to "remember Dunquerque," although they are thumbing through their military plans.

Military experts report that Turkey wants no war with anyone, because they have a serious lack of modern armaments, and can get none from England, Russia, or anyone. The Turks are known to be fighters from "who-laid-a-chunk" but the most biased military observed knows man power alone cannot compete with mechanized equipment.

A military spokesman said that Turkey got its last shipment of "modern" equipment from the Czechs five years ago, and now can buy no parts for them because Germany has Czechoslovakia.

American Aid On Way
With all the bad reports coming in from Europe, we hope that American aid does some good, enough at least to turn the tide. It would be tragic for American supplies to go to England just in time for her collapse.

It would leave us without proper armaments, and with a certain amount of discouragement. The English are fighting against heavy odds, and we wonder if America can get enough aid over to balance the scales of fortune.

American naval vessels would be of no use on convoy duty unless they had the right and power to sink Nazi raiders, and when this was done it would be an "act of war."

Active warfare will be a different story from our "belligerent neutral" attitude to the citizens of these United States. Public opinion at this time strongly favors material aid to Britain so long as it doesn't actually bring us into open war.

Signs Of The Times
According to a yarn that is being circulated, the southwest has finally adopted a code whereby folks can tell the genuine cowboy from a "dude." The scheme operates nicely and true westerners can tell almost at a glance just what status the person has so far as "ranching" experience goes.

The dude is allowed to wear a full 10 gallon stetson, silk neckerchief, levi trousers, boots, fancy Hollywood shirt, and any type chaps and spurs his heart may desire on the streets or anywhere.

The fellow who owns no cows but has folks who were familiar with ranching is allowed to wear boots with tops up to 10 inches, but not too fancy.

The fellow with one cow is allowed to stick the left britches leg in his boot.

If he owns two cows, he may stick the right trouser leg into his boot. If he owns as many as six cows he may wear both trouser legs in his boots.

If you see him wearing levi britches, regular boots, and a five gallon stetson, the odds are he has

Original Copy Of Constitution Of Texas Found

Potter's Resolution Also With Aged Document Found Recently

AUSTIN, March 25.—An original manuscript of the constitution of the Republic of Texas, the most complete draft known to exist, was found recently among the ancient documents of the Spanish Archives department of the General Land Office and is being exhibited this week by Land Commissioner Bascom Giles on the 105th anniversary of the signing of the instrument. Folded up with the constitution was another interesting memento of those stirring days: the famous "Potter's resolution" which proposed to declare "null, void and of no effect" all land grants of eleven leagues or more made by Spain and Mexico.

The constitution consists of fourteen yellow pages, brittle and frayed at the edges, written in longhand with faded brown ink with numerous portions scratched out and corrections interlined. Miss Harriet Smith, archivist of the State Library and an acknowledged authority on the handwriting of early Texas statesmen, pronounced it to be written in the hand of H. S. Kimble, secretary to the convention which met at Washington-on-the-Brazos March 2, 1836, to draw up the Declaration of Independence and the constitution of the new Republic. Miss Smith also said "Potter's resolution" was in the hand of Robert Potter, stormy and turbulent member of the convention whose resolution caused a furore on the convention floor.

The mystery of the lost manuscript constitution of the Republic of Texas may or may not have been solved by the recent find, but the mystery of how these documents got into the General Land Office in the first place has not yet been answered. Perhaps, Commissioner Giles states, they were brought to

a nice herd of cattle and a section of land.

If the gent sits on his heels, spits tobacco juice, whistles artistically and converses on the "good old days when. . ." The fellow has been on the plains a long time and knows a cow from a steer. The odds are he doesn't have much use for the "drug store cowboy" and the "cowboy music" which exudes from the radio.

Down at Austin a senator is supposed to wear a stetson hat with a brim five inches wider than that of a common legislator. The governor must know how to sing and play a fiddle.

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It will be remembered that the convention broke up in great confusion, and there is little wonder. News of the fall of the Alamo had arrived on March 15. More and more of the members, hearing that their families were fleeing homeless and hungry before Santa Anna's army were leaving Washington in haste. The atmosphere of excitement and desperation was so tense

that when the constitution was finally adopted, at midnight of March 16, no mention of the fact was made in the official journal. It is in haste, no doubt, that accounts for the peculiar sprawling penmanship on the last page of the document and for the lack of a period at the end of the last sentence.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McDermott and children of Tulsa spent a week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Olson.

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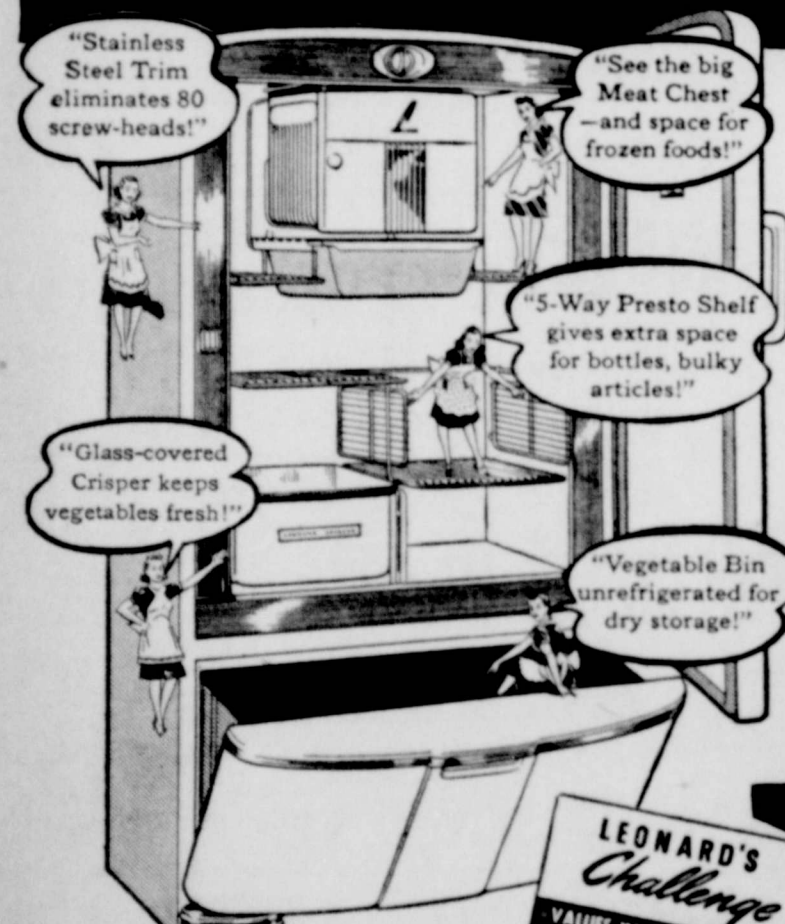
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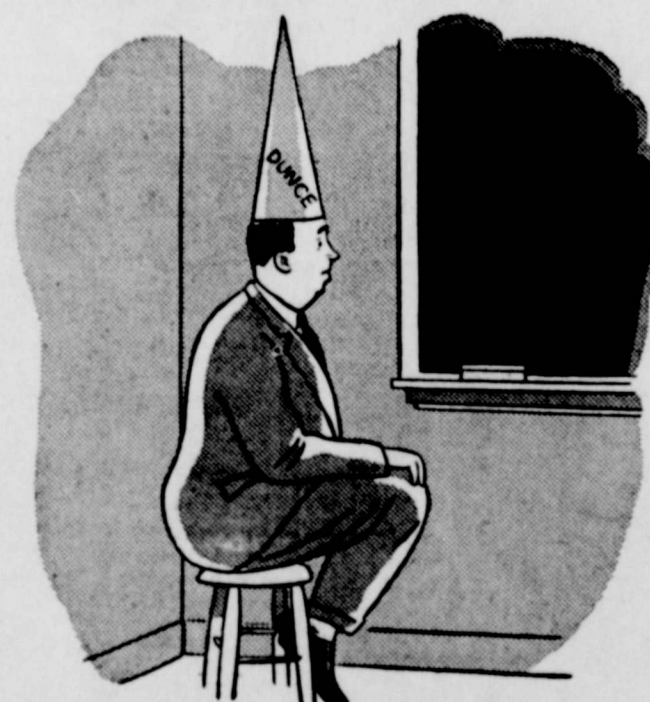
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Cotton Stamps Will Be Issued Early, Snodgrass Says

Time Of Distribution Would Depend Upon Growing Season

Cotton order stamps, to be earned by farmers for participating in the supplementary cotton program, will be issued this summer as soon as possible after performance is checked under the 1941 AAA Farm program, according to Paul Snodgrass, chairman of the Floyd County AAA committee.

This means that in the early cotton-producing counties of Texas, issuance of stamps may begin in late June, with the bulk of the stamps expected to be distributed during July and August.

Snodgrass said this estimate is based on past experience in checking cotton performance during a normal growing season. A late growing season in 1941 would of course, delay issuance of stamps to farmers in the areas affected.

Cotton stamps will be issued to farmers who make a further voluntary reduction in their cotton acreage in 1941. Stamps can be used to purchase cotton goods in local retail stores.

Farmers may earn stamps at the rate of 10 cents a pound on the normal cotton yield of the acreage reduced. (A farmer interested in one stamp may earn a maximum of 125 in cotton stamps, except at an operator with two or more acres of cotton.)

A farmer interested in two or more cotton farms also may earn up to \$50, but not more than \$10 of this amount can be on any one farm.

The Baker community will be expected to meet Sunday to the Five-County singing convention. The program will start at 10 a. m. and continue throughout the day. A basket lunch will be spread together at noon.

Singers from New Mexico; Dickens, Motley, Hall, Briscoe and Crosby counties are expected to be present.

H. L. Futch, president of the convention, of Dickens City, M. P. Casey, vice president, of White Flat and Secretary Miss Norma Stevens, of Turkey are the officials of the convention.

A Negro woman applied for relief in Florida during last winter's cold spell.

"Have you any children?" asked the investigator.

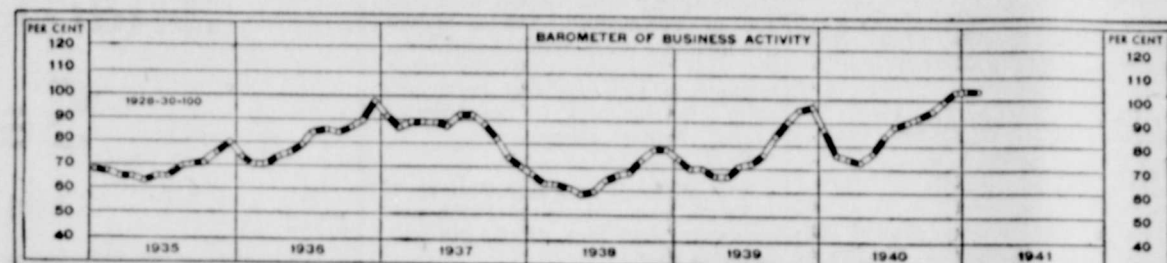
"Yes, sah, Ah's got foah."

"How old are they?"

"Well, now, let's see—Ah's got one ap child, one creeper, one porch child, and one yard young'un."



This map depicts current business conditions as compared with the same period last year. It will appear in the April number of "Nation's Business", published by the United States Chamber of Commerce



H. B. Callahan Died Sunday In Dallas

Former Resident of Floydada Succumbs To Influenza Attack; Burial at Shawnee, Oklahoma

H. B. Callahan, of Amarillo, died Sunday morning in Dallas from an attack of influenza, according to news received by friends here the first of the week.

A resident of Floydada during the year of 1918-23 and a frequent business visitor here, Callahan had many acquaintances in this section.

He moved from Floydada to Amarillo in the latter part of 1923 and had lived there since. At the time of his death he was in Dallas on business. He had been there about two weeks. Prior to his trip to that city he visited briefly in Floydada with Drs. G. V. and L. V. Smith.

Horace Berlin Callahan was born January 19, 1885 at Springfield, Missouri. About 27 years ago he was married to Miss Clyde Hodge, who with members of his immediate family survives the deceased.

The body was taken overland to Shawnee, Oklahoma, Monday for burial from Dallas.

Hesperian Want Ads For Results

"KEEP APPLES AWAY" THE FLORISTS NOW SAY

Granting that apples deserve their good reputation, some florists are ready to say, "Keep the apples away or cut flowers won't pay."

For years, florists have been keeping cut carnations and other flowers in 50 degree storage because practical experience showed them that flowers usually came out of this cool storage in more salable condition than from colder storage. The reason for this has come to light from Department of Agriculture studies designed to find out how flowers can be kept fresh longer.

When florists stored carnations at just above freezing, it usually happened that the storage space was in a warehouse that also contained apples in storage. The present studies revealed that apples give off small quantities of ethylene, and that it is this gas and not the low temperature that spoils the flowers.

Apples do not keep well if stored at 50 degrees, so as a matter of practical experience carnations stored at 50 degrees would not be exposed to ethylene from apples. This was the basis on which florists adopted their rule-of-thumb practice for storing flowers. Actually, the studies show, a near freezing temperature—if free from the injurious gas—keeps carnations fresher than the 50 degree temperature; but if ethylene is present even in minute quantities the gain is more than offset by the ethylene injury.

To get the benefit of the new knowledge, florists need only arrange for storage at near freezing temperature in an establishment willing to provide space from which fruit is excluded so as to avoid any trace of ethylene. Flowers and fruit do not mix well in storage.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. James Roy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Grimes, underwent an operation for appendicitis Monday night at the Plainview hospital. She is reported to be getting along nicely.

Since the 1935-36 fall planting season, 1849 miles of shelterbelt have been planted in northwest Texas. Wheeler county has the largest concentration of belts with 334 miles.

Floyd Eaves Quits As Postmaster At Petersburg

Effective on April 1, Floyd Eaves has resigned as postmaster at Petersburg and is being succeeded by Author Terry. Eaves resignation was approved formally last week.

Eaves will take work with the J. A. Eaves and Sons grocery firm, with which he was associated four and a half years ago when he accepted the postmastership.

COTTON COATS FOR SHEEP

"More cotton for more wool" may be the coming slogan on what the well-dressed sheep will wear in winter. The U. S. Department of Agriculture has sent out to Wyoming several hundred "coats" for an experiment with sheep on the range. This experiment is being conducted cooperatively by the Department of Agriculture, the Wyoming Agricultural Experiment Station, and the Flag Ranch, Inc., of Laramie, Wyoming.

Cotton coats for sheep—or cotton rugs as wool growers call them—were tested in a small way last year. Results were encouraging, indicating that when cotton coats are placed on older ewes grazing on sandy pastures in cold, windy climates, a smaller amount of supplementary feed is needed and the amount and quality of the wool is increased.

This year the Cotton Processing Division of the Southern Regional Research Laboratory at New Orleans—which is trying to develop new ways of using cotton—had 500 of the cotton coats made up and sent out to Wyoming for a larger scale test. The coats, tied on with soft rope, were "styled" on advice from wool specialists of the Wyoming station, who are watching the cotton-clad sheep this winter. If the larger scale tests turn out well, too, the sheep will produce more and better wool and there will be one more use for cotton.

USED CAR RECONDITIONING SCHOOL ON WHEELS

An innovation in used car reconditioning which is attracting widespread favorable comment throughout the motor world is a new training plan recently put into effect by Chevrolet. Bringing latest approved reconditioning methods direct to individual dealerships, the new car reconditioning school trains the dealer's service man within his own dealership.

At present, nine Chevrolet trucks—each a complete used car reconditioning shop in itself—are in the field, moving from one dealership to another, with a two-week or

full month lay-over at each dealer's place of business.

Manning the truck is a capable reconditioning instructor, who was formerly a Chevrolet dealer's used car reconditioning manager. Each instructor is first brought to Detroit for an extended training course under the direction of the National Used Car Reconditioning Department. Upon his graduation as a qualified used car reconditioning instructor, he is put in charge of his special training and his retail experience, he is unusually well qualified to work with dealers' service personnel.

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Floyd-Hale One Variety movement of 1940 received praise not only within its own area but has been recognized as one of the most worthwhile movements in Texas, and the Floyd county farmers received more money from their cotton than was received from any other section of West Texas in 1940. Quoting Mr. Harry Blocker of the Cotton Trade at Lubbock who states that no cotton conversation in West Texas can be started without talk about the fine market and one variety program which has been established in Floyd county.

Area organization will be set up sometime in the early part of April. This organization is being delayed with the hope that members of the Surplus Marketing Administration and Smith-Doxey organization will be present to work out some of the details necessary so that the group will receive the maximum benefits from either of these programs.

Attention is called to the cotton producers that the county received large amount of advertisement from this splendid work; that it has meant more money to farmers who have made a practice of planting one variety cotton in the past five years in Floyd county. That it is a step in the right direction catering to American mills producing uniform character for the mills who are willing to pay a premium for cotton produced in this manner instead of letting it pile up in warehouses under government loan.

With every gin community in Floyd county having set up a permanent cotton improvement organization, numerous questions have come up in the past few days. A number of the organizations are endeavoring to make a survey of their customers as to whom will cooperate in the cotton improvement program, and in some cases the organizations have mailed cards to producers, requesting this information. In other cases, the county agent has assisted these organizations in gaining this information. Some organizations have received

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almost 100 per cent replies and a range from 95 to 100 per cent co-operation.

It is requested that everyone who has received these cards return them immediately and in case where anyone has been overlooked, he should notify his ginmer or organization group immediately as to his intentions.

No regulations have been submitted from Washington to date as to what will be necessary to qualify for the Smith-Doxey free classification or the Surplus Marketing program, and it is natural to expect that each of these organizations will not be as lax in their program in 1941 as has been the custom in the past, and for a cotton producer to receive the benefits from either of these programs, it will be necessary that his name be certified in some form as a one variety cotton producer cooperating with some cotton improvement association of the county.

A tentative survey has been made of the organizations in Floyd

Saturday Double Features Begin At Palace

New 'Sky Raiders' Serial Also Booked To Start Saturday Noon

A new double feature policy for Saturday matinee and night, at Palace theatre to continue throughout all of the month of April, was announced this week by Jack Deakins, manager.

Beginning at 12 noon Saturday the theatre will present throughout the afternoon and night:

- (1) Zane Grey's "The Border Legion" with Roy Rogers and Gabby Hayes;
- (2) Jack London's "Wolf Call" with John Carroll and Movita;
- (3) First installment of a 12-episode serial "Sky Raiders."

To every boy or girl who attends the show also will be given free a full-size 5c candy bar.

The Border Legion
The old west lives again in "The Border Legion" Roy Rogers is cast in the red blooded role of Steve Kells, a young physician who has fled to the Idaho territory when he is charged unjustly with a crime committed by the brother of Alice, the girl he loves.

Alice follows him to Idaho, urging him to return and prove his innocence, though she is not aware that the real culprit is her brother. In the wild Idaho territory she becomes involved in frontier warfare between the honest men, on the one hand, and a gang of cut-throat ruffians known as the "Border Legion" on the other.

As the heroes and villains battle back and forth the plot thickens to make it a regular western thriller from beginning to end, with enough comedy, however, to keep it from getting too heavy.

Jack London's 'Wolf Call'
Filmgoers will like the way in which the northland grandeur is captured and its thrills carried along with the story in "Wolf Call." As the title suggests this is an action drama, set to music and played against a magnificent background of mighty mountains and fabulous California lakes.

Sent to the Canadian northwest by his father for regeneration the young hero, Mike Vance, millionaire playboy, is investigating conditions at the Vance Radium mine when he falls in love with an Indian maiden. Determined to have his father keep the mine, after he discovers its great worth, the young hero and representatives of a huge syndicate battle at every turn. John Carroll has the hero's part in the story, which has a thrilling climax.

"Sky Raiders," episode No. 1 of which will be shown Saturday beginning at noon, deals for 12 chapters with spy perils in the United States.

Action of the plot centers around a large airplane factory in Southern California, locale of such great components of the aircraft industry as the Douglas, Lockheed, Vultee and North American plants.

Woods, as the head of Sky Raiders, Inc. is the target of insidious and violent espionage.

Scheming of the spies gets under way swiftly in the first chapter as they kidnap the famous flying ace and hijack the newest and most powerful pursuit plane from the Sky Raiders' own testing field.

Deakins announced that no increase will be made in the admission price.

L. C. McDonald and son C. B. McDonald attended a meeting of Allis-Chalmers dealers at Amarillo Thursday. They were accompanied by Mrs. C. B. McDonald, Carolyn McDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McDonald, accompanied them as far as Tulsa and visited her cousin, Betty Kathryn McDonald.

county and surrounding territory and a conservative estimate reveals that the area will be in position to offer some twenty to twenty-five thousand bales of cotton under normal weather conditions.

Farmers' Short Course Dates Announced

COLLEGE STATION, March 24.—H. H. Williamson director of Extension Service for A. and M. college, announces that the week beginning Sunday, July 13, through Friday, July 18, has been selected as the period for the 1941 Farmers' Short Course at the college. The tentative program sets Sunday, Monday and Tuesday for the farm men and women's program, Wednesday for agents' conference, and Thursday and Friday for 4-H boys' and girls' programs.

Several nationally known men, including Secretary of Agriculture Claude Wickard, are expected to be present and speak.

Director Williamson; D. L. Weddington, executive assistant; Geo. E. Adams, vice director and state agent, and Mildred Horton, vice director and state home demonstration agent, comprise the executive committee.

The Short Course program committee consists of Roy Snyder, chairman; L. L. Johnson; Onah Jacks; R. E. Callender; R. G. Burwell; Bess Edwards, Mae Belle Smith and Myrtle Murray.

Baldrige Funeral Rites Last Week

Funeral rites were conducted Saturday at the Broadway Church of Christ at Lubbock, for Joe Baldrige, 59-year-old pioneer Lubbock business man, who died Thursday afternoon in an Albuquerque, New Mexico hospital. He had been in the hospital nine weeks seriously ill of a malignant ailment.

Mr. Baldrige had been in the bakery business in Lubbock since 1924 after having conducted a grocery concern several years.

Survivors are the wife, two sons, Joe Edwin and Don; a brother, Ed Baldrige of Breckenridge; three sisters, Mrs. L. O. Burford and Mrs. M. E. McBride of Lubbock and Mrs. J. F. Mathews of Shamrock.

Elders G. C. Brewer and Liff Sanders officiated. Sanders funeral home directed interment in Lubbock cemetery.

Mr. Baldrige is being succeeded in the management of the Baldrige bakery by a son. Earl Young represents the bakery in this area.

MRS. M. J. McNEILL HOSTESS TO FAIRVIEW-CAMPBELL H. D. CLUB

The Fairview-Campbell Home Demonstration club met at 2 o'clock Thursday, March 20, at the home of Mrs. E. C. Hayden with Mrs. M. J. McNeill as hostess.

The club was called to order by the president and roll call was answered by giving an outstanding characteristic of a favorite friend. A game with pictures suggesting the names of flowers was directed by Mrs. E. B. Chesnut. Mrs. Hayden was awarded the prize. Flower seeds and bulbs were exchanged by the members. A demonstration was given by Mrs. E. B. Chesnut on "How, when, and where to Plant Flowers." She also discussed "When Flowers Should be Planted in this country."

A refreshment plate was served to Mrs. Mal Jarboe, Mrs. R. M. Stovall, Mrs. E. B. Chesnut, Mrs. Lee Rushing, Mrs. E. C. Hayden, Miss Dorothy Stovall and the hostess, Mrs. M. J. McNeill.

Blankets and Quilts Wanted Today For Needy Of England

Do you have some spare blankets and quilts that you could afford to send war sufferers in England this afternoon?

If so, bring them down to the Western bakery, where the Salvation Army will pick them up in the morning at 5 o'clock, have them in Dallas shortly after tomorrow and enroute to England Saturday.

This is the word that Sgt.-Major A. C. Bowley, of the Salvation Army stationed at Plainview, sends. "We want to send blankets and quilts across that are sorely needed at once," said Sgt.-Major Bowley. "Our telegram of advice was received too late to give it more publicity."

"We would like to take as large a quantity of blankets and quilts as possible and hope the response will be generous this afternoon. We realize, of course, we can't reach all the Floyd county people in so brief a time, but we do want all the help we can get immediately to catch a boat that is sailing right away."

Mrs. C. C. Evans and daughters, Misses Ruby and Melba and son Joe of Prairiehill, Texas, visited her nephew, W. E. Grimes and family from Thursday until Saturday. While here they attended the funeral of a friend, Mrs. D. Courtney of Idalou, Friday afternoon.

Pat Stahsall and Eob Porter of Lubbock were guests of Pat's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Stahsall, Monday night.

Floyd County Cotton Ginnings Total Above 15,000 Bales

The final report on ginnings counties in Texas issued on March 20 by the Bureau of the Census gives Floyd county a total of 15,000 bales of cotton as compared with 10,147 in the previous year. Ginnings in Motley were 11,000 in 1940, Hale 23,264, Hall 23,000, Crosby 23,489, and Dickens 11,000.

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I have tried to see all of you and if I have missed anyone it was not intentional. I appreciate very deeply the support that you have given me in the past, and I have tried to show my appreciation by making you a courteous and efficient City Marshal.

If you feel that I have filled the office in such a way as to merit your continued support, your vote will be appreciated.

If elected, I promise you the same service that I have rendered in the past.

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Chatterer Exposes Students

We were as surprised as you were by it's a fact that—

Ruth Hamilton doesn't mind making dates. Does she David May?

Wayland Hale wants to go with the Campbell. He seems to have reason.

Vernon McNeely looked at Virginia Morrison in the seventh period study hall Friday and then turned his head and laughed.

Louise Willson finds visits in the hall very entertaining. She says it's her cousin but we wonder?

Two girls that helped make out the treasure hunt for the social club Friday night made it possible for their dates to win the treasure.

Several girls have been trying to memorize the formula: C12, H22, O11, to be put into effect at some appropriate time, especially on a date.

Mary Frances Jones and Buddy Herman found each others company enjoyable Friday night.

Cageline seems to rate with the boys as well as Betty.

Babe must have been either out of town Friday night or out of the boys' heart, but Joe Rushing filled his place exceptionally well.

Joe Arwine finds that Arla Vee Bishop's company and Saturday night go well together.

The name Mary Beth Bennet infuriates La Juana when she hears it over a telephone.

"Fashion" wants to get farther in style and get a date with Martha Yearwood.

Royce has to take Virginia Yoakum to a scary show to get to hold her hand. We hear he's good at the "Adam Lazonga" style of "Dogcatching Wooling."

SOCIAL CLUB GIVES PARTY, TREASURE HUNT IN RAIN

"When it rains, it pours." This old expression was really put into effect Friday night, March 21, when the Social club attempted to have their buffet supper-treasure hunt party.

In fact, they not only attempted to have a party—they did.

Funny books were really popular there.

A delicious meal of potato salad, baked ham, rolls, green beans, corn, olives, pickles, coffee, tea, and pecan pie, were served.

Those attending were Roberta Medlin, Archie Hucklebee, Frances Field, Gordon Patterson, Dillon Patterson, Loyce Stanton, Winnie Brown, Edith Shirey, Charlie Bill Owens, Nelda Fagan, H. C. Love, Martha Yearwood.

Bud DuBois, Cageline Carmack, LeRoy Chowning, Maudine Moore, Arliss Rainer, Betty Jo McCleskey, Arleen Pyffe, Ploy Jean Hale, Phil Sten, Joy Cardwell, Maurice Sten, Florine Cates, Joe Rushing, Bert Ione Smith and the hostess, Topsy Dudley.

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THE HESPERIAN

Floydada Track Team Ready For League Meet

Floydada Chemistry Class To Make Long Field Trip

Future Farmers Will Attend Tech Judging Contests Saturday

Six Future Farmers from Floydada will attend the second half of the F. F. A. judging contest to be held at Texas Tech college, Lubbock on Saturday March 29.

Two teams, farm shop and horticulture will make the trip. The farm shop team composed of Thomas Warren, Earnest Hucklebee, and Wilton Patterson, will participate in the following events: Soldering, Rope work, Hardware identification, and terracing.

The horticulture team will participate in grafting and budding free and shrub identification and vegetable judging.

Henry Jones Martin carried his herford calf which he has been feeding as a project to Lubbock to enter it in the South Plains Junior Fat stock show. Carlton Fawver was unable to enter his calf because of illness of his father.

The Floydada Future Farmers are busy at this time training and fitting their project animals for the Floydada Dairy and Project show which is to be held in Floydada April 4.

Besides dairy calves the boys will show pigs, beef calves, and sheep. The regular F. F. A. meeting has been postponed until the weather clears up.

TEACHER AND STUDENTS ENTERTAIN LAKEVIEW PARENT TEACHERS

Miss Bert Ione Smith, speech teacher and eight high school students presented a patriotic program at the Lakeview school on Thursday March 20.

The students and Miss Smith presented the following program to the Lakeview P. T. A.: A one-act play, read by Miss Smith, entitled "Fixin's" Americanism, Frances Field, a reading, "Georgia da Wash," Doyle Walls; two vocal selections, "I Am an American," "God Bless America," high school trio, Martha Yearwood, Frances Field, Jane Campbell, accompanied by Nelda Fagan; a study of Lincoln, Dorothy Ann Dooley; skit, "Commencement," Royce Turner, Bryan Collins, Nelda Fagan, and Dorothy Ann Dooley.

F. H. T. GIVES THEATRE PARTY ON FRIDAY NIGHT

The F. H. T. club had a theatre party last Friday night. About 28 girls planned to go, but due to the fact that it rained all afternoon, many of them did not get to attend.

The girls and their sponsors met at Martin's corner at 6:45 and went to the theatre at 7. All who attended, enjoyed "The Philadelphia Story."

The girls of all Homemaking classes are going even more domestic these days. They are selling flower and garden seeds. We hope that spring will hurry and really get here so that the sales will increase.

FLORENCE LLOYD WINS HIGH HONOR IN PUBLIC SPEAKING

Florence Lloyd, junior in Floydada High school, won "Highly Superior" on public speaking in Amarillo Friday.

Florence spoke at the First Methodist church Friday at 2:30 o'clock. There she won top honor with two other students of West Texas.

Florence repeated her speech Saturday at 4:30 over K. G. N. C.

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Contrary to the general opinion that the three principle races of mankind are white, black and yellow, it has been proved by the F. H. S. track team that the three chief races of mankind are the mile, 320 and 440.

So far the nice, rainy days have been for the benefit of the merchants and the farmer; certainly not for the track and field events.

Nevertheless, the run, jump, puff and blow boys have been doing some beneficial road and field work. At the present, these boys seem to hold the top notches in the following events:

100 yd. dash—Bruce Foster, Junior Womack, and Gene Loran.

120 high hurdles: Leroy Chowning, Joe Rushing, and Aldine Williams.

220 yd. dash: Bruce Foster, Gene Loran, and Joe Shultz.

880 yd. dash: Junior Womack, Bud DuBois, and Harold Sparks.

200 low hurdles: Gordon Patterson, and LeRoy Chowning.

1 Mile Run: Gordon Patterson, Junior Conway, and Robbin Griffin.

440 yd. dash: Aldine Williams, Joe Rushing, and Dillon Patterson.

440 yd. relay: Gene Loran, Gordon Patterson, and LeRoy Chowning.

1 Mile relay: Jr. Womack, Bud DuBois, Joe Rushing, and Aldine Williams.

Shot Put: Joe Rushing, Dillon Patterson, and Joe Shultz.

Discus: Joe Rushing, Dillon Patterson, Harold Sparks, and LeRoy Chowning.

Broad Jump: LeRoy Chowning, Bruce Foster, and Joe Shultz.

High Jump: Maurice Sten, Gene Loran, Bruce Foster, and Jess Michael.

Pole Vault: Joe Shultz, J. D. Morrison, Calvin Hill, and Oran Beck.

Coach Winter says that these boys have a good chance if they keep up the good workouts and do not overrate themselves. Otherwise they are likely to be outstepped by the darkhorses.

DECLARATION TRYOUTS

A group of declaimers from Andrews Ward school of Floydada had their tryouts in the auditorium of Floydada High school Wednesday morning.

The ones who won were Johnny Hammonds, first, and Jackie Brock second in the boys group. Mable Foster, first and Bobbie Jean Stevens second in the group of girls.

Those who have entered are boys: Johnny Hammonds, Jackie Brock, Welton Dunavant, and Bobby McGuire.

Girls: Mable June Foster, Bobbie Jean Stevens, Ernestine Fowler, Joy Lambert and Mary Helen Yoakum.

Andrews Ward Students Will Take Big Part In League

Andrews Ward school is entering the county meet March 24. The events they are entering are track, baseball and declamation.

Mr. Howard Ameck, Andrews Ward coach, is sponsoring track. He said, "The Ward school track team will be composed of boys from this group," and that they showed promises of some real speed this year.

Those entering track are L. T. Bridges, Billy Joe Cantrell, Macyle Boeteler, Robert Huey, W. C. Smith, Tommy Collins, T. C. Kirk, Johnnie Hammonds, Jay Ray Tribble, and Calvin Barbee.

Coach Ameck is also sponsoring boys baseball. The team for the play ground ball will be selected from this group. L. W. Bridges, Billy Joe Cantrell, Tommy Collins, Macyle Boeteler, Bobby O'Bannon, Calvin Barbee, T. C. Kirk, Robert Huey, Charles Hatley, Omer Anderson, Jay Ray Tribble, Charles Ray Hamilton, David Joe Lambert, and George Tyler.

Miss Dorothy Hoyle sponsors girls' baseball. The students who

have entered this are Marjorie Bredthauer, Pauline Cardinal, Doris Hill, Dorothy Holder, George Ann Hucklebee, Maurine Medlin, Edna Earl McNutt, Ludene Ray, LaJuana Sharp, Kate Sparks, Bobby Jean Stephens, Jean Wester, and Betty Merle Boteler.

No definite date has been set as to when these events will take place.

EXCHANGE

"There goes another pupil," said the professor as his glass eye rolled across the floor.—The Western Graphic.

"Why I ambarass it, I can't explain," the taxi driver said.

"Yet every time it sees me coming, that traffic light turns red."—Houstonian.

Two wires greeted each other thusly: "Hi tension."

"Low voltage."

FHS Speakers Named For League Events This Week-End

The high school will be well represented in the public speaking contests during the Floyd County Interscholastic league meet this week-end.

The student to participate in these events are: Florence Lloyd, senior girl declamation; Wayland Hale, senior boy declamation; Dorothy Ann Dooley, extemporaneous speaking for girls, and Jack Daily, extemporaneous speaking for boys.

Junior Cummings and Robert Conner are training for the junior boys declamation. There will be a try out for these boys soon to determine which one will represent the school.

The declamations will be Thursday after the rural and Ward School choral singing. Extemporaneous speaking will be at 10:30 a. m. Friday.

Hit Of The Week

Because of you, there's a song in my heart.

Because of you, our romance had its start.

Because of you the sun will shine

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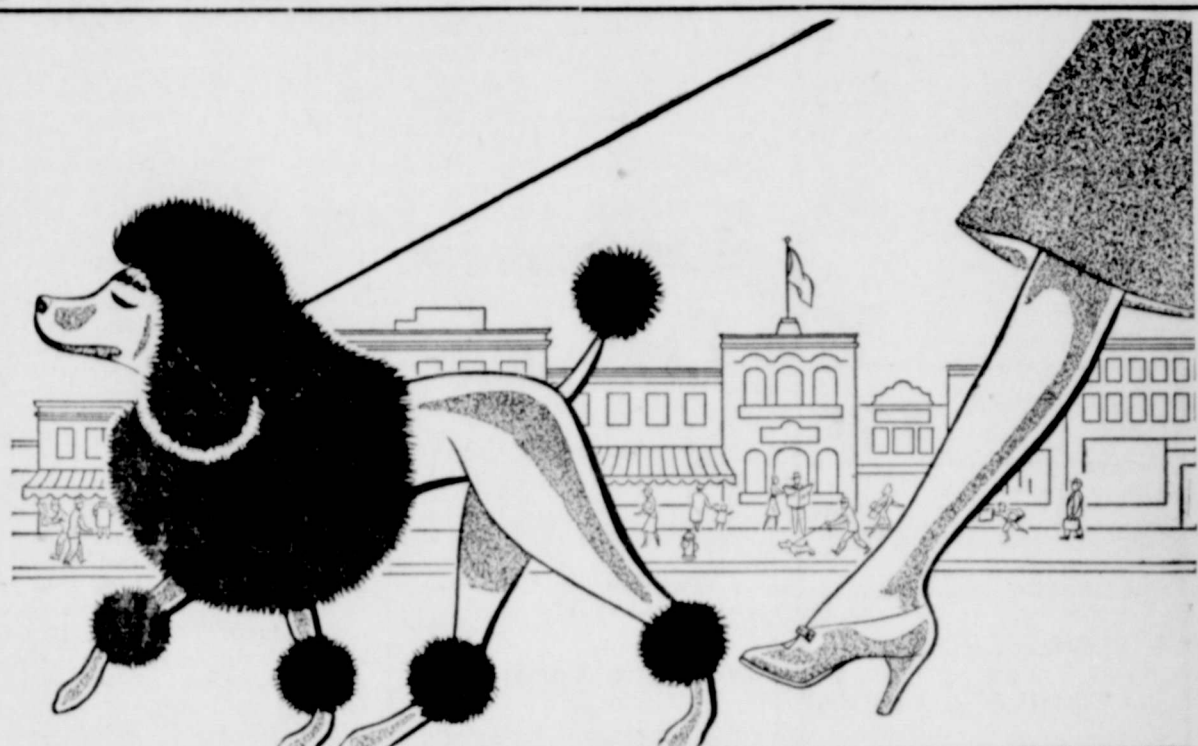
I only live for your love and your kiss.

It's paradise to be near you like this

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And now I can smile,

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Three Inches Rainfall Reported At Dougherty By Mrs. C. A. Caffee

DOUGHERTY, March 25. — Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Poole have recently completed the landscaping of their grounds on the Poole ranch farm east of Dougherty. Gordon M. Sandison, landscape architect of Oklahoma City supervised the work. Evergreens, flowering shrubs and grasses adaptable to West Texas were used in the landscape plan.

Mr. and Mrs. Poole plan to build a new ranch home sometime in the future.

Three Inch Rainfall Here
Farmers in this community are jubilant over the splendid rain which has fallen here. Beginning Friday night and continuing through Tuesday the precipitation has reached the three inch level.

Church service was suspended here Sunday due to conditions of the roads.

The school bus which brings the school children from Antelope to the Dougherty school and continues through to Floydada with the high school pupils was unable to get over the heavy roads Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hudson are in Marlin where they are taking the baths.

Dougherty Boys Visit Parents
Bill and Sam Dougherty who are students at Woodbury Forest, Virginia came Saturday for a visit with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dougherty. The boys came on a transport plane and were met in Dallas by their mother. Mrs. Dougherty was accompanied to Dallas by her nephew who will visit with his uncle Bill Alexander and wife before returning to his home in Boston, Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Poole were business visitors in Lubbock Friday.

Ott Glassmeyer was brought home Saturday from a Lubbock hospital where he underwent a week's treatment and a tonsilectomy.

Mrs. W. B. Jones is reported to be doing nicely following a major operation Thursday in a Lubbock hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Windell Tye of Amarillo were guests of his uncle Orland Howard and Mrs. Howard Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Capshaw moved to Quanah Saturday to make their home. Mr. Capshaw, an employee of the Q. A. & P. Railway company has been transferred to the shops in Quanah.

Tate Jones in company with his sister in Amarillo left Friday for a visit with relatives in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Fry of Floydada were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton Friday night.

Miss Dorothy Crawford who teaches school at Munday was a week-end guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Brownlow and children left Sunday for Dallas where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Edwards and little daughter of Hereford spent the week-end with his mother Mrs. G. C. Edwards and sister Mollie.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Roe and little son of Dallas were visiting with friends in Dougherty Sunday.

Cake Sale

Sponsored by the
Andrews Ward P. T. A.
Saturday, March 29
Beginning at 10 a. m.
At The
Gilliam Appliance
and SPORTS STORE

C. L. Brownlow of McAdoo visited the first of the week with his father Price Brownlow.

Mrs. Newton To Mineral Wells
Mrs. J. E. Newton left Tuesday morning for Mineral Wells where she will spend some time taking treatments. Mrs. Newton had the misfortune of breaking an ankle eight weeks ago. The breakage has not responded to treatment as it should and she has gone to the health resort in an effort to restore conditions. Mr. Newton accompanied her to Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Bullock and children of Blanco visited Monday with her sister Mrs. H. N. Powell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill M. Norman and children, Mrs. Elam C. Caldwell and daughter Janie attended the Kimble-Harris wedding rites at the First Methodist church at Floydada Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxie Allen moved to Roaring Springs last week.

Mrs. Capshaw and Mrs. Brooks of Roaring Springs visited last week with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Capshaw.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kreis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cope Haden of Campbell Monday night of last week.

RODEO
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as many rodeos in 1941 as he did in 1940, he said in a recent letter. Communities and local business firms who plan to have sponsors in the rodeo and the big parade that will open the event on Old Settlers' day can get in touch with W. U. White, who was selected Monday night as sponsor chairman. "We're going ahead tentatively with the plans for the big show and as soon as it becomes evident that support is going to be ample, advance arrangements can be started," Mr. Snodgrass said following the meeting.

R. F. Stovall, who sparked last year's rodeo organization and carried a big part of the load of work, will be asked to take the chairmanship of the advertising caravan trips that will be made.

With several hundred dollars worth of pens built and ready for the event the rodeo organization would be several laps ahead of last year's committee which had to begin at scratch. The school board has indicated readiness to permit the use of the athletic field for the event.

Protector for Women
Every day, women are finding the headaches, nervousness, cramp-like pain of functional dysmenorrhea due to malnutrition are relieved by CARDUI. It usually increases appetite, livens flow of gastric juices and so improves digestion. Thus it helps to build resistance to periodic distress for many. Others find help for periodic distress by taking CARDUI a few days before and during "the time." CARDUI has been popular for over 50 years.

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Milk	FROM TESTED COWS	qt	.04
Sugar	powdered	2 boxes	.15
Flour	PACKARD SUPREME	48 lb	1.29
Spuds	large white	10 lb	.10
Macaroni or spaghetti		2 bxs	.05
Wax Paper	for lunches	box	.05
Coffee	with spoon	lb.	.13
Clabber Girl		32 oz can	.19
Corn Flakes		13 oz box	.07 1/2
Corn	no 2 can	2 for	.15
Pork & Beans		16 oz can	.05
Tomatoes	no 2 can	3 for	.19
Blackberries		gallon can	.39
Hams	TENDERIZED PICNIC	lb	.16
Bacon	sliced	lb	.15
Oleo	PARKAY MADE BY KRAFT	lb	.10 1/2
Bologna	sliced	lb	.12
Meat	for boiling	lb	.06
Lard	pure	lb	.07 1/2
Cheese	full cream	lb	.19

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RAIN
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crop have been growing with leaps and bounds as rain followed rain to build up an ever increasing sub-moisture that may help pull crops through an overtime dry season later this spring.

September, October, and November contributed 2.80 inches toward a winter moisture supply to give wheat a good start and to prevent blowing to some extent.

Rainfall in January and February also contributed their part to

put a halt to blow-out and drifting sand. What dust covered Floyd county was from distant points and little actual damage has been recorded to wheat here.

The only protest that has been voiced has been a desire for a cold "snap" or two to halt the rapid growth of the wheat. Cattle by the thousands have been grazed on the wheat lands in an effort to hold back growth and in many instances this has been a failure because of continued wet weather which kept the cattle from the fields.

Visions of a "record busting" wheat harvest this summer is dimmed by the old saying here that "a wheat crop can be lost and made a thousand times between now and harvest."

Ever since the five million bushel crop of 1937, Floyd wheat growers have been aiming at the record, but have always had their crops fall far short because of a belated freeze, or a poor growing season in the late spring.

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BEEF ROAST	CHOICE FLESH, lb 17 1/2c
Longhorn Cheese	FULL CREAM, lb 19c
Pork Chops	FLESH and LEAN, 2 lbs 35c
Sliced Bacon	Lakeview lb 19c
SALT JOWLS	lb 9c
Felton-Collins Gro.	
and MARKET	Phone 27

CITY CANDIDATES
The following have authorized The Hesperian to announce their candidacies for city office in the election Tuesday, April 1:

For City Secretary
CLYDE W. HENDERSON
SILAS E. DUNCAN

For City Marshal
MORGAN WRIGHT
BOB SMITH

High } HENS CREAM EGGS HIDES

Low } CHICK STARTER EGG MASH GROW MASH

C. L. BERRY
PHONE 74

Star Cash Values	
FLOUR , 24-Lb. Sack, Light Crust for Better Baking	79c
Tomato Juice , 46-Oz. Can,	15c
CORN FLAKES , 3 For, LARGE BOXES	25c
Pork & Beans , 16-Oz. Can,	5c
SAUERKRAUT , 13-Oz. Can,	5c
OXYDOL , LARGE BOX,	18c
TOMATOES , No. 2 Can, 3 For,	19c
CRACKERS , 2-Lb. Box,	13c
BACON , No. 1 Sliced,	25c
LARD , 4-Lb. Pure (Carton),	35c
BOLOGNA , 2-Lb. Sliced,	25c
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