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Santa Fe Announces Building Project

New Line Will Extend Southwestward 65 Miles From Lubbock Through Levelland

Topeka, Kansas, Jan. 20.—The first construction work which the Santa Fe Railway announces definitely will be carried out this year, calls for a new line extending from Doud, Texas, on the Seagraves branch, west through Hockley and Cochran Counties to a point near the New Mexico boundary, a distance of about 65 miles. Plans are being made to proceed with the work at once, according to officials here and in Chicago.

From Doud, which is seven miles southwest of Lubbock, the seat of Lubbock County, the new line will extend in a generally westerly direction via Levelland, the seat of Hockley County, and via approximately the center of Cochran County to the neighborhood of the western line of the state. It is about 70 miles from Lubbock to the proposed terminus where another town to add to the steady growth of west Texas is bound to spring up.

Construction of this line will open up nearly one million acres of territory now without railroad facilities Practically all of the land is good for grazing and general farming. It has been used up to the present time entirely for livestock purposes, being occupied by large ranches. These tracts are being rapidly broken up and sold as farms which are well adapted to raising cotton and grain sorghums, also wheat and corn.

F. H. S. GIRLS LOSE BY ONE POINT

Floydada High School's girls basketball team this season is one of the best the school has had in a number of years, the girls having played with an undefeated record until Friday of last week, when they lost a game that was hard to lose to Plainview High School. The score was 21 to 20.

Ma Is Inaugurated Governor of Texas

Thousands in Capital for Inauguration of Texas' Woman Governor Roy Tells About It

(By Roy L. Haynes)

Austin, Jan. 21.—Inauguration of Mrs. Miriam Amanda (Ma) Ferguson, of Temple, as the first woman governor of Texas, anl the first woman elected to the governor's chair in the United States, took place in the House of Representatives before a joint session of the Legislature Tuesday. The oath of office was administered by Chief Justice C. M. Cureton of the State Supreme Court, and at 12:28 o'clock Mrs. Ferguson placed her lips upon the time-honored Bible and became governor succeeding Governor Pat M. Neff. Barry Miller, incoming lieutenant governor, was sworn into office by T. W. Davidson, whom he succeeded as ex officio presiding officer of the State Senate. Miller took the oath a few minutes prior to Mrs. Ferguson.

The city of Austin was in gala attire with her flags and bunting. Thousands of people thronged the streets throughout the day, which was warm and clear. It is estimated that 10,000 visitors were in the city. Brownwood's famous Old Gray Mare Band, West Texas' own, was on hand to liven up things, and they did. The twenty-third infantry band, of San Antonio, was also there to add brilliance to the array of music makers. A military salute of 17 guns was fired as the respective state leaders passed out of and into the governorship.

Texas was there Tuesday. Rich and poor jostled and squirmed for the opportunity to get a glance at Ma as she took her oath as the climax to the greatest political year of campaigns ever staged in the state. West Texans, with their big white Stetson's could be seen bobbing up various places over the vast audience crowding into the hall. And the folks from the forks of the creek were there and they all joined heartily in the ovations for the outgoing and the incoming administrations.

A noteworthy fact was the large number of women present. Fully 65 per cent were women and they evidently enjoyed things, if smiling faces mean anything. The lady folk were there and they applauded Ma frequently during her speech.

Governor Neff escorted Mrs. Ferguson to the speaker's platform at the morning ceremonies and sat at her right. The thousands crowded into the hall rose and cheered for five minutes when she marched in. Hallie Maude Neff sat at Mrs. Ferguson's left and Jim (Pa) sat the fourth seat on the right of Ma. Inauguration ceremonies proper began at 10:15 when Speaker Lee Satterwhite, of Panhandle, called the house to order and routine business was disposed of. The formal exercise in which Mrs. Ferguson took the oath of office followed.

In the evening a brilliant, colorful ball followed a reception .Governor and Mrs. Neff took part in the reception but retired before the formal ball started. At 2 o'clock Wednesday morning the celebration had ceased and all was quiet under the dome of the capitol, after a page had been written in the history of the great Lone Star State.

REMAINS OF W. J. POLK BURIED AT LOS ANGELES

Rev. J. Pat Horton left last Thursday for Los Angeles, California, to take charge of the funeral arrangements of his brother-in-law, W. J. Polk of Los Angeles, whose untimely death occurred last week due to an explosion that took place during the installation of a boiler in the Edison Company Building at Long Beach. The funeral services were held on Sunday, and interment made at the cemetery at Los Angeles.

W. J. Polk is the youngest brother of Mrs. Horton and leaves a wife and four children. A recent telegram from Mr. Horton states that Mrs. Polk is in a very critical condition, and that the exact date of Mr. Horton's return is uncertain.

During Mr, Horton's absence this coming Sunday Rev. Lynn Claybrook of Canyon may fill the Baptist pulpit at the morning and evening services.

ONE MARRIAGE LICENSE

Only one marriage license has been issued by Mrs. Clara Lee Scott, County Clerk, during the week since last Thursday.

The license was issued to J. L. Laminack and Miss Mable Hamrick on January 17th.

Moot Trial "Warms" New Legion Quarters

Good Attendance Marks Opening of McDermett Post's New Club Rooms in Floydada

Pep, enthusiasm, lots of fun, and a good showing of interest in the serious matters confronting the organization prevailed at the American Legion meeting Monday night when members of the McDermett Post met in their new home for the first time.

New officers were installed; resolutions commending the National Guard of Texas were passed; rules against gambling and drinking in the new club house were placed on the minutes of the Post; and a moot trial was done through with full of many laughs.

Legion members are delighted with their new home, and with the installation of the new furniture completed the Post will be fitted up with a club house and home not excelled by any Post in Texas taking into consideration the size of the town.

The officers installed at the meeting Monday night were as follows: T. P. Collins, Post Commander; E. C. Caudle, Post Adjutant; Clyde H. Davis, Finance Officer; Ford Butler, First Vice-Commander; John Maxwell Second Vice-Commander; F. J. Cleere, Sargent-at-Arms; E. G. Wood, Chaplain; and Thurmond Bishop, Historian and Reporter.

Resolutions were unanimously passed by the organization to the effect that no gambling of any form, or drinking of intoxicating liquors or beverages shall be permitted or indulged in in the American Legion home.

A vote of thanks was extended W. M. Massie for the lot given the Legion Post upon which the home is located.

Resolutions regarding the Texas National Guard were adopted by the Post. The text of the resolution follows:

Whereas, the attention of the McDermett Post of the American Legion No. 118 has been called to the growing activity on the part of various individuals and organizations designed to weaken the Country's National Defense, and

Whereas, although the American Legion is fundamentally opposed to militarism in any form, its members realize that the possibility of war will be greatly increased if we as a Nation permit our means of defense to deteriorate so far as to invite aggression from a possible enemy or combination of enemies, and

Whereas, the National Guard is depended upon, under the provisions of the National Defense Act to furnish the major portion of the first line of defense in the event of war, and

Whereas, the State of Texas is one of the Nation's strategic frontiers and should be first among the States to co-operate in the National system of Defense, and

Whereas, the Thirty-Sixth Division of the National Guard has already been organized after great troubles and expense to both State and Nation and is now one efficient and practically complete organization

Be it, therefore resolved:

First, that the Legislature of the State be requested to co-operate with the distinguished commander of the Thirty-Sixth Division, Major John A. Hulen, to the end that the training and development of this organization may be carried on in such a manner as to bring credit to the State.

Second, that her Excellency, the Governor of Texas, be commended for her comprehension of the military needs of the State as evidenced by her method of selecting the Adjutant General, and for her expressed desire to co-operate with the officers of the Thirty-Sixth Division.

Third, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to her Excellency The Governor of Texas, and to the Representatives of this District in the Senate and House of the Texas Legislature.

One of the most humorous "Moot Courts" ever staged in Floydada was conducted at the meeting after the disposal of all business matters coming before the Legion when C. H. Davis was arraigned before the Honor-

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Officers and Directors Named by State Bank

J. K. Green Cashier and Vice President; Satisfactory Year for Concern, Stevenson Says.

Officers and directors of the First State Bank were practically unchanged from the official roster of 1924 by the stockholders of the institution who held their annual meeting at the bank last Saturday evening. Only one change was made, that of the election of Jas. K. Green to succeed N. G. Jackson on the board of directors. Mr. Jackson recently resigned his place with the bank to take the management of the Lockney State Bank.

Directors now are: C. Surginer, president of the board, T. S. Stevenson, J. K. Green, S. A. Greer, Mrs. W. D. Long, R. E. L. Muncy and W. I. Allen; officers: T. S. Stevenson, president, Jas. K. Green, active vice president and cashier, C. Surginer, vice president, S. A. Greer, vice president, J. Clements, assistant cashier, W. B. Hall, assistant cashier. Mrs. May Garrett, for the past three years an assistant cashier in the bank, resigned in December.

Following the election the directors of the bank enjoyed a dinner at the Easterling Cafe.

"1924 has been a satisfactory year with us," T. S. Stevenson, president of the bank said, "And indications point to a generally satisfactory business year for all in 1925."

POLL TAX PAYMENTS

Poll tax payments in Floyd County yesterday afternoon totalled only 1674, indicating a heavy per centage of taxes of the county yet unpaid, with the final day for payment without penalty only 9 days away .

Lockney precinct led in poll tax payment with 455 polls paid, 441 polls had been paid in Floydada Precinct Two rural precincts had reached the 100 mark. They are Baker with 135 and Lakeview with exactly 100.

C. of C. Year Will Close Friday Night

The last meeting of the Chamber of Commerce for this fiscal year, the fourth year in the organization's history, will be held Friday night in the County Court Room and efforts are being made to get a full representation of the membership out.

One of the principal items on the program will be the Annual Report of the Secretary and Executive Committee. This report will be comprehensive and will give to the membership all the information about their organization that there is to know, as well as outline briefly some of the accomplishments that the Chamber of Commerce has to its credit during the past year, and some recommendations for next year's work.

The following program has been arranged; in addition to the regular business session:

"Why we should support Lee High way Association."—Roy Snodgrass, Homer Steen, O. P. Rutledge.

"The Cemetery Chapel and What it Needs."—F. C. Harmon, J. Pat Horton.

"The Country Club."—S. W. Ross, Jeff D. Ayres.

These talks will be short and to the point and are about some of the work that the Chamber of Commerce has that is incomplete at the present time.

Secretary Hopkins advises that cigars will be given away at the meeting if there are enough fellows present to make the thing interesting.

MISSOURIAN DIES WHILE VISITING AT FLOMOT

Tuesday of this week F. C. Harmon of this city had charge of the funeral arrangements of Mrs. M. A. Hudleston who died Monday, January 19 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Cooper of Flomot.

Mrs. Hudleston who is a cousin of Mrs. Cooper had been visiting in Flomot for about two months when death overtook her. She was nearly seventy years old, and her body was shipped on Tuesday to Webb City, Missouri, her former home.

Starkey News

Starkey, Jan. 20.—A number of people are ill throughout the community this week and we are extending our greatest sympathy to them, and hope that they may recover in a very short time.

Mrs. Ruby Huckabee and Mrs. Cormon Goff returned to their home in Wapanska, Oklahoma, after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Allmon.

Ruffus Kelly is reported sick this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Moore and family will move to their home near Floydada this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Allmon left Sunday for Plainview where they will make their home.

Sam Clay, son of W. F. Clay is very sick, after having his tonsils removed last week.

Pink Maxwell visited a part of last week and this in Floydada with his mother, Mrs. M. J. Maxwell. He is with the Sherman Machine & Iron Works, and left Tuesday for Tennessee, where the company has construction work under way.

Shower and Light Snow Fall in Floyd County

Floyd County in Edge of Storm Wave Which Brings Heavy Precipitation to West Texas

Floyd County got a shower and a light snow out of the storm wave of the latter part of last week that covered nearly half of West Texas and brought with it to that section of the state lying in a half moon around the eastern edge of the plains caprock one of the heaviest snows in the history of that section. While two inches of snow was falling here Saturday night 14 to 18 inches fell at Haskell. where the biggest snow is recorded in many years. North and south of that point, heavy snow fell, gradually growing lighter toward the northwest. At Lubbock about 3 inches of snow fell, at Lamesa about 4 inches and further south and east a greater amount. A marked difference in the amount of snow that fell at Spur and Floydada was noted by tourists. At Plainview not enough snow fell to register.

On Thursday night of last week a local rain that covered portions of two or three counties fell. A quarter of an inch fell in Floydada.

During the same disturbance points east of the Mississippi are declared to have had the biggest snows and rains for January recorded for 50 years.

MRS CYNTHIA CHILDERS DIED IN ERICK, OKLA.

Mrs. Cynthia Childers, for 35 years a resident of Floyd County, died at the age of 72 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Prather, at Erick, Okla., Thursday of last week.

The body was shipped to Lockney for burial, funeral services being held Sunday afternoon at the Lockney Christian College Auditorium. Interment was made in Lockney Cemetery

Mrs. Childers is survived by two sons and a daughter.

She was visiting in Erick at the time of her death.

Negro Woman Slashes Another at Plainview

Two negro women in Plainview Tuesday night had a knife fight, which resulted in the immediate death of one.

With the Hale County grand jury in session, that body began the investigation of the matter immediately the following morning, it is said.

Only a penknife was found on the negro accused of the murder of the dead negro.

HIGH SCHOOL DEBATING CLUB IS ORGANIZED

The Debating Club of Floydada High School met last Monday afternoon and organized. The following officers were elected: president, Evelyn Kizziar; secretary, Jean Ayres; reporter, Velma Jameson. J. J. Wilson and Miss Daltis Rea will coach the Club.

The try-outs will probably be held February 16.

BRECKENRIDGE PLUMBER OPENS SHOP IN FLOYDADA

J. W. Thornton, Jr., of Breckenridge, Texas, has moved to Floydada and is opening a plumbing shop here. For the present he is located in the rear of the J. A. Blackwell Shoe Shop.

Mr. Thornton has been in the plumbing business at Breckenridge. His shop here will be known as the Floydada Plumbing Company.

County Federation Meeting January 31

All-Day Session Will be Opened at 10 o'clock in Floydada High School Auditorium

The first meeting for 1925 of the County Federation of Women's Clubs will be held on Saturday, January 31, in the Floydada High School Auditorium. The all day session will commence at ten o'clock sharp and preparations for a good attendance from all over the county are under way.

The program as prepared by the committee has just been announced:

Vocal solo—Mrs. E. L. Angus.

How to secure a County Library—Mrs. Day.

Reading—Mrs. Charles Simpson.

Good Books as Gifts for Children and Where They May be Procured—Mrs. Glad Snodgrass.

Music—Miss Christian.

Books in the Schoolroom. What Opportunities are Offered the Children for Reading—Mrs. C. D. Merrick.

Male Quartette

Noon.

Should the Bible be Taught in the Schools of Our Country—Round Table Discussion—led by Mrs. Charles Cowart.

Reading—Mrs. Clyde H. Davis

Historical Trees of Texas—Mrs. A. Thomas.

Music—Miss Kate Reeves and Joe Reeves.

Origin and Purpose of Arbor Day—Mrs. Parsons.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. E. C. Nelson, Jr.

What Our Clubs Can do to Lend a Distinctive Beauty to Our Town and Community—Mrs. E. C. Henry.

Business.

LOCKNEY AND CROSBYTON SECOND CLASS OFFICES

Two good signs of the rapid advancement of this section of the plains and the growth it is enjoying are carried in the announcement that both Lockney and Crosbyton will be classified as second class post offices on July 1st. Postal receipts at both places, during the year of 1924 passed the mark required.

Every post office in the territory made a substantial gain during 1924 and in the southwest plains country the increase was tremendous.

ALL DAY BAPTIST CONFERENCE NEXT MONDAY

The Baptist Associational Budgeting Conference meets in an all day session at the Baptist Church of Floydada next Monday. Rev. Lynn Claybrook, pastor of the Baptist Church at Canyon, will be the principal speaker of the day.

All Baptists are urged to attend this important meeting and are assured of a hearty welcome at this time.

During Rev. J. Pat Horton's probable absence this coming Sunday, a speaker will be provided for the Sunday services. Rev. Lynn Claybrook of Canyon has been invited to fill the pulpit on this day.

Some Terracing Results In Floyd County

County Agent Discusses Value of Terracing and Other Matters of Interest to Farmers

Terracing is comparatively a new project in Floyd County but it promises to be one of the most important things we can do. The soil in this county is rather tight in texture and is what the geologists call silt loam. Silt loam is finer in texture than sandy loam and is coarser than clay loam. This soil being of a rather fine texture the water after a rain does not soak into the soil as readily as where the soil is more open. For this reason terracing is necessary in most fields in this country to prevent the water from escaping to the lower parts of the fields where much more and better crops are produced, and even the most of the rainwater makes its way into the lakes nearby and there are many farmers who would be mighty glad to have this lakewater evenly distributed over their fields.

We terraced several fields in different parts of the County last year and a great deal of good was done in every case but the writer wishes to call attention to a few outstanding examples. We realize that there were a few who did some terracing who did not throw up their terraces high enough to accomplish the full intention of the work. However, some received wonderful benefits.

Mr. Pete Cardinal who is managing Mr. W. I. Cannaday's place four miles east of Floydada asked the writer to help him terrace a field last spring We realized the importance of the work because in the low part of this field water stood in the cotton and had to be drained out by the tenant the year before as the dust had collected along the fence until the water could not get out into the road. This field was terraced and this last year wonderful results were obtained and the water did not collect in the low part as the year previous. Mr. Cardinal told the writer that he was well paid for his time in making these terraces. The maize in the sloping part made just as much as in the low part of the field. After the lines were run Mr. Cardinal threw up the terraces by means of a disc plow and a "V" drag. Mr. Cardinal intends to terrace other fields this year.

Mr. Joe Evers near Pleasant Hill had a turn row where a fence had been in his field and his attention was attracted by the results in the cotton produced above the turn row and last spring Mr. Evers had the writer help him terrace the entire field. Very gratifying results came from this work.

One of the T. L. D. Places south west of Lockney, cultivated by Mr. Boswell has a lake in one side of the field and the water runs into this low part. The writer helped Mr. Boswell run his rows on a level in this field and splendid results were obtained from this work. These rows were made in a rainbow shape so that each row caught and held its part of the water.

Mr. Frank Whitfill had the writer terrace a field north west of Lockney and after the terraces were made the field was put into wheat and no doubt good results will come from this work It is believed that the time is near when wheat land will be terraced as well as land to be put into row crops These terraces are made in such a way that they will not interfere with the harvesting of the wheat and the extra water caught by this means will make a great difference in the yield. In case of row crops the rows are usually run straight without regard for the terraces.

Some people have an idea that terracing is needed only in dry years but this is erroneous because during rainy years this extra water which is caught and made soak into the soil is stored for the next year which may be a dry year and then the moisture comes into use. Work was done for Mr. Griffith north of Lockney, Mr. Cornish, Mr. G. E. Rigsby, Mr. Lathem, Mr. Foster, Mr. W. B. Jordan, Mr. Hollums, Mr. Day Day and others, last spring and we are doing some now and expect to do more this spring

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Yeggs Smash Safe Door at Boothe Brothers

$50 in Money and $200 Worth of Checks Missing From Grain Dealers' Office Tuesday

Yeggs took a sledge hammer and crowbar to enter the safe of Boothe Bros., coal and grain dealers, at their office on the industrial switch of the Santa Fe, sometime Monday night, and after a check up of the effects remaining in the safe, the owners reported some $50 in money and approximately $200 worth of checks missing, when the matter was given over to the sheriff's department Tuesday morning. An effort was made to keep the matter quiet but the news soon spread about the business district.

Very material damage was done to the safe of the grain company, its condition when the office was opened Tusday morning showing the manner of entry made by the yeggs.

The burglary done here was the first in Floydada in recent years, although a Lockney firm last year sustained a heavy loss from a similar entry into their safe, and during the past sixty days 15 or more safes in different towns of this section have been torn up and their contents rifled

The sheriff's department broadcasted news of the safe robbery to officers in other towns, but no definite clue had been found Wednesday.

MRS. R. F. FRY SURVIVES SERIOUS OPERATION

Tuesday of this week R. E. Fry and Mrs. Dora Crane accompanied their mother, Mrs. R. F. Fry to the Plainview Sanitarium where she underwent a major operation the following morning.

Recent report states that Mrs. Fry stood the operation very well and is doing nicely. Mrs. W. K. Hale of Fairfax, Oklahoma will arrive today and stay with her mother during her entire convalescence. Upon Mrs. Hale's arrival Mr. Fry and Mrs. Crane will probably return to Floydada.

Basketball Tournament Saturday This Week

Contest Will Determine Championship Contenders of Floyd County to Meet Motley

J. C. Wester, director of athletics of Floyd County Interscholastic League, has notified schools of the county that the basketball tournament for boys' basket ball to determine county champion will be held Saturday of next week at Floydada.

In the announcement it is state that Lockney and Floydada Hig Schools will be pitted against other and the championship of the two high schools determined. The exact number of rural school contenders is not known but Mr. Wester said these would fight it out for the right to take on the winners of the Floydada and Lockney contest. The championship must be determined not later than January 31, he is instructed. By holding eliminations on next Saturday—January 24—the semi-final winners will have a chance for a breathing spell of two or three days if they demand it, bef meeting for the championship fin. If a large number of rural schools entered and a winning team has eliminate several teams before taki on the winner of the Floydada—Lockney clash, the team would possibly go into the finals too winded to pla up to their standard, which is th reason that the championship game may be delayed into next week.

The winner of the championship in this county in basketball will play the winner of the Motley County tourna ment on February 7th to determine the bi-county champions.

TAKES LEASE ON OLYMPIC THEATRE AT LOCKNEY

P. W. Cloud, manager of the Olympic Theatre in Floydada the first of this week completed arrangements for a six months lease of the Olympi Theatre, picture show house in Lockney.

The lease is effective at once an Mr. Cloud is in Dallas this week lining up some good attractions for that house. It is his plan to give picture show goers in Floydada and Lockney some more than ordinarily attractive programs during the late winter and spring months.

Mr. Cloud will give practically all his time to the Lockney show house and Mrs. Cloud will have charge of the Floydada show.

AGENTS IN CONFERENCE AT FORT WORTH THIS WEEK

Miss Mabel Faulkner, County Home Demonstration Agent left Monday for Fort Worth where she is attending the Farm and Home Demonstration Agents Conference from January 20 to 22 inclusive. At this conference plans for future work in the various counties will be discussed and instruction given in different subjects vital to farm and home demonstration work T. Scott Wilson, Floyd County Farm Agent is also attending this conference.

Rev. G. W. Tubbs, who made his regular visit to the Evergreen Baptist Church in Crosby County last Sunday, reports that the snow fell 5 to 6 inches deep at that place.

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SATTERWHITE SPEAKER

Lee Satterwhite, of Panhandle, brought considerable honor and prestige to the panhandle at the opening of the last legislature when he was elected speaker of the house in a three cornered fight. His committee appointments have, in the main, indicated good judgement.

Satterwhite fought the appropriation-crazy contigent in the house last session and the session before, as chairman of the Appropriation Committee, but it was a losing fight. To see him come back and win the speakership at this session is proof of considerable political acumen you wouldn't expect to see in a westerner. However, Satterwhite got his early political training in East Texas, where they know how.

NO CHARGES, DOCTOR.

It is said the reason the newspaper profession is rated lower than that of the physician or lawyer is because the former does not charge for his advice, while the last two named do charge for advice and call it consultation. Certainly the relative rating in social and commercial life given the newspaperman, which gives him a lower status than the doctor or lawyer is not based on the question of usefulness for there are lots of newspapermen more useful than lots of doctors or lawyers.

However, the first paragraph is off the subject entirely and is merely thrown in for good measure. We had in mind some advice our customers need that happens to come in line with the physician's business, and since we plan to give it free of charge the thought occurred to us that if we charged something for it we might be more thought of professionally.

Physicians and surgeons the world over have been studying communicable diseases, cancer, the use of Roentgen Rays, diabetis and other afflictions of the human race and many of them have given their lives unselfishly in research work resulting in inestimable good to the human race. Tuberculosis, for instance, has been traced to its lair and now the application of the absolute remedies and preventatives found, the propagation of education regarding its control, are the only things needed for its control.

But in the past few years an alarming jump in the number of fatalities traceable to bad hearts is leading doctors everywhere to start investigations more deeply into the things which produce the malady we term heart failure. Hundreds of deaths over the country due to heart failure of men barely in the prime of life—say forty to forty-two—have led to the conclusion that the speed and nervous tension of the present-day business life is producing a condition not in the calculations of physicians a few years since. And at this time, so quickly has the difficulty arisen, that there is little organized effort for the study of heart disease.

On no less authority than that of the State Health Department, we suggest that every man who has reached the age of 40 should have a yearly examination made of his heart by a competent physician, the hazard for heart trouble materially increasing after this age. Such a thing might be distasteful to the ordinary man, the idea of admitting the machinery of himself might have a few loose bearings and a motor that leaks, but it also might save him to his family and a long period of usefulness instead of a headline in the paper about another good man being dead.

This is good advice. And there are no charges.

CLEAN THINGS LAST LONGER

Whatever else may be said in favor of thorough cleanliness, it is a fact that clean things last longer. This is true of all articles, whether clothing, household fabrics, machinery or human beings. The first rule is to keep things perfectly clean.

It's easy with the aid of our laundry service. We have special rates for family washing. Ask about them. Phone 208.

FLOYDADA STEAMLAUNDRY
F. W. Ansley, Manager

SAVED AGAIN

The country has been saved again. And the elite of the land, under the leadership of none other than the grand daughter of old General Grant has done it. Ring Lardner makes fun of the new movement, which is one of the things they made up their minds to bear, doubtless, when they began their campaign.

The idea is that a new alignment in the social life of the eastern coast has been made. Some 500 names were chosen, with the idea of maintaining at least among a few people of the land some of the good taste and good manners that are threatened, they believe, by introduction of the vulgarities of the new rich into life of the capital and other centers of the nation General Grant's rail-splitting daddy may turn over in his grave, but the country stands in grave danger and it is going to be saved, ancestors or no ancestors.

Grand Duchess Cyril or some such person was the first with proper tonal inflection and suitable background to be brought over from Europe .She is descended from the ancient family of the czar. Other notables will be brought over and feted by the 500 as often as the effects of the injections of good taste begin to die down and thus there will be preserved to posterity we do not know just what, but it is going to be preserved.

These good people are as sincere as they can be. They think they are fulfilling a mission. They may be. Since its only four generations from shirt sleeves to shirt sleeves in America, anyhow, it might be well that every generation have its organization like this 500 to keep the in-betweens trained in proper inflection, the parts of speech and proper subjects for discussion.

It appears that Tulia and Canyon High Schools have the class of the basketball teams of District One of the Interscholastic League this year In Section Two no outstanding team has had time to show itself as yet. It will have to be a real team to win from the District One Champion. One day last week Tulia beat the Amarillo Sandies so badly that the Daily News barely mentioned the game.

Will Simpson who is visiting at Monterey, Tenn., wants The Hesperian to find out if it rains or shows on his wheat while he is gone, and put it in the paper. Mr. Simpson's place got a little moisture last week from a shower and the snow. Will some of his neighbors kindly write him that it came a big rain and snow on his place?

The Sudan Signal is the latest addition of the southwest plains country to the journalistic field. Volume 1, No. 1, received this week carries the name of Jess Mitchell as editor and publisher with Eva Franks as news editor.

On the morning of January 24th the sun will rise at Floydada at about 7:30 partially eclipsed and in a very few minutes the eclipse will be about 65 per cent complete, the moon's shadow passing off the face of the sun at about 8:45. The eclipse will be complete in portions of Michigan and states east and west. The world is progressing, and the scientists are helping, although they are the butts of many jokes, To show how far we have come in two hundred years, Cotten Mather once said of an eclipse in New England that it was a sign of the grief of God and nature at the death of a president of Harvard, while at about the same time negroes in the southland were praying in fear the world would come to an end. Now the scientists know when the next eclipse is to be, to the minute.

Fire hose costs approximately $1.50 per foot, and a good many dollars have been spent by the various municipalities of this section buying new hose after the lookers got through running over the hose the fireboys were trying to use. In Tulia the city authorities have decided to stop the practice or let the lookers foot the bill. Four fines were handed out last week there.

Floyd County's wheat acreage this year is put at figures approximateing 250,000 acres. If the weather is right and other conditions favorable Floyd County's two million bushel wheat crop last year won't be a circumstance

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Grace Darling, the heroine of the Farne Islands shipwreck, has one of the most beautiful tombs of all North England. It is in the churchyard of St. Aidan's Church, Bamburgh, well placed in the open. Neither the home in which she lived nor the cottage in which she died has any mark upon it to signify its association with the heroine.

ALL SORTS OF TAXES

The esteemed San Antonio Express gets up in the meeting to say that an average Texas merchant pays the following kind of taxes each year.

1. Poll, in order to be able to vote.
2. Real Estate, city.
3. Real estate, State and County.
4. Personal, city.
5. Personal, State and County.
7. Automobile.
6. Federal income.
9. Apparel, on shirts, hats, etc. over a certain value.
11. Traveling, when he travels.
13. Amusement, when he takes his family to a theatre.
14. Excess profit (if any.)

And if he wearies of paying taxes and dies his family will bring the next number of taxes up to 15 by paying on his inheritance.

It does beat all how we run to taxes. But that list of fifteen doesn't exhaust the subject. There's the fee system, Goodness knows what else. All taxation falls at last on the man who toils. Some sorts of taxation are not to be shunned. Good roads and school buildings and water supply are profitable investments. What we have a right to complain about, fellow-citizens, are a lot of boards and bureaus and commissions that are chiefly concerned with meddling in the affairs of the people: in other words, we pay to be annoyed.—Waco Times-Herald.

MOUNTAIN LIONS GIVE HUNTER HOLIDAY THRILL

For most of the seasoned Government hunters the life from day to day is not particularly exciting, but adventure with catlike tread is often approaching just around the corner. Shortly before Christmas, hunter William Krepps, of the Biological Survey United States Department of Agriculture, working on the Rio Grande National Forest, turned a corner which brought him face to face with adventure four times compounded. He had a coyote poison line laid northwest of Del Norte, Colo., on the divide between La Garita and Old Woman Creek. In the course of riding this poison line to check up on results of his campaign he came across the carcass of a freshly killed five-point buck.

To continue the story in the words of Stanley P. Young, junior biologist, who reported the incident to the Biological Survey, "he noted lion tracks and that the killing of this deer had been done by a mountain lion. Having wonderfuf tracking conditions, because of the snow, he immediately struck out horseback and followed the trail. Within a short distance he jumped four lions and killed the whole outfit with his rifle."

In speaking of his experience, Hunter Krepps said: "The time was exciting for a few seconds, but I managed to kill the pack." Mr. Young expressed the belief that the hunter was telling the truth regarding the exciting moment, and added that this was the best singlehanded kill of mountain lions in a short course of time ever made in that district.

There are no saloons in Labrador.

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Now is the time to sew for Spring and Summer

When that Ol' Norther is a-blowing and you must stay indoors by the fire, what better task is there than to plan and make the dresses you will have to have for summer.

And then when it is getting hot and the thermometer is steadily mounting, you will be so happy to realize that your summer sewing is all done and out of the way and you have nothing to do but slip on one of those pretty, cool dresses you were wise enough to make way back in the winter time.

We have on our shelves now the loviest assortmene of LA PORTE FABRICS. The colors include all the newest shades; taken altogether one would think that every color in the rainbow had been captured and imprisoned in these beautiful fabrics.

We have a full line of dress linens, the Ponjola linens, Peter Pan Ginghams, fancy ginghams, and rough and tumble romper suitings.

A recent shipment included some choice light weight woolens suitable for early spring wear.

C. R. Houston & Co.

Contest Will Find Cost of Combining Wheat

A contest to find the cost per acre of combining wheat with a J. I. Case Combine has just been started by White & Reagan of Plainview and J. H. Reagan of Floydada, dealers of the J. I. Case Threshing Machines and the contest is open to any one living in the trade territories covered by these two representatives of the Case Company.

An ad in this week's issue gives the rules and regulations governing the contest, and at the end of the 1925 wheat season, the one having the lowest cost record in harvesting his wheat with the Case Machinery at Plainview and at Floydada will each be awarded a prize of $40. In addition to these first prizes in each trade territory, a prize of $20 will be given to the one having the lowest cost record in either territory.

BUYS CITY PROPERTY

C. A. Rhodes has bought the W. A. Hendrix home in east Floydada from E. L. Campbell.

Mr. Campbell has owned the property for several months.

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

The pastor's Sunday morning sermon will be on: "Old-Time Religion." At the evening service, which begins promptly at 7 o'clock, the sermon will be on "Green As Grass" At both of these services a sure-enough Male Quartet will sing.

Our good Sunday School Superintendent, J. V. Daniel will start our Sunday School Craft a-sailing on the dot at 9:45 Sunday morning. Beginning at that time The Junior Missionary Society will render the following program as the opening exercises of the S. S.:

Song: "Open the Door for The Children" Hymn No. 218, Juniors
Scripture Reading, Edna Faulkner.
Prayer, Margaret Henson.
First Mission Field, Edward Blackwell.
Second Mission Field, Virginia Meachum.
Third Mission Field, Willie B. May.
Fourth Mission Field, Onita Carter.
Fifth Mission Field, Harold Porterfield.
Sixth Mission Field, Olive Mae Liston.
Song, "Little Sunbeams." Hymn No. 190.

We announce the following new members of the church: M. L. Kizziar, Mrs. Addie and Anna Belle Thagard, Mrs. Thos. W. and Georgia Iris Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Looney.

We would have you loyal to your own church, but if you are without a Church-home, you may always find a welcome and a task at the Floydada Methodist Church.

Joseph L. Henson, Pastor

CIRCLE NO. 3 HOSTS

At the regular meeting of the Missionary Society of the Baptist Church Circle No. 3 was host to an interested group of ladies.

A fine program was given at the Church Auditorium as follows:

Scripture Reading.
Prayer.
Story from the Home and Foreign Field.—Mrs. E. L. Angus.
Reading—Mrs. Clyde Davis.
Piano Solo.—Lathea Benton.
Round Table Discussion conducted by Mesdames M. L. Kizziar, H. D. Butler and E. R. Borum.
Remarks by Miss Lela Windsor.
Business

At the conclusion of the business session refreshments were served by the ladies of Circle No. 3.

MISS ADDIE LOU GREEN HONOREE AT PARTY

Last Friday afternoon Mrs. James K. Green entertained with a bridge party in honor of her house guest Miss Addie Lou Green of San Antonio.

After several rounds of bridge a delicious salad course was served to the honoree and following list of guests: Mesdames J. D. Starks, Homer Steen, Jim Hughes, T. P. Collins, R. L. Snodgrass and Miss Ruth Collins.

TRUITT TO FRIONA

F. S. Truitt left for Friona Wednesday of last week, where he and Joe Landrum are opening their new lumber yard. Mr. Truitt recently resigned his position as manager of the local branch of the Wooldridge Lumber Company after 18 years of service with them here.

The building business around Friona is booming, according to reports with scores of new places being improved, and the new business venture is expected to prosper from the beginning.

OVERLAND SALES

Recent deliveries of Overland models of automobiles made by Gullion & Son, dealers include a roadster to D. L. Handley and a touring to T. J. Gill.

TO THE NORTH WIND

(By Gertrude Friend Scoggins)

When you get your breath, you freeze me to death,
And I tremble and shake with the cold;
I put on my wrap, and prepare for a scrap,
For you are so strong and so bold.

You blow all the cans, and the old tin pans,
All over my nice clean yard;
You put dust on my floors, and snap off the doors,
When you blow your breath so hard.

You tear from the line, my linen so fine,
And laugh in my face all the while;
I vow you're a pest, for you give me no rest,
But you— why, you only smile.

My hat blew away, on this very day
And you stole my kindling too;
And my little boy's top, went off with a hop;
But you rascal! Who cares? Not you.

You chill me thru, and laugh at me too,
When I go out for a stroll;
Then you make me stay, by the fire all the day;
And compel me to purchase more coal.

As you howl and swirl, thru this troublesome world;
You act as God meant you to,
And by His good grace, you just fill your place,
So I'm taking my hat off to you.

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MRS. J. M. HUGHES HOSTESS AT BRIDGE PARTY

A delightful afternoon was spent last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jim Hughes who gave a bridge party to a group of friends.

After several rounds of bridge Mrs. Roy Snodgrass was holder of the high score.

A salad course was served to Mesdames J. D. Starks, L. M. Davis, O. P. Rutledge, E. L. Angus, Glad Snodgrass, Ed Johnson, Frank Cleere, James K. Green, Roy L. Snodgrass, Misses Ruth Collins and Addie Lou Green of San Antonio.

ATTENTION METHODIST LADIES

Some of you are missing great treats. One of the most delightful meetings in church circles was that of the Missionary society at the home of Mrs. Dan Shipley on last Monday. We were met at the door by the hostess who in her gracious manner extended a warm welcome to each one.

A devotional was first conducted by three ladies on "The Writing of the Friendly Gospel". The scene laid, was that of Bible times and the story told of "Barnabas and Mason discussing with Luke his writing of the Gospel of Acts." This new method of holding the devotional part of the program is hoped to lend renewed interest to this feature.

Some splendid articles followed by Mesdames Houston and Felton on "World Sisterhood" and "The Urgency of the Southern Methodist Women Meeting our Obligations in order that the vast work we have organized may go on unhindered; and may we remember that money is not the first thing wanted, but that more things are wrought by prayer than the world dreams of."

At the conclusion of the program a delicious refreshment plate was passed to 21 ladies.

We meet next Monday, the 26, with Mrs. Homer McDonald.

In a western town there is a sign reading as follows:

4076 people died last year of gas.
39 inhaled it;
37 put a lighted match to it;
4000 stepped on it.

Plague greatly resembling the dreaded hoof-and-mouth disease has been discovered among deer in Klamath County, Oregon, near the California line.

NOTICE

TO

Wheat Growers

Of Contest to find the cost per acre of Combining Wheat with a J. I. Case Combine.

Any person can enter this contest, who owns a Case Combine Harvester and cuts as much as 500 acres in the season 1925, if he complies with the following rules:

1. He must live in the trade territory of our Floydada Branch or our Plainview Branch. If he has bought his Case Combine from someone else or has moved it in from some other place this does not make any difference.

2. He must call at our office and get a record book and register.

3. He must keep an exact account of Labor, Repairs, Gas, Oil, expense on Combine, also on tractor power. If he uses horses keep account of feed bill and other expenses.

4. This account must be kept correctly and in a form so there will be no guess work about it and be sworn to before a notary.

5. The money and labor used in getting an outfit fixed up before the harvest season starts will not be counted, because we want the used machines to have an even start with the new machines. This applies to tractor as well as combine.

As a reward to the contestant having the lowest cost record—at each point, Plainview and Floydada—we will give $40.00 in cash, and for the lowest cost, considering both places, we will give $20.00 in addition to the $40.00 above—which will be a gift of $60.00 to one and $40.00 to the other.

There will be no judges, unless something comes up out of our power to settle. It will be a case of figures and facts.

The contest will close as soon as all contestant's accounts are turned in, which must be as soon as you are finished your 1925 wheat crop.

We suggest that each person wanting to enter put his machinery in perfect shape at once, for if he buys parts after the season starts they will be counted against him.

If you use other makes of tractors than Case, bring us an itemized statement of repairs and labor bill if there should be any.

If we have not made the rules and ideas of the contest plain to anyone we will be glad to have you ask any questions you wish. And let us hear from you at once.

WHITE & REAGAN
Plainview, Texas

J. H. REAGAN
Floydada, Texas

J. I. Case Threshing Machine Co.
Dealers

MR. AND MRS. M. T. SANDERS HOME ONCE MORE

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Sanders arrived at home once more Saturday, after spending the period since Christmas day in the Plainview Sanitarium, following an automobile spill on the road home from a visit with their granddaughter in Plainview. Both sustained injuries.

Mr. Sanders drove home with Mrs. J. U. Borum, who drove up to that city for him, accompanied by his son, Fred. Mrs. Sanders, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Hoyle, and a nurse, returned in an ambulance.

COLD WEATHER PRECAUTIONS

In cold weather, the cooling system should be drained and filled with a solution that will not freeze when the car is allowed to stand. The best anti-freezing mixtures are composed of denatured alcohol and water, as follows:

Per Cent	Per Cent	Per Cent

Alcohol 20 per cent, water 80 per cent, Specific Gravity .9780; Freezing point, 19 degrees above zero.

Alcohol 30 per cent, water 70 per cent, Specific gravity, .9680, Freezing point 10 degrees above zero.

Alcohol 40 per cent, water 60 per cent, specific gravity .9570, freezing point 2 degrees below zero.

Alcohol 50 per cent, water 50 per cent, specific gravity .9430, freezing point 18 degrees below zero.

As the alcohol tends to evaporate more rapidly than water, thus raising the freezing point of the solution, it is necessary to add alcohol at frequent intervals. With the aid of a hydrometer the specific gravity of the solution can be determined and the corresponding freezing point obtained from the foregoing table. In making specific gravity determinations, care should be taken to have the temperature of the solution being tested between 55 and 65 degrees or serious errors will result.

Solutions containing calcium choloride and similar compounds tend to corrode the metal parts of the cooling system and are not recommended.

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DALLAS NEWS TWINS CONTEST INTEREST KEEN

A contest to match pictures of twins started in the late fall by the Dallas News, has created widespread interest over the state, and Floydada contest fans have been no less interested than have others in other sections of Texas.

104 twins' pictures were presented in different issue dates of the News and the contestant who matches the greatest number of them in the neatest binder and arrangement will be declared winner.

Nearly a dozen of a score or more of persons here who entered the contest, finished their books and have forwarded them to the News.

As a means of stimulating Sunday school attendance and as a convenience to later risers, the Highland Men's Bible Class, of the Highland Presbyterian Church, Pittsburg, has Sunday morning breakfast served in the church basement prior to the opening of the class meeting. Hot ham and eggs are on the menu.

Canada has one mile of railway to every two hundred and twenty persons, a larger milage in proportion to population than any other country.

New February

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Do you really want to sell your farm?

Lots of people "list" their lands for sale with the real estate men just to see "how the wind is blowing" in the real estate world, what the demand for land is, and how their price compares with that of their neighbors.

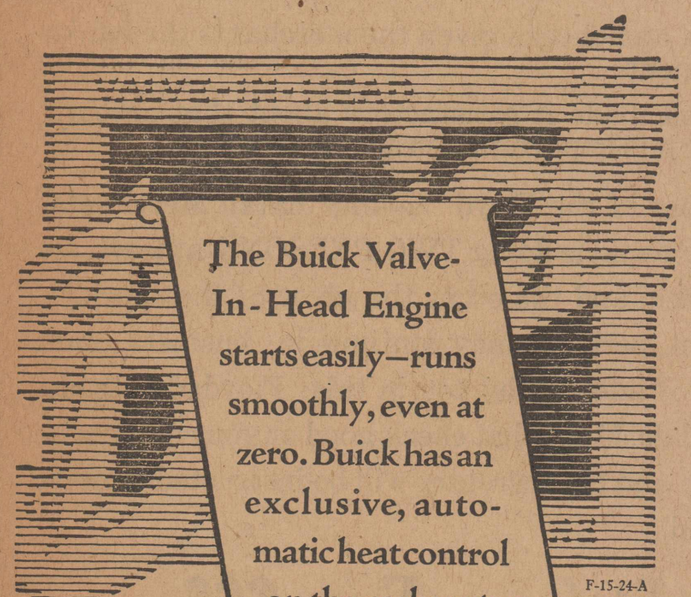
But we are talking to the man who really wants to sell.

We say in as few words as we can, we can actually sell your land if you want to sell it bad enough to make it a bargain. We have clients who are looking for bargains. If you want to sell, list with us and let us prove it to you.

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New chassis—with larger, stronger frame; new semi-elliptic, chrome vanadium steel springs; stronger axles, rear axle of the finest construction—banjo type housing with greatly strengthened gears; improved, fully enclosed dry-plate disc clutch requiring no lubrication; extra heavy brake bands; and many improvements on the powerful Chevrolet motor.

New bodies—of even greater beauty and comfort. All models have new radiator of more beautiful design, made of non-rusting airplane metal. All closed models have new and exceptionally beautiful Fisher bodies with the new VV closed-body one-piece windshield and automatic windshield wiper. Balloon tires on all closed models and disc wheels on the Sedan and Coupe.

New finish—all models are now finished in Duco—the new finish that retains its color and lustre almost indefinitely and withstands the severest usage. These are but a few of the quality features of the new Chevrolet—quality features that you would expect to find only on cars of much higher price.

FLOYD MOTOR CO.

Dealers Floydada, Texas

Home Talent Lyceum Program January 30

You read last week an announcement concerning the Home Talent Lyceum Concert to be given the evening of January 30, under the auspices of the W. M. U. of the Baptist Church.

The program prepared for this evening's entertainment is as follows:

Music.—Local Orchestra.
Reading.—Miss Joye Mills.
Vocal Music.—R. M. Morgan
Piano Solo.—Mrs. John W. Smith.
Reading.—Mrs. Ford Butler.
Vocal Music.—R. M. Morgan.
Piano Solo.—Jessie Mae Wood.
Reading.—Mrs. Clyde H. Davis.
Old Fiddlers Contest.
Vocal Music.—Mrs. E. C. Nelson.
Music.—Local Orchestra.
Vocal Music.—R. M. Morgan.

You will be delighted to hear the program above. The W. M. U. is putting forth every effort to help in erecting a new church and would appreciate any help on your part. Come out and hear this good home talent program on Friday.

"I wish that we could send to Russia, for a cure, every Red in America, and make him live there until he could learn by actual experience what Emma Goldman and Bill Haywood have learned about the relative blessings of Bolshevism and personal liberty under the Constitution of the United States."—Henry J. Allen, former governor of Kansas.

ELECTRIC INTERCONNECTION IS THE REAL SUPERPOWER

"Superpower" is a word which has captured the imagination of the public. Many people look upon it as a wonderful "something" which is going to happen some time in the distant future and which almost overnight will give everyone electrical service at little, or no cost, says the Texas Public Service information Bureau.

As a matter of fact, "superpower" is simply the interconnection of two or more electric light and power systems.

Sometime it probably will mean that all, or practically all, electric light and power systems will be connected with each other, forming a network of wires covering the whole country and distributing electrical energy whch will be produced in a comparatively small number of huge generating stations. These generating stations will be run by water power, where it is available, and by steam power generated by coal, gas, oil, wood or other fuel.

A considerable start has already been made. In every state in the Union some progress has been made toward tieing together, or interconnecting, systems, and in several sections of the United States so-called "superpower" systems extend across state boundaries and cover from two to five states.

A glacial mud flow, originating on the southeast side of Mt. Shasta in Northern California, was caused by the exceptionally dry season of 1923-24. There was very little snow deposited on Shasta last winter, the sun melted the glacier to such an extent that the water came down in torrents from high above the timber line, bringing down great quantities of boulders, mud and debris, twenty feet deep and a quarter of a mile wide. It finally emptied into the McCloud River and on into the Sacramento River, coloring the water for more than 100 miles below the confluence of the streams.

YOUR HEATING DEVICE

The Industrial Commission of Wisconsin has issued the following list of pertinent questions:

Is the chimney free from cracks, loose brick and other defects and is it clean?
Is any wood work in direct contact with the chimney?
Are boilers or furnaces set on brick or concrete base?
Is the floor under stoves protected by a stove board?
Are ceilings, partitions and walls within two feet of the stove, furnace or boiler protected with metal over asbestos?
Is the ceiling within a distance of one and one-half times the diameter, and the wall or partition within a distance of the diameter of a smoke pipe so protected?
Is there a ventilated double thimble and asbestos around the smokepipes in partition?
Is there a smoke pipe running through an attic or other concealed space?
Is the smokepipe sound, well joined, and wired, properly fitted into the chimney, and is it clean?
Does the wall paper come up against any smokepipe?
Are any flue holes stuffed with rags, or covered with wall paper or wood?
Is your shingle roof moss covered and defective so as to become readily ignited by chimney sparks?
Is the stove, boiler or furnace sound?
Is the wood work around hot air registers and pipes protected?
Do you store ashes in wooden receptacles, on wood floors, or against walls partitions or fences?
Is your boiler room clean, and kept so?
Do you overheat the stove or furnace, or leave drafts wide open?

Timely repairs and care along these lines may save you "dough" and woe.

Tailors of London are up in arms because they see "badly dressed husbands accompanied by extravagantly dressed wives. While shabby business men dicate letters to stenographers wearing the latest thing from Paris" Their theory is that the women spends so much of the family income that there is nothing left to dress the man.

The termite, or "white ant," forms the basis of various kinds of food in tropical countries. Pounded into a thick paste, these insects taste not unlike almond icing, and are regarded as a great delicacy.

P. T. C. PRESENTS TWO PLAYS TOMORROW NIGHT

The P. T. C. Society of Sand Hill will present at Sand Hill auditorium tomorrow evening two short plays and a negro dialogue.

This is the regular time for a play. We present a play every four weeks and a literary program in between times. This way we have something to go to on Friday night every two weeks.

Come Friday night and buy a season ticket and see ten (10) more plays put on by this Society before your ticket expires. Only $1.00 for a whole ticket and 50c for a half ticket. All school children ten years and over get in on half tickets, all under free.

You will regret it if you fail to see "The Obstinate Family", "Dr. Cureall" and "The Black Vamp" tomorrow night

SANITARIUM NOTES

Mrs. D. P. Smilie of Roaring Springs under went a major operation last Monday.

J. H. Floyd of Silverton is convalescing at the Sanitarium.

Mrs. W. R. Goode who was operated on last Thursday is improving very nicely.

W. N. Duncan of Roaring Springs is now convalescing at the Sanitarium and expecting to be able to return home in a few days.

Mrs. S. R. Colston of Baker Community is now convalescing at the Sanitarium.

Sam Clay of McCoy returned to the Sanitarium Monday for treatment.

Ronald Morgan of Dallas who has been a guest in the J. E. Stephens home had an attack of acute indigestion and spent Monday in the Sanitarium.

The little son of Gus deCordova was treated at the Sanitarium this week.

Dr. J. E. Minard of Silverton has been the guest of the Sanitarium this week.

Certain African tribes smelt ore in furnaces which bear a remarkable resemblance to the great blast furnaces of the civilized world, except they are in miniature and crude in their operation. In both instances the stacks are shaped alike and a blast of air is driven in to increase the heat.

The ordinary house fly makes 330 wing beats a second.

Olympic Theatre

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PROGRAM FOR WEEK

THURSDAY, JANUARY 22nd.
"THE BROKEN WING", featuring Kenneth Harlan, Miriam Cooper and an all star cast; a wonderful stage success turned into a stirring story of crashing airplanes and smashing of hearts! Laugh! Gasps! Thrills If you don't like this picture, you're hopeless Also, "ADVISOR" Comedy.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 23rd
"CHANGING HUSBANDS", featuring Leatrice Joy, with an all star cast. It is taken from the Saturday Evening Post Serial "Roles": A merry mix-up of wives and husbands that gets funnier and friskier with every foot. No serious matrimonial problems Just a lot of darn good fun. Don't fail to see this story full of complications. comedy, sensations. Also "OUTBOUND" Comedy.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 24th
"THE MARRIAGE CHEAT", featuring Leatrice Joy, Percy Marmont, and Adolphe Menjou, and made in the South Sea Isles. Far away from any law—on a forgotten South Sea Isle a disillusioned wife comes to forget a broken vow. Strange events, and stranger still the fight of a woman for a missionary's love against the native beauty who would die for him. Also, "RAPID FIRE" Comedy.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY
JANUARY 26th and 27th
"THE HUMMING BIRD", featuring Gloria Swanson. Gloria in this picture is a saucy, breezy French girl raised as a thief and leader of a gang of Apache cutthroats in the slums of Paris who is regenerated through her love for a young American millionaire The Apache quarter of Paris, Gloria's daring Apache dances, French dives, underworld characters--these are some of the entertaining features. Gloria in boy's clothes! Baffling the best police brains with her cunning and daring. Gloria, as gorgeous and beautiful and alluringly gowned as ever, as saucy and pert and deliciously French as she was in "Zaza"—It's a remarkable role and in it Gloria does her greatest acting. Don't miss this one. Also "THREE CHEERS" Comedy.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY
JANUARY 28th and 29th
"FEET OF CLAY", with Rod La Rocque, Vera Reynolds, Ricardo Cortez, and an all star cast. A story of a girl who, after tasting all the thrills offered by the fast-living millionaire set, finds that happiness lies elsewhere—produced with all the DeMille lavishness of gowns, beautiful women and settings. The real story of the married flapper, A gorgeous ultra-modern love-drama. YOU'LL SEE—twenty young goddesses of the sea, riding speed churned waves on leaping boards behind speeding motorboats—jousting matches between beauties mounted on "sea horses" an exciting shark-fight that will make you gasp, and hundreds of other scenes more thrillingly realistic and more sumptuously staged than any you have ever before seen on the screen. You'll never forget "FEET OF CLAY"! A great picture. Also "BUSY BUDDIES" Comedy.

McCOY HAPPENINGS

McCoy, Jan. 19.—The farmers of this community are now enjoying the little snow which fell Saturday night.

Rev. R. C. Tennison filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday.

The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Dunavant last Tuesday morning and took away their little son.

We are certainly glad to see the school increasing. There has been about twenty-five new pupils started the last two weeks.

Thurlan Thacker and Clovis Morris spent Sunday and Monday in Lubbock.

Miss Helen Copeland spent Wednesday night with Misses Vera and Velma Sullivan.

Miss Clara Smith was unable to return to school last week on account of illness but is improving.

Miss Opal Smith spent Sunady with Misses Elizabeth and Vera Thacker.

Mr. Guthrie has moved to Floydada and Mr. Jester has moved to his place

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Smith and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pittman spent Thursday night and Friday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Pittman.

We are glad to report that Mrs. W. E. Smith is improving after a long spell of illness.

Miss Kimbro and Miss Anna Copeland have been visiting Miss Helen Copeland.

Miss Jettie Pharr is again in school after a week's absence.

Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Kelley of Kirkland are visiting their sister, Mrs. W. J. Berry.

BIRTH RECORD

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MRS. ANGUS HOSTESS AT BRIDGE TUESDAY EVENING

Mrs. E. L. Angus was hostess to a group of friends at a bridge party last Tuesday evening.

After several rounds of bridge, Miss Ruth Collins was holder of the high score for ladies; and Lon M. Davis, holder of the high score for the gentlemen.

A salad course was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cleere, Mr. and Mrs. Kight Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Rutledge, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Lon M. Davis, Misses Ruth Collins, Gladys Johnston, Virginia Lewis, Messrs. John Reagan, Maury Hopkins, and Bob McGuire.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of thanking our many friends of Blanco, McCoy, and Harmony for the many kind acts and sympathy during the illness and death of our baby, Lonnie Merle. May each one find just such friends is the sincere wish of

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Lewis
Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Lewis
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DON'T JUST READ THIS; READ AND THEN ACT

The Parent-Teachers will meet tomorrow, January 23, at the High School auditorium at 3:00 o'clock. All teachers from both schools are urged to be present and all members of the Board of Trustees; also all members of the Association and any one interested in the Association. At the close of the interesting program which has been prepared for this meeting, refreshments will be served to all present. It will be a very special meeting.

The program for the afternoon is as follows:

Solo—Mrs. A. W. Chowning.
"American Girl".—Mrs. S. W. Ross.
"American Boy."—Mrs. W. M. Massie.
Reading—Mrs. Ford Butler.
Answer to Roll Call by American great men and women.

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1924 NEEDLE WORKERS

The 1924 Needleworkers met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Dickey and enjoyed their usual delightful and instructive afternoon of sewing. There were sixteen members present.

Mrs. W. H. Alexander will be the next hostess on this coming Wednesday from 2 to 5 o'clock.



"Put 'Em Up—Quick!"

Closing time—no customers about—A snarl from the doorway: "Put 'em up—quick!"—A threatening pistol—the cash drawer emptied!

HOLD-UPS are increasing, both in number and in boldness. Robbers, too, have developed an almost uncanny technic. Today some clever criminal may be studying your place of business and planning a robbery with cunning care.

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For a few cents a day, an Aetna Office and Store Robbery Policy will safeguard all your valuables.

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GET THIS Mr. Debtor

You'll be the Loser, if you don't watch your step

There are quite a few unpaid accounts, and checks given the merchants the banks have failed to honor when presented for payment.

Have you called on your merchants and made it satisfactory about that account that has not been paid? If not, don't delay for it is important you should do so.

Anyone who gives his check to a member of the Floyd County Retail Merchants' Association and it is not paid when sent to the bank, is doing TWO PERSONS, at least, an injury. First, the merchant who takes the check, and the other the giver of the check,—and the giver the greater harm. The merchant, perhaps, may continue in business, but you will not and cannot survive such a policy, if adopted by you in this Floydada trade territory. There is just one thing you should do. Make that check good or your name will be given to the Retail Merchants' Association and the secretary will be instructed to notify each member that your check was not paid.

Why Sell Your Credit for a Few $$$

Be frank with yourself. Can you afford the failure to adjust a debt or make good your check. It hurts the debtor more than it does the merchant to let a debt run. The merchant only loses his merchandise—the debtor losing his credit standing which you should prize too highly to lose.

A man's credit standing is just what he makes it—good or bad. His record, good or bad, will follow him wherever he may go. Keep your credit good. It pays to pay up.

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THE COST OF PUPIL TRANSPORTATION

What does it cost to transport pupils to and from school? This is an important question for any community or county that is planning to consolidate its small schools and establish large central schools, with or with out high school courses, by transporting the pupils at public expense. Of course costs will vary greatly and will depend much on weather and road conditions, the size of the transportation problems, the kind of transportation offered, care in business management and other things of like nature. Not until recent years has pupil transportation become so much a part of the school program that careful studies have been made of its cost and of the best methods of managing it.

Four school districts of the Rio Grande County, Colorado, in the years 1921-22 operated 41 busses and transporting an average of 990 children a day, covering an entire distance of 217,764 miles. Costs per mile ranged from 20.1 to 26 cents, with an average of 23.9 cents. Costs per child per day ranged from 28 to 34 cents with an average of 29.5 cents per day

Transporting 91,535 school children in Indiana for the year 1922-23 cost at the annual rate of $33.69 per child or 20 cents per child per day.

A report for 37 typical consolidated schools of Iowa where transportation was carried on over all types of roads shows that the annual cost per pupil on routes where horse drawn vehicles are used was $40.62, while on those with motor driven vehicles, it was $43.03.

Twenty-two States reported for 1921-22 that 446,226 pupils were trans ported at a total cost of $14,526.368 or $32.55 per pupil for the year. Among the States reporting were Maine, Maryland, Alabama, Indiana, Minnesota, Oklahoma, Texas, and Montana.

Nearly all the average and extreme conditions of the different sections of the United States were represented, so the average of $32.55 may be accepted as fair one for the country at large.

In making shark fin soup, the Chinese boil the fins and otherwise treat them until they take on the appearence of fan-like flakes and filaments of pure gelatine. The eyes of the shark, after they are boiled, lose their outer covering, and the residue becomes quite hard and has a sort of shifting light in its texture. These shark eyes are then mounted on pins htoroer forms of jewelry and present an unusual appearence.

More than 3,700 books have been written on the Einstein theory of relativity, according to Professor Maviece Lewt, of the Louva New University. Germany holds the record with 1,435 publications, followed by France, Italy, Holland and America, the last numbering 128. This does not include newspapers and magazine articles on the subject.

POLITICAL BAN IN SCHOOLS IS URGED BY SURVEY

Austin.—County superintendents of schools should be eliminated from politics and their positions made appointive by a county board of education, according to recommendations of the Texas Educational Survey made public today.

Creation of county boards and a state board of education is recommended as fundamental changes in the educational system of the State.

A board to co-ordinate the activ ties of higher institutions of learning in Texas also is suggested. A summary of these recommendations. issued by the survey staff said:

"There should be an increase in the term of office for which school trustees are chosen. This applies to common school district, independent district, and county trustees.

"Provision should be made for an appointive state board of education. This board should have nine or 11 members appointed by the Governor. The terms of the members should be so arranged that only one expires each year. The state board of education should elect the state superintendent and on his recommendation appoint the members of his department.

Roger Bacon, who lived and wrote seven centuries ago, predicted "machines for navigation without rowers, cars with draft animals, flying machines." Because of this statement he was adjudged a sorcerer and thrown into jail.

South Africa wants to cut its own diamonds, instead of sending them to Rotterdam and Belgian cities.

The Training Committee of Boston University insists that all girls who go in for sports this year must not smoke and must get at least eight hours ' sleep each night. Six infractions of the sleeping rule will be punishable, but there must be no backsliding where tobacco is concerned.

French engineers plan windmills to relieve the country of its heavy burden of payment for imported coal. They would have the windmills generate electric power.

New Spring Hats

I am opening a millinery shop at the residence of my father, R. Cardinal, and have received the first shipment of new spring hats which are now on display.

Your patronage will be greatly appreciated.

Mrs. Irene McIntyre



REV. LYN CLAYBROOK

The Rev. Lyn Claybrook, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Canyon will be in Floydada, Monday, January 26, for an all day budgeting conference with the Baptists of the Floyd County association. Representatives from every Baptist church in the Floyd association are expected to be present at the meeting.

This is one of the series of 115 conferences which are being held the last two weeks of January in all parts of the state to demonstrate the efficiency of the budget plan of church financing.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Services last Lord's day were good, but not so largely attended as might have been, although it was good considering the day. The Choral Club and Professor Morgan rendered most excellent program. Their music was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Come again, Choral Club, a welcome awaits you.

Services next Lord's day will be as follows; especially for you.

Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. The subject of the morning will be: "Keeping the Faith". In the evening the subject will be: "Under the Juniper Tree." This is the second sermon on the life of one of the great Bible characters, and follows the one of last Sunday night.

Have you heard about the calendar plan yet? You should ask some of the ladies about it and "get in while the getting in is good." You will miss it if you don't.

The public in general is cordially invited to attend the service. A cordial welcome awaits you.

SUNDAY REGULAR SINGING DATE AT SAND HILL

Next Sunday, January 25 is the regular singing evening at Sand Hill with R. M. Morgan, G. C. Tubbs and others of the Choral Club in attendance, to help the class learn the new songs in the V. O. Stamps latest song book, "Harbor Bells".

Mr. Morgan has several special selections which he will have his Choral Club present at this time. All singers and lovers of singing are cordially invited.

There are 5000 orphans and semi-orphans of veterans of the World War in the United States.

The radiocast peddler in Berlin permits the customer to clamp on a headset from his potable radio operated from a pushcart.

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WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Wednesday Bridge Club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lon M. Davis.

Following several rounds of bridge Mrs. O. P. Rutledge was holder of the high score.

Refreshments were served to the members and the following guests: Mesdames O. P. Rutledge, John Farris, George V. Smith, Glad Snodgrass, Edd Johnson, Kight Dickey, T. P. Collins, Carter Andrews, A. N. Finklea of Amarillo.

The next meeting of the club will be held on Thursday afternoon February 5, instead of the usual Wednesday afternoon meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Cleere at three o'clock.

BRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. G. C. Tubbs gave a children's party last Saturday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Mabel, who has attained the age of eight years. Miss Clara Tubbs assisted the hostess in entertaining the small guests.

After about an hour of indoor games refreshments consisting of custard and cake were served to the following: Hazel Borum, Urnon Borum, Arline Copprell, J. D. Jordan, Juanita Hatchell, Julia Marie Blackwell, Edell King, Dorothy Landrum, Ruth Key Green, Ruth Jordan and Dorris Jordan.

The honoree was the recipient of many pretty little gifts.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School meets at 10 a. m. and don't forget to be on time, please. Your new superintendent (Pierce King) needs your co-operation as he assumes the responsibility of the work.

Preaching at 11 a. m., and 7:15 p. m. The Missionary Society meets Monday at 2:30 p. m. sharp. Bible study and choir drill Wednesday at 7:15 p. m.

Strangers are strangers here only once, at the "Church with a welcome".

G. P. Humphries, Pastor

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PROGRAM

The Christian Endeavor program for Sunday, January 25, at 6:15 p. m. will be as follows:

Subject.—"How Can we Develop the Spirit of Friendliness?"—Prov. 18:24 27:6,9,10: 1 Sam. 18:1-4

Leader.—Miss Julia Adams.

Song.—"Help Somebody Today."

Prayer.—By Pastor.

Song.—"Somebody Did A Golden Deed."

Leaders Talk.

"How Can Our Society Develop Friendliness this Year in Some Definite Way?"—Pierce King.

"What is Your Idea of Friendship?"—Ora McNeil.

"Give Some Bible Examples of Friendship?"—Russell King.

"Show How Friendliness is an Asset to a Church and Society."—Mrs. G. P. Humphries.

Song.—"Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

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The following goods, consisting of Harness, Saddles, Work Bridles, Riding Bridles, Whips, Collars, Halters, Halter Leads, Halter Chains, and all parts of harness, Army Blankets, Rain Coats, Slickers, Horse Covers, Horse Blankets, and all horse equipment used by War Department.

This material is government material which assures that it is of the best grade. Here is a chance to buy what you want at your own price. We have the goods and will offer them to the highest bidder. Be at the Sale on time and name your price. The goods are of the best and the assortment is large.

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Our Clearance Sale

Closes Next Tuesday Evening January 27th

If you are in need of any winter goods—and want to save money when you buy—now is the time and this is the place.—for we have big reductions on

Hart Schaffner & Marx and Frats Suits and Overcoats

Values to $60.00 **$34.75** Values to $45.00 **$27.50** Values to $30.00 **$16.85**

Perfection Suits and Overcoats for Boys

Are marked at a great reduction during this clearance sale. most of these boys suits have two pair of pants.

Values $ 4.95 **$3.98** Values $ 7.85 **$5.65**

Values $ 8.85 **$6.65** Values $14.85 **$12.85**

WORK PANTS— One lot of work pants values to $3.45 **$2.65**

UNION SUITS— Boys heavy ribbed unions, all sizes from 2 to 14 for **63c**

MENS HOSE— One lot mens hose, colors are black, brown, grey, blue, and white, **12 1-2cpr.**

ALL WINTER COATS AND DRESSES FOR WOMEN AND MISSES ARE STILL GOING AT 1-2 PRICE

We make no alterations, no approvals will be allowed.

Dr. Denton sleeping garments for children, $1.50 value for **75c**

Unbleached muslin regular 15c grade now for **12c**

Ladies silk hose $2.50 value for **$1.65**

Ladies unionsuits $1.50 value for **98c**

One Fourth Off all Silks, all woolen materials. all underwear materials will be sold in this sale **One Fourth Off**

9-4 Pepperell Sheeting for 49c

We have bargains all over the house that we do not have room to mention. We are offering a big reduction on one lot of ladies dress slippers, all good colors and styles. All other shoes in the house are going at a reduction. We also are selling mens hats, wool shirts, dress shirts, and underwear for the whole family at a saving to you.

Sale Closes Next Tuesday Evening, Jan. 27th

Martin Dry Goods Co.

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Under the Capitol Dome

By J. G. Burr, Austin, Texas

Just received a letter from John Wilhelm, the 14 year old boy in Pennsylvania who wants to come to Texas He laid the matter before his guardian uncle who replied: "It's up to you but did you ever hear of that man Shrewsbury who went to Texas and was shot, and no arrest was ever made?" John said, "No, I never heard it, but I would rather live in Texas ten years and get shot than to live here a hundred years and die of old age."

John says he was brought up right but the place he lives in needs cleaning and he dosen't want the job, or words to that effect.

The Unholy Trinity

Two weeks ago the putrid condition of the Trinity River was discussed in this column. Now a letter comes from a man between Dallas and Fort Worth who says fish are dying in the river from foul water. That there should be any fish at all in the river at that point is surprising, though a small rise would enable them to pass Dallas sewage and they are now perhaps hemmed in between the dead seas of the offending cities.

The Health Department has an auto equipped with a small laboratory which is now being operated out of Dallas and has made analyses of Trinity water as far south as Palestine. The purpose of these studies is to determine whether methods of sewage treatment are adequate to the protection of life and health.

Waterworks School

A six day school of water experts will be held in Austin beginning the 26th inst., which will be open to any one interested in clean water. Able speakers from over the state will discuss the water problem in reference to health and how municipal supplies are obtained. Governor-Elect M. A. Ferguson is slated to speak.

Penny Wisdom

Polluted water causes typhoid fever a malady which has increased in Texas from 662 cases reported in 1920 to 1134 in 1924, according to the Health Department, though the federal census shows this to be one of the diseases which has decreased 50 per cent in the United States in the last 15 years. Nearly a hundred per cent increase in Texas typhoid in five years is the product of penny wisdom. Texas spends three pennies per capita on health work, the least spent by any state in the union, while other states spend as much as 37 cents per capita.

Influenza and dengue fell off last year to one fifth and one third of what they were the year before. Excessive dry weather may have caused this health improvement and it is more than probable that dry weather helped reduce malaria cases nearly 25 per cent by keeping down mosquito transmission. There were 50,000 malaria cases reported in 1921 as compared to 16,000 the past year, indicating that mosquito control is an unmeasured benefaction. It made Panama habitable for white men; it went with our army to Cuba and Cuba is clean. The stipend of $10,000 a year used by the Health Department for that work is devoted largely to inspection and to inducing the public to take mosquito precautions.

New Game Bill

One of the first bills to be introduced in the Legislature will be the game bill proposed by a conference of sportsmaen and fish dealers held in Austin January 6, called by Commissioner Boyd and attended by the new commissioner Turner Hubby of Waco.

Some changes proposed were 15 ducks instead of 25 per day and a limit of 45 for a week. Four geese a day and 12 per week. 12 quail a day and 36 a week. Two bucks for the season and no spike bucks, and the season to open Nov. 16 and close Dec. 31.

There was some spirited debate between Messrs. Fisher of Port Lavaca and Speer of San Antonio. Mr. Speer who is a sportsman shot some verbal speers at Mr. Fisher who is a fish dealer and Mr. Fisher finned back in vigorous fashion. However, good feeling prevailed and it was agreed that a fisherman's rights extended beyond the mere privilege of being arrested for violating the law and that the revenue he paid entitled him to a voice in the management of marine fisheries.

Waco is called the hub of the state; the new game commisioner is from Waco and is named Hubby.

The Texas Song

The Texas song, winner of the $1,000 Neff prize awarded by the committee, already has its critics in the Daughters of the Republic. While they have declined to make any statement, they are nevertheless quoted as saying there is too little Texas history in the verses and that the music is not adequate. Frankly, the writer was surprised that the author of the song was able to put so much meaning and melody in three small stanzas. It took five volumes for Louis Wortham to tell Texas history, and history can not be sung.. The song mentions the Alamo and San Jacinto and early Texas patriotism in words graciously woven.

As to the tune, it is sweet and unpretending, catchy and simple such as children would delight to sing. It has not the imposing sweep of "The Eyes of Texas are Upon You" but rather the reverie of sacred memories. Austin school children are rehearsing it to sing it for the Legislature with a view to its adoption as the state song.

FIRST SEAPLANE AMBULANCE

A new seaplane has been built for service in British Guiana between the plantations of a certain company and the nearest township, and has been equipped with wireless apparatus.

The machine has been specially designed to carry white men who fall ill with fever on the plantations to the nearest place where they can obtain treatment. Hitherto the distance though little more than 200 miles, has taken seventeen days owing to the many rapids necessitating porterage, and many sick men have not survived the journey. The seaplane will accomplish it in little more than two hours.

The wireless installation will enable telegraphic or telephonic communication to be carried on with both ends of the route. A special wireless station has been erected to work in conjunction with the seaplane.

LIZARD WITH A BEARD

An Australian bearded lizard has been found on the railway line at Plaistow. As the locality is in the dock area, it is supposed that the mysterious stranger landed in England as a storaway and was engaged on a tour of exploration.

The Jew lizard—as it is known in Australia—has beneath the chin a fold of skin which, unnoticeable when the reptile is in repose, can be expanded into a conspicuous bristly frill suggestive of a beard, for the purpose of frightening enemies.

If this fails, it has a very effective weapon in its spiny tail, with which it can inflict serious wounds.

Locals and Personals

E. L. Campbell made a business trip to Tulia Monday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell may move to that city to make their home.

W. A. Ross and Roy Baker who attended the annual stockholders meeting of the Baker-Campbell Company at Munday and the meeting of the Bryant-Link Company at Stamford returned home last Thursday. From Stamford they were accompanied as far as Floydada by J. F. P'Pool of Dallas, Manager of the Stamford Cotton Produce Company. W. A. Baker who also attended both stockholders meetings at Munday and Stamford returned home last Friday.

W. B. Stevenson, of Roseland Community, was a business visitor in Floydada Monday.

Mrs. W. T. Hopper left last week for Arlington, where she is visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Irwin left last week for California to spend sometime again this late winter and spring Last year they spent several months in that state at Berkely.

W. A. Buford, of the northeast part of the county, was a business visitor in Floydada Monday.

Miss Inez Curry, of Crosbyton, visited Miss Dessie Walker over last week-end.

Alec DeLong and Mr. Livengood of Slaton were in Floydada Monday for a few hours while enroute from Wichita Falls to their home in Slaton.

Geo. W. Brewster and Frank Ford, of Lockney, were transacting business in Floydada Tuesday.

Evans Mason, of Vernon, is here employed with the Floydada Drug Co. as salesman, having arrived last week.

Claude Farrell, who has been with the Floydada Drug Company for several months, has gone to Wichita Falls to work in a drug store. His brother John has gone to Abilene.

Mrs. S. A. Henry and children, of Lubbock, have gone to San Antonio to spend the remainder of the winter. Mr. Henry went with them but will return this week.

Hollis Moore left Saturday for San Antonio to be gone a few days on business.

GINGHAM CLUB

The Gingham Club met with Mrs. W. I. Cannaday last Friday afternoon and a delightful session of sewing was enjoyed by all. Delicious refreshments were served to twenty-one members.

The next meeting of the club will be held on Friday, January 30th, at the home of Mrs. M. F. Husky.

HOW OFTEN DO RANGE CATTLE GO FOR A DRINK

Those who are acquainted with the habits of livestock in the more humid regions might be surprised at the ways in which these same animals would meet conditions in the semiarid regions of the West. The cow that slacks her thirst every few hours in the succulent, stream-furrowed pastures of the East or Middle West in a dry country would wait much longer before traveling several miles for a drink.

Recently representatives of the Bureau of Animal Industry, United States Department of Agriculture, made observations on the number of times cattle go to water under different conditions in the range country. The evidence showed that for most cattle it is a long time between drinks a matter of days rather than hours. The cooler or wetter the weather the less likely they are to go to water more often than every second or third day. In dry, hot weather many of them go every day; but others go only twice every three days, or once every other day. In one region in New Mexico the conclusion was reached that for the best interests of range and stock in level country, watering places should not be more than five miles apart.

In recent years various methods have been developed for encouraging the adoption of better livestock and improved methods of handling and feeding them. Five years ago the Department started the better sires-better stock campaign and now there are more than 15,000 farmers throughout the country who have pledged themselves to use nothing but pure-bred sires of any kind on their farms. Other factors in present-day livestock improvement are boys' and girls' Clubs, demonstrations, exhibits, tonlitter clubs, thousand-pound calf clubs, country-sire-sales plan, cooperative bull associations, ram rings, poultry improvement activities, and various other means. The United States Department of Agriculture is active in means of improvement.

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2. Would the income from your present investments support me (and the children) in comfort?
3. Is YOUR estate in such condition that funds would be available for immediate expenses following death?
4. What is an "Insurance Income" and would that relieve me from investing funds from OUR estate in securities that I know nothing about.
5. Would a college educational policy be desirable to provide for our children's education?
6. If you "Can't afford a $100 premium, can I afford to be without reasonable INSURANCE protection?
7. It is your CUSTOM when LEAVING HOME to leave enough money to keep the family during YOUR ABSENCE. I am asking these questions to find out how IT would BE if sometime you didn't return. Do you blame me for thinking of these things before it is too LATE?

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The biggest money's worth of motor car in all the history of motor cars. See it! Ride in it!

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Overland and Willys-Knight Dealers Floydada

...ays a ...ecine suggestion, and the list selected below are more especially adapted to solve the housewife's greatest bugaboo, how to fix over the leftovers and still have an appetizing and really good dish, when complete. In other words, our old friend, the common Irish potato plays the principal role in the recipes prepared for this week's column.

Potato Omelet

Take a quantity of mashed potatoes turn in hot omelet pan or ordinary frying pan greased with one tablespoon butter, spread evenly, cook slowly until browned underneath, and fold as omelet.

Potatoes au Gratin

Reheat two cups cold boiled potatoes, cut in dice, in one and one-fourth cups of White Sauce. Place in buttered baking dish, cover with buttered crumbs and bake until crumbs are brown.

Delmonico Potatoes

To potatoes au Gratin add one-third cup grated mild cheese arranging potatoes and cheese in alternate layers before covering with crumbs.

Lyonnaise Potatoes

Cook five minutes three tablespoons butter with one small onion cut in thin slices; add three cold boiled potatoes cut in one-fourth inch slices and sprinkled with salt and pepper; stir until well mixed with onion and butter let stand until potato is brown underneath, fold, and turn on a hot platter. Sprinkle with finely chopped parsley if desired.

MENDING AN UMBRELLA

Broken joints between the braces and ribs of an umbrella can be repaired with friction tape, says Popular Science Monthly. Simply put the end of the brace where it belongs and wind tightly with the tape in such a way that the action of the joint will not be interfered with. The umbrella then can be opened and closed without difficulty and the repair will be found to last surprisingly well.

When Sir Isaac Newton was writing his "Principia" he lived on a scanty allowance of bread and water and vegetable diet.

Ford's new plant at Copenhagen, Denmark, is turning out 200 cars daily.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS:

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

You are hereby commanded, That you summon, by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Floyd if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, F. A. Phegley whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Floyd at the Court House thereof, in Floydada, on the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 31st day of December A. D. 1924, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1662, wherein Blanche Phegley is plaintiff, and F. A. Phegley is defendent. The nature of the plaintiffs demands being as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff alleges she is the wife of defendant F. A. Phegley; and in substance that defendant has failed to support her, has left her destitute, has cursed and abused her, and has so conducted himself with other women as to render living together insupportable, and that his treatment of plaintiff has been such that same was of such a nature as to render living together insupportable, that by reason thereof plaintiff abandoned defendant permanently about August 16, 1922.

That neither party has any property; that plaintiff and defendant are parents of two girl children. Trula May age 4 and Muriel Fay age 2 1-2 and plaintiff is supporting them and the best interest of said children requires their custody be awarded to plaintiff, and that defendants whereabouts is unknown. Plaintiff prays for divorce and fixing of property rights and for custody of said children to be awarded her.

Herein fail not, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this, the 8th day of January A. D. 1925.

(SEAL) G. C. TUBBS,
Clerk District Court, Floyd County, Texas. 464tc

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Floydada Pro. Co.
Telephone 130

...As...ation of Washington. Send the association a stamp for tree-planting hints.

TRUSTEES NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

The State of Texas, County of Floyd:

WHEREAS, by instrument dated September 1, 1922, signed and acknowledged by T. E. Mays, and his wife, Grace Ella Mays, of Floyd County, Texas, the South half of Survey 36, Block D 2, Certificate No. 4-545, issued to G C & S F Railway Company, in Floyd County, Texas, 320 acres of land were conveyed in trust to W. A. Donaldson, to secure L. G. Wilson in the payment of one note dated September 1, 1922, due September 1, 1923, in the principal sum of $2,812.78, bearing interest from date at 10 per cent per annum, which said instrument is recorded Vol. 15, page 590, of the records of deed of trust of Floyd County, Texas, and stipulated that the same was a renewal and extension of a certain vendor's lien note, and

WHEREAS such instrument provided that the trustee should, at the request of the holder of said indebtedness, advertise and sell the same by posting up written notices at three public places in such County, and be given such other advertisement as might be required by law. Such posting and advertisement to be for 20 days successively before the day of sale, which should be at the Courthouse door of Floyd County, on the First Tuesday of any month between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M., and 4 o'clock P. M., to the highest bidder, for cash, all the right and interest of the makers thereof, and that out of proceeds of such sale the expenses of advertising sale, and conveyance, with a 5 per cent commission to the trustee should be first paid, the balance be applied on said note and interest, the remainder, if any, to be applied to the grantors. Empowering the trustee to make a deed of general warranty binding the grantors, and it was further provided that in case of death of the trustee, that the said L. G. Wilson might appoint a substitute who should have all the powers of said W. A. Donaldson, and

WHEREAS the said W. A. Donaldson is dead, and L. G. Wilson has appointed me, Maple Wilson, as substitute trustee therein, and

WHEREAS the entire indebtedness evidenced by said note, both principal and interest, is past due, and wholly unpaid, and I have been in writing requested to sell the said land and apply the proceeds as in such instrment directed.

NOW THEREFORE know all men by these presents, that I, Maple Wilson, substitute trustee, aforesaid will on the First Tuesday in February, 1925, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M., and 4 o'clock P. M., at the Court House door, in Floydada, in Floyd County, Texas, offer for sale at public outcry, all the interest and right of the said T. E. Mays, and wife Grace Ella Mays, in and for that tract of land in Floyd County, Texas, being:

The South half of Survey 36, Block D 2, Certificate No. 4-545, 320 acres of land.

And will execute to the purchasers or purchaser of such land a deed binding the said T. E. Mays and Grace Ella Mays to warrant and forever defend the title thereof to the said purchaser or purchasers, and will apply the proceeds of such sale as above set out in the said deed of trust.

WITNESS MY HAND this 7th day of January, 1925.

Maple Wilson
454tc Substitute Trustee

In the days ... forefathers men were keen of mind, active of body and rugged of honesty.

They ate simple food and not too much of it.

The generations of today is not to be compared with that of one hundred years ago, even though the average length of life is longer. This is attributed to the better care of the young and increased knowledge in regard to disease prevention, control and cure.

Any physician will give the same testimony as the one referred to above We do not measure up physically to those of a generation ago because there is too much to eat and too much of it is eaten.

It is true that we have made wonderful strides in the past century. But they are no greater than the opportunities warranted. And they never originated in the minds of gourmands

The fact can't be denied that we are literally eating ourselves to death, slowly but surely. We eat as our fancy dictates and we eat the wrong food to excess.

If we really knew the proportion of the population that is afflicted with the ills coming from over-in-dulgence in the wrong kind of food, the figures would be staggering.

The child that is stuffed and pampered from the time it begins to eat solid food will not develop a normal mind or body. The system cannot properly assimilate the over-abundance of stuff that is permitted to eat. Mental deficiency and bodily ailments are inevitable results.

We may eat ourselves to death if we prefer, when we become our own masters, and that is purely our own affair.

But we have no right to stuff a child beyond capacity that is injurious to a body that is not yet matured

The child knows no better but we do, or should.

HAPPINESS AND HARD WORK

Happiness, I have discovered, is nearly always a rebound from hard work. It is one of the follies of men to imagine that they can enjoy mere thought, or emotion, or sentimate. As well try to eat beauty! For happiness must be tricked! She loves to see men at work. She loves sweat, weariness, self-sacrifice. She will be found, not in palaces, but lurking in cornfields and factories and hovering over littered desks. She crowns the unconscious head of the busy child. If you look up suddenly from hard work you will see her, but if you look too long she fades sorrowfully away.—From "Adventures in Contentment," by David Grayson.

WHEN RACE HORSES TRAVEL

A "palace on wheels" is the latest luxury for race horses. The sides of the two stalls are lined with canvas pneumatic pads to prevent injury to the horses while speeding over the highways. The floor is made of sanitary cork composition. The space above the rear wheels is used for carrying feed, and on a partition at the back of the driver are watering troughs and hay racks.

Drinking water for the horses is carried in a large tank under the body of the car. Four lights give good illumination to the interior at night, while space is provided for a groom.

The horses are loaded at the rear and taken off at the front, because backing race horses is said to retard their gait.

The eagle was first used on American money in 1795 when Congress authorized the issurance of a gold coin worth $10.00.

We Are Unloading

Another car of Pipe and Casing at the

Same Low Prices

We guarantee our Windmills to be the best.

Willson & Son Lbr. Co.

Floydada Texas

Have You Visited Our Shop Recently?

You will be surprised maybe to find such a large and pretty display of spring models.

All the new materials and colors.

You will like the quiet atmosphere of our shop, the tasteful display of the models, the self-evident quality of the materials, and the interested service accorded.

Drop in and look us over.

Yes, we are glad to remodel your old hat. We give the work our very best attention.

The Hat Shop

Located Houston's Balcony Mrs. E. P. Nelson, Prop

ture Association. There is no more wholesome place to live and to play than among the trees.

FIGHT AND FAIL AND FIGHT AGAIN

More and more am I impressed with the idea that to be a good sport is to determine much of the secret that folks talk about as being behind success and happiness.

It has often been said that happiness is a state of mind. Well, so is success.

Surely money, hosts of friends great fame do not constitute success, nor do they give happiness in all instances.

There is more to "background" than anything I can think of when it comes to reaping the happy rewards of this world.

And it is this very background that makes a man stand and fight and then when failure comes, get up and fight again.

Such a man thrives on opposition. He is unbeatable before he starts to fight or strive.

No one likes a pouter.

Injustice is as prevalent as weeds no matter where you go. But justice is far superior. So if you are able to keep a clear vision and scent the larger and better things of life as you go along, you will hoard what neither friends, influence nor money are able to give during a dire emergency.

If they knock your cap off, pick it up, smile and go at the fight again, Or fight without a hat.

Inside equipment is what counts in the contest for character.

Fight and fall—and then fight again, But if it means a dozen or a hundred defeats, never mind. There are those in this world who have never been whipped.—George M. Adams.

Opportunity passes by quicker than a highpowered auto.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Floyd:

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Floyd County, on the 18th day of December, 1924, by G. C. Tubbs, Clerk of said court for the sum of Thirteen hundred fifty-three and 22-100 dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of Artie Baker in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1608 and styled Artie Baker vs. E. C. Brown & Conservative Loan Co. of Texas, placed in my hands for service, I J. R. Maddox as Sheriff of Floyd County, Texas, did on the 6th day of January, 1925, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Floyd County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: 50 acres of the S. E. ¼ of survey No. 82 Blk. D-2, Cert. 628, ...ience North 237.5 vrs.; ... vrs.; thence North 237.5 vrs.; thence West 475 vrs.; thence South 475 vrs. to the place of beginning, and being the same land conveyed to E. C. Brown by J. T. Lively and wife Lannie Lively by deed recorded in Vol. 46 page 217 deed records of Floyd County and levied upon as the property of E. C. Brown and that on the first Tuesday in February, 1925, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Floyd County, in the ... said ... C. Brow...

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Floyd County Hesperian, a newspaper published in Floyd County.

Witness my hand, this 6th day of January, 1925.

J. R. Maddox,
454tc Sheriff Floyd County, Texas

We wish to express our appreciation for the liberal patronage given us during our last Saturday and Monday sale, and wish to say that we are going to give the best bargains possible during the coming season.

See us first

BORUM HARDWARE

South Side Square

A car load of that good Old

Supreme Flour

has just arrived at the

Awtrey Gro. & Pro. Co.

Southwest Corner of Square

Headquarters for poultry, Cream and Eggs Highest market prices paid. Don't forget our telephone number 92

PUBLIC SALE

As I am leaving I will sell at public auction at the B. M. Carter farm 12 miles southeast of Floydada, 1 mile south and 1-2 mile west of Lakeview, Beginning promptly at 10 a. m.,

Thursday, Jan. 29

The following described property:

Work Stock

1 Brown Mule, 10 years old, weight 1100 lbs.;
1 Brown Mule, 3 years old, weight 1200 lbs.;
1 Blue Mule, 2 years old, weight 900 lbs.;
1 Black Mule, 9 years old, weight 1100 lbs.;
1 Black Mule, 7 years old, weight 1000 lbs.;
1 Brown Horse, 12 years old, weight 1100 lbs.;
1 Sorrell half-Shetland school pony, 6 years old.

Milch Cows

1 Jersey Cow, 3 years old, with heifer calf;
1 Durham Cow, 7 years old, with heifer calf;
1 Jersey Cow, 3 years old, fresh in March;
1 half-Jersey Cow, 5 years old, with heifer calf;
1 Red yearling and 1 Jersey calf.

Cotton Seed

100 Bu. Select Mebane Cotton Seed.

Farming Implements

1 two-row P. & O. Cultivator;
1 two-row P. & O. Lister;
1 one-row P. & O. Cultivator;
1 P. & O. trench-guide Lister;
2 one-row go-devils;
1 Emerson Pony Disc Plows;
1 Emerson 4-wheel lister;
2 Section Drag Harrow;
1 fourteen-disc harrow;
1 twelve-inch turning plow;
1 School buggy with good top;
2 Good Cotton Wagons, with frames;
2 Sets of leather harness;
1 Set of Chain Harness, and collars.

Chickens

5 Dozen purebred Barred Plymouth Rock Hens;
1 Queen Stove Brooder, 500 chick capacity;
1 Safety Hatch Incubator, 125 egg capacity;
1 Safety Hatch Incubator 160 egg capacity;

Household Goods

1 Wm. Galloway Cream Separator, 450 lb capacity;
1 Washing Machine;
1 New Perfection Oil Stove, 4 burners
1 Kitchen Cabinet;
2 Kitchen Tables;
1 Dining Tables;
1 Safe; 6 Chairs;
1 Heating Stove;
2 Beds with springs;
1 Half-bed with spring attachments;
1 Dresser;
1 Singer Sewing Machine;
Other things too numerous to mention.

Good Things to Eat

4 Sugar-cured Shoulders;
8 Sugar-cured middlings;
10 gallons home-made lard.
100 Qts. Fruit and steam-pressure canned vegetables in quart and half gallon sizes of corn, okra, peas, beans, squash, cucumber and tomatoes.
Also some stored pumpkins.

FREE LUNCH ON GROUND

Terms of Sale: Sums $25 and under cash; on sums over $25 9 months time on approved notes bearing 10 per cent interest, or 5 per cent discount for cash.

G. C. HOPPER, Owner

Seale & Nash, Auctioneers. Fletcher Curry, Clerk.

Cheapest, Best, Busiest Salesmen in Floyd County

BOARD and room for two. Mrs. John Buchanan, 3 blocks northwest of square. 472tp

DYANSHINE.—We have it in the following colors Cordovan Brown, Nut Brown, Dark Grey Suede, Medium Grey Suede, Light Grey Suede, Fawn Suede, Sand Suede, Biege Suede, Neutral Red and White Kid. Collins Grocery Co. Phone 88. 471tc

12 GUAGE 7 1-2 chilled Smokeless Shotgun Shells $1.00 per box, at Borum Hardware. 472tc

Hand Power Washing Machines, wood and copper—Brown Bros. 462tc

We have a much better line of shelf hardware. Kirk and Sons. 461tc

Western Electric Washers—Brown Bros. 461tc

For bargains in lands and town lots see Arthur B. Duncan, Floydada, Texas. 40tfc

DELIVERY SERVICE

We deliver to all parts of the city and will handle your telephone orders. to your entire satisfaction. City Market. 471tc

EIGHT HEAD OF WORK STOCK FOR SALE at Public Sale Saturday. 3 head of coming three-year old mules 15 hands high; one nine-year old mule, 15 hands high; one mule, 10 years old; 3 head of horses. J. A. Hough, Owner. 471tp

CHOICE pot plants for sale at all times. Please call after school hours. Mrs. Maud E. Hollums. 47tfc

Let us dress your top and side curtains and make them look like new. McCleskey Top Shop. 452tc

WRITE or see Holmes Bros., Rt. 4, Floydada, for Acala or Mebane cotton seed, red oats, or registered red hogs. 464tc.

LOST—Black mare in Lakeview neighborhood about 8 years old, weight 1,000. Notify Elmer Baker. Phone 914-21 46-2tp

Edison Light Bulbs—Brown Bros. 462tc

All plumbing repair work guaranteed W. C. Cleere & Son. 474tc

FOR SALE.—1923 Model Buick Four Touring Car. In good condition in every way.A bargain if you have the cash. N. L. Ball at Hesperian office.

FOR SALE—4 room house, in Floydada, good barn and garage. See C. T. Stevens, owner. 29tfc

New Perfection Stoves and Ranges—Brown Bros. 462tc

Use Ross pipe solvent to clean out your plugged sink line. For sale at Cleere Plumbing Shop. 474tc

FOR SALE.—Bred sows and shoats, and some good teams. See J. C. Bolding. 462tc

12 GUAGE 7 1-2 chilled Smokeless Shotgun Shells $1.00 per box, at Borum Hardware. 472tc

Plenty of Clay tile. Kirk & Son. 471tc

Kero Gas Oil Stoves—Brown Bros. 462tc

We still have plenty of auto tops, curtains and lights. McCleskey Top Shop. 452tc

WANTED.—To buy large or small notes. P. O. Box 412. 473tc

FOR SALE.—used single buggy and Maxey. 472tp

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Oil burners for $5 at Cleere Plumbing Shop. 474tc

FOR SALE OR TRADE.—Used windmill outfit complete, including tower, two used Ford trucks in good shape, 2 used mules, 1 used wagon; 1 residence with four lots. Also, wanted to buy two or three thousand bundles cane. also have pinto beans for sale. A. D. Summerville. 463tp

Edison Light Bulbs—Brown Bros. 462tc

SUIT CASE.—Lost December 20th near caprock on Matador Road, containing ladies' clothing, toilet articles, medicine, 2 purses, some money. Finder keep money, return other articles and suitcase to Jewell Farley, Route 3, Box 41, Slaton, Texas for reward. 454tp

Save money on plumbing material at W. C. Cleere & Son. 474tc

FOR SALE.—5 acre truck farm near Floydada, under irrigation, wells, pump, ditches, etc. Real opportunity for a truck grower. Should be able to pay for outfit with one crop Honeydew Melons. Might consider some trade. Marshall Bros. 454tc

FOR Marble or granite monuments, see S. B. McCleskey 41tfc

WANTED.—To do your painting. Any kind. Can use some trade. Address P. O. Box 265. 472tp

We handle the best harness money will buy. Kirk & Sons. 471tc

New Perfection Stoves—Brown Bros. 462tc

We made old cushions ride like new ones. McCleskey Top Shop. 452tc

We make auto tops and side curtains that give satisfaction. McCleskey Top Shop. 452tc

Full line plumbing fixtures at W. C. Cleere & Son Plumbing Shop. 474tc

Now is the time to buy your Oliver 1 and 2 row listers; or your J. I. Case 1 and 2 row listers. C. Surginer & Son 471tc.

Pipe and pipe fittings. All sizes. W. C. Cleere & Son. 474tc

Get our Harness Prices—Brown Bros. 462tc

FOR SALE.—Two year old Jersey male. A real calf. See John McDonald. 45tfc

FOR SALE.—Fresh Jersey milch cows. C. C. West, 15 miles S. E. of Floydada. 454tp

I WANT TO RENT A GOOD FIVE or four room house. Who has one to rent. See N. L. Ball at the Hesperian Office. 451tc

Call 60 for quick service on that leaky pipe. 474tc

City Market, Jones & Howard, Proprietors, Telephone 118. City deliveries daily. Phone us your needs. 471tc

Let us exchange new furniture for your old furniture. Kirk & Sons 471tc

SERVICE CAR with or without driver. Call Tourist Garage. 3-tfc

FEED FOR SALE—See me for good bundled kaffir, maize or cane. This feed is located northeast of Tulia east of Kress, northeast of Plainview, and near Floydada. Meade F. Griffin, Plainview, Texas. 40tfc

We have Queen Incubators with 85 and 175 egg capacity, for sale. C. Surginer & Son. 471tc

FOR SALE or exchange, in Muncy School District, 735 acres 3 miles of Floydada, 500 in cultivation, 180 acres wheat. 2 sets improvements. Consider less acreage or house and lot in any good town worth the money. Give full description, price, etc., in first letter. Box 23, Floydada, Texas. 444tp

FOR SALE.—Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels $1.50 to $3.00 for a short time. Mrs. W. T. Stiles, Phone 910F14 463tc

Let us figure on your plumbing bill. W. C. Cleere & Son. 474tc

Get an early start with a Buckeye Incubator. Kirk & Sons. 471tc

Electrical Supplies—Brown Bros. 462tc

FOR SALE—Improved home in Floydada, clear title. Phone 198 or see Mrs. J. C. White. 444tc

WORK MULES.—About 20 head, 3 to 6 years old, 14 1-2 to 17 hands high; native, fat, unblemished, ready to go to work. Terms. See E. C. King 466tc.

DELIVERY SERVICE

We deliver to all parts of the city and will handle your telephone orders. to your entire satisfaction. City Market. 471tc

Call T. E. Lemons for plumbing service. Day phone 3, Night phone 225. 47tfc.

FOR SALE.—New, four-room modern residence on South Wall Street. See Allen McReynolds at Floyd County Lumber Company. 474tc

Big Line of Harness—Brown Bros. 462tc

Challenge and Standard windmills, old and Hyatt roller bearing. Kirk & Son 471tc

For Sale

First class modern cafe. Doing good business—selling because wife and I both work, and have to keep three small children with us, and it is too hard for them.Good terms if sold at once. Write or come. White Rose Cafe Floydada, Texas. Box 545. 454tc

FOR SALE.—Sows, pigs and bundled kaffir and cane. On Will Baird place 14 miles west of Floydada. T. J. Gill. 462tp

We will trade for or buy your used merchandise. Kirk & Sons. 471tc

Have your Abstracts made by
ARTHUR B. DUNCAN
The Old Reliable Abstract Man.
18tfc.

WHITE LEGHORN Pullets.—I have some choice full blood pullets for sale at $1.25 each. Also a few hens and cockerels. Mrs. David S. Battey, Floydada, Texas. 46-2tp

For the best results use Emerson two-row lister planters. Kirk & Sons 471tc

John L. West can sell you from one to six choice building lots in a block west and south of the new school building. 454tp

Oil Heaters, large size $7.00—Brown Bros. 462tc

FARM LANDS for rent.—I have some excellent farming land for rent or lease on good terms. These are Price Bros. lands located in Swisher County, Texas. See or write Meade F. Griffin, Plainview, Texas. 40tfc

Well Supplies. Kirk & Sons 471tc

A REAL BARGAIN in South East Arizona Ranch. For particulars see or write L. B. Turner Box 752 Floydada, Texas. 444tp

Edison Light Bulbs—Brown Bros. 462tc

FOR SALE.—Residence, 4 rooms and bath, good location, garage, close in. See H. W. Roberts, 454tp

WRITE or see Holmes Bros., Rt. 4, Floydada, for Acala or Mebane cotton seed, red oats, or registered red hogs. 464tc.

O'Cedar Mops and Polishes—Brown Bros. 462tc

See FLOYD COUNTY ABSTRACT CO. for City property, improved and unimproved. We represent the owners of more than 300 lots in Floydada. Room 7 First National Bank Building. 28-tfc

See the New Usco Cord Casings for $10.00—Brown Bros. 462tc

NOTICE

We expect to start the incubator about February 7th. Will do custom hatching at regular price of $3 per tray of 100 average eggs. Will also accept eggs on halves from thorobred chickens when we have the room to spare.

We receive eggs and set each Saturday. Also have baby chicks for sale most every Saturday. Most any breed you wish, at 12 1-2 cents each.

You will find our prices much lower than most hatcheries. One early-hatched chick is worth two late ones. Phone 147. Marshall Hatchery 454tc.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE

Effective January 5th D. H. Collins has withdrawn from the firm of Collins Grocery Company of Floydada, but retains his interest in the notes and accounts of said firm made prior to that date. On same date D. H. Collins became sole owner and proprietor of the Joebailey store of the firm, the severance of partnership being effective on above date.

D. H. COLLINS,
473tc Collins Grocery Co.

FOR SALE

Two 160 acre farms $38.00 per acre 1-4 cash, balance 8 per cent interest, on long time. Located about 20 miles S. E. of Floydada, one of them 2 1-2 miles N. E. and the other 2 miles E. of Blanco School. Known as Thomas and Jester places. Each place has about 135 acres in farm, fenced and crossed fenced, good wells and mills, common houses, all good land. Not rented can give possession at once. Write or phone owner, D. B. Watson, Plainview, Texas. Phone 717, Box 668. 472tp

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS:

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County, GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That you summon, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Floyd if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day herpof, John E. Price, John Durst, F. W. Bonner, Mrs. Georgiana Bonner, Wade Bonner, Thos. H. Bonner, Thomas Finty, Jr., T. R. Bonner, J. H. Bonner, Isaac P. Cox, Milicent A. Cox, Levi Cox, Lydia Thomson Cox, Lydia A. Parker and husband John E. Parker, Clara F. McHenry and husband Frank R. McHenry, Anna J. Cox, and husband Levi Cox, Martha Cox, Elwood Cox, Mary Ella Cox, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of each of said parties deceased, all being persons whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Floyd at the Court House thereof, in Floydada, on the 2nd day of March A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 19th day of January, A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1670, wherein Luther Utsman and Eva Penda Morrison and her husband Russell Morrison are plaintiffs, and the above named parties are defendants.

The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit:

Suit in trespass to try title, plaintiffs suing to recover of defendants the following described land and premises;

First Tract; The North Half and the South-west One-fourth of Survey No. 1, in Block H. Abst. 159, Patented to S. C. F. Cobban, a tract of 480 acres of land in Floyd County, Texas.

Second Tract; The North Half of Survey No. 39 in Block K., Cert. 721, Patented to Isaac P. Cox, a tract of 320 acres of land of which the South 44 acres is not in conflict with above described tract.

Plaintiffs plead five and ten year statutes of limitation alleging actual adverse peacable possession for over ten years and deeds duly recorded and payment of taxes for over five years all under claim of ownership in plaintiffs and those under whom they claim title.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same,

Given under my hand and seal of office at office in Floydada, Texas, this the 20th day of January, A. D. 1925.

(SEAL) G. C. TUBBS,
Clerk, District Court, Floyd County, Texas. 474tc

Bright Angel Trail, at the Grand Canyon of the Colorado in Arizona, will be offered for sale at public auction in Flagstaff, Arizona. on October 20. The United States Government will be a bidder, with an offer of $100,000.

The stone houses in which the natives live belong to nobody in particular. If an Eskimo family find an empty one, they simply move into it becomes theirs until they vacate it.

Polygamy is permitted and "marriages" are arranged entirely by parents. When a couple tire of each other they simply take other mates. There is nothing that corresponds to "courtship."

In such circumstances it seems strange that the Eskimos are among the most devoted parents in the world. If a separation occurs the children always goes with the mother. This arrangement, as may be expected leads to interminable complications but, in spite of it all, everyone seems very happy.

WHITE BLUE BERRIES

White strawberries, white currants and white raspberries are not uncommon, but it remains for the town of Whitneyville, Maine, to have the distinction of having white blueberries growing within its limits. This freak of nature occurs on land owned by Newell Albee, who is very careful of his treasure and allows only a very few to be picked.

Despite the belief that lightning never strikes twice in the same place the Effel Tower in Paris has been struck many times without damage.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That you summon, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Floyd if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, O. D. Huggins and Mrs. May Merchant, a feme sole; and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of each of said parties deceased, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Floyd, at the Court House thereof, in Floydada on the 2nd. day of March, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 20th day of January A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1671, wherein First State Bank of Floydada, Texas, is plaintiff and O. D. Huggins and Mrs. May Merchant, a feme sole, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of each of said named parties deceased are defendants.

The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit:

Suit in trespass to try title, plaintiff suing to recover of defendants the following described land and premises;

The S. E. One-fourth of Survey No. 124 in Block No. 1, Cert. No. 50, A. B. & M. Abstract No. 1652, in Floyd County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows; Beginning at the S. E. Corner of said Survey for S. E. Corner this tract; thence North 950 varas; thence West 950 varas to center of said Survey for N. E. Corner this tract; thence South 950 varas to center of South boundary line of said Survey No. 1; thence East 950 varas to place of beginning, being a tract of 160 acres of land.

Plaintiff pleads five year statute of limitation alleging actual adverse peacable possession for over five years and deeds duly recorded and payment of taxes for over five years all under claim of ownership in plaintiff and those under whom they claim title.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1925.

(SEAL) G. C. TUBBS,
Clerk District Court, Floyd County, Texas. 474tc

NOTICE FOR BIDS

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF FLOYD:

Notice is hereby given that on February 9, 1925, the same being the second Monday in said month, the Commissioners' Court of Floyd County, Texas, in compliance with law, will select a depository for the County and public school funds of said County for the next ensuing two years.

Any banking corporation, association or individual banker of said Floyd County, Texas, desiring to bid shall deliver to the County Judge of said County, on or before 10 o'clock, a. m., on February 9, 1925, sealed bids or proposals, stating the rate of interest that said banking corporation, association, or individual banker offers to pay on said funds for the term between the date of said bid and the next regular time for the selection of a depository. All bids shall be accompanied by a certified check for the sum of $1,250.00 as a guarantee of the good faith of the bidder and that, if his bid should be accepted, he will enter into the bond required by law. In the event any bid is accepted and the bidder fails or refuses to enter into the required bond, his check shall go to the County as liquidated damages.

The Commissioners' Court expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids submitted.

Witness my hand and official signature at Floydada, Texas, this 10th day of January, A. D. 1925.

E. C. Nelson Jr.,
County Judge, Floyd County, Texas. 463tc.

...is the result of ...pany's activities in lines generally not associated with the manufacture of automobiles.

The most remarkable feature of this division, however, is that nearly $4,000,000 of the business comes from the sales of by-products reclaimed from waste. What the average large manufacturer considers as waste materials, the Ford Motor Company is not only turning into profits but in so doing is contributing a large measure to the conservation of natural resources.

Production of Ford cars, trucks and tractors has grown so great that the company has gradually taken control of sources of raw materials in order to insure constant production. This has lead to the development of coal and iron mining, logging operations, glass manufacture and similar basic industries, surplus materials from which are dispensed through a new department and find ready sale in the public markets.

Coal brought into the River Rouge plant from the Ford mines goes into the coke ovens, yielding coke, most of which the company uses, and such by-products as gas, henzol and ammonium sulphate, which are sold and bring in more than $1,000,000 annually.

Slag from the furnaces at River Rouge is transformed into Portland cement at a new plant having a capacity of 1,000 barrels a day.

At Iron Mountain, Mich., now the center of the company's body parts industry, the largest wood distillation plant in the world is recovering from the hardwood scrap a number of valuable by-products. These include charcoal, pitch, creosote, ethyl acetate, refined wood alchol, methyl acetone and acetate of lime. A number of these by-products are used by the company, but all in excess of its requirements are sold and will bring an estimated return of more than $2,500,000 annually. Charcoal, principal of these by-products, is made into briquets and as a clean ,hot fuel sells readily for use in dining car and hotel kitchens and in households.

Another source of revenue at Iron Mountain is the sale of surplus lumber

Plate glass is made at the company's three glass plants. Grades not suitable for Ford cars and glass in small sizes, is sold to mirror companies and various other concerns.

At Hamilton, Ohio, there is a 1,200 acre experimental farm adjoining the Ford wheel factory. Farm products and livestock can, therefore be added to the list, along with electric power, which the company also sells.

The sales of surplus factory scrap metal and non-metalic materials reaches enormous proportions. From these items alone the company realizes more than $4,000,000 a year.

Though the by-products department is considered more or less as a side line by the Ford Motor Company, it alone sompares favorably in annual volume of business with many of the country's larger concerns.

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If you suffer from any form of skin diseases such as Itch. Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ring Worm, Old Sores or Sores on Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

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Coughs Always Dangerous—Quick Way to Stop Them

Chronic coughs and chest colds often lead to more serious trouble. Not only is the infection itself dangerous, but the continual coughing spells day and night so weaken your entire system that you can no longer fight off disease.

So stop a cough the quickest you can. To do this there is nothing better than that old-time tried and proved remedy—Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. Doctors say there is nothing like pine-tar extract to quickly loosen and remove the phlegm and congestion which are the direct cause of the cough, while the honey both gives a pleasant taste and helps soothe irritation. The quick relief to the stubbornest cough often seems almost magical.

But be sure you get the genuine Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey, and no substitute. Dr. Bell's is the original pine-tar honey and has been known for over a quarter of a century as the best. It is scientifically compounded of just the right proportions of pine-tar, honey and other quick-acting, healing ingredients which the best doctors have found to aid in quick relief. Contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, so can be given even to young children—fine for spasmodic croup. If you want the best, a medicine that often relieves the severest cough overnight, make sure you get Dr. Bell's. Only 30c at any good druggists.

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About 200 Sections located in Floyd, Motley, Hall and Briscoe Counties, to sell for farms, small ranches, some to lease to farm and graze. Consider these lands among the choicest in North West Texas for cotton, wheat, feed, general farming and grazing, some of these lands already in good state of cultivation and some of the grazing land has living water. Will sell or lease in small or large quantities.

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FLOYDADA, TEXAS

Who Failed and Why

(By Jane Shelly)

"You litt'e sweetheart, mother 'll take 'ou in a moment," said a mother to her baby boy, a big blue-eyed, sweet natured boy. She loved him as any mother loves her own babe. She tried to care for him in the best way she knew how. And now Joe, once the innocent, sweet natured babe, is almost a man and stands in a prison cell condemned to spend, not only the year of his manhood, but also his old age, in a criminal's cell. He stands with a heart not presentable to God for it took that which it could not give and why?

It simply means that somebody failed, and who? Was the failure in the home, in the school or in the church?

Did the mother not know the nature of her boy and how to keep his love? Had she been prepared for the duties of a home maker and made to realize the sacredness and importance of home?

The house Joe lived in had some of the artistic furnishings of a home, yet he had no real home. The mother had failed to create the real home atmosphere. She did not realize that a real home is the greatest institution in a nation. Is not our nation but a great collection of homes? It is in the home that boys and girls should first be taught, real citizenship and character building is the aim of home building or should be. The father should stand by the little home maker of his and uplifting of his community and give to the world happy, healthy and useful men and women. "No community in its midst," But the meaning of all these things Joe's mother and father did not understand.

Some where in life Joe's parents had missed the training so necessary in home making. They, of course, were attached to each other, married and began "housekeeping". The children came when they were not financially able to take care of them properly. By working hard early and late, they managed to "get by" and later to do very well. Yet they never had time to spend an hour in the evening with the children, reading and telling them beautiful stories of love and kindness. Sometimes when Joe would come in from play, full of curiosity and the desire of knowing things and ask for a story, the answer would usually be, "hush! go bring in the wood, I haven't time now." Joe brought in the wood but, there was an extra thud at his little heart as he wondered 'why didn't mother tell me something about the birds or rabbits."

And again when Joe was feeling extra good and full of pep and energy, he wanted something to do, but he didn't know what. Then he had an idea and while he was in the act of mixing salt and pepper together, just to have something to do, mother caught him. With a "come here sir," she marched him out to the peach tree in the corner of the back yard and there Joe lost his pep and energy.

Such was the home life of Joe, when his little heart was carrying something, the best time to tell him good and beautiful stories, he was sent to carry in wood, and why? Because that mother did not know how to minister to the good and beautiful and best in the happiness of her family.

When Joe entered school did he find it any better prepared to teach him to be a real citizen then his home was? Joe was very clever and learned fast. Half the time he had nothing to do. He kept up with his class only ... the time. What must he do ... other half? Sit perfectly still and never wiggle a bit. A thing impossible to do if the child has any pep and energy, and his is not worth three cents a hundred if he does not have. If the teacher could have taught manual training, she could have kept Joe busy making useful things for home. A boy is always ready for a class in the work shop. But the work shop was considered too expensive for the little rural school and Joe invented work for his pastime, and hence, he was paddled, thrashed and flogged until he did not mind it. In fact he became used to the punishment he felt lost if he did not get some kind every day. Finally tired of school and discontent at home he ran off.

Out in the world without proper home and school training, with evil temptations on every side luring Joe on deeper into the ruts of sin, he became more daring until—well the only institution left, "The Law" gave Joe a trial. The home failed; the school failed, and I say the Church failed, for Joe's parents did not take him to church, neither did he care about going and the church did not go to him. But the law, did it fail? No! It gave him a trial and sentenced him to prison for life for taking the life of a companion.

This is only a story and I am only a rural school teacher. I have taught boys and girls who came from homes like Joe's. I wonder what their life will lead to?

When you see a boy or girl who's gone wrong don't turn up your nose and sneer. Ask the question why? If they are from your community ask yourself these questions: "Have I done all I could to help make my home and school real citizen building institutions? Have I stood by my Church? If you failed to do your best, you are partly to blame for that boys or girls sin, and they reap the reward of your neglect.

Let us make our home and schools better and stand by our churches.

GOLD RAILWAY BED

Passengers on a railroad east of Denver are to ride on a roadbed of gold. The right of way for 400 miles will be ballasted with the slag from the gold and silver mines of Colorado Each ton of this slag contains at least $2 worth of gold ore, but the amount is too small for one smelting companies to get out profitably with the machinery now in use.

One in every twelve persons gainfully employed in the United States is in public service.

Locals and Personals

E. W. Sherman, of the Sherman Machine & Iron Works, spent Thursday to Saturday of last week in Floydada, visiting the crew of the company here laying pipe for the city sewerage plant.

T. W. Quirk, of Lamesa, is here this week to succeed F. S. Truitt, resigned, as manager of the Wooldridge Lumber Company.

Mrs. Mary Kirchner left Friday of last week for Los Angeles, Cal., after a visit of a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. A. P. McKinnon.

John Maxwell left the latter part of last week for western Oklahoma, where he will sell for the Oil Kontrol Ring Company.

J. A. Arwine returned home last Thursday after a ten days' visit in Fort Worth.

Miss Lorene Carter visited her mother, Mrs. S. Y. Carter over Saturday and Sunday. She returned to Canyon on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Calvin Steen returned home last Friday after spending ten days in the Lubbock Sanitarium. She was accompanied by Mr. Steen and Mrs. E. S. Randerson.

Bruce Mitchell, of Hale County, visited his brother, C. W. Mitchell here Saturday.

V. L. Teaver made a business trip to Flomot Tuesday.

BORN.—To Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Beckham, of Joebailey, January 19th, a son.

Mrs. F. J. Barkhurst accompanied by her niece, Mrs. Clinton Duncan, left Tuesday for Woodward, Oklahoma, where they will spend a week visiting relatives in that city.

Miss Pauline Conley of Cone visited last Sunday in the C. P. Looper home.

R. D. Looper and Miss Kathleen and Miss Helen Looper of Plainview were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Looper over Saturday and Sunday.

Bonner Baker and Dan Jenkins spent Saturday and Sunday visiting their parents in Floydada. Bonner returned to Canyon Sunday afternoon and Dan returned to school Monday morning.

Miss Addie Lou Green who has been visiting her brother James K. Green and family this past week returned to her home in San Antonio last Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Adams of Forgan, Oklahoma, are visiting Mr. Adams father, S. O. Adams and other relatives in Floydada and vicinity this week.

Easy Way to Break Severest Cough

No matter how long you have had a persistent, weakening cough—no matter how many remedies you have tried without success—you can usually get relief instantly, and often relieve the entire cough condition in 24 hours, by a very simple method. The method is based on a remarkable prescription known as Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs. You simply take one teaspoonful and hold it in your throat for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing it, without following with water. The prescription has a double action. It not only soothes and heals soreness and irritation, but it quickly loosens and removes the phlegm and congestion which are the direct cause of the coughing. The prompt relief seems almost magical, and the quickness with which the whole cough condition disappears is often simply amazing. There is nothing better for coughs, chest colds, bronchitis, bronchialasthma, hoarseness, and almost every throat irritation. Economical, too, as the dose is only one teaspoonful. On sale at all good druggists. Ask for

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At prices to you that will mean a real saving, in fact we believe the prices quoted below, means that you can buy real pure fruit jams and preserves cheaper than you can make them at home.

Paul's Jams, Loganberry, Blackberry and Red Cherry in 16 Oz. jars at only 35c

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Wapco Preserves, Blackberry, Plum, Rasberry Blackberry, Strawberry and Cherry, 2 lb, 12 Oz. jars, at only 90c

Wapco Preserves, Rasberry, Blackberry, Cherry, Strawberry, Peach and Plum, 4 lb, 2 Oz. jars only $1.25

Glen Rosa Preserves, Peach and Apricot, 4 lb jar $1.00

Glen Rosa Preserves, Peach, Apricot and Plum 2 lb jars, only 75c

Collins Grocery Co.

Phone 88 Floydada

Specials for the Week

25 lb sack Pure Cane Sugar	$1.95
6 lb box crackers	.75
2 lb bucket peanut butter	.50
2 boxes Kellogg's Corn Flakes	.25
8 lb bucket compound	1.45

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PUBLIC SALE

At the Clarence Foster place, 8 miles northeast of Floydada, and one and a half miles east of the Center School House.

Beginning promptly at 10 a. m.

Tuesday, Jan. 27th

We will sell the following described property:

5 Head Work Mules

1 Mouse colored horse mule, 15 hands high, 9 years old, weight 1,000 lbs.;

1 Span Black Horses and mare mules, 15 1-2 hands high, 3 years old, weight 2100 lbs.;

1 Span Horse Mules, bay and gray, 16 hands high, Smooth mouth, weight 2400 lbs.

6 Head Work Horses

1 Span Bay Horses, 16 1-2 hands high, smooth mouth, weight 2500 lbs.;

1 Bay Horse, 15 hand high, smooth mouth, weight 1,000 lbs.;

1 Span Roan horses, 15 hands high, 3 and 4 years old, weight 2,000 lbs.

1 Black mare, 16 hands high, 8 years old, weight 1,300 lbs., extra good;

These mules and horses all are good work stuff and in good flesh.

2 Young Mules

1 Black mare mule, 15 hands high, coming 2;

1 Black horse mule colt.

Farming Implements

1 Emerson Lister;
2 P. & O. Listers;
1 Two-row Go-Devil, Oliver (new);
3 one-row P. & O. Go-Devils;
1 one-row John Deere Go-Devil;
1 Wiggle-tail J. I. Case Cultivator;
1 three-section Drag Harrow;
1 John Deere 14-16 Disc Harrow;
1 Right Lap Plow, 6-disc;
1 Hoosier Wheat Drill, 12-hole;
1 Mitchell Wagon, 3 1-4 inch;
1 Wagon, 3 inch;
1 Mogul Wagon, 3 inch;
1 Port Huron Separator, 20-34;
Few Sets Chain Harness, Collars, Bridles, etc.

FREE LUNCH ON GROUND

Terms of Sale: Sums under $20 Cash. On sums $20 and over 9 months time on approved notes bearing 10 per cent interest or 5 per cent discount for cash. All stuff to be settled for before removal from grounds.

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SEE THE NEAREST AUTHORIZED FORD DEALER

SOME TERRACING RESULTS IN FLOYD COUNTY

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than last. Every one who wants terracing done should make an appointment with the agent and he will come and help you. Please do not hesitate to call upon the County Agent for this or any other work.

Care for Home Orchard

A home orchard is an asset to every home. There are many families who do not grow any of the fruit they use and when it comes to buying fruit they simply do not get enough as the price is almost prohibitive. Fruit and vegetables are very necessary for the health. A small orchard in and near the yard where it can be cared for not only adds much to the appearance of the premises but furnishes some necessary acids for the diet. A few well selected trees of different varieties well cared for is about all the fruit trees one needs. As a general rule commercial orchards are not paying in this country.

After selecting trees of the best varieties it is best to prepare the ground before putting them out. Mr. Joe Evers near Pleasant Hill School has one of the nicest young orchards in this country. Mr. Evers plowed the ground with disc, throwing the soil in ridges so that the tree row would be in the low part of the plat. He keeps this ground well worked flat with a harrow, leaving a flat mulch on the surface. After each rain the water collects around the trees which are in the low part. In other words, Mr. Evers terraced this ground, throwing the terraces to the middle of the tree rows. By this means the roots are not exposed to the surface as is often the case and the water after a rain collects around the trees instead of in the middles as usual. On account of most orchards not being irrigated and not properly cultivated and pruned trees in this country die before they are of age to bear very much.

Now is the time to prune trees and grapes and every one who does not know just how to prune them should make a date with the County Agent at once and he will demonstrate how pruning is done. Do not wait too long before pruning because you may let your trees get too old and get out of shape and then you will hesitate to take off the branches which should be removed.

County Agent

MOOT TRIAL "WARMS" NEW LEGION QUARTERS

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able E. C. Nelson Jr. charged by sixteen counts with collusion to defraud the Post out of certain monies in the sum of $25.00. The charge was brought by J. E. Dickey, the ever faithful watch-dog of the American Legion Treasury, who it is alleged has certain characteristics peculiar to the citizenship of ancient Jerusalem. Dickey, the prosecutor was represented by Judge L. G. Mathews, and the defense had the services of the Honorable Ove E. Overson of Floydada. Witnesses against the defense were Roy Snodgrass, John R. Reagan and Frank L. Moore. The defense witnesses were C. M. Thacker, Robert McGuire, and the accused C. H. Davis. J. C. Wester was the court stenographer and brought the house down in convulsions of laughter several times when he was asked to repeat questions and answers given by the various attorneys and witnesses. No one could tell whether Davis was acquitted or convicted and according to the lawyers in each case, every witness who testified seemed more guilty than the accused himself.

So a good time was had by all at the Legion meeting and it is planned at an early date to investigate at Moot Court some of the antics of Finance Officer Dickey during his reign of a few months back.

Warren Pershing, son of John J. Pershing, is attending a school at Rolle, Switzerland, on the shores of Lake Geneva, conducted by a Swiss headmaster. He has been sent abroad to ground him in foriegn languages.

The world's largest Bible, every word of which was written by hand, has just been completed by the Marine Bible Society. The volume, which weighs eighty-eight and one-half pounds, was produced to attract wider attention to the Scriptures. It is the result of the combined efforts of 1,607 persons during the past year.

America has a property loss of $1,400,000 and a record of 40 deaths caused by fire daily.

DELTA CHI THETA GOES ONE HUNDRED PER CENT

Maurice Angston was an orphan. His mother and father had died within a month of each other from pneumonia two years before their son was to have graduated from high school. An Uncle Bill had been appointed administrator and guardian, and he had sent his brother's child through the remaining years of high school. Now "Maurey" was in college "studying to make a writer uf hisself."

It was a morning in late February, and peace reigned in the home of Maurice's only relatives away out in West Texas. Uncle Bill Angston sat in his "comfy" chair with his legs spread far apart so that he almost straddled the heater, which stood in the middle of the room. The grey-headed old man sat with his corn-cob pipe in his mouth, and muttered to himself as he slowly read from a large book, bound in black leather, on which were stamped in gold the words Holy Bible. Uncle Bill glanced over his spectacles at his wife, who was busily engaged in working a wooden dasher up and down in a stone churn

'Milendy", remarked Uncle Bill thoughtfully, "Maury's been in thet universitee,—let's see, this's th' third year, ain't it? And here he is awantin' more money. Why I send him a hundred and fifty ever' month. By grabs, when I wuz a boy I coulda lived a month on a dollar and a half. It's a sight t' see th' way thet boy spends his dad's money. I don't know what he's acomin' to. Ever since he jined thet ther fraternitee club, he's been afallin' down in his work,—and he don't write home s' often nuther."

"Well, maybe his work is harder this year," replied Aunt Milendy as she stooped over and lifted the stone lid in order to pour in some warm water to make the butter "come" quicker.

She had said that Maurice was having to work so hard that he had not had time to write more often. But deep down within her was a feeling that all was not well with that boy at college, whom they had practically reared in their home from a smiling lad to a stalwart young hero. Together they had worshipped "Maurey", and loved him as they would have loved a son of their own—And the boy's letters of late had a strange tone, and his reports were much lower than those of his first two years "down there."

"Milendy," said Uncle Bill as he knocked his pipe against the stove and emptied the tobacco into the ash bucket, "Maurey knows thet I ain't agonna send him thet much money to throw away on sech foolishness. I told him in my last letter thet I refused him th' money. I wonder how th' little critter took it."

The old couple still called their nephew "little Maury, and he would always remain to them "their little man." They had sent him away, and then had gone on with their daily routine of life, ever picturing in their minds that blue-eyed giant with golden hair, who would come back to them when the trees got green again.

On that day in February, when Uncle Bill and Aunt Milendy were speaking of their nephew, a great crisis-battle of a life was being waged far away to the southeast in the city of Austin. That fight was taking place in the body and mind of Maurice Angston, who sat with knitted brows, bending over an open letter and a folded newspaper, which were on his reading table. Maurice was dead to the warmth and comfort within, and dead to the cold and sleet without. He was unconscious of the fire which "crackled" in a big open fire-place on his right. "University receives gift of $50,000,—money placed in vaults of main building for temporary safe keeping." Those were the words in "bold face" type, which stared at Maurice from the front page of the Daily Texan that morning, the twenty-ninth day of February, nineteen hundred and twenty-four. Slowly the full meaning of that statement there before him began to impress itself upon his mind. Fifty thousand dollars!—And in his uncle's letter were the torturing words—"That's final!" If it were only possible. No! He must not think of that. So with a movement of finality and dismissal, Maurice threw the paper and letter into the waste basket. Then grabbing up his notebooks as he went toward the door, he rushed out of his room, and made his way dumbly toward T Hall. He walked rapidly, as if the quick movements of his limbs would appease the demon that was tearing at his brain.

Similar to the boy in the story books, Maurice had come to college and gradually had become a member of the "smart" set. He had pledged Delta Chi Theata fraternity and had become an active member. He had been keeping pace with his friends, and he had been losing heavily in poker games. He, with some of his "pals", had been caught with liquor in their possession, and a week in jail with a heavy fine had resulted. Slowly, very slowly had Maurice been going down, but he had been fighting gamely against himself. He told himself that he would stop the "wild life" soon. And he had gone on and on, and cursed and prayed, but his attempts to "reform" had all been in vain. Now the great test had come.

All through that bleak February day Maurice had suffered. He was dragged through an eternity of torturing thoughts. Could he do it? Would he do it? What would his dear aunt and uncle think of him if they should know? But had not every brother of his "frat" pledged a thousand dollars to the stadium fund, and was he to be the one who was to keep Delta Chi from going one hundred per cent? He had to keep up appearances. He must do it!

That thought, which had suggested itself to him in the early morning, and which he had tried to expel from his mind, came back a hundred times to torment him during that terrible day. Poor boy! Torn between loyalty to his fraternity and the upholding of his honor, Maurice was almost driven insane by the maddening tempation before him,—made all the harder to resist because of his own pride. He had received his every wish in his early boyhood when his father and mother were living. Since he began his college days, he had always been ready to pay his share of everything. Now—now, his uncle had refused him, and in the letter had said, "Your pa's will does not allow me to send you so much money fer sech a cause." And again Maurice saw before him the words, "—and that's final!" He winced when he entered his room in the late afternoon and saw those glaring headlines staring at him like monsters from the waste basket.

Night had come on, and with the increase of darkness, the evil spirit in Maurice's soul began to chide him again. Was he a coward? Was he going to disgrace himself and his fraternity by falling down on his part of the greatest thing that old Texas U. had ever tried to put over? He could stand the torment no longer and Maurice had yielded. With his face distorted with fear, determination, and disgust he had gone feverishly to work. When the clock struck twelve, he was prepared. A stick of dynamite had been obtained from the Chemistry laboratory, and with it a time fuse. A friend of his in the chemistry department had told him a year before how the "safe-crackers" "planted" a safe,—and now Maurice was on his way to a victory if he succeeded, and eternal disgrace if he failed.

The Saturday night "gym" dance had been over hours ago, and the last couple had long since departed from the benches on the campus. Just as the hour hand of the clocks pointed to two o'clock, a muffled roar broke the stillness of the early morning,—but no one had heard, and all was quiet again. A lone figure had hurried out of the basement of the main building to a waiting car on Speedway street, and then had vanished into the darkness.

Just a few hours later the little "newsies" were running up and down the streets of Austin crying, "Extra! All about the big robbery." Those newspapers told how the big vault at the University had been blown open, and rifled of its contents of over fifty-thousand dollars. A burned handkerchief, stamped with the initials M. A. had been found by the police, and word had "leaked out" from headquarters that the thief was known and would be arrested within a very short time.

That eventful night, when Maurice had started to enter the lower hall of the main building, a weird, whispering wail had come to him out of the darkness, and a phantom voice, husky and unearthly had said, "Turn ye back! Yea, pause with me lest thou be lost." And as Maurice had stood there listening to the howling of the cold north wind and to the dry rattle of the falling sleet,—as he stood there, his mind trying desperately to turn his body back,—a muffled roar came from within the building, and he had turned and fled in terror to his room.

On the afternoon following the night of the big robbery, Maurice sat in his room before his reading table on which lay an unfolded newspaper and an open telegram. The paper carried the complete story of the capture of Michael Adams, one of the most daring lone-handed bandits of south Texas. The thief had been under the surveillance of the police at the time he had broken into the University safe, and he had confessed soon after his capture in Georgetown. Maurice glanced down and read for the fifteenth time the following words of the telegram before him: "Thought we'd surprise you, so we gave you the money ourselves." It was signed Uncle Bill and Aunt Milendy." And as he sat there, all the horror of the previous night passed in review through his mind. He laid the telegram gently on the table, and turning his face toward the heavens, he said in a slow, quiet voice, "Dear Mother and dad, I'm going to be the kind of a man you'd want me to be." And as his head slowly bowed upon his breast, a triumphant boom of a cannon announced the close of the great stadium drive on the campus of the University of Texas.

PARADICHLOROBENZENE USEFUL AS CLOTHES MOTH REPELLENT

A new protection against clothes moths has been found by the Bureau of Entomology of the United States Department of Agriculture in the form of paradichlorbenzene, the chemical used in large quantities in the peach-growing districts in the control of the peach borer. It has been established beyond question that naphthalene and paradichlorobenzene are among the most dependable substances that can be used in tight containers for protection against all stages of the clothes moth.

Red-cedar chests can be depended up on when only very young clothes-moth larve are present at the time the fabric is placed in the chest. When properly prepared according to recommendations of the department, as frequently issued in bulletin and other printed form, clothing can be safeguarded in red-cedar chests. Chests of Eucalyptus and closets lined with red-cedar wood and in consta... of no value as protectors against ... ric pests. The best protection consists in putting clothes away absolutely clean and without eggs or larve on them, in tightly sealed containers, which may or may not be impregated with such repellents as oil of red cedar and camphor. These two oils have a decided value for this purpose, but oil of Eucalyptus and oil of pine are of little or no value. Naphthalene flakes or balls, or paradichlorobenze, as indicated above, provide additional safety when packed with fabrics or furs in tight containers.

TAXATION TAKES PROPERTY

That any state should confiscate all farm lands and make tenants of the occupants would seem unbelievable. But the process is under way, and at the present rate of progress will be accomplished within the lifetime of the present generation.

Dr. R. T. Ely of the University of Wisconsin, shows by official tax records of states, and also figures compiled by the bureau of economics of the Department of Agriculture that the states will soon absorb by taxes all the incomes of farm lands.

It is a principle of law that to take the income from property is practically the same as to take the property itself.

In Ohio farm lands between 1880 and 1920 increased in value from $45.97 to $113.17 an acre, while taxes from 1913-1921 increased 177 per cent. In Kansas values increased from $10.98 in 1880 to $62.50 in 1920, and taxes 271 per cent from 1913 to 1921.

Since 1920, land values have decreased at an average of 20 per cent. Taxes, on the other hand, have shown the opposite tendency. A statistical chart of taxes and farm income would show the line of taxes as steadily curving upward the past eight years, and now near to the line of farm income. When it crosses that line the work of confiscation is complete.

"The power to tax is the power to destroy."

Even though retired, John J. Pershing remains "General of the Armies" He leaves the active list without curtailment of the pay he last drew and in case of an emergency the general could be and no doubt would be, immediately called up for active service, thereby automatically resuming his rank as general of the armies.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Thurston made a business trip to their farm near Mt. Blanco Saturday.

The new house being erected for Grady Parker just northwest of the new high school is near completion.

O. R. Gordon and C. H. Davis left yesterday morning for Winters on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McSpadden returned from an extended visit to Altus, Oklahoma, Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. P. W. Cloud is entertaining her mother, Mrs. A. N. Finklea, of Amarillo, this week.

FORD SALES

Car sales announced by Barker Brothers, Ford Agents, between January 1 to 21 inclusive are as follows:

Touring cars: J. R. Maddox, W. E. Brown, L. E. McCravey, J. F. Holland, Commissioners' Court, J. L. Copprell, John Buchanan, J. V. Flippin and H. O. Pope; Coupes: C. C. Andrews, H. M. Stanley, Stanley Johnston, Fletcher Curry, John W. Maxwell, Ed N. Sparks, Herbert Sparks and Joe E. Pitts; Tudor Sedan, J. F. Duncan, Jr.; Truck, J. D. Hawthorne; Tractor, C. R. Sikes.

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