

Dairying Industry Is Growing

Good Weekly Revenue With Small Investment is Experience to Date.

The dairying industry has proven profitable in Floyd county. Beginning in a small way some five years ago weekly receipts realized by the farmers each week now reach the \$300 mark, from the cream markets, not counting the by-product, skim-milk, which is recognized as of much value in feeding to hogs.

In this way upward of twenty farmers in this section of the county are making a living revenue from their cream sales each week. The investment is a cream separator and from three to six dairy cows. In this way these farmers are paying for the things they eat and wear and use as they go. Their expectations to pay do not depend on a good cotton crop and a long price for the fleecy staple. Cotton is a good crop to plant in Floyd County. It averages up well with central Texas in this line. But these sellers of cream) like the livestock farmer) do not depend on it solely for their yearly revenue. They have a weekly revenue coming in February and March the same as in the fall.

Counting the facts, that the investment is small, that feed and forage crops are always certain in this county, that the revenue does not depend on a turn of the wheel of fortune, the dairying business is destined to continue to grow in Floyd County. It means cash to the farmer who is unable to go into the hog and livestock industry on an adequate scale.

Birth Report.

Born.—To Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Price, of Lakeview, Tuesday May 26, a daughter.

Born.—To Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Duncan, Tuesday, May 26th, a son.

Born.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murray, Tuesday, May 26th, a son.

Mutual Girl Every Wednesday. McandY. tf.

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on all banks, and will grant you every accommodation consistent with good and sound banking. Our ability to serve you cannot be excelled.

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Floydada, Texas

Carnation Club Notes.

Mrs. Dawson was hostess to the Club at its regular meeting May 24, from three to six in the afternoon.

After a short business session the afternoon was spent at Rook, Mrs. Donaldson winning high score. Delicious punch was served during the games and at the close of the games the hostess assisted by Mrs. Hughes served a delightful luncheon, consisting of Angel food cake, brick ice cream and kisses in the club colors, pink and white.

The following guests were present:

Mesdames Donaldson, McKinnon, Starks, Johnson, Reagan, Green, Cannaday, Burrus, Smith, Boerner, Butler, Farris, Hughes, Jenkins.

Visitors: Mesdames Stallings, Cox; Cope, Golden, Henry, Ivey, Huskey, and Miss Mary McKinnon.

T. M. Bartley for Commissioner

Former Floyd County man Seeks State Land Commissioner's Job.

Thomas M. Bartley of Lynn County, whose campaign headquarters are at Austin, has issued his platform on which he will make the race for Commissioner of the General Land Office of the State of Texas.

Mr. Bartley is a brother of John B. Bartley of Floydada, and lived at Floydada for a number of years. He is well-known in this county, and the platform on which he is basing his candidacy will doubtless prove of more than passing interest to our readers.

BARTLEY'S PLATFORM

1. The State should go out of the real estate business at the earliest possible date consistent with sound business methods.

2. The law authorizing School Lands sold to the highest bidder should be repealed.

1. If bid in for less than its actual worth, the School Fund loses the difference between the selling price and the actual value.

2. If sold for more than its worth, the bidder forfeits it; the School Fund loses the interest; the bidder loses the first payment, and the country loses a citizen; which retards its growth and development.

3. It separates still further the landless man the manless land, as the poor man has but little, if any, chance of obtaining a home when compelled to bid against the rich man for it.

4. There is no logical reason why the State should not use a little practical business judgment in disposing of the School Fund instead of guessing it off.

3. The law authorizing school land sold to actual settlers should be amended so as to require the first instalment of interest to be come due and payable on the first day of November, next after the three years occupancy has been completed.

1. The first few years in an unsettled and undeveloped country, without marketing facilities, schools or churches are attended with hardships and expenditures which none but the frontiersman really knows.

2. It will make it easier for the purchaser to comply with the law requiring him to improve the land.

3. It will prevent many forfeitures.

4. The state should extend every opportunity, consistent with good business and sound

To be a Railroad Fight?

Q. A. & P. to Extend.

A QuanaH dispatch to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat dated the 15th of May, carries the following:

It is announced here that the construction of an extension of the QuanaH, Acme & Pacific Railroad from Roaring Springs west to Roswell, N. M., about 290 miles, will be started as soon as the contract can be let and the necessary material assembled. At a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the company held in St. Louis it was decided to construct this extension. It is stated that the financial end of the project is already arranged. St. Louis capital is behind this enterprise. The survey for the extension was made some time ago. The route is through a part of Western Texas and Eastern New Mexico that is undergoing rapid agricultural development, and a large local tonnage of freight is assured from the time the road is opened. The Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe is preparing to invade the same territory that is to be occupied by the QuanaH, Acme and Pacific's and there promises to be rivalries to which road is first in carrying out its plans. Sam Lazarus of St. Louis is president of the QuanaH, Acme and Pacific.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

That Slatonto Ft. Worth Rumor.

The New York Evening Post in a recent issue carried a new item that may have some bearing on the present outlook for railroad construction in West Texas, particularly on the matter of the extension of the Santa Fe to a point east of Floydada to connect with the system's lines at Fort Worth. The Post says:

According to trustworthy information received here, Atchison is preparing to renew its campaign of railroad construction in western Texas. It is stated that the most important of its proposed new lines is one which will run between Slaton and Fort Worth, a distance of about 225 miles. Besides giving the Santa Fe a new and direct connection between its intermountain and western Texas divisions, and its Gulf division in northern Texas, the proposed line will traverse a territory that is now badly in need of railroad transportation facilities.

Atchison began the work of gridironing western Texas with new lines of railway a few years ago. Its system now occupies a big scope of territory that was formerly far removed from any railroad and which is now undergoing rapid agricultural development. Scores of new towns have sprung up along the different lines of road, and a good and constantly increasing local traffic upon the different divisions is being carried on.

It is reported here that the line which the Santa Fe is to construct between Slaton and Fort Worth will be a part of a through route that is to be established between California and New Orleans.

policy, to the poor man who wants to earn and own a home.

4. The constitution wisely forbids the Legislature granting relief to School Land purchasers; hence, the law relating to forfeitures should be so amended as to make less hazardous the risk of the poor man losing his home from calamity or misfortune.

5. The Depository law should be so amended as require interest from School Land-sales deposited in the county depositories where the land is situated and paid out in proportionate instalments as used.

This will prevent withdrawing all actual cash from these counties at one time, making interest payments easier and prevent many forfeitures.

That old established Democratic doctrine of Rotation in office has been proven to be both wise and wholesome and should be maintained.

Shipping North.

R. A. Haley of Matador, shipped two cars of yearling steers Monday out of Floydada to a point near Texline, where he will summer-pasture them.

Ross Cope delivered two cars of two-year-old heifers to J. H. Zurick, of Clarendon, on the same day and these were shipped by Mr. Zurick to the same destination.

Crosbyton's Annual Celebration.

Crosbyton is to have their annual celebration again this year on the anniversary date of the founding of the city, June 8th and 9th.

The committees report that

plans for an excellent entertainment are being made.

Want Auto Road to Springs.

H. R. Black, manager of the Roaring Springs Townsite Co., was in Floydada Tuesday in the interest of the proposed auto road from Roaring Springs to Floydada, which would greatly expedite travel between the two cities. Upon petition to the post office department at Washington for a mail line between the two towns, the authorities have advertised for bids for daily mail service and the conditions of this road will have somewhat to do with the decision of the department in allowing the service petitioned for.

Re-surveying Syndicate Lands.

R. S. Hunnicut and R. S. Dodd, state surveyors, left Amarillo this week for Texline from which place they will go to the northwest corner of the state to begin the re-survey of the Capitol Syndicate lands. They have a large force of assistants and the actual work of making the re-survey will begin this week.

The last legislature made an appropriation of \$10,000 to cover the expense of the survey.

The claim is made that the Syndicate received more land than the contract for the erection of the state capitol called for.

Mrs. Jno. W. Smith and sister, Miss Edith Edwards, are spending the week-end in Plainview guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Edwards.

Public Library Notice.

The public library at the school building will be open for receiving and exchanging books on Saturday afternoons from 2 to 4 o'clock. Books may be kept for two weeks for the nominal charge of 5 cents.

Transfer of Scholastics.

Parents of other districts who intend to send their children to the school at Floydada should transfer them here. The school authorities state they will appreciate it very much if parents will see to the transfer at an early date.

New Grain Elevator

L. A. Marshall is making the excavations for a new grain elevator which he is preparing to erect at his mill and storage house on the industrial switch.

For this year Mr. Marshall states that the elevator will be of about 4 carload capacity, though he plans to increase the size within the next year.

The elevator will have all accommodations for their customers including wagon dump and will be of concrete construction. A large grain and feed shipping business is anticipated for this fall.

Mothers' Club Notes.

Program for meeting to be held Friday afternoon, June 5th, at the Pavilion, at 4 o'clock:

1st: Roll call, each member answering with current event.

2nd: Reading—Mrs. J. M. Massie.

3rd: "My Boy"—article to be read by Mrs. E. C. Nelson, and lead in the discussion of the subject.

4th: Business session. A full attendance is desired. Please let each member be present.

Program Committee: Mrs. A. P. McKinnon, Mrs. J. B. Jenkins.

Try The Hesperian a year.

Terrific Rain Does Damage

Probably Four Inches in Parts of Floyd County Fell Sunday Afternoon.

A terrific rain did some damage in portions of Floyd County last Sunday afternoon and evening. Northwest of Floydada a few miles the estimated rain is four inches or more, falling in a period of three hours. Some hail accompanied the rain in parts of the county.

At Floydada only a light rain fell, the rain gauge recording three fourths of an inch. Many local showers have also visited sections of the county since last mid-week and some fields are not dry enough for cultivation until the end of this week. The damage done was to small row crops. Some farmers will have to replant.

Much planting is yet to be done. This is especially true in regard to forage feeds.

The weather report is for fair weather and if the weatherman's prognostications are true the farmers all over the county will soon be in their fields. Some portions are dry enough for field work at this writing.

Ball Game Saturday.

Floydada and Estacado ball teams are to play a game on the Floydada diamond Saturday of this week. As Estacado is reported to have a good team, and the home bunch have been beaten only once in the season a good game is expected.

Campbell School Bonds Carry.

Campbell School District is to have a new frame school building to cost not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars, to be built from funds secured by the sale of school district bonds.

The voters of that community held an election Saturday, the 16th, and the bonds carried by a vote of 12 to 3.

S. C. White Leghorn eggs \$1 per 15. W. S. Goen. 4tc.

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Abolish Guaranty Legend and serial Number on Food and Drugs.

The legend "Guaranteed Under the Food and Drugs Act" is held to be misleading and deceptive, and the use of a serial number on food and drugs is prohibited after May 1, 1915, by a food inspection decision signed May 5 by the Secretaries of the Treasury, Agriculture, and Commerce. The taking effect of the new regulation is postponed until May 1, 1915, in order to give manufacturers an opportunity to use up their present stocks of labels.

After May 1, 1915, guaranties of compliance with the law should be given by manufacturers directly to dealers and should be incorporated in the invoice or bill of sale specifying the goods covered. This guaranty should not appear on the label or package of the product.

REASONS FOR ACTION.

The reasons for the action of the three Secretaries, as given in the decision, are as follows:

(a) It having been determined that the legends "Guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Act, June 30, 1906," and "Guaranteed by (name of guarantor) under the Food and Drugs Act, June 30, 1906," borne on the labels or packages of food and drugs, accompanied by serial numbers given by the Secretary of Agriculture, are each mis-

leading and deceptive, in that the public is induced by such legends and serial numbers to believe that the articles to which they relate have been examined and approved by the Government, and that the Government guarantees that they comply with the law, the use of either legend, or any similar legend, on labels or packages should be discontinued.

Inasmuch as the acceptance by the Secretary of Agriculture for filing of the guaranties of manufacturers and dealers and the giving by him of serial numbers thereto contribute to the deceptive character of legends on labels and packages, no guaranty in any form shall hereafter be filed with and no serial number shall hereafter be given to any guaranty by the Secretary of Agriculture. All guaranties now on file with the Secretary of Agriculture shall be stricken from the files, and the serial numbers assigned to such guaranties shall be canceled.

Many reputable manufacturers have used the legend and serial number in good faith solely as a convenient way of notifying a dealer that they assumed full legal responsibility for their goods. Other manufacturers have employed this legend in such way as to lead the public to

believe that their product had been passed upon and certified by the Department of Agriculture. The widespread deception of the public resulting necessitated abolishing the department's practice of accepting guaranties for filing and issuing serial numbers.

The Food and Drugs Act does not prescribe any guaranty legend or serial number, nor has any manufacturer ever been required to file a guaranty or to use a serial number or the legend. The appearance of the serial number and the guaranty legend on the products, moreover, has been of no material assistance to the Government in detecting or prosecuting violations of the Food and Drugs Act, nor has it promoted the manufacture and sale of pure foods or drugs. The presence of the number and legend on an adulterated or misbranded product does not enable Federal officers to secure any heavier penalty for violations than if the goods were not so labeled, although in many such cases it made deception of the public more certain.

The only mention of a guaranty in the Food and Drugs Act is section 9, which provides that where a dealer can show a guaranty from the maker of goods that they comply with the law, the manufacturer, and not the dealer, shall be amenable to prosecution.

HISTORY OF THE GUARANTY LEGEND.

The manufacturers believed it to be commercially inconvenient to give a separate guaranty as part of the bill of sale or invoice to every dealer with every interstate shipment of their goods, and soon after the passage of the act of 1906 asked the committee appointed by the three Secretaries to draft regulations to allow them to file a blanket guaranty to dealers at Washington under which the makers of goods would assume full legal responsibility for all goods manufactured by them and shipped into interstate commerce. This guaranty was not in any sense to be a guaranty to or by the Government, but was merely to be a guaranty protecting the dealer from prosecution in accordance with section 9 of the Food and Drugs Act. This permission was granted, and the department assigned a serial number to each of the guaranties so filed. The manufacturer was then allowed to use this serial number on this label in connection with the legend, "Guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Act, June 30, 1906." There was no requirement, however, that any manufacturer should file such a guaranty.

A large proportion of the public took these words to mean that the Government in some way guaranteed the article. In an endeavor to make it clear that the guaranty was not the guaranty of the Government, the legend was amended December 8, 1908, to read "Guaranteed by (name of guarantor) under the Food and Drugs Act, June 30, 1906." The public, however, persisted in taking these words, even after the amended form was employed, to mean that the Federal Government had actually analyzed and found the product so labeled to be pure and wholesome and of standard quality. This misinterpretation on the part of the public was, in some cases, encouraged by manufacturers, and there is no question that the serial number and legend were used in some instances to increase the sale of highly undesirable foods and drugs for interstate shipment for which the manufacturers were later prosecuted and fined.

ONLY INDIVIDUAL GUARANTIES TO BE PERMITTED.

The only guaranty approved by the new regulation for use after May 1, 1915, is the individual guaranty identifying the goods sold by the manufacturer

to the dealer. This guaranty, can be incorporated in the invoice or bill of sale specifying the goods covered by use of a form, stamped, or printed in the document, and signed by the manufacturer. When the goods are properly described in the document, they can be referred to in the guaranty, without repetition of the detailed description contained in the invoice or bill of sale. This guaranty should not appear on the label or package of the product. In the meanwhile the public is notified that the presence of a serial number and the words "Guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Act" on packages merely means a guaranty to the dealer that the manufacturer is legally responsible for his goods, and in no sense implies that the Federal authority has investigated or approved the quality of the goods so labeled.

The remainder of the regulation which deals with the method of using the guaranty is as follows:

(b) The use on any label or package of any food or drug of any serial number required to be cancelled by paragraph [a] of this regulation is prohibited.

(c) Any Wholesaler, manufacturer, jobber, or other party residing in the United States may furnish to any dealer to whom he sells any article of food or drug a guaranty that such article is not adulterated or misbranded within the meaning of the Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, as amended.

(d) Each guaranty to afford protection shall be signed by, and shall contain the name and address of the wholesaler, manufacturer, jobber, dealer or other party residing in the United States making the sale of the article or articles covered by it to the dealer, and shall be to the effect that such article or articles are not adulterated or misbranded within the meaning of the Federal Food and Drugs Act.

(e) Each guaranty in respect to any article or articles should be incorporated in or attached to the bill of sale, invoice, bill of lading, or other schedule, giving the names and quantities of the article or articles sold, and should not appear on the labels or packages.

(f) No dealer in food or drug products will be liable to prosecution if he can establish that the articles were sold under a guaranty given in compliance with this regulation.

The Inspector's Disguise.

Some days ago, about five o'clock in the afternoon the principal police inspector of the Second district was called to an affair as delicate as it was urgent.

He quickly made up his disguise. For his bourgeois melon hat, he substituted a cap, the classic cap of the Apache. He then jumped into an auto.

He was not recognizable, or rather he would not have been if the honorable inspector had not retained upon his breast the red ribbon of the legion of honor, a ribbon that he had heroically won at Shotsy-le-Roi, under tragic circumstances that no one has forgotten.

And the malefactors in the midst of whom this disguised officer insinuated himself could not refrain from laughing and are laughing yet at this man clothed like one of them and decorated with the legion of honor!--Le Cri de Paris.

Evil of Gossip.

Every man and woman will be entitled to think better of themselves and will have a stronger claim to the regard of others, if they cease to be on the lookout for something to find fault with, to treasure up and repeat and magnify every scandal, little and big, and to retail and spread every small item of tea table gossip, which carries with it ridicule or censure for some one. Suppose all that were dropped, and really it is unworthy of intelligent, well meaning people, and the habit formed of only speaking well of others. Would it, after all, be as stupid as some seem to think?--Cincinnati Enquirer.

Gentlemanly Pig.

The pigs that are reared in the neighborhood of Harvard may be gentlemanly and highly cultured but in this section of the country they are very careless about themselves.--Philadelphia Inquirer.

C. C. McMillan returned last Friday from a two-weeks business trip to Oklahoma.

GOOD BUSINESS

A good business. That's what I've enjoyed from the people of Floydada and surrounding territory since entering the grocery business. I thank you for it.

I believe I can make it good business for you to keep up the good record started.

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"So do I."

"Now, take Jack Jones, for example--he's the biggest hypocrite on earth."

"But you appear to be his best friend."

"Oh, yes, I try to appear friendly toward him. It pays better in the long run."

If you have Dunagan repair your watch it will keep time. Itc

N. W. McCleskey rode Thompson's 2:30 special to Plainview Monday returning on the 8:25 limited, the same evening.

Mrs. T. B. Triplett left Tuesday for Chico for a three weeks visit with the family of W. F. Triplett.

Mayor W. T. Montgomery returned from a business trip to Austin, last Saturday, after a week spent in the Capital city.

A MODEL SCHOOL CAMPUS. An East Texas County's Contribution to Educational Progress.

Away down in the piny woods of East Texas, there is perhaps the most picturesque school campus in all the big State of Texas. This campus, located in the heart of the old and progressive little city of Nacogdoches, is both beautiful and interesting.

In 1845, the last year of the Republic of Texas, this property, now a model public school ground, was ceded by the City of Nacogdoches to the University of Nacogdoches, an institution chartered by an act of the Ninth Texas Congress. Although it was not to be a State school, Congress gave encouragement to this pioneer educational enterprise by donating four leagues of land, which gift was supplemented by land donations from such men as Thomas J. Rusk, Sam Houston and Hayden Edwards. But the patriotic dream of establishing a permanent university was not realized; and the brick building

erected for the university was used from the close of the Civil War as the temporary home of the public school. This house, still in a perfect state of preservation, now stands just behind the new and magnificent public school building.

Another historic landmark is the old Stone Fort, built according to the best information in 1770, which was moved several years ago from the business section of Nacogdoches and rebuilt on the northwest corner of the campus, where it is used as a public library.

About nine years ago this fifteen-acre campus was deeded to the public schools, and in the center of the block a forty thousand dollar high school building was erected near a magnificent cluster of pine and sweetgum trees. The yards were leveled, cement walks were built, and provision was made for tennis, basket ball, baseball, and similar games. And now as an ideal playground, as an example of civic pride, the large and beautiful school campus of the Nacogdoches Public School is the most unique model to be found anywhere in Texas.

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Inter-Ocean Cor. Says Great Country.

T. S. Williams, of Santa Fe, New Mexico, passed through Floydada Friday of last week, enroute to Wichita Falls, his mission being to secure first hand facts for his paper The Chicago Inter-Ocean concerning the country between the two cities.

He was impressed with the prosperous appearance of the homes in Floyd County as well as flattering prospects for crops and live stock interests.

Mr. Williams found muddy roads from the time they came upon the plains sixty five miles east of Roswell. The writer had the pleasure of going as far east with him as Matador and Mr. Williams left that place just following a heavy rain. Swollen streams and washouts reported all along the course he had mapped out probably prevented him making the schedule which he planned.

SAW MUCH OF OLD MEXICO.

Before his trip east from Santa Fe, Mr. Williams had just returned from a trip 1200 miles into the interior of Old Mexico. While he saw business conditions demoralized and met bands of men who were presumably bandits Mr. Williams was unharmed either by word or deed during the whole trip. He visited Tepic, a city of 25,000 inhabitants, the same city which Friday's dispatches said had fallen into the hands of the rebels. In most of the towns he visited good newspaper plants had been abandoned and their owners had disappeared. Having been on the losing side they were hiding until "times got better."

The most highly educated people may be found in all parts of that country, he says, and the most ignorant. In one town on the interior he had a talk with a graduate of Princeton College, —one of President Wilson's students. At the same place he talked with people who had never before seen an auto. Wooden wheeled wagons and carts drawn by oxen are still the modes of travel in many of the states of that nation.

"DOES IT TAKE NERVE"?

Answering the question "Doesn't it take nerve to make a trip like that?" Mr. Williams smiled rather modestly for a newspaperman, and opined that possibly it did take a little nerve to travel 1200 miles alone inland into Old Mexico, but he added quickly that a trip to Wichita Falls (by way of Floydada of course) from Santa Fe, New Mexico, requires no nerve, save that to stand the hardships of road travel. "It's rather difficult for this fact to trickle into the minds of some of our Eastern friends, but in West Texas and New Mexico where 'a man's a man' regardless of his hotel and the crease in his trousers, is the safest place in the world, and," he added, "I guess about as high a class of citizenship as you'll find anywhere."

To Get on the Democratic Primary Ticket.

Candidates for county and precinct offices are reminded that to get their name on the Democratic primary ticket their applications must be filed with the county chairman, Judge J. N. Stalbird, of Lockney, not later than Saturday before the third Monday in June. The portion of the Terrell Election Law covering this requirement reads as follows:

"Candidates for county and precinct office, must file with the county chairman, not later than Saturday before the third Monday in June, a written request that his or her name be printed on the official ballot, giving occupation and postoffice address.

"The application must be signed and acknowledged before some officer authorized to take acknowledgments to deeds."

This Is Duncan's List Of CASH SPECIALS

Pure Bee Honey in the barrel, per lb,	10c
4-1 lb. pkgs. Golden Gate Soda,	25c
7-5c pkgs. Quaker Corn Flakes,	25c
4-10c pkgs. Mapl-Corn Flakes,	25c
3-10c pkgs. Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flake	25c
3-10c pkgs. George Washington Crisps.	25c
Wild Rose Syrup, 10 lb. pail,	40c
Blue Ribbon Syrup, 10 lb. pail,	40c
Fverybody's Cane Syrup, 10 lb. pail.	55c
Raven syrup, cane flavor, 10 lb pail	50c
Green Velva syrup, 10 lb. pail	55c
Red Rover Corn, No. 2 can, 3 for	25c
Ben Hur Tomatoes, No. 2 cans 3 for	25c
Concho Red Salmon, No. 2 cans per can	15c
Polk's Best Pork & Beans, No. 2 cans 4 for	25c
Wapco Early June Peas, No. 2 cans 3 for	25c
Health Club Baking Powders 25 oz. can, 2 for.	35c
Jack Frost Baking powders, 25c size per can	20c
Gold Band Laundry soap, 7 bars for	25c
Lenox Laundry Soap, 8 bars for	25c
Borax Washing Compound, 7 boxes for	25c
Swift's Pride Cleanser, 5 cans for	25c
Red Top, Schumac & Black Top Amber Cane seed per bu.	\$1.50
Kaffir Corn seed Maize seed Feterita seed Millet seed.	
Good Black Plug Tobacco per lb.	.35
Boone's Natural Leaf Tobacco, per lb.	.35
Eagle Brand Tomato Catsup, per gal.	.40
Latania Coffee, 3 lb can	.95
Alhambra Coffee, 3 lb can	.95
3 lbs Good Mixed Candy	.25
Quart jar spiced or Sour pickles	.20
Puffed Rice, per pkg, 15c, 2 for	.25
Bananas, per stalk, of 8 to 12 dozen	\$1.25

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There can only be two real reasons for putting off buying a De Laval; either you do not really appreciate how great your loss in dollars and cents actually is or else you do not believe the De Laval Cream Separator will make the savings claimed for it.

In either case there is one conclusive answer: "Let us set up a machine for you on your place and SEE FOR YOURSELF what the De Laval will do."

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The following form should fulfill the requirements of the law: To the Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Democratic party of Floyd county, Texas:

I hereby request that my name be placed upon the official ballot for the primary election to be held on the 25th day of July, 1914, as a candidate for the office of _____
My occupation is _____
My postoffice is _____

State of Texas, County of Floyd
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known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that _____ executed the same for the purposes therein stated.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this _____ day of _____ 1914

Candidates who do not comply with this requirement of the law will not have their names printed on the official primary ballot.

Learn Stock Feeding in Congress Contest.

The date of entering the livestock section of the Texas Industrial Congress better farming contest closes June 5. Prizes aggregating \$1600 will be awarded for the best steers, baby beefs, and hogs shown at the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth in October, the animals to be judged there in connection with the cost of feeding. The feeding period lasts 120 days, long enough to get a very valuable and useful experience in meat production and make a good net profit on the animal or animals entered in the contest, and by faithful study and work there is an opportunity to win cash prizes up to \$200.

There is no charge connected with entering the contest in any way, and the only person who makes any money by so doing is the contestant. There must be a great increasing production of livestock on the Texas farms in the future, and the man, woman, boy or girl who neglects an opportunity to learn how to put the most meat on livestock at the least expense, and in so doing loses the chance to earn prize money for the learning by experience how best to do it is merely standing in his or her own way. Parents can do no better thing for their children than to give them calves or pigs and help them by study and advice to produce the best animal at the least cost.

Many of the young stockfeeders in this contest will become the meat producers of the next generation, and they are going to do this simply because they will be interested in this work through the Industrial Congress contest. The more people interested the better for themselves and the locality they live in, and every man is doing the boy or girl and his town also, a favor who interests him or her in the livestock contest. Applications to enter the contest should be sent to the Congress at Dallas, before June 5.

Still time to Enter Industrial Congress Contest.

On account of the recent heavy rains all over the State, and the consequent delay in farm work the officers of the Texas Industrial Congress have decided to extend the time in which entries may be made in the \$10,000 crop and livestock contest to June 6.

There is yet time enough for those who wish to enter the contest to plant corn, cotton, kaffir, milo and feterita, and the Congress especially urges the farmers of the state to plant forage crops to meet the annual drain of \$50,000,000 or more, used in buying corn and forage crops raised outside of Texas.

Boys and girls who are feeding a baby beef or a pig for marketing next fall can enter the contest for one of the cash prizes offered for these animals. Every member of a hog, baby beef, corn or cotton club can enter the contest as well as those who are not members of such clubs. All that is necessary is to write at once to the Congress at Dallas and ask to be enrolled. No charge or cost of any kind is made, and helpful bulletins of advice and instruction are sent to every contestant.

A Railroad Washout on the Plains

This heading sounds fishy. The idea of a washout on the plains! However, that is what happened Sunday afternoon when the heavy rain fell over the north end of the county being particularly heavy between Floydada and Lockney.

On Monday morning the local train left on their schedule reaching the damaged track just north of Muncy switch. On account of the condition of the road bed from the severe rains they were making slow time.

Except for this the track being in a low place, a wreck might have ensued. The engineer slowed his train down and upon investigation about 300 feet of the bed had washed out leaving the track suspended in the air.

The train was returned to Floydada while repairs of the bed were made with sand, cinders and ties, the repairs being made in time for the train to leave at 2:10 in the afternoon, returning to Floydada three and a half hours late in the evening.

Will Build New Shop.

H. C. Bosley and Irvin Young are soon to erect a new blacksmith shop in Floydada 24x70 feet. The new shop will be built on West Missouri Street, opposite the McAdams Lumber yard.

Mr. Young has just recently returned from Crosbyton and the plans for the new shop were made last week.

They will erect the building at an early date.

Looney Holds Can't Hold Two Offices.

Austin, May 13.—The Attorney General's Department has held that one person can not assume to discharge the responsibilities of two offices at the same time unless one of the offices is embraced within the constitutional exemptions. The offices embraced within these exemptions are as follows: Justice of the Peace, County Commissioner, notary public and postmaster, that is, the same person may hold at the same time either of the above enumerated offices and any other civil office of emolument not incompatible therewith.

It is also held that no person can serve as a trustee of an independent school district or of a common school district and at the same time hold any other civil office of emolument except the ones embraced within the constitutional exemptions. The same person may hold the office of trustee of an independent school district or of a common school district and at the same time hold either of the following offices: Justice of the Peace, County Commissioner, notary public or postmaster. A school trustee cannot hold at the same time any other office than the ones just above enumerated. This same ruling obtains relative to members of county boards of trustees. It is an irrelevant matter whether or not either or both positions pay a salary.

She Heard Him.

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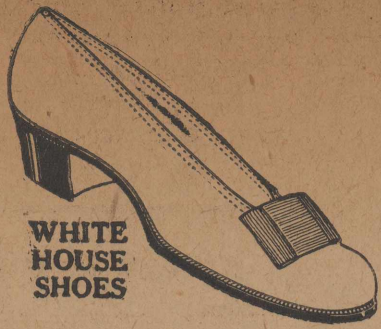
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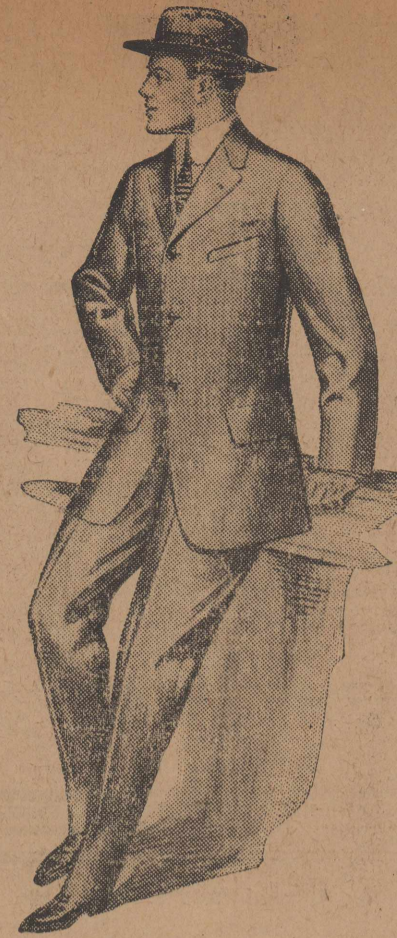
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Locals And Personals

Williams & Son, photographers, are in Floydada to do your photo and portrait work. See them at once. First class work guaranteed. ltc.

Miss Freda Deoham left Wednesday for St. Louis, Mo., where she will spend the summer with her grandfather, R. N. Denham. She was accompanied to Midland by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Denham.—Seminole Sentinel.

For fine watch and jewelry work see A. A. Dumagan at McCarty's Drug Store. All work guaranteed. ltc.

Lee County neighborhood in Dickens building 54x70 feet with four rooms.

Mrs. L. P. Taffinder and daughter, Miss Ola, left Wednesday for their home at Petrolia, Texas, after spending sometime on a visit in Floydada with the family of R. L. Henry.

H. V. and Vernon Williams, of Snyder, Texas, photographers, are in Floydada this week to do all kinds of photography, having arrived Wednesday. They are said to be excellent photographers.

They have an ad in this issue of The Hesperian.

Misses Pearl Brashear, Marguerite and Mozelle Viles are visiting in Plainview this week.

See the new photographers, Williams & Son, for your portrait and view work. ltc.

J. B. Nance of Plainview, was a business visitor in Floydada Tuesday evening.

E. C. Nelson wife and son, Lorraine, left Wednesday for Plainview, where they are attending commencement exercises at Wayland College.

J. H. Zurick, of Clarendon, spent the earlier part of this week in Floydada on cattle business.

Don't forget that Monday is the first day of the month, and if you pay your account Monday you are entitled to the spoons we are giving away. ltc. Mathis-Martin D. G. Co.

J. A. Bagwell returned Monday from Amarillo, where he had been with his little daughter for the treatment of an affection of the eye. She was doing nicely when Mr. Bagwell left that city.

Will Alford, of the north part of the county, was a business visitor in Floydada Monday.

Luther Fowler, of Lone Star, visited in Floydada from Saturday to Wednesday with E. O. Welch.

H. R. Black and Cal Davis were in Floydada Tuesday from Roaring Springs, on business.

Mr. L. T. Bishop and daughter, Mrs. F. M. Christy, of Graham, Texas, are visiting the families of A. L. and S. D. Bishop, having arrived Monday of this week.

Things We Laugh About

ENOUGH, ANYWAY.—Mary: "The doctor says this illness of mine is caused by a germ." Arnes: "What did he call it?" Mary: "I don't remember. I caught the disease, but not the name."—Judge.

NOT ANOTHER STROKE.—Reilly: "Pat was drowned yesterday." Fitzpatrick: "Couldn't he swim?" Reilly: "Yes, but he was a union man. He swam eight hours and then quit."—Everybody's Magazine.

COSTLY JUSTICE.—A colored gentleman, on trial for his life in a remote Tennessee town, was asked by the judge if he had anything to say, whereupon he replied:

"All I has to say is this, judge: If you hang me, you hangs the best bass singer in Tennessee."—Everybody's Magazine.

ROUGH ON HIM.—"May I ask what is going on in the village?" inquired a tourist.

"We're celebrating the birthday of the oldest inhabitant, sir, replied a native. "She's a hundred and one to day, sir"

"And who is that little man with the sad expression who walks by the old lady's side?"

"Oh, that's her son-in-law, sir. He's been keeping up the payments on her life insurance policy for the last thirty years."—Exchange.

A trained ostrich recently disconcerted its exhibitor at a London music hall by continually endeavoring to break away from all restraint and to climb over the foot lights into the orchestra.

The widely advertised act came to a sudden end, and the professor emerged from behind the curtain and apologized for the actions of his pet in about these words:

"Ladies and gentlemen I am very sorry to dissappoint you this hevening. We are compelled to cease our hengeament un-

til the management hengages a new orchestra leader. The one at present employed 'as no 'air on the top of 'is head: and my bird takes it for a hegg."

Hostess—So your baby can talk now?

Bobby—Oh, yes; he can say some words real well.

Hostess—What words are they? Bobby—I don't know. They're words I never heard before.

Next!

"Now, my little man," said the barber, "how would you like your hair cut?"

"Just like papa's", little Jack replied, "with a round hole at the top."—Ex.

Commercial Necessity.

In a certain town where two brothers engaged in a retail ctal business, a noted evangelist visited the town, and converted the elder brother of the firm. Four weeks after his conversion the brother who had lately "got religion" endeavored to persuade the other to join the church. One day he asked:

"Why can't you join the church as I did?"

"It's all right for you to be a member of the church," replied Richard, "but it I join who's going to weigh the coal?"—Ex.

A Last Laugh.

The bad boy wrote on the blackboard: "Our teacher is a donkey." The other boys anticipated ructions when the schoolmaster arrived; but there were none. He merely wrote the word "driver" after "donkey," and school opened as usual.—Ex.

His Sphere.

Visitor—I suppose you are mamma's darling?

Little Boy—No, I am my mamma's moving picture.

"Your mamma's moving picture?"

"Yes; she is always telling me that I should be seen and not heard!"—Ex.

At the Show.

"Our Mutual Girl," at the MeandY each Wednesday night continues to prove a most entertaining feature, the third installment of this appealing production being shown Wednesday night to a well-filled house.

High class productions each night are the managers constant effort, how well they are pleasing their patrons being shown

by a steady attendance during weather the past two weeks which has been much of the time very inclement.

"Our Mutual Girl" will make her fourth appearance in Floydada Wednesday evening next.

Mrs. R. H. Baker is spending the week in Plainview, attending the Commencement exercises of Wayland College.

Latest From the Stock Market

By J. A. RICKART, MARKET CORRESPONDENT

Kansas City Stock Yards, May 25, 1914. Steer trade began to show more activity last Wednesday, and a part of the early losses of the week were regained in the last days. Butcher grades participated, but stockers and feeders dragged to the close, and finished weak to a quarter lower. A feature at the yards last week was the annual visit on Tuesday, of members of the senior class of the Department of Animal Husbandry, of the Kansas State Agricultural College. Receipts today are only 6000 head, and beef grades are strong to 10 higher, yearling steers and heifers 10 to 15 higher. Some middle weight steers, 1119 lbs. average sold at \$9.15 here today.

At a recent meeting of International Live Stock Show directors, it was decided to bar steers 3 years old and over from competition in car load classes. This publicly marks the passing of the big weight animals. Fed Colorados stopped at 8.60 today, same notch in which the same cattle sold a week ago. North Texas and Oklahoma fed steers sold in the quarantine division here today at 7.00 to 8.20. Stockers and feeders are stronger today. Features are the extraordinary demand for high class stockers, and the comparatively small number of that kind coming, the latter a customary condition at this season. Best

stockers sell up to 8.25, fair to good 7.25 to 7.75, feeders up to \$8, prices about like a year ago.

Hog news was bearish today, Illinois and Iowa shippers celebrating the close of the corn planting season with a run of 56000 head at Chicago. That was enough to remove all spring from the market, and insert leaden weights instead, and sales here were largely 10 lower, receipts 9000, top 8.27½, bulk of sales 8.10 to 8.25. Local prices are only 7½ cents under Chicago today, and prices here are running considerably above up river points, although weights since the first of the year average 20 lbs. lighter per head than at St. Joseph, and 35 lbs. lighter than at Omaha. Heavy hogs, therefore, sell exceptionally well here.

Sheep and lambs have lost their bloom, particularly lambs, which are off 10 to 25 cent today, best springs 8.75. Sheep are holding up better, clipped Texas ewes at 5.35 and wethers at 5.70 today, weak to 10 lower. Goats are steady, some brushers at 4.40 today, close to a record price, and fat goats worth around 4.50. Receipts are 11000 today, and contains no first class woolled Colorados, which are quotable around \$9.

J. A. RICKART,
Market Correspondent.

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Notice of Trustees Sale.

Whereas by virtue of a certain deed of trust, executed on the 13th day of January 1914, by A. A. Newell, and L. H. Newell to E. C. Nelson, Trustee, conveying to said E. C. Nelson the following described land, to-wit: All that certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being in the County of Floyd and State of Texas and being lots Nos. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, & 11, in block No. 27 in the Town of Floydada (Floyd City) Texas, as shown by the map or plat of said Town, recorded in Vol. 2 F page 294 of the Deed Records of Floyd County, Texas. The said conveyance was made to the said E. C. Nelson as Trustee for the better securing of Baker, Hanna & Blake Company of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, in the payment of one certain promissory note dated January 13th 1914, in the sum of \$645.50 due January 20th after date payable to their order, with interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from maturity. Also for the better securing of Burrow Jones & Dyer Shoe Company of St Louis, Mo in the payment of a certain promissory note, dated January 13th 1914, due January 20 1914, in the sum of \$883.65 payable to their order, with interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from maturity. And whereas said indebtedness is due, and the owners and holders of said indebtedness having requested me E. C. Nelson Trustee in said deed of trust aforesaid to sell said lots of land in accordance with the power and authority conferred upon me by the terms and provisions contained therein, each of said

notes signed Morris Bros. By E. L. Morris.

Now therefore I, E. C. Nelson will sell the aforesaid lots of land on the first Tuesday in June 1914, at public auction for cash, the said first Tuesday being the 2nd day of June 1914, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m., to the highest bidder, in front of the Court House door, in the County of Floyd and State of Texas, in the City of Floydada. Said sale will be made to satisfy the indebtedness aforesaid and the commissions of the Trustee and the costs incident to said sale.

E. C. Nelson,
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C. E. Horn spent Friday and Saturday in Plainview on business.

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Glanders Vaccine Not Satisfactory.

That glanders vaccine is not effective in rendering horses immune from this dangerous disease is the conclusion reached by specialists of the Bureau of Animal Industry as a result of extensive experiments with horses and other animals. The experiments show that while mallein is highly effective as a means to discover the presence of glanders in a horse, neither mallein nor glanders vaccine has shown any positive value in curing animals sick with glanders.

In the experiments 17 horses were used. These were stabled under such conditions that vaccinated and unvaccinated horses could be brought into contact with a good discharging case of glanders. Mallein and eye tests were used carefully to determine the results. The investigators report the following conclusions, which appear in a professional paper published by the department entitled "Immunization Tests with Glanders Vaccine":

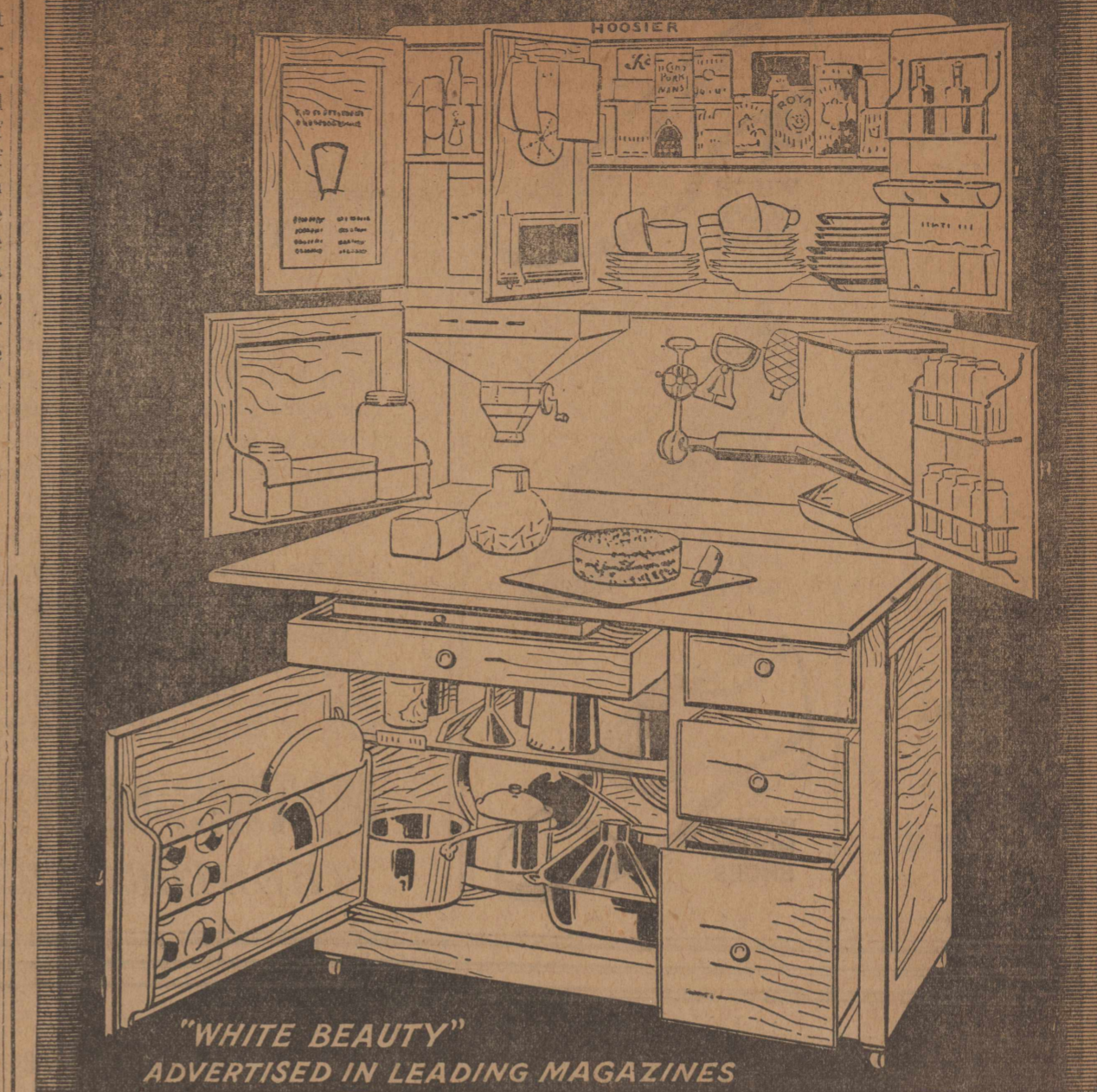
The results obtained by these investigations appear to be sufficient to demonstrate the unsatisfactory results of this method of immunization. Of the 13 immunized animals, 9 contracted the disease from natural exposure, which is a large proportion when it is considered that all animals were aged and kept most of the time during the exposure out of doors. Of the 4 remaining immunized horses, 1 died of impaction after the second vaccination, while the other 3 animals were killed August 20, 1913, in order to ascertain by post-mortem examination the possibility of glanders existing in these animals which had given positive serum reaction, but which had returned to normal. In artificial infections of the vaccinated animals they showed no resistance whatsoever, as both vaccinated horses promptly developed an acute form of the disease from touching the Schneiderian membrane with a platinum loop which had been touched to a growth of glanders bacilli. For the present, therefore, it seems advisable to abstain from immunizing horses by this method, as a practice of this kind may do more harm than good. Owners having horses which are supposedly immunized would naturally become careless, thinking their animals were resistant to the disease, and thus even a better opportunity would be offered for the propagation of the disease than if the horses were not vaccinated. Furthermore, the fact that the blood of vaccinated animals can not be utilized for serum tests for two or three months after the injections is also a great disadvantage in the eradication of the disease.

As a result of this preliminary work, it appears that the control and eradication of glanders must still be dependent upon the concentration of our efforts in eliminating infected horses and the adoption of proper precautions against the introduction of infected animals into stables free from the disease. The results achieved in Germany, Austria, and Canada by these methods have proved very encouraging, and no doubt if executed in the same spirit in this country a marked reduction in the cases of glanders would result.

See "Our Mutual Girl!" Wednesday night. McandY. tf.

State Meeting of Druggists.

Richardson, Texas May 15th, 1914.—The annual meeting of the Texas Pharmaceutical Association in El Paso June 16, 17, and 18, promises to be one of more than ordinary interest to the "pill rollers" of the state. Scott White, Local Secretary of El Paso, writes that a special rate of \$18.00 from Dallas, Fort Worth, and San Antonio has been



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secured, with an addition of only one cent per mile for distances beyond. A special trip is promised to Clouderoft, the "Sky Mountain" and besides this, if conditions permit, an excursion will be made over into Mexico, where a bull fight and a cock fight will be put on. Trolley rides are planned for the visitors and a couple of genuine Mexican Suppers placed before the "poison dispensers."

Any druggist who fails to attend the El Paso meeting will miss the greatest treat ever offered to Texas Druggists. If you crave further information write to Dr. E. G. Eberlee Dallas, or Scott White, El Paso.

283 Scholastics Enrolled Todate.

Scholastic Census of the Floydada School District shows a total enumeration todate of 283 scholastics, according to the figures of W. I. Allen, who is enumerator.

This is an increase of 28 pupils over last year.

Mr. Allen states that he may have overlooked some of the children within the district, and if so he requests parents of these children to notify him at once. The state apportionment of school funds is based upon the scholastic figures of each district and each child missed upon the enrollment means the loss of about seven dollars to the fund that will be apportioned to the district.

Mashed Finger Off.

Lubbock Avalanche. City Marshal Fry was unfortunate in getting the end of the middle finger of the right hand mashed entirely off Wednesday night. He was landing a fellow in jail and in the scuffle of resistance the heavy cell door was slammed together, catching the finger in the jam with the above result. It was quite a painful accident but the Marshal is get-

It is really amusing to note the methods employed by some merchants to induce unsuspecting buyers to purchase unknown goods in the sale of which large profits can be exacted.

A large department store recently offered for sale a widely advertised article at greatly reduced prices. Although I reached the store early next morning to "avoid the rush" I found many others ahead of me who had also been attracted by the bargain sale announcement. While there was a large display of the articles in question not a single one of the brand mentioned in the advertisement was shown. The clerk who waited on me spent several minutes endeavoring to convince me that the line they were showing was as good in every way as the

particular make I called for. However, as I insisted, he seemed very glad to give me what I wanted at the price advertised; although it is safe to say that practically all of the other shoppers accepted the brand of unknown quality.

Many merchants throughout the country use the method of featuring established brands of goods at cut prices to get people into their stores and then try to induce them to accept unbranded or unknown brands that bring long profits. This custom is not only unfair to the buying public that "pays the bills," but is a gross injustice to the manufacturers of standard lines who are trying to sustain their reputations by giving the people the highest quality of goods possible for the prices asked. The remedy is in your hands.

family in Floydada last Sunday and Monday. He is engaged with the Southwestern Telephone Construction Crew at Lockney and Plainview.

E. E. Brown visited with his

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