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FLOYDADA MEN TO ENTER HERD IN DAIRY SHOW AT PLAINVIEW

Several local cattle breeders will send entries to the annual Panhandle Plains Dairy Show to be held at Plainview Monday and Tuesday of next week.

O. L. Stansell, Robert Smith, of Lockney, Roe McCleskey, Greer McCleskey, Jack Stansell, Robert Smith Jr., of Lockney and Clay Johnson, will send entries to form a county herd. In the county herd contest Floyd County has won first prize every year since the dairy show started.

The O. L. Stansell herd and the Robert Smith herd have a reputation throughout west Texas, for winning first prizes.

There will be about thirty head of cattle from Floyd County entered in the show. Entries are being received from all over the panhandle for the show which lists \$2,250 in premiums in its Jersey, Holstein-Friesian, Guernsey, milking short-horn, production contest, dairy calf, vocational agriculture judging, 4-H judging and dairy products departments.

The following is the four-day program:

Sunday—Preliminary test in the production contest.
Monday—Official test in the production contest; 4-H Club dairy cattle judging contest; poultry judging contest and vocational agriculture students' dairy cattle and poultry judging contest. In the afternoon C. A. Cobb, director of the cotton division of the AAA, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., and Paul Haines, state director of vocational education, Austin, will talk.

Tuesday—Judging Guernsey cattle; judging dairy calf club calves; announcement of production contest winners and judging Jersey cattle. The afternoon program will include an educational meeting with Frank R. Phillips of the West Texas State Teachers College as chairman; an address by Dr. T. O. Walton, president of Texas A. & M. and an address by Prof. E. R. Alexander, professor of agriculture education of Texas A. & M.; judging Jersey cattle, polo game, horse show directed by Father A. E. Robinson, dairy review at the City Auditorium, Miss Wilma Friedsam, director and the official Queen of the Ball.

Wednesday—Judging Holstein Friesians, Milking Shorthorns and Jerseys. In the afternoon Miss Mildred Horton, state home demonstration agent, College Station, and H. M. Wilson, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, will speak. The annual banquet and meeting of the dairy association will be held, as well the official dairy association ball.

Thursday—Prize winning cattle will parade, an educational meeting will be held and the program will close with a horse show, polo game and a milkmaid's milking contest.

SAYS NEW LAW AIDS BUILDING; SENATE SIGNS BILL

When Governor James V. Allred signed Senate bill No. 97 this week the last necessary step in the program of co-operation between building and loan associations and the Federal Housing Administration William H. Clark, southwest regional director for the FRA, announced.

"Under terms of the bill," Clark said, "each of the nearly 200 building and loan associations in Texas is now in position to accept mortgage loans insured under Title 2 of the Federal Housing Act."

"They can lend up to 80 per cent of the total appraised value of property, on the terms outlined under FHA regulations, which provide for amortized loans at a low interest rate."

"Makers of such insured loans are not required to purchase stock in the building and loan association."

Most Texas associations, Clark said, "cannot now accept applications direct from home owners and some builders for mortgage insurance, and there should be no difficulty whatever for any resident of Texas who wants to finance the building or purchase of a home."

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. White of Crain, Texas, spent the past ten days visiting in Floydada.

E. H. Wheat and family of Amarillo, was in Floydada Saturday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Boothe and family.

PLAINVIEW DAIRY SHOW BOOSTERS HERE IN MOTORCADE

A motercade of about 40 cars and a bus carrying the Plainview High School band, was in Floydada yesterday on the third and last lap of a goodwill tour advertising the Panhandle South Plains Dairy Show, April 15 to 18.

When the tour is completed the boosters will have visited 41 panhandle towns and traveled almost 1000 miles. The motercade was also advertising the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention May 13 to 15 and the District 2-T Lions convention April 21 to 23, both to be held in Plainview.

HOME LOAN DEFAULTERS FACING FORECLOSURES

Dallas.—Deliberate defaulters of loans obtained through the Home Owners Loan Corporation will face foreclosure proceedings, Joseph R. Smith, regional manager for Texas, Oklahoma, and New Mexico, said this week.

The undue defaulting is done, he said, under the impression the government would take no action.

LOCAL STUDENTS MAKE GOOD SHOWING AT DISTRICT MEET

Although the championship of the district three track and field events was carried away by Lamesa, Floydada high team put up a good fight and won several first places.

Malcom Linder won first place in the 100 yard dash, and first in the 220 yard dash. Malcom ran the 100 yards in 10.5 and the 220 in 23.1. In the one mile relay the Floydada team, composed of Matthews, Lightfoot, Mooney, and Linder, won first place with Lamesa, second; Balls, third; and Tahoka, fourth. The Floydada boys ran the mile relay in 3 minutes, 48 seconds.

Matthews, of Floydada, and Ware, of Balls, tied for first in the running high jump. Both jumped 5 feet and 5 inches. The district record is 6 feet. Lightfoot won fourth in the 220 foot hurdle.

The high point man of the meet was Hughes of Lamesa, with 12 points. Linder was second with 11 1/2 points. The total number of points of the four leading teams are as follows: Lamesa, 25, first; Olton, 21, second; Floydada, 20, third; Balls, 13, fourth.

Tommie Rawdon won the girls singles in tennis. She defeated Miss Crews of Willson 6-3, 3-6, 8-6 in the finals. Miss Rawdon went to the finals by defeating Miss Mason of Littlefield 6-3, 6-4.

Winners of first and second places are eligible to enter the regional meet at Canyon in the near future, winners of which may compete in the state meet at Austin.

STARKEY BAPTIST CHURCH PROGRAM FOR APRIL 14th

The following church services will be held at Starkey Baptist Church, Sunday, April 14:

Sunday school 10 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m.
Floydada quartette and community singing at 2 p. m.
B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m.
Preaching at 8 p. m.
Everybody cordially invited to attend all these services.

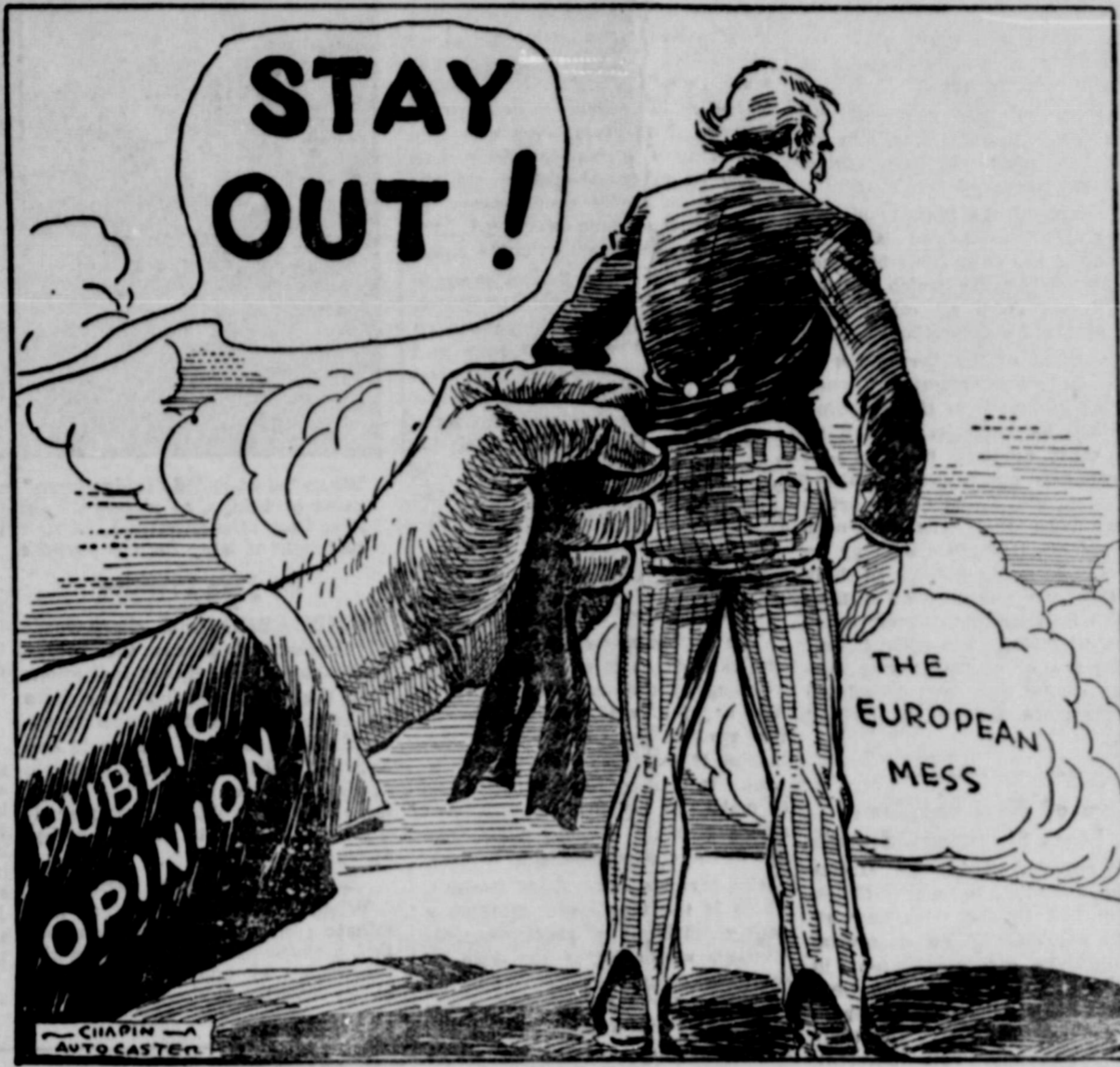
JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PRESENTS PROGRAM AT ALLMON

The Junior Chamber of Commerce presents dite usual program to a large crowd at Allmon last week. The program was centered around the quartette which is composed of Garland Glover, Woody Guthrie, Roy Holmes, and Claud Hammonds. Others taking part in the program were: Lee Mayhew, master of ceremonies; Mrs. S. M. Lester, Martha Lester, Bonnie Lester, Arlie Vee Bishop, Kenneth Baird Bishop, Oleta Jackson, Francis Wester, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haynes.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce entertainers will go to Munesy Friday night of this week. Everybody is invited to attend these programs.

Mr. E. E. Boothe and Mr. J. F. Boothe made a business trip to Dallas and other points south Wednesday of this week.

In No Uncertain Tones — by A. B. Chapin



GRAIN SORGHUM'S INCLUDE MAIZE, KAFIR, HEGARI AND FETERITA; FORAGE SORGHUM'S INCLUDE CANE AND SUDAN, SAYS DEPARTMENT

In former newspaper articles and pamphlets issued by the Wheat Section, reference has been made to two classes of feed crops; namely grain sorghum and forage sorghum and there has been some confusion as to how different crops grown here were classed.

We have taken this matter up with the proper authorities and the crops grown in this county are classed as follows:

Grain Sorghum's include Maize, Kafir, Hegari and Feterita.

Forage Sorghum's include Cane and Sudan.

We also have a letter from Mr. George E. Farrell, chief of the wheat 2nd in regards to the utilization of the contracted acres or the left out land on wheat contract and Mr. Farrell states that the contracted acres for 1935 may be used for the purpose of seeding emergency forage crops for hay, pasture, or roughage without restriction as to sale or use.

This will allow producers to seed such crops as cane, millet, sudan, barley, rye and oats for pasture or roughage, without restrictions as to sale or for the feed of live stock produced for other than home use. All of the above named feed or pasture crops must be cut or pastured off before reaching maturity or before grain is made.

Producers will not be allowed to plant sorghum's on the contracted acres for any purpose. As stated above grain sorghum's as defined by the wheat section include maize, kafir, feterita and hegari.

We also have another letter from Mr. Farrell in regards to abandoned wheat acres and we are glad to advise that it will not be necessary to have an inspection made or to sign any forms in regards to same.

Where wheat has died or been blown out producers can plant this wheat land to any crops except cotton or corn without restriction as to sale or use.

This ruling does not change or modify restrictions on contracted acres or left out land, but applies only to land that was planted to wheat.

A. H. KREIS, Secretary.

MR. AND MRS. DAILY LEFT WEDNESDAY FOR RUSSELLVILLE, ARK.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Daily left Wednesday morning by way of South Plains, over the Denver Railway, for Russellville, Arkansas, where they plan to spend a month visiting with relatives and friends.

Their daughter, Mrs. Ross Henry, will be in charge of the hotel during the absence of her parents.

\$1,831.68 IN WHEAT CHECKS RECEIVED FOR FLOYD COUNTY FARMERS

Twenty seven checks amounting to \$1,831.68 were received by Mr. Kreis at the local wheat office this week. The farmers that these checks go to have been notified and the money is already being distributed, Mr. Kreis stated Tuesday of this week.

Calculation of measurements of wheat lands in Floyd County were completed Tuesday and will be rechecked soon.

It will probably be around May 1 before the compliance work is started as the forms will not be received before that time.

HUGE HIGHWAY FUND INCLUDED IN WORKS BILL JUST PASSED

Washington, April 8.—500-million-dollar appropriation for highways, roads and streets, and a 300-million-dollar appropriation for grade crossing elimination today appeared to be slated for the road program's 800-million-dollar share of the federal work relief bill awaiting the President's signature.

Texas received the largest appropriation. Chairman Cartwright of the House roads committee explained that provisions of the bill require that the road funds be spent in the usual manner of federal aid road funds, but sets up a different basis for allocating the grade crossing elimination allotments. The chairman said "these funds are to be expended by the state highway departments."

No Funds Matching

Grade crossing funds will be apportioned on a basis of one-half on population, one-fourth on mileage of federal aid highway systems and one-fourth on railroad mileage systems. No part of the funds needs to be matched by the states.

The Hayden-Cartwright amendment to the work relief bill, which established the basis for allocating road funds, also gives preference in the employment of labor to persons receiving relief, except those in executive, administrative or highly skilled positions, and authorizes the President to determine wages and hours of work so that rates of pay for all highway work from federal funds within a state will be the same.

Clayton Fuller and Mrs. C.W. Watkins of Lubbock visited in Floydada Friday of this week.

Dr. and Mrs. V. Andrews visited in Mulheese Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Henderson visited in Lubbock Sunday.

FARMERS MAY SECURE LOANS FOR IRRIGATION MAHON ADVISES

Congressman George Mahon was advised this week that it would be possible for West Texas farmers to secure loans under Title 1 of the Federal Housing Act for the purpose of putting down irrigation wells on their farms. This interpretation was made by the legal department of the Federal Housing Administration after Mr. Mahon had called on them in regard to the irrigation problems.

The act provides that the Federal Housing Administration may insure loans made by local banks to home owners for the purpose of making improvements up to \$2,000. A farmer may apply to his local bank for funds to put down a well and provide the equipment. If this loan is made in accordance with the regulations of the act, it will be insured by the Federal Housing Administration, according to the information received.

Of course, the local banks would be the judges of the soundness and desirability of this type of loan. The future policy of the Federal Housing Administration in regard to these loans can not be predicted with certainty.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR HARRY SNODGRASS TO BE THIS AFTERNOON

Funeral services will be held this afternoon for Harry Snodgrass, 47, who died in the Lubbock Hospital Wednesday morning at 11:30 o'clock.

Mr. Snodgrass came to Floyd County with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Snodgrass, in 1891, and was a resident of Floydada until 1923 when he moved to Amarillo.

The deceased is survived by his wife, two daughters, Dorothy and Mary Helen, of Lubbock, two brothers, Guy and Glad of Floydada, three half brothers, Roy and Gerald of Floydada, and Clarence, of Shreveport, Louisiana; three sisters, Mrs. R. P. Bruner, Mrs. Jess Triplett of Amarillo, and Mrs. E. R. Reeves of Jericho; three half sisters, Mrs. Frank Moore of Floydada, Mrs. Arthur Savage and Katherine Snodgrass of Amarillo.

Funeral services will probably be held at the home of Glad Snodgrass at about three o'clock, although the arrangements had not been made at the time of this writing.

APRIL 15th REGULAR MEETING TIME FOR AMERICAN LEGION

Monday night, April 15th, is the regular legion meeting night. All ex-service men are urged to be present. The Rotary Club will be guest of the legion at this time.

SAY TEXAS FARMERS FAVOR AAA PROGRAM

College Station.—Tampering with processing taxes will meet with determined opposition of Texas cotton producers, the state cotton advisory committee declared this week.

In a statement issued following the group's first meeting held here April 7, the committee said an overwhelming majority of the state's producers favor governmental cotton control measures now in effect.

The committee, representing more than 300,000 producers, was elected, through cotton control associations, to give producers a more direct voice in present and future cotton programs.

LUBBOCK GETS PARK PROJECT; 600 ACRES TO BE IN VENTURE

Approval of a 600-acre state park project for Lubbock, to be known as Mackenzie Park in honor of General R. S. Mackenzie, early-day military leader who drove Indians from the South Plains, has been given, D. C. Colp, chairman of the state park board, advised in a telegram recently.

A superintendent, engineer and landscape engineer will arrive in Lubbock soon to complete plans. A CCC camp will do the construction work, plans for the beginning of which are being made. The total project, aside from paying of the CCC unit, will approximate \$312,000, it is estimated. Two years are expected to be needed to complete the park, which will include a swimming pool, low water dams in Yellow-house Creek for fishing, baseball diamonds, a polo park and improvement of a present golf course also are being planned.

The American Legion post of Lubbock named a committee to work with civic clubs, the chamber of commerce, city commission and county commissioners court in securing the park. The city gave 95 acres in a city park, the county 45 acres in Shannon Park and 450 more acres were bought by the city.

LOCAL LEGION POST TO SPONSOR EASTER EGG HUNT APRIL 18

All children up to and including the age of fourteen are invited to be guests of the McDermitt Post No. 118 American Legion on an Easter Egg Hunt to be staged on April 18th at 3:45 o'clock.

The egg hunters are asked to meet at the Andrews Ward School building at 3:45 o'clock where there will be several local men and women to chaperone the hunt.

CONSUMERS FUEL ASSOCIATION ELECTS OF DIRECTORS

The stockholders of the Consumers Fuel Association met Monday and elected three new members on the board of directors.

The three new directors were G. C. Collins, M. L. Probaseo, and Paul Sims. A. F. Norton and W. N. Jones were re-elected. The old board of directors consisted of W. A. Cates, J. J. Thomas, and A. T. Swepston. The new board will serve two years.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES ELECTED 1935 AND 1936 TEACHERS SATURDAY

In a meeting of the Floydada Independent School District Trustees held Saturday night at the court house, the following teachers were re-elected: High School; A. D. Cummings, R. P. Terrell, W. A. King, E. C. Potter, Miss Daltis Rea, Miss Sude Miller, Miss Nadine Slaughter, Miss Lois Freeman, Mrs. Lon V. Smith, Miss Reba Copeland, Miss Mary Wilbanks, and Mr. T. J. Higgins. Miss Maudie Joe Fields resigned.

For the R. C. A. Ward School the following were re-elected: O. K. Davis, J. H. Myers, Odell Winters, Mrs. J. N. Johnston, Misses Vera Meredith, Lula Belsler, Ruby Norton, Eulalia Burrus, Helen Blythe, Ruth Wiseman, Jewell Gibbs, Gene Smalley and Fannie Bolding.

For the colored school: Annie Taylor was re-elected.

All the above teachers were re-elected subject to assignment. The salary schedule will be set at a later date.

Mrs. F. T. Garrett and daughter, Leota, and Mrs. Orville Smith of Shamrock, and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Williams of Lakeview, spent the day Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Owens of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Duglas Hollums, Mrs. John Hollums and Mrs. S. K. Duncan visited in Lubbock Sunday.

Ralph Hale, of Plainview, was in Floydada Sunday.

FEDERAL HOUSING ADMINISTRATION HAS NEW LOAN SYSTEM

Because of the many fundamental faults of the old Federal Housing Administration loan system, there has been organized a new loan system called the Insured Mortgage Plan. This is a new mortgage system created under the National Housing Act under which mortgage lenders are insured against loss through a mutual mortgage insurance fund applying to a standardized form of some mortgage lending. Any property primarily to be used as a residence, provided it meets the simple requirements as to location, character of neighborhood and type of construction.

Under this new plan one may borrow up to 80 per cent of the appraised value of the property, land and dwelling included, and not more than \$10,000 in any case.

Construction types customary to the locality in which they are to be used will be accepted generally, if constructed of materials and methods of proven durability and suitability. New materials and methods will not necessarily be excluded, but will be approved upon satisfactory evidence of durability and marketability.

This new plan does not only apply to new dwellings construction but it also applies equally to present dwellings conforming to the standard requirements under the new plan.

Under the new plan one may refinance a home now carrying an old-style mortgage with the new mortgage plan.

The government does not provide the money under the Insured Mortgage Plan. It is private money, loaned by approved institutions who are simply beneficiaries under the mutual mortgage insurance fund administered by the Federal Housing Administration. This money must be repaid in equal monthly amounts. These monthly payments cover the interest on the outstanding balance of the loan, payment on account of the principal of the loan, the service fee, and the estimated monthly proportion of the annual taxes and insurance premiums on the property and the mortgage.

A total maximum permitted period of 20 years is given to repay the insured mortgage loan.

The money for these loans is furnished by institutions approved by the Federal Housing Administration. The names of approved institutions may be secured writing the Federal Housing Administration of the state.

Any responsible person with a steady income and a good credit record may borrow under this new system.

FINISH NAMING STATE BOARD; LUBBOCK MAN ADDED TO GROUP

Announcement comes from Austin that Gov. James V. Allred completed the personnel of the State Planning Board early this week by appointment of the following:

To represent labor; Wallace Reilly of Dallas, executive secretary of the Texas State Federation of Labor.

To represent agriculture; R. C. Hopping of Lubbock, Hull Youngblood of San Antonio.

Youngblood was a so-called "independent" appointment, as were W. M. Massie, banker of Fort Worth, and Wilbur Hawk of Amarillo, newspaper publisher.

Ernest L. Kirth of Lufkin, a lumberman, had been named to represent reforestation.

Under the law, the membership was to be made up of a representative each of agriculture, labor and reforestation, the secretary of state, the chairman of the Board of Water Engineers, the State Highway engineer, and three "independents."

A meeting of the board is expected to be called soon by Mr. Massie, designated chairman.

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character, standing or reputation of
any person, firm or corporation
which may appear in the columns
of The Floyd County Plainsman
will be gladly corrected upon its
being brought to the attention of
the publisher.

**ANNIE JEWEL FAWVER
AND WILLARD WILLIS
MARRIED SUNDAY**

Miss Annie Jewel Fawver and Mr.
Willard Willis were married at the
First Baptist Church of Dougherty
Sunday morning.

The beautiful ring ceremony was
performed by Rev. J. M. Harder, of
Baile.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis plan to con-
tinue to teach school. Mr. Willis is
a teacher in the Dougherty school
and Mrs. Willis teaches at Baker.

Mrs. Willis is the daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Geo. Fawver of the Baker
community.

Baird Bishop made a business trip
to Plainview Tuesday.

Orville Harris made a business trip
to Amarillo Saturday.

**WATCH YOUR
KIDNEYS!**

Be Sure They Properly
Cleanse the Blood

YOUR kidneys are constantly fil-
tering impurities from the blood
stream. But kidneys get function-
ally disturbed—lag in their work—
fail to remove the poisonous body
wastes.

Then you may suffer nagging
backache, attacks of dizziness,
burning, scanty or too frequent
urination, getting up at night,
swollen feet and ankles, rheumatic
pains, feel "all worn out."

Don't delay! For the quicker you
get rid of these poisons, the better
your chances of good health.

Use Doan's Pills. Doan's are for
the kidneys only. They tend to pro-
mote normal functioning of the
kidneys; should help them pass off
the irritating poisons. Doan's are
recommended by users the country
over. Get them from any druggist.

DOAN'S PILLS

**FLOYD COUNTY COM-
MISSIONERS GIVEN
ENCOURAGEMENT**

The committee of local citizens and
commissioners court who went to
Austin this week were given a cer-
tain amount of encouragement on the
prospects of getting the gap in high-
way 28 paved through Floyd County.

The Floyd County delegation which
consisted of the commissioners court
with the exception of Judge Deen,
W. M. Massie, Roy L. Haynes, J. B.
Bishop, and J. G. Martin was told
that the surfacing of highway 28
through Floyd County would be the
first project in the Lubbock division
as soon as additional funds were re-
ceived.

The highway commission indicated
it would make a designation from
Floydada to Silverton if the counties
would bear the expense of the right-
of-way. This to be done with the
next federal funds available.

There has been some confusion be-
tween the state and federal highway
system. Highway 28 and highway
207 are both federal highways and
will have to be improved with federal
funds.

Texas will get \$30,740,000 for gen-
eral road work and \$16,773,000 for
elimination of grade crossings. The
commission stated that most of this
general road work fund would be
used for filling in gaps in federal
highways such as the gap in highway
28 through Floyd County.

The Floydada delegation were the
last of eleven county delegations to
go before the highway commission.
They were received at the commis-
sion office at about 5 o'clock in the
afternoon of April 8th.

**JUNIOR CHAMBER OF
COMMERCE TO PRESENT
ENTERTAINMENT APRIL 22**

The Junior Chamber of Commerce
of Floydada will present two one-
act plays in connection with its re-
gular program to the Floydada public
Monday night, April 22.

T. A. Norman is manager of the
plays and Roy Holmes is director.
Both of these gentlemen promise a
full evening of good clean country
fun.

Irene Kreis, Woody Guthrie, and
Emmery Banner make up the cast of
the first of the two plays "Smoke
Screen." This is a comedy and it
should be good. The other, "Drifts"
is a serious drama and should be a
real "tear-bringer."

The proceeds of this entertain-
ment will be used to send the quart-
et to the West Texas Chamber of
view May 13 to 15.

The plays will be presented at 8
o'clock at the high school and the
price of admittance is 10 and 20
cents.

W. S. Shelton, formerly of Plain-
view, has been employed by the Tex-
as Utilities Company of Floydada as
appliance salesman.

**French Horn Once Banned
in Some Musical Circles**

The French horn is one of the
most valuable and difficult wind in-
struments in the orchestra. It has
a slender conical tube wound
round in coils upon itself, and con-
sists of four principal parts—the
body, the crooks, the mouthpiece and
slides.

The body is the main tube, the
crooks are interchangeable spiral
tubes of varying length which alter
the pitch and key of the instru-
ment; the mouthpiece is different
from other wind instruments in
that it is funnel-shaped and not
cup-shaped.

The slides are pairs of sliding
tubes by means of which the in-
strument may be tuned.

The horn is also equipped with
three valves to be operated by the
player in producing the various
tones in the scale.

The tone of the horn is mellow,
rich and sonorous and is distin-
guished at the same time by a cer-
tain human quality which is vast-
ly different from all other mem-
bers of the brass section.

The origin of the horn must be
sought in prehistoric times, when,
says an authority in the Washing-
ton Post, by breaking off the tip of
a short animal's horn, one or
at best two notes were obtained.
This was undoubtedly the origin
of the horn that was developed
later and used in the symphony or-
chestra. It seems strange to think
that the horn was opposed at first,
for now it is heard in nearly every
orchestral piece. Yet when it first
entered the orchestra it was con-
sidered coarse and unfit to mingle
with the more delicate violins and
oboes.

**Bedlam of Nationalities
Lines Singapore Streets**

The crowded Singapore streets
present a bedlam of nationalities,
each garbed in the homeland at-
tire as modified by an equatorial
sun, observes a correspondent in
the Washington Post. Countless
Chinese coolies, barefooted, sport
abbreviated black shorts for their
complete costume. Tall, powerful,
brown Sikhs from the hills of India
parade in long shirts worn outside
of a voluminous pair of white
pants; their long hair bound by a
turban which hangs well below
the shoulder. Thousands of cool
black, painfully thin Tamils from
south India are a marked contrast
to the northern Indians as they
wander about in brightly tinted
loin-cloths. The "forgotten men"
of Malaya, the native Malays them-
selves, outnumbered by their yel-
low and black brothers from China
and India, lodge their Mohammedan
caps squarely on their brown heads
and wend their way unconcerned
with the drama of a fast moving
age. Egyptians, Arabs, Filipinos,
Siamese, Japanese, Javanese, Bur-
mese—all mingle in this truly in-
ternational city.

Losing Its Rattle

Contrary to the popular belief,
you cannot always tell a rattles-
nake's age by the number of joints
on its rattle. This reptile is born
with nothing more than a horny
knob at the end of its tail, but after
three days it sheds its skin and a
joint is added to the knob. The
skin-shedding process is repeated
several times a year, and with
each succeeding molt another bony
ring is added. Until it has ac-
cumulated four or five joints the
rattlesnake cannot make more than
a faint rattling sound, but as the
number of joints increases it is able
to express annoyance by rapidly
vibrating its tail, producing a
shrill "rattle" which may be
heard 20 yards away. When the
number of joints exceeds seven,
they generally begin to break off,
so that when an elderly rattlesnake
loses its temper it also loses part
of its rattle.—Tit-Bits Magazine.

Japanese Superstition

In Japan, the dead are laid with
their heads toward the north.
Therefore the living consider this
position unlucky and invariably
sleep with their heads toward
the east or the south. This prop-
er sleeping position is so impor-
tant, writes O. M. Olson, San Fran-
cisco, Calif., that many of them,
when on journeys, carry a com-
pass so they can get their bearings
at bedtime.

The Palace of Versailles

The Palace of Versailles is most-
ly the work of Louis XIV. It con-
sists of a central block surround-
ing the three sides of a large court
and of two immense wings, each en-
closing two or more courts. The
total length of the building with
its dependencies is nearly one-half
mile. It houses a picture gallery
upon which alone Louis XIV spent
\$5,000,000.

Opium for the Needy

Chinese charity dispenses more
than necessities. Sometimes the
destitute, starved for opium, can
secure it at a Buddhist temple. There
is one in Lichow in which a life-
sized idol always has a handful for
those who are too poor to buy their
own. The supply is maintained by
the wealthy citizens of the city.—
Freling Foster in Collier's Weekly.

**Plebiscite Long in Use
in European Arguments**

In 1802, Bonaparte, when the sen-
ate refused to make him consul for
life, determined to "consult the peo-
ple" on the subject of his status.
It was unprecedented that a simple
consular decree should order a
plebiscite. The fact that it did was
rather a coup d'etat. The results of
the plebiscite were a singular suc-
cess for Bonaparte, observes a
writer in the New York Times.

The right to name his successor
was openly demanded by Napoleon
in the Senatus-Consulte. Only one
step more was needed to make the
right hereditary and to enable him
to give himself a monarchical or
imperial title. This final step was
taken in 1804 when the first consul
of the republic became emperor of
France. The proposition was sub-
mitted to universal suffrage in the
same form as its predecessors, in
May, 1804. There were 3,572,329
affirmative and 2,500 negative votes.

Probably the best known example
of the use of the plebiscite in French
history was in 1852, when the coup
d'etat of 1851 was confirmed and
the title of emperor was bestowed
upon Napoleon III. It was his use
of the plebiscite that made the term
familiar and connected it with the
idea of despotism posing as lib-
eralism. He has even been de-
scribed as "a plebiscite adventurer."

**Cashew Nut Produces an
Oil Used in Many Ways**

The cashew nut grows in a leath-
ery skinned shell at the end of a
swelling of the stem, which looks
like a juicy fruit. The apple, as
the swollen stem is called, is de-
licious. It sometimes a little astrin-
gent. It is used by the Brazilians
to make the soft drink cajuda, and
also a strongly flavored wine. The
nut in the cooked condition is tasty.

The pericarp or shell of the nut,
which is the true fruit, contains a
dark reddish oil of great chemical
interest, which burns the skin of
sensitive people. This non-drying
oil is used for making wood immune
from white ant attack, and by the
natives of the Andaman Islands to
protect their fishing nets from de-
composition.

A scientist has spent years in
taming this unusual liquid, adapt-
ing it for use as a coating, and
for purposes where few other mate-
rials appear to be as suitable.
Among its uses is the painting of
all types of cement surfaces, espe-
cially when these are subject to
continual wetting. It is also useful
for coating metal, wood, and con-
crete in industrial plants, when or-
dinary paints may not withstand the
corrosive influences. It appears to
be well adapted for use as a ship-
bottom paint and has been selected
as the ideal paint for coating wood-
en laboratory table tops.—Tit-Bits
Magazine.

Rhinoceros Hide

The rhinoceros hide is generally
regarded as tougher than the ele-
phant hide. It is not true, however,
as generally supposed, that a bul-
let will not penetrate this skin ex-
cept between the deep folds. It is
naturally soft and easily pene-
trated by a bullet or hunting knife.
When dried it becomes exceedingly
hard and was formerly used by In-
dian princes in making shields for
their soldiers. Big game hunters
use large caliber rifles when hunt-
ing the rhinoceros, though some-
times guns of small caliber are em-
ployed. The favorite shots are the
heart and the neck shot. It does
not appear that the one animal is
much harder for a big game hunter
to kill than the other.

Grim Tong War in New York

One of the grimmest tong wars
fought in New York's Chinatown
had its climax in the Chinese the-
ater in Doyers street in 1909. Things
had been quiet for weeks and, as
it was a holiday, the audience was
in a gay mood. Near the end of
the show, someone threw a bunch
of loud fre crackers into the aisle.
The disturbance was soon quieted
and the play resumed. Shortly it
was over and every one arose to
leave except five "On Leongs" who,
unnoticed during the fre cracker ex-
plosions, had been shot dead.—Col-
lier's Weekly.

Fake Antique Volumes

An ingenious trick of the makers
of antique volumes is to print Bi-
bles and other books on old paper.
To make such spurious volumes con-
vincingly aged in appearance, the
plates from which they are printed
usually are made from photostatic
copies of the original pages of the
literary work being imitated. Ex-
pert bibliophiles have ways, how-
ever, of easily detecting such coun-
terfeits.—Montreal Herald.

England's Foggiest Spot

In London, the empire's foggiest
spot, statistics show that each of
the inhabitants pays, on an aver-
age, a fog bill of about 30 shil-
lings. This sum is expended be-
tween October and February in
heavier lighting expenses and extra
transport fares. It does not include
chemists' and doctors' bills incurred
through coughs, colds and sore
throats caused by fog.—Answers
Magazine.

Better Ways to Light Up for Bridge and Other Games



When the so-called "bridge lamp" is used to light a
game of bridge, as above, its nature and purpose
have been misunderstood. At right is shown a cor-
rect type of lamp for the purpose.

By Jean Prentice

MISPLAYED hands, sharp words
—exchanged across the bridge
table—these are frequent indications
that the "bridge lamp" has been
misnamed. So-called because its ex-
tension arm holding the shade and
bulb has been built on the principle
of the cantilever bridge, the bridge
lamp was really designed as a read-
ing lamp, and not to play bridge by,
at all.

General Illumination Needed
When this lamp is used to illu-
minate a bridge table, we invariably
find a result like that shown in the
illustration at upper left. Because
of its narrow circle of light, this

lamp can properly illuminate only
two of the hands of cards. In order
to provide light for the other side of
the table, the shade has been tilted,
causing discomfort and glare all
around.

Double-Purpose Lamps Available

For adequate lighting of a bridge
game, either the indirect torchere,
as shown, or one of the indirect floor
lamps containing a white glass bowl
within the shade, may be used. The
latter, which forms a good reading
lamp, gives both totally indirect and
semi-indirect light. Thus, it is a
double-purpose lamp, and comes in
a wide variety of styles and designs
suitable for any decorative scheme.
The indirect torchere is well-nigh
ideal for the game room or recrea-

tion room, besides doing its turn in
the living room when a moderate
amount of glareless light is desired.
Many of these torcheres come
equipped with the new three-light
bulbs, by which any of three differ-
ent amounts of light may be had at
the mere turn of a switch.

Make-Shift Lighting Inexcusable

Make-shift lighting is no longer
necessary or excusable, any more
than is make-shift furniture. The
well-kept home of today makes just
as careful provision for the various
lighting requirements of family and
guests as it does for any other phase
of living. Guests nowadays expect
good, comfortable lighting, and the
thoughtful hostess always endeavors
to provide it, especially for games.

**J. D. STANDEFER, PRESIDENT
OF SIMMONS U. TO MAKE
COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS**

Superintendent A. D. Cummings
has announced that J. D. Standefer,
president of Simmons University has
been selected by the Floydada High
School Senior Class to make the
commencement address at graduation
this year.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Nelson went to
Lubbock Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Gene Smalley and Miss Nina
Mae Drew visited friends in Canyon
Friday afternoon and Saturday of
this week.

Frank Moore made a trip to Lub-
bock Wednesday afternoon.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of ex-
pressing our thanks for the many
deeds of kindness extended to us dur-
ing the illness in our family.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Snodgrass,
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Snodgrass,
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McCarty.

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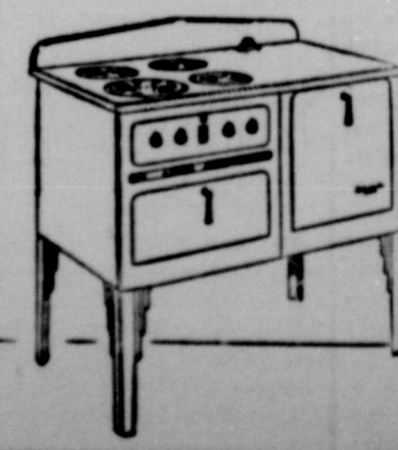
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EXPERTS COME HIGH IN HAUPTMANN CASE

Staggering Expense of Trial Brings Censure.

Trenton, N. J.—More than \$1,000,000 was spent to solve the Lindbergh baby murder including the capture and conviction of Bruno Richard Hauptmann. This estimate was made by Assistant Attorney General Joseph A. Lanigan. He made this estimate when the joint legislative appropriations committee approved a supplemental appropriation of \$50,000 to defray the remaining expenses of the recent trial at Flemington.

"My estimate," said Lanigan, "takes in two and one-half years of investigation by the state of New Jersey, the city of New York and the federal government."

The cost of the trial alone was extraordinarily high—more than \$200,000—and caused Attorney General David T. Wilentz to fume, sputter, whistle and turn red of face. Routine expenses he could do nothing about—but the expenses dealing with expert witnesses are something else. "I'll whistle some of them down with a blue pencil," Wilentz warned savagely, as he scanned the "expert" fees totaling \$46,061.15.

Kosher Dinners.
Among the charges listed were \$50 and \$4.20 for special kosher dinners for the family of dead Isidor Fisch, brought here from Germany to testify against Bruno Richard Hauptmann's story. Only one member of the family, Hannah, a sister of Isidor, ever testified—and she only for a few minutes.

Dr. Charles H. Mitchell, who testified about the autopsy he performed on the murdered baby, Charles Lindbergh, charged the state \$500, and Prof. George H. Priest, of Princeton, asked \$150 for reading his translation of a letter Hauptmann wrote to the Fisch family in Germany. District Attorney Samuel Foley, of the Bronx, charged \$507.50 for going to Flemington during several weeks of the trial.

Of the handwriting experts, Dr. Wilmer Souder, the government expert from Washington, charged only \$29.15, travel expenses. But ponderous old Albert S. Osborn valued his opinions as a pen seer at no less than \$12,000 and his son, Albert D. Osborn, asked \$9,555. Fees of other handwriting experts were: Elbridge W. Stein, \$4,800; Herbert J. Walter, \$4,850; Harry E. Cassidy, \$3,530; J. Clark Sellers, \$8,238, and John F. Tyrell, \$3,507.

Angered, the caustic little attorney general said:
"All these bills will be measured by the same yardstick as in the case of a private litigant. No one will be permitted excessive fees merely because the state is the debtor. Some of these bills are outrageously high. They will not be approved by me."

Expert Asks \$4,130.
A German medical expert, Dr. Louis Schulhofer, was never called as a witness, yet he billed the state \$4,130. The Hildebrecht hotel in Trenton asked \$4,130 for housing and feeding state's witnesses.

Meanwhile, Hauptmann still remains in death row in Trenton prison, having little to do with other prisoners, looking forward to visits from his wife, Anna, and his lawyers. His little son, Manfred, he may never see again. On her last visit, Mrs. Hauptmann was told that she cannot bring the infant to prison, that her husband can never see him again unless he wins a new trial and is acquitted.

The news disheartened Hauptmann, but he still insisted he would triumph in his fight for a new trial. The cost of his appeal will run to more than \$10,000, and will not be borne by the state, as originally agreed, but by the defense. By appearing at rallies in New York, largely before German groups, Mrs. Hauptmann has managed to raise several thousand dollars. Moreover, the defense fund has been swelled by press and radio appeals. Barred from openly soliciting funds in New York, Mrs. Hauptmann is planning appearances in other large cities.

British Railways Will Install Camping Coaches

Washington. — Railway coaches fully equipped for camping are to be made available to the British public at a relatively small charge, a report to the Commerce department from its London office shows.

This unique experiment has been decided upon, the report states, by both the Southern railway and the Great Western railway in their campaign for greater passenger traffic over their lines. The sites for the "camping" coaches will be selected with regard to scenic and other advantages.

The rental of the camping coaches varies between 50 shillings and 80 shillings per week, depending on the season and the location of the coach. The only additional charge is the minimum number of four "monthly return" tickets to the site where the coaches are located. The cars which will be employed, the report states, are old equipment, refitted for the purpose.

REV. I. A. SMITH CLASS ENTERTAINS GEO. LIDER CLASS

The Rev. I. A. Smith class entertained the Geo. Lider class with a banquet at the First Methodist Church Wednesday evening, April 3. This is a regular monthly affair for the two classes. The Geo. Lider class entertained the Rev. I. A. Smith class on March the eighth and the Smith class returned the favor.

These entertainments are held the first week in each month to stimulate the interest in the classes and cause a greater attendance at the Sunday school.

Members of these classes are urged to come out to these socials.

Billy Joe Welch of Lubbock, spent the week end in Floydada.

Urnon Borum was in Halls Monday night of this week.

Buddy Loyd of Tulsa, visited in Floydada Sunday.

Bassoon Is Called "The Clown of the Orchestra"

The bassoon is an instrument of great antiquity. Its name suggests an instrument taking the bass part, and that is exactly what it does. In Italian its name is "fagotto," which means "stick" in English. Now it is easy to see how this instrument came by its name, for it really resembles a bundle of five sticks, which, when fitted together, form a wooden tube about eight feet long.

The tube is doubled back upon itself, the shorter joint extending about two-thirds of the length of the longer part, whereby the height of the instrument is reduced to about four feet. A curved brass tube which ends in a double reed mouthpiece is attached. The tones produced by the bassoon are often warm and mellow, but sometimes they are so comical as to have earned the name "the clown of the orchestra" for this instrument, notes a writer in the Washington Post.

Rapid passages on the bassoon sound best in its natural key of G or closely related keys. Trills are practicable, though not on every note. In general the tone-color of the bassoon is so striking that the composer need only write passages of straightforward character for it, without making it do technical tricks.

The bassoon has been a favorite with nearly all the great masters. Beethoven uses it largely in his symphonies, writing everywhere for it independent parts of great originality. Where Beethoven used the bassoon in rather grotesque fashion, Mendelssohn handled it more daintily. The latter composer gave the bassoon many bits of inimitable humor in his "Midsummer Night's Dream" music.

Tobacco Quality

Tobacco quality is related directly to the nitrogen content of the soil in which the "weed" is grown, the United States Bureau of Plant Industry has determined. The soil's nitrogen content must be high for quality cigars and low for quality cigarettes. Maryland tobacco, it was found, is lower in nicotine content than tobaccos produced in other states.

Fireflies' Light Strong

Certain fireflies emit a light that, although only one-fiftieth of a candlepower, is so penetrating that it passes through paper, flesh and wood. In fact, X-ray photographs of these substances have been made by this insect illumination.—J. T. Finlay, Emporia, Kan., in Collier's Weekly.

WILSON KIMBLE AND M. L. PROBASCO ARE RE-ELECTED TRUSTEES

Wilson Kimble and M. L. Probasco were re-elected as trustees in the Floydada Independent School District in the school trustee election held Saturday in Floydada.

The other members of the board are Mal Jarboe, J. B. Turner, L. H. Dorrel, J. C. Wester, and W. Edd Brown.

In the election of officers on the school board M. L. Probasco was elected president, J. C. Wester was elected vice president, and W. Edd Brown was selected secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snodgrass spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting with Mr. Snodgrass' brother, Harry, who is very ill.

PUBLICATION NOTICE

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF FLOYD.

On the 27th day of March, A. D. 1935, G. C. Collins, W. S. Pool, and O. E. Stevenson, Special Commissioners appointed by the Court to assess the damages to the property consisting of real estate belonging to Lonnie McCarty, whose residence is unknown, by reason of the location of State Highway No. 207, between Floydada, Texas, and the Crosby County Line south of Floydada, Texas, said land being South one-half of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 5, Block P, and more fully set out in the petition of the State of Texas filed with the Hon. Tom W. Deen, County Judge of Floyd County, Texas, on the 27th day of March, 1935, said commissioners having been duly sworn to assess said damages fairly and impartially and in accordance with law, do hereby appoint as the time and place for hearing said parties and said matters, the Courthouse in Floydada, Texas, on 27th day of April, 1935, at 2:00 o'clock P. M.

And it appearing from the petition of the State of Texas which is sworn to, that the names of the parties defendant herein, namely, Lonnie McCarty, said party's residence is unknown to plaintiff, it is ordered that a copy of this order be served upon said party by making publication of this notice in some newspaper published in the County of Floyd once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, and such service thereof shall be notice to the party to appear at said time and place for the purpose of offering any evidence he desires on the issue as to the damage to be assessed against said State of Texas and to be paid to the said Lonnie McCarty for the right of way aforesaid.

Witness our hands this the 27th day of March, 1935.

O. E. STEVENSON,
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3 COWS OUT OF 3075 IN COUNTY ARE CONDEMNED WITH T. B.

Only three of the 3075 cows already tested in Floyd County showed signs of having T. B. it was reported by County Agent Lindsey yesterday.

The cows in the city of Floydada and Lockney will be tested in the week beginning April 15 and Dr. C. B. Brady, general supervisor, of this work, has requested that the owners make arrangements to have their cows confined on their premises whenever possible for the purpose of this test. The owners will be notified of any cattle that may be condemned. There is no charge for this work.

CITY COUNCIL MAKES APPOINTMENTS OF CITY OFFICERS

The city council met Tuesday night with all members present and after approving the minutes of previous meetings, canvassing the votes of the city election held April 2nd, and allowing all accounts, the meeting was turned over to the new council which consisted of J. B. Bishop, R. E. Fry, W. U. White, F. C. Harmon, and B. K. Barker.

The new councilmen made the following appointments: S. E. Price, city water superintendent, fire marshal and deputy city marshal; Burel Holt, assistant water superintendent; L. D. Britton, paid fireman; Lee Howard, night watchman and deputy city marshal; Dr. V. Andrews, city health officer; S. E. Duncan, Jr., assistant collector; Ben Ayres, city attorney.

A financial statement of operations of the city from April 1, 1934 to March 30, 1935, was reviewed by the councilmen.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Haynes spent the week end in Petersburg visiting Mrs. Haynes' parents.

Want Ads

To Farm Lease, Splendid Lands in Floyd and other Counties, convenient to Railroad Towns. W. M. Massie & Bro. 13-tfc

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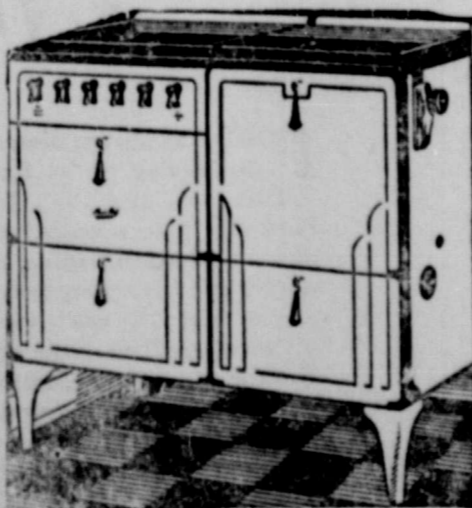
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Furs Milady Wears Come From Various Countries

Little moles bearing the best pelts, notes a writer in the Philadelphia Record, originate in Scotland. Ermine comes from Russia. Alaska encourages seals, and Canada and Alaska co-operate on beaver. Mink, many Americans are surprised to know, is collected in quantity from the eastern coast of the States, though some comes from Russia and Canada. Leopards are spotted over Abyssinia, India and Asmara. Fitch halls in light color from Russia, in dark, from Germany. Kolinsky is Russian.

Lots of different kinds of lamb constitute the caracul family. Some of it is gathered from China and Japan, some from Russia. Persian lamb is similar to krimmer, but practically the same fur, and originates in the Balkans, Crimea in particular. The hot countries—also Russia and China—"grow" another type of caracul, kidskin. Galvak is also a caracul, and gets its name from nakedness. From Russia, the lamb responsible for this smooth fur is killed while yet innocent and young, and before its skin is much ruffled. "Goly" is the Russian word for naked.

Educated Horses Are Not Used in the Trick Acts

Some people imagine that the horses which are used in the liberty and high school acts are also used by the trick riders. This is not so; the trick rider requires a far different type of animal. Their horses are huge and massive, for one sometimes has to support an entire family on its back! The trick riders' horses are usually of Flemish breed. A thoroughly-trained one is of inestimable value; it has been taught, no matter what happens, never to change its feet. Should it do so when an artist is somersaulting from one horse to another, the result might be serious. When they are being broken for the ring, part of their training is to accustom them to unexpected noises and disturbances.

Not all, however, of these great horses come from Flanders. One woman rider bought the most reliable horse she ever rode straight from a milk cart. When this "rosin-back" died her whole family went into mourning!—Pearson's Weekly.

Relative Humidity

Humidity has to do with the dampness of the air. Absolute humidity is defined as the actual quantity of moisture present in a given quantity of air, and it may be expressed as a certain number of grains per cubic foot or of grams per cubic meter. The relative humidity, expressed in per cent, is the ratio of the actual amount of water vapor present in the atmosphere to the quantity which could be there, at the given temperature. A method of determining the relative humidity at any time is to measure the drying power of the air with a wet and dry thermometer. The wet thermometer has its bulb covered with muslin that is kept damp. The difference in the readings of the thermometers, referred to a chart, gives the relative humidity.

Kept Many Indian Names

Southern Massachusetts has perhaps retained more Indian names of towns, rivers and other geographical units than any other section of the country. Among them are Apponansett, Assonet, Assinippi, Catamount, Chappaquott, Cohasset, Pocasset, Cochituate, Scituate, Cotuit, Cummaquid, Cuttyhunk, Humarock, Manomet, Mattapoisett, Megansett, Menauhant, Monomoy, Muskeget, Nantasket, Coate, Nantucket, Quidnet, Siasconset, Tuckenuck, Watuwinet, Nonquitt, Nohska, Padanarum, Patuisset, Ponkapog, Sassaquin, Segregansett, Seekonk, Sippwisset, Squantum, Squibnocket, Tomsset, Titticut, Watuppa, Wianno and Pokonoket.

Whalebone Serves as Teeth

Whalebone (its true name being baleen) is the curious stuff that grows in place of teeth in the upper jaws of whales, writes Jeanette Minsley in "To the North." Baleen acts as a sieve, strains the many barrels of water gulped down by the whale as with wide open mouth it grazes the surface of the water, protects it from swallowing anything but the myriads of small molluscs on which it lives.

Quivering Aspen Leaves

One of the oldest legends in the Christian world concerns the constant quivering of aspen leaves, even in apparently still air. A large number of persons believe the aspen tree supplied the wood for the cross and has never ceased to tremble for the part it played in the crucifixion.—T. B. Lawrie, Winnipeg, Canada, in Collier's Weekly.

Infinitely Small

With the sense "infinitesimal," this expression is in good literary usage, and has appeared at various times since 1740. One may properly say "infinitesimally small"; in fact, this adverb modifier is more frequent than "infinitely." Either usage is supported by good authority.—Literary Digest.

Blues, Grays and Browns Are Leading Colors For Spring

Navy With Regency Pastels An Important Tendency for Present Selling—Riotous Plaids in Neutral Setting Widely Demanded.

Now that spring is here, certain definitely noticeable trends may be deduced from the selections which have been made by buyers visiting the showrooms. Foremost among these is the overwhelming preference for blue as a spring color. Leading all others by a good majority, blue seems to have been chosen as the most widely favored color for spring. But it must not be thought that navy is the only blue to achieve prominence. The popularity of blue as the dominant color note of the spring wardrobe is not due entirely to navy. The entire range of blues from dark to medium are responsible, including China blue and old blue tones, a new shade called cobblestone blue that hovers between blue and gray, a new brighter navy called Concord, and electric blue.

Gray has shown stronger acceptance than was expected, especially in the higher priced lines, and to a somewhat closer degree in the low and medium ranges. Medium tones have the call, rather than dark oxford grays, with gray novelty checks and small plaids in combination with plain woolsens and gray tweeds all figuring strongly in the early spring selling picture. As Easter passes, preference for the grays is expected to pass over to the beiges and natural tones, in combination with white.

For stocks which permit of a broader range of colors, and to meet the demands of the woman who seeks something a little more exclusive, new shades of brown, are worth considering. Preference for this color in the higher price ranges.

One of the surprises of the season has been the noticeable trend away from black. The outstanding preference for the various blues, and to a lesser but none the less noticeable degree, for gray, has lessened materially the proportion of black to the total choices. This holds both for dresses and coats, and many instances are noted where a strong black line has been shown, only to have the buyer ask if the same style is available in blue.

The word "Regency" is on every tongue, and its influence is noticeable in the unusual combinations of the popular blues with pastel tined trimmings and accessories. Not only the usual color combinations which one expects to find, but in addition a large variety of color combinations which designers have used their individual taste in interpreting. It can safely be said that the use of color with or on another color has been carried to a new high state of cleverness and ingenuity this season.

These are some of the colors in pastels which are being used to combine with navy dusky pink and other pastel rose shades, raspberry red, cherry red, yellow and orange. Two tone effects in light blue, as well as peach or coral, gray, eggshell, chartreuse and beige are others seen and purchased, according to the more alert buyers.

One might think from all this preference for color, pattern, except for weave, should lose importance, and this is true in the main. Checks and stripes have become more modest. One exception proves the big surprise. Plaids continue their popularity, especially in the brightest possible colors. They receive their most enthusiastic reception when offered with neutral colors in accessories or linings. Or if the blouse is plaid, the dress may be monotone.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd R. Day and daughter, of Kress, and Mr. and Mrs. Cabs. Pyles, of Dimmitt, visited in Floydada with Baird Bishop Sunday.

W. E. Henderson and C. Alexander left Friday for Hillsboro, where they will spend about ten days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Solomon and Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Williams spent Friday afternoon in Plainview.

R. E. Gollightly returned Friday of last week from Abilene, where he spent a few days on business.

Harold Bishop, who is in the CCC camp at Balmeah, Texas, spent a few days in Floydada last week. He was accompanied by Kenneth Sapp, also a member of the CCC.

Mrs. Lorraine Britton has gone to Rochester, Texas, for a short visit with her mother, Mrs. H. P. Bell.

J. C. Gilliam and H. M. McDonald were in Lubbock Friday of last week on business.

Lola Mae Grundy spent the week end in Floydada visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Grundy.

MISS ALICE MAE FYFFE IS INJURED IN CAR WRECK

Miss Alice Mae Fyffe, daughter of Mr. D. W. Fyffe of this city, was seriously injured when the car in which she was riding turned over Thursday of last week just outside of Slaton.

Miss Fyffe and a party of friends were returning from Slaton on the Slaton Lubbock highway when their car struck soft dirt and overturned, throwing Alice Mae from the automobile.

Miss Fyffe was first taken to the Slaton hospital for first aid and later removed to the Lubbock sanitarium where it was found that the vertebra in her neck had been crushed. According to reports received here by friends and relatives, Miss Fyffe is recovering as well as could be expected. She was attending Texas Tech College at Lubbock.

APPLICATIONS ARE BEING RECEIVED BY U. S. MARINE CORPS

The New Orleans District Headquarters Replacement office for the U. S. Marine Corps announces that applications are now being received to fill vacancies during the month of May. Applicants to fill vacancies receive their preliminary examinations in their home localities and those selected receive their final examinations at U. S. Marine Corps Headquarters, 535 St. Charles St. New Orleans, Louisiana.

The following qualifications are required: single, not less than 66 inches in height, of good moral character and not over 25 years of age. Application blanks and full information will be sent on request. Two letters of recommendation and a statement of education must accompany all requests for application blanks.

Dannie Mae Stewart of Tulia, spent Sunday in Floydada visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. D. Cummings.

Weldon Garner and Russell Wagner of Plainview, visited in Floydada Sunday.

STATES TO UNITE IN CELEBRATION OF CHILD HEALTH DAY

"Texas will unite with other states throughout this country on May 1, in the celebration of Child Health Day," stated Dr. John W. Brown, state health officer. The flag flown from government buildings the other 364 days in the year all symbolize some activity of or in behalf of grown-ups. They pledge loyalty to the government, commemorate great historical events, or the deeds of national heroes. But—in accordance with the Act of Congress under which Child Health Day was made a national day—for this one day the star spangled banner is displayed on public buildings as a reminder of the obligation of all citizens to care for and for and maintain the health and well being of the children and young people of the nation, those upon whom the duties and responsibilities of citizenship will rest in the future.

"The purpose of the Child Health Day observance, national and state," Dr. Brown said, "is to focus attention on the inherent right of every child to health, happiness, and intelligent care; to opportunities for normal growth and development, physical, mental and spiritual, and to community responsibility for seeing that such care is available for all children. Child Health Day is not an end in itself. Instead, it marks the beginning of the year-round activities of all forces charged with the maintenance and well-being of the children and young people of this state.

"Some of the things to which attention should be given in connection with the observance of Child Health Day include:

"The right of every mother to adequate care, before, during, and after the birth of the baby.

"The right of every child to adequate care.

"The right of every young child to be protected against diphtheria and smallpox.

"The nutritional needs of growing children and the importance of milk, whole grain cereals, green leafy vegetables and fruits in their diets.

"The recreational needs of children and young people; provision for safe, suitable places for play and pleasure"

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