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1424 POLLS PAID IN FLOYD COUNTY ON 1918 RENDITIONS

of 211. The loss is ascribed to the The number was well received. fact that this year is an off-year in

The tabulation by precincts made

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lowing:	
Precinct and No.	No. Poll
Floydada, One	40
Starkey, Two	
Allmon, Three	E
Sandhill, Four	
Lockney, Five	40
Providence, Seven	
Lone Star, Eight	8
Sunset, Nine	
Fairmont, Ten	4
Cedar, Eleven	
Center, Twelve	6
Baker, Thirteen	(
Antelope, Fourteen	•9
Lakeview, Fifteen	(

FATHER OF MESDAMES BORUM AND HARMON IS DEAD

J. B. Sanderson, of Krum, Denton County, died at the home of his daught er, Mrs. F. C. Harmon, in South Floydada Saturday at 5 o'clock of Bright's

grounds the first of this week.

MESDAMES CANNADAY AND

Christ for a number of years.

Truitt were hostesses last Thursday spent in social time. All wanted. evening at the pretty Truitt home on

fruit salad, marshmallow loaf, nabis- appendicitis. cos and chocolate was served.

The guests of the evening were: Mesdames J. T. J. Dawson, H. O. monds, February 18th, a son. Pope, Lee Montague, N. W. McCleskey, J. F. Blanton, T. B. Triplett; Mr. Wood, Homer Steen, M. L. Kizzair, been mustered out of service. Dr. and Mrs. V. Andrews, Dr. and Mrs. W. Hicks, Dr. and Mrs. G. V. Smith,

T. C. Russell left the latter part of ast week for Wichita Falls and Iowa Park, where he has oil lease interests. business visitor in Floydada Monday.

SCHUBERT SEXTETTE DRAWS HALF FREIGHT RATE BIG CROWD AT AUDITORIUM

Poll Tax receipts issued by Tax Col- The Schubert Sextette, concert comlector J. A. Grigsby in Floyd County pany, drew a big crowd at the High

FLOYD COUNTY HAS SENT

county to know that you have sent 206 ficates. students to this institution. That so many of its young people obtain a higher education certainly speaks well JOHNSON SAID TO

The Panhandle Teachers' Association will meet at the West Texas State Normal College on April 4th and 5th. broke in Spain. The ex-champion is hurry back to France. A large and enthusiastic attendance fighting ten-round bouts with various cators of the state will speak. Among a thousand pesetas in purses. TOTAL 1,424 Texas Teachers' Journal, and our own cost \$5,000, but he does not say how may be run from Washington to carry First U. S. Army had recently stated President, Mr. J. A. Hill.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

The United States Employment Serdisease. He was 69 years of age and vice has positions to fill for cooks, PROGRAM FOR PAPTIST LADIES' BAILEY AND ROY GREEN had been seriously ill since the Monday waitresses, chambermaids, housegirls, morning previous when he became un- farm hands, sod crop on shares, nurserymen, druggist, experienced tailor, The remains were shipped to Justin, meat cutter, barber cleaner and press-Texas, Sunday morning where burial er, ranch hands, cowboys, auto mewas made in the family burying chanics, freighters, woman stenograph Lord." er, tank builder ,school teachers, and The children of the family, five in salesmen and bookkeepers experienced all, were here at the time of their in Lumber Business; and applications father's death. They are: Mesdames for positions of truck drivers, machin-J. U. Borum, and F. C. Harmon, City; ists, electricians, car inspectors, water Mrs. John Davis and H. O. Sanderson, chanics, firemen, brakemen, typists, of Krum. These together with Mrs. copyists, bookkeepers, stenographers, J. B. Sanderson, Sr., and Mr. Borum, salesmen, salesladies, store clerk, carsouri, but had lived in Wise and Den-watchman's job.—Rooms 332-334-336 ton counties for some fifty years. He Federal Building, phone 2367. had been a member of the Church of

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Missionary Society of the Meth-TRUETT GIVE "84" PARTY odist Church will meet with Mrs. HUNS UNREDEEMED, Griggs Monday. The officers will be Mesdames W. I. Cannaday and F. S. installed and the afternoon will be

Invin Todd, who is stationed at Post the League of Nations. Miss Windsor, and Miss Bagley, of Field, Oklahoma, has been home on "There is, perhaps, one step outan extended furlough visiting his par- standing today in their progress in ents, 'Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Todd.

ON FEED SHIPMENTS TO BE DISCONTINUED SOON

for the year 1918, during the collection School Auditorium Friday evening of operation of the R. R. Administra- Wilson's decision to speak in Boston riding of bicycles on sidewalks will be appointed presiding judges and elecperiod which closed February 1st, to last week when they presented a pro- tion's policy of granting half freight immediately upon arrival from France enforced strictly from and after this tion managers for the various pretalled 1424, a decrease from last year gram of musical and reading numbers. rates on feed shipments into the clearly indicates, Administration offi-206 STUDENTS TO W. T. S. N. none after then. Every faimer is Nations. The Normal has just finished a com- cure this great saving in buying feed gress ,asking indorsement. Other pubpilation of statistics in its attendance by ordering immediately, and at the lic addresses may be made, if time affor the past nine years. It would same time consulting the County fords, and it is known the President probably interest the people of your Agent to obtain the necessary certiplans to issue several statements to

W. H. DARROW, County Agent.

BE BANKRUPT NOW

them are Miss Annie Webb Blanton, Guy Garner, a jockey who has just hind him on the League of Nations State Superintendent of Public In- returned from riding at St. Sebastian, plan. struction, Mr. Marcus H. Duncan, Su- says the negro is in evidence everyperintendent of the Amarillo City where looking pretty seedy, wearing a stated here Saturday, for a big dem-Schools, Mr. H. T. Musselman, Editor shabby old fur coat which he boasts onstration at Boston. A special train Jack's or Mrs. Johnson's diamonds dis- An effort will be made to have anappear, presumably going to a pawn-nounced approved of the League of

AID MONDAY, FEB. 24, 1919

Subject-Church Building. Leader-Mrs. Cannaday.

Scripture Reading-Psalms 15 and

Psalms 112—By leader. Prayer-Mrs. W. L. Tubbs

-Bro. McDaniel. Solo-Miss Windsor.

Special Music-Miss Nowlin. The help our local church has been

to us-Mrs. Hopkins.

Dismissed with prayer McDaniel.

HOOVER DECLARES

build up that people to such decency as to an independent existence." would warrant their admittance into

ery which they have been responsible came last week. for in Belgium and Northern France

MOTHERS' CLUB PROGRAM

The following program will be given Friday afternoon at the High School Auditorium, at the meeting of the Mothers' Club beginning at 4 of the bad weather.

dren in school-By Mrs. Childers.

The effect of irregular attendance upon school work-By Miss Rae.

OHMER KIRK MUSTERED OUT

the army, was mustered out last week service. and he and his wife returned to Floydada to make their home Tuesday of

in the Kirk and Windsor hardware.

ridian, and other Central Texas points. Gamble will remain there indefinitely.

WILSON ANXIOUS TO HAVE PEOPLE BACK LEAGUE OF NATIONS PACT

February 28 will mark the end of the Washington, Feb. 15.—President of the City of Floydada prohibiting last week the Commissioners' Court drouth areas. All shipments billed cials believe, that he intends to apout or in transit on or before Febru- peal to the American people for unary 28 will be subject to the rate, but qualified indorsement of the League of 360th INFANTRY USED AS SHOCK judge, W. L. Boerner, A. A. Beedy, J.

urged to anticipate his needs and se- In addition, he plans to address Conthe people from the White House.

> This program indicates a complete Secretary Tumulty Tuesday.

directly to Washington, quietly dispose Paris, Feb. 17.-Jack Johnson is of the mass of executive business and

Now officials say he desires to be is expected, as some of the noted edu- ham fighters and is lucky to grab off able to show the Allies when he returns that America is squarely be-Brigade:

> Plans are now under way, it was long ago, and every little while one of Washington notables to the Hub City.

Nations plan.

HOME FROM ARMY SERVICE

Bailey and Roy Green, sons of J. H. Green, are home from the army having will recount some of your deeds: Song—"Come Ye that Love the been mustered out within a few days of each other just recently.

service in France.

Roy, the elder son, who enlisted the Moselle river. from Colorado ,did not reach France. He was stationed on the border when Preny and Pagny-sur-Moselle and took this coming summer. It is estimated he received his discharge.

HOOVER CABLES HELP STARV-

Paris, Saturday, Feb. 15.—Herbert | The following cablegram was today Meuse-Argonne Front. Hoover, speaking at a dinner of the received from Herbert Hoover: "Need Between September 12th and 29th South Main Street, at an "84" party, Shirley, the six-year-old son of Mr. Circle Volnay this evening made an ex- for Armenian Syrian Relief becomes prisoners were captured. By the 359th five tables being used in progressive and Mrs. Lee Sandefur, of six miles tensive review of the work of the Com- increasingly acute. The plight of Ar- Infantry from 94th, 106th, and 153rd games, which were greatly enjoyed. northeast of Floydada, is recovering mission of Relief in Belgium and menia and Syria is especially dis-German Infantry. By the 360th In-Following the games a refreshment at the Childress Sanitarium following Northern France. He related experitressing because nearly everything fantry from 68th, 94th, and 153rd Incourse of chicken sandwiches, pickles, an operation Tuesday of last week for ences of the American delegates with that is done for them must be sheer fantry, 13th F. A. the German administration of occupa- charity there being no established On October 23rd you were on the present. We had a very interesting tion and said that, despite the depth governments to give obligations for Meuse-Argonne front and it fell to lesson from "The Women Workers of BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Ham- of feeling which he had from two and payment. A systematic destruction of your lot to make the attack on the the Orient," which we all enjoyed. a half years of intimate experience their agriculture and industry has been Freya Stellung for the Division on with the then ruling classes of the carried on for four years. The most November 1st and 2nd and your ex-Friends here have learned that Jack German people, he was not prepared to heroic effort and sacrifice will have ploitation carried you from Dunsur- Dan Shipley and our hostess, Mrs. and Mrs. J. M. Hughes, A. P. Mc- Buster, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. say that the German race was beyond to be made by the friends of these Meuse to near the Tuileries farm, on a Kinnon, Jas. K. Green, J. H. Donald-Buster, of Dimmitt, has returned from redemption or that it was not the duty people if they are to be restored to front of seven kilometers. This Freya son, W. L. Boerner, S. W. Ross, J. G. overseas duty in the army and has of the Allied countries to endeavor to their homes and enabled to hew back. Stellung was thelast organized defense R. Griggs next Monday afternoon at

EARL FRENCH HOME

that direction more lacking than any Camp Bowie, at which place he was vant-Dun, on a front of four kilometother," said Hoover, "and that is to- mustered out of the military service ers, by a superb assault that has not L. G. Wilson, of Plainview, was a tal abstinence from any expression of after having been sent home from over been excelled in this war for nicety of regret. If the seventy millions of seas to the base hospital at Bowie. execution or for ferocity of action, you Germans were to shed the tears of He was gassed on August 8th on the smashed the defective system at its Niobe for the next thousand years they St. Mihiel sector and had been in the hinges. could not wash away the human mis- hospital ever since until his release

> son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. French of this city. He went into training at Camp Funston from Clovis, New Mexico.

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an elec o'clock. This is the program that was tion will be held on Tuesday, April 1, delayed from last Friday on account 1919, in the City of Floydada, for the election of the following officers: The parents' Part in keeping chil- Mayor, five aldermen and city marshal 50-3tc W. L. BOERNER Mayor.

W. F. Garner, of Plainview, was here The Health Crusade—By Miss Davis Saturday last on professional busi-

Luther Thomas, son of Mrs. J. C. Ohmer Kirk, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Thomas, returned home Friday afterr. Kirk, who has been stationd at noon last from Camp Travis, where Camp Travis since his induction into he has been some months in military

A. N. Gamble, recently chosen as manager for the Gamble-Price Oil Mr. Kirk is working with his father Company, who are developing this spring 100 acres of oil lease southeast of Burkburnett, left Friday for Mrs. Glad Snodgrass and daughter Wichita Falls to begin preparations Gwendolyn, are visiting at Waco, Me- for active work on the ground. Mr.

CLES ON SIDEWALKS INVOKED

Notice is given that the ordinance

W. L. BOERNER, Mayor.

TROOPS ON FREYA STELLUNG H. Shubert.

Mrs. J. A. Callihan has just received judge, J. E. Hammitt. from her son, Tom Goslee ,citations gven the Texas Brigade for their work in France from September 12th to the day of the Armistice on November 11. of the 180th Infantry Brigade. The Bryant. Then he stated he wished to come 360th, mentioned most in the citation, is Tom's brigade, he being a member of Company H.

MEMORANDUM: To Officers and Men of the Texas

In his farewell letter to you on Nov. 21, 1918, the Division Commander gave you the highest possible praise for soldierly qualities. He had already told you that the Commanding General to the Commander-in-Chief that, "The 90th Division is as good as * * * Divisions you have not a better Division; it is as good and dependable as any

Division in the Army." Higher commendation could not be bestowed. In order that you may know some of the reasons for such unstinted praise, I

first fight and broke through those Agent for the Panhandle is at Floyd-Bailey, the younger son, saw service bewildering maizes of wire and enin France and was wounded there. He trenchments called the Quarten-Reing to the Commissioners' Court the has recovered, however, and was mus-serve and the Western end of the no-nature of Home Demonstration work Roll Call—Let each respond with tered out soon after being declared torious Bois-le-Pretre. In defending and the great advantage it will be to some Bible incident showing God's well at the hospital. His stories of the Southern portion of this wood the the women and girls of Floyd County. J. B. Sanderson, Arkansas City, Kans.; service men, shipping clerk, auto me-Explanation of church building fund teresting. On two days the past week hundred twenty three thousand men of financing of such an agent, which, he has been an honored guest at the whom eighteen thousand were killed. briefly stated, is that the Federal Gov-High School where he recounted to The whole Bois-le-Pretre was cleared ernment will meet the county approaccompanied the remains to Justin. penters, switch-board men, call boys, What would life be without our his former fellow-students some of the fantry, on September 13th, with slight sum of \$600. It is to be hoped that

> part in the general demonstration that the cash saving in community made along the whole battle front canning alone under the supervision from the Moselle to the Channel, on of the Home Demonstration Agent will ING PEOPLE IN ASIA MINOR September 26th. You were relieved on the night of October 9-10, to go to the over.

line and where it reached the Meuse was the pivot or hinge on which swung the installation of officers. the whole defensive system through Northern France and Belgium.

Earl French returned last week from Here at Andevanne and Villers-de-

This imperilled the whole German Army; then came the clamor for an He arrived home Friday. Earl is a armistice and the collapse of the war. Smith, February 17th, a daughter.

GENERAL ELECTION JUDGES APPOINTED BY COM. COURT

In their regular February session cincts for regular elections this year. The following appointments were made Floydada: J. D. Price, presiding

Starkey: D. H. Roland, presiding

Allmon: C. C. Krause, presiding

judge, M. Carr. Sand Hill: W. C. Hanna, presiding

judge, Oliver Gross. Lockney: Wm. McGehee, presiding change in plans from those he cabled The citation is from the headquarters judge, T. Z. Reed, John Byington, Jim

> Providence: G. C. Hartman, presidng judge. W. C. Oolev.

Lone Star: C. Applewhite, presiding judge, W. T. Reeves.

Sunset: Charlie Wilson, presiding idge, Paul Sims. Fairmont: Geo. R. Tibbetts, presid-

ng judge, Zearl Hawkins. Cedar: R. L. Ormon, presiding

judge, J. A. Dunlap. Center: L. B. Maxey, presiding udge, W. A. Huckabee.

Baker: J. D. Farmer, presiding udge, Earl Rainer.

Antelope: Will Graham, presiding idge, F. W. Cooksey. Lakeview: J. D. Hopper, presiding

judge, R. H. Conway.

HOME DEMONSTRATION WORK IN FLOYD COUNTY

Mrs. Dora Barnes, of Clarendon, On September 12th you had your Texas, District Home Demonstration loss—the exploitation being carried to the Commissioners will take advantage of this splendid opportunity and try You advanced your lines close up to the work out for at least three months

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Lane Monday afternoon, fifteen being

After the lesson we were served with

We adjourned to meet with Mrs. G. two-thirty at which time we will have

Be sure and come. We need you and will try to make you need us. MRS. G. R. GRIGGS, Secretary.

DISTRICT COURT WILL CONENE HERE ON MARCH 3rd

District Court for Floyd County will convene in Floydada on March third.

BORN-To Dr. and Mrs. L. V.

A Point of View

Some people, we fear, look upon a bank as a place where a few "rich old codgers" keep their money. Others not so fully prejudiced may think only large accounts are wanted and that this bank would not care for their business.

If your point of view has been anything like this, we want to correct it. We want you to feel that this bank wants and appreciates your business-large or small-and that an account here will be of great practical value to you.

The First State Bank

Lee Montague, President; Jas. K. Green, Vice President N. W. McCLESKEY, Cashier

Encourage the Child

Give little "Billie" a piece of work to do with the understanding that if it is done well you will allow him \$1.00 or \$5.00 with which to start a bank account in his own name. You start the child off in the right way by associating Thrift with Finance. This account may be the beginning of his future success. It will certainly please the child and we shall do all in our power to encourage him with his bank account.

HE FIRST NATIONAL BANK Floydada, Texas

White Crest Four The kind you got before the war

Floydada, Texas

PLACES AND DATES ARMY

at the various Camps, on the dates price of wheat is around \$1.50 and the since Jackson county was organizeed shown below, Cavalry Horses, Artil- price is unlikely to rise. With a gov- there has been something like \$500,000 lery Horses, Wheel Mules, Lead Mules, ernment guarantee of an average of spent for roads and it has practically and Pack Mules, approximately Five \$2.25 per bushel, it follows that the been wasted as the county has no roads hundred head at each sale:

San Antonio, Texas.

as, Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich.,

Camp Doniphan, Lawton, Oklahoma. gard, Alexandria, Louisiana, Camp this kind has every right to expect Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa, Camp Mc- that a very large proportion of this Arthur, Waco, Texas.

March 3, 1919. Camp Bowie, Fort the Victory Loan. Worth, Texas; Camp Grant, Rockford,

March 5, 1919. Camp Cody, New Mexico; Camp Funston, Kansas; Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark.

Antonio, Texas

March 10, 1919. Fort Bliss, Texas; Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich.;

Camp Logan, Houston, Texas. March 12, 1919. Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa; Camp Doniphan, Lawton, Oklahoma.

March 14, 1919. Camp, Pike, Little Rock, Ark.

March 19, 1919. Camp Funston, Kansas, Camp Travis, San Antonio, Texas. March 21, 1919. Camp Beauregard,

Alexandria, Louisiana; Camp Cody Deming, New Mexico. March 24, 1919. Camp Doniphan.

Lawton, Oklahoma. March 26, 1919. Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich.

March 28, 1919. Camp Travis, San ntonio, Texas. Antonio, Texas. March 31, 1919. Fort Bliss, Texas.

April 2, 1919. Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss. April 11, 1919. Fort Bliss, Texas;

Camp Shelby, Hattisburg, Miss. April 21, 1919. Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss.

These animals are being some cause the Government has no further for them and not because they are worn out. A great number of excellent animals will be found among this lot and doubtless can be purchased at a reasonable figure. These animals all passed Government Inspection when purchased, have had very little if any service and have been at these Camps since first purchased. A good halter will be given with each animal. The terms of sale are either currency,

It is the duty of every patriotic citizen to assist the Government in disposing of its surplus supplies to the best financial advantage. Therefore, as such citizen you are requested to give this sale as much publicity as is within your power. If your local paper will publish a news item to advise its readers of these sales, it will be doing a patriotic act that will be of great help to the Government.

HALE COUNTY TURNS DOWN AGRICULTURAL AGENT PLAN

The commissioners' court , which is now in session, has voted unanimously against further appropriations from the county treasury for the support of the agricultural demonstration work in Hale county, and also turned down a proposition to help in the support of a woman canning demonstrator. The members feel that the farmers of the county are not appreciative of the work of demonstrators, and that they proposition to help in the support of a do not desire their service.

Mr. R. R. Hand from Kansas has been county agricultural agent here since in January a year ago. The federal government, as a war proposition has paid his salary of \$1,800 a year, and the county has paid \$300. The war appropriation will cease July 1st, and John R. Edmondson from the A. & M. College at Colege Station, was before the court urging that the work here be continued. He made the proposition to continue the agent here until July 1st under the present agreement if the court will agree to pay \$1,000 toward a county agents salary the coming year, and it was this proposition that the court turned down. -Plainview News.

\$16,000,000 FOR TEXAS

WHEAT FARMERS

Here is a story of real interest in any community where wheat is sown. Government figures show that there was planted in Texas in the fall of 1918, 2,109,000 acres of winter wheat. The condition of the crop December, 1918 was 100 per cent. It follows and the crop Extended in the crop Exte

then that on a conservative basis of ANIMALS MAY BE BOUGHT ten bushels to the acre over twentyone million bushels of this wheat will

The government which has singled out the wheat grower for special treat- county will get a dollar's worth of ser-February 28, 1919. Camp Beaure- ment and made a present to him of vice.—Grandfield (Okla.) Enterprise. gift will be reinvested in Bonds of

> OFFICIALS TO DESTROY \$15,000 WORTH OF LIQUOR

Dalas, Texas, Feb. 14.-Liquor val-March 7, 1919. Camp Travis, San ued at \$15,000 will be poured into the Dalas sewers by United States mar-

shals within the next few days. The liquor, hundreds of quarts of it, has been confiscated by department of justice agents, according to United States Marshal J. A. Baggett who will have charge of the operation.

There will be sold at Public Aution be placed on the market. Today's published in Altus, last week showed farmers of Texas are likely to re- fit to travel. It advocates using the to take away. February 24, 1919. Camp Travis, ceive a bonus of nearly sixteen million money paid to the road fund in the dollars over and above the current future to hard surfaced roads and February 26, 1919. Fort Bliss, Tex- market price when this wheat is ready. gradually build them all over the county so that when a dollar is spent the These are from a fine \$25.00

Hesperian Want ads bring results

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We can fill your order for any SEED, Poultry article, Plant, Sprays, Insecticides, Fungicides. Prices and Quality always right. Prompt shipments. Ask fo rlist.

C. E. WHITE SEED COMPANY Plainview, Texas

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I have a few young ones ready

PRICE \$5.00 PER PAIR.

Buck and a thorough bred doe. FIRST CUSTOMERS GET FIRST CHOICE

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WE ARE PREPARED TO MAKE LOANS FROM \$250.00 UP TO ANY AMOUNT.

WE DO OUR OWN INSPECTION AND GIVE QUICK SERVICE. SEE US BEFORE GIVING YOUR APPLICATION.

SMITH & DARSE

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PRICE-GOEN CA

Best Buy in the Iowa Park Field

\$25,000 CAPITAL, SHARES \$50 PAR VALUE. Now is the time to buy while you can get them

Think of being able to buy an interest in a Company with 20 acres of holdings in approximately 2,700 feet of the famous Watkins Well,—the well, which at 675 feet is producing steadily about 200 barrels per day of the highest grade oil this side of the Pennsylvania Fields. Two other wells in this field closer than the Watkins Well are also reported in now, one of which is within about 1,500 feet of us and said to be a better producer than the Watkins itself. We are almost positive we are going to get oil. Can you see how we are going to miss it?

Drilling Soon to Start

ve expect to begin arming just as soon as to sign up as soon as we are ready to give him the word, which we think will not be later than April 1st. Judging from the history of all the wells in the Burkburnett and Iowa Park Fields our stock will be worth from 1 1-2 to 5 to one on the share, and we will not be offering it to you at par after drill starts. The main point we want you to consider in buying our stock is that we have acreage for as many as ten or fifteen wells right up against producing property, capitalized at only \$25.000, giving your shares every opportunity to be worth 10 to 1 after we begin to bring in production.

Men Behind the Company:

The men behind this company are honest, capable men, competent to handle this business properly and to the interest of all stockholders.

We expect to drill one well on our 20 acre tract, and thereafter, with the consent of a majority of the stockholders, to set aside ten per cent of the production from this well and each succeeding well for further drilling until we have completely developed the entire tract.

Drillers have confidence in our tract, so much so that a competent driller has offered to drill five wells for us on a fifty-ffffty basis of-production, but we were advised by men who know the field thoroughly that this was too big a price to pay to get our holdings developed.

After the first well comes in and we get everything in operation it is our plan to pay out the income every thirty days in dividends, and this plan will be followed, if sanctioned by the stock-

We can drill as many as 15 wells on this tract without crowding. The first well, which the promoters agree to drill, will not only put the company in position to drill these additional wells, but at the same time pay handsome dividends as we go along.

We have the possibility of deeper oil as well, under our tract. Several deep tests are being made in our vicinity, one going 3,500 feet within about one-half mile of our lease. Should one of these come in a gusher our holdings will tremendously increase in value without putting a drill bit in the ground.

We propose to give our stockholders competent, economical, careful management and a fair run for their money in every way, and on this basis we ask your subscription for as many shares as you are in position,

OIL COMPANY

FLOYDADA, TEXAS.

A. V. Haynes, President. T. C. Russell, Sec'y.-Treasurer O. B. Olson, O. P. Darsey.

Send your check now! Fill in Coupon below and mail to The Mutual Oil Company, Box 344, Floydada, Texas.

MUTUAL	OIL	CO.,	FLOYDADA,	TEXAS

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find \$.....

shares o fstock in the Mutual

Oil Company, at par value of \$50 per share. I buy this stock with the understanding that all stock is common, fully paid and non-assessable. Name.

NOTICE IN PROBATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

the notice in the County of Floyd State pneumonia, in this country. notice to be printed at least once each before the return day hereof:

NOTICE!

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

the probate of the last will and testa- January period. ment of the said S. D. Greer, deceased, heard at the next term of said court, 28.8 deaths per 1,000 of population. commencing on the third Monday in April A. D. 1919, the same being the 21st day of April A. D. 1919, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Floydada, Floyd County, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.

Here fail not, under penalty of the law, and of this Writ make due return. Given under my hand and seal of office, in the town of Floydada, the

4th day of February A. D. 1919. Attest: TOM W. DEEN, Clerk County Court, Floyd County.

NEWS OF LOCKNEY

From The Beacon:

Last week a Mr. Jackson, an oil promoter, was here, and spent the entire week, getting leases on land in the east part of the county, on which to develop oil. Sixteen thousand acres was leased in the Sunset community, in the east part of the county and it is proposed to put down a test well at once. The lands are tied up we understand for 12 months, and the work is to be done within that length

It is said there are out-croppings of oil on the edge of the caprock, and other indications pointing to a very rich oil field. There would be no way to estimate the value of an oil field in Floyd county. It would make things hum, and would place Lockney in the midst of great activity.

We may expect some important developments in the near future, which the Beacon will announce from time to time. We understand that the parties leasing the land proposes to put down a test well at their own expense. No stock company is to be organized for this purpose, no bonus asked for the proposed development.

Stalcup Gin Destroyed by Fire The Stalcup cotton gin was destroy ed by fire this morning about two o'clock. Origin of the fire is unknown at this writing. The gin building, ma chinery and a great quantity of seed and cake was a total loss.

Tie plant belonged to the Quanah Cotton Oil Company. The amount of insurance, if any, is not learned.

The alarm was not given until the fire was well underway. It was not | } generally known until after day break. Water was not gotten to the fire until after daylight, when a line of hose was laid at the rorner of the Lockney tate Bank, and at this writing it is ought that some seed will possibly

CARD OF THANKS

We are deply grateful to the good people of Floydada who assisted us during the illness and death of our husband and father. We desire to thank each one most sincerely who

ministered to him in any way. MRS. J. B. SANDERSON And Children.

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H. H. ALLEN

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In Photography

AN OKLA. PROPHETS SAYS:

Washington, February 13 .- Spanish From about February 5th to about To the Sheriff or any Constable of influenza has caused more deaths in March 5th storm forces have a tenthis country during the last four dency to increase in energy seven to an amendment to the Military Appro-You are hereby commanded to cause months than America's losses by death nine hours past mid-day and seven to priation Bill proposed by Representathe following notice to be published in in nineteen months of war. That was nine hours past mid-night. The near-tive Jones of Texas, which required a newspaper of general circulation revealed by figures made public here er to February 20 the more pronounc- that whenever an enlisted man makes which has been continuously and regu- yesterday showing the extent of the ed is the tendency, making allowances application for discharge and his imlarly published for a period of not less scourge and its companion desease, than one year preceding the date of neumonia in this country.

The date of the difference between mid-wing an early spring the almost confidence in the date of the date o ter and early spring the almost con- must at once transmit to the Adjutant The figures, compiled by the Public tinuous warm weather we have had General of the Army all the papers in of Texas, and you shall cause said Health Service, disclosed that in forty-since about January 6th is similar to the case and his reasons in full for dissix cities of this country alone there the summer weather we had during approving the application. Jones, who week for the period of ten days ex- were 125,562 deaths from September to the last week of March 1907, that served as a private after declining a clusive of the first day of publication January. These figures do not take was followed by winter weather in major's commission in the world war, into consideration any of the army April and May. The shin oak acrons said he knew of innumerable cases camps or rural sections of the country | failed that year. The only time in where officers disapproved applicaor any of the small towns or cities. It the history of Western Oklahoma. It tions for discharge without having any To all Persons interested in the Es- is estimated that a complete census of is absolutely certain that the warm reason for such arbitrary action. tate of S. D. Greer, deceased. Mrs. the influenza's work in the United we are now having (Feb.2) will be Dora Greer has filed in the County States would disclose between 250,000 followed by a sharp reaction. We Court of Floyd Co., an application for and 300,000 deaths in the September- will have some real winter weather in March and probably in February. In New York led the cities in which a my December forecast I said that the filed with said application, and for census of deaths was taken, with a to- winter of 1918-19 would be the stormletters testamentary of the Estate of tal of 27,362. In point of percentage lest since the winter of 1911-12, and S. D. Greer, deceased which will be San Francisco suffered most having I still think so.—Alva Pressnell, in Arnet (Okla.) Capital.

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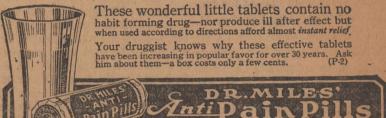
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gress, was made secretary.

amount planted in 1918, and I further of "Pilgrim's Progress."

mand the respect of the world."

DRAGGING TO IMPROVE ROADS

and improve it wonderfully, and the at least as much regularity and interroads. Another rain comes and we this way can parents not only improve somebody says, "What's the use?" so cultural value, but also lead their chilwe bounce over roads that a day's Walker, Adjunct Professor of English. work would have smoothed.

Persistent dragging will keep any ordinary road in good shape, provided the road has been put in good condition with grader to begin with. Dragging must be done after every rain, if eases, the owner of live stock will find good results are expected. The ground that his greatest losses can be traced will tear up in clods. Continually from some form of abuse of the stomdragging gradually elevates the cen- achs and intestines of his animals as ter of the road, and keeps the surface a result of rations, therefore, has a Usually, two rounds with a drag is all stock. Continued feeding of a ration that is necessary.

good work as the stel drag can be serious digestive disturbances. made very easily. This drag is made Mineral material or ash is needed The Progressive Farmer.

ce Suits, Southwestern Exchange Moldy er at Lockney, was in Floydada po fternoon and night on busi-

THE HESPERIAN PUBLISHING CO. vital interest to us, is not new, but but if larger quantities are fed may a lot of information to be given out to ability or one should develop within days. For several weeks his condition Entered as second class matter April ancient as the prairies or the can-duction of fresh, green grain, tends to from the Bureau of War Risk Insur- curred while in the service in line of Lockney, were here Sunday and Mon-20th, 1907, at the Post Office at Floyd- yons. The literary value of Bible derange the digestion, produce colic ance, Washington, D. C. Write at duty and not brought about by your day. They were the guests of Mr. ada, Texas, under the Act of Congress study-how seriously do we take it in and other stomach and intestinal dis-once. er tongue it is necessary for one to access to piles of lime, paint cans or business over to other insurance com- form for claim for compensation be week from Pueblo, Colorado. Mr. One copy one year, in advance....\$1.00 go to college, and if this does not fresh paint on walls. One copy six months, in advance....50c seem possible, he feels that opportu-Advt. Rates Furnished on Application Do you realize that, on the shelf in Williamson County claims the na- service and for them alone, and as ties is a very liberal one and is paid REDUCE COTTON ACREAGE means, not only to spiritual growth, of the claimant is Elton Sartor, who this insurance. Keep it up.

campaign and W. C. Barrickman, sec- told an interesting incident. A pris- \$172, the gain was \$1,052.85, which to Washington, D. C. retary of the Texas Industrial Con- oner in a state prison, becoming in- was the profit made in 15 months on of the thirty-one state senatorial dis- the following scheme: He read every- pig each in the past ear. tricts and an organization committee one of Shakespeare's plays and every in each county, consisting of the time he found a reference he punched SOLDIERS, HOLD ON TO chairman of the county council of de- a pinhole in a scrap of newspaper. fense, a banker and the county agri- When he finished he had more than cultural agent. Each county commit- eight hundred pin-pricks. The exam- Camp Travis, Texas, Feb. 18.—"Dis- traced back to an injury or an illness reduction campaign and to secure sig-need mention. What chance had a risk insurance," Captain Royall R. line of duty and not brought about by natures of individual farmers to the mender of pots and pans at an educa- Watkins, of the Judge Advocate Gen- his own wilful act or misconduct, shall tion? But the twelve years of unfust eral's Department, United States receive compensation from the govern-"I hereby pledge myself and those imprisonment in Bedford jail were not Army, thus urges the men who have ment." whom I represent, to reduce my cotton lost, and those days devoted to the served their country in the great war. The government also will give free acreage for the year 1919 not less than eager searching of the Scriptures bore Captain Watkins addresses men up medical and hospital treatment, etc, 33 1-3 per cent, as compared with the fruit in the noble and stately prose for discharge at Camp Travis, Texas and try to restore the injured or sick

pledge myself to use all of my influ- The lack of knowledge of the Bible and has prepared the following synop- if his earning capacity at his old occuence to secure a like reduction by my displayed by many students in college sis of his talk: English classes would be amusing if it You should keep up your govern- he desires to learn a new occupation, February 22 was agreed upon as were not almost tragic. One bright ment insurance for several reasons, the government will teach him any "Pledge Day" and Governor Hobby student thought that the story of he says. The main ones are: mation calling upon the people of the somewhere in the Bible, though state to assemble at the school house couldn't give chapter and verse. Anin every district for the purpose of other hunted diligently in the Old Testament for the book of Hebrews, written and even when converted into any other forms of policies, you will be any other forms of policies, you will be has been requested to issue a procla- Jason and the golden fleece belonged It is the best insurance ever writpress of Texas, not only in giving wide lamb." What is the trouble? Are the publicity to the purpose of this cam- Sunday School teachers to blame? No, be converted at any time within the paign, but to signalize February 22, I should say not, but rather the su-term of five years from the date the commemorating the life of the Father perficial way the Sunday School les- president issues the peace proclamaof this Country, as a fit day upon son is too often studied. All too often tion. In order to continue the governwhich Texas and her people shall its preparation consists of a hurried ment insurance, youmnst convert the pledge themselves to so care for their perusal, after Saturday night's pic- present form into some other form of interests as will enable them to com- ture show, of the few verses making policy before or at the end of that five up the mere text of the lesson.

The only way really to know anything about the Bible is to read it time comes for you to convert the pres-MUST BE PERSISTENT every day—not in a hurried, disjointed bedtime, snatching up the Book at The main trouble about dragging bedtime to appease an accusing conroads is that we do not drag them science and sticking down a finger possible in order to get the benefit enough. What's everybody's business wherever the volume happens to fall of your early age. is nobody's business. A rain comes open-but somewhere in the vivid, and the road is cut up. We drag it wide awake hours of the day and with community is enthusiastic over good est as we give to the daily paper. In drag again, but this time we are not themselves by daily contact with an so eager. Another rain comes, and acknowledged source of literary and the road is left to remain in chuck- dren to a love of the pages that shall holes and ditches. Probably we have never lose their inspiration for the no more rain for several weeks, and English speaking race.-Hallie D.

FEEDING HOGS FOR HEALTH

Aside from the communicable dis should be dry, but not so dry that is to the diseases and conditions arising smooth, so that the water runs off. material influence upon the health of having a deficiency or excess of any A home made drag that does just as of the elements of food may result in

box fashion, out of 2x 12 plank. These in proper proportion if the animals plank are bolted together securely are to continue to grow and remain with long bolts, about 18 inches apart. in good health. The necessity of bulk The bottom is left open, but the top in the ration is of more importance is boxed over with plank stout enough than most people imagine. In fact to bear the weight of two or three much of the trouble experienced in men. The front runner is faced with hog feeding has been caused by raa piece of steel to protect the plank tions lacking proper bulk. Succlence and cut the dirt smoothly. The driver is another feature which should not rides on the drag, and can change its be lacking in the ration. Feeds conposition as desired, by shifting his taining excessive quantities of hard weight from one end to the other .- dry, woody fiber, unless accompanied by some form of succulent forage, pronach and intestinal troubles frequently produce forage ssive quantities of a sufficient time

Some feeds, as for example cotton- choose. You may pay by the month, he will be sent to school free and his Clarence Foster, who is at Marlin OF BIBLE STUDY seed meal, prove to be very satisfac- by the quarter, six months or even a family cared for while he is learning taking treatment for rheumatism, is tory and economical when fed in rea- year in advance. This subject, like many others of sonable quantities to certain animals, The War Risk Insurance Bureau has My advice to you, if you have a distant few

but also to cultural development? started with a 68 pound, registered

on the subject of War Risk Insurance, man to health. In addition to that,

through Proverbs for the quotation able to get it cheaper than you can

year period.

My advice to you is to wait until the ent form of insurance into another form (the issuance of the Peace proclamation,) then change it as soon as

It will be necessary for you to pay your premium periodically, as you

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our daily lives? So many feel that to orders, particularly among horses. A great many men have an idea that bureau of War Risk Insurance, Washperfect oneself in the use of the moth- Stock is sometimes poisoned through the government will turn its insurance ington, D. C., and ask that a blank Mrs. M. R. Pelphrey returned last panies. This is a mistaken idea. The sent you. This should be attended to Pelphrey expects to remain there sevgovernment is in the insurance busi- at as early date as possible. nity has barred her door against him. Texas Claims Pig Club Champion ness for the men who have been in the The compensation paid for disabilithe dining room or on the table in the tional pig club champion, according long as you live you will have the each month. For further information Goods Co., returned home Saturday living room too seldom opened, is the to the local county agent. The name privilege and be permitted to carry concerning the compensation law, from the markets.

Allotments and Alowances

If one doubts this, let him turn to big type, Poland China sow pig, se- Your allotments with the governington, D. C. Dallas, Texas, Feb. 12.—At the conthe pages of the great English writers. lected from a famous herd in Kansas. ment will cease the day you are distanced by the pages of the great English writers. ference held in this city February 11, They are filled with references to the It cost \$25. The first litter from this charged. Your dependents, however, D. A. Bell and family, formerly of for the purpose of organizing a cam- Bible-allusions to the Psalms or the sow was 11 pigs which were sold, when will receive the government allowance Munday, Texas, have moved to Floydpaign to secure a reduction of the cot- parables, references to the experiences they were 6 months and 4 days old for the month after your discharge. ada. ton acreage to be planted in Texas of the children of Israel, to David and and weighed 2,233 pounds, for \$527.85. If you have any delayed allotments or this year, of not less than 33 1-3 per Saul, and to the beautiful life of the From the second litter of 12 pigs the alowance, ask the home service section Harry Snodgrass and Robt. J. Hall cent of that planted in 1918, Judge W. Man of Galilee. Shakespeare is full of boy sold 9, for which he received \$225. of the American Red Cross to help returned yesterday from a stay of F. Ramsey, of the Federal Reserve such references. Frederick Warde, in Adding \$500, the amount refused for you get it straightened out. If you several days in Wichita Falls and ad-Bank, was selected as chairman of the a lecture on our great dramatist, has the sow, and deducting the feed bill of want to write about it yourself, write jacent points.

Compensation

not be confused with each other.

The compensation law provides custs in droves. WAR RISK INSURANCE among other things—"That any man who has a disability which can be tee is to conduct a local cotton acreage ple of Bunyan is too well known to charged soldiers: Keep up your war received while in the service and in

> pation is destroyed or impaired and other occupation he may choose and

a new trade.

as we so often say, "old as the hills," result in sickness or even death. Any the discharged soldier about the gov- a year after your discharge, and such had been not at all reassuring. or, to choose a figure more appropri- sudden change in feeds such as from ernment insurance and I suggest that a disability can be traced back to any ate for our great Panhandle country, dry to wet feed, or an abrupt intro- you get all the information you can illness, injury accident or exposure inown wilful misconduct, write to the and Mrs. C. H. West.

write to the Claim Section of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, Wash-

The department of agriculture has terested in the study of Shakespeare, an initial investment of \$25. Four of The compensation Section of the sent out a warning that a visitation The chairman was authorized to ap- began to notice how frequently he Elton's fellow club members made a War Risk Insurance law is an improve- of the seventeen-year locusts is due point an executive committee, com- used Biblical language. Denied the profit of over \$500; eight, over \$250; ment upon the old pension laws. It this summeer and predicts the 1919 posed of one representative from each use of writing material, he devised and eleven, over \$100 out of one sow is separate and distinct from the insur- invasion will probably be the worst ance section of the law and they must on record. The department has recipes for poisons that will kill the lo-

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Mitchell Bros.

McCleskey.

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For the best onion sets go to Collins . 50-tfc Grocery Company.

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The old time White Crest Flour, the kind you used to get before the war.

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bock last week for the American trading markets. Watch for these beautiful new goods. 50-1tc

purpose work horse. R. C. SCOTT. your leases we might make a value on the conserve my time, my purpose work horse. R. C. SCOTT. it for your Limit test is made your energy, and my money that I may

be taken today. No need to wait for your own welfare.

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acres improved, well fenced, price and terms.

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8c per bundle, and 25 tons of baled ues but not decrease them. maize at \$20 per ton, at my place 12 miles S. W. Floydada. L. Utsman. 50-tfc.

maize at 12 1-2c, also country we might win and could not lose. run grade at 10c. Can use a few rd and 4th Liberty Loan Bonds . Wells, 9 miles north Floyd-

D LITTLE HOUSE FOR SALE one time.

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27-tfc. me before selling. P. T. Rucker. 49-1tc

COPYING OF OLD PICTURES make it build up thrift. Is an art in itself, each picture requiring individual treatment, and often Country's victory finance. Liberty Bonds or Vendors Lien not being entrusted to the photograph-Notes will buy nice home in Floydada er until almost beyond recovery. We to the slippery dollar. Easy terms. See W. M. Massie & have perfected ourselves in this work 6. I will increase my savings, not 25-tfc and can handle it in the quickest and tomorrow, or next day, but now! - least expensive manner. By letting Come to Plainview and select your us copy your old pictures you are sure saving, I am my own biggest asset. menument from complete stock, trans- of good work, and of getting the origiportation allowed on purchases. South nals back undamaged. Bring them in, stamps or other government securities Plains Monument Co. Plainview. 27-tfc and let us estimate on the work. Wil- for a mess of pottage. son Studio, Opposite P. O. 49-2tc

FOR RENT

300 acres or more second and third year land. Good house, corrals, water. Also smaller tracts for rent. All near have fought and bled for Liberty. Lakeview. See Frank Kinnard. 50-2tc

For Good, well bundled maize, cotton labor, encouragement and money. seed and cane seed see Joe Smith, 2 12. I will employ all practical means

MAIZE HEADS FOR SALE About 6 tons at \$40. Located 20 Stamps, and other Government Bonds. Oakland Six for sale or will trade miles N. E. Floydada on Flomot Road. 13. I will make Thrift a happy habit

FEED FOR SALE

50-2tp war.

livery service in Floydada. Will in good shape for house. See R. B. will "carry on" with greater zeal and

48-4tc READ THESE 14 POINTS ABOUT

Barrier Bros. buyer left from Lubcock last week for the American tradige markets. Watch for these beaufetts.

Point No. 2. Our contract says an oil well must be dug on each individual's land in 3 years (instead of 5 as most leases do) or the lease contract forfeits.

Full No. 2. Our contract says an oil well must be dug on each individual's land in 3 years (instead of 5 as most leases do) or the lease contract forfeits.

Point No. 3. The oil lease value to-day on your land is worthless. If you will join with your neighbor, sign up it for you. Until test is made your lease value never will exist. Every day you lose in not signing up lease and Pledges made in 1918 to invest in

equipment you can be photographed fair and square as it can be made, to just as well one time as another. If be safe for the company and the land 31, 1918, may be fulfilled and the possible, however, bring the children owners and will stand the very closest in the forenoon, as we can give them scrutiny. We propose to give you 25 Savings Stamps. more attention then. Wilson Studio, cents per acre for lease, you to take Bring your kodack films to us. 50-tfc this in stock in company for the first binding obligation. Save and have!

Irish Cobbler and Triumph seed po- Point No. 6. Other communities are tatoes for sale at Collins Grocery Com- signing up for their test wells. Why 50-tfc should we delay? If you know of any reason why you might lose by leasing WANTED—A middle age lady without children to cook for hotel. Might

out children to cook for hotel. Might

out children to cook for hotel. Might

several million dollars for yourself now heating up and more and more proposition to help in the support of a large way and also turned down a proposition to help in the support of a large way and also turned down a proposition to help in the support of a large way and also turned down a proposition to help in the support of a large way and also turned down a proposition to help in the support of a large way and also turned down a proposition to help in the support of a large way and also turned down a proposition to help in the support of a large way and also turned down use a couple. Enquire at Commercial and neighbors by helping develop our interest being shown in developing our proposition to help in the support of a 1918 was 100 per cent. It follows O. P. Rutledge returned the latter 50-1tc country tell that also.

Point No. 7. If we don't get busy

48-tfc results.

one is going to get it.

FOR SALE—Good quantity in Texas that needs an oil well it sure at Agitite was dug several years ago well grained bundled white simple business. in Texas that needs an oil well it sure- at Agitite was dug several years ago simple business proposition wherein order of the insurance company which

ers to do likewise. Let's co-operate feet deep. Geologists state that the The liquor, hundreds of quarts of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ruddick. He has

49-1tc desire to, pull off a skin game you ty Herald. have another think coming.

Point No. 14. 90 per cent of the J. S. Williams and family who left Mrs. O. P. Rutledge and children cond hand dining table and wild cat wells in Texas the last two some three or four weeks ago for Cali- returned Tuesday from Dallas where d china cabinet. See Mrs. years have made good, but with the fornia to make their home, have set- they had been visiting some weeks pected home today or tomorrow. Barrier Bros. 50-2tc exception of a section north of Ama- tled at Duarte in that state, a short with relatives. They were accompanirillo the plains country is ur explored letter received from him the latter ed home by Mr. Rutledge, who had hite's Store. 49-tfc in oil development.

RESOLUTIONS FOR NINETEEN-NINETEEN

49-1tc for Nineteen-Nineteen. Every one of Be sure to get Rucker's prices on them good! Pledge to observe them poultry, hides and Eggs before sell-throughout the year, and live up to 49-1tc. your pledge. To have, one must save. Save and Have. You are your biggest Leather harness ,leather and cloth asset! Capitalize yourself! Take the if

47-tfc 1. I will not quit, but will push my personal job in helping clean up the

2. I will buy wisely, save sanely and invest securely, and will insist upon

3. I will take the "if" out of life and

4. I have a personal share in my 5. I will have enough sand to hold on

7. I will capitalize myself through 8. I will not sell my war savings

9. I will join the "Get Ahead" movement, such as one of the Government savings societies.

10. I will not let the "War-is-Over" idea make me ungrateful to those who

11. I will be behind our end of the Peace Table with my heart, brains,

miles north, 9 miles east of Floydada. of stopping the foolish drip from the pocket-book which undermines the foundation of Family Success, and save through War Savings Stamps, Thrift

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20 tons maize heads, 6 miles north 14. I will remember that Thrift is at Collins Grocery Company. 50-tfc of Petersburg. See or telephone B. F. one of the great lessons taught by the

15. I will not set my newly-acquired WANTED-To trade good auto up habits of Thrift and Sacrifice, but

50-4tc enthusiasm than ever before. 16. I will keep a written account of what I buy, study it weekly, and try FLOYD CO. TEST WELL to reduce my foolish spending, and

17. I will look ahead and not allow Point No. 2. Our contract says an oil advancement which may come in the

18. I will save-not through miser-

That long promised portrait should getting others to sign is detrimantal to United States Government War Sav-Pledges made in 1918 to invest in fine weather. With our modern studio Point No. 4. Our lease contract is ings Stamps, but which, for any reafulfilled by the purchase of 1919 War

A War Savings Pladge is a personal

fields. Leases are being purchased woman canning demonstrator. The every day now and it is given out on members feel that the farmers of the ten bushels to the acre over twentyquick and move the oil to Floyd County good authority that contracts for drill county are not appreciative of the one million bushels of this wheat will spending some ten days. One of the very best 320-acre all our money will soon be moved to ing of as many as eight wells, one of work of demonstrators, and that they be placed on the market. Today's farms in Crosby County. 200 Burkburnett, thereby making the land-them within two miles and a half of do not desire their service. Memphis, have been let and work will Mr. R. R. Hand from Kansas has price is unlikely to rise. With a gov- in Childress and Wichita Falls on busiacres improved, well fenced, owners down there millionaires.

Memphis, have been let and work will been county agricultural agent here ernment guarantee of an average of ness.

Memphis, have been let and work will been county agricultural agent here ernment guarantee of an average of ness. lots, two new granaries, good to make as fine a prairie land as we here. The Home Peoples Oil and Gas since in January a year ago. The \$2.25 per bushel, it follows that the residence, 12 horses, 2 wagons, 4 have here and not provide fuel for us. Company, the pioneer company in this federal government, as a war propo- farmers of Texas are likely to recows, 4 calves, 4 hogs, all kinds He knows what we need. (Dig.) county, announces that they have sold sition has paid his salary of \$1,800 a ceive a bonus of nearly sixteen million where he has been some months. of implements. Good terms. Call What we need, first is to think. Think- enough stock to begin work as soon year, and the county has paid \$300. dollars over and above the current at Hesperian office for close ing begets action and action begets as their rig arrives, and there is a The war appropriation will cease July market price when this wheat is ready. possibility that this stock may be ta- 1st, and John R. Edmondson from the The government which has singled Point No. 9. If you own stock in the ker. off the market soon. They are A. & M. College at Colege Station, out the wheat grower for special treatcompany and lease values increase expecting their rig most any day now, was before the court urging that the ment and made a present to him of Can be found at the Saunders your stock values increase accordinging thaving been shipped some time ago. work here be continued. He made the this kind has every right to expect the world at the Saunders. ly. You could not lose. That is what The cleaning out of the well at the proposition to continue the agent here that a very large proportion of this we want to do, increase values. You plaster mill at Agitite, east of Chil- until July 1st under the present agree- gift will be reinvested in Bonds of will agree that the values are at zero dress, has brought out the statement ment if the court will agree to pay the Victory Loan. About 5,000 bundles good maize at today. We could probably increase valthey believe the entire Red River Val- the coming year, and it was this pro-Point No. 10. If your neighbor, ey is over a gigantic oil pool, and that position that the court turned down. wants the test well, get busy for some- it is probable that the fields at Elec- - Plainview News, tra and Burkburnett are fed from this Point No. 11. If there is a county and Childress county pools. The well OFFICIALS TO DESTROY carried a policy on the plaster mill. Point No. 12. As soon as any man It was cleaned out last week and the ued at \$15,000 will be poured into the from Fort Sill, Oklahoma, where he understands fully the proposition he flow is about five to eight barrels per Dalas sewers by United States margets busy signs his lease and tells oth-day, and the well is only about twenty shals within the next few days.

50 part of last week indicates

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The commissioners' court , which is Here is a story of real interest in days on business. CONTRACTS FOR OIL DRILLING now in session, has voted unanimously any community where wheat is sown. LET IN HALL COUNTY against further appropriations from Government figures show that there The oil situation in this county is the agricultural demonstration work in 1918, 2,109,000 acres of winter wheat. or three weeks taking the baths.

\$15,000 WORTH OF LIQUOR days.

Dalas, Texas, Feb. 14.—Liquor val- Carlton Ruddick since his return

oil is flowing into the well from the it, has been confiscated by department practically recovered at this time. Point No. 13. If you think that west and that the quality of the oil is of justice agents, according to United town or country. See Homer Marshall could afford to, or has any of the very highest grade.—Hall Coun-

been ill at the home of his parents,

Marines Monday of this week according to a message received by his father, Judge F. P. Henry. Wells has been stationed at Quantico, Va. He is ex-

Carbon Paper and ribbons at The

Wells Henry was released from the

W. D. Berry, of Naylor Springs, 1 New Mexico, a former resident of this

county, has been here the past several

days on business and renewing friend-

ships and acquaintances of former

J. J. Davis returned last mid-week WHEAT FARMERS from Ranger and other points in central Texas where he had been several

Mayor W. L. Boerner has returned the county treasury for the support of was planted in Texas in the fall of from Marlin, where he spent some two

J. R. Leach is spending this week price of wheat is around \$1.50 and the

G. G. Tye is home from Burkburnett

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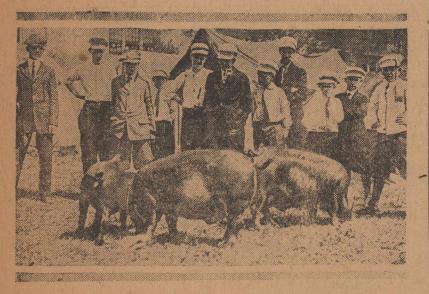
There are also deep wells going down all around us and you will have a chance at the deep stuff. It will be proven soon. If we get a gusher on a deep test you have made a fortune.

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EIGHTY THOUSAND BOYS AND GIRLS ENROLLED IN PIG CLUBS production campaign carried on by acre, another 126 and another 124.

Under Direction of Competent Leaders, Interested Juvenile Members in the state than during the previous well as older people were members, Learn How to Raise Better Pigs and Produce Gains Economically.



the Nation's call for an increased production of food. About 2,000,000 boys ment specialists ,in addition to county and girls were connected with the ag- agents and local club leaders, these last year. Of this number more than mentals of hog raising and are beganized and conducted by the United try, and are making good in raising States Department of Agriculture and pigs and making economical gains. State Agricultural Colleges. Of the Many of the club members are teach number who completed the year's work ing their fathers how rapid and ecoand made reports, 71 per cent raised nomical gains can be made in raising pure bred pigs. Their records show Kalb County, Indiana, pig clubs, under that they know how to put fat on pork- the direction of the local county agent, ers, for more than 12,000 pigs belong- have been able to almost double the ing to these juvenile club members results obtained by their fathers

Clubs Help Young and Old The men and women who organ the country in better methods of agriculture and better homespirit that in many cases have not

slackers when it came to answering weight, which is considerably above results obtained on most farms.

Under the supervision of 49 Departriculture and home economics clubs boys and girls are learning the funda-80,000 were enrolled in pig clubs, or coming interested in agriculture. They

* * * * * * * * * within the same length of time and * feding pigs of the same litter. The boys used self-feeders and the fathers ize boys' and girls' clubs strive * did not; and the pigs which were al-* to interest and train the youth of * lowed to select their own feed made gains of two pounds a day. The club members have proved beyond question making. The developing genera- * the merits of the self-feeders ,and hog tion is given an incentive and a * raisers in the locality of many years' experience are beginning to copy the only spurred them to high endeav- * boys' methods. As a result of the club or but have caused their elders to * work, the county agent reports many methods of farming * fathers and sons are now planning to

county agents and farm bureaus in In Carroll county, Mississippi, where Maine, 745 self-feeders were built last the Red Cross Pig Club was organized year and 2,600 more hogs were raised last year, in which boys and girls as year. Farmers who used self-feeders 600,000 pounds of pork were produced, kept more hogs than they could other- and \$10,000 from the sale of the aniwise, which suggested that the self-mals were contributed to the Red Cross feeder be made the basis of a campaign funds. The club had 3,000 members for more pork. Building "bees," or and shipped 30 cars of hogs to market. demonstrations, were conducted and As a result of the work of this club, self-feeders were built with the help the people of the county have become of the boys and their parents, and par- enthusiastic over the possibilities of ticular emphasis was placed on the ad- raising hogs. They are making a vantage of using self-feeders in con- study of economical feeds; the use of nection with pasturing hogs.

That boy and girl club members the members succeeded in producing are making big records in fattening as high as 118 pounds in gain on their their animals is shown by a report of hogs in a single month. the work in Ames, Iowa. One Ames By no means must live stock proclub boy made a gain of 2.39 pounds duction be allowed to lag. This is the a day on his pig for a period of 123 best judgment of those who have studays; another, 2.26 pounds a day, and died the situation and who know that 20 members succeeded in making an it is reasonable to look forward to average daily gain of more than 2 the continuation of the European depounds. Frank O. Reed, the pig club mand for meats after the close of the leader at Ames, says that this is the war. Boy and girl pig club members best record, from the standpoint of will play an important part in meeting rate of gain, that the members have this demand, for they are learning to ever made. He also reports that some raise better animals and produce gains excellent gains and unusual profits economically, and many of them will American boys and girls were not made an average gain of 1.14 pounds were made in fattening beef, and that be leaders in the industry of the fuseveral members of the corn clubs ture.

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tankage and self-feeders, and some of

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Fifth, Now this mill is going to be just what we make out of In patronizing my mill you not only get the good flour, but you are helping build up a home industry, and keeping at home money which, if spent for foreign and inferior flour would be sent away from here never to return. Help us to keep the money at home. I guarantee FLAVO FLOUR to give satisfaction. If you are not pleased I am not. You are the judge, if not satisfied bring it back. My motto is to live and let live.

> Yours most sincerely J. A. ABERNATHY, Prop. and Manager, FLOYDADA MILL.

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In a recent issue of Capper's Weekly appeared the following paragraph:

'Capper's Weekly reeently printed a K, 82nd Regiment, Indiana volunteers in the Civil War, writes from Harper, Kan., to Capper's Weekly that John H. Winder, a Confederate commissary general of prisoners, equaled Wirtz in barbarity. Winder could point to 3,-081 new-made graves for the month doing more for the Confederacy than little fling towards the south. Some 20 regiments. Mr. Wells goes on to say: 'Winder's lineage was in accordance with his character. His father was General William H. Winder, whose poltoonery at Bludensburg is 1814 gave Washington to the British and they buried the city. Winder, the son, was in command of federal prisoners at Libby prison and Bell Isle, and then was transferred to Andersonville, Ga. He obeyed the orders of Jeff Davis and Wirtz obeyed Winder."

W. C. Fyffe, of Floydada, has written the following answer to this article, deploring the continued waving of the red shirt, in which he says: To Capper's Weekly: Please allow me to offer this mild anticism. I am of them for us to worry about any a life long Democrat. Born and rear-shortcoming we may find in any of ed in the sunny south where negro them. Politicans, both Democrats and equality is not in the least tolerated. Republicans, have kept the people an-Have read Capper's Weekly six years nd started in for three years more. the bloody shirt. Let the people force deny being afflicted with prejudice or narrowness. I like Arthur Capper. know in the not far distant, Arthur I believe him to be a true man if he is identified with the Republican party. ed States. It is bad that conditions Of course he has to say many things are such that men such as Woodrow just in order to keep on good terms Wilson and Arthur Capper have to be with his political party. I think more of Capper's weekly than any weekly paper I read. I think well of McNeal, they really are in order to satisfy their and love to read after him, but can't see why he lets any obnoxious things get by him into the paper, unless it is because he, like Arthur, feels that he must do something to humor the G. O. P., or I might say to ease the mind of such fellows as John S. Wells. And right here comes in my kick. In Capper's Weekly of the 8th instant under caption "Two Civil War Huns" is reproduced a paragraph previously print ed in the paper in regard to Major Wirtz who starved Union soldiers to death in Andersonville prison. You said he was a Prussian. Then follow what John S. Wells says that John H. Winder, a Confederate officer equaled Wirtz in barbarity. Wells made Winder and Wirtz out very bad men. Sure enough Prussians, all of which is admitted. But here's the sting. Wells says Winder obeyed the orders of Jeff Davis and Wirtz obeyed Winder. Now let John S. Wells have all the rope he wants, it is very plain what he will do with himself. It cannot be denied that Wells intended a dirty thrust at the south. If not why did he go to Andersonville, away over in Georgia, to show up Prussian brutality? Wells intelligence may be limited but he can't help but know that there was a dozen or more Prussians on the northern side in the Civil War to one the Confederate army. Does John S. Wells think that all the men who suffered in Camp Douglas as prisoners of war are dead? Does he think there was no Prussian barbarity inflicted on prisoners there? I know space forbids, or I would tell a few things that happened in that awful prison. And I would ask John S. Wells did Prussians do the awful deeds? And whose orders were obeyed? Did John S. Wells ever hear of Sherman's infamous raid through Georgia to the sea? How homes were burned, all means of sustenance destroyed, women and helpless children left homeless without clothes, without food, without where to lay their heads? Was this the work of Prussianism and whose were the orders? I wonder if John S. Wells ever heard of the murder of General John Morgan, how he was shot as a prisoner and his body dragged up and down the muddy streets of the town. More Civil War Huns whose orders was obeyed. In East Tenn., near Calhoun lived Mrs. Macelrath and her daughter. She was wealthy. General Long was stationed at Calhoun. He with his wife had visited and dined with Mrs. McElreath and her daughter. The General framed an excuse to have the lady and her girls arrested and sent to Nashyille to prison. The brave general then proceeded with wagons and men to break open the lady's house and moved her goods to Knoxville. Se the general and his wife thus got to be well fixed. Was this patriotic general a Civil War Hun? He must have been a Prussian. Under whose orders did he act? Jeff Davis, of course, did not give orders to General Long. Abe Lincoln! What did he do about it? Well, Mrs. McElreath escaped the prison at Nashville, boarded the train and went to Nashville to tell Honest Abe all about her troubles. I don't know all that was done to the Civil War Hun but I do know that he brought the goods and placed them as near as possible in the shape he found

them, and Mrs. McElreath got to tell him what she thought of him. Well I

DEPLORES CONTINUED WAVING | could tell of thousands of Civil War LOCKED IN KEFKIGERATOR OF CIVIL WAR RED SHIRF Huns and never go to Andersonville,

tioned the matter at all. Especially is ents notified.—Hall County Herald. and exultingly tell his hearers he was he ashamed that he made the dirty men are naturally narrow and can't help it. We should not be hard on them. We should pity them. But they should not be allowed on account of their depravity to bring their narrowness into print for fair-minded people to read. Now let us bury the bad of the past and cherish the good. The best and ablest men make mistakes. Let's overlook their mistakes and remember them for the good that was in them. We know that Washington, Lincoln, Lee, Jackson, Roosevelt, and Wilson, the Greatest of them all were mercly human. We know they all made mistakes but there was and is too much goodness and greatness in all tagonistic too long already by waving them to take it down. I would love to Capper would be president of the Unit-

While unloading a car of potatoes Georgia, to find them. But I think at Wellington Tuesday, some men not lay, kill her, but before you kill this is enough to satisfy John S. Wells found a sixteen year old boy in the her give her B. A. Thomas' Poultry that he is not the only man that got ice compartment of the refrigerator Remedy twice a day for a week, and through the Civil War and still lives car. When taken from the car, the then you will not kill her for she will paragraph noting that Major Wirtz, to tell about it. I am sure that he youth was more dead than alive. His be paying you a profit. It not only did not have to go away down to story was that on four or five days bemakes hens lay but it is a remedy for Andersonville prison, was a Prussian. Georgia to find a Civil War Hun Refore he had given a brakeman at Fort Cholera, Roup, and Gapes. We guarally since he has come to think about Worth a dollar to lock him in the car, antee it to cure or we refund your it he wishes he had picked up a Civil with the understanding that he would War Hun closer home. And I imagine be let out at Wichita Falls. He had since John S. Wells has thought this been in the car all of the time without matter over, looked into himself and food or water. He said that his home seen the narrowness there that he is was at Commerce, Texas. Medical atactually ashamed that he ever men- tention was given the boy and his par

ARTHUR B. DUNCAN

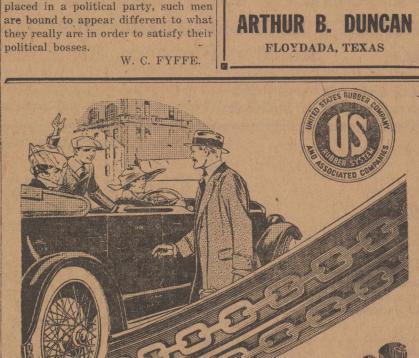
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Commissioners' Court to Treasurers' Annual Report

In the matter of County Finances in the hands of Mrs. Lillie Britton. reasurer of Floyd County, Texas.

.Commissioners' Court Floyd County, Texas, in regular Quarterly Session,

February Term, 1919.

We, the undersigned, as County Commissioners within and for said Floyd County, and the Hon. J. W. Howard, County Judge of said Floyd County, contituting the entire Commissioners' Court of said County, and each one of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 14, day of February A. D. 1919, at a regular quarterly term of our said Court, we compared and examined the Annual report of County Finances of Floyd County, Texas, for the year beginning on the 1st day of February A. D. 1918, and ending on the 31st day of January D. 1919, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered

the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Floyd County, stating the of said Treasurer's Report by our said Court, which said order recites y the amount received and paid out of each fund by said County since her last report to this Court, and during the time covered by at report, and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurds on the said 1st day of February A. D. 1919, and have ordered the credits to be made in the accounts of the said County Treasurer, in ance with said order as required by Article 867, Chapter 1, Title XXV, Revised Statutes of Texas, as amended by an Act of the Twenty-fifth lature of Texas, at its regular session, approved March 20, 1897.

And we, and each of us, further certify that we actually inspected and nted all the actual cash and assets in hands of the said Treasurer belonging Floyd County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on s the 1st day of February A. D. 1919, and find the same to be as follows,

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 1st day of February, 1918	
To amount transferred from other funds	
Ry amount dishursed since said date or during year 1918	
including Commissions \$3,68	53.86
By amont to balance.	59.47
Control of the contro	
Total \$8713.33 \$871	

day of February A. D. 1919, and including amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of her report on the 31st day of January, A. D. 1919, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.

ROAD AND BRIDGE	FUND
'alance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Repo	ort on the 1st
day of February, 1918	\$ 118.77
To amount received since said date	21,734.89
To amount transferred from other funds	
By amount disbursed since said date including	commissions\$29,361.23
By amount to balance	7,232.48

Balance to credit of said ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND as actually counted by us on the 14th day of February A. D. 1919, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of her report on the 31st day of Janu ary A. D. 1919, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since said day, making a total balance of.

GENERAL FUND, OR THIRD CLASS Balance on hand shown by Treasurer's Report on the 1st day of February 1918... To amount received since said date.

By amount transferred to other funds.	
By amount to balance	6,153.
Total	\$43,316.12 43,316.
Balance to credit of said GENERAL FUND as	s actually counted by us on t

14th day of February A. D. 1919, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of filing her report on the 31st day of January A. D. 1919, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of... FOURTH CLASS OR BUILDING FUND

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 1st day of February, 1918..... To amount received since said date By amount disbursed since said date, including commissions. By amount transferred to other funds...... By amount to balance.

Balance to credit of said FUND as actually counted by us on the 14th day of February A. D. 1919, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of her report on the 31st day of January A. D. 1919, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....

HIGHWAI FUND	
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on	the 1st
day of February, 1918,	
To amount received since said date or during year 1	.918 5,646.16
By amount disbursed since said date including com	missions \$ 714.1
By amount to balance.	E 0.45 6
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Balance to credit of said FUND as actually counted by us on the 14th day of S. W. Mickey, Road Damage. February A. D. 1919, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treas- S. L. Rushing, Road Damage. urer at the date of the filing of her report on the 31st day of January A. D. 1919, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, A. D. Adams & Co., Road Grader. making a total balance of.....

RECAPITULATION
Feb. 14, 1919, balance to credit of Jury Fund on this day\$ 59.47
Feb. 14, 1919, balance to credit of Road and Bridge Fund on this day7,232.43
Feb. 14, 1919, balance to credit of General Fund on this day
Feb. 14, 1919, balance to credit of Fourth Class, Building Fund
on this day
Feb. 14, 1919, Balance to credit of Highway Fund on this day 5,045.67
Total cash on hand belonging to Floyd County in the hands of
said Treasurer as actually counted by us February 14th, 1919, \$23,198.73

ASSETS In addition to the actual cash as above, we find the following assets be- W. M. Colville. longing to the said County, and to the credit of the following funds, which is Pierce-Fordyce, Oil and Gas... also in the possession, and custody of the said Treasurer, to-wit: Vendor's Pierce-Fordyce, Oil and Gas...... Lien Notes on County farm to the Amount of \$4,940.00, due to the General or Pierce-Fordyce, Oil and Gas... Third Class Fund.

INDEBTEDNESS

The indebtedness of the said County we find to be as follows, to-wit: Pierce-Fordyce, Oil and Gas.... County Warrants given for the Building of County Court House not yet due J. W. Sheppard, Road Damage.

total amount (\$60,300.00) Sixty Thousand and Three hundred Dollars. OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS OF COUNTY		
First Class Jury Fund		
To Whom For What	Amt.	
C. J. Grey, Jury Service.	\$ 2.50	
R. C. Smith, Jury Service	1.00	
S. S. Freiburg, Jury Service.	1.00	
Second Class Road and Bridge Fund		
To Whom For What	Amt.	
Carl Gilliland, Road Damage.	\$10.00	
W. M. Massie, Road Damage	60.00	
S. L. Rushing, Road Damage	15.00	
Bosley and Young, Blacksmithing.	6.10	
W. M. Massie, Road Damage.	30.00	
C. M. Alford, Road Damage	7.50	
W. M. Massie, Road Damage	15.00	
W. M. Massie, Road Damage	15.00	

W. M. Massie, Road Damage.....

A SILK SALE EXTRAORDINARY! FOR 8 DAYS, BEGINNING FEBRUARY 1.

All the new season's most fashionable silks in a wonderful variety.

We are going to make this the biggest silk season we have ever had

This is how we shall—We bought thousands of yards of Spring Silks; more —much more—than ever before. It was purchased with the intention of selling more Silks this season than during any previous year, and with the view of holding a big Silk Sale early in the spring, thereby giving our patrons an opportunity of making up spring dresses at their leisure and giving us the opportunity of selling more silks than would be possible in a regular way.

Fine quality, all silk Radium foulards scores of colors and combinations, regular price up to \$3.00.

—Sale Price, \$1.95

New striped attractive spring silks for tailored dresses, regular price \$2.50.

—Sale Price, \$1.95

All \$2.00 Taffetas, sale price....

Heavy quality fine silk crepe de chine, worth \$2.25,

-Sale Price, \$1.69

Fine quality georgette, in red, white, henna and all leading spring shades, regu lar price \$2.25,

—Sale Price, \$1.79

Men should buy their spring shirting this week. Some beautiful patterns worth \$2.00 and \$2.25,

—Sale Price, \$1.79

We will be pleased to mail samples to our out-of-town patrons upon request.

We give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps.

Barrier Brothers Dry Goods Company

DISTRIBUTORS OF DEPENDABLE MERCHANDISE

Telephone No. 30.

Stores at Floydada, Brownfield and Lubbock

Way is B. I.B.	15.0
W. M. Massie, Road Damage	15.0
W. M. Massie, Road Damage	7.1
W. M. Massie, Road Damage	7.1
W. M. Massie, Road Damage	7.
T. A. Neaves, Road Damage	
L. J. Wilson, Road Damage	
C. W. Howell, Road Damage	
J. W. Phillips, Road Damage	
W. M. Massie, Road Damage	
Emerson-Brantingham Implement Co., Ro	
Pierce-Fordyce, Oil and Gas	
Austin Western Road Machinery Co., Road	
Hesperian Pub. Co., Notice	
J. A. Lowry, Blacksmithing.	
T. S. McGehee, Road Damage	
J. S. Vaughn, Road Damage	
Massie Bros Agents Road Damage	5.0
S L. Rushing, Road Damage	65.0
C. E. Neil, Road Damage	20.0
E. B. Mullins, Road Damage	20.0
Judson Miller, Road Damage	
Jim Baggett, Road Damage	
W. M. Massie, Road Damage	
W. M. Massie, Road Damage	
L. G. Pool, Road Damage	
S. L. Rushing, Road Damage	
W. M. Massie, Road Damage	
W. M. Massie, Road Damage	
W. J. King, Road Damage	30.0
J.M. Massie, Road Damage	7.5

\$4,707.27 W. B. Clark, Road Damage. Austin R. M. Co., Machinery. Austin R. M. Co., Machinery... .300.00 Austin R. M. Co., Machinery.. Claudy Potter, Road Damage. 10.00 50.00 Stringer and Brewer, Road Damage. M. W. Whitlow, Road Damage 2.50 W. M. Massie, Road Damage. W. M. Massie, Road Damage. 20.00 20.00 10.00 R. W. Reynolds, Road Damage. ...\$5,045.67 Pierce-Fordyce, Oil and Gas..... G. R. Tibbetts, Road Damage. E. C. Austin, Road Damage ... Arthur B. Duncan, Agt., Road Damage... 300.00 W. B. Wilson, Road Damage W. M. Massie, Road Damage. 150.00 10.00 W. M. Massie, Road Damage 15.00 W. M. Massie, Road Damage ... Albert King, Road Damage ... F. C. King, Jury of Review ... W. A. Amburn, Jury of Review. Pierce-Fordyce, Oil and Gas Pierce-Fordyce, Oil and Gas..... I. E. Durham, Road Damage Bob Smith, Road Damage...... Rex Downing, Road Damage... W. M. Massie, Road Damage ... R. C. Bennett, Road Damage... 33,45 and Hickman's. A. G. McAdams, Lumber D. E. Covington, Road Damage. J. D. Crow, Road Damage..... P. F. Gruver, Road Engine..... J. R. Langshore, Road Damage. W. M. Massie, Road Damage..... W. M. Massie, Road Damage...

W. M. Massie, Road Damage ...

E. P. Thompson & Son, Hardware.

A. M. Northcutt, Road Damage ...

W. M. Massie, Road Damage ...

15.00 W. M. Massie, Road Damage...

Lockney Lumber Co., for Lumber.....

PROTECTION!

THE FRY INSURANCE AGENCY

can protect your property against Loss or Damage by Fire or Wind

0		
4	Lee Crownover, Road Damage	20.00
	A. N. Northcut, Road Damage	
	T. F. Edwards, Road Damage	
	W. M. Massie, Road Damage	
	W. M. Massie, Road Damage	
	Price-Goen D. G. Co., Merchandise	
	Mrs. Mary Taylor, Road Damage	
	H. C. Randolph, Road Damage	
	M. A. Rushing, Road Damage	
	W. M. Massie, Road Damage.	
	Third Class, General Fund	
0		Amt.
0	Geo. D. Barnard Co. for Stationery	
0	B. F. Hawkins, Note	
	First National Bank, Note	
	W. T. Montgomery, Holding Election.	2.00
~		4.00

Witness our hands, officially, this 14th day of February A. D. 1919.

J. W. HOWARD, County Judge,

CHAS. TROWBRIDGE, Commissioner Precinct No. 1. G. F. RIGDON, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.

H. R. BROWN, Commissioner Precinct No. 3, B. C. WILLIS, Commissioner Precinct No. 4,

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by J. W. Howard County Judge, and 130.00 Chas. Trowbridge and G. F. Rigdon and H. R. Brown and B. C. Willis, County 25.00 Commissioners of said Floyd County, each representatively, on this the 14th 25.00 day of February A. D. 1919.

15.00 (Seal) TOM W. DEEN. Clerk of the County Court in and for Floyd County, Texas.

CENTER NEWS

4.25 Center, Feb. 17.—Monday was cer- with Mrs. Golightly's sister near 4.00 tainly a beautiful day. It almost made Campbell last Sunday. 1.90 up for some of those windy, sandy 48.32 ones we had last week.

50.05 Spence, Mack Spence and their wives dren. 16.36 spent Sunday at Mr. Adair's.

18.32 formers grandson spent Sunday with wives are batching together during 5.00 Mrs. Hickman. 5.00 Mrs. Andy Jackson visited with her

12.00 sister, Mrs. Johnston, last Saturday. 7.50 The writer has been trying to visit 15.00 some of our neighbors the past week, Dallas, Feb. 17.—The Citizens Na-15.00 went to Mesdames Austin's, Warren tional Bank of Garland, a substantial

7.50 Mr. Stovall has moved a house out of the cotton-growing district, closed 7.50 from town to his farm here to replace its doors today, it was learned at the 2,700.00 the one destroyed by fire.

52.50 about the house.

15.00 to the oil fields this week. 84.00 Ray Adair visited Ross Hickman 26.00 Sunday.

20.00 visiting.

with Otis Huckabee last Sunday. Mr. Golightly and family visited

W. B. Jordan and family attended church at town Sunday and took din-38.48 Messrs W. C. Spence, Charles ner with Mrs. George Foster and chil-

Messrs. Hickman and Roberts have 4.38 Mesdames Latham, Huggins and the gone to Burkburnett for a while. Their their absence.

COTTON BANK CLOSES

settlement of this county in the center Federal Reserve Bank here. The cap-15.00 Mrs. Finley is able to be up and ital stock of the bank was \$50,000. Local bankers said unofficially that the 15.00 Mr. Warren expects to make a trip bank was heavily loaded with cotton paper.

The deposits of the bank were a little less than \$300,000, the national 10.00 Mr. Maxey and sister spent Monday bank examiner announced

10.00 Ray and Everett Warren visited Hesperian Want Ads Bring Results.