## THE FLOYD COUNTY HESPERIAN

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NUMBER 3
Monday Hog Market
Year's Highest

Out of Six South Plains Loads Six Take Highest Prices for
the Year.
Last Monday Hog Market was the highest it has been at Fort
Worth this year, Ten carloads of hogs sold on the market at Six carloads from south plains points were on the market that rought top prices.
South Plains hogs are invariaby fattened on a ration consisting principally of maize. G. S. Fraps. state chemist, of
the A, \&. M. College, says that maize is very little under corn in matter of feeding value. It is radically lower than corn in price. Hence its relative feed ing value is much higher than

## Teachers' Certificate Building

Process Made More Liberal.
Under a new ruling of the State Department of Education,
Division of Examinations, the "Building Process" for raising Builang Pocess for raising teachers, comes under a more liberal construction of the law than has heretofore obtained.
Hereafter teachers need not serve notice when taking ex-
minations, of the cancellation aminations, of the cancellation
of former grades. For the pur. pose of building the applicant may take any of the first or per manent grade subjects as many
imes as he desires and the highest grade will be counted in he compiled or inal report. When the applicant has completed to his satisfactioncthe building process he serves notice the department, maling all examination reports and the cer-
tificate on which he has based the building process, making the request for the higher grade Certificate.
This libe
construction o the law gives the applicant op.
portunity to become more proficient in the subjects whare the
grade reports indicate a lack of sufficient preparation.

LOST. - Gold medal with i Sept. 1, 1915 ." Finder please re
urn to the Childers Sanitarium. conomy make appy homes. You get both b FIVE

REASONS
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### 2.3.NCHES RAIN ADDED <br> TO 30-day total <br> eat Part of West Texas Cot <br> by Rain Within Last Week

Two and three tenths inches of rain was added to the thirty-
day total of rainfall at Floydada last Thursday and Saturday nights. Two inches fell Thursday night. Three-tenths Satur. day. Close foggy weather preceeded and followed the rains. Bexinning the 14th of September rains fell intermittently for more than a week. Ten and one tenth inches fell during the spell. Two weeks of good weather followed and within the incty-day limit more than twell. The total tember 14th has been 12.4 inches.
The last rain was general over the entire western portion of is a great deal of damage depends largely on the weather pends largely on
which may ensue.

## Ittempted Bank Robbery

at Estelline.
Burglary was attempted at Estelline last week when a Estelline State Bank Building, ransacked several drawers and screwed the ornamental knobs other damage, however.
Evidently the robber was a
robate Docket Set tor Next
Tuesday in County Court County Court sesions this week have not
aetivity.
The jury for the week was mpannelled Monday, and im Today a released.
the Justice Court in from recinct is before the court civil suit.
The proba te docket has been set for hearing Tuesday of next week. This will probably occupy Other civil business has been week.
No cases have been set for the third week of court at, this Last Thursday afterioon ada in an auto to go 35 mile northeast to start a binder for a would be home early Frida morning, - probably not later han eight o'clock. Thursday night and Friday morning'sheavy rains caused him
to be somewhat behind schedule to be somewhat behind schedule
on the return trip. Among his experiences was a break-down in Pease River, an early morning a stick-up in the waters, and twenty miles from home. He finally rode in home Saturday afternoon on a borrowed horse.

## "Ten Nights in a Bar Room"

Burk's Show, presenting "T nights in a Bar Room" and som Floydada last night.
E. T. Green returned ther and part of last week from a short business trip to Amarillo, going by auto and returning on the train on account of the mud.
Mr. Woody returned to Amarillo after his car this week.
Chas. Whitener left Wednes day morning for Wichita Falls to spend the remain
week on business,

| w. c. Hose RAMMONO DICKSON MOGG, DICKSON \& HOGG HoscSurpassing Service-Charges Customary --Advances at 6 per cent COTTON FACTORS |  |
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## Cattle Deliveries

Made this Week Approximately 1000 head teers and calves have been delivery sales week on Octob and summer. The deliveries were made
Floydada.
Floydada.
A. Goinsev, Oscar Shurbet, C. Bolding, each delivered a or Hugh White of Mor who is shipping to Quanah feed ots. There were about 400 cal On the whole bunch. erly delivered 210 yearlings to Cobb will winter these steers in his Swisher county pastures. Yesterday's deliveries cunlings. Coverdale \& Armstrong
wer were the
of Canad

## eeders Taking Big Supply

of Cattle at K. C. Market Kansas City Stock Yards, Oct. 8, 1915. Range beef cattle lowed lor theek 10 to 20 cents lower for the week, stockers and 10 to 15 hirber stead. fat cows and in exceptily mand is exceptionally heavr, 43,000 stockers and feeders
bought here and shipped out bought here and shipped out
last week, 75 per cent of the total cattle supply. Receipts fairy liberal number of rance cattle. Total supply at the lead ing markets is smaller today than last Monday, and the mark. et on beef cattle is 10 to 15 higher in somé cases. Country demand is stronger, if anything. than last week, as prospective
buyers begin to appreeiate th fact that heavy runs will soon be over for this year. Choice
$\$ 8.25$ today. New Mexico year

## earling to $\$ 8,00$. and Colorado

yearlings and twos at $\$ 7.70$ and
$\$ 7.75$. These prices were
for the lest cattle, middle grades

## er hundred below these figures.

some heifers $\$ 6.75$. Colorado
beef steers sald at $\$ 6.75$ to $\$ 8.40$.
Receipts today cöntairred nothing
from points beyond Colorado, but
steers are quotable up to $\$ 7.65$ Sheep and lamb supply was 12600, market steady. No good fat lambs were included, medium
Colorading at $\$ 8.50$, and solorados selling at $\$ 8.50$, and
some Arizona lambs, 85 lbs average, at $\$ 8.15$. Fat ewes los average, at $\$ 8.15$. Fat ewes
are worth $\$ 5.40$ to $\$ 6.00$, best fat weathers $\$ 6.50$, yearlings around $\$ 7.00$. Feeding lanbs are ing switched from heavy hav ing lambs to lighter feedSome 51 lb Mexican lambs sold ame $\$ 8.25$ today, heavier feeding ambs $\$ 8$ to $\$ 8.20$. Feeding and breeding ewes continue in strong demand. Wyoming breeding ewes today at $\$ 6$. to $\$ 6.50$, and feeding ewes at $\$ 4.80$ to $\$ 5,50$, Moderate receipts are expected
here, and stronger prices, luyhere, and stronger prices, buyo choice fat lambs.
J. A. RICKART,
Market Corresponden
and Mrs Tom B. Triplett eft Tuesday morning in their two for Dallas. They will spend
two wre more in that city

Booth Lowery at
McandY Tonight
Buoth Lowrey, lecturer, visits Floydada tonight and will give
one of his lectures at the McandY Theatre, as 'the second
course.

Lourse.
Louis Williams, Flectrician, will be the third number of the November 8th.
Ne will
Non

## MEDLEY OF INFORMATION.

H. S. Pupils Tell all About the County and City Officials.
Last Tuesday morning Supe endent F. E, Savage sprang a urprise on the students of the high school department of tloyada Public School. Taking ten ninutes from a period he re uested a written list from each week
fices of Floyd County and Floy-
da, and the names of the me
the ten-minute exercise, as shown by the pupils' papers, was
a medley of information. Many of the pupils sho
Many of the pupils showed ex cellent knowledge of local govrnmental affairs in a general
wav. None, however, had their av, None, however, had their
ists perfect. With 28 points to rade, and 100 per cent as perfect the highest grade was 96 The tioned. It was below 50 . Som of the answers showed their authors to be much distressed at eing disengaged from their ius $y$ and third year Latin. The office of county secretary ith Mrs. Addie Thagard as the several students of overnment, who also gave J. C Gaither the office of constable and Geo. L. Mayfield the county answer we see that J. B. Bartley is district judge and Tom Deen
was named as county attorney
more than once and W. B. Clark
d places in the official roste
by some. J. B. Bartley is again
amed as clerk, and C. K. Hoilo way and R. S. Holman were assigned pp
lawyers."
mentioned A nu
ealth Dr. Andrews a robably named this students ts holder more often than similar number

## The best known

officer to th
is Judge Montgomery. Mrs
Addie Thagard, Judge Thompson
G. A. Lider ran slightly behind him as next best known.
The Board of School trustees are named as city officers more nan once, and most every citizmention as an alderman. one pupil Jas. K. Green represented the ever open eye of the law in the person of Justice of Willis is given the office of tax collector with its accompanying moluments in several papers.
Mr. Savage thinks of giving a shurt period to the same subdoet again in the future. If he will probably find that
does the knowledge of local affairs will have grown considerably In the interim judging f questions and comment extra


## as called off on <br> Ball Park Repaired.

 eavy rains. Another date with that school will be arranged
## Exploits of Elaine", Pathe

Feature, at McandY "The Exploits cf Elaine," Pathae feature, will be the feature on Friday nights of each week at the McandY, beginning omorrow night when the first installment, "The Clutching Hand," will be shown.
The 20th and last episode of he "Perils of Pauline," which has had a good run here, wil The regular program will
The regular program will als xtra lo show for an

Grading Started
on Two Blocks
the giound for practically two locks of walks on South Main
treet Tuesday afternoon. The concrete work will begin

Attention Cattle Feeders
Buy cottonseed cake from Riv
rside Cotton Oil Co., and save middleman's profits. Always readys to quote you prices. See $r$ telephone J. J. Addington,
ubbock, Texas.

The Floydada Baseball Park has been thoroughly overhauled and repaired. Heavier bracing material including strong cedar posts have been placed around xpected to stand intact against the wintry winds.
When the park was first ereced insufficient bracing was used. As a result several sectionsiof fence required
J. D. Starks has been at work ecretary of the week. He is rs, who number about 20 . The work is practically completed

The park will be used by the high school this season in their fontball games. Tomorrows game with Matador will be staged at the park.
Representative Vote of County Canvassed Tuesday Morning. Commissioners Court canvassed the results of the R
ative Election Tuesday. Nine boxes reported elections
with total of 80 votes cast. Of these W. H. Bledsce received 59 and N. R. Morgan 18
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BOLL WEEVIL DISPERSION
Northwest Texas and Oklahoma Farmers Urged by Department to Take Precautions.

Washington, D. C., Oct. $11-$ The unusual storid multiplication and of the boll weeviln lexas haye resulted in a tremendous movement into northwestern Texas and Oklahoma. This movement nor has it been entircly mapped out. The indications are that loma is now ( 0 till) jut ber homa is now (Oct.11) infested. Information has just been
received that the boll weevil is received that the boill weevii is Texas, and at Cache in Comman che County and Minco in the extreme northern part of Grady
County, Oklahoma. Unless im mediate measures are, taken by the planters throughout Okla homa and northwestern Texas it can be expected that the bol
weevil will do some damage
next year.
The Bureau of Entomology advises that the planters through
out Oklahoma and the supposedly infested sections of Texas begin Immediately to pick their
cotton and destroy the plants By destroying the plants the developing weevils will be killed Two methods of destruction are available. If the plants car be plowed under to 4 or five inches
this is the most desirable meth od of procedure, otherwise the should be staeked in windrow
and burned as soon as dry. After destroying the plants a winter cover crop and for rotation of crops next year.
The weevil has maintained its osition in Arkansas and ha robably extended its area ittle farther north in the west rn portions. The entire State of Missippi is infested, and the MceNalay now known to be in Tenn.
Rains for 30 Days on Basis of 144 inch Yearly Hverage How would you like to live on ins average 169 inches yearly People of Floyd County hav had a taste of such weather the past thirty days. The rainfal 16th was slightly less than thir een inches. At twelve inche the yearly average would bo 14 inches.
With
With such continued rainfall
for a year Floyd County tarmers for a year Floyd County iarmers
would turn to fishermen and boat-builders.
Mr. and Mrs B. F. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Dillard, of Lackney, were in Floydada Fri ay night en route home from turning home from a trip inspection for the State tripe in surance Department through Central West Texas.
WANTEL TO BUY-Secon City Hotel.


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## so late

## HE COULD. <br> "There's one thing about the auto-

 mobile-aone hand."

"Can shellfish be taught to do any-
thing?" "Why not?
bake dinner."

Cutting Down Keys.
$n$ order to cut down the number
ocket, a double key has been
invented which will open two
oors, The two keys are placed ford the required grasp for the and each end portion is sur square shape or conforming to the key end. This ring pivots pon a small collar that is put n the key rod just back of th nd portion. and when used for ame plane, but on the other end the ring is swung back so as to insert the key in the lock.-Ex.

## at checks for World's

Series Stars.
Boston, Oct. 14. - With checks $\$ 3,825.80$, their individua World's Series games, several nembers of the Red Sox left for me today
Twenty two players shared equally, with the exception of Mcnally who was with the team only a short time, he received

Fort Worth Divine Accents Pasto rate of Floydada Baptist Church. Dr. W.C. Carver, of FortWorth, Floydada Baptist Church of the Foydada Baptist Church as pastor and will succeed Rev. Jno. F der about the first of Novem bly next week.
Bro. Elder's resignation be mes effective as soon be Carver can take sor Bro. Elder will go to Sulphur Springs, Okla. for the winter

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## German Toys Being Shipped.

Washington, D. C. Oct. 12 housands of cases of German made toys are arriving, and ny more are on the way, all be delivered by Santa Claus hen he makes his jolly round hong the boys and girls at
Christmas time. The troubles of d St. Nicholas is getting enough hirigigs and other thingo tha ave lots of action have been mbargo by the British Gover ent. The friends of Sant Washington are said to have that the American boys and parte Mitchell.
girls must have their Christmas "If the opinion rendered by stockings filled, no matter how much fighting they cared to do Europe,
The great big boxes contan many new things that American kiddies have never yet seen.
Battleships that move about, kewpie dolls with soldier hats, submarines, funny fellows that dance and swing their arms, roosters that jump and crow and all kinds of dolls and pretty things for the girls.

Local Option Pool Law
Held Valid Austin, Oct. 14, - Constitutionlaw was upheld yesterday by the court of criminal appeals in from Milam county
S. C. Vanderlip optician Eyes tested; Glasses properly fitted. All work Guaranteed. At home Saturdays \& Mondays Residence: 1 block South First
Nat! Bank; in fourth block west

Floydada, Texas

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Night phone 16
inted to our British cousins to its opinion in the case of ex

This is the second time this court was hold constitutional this law, while the supreme
court, in the case of ex parte Mitchel, declared the law unconThe The court of criminal appeals pinion in forty-seven page o-
his law neither delegates the power to neither law, nor the authority to suspend a law, as was contended and held by the supreme court. Judge Harper holds that this is a criminal and not a civil case, in the event the supreme hein considers this ques"If Mitchell.
hem in ex parte Mitered by e adhered by that court," says Judge Harper, "then many o" the laws on our statute books must fail,'
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## HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Upin Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.
had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.
Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I com menced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I tiring me, and am doing all without
Catron, Ky . - In an interesting letter
from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock
writes as follows: "I suffered for four
If you are all run down toing work."

ars, with troubles, don't give up in despair. Try this time, I while, and could not walk fnywhere at more than a million women, in its 50 |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| all. At times, I would have severe pains | surely help you, too. Your druggist has | in my left side.

| Sold Cardui for years. He knows what |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| The doctor was called in, and his treat- | it will do. Ask him. He will recom- | The doctor was called in, and his treat- it will do. Ask him. He will recom-

ment relieved me for a while, but I was mend it. Begin taking Cardui today


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few days ago to go to her Heav enly Home, our hearts were in deed made sad. Her friend

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delivery can ber delivery can be made at your deor by Parcels Post promptly, and at
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tances. Many were the doors hand. If she was not making a band on the other shore. opened to her for a few days or order or a piece to sell, she "'Tis sweet, as we lose our weeks' visit, and she was gladly would be just as busy making loved ones out of sight, sour. We all claimed her gifts for her friends or reatives. io muse how very lown. Our hearts are it was her chief delight to do in paradise," have her no more with we. She for others and make gifts or She dian think she would live was really "mother" to many of thought of the song, "Help she got sick she gave out to her us. She encouraged us in our Somebody Today". Our hearts friends what we now think were work, advised us in time of need are sad when we see the beauti- some parting messages, but we, and consoled us in our sorrows. ful pieces of work she did with like the Disciples, when Jesu Oh, how we miss her.
Hers was a useful as well as a beautiful life. Although she beczuse she is gone, but we are When she left us, she just married at the age oî seventeen encouraged to live a better and went sweetly to sleep. she was teaching, getting fifty more usefulife, to spend and be Asleep Josus Blesse dollars per month, which was no small sum for teaching in those early days. But after she mar- was very jolly and took a times was very jolly and took a spec-
sleep From
wake to weep.
weep."
A Friend. ried she devoted herself to home- 1 ial delight in entertaining and making, And it is said that she making children happy, She Asks British Women to Become
was a fine housekeeper, and took was very sympathetic with the Wives of Marmed Heroes much delight in cooking. Her sorrawing, aed.
health was very delicate most of ecially the aged. the time but she never she shed the time but she never turned She was interested in curren her home-making over to ar-- events ard therefore eagerly re other until her oniy son married ceived the new papers ont get the
with whom she always lived. latest news both secular and with whom she always lived. latest news both secular and She possessed so much energy religious. But the news that
that she could not be contented was nearestt to her heart was that she could not be contented was nearest the the many letters
spending much idle time, there- that she got in the fore soon after the burdens of she received from the friends housekeeping were taken from she so reluctantly lefl in Throck her, she got a knitting machine. While she enjoyed meeting new And for a number of years she While she enjoyed meeting new made hose and gloves for people
far and near. Besides filling many were her heart longings ard and near. Besides filing mor the friends she made years thons in England. Because the orders she found time to thus for the friends she made years are based upon a high degree o make many girts for her friends- ago. She had ived in Floyd unseifishness. Strict secrecy is When her arms grew too weak county less than five eears but promised as to the identity of
for her to use this machine, a- had made a number of warm women prenared to immolate gain her energy would not let frie ds here who mourn her go- themselves after the plan of the her be idle. She began doing ing, and in token of their love league untll the arrangements fancy work, hardanger and em- and esteem her grave was cov- for their marriage are complete broidery. She enjoyed this ered with beautiful flowers, work very much and for many Grandmother loved her Lord years devoted from six to eight and whenever opportunity af- Triplets Join Family of Four Twins. or ten hours per day to it--even forded she spoke of his goodness Ballinger, Oct. 12.-Triplets, until a few days before the end and power. Often speaking of three boys, were born to Rev. came, at the age of nearly sev- her religion as being Jesus in and Mrs. T. P. Burk of this city enty-nine years, She said she the heart, always ready with this morning. Rev. Mr. Burk hoped that when death came it "thus sayeth my Lord" for hel is a minister. Rev. and Mrs. would find her hands busy. convictions of right and duty. Burk were already the darens
Hhe Her wish was almost to the let- Whe in her "Soly hours she
ter granted. Her fancywork is would sing "Some Sweet Day"
ians announce the babies a in many homes in this state and wewere madeto feel that shewas healthy and with the mother are
some in otheer states. She al- thinking of the day when she doing nicely.

## London, Oct. 13.-Rev. Ernes

 Houghton, a British rector, ha arted an appeal to patriotic men of the nation to give ondition of maimed heroes e war by marrying them. He arrying of broken heroes,"The rector contenas thes xample of france shows that
ample of r rance shows that
ions thus arranged promise a
(2) ord. passed through Amarillo last Saturday evening, from an
extended trip thrrugh the cen ral portion of the State.
tral portion of the State.
The judge tavors the splitting up of the Lone Star State into two or three sovereign state aying:
saying: The time has arrived for the agitation of the question of a separate sovereignty for the
Texas Panhandle and $\begin{aligned} & \text { Plains. }\end{aligned}$ Texas Panhandle and Plans With its endowment of youth, virility, vigor and productive and creative capacities, the Texas Panhandle and Plains region
should under its own unfettered should under its own unfettered
guidance and untrammelled con trol, develop into the wonder state of the American union."
Having sold my drug buiness, have placed my books and ac Parties with J. C. Gaither Parties please call and settle
with him as I need the monev and accounts must be closed.

## LOST-Bill book $3 \times 5$ inches

 containing due bill $\$ 33.90$, dated about Aug. 8, 1915, given by Dr. R. J. Liles, Reese, Texas, $\$ 3$ or in silver; money order, regis eipts. Belongs to N. M Filliamsor Finder pleas return to Hesperian Office.Miss Ruth Bumgardner, dau. hter of J. M. Bumgardner, of andhill, who is attending West exas State Normal at Canyon this year, has been elected re resentative of the Sesame Society f that school.
LOST-New pair of shoes in
O. B. Olson package, about two turn to Hesperian office.

Mrs. A. G. Smith and daugh r, Miss Mattilee, left Monday for Chillizothe.


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## Fighting Hog Cholera Before it Appears.

From all over central and east Texas comes the wail of live tock raisers whose herds of hogs their owner' profits shrunk over night from profit to loss. In Collin County drastic action is threatened by the State Livestock Sanitary Board. Hog cholera prevention has been neglected there: The board threatens a quarantine from all markets. Other sections have been hit by chulera. It has made its first appearance in sections as close as Cottle County, two counties to the east. No ays, however, that reported on the play hog cholera should not flourish in the plains climate
Live stock men of Floyn County should be on the alert. Hog cholera should not be allowed to come to this county, Thorough activity to prevent its introduction should be exercised; available means should be at hand to fight it should it appear
Because we do not fear the danger of the financial loss from cholera in this section, is no reason we should fail to be alert to stamp it out if the unexpected does happen. Seventy miles is a short distance. Hog cholera is in striking distance of the plains.

## Reasons for Fairs.

Texas Farm \& Ranch:
The interest manifested in the various county and district fairs held at various places in the southwest recently is commendable, More fairs have been held this year than usual and reports indicate that with perhans a very few exceptions much has been ac-complished-by the fairs. The manner in which counties and towns have contributed at fairs shows the estimate of fairs.
Fairs have an educational value that
Fairs have an educational value that would be hard to estimate, Not only do visitors see the farm, livestock, orchard and garden
products, but they inspect machines, implements, vehicles and products, but they inspect machines, implements, vehicles and The social feature of the fair has long been recognized. A The social feature of the fair has long been recognized. A visit to the fair gives neighbors a chance to meet, exchange ex-
periences, sell and buy. business men of cities and towns meet farmers, professional men meet producers and the meeting is one of good fellowship.

## The shows and other <br> much to the people whomorous attractions of the fair are worth

 amusement when the serinus live on farms. This is the season for for a time. Those who attend the fair enter into the amusement, laugh heartily and return to their work retreshed and encouraged. For this reason fairs are great social and economic factors for the country.One is always impressed with the writing of the editor who can put the "puncr" in his sentences. Many writers accomplish the desired end in as many different ways. The use of the rersonal ing from the pen ot Bob Johnson'in the Motley County News will not fail to "Hit the spot.
"The writer received an advertisement from a nail order liquor house the other day that started off like this; " Do you know what good whiskey will do for you?" You are "mighty tooting" experianc we know exactly what it will do fcr us. Seyeral year several hundred gray hairs on Jur cranium that it put there before their time, for one thing, and we could tell you much more-b:

## Beside that little paragraph some high we see is reduced to its level, - mere cant.

## Mutual Exhibitors to Select from <br> Eight Million Dollar Program

ight million Dollars will be expended annually to make the
Matuai Program the greatest box office attraction exhibitors have cver hand.
The completion of the New Mutual Program an all-feature all-star program comprising the releases of the world's most not€d film producers at no increase in rental prices. Mutual Program will carry i its regular service two three-ree Broadway Star releases every week; five two-reel Banner Features every week; nine one ree
feature comedies every week two one reel All-Star Drama

## every week; one reel Mutual

 Weekly of world Events every week. In these productions o you'll find stars whose fame in film circles and on the speaking It will be the policy to put int ingle reel productions, the same high quality found in four to sreat stars, the same expensive costumes, the same costly set lings and the same high priced will be maintained ality policy all Mutual Program release ductions they be single reel prolength.Butter at Steen's mark


The Toucan-Why in the world did yot have
The Monkey-Why, Bill Zebra and I are going to do do turn called
the "Stars and Stripes." SOMEWHAT DIFFERENT. Meeker-My wife's front name is Meeker
Emma.
Bleeker
Bleeker-Well, what of it?
Meeker-Oh, I merely mentioned it for the purpose of setting mysel right. You may think I am hen
pecked, but I'm not-even if I do look as if
at times."

## WHAT SHE WANTED.

 papers

## ITS SORT. "The convict who was planning an escape forgot all about hiding his sle." escape

## Grubbs-Do you find that your wife can keen a secret? Grebs-Do you feep a secret? Stubbs-Well, not exactly; but she

 an keep it going.$\qquad$
"Do you believe that trouble come "Very often it does if they're moarcycles."
"Pa, what is an ano
"I can't explain the term very 1, son, but a deckhand on a suba
narine would be anomalour."


## Announcement

## Quality And Service The Keynote

In announcing to the people of Floydada and Floyd County the change of ownership in the Floydada Drug Co., in which Dr Joel H. Massie becomes proprietor, succeeding Mr. Tom B. Trip lett, we are pleased to assure our customers that-

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## Floydada Drug ©ompany

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Of the extremely low prices we are making on merchandise at this season of the year, and many more would have done so, but for the continued rain the past few days. If the weather continues fair our store will be crowed every day with people that realize the bargains we are offering in dependable merchandise and will buy their needs for the fall and winter season.

The fact that so many people have made large purchases the past week regardless of the bad weather and roads signifies the bargains we are offering. If you have not been a patron of "The Store with the Goods" we want you to visit us, look our stock over and let us show you the advantage of buying goods from a large and well assorted stock.

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spray pump, and these spray pump, and these m:y now
be obtained for work un almos any scale, and range in sizes from the so called bucket pump suitable for work on a few trees
in the yard to the large gasoline ower ouifits employed in ex iniormation on, the San Jose scale and tire preparation at home of lime-sulphur concentrate wil
be found in Farmers' Bulleti
650 .
Certain other scale -insect pests which mav be present on the trees, as the cherry scale, oystershell scale, etc., are also pretty nual treatment with lime-sul phur. wash. The treatment is leaf blister mite, which is usually -present on pears and in some
localities is a very serious apple localities is a very serious apple
pest. Certain destructive apple plant lice winter in the egg stage on the apple, especially on the newer growth, and thorough
lime sulphur spraying for the San . Tose scale undoubtedly re sult in the destruction of many of these eggs, though the treat-
ment is not always sufficient to ment is not always sufficient to
obviate spraying after the insects have hatched and the foliage is putting out. In the Middle and $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { Southern States, where the win- } \\ & \text { ters are not too rigorous, the }\end{aligned}\right.$ wooly apple aphis often mantains itself in colonies here and there on apple trees, occuring more especially around wounds where the thinner bark is exposed. The spraying for the San
Jose scale aid in destroying these colonies. Spring spraying of peach as the buds are swelling, in addition to its destructive action, is also a very effectiv
tioned, check to the so-called peach twis borer, or peach worm, which very destructive in Califorria! Texas State Fare attending the and numerous arid valleys in the left Monday to spend the week

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## Col. Goethals not to Resign; Will Battle Canal Slide

rest on foundacions of hard $\in \mathbf{r}$ material. These deposits, as the excavating progressed, have
simply skidded into the canal. - simply skidded into the canal. nd In many cases surface water
ip. leaking in along the line where p. leaking in along the line where is the varying formations meet act up" the slides.
The great nine-mile cut at Culebra where the canal plow through to the very bone of che
continental divide has given the od greatest trouble. In 1911 engineers had to fight 21 slides and at irregular inter vals up to the present one these
have continued, whole mountain have continued, whole mountain
sides simply slipping into the waterway, Sometimes from a height of more than 500 feet above sea level. Culebra district has given the engineers their greatest trouble. Night after night when the men were racing to finish the canal were racing to finish the canal slide into the canal as could be

## shoveled out by thousands o

## In this the day.

In this one cut alone some
$2,722,164$ cubic yards of ial had slipped into canal up to July of 1913 and all this had to be shoveled out again. more than 100 ships and wil 1 -and even longer unless Gce-1-and even longer unless
thals adopts heroic methods to clear away the thousands upon thousands of tons of earth and
 Floy Sarah, of Mineola, arrived doyaada Saturday afternoon health Mineoo.a. Mr. Little's past ten months following operation, He expects to improve steadily with the change of climate, The family
a short time.

## Proorietor-Se

Proprietor-See, here! have to pay for that steak. sedimentary volcanic ash. it is of varying degrees of hardness that can
eally be called rock In many Proprietor-Yes, but you've places huge deposits of earth places huge deposits of earth
and rock of ver

Baker-West.
Last Thursday evening Mr.
Chester West and Niss Letitia Chester West and Niss Letitia
Baker were united in marriage at the Methodist Parsonage in Floydada, Rev. G. W. Shearer officiating.
Following
Following the wedding Mr. and Mrs. West and the wedding party were entertained at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E.
Browns where a wedding sunper Browns where' a wedding s
was secved by the hostess.
The bride is a daughter of Mr . and Mrs. W. H. Baker, who formorly resíded one mile- South of Floydada. The groom is a nephew of Jno, L. West.
Both parties have been Both parties have been known here a number of years and have many friends. They have the best wishes of all for a happy and prosperous wedded life
Mrs. A. J. McKinnon of Crosbyton spent a few days here the lirst of the week guest of Mr.
and Mrs. A. P. McKinnon, Her husband was a witness in dis trict sourt
the time.
WANTED TO RENT-One or two rooms for light housekeeping. Phone Chas. Whitener at City Hotel.
A. F. \& A. M. Walks are Laic.

150 feet of concrete walks for the A. F. \& A. M. Lodge were completed Tuesday forenoon by ed places on the west side walks which have for a year or more been a source of annoyance to pedestrians.
N. W. MeCleskey left Tuesday morning for Dallas and other points in North Central Texas where he will spend several days on business.
Mrs. Angie Starcke, of Baswith her sister Mrs. A. P. Mc-


## A Fortune in Cotton

There are going to be man prosperous farmers in be many

Gov. Ferguson to Parbon 100.
 be A Year, among whom will open the Texas State Fair, said settly. Ogman oi the Ogden that he would pardo settlement. He has nine hun- every one of the 100 friendles and the will dromat pardons yesterday. That
This is
This is what we would call
idea of life-saviug," the
getting rich off a cotton crop, a thing that most people think

Dr. Nichols Interests Partner
Plainvíw Sanitarium
Dr. A. M. Showalter, Virginia, has become interested
in the Guyton-Nichols Sanitarium, at Plainview having pur The sanitarium's interest. hout Novembir overnor said.
Governor Ferguson added that he would hear the story of ery one of the 3,800 eri,viets Texas prisons, and that if mor pardon recommendations were made, he would give them clen ency als
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## On West Side Square last

 Saturday. Gold frames, one Mera lens cracked. In worn leathercovered case. Finder notify H. Martin, phone no. 190-R13.

LOST-New ladies black kid Worth, where she from left hand Plea Grand Chapter O. E. S., leave at Hesperian office. Please deleg
Itc. er

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Lewis performed the marriag
remony for J. W
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Floydada, Texas
eplied the other halt ", I guess, Merely a soft spot.
ear," answered Jones. "Wy triend all said I had one when I married

JUST LIKE A MAN.
Said He-You lived on a ranch for a number of years, I believe. Said She-Yes.
Said He-Did y
Said She-No, it was too lone some; th
talk to
Soid
said $\mathrm{He}-\mathrm{Y}$ neighbors to talk about

## WANTED TO KNOW

"If I were to offier you two opportunities, one honest and the othe dishonest, to make a sum of money
which one would you choose?
"A ost?
dogs for the trenches.
A $\log$ breeder in the United
tates has sold several rat terriers to
suitable ones.
"What do you,suppose mermaids
"I don't know; what have they?"
"I for pet
"Ocean greyhounds and sea pus

## MUCH MONEY.

He-What is the difference be-She-I annt a creation? figures, but it's a small fortune.

> TRACING THE SPOIL.
"I found the parlor maid stealing
"Gop." gracious! It must lave
$\qquad$
$\frac{\text { new carpeets.' }}{\text { in hard Lines. }}$
"A cynic is always an egotist."
"Not if he's genuine
hope of happiness is that someone


## Carnation Club.

Mrs. J. A. Stallings was hos-
"Do you like the marble bust sent
tess to the Carnation CJub at
you among your other ornaments?"
the regular meeting, Thursday
"Oh, it's head and shoulders over
eve, Oct. 14. After a short the rest of them." che regular meeting, Thursday "Oh, it's head and shoulders ove business meeting the evening them.
 ning high score. At the close
of the games, the hostess serv. of the games, the hostess serv-
od a delightful luncheon, con sisting of: pimento and cheese sandwiches, hot chocolate, na
bisco wafers and banana-nut bisco wafers and banana-nut
cream, to the following gues's: Mesdames Bruner, Butler Green, Borum, Cannaday, Mont-
ague. Donaldson, Andrews, Henry, Snodgrass, Mc rillan Young, Smith and Starks. Mrs. Mckinnon will be hos
tess to the club at the next aregular meeting, Oct. 28 .

Associational Cattle Inspectur 1. 1. McMurtry, of Tulia, was
in Floydada last Tuesday night.


## ITS SORT.

"I hear Jiggs has locomotor "ataxia."

## that one

## "Why do you call this sketch urs 'Wrinkles'?" "Because I wan <br> the reason of it

 businese to made a Tuesday.Have you read AD EM-NEL

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 duck. He then set light to the hay, pounded the ashes up with the pota
toes, and swallowed the lot. THEATERS EAST AND WEST Oriental Places of Amusement Have
Their Customs, as Have Thoso
of the Occident.

crous, even if a tragedy is being en-
acted acted. We reciprocate by thinking
that Chinese and Japanese theaters that Chinese and Japanese theaters
are run by crazy people, the customsare so very peculiar.
In Japanese theaters a singular custom prevails of allowing a visitor,
for a small fee, to stand up, and the unfortunate individual behind him has no right to remonstrate or to
rise and try to get a peep at tho rise and try to get a peep at tho
stage. He may hear, but he cannot stage.
see.
Another peculiarity is that the extravagantly disposed visitor may purchase the right to sit upon the
stage wherever he likes, and the ac tors go on with their parts in apparent unconsciousness of his presence.
It is not an unusual spectacle to It is not an unusual spectacle to
see a broadsword combat fought all around a visitor, who coolly enjoys
the scene and shows no disposition

## to


"Now, look at me," howled the
bald-headed orator, "and behold what pluck and perseverance will do. I
am a selfimade and -"
"Then why didn't you finish the job by putting some hair on your
roof?" interrupted a voice from the
gallery.
$\qquad$ an awfully slender woman, isn't she?
Mr . Buzzer-Yep, some bony. In fact, she

COULD HANDLE BOTH SIDES. Simmons - Isn't Barker always willing
tion?
Kim tion?

Kimmons-Not unless you let him
 THE REASON.
"Why do you name your play '
Porous Plaster'?"
"Because they



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Lost in Floydada Cemetery.
loved ones. If you want to sav
the last resting place of your
from a like fate call on S. B. Mc
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with pure Georgia Marble a reasonable prices. 4 te. To curb the coal trust get
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