

Baptists to Have Regular Services

New Pastor Reach Floydada Tomorrow. First Sermon Sunday.

Sunday May the 3rd, at 11 a. m. brother John F. Elder will begin his work as pastor of Floydada Baptist Church. Brother Elder will preach both morning and evening, and there will be services each Sunday in the future. We desire to state that Bro. Elder has the reputation of being an untiring worker for the advancement of God's cause and kingdom. We ask as a church and on the behalf of Bro. Elder that the people in general, and especially the membership of the church be present and worship with us the coming Sunday both morning and night. We feel that you will be benefitted. We now extend to one and all a hearty welcome to worship with us at any and all times.

A. E. Johnson,
 Church Clerk.

Santa Fe Officials Visit Floyd.

Vice President Edwards Chambers, of the Santa Fe Railway System, from the Chicago offices, General Livestock Agent F. S. Brooks, from the Kansas City offices and Superintendent D. Elliott, of Amarillo, paid a short visit to Floydada Monday afternoon being out on an inspection tour of their Texas lines.

No Money for Flies at Plainview.

The Civic League of Plainview has been conducting a campaign against flies in that city similar to the one inaugurated by the Mothers' Club at Floydada last week.

These Plainview women have been receiving weekly from 10 to 20 thousand flies.

On their last day set to receive flies ten thousand were brought in by the little fly-trappers of that town, but from lack of a little help from the citizenship of the town their treasury was empty and they were unable to pay for the flies brought in for burning.

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Floydada, Texas

TMBar's Have Good Range

Thos. Montgomery, owner of TMBar Ranch near Mount Blanco, was transacting business in Floydada Wednesday.

In answer to questions as to the rains and conditions in general in his section of the county Mr. Montgomery stated that range conditions were generally good. Most of his ranch had a good rain Sunday though not as much moisture fell as at Floydada. About three-fourths of an inch fell at the ranch headquarters on the canyon.

Above the ranch headquarters two or three miles some damage was done to the large cotton woods in their canyon pasture, by the wind. About 50 of these were blown down. Mr. Montgomery stating that the loss from this cause being the greatest in many years.

"Our Mutual Girl" Coming.

Messrs. McMillan and Young of the MeandY Theatre announce that the first reel of the much-talked Mutual feature "Our mutual Girl" will be shown on the screen in Floydada during the earlier part of May, and one night each week thereafter indefinitely.

This is probably the most-talked of feature shown in many days in the larger cities.

The announcement of the date for the first appearance of this reel will be made soon.

A. G. McAdams Visits West Texas.

A. G. McAdams, of Dallas, president of the A. G. McAdams Lumber Company, of Texas, with yards in 15 or 18 towns in Central and West Texas, has been out the past week on a tour of inspection.

In company with W. B. Adkins of Lubbock, Mr. McAdams was in Floydada last Saturday and conferred with local Manager W. I. Cannaday.

Business prospects are very good in this section and Mr. McAdams seemed well-pleased with the manner in which his company's business is being conducted in Floydada.

You Should Vote.

Be sure to hold in mind that Saturday next, May 2nd, is independent school district election day and that the Floydada district has to elect four trustees for their schools next Saturday.

Do not sit back and fail to vote, then blame the trustees and teachers if the school is not what you want it to be. Your time to register your desires in the matter is at the ballot box next Saturday.

W. A. Robbins, Dr. V. Andrews, A. L. Bishop and E. C. Nelscn are the trustees whose terms expire Saturday, or when their successors qualify. These are good, reliable men for the place. But if it does not meet your approval to vote for these, make out another ticket. At least vote.

Wireless Company Declares Dividends.

Galveston—The Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of America has just made public its financial statement for the year ending December 31, 1913. The profit realized from operation during this period was \$177,914. The total capital investment is \$9,402,070. The company operates in Texas and controls 15 stations in the state.

Tremendous Rain and Hail

Precipitation Sunday Afternoon 2.17 Inches in 2 hours 30 Minutes.

Amounting to almost a waterspout in some localities in Floyd County and accompanied by damaging hail in some localities, a heavy rain fell over a large portion of Floyd and adjacent counties last Sunday afternoon. At Floydada the rain began about 3:30. At six o'clock when the clouds cleared away two and seventeen one hundredths inches of rain had fallen.

In the south part of the county some wind damage was done. The heaviest rain belt seemed to have traveled from the southwest in a northeasterly direction covering a section some thirty miles in width. At Lockney about one inch of rain is reported. At Crosbyton only a slight shower fell. At various points in the county hail broke window lights and did damage to gardens and orchards. A few pigs and young stock have been reported killed by the hail.

Some wheat was far enough advanced as to be damaged but in the main wheat crops are reported as safe.

Good rains at Lyman, Matador and Roaring Springs east are reported. A good rain fell at Lubbock and points intermediate. None fell in Plainview nor Hale Center, according to reliable reports.

The total rainfall for April at Floydada to date is 3.97 inches. 1.80 inches fell April 3rd and .15 of an inch fell April 4th.

Windstorm Ruins Farm Home

The home of Dick Herd, a farmer of the Farmer Community six miles southwest of Cone in Crosby County, was destroyed last Sunday afternoon by a cyclone. Mr. Herd escaped with his family by retiring to their cellar just as the storm broke.

The house was completely destroyed, together with his barn, farming implements and tools. His livestock were badly crippled, one colt being killed, and several horses severely injured.

The storm came from the southwest and traveled on the ground for about a mile and a half.

The winds also demolished the granary of Henry Assiter who lives north of Cone about the county line, and blew down a number of trees in the Blanco canyon a short distance above the TMBar headquarters.

New Pasture Fences.

The Matador Land & Cattle Company is doing some fencing in their western pasture lands and last week completed hauling out a consignment of 900 posts, (enough for about 7 miles) from the West Plains Lumber Co., of Floydada. These posts were hauled in three loads by the use of the company's big truck, which has proven itself invaluable to the Matador people in their extensive feeding and pasturing operations over a large part of Motley county and the east part of Floyd.

New Bridge out.

In the heavy rains last Sunday Motley county lost a new bridge just completed across the river between Whiteflat and that place on the Friday before.

Robt. McConnell Leads Swatters

7280 is The Total for Week Ending To-day.

Twelve boys and girls have responded to the call of the Mothers Club for the extermination of flies in Floydada; their offer of 10c per hundred for the pests has been the cause of the death of 7280 flies which without a doubt otherwise should have gone on spreading disease in Floydada.

Of the number who have been trapping and killing flies Robert McConnell leads with 3000 flies to his credit; Jim Shurbet is second with 2150 flies. Others have killed from 100 to 750.

These have been counted and burned, and to date is the biggest holocaust of flies ever recorded in Floydada. 7280 flies have been put out of the disease carrying business as well as the countless multitude of their breeding which would have inevitably followed. This really means a big thing.

There is one regrettable thing about the situation; the funds of the Mother's Club will prove inadequate to carry out the program as first announced; they will be unable to pay 10 cents per hundred, and the announcement is made that on and after Monday, the 3rd of May, the price per 100 will be reduced to 5 cents; however the original offer of a bonus of \$2.50 for the winner will be given as first announced. And this does not affect the trappings brought in the remainder of this week. These will be received at the price first announced—10 cents.

In order to be positive that the funds to carry out the five-weeks campaign shall be sufficient the business and professional men of the town are to be given an opportunity to subscribe to the funds. Each should subscribe liberally when asked.

The annual toll in lives and doctor bills exacted by the house fly each year far exceeds the amount required to carry their program out and should be sufficient argument for liberal aid in carrying out the crusade against the fly early in the season.

The cheapness and efficiency of carbolized or hydrated lime as a sanitary precaution against the breeding places for flies should recommend its being freely used by every household in Floydada.

Physicians and public health officers say that lime is the most efficient agent, counting the price, that is at the disposal of every citizen. Flies can be successfully combated, but they are taking an annual toll of 300,000 babies in the United States each summer; they kill more strong men each summer than all the "gunmen." To allow their breeding places will some day be made a crime against the statute of the states. Meanwhile each good citizen should be glad to take every cheap, efficient means to combat them.

Forbes Child Dead.

Plainview Herald: Ruby Lee, the infant daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Forbes, of Silverton, died at Lancaster, Texas, last Friday.

The body was brought to Plainview for burial. The funeral was held at the First Baptist Church this morning at ten o'clock, Rev. H. H. Street officiating.

Buying High Grade Herefords

S. F. Meguire, of Douglas, Arizona, a director in the Bank of Douglas, and a large cattle raiser and dealer, is in Floydada this week and is today receiving a herd of high grade Hereford cows and two-year-old heifers.

The lot consists of 67 two-year-old heifers and 50 to 75 high grade cows, which he is purchasing from N. A. Armstrong.

Mr. Meguire will ship these cows to his ranch near Douglas, where is breeding high grade bulls for the market.

The price paid is a fancy one. Floyd County raises and sells annually a large number of high grade cattle.

Floyd Adds Fifth Straight.

The Floydada Baseball aggregation added their fifth straight win last Saturday afternoon in the game with Sandhill on the local grounds, but their victory was not easily won, the score being 7 to 6.

For the first seven innings the game was one-sided with the home boys in the lead 6 to 0. In the seventh long hits by the Sandhill boys and some costly errors by the home team netted them six runs and the battle was closely fought the remaining innings.

Cooper and Baird were the battery for Floyd; Smith and Riley doing the work for the Sandhill aggregation.

Wayland College team of Plainview and the Hale Center teams are the next victims scheduled for trimming. The games will probably be played on the local grounds.

Derailed Train is Late.

The local 5 o'clock train was an hour and twenty five minutes late Monday afternoon, on account of a derail between Lockney and Muncy. Only the lead trucks of the engine tender got off the tracks and no damage was done to the train.

The section gang repaired the track damage Monday night.

Tin Cans Are Moving

City's Wagon busy this Week Hauling to Dumping Grounds.

The city this week is having all tin cans and non-combustible rubbish hauled to the dumping grounds from all portions of the city limits. Streets and alleys are receiving the same attention as the premises where cans and rubbish have accumulated.

This move on the part of the city authorities has been a matter of much commendation on the part of the citizenship.

A clean town and a beautiful town are to be accomplished only by consistent persistent effort by town officials as well as the civic organizations and the individual residents.

Box Supper at Antelope.

A box supper is to be given at the Antelope School House Saturday night, May 9, according to the announcement made this week.

The supper is to be for the benefit of an organ fund for the community's Sunday school.

Everybody is invited to attend. A pleasant evening is predicted for all who go.

United States Express Company Quits.

Fort Worth—according to information received by United States Express Company officials here, that company will cease doing business on June 30th. Both American and foreign offices will disband on that date.

Mr. J. S. Biggar, head of the foreign department has just returned from Europe where he spent the past month closing up the company's affairs.

F. M. Butler and wife attended the presentation of the "Chimes of Normady" at the opera house in Plainview Saturday night, staged by home talent.

Blouse waists and wash suits for boys at the Fair Store. Itc.

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Much Cattle Being Shipped

The local Santa Fe loaded out 27 cars of cattle last week for the market and for points north. Many of these will be put on grass on the north plains. Oklahoma and Kansas.

33 cars had been engaged Monday for shipment this week, the larger part of which also will be placed on grass in sections further north.

Reduced to a diagram, the joys of a taffy pull are thus expressed, the dotted lines representing a string of taffy from lip to lip.

She.....He
 She.....He
 She.....He
 She.....He
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Harry Marsh, of Lockney, was in Floydada last Saturday enroute home from the south and east portions of the county.

Glenn Armstrong spent Saturday last in Plainview.

April is War Month.

The United States Republic's war month is April.

"A writer for a northern news paper declares that the Fates have passed March, the month of the war god, and have written America's martial movements in the pages of temperamental April. This same writer points out that the present controversy with Mexico has brought a queer historical coincident. Sixteen years ago on April 21, 1898, war was declared against Spain. The revolutionary war began April 19. The last Mexican war on April 24, and the civil war on April 14"

Joe Biles spent Monday in Plainview where his son, C. R. Biles and family now reside.

He was accompanied to that place by his little granddaughter, who has been visiting here since Friday.

Clarence Thompson, of Amarillo, spent Saturday and Sunday last in Floydada with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Thompson.

THE ODD JOBS CLUB.

Helps Boys to Work Their Way Through College.

Mr. T. W. Currie, Secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association at the University of Texas, has this year, for the second time, successfully operated an "Odd Jobs Club" among the men students, more than half of whom are either wholly or in part self-supporting. In a town the size of Austin there are many people who do not keep regular help and who yet



T. W. Currie

need occasionally to have this or that thing done. Often it is difficult to find service to meet such a demand; for the people who do manual or clerical labor well are usual at steady employment. But in Austin this demand has been met through the student's Odd Jobs Club.

The calls are of every description. Some times a window-washer or a rug-beater is wanted to help out a busy housewife; sometimes there are cows to milk or wood to cut or a lawn to be mowed; or perhaps it is a business man who wants envelopes directed or type-writing done. From the beginning of the present school session up until January 1st the books of the Club show that 155 jobs had been done, netting \$165.00.

TEXAS FACTS

COTTON.

Twenty-five per cent of the world's cotton crop is produced in Texas.

The annual per capita cotton production of Texas is one bale.

Texas produces 4,000,000 bales of cotton annually.

Cotton yields the Texas farmers a million dollars per day.

Cotton is the principal farm product of Texas, although every crop known to agriculture can be raised in this state.

A cotton crop failure is unknown in Texas and a small yield per acre is always offset by an increase in price per pound.

Cotton occupies 45 per cent of our cultivated area.

Within the past decade the cotton acreage of Texas has increased 25 per cent.

An acre of Texas cotton, in 1912, was worth \$27.19, including the value of the seed.

Texas cotton, in 1912, yielded 206 pounds of lint to the acre and had a value of 11 1-2 cents per pound.

Texas is not only the leading cotton-producing unit, but is also the principal exporting center of the globe.

Galveston, Texas, is the world's leading cotton exporting port.

Houston, Texas, is the largest inland port cotton market in the world.

At one planting a seed of Texas cotton will multiply 1,600 times.

To plant the Texas cotton crop requires the services of 500,000 persons, 1,000,000 cultivate it and 2,000,000 persons are kept busy 4 months gathering it.

It costs \$15,000,000 to pick the Texas cotton crop, \$12,000,000 to gin it and \$3,000,000 to compress it.

TEXAS FACTS

CATTLE.

There are 6,238,000 head of cattle in Texas, which are valued at \$185,648,000. Of this number 5,173,000 are beef cattle and valued at \$137,084,000, while 1,065,000 are milch cows, which are worth \$48,564,000.

From 1910 to 1914, the value of the Texas steer has increased \$11.20.

Fifteen per cent of the beef cattle of the United States are in Texas. We have more than twice as many as any other state.

Texas ranks fifth in number of milch cows and first in quality of milk, cream and butter produced.

The Texas milch cow on January 1st, 1914, was valued at \$45.60 by Uncle Sam, while five years ago she was worth only \$29.50.

There are 17,500 cowboys on the cattle ranches in Texas.

Our packing houses slaughter 2,000,000 head of meat animals annually.

More calves are received at the Fort Worth market than at any other market in the world.

The largest cattle feeding plant in the world is near Stamford, Texas, in Jones county.

There are 14 packing houses in Texas.

Texas is the leading meat producing state in the Union. We produce \$140,000,000 worth of livestock and products annually.

TEXAS FACTS

PRINTING AND PUBLISHING INDUSTRY.

There are 4,408 persons engaged in the printing and publishing industry of Texas.

The printing and publishing industry of Texas represents a capital investment of \$9,127,000.

Texas has 1,067 printing and publishing establishments.

Printing and publishing houses are the predominating class of manufacturing establishments in Texas.

Texas has 814 weekly papers and 95 daily papers. We rank second with other states.

We have 22 semi-weekly papers.

The first newspaper ever published in Texas was the Houston Telegraph. It was established by Gail Borden in 1836. It is now defunct.

A Texas newspaper man invented condensed milk.

The oldest newspaper now being published in Texas is the Galveston News. It was established in 1843.

The Circulation of Texas newspapers is 5 papers per family, per issue.

There are 57 foreign publications issued in Texas.

The combined circulation of Texas publications is 5,000,000 per issue.

Thirty-five Texas papers issue Sunday editions.

In 1850 Texas had 5 tri-weekly and 29 weekly papers.

Ten Votes For One Cent

For every cent paid on account from date to the closing of the Piano concert will give 10 votes.

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Parent-Teachers' Meeting at Sandhill.

Saturday, April 18 was a gala day in the educational work of Floyd County. This was the day appointed for the fourth meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association, and which was also to be a joint meeting of the teachers of the North and South Floyd County Associations.

The Sandhill community is composed of live, wideawake, progressive people. A few months ago they took the greatest forward step of any rural community in the county, and voted bonds for the erection of a \$5000, two story brick school building. A neat attractive, and commodious house, containing three rooms below and a large auditorium above is the result. A well, windmill, and tank also add to the convenience as well as the attractiveness of the school grounds. The grounds itself has been greatly enlarged so as to provide ample space for various outdoor sports.

But new buildings, enlarged grounds, and modern equipment do not, in themselves, insure a good school. A great deal must always depend on the teacher. The board of trustees consisting of Messrs. Grigsby, Womack and Smith, exercised the same good business judgment in the selection of teachers that had characterized their actions in other matters. Prof. W. F. Gregory, the principal, is a live, progressive school man. He is ably assisted in the work by Miss Ruth Bumgardner. The people of this vicinity are justly proud of their building, and their efforts in creating such good school interest should kindle the admiration of every patriotic citizen in the county.

As this was, to be a joint meeting, and also the last for the present school year, a large crowd was expected to be present, nor was any one to be disappointed. By noon the largest crowd that has yet attended a rural Parent-Teacher meeting in Floyd County was present. There were representatives from Lockney, Petersburg, Floydada, Lakeview, and a number of other places.

The morning session began with a discussion of The Things Inimical to the Public School by F. E. Savage. Poorly trained teachers, lack of interest of both patrons and teachers, lack of sufficient funds and of proper equipment for work, were a few of the things discussed by him. Another point mentioned was Roman Catholicism. This is perhaps the most dangerous foe in our land today, not only of the public school but of other institutions of our government as well. Every loyal, patriotic Protestant, should be well informed upon this matter, and it is high time that the public mind be awakened to some of the dangers that are threatening from this quarter.

The Education of Boys as Future Husbands, and Girls as Future Wives, was the second subject. This was well discussed by Rev. L. H. Davis, of

Floydada. The three main points were the business, social, and religious sides of life. "With either of these lacking," he said, "A man or a woman is incomplete." "One great hindrance to the public school," he also stated, "is wrong parents, while the best and most impressive teaching that can be done is by precept."

W. F. Cook began the evening session with, What a Teacher has a Right to Expect from Parents: He insisted that parents should visit schools occasionally, provide comfortable houses for school purposes, and when misunderstandings arise that they should talk with the teacher in person, not over telephones or through notes. Miss Elfie Savage talked along the lines of proper food, cleanliness of body and of clothing, care of teeth, right kind of literature, and also of proper entertainments for the young.

Messrs. Grigsby, Trowbridge, D. T. Scott, and McLain, took the parents side of the question and told some things that parents expect from teachers. This being a very practical subject much interest was aroused over the discussions of each side.

E. C. Nix now spoke on Improved Methods in School Work. He criticized certain magazine writers for their merciless attacks on the public school. He showed that much of the so-called criticism was without foundation. He laid great emphasis upon concreteness in school work, such as; museum collections, field tours, and the use of lantern slides, stereoscopes, and the stereograph.

The need of uniformity in the Schools of Floyd County, was the subject discussed by W. L. Vaughn. Emphasis was laid upon the need of uniformity of instruction and of grading. He also suggested uniform report cards, and the giving of diplomas upon the completion of the seventh grade work.

As this was the last number on the program the meeting was now adjourned. Many were the expressions of praise heard on all sides for the people of Sandhill, in behalf of their community pride and cooperative spirit. The excellent attendance on the part of the community was greatly appreciated by the teaching force present.

The following teachers were in attendance: W. F. Gregory, Miss Ruth Bumgardner, Sandhill; E. C. Nix, W. L. Vaughn, Misses Ruby Muldrow, Julia Collier, Mattie Matthews, Lockney; W. F. Cook, Miss Ashton, Lakeview; Miss Irene Trowbridge, Pleasant Hill; J. T. Corder, Mrs. C. E. Reagan, Miss Nancy Dunn, Petersburg; J. T. Stalcup, Harmony; F. E., and Miss Elfie Savage, Floydada; M. V. Showalter, Meteor; J. F. Duck, Fairview; Chas. Rose, Campbell; F. C. Yarbrough, Baker; Price Scott, McCoy.

Among the visitors present were: C. E. Reagan, Petersburg; J. A. Price, W. B. Clark, L. H. Davis, Mrs. F. E. Savage, Floydada; Chas. Trowbridge

view; W. B. Merrill and family, Blanco; J. W. Howard, wife and daughter, Miss Roxie, Mrs. J. J. Day and Miss Bertha, Starkey.

The Sandhill baseball team had arranged with the Floydada team for a game of ball to begin at four o'clock. After the close of the program the majority of the audience remained to witness the game. This was interesting and hard fought from start to finish.

The Association wishes to acknowledge their thanks to the visiting teachers from Lockney and Petersburg for their presence and assistance in making the day the success that it was. We also wish to thank the people of Sandhill for the courteous treatment shown to all, and for the part they took in helping to make this the largest and best attended Parent-Teacher meeting ever held in Floyd County.

Sweet potato slips by May 15, 25c per 100. Leave orders now at Hesperian Office, 2tc.

Mexico's Naval Strength.

The trouble between the Mexican and United States governments has whetted interest in the naval strength of our neighbor to the south. One authority gives their total number of fighting vessels as fifteen as follows:

- Cruiser and Transports—General Guerrero, built in 1908, 1,880 tons.
- Progreso—built in 1907, 1,590 tons.
- Gunboats—Bravo and Morales, built in 1913, 1,200 tons each.
- Tampico and Vera Cruz, built in 1902, 890 tons.
- Cruiser—Zaragoza, was built in 1891, and refitted in 1910, 1,200 tons.
- Transport—Oaxaco, and probably 4 other steamers, unarmed, or nearly so.
- For Harb or Service—The Democrata, built in 1875; Independencia, built in 1897; Libertad, built schooners of about 450 tons each.

You might do well to try a colt from Freeman's saddle horse. Cost you \$12.50. Also take a peep at those young jacks. 2tp.

Chicken Thieves Sent to Sunday School.

The mayor of Plainview had in his court recently nine boys who were convicted of chicken theft. He adopted a novel scheme for the reformation of these offenders.

Each boy must attend Sunday School at some church in the town for six Sundays, and bear a certificate from their teacher stating they have attended school.

The mayor hopes the course in religious training may have the desired effect of reducing the chicken thievery.

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FRANK J. CHENEY.
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\$1600 Fat Stock Prizes.

Acting upon the advice of the Hon. Ed R. Kone, State Commissioner of Agriculture, and Mr. C. C. French, Secretary of the Southwestern Boys' and Girls Hog Clubs, the Texas Industrial Congress has extended the conditions governing its offer of \$1600 in prizes in its livestock classes so as to include all members of the baby beef and hog clubs of the State. Entering the livestock classes of the Congress will only require the members of these clubs to enroll their names and to keep cost records on feeding.

The Congress requires the weighing of each hog or steer entered in the contest in the presence of two disinterested witnesses on June 5, 1914, and again on October 5, 1914. Between October 5 and October 10, each animal entered in the contest must be shipped to Fort Worth to be judged there during the Livestock Show. No preliminary expenses will be incurred, as these animals can be consigned to any of the livestock commission firms at the stockyards in Fort Worth, and when the hog or steer is sold, the shipping expenses will be deducted. By shipping to Fort Worth, during the Fat Stock Show, contestants will receive premium prices for their animals and these will be high enough over the ordinary market price to take care of all shipping expenses.

In addition to the \$1600 in prizes offered by the Congress, contestants may enter their hogs and baby beaves for exhibition in the open classes of the Fat Stock Show in competition for other prizes. Besides this, a price of thirty cents per pound has been guaranteed for the champion baby beef exhibited at the Stock Show this year.

Every boy or girl in the State who is fattening a baby beef or a hog for market or exhibition in a local fair or at the Fat Stock Show, should write at once to the Texas Industrial Congress at Dallas for application blanks to enter its livestock classes. The time in which to enter has been extended to June 5, instead of closing on May 1 as stated in the first announcement made by the Congress.

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Normal Receiving Insurance Money.

Up to Thursday of last week, according to The Randall County News, of Canyon, the west Texas State Normal authorities had received \$50,000 of their \$100000 fire insurance money.

It is expected that when all the money is received the Board of Regents will take action toward rebuilding.

Good second hand buggies for sale or trade. See J. M. Hughes at Hughes Livery Barn. 2tc.



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How would you like to sleep till breakfast is steamig hot on the table? Yes, and not carry in coal and out ashes all the time. It would be nice wouldn't it? Well this can be done—and more too—if you'll just get your wife a New Perfection oil stove. Note: oil, not gas. Many makers imitate it—sincerest flattery—but none have been able to make its equal. See the 3 and 4 burner patterns on my floors now. They are savers of labor, time, worry, filth and money. One lady said, "I wouldn't use an old coalstove again since I've tried the New Perfection Oil Stove. It bakes cakes, pies and biscuits beautifully."

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CANDIDATE Announcements

We are authorized to announce the following as candidates as shown, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July, 1914:

For District Judge, 64th Judicial District:
R. C. JOINER.
For County Judge:
E. P. THOMPSON
Arthur B. DUNCAN
For Sheriff & Tax Collector:
A. C. GOEN.
R. M. Bud Broyles
For Co. and Dist. Clerk:
R. C. SCOTT
TOM W. DEEN
W. B. CLARK.
F. Hodge
Tax Assessor:
WILLIS.
ASEY
JONES
Treasurer:
THAGARD.
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dent and ex-president of the Farmers' Union. These articles have been very distasteful to all radical pros, among whom may be classed The Home and State. This paper says there's "a dark lantern combine to deceive the honest, clean-handed farmers of the state." In so many words—the Home and State says:
"To the Farmers' Union: It will be worth while to probe, find out, and expose the dark lantern combine that is seeking to deceive the honest, clean-handed farmers of the state. The articles they are signing are beyond the limited ability of W. D. Lewis and Peter Radford. These men are sending out 10,000 word telegrams to daily papers, and not at their own expense. It is time to have a cat skinning, and you are the people to do the job."

City Building Notes.

By L. M. Ward, President Fort Worth Texas Commercial Executives Association.
Boosting is one of the mightiest forces of civilization.

A man without a good word for his city should be exiled.

Factories are agencies that create wealth and build cities.

City building is scientific management applied to the betterment of a town.

There can be no steady advancement of a city without the co-operation of the farmer.

A citizenship content with the standards and workings of its town is a valuable asset.

Dreaming your town into a city is impossible; you must boost and build it into one.

A city to grow and prosper must have natural advantages as well as real live city builders within its borders.

Ability Gets Recognition.

The Amarillo Daily News, of last Sunday's date contains the following:

"Hon. Hilton R. Greer, for the past three years managing editor of The News, has accepted the position of assistant to the editor-in-chief of the Dallas Evening Journal, the new evening edition of the Dallas News company.

Mr. Greer tendered his resignation ten days ago, and has been taking a well deserved rest from work, preparatory to the assumption of his new duties.

During his four years residence in Amarillo Mr. Greer has been power in the upbuilding of the city and the development of the panhandle. His masterly editing has ever been of the

commercially, industrially, agriculturally, educationally and morally. Personally he is a most congenial, affable gentleman and his kindly manner won for him the lasting friendship and fervent esteem of our people. All of us regret his departure from our midst, but he takes with him our good will and wishes for continued success and fruitful results in the broader field which he has chosen for his future activity.

P. E. Boesen has succeeded Mr. Greer on the editorial staff of the News."

Mr. Greer was just recently elected to the place of president of the Panhandle Press Association. He is perhaps the most brilliant writer in the panhandle. His friends, among all classes in the panhandle, wish him the abundant success on the new job to which his persistent ability entitle him.

P. E. Boesen, his successor on the News tripod, started the first daily in the panhandle,—the Daily Panhandle, at Amarillo.

Texas is Now Fifth State.

Washington, D. C., April 27.—The United States is now a country of 109,000,000 people, according to the bulletin containing the estimates of population for the years subsequent to the Thirteenth Census, soon to be published by Director William J. Harris of the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce.

It was prepared under the supervision of C. S. Sloane, Geographer.

As stated, the estimated population of the United States for July 1, 1914, will be 109,021,992. The population of the United States and its possessions in 1910 was 101,748,269, so there will have been an estimated gain of over 7,000,000 persons in a little more than four years. The corresponding estimated population of Continental United States for July 1, 1914, is 98,781,324, as compared with the population of 91,972,266, as returned by enumerators, April 15, 1910. This bulletin also presents the estimates of population in 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914, for the states and territories, and for cities which had 8,000 or more inhabitants in 1910.

State.	1914.	1910
New York	9,809,761	9,113,614
Pennsylvania	8,245,967	7,665,111
Illinois	5,026,781	5,638,591
Ohio	5,026,898	4,638,591
Texas	4,257,854	3,896,542
Massachusetts	3,605,522	3,366,416
Missouri	3,372,886	3,293,335
Michigan	2,976,030	2,810,173
New Jersey	2,815,663	2,537,167
Indiana	2,779,467	2,700,876
Georgia	2,776,513	2,609,121

Texas State Debt \$1.14 Per Capita.

Austin—The per capita state debt of Texas is \$1.14 or \$2.38 less than the average for the 48 states of the American Union, according to a preliminary report of the Census Bureau just received here.

The bonded indebtedness, \$4,238,000 in 1890 declined to \$3,979,000 in 1912. No special debt obligations to public trust funds were recorded in any year. The floating debt reached the maximum amount, \$760,000, in 1895, decreasing and finally disappearing in 1902; in 1910, \$149,000 was outstanding, this amount increasing to \$679,000 in 1912.

In the case of funds and investments the securities increased from \$7,895,000 in 1890 to \$69,079,000 in 1912. The cash fluctuated naturally from year to year, rising to \$3,396,000 in 1899 but subsequently falling to \$1,393,000 in 1912.

At the present time about 4.3 per cent of the total population of the United States is in the State of Texas, and 1.2 per cent of the debt (less sinking

state. The bulletin was compiled from bi-ennial reports furnished by the state department here covering the period from 1902 to 1912.

Army Appropriation Bill Passes; Biggest Aviation School for San Antonio.

San Antonio, Tex. Apr.—One of the army officers stationed at Fort Sam Houston Army Post, which is located just outside this city, said that word has been received at the Post from Washington, D. C., apprising the officials of the passing of the Army Appropriation Bill in yesterday's session of the Senate. Included in this Bill is an appropriation of \$48,000 which is to be used in the establishing of an army aviation school at this place. Large buildings will be erected for this purpose and an additional \$250,000 spent principally for the purchasing of machines and equipment. This will be the largest army aviation school in the country and will be known as the "First Army Center." Work will commence on the buildings to be occupied by the school during July and will be rushed to an early completion.

Notice of Trustees Sale.

Whereas by virtue of a certain deed of trust, executed on the 13th day of January 1914, by A. A. Newell, and L. H. Newell to E. C. Nelson, Trustee, conveying to said E. C. Nelson the following described land, to-wit: All that certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being in the County of Floyd and State of Texas and being lots Nos. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, & 11, in block No. 28 in the Town of Floydada (Floyd City) Texas, as shown by the map or plat of said Town, recorded in Vol. 2 F page 294 of the Deed Records of Floyd County, Texas. The said conveyance was made to the said E. C. Nelson as Trustee for the better securing of Baker, Hanna & Blake Company of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, in the payment of one certain promissory note dated January 13th 1914, in the sum of \$645.50 due January 20th after date payable to their order, with interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from maturity. Also for the better securing of Burrow Jones & Dyer Shoe Company of St. Louis, Mo in the payment of a certain promissory note, dated January 13th 1914, in the sum of \$883.65 payable to their order, with interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from maturity. And whereas said indebtedness is due, and the owners and holders of said indebtedness having requested me E. C. Nelson Trustee in said deed of trust aforesaid to sell said lots of land in accordance with the power and authority conferred upon me by the terms and provisions contained therein, each of said notes signed Morris Bros. By E. L. Morris.

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

E. C. Nelson,
Trustee.

Texas Now Has Four and One-Quarter Million People.

San Antonio, Tex. Apr.—The estimated population of Texas is 4,257,854, according to a bulletin which has just been released for publication by the United States Census Bureau at Wash-

A Save, A Shave & A Rave

*He shaved himself to save the price
Lamentable Disaster:
He lost at least a quart of blood
And used a dollar plaster.*

*We print the facts of this affair
That others may avoid it
Since when he's shaved at our shop
And greatly has he enjoyed it.*

CITY BARBER Shop

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Come and get that new hat before the season gets old. We have some of the newest, just from the market this week. Let us fit you out with a hat and dress to match. Come and see what we have.

THE FAIR STORE

ington. The 1910 census showed 3,896,542 persons in the state and since that time there has been a gain of 361,312 in the state's population or an average of 200 persons per day. The population of the United States and its possessions now is 109,021,992, according to the report, having increased from 101,748,269.

The bulletin credits San Antonio with the largest population of any Texas City. It has 115,063 persons, while Dallas is shown in second place with 111,989 people.

New York, including Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan, Queens and Richmond Boroughs, is the largest city in the United States, its latest population being estimated at 5,333,537, while Chicago ranks second with 2,393,325 persons.

Potato Plants.

Southern Queen and Jerseys ready now, 25c per 100. \$2.25 per 1000. Terms cash.
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Locals And Personals

J. A. Keown returned Tuesday from an extended stay in Burk Burnett, Texas, where he had been spending the previous five weeks with his daughter Mrs. Oscar Bates, who was seriously ill.

At the time of Mr. Keown's departure for home she was much improved.

R. B. Carpenter, of Waco, was out for a week till Wednesday of this week, visiting with the Cannaday boys in Floydada. He was a former partner of H. E. Cannaday in contract building.

This was Mr. Carpenter's first visit to Floydada and he is well pleased with the country. "I came out to find the Cannaday's starving out," was his joking remark Wednesday morning, "And now I'm leaving before I get my feet wet."

J. J. Addington and wife, of Lockney, were in Floydada Tuesday afternoon enroute home from a business trip to Ralls.

Mr. Addington is an extensive cotton buyer and dealer. His former home was Childress, from whence he came to this section.

Potato slips ready for delivery in 10 days or 2 weeks. Leave orders at G. V. Slaughter's. Itc. F. Pelphrey.

N. W. McCleskey spent Sunday and Monday at his former home, Hale Center. His wife and daughter are visiting at that place.

Judge W. C. Dinwiddie, of Tulia, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Floydada.

A. N. Gamble, N. A. Armstrong and Jas. K. Green motored by way of Petersburg to Lubbock last Tuesday on a business trip.

Early cabbage plants 35c per 100. See J. A. Altman, Floydada. 2tp.

The Carnation Club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. V. F. Hodge at her home on Thursday April 23, 1914.

The club in business session took up the election of new officers and the following were elected: Mrs. McKinnon, Pres. Mrs. Truett, Vice Pres. Mrs. Hodge, Sec-Treas., Mrs. Jenkins, Corresponding Sec. Mrs. Reagan was elected as member of the club.

The business session was followed by Rook at which Mrs. Rov Bruner, Mrs. J. H. Hughes and Mrs. Frank Truett tied for high score.

At the close of the games the hostess assisted by Miss Clyde Hodge served dainty refreshments consisting of marsh-mallow salad, cheese sandwiches, cheese straws, ice cream and wafers, to the following members and visitors:

Mesdames, J. M. Hughes, J. D. Starks, J. M. Donaldson, G. V. Smith, McKinnon, Johnson, Truett, Ferris, Green and Jenkins.

Visitors, Mesdames Liston, Dawson, Roy Bruner, Homer Steen, Tom Triplett, Savage and Newell.

Mrs. J. T. Morris left Tuesday for Knox City, where she will spend a month on a visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Ball left last Saturday for their home at M'lvanna, after visiting in this county.

Tom Young and wife, of Amarillo, are visiting Mrs. Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bishop in Floydada this week having arrived Saturday.

For Sale. John Deere breaking plow, good as new, cheap. See Louie Moore. 2tp.

Two milk cows for sale. See S. B. McCleskey, Floydada. 1tc. Swat the fly.

New Amarillo Store.

The Jones Dry Goods Company, of Amarillo, is one of the newer establishments of that city, their store at Sixth and Polk Sts. being one of the prettiest in that city. It has been termed "the daylight store" by the management and presents a very attractive appearance to the visitor in that city.

Rev. J. W. Winn, of Plainview, is visiting this week in Floydada with his daughter, Mrs. J. R. Kerlin.

The Eyelet Mesh, Fine lisle, Keep kool, Elastic Seam, & B. V. D. in Mens summer weight Underwear. Prices from 25c to \$1.00 a garment, at Mathis-Martin D. G. Co.

Recital Friday Evening.

The pupils of Miss Anna Irick, piano teacher, and Mrs. J. M. Massie, expression teacher, are to give a recital at the public school auditorium tomorrow evening. The program will begin at 8:30, and will be as follows:

- Koelling March Militaire
- Elsie Pool, Edna Baker, Cleo Andrews.
- Selected The Little School
- Thelma Weatherly.
- Bulter Guardian Angel
- Fay Cannaday.
- Lybach Fifth Nocturne
- Marie Hugnes.
- Streabbogg My Papa Waltz
- Maurine Andrews, Miss Irick.
- Selected Two little Mice
- Bessie Weatherly.
- (a) Allen Moonlight Reverie
- (b) Rubenstine Melody in F.
- Lucile Taylor.
- Streabbogg Golden Star
- Thelma Williams.
- Heunes A day of Sunshine
- Coral White.
- Selected The Minister comes to Tea
- Othur Huskey.
- Hart Flotilla March

Fay Hatchett, Walter Sleigh Ride

Ruby White, Mary Dee allen.

Covlidge A Florentine Jubet (A Florentine woman of the 12th Century tells bow two mighty parties are united, when she finds herself in love with the son of her fathers most bitter enemy.)

- Marie Henry.
- Metcalf Woodland Waltz
- Pearl Kerlin.
- Mokyres Valcik
- Bernice Henry.
- Streabbogg Valse
- Eula Allen, Dorris Armstrong.
- Willie Pool.
- Selected The First Party
- Pearl Ranft.
- Bennett Devotion
- Stella Tubbs.
- Medcalf Sack Waltz
- Helen Ryals.
- Milne-How Jane Conquest rang the bell.
- Marie Hughes.
- Drumheller Dashalong
- Annie Marie Moore, Myrtle Thompson.
- Bohm Echos from the Alps
- Wanda Armstrong.
- Wood Trick Vs. Trick
- Marie Henry.
- Bohm Silbersterne
- Inez Puryear.
- The Palms
- Coral White, Lonie Steen.
- Lewis Rock of Ages
- Cleo Andrews.
- Pantomine Nearer my God to Thee.
- Marie Hughes, Marie Henry, Pearl Ranft.

MORE AGRICULTURE TEACHING NEEDED

President Mezes of the University of Texas Gives Views.

There is no more important educational work in Texas today than the training of young men to become farmers, and the increase and distribution of information about farming. Three-fourths of the population of our State is rural; three million of its people live under rural conditions, and there are now at work on its farms 350,000 white farmers. Courses in agriculture and experiment work are carried on by the Agricultural and Mechanical College. Each of the four State Normals and the College of Industrial Arts is giving instruction to students who are preparing to teach agriculture. The State University also, as is required by the Constitution, is preparing some of its students to teach agriculture. In the agricultural courses of the A. & M. College 514 students are enrolled; in the four State Normals, the College of Industrial Arts, and the University, 1,020 students are enrolled in agricultural classes. Is this an adequate provision? Does it compare favorably in amount with the work of the eighteen literary colleges of the State? When we bear in mind the 3,000,000 of our rural population as compared with the 1,000,000 of our urban, is the type of education especially adapted to the needs of the 3,000,000 being given sufficient emphasis?

Texas needs more agricultural training rather than less, and more institutions giving such training rather than fewer such institutions. And when they are established, and all the present State institutions have adequately met the needs of their students for agricultural training, rural schools will grow up more rapidly, and enlightened, skillful, and contented farmers will multiply, and an intelligent appreciation of the possibilities and value of the fundamental calling of the people will become widespread over the state.

TEXAS FACTS

- TEXAS HAS—
- More cotton land than any country on the face of the earth.
- The largest State Agricultural Fair in the world.
- Largest cotton seaport in the world.
- Largest inland port cotton market in the world.
- Largest farmers' organization in the world.
- The first state-wide advertising bureau ever established in the world.
- The largest cattle feeding plant in the world.
- Longest reinforced concrete viaduct in the world.
- The largest cotton seed oil mills in the world.
- The world's leading crude oil exporting port.
- The longest pipe line in the United States.
- The longest interurban system in the Southwest.
- The largest United States army post.
- Longest telephone line in the United States.

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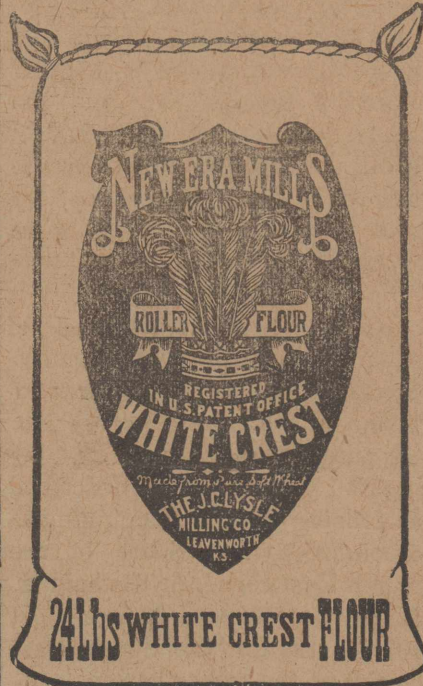
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- Number of newspapers published.
- Rice production and manufacture.
- Production of quicksilver.
- Asphalt production.

And has the second longest coast line of any state in the Union.

John J. Ellerd and Charles Ross, of Plainview, were in Floydada Saturday transacting business in connection with the cattle interests.

Gingham Crepe and other wash dresses for girls. Itc. Fair Store.

See our nice assortment Ladies and Misses Muslin and Knit Underwear. Mathis-Martin D. G. Co. Itc.

Not Hard to Deceive Moslems. Times have changed since Captain Burton, 60 years ago, made a pilgrimage to Mecca at the peril of his life. A recent account of such a pilgrimage, by A. J. B. Wavell, says that with a passable knowledge of Arabic and of Moslem ceremonial, and with due precautions as to avoiding pilgrims from the country to which one pretends to belong, "the pilgrimage to Mecca may be made in disguise without running any risk worth mentioning."

Ladies, see the new muslin underwear. Itc. Fair Store.

One Kind of Dyspepsia. You will notice that the man who would rather fight than eat always has dyspepsia when he gets into a jam.

ICE! ICE! ICE!

About the 10th of May I will begin delivering ice. Get your coupon book and save money on your ice bill this summer.

No deliveries of less than 10c will be made.

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Floydada, Texas

LEGAL NOTICES

Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, }
County of Floyd } By Virtue
of a certain Order of sale issued
out of the Honorable District
Court of Floyd County, on the
31st day of March 1914, by the
Clerk of said Court against D.
J. Muncy for the sum of Three
hundred and twenty five and 82/100 (\$325.82) Dollars and costs
of suit, in cause No. 886 in said
court, styled C. Snodgrass, J. A.
Callihan, and R. H. Baker, plain-
tiffs, versus D. J. Muncy, and
placed in my hands for service,
I, A. C. Goen as Sheriff of Floyd
County, Texas, did, on the 1st
day of April 1914 levy on certain
Real Estate, situated in Floyd
County, described as follows, to-
wit

All the right, title and interest
in the estate of J. J. Muncy, de-
ceased, which the said D. J. J.
Muncy, inherits in the estate of
the said J. J. Muncy, deceased,
by reason of the said D. J. J.
Muncy, being a son and an heir
at law of the said J. J. Muncy,
deceased, which property is de-
scribed in said mortgage lien
aforesaid as follows to wit: An
undivided 1-7 interest (one sev-
enth interest) in a 1/2 (one half
interest) in 51 acres of
land out of the C. H. George
survey; and 1/2 interest in 68 and
3-10 acres of land out of the
Foley Griggs survey and 1/2 in-
terest in lot's 9 Blk. 39, B. A.
Addition, No 1, in the town of
Lockney, Floyd County Texas,
and 1/2 of 1/4 of Lot No. 10, Blk.
39, B. A. Addition No. 1, situated
in Lockney, Floyd County, Texas,
all of said land located in Floyd
County, Texas, and levied upon
as the property of said D. J. J.
Muncy. And on Tuesday, the
5th day of May 1914, at the
Court House door of Floyd coun-
ty, in the town of Floydada Tex-
as, between the hours of ten A.
M. and four P. M., I will sell
said Real Estate at public vendue,
for cash, to the highest bidder,
as the property of said D. J. J.
Muncy, by virtue of said levy
and said Order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I
give this notice by publication,

in the English language, once a
week for three consecutive weeks
immediately preceding said day
of sale, in the Floyd County
Hesperian a newspaper publish-
ed in Floyd County.

Witness my hand, this 1st day
of April 1914.

A. C. Goen,
Sheriff Floyd County, Texas.

Notice.—Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, County of
Floyd. By Virtue of an Order of
Sale, issued out of the Honorable
District Court of Floyd County,
on 7th day of April, A. D. 1914,
by the Clerk thereof, in the case
of D. J. Muncy versus E. V.
Hartman and I. J. Barrett. No.
878, and to me, as Sheriff, di-
rected and delivered, I will pro-
ceed to sell for cash, within the
hours prescribed by law for
Sheriff's Sales, on the First
Tuesday in May, A. D. 1914, it
being the fifth day of said month,
before the Court House door of
said Floyd County, in the town of
Floydada the following descri-
bed property, to wit:

All that certain tract or parcel
of land situated in Floyd County,
Texas, out of the I. N. Bradley
Homestead donation Survey No.
28, patent No. 481, Vol. 27, be-
ing 28 1 4 acres of land described
as follows, to-wit: Beginning at
a point 950 varas South of the
North East corner of the said I.
N. Bradley survey; Thence West
197 1/2 varas for the South East
corner of the tract herein con-
veyed; thence North 572 varas;
for the North East corner of the
tract herein conveyed; thence
West 277 1/2 varas for the North
West corner of the tract herein
conveyed; thence South 572 varas
for the South West corner of the
tract herein conveyed; thence
East 277 1/2 varas to the place of
beginning, levied on as the prop-
erty of D. J. Muncy to satisfy a
judgment amounting to \$1,350.00
in favor of E. V. Hartman, with
interest from date of judgment
until paid at the rate of ten per
cent per annum, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 8th
day of April, A. D. 1914.

A. C. Goen Sheriff,
By T. H. Edwards Deputy.

Offer Advice to Officials.

The Atchison Topeka & Santa
Fe Railway company, according
to an announcement from the
office of President E. P. Ripley,
will through its division super-
intendents, give local public
officials in Santa Fe territory the
benefit of its knowledge and ex-
perience in matters pertaining to
the construction of buildings,
highways bridges, sewers and
other work of that character,
when invited to do so. There
will be no charge for the ser-
vice.

President Ripley takes the
position that the Santa Fe, be-
ing a heavy tax payer in every
city and township traversed by
its lines, is interested in all
public improvements to the ex-
tent of having the best work
done with the funds available.
Many townships and small cities
in which public improvements
are contemplated are not in po-
sition to engage for their needs
the high priced engineering
talent found on the market. To
these localities the Santa Fe sug-
gests co-operation, and will, un-
on request to superintendents,
furnish information from com-
petent engineers and architects
regarding the work in hand.
The new policy is effective at
once.—amarillo Daily News, of
April 23.

Central Plains Oratorical Contest.

All contestants and the public
are advised that the three con-
tests heretofore announced and
known as "The Central Plains
Oratorical Contst" will be held
on the following dates and under
the following conditions:

FINAL CONTEST.

The final contest will be held
on Thursday night, July 23rd,
in the Methodist church of Plain-
view, Texas.

Subject of Orations—Prohibi-
tion.

Length of Oration—Not to
exceed twenty minutes.

To be graded on composition
and delivery—50 per cent each.

PRIZES GIVEN.

I. Fifty dollar Hamilton watch.

II. Wooley's Civic Sermons, in
eight volumes.

III. Vorhee's Forty Years of
Oratory, in two volumes.

IV. Power of Purpose, one vol-
ume.

V. He Can who Thinks He
Can, one volume.

The last two prizes made are
to be given only in the event this
contest fills as now contemplated.

WHO ARE ELIGIBLE.

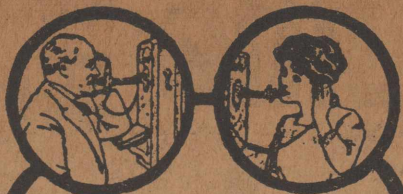
Each public school or college,
throughout Hale and adjoining
counties are entitled to one rep-
resentative in this contest. The
larger schools and colleges will
be entitled to more than one rep-
resentative only in the event of
our having a total of less than
seven contestants,—from all
schools represented and partici-
pating.

JUDGES FOR THIS CONTEST.

Will be selected from counties
out side of this district, and will
be unbiased competent Prohibi-
tionists, and to avoid hurrying
the contestants in the prepara-
tion of their manuscripts, and
in order to simplify the matter,
five judges will be chosen, who
will pass on both composition and
delivery together, instead of hav-
ing two sets of judges composed
of three each and having the
Manuscripts delivered to one set
some weeks in advance of the
contest as formerly proposed
Under this arrangement, each
contestant will be required to
send to me, notice of this entry
and the school which he repre-
sents, on or before July 1st.

OUR DUTY.

Every available student should
be encouraged and urged to enter
these contests. More than one
hundred dollars is being given in
prizes, which have been selected
with much care. The chance at
these prizes alone is well worth
the effort required, but this is
the smallest consideration, as
each contestant will get incalcul-



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Story of a Hangman's Rope.

Sheriff W. L. Futch, of Cole-
man, has received the following
letter:

W. L. Futch, Sheriff,
Coleman, Texas.:

"Dear Sir:—Leon Martinez,
sentenced to hang for the murder
of a white girl (Miss Brown) at
Saragosa, about 2 1/2 years ago,
will be hanged here April 21st.
I understand you have a rope
and a cap that has officiated
several times in these matters.
I would like to use them, if
agreeable to you, and you are
invited to attend if you care to
come.—Tom Harrison, Sheriff
Reeves Co Texas."

Mr. Futch has forwarded the
rope and cap by express to Sheriff
Harrison, at Pecos. In this con-
nection, it is interesting to note
the history of this hangman's
rope. It was the property of
former Sheriff Robert Good-
fellow, and was trained at the
official execution of John Pearl,
at Coleman, who was convicted
of the murder of Ed Tusker, a
German farmer, in Brown county
in 1900.

The rope was next used at
Baird in 1907, in execution of a
Mexican who was convicted of
the murder of a white girl, Miss
Emma Blakely, of Callahan
county, in 1906.

In March, 1912, the rope was
used in the execution of a negro,
Dan McCline, convicted of the
murder of another negro, Rosa
Tubbs, in Falls county.

It will likely be used for two
executions at Pecos. There is an-
other death sentence pending in
that county. The rope is the
property of Sheriff Futch and
will be returned to him after it
has served its purpose at Pecos
City.—Coleman Democrat.

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CHILDREN OR COTTON?

King Cotton is Herod of the Fields, Says Lewis W. Hine.

"Cotton is a curse to Texas
children," remarked the super-
intendent of one of the Texas
schools to Lewis W. Hine, spe-
cial investigator for the Nation-
al Child Labor Committee.

And why is it a curse? This
question is the theme of an article
by Mr. Hine on "Children or
Cotton?" in the Survey, of
February.

"Come out with me at sunup,"
says Mr. Hine, "and watch the
children trooping into the fields,
some of them 'kiddies' four or
five years old, to begin the pick-
pick-pick, drop into the bag,
step forward, six days in the
week, five months in the year,
under a relentless sun. The
mere sight of their monotonous
repetition will tire you out long
before they stop. Their work-
ing day follows the sun, and not
until sundown will they cease
work. Ruby, age 7, stopped
long enough to say, as I stood by
her, 'I works from sunup to sun-
down, an' picks 35 pounds a
day.' Imagine the number of
feathery bolls that must go into
the bag hanging about her neck
to tip the scale at 35 pounds!"

"The result of a few years of
this incessant grind, long hours,
physical strain, lack of proper
food and care, and lack of men-
tal stimulus: What can it be
but physical degeneration and
moral atrophy? We have long
assailed (and justly, too) the
cotton industry as the Herod of
the mills. The sunshine in the
cotton fields has blinded our
eyes to the fact that the cotton
picker suffers quite as much as
the mill hand from the mono-
tony, overwork and hopeless-
ness of his life. It is high time

for us to face the truth and add
to our indictment of King Cotton
a new charge—the Herod of the
fields.

"One of the most pitiful things
about the situation is the in-
different acceptance of condi-
tions by people generally. I
heard very little anxious com-
ment, except from school teach-
ers. Ruby's father, who said:
"They git five months schoolin'
an' it ain't 'nuff," stood out
among all the parents I inter-
viewed as a rare exception. It
is quite possible that Texas farm-
ers are not as indifferent to the
exploitation of their children as
it appears, for they are literally
'up against it.' They are
transient renters, weighed down
by debt, illiterate, and depend-
ent upon the crops.

"But I place first and foremost
in any program of change, the
restriction of child labor. Child-
ren must be left free to go to
school. At a recent conference
of the Texas State Board of
Charities and Corrections, all
were agreed that compulsory ed-
ucation is the greatest need of
Texas today. Patriotism de-
mands that we save the children.
We must begin at once—lay the
foundation for the farmer of to-
morrow, by a longer period of
childhood today, with better
preparation for work and better
training for life."

Bronze turkey eggs per setting
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ited to return, May 15.
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Church Notes

Elder J. J. Day will conduct
services at Blanco School House,
on the afternoon of Sunday,
May 3rd. is the announcement
made. All are cordially invited
to attend.

Rev. L. H. Davis left last Fri-
day for Hale Center spending
Saturday and Sunday with the
Cumberland Church and filling
his preaching appointment there.
He returned home Monday.

Cumberland Announcement.
Services will be held at the
Cumberland church at the regular
morning hour next Sunday, this
being the regular date for the
Sacramental Services.

No preaching Sunday night on
account of the Union Services,
which will be held at the Court
house.

Methodist Announcement.
Preaching at the Methodist
church Sunday morning at 11 a-
m., Sunday school at the regu-
lar hour. No services in the
evening account Union Services
at the Court house.

After preaching at the morn-
ing service will be the sacramen-
tal service.

Quarterly Conference.
The Second Quarterly Con-
ference of the local Methodist
Church was held Monday even-
ing last, with Elder O. P. Kiker
presiding.

Most all church officials had
good reports from the various
departments of the church work.

General Church News.
The report of the Presby-
terian church, U. S. A., for last
year showed that of the 1,115
foreign missionaries in 16 coun-
tries, 667 are women. The six
women's bands support 501 of
these. The total receipts for
the six women bands for this
year for regular work amounted
to \$497,446 21; for the China
campaign, \$198,161.30 a total of
\$605,626.51.

The "Bulletin of Church Sta-
tistics" places the number of
Baptists in the United States at
5,924,662. Very nearly 6,000,-
000. This includes all divisions
of Baptists. Of what are known
as anti-mission Baptists, there
are 102,000, as against nearly 6,-
000,000 missionary Baptists.

There have been 2,490 adult
Bible classes organized in the
Southern Methodist church.

Famine and destruction are re-
ported in the United Provinces
of India, affecting, in some de-
gree, twenty millions of people
and in a very serious way fully
five millions. Relief work has
been opened by the government
to aid the farmers in digging
wells for irrigation and to pro-
vide funds for the purchase of
feed for their cattle. Food
prices are at famine level, and
large multitudes are enduring
the inclement weather without
sufficient food, clothes, or
bedding.

There are now 2,004,080 mem-
bers in the Southern Methodist
church; the Sunday school en-
rollment is 1,614,917, which
means that there are about 385,-
000 more members of the church
than of the Sunday schools. The
net gain in church member-
ship in 1913 was 46,231, while
the Sunday schools gained 103,-
585, which means that the ratio
of increase was faster in the
school enrollment than in church
membership. During the past
quadrennium the net gain of
church members was 168,499,
and of Sunday school members,
245,589.

According to statistics, the
average membership of all the
churches in America is less than
800, with one out of every 800
as a foreign missionary.



Locals And Personals

Mrs. Roy Curry, of Waxahachie
is visiting in Floydada with her
parents, W. A. Shipley and wife,
having arrived Thursday after-
noon last.

To Lay Heavier Steel.
The Santa Fe at an early date
will begin replacing the 52-pound
steel on their track between
Plainview and Canyon with 72
pound material.

The larger size rails are nec-
essary on account of the increas-
ed freight and passenger traffic.

Good gentle heavy work team
for sale. Cash or good note. G.
V. Slaughter. tf.

For Sale.
Grade Jersey milk cow, fresh
3 months. Apply to W. A. Knox,
7 miles N. W. Floydada. 4tp.

Error in last week's report.—
The Hesperian made a grievous
error in last week's issue in that
we reported the birth of a
daughter to Mr. and Mrs. T. J.
Campbell. The report was cor-
rect in all particulars save the
important one,—the sex. We
herewith wish to state that the
child is a boy and a hefty, health-
y fellow he is, too.

Birth Reports.
Born.—To Mr. and Mrs. R. F.
Brown, Saturday, April 18th, a
son.

Born.—To Mr. and Mrs. B. M.
Gamble, Friday, April 24th, a
daughter.

For Sale.
Red duro shoats. See E. L.
Morris. tf.

Corn and Corn Chops at Newell
Brothers. tf.

A. Stiffer, of Roaring Springs,
spent the latter part of last week
in Floydada.

Medicated salt in the brick
form for livestock. Duncan
Gro. Co. 2tc.

Miss Mary McKinnon spent
last week-end in Plainview visit-
ing with Mrs. McKee.

Black top amber and red top
Schumac cape seed. Duncan
Gro. Co. 2tc.

The most recent figures show
that while three years ago Rus-
sian Baptists numbered only
37,127, they have reached an
aggregate of 69,295. That is, in
the Baptist register of the world
Russia now stands fourth, the
United States being first, Great
Britain second, and Canada
third.

Lockney School Supt. Chosen.
The Lockney Beacon of April
24th says:

"The Lockney School Board
has elected superintendent for the
public school for the school
term of 1914-15, in the person
of W. L. Vaughn, the present
principal of the school.

"Only one of the ladies have
been employed, that of Mrs. M.
E. Randolph. The principal and
the balance of the grade faculty
are yet to be employed.

"In the selection of Prof.
Vaughn we feel that the board
made a wise selection indeed.
He has been with the school two
terms as principal and has met
all the requirements of a splen-
did teacher, and enjoys the es-
teem and respect of pupils and
patrons alike. Mrs. Randolph
has been with the school for a
number of years and has given
general satisfaction, and her re-
tention has been a wise one.

"The completion of the faculty
will take place as soon as practi-
cable."

Some good milk cows fresh,
for sale. See C. C. West, 15
miles Southeast of Floydada,
Texas. 4tp.

Fly Time Again!
Precaution. Phone your order
for Screens. Phone 55.
tf. A. G. McAdams Lbr. Co.

Wilber Cook was in Floydada
Saturday from their new home
at Cone.

M. C. Fisher returned last
Saturday from an extended visit
in Missouri, his former home.

Red and yellow onion sets,
triumph seed potatoes, kaffir
corn seed and feterita seed
Duncan Gro. Co. 3tc.

S. T. Fagan shipped his cattle
last week to the north plains.
He has sold his place southeast
of Floydada to Hale County par-
ties who will occupy it.

Sorghum in the barrell at re-
duced prices. Duncan Gro. Co.
2tc.

Don't Wait.
To buy Post, come while you
can get the kind you want.
tf. A. G. McAdams Lbr. Co.

Lockney Girl Married.
Miss Mamie Alford, of Lock-
ney and Mr. Melvin Mise, of
Plainview, were married re-
cently in Plainview.

Mr. Mise is connected with
the Plainview Hardware Com-
pany and they will make that
place their home.

Windmill erecting, windmill
repairing, plumbing, etc. See J.
C. Mason. tf.

W. A. Shipley and wife, Mrs.
Roy Curry and Mrs. J. R. Ker-
lin and family spent last Satur-
day in Plainview returning home
Sunday.

They visited at the home of
D. D. Shipley while in that city.

J. B. Jenkins and son, Dan,
spent last Saturday in Lockney
on business.

Dr. J. L. Guest, of Lockney,
has offered his services to the
state in case the state militia is
called out for service in the
Mexican situation.

If his services are accepted he
will go into the medical corps.

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Five hundred dollars is the price of the Ford
runabout; the touring car is five fifty; the
town car seven fifty--f. o. b. Detroit, com-
plete with equipment. Get catalog and par-
ticulars from Barker & Winn, Plainview,
Texas.

E. E. Roos, Buick dealer of
Plainview, was in Floydada Sat-
urday.

E. N. Egge, of Plainview,
showed the Overland Roadster
in Floydada Saturday. Mr.
Egge is a member of the Egge-
Corlett Auto Company of that
city.

Fresh krou in the barrell sell-
ing cheap while it lasts. Duncan
Gro. Co. 2tc.

Rebuild Lockney Exchange.
The Southwestern Telephone
& Telegraph are preparing to
rebuild the Lockney Exchange
on lines similar to the new sys-
tem now in effect at Floydada.
The work will probably begin as
early as thirty days from date.

The construction gang now at
Plainview will be put on the new
work.

G. W. Gilley returned Satur-
day by way of Spur, from Fort
Worth where he had been spend-
ing the past two weeks on land
business.

Denison Chamber of Commerce Raises Factory Fund.

Denison, Tex. Apr.--The Deni-
son Chamber of Commerce is
making preparations to secure
new industries for this city and
has appointed a committee to
begin the raising of a \$100,000
factory fund. This amount will
be used to encourage and assist
in the establishing of new enter-
prises here. This place is reach-
ed by five railroads and one in-
terurban and also has an abun-
dant supply of water and cheap
fuel.

Corn and chops at Newell
Bros. tf.

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STOCK MARKET

Kansas City Stock Yards, Apr. 27, 1914. Cattle prices advanced enough last week after Monday to make up for the loss that day, except in the case of stockers and feeders, which closed the week 10 to 35 lower. After the middle of the week packers exhibited anxiety about prospective supplies for this week, indicating that they need beef. The break in stockers and feeders attracted buyers, and 12,000 head were taken out, as compared with 8,000 head same week last year. Total cattle receipts were 6,000 short of same week last year, and the extra number taken by country buyers left killers 10,000 head short of same week a year ago, which was some reason for anxiety on their part about prospective supplies here this week. Chicago reported a decline of 25 cents on beef grades last week. The supply today is 9,000 head, which is a third less than came in last Monday, and the hopeful tone inaugurated last week bore fruit in the shape of 10 higher prices today. There was a fair number of natives today at \$8.60 to 8.90, middle grade steers at 7.50 to 8.50, cows 5.75 to 7.75, bulls 5.50 to 7.25, veal calves \$8 to 9.50. Western pulp and alfalfa steers sold well today, the Gebhart Colorados bringing 8.75, against 8.65 for them on each of the last two Mondays. Other Colorado and Western steers sold at 7.40 to 8.50. Receipts of quarantine cattle are light, and it is a good time to have some cattle in the Southern division. Light two year old Oklahomas topped the market there last week, at 7.85, and some

yearling steers and heifers brought \$7 today. Stock cattle and feeders range from 6.75 to \$8, which is slightly lower than prices a year ago.

A slump in provisions broke hog prices last week, although more than half the loss was recovered before the close. Lower provisions at this time are illogical, as much cured meat will be needed in operations against Mexico, particularly in the army, as the navy is the only branch of the service that can use fresh meats to advantage. Receipts are 7,000 today, and the month to date is 30 per cent short of last April, which is anything but a bear argument. Prices are steady to 5 higher today, packers buying a good many hogs steady. Order buyers paid the top, 8.70, and packers stopped at 8.65, bulk of sales 8.40 to 8.65.

Texas sheep prices are softening, but goats are stronger to day, and Colorado lambs are up 10 cents. Colorado woolled lambs sold at 7.80 to 8.15, Western ewes up to 6.25, clipped lambs around 6.75, Texas wethers \$5 to 5.35, Texas ewes 4.25 to \$5, goats 3.15 to 3.65. Colorado offerings are dwindling, hence the strength shown, and there is a good outlet for goats, both to killers and to country buyers.

J. A. RICKART,
Market Correspondent.

Feared He Had Lost Papa.
A minister was called from the dinner table to marry a couple. The youngest child, a boy of four or five years old, heard his mother say that the father had gone to marry somebody. After a brief silence the boy looked up, and with a quivering lip asked, "Won't he be our papa any more?"—Christian Register.

Recruiting to War Strength.

The Plainview Company of the State Militia is recruiting to its war strength, which is 108. L. O. Shropshire first lieutenant of the company is recruiting officer.

First Sergeant J. W. Broom and Corporal A. B. Wade were in Floydada Saturday on the lookout for recruits. They also spent sometime in Lockney where they secured four volunteers for examination. So far as we have learned none of the local boys have volunteered.

If war is declared the company may be called to the front at any time.

**You Don't Know
Till You
INVESTIGATE
WHITE SELLS
FOR LESS**

Seth Ward Dormitory Burned.

Last Saturday the Boy's Dormitory of Seth Ward College at Plainview burned at about 3 o'clock. Very little was saved of the furnishings. Some of the boys lost most of their clothing.

This week the Board of Trustees of the school met in session and set about to devise means of repairing the loss. Rev. G. W. Shearer of this city is a member of the board.

The insurance on the building had elapsed some four weeks previous to the date of the fire.

Stokie Bishop and Lee Rushing, Floydada boys, were rooming at the dormitory at the time of the fire. Stokie was asleep in his room at the time of the fire but escaped without injury.

Enochs Vs. Duncan Etal Case in Equity Settled.

The case in equity in the Federal court Amarillo Division of the north district of Texas, was settled finally last week and all parties to the suit have had the relief prayed for in their petitions.

The cloud from the title of Mr. Enochs to the Floyd County school lands in Bailey county, purchased from Ellerd Brothers at Plainview, was removed. The deeds were corrected to eliminate the recital of a cash payment which was not in fact made, and also the reformation of the deeds so as to change the rate which past due interest on the principal of each of said, deferred payments shall bear, from 5 per cent per annum to 10 per cent per annum. This last clause of correction was made at the instance of the local commis-

FIVE HUNDRED TEXAS FACTS

Material Resources of Texas Explained to Editors.

Texas Leads in Opportunities.

The members of the National Editorial Association—the men who furnish the intellectual food of the nation—met in Houston on April 23rd, 24th and 25th and for three days discussed first-hand, the problems which confront the men behind the pen. Practically every state in the Union was represented and the convention excelled in point of attendance and results accomplished any meeting ever held by the association.

In appreciation of the compliment offered to Texas by the editorial writers, who have three times selected this state as their meeting place, the Texas Business Men's Association compiled all the salient facts of the State's greatness into a neat little volume which was presented to the editors on their arrival. In this book was told the story of the industrial opportunities which Texas has to offer to the homeseeker and the investor and of the fertile land that is awaiting the plow to make it blossom like a garden of roses.

The history of all writers, after all, is merely a chronicle of their thoughts and in directing their attention towards the greatness of Texas, the Association has sown seeds that will thrive in the minds of the writers and cause them to spread the gospel of Texas prosperity throughout the length and breadth of the land. This little book which was entitled "Texas Facts" will be given to the Texas press in weekly installments and will appear in practically all weekly papers of the state.

sioners' court for the protection of the school funds and to save litigation which might arise in the future.

New deeds covering these corrections will be re-recorded in Castro County to which Bailey county is attached for judicial purposes.

Judge W. H. Kimbrough, of Amarillo, represented the commissioners' court in the proceedings, and considering the importance of the matter his fee of \$25 is considered very reasonable.

Judge Duncan said Wednesday that he considered the county school funds now in good shape.

Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, County of Floyd, }
By Virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Floyd County, on the 6th day of April 1914, by the Clerk of said Court against R. H. Baker for the sum of four hundred and eighty nine and 28-100 (489.28) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 887 in said Court, styled J. H. Shurbet versus R. H. Baker, and placed in my hands for service, I, A. C. Goen, as sheriff of Floyd County, Texas, did, on the 6th day of April 1914 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Floyd County, described as follows, to-wit:

All of Lot No. Eleven, (11) in Block No. one hundred and fifteen (115) situated in the town of Floydada, Floyd City, in the County of Floyd and State of Texas and levied upon as the property of said R. H. Baker. And on Tuesday, the 5th day of May 1914, at the Court house door of Floyd County, in the Town of Floydada, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder,

TEXAS FACTS

TEXAS LEADS THE NATION IN—

- Livestock.
- Land area.
- Wild game.
- Railway mileage.
- Uncultivated area.
- Number of cattle.
- Number of Farms.
- Number of mules.
- Number of goats.
- Number of Turkeys.
- Number of cowboys.
- Number of counties.
- Production of cotton.
- Production of pecana.
- Production of mohair.
- Number of cotton gins.
- Agricultural production.
- Production of livestock.
- Production of seed oats.
- Number of farm laborers.
- Production of polo ponies.
- Production of watermelons.
- Number of colonies of bees.
- Number of asses and burros.
- Number of cotton compresses.
- Production of butter on farms.
- Number of farm home-owners.
- Interurban construction in 1913.
- Number of cotton seed oil mills.
- Production of early strawberries.
- Production of winter vegetables.
- Production of big league ball players.
- Manufacture of cotton gin machinery.



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And Concern
Clothes

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I claim I save you a
dollars on your suit. I do
claim two prices. I do
claim to sell any shirt
wearing apparel. I
claim I sell more suits than
any man in the Panhandle

I claim there's a reason

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Next to P. O.

Witness my hand, this
of April 1914.

A. C. Goen,
Sheriff Floyd County, Texas.
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Where the Exercise Came In.
Even doctors are not always literal
in their prescriptions. "You must take
exercise," said the doctor to a patient.
"The motor car in a case like yours
gives the best exercise that—" "But
I cannot afford a car on insurance
pay," the patient growled. "Don't buy
one, just dodge 'em!" said the doctor.

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