

Surveying 200- Section Block

Blocks 3 and 4 Lying in Four Counties Being Re-surveyed under Land Commissioners' Orders.

G. A. Linder, county surveyor of Floyd County, has received appointment from the Land Office to lay off and survey over 200 sections of land, being blocks three and four, T. & P., lying in Floyd, Motley, Briscoe and Hall counties, and this week will be engaged for some time with the work.

He will be assisted by the surveyor of Motley county, B. Moore and sufficient chainmen, wagon man, cook, and other help to do the work with despatch.

This is probably the biggest piece of work commissioned to be done in this portion of the state of late years and will settle boundaries which have long been in confusion.

Probably more than a month will be necessary to finish the work.

A friendly rivalry between various rooms of the High School student-body has been in progress for a few weeks, since the inauguration of a contest in which the room having the most ideal school room at the close of the contest is to receive the prize. The prize is to be awarded by a committee next day afternoon.

The students are showing enthusiasm in the contest.

Gets 2-Year Sentence.

Last Monday the case of the state of Texas vs. J. L. Culwell, charged with incest, came up for hearing and after two witnesses had been examined the jury found the defendant guilty, and asked the court for clemency, with the result that the jury very soon returned a verdict for two years in the penitentiary, the best sentence they could give. Mr. Culwell will probably be turned over to the state authorities, or taken to Amarillo this week.

J. Menefee spent last Saturday in Plainview on business.

Nothing will assist you

In making a good investment, like money. To have it, you should save it.

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In old age like money. To have it for the purpose it must be saved in days of your earning.

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First National Bank
Floydada, Texas

"Booster Club of Blackville" Scores a Success.

The fact that a cold norther blew up just when preparations were completed by almost every resident of Floydada to leave their homes for the Academy to see the comedy-farce, "The booster club of Blackville," did not deter near 300 from seeing the same and enjoying the affair immensely. From the beginning, when the band played an appropriate selection and was followed by a reading by Miss Mollie Taylor, the audience were well pleased and showed their appreciation of the program by insistent calls for encores on every number.

The closing scene, a dance in which nigger girls and their doting swains swung the corners on a fantastic toe to the calls of the master of ceremonies, was a huge laugh, especially, and was repeated upon insistent calls.

A sum of about \$50 was received for the effort, which goes to swell the athletic fund of the track team of the Academy.

Panhandle Teachers' Association

Programs have been published for the Panhandle Teachers' Association which convenes in Canyon, Texas, on April 4th and 5th.

The names of numerous efficient school men appear on the program and the occasion will probably be one of unusual interest to the members of the profession.

Last Tuesday a crowd of upwards of 200 men attended a sale of farming implements, horses, hogs, and cattle at W. B. Shipley's place four miles south of town, where Worth disposed of all his farming effects and feed, preparator to engaging in other lines of business.

He is not contemplating leaving this section immediately.

Grand Jury Adjourns Sine Die.

Last Tuesday, the day to which the grand jury adjourned on Friday of the first week of court, after being in session the entire day, the grand jury adjourned sine die, and made their report to the judge as follows:

"To the Honorable L. S. Kinder, Judge of the 64th Judicial District of Texas;

"We, your grand jury for the February term of said court, beg to submit the following report: We have been in session six days and have made careful inquiry into all offenses coming to our knowledge and have returned bills of indictment in all cases where the evidence would warrant the same. We find the moral status of the county in good condition and very few violations coming to our knowledge. We are grateful to the officers for their efficient support and assistance.

No further business requiring our attention at the present term, we therefore respectfully request to be discharged.

J. S. Pool, Foreman."

All the bills which were found by the grand jury were turned in at their first session, the last day, Tuesday, not producing enough evidence to warrant any indictments.

Clams, lobsters, shredded cod-fish, shrimp, tunny—most anything you want in the fish line, Duncan. Itc.

Mapl-Corn Flakes at Duncan's.

Programme of the Fifth Sunday Meeting.

Of the Staked Plains Baptist Association to be held with Floydada Church, Beginning Thursday night, March 27th, 1913.

Thursday, 7:45 p. m.—Sermon—W. P. Wagoner.

Friday, 9:30 a. m.—Devotional Service—B. F. Johnson.

Friday, 9:45 a. m.—The purpose of the Fifth Sunday Meeting—R. E. L. Muncy.

Friday, 10 a. m.—Relation of church and Pastor—H. G. Finley.—J. W. Smith.

Friday, 11 a. m.—Sermon—W. A. Turnage.

Friday, 2:30 p. m.—Devotional Service—J. M. Harder; J. W. Saffell.

Friday, 3:45 p. m.—Woman's work in the Church—W. H. Triplett; W. L. Williamson.

Friday, 7:45 p. m.—The kind of a Revival the Country needs.—I. E. Gates.

Saturday, 9:30 a. m.—Devotional.

Saturday, 9:45 a. m.—What is Bible Baptism?—J. M. Rankin.

Saturday, 11 a. m.—Sermon, Text, John 15-5.—C. R. Hairfield.

Saturday, 2:30 p. m.—Devotional.

Saturday, 2:45 p. m.—How to keep the Evangelistic Spirit alive in our churches.—C. Ross Payne;—J. W. DeVault.

Saturday, 3:45 p. m.—Round table talks conducted by G. W. Tubbs. Board meeting to be arranged for.

Saturday, 7:45 p. m.—Sermon on Christian union—H. H. Street.

Sunday, 9:45 a. m.—Regular Sunday School Services.

Sunday, 11 a. m.—Sermon—I. E. Gates.

Sunday, 3 p. m.—General discussion on young peoples work, led by C. H. Veale.

Sunday, 7:45 p. m.—Sermon, What has Baptist Principles been worth to the world—H. H. Street. We hope to have a great meeting. Everybody come and take part.

The ladies will hold their meeting on Friday the 28th.

Programme for the B. W. M. W., meeting to be held at Floydada, Friday March 28th, 1913.

2:30 p. m. Devotional—Mrs. M. B. Carter. Women as Kingdom builders.—Mrs. R. H. Baker.

Objects and Aims of Aid Societies.—Mrs. W. R. Wofford. Home Mission.—Miss Mabel Thornton.

How to keep our Societies Spiritual.—Mrs. F. S. Truitt.

We will expect a free discussion of each subject by the ladies.

Business session. Dismission.

Mrs. R. B. Longmire, Pres. Mrs. J. M. Malone, Sec.

Methodists to Change Church Location.

At a business meeting of the members present at the Methodist Church last Sunday it was decided to move the church building from its present location to lots about two blocks west of the Baptist Church where lots for the purpose have been contracted. At the same time the house will be re-painted, re-seated and re-papered, very greatly increasing the attractiveness and desirability of the appearance of the building.

W. W. Culver, contractor on the Barkmeyer Elevator, left this morning for his home at Wichita, Kans., after a stay of about six months in the city.

Ralph Brownlee Dead.

Friends of Ralph and Mrs. A. J. Brownlee, in Floydada were profoundly shocked Tuesday to learn of the death of Ralph Brownlee at their home in Oak Cliff, Dallas. The News of the 15th has the following:

"Ralph J. Brownlee, aged 27 years, died early yesterday morning at the home of his mother, Mrs. Alie J. Brownlee, 528 East Thirteenth street, Oak Cliff. Funeral services will be held at the house at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. S. A. Hayden and Rev. E. J. Rust officiating. The burial will be in the Lisbon Cemetery. Mr. Brownlee is survived by his mother, one brother, James W. Brownlee, and two sisters, Mrs. George W. Purnell and Mrs. M. F. Minter, all of Dallas.

Mr. Brownlee had been in poor health for some time. An hour or more before his death it was discovered by the family that his condition was serious, and Dr. W. M. Lively, who was summoned, said he was suffering from acid poisoning. M. F. Minter, a brother-in-law, residing near by, was sent for. Young Brownlee died shortly after Dr. Lively reached him.

Mr. Brownlee was born in Dallas and had resided here all his life. He was a building contractor in Oak Cliff."

The Dallas Dispatch goes into details more fully as follows:

"Becoming despondent over the condition of his health, Ralph J. Brownlee, 24, 528 East Thirteenth Oak Cliff, committed suicide this morning by swallowing the contents of an ounce bottle of carbolic acid.

His mother found him in a dying condition in a woodshed in the rear of his home about 7:30 this morning.

Mr. W. M. Lively was called, but he arrived too late to do the man any good.

The young man's mother went to his room this morning to call him to breakfast. She received no response to her knock and opened the door to see what was the cause. The man was not in his room and his mother started a search for him. She found him in the woodshed.

Brownlee left no letter to account for his act, but his friends and relatives believe that ill health was the cause.

He was a carpenter. He is survived by his aged mother, with whom he lived.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later."

Ralph was one of the most promising young men who has ever visited Floydada, was very successful in business, most considerate of his mother, and stood in high esteem wherever he was known. The many friends of the aged mother join in profound sympathy in this, her dark hour.

Norther is Beneficial.

Though the norther last Friday night and the ensuing cold snap made the denizens seek warmer fires, wraps and overcoats, it will prove of benefit to the fruit-growers, especially as it will have a tendency to hold the fruit crop back for a week or more longer than otherwise and give it a chance to tide over the frosts and cold snaps of the earlier spring.

No fruit was damaged by the spell, as the buds had not sufficiently swelled to be affected by the snap. Plenty of ice and a little snow was in evidence on Saturday.

Criminal Docket Clean.

The criminal docket of the District court of Floyd County is clean—not a case for the following term of court now on the books. All the cases on the docket, including those turned in the first of the term by the grand jury, were disposed of, thus giving Floyd a unique and a desirable place among the counties of the state. None of the cases tried were of over a year's standing and three disposed of were brought up by the grand jury of the present court, which shows that the courts in this county are not disposed to waste time, and also that the citizenship composing the petit juries empanelled is of the first class, being clear-minded and able to reach verdicts without an unnecessary delay.

Mothers' Club Notes.

The Mothers' Club met in regular session in the School Auditorium Friday afternoon, March 14th. The program was well rendered. The papers and discussions were enjoyed by all present. Mrs. Hall and Miss Savage gave instructive talks on the Industrial Arts as are used in the public schools of Texas. They touched briefly but clearly upon the three departments—Agricultural, Manual Training and Domestic Science. I wish all the members could be present at these meetings. You do not know what you are missing.

The J. Y. S. girls entertained the Club with songs for which we thank them.

The next meeting will be Friday, March 28 in the Public School auditorium.

Reporter.

Mothers' Club Program.

For meeting to be held at the Public School Building Friday, March 28, 1913.

1. Address.—T. H. Yarborough.
2. Reading.—Marie Henry.
3. Simplicity of dress for school children.—Mrs. R. S. Bailey; Mrs. O. P. Darsey.
4. The educational value of play.—Mrs. L. H. Liston; Miss Roxey Ivey.

The "Movies" in Floyd Agam.

Floydada people will again have the opportunity to see moving pictures, now that the season is becoming more advanced so that the weather will not prevent attendance.

Messrs. Biles and Wilson are the managers of the new show, and they declare their intention of giving three reels each Tuesday, Friday and Saturday nights, with a complete change each night. As will be remembered the lights and power are electric thus giving the very best pictures and insuring few if any stops for poor lights and other troubles incidental to gas-lit reels.

Their first performance is to be given Friday night of this week. Popular prices will prevail. See their ad in another column.

Parmer Sheriff Catches His Man.

Tuesday night Cobe Hoppings, the sheriff of Parmer county, sojourned in Floydada with a prisoner caught in Motley county, and charged with horse-theft.

Mr. Hoppings had spent over a hundred dollars tracing his man and travelled about 250 miles after him.

Sheriff A. C. Goen, with Mr. Culwell in charge, accompanied them as far north as Amarillo.

T. M. Bartley For Land Commissioner.

From the best information we can secure through the press it seems certain that T. M. Bartley at present representative from this district, will be a candidate for the Land Commissioners' job, at the next primary.

Mr. Bartley has had enough experience in the west as nester and frontiersman to know just about what the needs are in the office of commissioner, and should make a good man on the job if elected when the proper time rolls around.

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We will show a line of Ladies dresses as they arrive.

Get our prices before you buy elsewhere.

MILLINERY

We will show for Easter a line of Gage Hats and other popular priced lines

For Ladies Misses and Children

HART-SCHAFFNER & MARX

Clothes are the kind of clothes tasty men like to wear and critical women like to see. Our new spring suits are the classiest we have ever shown embracing all the new colors and weaves. Prices \$7.50 to \$30.

Why experiment with so called made to measure clothes when you can buy real Hand-tailored Clothes out of our Hart-Schaffner & Marx line without speculation as to style, fit, finish, individuality, construction, fabric, etc. Try one of our blue serge suits

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Spring Styles In Stetson Hats and No Name Hats

Our stock shows a greater variety of styles than we have ever shown before.

In these two lines you are able to get style, quality and price.

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Each freight and express brings more new goods. Months ago our buyer began anticipating the requirements of the season, and our now well-assorted stock speaks volumes for our preparations. All the latest degrees of fashion are faithfully carried out, and we extend each and every one a special invitation to come view the New Goods and become acquainted with the new styles and fabrics that will be in the most favor this season. It will be a pleasure to show you the new goods.

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Hobby

Mathis-Martin Dry Goods Co.

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"The Store with the Goods"

Center Items.

Most of the farmers are sowing oats this week.

The singing at Mr. Miller's was well attended Sunday night and enjoyed by all.

Mr. Corcoran and family from Oklahoma have moved to our neighborhood. We are glad to have them with us.

A few from Center attended church at Fairview Sunday.

Mesdames Finley, Beldon and Maxey spent last Thursday with Mrs. Joe Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Green from the Baker community spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Green's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Miller.

There will be dinner on the ground at Center Easter Sunday. Everybody is invited. Bro. Shearer will preach in the afternoon.

Mrs. John Cosby from Whiteflat is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nickell.

Mrs. Morse spent Sunday evening with Mrs. J. Hammons.

J. H. Tacket lost a fine mare Tuesday.

We think we will have all Mexico if this wind keeps up much longer.

Rip Van Winkle.

Sunday School Institute.

The Floyd County Sunday School Institute will convene at Floydada, March 31, 1913, at 10 A. M. According to previous custom the local community will be expected to prepare dinner for the convention. We give every one an invitation to attend. Notice next issue of Hesperian for place of meeting.

Programme.

Invocation.—Rev. King. Welcome address.—W. H. Matthews.

Response.—R. T. Miller Sr. How shall we reach the person who does not attend Sunday School?—W. A. Robbins, general discussion.

Our duty to the irregular attendant.—Prof. Duck, general discussion.

Dinner.

Methods by which interest can be maintained.—Mrs. Hamilton Hart, Bro. Bullard.

Comparison of the Sunday school and the day school.—E. C. Nelson, Mrs. Marvin Massie. A discussion of adjacent Sunday school Missionary territory, led by Ben Morton.

Miscellaneous business. Benediction.—Rev. G. I. Britain.

Hunt's superior canned fruits—not lye-pealed,—are the best. Sold at Duncan's. 1tc.

A. D. White, all-round-good-hand-at anything-you-put-him-at is absent from Floydada on an outing, to last as long as his job with G. A. Lider as chairmen on the surveying crew, lasts.

Please Pay Up.

I ask parties to whom I have been extending credit, to please call in and settle as I must have the money.

The City Market, by Pat Flynn

Stock Show Great Success.

The attendance and interest at the Fat Stock Show which closed at Fort Worth on the 15th, proved to be the greatest in the history of this big event. The entries and list of awards show parties from almost every southern state and many of the northern.

Parties from this county who attended the show declare it the best yet.

For fish ball, creamed fish, etc., use Fish Flakes. Sold at Duncan's. 1tc.

Fencing Time Again.

Remember The Place to get all kinds of post, prices from 10 cents up.

A. G. McAdams Lumber Co.

Suffragettes and Hoodlums.

Hyde park in London presented a sorry spectacle of English civilization Sunday afternoon when suffragette speakers were howled down, pelted with mud and otherwise maltreated by a mob of several thousand boys and hoodlums. The suffragette leaders affirm that the police were primarily to blame but the news narrative makes it plain that the officers had their hands full in quelling the mob which was bent upon offering indignities to the women.

Shocking as was the conduct of these men, really it differed in degree only from the conduct of the militant suffragettes in England who for months have been assaulting members of the British cabinet, smashing shop windows, pouring acid in mail boxes and burning houses.

If it is legitimate for women to break the peace and violate the law in the advocacy of equal suffrage, it is legitimate for men to break the peace and violate the law in opposition to equal suffrage. There is no whit dif-

ference between the riotous conduct of the suffrage advocates and the riotous conduct of the suffrage opponents. It is all anarchy and terrorism, the denial of free thought and the suppression of free speech.

The women set the example, and, to paraphrase an old adage they who strive to win by violence cannot complain if they encounter violence in opposition.

If women will not set examples of orderly conduct, they need not be surprised at disorderly resistance. If their methods are unladylike they may expect unmannerly retaliation.—Record.

James Enos, of Plainview in Floyd the latter part of week preparing to accompany Lider's surveying crew to northeast portion of the county where a large tract is being surveyed.

Mrs. C. H. Owen is in Floyd from Amarillo on a visit Mrs. J. S. W. Owen.

Mrs. A. J. Crawford, of vord, Texas, is in Floydada two-weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Rodgers family.

SEE THE Moving Pictures

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Tuesday, Friday and Saturday
Nights of each week

We have taken charge of the show on West California St., across from the Post Office, and our next show will be held Friday night, March 21.

We will show three new reels at each performance and give you your money's worth every time you come.

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TAKE CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

Don't wait, until you are taken down sick, before taking care of yourself. The small aches and pains, and other symptoms of womanly weakness and disease, always mean worse to follow, unless given quick treatment.

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SANTA FE TIME TABLE.

West Bound	East Bound
Train No. 802	Train No. 801
Leaves	Arrives
8:00 a. m.	5: p. m.

Entries in the \$10,000 crop contest of the Texas Industrial Congress will not be accepted after April 1 and those who desire to compete for the prizes

offered should send in their applications immediately.

Over 3,000 contestants from 180 counties have been enrolled to-date. Ellis county has the largest number of entries, there being 217 contestants. This is due largely to the active interest of the County School Superintendent, E. G. Grafton, who has visited a number of his schools within the past two weeks and spoken upon the great value of the work the Congress is doing.

Jack county ranks second with 145 entries; Van Zandt county is third, having 97 contestants and Grayson county with 81, is fourth.

The Congress has recently issued bulletins on fertilizers and their use, seed selection, soil preparation etc., all of which are sent to contestants free of charge. Full particulars and application blanks for entering the contest may be obtained by writing to the Congress at Dallas before April 1.

Spend Day in Bible Institute.

Last Monday Mesdames J. S. Pool, C. Foster, G. A. Lider, R. A. Burrows, spent the day in Plainview, attending the Bible Institute being conducted at Wayland Baptist College in that city.

They returned the same day.

GOOD ROADS

Under this heading Ten Articles will appear, one each week, relative to the good Roads movement in Texas, Prepared by the Texas Commercial Secretaries Association.

It is doubtful if there is a subject of more vital importance to the general welfare of the farmer than that of good roads.

To the soil the whole human race must look for sustenance and the more costly the distribution of the products of the soil, the more pressing upon all consumers becomes the problem of living.

Even if the rail and water transportation question were adjusted so that all people were enabled to participate equitably in the benefits which these great aids to commerce were intended to confer, the problem of better and cheaper living for all of the people would be only half solved. Good roads must be built from the nearest loading point.

Not only so with respect to the distribution of products needed for man and beast, but the increase of human happiness is more largely involved in good roads than is generally imagined by those who do not take time to reflect on the matter.

The Texas farmer last year marketed approximately 8,000,000,00 tons of produce. It cost

an average of 43 cents per ton mile to reach the market in Texas and the average distance hauled was five miles. The government average for the United States is 23 cents per ton mile. By improving the Texas public highways to the government average there would be saved in Texas \$8,000,000 per annum to the farmers.

The road taxes last year amounted to approximately \$3,250,000 independently of bond issues, which was spent on highways, while the \$8,000,000 lost to the farmer was collected by the mud hole in bad roads.

The fire loss in Texas last year was approximately \$4,000,000 while bad road loss was just twice this amount. The loss against fire was partially covered by insurance, while the loss due to bad roads was total. The only insurance the farmer has against bad roads is to build good ones and the whole State is engaged in a campaign for good roads building that promises to be on a greater scale than during the year 1912.

Bob Taylor On Ingersoll

The following beautiful literary gem from the pen of the late Senator Bob Taylor of Tennessee, written in comment on a lecture of Robert G. Ingersoll, was quoted in the Chattanooga Times of recent date, upon the occasion of the great apostle of agnosticism:

"I sat in a great theatre at the National capitol that was thronged with youth and beauty, old age and wisdom. I saw a man, the image of his God stand upon the stage and I heard him speak.

"His gestures were perfection of grace, his voice was music and his language was more beautiful than I had ever heard from mortal lips.

"He painted picture after picture of the pleasures and joys and sympathies of home. Then I saw him dip his brush in the ink of mortal blackness and blot out the beautiful picture he had painted. I saw him stab love dead at his feet. I saw him blot out the stars and the sun and leave humanity and the universe in eternal darkness and eternal death.

"I saw him like a lawless erratic worm himself into the paradise of human hearts by his seductive eloquence and subtle devices and sophistry inject his fatal venom under whose blight its power faded, its music was hushed, its sunshine was made darkness and its soul was made a desperate waste with only the new made graves of faith and hope.

"I saw him like a lawless, erratic meteor, without an orbit, sweep across the intellectual sky, brilliant only in its self con-

suming fire generated by friction with the indestructable and eternal truths of God.

"That man was the archangel of modern infidelity, and I said, how true is the Holy Writ, which declared, 'The fool hath said in his heart, there is no God.'

"Tell me not, O infidel, there is no God, no heaven, no hell. Tell me not, O infidel, there is no risen Christ.

"What intelligence less than God's could fashion the human body? What motive power is it if not God, that drives the throbbing engine of the human heart, with ceaseless, tireless stroke, sending the crimson stream of life bounding and circling thru every vein and artery.

"What and whence, if not God is that mystery we call mind? What is it that thinks and feels and knows and acts? Oh, who can deny the divinity that stirs within us?

"God is everywhere and in everything. His majesty is in every bud and blossom and leaf and tree, in every rock and rill and vale and mountain, in every spring and rivulet and river.

"The rustle of His wing is in every zephyr; His might is in every tempest. He dwells in the dark pavilions of every storm cloud. His awful threat is in every earthquake and on every angry ocean. The heavens above us teem with His myriads of solar systems whose wheeling orbs course the crystal paths of space proclaim thru the drear hall of eternity the glory and power and dominion of the all-wise, omnipotent and eternal."

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and guarantees it to take the of calomel and will refund your money if it fails in your case.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall, of Austin, are out on a visit with Mrs. Hall's parents Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Greer, having arrived Friday They were met in Floyd by Jake Greer.

Miss Esther Cammack was in Floydada over last Sunday on a visit with friends. She is teaching in the Lockney school.

W. O. Murry and family moved Monday of this week from Floydada to Abernathy, in Hale county, where they will make their home the ensuing year. Mr. Murry will farm on a place near Abernathy.

DON'T FEED CREAM TO THE CALVES

If you are skimming your milk by any setting or dilution method or are using an inferior or worn out cream separator you are surely feeding a lot of butter-fat to your calves and pigs that is worth from 25 to 30 cents a pound.

You may think this is too small a loss to amount to much, but when you figure that it happens twice a day, 365 days a year, you will find that a De Laval Separator would save its cost every six months over any kind of "gravity" skimming and every year over any inferior or worn out separator.

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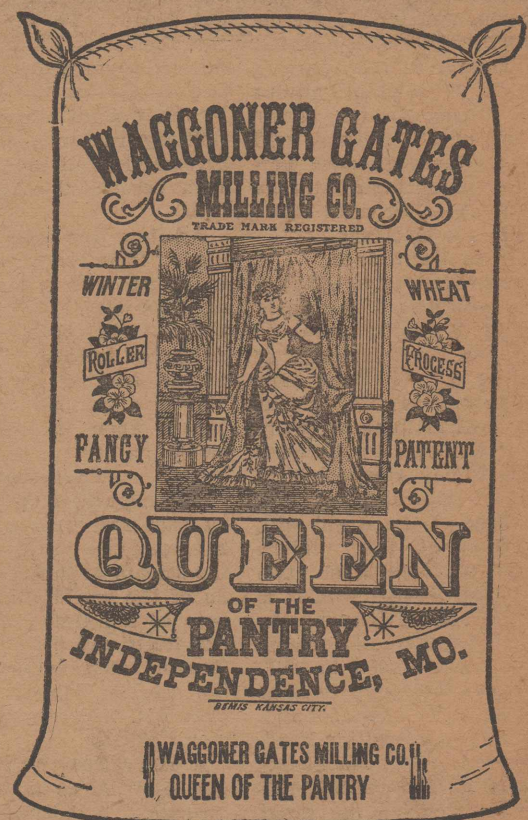
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WONDERS OF THE WORLD

Will Be Shown at America's Great Celebration at San Francisco in 1915.

The Magnificence and Grandeur of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Cannot Be Adequately Described—A Gathering of the Nations of the World.

The splendors of the world will be shown at America's Panama celebration at San Francisco in 1915. Never will so many nations have participated in an international event. Of the nations that take part, and this includes all the great powers, it is probable that each one will be more elaborately represented than at any exposition ever held outside of its own boundaries. Twenty-eight foreign countries have already responded to President Taft's invitation. More than eight hundred leading exhibitors of the world have applied for exhibit space and a number of the exhibits will range in value from \$200,000 to \$300,000; more than two thousand applications for concessions have been received. The responses show the spirit of appreciation with which America's sister nations regard the work at Panama.

Display by Foreign Powers.

The foreign powers will display all phases of their progress at home and in their colonies. Mr. Harcourt, colonial secretary of Great Britain, has addressed the governors of the self-governing dominions, crown colonies and protectorates requesting them to consider the question of participation with the remark that the British display should be worthy of the British empire. Japan will expend \$1,000,000 upon its pavilion which, upon the conclusion of the exposition, will remain as the gift of Japan to America. The pavilion and grounds, occupying five acres, will be located upon the United States Presidio military reservation immediately adjoining the exposition site. Marquis de la Vega Inclan of Spain, who visited San Francisco, will arrange for a wonderful art exhibit to include the original paintings of the great Spanish masters and many historical trophies, tapestries, and rare pieces of sculpture. Holland will be represented upon a scale never equaled outside the Netherlands. France, cabled San Francisco requesting twelve acres as the location of a superb exhibit palace to be built by France. China, newest of the world republics, is planning to show both the China of the past and that of the future. China and Japan, and indeed all far eastern lands within the sweep of the Pacific, are planning to take part in a wonderful series of Oriental parades and pageants, during a ten days' fiesta in the fall of 1915. There will be assembled in these parades perhaps the greatest gathering of strange tribes and peoples of Oriental lands ever gathered in the Occident.

The World's Battleships.

When the exposition opens—February 20, 1915—the nations of the world will, in actuality, officially come to San Francisco, for the battleships of the world will be assembled off Harbor View, the exposition site, at that time. That a battleship is virtually the territory of the country it represents is a fact widely recognized in the procedure of international law, and so the nations of the world will, as it were, gather at the western gate of America. More than two hundred foreign battleships will, it is known from unofficial advices, participate in a series of spectacular maneuvers in San Francisco harbor in 1915. Construction upon the exposition has long since begun. The service building, which will be the exposition headquarters, is completed. Machinery hall, the largest of the exhibit palaces, will be the first of the great buildings to be completed. This structure will be 967 feet long and 370 feet in width; three great naves 122 feet high will run throughout its length from north to south. Contracts upon all the main exhibit palaces, of which there are fourteen, are being let at regular intervals and the highest point of construction will be reached next fall. All the main exhibit palaces will be completed by June 25, 1914, more than nine months before the exposition opens. All contracts are being let upon that basis. The early completion of the buildings will

permit the setting out and planting in the grounds and courts of several hundred thousands of rare trees, plants and shrubs now being grown in nurseries.

Early next fall the sightseer in San Francisco will be enabled to look from the rim of the encircling hills at Harbor View down upon the exposition city and see the buildings in progress of construction. To the west he may look out to the Golden Gate and to the islands in the Pacific beyond. To the north he will see the stream of traffic that passes before the exposition site.

Easy of Access.

One may easily reach the exposition in twenty minutes from the Ferry building. The site of the exposition, at Harbor View, lies within the city limits as a crescent upon the shores of San Francisco bay, just inside the Golden Gate. No more picturesque location, nor one more appropriate to the celebration of a great maritime event, could be imagined. On the south, east and west it is encircled by towering hills with varying contours rising successively from 250 to 900 feet above sea level, like the enfolding walls of a vast amphitheater. Upon the north the site opens out upon the harbor of San Francisco. The panorama at Harbor View recalls the famous Riviera upon the shores of the Mediterranean. In the harbor before the site lies Alcatraz island, the location of a military prison whose white walls are reflected in the waters of the bay. Beyond are the hills of Marin county rising up into the hundreds and in some instances into the thousands of feet, with Mount Tamalpais, loftiest of all, its summit often shrouded with a turban of fog upon which the sun shines as upon a vast bank of snow, as a background for the setting.

The central portion of the site lies slightly above the sea and is encircled on three sides by gently sloping ground; within a short distance from the boundaries of the site these slopes change to steep hillsides and thus the center becomes the floor of a huge amphitheater from whose sides the exposition will be seen stretched out below. To the east and south the residence section encloses the exposition grounds, and to the west and southwest the site is embraced by the wooded slopes of the Presidio military reservation, dark with cypress and eucalyptus and interspersed with occasional vistas of green valleys.

All told the site comprises 625 acres; it is two and one-third miles in length with a maximum width of one-half mile. Its frontage upon the harbor will be approximately two miles and further from the bay it will extend another one-third mile, Fort Mason, a military post, occupying a corner upon the extreme east and along the bay.

Faces the Bay.

The exposition buildings built upon an east and west axis will face the bay upon the north; they will parallel the stream of the great incoming traffic of the world through the western gate of the United States. The harbor itself will be a part of the great theater upon which will be staged the world's jubilee and the Golden Gate will be the entrance to the theater.

A marvelous panorama will be afforded visitors on ships coming through the Golden Gate. As one looks from the harbor he will see three main groups of exposition buildings. There will be the great central group comprising the fourteen exposition palaces to be devoted to general exhibits; there will be the group upon the left hand or east and devoted to amusement concessions and covering sixty-five acres; this will be the "midway." The right hand group upon the Presidio military reservation and nearest the Golden Gate will be devoted to the pavilions of the states and foreign governments.

The exposition site at Harbor View, with its towering amphitheaters of hills and vast distances, called for huge effects. The grouping of the fourteen great exhibit palaces will present this result. From afar the central group, facing for almost a mile upon San Francisco harbor, will seem as one colossal structure, a great Oriental city, with walls as high as the average six-story city block and with golden domes, towers and tower gateways rising to heights of 150, 270 and 400 feet. Nearer at hand it will be found that great inner courts lie between the buildings. Eight of the fourteen buildings in the main group will be joined in a rectangle to form almost a huge Oriental bazaar—a veritable walled city with its domes, towers, minarets and great interior courts.

In general the buildings of the central group are to be brought into contact with those next adjoining by arcades, courts and archways. Through this method of treatment four of the general exhibit palaces of the main group, fronting north upon San Francisco bay but set back at a distance from the water's edge, will present a single architectural design. Their walls and the adjoining arches will form the main northern facade of the exposition along the shores of the harbor, a marvelous frontage that will be first seen by visitors who reach the exposition city by water and enter San Francisco bay through the Golden Gate. By day the glittering pillars and minarets of this mile long facade will be seen as a dream city, while by night they will reflect the sheen of a million lights into the waters of the bay.

A Great Esplanade.

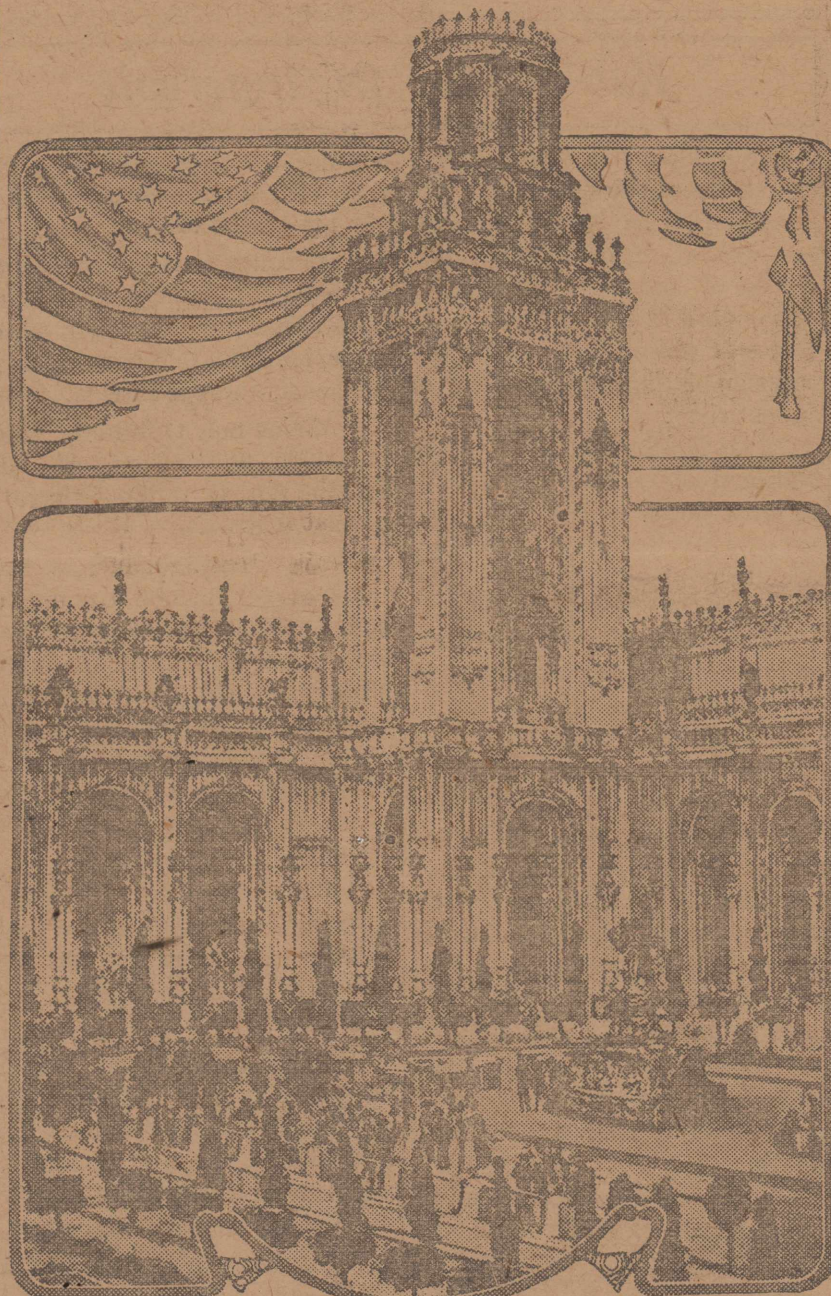
Before the facade and along the harbor's edge for more than a mile there will be built a great esplanade, a vast stretch of ground and terraces in which fountains will play and groups of statuary be set at intervals. Brilliant flowers and hardy flowering

the various tones. Mr. Guerin gives the following word picture of his color plan for the exposition:

"Imagine a gigantic Persian rug of soft, melting tones, with brilliant splashes here and there, spread down for a mile or more, and you may get some idea of what the Panama-Pacific exposition will look like if viewed from a distance, say from the Sausalito Heights, across the Golden Gate. For San Francisco's is to be unique among the expositions of the world in that it will be a 'City of Color.' Not that color is the chiefest value of the exposition, for its architectural features are equally remarkable. This color plan, that of making the group of buildings a veritable blaze of glory and at the same time avoiding the garish or barbaric, is the great new salient feature of the exposition."

The Court of the Sun and Stars will be 750 feet in width from east to west and 900 feet along its main axis. At the south end of the court will arise the huge tower of the Administration building, 400 feet in height, and dominating the architecture of the exposition. The upper part of the tower will take the form of terraces leading up to a group of figures surrounding a globe typifying the world; the tower will be lined with jewels which will glitter like diamonds when searchlights are turned upon them. At the base of the tower, which will occupy an acre in extent, will be a huge arcade 125 feet high, beneath which the visitor may enter into the Court of Sun and Stars from the main exposition entrance.

In the vaulted archways of the tower will be grouped a series of mural paintings designed by Jules Guerin and expressing the keynote of the exposition color scheme. But perhaps the most impressive feature of the Court of Sun and Stars will be found in a classic colonnade extending entirely around the court and



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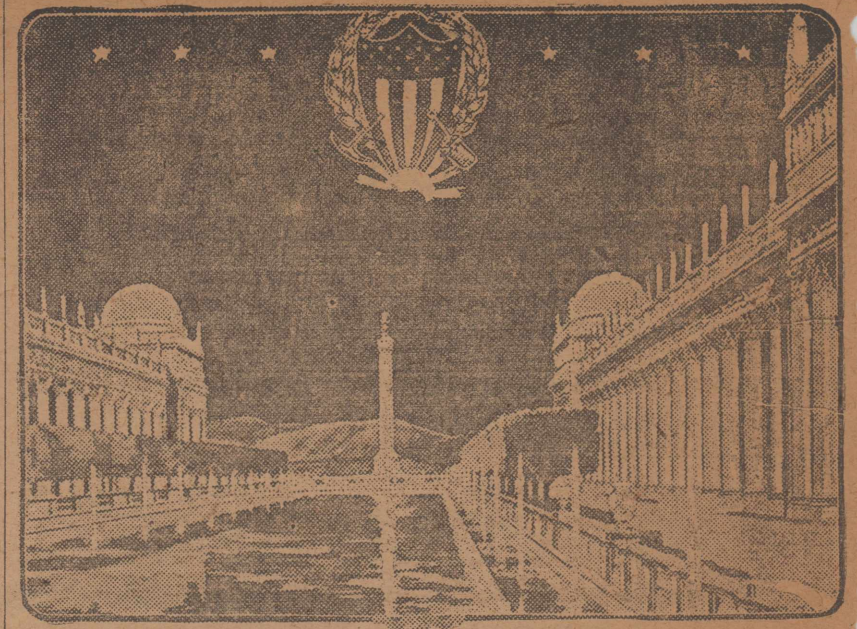
An echo tower in the Festive or East Court. At night the East Court, with its pavements of gold, its great banks of flowers, and its lofty palms, will be flooded with light. Musical masterpieces of the world will be rendered by the chimes in the towers. Great saucerfests and choral festivals will assemble upon the floors of the court.

Trees and shrubs will lend warmth and color to the esplanade.

Three great courts will divide the main group of exposition buildings from north to south. Their theme will suggest the meeting of the east and west at Panama. One of the huge courts, that on the east, will suggest the Orient, rich in Oriental splendors; another on the west, will suggest the Occident, its theme exemplifying the wealth which nature has conferred upon the Saxon who has ever pushed to the west. Between these two courts will be set the greatest of all the courts, the superb Court of the Sun and Stars, its theme upon a magnified scale symbolizing the union of the east and west at Panama. This court will stand out among the most brilliant architectural expressions of America and Europe. It will be distinguished by the majestic scale of its architecture; by the splendor of its conception, and by its life, color, and spirit of joyousness. The color plan of this court, as indeed of all the great courts, is designed by Jules Guerin, undoubtedly the foremost decorative artist in America.

Beautiful Color Effects.

In the courts marvelous blendings of colors will be attained. Pompeian red, strong Italian blues, vermilion and orange will predominate. The roofs of the exhibit palaces will be covered with Spanish tile, a reddish pink. But from afar the sightseer will gain the effect of the blending of



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Looking toward the hills of Marin county through the entrance of the great Court of Sun and Stars upon the harbor. In the center is seen a colossal column whose spiral represents man's climb towards fame. At the summit of the column the huge symbolical figure is designed to convey the spirit of success.

whose sides will be adorned with mural decorations and screened by classic colonnades. Huge pools of water will reflect the outlines of the lofty buildings. The walkways will be in pavements of gold. Great banks of flowers and potted palms will lend color and imagery to the vista.

If this visitor passes to the east or Festive Court he will behold a vision surpassing the richest dreams of the Orient. The Festive Court is dedicated to music, dancing and acting; it is designed for pageantry surpassing the luxurious Durbar and will constitute the proper setting for Oriental or modern drama upon a colossal scale. Here will assemble many of the fascinating pageants that will come from the concessions center to draw visitors to the amusement features of the exposition. The architecture of this great court will partake of the Oriental phase of the Spanish-Moorish architecture and yet it will have that refinement which is characteristic of the architecture of the Spanish Renaissance. The main tower of the court will contain a huge pipe organ with echo organs in the smaller towers. Electric scintillators will play upon fountains at night; reflected colored lights will cast a spell throughout the court. The walls of the cloister will be decorated with mural paintings; exotic flowers, trees and vines, orange trees in fruit and in blossom, will contrast with the statuary and the huge colonnades and staircases.

Court of Four Seasons.

From the Court of Sun and Stars the visitor in passing to the west will come to the superb Court of Four Seasons, of which Mr. Henry Bacon, creator of the Lincoln Memorial, is the architect. In its theme this court will typify the conquest of nature by mankind. In the center of the court will be a great grouping of statuary in which Ceres, Goddess of Agriculture, will be shown dispensing the bounties of nature. In each of the four corners of this court will be cut great niches into the encircling exhibit palaces. In each of the four niches will be four great mural paintings suggesting the seasons, spring, summer, autumn and winter; lofty colonnades will screen the niches.

The ornamentation upon the water front will be upon a colossal scale. The Court of the Four Seasons, opening upon the harbor, will be entered through a stupendous gateway, the Gate of Columbus. The visitor will pass through the gateway beneath a great tower to the esplanade upon San Francisco bay. Directly before the tower will be seen a colossal figure of Columbus, facing the water. Ornamenting the tower in recesses will be figures representing the great voyagers of the world.

Before the entrance to the great Court of Sun and Stars upon the bay will be a colossal column whose spiral will depict man's climb toward success and at the summit of the column will be a figure representing achievement. On the left and before the Court of Four Seasons will be the gates of Balboa, before which will be a colossal statue of the discoverer of the Pacific ocean.

Each of the three main north and south courts will open out upon the esplanade on the shores of San Francisco bay upon the north and upon the great tropical garden upon the south. Vast beds of flowers in bloom will be set in the south garden; the plants will be replaced by others when their flowering season is passed.

The fourteen great buildings to be constructed by the exposition company, and to be devoted to general exhibits exemplifying the advance of the world in the arts, sciences and industries, will be the loftiest exposition structures ever erected. In addition there will be the huge series of palaces and pavilions to be erected by the states and foreign nations.

To the east of the center group will be Machinery Hall, the largest single structure of the exposition. Just south of Machinery Hall is Automobile Hall. In the south garden at the east end and near the concessions center will be located Festival Hall, and near the west end the Palace of Horticulture, a huge structure of wood and glass. Flanking the great rectangle on the west will be the Palace of Fine Arts, a classic and beautiful structure embodying the spirit of Italian Renaissance and facing upon a great pool from which its outlines will be reflected.

The following are the approximate dimensions of the buildings: Machi-

ery Hall, 367.8x967.8, and annexes; Mines and Metallurgy, 574x451; Vast Industries, 414x346, and annexes; Manufactures, 552x470; Transportation, 614.6x574.6; Liberal Arts, 585x470; Agriculture, large wing, 630.6x574.6, smaller wing, 423.9x579.6; Education, 394.3x526; Automobile Hall, 272x752; Festival Hall, 380x200 (great east 280); Horticulture, 630x295; Fine Arts (outside line), 1,100 feet.

Magnificent Illuminations.

Throughout the entire exposition, the illumination will be such as to bring out the colors of the courts in their proper tones, to sharpen and intensify the color effects. The illumination of the colonnades will be accomplished through purple lights; the windows of the exposition palaces will diffuse a golden ray. Giant batteries of colored searchlights will be anchored in the harbor before the site and will play against huge jets of steam and smoke that will be liberated high in the heavens. Searchlights 500 or 600 yards out in the water and before the main axis of the exposition will direct batteries of light over the exposition palaces, going through more than three hundred evolutions in colors.

Of the three main groups the one on the east will be comprised in concessions or amusement centers which will occupy sixty-five acres, will be the first of all parts of the exposition to be reached by the visitor who come from the downtown portion of San Francisco. Its entrance will be by way of a great plaza which the concessions district will open out upon Van Ness avenue. Through the concessions area will run a broad avenue which will mark an irregular course east and west, but will describe many right angles. Each turn as you pass along the street of concessions will find some imposing concessions structure. Every corner will be marked by a great building. The street of concessions will be more than a mile in length. The domes of the buildings will be illuminated at night and startling electrical effects will contribute to the night life of the exposition at the amusement center.

The western group will include the occupied by the pavilions of the foreign nations, by the building to be erected by the United States government and by the states' building. The pavilions of the foreign nations, furthermost from the bay, will rise tier upon tier in terraces as they advance up the gradual slope of the Presidio military reservation. Nearer at hand and closer to the water will be the buildings of the various states. Each structure in this part of the exposition grounds will be surrounded by ample lawns adorned with shrubs and flowers. In its entirety the western wing will present upon a magnified scale the effect of a superb residence district.

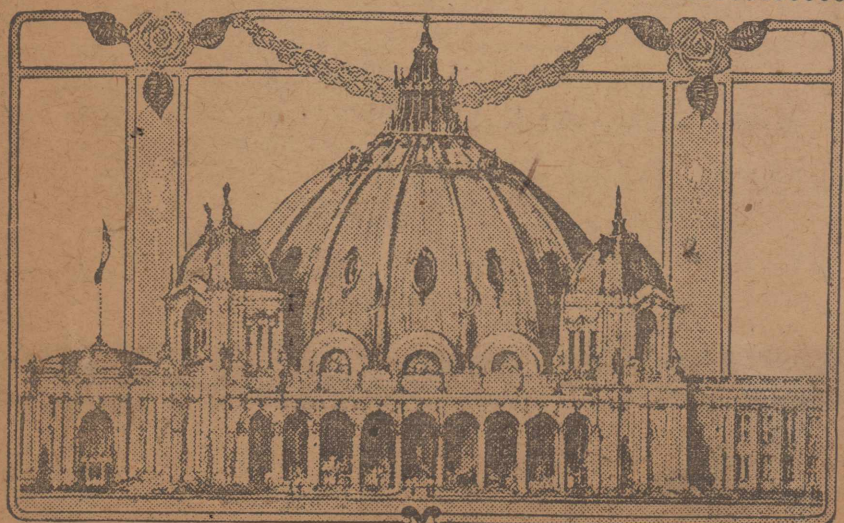
Great Drill Grounds.

Still further to the west of the states and foreign district will be a great drill grounds, capable of accommodating at one time ten thousand troops in drill. Foreign nations will send their crack cavalry and infantry to participate in the maneuvers and trials of skill.

Encircling the drill grounds will be a race track where international speed and harness races will be held. One racing association alone has guaranteed a purse of \$25,000 for a two-year-old trotting race.

Marking the extreme western limit of the exposition structures will be the stock pavilions and the building devoted to live stock, poultry, domestic pets and other displays. The government life saving service display will also be located here.

Applications for exhibit space have been received from all parts of the world. More than eight hundred leading exhibitors have applied for extensive space in the great exhibit halls and many of the exhibits range in value from \$200,000 to \$300,000. The number of applications for concessions is unprecedented at so advanced a pre-exposition period. Director of Concessions Burt has received more than two thousand applications for concessions, many of which will be exceedingly original and striking. Appropriately enough, among the concessions will be a \$250,000 replica of the Panama canal. It will take twenty minutes to make the trip. Another will depict the roaring days of 'forty-nine; the visitor in 1915 will be met at the ferry building by a stage coach typical of the gold days. The Santa Fe will expend \$250,000 on a panorama of the Grand Canyon.



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Festival Hall, where the conventions of the world will meet in 1915. The building will be 380x200 feet, with greatest breadth of 280 feet, the latter being taken up by the wings. A vast auditorium with a huge stage will be a feature of the structure.

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Huerta Calls on Wilson.

Mexico City, March 17.—Provisional President Huerta, disregarding all precedents, today called upon Henry Lane Wilson, the ambassador to Mexico. This is the first time that a Mexican president has called upon the diplomatic representative of a foreign power, and technically his act was that of leaving Mexico territory. The chief executive was accompanied by Francisco de la Barra, Mexican minister of foreign affairs.

President Huerta told Ambassador Wilson he had ratified the understanding between the American ambassador and Foreign Minister de la Barra that all questions pending between the United States and Mexico be taken up and adjudicated without loss of time. He referred especially to the claims of Americans arising from the Mexican revolutions and also to the Chamizal boundary and other disputes.

General Huerta reiterated that it was his desire to continue the friendly relation of the two governments and he personally expressed gratitude for the friendly efforts made by the American ambassador to bring about peace during the recent disturbance in the capital.

George of Greece Shot through Heart.

Salonika, Greece, March, 18.—

King George of Greece was assassinated while walking the streets of Salonika this afternoon. The assassin was a Greek of low mental type who gave the name of Aleko Schinas. He shot the King through the heart.

The King was accompanied by his aide, Lieutenant Colonel Francoudis. The assassin aimed at the King and fired one shot from a seven chamber revolver.

The tragedy caused intense excitement, and Schinas was seized immediately. The King was lifted into a carriage which hurried him to a hospital, but he died before reaching there.

Prince Nicholas, the King's third son and other officers hurried to the hospital. On arriving the Prince summoned the officers and speaking in a voice choked with sobs said "it is my deep grief to have to announce to you the death of our beloved King, and to invite you to swear fidelity to our new sovereign, King Constantine."

The crown Prince Constantine at present at Janina is expected here with all possible speed.

The assassin of the King is an evil looking fellow, about 40 years of age. On being arrested, he refused to explain his motives for the crime. He declared he is against governments.

Precautions were taken at once throughout the city and perfect order is maintained.

State U. Medical Department Ranks "A"

The Boston Transcript for January 22 contains the ranking of medical schools in the United States made by the council on medical education of the American Medical Association following the usual inspection. The medical department of the University of Texas is included among the twenty-two institutions to which is assigned the highest rank, A. In the same class with the University of Texas is Harvard, John Hopkins, Tulane, the University of Virginia, Washington University at St. Louis and seven State Universities. Only three first-class medical institutions, according to the rating, are found in the south, Tulane, University of Virginia and the University of Texas.

Thirty-one medical colleges are given the grade of A, twenty-three of B, and twenty-seven C. The "C" College; are designated as being in "the almost hopeless class." A large number of Southern medical colleges are included in this class. In speaking of the report of the American Medical Association, the Transcript remarks: "Because the association has made these investigations in years past and has the reputation of being painstaking and accurate in its inquiries, this classification has a finality which is not always accorded standardizations of this sort. The schools themselves are inclined to regard the ranking as authoritative and are usually eager to follow suggestions for improvement. The service, then, performed the association, is no mean one. Its criticisms are not destructive and have never been called biased. The aim is to lift an important kind of education—more important almost than any other kind—to the proper levels. If this purpose is carried out humanity will be the gainer. The medical association has no "ax to grind;" it is merely performing a task, disagreeable at best, in the hope that the doctors of the future will be better fitted and better trained than are the doctors of the past."

Suppresses World's Oldest Newspaper.

Yuan Shih-Kai, President of the Chinese Republic, recently suppressed the newspaper "King Bao," which undoubtedly was the oldest paper in the world. For 1,500 years King-Bao has reported the more important news, not only of China, but also of foreign countries.

At a time when the art of printing and journalism were as yet unknown in Europe, the Chinese Gong-Chung invented a means of making types from lead and silver, and in the year 400 A. D. the paper King-Bao was printed, and has since been issued regularly.

The first edition was printed on ten sheets of yellow silk, neatly tied together, and was thus sent to all the high officials of the Chinese empire.

John Reed, of Halecenter, was in Floydada the latter part of last week on business. Mr. Reed is an old friend of G. V. Slaughter.

Mount Mazama was Highest Mountain.

The highest mountain in Oregon is Mount Hood, 11,225 feet above sea level. Compared with Mount Whitney, to the south in California, and Mount Rainier, to the north in Washington, each rising well above 14,000 feet, Mount Hood does not appear as a skyscraper. However, according to the geologists of the United States Geological Survey and other authorities, Oregon had at one time, probably before the dawn of life upon the earth, a great volcano which towered as far above Mount Hood as does Mount Rainier, possibly even several thousand feet higher. This was the great Mount Mazama. But thousands of years ago this mountain disappeared into the bowels of the earth and all that is left today is the huge rim around Crater Lake.

Crater Lake is the caldera of this extinct and collapsed volcano and is nearly 6 miles in diameter. The inside walls of the rim of the ancient mountain are in places nearly 4,000 feet high and almost perpendicular. The lake itself is in places, 2,000 feet deep and parts of the wall rise above its waters another 2,000 feet. A restoration of the mountain in fancy, using as a basis the angles of the lower slopes, which still remain, shows that the apex could not have been far from 15,000 feet in height, so that Mount Mazama was one of the most lofty and majestic peaks in the United States.

The Director of the Geological Survey at Washington has a fine topographic map of Crater Lake and vicinity for sale at the nominal price of 10 cents. This map has on the back an illustrated description of Crater Lake and an account of its formation from the ancient mountain.

New England Has no Cabinet Place.

Washington, D. C., March 13.—That the six great states of the upper Mississippi valley have no place in the new cabinet has been a subject of some comment since the change in administration, but what seems more surprising, in the minds of the oldtimers in the capital, is the fact that New England is without representation in Mr. Wilson's official family. In leaving New England out in the old Mr. Wilson has all but established a precedent. Only once before in the history of the nation has New England been without representation in the cabinet. This was during the administration of John Quincy Adams from 1825 to 1829.

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A Big Catch of Lobo Wolves.

A few days ago H. G. Cook, who lives on Tongue River, brought in the biggest batch of lobo wolf hides that has ever been brought to this town by one person. There were ten in all, nine pups and one old one. The hide from the old wolf looked almost as large as that of a cow.

Mr. Cook found the den in the Matador ranch somewhere on China creek. By some means he scared the old wolf from the den and as she ran off he shot her. He then secured a strand of barb wire and soon succeeded in twisting the whelps out.

The County paid Mr. Cook \$50 for the hides, while the Cattle-men's Association will pay him \$115.00, making a total of \$165.00 for the catch. This makes the second batch of lobo wolves Mr. Cook has succeeded in capturing this year.—Paducah Post.

For Sale—Bundled kaffir and sorghum at two and a half cents per bundle at my place S. E. Floydada.

W. L. Boerner.

Mrs. E. C. Nelson spent the latter part of last week in Plainview on a visit.

Miss Edith Edwards visited in Floydada with her sister, Miss Stella, over Sunday from Plainview.

One of Lubbock's most popular young ladies played a cruel joke on her mother, and this is how it happened. She accidentally found a love letter that her father had written to her mother in their halcyon days of courtship. She read the letter to her mother substituting her own name and that of her lover. The mother raved with anger and stamped her foot in disgust, forbidding her daughter to have anything to do with a man who could write such nonsensical stuff to a girl. The girl then gave the letter to her mother to read and the home suddenly became so quiet that she could hear the snowflakes falling in the back yard.—Avalanche.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the Post Office at Floydada, Texas, Mar. 17, 1913, to be advertised. If not called for in one week, will be sent to The Dead Letter office, Post Office, Allmon, W. R. 1; Allen, Mrs. Bertha I; Jack, Sam. Persons calling for above letters, will please say advertised, and give date of list. J. D. Starks, Postmaster.

Road Bond Issue Defeated. The \$100,000 bond issue voted on in Dickens county Saturday resulted in the defeat of the issue by a majority of 28 votes. 150 votes were cast for the issuance of bonds and 178 against.

COLORADO

Draft Mares.

We have found out since shipping our last car of good draft mares to Floyd County, that the farmers of this section want and will have only the best. Therefore, we are bringing in another car, and expect to find a ready sale for them. You may rest assured we are buying them right and will sell them right.

If you want to Buy Cheap, Sorry Mares attention to look and our quality in every respect. Clean stock free from diseases and blemish. Yours for better stock.

SHURBET & HENRY

J. W. McCarty, Prop. G. Mgr.

Pure Hog Lard

If you can find any but pure hog fat in the lard we offer you we'll give you a bucket. We sell it twelve and a half cents per pound. There is nothing "just as good."

The City Market

For Saturday and Monday

I will give some of the biggest bargains in Ladies skirts you have ever been offered. A 25 per cent discount on ladies and misses skirts.

Men's Hats.

I have the latest styles and will give you prices that you will know that you can't pick them up every day.

\$3.50 hat for \$3.00 \$3.00 hat for \$2.50
2.50 hat for 2.00 2.00 hat for 1.50

Pants! Pants! Pants!

\$4.50 Pant goes at \$3.75 \$3.50 Pant goes at \$3.00
3.00 Pant goes at 2.50 2.50 Pant goes at 2.00

Men's Shirts

Very durable and nobby selection of men's dress shirts.

I have the nicest line of slippers I have ever had The quality, style and price is always right at

O. B. Olson

"The store that sells the same goods for less money"

Shoots Five Times at Fleeing Target.

Tuesday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock a shooting bee took place back of Guthrie's Dry Goods Store, in which W. B. Matthews took five shots with a Colts 45 at Council Bell. All the shots went wild of the mark.

The shooting took place in a few yards of Main Street, but the gun was pointed east, and no injury was done to innocent parties. Bell, when the first shot was fired was something like fifty feet from Matthews, and he broke and ran east toward Dagley's Tin Shop.

Bell is a son-in-law of Matthews, and the trouble is alleged to be the outcome of family troubles.

Matthews was bound over to await the action of the grand jury in the sum of \$500.00.—Lockney Beacon.

Red, yellow and white onion sets. Come early. Duncan Grocery. 2tc.

Regular services next Sunday morning and night at the Baptist Church. Morning subject: A sinned world crying to a sleeping Church. At night: The Resurrection.

For sale or trade.—Good John Deere sulky plow. See Elder Morris. tf.

Post! Post! Post!

We lead in quality, price and stock to select from. Come around and see before you buy A. G. McAdams Lumber Co.

No Quality Too High

For a place in our store. We pay particular attention to the selection of our stock and our experience enables us to select the highest possible quality in every instance. To buy our goods is to guarantee quality. Every article we sell is unconditionally guaranteed.

White Drug Co.

J. W. McCarty, Ph. G., Mgr.

Amendment Bills Yet to Pass.

Numerous amendments to the state constitution will probably come before the people for consideration the ensuing year, unless the legislature kills some of the bills now before the house or the senate.

The Record of March 17, has the following in their Austin correspondence:

Joint resolutions that should claim consideration under the Morrow resolution are the following:

That by Vaughan and others providing for the recall of public officers. It takes in all officers, state, county and precinct, executive, judicial and legislative, elective and appointive, but it is for all that a much less radical measure than some that have been proposed in other states. It calls for a high percentage of signers to precipitate a recall election, and up to a certain percentage of the vote cast in the general election must swear that they voted for the official sought to be recalled. In the case of an appointive officer the signers are required to be much more numerous.

STATE SCHOOL TAX.

There is the administration proposal introduced by Hudspeth, Gibson, Darwin and others proposing to authorize the levy of a special tax up to 10 cents on the \$100 for the benefit of the institutions of higher learning.

The legal separation of the State university and the Agricultural and Mechanical college is provided for in the same connection. The status of this resolution is rendered somewhat doubtful by recent events at the Agricultural and Mechanical college, and an apparent reversal of feeling respecting this institution in many quarters.

In place of separation, it is being proposed to create a closer more real union of the two institutions. There is a strong sentiment in favor of combining governing boards and, gradually if not at once, evolving a greater central institution at Austin, performing the functions of both, and making of the College Station school a junior college.

But all that is yet to take shape. In any case the special tax will be a crying need, and it is believed that the unification plan should it come to that, is quite as much to the governor's liking as is that of divorcement.

MANY OTHER MEASURES.

Townsend has a joint resolution providing for the election of the prison commissioners by the people, and giving them six-year terms. Morrow has one increasing the supreme court to five members, and another giving the court of criminal appeals four judges.

McGregor has one—the very first one introduced—providing for woman suffrage and doing away with poll taxes. He has another proposing to exempt cotton mills from taxation for a period of twenty-five years.

Vaughan and McNealus have one proposing to call a constitutional convention.

Terrel has one increasing to 100 cents on the \$100 the maximum tax that a county or subdivision, or a city, may levy for improvement purposes, such as the building of roads or sewers. Morrow has one relating to the formation of judicial districts and the qualifications of judges. McNealus and Hudspeth have one granting aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors.

For Sale.

One row binder, one 2-row planter, one sod plow. Will sell on time. Glad Snodgrass. 1tc.

"Everybody enjoys a tunny." We handle Pierce's California Tunny—the best on the market, Duncan. 1tc.

Pays Off \$63,000 Lost in 1893 Panic.

Kansas City, March 16.—"It was a matter of plain duty," Willard P. Holmes says:

And so he went ahead and in twenty years he earned enough to pay off the \$63,000 of indebtedness recorded against his little bank, the Security Savings Trust company, which failed in the panic of 1893. He told how his wife helped him.

"There never was a moment when she wasn't sticking by me," he said: "We didn't have so very much in those days. The equity in our little home—I doubt if I could have got \$1,000 for it on a forced sale. But she felt the same way I did about the bank matter, and we just set out to clean it up. She helped all the way."

Weds Sweetheart as Quits Prison Cell.

Moundsville, W. Va., March 16. Living in the shadow of the state penitentiary and remaining true to her sweetheart of girlhood days, who was sentenced to serve a life term for murder, Miss Lucy Kimberly was rewarded yesterday when Frank Pearson was pardoned and they were married.

Pearson is a son of the president of the Pearson Oil company, which has large holdings in this state.

At a social affair in Charleston, where Pearson resided, he shot and killed a young man who he accused of making an improper remark to his sister. The Kimberly family moved to a house near the penitentiary a few years ago in order that Miss Kimberly might be near her sweetheart.

Hens.

I will pay 9 cents per lb. this week, and 10 cents a dozen for eggs. Marshall Grain Co. Phone 66. tf.

J. B. Maxey, a contractor of Plainview, was in the city Tuesday of this week on business.

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Excursions To Amarillo, Texas

Account Panhandle Hardware & Implement Dealers' Association, Amarillo, Texas, April 7-8, 1913. Tickets sell April 6 and 7. Limited to April 9. Round trip fare \$4.05.

ALSO

Account Baseball game, Chicago White Sox vs Amarillo, April 2. Sell tickets April 1. Limited to April 3. Round trip fare \$4.05.

J. T. J. DAWSON, Agent

For Sale.—2 good jersey milk cows—fresh. Cash or credit. Shurbet & Henry.

S. L. Rushing returned the first of the week from a visit to Amarillo and Fort Worth, where he attended the Stockmen's meetings held at these places and also gave other business matters his attention. He was absent from the city about two weeks.

Good Buggy for Sale.

Cheap. Almost new. Apply at this office. 3tp.

Mrs. L. H. Newell left last Monday for Royse City, where she will visit with a sister.

Two Special Services.

At the Southern Presbyterian Church. Easter services at 11 o'clock. David Livingston Anniversary service Sunday night, 7:45.

W. H. Matthews.

Blanco Items.

The farmers are all busy farming in this part of the county.

Preaching at Sandhill Sunday morning with large attendance.

Saturday night the death Angel took from our community "Grandma Hanna" we all know how to sympathize with them, for almost all of us have had to give up loved ones.

Sunday School was postponed Sunday morning on account of the funeral.

Miss Camilla Adams visited home folks Saturday and Sunday. Olan Reagan has returned from Canyon City.

Miss Bonnie Greer visited in Petersburg Sunday.

Literary was postponed Friday night on account of the norther.

Well I don't know much to write.

Somebodys Darling.

GAGE BROTHERS & Co. Wholesale Millinery Chicago, March 15, 1913. Mathis-Martin Dry Goods Co., Floydada, Texas.

Gentlemen:

We have yours of the 12th inst., and note contents in regard to shipment of Ladies hats. Upon investigation find that best we can possibly promise is to make you partial shipment March 25th and follow with Hats to complete March 29th.

Promises made in New York were given in good faith, but were contingent upon delivery of materials. As you are no doubt aware, there has been an extended strike in the silk mills in the East, and this has thrown our deliveries into rather a chaotic state.

If we find we can send your Hats earlier than outlined above, will be pleased to do so, and trusting shipment will be satisfactory, we remain,

Yours very truly,
GAGE BROTHERS & Co.
McV.—D. B. 1tc.

D. D. Shipley, of Plainview, attended the sale of the W. B. Shipley farming outfit south of Floydada Tuesday, and spent Wednesday in Floyd on business.

Big German Millet seed—home grown—and schumacker's red top cane seed. Best for planting. Sold at Duncan's. 4tc.

Mrs. H. C. Bosley returned Wednesday from a visit of a few days in Lockney with relatives.

S. R. McLaughlin of Plainview, spent Wednesday night in Floydada on business.

Struck Oil Near Memphis.

Memphis, Texas, March 18.—Oil at a depth of 1200 feet was struck in the well of the Memphis Oil & Gas Company, which is being sunk about two miles from this city. The news of the strike has created considerable excitement in this community, and Mr. Yaunt, the driller, who has the reputation of being one of the most experienced oil men in the state, is of the opinion that the discovery of a big oil field here will be the result.

Mrs. Viles spent Wednesday in Plainview.

We have the pure maple syrup in quart cans and up. 2tc. Duncan Grocery.

Jess Shurbet, accompanied by A. L. Bishop and J. H. Shurbet, left this morning for Denver, Colo., where he will buy another car of draft mares and ship to this point.

C. C. McKay, of Wichita, Kans., who has been employed on the Barkemeyer elevator construction work in Floyd since September, left this morning for home.

Edgar Allen and A. K. Lackey, of Crosbyton, were in Floyd Wednesday on business.

BEGGAR OR BANKER

The Saving The Same

I Claim without any beating around the bush that I can save you from \$5 to \$10 on your suit and make it exactly to your measure. See the people who wear my suits, note the fronts, the way they hang, the seams, the material made from and last but not least the price

\$15

To \$25

I have just received a big shipment of Curlee \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$5 pants the kind that never rip and made full.

Also call your attention to one of the nobbiest shipments of fancy vests ever shown in Floydada. They are bound to sell for the prices are right.

Remember my store when you are buying for MAN.

GLAD

Nat'l. Bk. Bldg. Next to P.O.

P. S. After next week I will show a nobby line of ladies Oxfords in all colors. See me for your new made to measure suits and skirts.

City Barber Shop

T. M. COX, Prop

All barber work first class All treatment courteous. Shallow Water Steam Laundry represented. Hot or cold baths. Nic clean tubs.



Not Touched By Hand

Justice corn is husked by machinery, it is cut from the cob, canned and sealed by machinery. The air-tight can is then cooked. Justice corn is cooked better and cleaner than you could possibly cook it in your own kitchen.

Sold by All Grocers

DRS. SMITH & SMITH

Physicians and Surgeons Office at Goins Pharmacy Day phone 51 Night phone 16

Notice to the Farmer.

I have the O. B. Burnett Panhandle Improved early cotton seed from Hall County for sale for \$1 per bushel. You will find them at Morris Bros. Dry goods and grocery store, on south of square, J. N. Bartlett, Floydada, 4tp.