

Vehicles Must Have Proper Lights Under New Traffic Law

Deputy Sheriff Earl Cooper said this week that the State Highway Patrol has informed him the lighting requirements under the new state traffic law were very strict on passenger cars, trailers, pickups and trucks and that owners were warned to light their vehicles properly. The Patrol has already been stopping and warning owners of improperly lighted cars in this area.

On passenger cars the vehicle must have two headlights with both bright and dim bulbs. It is a violation of the law now not to dim your headlights when meeting another car at night. The passenger car must also have two tail lights, a white light to shine on the license plate and a stop light—that is a light that flashes on when brakes are applied.

Trailers must have two red tail lights and two red reflectors, it was said. This applies to both 2 and 4 wheel trailers.

Pickup trucks must have two headlights with both bright and dim bulbs, two tail lights, two red reflectors, a stop light and a white light to shine on the license plate.

Large trucks must carry two cab lights, one on each corner, an amber light on the front of the bed on each side of the cab, an amber light on the side of the bed near the front corner, a red reflector and a red light on the side of the bed near the back corners and a stop light, two red reflectors and two red tail lights on the rear of the bed. In addition, signal lights must be put on all trucks where arm signals cannot be seen. These signal lights must be put on both front and rear.

In addition all trucks and pickups must carry three flares, three red flags, and three fuses.

Donald Myers Arrives To Complete Family Reunion Here Friday

Donald R. Myers S/Y of the U. S. Navy came Friday to spend a 30-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Olive Myers and family. Donald's visit was a surprise to relatives here but he was lucky enough to arrive the day before his sister, Mrs. Ben Brotherton, her husband and son, Bobby left to return to College Station after having spent the week here. Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Myers came over from Plainview and the Myers family enjoyed the day together in the home of Mrs. Jay McPherson, the former Kathleen Myers.

Real Estate Transfers

A. J. Folley to J. A. Goins 160 acres, southeast one-fourth of section 10, block T.
E. O. Nichols to Watt Griffith 90x150 feet out of R. M. Emerson survey.

Floyd Dunavant to Raymond Martin 80 acres being north one-half of northeast one-fourth of survey 30, block D-2.

W. M. Massey to Mrs. J. E. Martin, 143 acres being north part of survey 27, abstracts No. 2246.

First National Company to Roy D. Bacus, lots 4, 5, 6, 7, block 6, Brewster addition to Lockney.

Frank Irvin Dobson and others to George T. Graham 46 1/2 acres out of northwest part of survey 1, block N.

F. M. Dougherty to Mrs. Nora Lee Hatley, lot 1, block 3, original Dougherty.

W. C. Allman and others to Southwestern Public Service Co. 3/4 acre formerly Allman school.

W. O. Speck to R. H. Ford all the southwest one-fourth and south one-fourth of the northwest one-fourth of section 84, block D2.

Donald Griffith and others to Paul Cooper, 180 acres out of section 44, block D-2.

Henry W. Smithee and others to Paul Cooper, 180 acres out of section 44, block D-2.

C. B. Lyles to E. B. Chesnut, 10 acres out of survey 71, block 1.

George S. Bond to Mrs. S. L. Rushing Featherstone, lot 8, block 25, original, Lockney.

Marriage Licenses

The following marriage licenses have been issued by County Clerk Margaret Collier:

Sept. 9—Jimmy H. Allen and Sarah Helen Morris.

Sept. 6—John R. Tribble and Betty Jean White.

Sept. 5—George Ledbetter and Maggie Porter.

Leo Watson will leave the first of next week to enter A. C. C. Abilene.

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High School Starts Mon.; Grade School Postponed One Week

The 1947-1948 term of Lockney High School will begin Monday morning at 9 o'clock, Supt. Sidney Reeves said Thursday, but the grade school opening will be postponed one week because of the incompleteness of the grade school building.

Work has been progressing rapidly on the grade school building this week. The lighting and plumbing has been practically completed, Mr. Reeves said, and the roof is being put on this week.

The buses will begin their runs as usual Monday morning. One bus has been added to the school fleet this year and that will give additional service to the Irick community. Possibly other changes will be made after the buses have been run a few days, it was explained.

The school faculty is complete with the exception of one fourth grade teacher, Supt. Reeves said. The school will have 23 teachers this year, two more than last year.

The lunch room at the high school will open Tuesday. High school students registered Thursday and Friday of this week.

Longhorns Will Play At Abernathy First Game Of Season

The first game of the football season for the Lockney Longhorns will be with Abernathy high school team, it was announced this week by Coach Curtis Kelley. That game will be played Friday night, Sept. 19 at Abernathy.

The first district game will be played against Ralls at Lockney on October 3.

Coaches Kelley and John Hansford have been working the boys hard this week. Last Saturday the local squad scrimmaged with Plainview, and the Hale county boys are to return the visit this week end, it was reported.

The season's schedule as announced by the Coach is as follows:

Sept. 19—Abernathy here
Sept. 26—Frona there
October 3—Ralls here
October 10—Dumas there
October 17—Crosbyton here
October 24—Spur here
October 31—Open
November 7—Floydada here
November 21—Paducah there
All night games.

Hospital News

Bobby Richards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Richards, underwent a tonsilectomy at the hospital last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dodson are proud parents of a baby girl born Wednesday. She has been named Jeanette Ida and weighed 6 1/2 pounds at birth. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodson of Lockney are paternal grandparents.

Mrs. W. K. Neims was dismissed from the hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. W. C. Wisdom is improving. She has been receiving treatment for about two weeks.

W. L. McMinn was dismissed from the hospital Thursday and returned to his home at Silverton.

Mrs. Charles Prickett received treatment this week.

Betty Jean Myers underwent a tonsilectomy Wednesday.

E. J. Rogers is still improving.

A total of 125 patients were treated through the clinic the past week.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. Ed Teuton underwent a major operation at the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock Wednesday morning. Her condition was satisfactory Thursday, Mr. Teuton reports.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rhine and family of Dallas visited his brother, L. J. Rhine and family here this week.

Glen Whitfill and F. G. Jones, both former Lockneyites, are now employed as dry goods clerks in Plainview.

Emory Huggins and family of Plainview spent Sunday in the J. D. Huggins home.

Season Tickets For West Texas Buffalo Games Are Available

Season tickets for the four home games of the West Texas State Buffaloes are available at The Beacon office in Lockney. The cost of the season tickets are \$8.40 for the four games and the seats allotted to Lockney are on the 50 yard line in the third row.

If you are interested in attending the West Texas games inquire at The Beacon office this month. Tickets will be withdrawn from sale October 1st.

Mrs. J. D. Hager Claimed By Death

After an illness lasting about two months, Mrs. J. D. Hager, a pioneer resident of this area, passed away at her home in West Lockney last Friday morning about 8 o'clock. Her death was due indirectly to a stroke of paralysis.

Mrs. Hager was born Mary Florence Bradford on February 3, 1873 in Brinton County, Tennessee. She later lived at Piggott, Arkansas, but moved to Lockney in 1921. She lived in this immediate vicinity since that time.

The deceased was married to Harvey Seal on August 23, 1891. Nine children were born to the couple, five of whom have preceded her in death. Mr. Seal passed away in 1915. She was married to Ed Box in Piggott, Arkansas, in 1921 and moved immediately to Lockney. Mr. Box died in 1925.

Mrs. Hager was married to J. D. Hager of Lockney on October 12, 1942. Survivors include her husband and four children: Herbert Seal, Piggott, Ark.; Mrs. Ninnie Edwards, Piggott, Ark.; Mrs. Opal Stoutsenberger, San Diego, Calif.; and Mrs. Edith Box, Korbel, Calif. A number of grandchildren also survive.

Mrs. Hager was converted when she was 14 years of age and joined a Baptist Church when she was 17 years old. She had been a faithful consistent Christian since that time. She had a host of friends both in this vicinity and in Arkansas.

Funeral services were held at the Lockney Baptist Church Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock conducted by Rev. E. J. Cobb. Crager Funeral Home of Lockney had charge of arrangements. The body was then carried to Piggott, Arkansas, where another service was held at the First Baptist Church Sunday afternoon. Burial was in the Piggott cemetery.

NEW ARRIVAL

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Wallace Davenport, Plainview, a baby son, August 22. The young man was named James Bryant. He weighed seven pounds, eleven ounces. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodson of Lockney.



ARMY'S FOOTBALL GREATS . . . The backfield stars of Army's great 1946 football team are shown as they paraded at the United States Military Academy at West Point to receive top athletic awards. Left to right are Glenn Davis, Felix ("Doc") Blanchard and Arnold Tucker—halfback, fullback and quarterback, respectively. They are now ready for duty as second lieutenants.

Committee Buys Twenty Buildings For Labor Camp

The committee handling the matter of procuring buildings for a labor camp made a deal with the War Assets Administration this week wherein they purchased 29 huts, size 16x16, from the WAA. The buildings are located at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, and will be moved here within the next few days, it was said.

Harmon Handley, a member of the committee, with F. L. Brown and J. E. Cox, members of the city council, went by plane to Grand Prairie Tuesday to confer with WAA officials. The WAA advised that there were buildings available at Brownwood and that buildings would be available Sept. 30 at Big Spring. After flying to Brownwood to inspect the buildings, the group conferred with local members of the committee and then decided on the huts.

The buildings purchased are of frame construction, with heavy roofing paper on both the roof and the sides of the buildings. They each contain a 30,000 BTU circulating gas heater. Each building is insulated. They are well built and should be moved very easily, the committee reports. The buildings cost \$50 each.

James Miller of Plainview flew the local men on the trip.

A drive is now on among farmers and business men of the section to raise the money to pay for the buildings and the moving. The last report showed approximately \$3500 had been subscribed to the fund. Many solicitors among farmers have not reported as yet. A total of \$6,000 to \$8,000 will probably be needed for the camp.

Alfalfa Seed Growers To Meet Here Saturday

The Floyd County Alfalfa Seed Growers Association will meet at The Beacon office in Lockney Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, it was announced this week by President Chester Mitchell.

The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss the present price situation on alfalfa seed, Mr. Mitchell said. He urged that all members of the Association be present for this meeting.

TWINS ARRIVE IN JOHNNY JOHNSON HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Johnson of Amarillo are parents of twins born August 28. They are Harold Wayne, a boy weighing 6 lbs., 2 ozs., and Carol Jayne, a girl weighing 5 lbs., 1 oz. Mrs. Johnson is the former Fiedle Lee Marble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Marble of Lockney. The twins have a sister and a brother who are Jan and Mike.

J. M. Floyd Jr. Is Promoted To Sergeant

Headquarters Eighth Army, Yokohama, Japan, August 15, 1947.—John M. Floyd Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Floyd, Lockney, has been promoted to Sergeant, Col. E. A. Kinderwatter, Commanding Officer, 3rd Transportation Military Railway Service, announced.

The 3rd TMRS supervises the operation of all rail transportation for the Allied Occupation Forces in Japan as well as the Japanese Government Railways.

First Bale Ginned Here Wednesday

The first bale of cotton from the crop of 1947 was ginned at the V. E. Spears gin here Wednesday afternoon. The cotton was grown by Marvin Marshall of the Aiken community.

Mr. Marshall ginned 550 pounds of lint from 2060 pounds of cotton. A prize will be given him from the business people of Lockney, as is the custom here, it was indicated Thursday.

Cotton production in this area will exceed last year's by 50 to 75%, local ginners are estimating.

Aiken Meeting Plans Road District Mon.

A representative group of people living along the Aiken Providence road met at the Aiken school house last Monday night and discussed the matter of paying the road running north from Aiken to the Briscoe county line.

The entire group was strongly in favor of voting bonds in order to get the road paved, Joe Jennings reports. Mr. Jennings was elected permanent chairman of the group and A. P. Langfeldt was elected secretary.

The proposal was made that a road district be formed 5 1/2 miles wide and 12 miles long, which district would vote bonds in order to pay the cost of paving the road. According to Mr. Jennings' figures there are approximately 46,000 acres in the proposed district and the cost to the district, providing the State Highway Department participated, would be about \$47,000.

A committee composed of Joe Jennings, Bob Stewart, Ben Quebe and Pelham Clements was appointed to work out the tonnage which travels over the road and other figures to present to the State Highway Department for their consideration.

Band Members Called To Meeting Saturday

All members of the high school band are asked to meet at the high school Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, according to announcement this week by George Atwood, band director.

Mr. Atwood has been contacting students this week and making preparations for organization of the high school band. Plans are underway to secure new band uniforms, he said.

Mr. Atwood will give private lessons to both high school and grade school students, he said. Parents may accompany the students to the meeting Saturday if they wish to inquire about private lessons.

Lockney Students Attend Colleges

Students attending Lippert's Business College, Plainview, this fall from Lockney include: Jo Ann Reece, Betty Jo Harrison, Virginia Tate, Ninalie Foster and Joyce Hooten. Johnny Holmes is attending Watson's Business College.

Rev. R. H. Campbell received word last week that his two-year-old great niece, Mary Beth Vance of Gate, Oklahoma was drowned at her home in a barrel of water. She was the daughter of Rev. Campbell's nephew.

Jake Griffith returned Thursday from a vacation trip to Questa, N. M. and Gunnison, Colo.

Start Circulation Of Petitions For County Bond Election Today

Petitions will begin circulating today among the voters of Floyd County asking the Commissioners Court to call an election to determine whether or not the county will issue \$300,000 in road bonds in order to participate with the State Highway Department in paving farm-to-market roads in Floyd County, it was reported to The Beacon Thursday.

The State Highway Department's plan is to furnish one-fourth the cost and the engineering and also to assume maintenance of roads built under the plan. The county must pay three-fourths the cost of construction. To participate in this plan is the purpose of voting the bonds, proponents said.

A number of road meetings have been held over the county in the past few weeks and the sentiment has been overwhelmingly in favor of voting bonds and paving the roads. James F. Potts of Floydada, resident highway engineer, has been speaking at the meetings, explaining the plan and advising on details of procedure. Meetings have been held at Lockney, Harmony, Sandhill, Cedar Hill and Aiken.

The petitions call for a bond issue to be paid off in less than 25 years and bearing not more than 3% interest. This would raise the tax rate 20c per \$100 or about \$12 per section of land, sponsors figured. The paving must be done over a period of three or four years since the State Department will participate in only \$100,000 worth of construction in each county per year. However, the department's plan calls for only a two year program and the county might have to finish the paving program without state help after two years of participation, it was said.

County officials are having nothing to do with the proposed bond issue and the movement is coming wholly from private citizens, it was said.

Local Boys Attend District FFA Meet

Agriculture students and F. L. Montan, W. L. Rowell and Gene Collis, local tandon, vocational agriculture instructor, attended a district Future Farmers of America meeting at Plainview Wednesday. District and area officers were elected at the meeting and the office of Sentinel was designated for the Lockney chapter. The boy to fill this office will be selected by the chapter at a later date.

Mr. Montandon has announced that four more local boys have decided to work a wheat project this year. They are W. L. Rowell, Joe Huffman, Thomas and Bill Bloxom. Mr. Montandon pointed out to all boys who have wheat projects that in order for wheat to be certified the field must have clearly defined boundaries. No isolation area is necessary other than a well-marked boundary, he said.

C. O. Graham of Los Angeles, California has been here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Graham and other relatives in the Irick community. Mr. Graham and his father are now visiting relatives at Batesville, Arkansas.

Thursday Markets

Poultry	
Fryers, lb.	32c
Heavy Hens, over 4 lbs., lb.	18c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs., lb.	14c
Cocks, pound	6c
Eggs, current receipt per dozen	33c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, pound	78c
Butterfat, No. 2, pound	76c
Hides	
Hides, No. 1, pound	14c
Grain	
Wheat, bushel	\$2.50
No. 2 Yellow Milo, per cwt	\$3.20
Alfalfa Hay	
Dehydrated in field, ton	\$16.00
Baled, No. 1 at mill, ton	\$23.00
Baled, No. 2 at mill, ton	\$19.00
Threshed Hay, at mill, ton	\$15.00
Cotton	
Spot Cotton, middling, Dallas market	\$31.25

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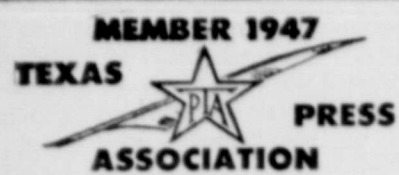
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THE ECONOMIC SITUATION

No one knows how long it will last, but it is evident that this country is still enjoying a hell-for-leather period of economic prosperity. For more than a year, leading economists have been forecasting recessions and depressions, none of which have materialized. Last June, according to Department of Commerce figures, personal incomes in the United States hit the record annual rate of \$193,000,000,000. In that same month the number of productively employed people passed the \$60,000,000 mark for the first time, and the July figure was still higher.

It is true, of course, that the purchasing power of the dollar is much lower than in previous times. Even so, wage increases have, for the most part, kept pace with price increases, and in some industries have materially exceeded them. The major exceptions to the rule have been the white-collar and professional classes, whose earnings, measured by the yardstick

SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



BIG TIME STUFF

of purchasing power, are less than during and before the war. People living on fixed incomes have taken a tremendous financial beating. It is the laboring groups which have benefited most.

Herbert Hoover recently said that he could not foresee any important drop in business in the near future. That point of view is widely shared at the present time, even by some of the commentators who anticipated economic upheavals this summer. This optimism as to the immediate outlook is producing increased pessimism as to the long-term outlook.

on the theory that the longer the boom lasts the more severe will be a break when it comes. It is a situation where the old prize-ringing dictum that "the bigger they are the harder they fall" applies. But this is in the realm of speculation. The business indices are still going up, and the goal of "full employment" seems to have been reached. In many important lines, output would be a great deal larger than at present if more supplies were available.

Every consumer knows what all this has done to prices. Here, again, those who forecast last fall that substantial price breaks would come by mid-1947 were badly fooled. The Bureau of Labor Statistics price index recently touched another new high, and it is expected to go higher still. That is the result of many factors—governmental fiscal policy, foreign buying in a tight market, over-expanding business overhead, etc. To choose the most obvious reason, higher prices are inevitable when 69,000,000 people, earning the highest pay in history, are panting for goods and services of all kinds. There are still many people to whom price is of little consequence—as the so-called "used automobile" market abundantly proves. Throughout the country, 1947 automobiles bring bonuses of from \$400 to \$1500 on the used car lots—and dealers report that there is no dearth of purchasers.

The loosening of the regulations on time-payment purchases has been a factor in keeping sales of expensive articles at the peak level. When families run out of cash, they can keep on buying on liberal installment terms. In some fields, such as radios, evidence of over-production is apparent, especially of unknown brands. But staples, advertised goods of all kinds are selling well.

Very few people believe that this is a healthy economy. Economists for industry shake their heads when they start talking about the long-time future. So do the economists for the labor unions. All of them are concerned with what might happen if we had a depression accompanied by high prices. It has never happened in this country. It has happened in many

other countries. And it is definitely an unpleasant prospect.

GET READY FOR WINTER

Summer and early fall are the times for preparing homes for winter—with special attention paid to the elimination of fire hazards.

One of the major causes of home fires is defective heating units, ranging all the way from oil stoves to central heating systems. Even the best of appliances become worn. Flues and chimneys become filled with soot. During the war, it was often impossible to adequately maintain heating plants due to shortages of parts and labor. There are still shortages, but not as severe as in the immediate past. The money spent will pay tremendous dividends in safety and security.

Faulty electric wiring is still a major destroyer of homes. Important

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repairs should be made by a qualified electrician. Frayed cords should be replaced. Then, when your electrical equipment is subjected to the heaviest use, it will safely carry the load. Lastly, during the pleasant weather homeowners should carry on a rigorous campaign to rid their property of junk. Thousands of fires have originated in attics and cellars and closets filled with old clothes, furniture, magazines etc. Many fires have resulted from improper storage of paint, gasoline and other inflammables. A clean and orderly house offers fire few opportunities.

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the one ones you want to send, enclose your name and address and leave them at the church basement, Mrs. R. H. Campbell said. Some help from women of the town may be needed when the box will be packed on September 23 she said. This is Lockney's opportunity to help clothe the needy in other lands, Mrs. Campbell concluded.

When you sort out your summer and winter clothing be sure to pack

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ferguson, Deb and Jonita spent Tuesday in Lubbock.

Texas Business Reaches New High In July

Austin—A new postwar peacetime level of business was reached in Texas during July. Indicators prepared by The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research roared ahead to double their prewar marks. Throughout the State businessmen looked forward to autumn in a spirit of optimism.

The previous peacetime peak in Texas was reached in February this year after steady and consistent gains were chalked up from October 1945. Business remained on a high plane except for a few minor and short-lived setbacks from February until May this year. Then came unexpected mid-summer healthy business activity during June and a hearty unlooked-for July boom, paced by high production, increased retail sales, unprecedented farm figures, the record volume of foreign trade, and new gains in employment and pay rolls of the State's industries.

Foremost worry in late summer was the spiraling price structure. A few expressed anxiety over the spending spree, charging that the 57 per cent ratio of charge sales was too great and the expenditures for savings bonds and insurance was too low. Another cause for concern was the fact that our exports would almost surely be reduced in the future because other countries were running low on dollars.

The live market for durable consumer goods, housing and industrial plants and equipment made a strong bid for a favorable outlook as Texas looked toward brisk fall trading. Retailers, wholesalers, and manufacturers were wondering what the November 1 reduction of governmental controls over credit buying would do to sales. Increased buying power was one sure-fire result, and greater use of installment buying was sure to follow.

In the background is the continued uncertainty which surrounds the economic, political, and social relations of nations that have emerged from a prolonged war. Business in Texas is not removed from world events.

A grasshopper will eat its own weight in green material in about 16 hours. If human appetite was on the same scale, a 150-pound person would eat 150 pounds of food every day.



PRAYER AMONG THE CROSSES . . . Row upon row of white crosses stretch out behind this woman who stands, with tears in her eyes, before the grave of an American at the Henri-Chapelle cemetery, Belgium. Bearing no relationship, except that of human compassion, to the soldier, she clenches her rosary tightly and prays silently.

State Postal Receipts Show Gain In July

Austin—Postal receipts in Texas took a seasonally unexpected upturn in July, rising 7 per cent above June receipts, reported The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

After three consecutive months of setbacks, the monthly hike was a welcome one. The July total of \$2,725,408 doubles receipts during the prewar years, 1935-39.

Receipts stand 4 per cent higher than in July last year with gains and losses about evenly divided between cities of the State. Increases were for the most part in the 10 to 20 per cent bracket but two cities turned in outstanding July-to-July records: in Borger receipts skyrocketed upward 61 per cent and in Plainview they took a 34 per cent upswing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen and Bill returned home Sunday after several days of visiting in Austin with their son and brother, Roach Allen and family. Mrs. Allen underwent minor surgery at Scott and White hospital at Temple on Tuesday. She was released from the hospital Saturday morning. They visited in Mineral Wells enroute home.

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Soil Conservation District News

A number of District cooperators are building and getting ready for those long overdue rains. A terracing contractor is still in the district and is building some good looking terraces despite the hard and dry ground.

The Soil Conservation Service technicians assigned to the District were on the E. A. McLeod farm this week assisting him in laying out a diversion ditch and a number of terraces on his steep land. Mr. McLeod's land is northeast of Lockney in the Sterley Conservation group.

M. C. T. Pope, who farms the McPherson land west of Floydada in the South Floydada conservation group, is now building a diversion ditch and several terraces. The Soil Conservation Service boys staked out the lines and designed the system.

Mr. E. H. Browning, who lives three miles northwest of Lockney has just completed a new irrigation well and should start pumping it this week. Mr. Browning is in what is supposed to be dry territory but he says he knows he has a good well. He reports that the well was dug to 209 feet and that he has 50 feet of water sand. Water is standing at 98 feet. The Soil Conservation Service boys were out on his farm this week and staked off several lines so that Mr. Browning can develop his well and water a little feed and some wheat land.

The list of cooperators who are planting improved pastures is increasing. The Soil Conservation Service technicians were on the Horton Howell and J. W. Franklin farms this week assisting them in laying out irrigation lines for their pastures. Mr. Howell is a district cooperator living just south of Sterley in the Sterley

Texas Tech Has Five Home Games

Lubbock—Capacity crowds for the five home football games of the Texas Technological College this fall are virtual certainties. Morley Jennings, athletic director, has announced.

The entire stands of the present field will be taken by the enlarged student body and season ticket holders for the first four games, while indications are that the Homecoming crowd Nov. 29, when Hardin-Simmons visits Tech, will fill the new stadium.

Jennings said demand for tickets this fall is the heaviest in Tech history and sale of tickets for individual games will be restricted, in all probability, to persons getting temporary bleacher seats or standing room. Last year Tech played to about 54,000 in five home games. This year it is indicated the total will jump to 75,000 for West Texas State Oct. 4, Tulsa Oct. 11, Baylor Oct. 18, Arizona No. 8 and HSU contest.

Jennings emphasized that persons having reservations in the present stands for the 1946 season have until Sept. 13 to renew reservations for this fall. He said after Sept. 13 space not claimed by former ticket holders will be turned over to others seeking the seats. A waiting list of about 1200 has been set up, with indications that less than 800 seats will be available in the permanent stands. Others will be given opportunity to take bleachers for the season.

Tech opens the season Sept. 20 in Austin against the Texas Longhorns and meets Texas A&M in San Antonio the following week end, before opening the home stand against West Texas.

conservation group and Mr. Franklin lies on the old A. D. Bassel place about five miles northeast of Aiken in the Belt conservation group.

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Society News

Study Club Resumes Fall Meetings Wed.

The first meeting of the new club year was held for the El Progreso Study club Wednesday at 4 o'clock in the home of Mrs. R. H. Campbell.

The program began with an address from the new president, Mrs. Henry Hodel. Mrs. G. J. Stapleton gave a biography of the life of Carrie Jacobs Bond, famous song composer, followed by a musical program of Mrs. Bond's songs. Mrs. Edgar Hays sang as a solo, "Just A Wearyin' For You." Carolyn Harper gave a musical reading "The End of a Perfect Day,"

and Miss Ruth Campbell sang "Is Yo' Is Yo'?" Miss Carolyn Brunner was the piano accompanist for the program.

During a delicious salad course Miss Campbell read "The White Cliffs of Dover" and Miss Brunner read "The Spring House."

Members present were: Meses. E. J. Cobb, Frank Perkins, Melba Harper, T. B. Mitchell, E. L. Woodburn, Henry Hodel, Ed Whitfill, G. J. Stapleton, Robert L. Smith, J. D. Copeland, Edgar Hays, Marvin Gilbert, Sid Thomas, and the hostess. Visitors were Mrs. R. J. Clark, Miss Carolyn Brunner, Miss Ruth Campbell and Miss Carolyn Harper.

Pemberton-Tucker Vows Exchanged In Plainview Sunday

Plainview.—Miss Helen Louise Tucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tucker of Plainview, and Roma Wilson Pemberton, son of Mrs. Ida Pemberton of Plainview, were married Sunday, September 7, at 7:30 p. m. The ceremony was held in First Presbyterian Church.

Dr. G. K. Rogers, pastor, performed the double ring ceremony before the altar which was decorated with a profusion of palms, baskets of white gladioli, wedding bells, and white tapers in candelabra. Pews were marked with white satin bows and silver wedding bells. Glyn Carroll and Arville Rasco lighted the candles.

Mrs. J. D. Blackburn, organist, played "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life," "One Alone" and "L'Amour Toujours" preceding the ceremony and accompanied Mrs. Louis N. Thomas who sang "I Love You Truly" and "Because." During the ceremony Mrs. Blackburn played "Indian Love Call." The traditional wedding marches were used.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white satin fashioned with a net yoke outlined with seed pearls and orange scalloped finger tip length veil fell from a tiara of pearls and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white rose buds showered with white satin streamers. For something borrowed she wore a pearl necklace, for something blue a garter and for something old she wore a brooch which belonged to a great aunt who lives in Canada. For good luck she wore a sixpence in her shoe.

Miss Mildred Tucker, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and she wore a blue taffeta dress fashioned with a bustle and blue taffeta gauntlets. She wore a blue picture hat and carried a bouquet of pink asters.

Misses Martha Jo and Jo Ann Clements served as bridesmaids. Miss Martha Clements wore a pink taffeta dress made with puffed sleeves and a bustle, a pink picture hat and she carried a bouquet of blue asters. Miss Jo Ann Clements wore green taffeta dress with puffed sleeves and bustle, a green picture hat and she carried a bouquet of orchid asters.

Billie Joe Pemberton served his brother as best man. Ushers were Donald Pemberton, Harold Joe Ramsey, Glyn Carroll and Arville Rasco.

Mrs. Tucker, mother of the bride, wore a black and white dress trimmed in fuchsia with black accessories and a corsage of talliesman roses. Mrs. Pemberton, mother of the

groom, wore a black dress with black accessories and an orchid chrysanthemum corsage.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. The couple was assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Tucker and Mrs. Pemberton.

After the cake was cut by the bride and groom, Mrs. C. H. Stafford assisted by Mrs. M. A. Tucker served the cake and Mrs. L. M. Frogge assisted by Mrs. Nancy Cobb served punch. The table was decorated with fern and tall white tapers.

Mrs. H. P. Clements and Mrs. Reuben Tarter presided in the gift room and Miss Mildred Tucker was at the guest book.

The entertaining rooms were decorated with white gladioli rosebuds and asters.

For going away the bride chose an aqua crepe dress with black accessories and a white rosebud corsage.

She is a graduate of Plainview High School and took post graduate course there. She is a bookkeeper at the Hale County State Bank and a member of the Business and Professional Women's Club.

Mr. Pemberton graduated from Lupton's Business College and served overseas with the infantry. He is employed as bookkeeper for the Plainview Wheat Growers Association.

After a wedding trip to Colorado the couple will be at home at 707 West 13th.

Mr. Pemberton is a former resident of Lockney.

Morris-Allen Wedding Date Is Announced

Miss Sarah Morris and Jimmy Allen will be married Friday, (today) September 12, according to an announcement made by Mrs. John Morris, Fort Worth, mother of the bride-elect. Mr. Allen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Allen of Lockney.

Miss Morris has been honored at several luncheons and parties the past two weeks. She is a graduate of North Fort Worth High School and attended a business college. She has been employed as bookkeeper in the credit department of Swift & Company at Fort Worth the past five years.

Mr. Allen is a graduate of Lockney High School and attended N. T. A. C., Arlington, Texas for two years. The couple will live on a farm near Kress.

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Mr. and Mrs. Royce Vernon were hosts at a coke party given Monday night at their home.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cakes and cookies were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moody and Robert Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Udell Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Connie Reed and the hosts.

Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Campbell and daughter, Ruth, left Thursday for a visit with the Campbell's son, Jean Campbell and wife at Amherst.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Teuton and son, Larry of Amarillo spent the week end here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Huggins and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Teuton.

Miss Laverne Rhine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Rhine of the Providence community, has entered nurses training at Lubbock Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Whitfill and children, Jimmy, Richard and Patricia have moved to Silverton to make their home.



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Miss Nina Jo Vernon Honored On Birthday

Miss Nina Jo Vernon celebrated her 13th birthday, Thursday, September 4, with a party at her home.

Several games were played and refreshments of cake and punch were served to Joyce and Joan Hearn, Ruby Wilson, Dora Allene Elland, Le Nora Poe, Wynelle Keeter, Johnnie Mac and Mary Jo Bonner, Caroline Cobb, Rachel Kate Pinner, Carolyn and Jean Cunningham, Mary Joyce Griffith, Patsy Poteet, Dorothy Marr, Dorothy and Lajuana Newton, Elizabeth Handley, Mary Ella Richards, June Rigby, Barbara Hays, Delores Hardage, Jontha Lee Casey, Anita Ellis, Norma Jean and Betty Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Vernon, Alvin Lee and Jerry Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Vernon and Irma Lynn and the honoree.

Pleasant Valley H. D. Club Meets Tuesday

Mrs. Robin Byars was hostess when the Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, September 9 at her home.

Miss Leila Petty, County Home Demonstration Agent was present and gave an interesting demonstration on "Living Room Accessories."

Mrs. T. B. Mitchell of Lockney was a visitor at the meeting. Members present included: Mmes. W. A. Stearn, R. L. Pope, R. C. Mitchell, Rhea Mitchell, Wesley Hay, Harmon Handley, D. Johnson, Collis Walker, W. P. Carrelle and the hostess.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, September 23 at 2:30 with Mrs. Pope as hostess.

Sandra Sams Honored At Birthday Party

Mrs. Gerald Sams honored her daughter, Sandra on her ninth birthday with a party at the Sams home in North Lockney.

Games were played on the lawn, after the candles were lighted and blown out, the cake was cut and refreshments of cake, ice cream and cookies were served to the honoree and the following guests: Charlotte Garner, Clara Lee Smith, Clydene Terrell, Betty June Jackson, Janie Sue Clark, Elizabeth Grubbs, Peggy Livesay, Beth Gross, Reba Cook, Margaret Holt, LaDora Ayres, Doyle Harrison, Mary Joan Myers, Mrs. Hugh Counts, Mrs. E. E. Weiss, Mrs. George Cook and daughter, Georgiadean of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. McAninch and Bob and Mrs. J. B. Chandler left Saturday for Hot Springs, N. M., where they will spend a few days. Mrs. Chandler expects to stay two weeks.



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The first student to receive the progressive series scholarship offer with its full benefits is Miss Bobbye Lu Casey, a senior in Lockney High School and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Casey. Evelyn Hooten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Berry Hooten of Lockney, a beginner student, has also enrolled.

The aim of the student in accepting the enrollment is to start helping to teach piano as soon as she qualifies and gets her certificate to teach, it was said. With Miss Casey's background and teaching, it is expected that she will qualify for a credential certificate to teach elementary students within a few months.

Miss Casey and Miss Hooten have received invitations to become members of the National honor society, FI MU. The only way a student may become a member of this society is to qualify on their scholastic record as a piano student, it was pointed out. Plans for a banquet for FI MU members and their parents for the end of September is in the making, it was said.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson left Wednesday for Canyon where they will both attend W. T. S. C. Bill will be a sophomore and Mrs. Watson, the former Beth Davis, will be a junior student.

June Carthel will continue her work at Tech this fall where she is a senior. She is majoring in music.

Gene Messer, Dwight and Terry Perkins, James Carroll and Thelma Zimmerman are students at Tech this fall.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Crocker of Plainview visited in the Olson Allison home one night this week.

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ment, Studies of the New Testament, History of Christian Thought, The Life of Christ, and The Prophets. Co-operating churches defray all costs.

Mr. and Mrs. Pace Cramer of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Stapleton and son of Denver, Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. John Stapleton of Floydada, Mrs. G. J. Stapleton visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Woodburn Saturday night.

Meat is one food which will be more plentiful this year than last, according to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

Aiken News

A school bus is being furnished to take the pupils to Plainview school this year. The Rev. Threadgill is driving the bus.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hampton and little son visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Starkey and Mr. Hampton and Nell last week.

Shirley, Ronie and Jo Ann Clark of Tulla visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Baylor Byars last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Dorman and Bonnie visited Mrs. Mattie Dorman last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Salmon visited friends at Umbarger last Friday.

Mrs. Elam and Mary Bennett visited Mrs. Elam's daughter, at Tulla, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Colson visited Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Langfeldt last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Teck Powell and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Salmon visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Musgrove last Saturday night.

Mrs. Ruth Draper and children and Mrs. Marie Jolly of Plainview visited Nell Hampton last Wednesday night. David Stowe and Jack Applewhite spent several days last week in New Mexico.

Rev. Threadgill was called to Floydada Monday to the bedside of his father, who underwent an appendectomy.

Those visiting recently with Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Salmon were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Spears of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Fleschute of Umbarger.

Those visiting in the H. L. Stowe home last Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Pettyjohn and family of Plainview and Mrs. Quinton Adams and little son.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kelley of Lockney visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Compton last Sunday afternoon.

The pastor and members of the Baptist church visited the Lockney Baptist church last Sunday night.

Mrs. Adie Dorman and Wanda Mae and Everett of Rush Spring, Okla., visited Mrs. Mattie Dorman last Sunday. Mrs. Dorman is at the bedside of her father, W. L. McMinn who is seriously ill in the Lockney hospital.

Miss Ann House of Alvarado visited this week in the J. E. Hampton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Nail and son of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stowe last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Langfeldt and Mrs. Stowe visited friends in Plainview and in the Irick community last Saturday afternoon.

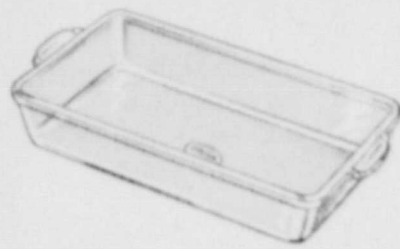
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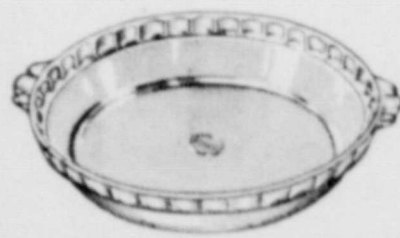


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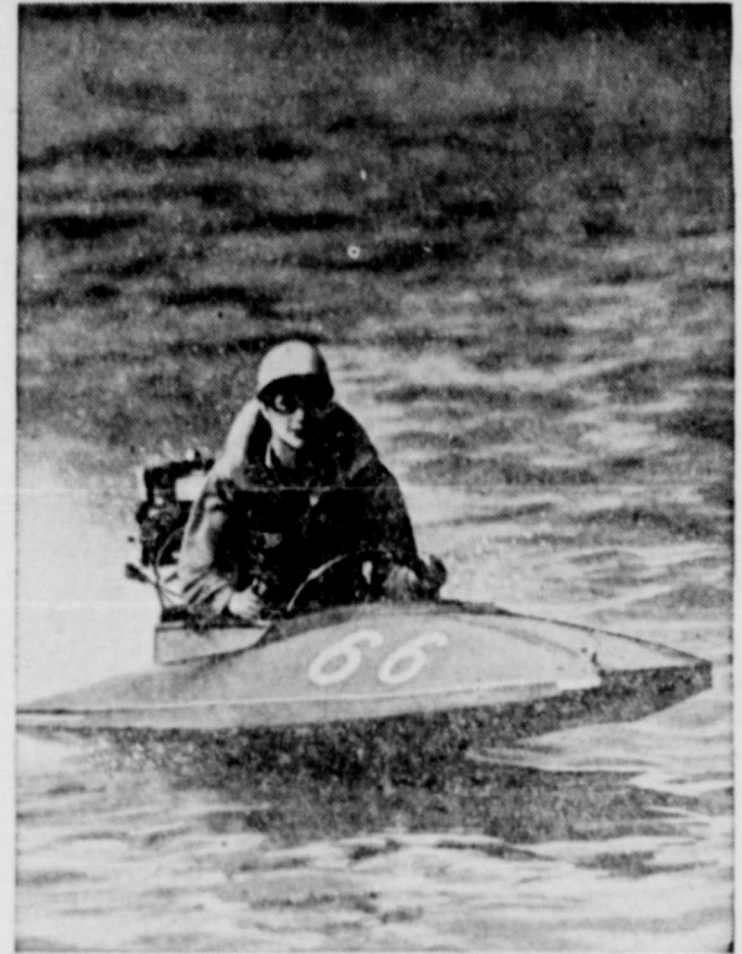
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"Annie Get Your Gun" Feature of State Fair

With not too many weeks remaining before the opening of the 1947 State Fair of Texas in Dallas, inquiries are all ready pouring in to the offices of the State Fair Auditorium concerning information on the mammoth musical, "Annie Get Your Gun," starring Texas' own Mary Martin. Interest in the great production runs high throughout the entire Southwest and prospective patrons of the big hit desire more information on the acclaimed hit.

Led by Miss Mary Martin in the starring role of Annie Oakley, "Little Miss Sureshot" of American history, "Annie Get Your Gun" will play on the stage of the big State Fair Auditorium in Dallas from October 4th through October 19th. There will be nightly performances commencing at 8:30 p. m. and matinees on Thursdays, Saturdays and Sundays at 2:30 p. m.

Prices for the big show will be as follows: Lower floor, \$4.50 and \$4.30; balcony, \$4.00, \$2.50, \$2.20, and \$1.30. These prices include all taxes and admission to the State Fair of Texas grounds.

Mail orders for "Annie" will be accepted starting Monday, September 8th. Those desiring tickets to the show should address orders to "Annie Get Your Gun," State Fair Auditorium, Dallas 10, Texas. Those writing for reservations should send check or money order and self-addressed, stamped envelope with their order.

Window sales of seats for "Annie Get Your Gun" commences Monday, October 15th, at the State Fair of Texas box office located on the ground floor of the Irwin-Keasler Building, Commerce and Ervay Streets in Dallas. This is the only location at which tickets may be purchased for the great show. Patrons must purchase their tickets there, as no telephone reservations will be taken for the production.

Easily one of the greatest theatrical events in the history of the Southwest will be the playing of the top musical at the State Fair Auditorium during the State Fair of Texas. With Weatherford-born Mary Martin returning to her home state to star in the great show, with one of the finest musical scores in show business contained in "Annie" and with a scintil-

lating record of over a year on Broadway, "Annie Get Your Gun" is awaited with pride by every Texan.

Nearly sunk twice—once by a torpedo and once by shore battery fire—the USS Pensacola spent less than two weeks in the United States from December 1941 until May 1945.

STAMP PAD INK at The Beacon

Robert L. Sanford, of Coalinga, Calif. formerly a gunner's mate third class, with the Seabees, landed on Iwo Jima two days before D-Day, by swimming 500 yards to the beach to reconnoitre. The Japs concentrated their fire on him, but he returned to his ship untouched.

Later a Jap bomber came over, scored a hit on the ship and put Sanford in the hospital.

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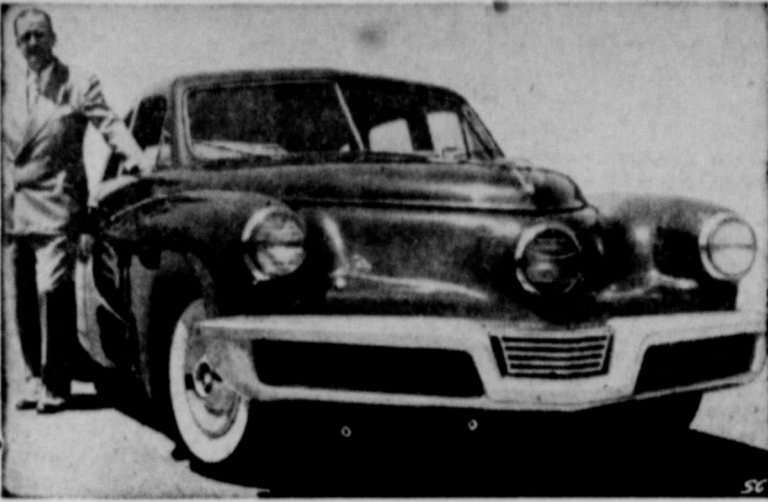
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Providence News

Mrs. J. A. Zimmerman, Correspondent

The 4th annual picnic of the Providence former pupils was held Saturday night at the school. A grand time was had. We were very fortunate to have 5 former teachers present. Mr. and Mrs. Brock of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Ershman also of Plainview, Mrs. Ershman will be remembered as Miss Fay Stambaugh, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams and daughter of Sandhill. We also had guests from Halfway, Happy, Whitfield, Prairieview, Lone Star and Lockney. A business meeting was held and officers elected. The same officers will serve the coming year. Lunch was served and then everyone joined in the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hubbard of near Plainview, another former pupil, was also here.

Don't forget to attend the next annual meeting which will be held at the Providence school house the first Saturday evening in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Boedecker of Sagerston, Texas, were here visiting relatives the first part of this past week.

Mrs. Lucy Boedecker and children visited her husband Leo Boedecker Tuesday in Amarillo. Mr. Boedecker is in the Veteran's Hospital there.

Mrs. J. A. Zimmerman spent Tuesday in Plainview with Mrs. Erma McCallip and Mrs. Helmut Quebe.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Alois G. Bontke of Kress on the arrival of a baby girl at their home. Mrs. Bontke is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Boedecker of this community.

Misses Hazel and Icela Crouch who have been spending the summer with their brother, Russell and family left Tuesday for Brownfield where they will teach this coming year.

Guest of Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Collins, and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Bennett and son Billie Mac.

The Ladies Aid of the Providence Trinity church met with Mrs. Henry Sammann Sunday.

One Pacific-based Seabee outfit the war sponsored a series of monthly "good housekeeping" prizes. The outstanding tent for the month was selected in each of the construction battalion's five company areas. The prize of \$5 for each man in the winning tent came out of the battalion's welfare fund.

WATCH YOUR EXPIRATION DATE

Texas Boys Win



Megrail Dillard

FIRST PLACE honors for Texas in the 1947 Fisher Body Craftsman's Guild model car design competition went to James R. Megrail, of Grand Prairie, who won the \$100 state junior model car design award, and Wallace Dillard, of Canyon, who won the junior Napoleonic Coach award of \$25. The competition this year will see \$85,000 distributed in cash and university scholarships to the top boy craftsmen of the nation. The Craftsman's Guild is an educational organization sponsored by General Motors to encourage the development of creative ability, handwork and craftsmanship among teen-age boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Bybee and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Bybee accompanied Mrs. Charles Givens and daughter, Lois Marie to Amarillo Monday where she took a plane to her home in Charleston, West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleatis Jeffcoat spent from Sunday until Wednesday night marketing in Dallas. They were accompanied by Helen Boedecker.

Mrs. Berry Hooten and Evelyn were in Plainview Tuesday visiting Joyce Hooten, student of Lippert's Business College.

Check-List For Fall Flowers Is Given

College Station.—Here's a late August and early September check list for your flower garden. It comes from J. F. Rosborough, extension horticulturist of Texas A. & M. College.

1. Cut old blossoms and seed pods from crepe myrtle and other plants. It will keep them blooming longer.
2. Make out your list of bulbs to plant this fall. An early order gets the choice ones.
3. Order flower seeds to be planted this fall. Calendula, larkspur, snapdragon, phlox, petunia, dianthus, pansy, stock, hardy poppies, cornflower, scabiosa and candytufts are recommended.

4. Chrysanthemums are heavy feeders; they need a monthly shot of commercial fertilizer and plenty of water. Stake plants. Pinch off some of the early buds.

5. If you have any thin spots in the lawn, mow the grass high, fertilize and water.

6. After perennial phlox and verbena have passed their glory, cut the tops back pretty severely, fertilize and water for lots of late blooms.

7. Trim back limbs and twigs from shrubs and shade trees that are growing out of proportion for the rest of the plant.

8. While your plants are still in bloom make a few notes on the changes you will want to make for next season.

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Ketchup C. H. B., 14 oz. bottle 18c	Peaches Heavy Syrup, can 22c	
LOG CABIN SYRUP 12 oz. 28c	CIGARETTES Carton \$1.68	
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Irick News

Mrs. Harrell Dollar, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Colson and Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes shopped in Amarillo last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Lindsey and granddaughter of Hereford spent last Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dollar.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Bowman and Danny spent last week with relatives in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Caldwell and girls spent a few days last week in New Mexico with relatives. They also brought back a load of fruit.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taack made a business trip to Amarillo last week.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hall Sunday were A. W. Ferguson, Henry Russell, Leba Jean and Naomi Gibson all of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Wright and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pemberton, Plainview; Elmer Lee Wright

and family of Lockney and E. O. Wright and family of Hale Center attended a three day Wright reunion the 29, 30, and 31 of August. About 75 attended the reunion. It was the first time all the Wright brothers had met together in thirty years. They all reported a grand time hunting squirrels and fishing.

Mrs. J. F. Dollar is spending this week with Mrs. Bill Rigdon and family of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Dunn and girls and Truman Dunn spent last week fishing at Possum Kingdom.

Miss Anna Schacht and her brother John Schacht left last week for an extended visit with relatives in Nebraska.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dow Colson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Robertson and children of Olton, Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Langfeldt, Mrs. Stowe and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Grubbs and children

Friends from Lubbock visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Lacey and

Bainer Assistant



Ronald I. Cross, soil conservationist with United States Department of Agriculture at Clovis, N. M., has been appointed agricultural agent for the Santa Fe railway with headquarters at Amarillo, according to announcement made today by H. M. Bainer, general agricultural agent of that line at Amarillo. The appointment is effective September 1.

Cross will act as an assistant to Bainer and in that capacity will handle agricultural matters for the railroad's Western Lines in Western Kansas, Oklahoma, Colorado and New Mexico and the Panhandle & Santa Fe lines in Texas. He brings to his new position a background of knowledge of various types of farm work, having had 12 years experience in irrigation and dry land farming. A graduate of New Mexico College of Agriculture, he has been with the U. S. Department of Agriculture as an agricultural aide, junior agronomist, and soil conservationist, since June, 1935, except for a two-year period when he operated a 960-acre farm. Since 1942 he has been in charge of the Clovis Work Unit of the Soil Conservation service. He has dealt with all forms of conservation and land utilization including particularly erosion control, dust control, reforestation, revegetation and range management, and water facilities plans.

Kathryn Hall of Plainview spent the latter part of last week with her parents.

Clayton Graham of California is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Graham and other relatives. Mrs. Graham is in New York and plans to join him here later.

J. H. Baxter, father of Bascom Baxter suffered a heart attack Monday while working on the farm here. He is in the Lockney Clinic and is reported to be improved.

Up to this time no rainfall has been received in this section.

Lee Cooper returned to his home in Ruidoso, New Mexico, Thursday, after visiting relatives here and working in wheat harvest. He will enter the University of New Mexico this fall.

When saving seed from your garden take the seed from those plants with best production record, high quality and thriftiness and are true to variety.

FALL SUITS—Let us measure you for a new Fall suit. We have a nice line of Fall samples. Come in and see them. Brown's Cleaners.

SHERIFF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF FLOYD

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Pluries Execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Dallas County at Law No. 1, State of Texas, on the 21st day of August, 1947 by the Clerk of such Court for the sum of Seven Hundred Eighty-two and 08/100 (\$782.08) dollars, with interest and costs of suit, against the Defendants J. M. Zalceek, Henry Jansen, and Frank Reznicek, and each of them, under a Judgment dated March 23, 1936, in favor of The W. T. Rawleigh Company, Inc., a corporation, in a certain Cause in said Court, No. 67045-A, and styled The W. T. Rawleigh Company, Inc., a corporation, Plaintiff, vs J. M. Zalceek, Henry Jansen, and Frank Reznicek, Defendants, on the Docket of such Court, placed in my hands for service, I, Leland Hart, as Sheriff of Floyd County, Texas, did on the 25th day of August 1947, levy on certain real estate situated in Floyd County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Being forty-five (45) acres out of the Northeast Corner of the G. R. Grant 160-acre preemption Survey, Abstract No. 1051 and the Northwest Corner of the Elizabeth Moore S. P. Survey No. 4548, Abstract No. 2122, such 45 acres being described in two tracts as follows:

Tract No. 1
BEGINNING at an old set stone for the Northeast Corner of said Grant Survey and the Northeast Corner of this tract;

THENCE South 462.8 varas for Southeast Corner of this tract;

THENCE West 368 varas to 1 1/4 inch pipe 1 vara West of fence for Southwest Corner of this tract;

THENCE North 462.8 varas to 1-inch pipe for Northwest Corner of this tract, from whence a corner fence post bears South 9 varas and East 1 vara.

THENCE East 368 varas to place of beginning and containing 39.3 acres of land out of Abstract No. 1051.

Tract No. 2
BEGINNING at old set stone for Northeast Corner of said Grant Survey;

THENCE North 73 varas to another old set stone for Northwest Corner of said Elizabeth Moore Survey and Northwest Corner of this tract;

THENCE East 155 varas to pipe in public road for Northeast Corner of this tract;

THENCE South 535.8 varas to 2-inch pipe for Southeast Corner this tract

THENCE West 155 varas to point in East line of said Grant Survey for Southwest Corner of this tract;

THENCE North 462.8 varas to place of beginning, containing 14.7 acres of land out of Abstract No. 2122, and levied upon as the property of the Defendant Frank Reznicek; and that on the first Tuesday in October 1947, same being the 7th day of such month, at the Court House Door of Floyd County, Texas, in the City of

Floydada, Texas, between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., by virtue of such levy and such execution, I will offer for sale and sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the Defendant Frank Reznicek in and to such property.

And in compliance with the law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks preceding such day of sale, in the Lockney Beacon, a newspaper published in Floyd County, Texas.

Witness my hand, this 25th day of August, 1947.

Leland Hart,
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We wish to thank all the friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness shown the family at the death and during the illness of our loved one. Every act was appreciated very much. May God bless each of you.

J. D. Hager
Mrs. Opal Stoutsenberger
Mrs. Paul Box
Herbert Seal

Mrs. Fay Pinner has been ill this week. She is convalescing in the home of Mrs. Virgie Pinner after receiving treatment in the local hospital.

Mrs. Oris Fike of Berger left for her home Tuesday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Graham of Lockney.



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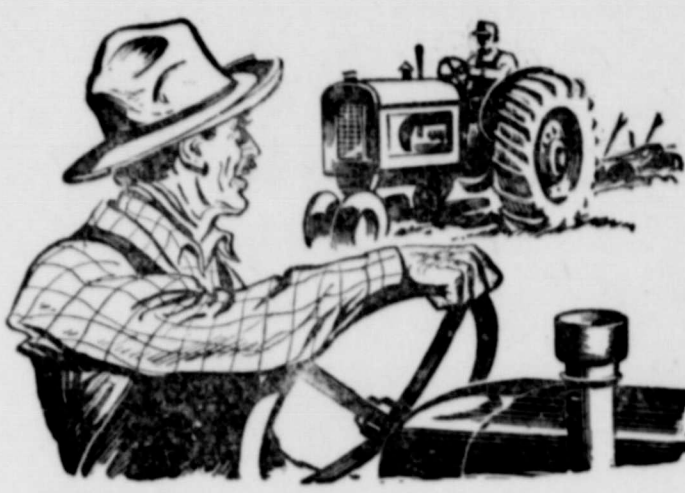
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Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shelton spent Sunday in Afton with their daughter, Mrs. Maurice Goodwin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sams left Tuesday for a two weeks stay in Mineral Wells.

Providence News

The Providence School opened on Monday, Sept. 8 at 8 a. m. with 32 pupils present. The teachers are Mr. and Mrs. Lee Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele and girls were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLaughlin Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Sammann was hostess on Sunday for the Ladies Aid members and their families. Mrs. Leo Boedecker sang a solo. Mrs. Ben Brandes gave a report on New Guinea Missions. Refreshments were served to Messrs. and Mrs. A. Kelm, Ben Brandes, Ben Quebe, Karl Sammann, Albert Sammann, Otto Schrieber, Marvin Scheele and Harold McLaughlin and Rev. and Mrs. Schauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Collins Jr. of Waco are spending this week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Collins Sr. of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schuette and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann and family spent Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Schuette of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Grabber and girls of Slaton were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schuette.

Little Miss Madeline Schuette is spending this week at Slaton with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Grabber.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann and Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Sammann gave a surprise birthday dinner on Sunday, September 7, at 6 o'clock honoring Mr. Karl Sammann and Mr. W. M. Schuette on their birthdays. Barbecue and salads were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Roland Schuette and sons, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Schuette and family of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Schuette of Idalou, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schuette and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Sammann and girls of Hale Center, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Sammann and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Schuette of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann and girls.

Mrs. Jake Jones has returned to sister Mrs. Jim Jones of Raton, N.

her home after visiting with her twin M. the past week.

Miss Bernadine Grabber of Brownfield spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Martin Schuette and family.

Tech To Have Livestock Exhibit At P.-S. P. Fair

LUBBOCK.—Texas Technological College will again have an exhibit of representative livestock at the Panhandle South Plains Fair which will be held in Lubbock, September 29 through October 4. The last such exhibit by Tech in 1941 as one of the biggest drawing cards of the fair.

From 36 to 40 representative animals will be shown according to Dean Stangel, head of the Department of Animal Husbandry at Tech. These will include Aberdeen-Angus, Hereford, Jersey, Holstein-Friesian cattle; Duroc, Hampshire, and Poland China hogs; Hampshire, Rambouillet and Southdown sheep; and Angora goats, quarter horses, American Saddle horses, American jacks, Percherons and mules.

The entire exhibit will be housed in the Livestock building on the Fair grounds. None of the animals will compete for prizes.

Other features of the fair are a giant balloon parade opening day, the Buck Steiner rodeo, midget auto racing and the Bill Hames Shows on the Midway.

Mrs. J. H. Chandler, Mrs. Melvin Cooper, Mrs. Glen Cooper, Mrs. Jack Cooper, and Lee Cooper went to Quitaque Wednesday to attend a shower given for Mrs. Dick Cooper, a recent bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gilbert, Orland and Poly Sue spent from Thursday until Sunday visiting in Amarillo with Mr. Gilbert's brother, L. M. Gilbert and wife.

Mark Roberts of Corpus Christi visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Roberts Wednesday night. He was enroute home after a business trip to Denver, Colorado.

Swing Of Southwest Farm Markets

(USDA)—Southwest farm products sold generally firm to higher last week, with cotton and some cattle classes the major exceptions, U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Demand for all grains continued good last week. Wheat and sorghums price reached new peaks, while oats and barley advanced sharply, and corn held firm. At Fort Worth and Galveston, bulk carlots of No. 1 hard wheat closed Friday at \$2.71 to \$2.72 per bushel; No. 2 white corn \$2.98 to \$3.05; yellow \$2.50 to \$2.55; No. 3 barley \$1.84; No. 2 red oats \$1.27 to \$1.31; and No. 2 \$3.55 to \$3.60.

Rough rice sold at firm prices last week. First Arkansas Lady Wright brought \$12.60 per barrel. Demand improved for alfalfa hay, which moved at slightly higher values. Prairie hay eased. Most sales of new farmer's stock peanuts have been at support prices. Higher foreign wool prices induced active domestic wool buying.

Good demand and light offerings kept egg prices firm last week, while all classes of poultry found strength at some markets. Top quality white candled eggs sold generally around 59 to 55 cents per dozen, and grade "A" mixed eggs 45 to 50. Heavy hens ranged largely from 22 to 32 cents per pound, and fryers from 22 to 25.

Colorado fruits and vegetables met generally good demand last week. Peach shipments dwindled, but Ark-

ansas Valley onions moved in volume at \$1.30 to \$1.50 for 50 pound sacks of U. S. No. 1 sweet Spanish. Potatoes strengthened, and peas and cauliflower scored sharp early-week gains but weakened some later. Louisiana sweet potatoes found slow demand at weaker prices. Declining watermelon receipts at Fort Worth sold a little stringer, but cabbage, lettuce, and onions weakened.

Spot cotton marketing increased last week, as picking and ginning moved farther north. Strict low middling and above found good demand, but farmers sold less freely, as prices declined \$4.00 to \$6.50 per bale.

Spring lambs sold firm to \$1.00 or more higher last week, and aged sheep gained up to 50 cents. Medium to good spring lambs brought \$18 to \$20.50 at San Antonio, and \$20 to \$22.50 at Fort Worth. Good and choice kinds went at \$24 to \$24.50 at Wichita and \$22.50 to \$23 at Oklahoma City, and \$25.50 at Denver.

Texas hog markets close the week about even with a week earlier, while other southwest terminals gained mostly 50 cents to \$1.00 or more. Top butchers closed at \$26.75 at San Antonio, \$27.75 at Fort Worth, \$28.50 at Oklahoma City and Wichita, and \$30.25 at Denver. Sows brought mostly \$20 to \$25 and pigs \$20 to \$26.

Slaughter and stocker calves dropped sharply at most southwest terminals last week, and cows lost at some places. Common to medium slaughter cows ranged largely from \$12 to \$16, and calves \$13 to \$19. Most good calves sold at \$19.50 to \$22. Common to medium stocker calves brought mostly \$16 to \$18.50.

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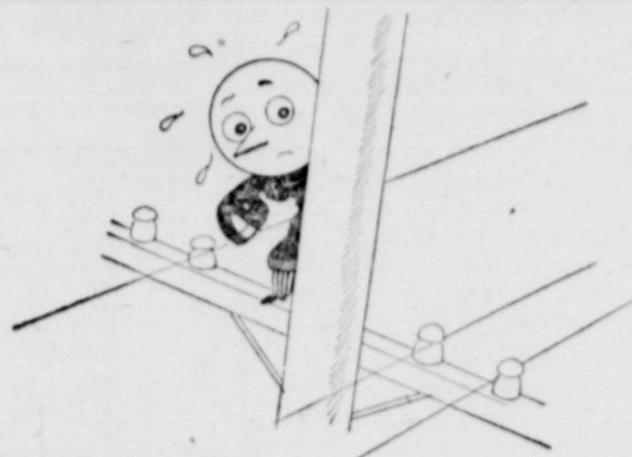
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Weekly SURPLUS NEWS

One hundred, sixty-seven buildings of various types, with an acquisition cost of approximately \$2,000,000, will be sold through simple sales methods at Big Springs Army Air Field at Big Spring, Texas, September 30, it has been announced by WAA's office of Real Property Disposal. The structures are offered to "the general public" together with all the fixtures they contain with "no red tape involved." It was said. Included are barracks, administration, warehouse and repair houses. Prospective buyers are urged to visit the field, procure listings of the buildings, make their inspections between September 18 and 29 and attend the sale September 30, bid, pay for the desired structure, move it intact or dismantle it. No priority will be required. There will be no delay and any one can buy.

Mail order sales of war surplus have been stepped up rather than slowed down by declining inventories.

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records in the Grand Prairie WAA's Customer Service Center indicate. The Center's inter-regional branch processed sales of goods costing \$133,795.88 for the week ending August 29, it was disclosed. During the same week the branch put through new orders for surplus valued at \$109,274 and accepted orders from other regions for \$53,301 worth of property. The inter-regional branch accepts orders to WAA centers throughout the country and to United States possessions abroad.

Radial and press drills, high duty grinders, hack saws and pipe benders, all classified as standard in make and readily adjustable to commercial use and for instruction purposes in schools, are tendered for sale through the Customer Service Center of the WAA at Grand Prairie through September 26. The machinery, which also includes a quantity of rivet machines, lathes and drill bushings, is being offered at fixed prices to priority groups and commercial channels.

More than a million dollars of surplus electronics materials are being allocated to schools and universities throughout the Southwest in a program aimed at saving valuable specialized equipment from the scrap heap and putting it to work in research laboratories and classrooms, it has been announced by the zone office of War Assets Administration at Grand Prairie, Texas. Arkansas, Oklahoma, and Louisiana schools, however, already have been allocated approximately 80 per cent of remaining electronics materials in this region as the result of direct sales and redistributions through the FWA.

Everything from mortuary cabinets to gasoline hose and trenching shovels included in a fixed price sale of surplus hardware items in catalog offering of the War Assets Administration at Grand Prairie. Samples of these items may be seen at the Customer Service Center until October 9.

PERSONALS

J. D. Huggins was in Plainview Tuesday attending the meeting of the West Texas Egg Association.

Jeanne Thomas will leave Tuesday for Waco to resume her studies at Baylor University where she will be a sophomore. Dorothy Drennan of Cleburne, also a Lockney graduate, will enter Baylor this year.

Barry Barker will return to W. T. S. C. Canyon this fall.

Will McDonald is in Fort Worth this week visiting his mother. She celebrates her 80th birthday Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitey Baccus and son visited in Sudan Wednesday.

Mrs. Lee Seaman has been receiving treatment at the Plainview hospital this week.

Mrs. Charles Simpson is in the Plainview hospital this week.

Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Cobb and children were in Lubbock Tuesday.

Calvin Tomme has been in a Floydada hospital the past few days suffering with pneumonia. He was reported better Thursday.

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FOR SALE—John Deere ground-driven row-blender, used 10-foot broadcast blinder, Model H manure spreader. Also 1944 SC Case tractor with 2-row equipment (3-row lister). Lockney Implement Co. 1-tfc

FOR SALE—or **TRADE** for good milk cow or fat hog—Elgin Sewing Machine or Maytag Washing Machine both in good condition. Mrs. J. E. Newton. 1-3tp

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FOR SALE—Good 5 burner New Perfection Oil Stove. White enamel finish. Mrs. Geo. M. Schick. Route 2, Plainview. 51-3tp

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FOR SALE—Gladiolas. Mrs. Roy Handley, northwest Lockney. 41-6p-tfc

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But there was no peace for the agitated man pacing the stone enclosed yard of the old ranch. Two days before two of his sons, George and William, had joined other settlers going in pursuit of a band of marauding Indians. And last night he had dreamed that one of his boys was severely wounded. Now, he was waiting for a messenger, fearing the worst.

He was pacing the yard when William and John Anderson, weary with an all night's ride, came with the news.

George had been shot. The arrow entering his body above the navel, had broken when the shaft was pulled out, and its head could not be found. They thought that perhaps it might have become lost in the loose sand when jerked out.

While their elders were making preparations to receive the wounded boy should he still be alive, the children took turns acting as look-outs, but a full hour before the party arrived the boys were on the smoke house to gather. As the scouting group wound slowly into light, a shout of joy went up and the news was called to the anxious parents. The full number of horsemen had been counted.

George Reynolds was indeed sitting his horse. But it was only from grim determination, he wanting to reassure those waiting loved ones. As they had come into sight of the Old Stone Ranch he had insisted that he be taken from the litter. This litter was made of men's kayaks or cowhide packs swung between two horses. The horses were tied together, heads and tails, and led by two men on foot. Thus they had traveled the 35 or 40 miles, except when the horses had had to go single file; he was then laid across his saddle.

Dr. James D. Ray soon arrived from Weatherford, having been brought by Sam Newcomb, a brother-in-law of young Reynolds. They had ridden night and day to cover the hundred and some odd intervening miles.

George Reynolds, future cattle baron and assistant founder of the First National Bank of both Albany and Oklahoma City, regained his health. But his fathers psychic premonition of death was not without foundation. Sixteen years and three and a half

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