

Lone Star News

By Mrs. Harold Griffith

The following is the honor roll for the first six weeks of school: 1st grade—Jane Carol Phillips, Joann Ward, Betty Strickland.

Phillip Peugh, Mickey Mosley, Barbara Foster. Second grade—Orville Strickland. Third grade—Duane Griffith. Fourth grade—Larry Jarrett, Donald Farish, Tina Hazelwood, Sandra Lawson.

Fifth grade—David Frizzell, Herman King and A. O. Foster were in Amarillo Wednesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Phillips, Delinda and Derrell Joe were visitors in the W. H. Workman home on Wednesday.

Those registering at the tea for the Friendship Home Demonstration Club last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Reed Lawson were Mrs. Lee Rushing, Mrs. Mal Jarboe, Mrs. W. E. Grimes, Mrs. J. H. Buchanan, Mrs. Harry Morckel, Mrs. Sam Green, Mrs. C. A. Coffee, Mrs. A. H. Kries, all of the Friendship club; Mrs. W. D. Nance, Mrs. Thurston Rankin, Mrs. Ben McGhee, Mrs. D. J. Phillips, Mrs. H. E. Frizzell, Mrs. M. A. Martin, Mrs. L. M. Reidhimer, Mrs. Raymond Teeple, Mrs. G. B. Johnston, Mrs. Vestal Hastings, Mrs. Clyde Farish, Mrs. C. L. King and Mrs. Reed Lawson, all of the Lone Star club.

June Wiley spent Tuesday night with Glenda Ann Reidhimer. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watkins and Sharon were in Plainview Thursday night where Mrs. Watkins was honored with a birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Watkins and Martha.

Mrs. Carrie Bostick and Mrs. Lena King of South Plains with relatives from Indiana visited in the Lowell Jarrett home Thursday night.

Hubert Frizzell spent several days last week in south Texas on business.

Mrs. Nettie E. White of Petersburg is spending this week in the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Stover and family.

Mrs. Walter Griffith spent Sunday with Mrs. John Baxter.

Saturday night visitors in the Tom Wells home were Mr. and Mrs. Silman James and children of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Griffith and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Griffith and sons were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Harris on Sunday. Visitors in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nelson and Janie and Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Harris and Gene.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reed Lawson on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Reidhimer and Nita Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Jarrett and Larry. Visitors in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mosley and boys.

Betty Sue Farish spent Sunday night with Glenda Ann Reidhimer.

J. D. Nance and Bud Nance were in Amarillo Monday.

Tuesday night visitors in the L. M. Reidhimer home were Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Gray of Amarillo.

Irrigation farmers are encouraged to plant winter legumes this month for soil improvement purposes. Legumes planted later than October in the South Plains area will make too little growth to survive a harsh winter as a protection against soil erosion.

Major accident rate for the Naval Air Reserve during 1948 was only 335 per 10,000 aircraft hours.

County-Wide Tour Sees Many Modern Homes

(Too late for last week.)

The annual county-wide tour to homes of demonstrators and others was held on Friday, October 14. Visits were made to homes of Landscape and Living room demonstrators and others in Home Demonstration Clubs over the county.

The caravan of cars started from the Agricultural building at 9:30 Friday morning. The first stop was at the home of Mrs. M. J. McNeill in the Center Home Demonstration Club. Mrs. McNeill showed her recently redecorated living room as well as her well equipped kitchen. Mrs. McNeill's yard is well-planned and was admired by all.

The home of Mrs. A. M. Dorsey of the Pleasant Valley Club was visited next. Mrs. Dorsey is landscape demonstrator for her club and has many improvements. Her service area, sodded in native grass, was of special interest. Mrs. Dorsey showed her recently remodeled house. A home freezer locker has been added to her other equipment. Mrs. Weldon Smith, also of Pleasant Valley, is living room demonstrator for her club but her improvements have been made all over her house and includes new and floor coverings, built-in cabinets, new water heater, etc.

Dorothy Holmes, bedroom demonstrator for the Sand Hill 4-H Club, showed the group her bedroom that she has improved this year by recanvassing and re-papering, sanding and finishing the floors and adding curtains, bed spread, and scatter rugs. Frances Allen showed an exhibit of clothing made by members of the Sand Hill 4-H Club.

Two homes were visited in the Providence community. Mrs. B. H. Quebe showed her lovely living room as well as the rest of her charming house. Mrs. Charlie Boedeker's blue and yellow kitchen was admired by all, and her recently added utility room gave everyone ideas for such an addition to their own homes.

The yards of Mrs. Raymond Evans and Mrs. J. P. Moss, members of the Homebuilders Club, were visited next. Their well executed plans were admired by all. The brilliant effect of masses of blooms in one color was demonstrated in Mrs. Evans' yard.

Mrs. G. H. Day of Starkey showed the progress that can be made after only two years of planting, but a lot of work. Her landscaping is well planned and is an enjoyment to her family as well as her visitors.

The new home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thurston in the Lakeview community was visited next. Mrs. Thurston is living room demonstrator for her club but it was the visitor's privilege to see all of her house which was built after long and careful planning. Not only there is a back living room that is enjoyed by the family. The house has all modern conveniences.

Another new house that was next on the itinerary was that of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bradford of Baker. The work on this house was strictly a family affair and as a result they have a house that definitely fits the needs of a small family. Mrs. Bradford is living room demonstrator but her kitchen was admired just as much because of its excellent planning.

The large ranch style house of Mr. and Mrs. Tate Jones of Dougherty was next to be visited. All the visitors were impressed by its spaciousness and decoration, and the abundant storage is what every woman dreams about. Mrs. Jones' landscaping, begun several years ago, already gives her place a look of permanence. She has kept the native grass that covers her spacious grounds.

Ag. Dept. Offers Services To Farmers

COLLEGE STATION—There is available to Texas cotton farmers four services from the U. S. Department of Agriculture that should help them sell their crop for the highest prices, says John L. McCollum, manager of the Production and Marketing Administration's office in Dallas.

Issued every week-end is a cotton review that shows the demand, mill activity, movement, parity price and price of Middling 15-16 inch in the principal southwest markets.

During the ginning season two other services also go out weekly, farmers cotton price quotations and a cottonseed review. The quotation sheet shows what the various grades and staple lengths are bringing at key Texas markets and helps a farmer figure what his cotton is worth, either for the open market or for the government loan. The cottonseed review shows high, average and low grades of seed by principal producing counties and the price farmers are being paid per ton.

Mailed every two weeks during the ginning season is a quality report which shows the percentages of cotton in each grade and staple lengths ginned in the various cotton districts of the state. It also shows whether cotton was reduced in grade because of rough preparation.

McCollum says they are yours for the asking and buyers, shippers, ginners and others who handle cotton are also eligible to receive them.

If you'd like to get these services, send your request to John L. McCollum, manager, Production and Marketing Administration, USDA, 1104 South Ervay Street, Dallas, Texas. They are sent to you without cost.

At the U. S. Navy Fleet Weather Central in Pearl Harbor, 300 weather reports are received from ships and stations every six hours, translated into a weather map, coded and broadcast.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kreis was the last place visited on the 125 mile tour. Mrs. Kreis is landscape demonstrator for the Friendship Club. Her beautiful spacious lawn is a perfect setting for her house. The group enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. Kreis and other members of the Friendship Club when they served refreshments to the group from the dining room. All the visitors agreed that it was the perfect ending for a perfect day.

At least 70 persons were on the tour at various times during the day. Many helpful ideas were gained by visiting these demonstrations to which any interested person was invited. A departure was made from the usual procedure at the lunch hour. Each person brought a sack lunch and the caravan of cars halted long enough for lunches to be eaten, then the group was again on its way.

Claims Must Be Filed For S. S. Benefits

Social security benefits to 65 year old workers and to the families of workers who die are not paid automatically, Mr. John G. Hutton, manager of the Lubbock social security office, stressed today.

In every case where payments are due, a claim must be filed with the social security office to start the ball rolling. The law places a limit on the number of back payments that can be made when a claim is not filed promptly and no more than 3 months' back benefits can be paid.

When a 65 year old worker stops work, he should get in touch with the social security office without delay. When a worker dies, someone in the family should make it a point to inquire about possible benefits to the

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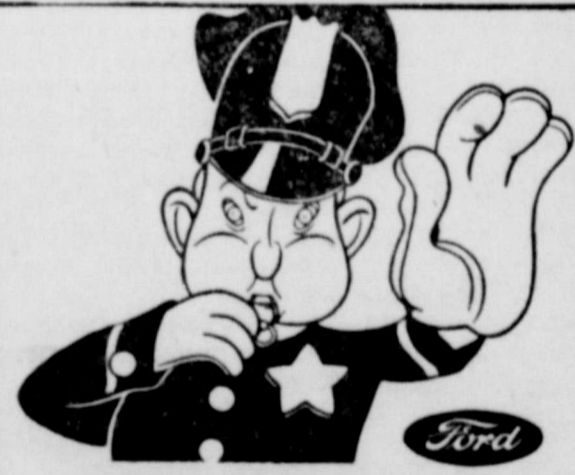
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Sterley News
by Bonita Glover

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mitchell visited in Clovis, N. M., Wednesday with their daughter, Mrs. Emmet Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Suiter visited in Brownfield Sunday with friends.

The Sterley Home Demonstration Club met Thursday in the Sterley school house. There were several members present. Mrs. C. B. Humphrey was hostess. The meeting was called to elect the new officers of 1950. During the meeting Mrs. C. B. Humphrey reported on "Dairy Products." Everyone enjoyed the subject.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mitchell were in Hereford Sunday visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fellows of Lubbock were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mitchell over the week-end. Mrs. Fellows is Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell's daughter.

Leonard Gibson of Arkansas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Everett Rivers and family Saturday. Mr. Gibson is Mrs. Rivers' brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Jeter and son of Pascal visited Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Patterson over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Denton of Portales, N. M., visited Mrs. Denton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mullins over the week-end. Little Lynn returned home with them after a long visit here with her grandparents.

Loy Davis spent the week-end with George Nelson.

Kelly Max Harrison entertained David Howell Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gibson of Quitaque visited in the Rivers home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mullins, Mrs. R. V. Webster and Bobby, Mrs. Lloyd Crow and Lawrence Crow visited in Borwnfield Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Patterson left Tuesday morning for a business trip to Temple. They are unsure of the time they will be away.

Mrs. O. J. Rivers of Turkey, Rufus Rivers of Lubbock, J. M. Evans of Lubbock and Guy Harris of Amarillo visited in the Everett Rivers home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bickley and daughter, Jackie, of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Eiland Johnston and Shirley of Turkey, and Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Jack were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jack and children Sunday.

Ralls Takes Longhorns 12-6

Statistics	Lockney	Ralls
Yards rushing	165	221
Yards lost rushing	4	22
Net yards	161	199
First downs	10	12
Passes attempted	5	4
Passes completed	1	2
Yds. passing	14	43
Penalties	10	20
Oppo fumbles recov.	3	2

A good little team whipped a good big team here last Friday night when the Ralls Jackrabbits practically eliminated the Lockney Longhorns from the district 3-A football race. The score was 12-6.

The Longhorns had the game won on penetrations up until a minute and a half before time ran out but they let their guard down and the Rabbits completed two passes in succession to place the ball on the four yard line. They then pushed over for the winning score in three plays.

The Rabbits really deserved the win according to the statistics shown above. They gained consistently around the big Longhorn line behind excellent blocking. Although outweighed the Jackrabbits charged and blocked hard.

The Longhorns gained well against the Rabbits but couldn't maintain a sustained drive. They were inside the Jackrabbits 20 yard line twice, one time going to the 5 and losing the ball on downs. They were on the Ralls 16 when the half ended. They could never get their passes to working either, completing only one out of five.

A summary of the game follows:

Ralls received and returned to their own 36 yard line. They made a first down on the Lockney 49 1/2 line first thing, and in three plays made another first on the Lockney 32. They fumbled on the next play and an alert Longhorn covered giving the locals the ball on their own 31 yard line. Strickland made 12 for a first on the Ralls 43, made 2, attempted a pass, made nothing and kicked to the Ralls 18 yard line. The Rabbits took two plays to make a first on the 30, made 7, lost 3 and then lost 3 more and kicked to the Longhorns 43. Three plays made eight yards and Smart kicked to the Ralls 27. The Rabbits made 7 in three plays, were penalized 5 and kicked to the Longhorn 49 1/2 yard line. The Longhorns were

penalized 5, attempted a pass, made 5, lost 2 and kicked to Ralls 29.

The Rabbits made a first on their own 41, a first on Lockney's 45 in two plays, and then a first on the Longhorn 26. Then, behind excellent blocking, Gustin cut in between his own right end and tackle and ran the distance to the goal line without being touched. The try for point failed and the score was 6-0, Ralls.

The Longhorns received and returned the kick off to their 42 yard line. They made a first on the Ralls 46 in three plays, and then a first on the Ralls 35. They made 5, fumbled and a Ralls player recovered on the Ralls 34. The Rabbits came back with a first on the Ralls 49 in three plays, made 5 and fumbled themselves with a Longhorn recovering on the 50. The Longhorns made 11 for a first on the 39 and 10 for a first on the 29, then a first on the 18 in three plays. They made 2 as the half ended on the Ralls 16 yard line.

The Longhorns received the kick off, returning to their own 40 yard line. They made 2, 6 and then a first on the Ralls 49. A pass, Strickland to Crouch was good for a first on the Ralls 35. The Rabbits were penalized 5 and then Smart took off to the Ralls 13 yard line. Here the Rabbits line stiffened and the Longhorns made 0, 1, 6 and 1 with the ball going to Ralls on their own 5 yard line. The Rabbits made 6, 3 and a first on the 18. They were penalized 15 yards but came back with a 24 yard run and then made 2 more for a first on the Ralls 31. They made 6, attempted a pass, made 3 and 2 for a first on the 41, made 6, lost 6 when Huckaby broke through to hit the ball carrier behind the line, attempted a pass and then kicked with Thompson breaking through to block the kick and giving the Longhorns the ball on the Ralls 24. Strickland ran to the 9 on the first play, and then Ray Ferguson went through the line for the score. The try for point failed and the score was 6-6.

The Jackrabbits took the kick back to the 31 yard line, made 6 and then fumbled with the Longhorns recovering on the Ralls 39. The Longhorns received two 5-yard penalties in a row then made 8 yards. They fumbled on the next play with Ralls recovering on their own 43. Apparently stirred up, the Longhorns threw the Ralls ball carrier for a 5 yard loss on two successive plays. The Rabbits made 5 and kicked to the Lockney 47. The Longhorns lost 2, made 2 and attempted two passes in succession without a completion. Ralls took over on the Lockney 47. They passed for 7 yards and then passed again with the Ralls receiver taking the ball and a Longhorn no where near. He ran to the Lockney 4 yard line before being pulled down. The Rabbits made 3, made nothing and then pushed over

for the score. Try for point failed. The score 12-6, Ralls.

The Longhorns just had time to receive the kick off before time ran out and the game was over.

One hundred and four malaria carrying shrews were captured in Africa and sent to the United States for research purposes by a Navy medical science group.

The Navy has a new device which will automatically and continuously record a ship's course.

The Allies had Dutch snorkel during the war, but did not use them as the Nazis did late in the war. It was not needed but is now the "new look" for U. S. Submarines.

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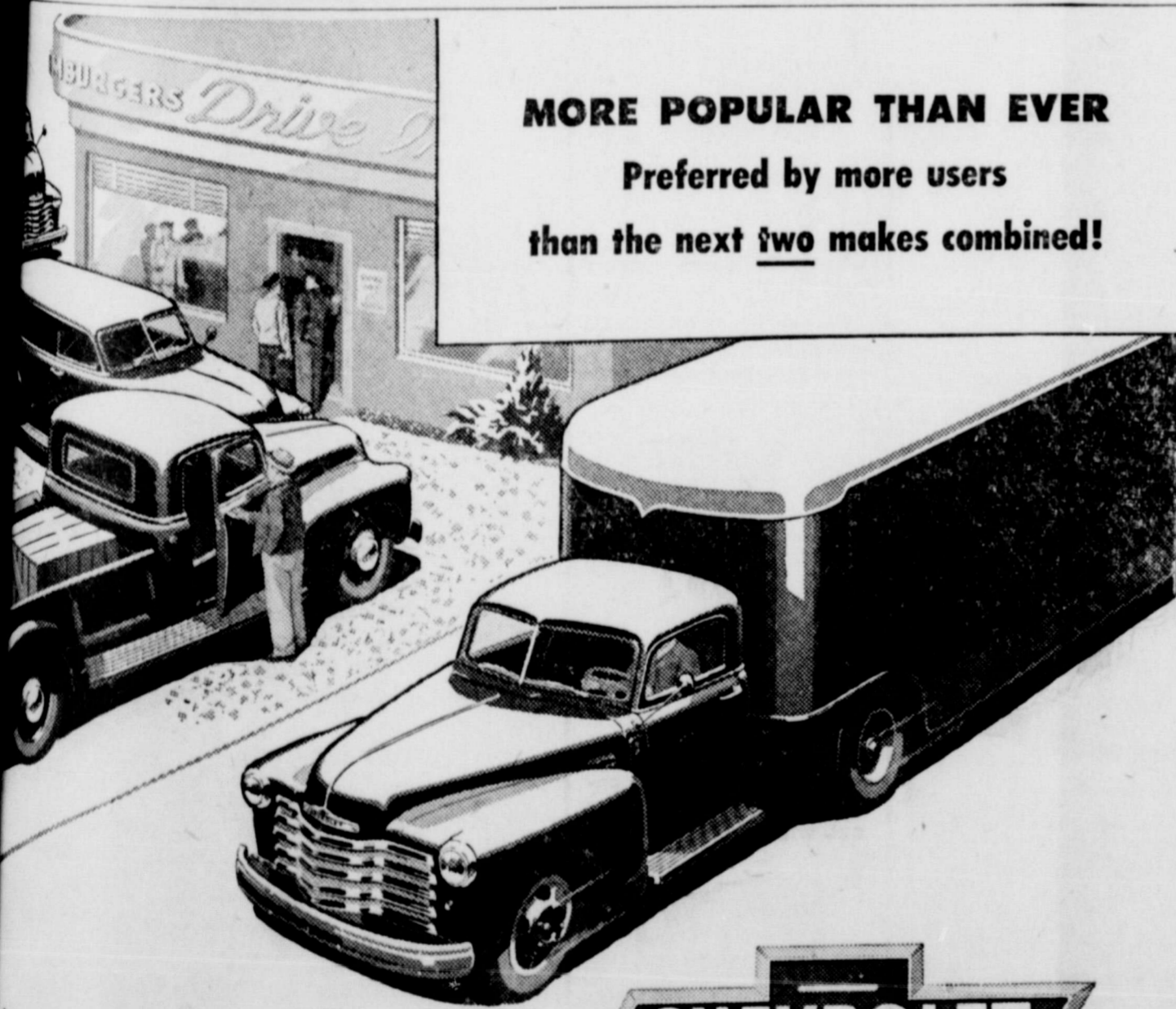
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Society News

Mrs. Walker Speaks At P-TA Meeting

Mrs. K. W. Walker of Plainfield, a member of the Texas Democratic Executive Committee, was guest speaker at the meeting Monday night of the newly organized High School Parent-Teacher Association. This was the first regular meeting of the new organization. A report was given by the chairman of each committee to the group.

Garden Club Meet Changed To Nov. 4

The meeting of the Lockney Garden Club has been changed to November 4, it was announced this week by members. The club will meet on that date at 3:30 with Mrs. C. J. Taylor. This will be guest day at the club and each member is to bring a guest. Mrs. Gorce Applewhite will be the speaker at the meeting.

Mrs. Geo. Barrows of Santa Fe, N. M. is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed Whitfill and other relatives.

Mrs. D. R. Foster Is Hostess to WMU

Mrs. D. R. Foster was hostess to members of the Baptist Missionary Union Monday afternoon at a regular business and social meeting. Mrs. L. A. Applewhite, W. M. U. President, presided over the meeting and reports from the two circles were heard. An average attendance for the month was twenty with a large percent of new members. It was voted to pack a box of homemade cookies on the first Monday in November to be sent to Buckner's Orphan's Home for Thanksgiving. Every lady of the church is invited to take part in bringing and packing these cookies.

Mrs. Sid Thomas was in charge of the games which carried out the Hallowe'en theme.

Refreshments of pumpkin pie with whipped cream and coffee were served. Plate favors were candy pumpkins.

Those present included Mmes. Harmon Handley, T. S. Fox, Hugh Carroll, Bert Vernon, Guy Sams, Wesley Hay, Bill Johnston, E. J. Cobb, Edgar Hays, Sid Thomas, L. A. Applewhite, and the hostesses.

Junior R. A.'s Meet Tuesday Afternoon

The Junior R. A. Chapter of the First Baptist Church, met in the home of Mrs. Clay Muncy, Tuesday Oct. 25 for study in their manuals. There were eight members and one visitor present. The boys had collected a large amount of used clothing. One box was packed to be sent to Raymond Spence in Japan to be distributed among needy people. Another box was packed for the Mexican orphanage in San Antonio. At the close of the meeting soda pop was served to the following: Derrel Waldroupe, Gene Handley, Jaudon Cobb, Don Vernon, Jerry Newton, Shannon Eiland, C. F. Barber, Sammy Lynn, Fred Shipman and the counselors, Mrs. Clay Muncy, Mrs. Harmon Handley and Mrs. Bert Vernon.

Adventures of a Hunter Reviewed By Mrs. Brunner

met Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 at the home of Mrs. Sid Thomas. Mrs. D. R. Foster, president, presided. Roll call was answered with information from each member about their high school days.

Mrs. G. M. Brunner gave an interesting review of the book, "Adventures of a Ballard Hunter" by Lomax. Mrs. Edgar Hays, accompanied by Mrs. Joseph Holt, sang the favorite Texas ballad, "Home on the Range" and spiritual, "Swing Low Sweet Chariot." At the close of the afternoon's program Mrs. Holt played a medley of western and spiritual songs.

Refreshments were served to the following guests, Mmes. Joseph Holt, T. S. Fox and members: Mmes. Clyde Applewhite, G. M. Brunner, E. J. Cobb, J. D. Copeland, D. R. Foster, Edgar Hays, Henry Hodel, L. M. Honea, T. B. Mitchell, Frank Perkins, Guy Sams, Henry Schacht, G. J. Stapleton, C. J. Taylor, I. A. Applewhite and the hostess, Mrs. Thomas.

WSCS Observes Week of Prayer

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the Methodist Church on Monday, October 24 in observance of the Week of Prayer. There were fourteen ladies present. Mrs. Paul Cooper, program chairman, was leader of the devotional and program.

The Week of Prayer beginning October 22 and running through October 31 is observed in all societies of the Methodist Church. The offering used for the betterment of our schools and hospitals in our homeland and foreign countries.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Whitaker of San Angelo have been here visiting their uncle, Mr. T. D. H. Whitaker, who is seriously ill.

Sunday School Classes Entertained

Mrs. E. J. Cobb's Sunday School class of the Lockney Baptist Church entertained the Sid Thomas class with a dinner and social in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thurmond Thomas on Thursday evening, October 20.

Chicken and dressing with all the trimmings were served to the following: Messrs. and Mmes. J. C. Thomas Jr., and son, Thurmond Thomas, Ross Cooper, Glen Cooper, Wallace Allen and family, Paul Teuton, Bates McClung and family, Sid Thomas, Jim Bert Bobbitt, F. E. Nix, Wayne McClain, Weldon Cumble and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Cobb and family.

Bach Music Club Meets Tuesday

The Bach Music Club met in the home of Mrs. D. R. Foster on October 25, for a program and Hallowe'en party. The Hallowe'en motif was used in the decorations.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Van McCada, Mrs. Edgar Hays, Mrs. C. A. Pigford.

Pupils appearing on the program were Kay Golden, Betty Jackson, Sue Wofford, Jean Wofford, Carol Ann Foster, Janice Hays, Debra Ferguson and Kelly Max Harrison.

A Hallowe'en story, "The Cream Colored Cow" was told by Mrs. G. C. Applewhite.

Prizes for having practiced the most and had the best music lessons were given to Jean Wofford and Shirley Mitchell.

Refreshments of pop corn balls and punch were served to the club members and their mothers.

La Ventana Club Meets Tuesday

A program on "Music" was presented to the members of the La Venta Study club, with Mrs. Ben McGhee as leader for the meeting, at the home of Mrs. J. T. Griffin Tuesday afternoon.

The subject was "Handicaps Into Stepping Stones" and the life of Alec Templeton was discussed by Mrs. McGhee. Mrs. Raymond Teeple talked on the "Power of Music." Mrs. Bill Johnston rendered two piano compositions.

Two new members were present at this meeting and Mrs. Bill Johnston, president, was elected as delegate to the Texas Federation convention to be held in Austin November 16, 17 and 18th.

The club is sponsoring a "42" party at the Lone Star club room Thursday night. Proceeds will go toward payment of expenses of the delegate.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Vestal Hastings as hostess November 8.

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Methodist Notes

I have been reading our little Missionary Magazine "Christian World Facts." It is very good. I wish that every Methodist could read it. As I read about the people in some of our mission fields begging the preacher to come and preach more often, it makes me want to go there to preach. So many times I have to almost beg some of our church members to come to church, and even then there are many who do not attend.

One missionary told how people stand in the rain to hear him, but here in good old Lockney of the U. S. A. not many people will come to church on a rainy day.

Another missionary tells about how far the people walk to come to church. Here many times we fail to come when we have comfortable cars to come in. I wonder what God thinks of some of the Methodists that offer puny excuses and let so many little things keep them away from worship.

I read in today's newspaper about some people out on a picnic on Sunday and two of their party were drowned. This family has my deepest sympathy, but I could not help wondering if these people had stayed at home and attended church, would their hearts be broken now over the loss of loved ones? I surely would hate to misspend my last Sunday on earth. That is one reason I think it is good for every one to attend services every Sunday.

Now do not think that I feel that our church is not doing a good work. We are doing many things in the building of the Kingdom of God. But we are only doing about one-fourth of what we should do, for only about one-fourth of our membership is carrying the load. My prayer for my people that I love is that each may do his best for God.

Newton S. Daniel, Pastor.

Hospital News

R. N. Martin was admitted Sunday and dismissed Tuesday after medical treatment.

Rosita Nevarez was admitted Monday and dismissed Wednesday after medical treatment.

Sofia Perez was admitted Saturday and dismissed Tuesday after medical treatment.

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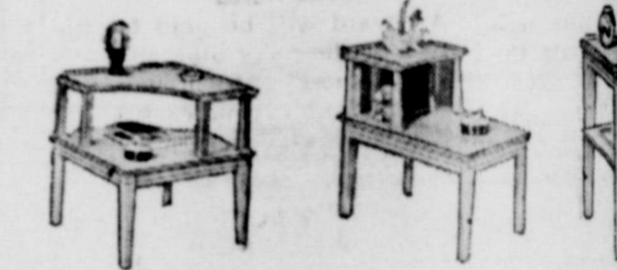
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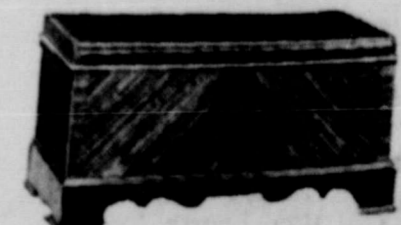
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The Editor hasn't had time to go hunting but he is having elk steak at his house anyway this week. Jake Griffith, local retired farmer and man-about-town returned first of the week from Gunnison, Colo., where he shot the elk. It was a 3-year-old cow.

Jake and his party of eight were hunting at an altitude above 10,000 feet. The temperature early in the morning was 10 degrees below zero.

Those from the local Baptist Church who attended a school of instruction in W. M. U. work held Tuesday at the First Baptist Church, Floydada were Mmes. I. A. Applewhite, T. B. Mitchell, Bert Vernon, Wesley Eiland, Harmon Handley, E. J. Cobb and Sid Thomas.

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Whitfill Rites Held Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Billy Ed Whitfill were held at the First Baptist Church in Plainview Saturday morning, October 22, at 10:30 a. m. Rev. E. J. Cobb, pastor of the Lockney Baptist Church, officiated assisted by Dr. A. Hope Owen, pastor of the Plainview Church. Interment was in the Plainview cemetery.

Pallbearers were Robert Lee Smith, Arthur Barker, Jr., Bob Miller, Lloyd Woods, Hugh English, Archie Keyes, E. R. Finney, Charles Walker, M. W. Alford, Dr. L. C. Smith, Dr. Gene McClelland, and Austin Meriwether.

Mrs. Whitfill died at noon Thursday, October 20 in the Lubbock Memorial Hospital after an illness of only five days. Her illness was diagnosed as bulbar poliomyelitis.

Mrs. Whitfill was born June 25, 1920 near Temple. The family moved to Plainview in 1925. She attended the Texas Technological College two years before her marriage to Billy Ed Whitfill of Lockney. The couple made their home here several years before he entered the service and since the war have been living on their farm, 6 miles northwest of Lockney. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Plainview.

Survivors include her husband, two children, Jimmy and Judy, her mother, Mrs. J. A. Swan of Plainview and one sister, Mrs. Virgil M. Cloyd of Omaha, Neb.

The first Naval Reserve Air Base at Squantum, Mass., consisted of one officer, two seaplanes, one rigger, two machinist's mates and a carpenter.

Providence News

By Mrs. Walter Sammann Providence Entertains Harmony The Providence H. D. Club entertained the Harmony H. D. Club on Wednesday, Oct. 19, in the home of Mrs. Ben Brandes. Guests were met at the door by Mrs. Robert Buhrkuhl, welcomed by her, Mrs. R. C. Matthews, followed by introductions. Entertainment was a playlet, "The Romance of Rosebud and Archibald," by Mrs. Harold McLaughlin, Mrs. Dave Mathis and Mrs. Walter Sammann. Book review, "Cheaper by the Dozen," by Mrs. H. L. Anderson. Reading, "Neighbor Gossip," by Mrs. Bill Buth. Closing with "The Song of Peace" by Mrs. H. L. Anderson. Fall flowers and Hallow'en motifs were used throughout the entertaining rooms.

Refreshments of orange sherbet and chocolate cake served from crystal were served to Mesdames E. M. Rutherford, Glen Pool, Don Finkman, M. D. Ramsey, Zant Scott, Sherwood Ramsey, C. A. Williams, Macher Carr, R. B. Gary, Roy Hale, G. L. Snodgrass, Everett Miller, all of Harmony; Mesdames B. H. Quebe, A. W. Clay, Ben Quebe, Wilfred Stoerner, Ted Boedeker, M. C. Scheele, Norman Smith, Randall Collis, Robert Buhrkuhl, L. B. Brandes, H. L. Anderson, J. W. Mathis, Walter Sammann, Harold McLaughlin, Dave Mathis, R. C. Matthews, Ben Brandes, E. M. Quebe, Bill Buth, Jake Jones and S. R. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann and girls visited with Mr. and Mrs. K. Sammann on Saturday. The Providence H. D. Club meets today in the home of Mrs. Dave Mathis. Election of officers will be the chief object.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scheele

and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Quebe on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann visited relatives in Slaton on Thursday of last week.

Those attending the Lutheran Commission on Evangelism Instructions held at Shepherd King Lutheran Church at Lubbock on Monday evening were Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Scheele, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scheele, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sammann, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Quebe, Mrs. Ben Brandes, Mrs. Albert Kelm, Mrs. Ted Boedeker, Mrs. Leo Boedeker, and Miss Clara Sammann.

Carolyn Jo Sammann spent Monday night with Janice Mathis.

Delores and Valera Sammann and Linda and David Scheele spent Monday night as guests of Marie and Mildred Scheele.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson and Ronnie spent the week-end visiting relatives and friends in Tascala.

Mrs. Harold McLaughlin spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Walter Sammann.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Jones of Lockney on Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Anderson and David spent the week-end visiting relatives in Lubbock. Rev. Anderson being guest speaker for mission festival on Sunday in the Lutheran Church.

Every dollar that is put into a good, dry cow ration is a wise investment. A cow that is well fed and cared for during the dry period will often produce as much as 25 percent more milk during the next lactation.

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District Standings Remain Same

There were no material changes in the 3-A district football standings the past week. Floydada still leads the district with Spur in number two place.

Lockney and Crosbyton are tied for third place and the remainder of the teams are strung out behind.

An unusual game result of last weeks battles was the Floydada-Matador tilt. The Whirlwinds had to win on first downs since the lowly Matadors tied them on the score and on penetrations. The score was 12-12 and penetrations 3-3. The Matadors have been holding last place in the district until Abernathy was declared ineligible.

Spur swept by Crosbyton 27-13 to push the Chiefs out of a tie for second place.

Abernathy, playing without Wolfe, their ineligible player, won over Paducah 25 to 13 and Tulia lost a non-district game to Lefors 20-12.

The Longhorns 12-6 loss to the Ralls Jackrabbits probably eliminated them from any chance at the district title.

Standings

	V	L
Floydada	4	0
Spur	4	1
Lockney	3	2
Crosbyton	3	2
Ralls	2	2
Tulia	2	3
Paducah	1	3
Matador	1	4
Abernathy	1	4

The district schedule this week calls for these games: Paducah at Tulia Matador at Crosbyton Abernathy at Ralls Floydada at Lockney Spur open.

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EDITORIAL

Now then we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God did beseech you by us: we pray you in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God. Second Corinthians 5:20.

More warm, sunny weather and more cotton labor is what West Texas and particularly Floyd County needs now. With labor scarce more and more farmers are hoping for a killing frost and will turn to mechanical means harvesting their cotton. With cotton pulling going at the price it is now, a mechanical harvester can save some money if the cotton can be harvested soon.

If newspaper have any ethics, it should be unethical to run a news story which does not state the facts in a controversial issue. Yet this breach of ethics was committed by a number of West Texas newspapers recently, not the least among them being the Lubbock Avalanche. The story had to do with the ineligibility

of the Abernathy football player and in addition, one so-called sports writer then took it upon himself to accuse the Lockney and Floydada schools of having the boy declared ineligible because the Abernathy team defeated them in football.

In considering this, let's all remember one thing: The boy was declared ineligible by the district committee, made up of superintendents of the various schools of this district. The superintendents of the schools at Spur, Ralls, Tulia, Crosbyton Matador, and Paducah do not love Lockney and Floydada enough to rule a player ineligible just to accommodate them. The boy must have been ineligible or they wouldn't have so ruled.

The boy's eligibility was questioned at the first of the season and the Abernathy school officials were instructed by the district committee to request an official opinion from Dr. Rhea Williams, of Austin, athletic director of the Interscholastic League. This was the same instruction given the various other superintendents who had boys whose eligibility were questioned. If the Abernathy schools ever contacted the Interscholastic League office on the boy they did not present the opinion of that office to the district committee at the second meeting of the year which was held for the express purpose of ruling on these questions of eligibility. An opinion secured later by the District Chairman stated that beyond any doubt the boy was ineligible to participate.

The facts are the boy's parents live in the Petersburg school district and have lived there all of last school term and were living there during the first part of this school year. The boy in question attended the Abernathy schools during last football season but moved to the Petersburg school in February and completed the school term there. Then he started back to the Abernathy schools this year to play football.

A boy must reside in and attend one school for a year before he is eligible to play football or participate in any Interscholastic League contests. All school officials are familiar with this ruling. Yet Abernathy school officials used the boy knowing his status. To most of us that looks like a deliberate attempt to

evade the rules and play an ineligible player. We do not believe that it was an "honest mistake" as some of the newspapers have stated.

The Lockney schools will rest their chances of victory on the shoulders of eligible players and they expect to compete with all other district teams on a similar basis.

We used to know an old fellow who had quite a reputation for his ability to keep his budget balanced. He had an old pocketbook that he used to wrap up with about three or four feet of leather thong. We asked him one day why he used all that string when a fourth of it would have done. "Well, sonny," he said, "that piece of string has saved me a lot of money. I've changed my mind a good many times about a deal before I got that string unwound."

"The country is faced today and will be for some time to come," an old timer said, "with a housing shortage. I can recall fifty and sixty years ago that we had no such problem. In those days families were larger and relatively houses cost as much then as they do now. The difference is that in those days the first thought of young people upon starting out was to own a home. They even began planning on it before they were married. They saved for it and worked for it. Today the young couple who concentrate their effort on building a home is an exception. The first thing they think about is owning an automobile. The payments on the car, and its upkeep, keep them stripped down to the point where few of them are even able to make the first payment on a home. The present generation has chosen to buy cars rather than homes. The result is a nation-wide housing shortage."

Before we'd pass judgment on the Missouri man who traded his wife for a mule we'd have to see his wife—and the mule.

Don't knock the town you live in. It might surprise you to learn that the town is not unmindful of your own short comings.

There are few things that give more genuine satisfaction than the realization that one has done the right, and the fair, and the just thing.

The trees destroyed by forest fires in this country each year would provide enough lumber to build 86,000 five room houses. Twenty percent of these fires are caused by man's carelessness with matches.

A local man is spending his spare time trying to figure out some plan whereby he will be able to use his power mower to remove the snow from his sidewalk a little later on.

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This man stated that on Mondays the mails were clogged with racing forms and gambling cards which go to all home owners. On Thursdays all bets must be posted, and again the mails are clogged with letters going to the bookies, with the bettor's choices.

Some folks have suggested that America legalize betting in order to pay our public debt. We are trying to drink ourselves back into prosperity, and these fellows would now legalize the other evil of gambling.

A fool and his money soon part, but we would certainly be ashamed of our government to see gambling legalized. The open saloon is a terrible, terrible curse on America. Adding another public sin might not affect the same folks as drink does, but it would certainly not improve the situation.

We are not speaking as reformers, either.—The Canyon News.

OUR RACIAL PROBLEM

Most Southerners, white and black, are aware of the truth of the declaration made by Sen. Estes Kefauver, of Tennessee, in addressing a student group of the University of Texas the other day.

He said the people of the South will work out their "racial problems" better than any outsiders can do it, provided they are given the time and the opportunity.

No one pretends the lot of the Southern Negro is all that it should be. But it is so incomparably better than it was a generation ago as to be almost incredible. It is doubtful whether history can produce an example of a class of several million people who have been enabled to advance further than Southern Negroes in the same space of time.

The progress has been almost entirely the product of the white and colored people working together with the deep understanding which is possible because of generations of close association. It is an understanding which no outsiders no matter how well meaning they may be, can

apply to the problem. It naturally cannot be supposed that Senator Kefauver's statement will discourage those who apparently are doing all they can to stir up racial dissatisfaction and strife in the South. But it does emphasize the fact, recognized by the thinking Southern negroes, that the chief hope of the colored people of the South is the white people with whom they have had a lifetime of association.—Lubbock Avalanche.

PARENT-TEACHER COOPERATION

Much has been said this year on school improvement and school standard and school programs. It is about time to say something about the mutual cooperation between parents and teachers upon which so much depends if there is to be understanding and harmony.

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In years past—a number of years—it was nothing uncommon for from 400 to 500 parents to be present for regular monthly meeting of the P-TA. The Parent-Teachers Association of Wellington hope to stimulate again this interest.

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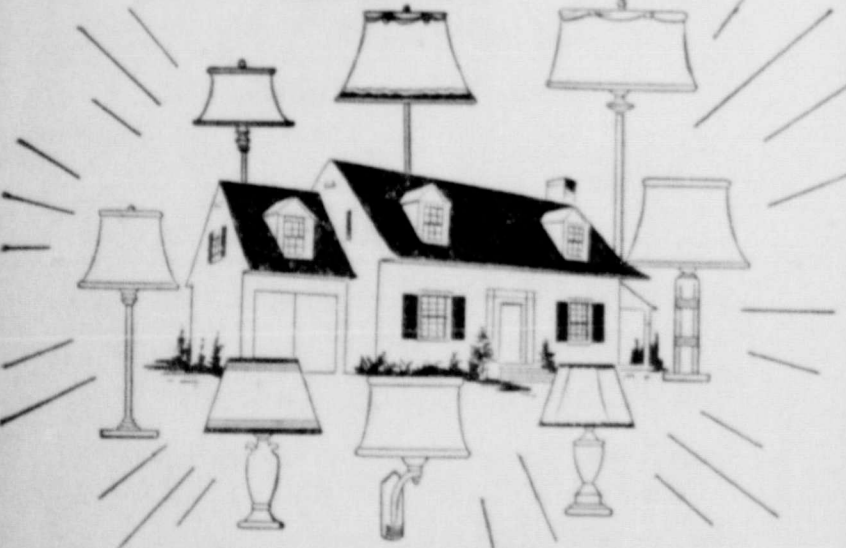
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Aiken News

By Mrs. M. B. Salmon

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Campbell went shopping in Lubbock last Monday.

Bill Wesley and M. B. Salmon made a business trip to Floydada Monday.

Bill Dorman and his daughter and husband of California visited Mrs. Mattie Dorman last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Horton of Plainview were guests Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Horton.

Mrs. Floyd Compton visited Mrs. Mattie Dorman Wednesday afternoon.

Bill Wesley and Cecil Richerson left Wednesday to attend the State Fair at Dallas. They returned home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Tye and son returned home last week after a two week's vacation near Shreveport, La.

Mrs. Bill Wesley, Nita and Corky spent Thursday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Horton spent Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Horton.

Mrs. Wiley Moore spent Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Keys Jr.

Mr. L. L. Scott and Sonny attended the football game at Amarillo Friday night.

Several families of Aiken attended the football game at Lockney Friday night.

Miss Carlyon Campbell spent Friday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Campbell at Plainview.

Miss Leota Compton and L. A. of Plainview spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Compton.

J. B. Stafford left Saturday for Phoenix, Ariz. to spend the winter months with his daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Campbell and Carolyn visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Salmon Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Lee visited relatives at Littlefield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford of Lockney, W. W. Buckner's brother and family of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Compton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Buckner Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wesley Sr. entertained those attending Sunday school and church Sunday at Aiken Baptist Church, with a barbecued chicken dinner. Those present were Rev. and Mrs. O. J. Welch, Jerrel and Cherrie, Mr. and Mrs. Connie O'Brien, Loy and Pat, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Scott, Sonny and Tim Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Cox, Margie and Butch, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Campbell and Carolyn, Mr. and Mrs. Lois Williams, Kenneth, Peggy Junior and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Seago, Charlotte and Floydell, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Salmon, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Tye and son, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Buckner, Peggy and Walter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wesley Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Oddie Dorman, Wanda and Everett, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Elam, Larry, Patsie and Linda and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wesley Sr., Nita and Corky. Everyone enjoyed the dinner and also the singing in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wesley Jr. visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson for awhile Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Compton spent Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Salmon.

Plans are being made at Texas Technological college to offer the degree of Bachelor of Music with a major in music education. The courses will emphasize training in voice, piano, or orchestral and band instruments.

Cows Need Rest During Dry Period

COLLEGE STATION—A dairy cow needs a six to eight weeks rest and a good ration during the dry period to produce well during the next lactation and to produce a strong healthy calf.

The dry cow has three important jobs to do, says A. M. Meekma, assistant extension dairy husbandman of Texas A. & M. College. She must recover from a heavy milk producing period, build a calf and store up reserves for the next milking period. How well she does these jobs depends upon how long a dry period she gets and how well she is fed during the dry period.

During the peak production, a good cow will deplete her body reserves of nutrients and minerals, says Meekma. And unless she is given sufficient rest and proper care to rebuild these body reserves, lower production during the next lactation period will result. The health and condition of the calf will also be affected.

The problem of feeding the dry cow is practically solved if she has access to good pasture. If good pasture isn't available, hay and silage should be fed liberally, says Meekma. The amount of grain to feed will depend upon the condition of the cow, but generally it is practical to feed the same grain mix to the dry cows as is fed to the milking herd.

Every dollar that is put into a good, dry cow ration is a wise

investment, states Meekma. A cow that is well fed and cared for during the dry period will very often produce as much as 25 percent more milk during the next lactation.

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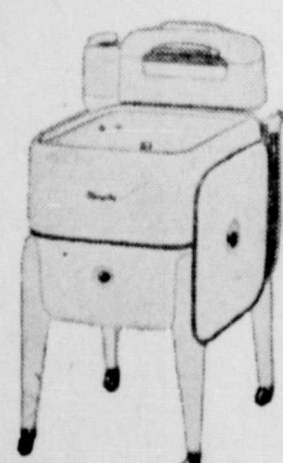
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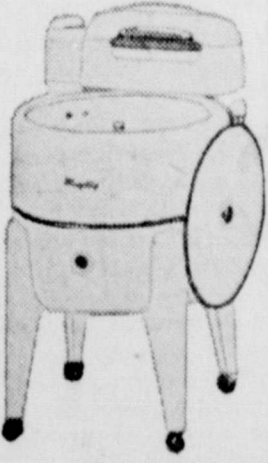
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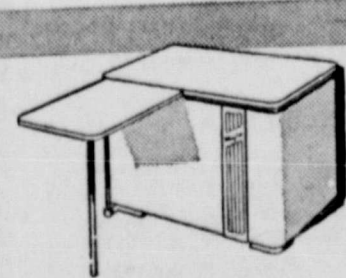
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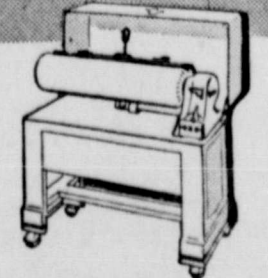
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Board of Education Candidates



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Special Election Nov. 8 Will Elect Officials, Decide On Amendments

Floyd County voters will go to the polls on Tuesday, November 8 to select two state officials and indicate their pleasure on ten constitutional amendments. The election is a special event called for the purpose of deciding on the amendments with the election of the officials added as a convenience.

Officials to be elected which Floyd County people will vote are a representative in the State Legislature from the 120th District and a member of the newly created State Board of Education from the 19th Congressional District of Texas.

Three men, all from Hale and Floyd Counties, are candidates for the representative office. They are Tom W. Deen of Floydada, and Joe Jennings and Harold M. LaFont, both of Plainview. Deen has held the office of representative from this district three previous terms, the 47th, 48th and 49th legislatures. Jennings has been a candidate for the office before while LaFont is a new comer to this race. He has held office of District Attorney of the 64th Judicial District, however.

All three men are making active campaigns. Deen is expected to carry the Floydada area while the Plainview vote is expected to be divided largely between Jennings and LaFont. Political prognosticators are having a hard time trying to figure who will be the high man in this race.

Two men are in the race for the position on the State Board of Education. They are J. M. Rankin of Ralls and E. H. Boulter of Lubbock. The Gilmer-Aiken law created the board of 21 members, one from each congressional district.

Mr. Rankin, according to information received by The Beacon, has been a resident of the Plains 37 years, holds B. A. and M. A. degrees from Texas Technological College and has had 25 years of experience as a school administrator.

He is active in civic affairs at Ralls, being a member of the Ro-

tary Club, American Legion, a Scouter for 20 years and has been editor of the Slaton Slatonite in past years.

"I believe that the Gilmer-Aiken plan as embodied in Senate Bills Nos. 115, 116 and 117 represents the greatest single forward movement in the educational history of any American state," Mr. Rankin stated. "My unreserved approval of the laws is substantiated by public utterances. I hope that these laws will cure many of the shocking inequities of educational opportunity and I hope and believe that the wise administration of these laws will raise the Texas public school system from the 'below average' rating assigned it by some educational authorities to a high rank befitting the material wealth and the riches of human values of our state."

Mr. Boulter has been representative of the State Department of Education at Lubbock for the past eight years. He was nominated for the office on the new board by a nominating committee from the West Texas Teachers Association. He holds B. A. and Master's degrees and has been connected with the public schools for 30 years. He is a veteran of World War I and a member of the American Legion.

"If elected I will support all phases of the Gilmer-Aiken bill," Mr. Boulter said. "I think it is one of the best forward movements of public education in Texas. If elected I pledge myself to a fair, impartial educational program for boys and girls of West Texas. I am not seeking this office for the furtherance of any individual aspiring to the office of Commissioner of Education for the State of Texas. I am seeking this office for the

opportunity to serve the public schools of this Congressional district."

Constitutional Amendments

The ten proposed constitutional amendments have caused considerable controversy. They are as follows:

S. J. R. 1. Abolishes the poll tax but allows the charging of a registration fee not to exceed 50 cents. Also requires voters to register as a member of the political party in order to vote in the primaries of that party. If you are in favor of abolishing the poll tax vote for this one. If not, vote against it. The amendment would require every voter to register every year and would not cure the ailment of having to pay to vote since the bill allows a registration fee. It does not exempt people over 60 or members of the National Guard, volunteer firemen or incapacitated persons from paying the fee.

S. J. R. 4. The amendment would allow women to serve on juries, a practice which is not legal in Texas now. It was placed on the ballot by the Business and Professional Women's Clubs of Texas and they are urging its adoption. Most men are opposing this amendment but The Beacon does not take a stand.

H. J. R. 5. An amendment providing for annual pay and annual sessions of the legislature. It raises the pay for the legislator from \$10 per day for the first 120 days and \$5 per day thereafter to \$3600 per year. The expressed purpose of the proponents of this bill is to cure the legislator from accepting retainer fees and acting as a lobbyist for large corporations and special interests. However, the bill does not forbid the legislator from acting as a representative of special interests while he is also acting as a legislator and for this reason many people are opposing it. Most people admit that we need to raise the pay of the legislators but they believe that he should at the same time be forbidden to represent anyone else. Many people do not believe that an annual session of the Legislature is needed.

S. J. R. 5 Authorizing the Legislature to provide for Rural Fire prevention districts. This would authorize the organization of rural fire prevention districts where the people of the district voted in favor of it. It would also authorize the people to levy a tax upon themselves for purchase of fire fighting equipment. Purpose is to provide fire protection for rural areas.

H. J. R. 15. Authorizing the Legislature to provide for establishment of health units and authorizing a tax in support thereof. This allows for city-county health units upon the vote of the people of the area, and authori-

zes a tax not to exceed 20c on the \$100 valuation.

H. J. R. 19. Authorizing the Legislature to provide for civil service in counties upon a vote of the people of the county. Affects only counties with more than 75,000 population so it is not much concern to country people.

H. J. R. 38. Pensions for County Employees. Authorizing the Legislature to provide for statewide system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the counties of the state. Must be approved by the voters of the county and does not apply to elective officers. Probably very few counties would ever adopt it.

H. J. R. 32. Lunacy hearings. This would allow the waiver of a jury trial in non-criminal cases but retains the right to a jury trial if persons involved desire it. The purpose is to permit lunacy trials in private if de-

sired. H. J. R. 36. Authorizing the capital district area may or a hospital of same order etc. H. J. R. 22. Judge of District its pro county site which the case as otherwise Purpose is to judge to act in his district. S will further s ceedings which ready.

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