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## County Red Cross Quota Is \$2,200

Edward Wester, chairman of the 1950 Red Cross Fund Drive, announced this week that Floyd County's quota has been set at \$2,200, the county's part of the National goal of \$67,000,000.

"All May Help" is the announced slogan for the campaign which will be known officially as "The 1950 Red Cross Fund." Although the full month of March is to be used for soliciting if needed, Mr. Wester says he plans to complete the soliciting in two weeks and he earnestly hopes that all of his helpers will work to that end.

Mr. Wester is secretary of the Polio Fund and director of Young People's work at the First Christian Church and a member of the Wester & Son Grocery. The fact that he is a very busy man is one reason he offers for wanting to get the job over as quickly as possible.

Workers in the city and the various communities are being contacted this week. Mr. Wester says he knows that everyone is very busy and that soliciting is an arduous task but he hopes that the citizens will give just two weeks of their time to this most worthy cause.

### 1950 Goal Higher

Reasons for the 1950 goal being higher were given as follows:

1. The major reason why the American Red Cross goal for 1950 campaign is higher than in 1949 is the fact that there is available ten million dollars less reserve funds to apply to the gross budget.

2. The National Blood program, recommended by national health groups is expanding gradually to meet the demands of other communities. Ten new blood centers, serving more than 100 communities, are to be opened during the next fiscal year.

3. The demands of the program of essential service to servicemen and their families continue at a uniformly high rate.

4. There has been no perceptible change in the limited buying power of the American dollar. It requires more dollars to provide the same degree of service.

### How Fund Used

In addition to items given above the Red Cross funds will be used: To discharge its basic obligation to coordinate and direct the resources of the nation in time of natural disaster.

To cover the maintenance of established and continuing Red Cross services for civilian welfare in this country and the development of such supplementary or related services as may be deemed appropriate.

To extend aid to other peoples when such assistance would be consistent with the national interest and consonant with the scope of activities and resources of the American Red Cross.

To deal with situations that have developed or that may develop as the result of war; and to meet any other requirements for Red Cross assistance covered by its charter responsibilities.

## J. N. Snodgrass Rites Are Held

Last rites for J. N. Snodgrass of Quitaque were held at the Quitaque Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, February 5. Mr. Snodgrass passed away Saturday, Feb. 4, death resulting from injuries received on January 28.

Mr. Snodgrass was the father of Mrs. Harley Workman of Lockney and was a former resident of the Lone Star community.

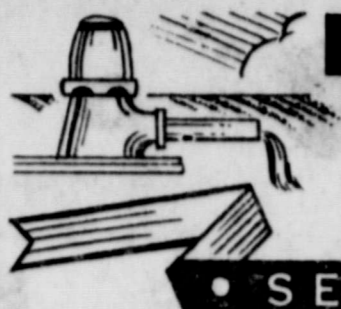
The deceased was 75 years of age and had lived in West Texas since 1928. He lived at Edgin after leaving Lone Star and moved to Quitaque in 1947.

Survivors include his wife and six children. Buster and Verne of Oklahoma City, Floyd of Dallas, Mrs. Betty Reid of Fort Worth, Mrs. Harley Workman of Lockney, Mrs. Ruby Jacobs of Bakerfield, Calif., a step-son, Jeff Carender of Gridley, Calif.

A number of people from this area attended the funeral services. Pallbearers were Otis Purcell, O. C. Payne, Paul Reid, Dick Taylor, Walter Kelley and B. Phillips of Lone Star. Among the honorary pallbearers were W. H. Workman of Lockney.

### ATTENDS CONVENTION

John Stalcup, manager of Baker Hardware Co. here spent Monday and Tuesday in Amarillo.



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## DEDICATION SERVICES FOR NEW PROVIDENCE CHURCH FEB. 26TH

A dedication service for the recently completed Providence Trinity Lutheran Church will be held Sunday afternoon, February 26, starting at 2:30, it was announced this week. Pews were installed in the beautiful new church last week and the building is now ready for occupancy.

The new building is a one-story frame construction with brick veneer. It was built immediately in front of the old church, faces east and is in the form of a T.

The main auditorium has a seating capacity of 120 people with one wing providing space for approximately 60 additional. The pulpit is in the west end of the building with the choir seated to the left.

Rev. H. L. Anderson is pastor of the church and the building committee is composed of the following men: L. B. Brandes, R. C. Matthews, Albert Scheele, Ernest Sammann, Walter Sammann, Albert Kelm, Ben Quebe, and Wilford Stoerner.

Next Sunday, February 19, a farewell service will be held in the old Trinity Lutheran Church. Climax of this service will be the observance of the Lord's Supper.

## Abernathy And Floydada Win in District Tourney

It appeared Thursday that Abernathy would be the number one team and Floydada the number two team in the regional basketball meet later on this month. The district tourney at the Chapman Field House in Lubbock this week found Abernathy winning two games and losing none while Floydada had won two and lost one.

Matador was eliminated with two straight losses and Spur was eliminated Wednesday night by an upset loss to Floydada. The Bulldogs had one win against two losses.

The Whirlwinds and the Abernathy Antelopes were scheduled to meet Friday evening at 7:30 at the Chapman Field house for the final game of the tournament if the Whirlwinds lose and if they win the two teams will meet again at a place to be announced.

The tournament started Monday night with Spur defeating Floydada 45 to 32 in the opener and Abernathy outclassing Matador 48-17 in the final game.

Tuesday night the tournament took a definite trend it appeared with the Antelopes edging the Spur Bulldogs 40-38 and Floydada eliminating Matador 54-19.

### Court To Austin Next Monday

The Floyd County Commissioners Court will go to Austin next Monday, February 20 where they, along with a number of other cities, will present the matter of the Borger-to-Post highway to the State Highway Commission.

It was reported here that contracts had been let the only gaps in the road between Ralls and Post and that the only gap which would be left in the road is between Silverton and Claude.

### Firemen Called To Clark Home Tuesday

A hen house was practically destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon at the home of C. R. Clark in east Lockney. Mr. Clark did not know how the fire started. Firemen made the run and extinguished the blaze but the building was badly damaged.

Although a number of hens were kept in the house, none of them were hurt.

## Locals Girls Win First Game in District Tourney

Lockney High School's Longhorns won their first game in the girls district basketball tournament at Spur Wednesday night. They defeated Rule girls 20 to 16.

The girls will play next this (Friday) evening at 8:00 o'clock when they meet the winner of the Girard-Odell game. These two teams are representing Kent and Wilbarger counties.

Winners in this tournament will enter the state girls basketball tournament at Austin later this month.

Starters for the local girls were Kay Norman, Betty Joan Handley, Velma Seale, Leila Huddleston, Clevea Crouch and Beverly Norman.

### High School Boxing Tournament Planned

Supt. Sidney Reeves said this week that the local school was planning a high school boxing tournament to be held at the local gymnasium on March 16, 17, and 18.

Although plans are not complete as yet, it was indicated that all high schools in this area would be invited to send representatives. There will be two divisions with the experienced boxers in one and the other for the novice class.

It will be an exclusive high school affair with the interscholastic league rules of eligibility being observed.

Probably jackets will be given the winners, Supt. Reeves said.

## Cub Scout Pack Being Formed For Lockney

A Cub Scout Pack in Lockney was the purpose of a meeting of local parents and their sons when they met with district Boy Scout officials in the high school Monday night. With preliminaries completed, several of the parents expressed hope that the boys may start meeting in the near future.

District Cub Scout Commissioner W. B. Henry of Floydada, and A. M. Standefer, Field Scout Executive for this district, presented three films and a brief discussion on Cub Scouting. The films were entitled "The Cub Scout in the Home," "The Cub Scout in the Den," and "The Cub Scout in the Pack."

H. H. Morris presided in the selection of a temporary committee which will aid in the organization of the group. Clyde Sloan was selected chairman of the committee, with L. V. Wofford and Mrs. George Hanst serving as other members. This group will aid in the selection of permanent leaders and in arranging for a sponsoring institution for the pack.

Monday night, February 20, was set as the date for the final meeting before the group is organized. All parents who are interested in having their sons become cubs are urged to be present for this second meeting.

Cubbing is the program of the Boy Scouts of America for boys 8, 9, and 10 years of age.

### Rev. Rogers To Speak To Masons

Rev. G. K. Rogers of Plainview will speak to members of Lockney Lodge No. 367, A. F. & A. M., on Tuesday night, February 21, it was announced this week by H. E. Frizzell, junior warden. The occasion will be the cele-

### Paul Cooper New Consumers Director

Paul Cooper is a new director of Consumers Fuel Association of Lockney, being elected in the annual meeting Wednesday to replace Bert Bobbitt.

A small crowd attended the meeting. A report from the auditor was heard and then Don May of the C. C. A. of Amarillo spoke to the group.

The auditor's report showed that the association had a total sales the past year of \$160,030.32, with a margin of \$19,138.50 on the sales.

Net savings after all expenses had been deducted were given as \$2,646.50. Floyd Barber Sr. is secretary of the organization.

## Longhorns Play Littlefield Cats In 1950 Schedule

The Lockney Longhorns will play the Shamrock Irishmen and the Littlefield Wildcats to start off their 1950 gridiron schedule, according to information released this week by school officials.

Both these games will be played on the home field and each game is expected to test the mettle of Coach Curtis Kelley's Longhorns.

With Matador dropping back to Class B football, there are now only eight teams in District 3-A. The Longhorns will play a practice game with Sudan to make up their ten game schedule.

Following is the complete schedule:

- Sept. 1—Shamrock here.
- Sept. 8—Littlefield here.
- Sept. 15—Sudan there.
- Sept. 22—Crosbyton there (first district game).
- Sept. 29—Abernathy here.
- Oct. 6—Tulia here.
- Oct. 13—Spur there.
- Oct. 20—Ralls there.
- Oct. 27—Floydada there.
- Nov. 3—Open.
- Nov. 10—Paducah here.

## March of Dimes Drive Here Totals Nearly \$500.00

Chairman Marvin Gilbert reported to The Beacon that the March of Dimes drive in Lockney had reached a total of \$499.35. In addition the Lone Star drive money totaling \$89.71 was turned in this week.

Other community drives in this area have been turned in at Floydada.

The local March of Dimes money came from the following sources, according to Mr. Gilbert:

- Grade school \$58.78.
- Business District \$167.79.
- B&PW Club \$63.00.
- Donations on street \$86.80.
- Plains Theatre \$34.09.
- Iron Lungs \$57.23.
- SMU-ND show \$9.00.
- High school \$22.46.

The county is still shy of the quota of \$4,000, it was reported this week.

### Jan. Registrants in Floyd County Given

The following men were registered in Floyd County in January:

- LeRoy Joe Keeter, Box 152, Lockney, Texas.
- Don Mark Shurbet, Route 4, Floydada, Texas.
- Morgan Reese Grubbs, Jr., 312 W. Crockett, St., Floydada, Texas.
- Leonard Walton Wilson, Route 3, Floydada, Texas.

It has come to the attention of the Local Board that quite a few 18 year old men have not registered within the time limit specified for registration. It is just as important and the penalty is just as great for this offense, as it has ever been, and

## Contract on New Courthouse Let Wednesday A. M.

Contract on remodeling and rebuilding of the Floyd County Courthouse was let Wednesday with the total contracts being \$297,333.00. Work is to begin within 10 days, according to the contract and workmen are to complete the building within 300 working days, approximately one year.

Dolph Construction Company of Dallas was awarded the main contract for the building proper at a price of \$243,000.

The plumbing, heating and cooling contract went to R. M. Wells Co., of Quanah at \$39,000.

The wiring contract was awarded to City Electric Company of Odessa at price of \$15,333.

The contract calls for remodeling of the present structure, additions on each the north and south ends of the building, rearranging of the interior and general modernization.

### Office To Move

Meanwhile, all county and district offices now housed in the court house were preparing to move to temporary quarters this week since the courthouse must be vacated before workmen can begin work.

Thursday morning the Commissioners Court decided that instead of having the PMA office, the county agents, the soil conservation office and others vacate the agriculture building in order to make room for county and district offices, that they would be "moved over and crowded up" but remain in the building. The Court expects to provide for three or four county offices in the ag. building this way and will provide for the remained in temporary quarters 25 feet by 100 feet on the east side of the agriculture building which will also be used for a courtroom. This building will be built of materials that are easy to salvage. The building will extend over into the street.

A concrete vault 20 feet by 35 feet will be built on the north end of the agriculture building and will house the county records.

The resident highway engineer offices and those of the county surveyor will probably be moved to a building on the north side of the square.

Although realizing that everyone will be inconvenienced in the shuffling of offices, the Court is attempting to work out the best solution possible under the circumstances.

### County Council To Meet Saturday

The Floyd County Home Demonstration Council will have its regular meeting at 2:30 Saturday afternoon, Feb. 18, in the county court room in Floydada, according to an announcement by Mrs. C. L. King, council chairman.

### "The Sundowners" Here Next Week

There will be a special afternoon showing of the film, "The Sundowners," at the Plains Theatre Wednesday, February 22, starting at 2:10 p. m.

"The Sundowners" was filmed in technicolor in Palo Duro Canyon, with prominent Hollywood stars. It should be of interest to people of this section. It will be shown at the evening performances, Feb. 22 and 23, at the Mesa Theatre.

### DIXIE FORD IS IMPROVING AT DALLAS

Dixie Ford, five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ford, who was injured in a car-train collision Tuesday of last week, was taken to Baylor Hospital in Dallas Sunday night for special treatment. A report Wednesday said that she was talk-

## CENSUS BUREAU SUPERVISOR INTERVIEWS APPLICANTS FOR CREW LEADED JOB IN FLOYD CO.

## Lockney Gets 5% Credit On Good Fire Record

Effective March 1, the City of Lockney will receive a 5% credit on fire insurance rates because of its good fire record the past year. The rate the past year has been normal, with neither a credit nor a penalty.

This will include rates on everything inside the city limits, according to Frank Perkins, local fire insurance representative.

Since the City purchased a new fire truck and the local volunteer fire department was reorganized with W. F. Carthel as chief, the fire loss within the city limits has been kept at a very low figure.

### Life of Mrs. Baker On KGNC-Sunday

The story of the life of Mrs. Alice Baker of Lockney will be heard over Radio Station KGNC, Amarillo, the next two Sundays. The Beacon was informed Wednesday by France Baker, her son, who lives in Amarillo. The program titled "Life of The Pioneers" is heard at 8:30 a. m. each Sunday.

Mrs. Baker and her husband established the Baker Mercantile Company here in 1894 and she has operated the business continuously since that time.

## Lockney Lions Hold First Meet

The Lockney Lions Club held their first regular meeting Monday night of this week. Organization and election of officers of the club was completed. The club will meet each Monday evening at 7:00 in the Baker Hotel lobby.

"Scotty" Scott of Wellington, organizer of the local club, was present for the Monday night meeting and assisted in completing the organization.

Officers of the club were announced as follows: Claude Hammond, president; H. B. Machen, first vice-president; Dwight Jackson, second vice-president; Dr. G. A. McClelland, third vice-president; Joe Wilson, secretary; Harold Jeffcoat, treasurer; J. D. Steele, lion tamer; Joe Handley, tall twister; Sid Reeves and V. L. Webster, 2 year directors; Leon Wofford and Wayne McClain, 1 year directors. Committee chairmen are L. L. Reece, program; Joe Rogers, membership; R. E. Daniels, Jr., finance; Jaudon Cobb, Constitution.

A complete roster of the charter members include: Clyde Applewhite, Jaudon Cobb, R. E. Daniel Jr., Claude Hammond, Joe Handley, Blaine Holt, R. B. Holt, Dwight Jackson, Harold Jeffcoat, Metz LaFollette, H. B. Machen, Dr. G. A. McClelland, H. H. Mills, Sidney Reeves, L. L. Reece, Paul Reece, J. D. Steele, V. L. Webster, Joe Wilson, Leon Wofford, Wayne McClain, C. C. McDowell, Joe Rogers, W. R. Darnell, Vernon Daniels, O. B. Wilbanks, Willis Reynolds.

### Demonstrating New Poison Sat. Night

Demonstration of a recently invented poison for insects, particularly cotton insects will be held at the Henry Schacht farm Saturday night at 7:30, it was announced this week. Inventor of the new poison is Chester Clay Long. In the demonstration Saturday night he will be trying to kill green bugs, it was said.

The poison is produced by the

L. D. Whitely, district supervisor of the Bureau of the Census spent Wednesday at the Chamber of Commerce office in Floydada interviewing applicants for the position of crew leader in the forthcoming census for Floyd County.

Mr. Whitely interviewed eight or ten applicants, a number of them from Lockney and northern Floyd County. According to Mr. Whitely, applicants must have college training and supervisory experience.

The crew leader for this county will be announced March 2, he said.

The crew leader for the county will be responsible for interviewing, hiring, training and directly supervising all enumerators in his county. The salary is given as \$11.92 per day plus per diem and car allowance.

The enumeration and field work on the census will begin April 1, Mr. Whitely said, and it is expected that it will be completed by May 1.

The crew leaders for the county will start work on March 7, it was said, at which time he will go to Lubbock for a two weeks training period in the district office. Upon completion of this training he will return to Floyd County and begin the work of recruiting enumerators. The county has been allotted 13 enumerators.

Those who wish to apply for a position as enumerator should write a letter of application to the Bureau of Census, 307 Federal Building, Lubbock, and an application form will be mailed to them. The enumerator will receive a four-day training period beginning March 28, which will be conducted in Floydada.

The Bureau expects to have preliminary figures on the census available for publication by May 15, although the figures at that time will not be official.

### Negro Baptist Church Under Construction

A Negro Missionary Baptist Church building is under construction in south Lockney. The building will be the first one in Lockney housing a colored congregation.

The new building is located just across the street east of the Lockney labor camp, and a block east and block south of Patterson Gin office. It is 20x24 frame building and will have imitation brick siding. It faces west.

Rev. B. H. Campbell of Plainview is in charge of the construction. The plans call for completing the building the latter part of this month.

The new church will be called Evans Chapel. Pastor will be Rev. Evans of Plainview. Number of members of the church was unavailable.

### Rain Saturday; Snow Monday

Although the total moisture was hardly enough to measure, this area did enjoy some rain last Saturday morning and snow Monday morning.

Total of the rainfall was reported at about 1 of an inch and the snow only left a trace of moisture.

### Thursday Markets

Poultry	
Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. & over.....	17c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs.....	14c
Cocks, pound.....	8c
Eggs, No. 1, dozen.....	26c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, lb.....	55c
Butterfat, No. 2, lb.....	53c
Hides	
Hides, No. 1, pound.....	14c
Grain	

**Region 1 Class B. Tourney At Lubbock Feb. 24-25**

Lubbock—Leading basketball players of Class B high schools of the South Plains and Panhandle will invade Texas Tech gym Feb. 24 and 25 for another Region 1 tournament to determine who will represent the area in state finals.

Morley Jennings, regional director, has notified chairmen that district winners must be listed with him by Saturday night, Feb. 18 in order that plans may be completed. Two games will be played the morning of Friday, Feb. 24, four that afternoon and three that night, with

semi-finals Saturday afternoon and the finals at night.

Last year Shallowater was regional winner after ten other teams had been eliminated in the regional tournament. This year the regional has been enlarged to 13 teams and is expected to surpass in interest and play those of previous years. Texas Interscholastic league records show the Region 1 tournament held at Texas Tech has been the most successful for past years.

As in the past, the 1950 tourney at Tech will be open to the public and large delegations from various communities will attend, in addition to Lubbock fans. Prices of 60 cents for adults and 30 cents for school children have been set for each session.

**Providence News**

**By Mrs. Walter Sammann**

**Mrs. Mathis honored with Birthday Party**

Mrs. Dave Mathis was honored with a surprise birthday party at her home on Friday evening. Games of "42" and "Canasta" were enjoyed. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and cakes were served to Mr. and Mrs. Ted Boedecker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Samman and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Scheele and Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ruth and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buhkühl and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson and Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Reeves and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foster of Sterley, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mathis and Linda and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mathis of Kress, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mathis and family, Mabeth and Pat McLaughlin. The honoree received many lovely gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ruth visited in Tahoka and Brownfield on Thursday.

Mrs. Ernest Sammann and Lynn Rigler visited with Mrs. H. L. Anderson and David on Monday.

Pat McLaughlin visited with Valera Sammann on Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann visited in Lubbock on Tuesday.

**Trinity Lutheran Church**  
Pastor Rev. H. L. Anderson.  
Feb. 19—Sunday School 10 a. m.

Worship—11 a. m.  
This will include a farewell service in the old Trinity church. This service will be climaxed with the celebration of the Lord's Supper.

Feb. 26—Day of Dedication, God willing; afternoon service at 2:30.

Choir rehearsal every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Choir director, Albert Scheele.

The Candle Light Circle is sponsoring a "42" party in the Providence school on Friday evening, Feb. 17 at 7:30 p. m. Admission is \$1.00 a couple. Refreshments will be served.

Miss Jody Marsh and Mrs. Faye Messer took Mrs. Messer's father, Mr. J. W. Traylor, and her sister, Mrs. Luther Campbell to Mrs. Campbell's home in Clinton, Oklahoma last Saturday. Mrs. Campbell has been visiting Mrs. Messer and Mr. Traylor, who has been ill.

H. E. Blendon and son Dick from Andrews, Texas, spent the weekend visiting the Hershel Carthels. Dick attended the high school football banquet Friday night.

**My Neighbors**



**"Parlor Pinks" explains the benefits of Collectivism sounds like a jackass explainin' the benefits of being a plow-horse! How does he know?"**

**Burglars Rob High School at Peterburg**

Burglars enter the high school at Peterburg on Tuesday night of last week and ransacked the offices of the superintendent and principal, making off with about \$300 in cash.

Entrance was made by prying open the south door to the high school building using either a large screw driver or wrecking bar, or some similar tool according to marks left on the door. Entrance to Mr. Lydes office was made by using a skeleton key or springing it open. All filing cabinets in his office were rifled after jimmying the locks and cash removed.

Entrance to Supt. Moreland's office was made by enlarging a slit in the door that had been in years past used as a drop letter opening. This was whittled out until the burglar could get his arm through it and reach in and unlock the door. Everything in this office was rifled and filing cabinets broken open and money removed. Every envelope in both offices were opened that looked as if they might contain money or other valuables. The book store room next to this office was also entered by clipping the chains that held the transom windows and crawling through. Nothing of value to a burglar was in this room, but material and books were scattered around.

A check Wednesday morning was made and estimate of loss in cash was as follows:

Grade school tuition \$10, high school Activity Fund \$75, school Lunch Fund \$80, miscellaneous funds in principal's office \$75, money received for Medical Service \$60, and an undetermined small sum of change. The total was estimated at about \$300.

A basketball game was in progress Tuesday night and after the game, money received from the game was placed in the usual place in the office. All doors were checked to see if they were locked by Mr. Lumsden before he left and everything was OK.

Finger print experts and officers were called in on the case early Wednesday morning, but they were unable to secure any finger prints, believing the burglars perhaps wore gloves. However officers are working on some clues but no arrests had been made.

Georgia is the largest state east of the Mississippi.

**Texas Farm Cash Income Is Up**

AUSTIN—Texas farm cash income for the year 1949 totaled \$1,852,496,000, rising 12 percent above the year 1948 with \$1,658,952,000, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Cotton was the greatest source of income throughout 1949, bringing Texas farmers \$798,309,000. Income from cattle totaled \$227,204,000; wheat, \$190,843,000; milk products, \$119,547,000; and cottonseed, \$116,773,000.

In comparison with the 12-month period of 1948, farm cash income for 1949 showed increases in Southern High Plains, 41 per cent; Red Bed Plains, 36 per cent; Northern High Plains, 30 per cent; Lower Rio Grande Valley, 10 per cent; Southern Texas Prairies, 9 percent; Coastal Prairies and Black and Grand Prairies, 5 per cent.

The following areas turned in total declines in 1949 as compared with 1948: South Texas Plains, 23 per cent; Edwards Plateau, 19 per cent; Western Cross Timbers, 14 per cent; Trans-Pecos area, 11 per cent; and East Texas Timbered Plains, 1 per cent.

Texas farm cash income for December 1949 totaled \$166,979,000, dropping 52 per cent below November, but rising 77 per cent above December 1948.

After adjustment for seasonal variation, the Bureau's index of farm cash income stood at 598 per cent of the prewar 1935-39 base period in December as compared with 707 in November and 337 in December 1948.

With the exception of a 42-per cent increase in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, all areas showed declines in farm cash income from November to December. The Trans-Pecos area fell 79 per cent in farm cash income; Black and Grand Prairies, 77 per cent; East Texas Timbered Plains, 60 per cent; Red Bed Plains, 59 per cent; Coastal Prairies, 55 percent; Edwards Plateau, 53 per cent; Southern Texas Prairies, 45 per cent; Western Cross Timbers, 44 per cent; Southern High Plains, 40 per cent; Northern High Plains, 3.2 per cent; and South Texas Plains, 17 per cent.

**OA&P Trains To Stop February 18**

QUANAH—Quinn Baker, vice president and general manager, and W. L. Richardson, vice president of traffic of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific Railway, announced Wednesday that operations of the company's No. 1 and No. 2 passenger trains between Quanah and Floydada would be discontinued on completion of their runs on Feb. 18.

The Railroad Commission recently authorized the company to discontinue the trains which

railway officials said, were operated at a loss of \$29,500 in the fiscal year ending July 31, 1949.

The officials' statement said that the Postoffice department is arranging other mail service, effective after Feb. 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patterson were in Denton last weekend visiting Mrs. Patterson's brother, Mr. Cecil Knox. Mr. Knox has been critically ill since he was in a car wreck two weeks ago. Mr. Patterson returned to Lockney Monday.

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- One 1938 model F-20 Farmall, with lister and cultivator, good shape
- 3 Regular Farmalls, "name 'em and buy 'em"
- One 1937 Chevrolet sedan, bargain

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**Aiken News**

By Mrs. M. B. Salmon

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Buckner, Peggy and Walter and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Compton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glynn Monday night.

Mr. M. B. Salmon attended Lubbock Auction sale Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Campbell and Carolyn and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duval made a trip to Portales Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Connie O'Brien, Loy and Pat and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Scott and Sonny visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Moore and Aunt Bessie Woods Wednesday night.

**Texas Congressman Plays New Role in Nation's Capital**



WASHINGTON, D. C.—Texas Congressman Frank Wilson (standing, extreme left) is a star performer in the Democratic Barbershop Quartet, with whom he is shown here, rehearsing for the unique Old Gold Original Amateur Hour show (V.I.P. edition), which will feature bigwigs of the nation's capital in novel roles as entertainers.

Designed to spark the American Heart Association's drive for funds, the gigantic Constitution Hall show will also present Texan Sam Rayburn, Speaker of the House of Representatives, in a prominent role.

Texas will be further represented in the show by Congressmen Ken Regan and Lloyd Bentsen and their wives, who will take a prominent part in a gala square dance number.

Congressman Wilson, who sings bass in the Democratic Barbershop Quartet, is shown here with other members of the contingent, from left, Congressmen Oren Harris of Arkansas, Toby Morris of Oklahoma, and Percy Priest of Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Buckner, Peggy and Walter made a business trip to Lubbock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duval made a trip to Roaring Springs Thursday.

Mrs. Ivan Thompson and Mrs. M. B. Salmon went shopping in Lubbock Wednesday.

Miss Wanda Dorman was ill last week with chicken pox.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glynn made a trip to Amarillo Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wesley, Nita and Corky of Peyton, Colorado, are visiting friends and relatives at Aiken and Lockney for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Salmon visited friends at Canyon and Umbarger Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Elam and family visited relatives at Happy over the weekend.

Mrs. Gisham, Jim's mother of Hereford, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Grisham for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hutchinson and Melba were guests Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Godfrey.

Mrs. Jim Grisham was honored with a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. Johnnie Lee Friday afternoon. There were thirty-seven guests who registered and sent gifts. She received a number of nice and useful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lucas and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Horton and family of Plainview visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Horton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie O'Brien, Loy and Pat visited relatives at Moreland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glynn were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Snyder and Lynn visited relatives at Plainview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Duval

**Floyd Farmer Dies In Field**

FLOYDADA—M a l d o n D Thornton, 63 years old, died late Monday afternoon of last week while plowing. Mr. Thornton, farmer and trader, was plowing on the Tom Boyd farm, 6 miles southeast of Dougherty in the southeast part of the county, when he was stricken with a heart attack.

He was dead when a neighbor reached him.

Mr. Thornton had lived in Floyd County since 1924. He farmed in the Lakeview community about 8 miles southeast of Floydada. He and Miss Cleo Wilson of Fort Worth were married in 1921.

Survivors are his wife, a son, Harold Thornton, Fort Worth, and three daughters.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at Fort Worth. Burial was in Rendon, Texas.

**Locals Wins Two Games From Kress**

The local basketball teams won two games from Kress Tuesday night and almost made it three.

The Longhorn B team won over the Kress B string by a score of 47-18 in the first game of the evening. The Lockney girls also won their game easily, score 32 to 13.

The Longhorn A team ran into more trouble, however, and after leading most of the way lost by a one point margin. The score was 35 to 34.

No games will be played here this Friday night because the High School banquet will be held.

**Abernathy Games**

Last Friday night the local teams won one game while dropping two to the Abernathy teams.

In the first game of the night, the B string lost to the Abernathy B team 50 to 22. Doman was high point man for the locals with five points while Watts was high for Abernathy with nine points.

In the girls game the Longhornettes downed the Abernathy girls 31 to 22. The local girls jumped into a quick lead of 11 to 2 in the first few minutes of the game and although the Abernathy coach changed his defense in a desperate effort to halt the girls, they breezed on to a comfortable win. Betty Joan Handley was high point player for the local girls with 17 points while Kay Norman made 10.

Vinyard was high point for Abernathy with 10 points.

Although the Abernathy A team expected to breeze through the Longhorns without any trouble, they found more opposition than they expected although winning the game comfortably. The final score was 63 to 41 but the locals handled the ball well and made many very excellent shots, some of them from far out on the floor. Abernathy's sensational height advantage was the difference in the teams. For the locals Sid Thomas made 14 points, Meriwether 12 points and Frizzell eight points.

Blackmon, 6-6 center for the Antelopes made 32 of his team's score.



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"I like to announce my own divorces."—Faye Emerson Roosevelt, asked about the rumor that Husband Elliott will marry cafe singer.

"The long pull has been up out of slavery into freedom."—NAM Chairman Wallace F. Bennett.

"I did not mean to make a joke."—Illinois dentist apologizing to income tax bureau for mailing in X-ray of teeth instead of tax check.

"Since 1941 taxes have gone up 800 per cent."—Radio Commentator Henry J. Taylor.

"I know everybody has to work today."—Duke of Windsor, revealing that Duchess Wally has received several offers of jobs in the fashion trade.

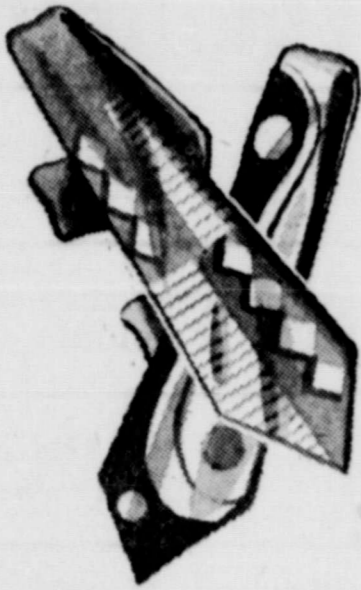
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Rev. Milford Grisham of Plainview visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Grisham Sunday.

Mr. Ivan Thompson made a trip to Wichita Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hutchinson are the proud parents of a baby girl. She made her appearance at Lockney Co-op hospital about three a. m. Monday morning. Mrs. Hutchinson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Godfrey.

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# Society News

## Open House For Rev. and Mrs. Daniel

The Woman's Society of the Methodist Church and the Wesleyan Service Guild are holding open house at the Methodist parsonage Sunday afternoon from 2:30 to 5:00, honoring Rev. and Mrs. Newton Daniel on their 25th wedding anniversary. All of their friends are invited to attend.

## Mrs. David Williams Is Honored

Mrs. G. B. Thompson was hostess in her home to a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. David Williams last Saturday. Guests were received by Mrs. Dee Williams. Mrs. Calvin Williams presided at the tea table, serving punch and cookies, which had flower decorations.

About thirty guests registered and sent gifts.

## Mr. and Mrs. Andrews Honored With Shower

A miscellaneous show was given at the Aiken Methodist Church Tuesday evening, Feb. 14, for Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Andrews. The entertainment room was decorated in the Valentine motif. Pink and white hyacinths and red carnations were the decorating flowers.

A miniature wedding was staged which was very entertaining. The members of the wedding party were: Pianist, Kay Golden; soloist, Carolyn Belt; candle lighters, Loy O'Brien and Cherie Welch; preacher, Harold Thomas; groom, James Riley Rogers; bride, Glenda Jean Marshall; father to the bride, James Wofford; best man, Pat O'Brien; bridesmaid, Karen Tilson; flower girl and boy, Lynda Lucas and Marvin Ferrell Marshall.

Hot apple cider, sweetheart cookies, and valentine mints were served from a table with a big red heart on which was a heart-shaped centerpiece of red carnations.

Hostesses for the evening were: Mmes. Marvin Glenn Marshall, Clyde Lucas, R. C. Rogers, Oscar Golden, J. R. Belt, Raymond Barr, Herman Stowe, David Stowe, A. P. Langfeldt, C. J. Roach, J. C. Thomas, Sr., Leo Duval, R. L. Powell, D. M. Marshall, J. S. Marshall, Oran Smith.

One hundred and forty guests registered and sent gifts.

## NULLO CLUB ENTERTAINED

The Nullo Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hays Monday night. There were five tables of 42. The decorations and refreshments were in the valentine motif. Mrs. Frank Brown was co-hostess with Mrs. Hays.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

## Football Banquet Friday Night

Approximately ninety-one people attended the annual football banquet at Lockney High School last Friday night.

Delbert Shearer was toastmaster for the occasion. He introduced the guests, Preston Johnston, football official of S. M. U., and Tom Dean, freshman line coach at S. M. U., who showed technical color pictures of the S. M. U. Notre Dame game. Also on the program were Sid Thomas, who sang a song accompanied by June Wiley, and an accordion solo by Nita Kellison. Coach Curtis Kelly introduced the football team. The season resume was given by Stanley Conner. Jerry Paul Cooper gave the invocation and Bob Huckaby the benediction.

The mothers of the football players had charge of the decorations for the banquet hall. Individual place cards for the players were figures of football men with each player's picture on his card. Their pictures were also on their escort's place cards. Lace doilies formed the place mats. The center piece was maroon and white snap dragons, representing the school colors. Football trophies that teams of the high school have won were used as decorations on the tables. Individual programs were in the form of scorebooks, with all the scores of the games of the past football season listed. There was a page in the program book honoring Miss Joan Handley, football sweetheart. The ladies from the grade school cafeteria prepared the meal.

## Sammann-Gable Nuptials Read

Miss Mary Sammamm and Mr. Gene Gable, both of Hale Center, were united in marriage in Clovis, N. M., February 14. Mrs. Gable is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sammamm. Mr. Gable is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gable. The couple will be at home on a farm in the Half Way community west of Plainview.

## YES OFFICERS TO MEET MONDAY NIGHT

Officers of the local Order of the Eastern Star will meet next Monday night at 7:30 at the hall to practice for a memorial, Mrs. A. B. Kenady reported this week.

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## MRS. LEE DILLARD HONORED ON 50th BIRTHDAY

A party was given Friday night in the home of Mrs. C. L. Callaway honoring Mrs. Mary Lee Dillard of Floydada on her 50th birthday.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Rene Yeary, Mrs. Joe Phillips, Mr. Andrew Jetton, Mr. Bloodworth of Matador, Mrs. Mayme Jetton, Mr. and Mrs. Warnee Leach, and Mrs. J. W. Berchfield, co-hostess.

## Shower for Mrs. Lowell Bilbrey

Mrs. Lowell Bilbrey was honored with a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Hodel February 10.

Guests were received by Mrs. B. J. Wofford. Mrs. Robert McDonald assisted the guests in registering. Mrs. Elsie Kunkle and Mrs. Charlie Boedeker served spiced tea, nuts, and cake squares decorated with pink and blue booties. The tea table was decorated with a centerpiece of pink and blue carnations.

Mmes. Jimmy Hodel, B. J. Wofford, Elsie Kunkle, Charlie Boedeker, and Robert McDonald were hostesses for the occasion. Seventy-six guests registered and sent gifts.

## BACH MUSIC CLUB

The Bach Music Club met at the home of Mrs. Woodson Terrell Monday night. The following were on the program:

Solo, "Slippin' Around" and "I Love You," Carolyn Belt.

Piano, "The Whistler," Gayle Rucker.

Piano, "Dance the Merry," Kelly Harrison.

Piano, "The Streamline Express," Charles Williams.

Piano, "Dance of the Daffodils," Janice Hays.

Piano duet, "Chop Sticks," Carol Ann Foster and Debra Ferguson.

Piano, "The Little Singer," Jean Wofford.

Solo, "Maybe," Clydene Terrell.

Piano, "Largo," Kayleen Tilson.

The following officers were elected to serve the second semester: President, Clydene Terrell; vice-president, Katie Ray Rucker; reporter, Jean Wofford.

Members were served Valentine cakes and punch by Gayle Rucker and Kayleen Tilson. Mmes. Woodson Terrell, Raymond Rucker and Berwin Tilson prepared the refreshments.

## GARDEN CLUB

The Lockney Garden Club will meet Friday (today) at the home of Mrs. Henry Ford at 4:00. Mrs. Carl McAdams will be the leader. Planning and Care of Lawns will be the subject studied at the meeting.

It is colder at the South Pole than at the North Pole.

## Mrs. Favers Is Honored at Tea

Mrs. Jack Favers was honored at a tea with a miscellaneous shower on Thursday, Feb. 2 at the home of Mrs. Walter Boedeker from 3 until 5 p. m. The lace-centered table was centered with a red heart surrounded with red and white carnations, Miss Favers' chosen colors. Punch was served from a crystal bowl and miniature cakes with a red heart in center were served by Mrs. Ernest Sammamm and Mrs. Walter Boedeker. The gift room were Mrs. J. D. Boedeker, Mrs. Walter Sammamm and Miss Nadine Boedeker. Guests were met at the door by Mrs. Jack Favers, the honoree, her mother, Mrs. M. C. Scheele and Mr. Faver's mother, Mrs. O. E. Favers.

Guest list included Mmes. Ben Quebe, E. M. Quebe, Chas. Boedeker, R. J. McLaughlin, Harold McLaughlin, Wyatt McLaughlin, Sam Neumann, Helen Neumann, R. L. Brown, Cecil Brown, Ralph Brown, Ben Brandes, Bill Buth, Norman Smith, Clarence Brandes, Jake Jones, Martin Schuette, Albert Scheele, M. C. Scheele, Luther Rhine, W. E. Johnson, Albert Kelm, Ted Boedeker, Geo. Rupp, S. R. McCallip, Dave Mathis, J. B. Mathis, S. R. Jones, Walter Sammamm, O. E. Favers, L. B. Brandes, O. R. Wylie, W. O. Wylie, H. Sammamm, B. F. Sammamm Jr., W. Powell, H. L. Anderson, Wilfred Stoerner, Hubert Stoerner, R. G. Stoerner, H. F. Quebe, R. C. Matthews, Tom Word, Virgel Brasher, Roy Clements and Albert Linderman.

## Teenagers Organize Dance Club

The Teenager's Square Dance Club was organized Saturday night. It will be sponsored by Mmes. Hershel Carthel, C. D. Russell and Fred Dorman.

The barracks building on the Fred Dorman farm was chosen as the club house for the Teenagers.

Members are: John Dorman, Dolores Russell, Bobby Baxter, Barbara Carthel, Norton Baker, June Wiley, Teddy Carthel, Denny Henderson, Jimmy Dee Smith, Bobby Ray Griffith, Pat Pylant, Bobby Dorman, Mary Jo Bonner, Pat Frizzell, Suzie Farrish, Bobby McCormick, Sandra Myers and Luther Brends of Plainview, the caller.

The members elected the following officers: President, June Wiley; vice-president, Pat Frizzell; sec. -treas., Mary Jo Bonner.

The club voted to meet twice a month. The dues are 50c per month, which will buy the records.

L. L. Reece attended the Golden Gloves in Fort Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rankin have returned to Lockney after visiting in Mineral Wells, Mexia, and Temple for some time.

## CATES-SIMMONS WEDDING

Miss Hazel Louise Cates of Sand Hill became the bride of Jimmy Simmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Simmons of Floydada, Wednesday morning at 11:00. Rev. E. J. Cobb performed the double-ring ceremony in the parlor of the Baptist Church.

The families of the bride and groom were guests. The bride was given away by her father. The couple will be at home in Floydada.

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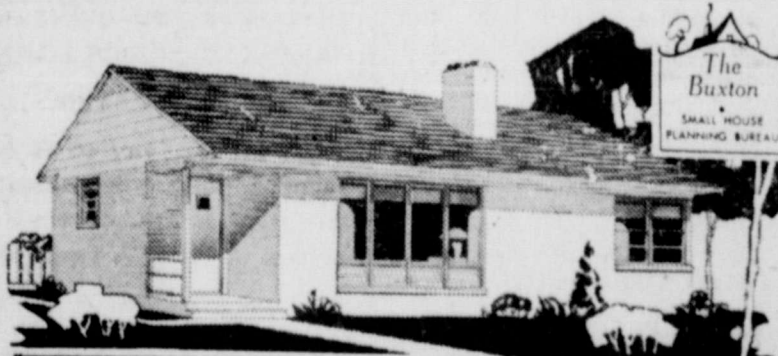
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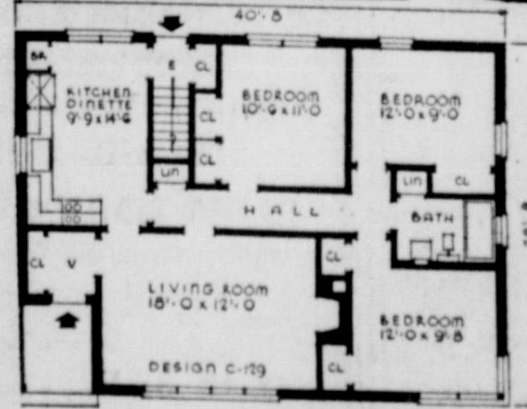
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For Sheriff: EARL COOPER LELAND HART J. R. (BUD) STILL

For County Clerk: MARGARET COLLIER

For District Clerk: MARY L. McPHERSON

For County Attorney: ENOS T. JONES

For Tax Assessor-Collector: T. T. HAMILTON

For County Treasurer: MRS. SAM A. SPENCE

For Commissioner, Precinct 2: HUGH COUNTS

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Mrs. G. M. Brunner left Friday for Stockton, Calif. She plans to stay about two weeks visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shobe of Wichita, Kans., are here visiting their daughter, Mrs. Millard Carter, and her family.

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We are proud of eight new members to our church in the last two Sundays.

We appreciate having the new seats in our annex and also the new chairs for the rest of our Sunday School.

Our revival will be around Easter. We are working and praying for a real revival in our church. Mrs. Daniel and I will do the preaching. We will use home talent for the musical program. Mrs. Troy Ray will be in charge.

May we all make our church a blessing. Thoughts for the Week "Let us not be weary in well-doing"

"Where there is no vision, the people perish."

"Put your shoulder to the wheel rather than your back to the wall."

"Christ can work a miracle in your life and mine, if we will but let Him."

Newton S. Daniel, Pastor.

Subjects Announced at Assembly of God

Jesus portrayed in the scriptures a map of the future. This map covers all of TIME and project into ETERNITY, showing the eternal abode of both the righteous and of the wicked: Heaven and the new earth for the righteous, and the Lake of Fire for those whose names are not written in the Lamb's Book of Life.

During a sequence of services, beginning on Sunday night, Feb. 19, continuing each night through Sunday night, Feb. 26, at 7:30, we will present the high points on God's revealed map of the future. It will be presented as follows:

Sunday, Feb. 19, "The Rapture or Blessed Hope of the Church." Monday night, "The Great Tribulation."

Tuesday night, "Battle of Armageddon: What is it? Will Russia and the United States Fight in this battle?"

Wednesday night, "The Second Coming of the Lord."

Thursday night, "Will Jesus Reign upon This Earth 1000 Years? Or the Millennium?"

Friday night, "The Great White Throne of Judgment."

Saturday night, "Heaven." Sunday night, Feb. 26, "Hell: Is there a place called Hell and does God send men there?"

You are invited to take this hurried view of God's map of the future. Be sure not to miss a stop on this survey. OLAN BEAUCHAMP, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Applewhite returned Tuesday from a month's stay in Mineral Wells. They visited Mr. Applewhite's relatives at Burnett and Dripping Springs, near Austin.

Easter can occur any time between March 22 and April 25.

Betty Handley and Bob Huckaby To Attend Pageant

Miss Betty Joan Handley and her escort, Robert Huckaby, will represent Lockney High School at the Third Annual Plains Personality Pageant on the campus of West Texas State College Feb. 24.

More than 50 high schools in the plains area have been invited to select personality representatives to come to West Texas State on the 24th and be guests of the student body. College students will select the King and Queen of Personality next Friday in an all-day election.

Will Osborn and his orchestra have been signed up by the Student Senate of the college to provide the music for the pageant. Skinny Ennis and his orchestra were present for the coronation last year. James Bates, Childress, and Virginia Turner, Hereford, were last year's King and Queen.

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Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new.

President Truman says he favors a reduction of the excise taxes if taxes are raised in sufficient amount elsewhere to make up for any loss of revenue such a reduction would make.

I note a local man said the other day, that there is quite a difference of opinion about what this country should do about China. Some say that because we didn't go into the fight in full force we have lost face in that country.

In his message to Congress President Truman indicated that for the coming year he has no plans for saving money or reducing the national debt.

Patience and long suffering are the only two words we can think of at the moment that describes the government's attitude toward John L. Lewis and

the coal mining business. Incidentally Lewis is driving customers away from the use of coal as a fuel. This may automatically solve the knotty problem for all concerned.

Most people in their hearts are for civil rights and tolerance but they don't want Congress ramming it down their throats by law. The quickest and surest way to kill tolerance is to try to make some one tolerant by law.

An exchange tells of a woman resident of the town as having reached her 112th birthday. Among the comments she made to an interviewer was the one, "I don't like automobiles."

After having seen the picture of King Farouk of Egypt, we understand why it was necessary for him to commandeer a girl to become his wife.

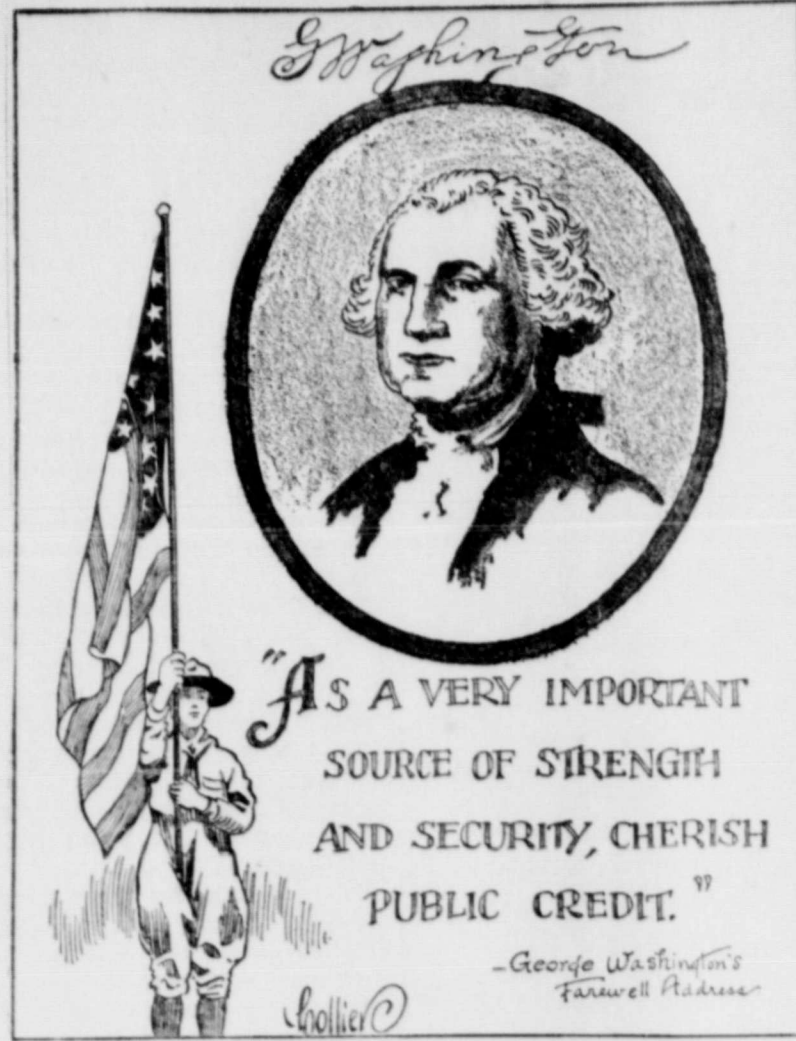
This from an exchange: The measure of a man is the size of a thing that it takes to get his goat.

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Every man ought to have a few convictions. He need not have a conviction on every matter but firm convictions on a few things serve as a means of holding him true to the course.

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With Our EXCHANGES

WHY THE HUSH-HUSH?

Efforts to gloss over the most explosive issue seem pointless as the House Education and Labor committee resumes study of the proposed appropriation of \$300,000,000 as federal aid to education.

Everyone who keeps casually informed concerning legislative matters knows what most of the battling has been about—and will continue to be about until the matter is disposed of.

Bluntly worded, the main cause of controversy is just this: The objections of Protestants to paying taxes which would be used, in part, to contribute to the support of Roman Catholic parochial schools.

True, the words, "Protestant" and "Roman Catholic," do not appear in the proposed appropriation bill. But more than 90 per cent of the parochial schools in the United States are operated by the Roman Catholic church.

NIP IN THE BUD . . .

This has been a bumper crop for Hockley County for which the residents are thankful, but with just such a record crop comes an influx of workers.

Unemployment is not rampant in the county, but merchants, businessmen and those connected with the public welfare of the county report that more and more people are seeking employment each day.

The Lone Star state has set up certain offices which are created to aid communities and workers in solving just such problems as now confront this area.

But Levelland has no such office, neither has Cochran county, our neighbor to the west.

If a man has that kind of money he usually isn't seeking employment where and when he is able to find it.

Only Tuesday a group of the community's interested citizens met in the County Judge's office with a representative of the Texas Employment Commission.

He advised the group on how to go about seeking a remedy to the local situation before it grows into a "bad" situation.

Seasonal unemployment, it seems, is always suffered by a growing community, especially when the community has expanded with the rapidity of certain Hockley county areas.

Added to this was the record-breaking time in which this year's bumper crop was harvested.

It all adds up to one thing—seasonal unemployment. A remedy is promised through the Texas Unemployment Commission.

Requests have been made by local citizens to the Lubbock of-

office and the district office at Amarillo for a part-time representative for the county who can not only cooperate with employers who need workers but who can take applications for unemployment insurance from workers who have already earned the service through taxes withheld from their wages.

MATURITY . . . A POSTPONEMENT

If asked about the drinking habits of the American people, the man on the street would probably rank the beverages consumed something like this: Coffee, first; soft drinks, second; milk, third; beer, fourth and hard liquor, fifth.

He'd be only part right, if we accept the statistics published in an article in the Dec. 20 issue of Reporter, a fortnightly publication which has come onto the scene during the past year.

The fact which would astound the average American, particularly in the dry sections of this area, is that over the country the invitation "let's have a beer" probably gets more use than the traditionally American, "let's have a Coke."

"In 1948, Americans drank eight billions gallons of coffee and seven billion gallons of milk. Beer ranked third, soft drinks fourth and hard liquor fifth," the magazine says.

"The average consumption of coffee per person was fifty-five gallons; beer about 18 gallons; and hard liquor around three quarts. Figuring beer in, Americans drank seventy-five quarts of alcoholic beverages."

Perhaps the large consumption of alcohol is an indication of age and maturity settling upon the U. S. Such countries as France, with a longer history and greater maturity, have established a reputation for the beverages their people drink.

We hope, however, that it is not a signal of the approach of the moral and biological disintegration we see in the French people.

A day of maturity in the thinking and actions of our people is something we could be gratified to see. But at the intemperate price paid by French people, we would put off the arrival of such a day forever.—The Hereford Brand.

Hottentots are natives of South Africa.

The head on a sphinx is that of a woman.

Do You Want To Cut Your Federal Taxes? Your Wasted Taxes

No reasonable man questions the need for taxes to pay the cost of governmental services. Everyone should be willing to pay a fair share of his income for that purpose.

The bi-partisan Commission on Organization of the Executive Branch of the Government, created by Congress with the approval of President Truman and headed by former President Hoover, has provided a chart for the elimination of governmental extravagance and waste.

This past year, because of duplication and overlapping in the Armed Services we wasted about one billion dollars out of the fifteen billion spent for National Security.

In 1948 two agencies planned to build the same dam in nearly the same place at Hell's Canyon, Idaho. Each set of plans cost about \$250,000. The plans differed by approximately 75 million dollars in estimated cost of erection.

It now costs the Post Office Department two and a half cents to print and deliver a penny post card. The Veterans Administration, at the time of the Commission's survey, had 6,500 empty beds in its hospitals, yet VA and other government agencies have planned or are building additional hospitals at a cost of over a billion dollars, when 54% of the available beds are not now occupied.

It takes more than \$10 worth of paper work to complete a governmental purchase order. For example, by the time the necessary paper work is completed, a 50¢ typewriter ribbon costs the taxpayer about \$10.

Turnover of labor is recognized by all industry as expensive. Yet in the Federal Government labor turnover runs about 25 per cent, a rate much higher than any private business could stand. This means that every year approximately 500,000 either leave or enter a government job.

If enacted into law, the Commission recommendation to remedy these and other defects in conducting our Federal business would save the taxpayer three to four billion dollars a year.

To play your part in putting a stop to this wasteful extravagance, join the non-partisan Citizens Committee, which is working for the enactment of the Commission's suggestions. Write to the Citizens Committee for Reorganization of the Executive Branch of the Government, 1421 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia 2, Pennsylvania. Write your Congressman. Inform yourself about the Commission Report.

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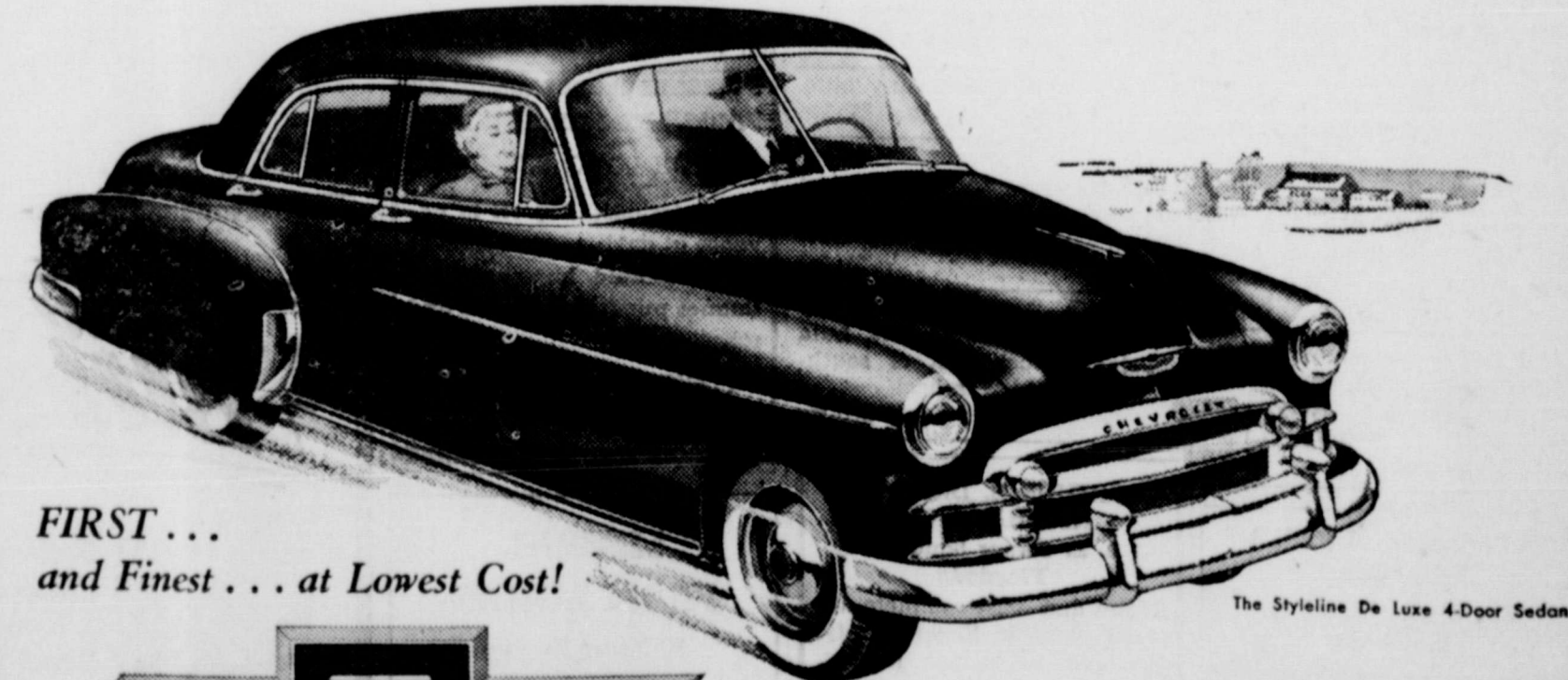
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### State To Begin Issue of New Type Drivers License

Austin—After years of study aimed toward better serving the motorists of this State, Texas has pioneered in improving the style and the procedure of issuance of drivers licenses, according to Colonel Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Under direct supervision of A. F. Temple, Chief of the Department's Drivers License Division, the new license has been adopted, after extensive study, for greater ease of processing and with a view toward making the renewal of licenses less effort on the part of motorists. Texas, so far as is known, is the first State to adopt the technique of notifying drivers when their licenses are about to expire.

Effective this week, the License Division will begin issuing the new style Operator, Commercial and Chauffeur permits to all applicants. Licenses now in effect will remain valid and will be replaced by the new form upon the next renewal by present holder.

Complete handling of the new license will be effected by machine and the license itself will

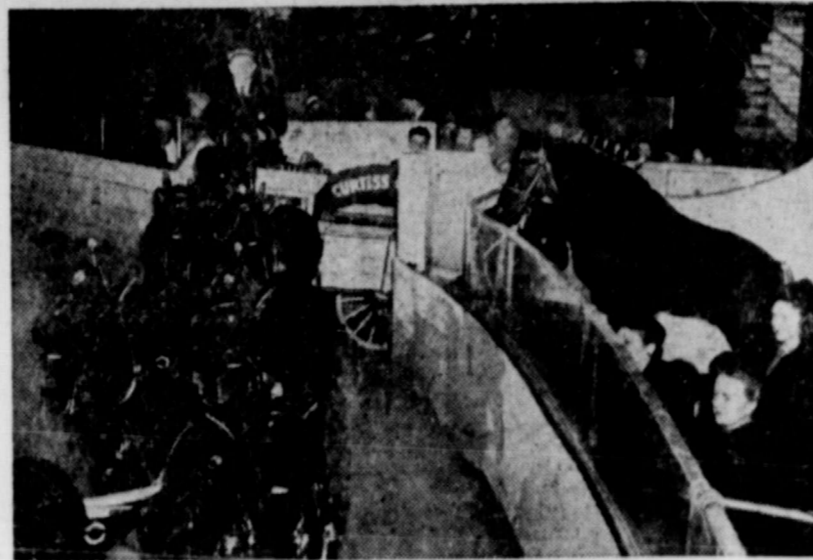
be mailed out in the form of a post card which is so arranged to permit separation to allow for proper fitting into billfolds or card cases.

One of the most important features of the new procedure will be a recorded renewal copy of the original license which will be mailed to operators about a month prior to the expiration date of their license advising them that it is about to expire. This is expected to be a real benefit to the thousands of Texas drivers who habitually allow their licenses to expire because of neglect in checking the expiration date. The new license will also carry the actual date of expiration rather than the date of issuance as previously used.

Holders of the old type license which has been in use for several years will not be required to execute a form when seeking renewal. All that is necessary is to tear off the renewal stub, make corrections as to address, etc., on same, and mail it in along with a money order in the proper amount.

Cost and validation periods of the licenses will remain the same: fifty cents for operators license for two years; one dollar for commercial license for one year; and, three dollars for chauffeur's license for one year.

### Watches Youngsters Carry On



CHICAGO, ILL.— Bashful, 22-year-old Shetland pony owned by the Curtiss Candy Farms, is no longer in the farms' six pony hitch. Living up to his reputation as the "best wheel pony that ever stepped in and out of a ring," however, he visited the International Live Stock Show to watch the present team, composed of his sons and daughters, go through its paces. Bashful, in recent years called respectfully "Pappy Bashful," received his 20-year pin from Otto Schnering, president of Curtiss, this fall and retired to the pasture on the company's farm near Cary, Ill. Son of King Larigo, a national champion at the Panama exhibition of the early 1900's, he can look back on a colorful career during which he has traveled 15,000 miles a year and participated in hundreds of performances at horse shows, state fairs, war bond rallies and other special events. He can stop worrying, now, about the gray hair at his temples which has had to be touched up with black hair dye the last few years, and he won't have to watch his weight so closely. Till now he has had to keep down to a trim 550 pounds. Eight of his sons and daughters are carrying on in the show ring, and he has two "little ones" at home who also join the teams of the three Curtiss hitches when they are old enough.

### Soil Conservation News

The board of supervisors of the Floyd County Soil Conservation District held their regular meeting February 7 to complete plans for this year's work. Members present were Cecil Purcell, chairman, W. F. Ferguson, Bert Bobbitt and R. G. Dunlap.

One of the highlights of events last year was the annual field day sponsored by the district in cooperation with about 20 organizations and individuals, making it possible for some 300 people to view ten farms carrying out various conservation practices. The group enjoyed a barbeque and interesting program at the noon hour at Lockview farm northwest of Lockney. A window display contest was sponsored in connection with the field day. Exhibits were displayed in business house windows by teams of 4-H and FFA members.

Two hundred acres of permanent pasture grasses were seeded with the district owned grass drill during the year.

About 40 landowners voted in the annual supervisors election held at Lone Star in October. County agent, Robert H. Gibson, assisted with the program and the Home Demonstration club members of the community assisted with refreshments.

4-H club boys and FFA members competed in a district sponsored grass judging contest. Winners out of the five teams, of three each, and two individuals entering were given cash prizes.

The work calendar set up by the supervisors for 1950 includ-

es plans for similar events and several new projects. The following farmers have made application for assistance: J. M. Jacobs, George Griffin, C. T. Morrison, Jr., Wayne A. Russell, S. M. Key, Andrew J. Costner, Harvey L. Newberry, D. R. Meek, Fred Garrett and G. C. Applewhite. Agreements between the districts and the following cooperators were approved: Ben Cogdill, Leon Elliott, O. P. Clark, Dorsey Baker (2) and W. M. Ray.

The Soil Conservation Service technicians have recently engineered some bench levelling jobs being done by Charlie Smith of Lockney. Twenty-one acres have been completed on the Bud Leaverton farm north of Sterley. Fifty acres have been finished for Harmon Handley south of Lockney and eight acres laid out for Chester Mitchell also south of Lockney.

The Soil Conservation Service engineer has laid out terraces for several farmers below the caprock the last few days, namely: Cecil Payne, Edgar Smith and W. O. Cobb. A diversion terrace was laid out for Bob Rosson, southwest of Floydada, several days ago. Lines for terraces have been completed for Virgil Scott, who farms the Couch land for Russell Crawford, both south of Dougherty.

Several engineering jobs have been done recently on the Stringer estate land at Barwise, which is being operated by Johnny Miller and Tommy Sneed. The irrigation system has been changed to more efficiently water the various crops. About a hundred acres of permanent pasture has been established this year and several plots of winter peas planted last fall are making good growth.

Lines to irrigate wheat were run last week for Frank Probasco on his farm just west of Floydada.

A complete contour system was run last week on the farm operated by Lee W. Burton in the Fairview community.

Three dams have been staked out on the Virgil George farm below the caprock in the Fairmount community.

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### WTSC Football Schedule Set

CANYON—Coach Frank Kimbrough announced this week a rough 9-game schedule for the 1950 West Texas State football team. The slate has four games at home and five on the road.

Highlights of the program for next year's campaign was the announcement that two games will be played in the new Amarillo Stadium. Arizona of Flagstaff will open the season for the Thundering Herd in Amarillo the night of Sept. 16. New Mexico University will provide the other Amarillo competition in a night game October 14. Amarillo's new stadium will hold 16,000 fans and it is believed that these two games will attract capacity crowds.

Sam Houston State of Huntsville will furnish the homecoming opposition for the Buffs in Canyon October 21.

The complete schedule is as follows:

Sept. 16—Arizona State in Amarillo, night.

Sept. 23—University of Arizona at Tucson, night.

Sept. 30—McMurry at Canyon, night.

Oct. 7—Texas Tech at Lubbock, night.

Oct. 14—University of New Mexico at Amarillo, night.

Oct. 21—Sam Houston State at Canyon, day.

Oct. 28—Trinity University at San Antonio, day.

Nov. 4—Texas Western at El Paso, night.

Nov. 18—Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, day.

Present plans call for the Buffs to fly to Tucson and to San Antonio for these grid contests.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

### AMARILLO STUDENT NAMED TECH STUDENT PRESIDENT

Lubbock — Marshall Gettys, Amarillo senior at Texas Technological college, has succeeded Curtis Sterling, Lubbock, as president of the Tech student council.

Gettys, a star football performer for Tech, was elevated to the post when Sterling resigned to enter the newspaper business at Brownfield.

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### Registration For Summer Session At WTSC June 2-3

CANYON—Registration for one of the most well-rounded summer school sessions in the history of West Texas State will be June 2 and 3 as announced this week by Dr. Walter H. Juniper, dean. Class instruction for the first 6-weeks term will begin Monday, June 5.

Registration for the second 6-weeks will be Monday July 17 with class work beginning on the 18th. Graduation exercises have been planned for the night of August 23 in Buffalo Stadium.

The instructional faculty for the stream-lined summer session will consist of 59 expertly trained personnel with programs

worked out to offer teachers, business people, and undergraduates the very latest in methods and operational means.

For either summer session, 1950, a person may earn 6 hours of credit. Tuition for either term will be \$20.00 for a resident and \$50.00 for non-residents of the state. Fees will be based upon the session's work and not upon the number of credit hours for which the summer student is enrolled.

Prospective students desiring room accommodations are urged to write at their earliest convenience to either the Dean of Men or the Dean of Women.

Shakespeare, according to estimates, never made a continuous journey as far as a round trip from Boston to New York.

### My Neighbors



"Folks 'otta learn to quit runnin' to Washington with their troubles. Every time they do... up pops another Bureau to handle it!"

### GOD HAS NOT CHANGED

By MRS. BENNIE M. ROSE

"Knowing that of the Lord ye shall receive the reward of the inheritance: for ye serve the Lord Christ. But he that doeth wrong shall receive for that wrong that he has done: And there is no respect of persons." Colossians 3: 24-25.

God is the same yesterday, today, and forever. We acknowledge God to be above all and His word to be absolutely true, recognizing the wages of sin to be death and the gift of God to be eternal life through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

God is God, and sin is sin. In every generation and in our generation sin will blight and destroy the soul of man. "Man looketh upon the outward appearance but God looketh upon the heart. Many people wear tinted glasses. The things of God and the things of the devil take on a similar hue. Their eyes are blinded. They cannot see this life to be a proving ground, with those who overcome the wiles of Satan as the only ones to enter heaven. Heaven, the place where sin cannot enter. Too many hold their pet sins while calling them other names. They say their sins are habits, customs, or take their nature to task for the things they do. "The natural man receiveth not the things of the spirit of God, for they are foolishness unto Him, neither can they know them because they are spiritually discerned." I Corinthians 2:14. "Ye must be born again."

Although man has failed to heed God's word, God has not changed. Sin will keep us out of heaven. The last Beatitude tells us "Blessed are they that do His Commandments that they may have a right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city." Revelations 22:14. One sin brings condemnation, "For whosoever shall keep the law and yet offend at one point is guilty of them all." James 2:10.

The world is ever changing. Stocks of great value today may be worthless tomorrow. Happiness today may turn to sorrow by night fall. Loved ones leave us and go to their reward; our best plans are changed. But God continues to call right, wrong, sin, sin, and righteousness righteousness.

"Knowing that of the Lord ye shall receive the reward of the inheritance: for ye serve the Lord Christ. But he that doeth wrong shall receive for the wrong he has done: and there is no respect of persons." God has not changed.

### CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank everyone for the visits and other kindnesses shown us during Mr. Rexrode's illness. We especially want to thank the Intermediate Auxiliary girls for the nice box of fruit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rexrode.

Rev. Marcus Rexrode of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Wendel Green and son, George of Plainview, and Miss Lanell Jones, Plainview, visited with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rexrode Monday, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rexrode and M. L. Rexrode were there also.

### Lone Star News

By Mrs. Harold Griffith

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. King visited with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Teeple Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Phillips attended a funeral Monday at Memphis for Mrs. Phillips brother-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mosley and boys visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frizzell and family Monday night.

The Lone Star Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. W. T. Rankin last Tuesday afternoon.

Barbara Ann Husky spent last Tuesday night with Betty June Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Farish and Donald visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frizzell and children Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Readhimer and Jo with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Farish and Donald visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mosley and boys Wednesday night.

Visitors with Glenda Ann Readhimer Wednesday night were Betty Sue Farish, Pat Frizzell and Douglas Meriwether.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frizzell and children visited in the Clyde Farish home Thursday night.

Visitors with Mrs. L. M. Readhimer and Glenda on Friday were Mrs. Jewell Rexroad, Mrs. Reed Lawson, Mrs. A. O. Foster, Mrs. J. T. Griffin, Mrs. Jack Frizzell and Mrs. Howard Mosley.

Congratulations are in order for Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mosley upon the arrival of their new daughter who arrived last Friday at the Lockney Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mosley and boys visited with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Holt and baby Thursday night.

Mrs. Bob Tiner visited with Mrs. L. M. Readhimer and girls Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Lawton and Sandra were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Farish and family Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Jarrett and Larry called later in the evening.

Wilma Foster spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Foster and Barbara, Dinner guests Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. David Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Thorn of Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Jarrett and Larry were dinner guests in the Jack Frizzell home Saturday night. Callers in the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Farish and Donald, and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Readhimer and Nita Jo.

June Wiley spent the weekend with Betty Sue Farish.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nance, J. D. and Betty Ann visited in Silvertown Sunday with the Hugh Nance family.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. Jackson and Betty were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Sams. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Thompson and Marjetta of Hereford, Texas.

Visitors with Glenda Ann Readhimer Saturday night were June Wiley, Betty Sue Farish, Pat Frizzell, Billy Norton Baker and Douglas Meriwether.

Dinner guests in the W. D. Nance home on Sunday were Bobby Dean and Mayme Lou Nance, Helen Strew and May Worth all of Amarillo. Callers in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Doc Jones and family of South Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis and children and Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Henderson and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert King with Mrs. C. L. King spent the weekend in Lubbock and Littlefield attending to business and visiting relatives.

Mrs. Clyde Farish attended the funeral Sunday afternoon in Plainview for Ben Whitfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frizzell and family were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Knox of Lockney Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Griffith

and sons visited in the V. D. Harris home Sunday night. Others there were Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Harris, Irene and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nelson and Jane.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mosley and boys were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hague. Mrs. Hague is a sister of Mr. Mosley.

Larry Jarrett and David Frizzell spent Friday night with Donald Farish.

Billy Norton Baker spent Saturday night with Pat Frizzell.

Sunday visitors in the Harold and Walter Griffith home were Mr. and Mrs. Kline Nall and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Griffith and girls of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Roberson called in the afternoon.

Ira Graves returned to his home here Saturday from the Veterans hospital in Amarillo where he spent a week receiving treatment for a heart ailment.

There was a valentine box party at the school house Tuesday afternoon for the school children and all other small children who attended.

Mrs. Bob Tiner received treat-

ment at the hospital in Lockney Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Harold Griffith and Mrs. Howard Mosley visited in the L. M. Reidhimer home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Bob Merrell and Mark Wade visited Mrs. Howard Wood and Bobbie last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Phillips and children visited in the Bob Merrell home last Wednesday night.

Mrs. Bailey Henderson has been spending some time with her mother, Mrs. John Vaughn who is in the Plainview Sanitarium. Also in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sidney Rodgers and family.

Mrs. Jimmy Stover is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shreves and family of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Rexrode and Joe Neil visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Merrell and son Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Martin of Hart visited with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Martin Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gussie Meadow

and sons of Spur visited in the J. B. Rape home Sunday morning. The two little grandsons remained for a visit with their grandparents.

Visitors in the Ira Graves home Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Rexrode and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stover and Jimmy, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rape.

Jack Carroll of Binghampton, N. Y. is visiting some time with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Merrick and other friends.

Visitors in the L. M. Reidhimer home Monday night were Mary Ann Rankin, Nita Kellison, Mrs. A. E. Frizzell and Pat.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor and family of Petersburg were dinner guests in the A. O. Foster home-Sunday.

Glenda Ann Reidhimer visited in the Lockney school Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Peugh were visitors in the J. E. Stover home Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Stover and Jimmy visited with Mrs. Bob Tiner at the Lockney hospital Sunday.

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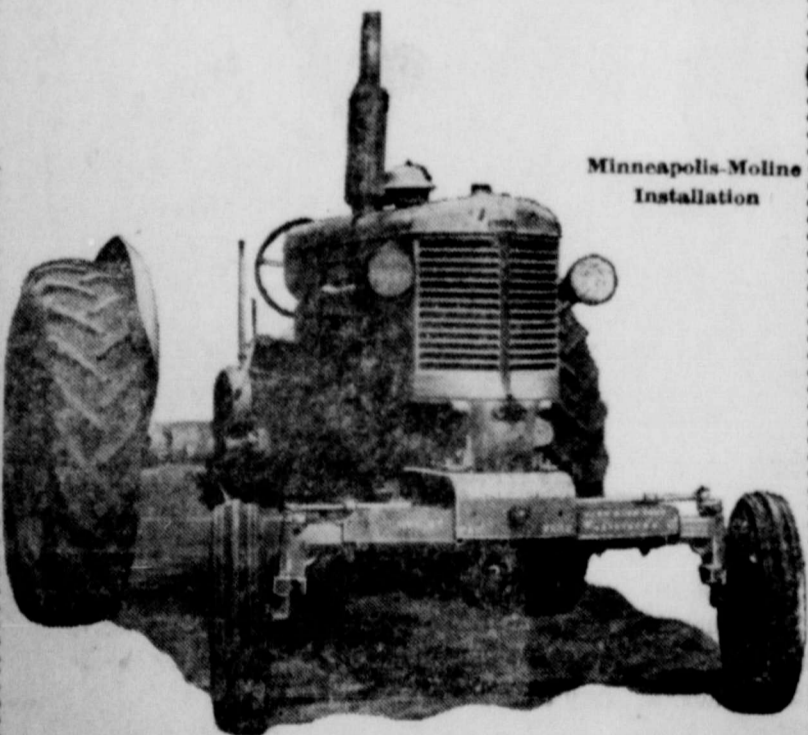
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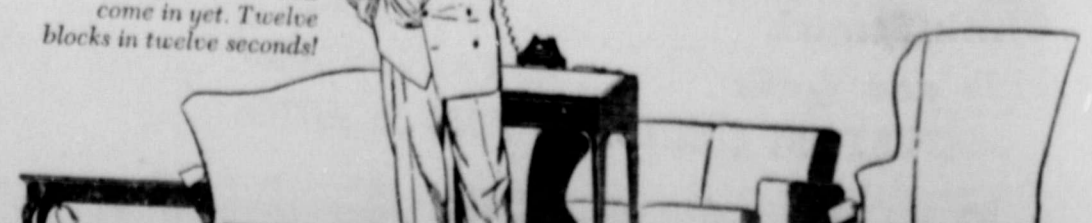
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### Brunner Is New Scout Committeeman

G. M. Brunner, local lumberman and mayor, has recently been appointed as representative for Lockney on the executive board of the South Plains Council, Boy Scouts of America. The appointment was made by Council President Dr. F. B. Malone of Lubbock.

Mr. Brunner has been active for several years in the scouting program. He was formerly district commissioner in the Adobe Walls Council with office in Pampa. He also served on the camping committee in that area.

### Hydrogen Bomb After-Effects Less Than Atom Bomb's

LUBBOCK—The proposed hydrogen bomb may have more initial destructive force than the atomic bomb but probably will not have the deadly after-effects of radiation, Dean Robert C. Goodwin of Texas Tech said today.

Dr. Goodwin is dean of the arts and sciences division and head of the chemistry department at Tech. He said uranium decomposition produces harmful radioactive particles while the conversion of hydrogen into helium (and the subsequent explosion) would leave no lingering effects from radio-active substances.

"Helium is inert," Dr. Goodwin explained, "and I therefore assume that the helium produced artificially from hydrogen would be inert." From Dr. Goodwin's statement it would follow that persons exposed to a hydrogen bomb blast might escape the temporary sterility and other injuries which followed the a-bomb explosions at Hiroshima and Nagasaki. Other injuries, such as the keloid tumor which was widespread among the exposed Japanese, would probably occur following a hydrogen bomb detonation.

Theoretically, we have known of hydrogen's possibilities for many years—even before uranium fission was developed," Dr. Goodwin said. "We can speculate that hydrogen is being converted into helium on the sun all of the time, thereby providing the sun's energy."

The Tech scientist said he is more interested in the peacetime possibilities of hydrogen

fission than in the destructive aspects.

"I assume that conversion of hydrogen energy could also be used in peacetime since energy is interchangeable. Heat energy can be developed into many other forms, electricity or steam power, for example," he said.

He said a "chain reaction" similar to that in the atomic bomb would have to occur in a hydrogen bomb. In the reaction weight is lost, and the loss in mass is converted into energy. The relative loss in mass in hydrogen which is converted to helium would be greater than when fission in uranium occurs.

What about the helium in West Texas? Could it be used in the development of the h-bomb? "Probably not, since the problem is one of conversion of hydrogen. The helium stored under ground in West Texas is the end product and should have little value in the research phase which is now beginning," he said.

Farm records are a mighty important part of farm business operations and a close study of these records may reveal leaks in the farmers profit barrel.

### Pan-Tech Officials Discuss Experiments

LUBBOCK—J. P. Smith, manager of Texas Technological college's Pan-Tech farm near Amarillo, has returned from a planning conference at Texas A. & M. college where experiments for the Panhandle agricultural plant were discussed.

Smith was accompanied by L. A. Maddox, animal husbandryman at Pan-Tech. Dean of Agriculture W. L. Stangel said the discussion included a possible research project on cross-breeding lambs, and another on breeding beef heifers.

Stangel also said Pan-Tech officials are planning on a service program for West Texas cattlemen which will find the type and gaining capability of calves. The test would involve calves sired by various bulls.

The Pan-Tech farm is located on the former site of the Pan-Tex Ordinance Plant. The farm, valued at \$17,000,000, was recently turned over to Texas Tech officials by the General Services administration.

In a 20-mile race, a man would win over a horse because of his endurance.

### My Neighbors



"Feeding inflation by reducing taxes is a laugh. From all the tax reductions I've ever seen, inflation wouldn't get very fat on it!"

### BATTEY TURKEYS WIN AT HOUSTON

Two turkey toms shown by Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Battey of Rt. 4, Floydada, won places in the Turkey Tom division at the 1950 Houston Fat Stock show. One of the toms placed sixth and the other placed 22nd in showing.

### Highway Men Inspect Bridge Site

Sam Huff, bridge engineer for the state highway department at Austin, Tom Wood, farm-to-market road division, S. C. McCarty, district engineer of Lubbock and James F. Potts, resident highway engineer of Floydada inspected the site of the proposed bridge over Quitaque creek in Northeast Floyd County last Friday.

Present plans call for a concrete bridge 20 or 22 feet wide and at least 350 feet long, according to Mr. Potts. This is part of a hard surfacing project of a little more than two miles in that part of the county.

The other bridge over the Los Linguish river will be re-decked, strengthened and repainted, Mr. Potts said.

Mr. Potts said that he had been informed that the plans for the Providence road had been processed and that sufficient money had been set aside to complete the road. Contract for the road will probably be in the

### QA&P Granted Permission To Stop Service

The Quanah, Acme and Pacific railway has been granted permission to discontinue passenger service between Quanah and Floydada, it became known this week.

The Railroad Commission of Texas granted permission to the railway to discontinue the service on January 20. Freight service will be continued on the line.

### Don Bartram Awarded Wheat Project Medal

Don Bartram, student in the Lockney High School was awarded a medal from the Texas-Oklahoma Wheat Improvement As-

March letting, he said.

Last week Commissioner Hugh Counts completed work of clearing the right-of-way for the road.

sociation last Friday at the noon meeting of the Lockney Rotary Club. Agriculture instructor F. L. Montandon made the award and told of Don's accomplishments in growing wheat the past year. He had the best wheat project in the local Future Farmer chapter. He made more than 40 bushels per acre on a 12 acre plot, netting more than \$400 on the project.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Wiley and Mr. and Mrs. George Webster attended the Banker's Convention at Dallas last weekend.

Vernon Shaw of San Angelo, Texas visited Mrs. Ella Marr and Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Shearer Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brooks of Childress visited their cousin Mrs. Ella Marr last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davis and James returned Tuesday from Dallas and Greenville where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Logan and Bob spent Sunday in Levelland visiting the Logan's daughter.

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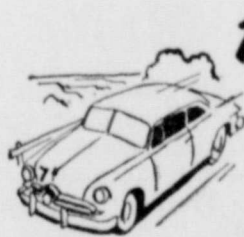
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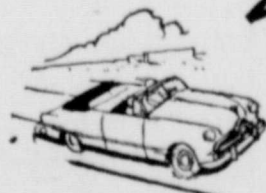


Grand Canyon of the Colorado River, Arizona

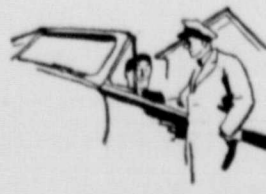
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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1950

**TRIP TO IOWA**

R. M. Olsen and J. Verne Dumont returned Monday night from a trip to Council Bluffs, Iowa, where they visited Mr. Olsen's mother, who has been ill. The local men left Friday. On the return trip they ran into a snow storm between Omaha, Neb., and Salina, Kans., where the snow was 20 inches deep in places.

Postage Stamp glue is made from taploca.

Mrs. E. A. Cox visited with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Carroll in Plainview Friday. She accompanied them to Amarillo Saturday where they visited friends.

Mrs. W. A. Taylor and daughter, Jovonne, left Friday for a visit with Mrs. Taylor's mother at Santa Barbara, Calif. They expect to be gone about two weeks.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

**Hospital News**

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Mosley are parents of a daughter born February 10. She has been named Carol Elaine, and weighed six pounds at birth. Mrs. Mosley and Carol were dismissed the 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hutchison, of near Plainview, are parents of a daughter named Gerald Dean, born February 13. She weighed 6 pounds, 14 oz. They were dismissed Tuesday.

Bill Rigdon was admitted Tuesday, medical.

John Stevenson was dismissed Feb. 13, medical.

Mrs. John Stevenson was admitted Feb. 9, medical.

Mrs. Bob Tiner was admitted Feb. 11, dismissed Feb. 12, medical.

Leland Bilbrey was admitted Feb. 16, medical.

Elaine Baxter, daughter of Bascom Baxter, was admitted Feb. 16, medical.

Mrs. Francis O'Hearn was dismissed Feb. 14.

Max Elder underwent minor surgery Feb. 10, was dismissed Feb. 15.

Bruce Julian, son of Murray Julian of South Plains, was admitted Feb. 8, dismissed Feb. 10, medical.

Mrs. J. L. Dagley was admitted Feb. 7, dismissed Feb. 10, medical.

Mrs. W. H. Pece and daughter, Mary, were dismissed Feb. 10.

Mrs. R. E. Young was dismissed Feb. 10, medical.

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**Future Farmer Week Feb. 19-25**

Governor Allan Shivers has designated February 19-25 as National Future Farmer Week in Texas. F. L. Montandon, sponsor of the local Future Farmers chapter has announced that the 46 members of this chapter plan a calf show the first of March. Membership of the Texas Association of the Future Farmers of America has increased to the extent that now one tenth of the National membership is made up of Texans.

The major purposes of the Future Farmers of America organization are to develop leadership, encourage cooperation, promote good citizenship, teach sound methods of farming and inspire patriotism among the members.

The members of the Future Farmers of America through their intensive courses in Vocational Agriculture taught in the various high schools, under the sponsorship of the State Board for Vocational Education, perform valuable community services and provide important leadership in developing our agricultural economy and in building a better state.

**Jayton Editor Dies February 8**

L. F. Wade, editor of the Jayton Chronicle for 20 years, passed away at his home in Jayton February 8. Mr. Wade had been ill for three years. He was 74 years of age.

Mr. Wade moved to Jayton in 1926 and was active in the management of that paper until 1946.

Survivors include the widow, eight sons and three daughters. Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church in Jayton Thursday afternoon at 2:00 p. m. conducted by Rev. C. C. Armstrong. Interment was in the Jayton cemetery.

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**Hear United Nations Speaker at Lubbock**

G. M. Brunnier, Joe Parrish, F. L. Brown, Arthur Barker, Jr. and Mort Crapster, all of Lockney went to Lubbock Saturday night where they heard Dr. Benjamin Cohen, assistant secretary general of the United Nations Organization, in the public relations division, who spoke at the Lubbock High School auditorium.

Dr. Cohen is an international personality and his speech was very informative, the local men reported.

**Hearing on Wichita Valley Railroads Is Held in Spur**

SPUR—A Railroad Commission hearing on the request of the Wichita Valley railroad to discontinue scheduled passenger train service between Spur and Stamford was held here Tuesday.

The result will be announced later.

Spur City Manager James Cowan said he understands the only protest to the proposed change came from representatives brotherhoods.

The Wichita Valley has been attaching a passenger car to a daily freight train between the two cities.

**CLASS PARTY**

Mmes. M. W. Wiley, Wayne Bybee, and Gerald Sams were hostesses to a party for the Maranatha Class in the basement of the Methodist Church Wednesday evening.

Guests were served chocolate, nuts, and ice cream cake roll.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Revis Harris, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Record, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Patterson, Mrs. Millard Carter, Mrs. Clyde Farrish, Mr. and Mrs. Art Barker, Mr. Wayne Bybee, Mr. Gerald Sams, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Holt, and the hostesses.

**THEIR ANNIVERSARY**

Written by Glenna Wilson and dedicated to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McMinn.

Just fifty years ago today  
A lovely couple wed  
So young, so happy, and so gay  
The day their vows were said.

Since gladly meeting them one day  
I've seen the two together  
And surely it has been that way  
Through pain and stormy weather.

For down through all their sunny days  
I'm sure a few clouds gathered  
But hand in hand they glimpsed the ways  
And cloudy days were weathered.

They seem to love their children so  
And to have them near  
The children who they helped to grow  
Through sickness and through fear.

They now recall the little things  
Bringing laughter and some tears  
Declaring time went by on wings  
Through fifty happy years.

Their friends keep coming through the gate  
So many friends you see  
Have come to help them celebrate  
Their anniversary.

Yes, their golden anniversary  
They celebrate today  
May days forever happy be  
And God's blessing come their way.

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**BOY SCOUTS SAY**

"THANKS" FOR SUPPORT  
"Thanks for your support" was the sentiment expressed this week by Arthur Barker Jr. and Mort Crapster on behalf of the local Boy Scout troop. National Boy Scout Week was last week and through various ways the local scout troop raised a sum of money to help them carry through with their local program.

Hamburger is so called because it originated in Hamburg, Germany.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our deepest appreciation for the tender care and kindness shown during the recent illness and at the death of our "Dad." His favorite lines were:  
True friends are like diamonds,  
Precious but rare.  
False ones are like autumn leaves,  
Found everywhere.  
And Dad had rare treasures in deed in so many friends.  
Mrs. J. N. Snodgrass and family.

**SPECIAL PRICES**

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Sizes 8 to 18. Solid color. Priced formerly at \$5.95 to \$12.95. now only—  
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Size 4. Was \$13.95. Now only—  
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One Boy's Suit  
No. 3. Was \$14.95. Now only—  
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Girls' Corduroy Jackets  
**1/2 Price**

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**LETTUCE** Nice Heads Each **10c**

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**KILL YOUR INSECTS**

Come out and see the demonstration on killing greenbugs at the Henry Schacht Farm, three miles west of Lockney Saturday evening at 7:30.

We will use a recently discovered smoke poison that we believe will do the job.

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**TIDE OXYDOL** Large box **24c**

**Oleo** Wilson's Colored Quarters, per lb. **33c**

**CRACKERS** Any kind 2 lb. box **43c**

**BACON** Nice, lean Pound **39c**

**HOMINY** Lahoma No. 2 can, 2 for **15c**

**Peaches** Cal Top Heavy Syrup No. 2 1/2 can **17c**

**Sausage** Pinkney's Pound **23c**

**SYRUP** Pure Sorghum Guaranteed half gallon **73c**

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