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Observe Golden Wedding Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Quisenberry of Lockney celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary last Sunday, October 7 with a family gathering in the Plainview Park. A bountiful dinner was enjoyed and visiting among the various members of the family followed during the afternoon.
Many nice cards and gifts were received by the "Colonel" and Mrs. Quisenberry.
Mr. and Mrs. Quisenberry were married at Galveston, Texas, on October 6, 1901. They have lived in Lockney since 1924. The family group includes four living children, 12 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.
Those attending the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Quisenberry, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Quisenberry, Lawrence and Denny; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Quisenberry Jr., and Charles W.; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Quisenberry and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Quisenberry and Claude, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Quisenberry and Belinda, Mr. and Mrs. Jelly Quisenberry and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McMeekan and Dian, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Paschal, Richard Quisenberry, Mrs. Truett Penn, Mike and Roxie, Leo Wright, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lloyd.

Longhorns And Whirlwinds Meet Here Friday

The annual Floyd County football classic will be staged on Mitchell-Zimmermann Field in Lockney Friday night of this week when the Lockney High School Longhorns play host to the Floydada Whirlwinds.
The event is always a high point in the football season for both schools but will be more so this year due to the fact that the teams are rated almost even by pre-season game dopsters. Probably the largest crowd to see a game on the local field this year will be on hand to witness this one.
The Longhorns are showing more spirit in workouts this week than at any time this season. Coach Curtis Kelly said Wednesday. They are blocking and tackling hard and seemed to be determined to give the Whirlwinds a busy night.
The local team will be crippled by the loss for the season of first string right tackle Bobby Baxter. Baxter saw action in a regular game for the first time this year last Friday night at Kress but suffered a re-injury to his knee and will be unable to play any more football this year, it was reported.
Reserve Back Bobby Durman also suffered a broken collar bone in practice Tuesday and will be unavailable for use in the game.
Other than these two injuries the Longhorns are in good shape and ready to go. Coach Kelly said. "If we win this game we're going to have to play 48 minutes of football," Kelly said this week. "We can't play one quarter and win like we did last year. Floydada has more reserves and probably more weight than we do and it will take every man on the Longhorn team playing every minute of the game to win this one."
The Whirlwinds have an impressive record this year having tied Slaton, lost to Post by only six points, lost to Paducah and defeated a strong Spur team last week end 24 to 13. They have some very fast backfield men and also two pass-catching ends in Stovall and Ring.
Since the Longhorns have defeated the Floydada boys the past four years successively, the Whirlwinds will be especially anxious to win this one. The game promises to be an unusually good one.
Starting line-ups for the two teams probably will be:

1500 Harvest Hands Needed

The Lockney area could use probably 1500 cotton pullers right now, according to a survey made by The Beacon Wednesday. Lockney ginners estimated that 1,000 hands at least could be used here while the Farmers Gin at Lone Star reported a need for 500 hands and the Paymaster Gin at Aiken said that at least 300 were needed there.
Mexican and other transient laborers were coming into this area this week but not nearly fast enough to satisfy the need. Almost every farmer was needing hands and the need appears to be especially bad in the Lone Star area.
The pulling price remains at \$2.00 delivered, the gins report.
The three Lockney gins have ginned 1804 bales while Aiken Paymaster Gin has turned out 1251 and the Farmers Gin at Lone Star 130 bales. The Beacon was unable to contact the South Plains gin at Sterley, but it was reported to have ginned around 250 bales thus far.
Meanwhile O. C. Bailey has been appointed local representative of the Texas Employment Commission here and farmers who need hands are requested to contact him.

USO Thermometers Record Donations

Thermometers drawn on cardboard are recording the donations given by North Floyd County people to the USO drive. Barry Barker said this week. A thermometer for each of the communities in this area is on display in Powers Pharmacy window and also one in each community.
The Lone Star thermometer is in the Watkins Grocery there, The Aiken thermometer at the Paymaster office, the Sterley thermometer at the Sterley Elevator, the Irick thermometer in the Aiken Cafe, the Cedar Hill thermometer at the Cedar Store and the Providence thermometer is at the school house.
According to the readings on the thermometers Wednesday, Lockney has given about 20% of its goal, some donations have been reported from Aiken, Sterley and Cedar Hill and other communities have not reported yet. The drive goes through the month of October.

Local Men Leave For Havana Trip

Aubrey Kent and Harold Davis, mechanics at the "Whitey" Baucus Ford Motors here, left early Wednesday morning for Dallas by plane on a five day trip to Havana. The men recently won the trip in a contest among Ford dealers of the Southwest.
The local men, along with 23 others from Ford dealerships in the southwest, will be entertained lavishly this week end and will return home Tuesday of next week.
H. P. Clemons, former superintendent of Lockney schools, was a business visitor here Wednesday. He is now connected with Thos. Y. Pickett and Co., tax evaluation consultants of Lubbock.

Lockney		
Player	Po.	Wt.
Don Bartram	RE	180
Deanie Henderson	RT	160
Joe Taylor	RG	155
Barry Thompson	C	180
Orland Gilbert	LG	165
Carroll Sammann	LT	185
Bobby Griffith	LE	165
Doug Meriwether	QB	125
Norton Baker	RH	145
Ray Ferguson	FB	170
C. B. Smart	LH	160
Floydada		
Player	Po.	Wt.
Frank Stovall	LE	165
David Rape	LT	171
Bert Grimes	LG	165
Don Barber	C	170
Lewis Redd	RG	160
Roy Teague	RT	186
Hubert Ring	RE	175
Connie Bearden	QB	141
Jackie Hutchinson	HB	160
Dane Clark	HB	160
Dennis Wilks	FB	160

Browns Attend Dry Cleaning Clinic

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown of Brown's Cleaners and Clothiers of Lockney were among the sixty dry cleaning plant owners in West Texas who attended a dry cleaning clinic at Corrocoran's Drive-In Cleaners in Lubbock Sunday.
Lectures and exhibits on the latest methods and techniques of dry cleaning were conducted by members of the teaching staff of the dry cleaning school at Okmulgee, Okla., a branch of Oklahoma A. & M.

One Name Filed For Mayor In Special Election

The name of J. E. Cox has been filed for the office of mayor of the City of Lockney in the special election set for Tuesday of next week, October 16. The election was made necessary by the recent resignation of D. E. Cox, who has moved away.
City Secretary Faye Messer said that the deadline for filing in the special election would be Saturday noon of this week since at least one day will be needed for printing ballots.
Election officials named by the City Council are T. B. Mitchell, election judge, Frank Dodson and E. C. Durham, clerks.

Lockney Rotary Welcomes Dist. Governor Friday

The Lockney Rotary Club will be host to P. F. Bridgewater, Governor of the 183rd District of Rotary International, Friday of this week. Mr. Bridgewater is making his annual official visit to each of the 37 Rotary Clubs in the West Texas District.
On Thursday night of this week an assembly of officers of the local club will be held. President Jesse Cox has announced and at that meeting Mr. Bridgewater will confer with the officers on Rotary administration and service activities. This meeting will be held at the offices of Southwestern Public Service Co. here. Joe Parrish, local manager of that company is secretary of the Rotary Club.
Mr. Bridgewater is secretary and treasurer of the Midland Federal Savings & Loan Association at Midland, Texas, and is a member of the Rotary Club of Midland. He is one of 203 District Governors supervising the activities of some 7,300 Rotary Clubs which have a membership of 350,000 business and professional executives in 83 countries and geographical regions throughout the world.
Rotary Clubs the world over have similar activities since they are all based on the same general objectives—developing better understanding and fellowship among business and professional men, promoting community-betterment undertakings, raising the standards of business and professions, and fostering the advancement of good will, understanding and peace among all the peoples of the world.
The Rotary Clubs have enjoyed a continuous growth. During the fiscal year 257 new Rotary Clubs have been organized in 35 counties in North, South and Central American, Europe, Asia, Africa, and the Islands of the Pacific.

Farmers Needing Hands Contact Bailey

Temporary office of the Texas Employment Commission has been opened in Lockney. J. D. Roberson, manager of the T. E. C. in Plainview, announced. O. C. Bailey of Lockney is to be in charge of this temporary office which is located in the Alford Produce building. Mr. Bailey will assist farmers in locating cotton pullers. All farmers needing hands are urged to contact Bailey as soon as possible and let him know their needs.

New Press Box At Football Field

A new press box has recently been constructed at Mitchell-Zimmerman Field here. The enclosure is seven feet wide and 20 feet long and is divided into two compartments, one for the radio announcer and another for the game announcer. The front, of course is glassed in so that the game may be observed even in bad weather. Local firms constructed the box.



P. F. BRIDGEWATER, Governor of the 183rd District of Rotary International, who will visit the Lockney Club Friday of this week.

City To Clamp Down On Traffic Violators Sat.

Starting Saturday of this week, City officials will clamp down on traffic violators and enforce local traffic ordinances as strictly as possible, citizens were warned this week.
Laws regarding double parking, speeding, stop signs, center parking, parking at fire plugs and many other traffic matters will be enforced and local drivers are warned to obey the law if they want to avoid a penalty.
To relieve the parking situation on Main Street, the city has provided lighted parking lots at several places. Double parking will not be permitted at any place and especially on Main Street, it was said.
Some drivers ignore traffic laws by parking on the left side of the street where parallel parking is required, it was said, and this is also prohibited. Cars should not be parked next to a fire plug at any point where the curb has been painted red or orange. This means that parking is prohibited at this point.
Speeding will also be closely watched and those who violate the speeding laws will be fined, it was said.
Citizens of the town and surrounding communities are requested to co-operate with the city officials in observing the traffic laws since they are designed for the benefit and protection of all.

Consolidation Is Lost By One Vote

The movement to consolidate the Lockney common school district and the Lone Star common school district lost by one vote in the consolidation election last Saturday according to a canvass by the Commissioners Court of Floyd County Monday of this week.
The election officials first gave the results as 44 for and 43 against the consolidation. However, when the Commissioners started to canvass the results it was discovered that two absentee ballots had been left out of the count by error and both of these ballots were against the consolidation. Legal advice given the Commissioners was to the effect that these two votes must be counted and this changed the result of the election.
The vote at Lockney was 33 for and 2 against.
This is the second time the question has been voted on, the first election resulting in a 41-41 tie at Lone Star.

HAS KNEE OPERATION

Bobby Baxter, right tackle on the Longhorn football squad, underwent an operation on his knee Monday of this week. The knee was first injured about two years ago and he has re-injured it again twice this year. He will be unable to play football any more this season. He was doing fine Wednesday.

CASH MARKETS

Poultry	
Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. & over	19c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs.	17c
Cocks, pound	8c
Eggs, No. 1 dozen	65c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, pound	60c
Butterfat, No. 2, pound	58c
Hides	
Hides, No. 1, pound	10c
Grain	
Wheat, per bushel	\$2.19
Milo, per cwt.	\$2.00
Cotton	
Spot Cotton, Dallas market	36.60
Alfalfa	
Dehydrated, in field, per ton	\$25
Baled Hay, No. 1 at mill, ton	\$30
Baled hay in field, truckers price, No. 1, per ton	\$45.00
Broadcast Feed, dehydrated, ton	\$12.50

Dagleys Celebrate Anniversary



The Golden Wedding Anniversary celebration for Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dagley of Lockney was held in their home in east Lockney Saturday, Oct. 6. The day started with the arrival of all eleven children and their families. Open house was held from 2 to 5 p. m. Children and friends presented many lovely gifts to Mr. and Mrs. Dagley.
Flowers were presented by Mrs. L. M. Honea and Mrs. Tommy Chamat of Lockney. Mrs. L. M. Honea and Mrs. George Meriwether assisted in serving guests. Mrs. F. N. Welch, sister, Friona, and Mrs. G. E. Welch, sister, Abilene, served cake and punch to many friends of the Dagleys.
The children, all present for the occasion are Mrs. R. C. Corbin and Diana, Weatherford, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Avy Dagley and Avenette, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dagley, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. U. V. Dagley, PERRY Sue, Nancy Delores, Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Gotch and Lee, Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Laughry, Jeanette, Dana and Bennie Jr., Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Joan, Howard Cooper, Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Dagley, Garey and Gena, Alve, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Dagley and Beverly, Lubbock, and Mrs. Tommy Gardner and Tommy Jr., Oklahoma City, Okla.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

The Plainview Hospital and Clinic Foundation wishes to announce the Association of ROBERT HOLT, M. D., Practice Limited to Eye Diseases and Eye Surgery. Glasses Fitted.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Bickley of Greenville, Texas, are announcing the arrival of John F. Bickley III. The young fellow was born October 3 and weighed five pounds, 14 1/2 ounces. His grandparents are Mrs. J. F. Bickley and Mrs. R. C. Johnston, both of Greenville. His parents spend considerable time at Lockney since they have farming interests here.

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South Plains

by Mrs. Murray Julian

Some rain, and a little hail fell in the northern part of our community on Friday night. R. E. Young caught about a quarter inch, and other places around him had a like amount.

Mrs. L. T. Wood was called to Tucumcari, N. M. early Sunday morning by the illness of her sister, who was to undergo a serious operation Monday morning. We hope the sister is entirely out of danger by now, and that Mrs. Wood will be able to come home soon. Juanelle and Glenn did not accompany Mrs. Wood on account of school.

There were several new faces at church Sunday. Carol Reeves was home from Seminary at Ft. Worth and she had as house guest, her room mate, Evelyn Hill and Robert Johns, also a student at the Seminary was visiting Carol's brothers, Raymond and Bob. They arrived at the Reeves' home on Friday night, and left Monday for Fort Worth and classes again.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones of Secorra, N. M., were visiting Mrs. Jones' sister here, Mrs. Lee Pearson and husband during the past week end. They returned to their home on Monday.

Party Honors

Mrs. Sterling Cummings

Thursday afternoon, Oct. 4, the spacious home of Mrs. R. E. Young was the scene of a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Sterling Cummings. The table was laid with a lace cloth, and pink and white periwinkles made a pretty decorative note. Fall flowers were placed throughout the entertaining rooms, and Mrs. Cummings was presented a beautiful corsage. Mrs. Rex Smitherman was in charge of the guests register, and Mrs. Arby Mulder and Mrs. Carl Daniels alternated at the serving table where pink punch, pink mints, and pink and white iced angel food squares were served the guests.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Gilbert Bean, Horace Marble, Carl Daniel, Murray Julian, Bryant Higginbotham, Harry Hartman, Herman Thornton, Arby Mulder, Rex Smitherman, Grigsby Milton, L. N. Johnson, L. T. Wood, Wade Deavenport and George Beedy.

Attending the party were Mmes. John West, George West, John Allen, Shelby Calahan, Kendall Cummings, Hilburn Casey, Dock Jones, Sim Reeves, W. J. Casey, H. S. Calahan, Sr., H. S. Calahan, Jr., Zack Cummings and hostesses. Those sending gifts were Mmes. E. J. Cobb, Harmon Handley, Edgar Hays, Leslie Ferguson, Frank Perkins, E. Woodburn, C. R. Wofford, Thur-

man Davis, Inez Mosley, Estelle Powers, Polly Gilbert, Octavia Carthel, B. Brunner, Helmuth Quebe, Arthur Brown, E. A. McLeod, Henry Ford, J. D. Copeland, Buck Sams, Henry Hodel, W. E. Terrell, R. V. Webster, Billy Bean and Frances Montandon, all from Lockney. From South Plains, Mmes. L. H. Parks, E. Huckabee, Bill Beedy, J. P. Taylor, J. B. Smitherman, E. McGuire and Elmo Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. Rene Yeary attended the Tri-State Fair on Wednesday of last week in Amarillo, and they went to the Ringling Brothers circus, while they were there and enjoyed it very much.

Several families were represented at the Youth Rally which was held at the Baptist Church in Floydada on Saturday night. Rev. John Allen and Mrs. Allen took a car load of children, and many others from South Plains were there. It was a very interesting presentation of scenes taken at the Holy Land, and Rev. Motesbocker gave a wonderful talk about all the places he visited on this tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marten from Seymour, Texas, came to visit the George Weasts on Tuesday night, and stayed with them until Wednesday night.

Mrs. Rene Yeary and her guest, Mrs. Joe Phillips, from Lockney were visitors at Sunday School and church Sunday. Hope they can come back often.

Mr. and Mrs. Arby Mulder, Nathan and Catherine went into Lockney after church Sunday to have dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown and spend the afternoon visiting with them. Mr. Mulder's mother has been quite ill again the past week, and Mr. and Mrs. Mulder have gone every day to see about her. She is better at the time of this writing, and we hope she continues to improve.

Rev. and Mrs. John Allen had as guests to dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thames and their two sons.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stakeup of Mineral Wells Mr. and Mrs. Barber Hockersmith of Waco, and Mrs. E. C. Austin, Borger, were visitors in the Sim Reeves home on Monday and Mrs. Reeves' sister, Mrs. Walton Wilson, of Fairview visited there on Monday also.

Among those who have appeared on the radio station were two of Mrs. Rene Yeary's pupils, Louise Pritchett and Jacqueline Yeary, who played on the program Friday morning. This is

Mr. Holmes' program, and from time to time others will be appearing from our community.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stanforth Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stanforth Jr., gave a birthday party for Billy III, on Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 2. The day was beautiful, and the small guests assembled outdoors, where they played on the swings and slides, and were entertained with games. Billy enjoyed opening the exciting packages, and then his grandmother and mother served delicious home made ice cream and cakes. His mother made and decorated his birthday cake, which delighted the children, with its cowboys, fences and horses around the cake. Small individual iced cakes were served the children, and each cake had the child's name written on it. Small guests who helped Billy celebrate were: Linda and Mae Willson, Anne and Sally McIntosh, Jeff, Kim and Jim Kimble, Bill Potts, Charles Brown, Nancy Ginn, Ricky Field, Beth Word, Mike Carter, Bobbie Reue, Jimmie Upton and Billy Stanforth. Mothers who were present were Mmes. Ernest Carter, Rex Brown, John Kimble, Jim Word, Jimmy Willson, Jr., Jack McIntosh, Menard Field, all from Floydada, and Mrs. A. L. Stewart and Mrs. Nina Upton from South Plains.

The South Plains Community Club held its second meeting of the year on Thursday night, Oct. 4, with a covered dish supper, and the evening was spent in playing games of "42." So many of our people are so busy in the fields, that it was decided to have the Club meet once a month until the busy season is over. The next meeting date will be announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fatenberry and Elmo and Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Sanders were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Sanders' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Reeves. They all went home with Reeves from church.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and small children spent Sunday afternoon visiting Mrs. Wilson's parents in Floydada. Mr. and Mrs. Menard Fields, The Fields had kept Gary and Sue over Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Milton and family, who now live in Amarillo were all Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Milton and Linnie in Lockney. They all went in after church was over, and found Linnie doing fine.

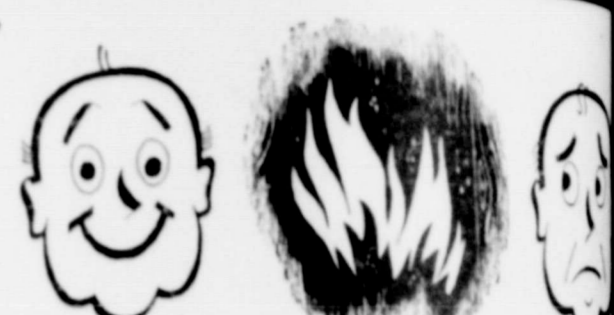
Mrs. Lee Pearson had the mis-

fortune to run her hand through the wringer of the washing machine last week and she has been suffering with her hand a great deal. No bones were broken but the pain is more intense than if there were. Mrs. John West helped in the lunch room the day after the accident.

A family reunion was held at the Kirkland home in Amarillo last Wednesday. Mrs. Carl Daniels went to her mothers to attend the reunion, and since it was also Mrs. Daniel's brothers birthday, they planned a turkey dinner, and Mrs. Daniels decorated a big birthday cake, and served it with ice cream. Mrs. Daniels brother is Ray Kirkland

of Sacramento, Calif. He and his home Thursday. Mrs. Daniel's home, Mrs. Pearl Gamm, Bradley, all sisters of Mrs. Daniels were there from Amarillo, and Mrs. W. L. M. from Silverton, another sister, completed the home Wednesday evening. Mrs. Daniels called on Mrs. Sula Johnson from Lockney Sunday afternoon, and found she was well enough out riding with her son, Julian.

Billy Stanforth Jr. is in the hospital at present



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— Texas Tech's fall enrollment Thursday an increase of 14 from who registered for in the spring. officials were pleased fall enrollment in view conditions. enrollment is a drop from the fall of 1950 when enrolled.

Men outnumber women on the campus almost three to one. The number of veterans dropped from 1,070 in the spring to slightly more than 600.

Miss Betty June Clark of Amarillo visited her parents and friends in Lockney over the week end.

Approximately \$125,000 is being spent each month from March of Dimes funds in caring for Texas polio patients.

Floyd County Soil Conservation News

E. W. Tibbitts has just completed fourteen miles of terraces on his farm south of Quitaque. He is cooperating with Production and Marketing Administration program and the Floyd County Soil Conservation District with the engineering assistance of the Soil Conservation Service. This farm was beginning to gully some and was already loosing top soil.

Mr. Tibbitts has also completed two diversion terraces in his pasture just outside his field. One diversion will empty into a lake that will be used for a stock pond for cattle to water and at the same time will keep the excess water from gulying his field.

Lloyd Pate, farming in the McCoy community, has seeded his benches to pasture, using a legume for a soil builder.

Harvey Tardy, also of McCoy, has seeded fifteen acres of pasture. There was not sufficient moisture to get it up so he is irrigating.

H. R. Patterson has planted 25 acres of bench levelled land on his farm west of Floydada to mixed grasses with vetch and sweet clover. The planting was made prior to recent rains and both grasses and legumes are up to a very good stand.

Cotton planted on sorghum ground around Lakeview does not look near as good as that on summer fallowed ground. Cotton on wheat ground seems to be holding up better than the cotton on sorghum land.

Rhea Mitchell says that his bench levelled ground dries up faster and is ready to work sooner than the lower part of his straight row fields.

Leslie Ferguson states that he is growing cotton on some land that has been out of alfalfa four years and you can still tell the difference.

National Fire Prevention Week
The Proclamation of President Truman that the week of October 7-13 will be observed as National Fire Prevention Week this year should come to the attention of every property owner.

Farm fire losses to property rose in 1950 to \$102 million, \$7 million greater than the 1949 estimates. In addition, it is estimated that fires cost the lives of upwards of 3,000 farm people. In the national mobilization of farms for increased agricultural production, the need is clear for stepping up our fire prevention activities not only during National Fire Prevention Week but also throughout the year. Preparedness in the field of fire prevention is also essential to adequate civil defense.

The job of fire prevention on

farms is a big one. If all of us do our part, we can reduce the mounting losses to safeguard farm families and the Nation's agricultural resources.

Local Students Practice Teaching

Sam Daniel, son of the Reverend and Mrs. N. S. Daniel, and Janice Thompson, niece of Miss Juanita Thompson, of Lockney are among the twenty-seven education students who have received practice teaching appointments for the fall semester, according to Dr. Andrew W. Hunt, head of the education department of McMurry College, Abilene. Miss Thompson is to practice teaching the third grade at Alta Vista grade school in Abilene. Sam Daniel is to practice teaching physical education at South Junior High School in Abilene also.

Janice Thompson, senior student at McMurry College, has been extended an invitation to join Wah Wahaysee, women's service organization at McMurry.

In order to become a member of the group of approximately 30, a student must be of advanced standing and be maintaining at least an all-round grade average of 1.5.

Formerly a drum and bugle corps, the group now serves entirely as a service organization, acting as official hostess of the campus.

District 3-A Teams Win Last Week

Three of the District 3-A football teams won last week while two of them lost games. Lockney defeated Kress 51-12 in a district game to account for one win and one loss in the district.

Abernathy, rated along with Lockney as one of the top teams in the district, defeated Seagraves 35 to 0 in a game at Abernathy. Seagraves had previously won over Slaton and Hermleigh by identical scores, 19-7.

Crosbyton edged out the Stanton team 6-0. Happy defeated Hale Center, another 3-A team, 45-0.

Other games of the area saw Floydada defeat a good Spur team 24-13. The Longhorns play Floydada this week end.

Falls defeated Post 21-20 and Denver City defeated Tulla 18 to 13.

Littlefield outclassed Paducah 34 to 7 and Olton whipped Meadow 30 to 0.

For the first time in the present emergency, active duty orders are being issued to a number of Naval Reserve chaplains on other than a voluntary basis. The Navy said that needs of an expanding service, together with a drop during recent months in the number of chaplains volunteering made the move necessary.

Ten per cent of the total weight of a U. S. Navy submarine is rubber, most of it used in the 252 storage batteries on board an undersea attacker.

Married Navy personnel are using 760 Navy-owned trailers at six installations in the continental U. S.

O. M. Watson, Jr. Naced C. Of C. Mgr.

Olin M. Watson, Jr., who is expected to be released from the armed forces between November 1 and 10, will be the new manager of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce it was announced recently by James H. Word, president of the organization.

Watson was recalled from inactive status in the army reserve to duty about one year ago and has been stationed at Ft. Sill. A veteran of three years in World War II, Watson was assistant cashier of the Lamesa National Bank, when he was called back into service. He was with the 89th division, in Patton's third army that marched across closing days of the war with Germany.

In addition to Watson's background of war service he is a graduate of Texas Technological college with a BBA degree and he was for four years an employee and officer of the First National bank at Floydada. He and the C-C directors reached an

agreement last week end and the announcement was made Tuesday, Watson will succeed M. Standefer who resigned a month ago to be associated with Southwestern Public Service company in their Plainview office.

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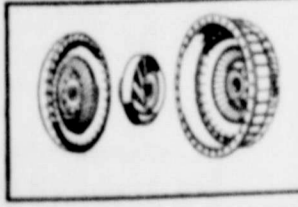


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Society News

Baptist Church Is Scene Of Social

Thursday, October 4, at 8 p. m. at the First Baptist Church a barbecue and social meeting was conducted by the young married adults of the Baptist Training Union. New officers were elected as follows: president, Wayne McClain; vice-president, Thurman Thomas; men's group chairman, Don Murphy; ladies group chairman, Mrs. Wayne McClain; Bible readers leader, Mrs. Ross Cooper; social chairman, Mrs. Glen Cooper, and secretary, Udell Cunningham. Those present were Messers and Mmes. Glen Cooper, Thomas Marr, Udell Cunningham, Thurman Thomas, LaRue Glenn, E. J. Cobb, Wayne McClain, Don Murphy, Clarence McCandless, Mrs. Ross Cooper, Mrs. Carroll Boyd and Mrs. Edward Smith.

Townsend PTA Meets To Plan Carnival

Teachers and room mothers of Townsend Elementary school met Wednesday afternoon to make plans for a Halloween carnival. Patrons and friends of the school are urged to plan to cooperate when called upon to help make the coming event enjoyable as well as profitable for the school, officers of the organization said this week.

GRIFFITH VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. John Griffith had a number of their children and grandchildren as week end visitors. These included Mrs. Elsie Kunkel, Mrs. Gilbert Hallford and son, Willford, John and Retha Anderwald of Bandera; Mrs. Floyd Reagan of Cokedale, Colo.; Mrs. Jo Ann Savage and baby of Colorado Springs; Mrs. Wayne Servant of North Dakota.

Mrs. Hodge, State President, TFWC, Speaks To LaVentana Club Tuesday

La Ventana Study Club of Lone Star and guests from six towns representing sixteen clubs met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. W. Smith of Sterley to hear Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, Midland, President Texas Federation of Women's Clubs speak on "A New Birth of Freedom." In connection with the program the social committee composed of Mrs. Raymond Teeple, Mrs. Ben McGhee and Mrs. Hubert Frizzell entertained with a tea.

The refreshment table was laid with an imported maderia cut-work cloth centered with an arrangement of purple asters and white dahlias. Dainty sandwiches, nuts, cakes and punch were served.

Mr. Gene Trimble sang "Pilgrim's Song" by Tschaiakowsky accompanied at the piano by Mrs. C. L. Record, Mrs. E. J. Foster, program chairman, introduced the honor guest who had flown here for the occasion. Mrs. Hodge complimented La Ventana and other club members of this district on their splendid work and cooperation. She laid before them the responsibilities which rest with women in restoring peace and happiness in all nations. Among the Texas achievements toward this goal have been the sending of 20 radios to Iran, hundreds of pounds of food and clothing, letter writing and good-will tours.

Mrs. J. W. Walker, editor Texas Club Women, from Plainview spoke briefly of the Federation convention to be held in November at Texas State College for Women at Denton.

Mrs. C. D. Merrick, president of La Ventana Study Club presided at the meeting. Guests from Plainview included Mmes. M. B. Hood, Geo. T. Perdue, W. F. Foley, O. B. Jackson, Emmett Thornton, Louis Cummings, Walter Young, Wayne Boyd, W. K. McCaskill, J. W. Walker. From Lockney were Mmes. Tom Moore, Rhea Mitchell, G. M. Brunner, T. B. Mitchell, Edgar Hays, Henry Schacht, Guy Sams, I. A. Applegate, L. M. Honea, Clyde Kemp, C. L. Record, Hershel Cartliff and Mr. Gene Trimble.

From Floydada were Mmes. John E. Hoffman, Ed Holmes, K. Farris. From Silverton were Mmes. T. C. Bomar, Donald Weast, Fred W. Mercer, and Lela Kellum. Others were Mrs. Vestal Hastings, Tulla and Mrs. Hodge, Midland.

La Ventana Club members present were Mmes. E. J. Foster, H. E. Frizzell, J. T. Griffin, Herman Huffman, M. S. Johnson, Bill Johnson, Albert King, Clois King, Herman King, Ben McGhee, Charlie Merrick, Jack Nix, W. T. Rankin, Elmer Sandusky, Robert Smith, A. H. Suter, Clarence Strickland, Raymond Teeple, Kenneth Wofford and Miss Lillie Wingo.

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I am deeply grateful to all my friends for everything you have done for me since I have been ill. I thank you for all the cards, flowers, and visits and for every prayer offered in my behalf. Especially do I thank Brother and Mrs. Daniel for their thoughtfulness. I pray God's blessings upon each of you.

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WSCS Meets Mon. For Study

The WSCS met Monday afternoon in the second session of their study on "Latin America," with Mrs. Daniel leading. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Paul Cooper. Mrs. Olive Myers gave a talk on the Lepers and the work that is being done with them in Latin America. Mrs. L. A. Cooper discussed, "Methodist Work in Cuba."

A new meeting time was set at three o'clock each Monday instead of four o'clock. There were twenty-four women present who were as follows: Mmes. L. W. McCuiston, W. L. Thomas, N. S. Daniel, L. A. Cooper, C. J. Taylor, W. O. Stuart, Paul Cooper, Ivey Thomas, Buck Sams, Lura Stinebaugh, Threet, Pratt, Olive Myers, F. L. Brown, D. O. Alldredge, Frank Dodson, Tom Rankin, G. E. Tannahill, Hugh Counts, J. H. Hartman, R. E. Patterson, E. R. Harris, W. B. Sandefur, and Miss Mildred Thomas.

The members of the WSCS welcomed into their "Shut-in Circle" Mrs. J. S. Bullock.

Lone Star Home Dem. Club Meets

Many beautiful hand-made Christmas gifts were shown in answer to roll call when the Lone Star Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. D. J. Phillips. Twelve members were present with Mrs. Hubert Frizzell presiding during the business hour. Report of Council was given by Mrs. C. L. King. The following officers for the coming year were elected: Mrs. Hubert Frizzell, president; Mrs. Wiley Nance, vice-president; Mrs. Raymond Teeple, Secretary-Treasurer; and Mrs. C. L. King was elected council-delegate.

Mrs. Wiley Nance passed out patterns and directions for making Christmas gifts, and Mrs. M. O. Peugh made several pieces of decorative paper for wrapping Christmas gifts.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Wiley Nance, Hubert Frizzell, J. C. Lovvorn, A. O. Foster, C. L. King, M. W. Hartman, Charlie Merrick, Raymond Teeple, M. O. Peugh, Bailey Henderson, Albert King, G. B. Johnston, and D. J. Phillips. On Oct. 16 the club is to meet with Mrs. Raymond Teeple. A white elephant sale of hand-made gifts will be held.

Pfc. Charles L. Samples is home on a twelve day leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Samples, and Ted and Joanne. He will return to Fort Lee Virginia, Friday, Oct. 12, where he will resume his job as an instructor.

C. N. Townsend PTA Has Good Meeting

The C. N. Townsend Parent-Teacher Association had an interesting meeting Tuesday evening at 8:00 o'clock at the City Auditorium with Mrs. E. J. Foster, president, presiding.

During the business meeting it was voted to have a study course in the near future on P. T. A. Procedure. The cost of the course will be 50 cents and those interested in taking the book is asked to contact Mrs. Henry Schacht. About the first of the year a family and home study course will be held. The following delegates to the P. T. A. convention at Dallas Nov. 14, 15, 16 were elected: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster and Mrs. J. C. Kemp. Alternates are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schacht and Mrs. Revis Harris. The attendance banner went to Mr. Carrol Boyd's seventh grade room who had the most parents represented at the PTA meeting.

Future Homemakers Of America Club Have Initiation

Forty new girls were initiated into the Future Homemakers Club of Lockney High School on Monday night, Oct. 8, in the educational building of the First Baptist Church.

The meeting was called to order by Pat Pylant, the president. Mrs. Adams, the F. H. A. sponsor, gave the invocation. The vice-president, Gayle Sherman, read the creed to the girls and explained the emblem and degrees of achievements. Gayle then presented the new members to the president who in turn presented the initiates with their ribbons and yearbooks.

The new girls were told to bring kitchen utensils to school the next day and to stop everyone in the halls that they could and tell them what the utensil is used for and how it is used. The meeting was dismissed with Elizabeth Handley giving the benediction. Delicious refreshments of punch and cookies was served to the girls.

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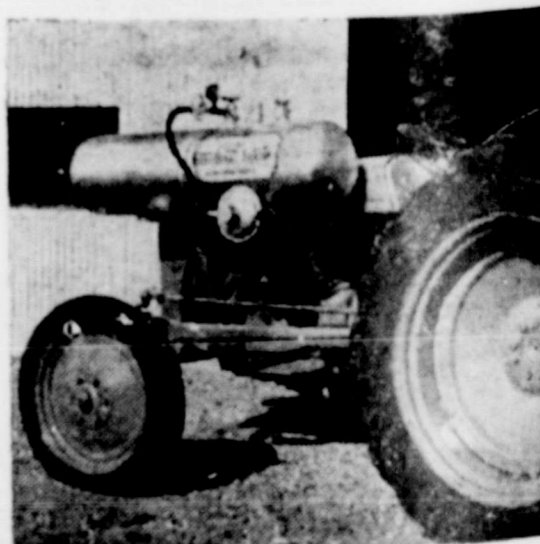
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Ralls Man Heads Scout District

John Thomas of Ralls was elected District Chairman of the Haynes District, Boy Scouts of America at the annual election meeting of this district held in Ralls Tuesday night. Weldon Boyd of Petersburg was elected District Vice-Chairman and Earl Tinnin, retiring District Chairman of Ralls was elected District Commissioner. Clyde E. Martin of Petersburg was reelected Ass't District Commissioner in charge of Cub Scouting and Dr. Perry Smith of Floydada was elected Ass't District Commissioner in charge of Exploring.

Scouters of Haynes District Committee met at the Ralls Inn Dining Room Tuesday evening. Officers and members-at-large for the year beginning November 1st were elected. The nominating committee presented their recommendations for the various offices and all men recommended were elected by acclamation.

Sixteen men from communities of the five-county district were elected member-at-large to serve on the six operating committees which make up the District Committee. These men are: Alton Steele of Silverton; Burl Pierce, Turkey; Jack Roberson and Charlie Mann of Ralls; Earl Wampler, Robertson; Dr. G. C. Patrick, Spur; G. W. Jones, Crosbyton; Jess Stanton, Floydada; Glenn Woodruff, Matador; Barry Barker and Hubert Frizzell, Lockney; Lee Purvis, Boaring Springs; W. O. Cherry, Lorenzo; Cecil Welch; Kenneth Johnson; and Joe B. Mayo.

County Library Gets Gift Books From Hutchison

The Public Library Steering Committee met Monday afternoon at 3:30 in the library room on the second floor of the Floyd County Court House. The sixty-five gift books from the Hutchison County Library were enthusiastically examined. A letter of appreciation has been written to Miss Hostetler, librarian of the Hutchison County Library.

Floyd County has been invited to send representatives to District One's third annual meeting on Saturday, Oct. 20, at Canyon. District one includes the Panhandle and South Plains Counties. Miss Jo Eunice Battle, chairman, reports that Dr. Donald Strout, director of the Library school and librarian of the University of Denver will be the guest speaker at the morning session and he will serve as coordinator of the work-shop to be held during the afternoon session. Mrs. Roy Wilkes and Mrs. Jim Barnard plan to attend. They hope that other interested people will go to Canyon with them to secure information and inspiration in the community's efforts toward founding a free County Library for Floyd County.

Pointers On Digging Lake Pits Given

By Carl J. Muench, Engineer
 What about drilling wells or digging pits in the bottom of these high plains lakes to dry them up?

We have seen holes in the bottom and sides of lakes that apparently are getting the job done but a lot of engineering and research needs to be done before this method of draining lakes is perfected.

Before a drainage well is dug a test hole should be dug to estimate the condition of water sand into which the water will be drained. Also, an effective method of filtering must be constructed to prevent trash from entering the hole. Another problem is danger of contamination of the underground water supply by the introduction of large amounts of impurities from the surface.

An effective and practical way to increase drainage is to dig a pit in the bottom of the lake. This pit should be ten feet wide and at least 75 feet long and 8 to ten feet deep. Where the subsurface caliche is permeable this pit will be an effective drain.

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Men attending this meeting were Earl Tinnin, Charlie Mann, J. B. Prewitt and Al Ray Cooper of Ralls; M. A. Lea, Jr., Dickens; G. W. Jones, Crosbyton; Alton Steele, Silverton; Dee Copeland, Lockney; Weldon Boyd, Ray Bradshaw and A. C. McIlroy of Petersburg and Charles Wendt, D. S. E., Floydada.

Mrs. A. J. Mabry who underwent a serious operation some three weeks ago, continues to improve and is doing fine at her home here.

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The award is official recognition of his successful completion of 3 years of continuous study in the Chrysler Corporation Master Technicians' Service Conference. Bilbrey received a beautifully inscribed and mounted certificate from top Chrysler Corporation service officials. As an added memento of his accomplishment he was also given a fine cigarette lighter bearing the insignia of the Master Technicians' Service Conference.

The completion of 3 years in the MTSC places Bilbrey among the best informed automobile servicemen in the country. The course in which he has been enrolled takes the guesswork out of auto service by teaching the latest factory-approved methods of diagnosing mechanical troubles and making adjustments and repairs with a minimum expenditure of materials and labor. It results in more accurate work at less expense to the auto owner.

W. B. Rice, Director of Service for the Plymouth Division of the Chrysler Corporation, and administrator of MTSC, called the award "a recognition of individual effort on the part of a man who sincerely wants to improve his ability in his occupation."

"MTSC provides an opportunity for a man to become better at his job by study and work," Rice said. "However, there is nothing compulsory about it, and a man who thinks enough of his work to engage in outside study for three consecutive years is certainly to be commended."

The program, which is now in general use in Chrysler Corporation dealerships throughout the United States, has proven so successful that its materials have been translated into many foreign languages for use abroad. Its three-fold purpose is to train new service personnel, to serve as a "refresher course" for more experienced men, and to eliminate the costly, time-consuming "hit-and-miss" system of diagnosing mechanical troubles. Courses are built around a series of instructional kits, which are sent to enrolled dealers monthly. Each kit deals with a specific service problem and has been prepared under the supervision of automotive service and educational experts. Here locally the men study and work on the course in Bilbrey Motor Company dealership under the direction of conference leader Truett Bilbrey utilizing the kits which consist of sound slide films, booklets and charts illustrating the problem under discussion. At the end of each conference, the serviceman completes a short quiz on the subject matter covered, and his questionnaire is sent to MTSC Headquarters for reviewing and grading. The questionnaire becomes a part of the man's permanent record, and serves as the basis for future awards.

Crop Organization Is Started Mon.

A meeting Monday night in the Home Demonstration Club room at Floydada saw the beginning of a CROP organization for Floyd County. Ministers attending included Rev. E. J. Cobb of Lockney and Rev. H. L. Anderson of Providence.

The Christian Rural Overseas Program is designed to provide food for hungry refugees in European countries. Films were shown at the meeting describing the work of the organization. Further organizational work will be necessary.

Mrs. G. D. Russell will teach PIANO at Mrs. J. B. Allen's beginning October 15.

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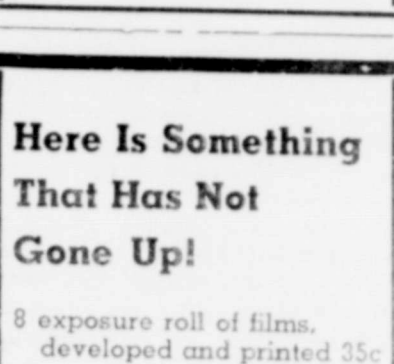
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EDITORIAL

Though I speak with the tongues of men and angels, and have not charity, I am become as sounding brass, or a tinkling cymbal.—1 Cor. 13:1.

This week end will bring to Lockney the annual gridiron battle between the Lockney Longhorns and the Floydada Whirlwinds. Since there is a great deal of rivalry between the two teams and since adults many times take football games too seriously, or at least more seriously than they should be taken, we hope that Lockney fans will be on their toes to be courteous and hospitable to the Floydada fans and team.

The Red Youth of Eastern Germany are no different from other youth it seems. Recently, according to reports from Berlin, during the Moscow sponsored Red Youth Festival in the American sector of Berlin, more than a million Red youths deserted the festivities planned by Moscow and saw real American-made movies. If the movies influenced those Red youth as they do the American youth, then the movies have made a major contribution in the fight against Communism.

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Old age is creeping up on America. There are now living in these United States some 12,000,000 people past the age of 65. That is almost twice as many as there were in 1930. Statistics show that another 15 years will see around 20,000,000 people past this age. Most of these people now have steady incomes, some from old age pensions, some from investments and some still working for a living. A decade ago this wasn't true—most of the people of this age group were dependents. Merchants should consider this age group in their merchandising plans. Definitely a group made up of 8% of the total population of the United States is worthy to be sought after in a merchandising way.

Come November there is going to be a lot of head scratching and studying for the poor merchant. Uncle Sam has slapped some additional taxes on such things as cigarettes, liquor, gasoline, automobiles, auto repair parts, household appliances, and some luxury items. However there is one bright spot in the tax picture. Our old Uncle has at long last repealed the present 20 per cent tax on baby oils, powders and lotions. No one who ever had a baby would consider these as luxury items.

Law enforcement officers have a hard time at best in their efforts to enforce the law. Their task is made doubly hard when supposedly patriotic citizens do things to hinder their efforts. People of this city, this state and the nation should realize that laws are made for the protection of all and that their enforcement is a necessary part of the American way of life. It is then the duty of every citizen to first obey the law and second to lend all aid possible to officers who are seeking to enforce that law. Most laws are good and those that aren't good should be repealed. When the average citizen loses his respect for law then America has reached a sad state.

TODAY'S FIRE SAFETY FLASH



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MEMO TO KRESS

It has come to us indirectly that some of the good people down at Kress are mad at us over football.

It seems that the Kress high school team ran into a lot of trouble Friday night and lost to Lockney. The score was 51-12. The story appeared in a rather prominent position in our sports pages Saturday morning.

The fans claim that on the two previous week ends, when the Kangaroos showed up to much better advantage, all they got in the paper was a line of 6-point type.

We want to assure the good fans of Kress that we have nothing against them. In fact, we wish a delegation of them would come up to the Globe-News office some Friday night and see what happens in this football reporting business. With 50 or 60 games in the immediate area to cover, all of them being played at the same time, you can imagine the confusion.

Not only is the sports staff covered up, but we frequently have the farm editor, the tele-

graph editor, a couple of society girls, the police reporter, and the music critic taking stories about games. We even have a dictaphone gadget we attach to a telephone, so that our roving sports reporters can dictate stories of games to be transcribed later when the rush subsides.

The prominence, or lack of prominence, given a certain game story depends on a great many things. Sometimes the coach, or our own correspondent, forgets to phone at all. Sometimes the call is late. Sometimes we run out of space. It might develop that the makeup editor shouts over the din that he has more 24-point heads than he can use, and how about a 36 or a 2-column of some kind. And now and then the fellows in the composing room look up the sports pages right on the deadline, and then discover a couple of stories left over.

Lots of things can happen. The fact is, we have a sneaking admiration for the Kress team. The boys who played against Lockney Friday night were small, but they were willing. They hustled and did their best, and that's the sort of team we like to watch.

A lot of mistakes have come out of these Friday night football-writing sessions here at The Globe-News, but they are mistakes of the head and not of the heart. There must be more than two thousand high school boys plowing up and down half a hundred Panhandle gridirons every week end, and we love them all. They're good boys, and they hold the future of this great region in their hands. We wish we could give every one of them his due in the Saturday morning paper. But all we can do is our best; and we hope that these boys and their coaches and their fans will remember that we wish them all well. — Amarillo Daily News.

WHO'S TRUTHFUL?

We're praying, but honestly we sometimes don't know who is telling the truth—us or the other guy!

For instance, President Truman called probably three-fourths of the people of these United States liars the other day, when he stated in emphatic tones that there was no chance of this country ever going bankrupt—that is, as long as he is controlling the pursestrings. Only time will tell whether he is right or wrong—but the sad fact is that it will be too late to do anything about it if we wait for time to be the deciding factor.

For instance, our government in 1930 spent \$2.7 billions for non-military purposes. Last year they were \$27.8 billions. Ten times as much. Was government ten times as useful to the people? We doubt that there is any truth in that. — Crosbyton Review.

LONG STORY, FEW WORDS...

(This story, from an unknown source, was reprinted recently in the Canadian Record. It speaks, as the editor believes, loudly for itself.)

"The story of the creation of the world is told in Genesis in 400 words.

"The world's greatest moral code, the Ten Commandments, contains only 297 words.

"Lincoln's Gettysburg Address is but 266 words in length.

"The Declaration of Independence required only 1321 words to set up a new concept of freedom.

"The Office of Price Administration uses 2500 words to announce a reduction in the price of cabbage seed."

Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the file of The Lockney Beacon.

February 28, 1913

Shortly after midnight on February 23, Francisco I. Madero and Pino Suarez, deposed President and Vice-President, respectively, of the Mexican Republic, were shot to death while en route in automobiles from the National Palace to the Federal penitentiary.

A Missionary Tea was given by the ladies of the Methodist Church in the home of Mrs. J. C. Guest, Saturday from 3 to 10 p. m. The hosts and the hostesses were dressed in Colonial costumes. Many relics of special interest were on display in the parlor.

The new chemical fire engine ordered last fall has arrived. The engine is mounted on a truck, carrying a double barrel cylinder, with 1,400 gallons capacity to each barrel, or its equivalent in water.

The Lockney Supply Co. opened their doors last Saturday with R. F. Wilkison of Amarillo in charge. Other employees are Mrs. Wilkison, N. B. Lewis, and Mrs. Lillie Britton.

December 19, 1919

The Harvest Queen Mills has prepared plans and will erect a huge elevator in Plainview with a capacity of 300,000 bushels of grain, built of re-enforced concrete, to be modern in every detail and fire-proof. It will contain about a dozen grain tanks, each 80 feet tall.

May 1, 1930

Upon the resignation of Dr. Colvern D. Henry as president of the Chamber of Commerce, Frank Perkins, 1st vice president of the organization, was promoted by the group as acting president. Dr. Henry plans to begin work in the Plainview Sanitarium as house surgeon and x-ray man.

Mrs. Fred Bell, age 40 years, died at a Lubbock hospital Saturday night about 11 o'clock, following an accident that occurred on the Ralls-Lubbock Highway. Mrs. Bell's neck was

broken and she was buried in the cemetery. She is survived by husband and two sons, age 18 and Ted, age 8.

Lorene Workman and Hartman of Lockney made honor roll for the winter at Texas Technological College an average grade of 82 plus respectively on 16 items of work.

E. E. Dyer, of the Dyer Company, bought the Bros. hardware and store. The business is known as the Dyer Hardware Furniture.

Governor W. J. Hall Oklahoma will announce 29th annual Oklahoma Chamber of Commerce Tour scheduled to start during the week of May 22.

A rainfall measuring device broke the record for local people here being in for more than a month of rain at this time. The wheat is growing in ground in good stage planting of the entire crops.

Glenna Collins and M. Ford won a victory over the girls in bi-district tennis. The girls will represent 1 and 2 at Austin May 15. Miss Collins will be accompanied by coach, Miss Carma Taylor.

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Religious Notes

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willing to pay the price for peace? What is the price? Money, prayer and service. Real service to God.

Go to church Sunday. Many were absent this past Sunday that should have been there.

The Sub-District meeting of the youth Fellowship group met Monday night at Lorenzo.

Thoughts For The Week To help meet the spiritual need of others is to enrich my own life.

Faith grows in the heart where Christ dwells. Revival date, Oct. 27-Nov. 4. Pray: Pray: Mrs. Newton Daniel.

Mrs. W. L. Thomas, Sr. returned home Friday after having spent the past ten days in the home of her sister, Mrs. G. C. Fairry of Odessa.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

Don't forget bacon can be "baked", too. Use a rack in a dripping pan, set the automatic gas oven heat control for 350 degrees, and cook until crisp and brown.

The first American paper mill was erected at Germantown, Pennsylvania, in 1690, the same year that the first American newspaper was attempted.

Fire Prevention and Civil Defense Go Hand in Hand

Fire prevention is an important part of civil defense. If an enemy attacks this country, his bombs, whether they be atomic, high explosive, or incendiary, will cause more damage by fire than they will by blast.

The majority of all fires start in trashpiles, rubbish, or stored odds and ends that accumulate around the house. Closets, attics, and cellars are the main source of home fires, and plain ordinary good housekeeping is a strong line of defense against them.

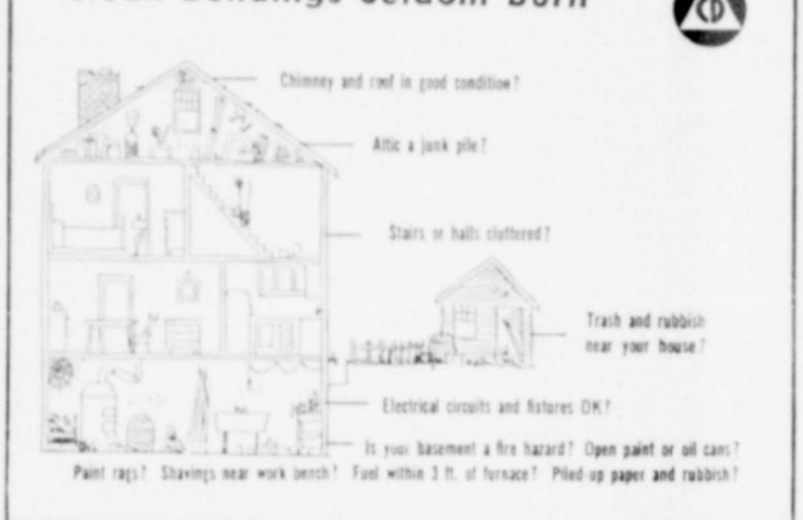
Clean out your storage places. You will be surprised at how many burnable odds and ends are really useless to you. Don't let them make your home a fire hazard.

Don't stop when you've cleared out the inside of your house. Go after rubbish in your back yard, in alleys and in vacant lots near your home. Collect the rubbish and burn it. Don't leave it around to burn if an enemy bombs your city.

Take a look at your electrical system. Buy new plugs and cords if yours are worn. Get advice from an electrician if your fuses blow frequently.

Every winter costly fires are started by faulty furnaces, stoves, and other heating plants. Some result from too much soot in chimneys. Others are caused by rusted or cracked pipes and fittings.

"Clean Buildings Seldom Burn"



Tech Homecoming Is October 26-27

Lubbock — Partial plans for the annual homecoming of Texas Tech ex-students have been announced by D. M. McElroy, executive secretary of the Texas Tech Ex-Student Association.

McElroy said the homecoming would be held the week end of the Tech-University of Arizona football game, Oct. 26-27. About 5,000 ex-students are expected to participate in several homecoming events.

Registration of ex-students will be Friday, Oct. 26, and a pre-game pep rally is scheduled for Friday night. Breakfasts, coffees, and receptions are on tap for Saturday morning with the homecoming parade at 10 a. m. and a luncheon at the Tech gymnasium at noon.



The secret of being able to shoot longer into the twilight, both when the shadows lengthen into night and when age begins to creep up on a man, is to learn to be a "pointer" not an aimer, with your shotgun.

Gasoline, benzine, naphtha, and similar fluids should never be used indoors. When mixed with air, their vapors can be ignited by an electric fan, or the tiny flame of a pilot light.

The co-ordination of this instinctive snap shooting is generally a matter of keeping at it. Sooner or later your gun points nearer to the bird your eyes follow and the scattering shot do the rest.

Irick News

By Mrs. J. C. Chambers

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Battle were pleasantly surprised Thursday by having two families of former neighbors drop in for a visit.

Tulla, also came for a visit the same day. Needless to say they enjoyed the day very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Graham and family ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Atkins Phillips of Plainview.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Baylor Byars this week is her mother, Mrs. J. F. Dollar. They went to Plainview Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes returned from North Carolina, Sunday night and brought back with them their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jackson and baby, for a visit.

Louise Graham spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham, here at Lockney.

Mrs. Andy Jolly's grandfather, G. W. Davis, died at Plainview Sunday night. Her mother, Mrs. J. P. Tierce, is here visiting her after attending the funeral at

Plainview Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jolly went to Paducah after her Sunday, when they learned of the seriousness of their grandfather's illness.

Miss Lois Collins, a cousin of Mrs. Frank McClure and her cousin, Mrs. Katie Furlow of Canyon spent the weekend with the McClures. They went to Lubbock Sunday afternoon and visited with relatives at Reece Air Base.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Chambers and children went to the football game at Kress Friday night and after the game spent the night with Mrs. Chambers' brothers' family there.

An aunt of Mrs. J. C. Chambers, Mrs. Robert L. Binkley, died Monday on the operating table at Abilene. The Chambers and a number of other relatives plan to attend the funeral services at Trent, Texas, Wednesday. Mrs. Binkley was a sister to Mrs. Chambers' father, B. O. Burk Sr. of Plainview.

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Austin, Texas. — "Recent outbreaks of food poisoning show very strikingly the need for special care in handling and refrigerating any food that must be prepared some time in advance of serving," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"Prevention of food poisoning requires clean food handled as little as possible and consumed while it is fresh. Foods prepared hours before serving, and allowed to stand at warm temperatures become good culture media for bacteria. Cooked products of a perishable nature are readily subject to decomposition, and must be kept well refrigerated.

"Most food poisoning is caused by infection by certain types of bacteria which grow rapidly under favorable conditions, such as high temperature and high humidity. The infection may come from dirty hands, utensils, flies, rodents, contaminated water, infected food materials and in some cases in certain types of bacteria, which are rapidly spread and not necessar-

ily associated with filthy conditions. "If food must be prepared much in advance of use, cook it thoroughly, keep it refrigerated and otherwise protected at a temperature under 50 degrees F. until you are ready to use it. Avoid serving foods that are readily infected, such as certain salads, and cream-filled pastries. Any foods that are not to be served immediately should be kept on ice. Milk, ice cream and dairy products in general should be from approved sources."

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

A cold, salt water soaking gives apple slices for Waldorf salad a new tang. Chill 30 minutes in the refrigerator, then drain the apple slices thoroughly before mixing with other ingredients.

Wild turkey generally take water only once a day, flying from their roost for the daily drink.

Texas county chapters of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis owed \$306,326 in hospital and doctor bills on January 1, 1951.

APPLE POLISHER!



Polishing the traditional apple for teacher, this pert little miss gets ready for the first day of school. She is wise to her fashions, too, for she wears the latest thing in back-to-school styles. Her dress is a washable knit cotton by Mary Jane, combining a tweed-like woven skirt and a solid turtle-neck top.

Providence News

By Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

Fear not that your life shall have an end but fear it will have no beginning.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Henry Kiesling of Vernon, Texas.

Miss Janice Boedeker, Miss Varella Sammann and Miss Carol Sammann were dinner guests of the Richard Matthews girls Sunday.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Quebe Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schrieber of Bellview community and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stoerner and son of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Matthews and Mrs. Henry Sammann were in Lubbock visiting their daughters, Miss Roselee Matthews, Miss Clara Sammann and their room-mate Nelda Schaffner.

Corporal Melvin Kelm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kelm, is home on a fifteen day furlough. He will be sent overseas and will be stationed in Germany.

Dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Boedeker were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Newman and daughter, Helen.

Werner Boedeker was able to return home Sunday after undergoing surgery as the result of a recent car accident.

Mrs. Ben Brandes and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes and daughter, Debra, returned home from Waco Saturday. They visited relatives and friends. They also attended the funeral of Mrs. Ben Brandes sister, Miss Elsie Luedtke.

Wilfred Stoerner was honored on his birthday with a surprise supper. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Ross Jr. of Hale Center and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stoerner of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stoerner and son, Larry, returned home Sunday night from Wichita Falls. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bear and Rev. and Mrs. Lee Roy Brandes and daughter, Maria Joy.

Candle Light Circle Meets The Candle Light Circle of the Trinity Lutheran Church met Sunday, Oct. 7, in the educational unit of the church. Mrs. Richard Matthews was the hostess and program chairman. The program opened with the singing of the theme song, "Come into My Heart." It was followed by a scripture reading prayer by Rev. Anderson. An inspiring playlet entitled "Thanksgiving" was given with the following members playing the parts: Faith, Mrs. H. L. Anderson, "Mother," Mrs. Ben Brandes, "Angel," Mrs. Leo Boedeker, and "Mary," Mrs.

Albert Kelm. The Bible Study was given by Mrs. Ted Boedeker and the out look editor for the Missionary Federation was Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner.

Mrs. Richard Matthews opened the business meeting and the committees that reported included the Christmas Card Committee reported by Mrs. Walter Sammann, Mrs. Ted Boedeker, the Year Book Committee chairman, gave her report, and Mrs. Adolph Schaffner, the Thanks offering Chairman, gave her report also. The Thankoffering gathering will be held in the afternoon service Oct. 14th in connection with the Mission feast. Tables will be set up Friday afternoon at 3 p. m. for the Sunday dinner.

Unbleached Muslin will be purchased for the sheets and pillow cases that are to be sent to the Lutheran Hospital at Reneguinta, India.

New officers were elected and they are as follows: president, Mrs. Richard Matthews; vice-president, Mrs. Adolph Schaffner; secretary, Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner, and treasurer, Mrs. Hubert Stoerner. The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer. Delicious refreshments were served to Mmes. Ben Brandes, Leo Boedeker, Ted Boedeker, Albert Kelm, Ben Quebe, Albert Sammann, Henry Sammann, Walter Sammann, Otto Schrieber, Wilfred Stoerner, R. C. Matthews, Hubert Stoerner, Adolph Schaffner, and Messrs. Ben Quebe, Albert Sammann, Walter Sammann, Otto Schrieber, Wilfred Stoerner, Hubert Stoerner, Adolph Schaffner, and the Rev. H. L. Anderson.

The Providence P. T. A. met Thursday night and a number of parents attended. Three educational films were shown. The school is planning a lunch-room for the pupils. Five new pupils were enrolled in the Providence school this week.

Trinity Lutheran Church

H. L. Anderson, Pastor

Oct. 10: Choir Rehearsal 8 p. m.

Oct. 13: Confirmation Instructions

Oct. 14: Mission Festival, 10 a. m. Sunday School, Divine Worship at 11 a. m. and 2:15 p. m.

Ladies remember to bring your Thankoffering boxes with gifts to the afternoon service. They will be collected at that time.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

Peel onions without tears. Stick a square inch of raw potato on the tip end of the paring knife.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Liecht of Dodge Center, Minn., visited Mr. and Mrs. Cleatis Jeffcoat here last week. Mrs. Jeffcoat met the Minnesota people while at Mayo clinic last year.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

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Sorghum Silage Production Good

College Station. — An estimated 15 tons of silage per acre were produced with the Honey Drip variety of sorghum on the William McKelvey farm in Gregg county, according to County Agent Orben D. Taylor.

McKelvey applied 200 pounds 12-24-12 fertilizer before planting the sorghum and side dressed with 50 pounds of ammonium nitrate per acre.

It is not too early for dairymen to make plans for putting up silage next year, says R. E. Burleson, Extension Dairy Husbandman of Texas A. and M. College.

Burleson estimates that the digestible nutrients in McKelvey's silage cost about \$1.40 cents per hundred. Digestible nutrients from a concentrate feed cost at least \$5.40 per hundred.

Texas dairymen should feed more high quality roughage to cut their feeds costs and produce milk more economically, adds Burleson.

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Longhorns Win District From Kress

Longhorns ran roughshod over Kress Kangaroos in the first game of the year last Friday night.

The score was 51-12 and the game was played at Kress.

The game was marked by a 58-yard run by Reserve Back Bill Ferguson and a 35-yard run by Ferguson, halfback for the Longhorns, for the longest runs of the game.

Longhorns fought spiritedly against the heavier Longhorns but were unable to score until the game when the Longhorns were playing.

Kelly used his regular half let the second half of the game.

Longhorns tried to attack the Longhorns with 16 passes in the game but only three for 45 yards. The Kangaroos attempted to complete five for 79 yards.

Boys were afflicted with ailments during the game. The ball four times by one time on their own line. For a change the Longhorns did not lose the ball a single time.

Most of the game followed the kick and returned to their own 20. They had a pass in and kicked the Longhorns man bringing the ball back to his own 37.

The Longhorns made 4, were penalized 15, had a pass incomplete, made 9, were penalized 5, and kicked with Kress taking the ball on the Kress 39. The Kangaroos made a first down on the Lockney 44, made 1 and 4, lost 1 and kicked to the Lockney 24. The Longhorns made 7 and a first on the Kress 45, made 1 and then C. B. Smart took off around his own right end to out run two Kress defenders and score. The kick was not good and the score was 6-0.

The Kangaroos brought the kick back to their own 15, made 0 and then a fumble rolled back to the Kress one foot line where Barry Thompson, Longhorn center covered it. Ray Ferguson pushed over for the score and plunged the point to bring the score to 13-0.

The Kangaroos brought the kick-off back to their own 28, immediately made a first down on their own 42, tried a pass, made 2 and fumbled with a Longhorn covering the ball on the Kress 35. The Longhorns were penalized 5, Ferguson carried to a first on the Kress 11. Sherman made 6 and then Ferguson scored. Bill Sherman kicked the point and the score was 20-0.

The kick-off was returned to the Kress 39, they lost 6, made 3, tried a pass and then the attempt to punt was fumbled and Lockney took the ball on the Kress 14. The Longhorns made 5, then a first on the 3 and Ray Ferguson drove over for the score. Sherman again kicked the point and the score was 27-0.

The kick-off was returned to the Kress 22, the Kangaroos lost 4, made 3 and quick kicked to the Lockney 32. The Longhorns attempted a pass, made nothing, lost 13 and kicked to their own 40. The Kangaroos completed a pass good for a first on the Longhorn 11. They made 1 and threw a pass which Bill Sherman, Longhorn halfback, grabbed on his own one yard line and, aided by effective blocking of his team mates ran 99 yards for the score. Try for point failed and the score was 33-0.

The Kangaroos returned the kick-off to their own 44, a fumble lost nine, a pass was not good, and they kicked over the goal, the Longhorns taking the ball on their own 20. The locals lost a half yard and then Kress was penalized 15 for a first down on the Lockney 34. The Longhorns completed a pass for 5, lost 1, made 5 and then a first

on the 46. A pass was not good, the Longhorns were penalized five, made 4, were penalized 5, tried a pass and then another pass from Meriwether to Teddy Carthel was good for a first down on the Kress 39. The locals then tried three passes in a row which failed and the ball went over on downs, the referee apparently thinking four downs had been run. Kress took the ball on their own 39, completed a pass good for a first on the Lockney 40, but C. B. Smart stopped the drive by taking a Kress pass and bringing it back to the Lockney 34. The Longhorns were penalized 5, and then Meriwether started to pass but was unable to find a receiver open and ran with the ball taking it to the Kress 35 for a first down.

The Longhorns were penalized 5, attempted a pass, then Ferguson carried to the Kress 11 for a first down. A pass, Meriwether to Bartram was good for the score and the try for point failed, the score standing at 39-0 at the half time period.

The Longhorns received the kick-off to start the second half of the ball game, returning to their own 43. They made 3, tried a pass and then Ferguson drove to a first on the Kress 40, they made 6 and Quarterback Doug Meriwether faked to Ferguson and kept the ball carrying to the 20 for another first. They made 2, tried two passes and then made 6 with Kress taking the ball on the 12. The Kangaroos made nothing and kicked to the Lockney 30. The Longhorns were penalized 5 and then had a pass intercepted, Kress taking the ball back to the Lockney 30. A fumble gave the Longhorns the ball

on the Lockney 35. The locals were penalized 15, a pass was no good and then a pass, Kendall to Sherman was good for 15. The Longhorns made 8 and 2, for a first on the 45, then Baker carried to a first on the Kress 44. The Longhorns lost 3, made 6 and little Bobby Dorman, reserve halfback, cut loose around end to score standing up. The kick wasn't good and the score was 45-0.

The Kangaroos came back to the 35, made nothing, tried a pass and then got loose for a first down on the Lockney 38. Another pass failed, a line play made nothing and a pass was good for 5. They made four and the Longhorns took the ball on the Lockney 29. They made a first down on their own 41, a first on the Kress 48, lost back to their own 40, made 5 and kicked to the Kress 30. With more and more reserves coming into the game, it was hard for the spectators to keep up with who was playing. Kress tried a pass and then made a first down on their own 42, another pass was good for a first on the Lockney 25, they made 9½ and then a first on the Longhorn 12, made 2, 4 and then a first on the 2. They made 1 and then drove over for the score. Try for point failed and the score stood at 45-6.

The Longhorns weren't long in tallying also. They received and brought the kick back to the Lockney 30, they made a first down on the Lockney 42 and then Ray Ferguson cut loose on a cross buck and ran all the way to score. The try for point failed and the score was 51-6.

The Kangaroos brought the kick back to their own 35, made

a first on the Lockney 37, made 3, passed for 4 and then a first on the Longhorn 25. A pass was good for a first on the 5, they made 2 and then a touchdown. The try for point failed and the score was 51-12 as the game ended.

Statistics		
	Lockney	Kress
First downs	20	10
Yards rushing	535	160
Yards lost	30	43
Passes attempted	16	14
Completed	3 for 45	5 for 79
Interceptions	2	1
Yards penalties	70	15
Fumbles recovered	4	0

Miss Velma Seale was home over the week end. She is attending West Texas State College in Canyon. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Seale.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Thomas visited in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Fairman, of Kermit, Texas over the week end. A family reunion was held there Sunday. Those attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Page and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Payne and son and Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Fox. Mr. and Mrs. Fox returned home with the Thomas' after visiting relatives the past week.

Joe Cunyus is spending the week in Dimmitt.

Mrs. J. M. Masterson of St. Paul, Arkansas and Mr. and Mrs. William Russell and children of Springdale, Arkansas visited relatives in Lockney and Floydada the past week.

Plains Theatre Lockney

Night Shows Begin at 7:15

THURSDAY and FRIDAY October 11 and 12

"Redhead And The Lady"

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SATURDAY NIGHT ONLY October 13

"Savage Drums"

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SATURDAY NIGHT LATE PREVIEW ONLY Starting at 10:45

"Werewolf Of London"

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A man transformed into a beast before your very eyes.

Also 2-REEL COMEDY

SUNDAY and MONDAY October 14 and 15

"Fighting Coast Guard"

with Brian Donlevy, Forrest Tucker, Ella Raines.

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Also CARTOON and NEWS

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY October 16 and 17

"September Affair"

with Joseph Cotten and Joan Fontaine

They suddenly found what they thought was love—Here is the motion picture that is as exciting as your wildest dreams—a haunting story of a strange passion that could not endure.

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FRIDAY NIGHT, SATURDAY MATINEE AND NIGHT

"Cuban Fireball"

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Commissioners Car Expense Raised

The Commissioners Court passed an order Tuesday in the monthly meeting confirming the recent act of the legislature allowing each Commissioner \$50 per month in county auto expense and depreciation. Previously the allowable amount on this item was \$25.

The Court also accepted and ordered payment for new roofs recently installed on the jail and the agriculture building.

Other matters considered by the court included routine payment of bills and minor matters.

Master Sergeant Elmer Griffiths arrived in Lockney Wednesday morning to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Griffiths. He has been in Okinawa the past two years. His home is in Panama City, Fla.

Baptist Workers Meet At Caprock

The Floyd County Baptist Workers' Conference will meet with the Caprock Baptist Church on Tuesday of next week, October 16, according to the program released this week.

The meeting will start at 10 a. m. with a song and praise service. The sermon of the morning will be delivered by Rev. L. P. Jordan.

The afternoon inspirational message will be given by Rev. F. P. Graham and the day's program will end at 2:30.

ON HUNTING TRIP

Melvin Potts, R. H. Ford, Chester Mitchell, Rene Yeary, Buck Kellison, and Johnny Speck of Plainview plan to leave Friday for an elk and bear hunting trip to Cottonwood Cove, Colo. The men will be gone about five days.

School Gets New Bus Sunday

A new 48-passenger school bus was delivered to the Lockney school district Sunday. The new bus is a Chevrolet chassis with a Wayne body. It will be used on one of the truck routes.

Supt. Sidney Reeves said this week that the district expected to get two more busses within two to three weeks. School busses have been very crowded of late due to constant increase in enrollment.

Enrollment through the eighth grade now totals 656 at the local school and the high school enrollment is 230 for a total of 886, a record number for the local schools. More enrollment is expected as the cotton season draws more people here. Mr. Reeves said. Quite a number of new students are Mexican. The Superintendent said that it would probably be necessary soon to use the gymnasium and to add two or three teachers to the staff.

The present enrollment is more than 200 over the average daily attendance for last year. A record number of 103 is enrolled in the first grade here.

Fire Insurance Rates Are Lower

Texas will save an estimated \$2,303,000 on their fire insurance during the next year under new rates which became effective October 1.

Fire Insurance Commissioner Paul H. Brown said that rates have been reduced on more than a score of types of buildings. Dwelling owners will pay up to 16 per cent less for their fire insurance unless they live in homes which are not near fire hydrants and other municipal fire protection.

Owners of mercantile buildings also will enjoy savings in insurance rates ranging from 8 to as much as 15 and 2-3 per cent, depending on the type of construction. Schools and some types of churches also were among the classes granted lower rates, Brown said.

Rate reductions were granted on the basis of the premiums earned by the insurance companies during the last five years as against the losses paid during the same period.

"The difference between what an insurance company collects in premiums and pays out in losses is not all profit," the Fire Insurance Commissioner said. "Out of this money, the company must pay salaries of its personnel, its office expense, field supervisors, agency commissions and buy the forms, surveys and inspection reports it uses. It also must pay its loss adjustment expense and taxes."

The new reduction in fire rates follows a general trend toward lower insurance costs during the last several years. Last year, fire insurance reductions in Texas amounted to \$1,881,000, Brown said.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Huls of Eufaula, Oklahoma, spent the week end here visiting his mother, Mrs. Gilbert Huls and other relatives. The elder Mrs. Huls returned home with her son and wife for a visit there.

My Neighbors



By BILL PAULSON
"Indulging in indation is an adolescent way of not paying the ... just yet!"

ATTEND AMARILLO MEET

John Bilbrey and Truett Bilbrey of Bilbrey Motor Co. of Lockney attended a meeting in Amarillo Tuesday at which the new law requiring periodic inspection of motor vehicles was explained. The law requires that motor vehicles be in good condition and they must pass an inspection before a license will be issued. Inspection stations will probably be located in almost every town.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Harrison are parents of a baby son born Wednesday in an Abilene Hospital. Mrs. Harrison has been at Merkel for some time undergoing treatment. Leroy and his mother, Mrs. Doyle Harrison of Lockney left Wednesday morning to be with her.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Horston are the proud parents of a darling baby girl. They named their daughter Wanda Darlene. She was born Oct 5 at the Lockney hospital and weighed 6 1/2 lbs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Horston and Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Dorman of Aiken.

Mrs. Louise Springsteen of Grand Island, Nebraska is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Rogers for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Rogers, Tom and two sisters, Mrs. W. L. Thomas Jr. and Louise Springsteen have just returned from Shreveport, Louisiana where they attended Mrs. Roger's family reunion. Mrs. H. C. Turner, mother of Mrs. Rogers, returned home to visit with her daughter and family for an indefinite visit.

Please pick up your corsage for the Floydada football game before 6 p. m. Friday evening. Mrs. J. B. Seale.

Pvt. William C. Messimer returned to his base after a ten day furlough with his parents and sisters. He is now stationed at Governor's Island, New York 4, N. Y. He is to serve on the Cableship General Samuel M. Mills for the next two years and will go to school for seven weeks of that time in the engine room.

The London Gazette founded in 1665 was the first English news publication issued regularly.

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W. M. U. Officers Installed Monday

Rev. E. J. Cobb, assisted by Mrs. Cobb, installed the following officers Monday night, Oct. 1, for the Women's Missionary Union of the Lockney Baptist Church: President, Mrs. Sid Thomas; secretary, Mrs. Guy Sams; circle chairmen, Mrs. L. G. Buck Kellison, and Mrs. L. G. Rhine; and the young people's secretary, Mrs. Bill Hodel. The following standing committee chairmen were installed also: Community Missions, Mrs. Wesley Hay; Benevolence, Mrs. T. B. Mitchell; Bible Study, Mrs. T. S. Fox; Mission, Mrs. Ed Whitfill; program and literature, Mrs. E. J. Cobb; Stewardship, Mrs. W. S. Rexrode; music and publicity, Mrs. Edgar Hays; and social, Mrs. Chester Mitchell.

Pension Club Will Meet Saturday

The Pension Clubs of Floyd County will meet again Saturday of this week at 2:30 p. m. at Floydada to finish some unfinished business, according to S. H. Wright, secretary. This is an extra special meeting Mr. Wright said.

Hospital News

In Hospital: Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Griffith are the parents of a baby boy born Oct. 9 weighing 8 lbs. and 6 ozs. He was named James David. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Griffith and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wells.

Dismissed: John Price, Mrs. Hershel Horston and baby daughter Rudy Gatica, Jessie Mercado, Dolores Peraz and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Fronterhouse are the proud parents of a baby daughter born Oct. 5 weighing 7 lbs. and named Cheryl Annette.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hays are the parents of a son weighing 7 lbs., 10 ozs. He was born Oct. 5 and was named Travis Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Seale Jr. and son of Amarillo visited in his parents home over the week end.

New Laws Require Signal Lights, Flaps

The recently enacted laws requiring signal lights and flaps for trucks and other commercial vehicles are herewith explained, as outlined by material furnished this newspaper by Deputy Sheriff A. K. May:

When the body of a vehicle or the body and load of any vehicle projects more than 24 inches or more to the left of the center of the steering wheel, or under any condition when a hand and arm signal would not be visible both to the front and rear of the vehicle, then these vehicles must be equipped with turn indication lamps or devices and the turn signals given by this means.

All road tractors, trucks, truck tractors, trailers and semi-trailers, except pole trailers, having four or more tires on the rear axle when operating on any highway, when the highway upon which same is operated is wet, shall be equipped with safety guards, flaps or wheel flaps located and suspended behind the rear wheels to within six inches of the surface of the highway.

These flaps are not required where fenders or body construction cover the wheels in the same proportion. The flaps must be rigid enough to prevent mud and slush from being transmitted from the vehicles' rear wheels to the windshield of vehicles following.

Mrs. J. F. Spear Buried At Dickens

Mrs. J. F. Spear, 93 years of age, and a pioneer of West Texas, died at the home of her son, Joe, at Flomot Sunday and was buried at Dickens, her former home, Tuesday. She was an aunt of the late M. H. Ragle of Lockney. Mrs. Ragle and Mrs. Minnie Cannon attended the funeral services at Flomot Tuesday.

Survivors include three sons and a great number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Mrs. Spear had friends all over West Texas and the large number of floral offerings at her funeral attested to her long, useful life.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller and Debra Kay are in the City this week where Bob gets a medical check-up.

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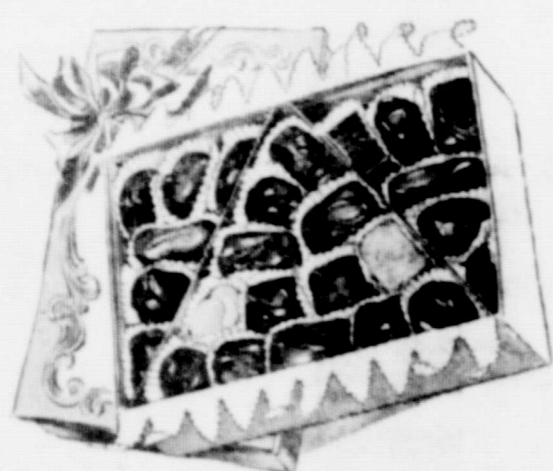
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