

Babson's Forecast For 1952 Given

By Roger W. Babson

Existing defense orders, the business volume in 1952 will be less than that for 1951. National income in 1952 will be very high, as war take the place of peace production.

Government Controls

The outstanding feature of the year will be the Presidential Election on November 4, 1952. I comment upon this under paragraph 48.

The Administration and its economic advisors appear firmly convinced that radical inflation will break out next year. The "brain trusters" are working the fact that the economy is already old and that it is cracking badly when the war broke out. The date the slide has only moved a few inches.

Farm income will continue to decline in 1952.

As 1952 wears on, the effect of increased taxation, increased prices will cause a decrease in legitimate business. If production declines too much the public may then cry, "let's change the Administration."

In 1952 it becomes evident that business is declining too fast as a result of government controls. The planners at Washington will rush their patient into a hospital tent.

Outlook

Many labor group will be successful in getting another round of wage increases in 1952. There may be more important strikes in the first part of 1952, there should be a decrease in work stoppages in the second half year.

Tightness in the labor supply will continue through 1952, particularly of highly-skilled workers. Wages of such workers will be advanced voluntarily in order to hold them.

The Taft-Hartley Law will be amended during 1952, but the Administration will continue to work at some of its clauses.

Commodity Prices Will Remain Firm

Wholesale prices of many commodities will suffer a mild decline in 1952 when compared to the price level for December, 1951. In Retail prices for 1952 will hold steady.

Commodity speculation for 1952 will not pay in 1952. Furthermore, our expanding stocks of strategic materials present a real price threat in the event of a peace scare. Such price spikes could then act strongly as a depressant on prices. Merchants will operate on only a conservative inventory.

The cost of living will remain high during 1952. This prediction recognizes that living costs next year may continue at the lower levels that existed during the first half of the year now closing. I also predict that rises in freight and passenger rates.

Farm Outlook Good

Congress will not take any action during 1952 to legally alter the so-called Fair Trade price maintenance. It's too risky politically when consumers are complaining about the cost of food. But, some manufacturers are tightening up on distributors, scolding those who won't sign trade contracts.

Barring crop failures, the supply of food available will be larger in 1952 than in 1951, since the government has raised planting quotas as a result of its attack on inflation. The weather is extremely favorable and the government will be able to give away surplus.

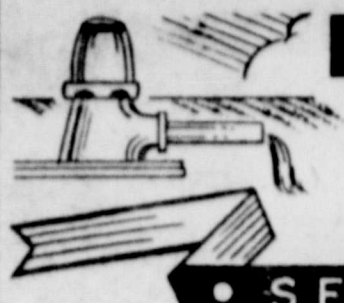
With prospects good for a plentiful supply of feed grains, most farmers should be more plentiful than in 1951. Prices for feed, however, will be held up by high wages and military requirements.

Taxes Will Be Higher

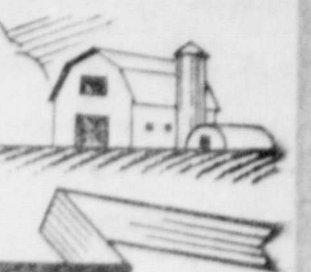
The burden of Federal tax on both corporate and personal income will be increased again during 1952 above the advance late in 1951. State and Municipal taxes, however, will go higher.

The above forecast is based on the assumption that unless World War III starts in the early months of 1952, the world will continue to fight World War III until the United States and our Allies again "Go to sleep," which may be some time.

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South Plains

by Mrs. Murray Julian

Rev. Chas. Joiner is home for the Christmas holidays, and will not go back to the hospital for about two weeks, or not until the hip is entirely healed.

Carol Reeves came home from the Seminary at Fort Worth Friday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Reeves. On Sunday afternoon the Reeves' family got a call to come to Amarillo to get their son, Jack, who had been flown in from the marine base in Washington, D. C., where he had been stationed. He will get to spend his holidays with the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beedy spent Saturday night and Sunday with Charles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy. They were all at church Sunday morning.

Otha Sanders went to Denton Friday to bring Martha Lee home from college, and she will not have to go back until January third. The Sanders' plan to have their Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett in Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thames and children left for Lubbock Saturday morning to spend that day and part of Sunday with Mrs. Thames' parents. They plan to be at home Christmas and for New Years they will go to Plainview and have dinner with Mr. Thames' parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian made a trip to San Antonio on Wednesday of last week, to take Mrs. Ruth Burnett home. She had been with the Julians for a week, and since they had never been down that way, they all enjoyed the ride together. The Julians spent the night with Mrs. Burnett and Sharon, and returned home Thursday. In contrast to the cold weather here the San Antonio air was balmy and filled with the odor of flowers.

Last Wednesday Mrs. Gilbert Bean and Mrs. Horace Marble were hostesses to the members of the W. M. S. Society of South Plains Baptist Church, at the home of Mrs. Gilbert Bean. A delicious Christmas luncheon was served to the ladies, and after the Royal Service program was given. The Christmas tree was divested of its presents. It was a lovely party, and enjoyed by everyone there.

Johnny West is in the Plainview hospital, but is expected to be released today, after an accident on Sunday afternoon which occurred when the pickup in which he, Glenn Brown, and Keith Marble were riding overturned on the highway leading to Silverton. All three of the boys were taken to the hospital for x-rays, but all of them were released, after examination, but Johnny. He is expected to come home this Monday afternoon. His condition was caused by shock.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bean celebrated the holidays with a dinner for their children on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bean and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Calahan and family were home with the Beans'. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bean and family are going to spend Christmas with Margaret's family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Edmonds and children left Saturday for a Christmas vacation trip which they will spend in Bryan, Texas and around there, visiting both their parents, and brothers and sisters near Bryan.

Mrs. John Allen was happy Sunday evening to have her father, Mr. Hoeksema, and her brother and sister come in from Fort Worth. They will spend Christmas with Rev. and Mrs. Allen, but will have to leave on Christmas day as Mr. Hoeksema has to be at work on Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Smitherman held their pre-Christmas dinner at their home last Sunday. All of their children were privileged to be there. The families present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smitherman and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Smitherman and Max, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smitherman and family from Hart, and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smitherman and baby Kelly.

"Whitey" Baccus To Referee Bowl Game

"Whitey" Baccus of Lockney will referee the Orange Bowl football game at Miami, Florida on New Year's Day. The game will see Georgia Tech, champion of the Southeastern Conference play the Baylor Bears, winners of second place in the Southwestern Conference.

"Whitey" referees a number of college games each football season and has built himself a good reputation as a referee.

2 Local Garages To Inspect Cars

Two local auto firms will set up inspection stations to inspect cars under the state's new motor vehicle inspection law, if the state approves their applications. It was revealed this week. They are the Lockney Auto Company and "Whitey" Baccus Motor Co.

Both firms have purchased the necessary equipment to comply with the law and will be ready to start inspecting cars as soon as they receive a go-ahead signal from the state.

The recently enacted law requires that an automobile must pass certain requirements before the owner can secure new license for the car.

The state has started issuing certificates of appointment for the stations and has around 2500 to issue, according to information from Austin. The garage will charge \$1.00 for making the inspection with 25 cents of the amount going to the state. With a net of only 75 cents for the job the garages expect to lose money on the deal.

Brakes, front wheel alignment, headlights, windshield wipers and general visibility from the driver's seat are among the points that will have to pass test before auto owners can get their 1952 licenses.

Certificates of test will be valid for twelve months. All automobiles, regardless of age, must undergo the test before licenses will be issued, say garage operators who plan to qualify their places as testing stations. Automobiles are to be tested before they are put back on the road after being involved in wrecks.

Navy Recruits Here For Christmas

Three Lockney boys who have recently joined the Navy are spending the Christmas holidays here with relatives. They are Ted Samples, Tom Rogers and Robert R. Canon. The boys have been undergoing recruit training at the U. S. Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif., and will return January 5.

Ted is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Samples, Tom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Rogers and Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Canon.

The initial training at San Diego includes instruction in seamanship, fire-fighting, gunnery, signaling and other courses designed to make the recruit well-versed in Navy life. They will spend 11 weeks in training.

WEATHERS VISITORS

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weathers Christmas Eve were Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Allen, Bob and Patty, Clovis, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Evans and Lynn, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Weeks, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Weathers, Carol and Jimmy, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bonds and Kenneth, Happy; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cathey, Jim, Billy and Jackey, Dublin; Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Weathers, Linda, Barbara and Johnny, Aiken; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitfill and Mr. Bill Weathers, Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Samples, Lavon, Ted, and Joann, Miss Shirley Holt, Billy Terrell and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weathers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mudgett and family of Slaton, Lt. and Mrs. W. H. Mudgett of New Braunfels visited Christmas Eve in the home of Mrs. Olive Myers and Jimmy here.

Mock Wedding Marks 50th Anniversary

Rev. E. J. Cobb of Lockney had an interesting experience Sunday afternoon when he performed a mock wedding for a couple whom his father had married 50 years ago.

The couple was Mr. and Mrs. J. Duff Green of Dickens. They were married in the living room of the ranch house on the old Forbis Ranch two miles north of Afton 50 years ago. Sunday the local pastor performed the mock ceremony in the same room in the same house and the couple stood on the same spot. More than 300 guests were present for the mock ceremony.

The local pastor's father, Rev. S. A. Cobb, was a pioneer preacher and missionary in the Dickens area in early days. A number of other people were present whom he had married or baptized.

Basketball Here Friday Night

The Ralls high school basketball teams will come to Lockney Friday night of this week to take on the local teams in three games. The boys A and B teams and the girls teams will all play. Coach Curtis Kelly said Wednesday. The first game will be called at 6:30.

The local teams made a clean sweep of the three games they played at Ralls last week end. The Longhorn A team won their game 42 to 35. The locals had a 27-18 half time lead. John Kendall was high with 13 points.

The B team won 37 to 18 with Dorman getting nine points for the locals. The Longhorn B string had an easy time with this one.

The Longhornettes won their game by a narrow margin of 24 to 22. The halftime score was the same margin, the locals leading 15-13. June Wiley was high for the local girls, getting 10 points.

Small Girl Suffers Severe Burns

A 6-year-old girl suffered first, second and some third-degree burns about her hands, arms and body last Thursday when her clothing caught fire from a heater at the family's home in the labor camp in south Lockney. She was Dorothy Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Green.

Relatives reported that the little girl apparently stood too close to a gas heater and caught her dress on fire. Before the clothing could be extinguished she had suffered burns on both hands, one arm, on her stomach, her left leg and back.

She is being treated at the Lockney General Hospital here and was reported to be doing nicely Thursday.

County Looking For Lost Weed Burner

The county has a weed burner but someone has borrowed it and Commissioner Hugh Counts would like to have it returned. He asked this week that whoever has the weed burner please return it to him as soon as possible.

Visiting in the C. R. Wofford home over the Christmas holidays were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Wofford and children of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Waggoner of Claude, Mrs. Joe Norman and Randy of Galveston, Mrs. Lena Fae Alford of Commerce and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Davis and Danny of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beall spent the Christmas holidays in Amarillo visiting their children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beall and Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. Vliail.

"Peace can never be assured by following the road of socialized weakness or communized centralization of power." — William H. Ruffin.

Z. T. Riley Dies At Pampa Thursday

Z. T. Riley, 80 years of age, died early Thursday morning at his home in Pampa, friends here were notified. He was a pioneer businessman of Lockney and had many friends among old timers in this area.

Mr. Riley's death was caused by a heart ailment. It was reported here. He had been in ill health for some time.

Funeral services were tentatively set for 2:30 p. m. Friday at the Main Street Church of Christ in Lockney. Burial will be in the Lockney Cemetery.

Mr. Riley was in the real estate business here early in the century and later was in the grocery business for many years. The family left here about 20 years ago, friends said. They first moved to the Rio Grande Valley but in recent years had been living in Pampa.

Survivors include his wife, five children as follows: J. L. Riley who lives north of Lockney, Cullen Riley of Harlingen, Mrs. Grady Brewster, Dalhart, Mrs. J. O. Harris, McAllen, and Miss Roy Riley who lived with her parents in Pampa. Nine grandchildren also survive.

Boxing Program At Plainview Tonight

Lockney boxers will be matched against boxers from two Plainview teams and a Lubbock aggregation in some top amateur boxing matches at the Plainview City Auditorium tonight, Friday, Dec. 28th. This will be the last Plainview show before the District Golden Gloves in the Plainview City Auditorium on Jan. 15, 16 and 17.

Lockney has formed two outstanding teams to compete in the district and will be out to cop this dual match with the Plainview and Lubbock teams. The Lockney boxers also have a home match with the Paducah boxing club on schedule. The date of this show will be announced later.

Tickets for tonight's show are now on sale at the Lockney Drug. A large crowd is expected to follow the Lockney boxers to Plainview and cheer them on to another victory in this winter's boxing program. As yet the Lockney boxers are undefeated as far as team fights are concerned.

SELECTIVE SERVICE OFFICE CLOSED

The Selective Service Board office at Plainview will be closed Monday and Tuesday, December 31 and January 1, it was announced this week. However the office will be open on Saturday of this week as well as Saturday, January 5.

CHRISTMAS GUESTS

Dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Johns Cox, Wanda and Mrs. A. A. Sweet Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Pugh, New Orleans, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pugh, Jimmie and Irene, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sweet, Eddie and Oveta Pugh, Amherst, Texas; Mrs. George Cornwell, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bronsteiter, Jimmie Jean and Lucille, Capt. and Mrs. Bert Bronsteiter, Linda, Bettie and Bert, Jr. of Lawton, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Pepper Martin and Nova Jean Cox of Plainview. Those visiting in the afternoon were Mrs. Anderson, Ellen and Martha Ruth of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Felder and family of Hart, Texas.

MOVED TO PLAINVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Smith and Josephine have moved to Plainview where the ladies are working with the telephone company. Jake is still employed here at Lockney Lumber & Supply.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wofford and Jerry Lynn are spending the week with relatives at Marion, La.

Stanley Mudgett of Gruver, Texas, is spending several weeks here visiting his sister, Mrs. Olive Myers.

No Report On David Catlin

Relatives here have received no report from Army officials concerning the whereabouts of Pfc. David Catlin, missing in action in Korea since December 2, 1950. They had hopes that the prisoner of war list released by the Army last week might carry his name but it didn't. They now have only slight hope that he might be a prisoner and his name missed in some way by the Chinese Army officials.

Dr. Mangold Joins Hospital Staff

Dr. W. J. Mangold of Gainesville will join the staff of the Lockney General Hospital here. It was announced this week by J. D. Copeland, business manager. Dr. Mangold will be in his office at the hospital on January 2.

Dr. Mangold is 32 years of age. He was born in Johnson County, Texas. He spent four years in the Navy during World War II. He is a graduate of the University of Texas and the Southwestern Medical School at Dallas. He served his internship at Jeff Davis Hospital, a 450-bed hospital in Houston.

Since completing his internship he has been in private practice at Gainesville, Texas. Dr. and Mrs. Mangold have two sons, age 7 and 8 years. The family will move here as soon as possible, it was said.

Blanchard Opens Law Office Here

H. J. (Doc) Blanchard will open a law office in the Meriwether & Harris real estate office here on January 1, he announced this week. He and Mrs. Blanchard, the former Mary Ruth Thomas, will live in Lubbock and he will maintain offices here and at Lubbock.

Film "Mr. Texas" At Floydada Church

The film, "Mr. Texas," a story of the evangelistic efforts of the famous Billy Graham, will be shown at the First Baptist Church in Floydada on Tuesday night, January 1, starting at 7 o'clock. It was announced recently by the pastor, Rev. E. Earl Allen.

Starring Redd Harper and Cindy Walker, the action story presents a number of famous religious songs and hymns and has for the background the Worlds Champion Rodeo Riders from the Texas Panhandle.

It is a magnificent film, interesting and inspiring, reports say. Everyone is invited to attend the showing, Rev. Allen said.

Walls Up On Clinic Building Here

The walls were up and workmen were making fast progress on the clinic building being constructed on North Main Street by Dr. K. O. Crum. He announced this week that after January 1 he would see patients at his home until the building was completed.

EILAND VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Eiland enjoyed most of their children in their home for Christmas dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Thompson and Georgia Sue, Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thompson, Raymond, Jimmie Marie and Johnnie Sue, Hobbs, N. M.; Lee Thompson, Hobbs, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Hastings and Carolyn, Tullia, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Vernon, Sr. and children of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Orba Eiland and children of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Vernon and family of Oilton.

Pfc. Charles Samples, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Samples, returned Wednesday to Ft. Lee, Virginia. Charles has been visiting friends and relatives in Lockney.

Thieves Plunder Local Church

The First Baptist Church here was broken into and ransacked thoroughly sometime Sunday night, thieves getting away with about \$42.00 in money and a few gifts. Every desk in the building was searched and papers were scattered over the floor.

Earning the title "the meanest thief" the vandals took money which had been donated by the Gideon Sunday School class, taught by the pastor, Rev. E. J. Cobb, for a little girl who is in the Lockney General Hospital suffering with burns received when her clothing caught fire.

The girl had wanted a tricycle very badly for Christmas and the class planned to buy the tricycle and give the remainder of the money to the family. After the theft was discovered two members of the class donated money to replace that which was stolen and the class went ahead with its project. The thieves also broke open and stole some wrapped Christmas gifts which the Sunbeam band had brought for the needy.

Officers believe that the thieves broke into the building through a window on the alley. A screen had been pried off and the window forced open. Sheriff Leland Hart and other officers who investigated the matter found two finger prints on the window.

They used some sharp instrument to force open the door to the pastor's study, breaking the lock. They then forced open the pastor's locked desk drawer in which the money was kept, breaking the drawer supports. Usually no money is kept at the church and it was only by chance that the thieves found any at this time. After forcing open the desk drawer the thieves took some keys found there and went through other rooms in the building, apparently searching for money.

For no apparent reason the thieves had struck the typewriter kept on the pastor's desk and broken the line spacing bar off. Other than damage to the door, the desk and typewriter, nothing else was molested as far as was determined.

A few other small items were missed but nothing of any great value, according to Rev. Cobb.

A partially burned candle and matches were found on the floor of the study indicating that the thieves used this for light.

The same night thieves entered the First Baptist Church of Plainview and although nothing was taken papers were scattered over the floor much the same as they were here, desks were pried open and every drawer ransacked.

A service station was also robbed, the thieves taking cigars and cigarettes.

GRIFFITHS RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Griffith have just returned from a thirty days visit to points in Texas. They visited the Oscar Huskey family in Sherman, Texas, spent Thanksgiving holidays with the Bickleys of Greenville, the J. L. Brotherton and Austin Luckett families of Greggton, Texas. They spent a week at Rockport where fishing was not so good but oysters plentiful for the gathering. At Weslaco they found the citrus fruit scarce due to the freeze of last winter. They plan to return to the Rio Grand Valley in about two weeks.

CASH MARKETS

Poultry	
Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. & over	22c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs.	20c
Cocks, pound	10c
Eggs, No. 1 dozen	60c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, pound	70c
Butterfat, No. 2, pound	68c
Hides	
Hides, No. 1, pound	13c
Grain	
Wheat, per bushel	\$2.32
Milo, per cwt.	\$2.43
Cotton	
March futures, N. Y. mkt.	42.49

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EDITORIAL

Those that be planted in the House of the Lord shall flourish in the courts of our God.—Psalms 92:13.

The New Year has one feature that almost all of us like and that is the opportunity to turn over a new leaf and start a fresh page—and try to do things better. The opportunity of a fresh start is as democratic and American as the Constitution of the United States. All of us realize that we cannot do things in a perfect way. "It is human to err" is a trite but true saying. The unforgivable thing is to never try to improve. Regardless whether it is our business relations and policies, our relations with neighbors and friends or in

our own personal life that the reformation is needed, we do have the opportunity and the incentive on the New Year to start afresh and try to improve.

We trust that all our readers will read carefully Mr. Babson's forecast for 1952 carried in this issue of The Beacon. You will note that he says farm income will continue high in 1952. Most of us can foresee that situation since even now the cotton users are crying about a cotton shortage, and the grain men are saying that grain is being used faster than it is being raised.

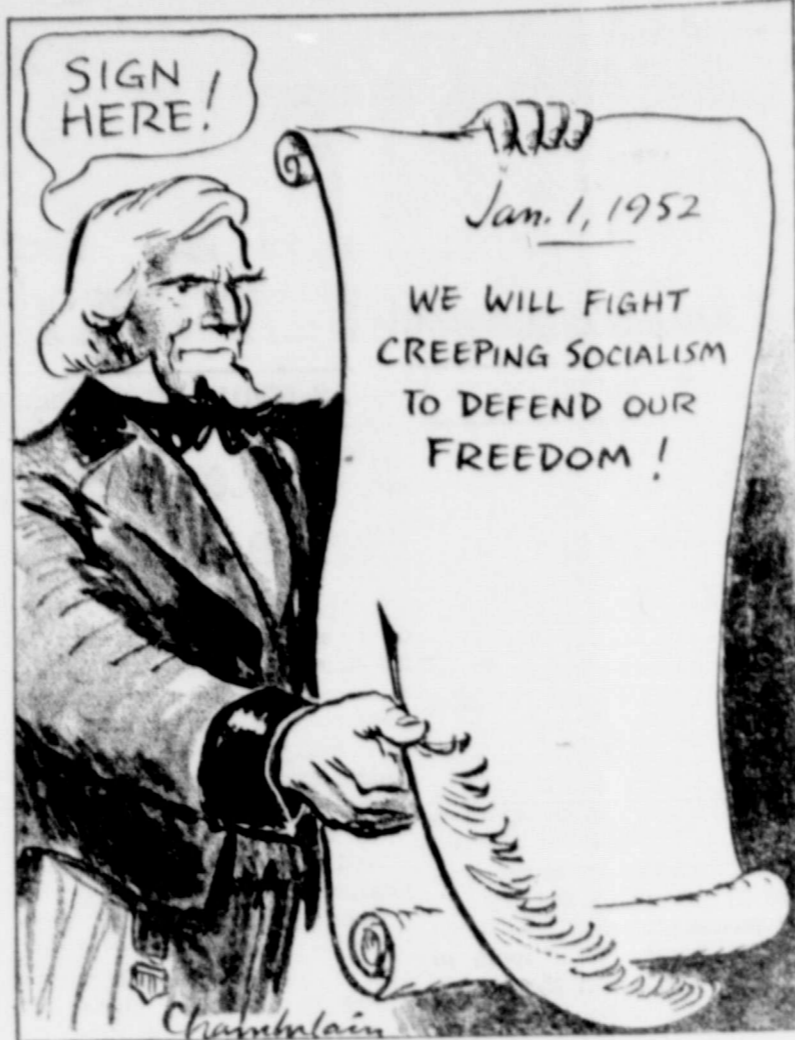
You will note in the latter part of his forecast that Mr. Babson has something to say about the Presidential election in 1952. He says among other things that farmers will carry the balance of power in the election and that the labor vote is overrated.

One thing that he predicts which we do not like—but every reason is expect—and that is a decline in civilian business in 1952. Business has been booming at a high figure for years now and that fact coupled with the fact that there will be fewer civilian commodities manufactured will cause some of us to do less business during next year. Read the forecast carefully. It might be worth something to you whether you are a businessman or farmer.

Now that Christmas has come and gone and the cotton harvest is practically complete, we can all settle down to a normal routine, get back to the habits we like and see things clearly again. Certainly all business men appreciate the rush of business that has come this way during the fall months but we suspect that most of us are a little glad that it is over and that we can get back to giving our customers the kind of service we want to give them.

We extend our wishes to you for a happy, prosperous, peaceful New Year and may it be filled with everything that is good for you.

NEW YEAR RESOLUTION NO. 1



With Our EXCHANGES

SHALL I? Shall I force my children to go to Sunday school and church? Yes, definitely! Startled? Why? How do you answer Mary when she comes to the breakfast table and announces, "I'm not going to school today!" You know, Mary goes. How do you answer when Mary comes in besmudged with dirt and says, "I'm not going to take a bath!" You know, she bathes. How do you answer when Mary, threatened with illness, says, "I'm not going to take that old medicine!" You know, she takes it. Why all this timidity, then, in the realm of spiritual guidance and moral training? Going to wait and let her decide what church she'll go to when she's old enough? Don't fool yourself. By that time she'll probably believe that a decision neglected by her parents during her first twenty years might not be necessary at all. You didn't wait until she was "old enough" to decide she should go to school. Afraid she'll later succumb to the old story about "... too much religion when I was young ... parents made me go?" This tale is obviously false. Just because she takes a bath tonight doesn't mean she'll discontinue them at the age of twenty-one. What shall I say to Mary when she announces she doesn't like Sunday school and church? That's easy. Be consistent. By firmness and example you can show her that church-going is a necessity. And in later years she will thank you for bringing into her life the greatest values a mature person can possess—Christian habits and ideals.—Beaumont Enterprise.

MANAGER ELLIS The reappointment of General Manager Ellis, by the Prison Board, for another 4-year term should prove a comforting assurance to Texas taxpayers that the numerous improvements instituted under Mr. Ellis' management will continue and the resultant prison economies grow. For the "insiders" it means a continuation of the betterments also and no imminent dread of the upheaval that goes with any change of administration.—The Echo, State Prison Newspaper.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Beacon Office.

Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

June 27, 1913 There is now standing on the track in the railroad yards a shipment of Saginaw silos for Messrs. Will McGehee, B. S. Livingstone, A. J. Blackwell, and Arthur Byars. The silos will be unloaded Monday, and hauled to the farms of these men.

The Lockney ball team went to Tulla Thursday and played a match game of ball, which resulted in a score of 8 to 7 in favor of Tulla.

Last Friday, June 13, County Clerk W. B. Clark, issued marriage license to Mr. J. A. Wylie and Miss Kate A. Wilson, both of Lone Star in the north end of the County.

The trustees of the Sand Hill School District No. 9 are this week advertising for bids for the erection of a school building to be of brick and equipped with modern lighting and heating. This will be the first brick rural school building in Floyd Co.

Last Saturday the Lockney Masons met in their new hall for the first time and among other matters, officers were elected for the ensuing year.

Thirty-three new farms are opened up in Floyd County every year and the latest Federal Census Report is which are on data gathered in the spring of 1910 show a total of 620 farms in this county at that time.

March 5, 1920 W. T. Reeves and Sons, living north of Lockney, sold last week

at the Buyers and Sellers Convention at Amarillo, three registered 18 months old Herefords for \$360.00 round.

Sunday, February 29 at 3:30 p. m., N. W. Livesay and Miss Daisy Hooten were united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage.

The two year old baby of Mr. and Mrs. George Cox got hold of some strichnine tablets Thursday afternoon and ate some of them. He was immediately brought to the hospital and after several hours of work the men saved its life.

July 17, 1930 J. O. Warren, formerly of Floydada, has succeeded Bryan Wallace as manager of the Texas Service Station in Lockney. Mr. Warren will move his family to Lockney this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smith left Tuesday morning for Fort Smith, Arkansas where they will spend the summer and fall visiting relatives and where Mr. Smith will be employed part of the time.

Mrs. C. Applewhite and son, Goree, went to Temple last week where Mr. Applewhite went through the Clinic.

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pickup, ton, a few sheep,
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SALE — Several resident
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on pavement. See John
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10" well, 2 sets improvements,
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ment, 10" well, good improve-
ments, choice in every way.

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well, 115 acres waters, all in
cultivation, improved.

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8" well, near Halfway, all waters
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sets improvements if you want
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room modern house, 29% down,
balance to suit you.

160 ACRES, \$250 acre, on pave-
ment and irrigates, 8" well, \$22-
000 will handle.

160 ACRES, \$350 acre, 10" well on
natural gas, good improvements,
a good farm practically in Plain-
view.

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tric 8" well, lays best, good im-
provements, 1/2 minerals. It is
near Hereford but a fine cotton
farm. Let us show you this while
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new 8" well at natural gas, 140
acres will irrigate, a good clean
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160 ACRES, \$250 acre, 10" new
well, near Hale Center, some
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Dr. N. E. Greer, 28-tfc

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Sterley News

A. K. Glover of Tatum, N. M.
was in Sterley Wednesday on
business.

Miss Patsy Fortenberry of
Cedar Hill spent Tuesday night
with Eldorado Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Suiter mov-
ed Friday to Plainview where he
is employed. We sure will miss
Mr. and Mrs. Suiter from our
community. Mr. and Mrs. Bill
Howell of Childress moved Sat-
urday in the house formerly oc-
cupied by the Suithers.

Mrs. A. M. Hanks, Barbara
Jo and Glenda Kay left Satur-
day to spend the holidays with
her parents in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Allen and
children spent the Christmas
holidays visiting relatives in
Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnston
spent Christmas with her moth-
er, Mrs. Ginn of Floydada.

Alton Seymour of Amarillo
has moved to Sterley where he
is employed as Section Fore-
man.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fuller
spent the holidays with relatives
in Lawton, Okla.

Miss Evelyn Bobbitt of Ama-
rillo spent Christmas with her
father, Bert Bobbitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cox and
children left Friday to spend the
holidays with Mrs. Cox' par-
ents at Grosbeck, Texas.

The Sterley Home Demon-
stration Club met Tuesday night for
their Christmas party in the
home of Mrs. Joe Reeves. The
entertaining rooms were gaily
decorated and a large tree light-
ed with colored lights. Mmes. B.

Lockney Lodge
No. 867
A. F. & A. M.
Regular meeting third Tuesday
night at 7:30.

H. E. FRIZZELL, W. M.
E. A. CARTER, Secretary.

Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Cobb,
Carolyn and Jaudon visited her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D.
Camp at Plains, Texas, the first
of the week. They are spending
the latter part of the week with
his mother, Mrs. S. A. Cobb at
McLean.

Dinner guests on Christmas
Day in the Fred Shearer home
were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stewart,
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shearer and
family of Amarillo, Mrs. Ella
Marr of Lockney, and E. M.
Shearer of Breckenridge.

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Also **CARTOON**

SATURDAY MATINEE and NIGHT

December 29

Johnny Weissmuller in

**"Tarzan And
The Amazons"**

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COMEDY and **CARTOON**

SUNDAY and MONDAY

December 30 and 31

"Katie Did It"

with Ann Blyth and Mark Stevens

She may have done wrong—but boy, she wasn't bad. Here's the slightly scandalous story of the shape that shocked the town — when Katie did it the whole town blushed.

Also **CARTOON** and **NEWS**

Midnight Show

Monday, December 31

Starting at 11 p. m.

David Niven, Vera Ellen,
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CHRISTMAS VISITORS

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Olive Myers here during Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Myers and Steven of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Don Myers of Miami, Lt. and Mrs. Charles B. Brotherton and children, Bobbie and Debbie of New Braunfels, Mr. and Mrs. Joy McPherson, Karen and Pamela of Lockney. The group all ate Christmas dinner in the Myers home.

**Davis Home Scene
Of Xmas Party**

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davis entertained a number of friends in their home Thursday night, Dec. 20, at 7:30 with a Christmas party. The house was gaily lighted with a Christmas tree and all of the proper Yuletide decorations. Sandwiches, coffee, and pie was served to the guests after they had enjoyed playing many different games.

Those present were Messers. and Misses. Johnnie Race and family, Raymond Densmore and William Ray, E. L. Stapp and family, Aubria Kent and family, Ray Rollin and family, John Chandler and family, David Jackson and family, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davis.

**B&PW Sponsor Xmas
Party For Band**

The Business and Professional Women sponsored a Christmas party for the Lockney Band Thursday night, December 20. The Band met at the Grade School cafeteria at 6:45. They were served hot chocolate and angel food cake covered with sauce. They exchanged gifts and then were taken by bus to Plainview to see the play "Christmas Carols."

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Rita Webster, Lelia Petty, Birda Foster and Tangy Hargis.

**LaVentana Club
Meets Friday**

The LaVentana Study Club met Friday, December 21 in the home of Mrs. Herman Huffman for a Christmas program.

Roll call was answered with "My Christmas Inspiration" and a bit of charm was given by Mrs. Clarence Strickland. James Carthel sang "The Lord's Prayer" and he and Eddie Foster played "O Holy City."

A play, "A Christmas Angel" was presented by Eddie Foster and Betty Jean Foster.

During the gift exchange Mrs. Bill Johnston and Mrs. A. H. Suiter, both of whom are moving away, were presented with special gifts as was Mrs. C. D. Mer-

rick, president of the club. Present were Mmes. Clyde Baxter, E. J. Foster, H. E. Frizell, J. T. Griffin, M. S. Johnson, Bill Johnston, Albert King, Clois King, Charlie Merrick, W. T. Rankin, Elmer Sandusky, Robert Smith, A. H. Suiter, Clarence Strickland, Raymond Teepie, Miss Lillie Wingo, one visitor, Mrs. Florence Hastings, and the hostess, Mrs. Huffman.

BELTS SAY "THANKS"

We wish to thank all our friends and loved ones for the many cards, letters, flowers, etc. They mean so much to us. Would also add "Merry Christmas to all." God bless you.

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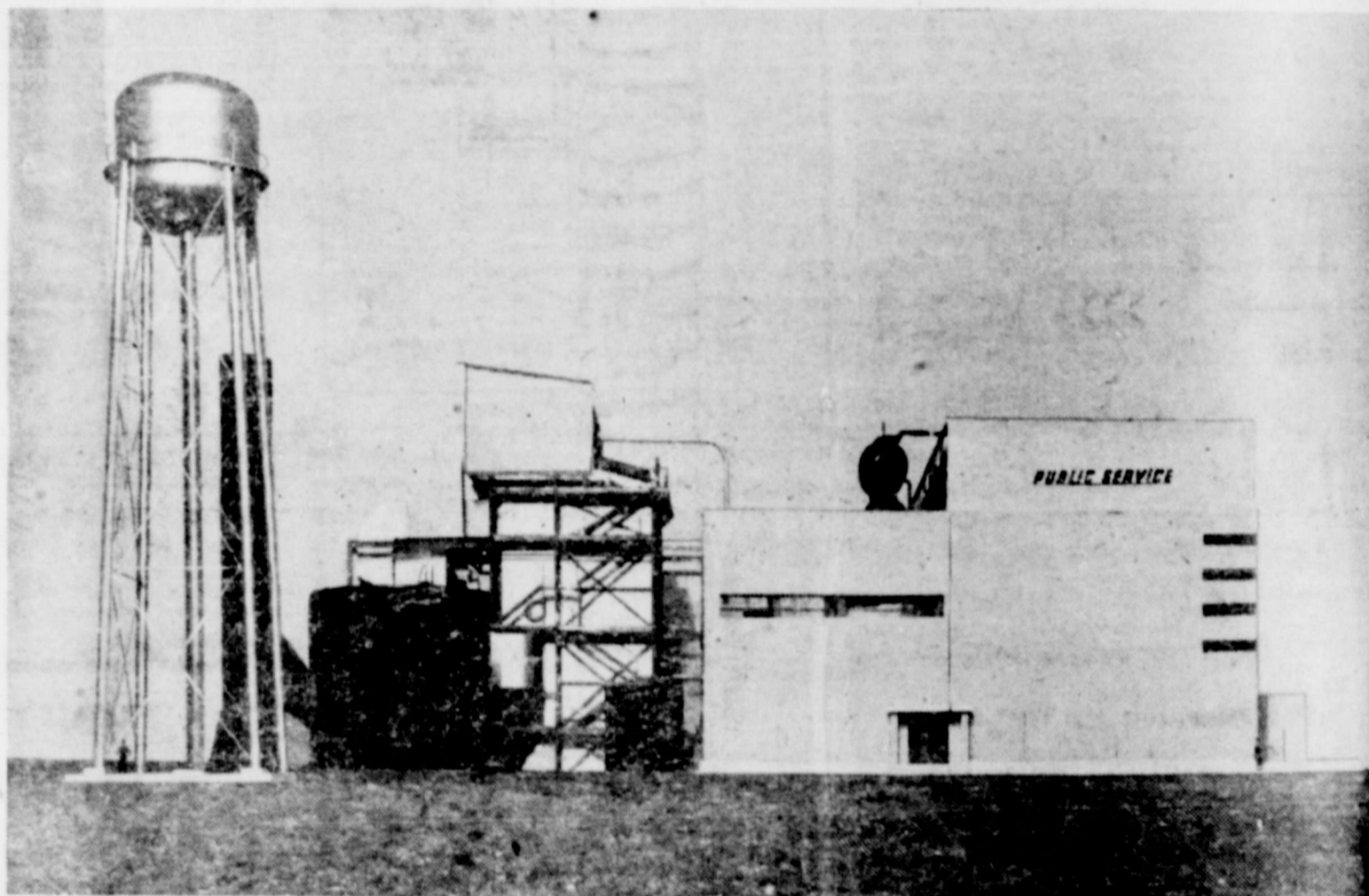
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The first unit of Plant X, which by mid-1953 will have 200,000 horsepower of electric generating capacity, will go into service this year.

Also this year, a 25,000 horsepower addition will be made to the generating capacity of our Carlsbad, New Mexico power plant.

Altogether in 1952, it will be necessary to spend more than \$21,000,000 in new construction alone, to meet your needs for dependable electric service.

But, necessary as it is, new construction is only part of the work we must do in 1952. The 24 hours a day job of providing you with dependable electric service will go on and 1800 men and women will see that you get the best possible electric service each day of the year.

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Front Works with Legislative Council At Austin

Fifty-first Legislature, realizing a definite need in state for an agency to assist members in obtaining accurate and reliable information on special legislative problems matters affecting the general welfare of the State, and to aid the members in drafting and legislation, established a Legislative Council.

Most people know, the Legislature meets in regular session every two years and bills to meet the problem of the State. The regular session of the Legislature usually lasts about five months.

The last regular session of the Legislature, ending June 9, and beginning January 9, 1951, 2283 bills, resolutions and constitutional amendments were passed by the Legislature. Approximately 450 bills were passed by the Legislature and became the law of this State.

Membership of the Legislature actually feels a need for a method to obtain accurate information in reference to these bills. It is not difficult to find someone in Austin to advise members of the Legislature on how to vote on a proposed bill. It is difficult to be able to determine whether or not the bill is accurate and whether it is in the best interest of the State.

Legislative Council is composed of five State Senators, one from each district, and ten State Representatives, appointed by the Governor of the House of Representatives. The Lieutenant Governor is Chairman of the Legislative Council and the Speaker of the House of Representatives is Chairman of the Legislative Council. The Council meets at the time the Legislature is in session and studies bills that are likely to be passed before the next Legislative session.

Present Legislative Council was appointed about July 1, 1951. They have a staff of 15 people with office in Austin. They compile information on bills and submit it to the Council in the form of a report. The Council is composed of members of the Legislature themselves and citizens of the State. From the reports submitted to the Council the Council decides which bills will be investigated.

The Council has a Subject Committee, that recommends to the Council what bills should be studied out of the 2000 bills that are submitted to the Council. The Subject Committee is headed by Rep. Harold C. Johnson of the 120th District. The committee is composed of members of the Council. Two subjects have been referred to the Council and they are as follows: 1. The structure of the State; 2. Local Government; 3. and Local Highway; 4. Commercial Code; 5. Law Enforcement; 6. Distribution of Judicial; 7. Juvenile Delinquency; 8. Constitution; 9. Reorganization of Government; 10. Public Health Laws; 11. State Library System; 12. Education; 13. Vocational Project; 14. Women University; 15. for; 16. Commission; 17. Census (page)

First District Basketball Game Here Tuesday

The first district basketball games of the season, with the exception of one game the Lockney girls played with Olton, will be played here on Tuesday evening of next week, January 8, when the local teams take on the Kress high school basketball teams.

All three teams, the boys A and B and the girls, will play. The first game will be called about 7 p. m.

The Lockney teams played trials on the local court last Friday night, winning two and losing one. The boys B team won by a score of 32 to 29, the Longhornettes lost their game 40 to 37 and the boys A team won 37 to 28.

The local teams were playing without the services of some of their regular members.

A. J. Crager Dies Friday Evening

A. J. Crager, a pioneer Lockney businessman and a friend to all who knew him, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Johnson of Plainview last Friday evening. He had not been ill especially but had become frail and feeble the past few months. He was 83 years of age.



CANDIDATE — Earl Cooper, city marshal of Lockney and former deputy sheriff of Floyd County, is the first candidate to announce his intentions to seek public office in the campaign year of 1952. Elsewhere in this paper Mr. Cooper announces his candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Floyd County. He has been an officer for about five years here and is well known by the people of this section. In his announcement Mr. Cooper pledges to do a good job of enforcing the law and solicits the support of the people of the county.

Billy Allen Goes To Japan

Billy L. Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen of Lockney, left last week on the first leg of a trip to Japan where he will work in Civil Service duty. Billy volunteered for two years of overseas duty. He has been instructor and assistant director of the Signal Corps Regional Training Film Library at Fort Sill and will do the same kind of work in Japan. William M. Bengel, director of the library, in a letter of commendation wrote, "Mr. Allen has been largely responsible for the success of the operation of the film library and it has been through his untiring efforts and assistance that the film library has successfully operated."

Billy is a veteran of naval service and a graduate of Lockney High.

Bill Canon Arrives Home Tuesday

Sgt. Bill Canon arrived in Lockney Tuesday evening after more than two years of service with the Army Air Force in Korea and the Philippine Islands. He is visiting his mother, Mrs. Minnie Canon and other relatives.

Bill will spend a 30 day furlough here and report back to a Fort Worth air base on February 5. Other children of Mrs. Canon are also at home. They are Robert Canon, in training at the Naval Training Station at San Diego, Mrs. Sarah Keithley of Santa Fe, N. M., and Mrs. John Lee Carthel of near Lockney.

Baptist Workers To Meet Here

The Floyd County Baptist Workers Conference will meet with the First Baptist Church of Lockney on Tuesday of next week, January 8. The meeting will include workers from all Baptist Churches in Floyd, Motley, Briscoe and Crosby counties.

Lunch will be served at noon to those attending by the local church members.

Theme for the meeting will be "Plans for Progress." Opening will be at 10 a. m.

After a song service the devotional will be given by Rev. A. L. Eubanks.

Water District Board Will Be Elected Tuesday

Voters of this area will go to the polls Tuesday and elect the first permanent board of directors of the 13-county High Plains Water District No. 1 and the county committeemen from each county in the district. One box will be located in Lockney and one in Floydada. The Lockney box will be at the City Auditorium, L. M. Honea and Frank Dodson will hold the election.

Five members will be named to the permanent board of directors for this district at the election. They will serve staggered terms of two years each.

Three county committeemen from each of the 13 counties, to be elected for three year terms, will also serve on a staggered basis so only one experienced committeemen will be retired each year.

The district, covering some 5,000,000 acres, is divided into five precincts and each precinct will elect its own director. Floyd County is in Precinct 5 and the candidates whose names will appear on the ballot are Lovell L. Jones of southwest Floyd county and C. J. Taylor of Lockney. The Beacon was informed Wednesday. The precinct covers all of Floyd county above the cap and a small portion of Hale County.

Floyd County's nominees for the county committeemen are Marvin Shurbert, T. B. Mitchell Jimmy Wilson, Paul Cooper and Sid Thomas. Three are to be elected. Space will be left on the ballot for write-ins both for precinct director and for the county committeemen.

Farmers Meetings Monday
M. W. Wiley, president of the First National Bank of Lockney, announced this week that a meeting of farmers would be held Monday night at the City Auditorium to discuss the election, the matter of Mexican Nationals and other things.

Dr. Mangold Begins Duties Wednesday

Dr. W. J. Mangold began his duties with the Lockney General Hospital Wednesday. He comes here from Gainesville, Texas. He will move his family here as soon as the weather permits, according to Business Manager J. D. Copeland.

Office hours at the hospital will be from 9 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 5 p. m. Mr. Copeland said.

Ice Covers Trees And Ground

A wet snow and sleet fell all of Wednesday night and was still falling Thursday morning covering the ground two or three inches deep.

School will not be held Thursday due to the hazardous traveling conditions. It was reported by school officials late Wednesday. School began Wednesday after the Christmas holidays but attendance was light due to the ice covering the grounds.

A sheet of ice covered trees, wires and the ground here Wednesday, the worst ice storm that has hit this area in several years. Traveling was extremely difficult and hazardous whether by vehicle or by foot but no accidents of any consequence were reported here to mid afternoon Wednesday.

Weather Observer Joe Holt estimated the moisture at conservatively about one-half inch although his rain gauge was frozen and it was impossible to measure.

High and low temperature for each day with the recording being for the 24 hours previous to 9 a. m. on the date shown were reported by Mr. Holt as follows:
Dec. 28—62-40.
Dec. 29—66-38.
Dec. 31—75-40.
Jan. 1—38-19.
Jan. 2—22-19.

Fire Destroys Handley Home

The two-story frame home of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Handley, four miles southwest of Lockney, was completely destroyed by fire along with all furnishings and clothing of the family Tuesday evening about 7:30. The family was away from home and the fire had gained considerable headway before it was discovered by a passerby.

Rhea Mitchell, who lives just south of the Handley farm, passed by and saw the flames and went to the W. C. Wisdom home nearby to call the Lockney fire department. However by the time he returned to the Handley home it was impossible to get inside the house.

The fire was believed to have started from a faulty butane burner under a water heater located in the garage part of the building. The butane had been giving trouble during the day. The family left home less than an hour previous to the fire and the Handley's daughter, Elizabeth had been gone only a few minutes when the fire was discovered.

Adding to the loss was the fact that the Handleys had only recently bought considerable new furniture and new clothing. It was estimated that the loss would be close to \$15,000 with about half of the amount being covered by insurance.

The Lockney Volunteer Fire Department truck made the run to the home but the building was too far gone to save. The department prevented a brooder house nearby from burning. Fire Chief Lowell Bilbrey drove the truck down. No barns or other outbuildings were damaged.

The Handleys were undecided on plans of building Wednesday. They plan to rebuild but did not know whether they would build back in the same place or not. The home was built about five years ago after the Handleys returned here from Lubbock where they lived during the war.

Rogers Home Damaged
The Ira Broyles two-story house in northeast Lockney occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rogers was badly damaged in a fire early last Saturday morning and only quick, efficient work by the local fire department prevented the entire house from being destroyed. The upper story of the building, containing an apartment occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith was destroyed along with all the furniture on that floor and clothing belonging to the Smiths.

The fire started in the ceiling of the second story and was discovered by Mrs. Smith. She had started cooking breakfast and had left the kitchen just a minute. Upon returning she reported the entire ceiling was ablaze.

Plymouth's Pace-Setting New Belvedere



THE NEW PLYMOUTH — Pictured here is one body style of the new 1952 Plymouth cars. The new model will be on display at Bilbrey Motor Company here Friday of this week, January 4 and John B. Bilbrey, local dealer invites everyone to come in and see it. Pictured above is the new Belvedere model, the smart hardtop club coupe. This model has two-tone colors, a choice of several, sparkling chrome moulding outlines the top and carries back to separate the two colors, the interior is luxurious, with colorful quality fabrics used to accent its beauty.

George Roberson Dies At Amarillo

George Roberson, a brother of Frank and Arthur Roberson and Mrs. Walter Griffith, all of Lockney, passed away suddenly Monday night at his home in Amarillo. He came in from work, relatives said and complained of feeling badly. He lay down on a bed and passed away within a few minutes.

Mr. Roberson and his wife, the former Hattie Cox, formerly lived here. In fact both of them were reared near Lockney and were married here. They moved away about 20 years ago. He was a carpenter by trade.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at a Church of Christ in Amarillo and burial was in an Amarillo cemetery. Relatives from here attended the services.

Mr. Roberson was about 56 years of age, it was reported here and had been in good health. He attended funeral services for a brother-in-law, Joe Cox, held here about two weeks ago.

Other Fire Alarm

The Lockney fire department was called early Thursday morning to Whittenburg Gin to extinguish a fire in the boiler room. Both trucks made the run. Very little if any damage resulted from the fire.

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reveal that gum-chewers are faster than their non-gum-chewers... which prov- women are happier when ang their jaws.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS Never was there a quicker and easier candy to make than coc- nut twigs. Heat one package of sweet chocolate over boiling water on the top burner flame until partly melted. Remove from boiling water and stir rapidly until entirely smooth. Add one cup shredded coconut and mix well. Drop from teaspoon on wax paper, cool until firm. Makes 18 delicious pieces.

The trouble with most of us is that our necessities are too lux- urious and our luxuries are too necessary.

CAUTION: You'd better look close, now, before telling the wife she has wrinkles in her hose. She may not have any on!

An optimist is one who sees only the down payment.

It won't be long before the old narrow roads, where two cars can barely pass without collid- ing, will be replaced by splen- did highways on which six or eight cars can collide at the same time.

Truth is best understood by those who have experienced its value.

Still, if a woman doesn't have a strong sense of intuition, how is it that she knows long before a man does, what he is going to do?

Babson's Forecast For 1952 Given

By Roger W. Babson

(Continued from last week)

18. There are three ways of preventing inflation: (1) in- creased production; (2) de- creased spending; and (3) AS A LAST RESORT, increased taxes. I fore- cast that the current exploit- ation and accompanying fear of inflation are not yet at their peaks for this business cycle.

19. States and Municipalities will again be under pressure to find adequate sources of reven- ue. Further increases in sales taxes by States and Municipal- ities can be looked for next year.

20. There will be no increase in "luxury taxes" during 1952.

Domestic Trade Uncertain 21. Credit curbs will continue to hold down the demand for automobiles and certain house- hold equipment. Completions of fewer dwellings will also act as a damper on furniture sales.

22. Falling demand for hard goods should stimulate the pub- lic's spending for food and low- er-priced soft goods.

23. The above trend forecast will mean a decline in depart- ment store volume. I predict a rise in the sales of variety and drug chains.

Foreign Trade Outlook 24. I believe that armament is to become a new and permanent industry, at least for many years to come. Airplanes, tanks, artil- lery, guns, and munitions will constantly be replaced as they become obsolete. This new ac- tivity will operate much as the automobile industry has oper- ated. I forecast that this will be more and more recognized throughout 1952.

25. Barring new war develop- ments, I look for continued shrinkage in our civilian exports during 1952. Imports, however, may rise further. Exports to South America will be off. Total foreign trade should not be changed much, but the exporters will be on the short end of this business with the importers gaining.

26. Except for war supplies, it will become more difficult to convince Congress that addition- al heavy credits should be granted abroad.

27. Many domestic manufac- turers will feel increasing com- petition from foreign merchan- dise. A cry for increased tariff protection will be heard; but no radical tariff legislation will re- sult.

Mord Deficit Financing 28. The first quarter of 1952 may actually see a budget sur- plus as a result of high National Income and increased taxation. But, a Federal deficit will surely arise during the balance of the year.

29. Government loans will gradually increase during 1952 and there will be some strength- ening of basic interest rates.

30. Government bonds will continue to be held tightly be- tween the floor of Federal Re- serve support purchases and the ceiling of Federal Reserve anti- inflation sales. Under such con- ditions, price changes should be negligible during 1952.

31. While Canada and South Africa have permitted "free markets" or revaluation of gold,

Helps Dimes Drive



Miss Texas - Glenda Jane Holcomb of Odessa - a Miss America contestant in the annual Atlantic City Pageant, makes one of the first contribu- tions to the 1952 March of Dimes. The March of Dimes period has been doubled to in- clude all January because of the record polio toll of the last four years.

because of increases in costs of production, the Administration is still opposed. The Gold Stock of the United States is, however, likely to be revalued upward when the nation, in the opinion of government economists, "needs another shot of infla- tion." This will not be in 1952.

Stock Market And Bond Outlook

32. Until the danger of war is past, wise people who can easily do so will move out of large bomb-vulnerable cities and a- void having investments in such areas.

33. Sometime during 1952 stocks will sell lower than cur- rent quotations. This applies es- pecially to oils and certain "blue chips."

34. Stocks now in the best po- sition for 1952 should be many of those that have not been pop- ular as inflation hedges in the past months. I like good chain variety stocks, certain movie stocks and possibly the air-transportation issues."

35. Investment Trust funds, pension funds, and insurance companies may provide an ex- cellent backlog of demand for sound Income Stocks where good values can be demonstrated.

36. Successful investors of 1952 will be those who have the PATIENCE to follow a carefully planned investment program. Such a program will emphasize diversification - not only by company and industry, but also by quality and cash.

37. Highest-grade taxable corporate bonds should hold in a narrow price range during 1952, but I see no reason for individual investors to by them unless they are CONVERTIBLES.

38. With present high income taxes, tax-exempt bonds should continue in good demand. In- vestors should see to it that their bond maturities are carefully diversified, with some part of their bond funds maturing each year. As there usually is not a good market for tax-exempts when an estate is liquidated, it is wise to hold only such bonds as will mature near the time of one's probable death.

Real Estate Activity

39. Much of the recent real estate boom was the result of easy credit. - almost nothing down and small payments for years hence. Under the recent legisla- tion there will be fewer small

homes built in 1952; but some credit restrictions will be mod- ified. Mortgage money should soon be on more liberal terms.

40. Nonessential commercial building will be hit in 1952 - but, barring World War III, con- trols will be lessened rather than increased.

41. The decline in new build- ing will continue to throw a wet blanket over speculation in vac- ant suburban lots during 1952.

42. The scare caused by the Korean-China War and fears of an early outbreak in other sec- tions will adversely affect the demand for big city real estate. This fear, however, is declining and many who had put their city properties up for sale are with- drawing them.

43. Small sustenance farms should hold up well in price as these continue to be valuable inflation hedges. Demand for large commercial farms, how- ever, should weaken as the year progresses.

44. Any swing back toward rent control will act as a fur- ther damper on new apartment house building. There is as yet no incentive to build home for rental income, although rent control is gradually lessening.

45. Tighter credit controls will make it more difficult to improve older residential properties. Hence, the prices for these should weaken even though these are now the best buys.

46. Volume of money and cred- it in circulation will continue to increase to about the peak of a few years back. The BIG rise has been in credit. Much of the cred- it increase is "secured" by com- modity and property values that

can shrink greatly WHEN de- fense spending ends.

Defense Orders And Politics

47. Those who can do so should attempt to get defense orders if needed to hold up production volumes and reduce overhead. Not too much profit from such war business should be expect- ed. These contracts will be sub- ject to tightfisted renegotiations.

48. The political outlook for 1952 will be completely domi- nated by jockeying for position in the Presidential race for 1952. Barring World War III, Congress will pass very little new legis- lation except some sops to labor and the veterans.

49. Congress will still be dom- inated by a conservative coal- ition of Northern Republicans and Southern Democrats. This North- South coalition will still be able to curb onslaughts by New Deal- ers.

50. Democrats, as well as Re- publicans in Congress are mak- ing every effort to avoid antagon- izing farmers. Again, in 1952 - as in 1948 - the farmers will hold the balance of power in the Presidential and many Con- gressional elections. Midwest states can make or break the Presidential candidates. The labor vote is overrated.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

Something to write home a- bout are bananas, cut length- wise in half, dipped in conden- sed milk, rolled in coconut, then placed in shallow pan and baked in the modern gas oven (375 degrees F) for 20 minutes or until brown.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

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New Magazine For West Texas State

Canyon. — Publication of W-TEX Magazine, quarterly periodical for ex-students of West Texas State College, was announced this week by Milton Morris, executive secretary of the college ex-students association.

The first issue, now at the printers, is expected to be completed and ready for mailing later this month, Morris said.

"Any WT ex who thinks he is not on the association's mailing list," he said, "should contact me at Box 685, Canyon, as soon as possible. In that way, he can be assured of receiving the first copy."

T. C. Brown, instructor in journalism at the college, is editing the magazine and Dudley Hodgkins Co. Inc. of Fort Worth is doing the printing.

The first issue of W-TEX consists of 12 pages, Brown said, and carries features of interest to all WT exes. A standing feature to be carried is a column devoted to news of ex-students listed according to their graduating classes.

"The magazine is designed to keep ex-students in contact with the mother school," Brown said, "and to keep the college in touch with its ex-students."

Statistics show that only a small per cent of the girls in this country are working girls; the rest are working men.

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SWEETHEART OF THE AIR FORCE ROTC — Miss Beverly Pampa co-ed at Texas Tech, has that certain appeal that members of the Air Force ROTC wing at Tech found tops among the college co-eds. She was named sweetheart of the wing and presented Dec. 15 at the Air Force Ball. A sophomore speech major, Beverly is program manager of KTTG, campus radio station.

Soil Conservation News

Initial Conservation Agreements have been signed by Randell King; Bob Ratjen; P. F. Bertrand; Fred Jackson; B. P. Sandefer, all of Floydada; and James Davis, of South Plains. These agreements were signed with the Floyd County Conservation District.

The above named farmers expect to establish one or more conservation practices on their land in the near future, and to use their land within its capabilities and treat it in keeping with its needs.

Initial conservation agreements are partial conservation plans. As more work is done on the farm it is advanced to an Advanced Agreement. Later, if all conservation practices needed are to be established, the agreement is made into a Basic Conservation Plan.

The above procedure is different from the old way that the District conservation plans were written. Then the farmer agreed to carry out a complete conservation plan (basic conservation plan), or else an agreement was not written.

Soil Conservation Service technicians assigned to the Floyd County District have made well locations for Earl Edwards of Lakeview; B. F. Neff of Lakeview; J. H. Waddington of Hart (who is putting down a well on the Bennett land in the South Plains area); and O. L. Beardon of McCoy.

Randell King, of Floydada, is building some level terraces on his Cedar Hill farm. The land to be terraced was washing badly, and a lot of the topsoil had gone into a lake. He plans to drain a small lake into a larger one.

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Grass In Cotton Easily Controlled By Chemicals

College Station. — Seeding grass in cotton may be controlled more economically by using chemicals than by hand-thinning and hand-hoeing alone, according to Homer E. Rea, associate professor of agronomy for the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Six systems for controlling weeds in cotton were tested at College Station last spring. The main weeds to be controlled were annual grasses, Johnson grass and trumpet vines.

Commercial chemicals sold under the trade names Premerge and Lion Oil No. 1 were used in this experiment. Costs of the chemicals were \$2.62 per acre for one application of Premerge and \$2.50 per acre for two applications of Lion Oil No. 1.

Rea reported that the cost for hand labor was \$13.30 per acre where the cotton was hand-thinned, hand-hoed and given regular tractor cultivation — no chemical being applied. The cotton was hoed six times.

The cost for hand labor was only \$3.29 per acre where Premerge was applied before the cotton came up and two applications of Lion Oil No. 1 were made for early weed control after the cotton was up. For late weed control, flame cultivation was used.

Where only the two applications of Lion Oil No. 1 were used after the cotton came up, the cost for hand labor was \$3.78 per acre. Flame cultivation was used for late weed control.

The hand labor cost was \$6.90 per acre where only Premerge was used before the cotton came up.

Where machine thinning, rotary hoeing, high-speed tractor cultivation and late season flame cultivation were used, the cost for hand labor was \$7.75 per acre. The rotary hoe weeder attachment was used twice in this system, and the cotton was hand-hoed three times.

Use of Premerge before the cotton came up, supplemented by delayed rotary hoeing and high-speed tractor cultivation followed by late season flame cultivation, resulted in a hand labor cost of \$10.33 per acre. The rotary hoe was used once and the cotton was hand-hoed three times.

In this experiment, two pounds of Premerge in 10 gallons of

CHIC COAT DRESS



The coat dress is one of the most fashionable new styles for fall and winter. This striking design is done by Emily Wilkens, noted New York designer, in cotton suiting, a popular fabric for winter fashions. More winterweight cottons are being used by top designers this year than ever before, National Cotton Council fashionists report.

water were applied per acre in a 10-inch band over the drill immediately behind the press wheels. This treatment was used to control shallow-seeded annual weeds and grasses until time for the first cultivation.

Lion Oil No. 1 at the rate of five gallons per acre was applied to a 10-inch band in the drill below the cotton leaves. The two applications were made seven days apart. These applications gave forth 94 to 99 per cent control of the annual and Johnson grass seedlings. All treated young grass seedlings were killed by the first application of Lion Oil No. 1.

In another test, a chemical sold under the trade name Esso Weedkiller No. 38 was just as effective as Lion Oil No. 1.

Rea said, "except for the burning of an occasional leaf that was oiled accidentally, there was no evident injury to the cotton plants from any of the chemical treatments."

The results of this experiment was given in Progress Report 1412, available from the Publications Office, College Station, Texas.

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Society News

Farewell Supper For The Cobbs

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Thomas were hosts Tuesday evening to a small group of friends at a farewell supper for Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Cobb who are leaving soon for Tucson, Arizona. Present were Rev. and Mrs. Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Ben McGhee, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Handley, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar R. Hays, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas.

B&PW Club Has Christmas Party

Allen Visitors

The Business and Professional Women met Thursday night at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. June Bybee for a Christmas party. A wonderful dinner was served to the following: Meses. Tangy Hargis, Birda Foster, Ellen Wiley, LaVerna Brunner, Edell Sams, Francis O'Hearn, Estelle Powers, Margaret Bean, Marie Embry, Wanda Baker, Bettie Knox, Lena Fae Sweatt and June Bybee. After dinner gifts were exchanged. Hostesses for the occasion were Meses. Birda Foster, Lena Fae Sweatt and June Bybee.

Langfeldt Visitors

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Langfeldt Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stowe of Abilene, Mr. Stanley Stowe of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stowe, Bill, Doug and Kay Lynn of Monticello, Utah, Mr. and Mrs. David Stowe, Connie and Gary of Kress, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Taylor and Donna Nell and Mr. and Mrs. Deryl Cole and Robert of Plainview.

Harris Guests

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Harris over the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Harris and Jimmy of McAllen, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Harris of Compton, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harris and Riley of Silvertown and Mr. and Mrs. Revis Harris, Linda and Bill of Lockney.

Hospital News

Dorothy Green is receiving treatment for burns. Her condition is improved. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rivers are parents of a son born January 2, 1952, the first baby of the new year here. He has been named James Lovon and weighed seven pounds, four ounces. Mrs. Pearl Prickett was dismissed Dec. 20 after receiving treatment for a heart ailment. Mrs. Raymond Upton of South Plains was dismissed Dec. 27 after medical treatment. W. L. Street was dismissed December 28 after medical treatment. Judy and Billie Thomas, children of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thomas Jr., were dismissed Dec. 31 after undergoing tonsilectomies on Dec. 29. Mrs. J. W. Brannum was dismissed Dec. 31. She was treated for a broken arm suffered in a fall Dec. 28. Linda Garza was dismissed Dec. 30 after medical treatment. Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Watts are parents of a baby girl born Dec. 30. The little lady was named Janet Sue and weighed seven pounds and four ounces. She has three older brothers. The mother and baby were dismissed Jan. 1. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jones are parents of a son born Dec. 30. He was named Charles Alvin and weighed seven pounds. They were dismissed Jan. 1. Lupe Espinosa was dismissed Dec. 31 after medical treatment. Mr. and Mrs. LaRue Glenn, accompanied by Mrs. Glenn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nagle, visited two weeks with their brother and son, Chas. Nagle and family, in St. Louis, Mo.

Visitors in the Hugh Carroll home over the holidays were Pfc. and Mrs. James Carroll from Ft. Mamouth, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Carroll and family from Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. James Crane and family from Clovis, N. M.

Sgt. and Mrs. Francis Howard and little son Bill spent the Christmas holidays visiting relatives here. Mrs. Howard and Bill spent the remainder of the week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cap Carthel. They returned to their home in El Paso on Sunday.

Visitors in the T. S. Fox and Sid Thomas homes during the Christmas holidays included Mrs. Joe Page and boys of Alpine, Thomas Camp, medical student at Galveston, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Payne and Bill Jr. of Roswell, Mrs. and Mrs. F. A. Zodrow, Tulsa, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Mark Fairman of Kermit and Sid B. Thomas Jr., student at Baylor University.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mitchell and family, Shirley, Warren and Neil, returned home this week from a ten day trip to Crossville, Illinois where they visited with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Miller and family. On their return trip they visited the Grand Ole Opera in Nashville, Tennessee and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Miller, in San Angelo, Texas.

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MRS. JOE CUNYUS

BARBARA MULLINS BECOMES BRIDE OF JOE CUNYUS IN HOME CEREMONY

An archway entwined with greenery, white lilies and mums flanked by baskets of the same flowers placed in front of a picture window formed the picturesque background for the marriage ceremony of Miss Barbara Mullins and Joe Cunyus.

Rev. E. J. Cobb, pastor of the First Baptist Church read the impressive double ring service in the presence of a few close friends and relatives on Christmas Day at 10 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Bertha Cunyus, mother of the bridegroom.

A prelude of nuptial music included "Always" and "Because" sung by Sid B. Thomas of Baylor University, Waco; "I Love You Truly" sung by Mrs. Martha Summers of Dimmitt, sister of the groom. They were accompanied by Joyce Carthel of Texas Technological College, Lubbock, who also played the wedding march.

Miss Pauline Mullins of Brownfield was her sister's maid of honor. She wore a gown of white net over white satin and a corsage of red carnations.

Given in marriage by her father, W. B. Mullins Sr., the bride was attractive in a gown of white slipper satin fashioned with a round net yoke outlined with seed pearls, long pointed sleeves accented by seed pearls, and a full skirt terminating in a train. Her fingertip veil fell from a satin halo adorned with pearls. She carried a white Bible topped with a bouquet of red carnations. Something old was her Bible, new was her gown, borrowed was a pearl necklace belonging to her sister-in-law, Mrs. Wayne Mullins Jr., and something blue was a handkerchief.

Bill Summers, Dimmitt, brother-in-law of the bridegroom was best man.

Reception Following the wedding a reception was held. The bride's table was covered with lace and centered with a three-tiered wedding cake, flanked by tapers in crystal holders. Red carnations encircled the punch bowl. Presiding at the table were Mary Jones, Jontha Lee

Casey and Jeannine Foster. Twenty-five guests were present. Both the bride and groom are 1951 graduates of Lockney High School where they were chosen favorites of the senior class. Mrs. Cunyus was also chosen as band sweetheart during her senior year. She was band majorette for two years, a member of the F. H. A. for three years and was a member of the honor society for two years. Mr. Cunyus was a Longhorn football star and also a star basketball player three years. He was a member of the local F. F. A. chapter.

The couple left immediately after the ceremony for a three weeks trip to Florida. For traveling the bride chose a gray gabardine suit with red accessories. Her corsage was of red carnations. Upon their return they will make their home here. Mrs. Cunyus is employed as society reporter for The Beacon and Mr. Cunyus is engaged in farming.

Mr. and Mrs. McByde from Hobbs, New Mexico spent Christmas with her aunt, Mrs. Georgia Hanst. Johnny and Donnie Hanst accompanied them back to Hobbs and spent the week. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Whitfill visited her sister, Mrs. Lee Floyd and family in Brownfield last Saturday and Sunday.

New Auto Law Carries Penalties

Austin.—Public Safety Director, Homer Garrison, Jr., reminded Texas motorists today that they will be subject to additional and much more stern penalties if they are convicted of serious traffic law violations since the state's new Motor Vehicle Responsibility Law went into effect on January 1.

If an operator's license is suspended or revoked for violating any traffic law carrying that penalty, under the new Safety Responsibility Law the Texas Department of Public Safety must also suspend the registration of all motor vehicles registered in the name of that person, unless he gives proof of future financial responsibility in the amount of \$15,000. The same proof must be furnished and maintained before an operator's license can be reinstated, if it was suspended for violation of a traffic law.

Proof of financial responsibility is also required in the following circumstances:

- 1. For forfeiting any bail or collateral that was given to secure appearance in court for trial on a charge of violating any law that provides for suspension or revocation of an operator's license upon conviction.
- 2. For operating a motor vehicle without being legally licensed to do so.
- 3. For operating an unregistered motor vehicle.

Proof of financial responsibility for the future may be furnished by depositing with the Texas Department of Public Safety a certificate showing ownership of an insurance policy that will cover damage claims resulting from a traffic accident, up to \$15,000; by depositing \$15,000 in cash or securities with the Department; or by posting bond with the Department in the same amount.

"I think it must be evident to the public by this time that our new Safety Responsibility Law really means business in assuring a greater safety and security on our streets and highways," Director Garrison said. "The requirement of permanent proof of financial responsibility is, of course, in addition to the penalties that are provided by the traffic laws themselves. This is one of the provisions of the new law that is going to help us put chronic law violators and accident causers off of the road permanently."

LIKE THE BIG GIRLS!



Taking a cue from the big girls, who are wearing bouffant skirts and crinolines petticoats this winter, this fashionable little miss wears her new dress with a full, full skirt. Her chic frock by Trade of California is of black and white pinpoint checked cotton with red and green trim.

Births More Than Triple Deaths Here

Justice of the Peace J. J. Harris issued 121 birth certificates and only 36 death certificates during the year 1951 he reported Wednesday. Mr. Harris registers all deaths and births that occur in this part of the county. Some deaths of local people occurred in other places and the certificate was issued at the place of death. All the births recorded were from the Lockney General Hospital with the exception of four, Mr. Harris said.

Rites For War Victim Held At McCoy

Funeral services for Cpl. D. F. Payne, 22, who was killed in Korea Sept. 2, were held at 2:30 p. m. Sunday in the McCoy Baptist Church, between Ralls and Floydada.

Corporal Payne was the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Payne of Lubbock. Rev. Sidney Johnson officiated at the services. Burial was in the Floydada cemetery.

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Floydada Man In Auto Collision

Three persons were injured with injuries resulting from the collision of two automobiles a half mile east of Highway 70 early Friday. Three other were from the hospital after treatment.

Hospitalized were R. Crutchfield, 23, a mile south and five of Floydada, severe lacerations and bruises; Logan, 24, Plainview, on the forehead and fractures of two; Steven Logan, 5, Lacerated right hand and concussion.

Pete Hopper, 17, the automobile in which his twin brother, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Crutchfield, 23, were Hoppers. Their parents and Mrs. Tom Hopper live on the place south of Floydada.

Logan was driving which he and his were riding. There were occupants of either vehicle. The automobiles did turn. Crutchfield said car was coming off a road from a side road collision occurred.

Dick Harris Dies At Belin, N. M.

Dick Harris, son of Harris of Belin, N. M., late Mr. Harris and Mrs. Arthur Roberson, died last Saturday and was buried there. The family lived here a few years ago. Mr. Harris operated a blacksmith and when he passed, mother and son went live.

R. D. Gilbreath Injured In Accident

R. D. Gilbreath of son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gilbreath, resident of the Lone Arm two weeks ago. Hand was caught in a belt. The left arm was in two places. His Christmas visiting went on.

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FOR CASH LEASE — 80 acre irrigated farm. Lewis Hickman, McAdoo, Texas. 18-tfc.

FOR RENT — Small house, 2 rooms and bath. A. H. Turner, dial 2268. 18-3tp.

FOR RENT — Four rooms and bath upstairs apartment. Hot and cold water, all utility bills paid. Two blocks west of bank. E. M. Lawson at Lockney Cafe. 14-tfc.

STORAGE SPACE for rent. See Dr. N. E. Greer. 28-tfc.

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WANTED TO BUY — 1000 gallon butane tank. See Bob Jarrett. 18-2tp.

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We would like to wish each of you a happy and prosperous new year.

The Hugh Carrolls.

CARD OF THANKS

We are deeply grateful for your expressions of sympathy and many acts of kindness during our recent bereavement. We shall always remember every kind word and deed.

The Crager Family.

AT COTTON BOWL

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Kellison and daughter, Gayle, and Miss Carolyn Cobb attended the Cotton Bowl football game at Dallas Tuesday.

LOCKNEY LODGE

Lockney Lodge No. 867 A. F. & A. M. Regular meeting third Tuesday night at 7:30.

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GMAA Meeting Here Saturday Afternoon

A meeting of the local chapter of the Germania Mutual Aid Association will be held at the City Auditorium Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. It was announced this week by Frank Dodson, Secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Belt and boys, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Belt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wofford and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Golden and family and Mr. and Mrs. Connie O'Brien and family returned home January 1 from Hollywood, California where they have spent the past two weeks visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Belt.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Carthel, Royce and Keith, went to Ft. Worth Monday. They spent Monday night in the home of Mrs. Oleta Teaff and watched the T. C. U. and Kentucky football game on television. They returned home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Zoel Watson and children, Elna, Janice and Doyle, of Albuquerque, N. M., spent last week here visiting friends and relatives. They are former residents of Lockney.

CUB SCOUTS TO MEET

Pack Number 59 of the Cub Scouts is going to meet next Tuesday afternoon at 2:45 in the Methodist Church basement. The mothers of the Cub Scouts are invited to attend.

Guests in the Elmer Lee Stapp home during the Christmas holidays were Mrs. Stapp's sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Morrisett and children of Duncan, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Reed Gibbens and children of Breckenridge, and her mother, Mrs. Lillie Boutwell of Electra.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dean Gilbreath of Floydada are parents of a daughter born December 19 in a Floydada Hospital. The young lady weighed seven pounds, 12 ounces and was named Beverly Dean. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gilbreath of Lockney and Mrs. Clarice Bradley of Silverton.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Lynn are the parents of a baby girl born December 12, 1951. The young lady was named Mary Beryl and she tipped the scales at ten lbs. and ten ounces. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn live at 4625 1/2 Lincoln Avenue, Los Angeles, Calif.

Political Announcements

The Beacon is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following persons for the office indicated, subject to action of the Democratic primaries: For Sheriff of Floyd County: EARL COOPER

Lockney Boys Win Two At Plainview

Plainview, Dec. 29 — Plainview boxers won four of 10 bouts on an amateur boxing card at City Auditorium here Friday night.

Four of the matches ended in technical knockouts and two in knockouts. A thin crowd of about 500 watched the second card of the season.

The Plainview Spanish Boxing Club won three bouts, Lockney, and Amarillo two each, and Kress, Lubbock and the Plainview Kiwanis Clubs one apiece.

The results: 135 pounds — David Turner, PK, dec. Ernest Smith, Lockney.

140 pounds — Bill Young, Kress, dec. Fostino Cerda, PSBC.

80 pounds — Manny Perez, Amarillo, dec. Mike Davis, PK.

142 pounds — Pancho Nevares, PSBC, TKO'd Bennie Word, PK (1).

118 pounds — Ray Thornton, Lubbock, TKO'd Jesse Salazar, Amarillo (2).

143 pounds — Louis Vargas, PSBC, KO'd Sparky Quisenberry, Plainview, (2).

135 pounds — Ocho Gonzales, PSBC KO'd Glenn Ratliff, PK (1).

150 pounds — Johnny Hernandez, Amarillo, TKO'd Red McDaniel, Lockney (2).

130 pounds — E. M. Pyle, Lockney, dec. Ronald Wells, PK.

200 pounds — Tip Jeffcoat, Lockney, TKO'd Clinton Estep, PK (2).

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster, Eddie Joe and Betty Jean spent the week end in Artesia, New Mexico. They took Mrs. Florence Hastings, mother of Mrs. Foster back to her home. Mrs. Hastings has spent the past two months visiting in the Foster home. While in Artesia, Betty Jean was honored with a dinner and theatre party by her former classmates.

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EDITORIAL
For there is not a word in my tongue, but lo, O Lord, thou knowest it altogether. — Psalm 139:4.

Probably many New Year resolutions have been made and perhaps some even broken by this time but it isn't too late yet to make resolutions. As the poet said, "It is better to have loved and lost than to have never loved at all," likewise it is better to have made some resolutions and broken them than to have never made any. If you haven't gotten around to making your resolutions yet, make some today. All of us need to.

At times something happens to arouse people, not only against a person or persons who have done some terrible deed but sometimes to arouse themselves to feel ashamed that they haven't been more thoughtful and considerate of their fellow-man. Such seems to be the case in the severe beating of the little boy at Vernon. Of course, the thing that makes most parents sick with loathing and disgust is the fact that the boys' own mother would treat him so brutally. How a supposed mother

could be so inhuman to her own offspring is more than most of us can understand. Such action goes beyond the usual instinct of animals. Most any animal will fight to protect their young. And yet here is a human being that treats her own offspring cruelly. If a lynching party was ever justified, it seems that it would be in this case.

"Man's inhumanity to man" is a subject that has been discussed for ages. It is still the nature of some to be cruel and have a desire to hurt their fellow man. This was the nature of many Jap soldiers during World War II and of some Chinese and Korean soldiers in the present war. But for a person living in enlightened America to have such a brutal, inhuman attitude is beyond comprehension.

The Democratic Party house cleaning deal is not a new thing in politics. It seems the same thing happened to Teddy Roosevelt during his first term as President. The Republicans had been in office quite a long time and like any other party that stays in power many of the office holders had become corrupt. Mr. Roosevelt proceeded to investigate and clean house and was elected next term by a substantial margin. The difference in that situation and the one today is the difference in the men. Mr. Truman has been associated with political corruption all his political life. His connection with the infamous Pendergast machine can never be forgotten by men who love clean government. On the other hand Teddy Roosevelt was personally a clean man and his reputation was a above reproach. We do not believe that Mr. Truman can do much housecleaning without starting at the top of the list.

Senator Harry Byrd said in a recent speech that "In six years the Truman administration has taken more from the American people than all the domestic taxes our government has levied in the previous 156 years. Appropriations for the 1950, 1951 and 1952 total \$232 billion dollars or an average of around \$77 billion per year. Does anyone who understands simple arithmetic believe that the United States Government can continue to spend at the rate of one-third of its citizens total income? The Administration has professed to cut domestic spending to the bone yet the President asked Congress for \$1.2 billion dollars more this year than for last year for strictly non-military spending."

From the Ashes a New Hope Arises



With Our EXCHANGES

WHO SHALL WE BELIEVE?

If the last seven years have proven anything, they have shown us that the "Vanishing American" is the man in the street who can believe everything he hears, sees, or everything that his government tells him.

For we have been led astray too often to take anything from the Truman administration at its face value.

Three particular instances during the past four weeks have proven our contention. They are the Senate Preparedness report, the Korean atrocity report, and the cease fire or not-to-cess-fire controversy.

Our government says one thing on the one hand and comes back with a completely different story the next time. We're supposed to swallow both lines and keep a straight face.

This lack of consistency is grounds enough for us to be scared plenty in times like this when the powder keg can go boom at any moment.

The biggest question is, "Who can we believe?" The biggest problem is to find out before it's too late.

On the one hand, a committee, comprised of seven responsible legislators — four Democrats and three Republicans — contends that the American mobilization program is behind schedule, that the mobilization planners just lowered their goals in the face of lagging production. Actually, the committee says, production is pathetically short.

There is no partisan dig at our administration. It can be nothing but a conscientious appraisal of what has been a serious shortcoming in girding for war.

On the other hand, however, our government, faced with this non-partisan report, denies its allegations and says that our production is coming along "fine." Even to the point of Charles E. Wilson assuring the people that our monthly production is increasing a billion dollars a month.

Who do YOU believe? Who CAN you believe? Is it safe to settle back in the belief that our government says everything is O. K. and forget about it? Not hardly. We know that our jet plane

production is lagging in that we can only supply replacements for normal losses in Korea. We have the grand total of 75 jet fighters in the whole of Korea while the Communists have over 700!

Outnumbered about 10 to 1 with no immediate prospects of a brighter situation and the pending cease-fire talks prohibiting ANY FURTHER buildup of men or material. That means no more planes. But the Russians can put as many more as they care to on the banks of the Yalu.

If YOU were in Korea, would YOU think the American armament program was coming along fine? That's what our politicians would like us to believe.

In the face of the Air Force pleadings and the fact that Congress APPROVED a larger air force, our president FAILED to use the funds appropriated by Congress for a larger air force.

Does that increase your confidence in his judgment? Secondly, the Korean atrocity report, gives up plenty of room to doubt the ability of our leaders.

A high military spokesman releases a report telling of approximately 6000 murdered soldiers in Korea, slain in violation of the international rules of war.

Our supreme commander in the Pacific theatre then comes to the fore to publicly deny the total and bring forth a much smaller total killed in the horrible atrocities.

Even at that, the government isn't sure that the news of the atrocities should be released to the public. — Hereford Brand.

Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the file of The Lockney Beacon.

July 11, 1913

The Lockney State Bank has moved into their new and handsome brick home on the corner of Main and Locust. The new fixtures have been installed gives the bank a city appearance and makes it the best equipped bank on the plains.

Lockney's big Fourth of July celebration was a success in every particular. There was plenty of dinner of the basket kind. Lockney and Gasoline crossed bats, the game going to the visitors. The Floydada Band furnished the music for the day and we wish to compliment our sister city on her fine music.

Miss Annie Sims, daughter of Postmaster Sims of Curlew, was trading in Lockney Wednesday.

On July 4th Messrs. Bradford Wilson and Horace Wade, cattlemen, moved their chuck wagon into town at Mr. Wilson's home and for several meals they gave an old fashioned chuck wagon dinner. Numerous friends were entertained. Horace Wade did the cooking himself and a finer cook never flopped a pan. A big fat beef was killed which was fried and barbequed and a big pot of son-of-a-gun was dispensed.

George Meriwether and Lee Underwood left Tuesday for Hansford county on business.

March 12, 1920

Dirt will be broken on next Friday, March 19, for the new Methodist Church.

Miss Grace Sutton, Mr. Richard Sutton, Mrs. R. L. Cutler and Mr. Lawson Moreland spent Sunday afternoon at the Murphy home.

Dr. Greer and family have all been ill this week with the mumps.

The American Legion met over the Highway Garage March 9, being a regular meeting night.

They have decided to use the club room for use of the Legion. The Legion is going to do something good and we hope citizens of this community stay with us. The Christmas home is interesting. Everyone visit in Winters with family relatives.

July 24, 1920

At the Methodist church Monday morning a large number of people were present. Eugene F. Harris and Crawford were united in marriage. These two people are of prominence in this community. Immediately after the ceremony to spend the tour at Carlsbad.

Charlie Graves, Jimmie Belt and Jimmie Belt and family visited in Lockney Wednesday in the morning.

Crops are badly hit by rain now.

Mr. and Mrs. T. returned last Thursday in Winters with family relatives.

In response to the to hold a candidate Lockney on Tuesday and night, practical candidates for township offices respondents speakers for Governor and

Wednesday morning, 11 a. m. until 11 a. m. d Mrs. hours at the swim. They have said they would be somewhere those hours.

We don't know how automobile will run beer we know how far was out of a tenth-story were

Fun is like life the older you get the costs you.

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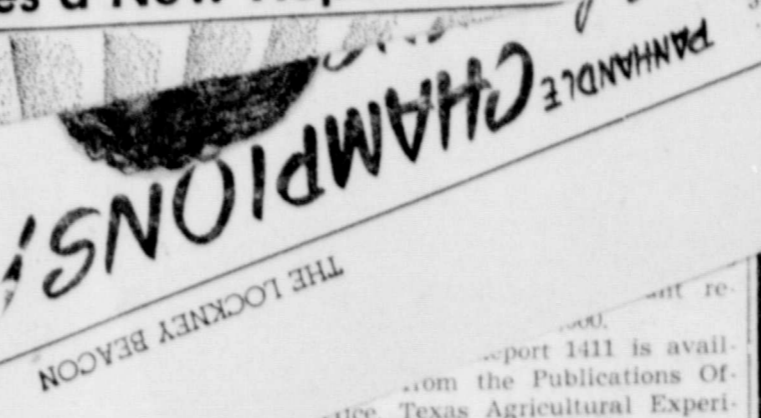
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could be so inhuman to her own
offspring is more than most of
us can understand. Such action
goes beyond the usual instinct
of animals. Most any animal
will fight to protect their young.

From the Ashes a New Hope Arises

Paulson and LeBourveau report
that 139 are associations which
market and process agricultural
commodities and purchase farm
supplies, while 44 are service
associations.



Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Stuart Jr.
and children, Billy and Kathy
of Fredonia, Kansas, spent the
Christmas holidays with his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Stuart
of Lockney.

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and children of Seelye, Mr. and
Mrs. W. R. Smith and Dorothy
of Seelye, and Miss Sandra
of Seelye, Dallas, came at
7:30 and was wonderful to all.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Pickens and
Mrs. W. M. M. Sand
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Fire Destroys

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in the boiler room. The damage
was small in this blaze, it was
reported.
Sunday afternoon late they
were called to Lone Star where
a garage belonging to Howard
Watkins was burned along with
some fire damage to Mr. Wat-

Masonic Lodge To Show Film

The Lockney Masonic Lodge
will see the film, "America, The
Beautiful" on Tuesday night,
January 15 in the Masonic Hall,
it was reported this week by
members.

SHOWER FOR HANDLEYS FRIDAY NIGHT

Friends have arranged for a
miscellaneous shower for the
Harmon Handley family Friday
evening of this week starting at
7 o'clock in the educational unit
of the First Baptist Church.
Friends of the family are invited
to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Harris

spent the holidays visiting
relatives in Central and South
Texas.
Watch your expiration date.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Mr. Irrigated Farmer DON'T FORGET!

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