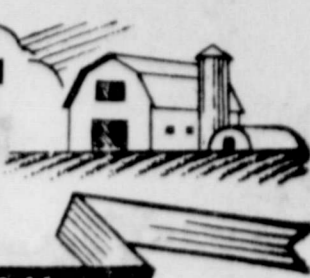


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## Law Enforcement (An Editorial)

Floyd County citizens who believe in and want law enforcement in this county will applaud the action of the Grand Jury last week which evidently did not believe the inference that Sheriff Earl Cooper and his deputies has mis-treated a prisoner.

This apparent effort to "smear" the Floyd County Sheriff is just the culmination of a threat made by a group in Floydada when he was elected that "he won't last three months."

Of course, as in any such effort the ring leaders are a group who don't want the law enforced and by their wild tales they enlist the aid of a few good citizens who are misinformed and misled. Happily very few of this type citizen was involved in the attempt to discredit the Sheriff.

Law-abiding and peace-loving citizens of the county can expect outbursts of this type from time to time. Our duty is to stand behind and support the Sheriff's department in their efforts to enforce the law fairly and impartially. Of course, none of us want prisoners to be mis-treated but there is no evidence that Sheriff Cooper or his deputies have ever mis-treated anyone and we do not believe that he will do such a thing. However a peace officer must be firm with offenders of the law and it appears that that is the attitude Mr. Cooper is taking. We say enforce the law fairly and impartially and let the chips fall where they may.

## 4 Brothers Meet For First Time In 38 Years

Four Sparkman brothers, including H. B. Sparkman of Lockney, met last week end at the home of one of the brothers, C. M. Sparkman of Wichita Falls, for the first reunion in 38 years. The local man went down to Wichita Falls Wednesday and returned home Sunday.

Many are the tales that the foursome related during their reunion and, of course, the elder of the quartet takes the spotlight with nautical stories of his 40 years with the United States Navy.

Arthur H. Sparkman, 65, of Portland, Maine, was on the flagship Fourth Division which made the historic round-the-world cruise in 1908. President Teddy Roosevelt ordered the trip.

At the end of his Navy career he had the proud ranking of Chief Machinist. After retirement he worked for many years with the Socony-Vacuum Company.

C. M. Sparkman, 63, has been a contract plumber in Wichita Falls for more than 25 years while the younger of the group, T. R. Sparkman, 54, is a real estate broker in Redwood City, Calif. H. B. Sparkman of Lockney is a painter.

The two elder brothers, Arthur and C. M., were born in Van Buren County, Tennessee. T. R. and H. B. were born in Coryell County, Texas. Their mother died when they were all quite young. The father kept the family together for the next few years until the older brother, Arthur, left to join the Navy. The father then moved with the rest of the family to Dallas County, Texas on May 4, 1904 where he began operating a farm.

Within the next few years the boys had married and left home settling in scattered parts of the United States.

Commenting on their reunion the four agreed that it won't be so long between get-togethers hereafter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parrish spent the week end in the new home of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy McClure in the Irick community.

## W. A. Keeter Dies Of Auto Injuries

W. A. Keeter, 79-year-old Lockney resident, died in Lubbock Memorial Hospital Monday morning from injuries received in an auto accident a week earlier.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church here Tuesday at 2 p. m. conducted by Rev. N. S. Daniel, local Methodist pastor. The body was shipped to Canton, Ga., where further services and interment will be made. Mr. Keeter and his wife recently moved here from Canton.

The accident in which Mr. Keeter was fatally injured occurred when a jeep in which he was riding and driven by his grandson overturned on the highway near Idalou. A blowout caused the driver to lose control, relatives said.

William Anderson Keeter, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Keeter, was born July 25, 1873 at Canton, Cherokee County, Georgia. He was married to Alice E. Lowery on April 19, 1891. Four children were born to the couple. Mr. Keeter came to Motley County, Texas, in 1898 and locating there and Mrs. Keeter and the children followed later. They contracted the measles while on the train. Mrs. Keeter passing away two weeks later and a daughter, Malinda, passing away a month later.

As soon as the children were able Mr. Keeter took them and returned to Georgia. A year later he married Ella Boggs at Holly Springs, Ga., and nine children were born to this couple.

They made their home at Canton until May 1952 when they moved to Cuero where they spent the winter with a daughter. Recently they bought a home here and were living here at the time of the accident.

Survivors include his wife, Ella Keeter, 13 children as follows: Claude and Walter Keeter of Lockney; Mrs. Loisie Martin, Cuero, Texas; Mrs. Florine Chambers, Debs Keeter and Elbert Keeter, all of Canton; Mrs. Ruby Swint, Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. Alice Winslette, Rome, Ga.; Mrs. Lou Ella Clark, Winthrop, Maine; Mrs. Mahala Clayton, Rockingham, North Carolina; John Keeter, Kennesaw, Ga.; and Jeff Keeter, Phenix City, Alabama; two step-children, Mrs. Lizzie Martin, Pampa, Texas; and Harris Boggs, Holly Springs, Ga.; one brother, D. F. Keeter of Amarillo, one half brother, one step sister, 33 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren and a number of nephews and nieces.

The elder Mrs. Keeter plans to return to Georgia to make her home, relatives said this week.

## It's Twin Girls At Rhodes Home

Twin girls were born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rhodes Saturday morning at 3:15 o'clock in the Lockney General Hospital. The young ladies and their respective weights are Patricia Kay 5 pounds, and Pammilla Gay, 4 pounds, 9 ounces. The mother and babies are getting along fine and the father is busy handing out cigars two at a time. The Rhodes also have a boy, Jackie Ray, age 3.

## Funeral Services For Mrs. Farnsworth

Funeral services for Mrs. Bertha E. Farnsworth were held at the Chapel of Bates and Evans, Sanoma, Calif., at 10 a. m. on March 18, relatives here have been advised. Interment was in the I. O. O. F. cemetery at Santa Rosa, Calif. Mrs. Farnsworth was a former resident of Lockney.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Manning were Mr. and Mrs. Easton Blendon and sons, of Pecos, and Mrs. Faye Crawford of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith and boys returned from a week's fishing in Corpus Christi.

## Be Sure Your Children Are Enumerated

J. J. Harris, enumerator for the Lockney school district, Wednesday urged that all parents make sure their children of school age have been enumerated during this month. Children ages six through seventeen inclusive on September 1, 1953, should be listed in the school census, he said, and in spite of every effort some may be missed. Parents should check on this matter and be sure that their children are enumerated.

## Bureau Elects County Directors

The Floyd County Farm Bureau, in its annual county-wide meeting Thursday night, selected directors to serve for two year terms. The group also elected alternates to serve in each community.

Following is a list of those elected with the second person named being the alternate: R. R. Kellison, Connie O'Brien, Aiken; Verner Hodel, Milton Ashton, Lockney; Robert Lee Smith, Horton Howell, Sterley; E. L. Turner, James B. Jeffress, Harmony-Allman; Walton Wilson, Wilborn Miller, Fairview; Homer Bartram, Walter Taack, Irick; Barwise; Jack McIntosh, J. N. Richardson, Dougherty; Chester Carthel, Ernest Tannahill, Prairie Chapel.

After the business session coffee and doughnuts were served by Mrs. W. F. Daniels Jr. in charge of the VFW kitchen, and Mrs. Ida B. Puckett, secretary of the Farm Bureau.

A report on the membership drive to The Beacon this week revealed that the county organization now has around 550 members with a number of prospects still to be contacted.

## Milton T. Zimmerman Dies At 100 Years

Plainview. — Milton T. Zimmerman, 100 years old, died late Saturday night, after an illness of 4 1/2 years.

He was a retired farmer. Mr. Zimmerman was born Oct. 27, 1852, in Wayne County, Iowa. He was married to Mary Parson of Keytesville, Mo., on Oct. 8, 1889. She died in 1929.

He came to Texas from Missouri in 1917 and settled in the Irick community. Since the death of Mrs. Zimmerman he had lived with a son in the Providence community.

He was a life-long member of the Methodist Church.

He is survived by two sons, Joe A. Zimmerman of Providence community, and Harry Zimmerman of Alerton, Iowa; a daughter, Mrs. J. B. Alexander of Lubbock; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

The body was sent Sunday to Mindon, Mo., for funeral services and burial beside the body of Mrs. Zimmerman.

## MARtha ANN CUNNINGHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cunningham of Plainview are parents of a baby daughter born February 26 in a Plainview hospital. Little Martha Ann weighed 6 1/2 pounds. Her two brothers are Jerry and Mack. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. Cunningham of Lockney.

## Red Cross Over Goal In County

The Red Cross fund drive has surpassed its goal in Floyd County by more than \$700. It was reported this week. Mrs. Virgil Shaw of Floydada, treasurer, reported Wednesday that the total funds on hand at both Lockney and Floydada banks was \$4,023.32 as compared to a goal of \$3,282.00.

Several community drives are still unreported or incomplete, Mrs. Shaw said.

A partial report from communities of this area shows these amounts: Lockney, \$630.82; Lone Star, \$117.00; Providence, \$117.20; Sterley, \$64.00; Aiken, \$125.00. Irick community has also turned in their money but the exact amount wasn't available. Possibly other communities have also reported. Joe Foster was completing the Prairie Chapel drive Wednesday.

At the Floydada bank there is \$2,968.30 on deposit from Floydada and other communities of the county.

## Lockney High Wins Four Firsts At District Tennis Meet

Students from Lockney High School won four first places in the district tennis meet held at Lubbock last Saturday.

Eddie Joe Foster and Jimmy Myers won the senior boys doubles title defeating Tullia and Crosbyton teams to win. They will enter the regional meet at Lubbock late in April.

Jimmy Rankin won the junior boys singles title by defeating the Crosbyton player.

Mary Myers won the junior girls singles title and Clara Lee Smith and LaDora Ayres won the junior girls doubles title. The junior divisions do not enter regional play.

Orland Gilbert, representing Lockney High in the senior boys singles, won second in the district being defeated by a Tullia player. Margaret Holt, in the senior girls singles, was also defeated by a Tullia player and in the senior girls doubles, Clydelle Hill and Sandra Myers won second, winning over Crosbyton but losing to Tullia.

The local group was accompanied to Lubbock by Neil Henderson, grade school coach.

## Amarillo Goodwill Tour To Stop Here

The Goodwill Committee of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce is planning another good will tour by special train and will stop in Lockney at 11 a. m. on April 22. It was announced this week. They will spend 20 minutes here.

Approximately 100 Amarillo business men will be aboard the train as well as the Amarillo Air Force Base Band. The committee has invited the Lockney High school band to participate in the parade to the business section.

Souvenirs for the school children will be given away and the Amarillo group is looking for a large crowd to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McNeil and family and Mrs. Goldie Quayle of Amarillo were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kendall last week.

## Rev. Vernon Shaw To Preach Sunday

Rev. Vernon Shaw of Lubbock will preach at the First Baptist Church here Sunday morning and evening, it was announced this week.

On Wednesday evening of this week the church is scheduled to elect a pulpit committee which will have the responsibility of presenting the church prospects who might become pastor here. The church has been without a pastor since the death of Rev. J. R. Naylor in a plane accident on February 9.

## Hutchins Takes Post With PVO

Thos. J. Hutchins, who has been with the Production and Marketing administration of the U. S. Department of agriculture for the past nine years, has resigned his job with the administration to take a job as field representative of the Pacific Vegetable Oil corporation, of San Francisco.

He will work as contact man for the company in the high plains area.

Hutchins' resignation is at the convenience of PMA, the first of the month, or until a successor is named, he said this week. At the time he is doing double duty on the two jobs.

Pacific Vegetable Oil corporation, which moved into the territory three weeks ago with a campaign to get contracted acreage for Castor Bean production, hopes to have at least 2,000 acres of Castor beans in this county. They will also operate in Hale and Swisher counties, with some acreage already signed up. Possibly Hutchins may give some time to other adjacent counties. His company has about 750 acres contracted in the county at this time.

When PVO began their campaign here their representatives told prospective growers they expected to have a guaranteed market for the Castor beans and that they had been assured ample harvesting machinery would be available this fall.

Hutchins came to Floyd county as PMA administrative officer two years ago February 1 from Lipscomb county.

Asked if his resignation had any political angles Hutchins said that he was told when he went to work for PMA the job was not political and so far as he knows it is not. His resignation is of his own volition to go with a concern that is in a new line of business for this area that has a chance to develop tremendously. In addition to the demands of the War Munitions board for Castor oil the demand for other uses also far exceeds the supply at the present time.

## Negro Given 3-Year Suspended Sentence

A Floydada negro was given a 3-year suspended sentence in 110th District Court at Floydada Monday of this week on a charge of assault with intent to murder. The charge came about after one negro man had taken a shot at another with a .22 automatic rifle. The two men had been having trouble for some time.

Several other cases scheduled for Monday were postponed. The trial of J. C. Dossey, charged with murder without malice in the death of Mrs. T. V. McClure in a traffic accident here last Thanksgiving Day will be held Thursday.

Deputy Sheriff Ray Harden investigated an apparent break-in at Bihrey Motor Company here Monday night. However nothing was missing. A glass over a rear door had been removed.

Mrs. R. C. Bennett, Bryan Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Manning left Wednesday morning for Mineral Wells. Mr. and Mrs. Manning and Bryan are to return Sunday, but Mrs. Bennett, who has been ill, plans to remain there for an extended stay.

## Band Presents Spring Concert

Tomorrow night (Friday) is the date for the annual Spring Concert to be presented by Lockney High School Band. The performance will begin at 7:30 at the City Auditorium.

The band will play the following numbers: "Washington Post March," "The Town Crier," "Overture Louise," "Sempere Fidelis," "American Patrol March," "Melodic Overture," "Lustpiel Overture," "Janus Overture," "Fable Overture," "The Holy City," "In a Chinese Garden," "Cardinal Overture," "Citadel" and "Monarch March."

Director of the band is Shelly M. Lantrip.

Band members taking part in the program will be Jay Kemp, Barbara Carthel, Sue Wofford, Patsy Bailey, Frances Lemons, June Pigg, David Hartman, Odie Mae Rogers, Clydene Terrell, Betty Machen, LaDora Ayres, Mary Marble, Rosemary McDonald, Fayrene Harden, Doylene Harrison, Jean Wofford, Kay Golden, Loy O'Brien, Hope Cox, Gayle Rucker, David Jameson, Jerry Mickey, Mary Ford, Nell Cunyus, Henry Lee Harden, Gail Chambers, Betty Jackson, Johnny Hanst, Larry Hammitt, Pat Poteat, Mary Myers, Barbara Hays, Jerry Irons, Joann Harris, Katie Rucker, Jerry Holt, Ravanel Turner, Betty Jean Foster, Clara Lee Smith, Nell Wells, James Carthel, Eddie Joe Foster, Betty Sams, Franklin Spruiell, Dorothy Williams, Junior Williams, Darla Allison, Dora Elland, Betty Vernon, Patsy Martin, Gail Kellison and Eddie Lynn Hammond.

An admission of 75c for adults and 35c for students will be charged with the proceeds going to finish paying for new suits recently purchased to suit new members of the band. Local business men have also had a great part in helping the band to meet the expense of these additional suits by sponsoring a congratulations page found in this issue of The Beacon. Read it.

## Floydada C. Of C. Banquet Fri. Night

Jeff H. Williams, Oklahoma Humorist, will be the guest speaker at the annual Floydada Chamber of Commerce Banquet which is set for Friday, March 27.

The banquet will be held at the V. F. W. Hall with the Harmony community Home Demonstration Club serving the dinner.

Williams will be introduced to the 300 Chamber of Commerce members and their guests by Judge Alton B. Chapman, D. T. Mayo, retiring president of the chamber, will be toastmaster.

The blue notes, a ten voice girls singing group from Floydada high school, will also appear on the program.

Clement B. McDonald, Floydada, automobile dealer, is the new president of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce.

## Tom Weeks Slightly Better Tuesday

Tom Weeks of Aiken was reported to be slightly improved Tuesday but is still in a critical condition. He is in the Plainview Hospital. Mr. Weeks suffered a stroke some time ago. Friends said that he was conscious a part of the time Tuesday.

## CASH MARKETS

### Poultry

Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. and over.....	20c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs. ....	17c
Cocks, pound .....	7c
Eggs, No. 1 dozen .....	40c
Ducks, pound .....	11c
Hen Turkeys, pound .....	23c
Tom Turkeys, pound .....	18c

### Cream

Butterfat, No. 1, pound .....

### Hides

Hides, No. 1, pound .....

### Grain

Wheat, per bushel .....	\$2.18
Milo, per cwt. ....	\$2.35



Pictured here is the 24x40 foot building recently completed on the City Park grounds for the Boy Scouts. The building construction was sponsored by the Lockney Rotary Club.

Local Observations Will Station out Bldg. the Lockney Ro... take turn-about week operating the Gulf Station here... from the day's... help pay for the... hut recently com... City Park. building, replacing... the Scouts... Scout drive here... construction of the... now have a drive... paying for it. 8 a. m. Friday... and Lloyd... handle the station... when they will... N. S. Daniel, Bud... Edgar Hays, who... 12. ston, Hugh Coun... will take over... 1 to 3 and from... Jeffcoat, J. D... Cox and Oley Ol... the public. The Rotarians... Joe Parrish, Bob... Brown, M. W... other Rotarians... to work at various... the day. g Elected n THDA meeting was cal... D. A. Chairman... to elect delea... for the dis... the Home Dem... to be held at... to elect a T. H... for the following... g was elected T... for the fol... will take office... meeting. were nominees... and alternates: W. D. Nance; Mrs. A. M. Dor... Mrs. Wilfred... Hill, Mrs. H. F... Plains, Mrs. J... Mrs. J. W. Day... M. J. McNeill; Howard Dry... Mrs. T. L. Perry; A. H. Kreis; Har... Snodgrass; rs. J. P. Moss; uell Neff; Lock... Marr; Sunny... rown. were Mrs... Mrs. Carrick... Mrs. Wilfred... ed alternates... Kreis, Mrs. M... s. J. K. West. Named ceptionist or of Lockney receptionist at al Hospital in board of di... Mrs. Naylor Curtis Kelley h her husband... mer. one of re... per and sec... has held the... st three years. nging To Meet Singing Con... at the Legion... next Sunday... to B. R. Bas... president. The... ach fifth Sun... n at 10 a. m... and a large... He extends... who like to... hes for Dies th ge 78 years... and George... passed away... arch 18. Fun... ed Friday of... and burial... ank Perkins... attended the... S, Box ne daughter... ne sister. Mr... nber of the... it Church for lark Free Deliv.

# PROVIDENCE NEWS

By Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

The only reason some of us don't own an elephant is because nobody has ever offered one for \$1.00 down and \$1.00 per week.

Guests in the Robert Hardin home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Clay and family.

Guests this week in the B. H. Quebe home is Mrs. John Asbury of California.

Spending the week end at McGregor, Texas were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Quebe and Jonnie and Mrs. Ben Quebe.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Quebe and Debra visited Mr. and Mrs. Kent Birdwell of Dimmitt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Helmut Quebe and family visited Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McLeod of Lone Star Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Boedecker and family were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Smith of Tullia Sunday.

Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner was elected as delegate to the 19th District American Legion Auxiliary convention to be held at Snyder in April.

Mrs. Joe Zimmerman is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Alexander in Lubbock this week.

Mr. Joe Zimmerman accom-

panied the remains of his father, to Iowa. Mr. Zimmerman passed away Saturday night.

Rev. H. L. Anderson conducted services for Mr. Zimmerman at Wood Funeral Chapel at 2:30 p. m. Saturday. Many of the friends of the family of this community attended the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brandes of Plainview Sunday Afternoon.

**Surprise Party Held in Marvin Scheele Home**

Sunday evening after the Lenten services at church friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele. An enjoyable evening was spent visiting. The honorees received nice gifts on the occasion of their 31st wedding anniversary. Those attending were: Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Anderson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boedecker, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Boedecker, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Faver and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner, Marie Scheele, Arlene and Gladys Matthews, Focine, Larry and Merlin Boedecker.

Mrs. Charlie Boedecker, recently a patient at Lockney hospital returned home Saturday morn-

ing. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stoerner, Larry and Wayne were week end guests in Wichita Falls where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmidt, Rev. and Mrs. Lee Roy Brandes and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmidt Sr.

Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner and Mrs. Ben Brandes attended Council Saturday. Mrs. Stoerner was one of three elected by the council to represent Floyd County II, D. C. at Lubbock April 30th.

**Anniversary Dinner Held in Scheele Home**

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele had as special guests helping them celebrate their 31st wedding anniversary their children, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scheele and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Faver and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Collins of Pampa. A delicious meal was served at noon.

Mrs. Ben Brandes returned Wednesday from Wichita Falls where she visited in the home of her son, Rev. Brandes.

**Trinity Lutheran Church**

H. L. Anderson, Pastor

Wednesday, March 25th Choir Rehearsal 8 p. m.

Friday, March 27th an extra good cleaning of church for Palm Sunday and Easter 2 p. m. This is the responsibility of each one of us.

Saturday, March 28th Junior Mission Band 9 a. m. The confirmation class also meets at 9 a. m.

Sunday, March 29th, Palm Sunday, Sunday School 10 a. m.

## SCOUTING SILHOUETTES

By TOMMIE DANIEL  
District Scout Executive

**The National Jamboree**

Many people throughout the District have been asking me for information on the National Jamboree which is coming up this summer. In case Unit Leaders have not received information and if parents are considering sending their sons, this information is essential:

First of all, the boy must be a Second Class Scout or higher in rank. There is no age limit. The Scout must furnish his own personal gear, Tentage and Troop equipment will be furnished by the Council. The deposit (which is not refundable, but is transferrable) is \$25 per Scout. The Scout must be registered at the time of the Jamboree (with his own Unit). The total cost for transportation, food, etc. is \$195.00.

Divine Worship 11 a. m. with confirmation.

Congregational dinner honoring our confirmation class at 12:30 p. m. Basket lunch in customary fashion will be served. Everyone is always welcomed in our church. Come and worship with us.

Lenten service Sunday, March 29th. At 7:30 p. m. Luther League immediately following the evening service.

The trip out by Chartered T. N. M. & O. Coach will include sight seeing tours of: Raton Pass, N. M., Walsenburg, Colorado, Canyon City, Royal Gorge, and Santa Ana, California where the Jamboree is to be held. On the return trip they will visit Boulder Dam, The Grand Canyon, Petrified Forest, Painted Desert, etc. and finally back to Lubbock.

The dates for departure and return are not definitely set, but the dates for the Jamboree are July 17-23. A meeting will be held in Lubbock at 3 p. m. Sunday, March 29 for all boys who are going to the Jamboree and the parents of these boys. A detailed description of the trip will be given at this meeting by Dr. C. C. Schmidt, Council Chairman of Camping and Activities.

The registration deadline has been extended from March 1 to March 27 to enable boys to get in reservation fees who did not have the opportunity to register prior to March 1.

"To see America is to know America... to know America is to love America", so this trip will be a long remembered experience to many American boys.

**IN PUERTO RICO**

Among the many new subscribers to the Lockney Beacon is Mrs. D. L. McKennon, daughter of M. P. Scott, local barber, who has recently moved to Puerto Rico. Mrs. McKennon, the former Mary Frances Scott of Lockney arrived in Puerto Rico on February 20 to be with her husband who is stationed there with the army air force. They expect to be there for two years.

**CARD OF THANKS**

"Thank You" is such a small word to use in a moment like this. We can never express how we feel and appreciate your kind words, thoughts and great generosity.

May God Bless you and your kind deeds.  
Tom Weeks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Willis of Sanger, Texas and their daughter, Mrs. Earl Ross and Beth, also of Sanger spent Saturday night and Sunday here in the home of their son and brother, Albert Willis and family.

## T. A. KELLEY PUTS IN RADIATOR SHOP HERE

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kelley and two daughters, Audrey Ann, four years of age and Randy Lou, one year, plan to move from Plainview to Lockney as soon as they can find a suitable house to rent. They need two bedrooms, unfurnished.

Mr. Kelley is establishing a radiator shop here in the Parsons building next door to Capitol Photo. For the past eight years he has been employed by Stovall Booher in Plainview.

**MRS. BENNETT IMPROVES**

Mrs. R. C. Bennett who has been a patient at Lockney General Hospital the past two weeks was able to return home Sunday. She is getting along fine now.

**ON FISHING TRIP**

Bill Whitfill and son, Jimmy, and Ben Whitfill all left Monday afternoon for several days fishing trip to Rock Port, Texas. They joined the Ed Whitfills who are spending the winter on the coast.

**WHETHER IT'S LAW**

## An Auto Liability Is a Good Investment

Yes sir, it doesn't make much sense to buy an auto liability policy. Here's what you can get for your money:

- Legal Defense
- Bail Bond if necessary
- Bodily Injury Liability
- Property Damage Liability
- Medical and Funeral Expenses

That's what we call broad coverage that every motorist needs a policy and let us tell you about it.

**FRANK PERKINS**

Phone 3311 INSURANCE

## Plains Theatre

Lockney

Show Starts at 7:20

THURSDAY and FRIDAY  
March 26 and 27

### "Androcles And The Lion"

with Jean Simmons, Victor Mature and Robert Newton

From the flowing pen of George Bernard Shaw — his wittiest satirical comedy — transformed into the year's outstanding picture attraction — a glorious movie experience.

Also CARTOON

SATURDAY MATINEE and NIGHT  
March 28

DOUBLE FEATURE

### "Down In Arkansas"

with the Weaver Bros. and Elviry  
— Plus —

### "Utah Wagon Train"

with Rex Allen

Ride along the Utah trail with Rex Allen, your favorite western star — as he brings a killer to justice — and finds a fabulous hidden treasure — in a forgotten cave.

Also CARTOON

SUNDAY and MONDAY  
March 29 and 30

### "Against All Flags"

with Errol Flynn and Maureen O'Hara

IN TECHNICOLOR

It's Errol Flynn in his most dashing role in years — as a swashbuckling naval hero who uses sword and fists to subdue Mediterranean pirates — and that glamorous leader — Maureen O'Hara.

Also CARTOON and NEWS

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY  
March 30, April 1

### "Breaking The Sound Barrier"

with Ralph Richardson, Ann Todd, Nigel Patrick.

Spine-tingling drama woven around a jet plane that attains supersonic speed — men die and women weep as a reckless jet pilot crashes his plane through the sound barrier.

Also CARTOON

## SEALE DRIVE-IN THEATRE

2 1/2 miles west of town on the Plainview Highway

COME EARLY and eat at our Snack Bar—Home-made barbecue and chili in our sandwiches and hot-dogs. Also cold drinks, snow cones, pop corn, etc.

SHOW STARTS AT

7:30 P. M.

Second show at 9:20

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

March 27 and 28

### "Bronco Buster"

with John Lund, Scott Brady, Joyce Holden.

IN TECHNICOLOR

Here's action-blazing adventure in the picture worth a thousand thrills — the story of the men who ride the rodeo circuit — the heroes and the heels — and the women who love them.

Also CARTOON

SUNDAY and MONDAY

March 29 and 30

### "Bright Victory"

with Arthur Kennedy and Peggy Dow

You'll laugh — you'll cry a little — you'll meet some wonderful people — it's tense drama with a fascinating romance — out-of-the-ordinary — deeply touching.

Also CARTOON

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY

March 31, April 1 and 2

CECIL B. DeMILLES'

### "Cleopatra"

with Claudette Colbert

A symbol in fashion and love — a historical story of a woman who surrendered her emperor and saved her throne — a drama in story and song.

Also CARTOON

**REMEMBER — The Drive-In is open every night. Come out and bring the family.**

## Used Car Clearance!

1951 Chevrolet Pickup  
Radio, low mileage, new tires, a real buy for—  
**\$950.00**

1949 Chevrolet 3/4 Ton Pickup  
Good condition, priced at—  
**\$850.00**

1947 Chevrolet Aero Sedan  
Motor has been overhauled and has radio, heater and sun visor. A good buy at—  
**\$625.00**

1951 Chevrolet Fleetline Tudor Sedan  
Nice and clean, good condition and low mileage. Has radio, heater, sun visor and seat covers. A bargain at—  
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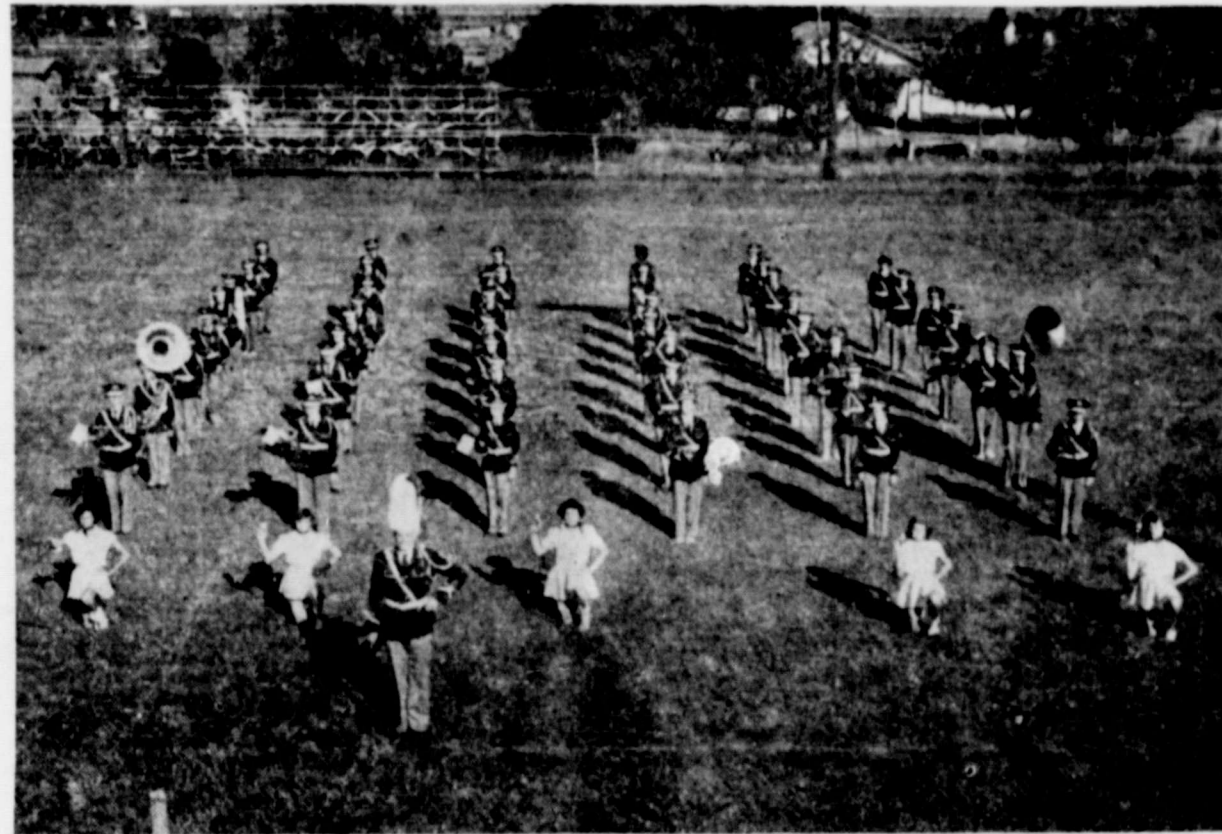
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Mr. and Mrs. Charley Fulkerson of Floydada visited his aunt, Mrs. M. P. Fulkerson and the J. P. Truett's Sunday night. Mrs. Charley Fulkerson is also a sister of Mrs. Ed Thornton.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Stacy of Plainview visited with Mr. and Mrs. F. U. Payne Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Stacy is the former Gladys Marie Stegall, former resident of Trick community.

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### To Possum Kingdom Again

For several years Jack Frizzell, Harold Griffith, Reed Lawson, Lowell Jarrett, Clyde Farish, Howard Mosley and Lloyd Readhimer have gone together for a fishing trip to Possum Kingdom and now they are gone again for this annual trip. The anglers make this the highlight of their sports program each year. They make this about a ten day outing.

J. L. Homsley, brother-in-law of Mrs. Ben McGhee visited an afternoon and night in the McGhee home, following visits in Fort Worth and Weatherford, on his return trip to his home in Fontana, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyette Hodges visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Dempsey of Lubbock this week. Mr. Dempsey is owner of the gin at Lone Star and one at Muncy. Mr. Hodges operates the gin at Lone Star.

Mrs. Bill Wesley, Jr., and son, Phillip arrived via Braniff Airway in Amarillo from Colorado Springs, Colo., Monday morning at 10:45 for a ten-day visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben McGhee and Hope. The McGhees met their daughter in Amarillo.

### Texas Is The Study Topic

The Lone Star Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Clyde Baxter this week for its regular meeting with Mrs. Wiley Nance, president in charge of the meeting. The program material was presented by Mrs. Hubert Frizzell, Mrs. Charlie Merrick and Mrs. Jess Lovvorn. The place of the Indian and his historical background along with the first hand information on early day branding and early brands were the main points of interest in the discussion. Mrs. Baxter served punch and cake to the members and one guest, Mrs. G. C. Applewhite.

### Attend Khiva Temple Festival

Noble Hoyette Hodges and his lady made the pilgrimage across the burning sands to Plainview on Monday night of last week where they ate a buffet supper and enjoyed shiner entertainment. The Potentate, Mark Galloway of Amarillo, Paul Gaither also of Amarillo along with Geo. Thompson of Clarendon were the big three at the affair. Other Nobles of neighboring towns and their wives swelled the crowd to a goodly number.

The Khiva Temple quartet of Amarillo furnished the music barber shop style. Red Miller, the

new Plainview Chamber of Commerce manager in Plainview, proved a humorous and entertaining speaker in a speech where he did not allow the crowd a single dull moment. The Plainview Shrine Club re-organized and elected officers. They presented an outstanding member, Lee Nowlin, attorney, with a fez and elected him as secretary to succeed himself. Jesse Cox of Lockney was elected one of the board of directors.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Graham visited with Mrs. Graham's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson on Sunday afternoon. Mr. Peterson farms at Ralls.

### Lone Star Baptist Church Organizations Meet

There were eight members of the local W. M. U. present to hear Mrs. Thurston Rankin present a study on the Bible last week at that organization's regular meeting.

The young men's Brotherhood met at the Church Tuesday night at 7:30 for its weekly gathering with Wiley D. Nance presiding.

The G. A. organization's number grew to thirteen in this the first month of activity at its meeting this week. The leaders, Mrs. Jack Frizzell, Mrs. Ed Stover and Mrs. Norman Caldwell along with the W. M. U. President, Mrs. Jess Lovvorn, met with the group where they planned a special program to be presented to the W. M. U. at a future date.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman King were guests at a wedding in Dumas recently where the bride is of special interest because of her Floyd County pioneer background. The C. L. Andersons of Lockney, too, were present because C. L. happens to be the great uncle. It was with these two families that the story began back in Floyd County in the latter 80's when Antone L. Anderson, great-grand father of the bride and Dave King, grandfather of Herman lived on joining farms in the Lakeview community. However, it might be added Dave King did not arrive on the scene until in 1905. On the other hand, Mr. Anderson came direct from Norway, where he had spent eleven years in the Norwegian armed service to Floyd County for settlement, as has been said, in the later 80's. He was the father of C. L. Anderson of Lockney and of Frank Anderson of Dumas, grandfather of the bride. The mother is the daughter of Frank Anderson also of Dumas and a former Lockney High school student. She was Jennie Marie Anderson before her marriage.

Miss Dora Freeman, the bride, is a graduate of the Dumas High School and of the select school for girls, Stephen's College in Columbus, Missouri. The groom is a graduate of Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College at Bryan and has since the wedding gone into the Air Corps as a second lieutenant. He is Lieutenant Gerald R. Armstrong of Marshall, Texas.

The Frank Andersons moved to Dumas in 1905.

Mrs. Frank Anderson came home with Herman and Lorene King following the wedding of her daughter in Dumas last week for a visit with the C. L. Andersons and with the Kings.

Mrs. Albert King was one of those to attend the all-day painting party in the home of Mrs. N. S. Daniel on Wednesday of last week.

A number of people have been contacted in an attempt to get someone who will write the Lone Star News each week. To date we have not found anyone who will consent to write it. If you would write it or if you know someone who will write it please let it be known.

Miss Lillie Wingo returned home Sunday morning following a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Warden of Port Arthur. Mrs. Warden is the former Eleanor Wingo. Miss Lillie went to Port Arthur with the Wardens after the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Moss Wingo and Dr. William Patrick Banks at Denton on March 7.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Phillips returned Tuesday from Dallas where they visited their son, Elbert. Young Phillips is a hair stylist at Titcher-Goetinger. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips also attended the Fair Park Flower Show where they saw many beautiful flowers.

Dinner guests in the Harold Griffith home Tuesday night were Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wofford and children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nelson and Jane of Plainview; and Cpl. Donald R. Nelson of San Antonio. Cpl. Nelson spent Tuesday night and Wednesday visiting Harold Dean Griffith. He has just returned from two years stay with the air force in Alaska. He will report for cadet training in San Antonio on Saturday.

Week end guests in the Griffith homes were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Griffith and girls of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jay B. Harris and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clmord Thorgmarton of Whitharrel.

Mrs. L. M. Readhimer, Mrs.

Clyde Farish, Mrs. Reed Lawson, Mrs. Lowell Jarrett, Mrs. Howard Mosley and Mrs. Jack Frizzell were in Lubbock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. who have been in Lubbock are on their way home.

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# Cedar Hill News

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### Celebrates Birthday

Mrs. J. A. Dillard, who is making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Fortenberry, celebrated her 86th birthday on March 16. A granddaughter, Mrs. Audie Nolan, and little son, Larry from Floydada, surprised her with a large strawberry cake topped with whipped cream and fresh strawberries. Mrs. Dillard has been in critical condition, but is much improved and was able to be in the church services Sunday.

Mrs. Rene Yeary was accompanied by Mrs. C. F. Lemons and son, Phil where they attended to some business during the day on Monday in Lubbock. Mrs. J. R. Kelly and Norma Deen were also in Lubbock during the week doing some shopping.

### Music Pupils In Recital

The music pupils of Mrs. Rene Yeary were presented in a recital on Monday evening of last week at Cedar Hill Baptist Church. The program began with the congregation singing, Jesus Loves Me, with Mr. J. R. Conner leading the singing and Frances Lemons at the piano. It was followed with a prayer by Rev. G. C. Applegate. Solos were played by the following: Eulalia Sanders, Bonnie Helms, Carla Lemons, Barbara Sue Milton, Jacqueline Yeary, Eddie Parks, Jean Fortenberry, Donita Milton, Nelda Fortenberry, Frances Lemons.

Martha Taylor, Grace Lemons, and Darla Fortenberry. Three duets were played by Frances Lemons-Nelda Fortenberry, Donita Milton-Eulalia Sanders, and Frances Lemons-Darlene Fortenberry. A very interesting story, Fluffy Cat, was illustrated by Mrs. G. C. Applegate.

James Earl Lewis is a visitor for this week and next week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wiggington and Donald Ray while his parents have gone to Guthrie, Oklahoma.

Mrs. J. R. Kelley and Norma Deen spent Thursday and Friday in Amarillo where they did some shopping. While they were there they spent some time in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cooper. Mrs. Cooper is a stepdaughter to Mrs. Kelly's brother, Hugh Fortenberry.

### Assembly Of God Pastor In Revival Meeting

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Lewis left early Saturday morning to go to Guthrie, Okla., where they both will do the preaching in a Revival Meeting of a church where Rev. Robert Hill is pastoring. They expect to be gone through Easter Sunday and the pulpit at Cedar Hill will be filled by the pastor of the Assembly of God Church at Idalou.

Rev. J. C. Lewis preached over the radio Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock. His message came over station KFLD where one of the preachers in this circle, including Crosbyton, Roaring Springs, Lorenzo, Floydada, Lockney and Cedar Hill will speak each day of this week since it is set aside to the Assembly of God Churches.

The ladies of the Assembly of God Church meet each Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for their regular Missionary meetings. After a program is presented, some time is spent quilting quilts. A cordial invitation is extended to other ladies of the community.

### Social Given

A large number of the Assembly of God people met at the church at Cedar Hill and enjoyed the evening around a camp fire. The event was given in the honor of Mrs. R. T. Fortenberry who has very faithfully served as the president of a group of Young People in the church called Christ Ambassadors. Mrs. Fortenberry resigned her position and a new president, Mrs. Juanita Teeple, was elected in her place. Weiners were roasted on the outdoor fire and later every one enjoyed all the home made ice cream they could eat.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Yeary and

## My Neighbors

By BILL PAULSON



"We Americans have what it takes... and our Government sure takes it!"

daughters, Jacqueline and Jennifer were in Amarillo Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives. Mr. Yeary watched a neighbor do some welding with a home welder a little too long Friday morning and has suffered considerable pain of his eyes.

Mrs. Roscoe Lackey of Lockney was a Sunday dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Conner and attended the Baptizing services at Lockney with them.

### Cedar Hill Baptist Church Has Baptismal Service

Two people came for baptism on Sunday morning and a third person came on a promise of letter from Floydada Baptist Church at regular preaching service. The Baptismal service was conducted at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at the Lockney Baptist Church, the pastor officiating. A special offering was taken for home and foreign missions at the close of Sunday School. The Sunday School attendance is greatly increasing and much cooperation in Spirit is shown. An invitation is extended to you to be in the services next Sunday. The night

services were changed to 7:30 o'clock.

J. B. Whitehead, who has spent fourteen days in the Pitts Hospital at Floydada returned to his home this week and is much improved.

Mrs. Noah Rogers and daughter, Joan left for Dallas Saturday night by bus where Joan is receiving treatment in the Baylor Hospital under the direction of the famous plastic surgeon, Doctor Mills. They are expected home by Saturday of this week.

Jo Ann and Joyce Lewis are spending this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Killey while their parents are away.

Eldon and Durrel Fortenberry would not lose out with their sheep in the Junior Fat Stock Show at Lubbock. Although a large number of contestants showed up in each division, they both won sixteenth place in the sheep division.

Mrs. Jude Strickland and children visited Mrs. Strickland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fortenberry and also Mr. and Mrs. Boots Strickland on Monday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. T. L. Love at Cedar Hill and her daughter, Mrs. Hense Roland of Lockney. Mr. Roland is a mechanic at "Whitey" Baccus Motor Company. Mrs. Thompson, who is 86 years of age, lives in Willbarger county.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Love returned Monday evening from a trip to Missouri where they had accompanied Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dillard, Joyce and Mrs. Bob Dillard a few days to see Pvt. Bobby Dillard who is stationed at Fort Leonard Wood in the armed forces. Pvt. Dillard has been ill in the hospital, but is much improved and on regular duty. He is a former resident of the Cedar Hill community.

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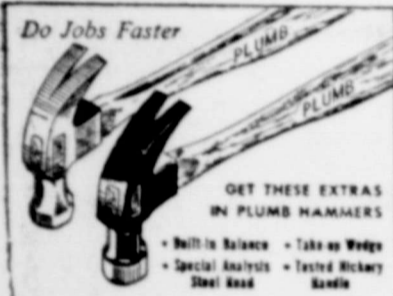
## Mrs. Honea Hostess To Lockney HD Club

Lockney Home Demonstration Club will meet Thursday, March 26 in the home of Mrs. L. M. Honea at 2:30 p. m. Program theme will be "Our House." Roll call will be "Something I Have Learned at Club Meeting." A demonstration on selection of Furniture and its arrangement will be given by Miss Lella Petty, County Home Demonstration agent.

The club met Thursday, March 12 in the home of Mrs. E. L. Stapp for a program given by Food leaders, Mrs. Noble Abbott and Mrs. Frank Messimer. "Dinner in a Skillet" was the demonstration which consisted of pork chops, rice and onions and can be prepared in 30 minutes. During the cooking time a discussion was held on proper balanced meals. Recipe leaflets for "More for your Minutes and Money" were distributed. A beautiful table setting was displayed.

The skillet dinner was served to Mrs. Clyde Ouley, guest from Providence; Mmes. W. F. Anderson, J. H. Cooper, Ross Cooper, Thomas Marr, Henry J. Moore, Thurman Davis, the demonstrators and hostess.

A game night was held Friday night, March 13 in the shop of W. F. Anderson. The building was gaily decorated in St. Patrick Day motif. Games of Forty-Two, Dominoes and Canasta were played. Home-made pies and coffee were served.



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## Bridal Shower Honors Mrs. Eugene Watson

Mrs. Eugene Watson, the former Margaret Rexrode, was honored with a bridal shower Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Slim Henderson.

The hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Slim Henderson and Mrs. Ray Pinner. The serving table was arranged very attractively, carrying out the honoree's wedding colors of pink and white, flanked with yellow flowers. Orange punch with pink and white cakes were served by Mrs. Henderson and Mrs. Nancy Lynch.

Guests were entertained in a neighborly get-together fashion. Those who registered and sent gifts were Mmes. Jim Rogers, Herman Cunningham, David Jackson, C. L. Beebe, Dick Ashby, W. H. Workman, Udell Cunningham, Nancy Lynch, F. U. Payne, H. Handley, Bert Vernon, Warren Leach, Lee Tommie, Connie Reed, W. S. Rexrode, H. S. Callahan, Harley Workman, Geo. Taylor, Mae Griffith, C. B. Hardy, Eula Wilks, M. L. Rexrode, Walter Malone, Oscar Lee, Sid Thomas, E. M. Lawson, E. L. Burleson, Henry Rowell and the hostess.

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## Bennett-Young Vows Repeated

Miss Jo Ann Bennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bennett of Lockney, became the bride of Billy Joe Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Young of Kress, Saturday, March 14, in Clovis, N. M.

The bride graduated from Kress High School in 1952, and is employed at the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Plainview. Young is also a 1952 graduate of Kress High School. He attended Texas Tech until he received his call to army service. Their wedding trip included Carlsbad Caverns, El Paso and Old Mexico.

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## County Council Meeting Sat.

Floyd County Home Demonstration Council met Saturday, March 21, at 2:30 p. m. with the council chairman, Mrs. W. R. Daniel, presiding. Roll call was answered with accomplishments of the past two meetings. Twenty-four members, representing the sixteen clubs, four visitors and the Home Demonstration agent, Miss Petty, were present. Visitors were Mrs. Fred Grass, Mrs. Floyd Fuqua, Mrs. J. K. West, and Mrs. C. B. Hartsell of Mt. Blanco.

Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass demonstrated a lint lifter. Mrs. Raymond Teeple recommended that all club members be thinking of suggestions for the year books. Most of the clubs have voted to contribute to the District 4-H Club Scholarship Fund. Mrs. Caffee suggested that all clubs that are contributing have their donation in by April 1. However, it will be accepted later.

T. H. D. A. Chairman, Mrs. C. A. Caffee reported that the District meet will be held at Lubbock on April 30 at the First Methodist Church on Broadway and Avenue M. It was requested that all parking be on the west and south to prevent traffic congestions on Broadway. Lunch will be served at Hotel Lubbock and the plates are \$1.50. All reservations must be made by April 23. Send your checks or money order to Mrs. Ralph Robinson, Route 3, Lubbock, Texas for your lunch reservation.

Mrs. Caffee read the report of the accomplishments for last year of the 4-H Clubs and the Home Demonstration Clubs which will be given at the District meet. 105 demonstrations were given to 13,321 people in groups and 91 demonstrations were given to individuals. The library committee reported \$327 for books for the county library. The council voted to sponsor the treasure chest, greeting cards and the hangers to raise finances for the following year. The next council meeting will be held April 11 instead of April 18. The annual R. E. A. meeting is being held April 18 and some of the clubs are serving food. Miss Petty contributed a very pretty arrangement of flowering

quince for the secretary's desk. Miss Petty reported that a community meeting will be held on Friday, April 10 at 1:30 p. m. at Crosbyton for all community leaders. Anyone who is interested is invited to attend.

## Girl Scouts Meet Tuesday Afternoon

Members of Girl Scout Troop No. 5 met Tuesday afternoon with most of the members present. The girls worked on the Good Grooming badge and discussed an Easter egg hunt planned for the negro school. They also made baskets for the hunt.

Mrs. Briggs Terry and Mrs. Estelle Powers were present for the meeting also.

## Stricklands Hosts For Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Strickland honored Eston Humphreys of Crosbyton, recently returned from Korea, with a fried chicken dinner at their home Sunday evening.

Present were the honoree, El Dora Boone, Marisa Sparks, Jewell Haggard, De Juan and Sharlene Strickland.

Immediately after the dinner DeJuan and Eston left in a truck hauling tractors and supplies to put in a wheat crop on the Strickland ranch in South Dakota near Omda. The boys returned Wednesday and drove a truck load of eggs to the South Dakota ranch on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Strickland followed in a car. They plan to spend the month of April sowing wheat and flax there. Sharlene, their daughter, will remain here in her favorite school staying with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Boone and El Dora.

## Mrs. Charley Smith Pollyanna Hostess

The Pollyanna Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Charley Smith. The afternoon was spent in sewing. As this was gift day, gifts were distributed among the members. Those present were Mmes. J. Owen Thornton, Joe Parrish, Lester Carter, Pont Darnell, Albert Waldroupe, Woodson Terrell and Derrell Wood. The next meeting will be Tuesday afternoon, April 7 at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. Charley Smith Pollyanna Hostess

## Mrs. L. K. Sherman Hostess To HD Club

Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. L. K. Sherman Tuesday afternoon for a program on "Texas."

Refreshments were served to Mmes. D. D. Tate, A. M. Dorsey, Clark Harris, Weidman Smith, W. C. Wisdom, Raymond Wisdom, Vernon Gross, Shirley Race, Harmon Handley, members; and Mrs. Eddie Fortenberry and Mrs. Bob Henry, visitors.

Next meeting will be April 14 with Mrs. Vernon Gross as hostess.

## Painting Party Held In N. S. Daniel Home

A Dresden painting party was held in the home of Mrs. N. S. Daniel all day Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Lewis Jurcak of Plainview supervised the painting.

A covered dish luncheon was served at the noon hour to Mmes. D. O. Aldredge, Albert King, Raymond Teeple, Lavon Johnson, W. D. Beece, Ernest Tannahill, W. L. Thomas, Jay McPherson, N. H. Gammage, Hugh Counts, J. C. Kemp, Wallace Allen, Al Dutton, Lewis Jurcak, Daniel and Miss Kathryn Norris.

## Television Party For Rachael Class

Mrs. Howard Cooper entertained members of the Rachael Sunday School Class with a television party at her home Monday evening. After a devotional and a game the class enjoyed a television program.

Refreshments were served to Betty Machen, Jovonne Taylor, Frankie Sparkman, Barbara Hays, and the teacher, Mrs. Cooper and Carol.

## Mrs. Sally Griffith Garden Club Hostess

Lockney Garden Club met Friday, March 20 at the home of Mrs. Sally Griffith for a St. Patrick's Day program.

Roll call was answered with "Texas Women in the News." Mrs. R. C. Mitchell gave the "History of St. Patrick's Day." "Flowering Shrubs" was the topic of group discussion and Mrs. A. P. Barker gave some points on "Flower Arrangement." Names were drawn for Pollyanna pairs and plans were discussed for landscaping the city park.

Refreshments of punch and cake were served to three new members, Mrs. Kelton Shaw, Mrs. E. M. Quebe and Mrs. Goree Applewhite, and the following other members, Mmes. R. C. Mitchell, T. B. Mitchell, Turner Cowart, Henry Ford, L. M. Honea, Frank Roberson and A. P. Barker.

Next meeting will be held Friday, April 3 at the home of Mrs. Tom Rankin.

## Mrs. E. T. Thurman Birthday Honoree

Mrs. E. T. Thurman was named honoree at a surprise birthday dinner given Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Udell Cunningham and Patti Jo.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Thurman, A. B. Willis Thurman of Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls; Minnie, Winnie, Bill and Jack Thurman, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hammit, Larry and Claudie Gene.

## Mrs. Richard Stovall To Give Book Review

Mrs. Richard Stovall of Floydada will review the book of Genesis at a regular meeting of Wesleyan Service Guild at the Methodist Church here on Thursday, March 26 at 7:30.

All ladies of the church are urged to attend and other ladies of the community are cordially invited to hear the review.

## O. E. S. SALAD SUPPER

The officers of Lockney Order of Eastern Star will have a Salad Supper Tuesday evening, March 31 at 6:00 o'clock at the Masonic Hall.

All officers are especially urged to be present.

Donald Reece who is in the army at Ft. Hood accompanied Sam Daniel home to spend last week, end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loran Reece.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dean and Dian of Borger spent last week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Honea and other relatives.

## Veterans Losing Dental Benefits

D. G. Ayres, county service officer, said this week that cases are being encountered in which Korean War veterans are losing out on a presumptive dental rating because dental examinations is not made within one year after discharge. Veterans should be careful to not allow the year to expire without some available evidence concerning dental needs, he said.

If the year is about to expire and the VA examination has not been authorized the Veteran should go to his dentist for an examination at his own expense so that the dentist can prepare an examination report on each tooth found to be defective within the year. A small investment by the veteran may mean a large amount of money in dental care in the future, Mr. Ayres said.

## Lone Star Baptist Church

Sunday School 10:00 a. m. Preaching service 11:00 a. m. Training Union 6:45 p. m. Preaching service 8:00 p. m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 7 p. m.

W. M. U. first and third Wednesdays at 2:30 p. m.

Young Men's Brotherhood first Monday at 7:30.

Men's Brotherhood second Monday at 7:30.

F. P. GRAHAM, Pastor.

Larry Willis, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Willis of Lockney was admitted March 7 for a few days treatment to the Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children in Dallas. He is at home now.

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**Kitchen And Field News**  
**from Floyd County Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. by Nancy Morckel and Claude Weathersbee, Electrification**  
 The Annual Meeting Planning Committee are busy completing plans for the meeting to be held on April 18th. This is on Saturday and they are hoping every member will put forth a special effort to attend. The meeting will be held at the Graves Gymnasium at Floydada High School. The committee decided that instead of the cooperative serving free lunch, as has been done the last few years, two nice attendance prizes would be given instead—probably a television and a food freezer. There will be other small prizes. There will be an electric train to make some youngster happy. Ned Bradley will be master of ceremonies again. A good program is being planned. It will be a day of good information and good entertainment.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Jarboe, Jr. Rt. 5, Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Staniforth, South Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele, Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gordon, Rt. 1, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McClure, Rt. 2, Crosbyton; and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Baxter, Rt. 3, Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Lee Thomas, Rt. 1, Floydada are the annual meeting planning committee this year. All fourteen members were present for the meeting held Monday afternoon, March 16th in the co-op kitchen.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knight of the Sand Hill Community are leaving Wednesday for Hot Springs, N. M., for a thirty day vacation trip. Walter says he hopes to catch a fish that weighs 50 pounds. We hope he does too (you see he told Wanda and I if he did they would invite us out to eat fish supper.)  
 Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Rogers of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clary of Lockney went to Knox City Sunday. Mr. Darr, an uncle of Mrs. Rogers and Mr. Clary was killed in the cyclone and Mrs. Darr was critically injured.  
 On Sunday, Edith Wilson, former Floyd County Home Demonstration Agent, now District Agent for District V, Extension Service, attended church in Floydada and visited until bus time at the Jarboe home. So nice to see Edith again and we were all so sorry that she could not stay longer. She promised to come again and stay long enough to visit all her Floyd County friends. She lives in Mount Pleasant, Texas.  
 Saturday morning, representatives from home demonstration clubs met in the co-op kitchen to discuss food for the annual meeting of the cooperative. They decided to sell sandwiches and pie, and plans were made. The Mt. Blanco Home Demonstration Club will cooperate with the Floyd County clubs in this too. Attending this meeting were: Mrs. Ross Cooper, Mrs. C. B. Hartsell, Mrs. D. D. Taylor, Mrs. C. W. Payne, Mrs. Howard Drysdale, Mrs. Vernon Gross, Mrs. M. J. McNeill, Mrs. J. W. Day, Mrs.

Malvin Jarboe, Mrs. Marvin Scheele, Mrs. D. W. Burke, Mrs. G. N. Shirey, Mrs. W. C. Sims, Mrs. Wiley Nance, Mrs. Raymond Teeple, Mrs. Bob Hooper, Mrs. Glenn Pool, Mrs. A. H. Kreis, Mrs. L. T. Wood and Mrs. W. R. Daniel. Mrs. W. E. Daniel is chairman of the Floyd County Home Demonstration Council.  
 New irrigation wells connected since February 15th: Robert Isbell, Homer Rook, Rambo and Brasher, R. G. Miller, 3 wells, L. S. Overstreet 2 wells, G. A. McWilliams, Duncan Hollums, Lowell Jarrett, J. S. Leach, H. W. Schacht, Wallace Allen, A. P. Dalton, 2 wells, Virgil Young, 2 wells, G. M. Haddick, Dunlap & Kahlich, N. L. Fox, Stringer & Mount, 2 wells, James Cannon, Lonnie H. Scott, Herschel Blankenship, E. J. Kinslow, Jack Robertson, 2 wells, Olin Bryant, Floyd Ellison, Alton Dendy, J. W. Day, Jr., W. A. Stephens, H. W. Phillips, 2 wells, H. N. Smith, W. B. Fulgham, E. S. Eason, O. F. Cummings, Orlan Stark, Floyd Jackson, W. G. Hodel, Henry Patterson and D. S. Burtlesmith.  
**HUNTER'S WHIM RESULTS IN THREE DEATHS**  
 "The lives of three men were lost as the direct result of a hunter's whim to shoot at something. The something turned out to be the high voltage insulators on a 3-phase angle pole. His marksmanship must have been of the best because all eight insulators on the double crossarm bore evidence of his accuracy. Then again, perhaps his accuracy wasn't so good because nearly 100 empty cartridges were picked up in the area, but his persistency was certainly high.  
 The result of the barrage was that several insulators were destroyed completely, allowing one of the high voltage wires to swing free of the pole, looping down over a little-traveled road and clearing it by two or three feet.  
 The hunter, perhaps dismayed by the damage he had caused, or perhaps unaware of the potential death trap he had created, left the area. Not wanting to pay for the damage, he failed to report it.  
 Early that evening a fisherman came down this road on the way to his favorite spot on the river. He ran into the wire before he noticed it and as he stepped from his car, he completed the circuit to the ground. In a blinding, paralyzing, flash of fire he fell forward, dead.  
 The next afternoon one of his neighbors, one of a volunteer party looking for the missing man, came down the same road. Seeing the car, he stopped to investigate and before he was aware of the fate that had befallen his neighbor, he contacted the low-hanging wire—and the hunter had gotten his second victim.  
 Later that afternoon, two more men of the searching party drove down this road, coming in from the opposite direction. As they stopped and got out to investigate by the feeble light of flashlights, the one ahead stumbled and fell over the death dealing wire and the tragedy was complete.  
 Three lives needlessly lost—three husbands and fathers killed by an innocent looking wire which carries one of the most powerful forces known to man. This is not the first time that shooting insulators has caused serious injury or loss of life. It also causes unnecessary work for the men maintaining the lines and inconveniences the people receiving power and light from them. Shooting at insulators, while seemingly not serious, can create a condition as dangerous as a booby trap or other instrument of destruction. The potential results of this practice must be widely publicized, and whenever a person with a gun is noticed using an insulator for target practice, drastic measures need to be taken.  
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**Two Candidates For Mayor At Floydada**  
 Two candidates for mayor will appear on the city ballot at Floydada, those of J. A. Patterson, the present mayor, and W. J. Waller.  
 Seven candidates are on the ballot for city councilman. They are D. T. Mayo, J. C. Wester, Lewis Norman, Leonard Matsler, Carl Minor Jr., Parnell Powell and George W. Sherrill. Five are to be elected.

**Warm Springs Is Beneficiary Of Will**  
 Gonzales.—Ross Boothe, President of the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation for Crippled Children, announced today that the will of the late Emily House of Yorktown, named the Foundation as the beneficiary of the ranch lands of her estate. The proceeds from the sale of this property, which is in excess of 500 acres, will be used to establish the Chris and Emily House Memorial Fund. Under the terms of her will the principal will remain intact with only the interest accruing from the investment of the fund to be expended for the operation and maintenance of the Foundation.

**GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.**

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 I want to express my thanks and appreciation to my many friends for all the pretty flowers and cards and other kindnesses shown me during my stay in the hospital. Especially do I want to thank Dr. Mangold and the entire staff at Lockney General Hospital for making my stay a pleasant one. If I am ever hospitalized again I hope I can be with you. Thanks again for all your thoughtfulness to me.  
 Sincerely,  
 Mrs. R. C. Bennett.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 I wish to thank Dr. Mangold and the entire hospital staff for the kindness and attention shown me during my stay in the hospital. I also want to thank the Main St. Church of Christ and all other friends who sent me beautiful flowers and cards.  
 May God Bless all of you  
 Mrs. M. F. Nigh.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Moore are spending a few days this week in Altus, Oklahoma visiting with his mother.

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## Minute Editorials

Cast thy bread upon the waters, for thou shalt find it after many days.—Ecc. 11-1.

The Beacon editor had occasion, because of illness in his family, to stay three days in Decatur the past week and while there decided to find out why some of our good Lockney people were moving back to that area. Guided by one Mr. Pearson, a very congenial real estate and insurance man who says he has some relatives in the east part of Floyd county, the editor and wife toured the area north of Decatur one morning and found one of the prettiest countryside we have seen in many a day. Well improved places, good modern houses, well-tilled farms and green pastures made it seem to be a very attractive place to live.

Seeking some first hand information we stopped by to see Weldon Cumbie and wife, former residents of the Irick community.

ity. They now own a 98-acre farm in this area and are milking 30 cows. Weldon recently turned his cows into a vetch and rye pasture and increased his milk from 6 to 10 cans per day. He sells whole milk. Mrs. Cumbie says that Weldon gets the "West Texas fever" every once in a while. Last month he came out looking around for some land but didn't find anything to suit him. He is offering his place for sale, Mr. Pearson, his agent, quoting \$15,000, but we got the impression Weldon might back out.

Speaking of work, Weldon says that milking 30 cows is a lot easier work than irrigation farming but is more confining. They go to Bridgeport Lake very often on a fishing trip and seem to have quite a bit of leisure time. However they were digging a storm cellar when we visited them.

Going further the editor and party went on to Greenwood, a little community on north of Decatur and looked up Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Langford who also farmed out Irick way at one time. They are living on a place belonging to Norman Caldwell. It seems Mr. Langford has retired and is having the time of his life watching television late at night and sleeping late in the morning. Most everyone in that area seems to have a television set. Mr. and Mrs. Langford both say that it is a very pleasant climate. We don't believe that either of them has any "West Texas fever."

We also drove by a farm belonging to Norman Caldwell's father in the same area which was well improved and showed evidence of quite a bit of livestock. Stock farming is the big money crop in this area, along with dairy farming. Many people have grade A dairies and milk cows. Weldon Cumbie has a full blood Brahma bull and his cross breed calves make the best beef cattle you can buy, Mr. Pearson says. The cross breeds are a thrifty type cattle that grow fast on less feed and the meat is very good.

We also visited with Heston Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bennett of Lockney, who is a feed merchant in Decatur. He too seemed pretty well satisfied with his lot as a Wise county resident.

Now the editor isn't trying to

### THE POOR RELATIONS



### With Our EXCHANGES

#### BUYING HUSBANDS AND SONS OUT OF BUSINESS

In considering ways and means to pursue proper economic and political objectives, it might be well to examine the position of the smalltown American community, said to be the "bulwark" of Americanism. When our small towns were established they were built around a "Main Street" where individuals of every trade and talent staked their "claims." A general store, a restaurant, a harness shop, a blacksmith, shoe repair, carpenter shop, and a similar individual enterprise. Soon there was a bank, maybe a few small manu-

facturing plants, and of course, a lumber yard. Those early "independents" made Main Street, U. S. A., a highway of opportunity, and hotels were built and patronized by salesmen with their sample trunks; boys grew up in these communities and increased the number of "father and sons" signs; and there were none who looked to the federal government for relief, loans, social security, free medicine, subsidized housing or subsidized crops.

Self-reliance, self-determination, individual enterprise and initiative was on the march, and although troublesome times visited the people of these pioneer communities, they continued to push forward, opening the way to the Edisons, Fords, Wright Brothers and all the rest who were to light up this U. S. A.; put it on wheels and travel its skies. Poor farm boys and newsboys rose from rags to riches. From the ashes of its great fire, Chicago was fast becoming the railroad center of the world, and the furnaces of Pittsburg, Detroit and other growing industrial centers were roaring their challenge to the venturesome of the lands across the seas.

Then came the mail-order catalogue, and farmers and towns-

people alike made the postoffice the busiest place in town. And hardware dealers, farm machinery dealers, dry goods stores, the local bank and every other enterprise began to feel the loss of purchasing power that was their life blood.

After a few years, when the streets were lighted, churches and schools built, and communication and transportation facilities established, the monopoly came into being, invading first the larger cities and county seats. With this invasion came wider use of automobiles, and on week ends the farmers and folks from the smaller communities would travel to the nearest place where they could shop in these non-resident owned stores, leaving the community where their homes were built and where they were rearing their families, to the economic dry rot of non-support.

Today, you see the wife of an insurance man coming out of the depersonalized foreign-owned super market, loaded down with groceries paid out of commissions earned on policies sold to neighborhood, independent dealers. You will see the banker's wife pushing her cart around the same store that never uses her husband's bank for anything but making change or overnight deposits. Keep watching and out will come the mother and wife of the local florist who delivers more flowers to the funeral of one little merchant than are delivered to the funerals of ten store managers of the non-resident firms, who never get their roots in the community, and who have little if any contact with suppliers, salesmen or anyone else with whom the "home office" does its distant buying. Right behind them will be the wives and mothers of bread salesmen, doctors, printers, auto dealers, wholesalers and all the rest, whose jobs, freedom and hopes of the future are all wrapped up in the future of the independent stores they are passing by.

In other words, the women of America are engaged in a mad rush to buy their husbands out of business, their children out of opportunities to become important, accountable citizens in their community, and their country out of its freedom.

To awaken them to the folly of their bargain mania is a need as great as any we now face, and failure to meet this need will nullify any worthwhile effort in any other direction—The Texas Food Merchant.

### Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

July 3, 1914

Manager Ross moved into the new central telephone office last Friday and is now occupying the new switch board and other up-to-date apparatus.

Most all the grain crop has been harvested and the crop will soon be marketed. The pretty weather for the past few weeks has been ideal for harvesting. The yield of grain is fine and will place a great deal of money in circulation.

The one and half year old child of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Norris drank some gasoline last Sunday and came near dying. Medical aid was immediately called and the child's life was saved.

Zeb Beed left Tuesday for Dallas to attend a conference of Ball workers.

June 14, 1923

Sunday, June 10th Miss Hazel Ford, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Ford of Roseland community passed away at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Edna Ford of Lockney. Funeral services were held in Lockney at the First Baptist Church Monday afternoon.

Fifteen applicants for Route A, a 71-mile motor route out of Lockney took a rural mail carrier's examination Saturday. They were Mrs. C. D. Fowler, O. T. Fritchett, Glenn Hamilton, Logan, Edd Muncy, J. D. Huggins, N. W. Waller, Wayne Carthel, R. G. Morgan, J. H. Hall, George Newman, John Stalcup, Willis Roberts, B. P. Blake, and C. F. Ramsey, Jr.

Those attending a kitchen shower honoring Mrs. R. P. Phillips at the home of Mrs. Walter Byars were Meses. Phillips, D. P. Carter, T. B. Mitchell, H. M. Mitchell, Edd Reeves, C. A. Ryan, J. H. Henson, Conde Davis, Rebecca Dodson, Ova Long, C. L. Anderson, Luther Buchanan, Lee Wolford, D. C. Hamilton, Aikens, R. W. Collier, Jr., Walter Byars, A. A. Sults, Misses Amy Freeman, and Pauline Mitchell.

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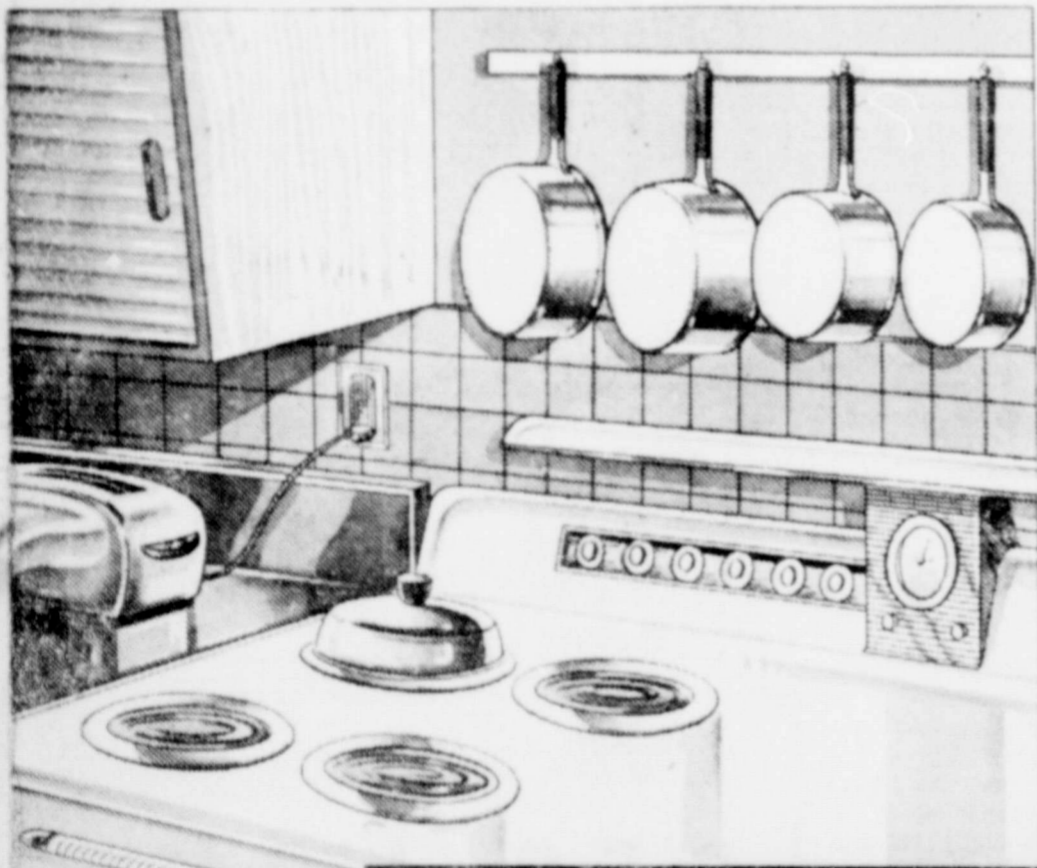
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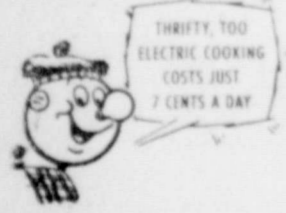
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# SOUTH PLAINS NEWS

by Mrs. Murray Julian

Revival services at the Baptist Church closed Sunday evening with a good crowd attending. Many people from surrounding communities and from Floydada and Lockney were in the congregation during the week. Mrs. J. R. Wiley, Richard, Elizabeth and Leon from Floydada were at the services on Tuesday night. There will be prayer services and a teachers meeting each Wednesday evening at the church. Rev. W. S. Spearman will have charge of the prayer services and Sunday School Supt. Murray Julian will have charge of the teachers' meeting which follows.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure spent Wednesday and Friday in Lubbock last week on business. Curtis Sanders took ill on Saturday evening and was rushed to the hospital in Floydada where he stayed until Monday. He was suffering with severe stomach flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Reeves and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Sanders Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton spent Wednesday in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood were hosts at the noon day meal Wednesday of Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Spearman, Charlotte Kay, Rev. Chas. Joiner, and George Clark. That evening they had supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Jones in South Plains. Thursday at dinner they were all at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wood and that night they were supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thames.

Mrs. Maggie Hunt from Albuquerque, N. M., has been visiting friends in Silverton, but is now here with her sister, Mrs. Ernest Smitherman and family.

Mrs. Otha Sanders accompanied Miss Ruby Beville of Floydada to Denton Friday evening where Miss Beville visited an aunt in Grand Prairie, and Mrs. Sanders spent the week end in the dormitory with her daughter, Martha Lee, who attends college there. On Saturday night she attended the show at the administration building where Martha Lee sang with the Women's Choir from the college. They returned home Sunday evening.

## Womens Missionary Society Meets

The South Plains Womens Missionary Society met Wednesday, March 18 at the church for an afternoon of Mission study under the leadership of Mrs. Bryan Karr. All members took part in the study of "Catholicism." Mrs. Zach Cummings is a new member of the organization, and it is hoped for other new members. Those present for the lesson were Mmes. Bryan Karr, Zach Cummings, Murray Julian, Shelby Calahan, W. S. Spearman and Dock Jones. The next meeting will be for Bible study at the church Wednesday, April 1.

Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Don McClure and Diane, of Crosbyton were visitors at the revival meeting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure.

Rex Smitherman, L. N. Johnson, Dick Guest and Garvin Beedy went on a fishing trip to the new lake which has just been opened near Camp Haynes.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Early Pritchett over the past week end were Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Reid of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pritchett of Matador and Melvin Titus, who resides at Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thames and children, went to Plainview on Saturday night to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thames Sr. Mrs. Thames has been in the hospital in Plainview but has recovered since her illness of last week and is taking treatments for severe headaches.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shrivner from Plainview were afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Calahan and Jackie Don of Lockney were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Karr in South Plains. Yvonne Karr was a guest at the home of LaNita Sue Wilson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weast went to Amarillo Saturday and spent the week end with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans and children. The Weasts visited in Amarillo Saturday. They brought their grandson, Gary Lee home with them Sunday to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Carpenter of Amarillo were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Parks of South Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Teeple from Lone Star community visited Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marble on Sunday evening and went to church with them.

Friday the minister, Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Spearman, Charlotte, George Clark, the singer, and Rev. Chas. Joiner had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian. That night they ate supper with Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Calahan. There was no church on Saturday morning, but they took dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure and were in Mr. and Mrs. Zach Cummings' home to have supper. On Sunday they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arby Mulder, Nathan and Catherine.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Jones and children were Sunday afternoon visitors in Lone Star at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mercer.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Pritchett Sunday after church were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thames and children, Bruce Julian, Frankie Jones, and Ronnie and Scott Thornton.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry and Elmo over the past week end were Mr. and Mrs. John McCain and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hutson, all from Amarillo. Mrs. Hutson and Mr. McCain are brother and sister of Mrs. Fortenberry. They returned Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Weast spent Thursday night in Silverton visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thomas.

the former is recuperating from a long illness.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan Jr. and girls went to Lockney after church on Sunday to have dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan, Sr. Mr. Calahan is doing quite well after her recent illness.

Mrs. Ed Davis, Harvey, Kay and Freddy of Hereford arrived Tuesday and spent the remainder of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Jones and family. They were at church several times during the week of revival meetings. Mr. and Mrs. John Hinsley, another daughter of the Jones' were present at church during the week past.

Mrs. George Weast took her grandchildren, Gary Lee Evans and Carla Smith to Silverton with her Tuesday afternoon to visit with Mrs. O. C. Ramsey and her grandchildren for a few hours.

## Santa Fe Starts New Advertising Campaign

"America's New Railroad — Progress that pays its own way," will be the theme of one of the largest and most powerful advertising campaigns in Santa Fe's history, according to announcement made today by F. G. Gurley, president of the railroad.

Starting this month, large ads ranging from approximately 600 to 2000 lines in size, will be scheduled in 250 daily papers and 604 weekly papers. This schedule will include every daily and weekly newspaper published along the Santa Fe Railroad and daily newspapers in the major cities in the eastern section of the country, where Santa Fe traffic offices are located. The plans at present call for one ad per month in each paper for the balance of 1953.

According to Gurley, "every one of our ads in 1953 will talk about 'Santa Fe—America's New Railroad,' and will consist of a series of public information messages that will tell people what Santa Fe is doing every year, every month, every week, and every day to keep itself new." In continuing his discussion about this advertising program, Gurley said: "All the ads will point out that although these

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constant improvements cost Santa Fe millions of dollars, they are being paid for by Santa Fe and not one dime comes out of the pocketbook of the taxpayer; Santa Fe receives no subsidy of any kind." This thought will be emphasized with the phrase "Progress that pays its own way" prominently displayed in every one of the ads.

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CARS  
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- One Super H Tractor

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Mrs. R. H. Ford, who has spent the past few weeks in Crosbyton receiving treatments for a nervous condition, spent last week end with her family here. She returned to Crosbyton Sunday.

Mrs. Udell Cunningham, Patti Jo, Mrs. E. T. Thurman and Jackie went to Wichita Falls Saturday and accompanied A-3c Willis Thurman to Lockney to spend Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Thurman and family. He was accompanied back to his base at Sheppard Field Sunday evening by Udell Cunningham.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: RUBY HAZEL DILLAHUNTY, GREETING: You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 11th day of May, A. D. 1953, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Floyd County, at the Court House in Floydada, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 16 day of February, 1953.

The file number of said suit being No. 4109.

The names of the parties in said suit are: VOY DILLAHUNTY as Plaintiff, and RUBY HAZEL DILLAHUNTY as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce and to have the hereinafter described property set aside to plaintiff as his separate property because allegedly purchased and paid for wholly with funds derived from plaintiff's separate estate, to wit:

First Tract: a lot of land 50 by 150 feet in dimensions, out of a 7 1/2 acre tract heretofore conveyed to B. F. Sanders by G. P. Stevenson, and being out of the J. D. Bursleson 158 acre Homestead Survey in said County and State, Abstract No. 1227; said lot hereby conveyed having a frontage of 50 feet on the East side of Main St. in said town of Lockney, Floyd County, Texas and being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning 30 feet East and 358 1/2 feet South of the Southeast Corner of the W. M. Johnson 160 acre Homestead Survey, in said Floyd County, for the Northwest corner of this tract; Thence east 150 feet for the northeast corner of this tract; Thence South 50 feet for the Southeast corner of this tract; Thence West 150 feet for the Southwest corner of this tract; Thence North along the

East margin of said North Main Street, a distance of 50 feet for the place of beginning.

Second Tract: All of Block No. 3 of the Pickel Annex to the Town of Lockney, Floyd County, Texas, in accordance with the official map of such Pickel Annex, now of record in the Deed Records of Floyd County, Texas.

Third Tract: Beginning 340 feet North of the Southeast corner of a 7 1/2 acre tract of land heretofore sold to B. F. Sanders by G. P. Stevenson by deed dated Nov. 5, 1902, recorded in Vol. 17, page 370, Deed Records of Floyd County, for the Southeast Corner of this tract and the place of beginning; Thence North 300 feet for the Northeast corner of this tract; Thence West 123 feet for the Northwest corner of this tract; Thence South 300 feet for the Southwest corner of this tract; Thence East 123 feet for the place of beginning and the Southeast corner of this tract.

And further, that Plaintiff is the owner as his individual separate property of one 1952 2-door Chevrolet automobile, carrying Texas License No. AY4128, Motor No. KAA654930, Serial No. 11062741, which said automobile was bought and paid for by plaintiff on October 2, 1952 from the Plains Chevrolet Co., Amarillo, Texas, with funds and

other property owned and acquired by Plaintiff prior to his said marriage with Defendant, and hence such automobile became and now is, plaintiff's separate property.

That further, Plaintiff is the owner as his separate property of all of the household and kitchen furniture, fixtures and fittings now situated in his home in Lockney, Texas, embracing one electric range; one electric ice box; a steel kitchen cabinet; one dinette set; one couch; three large chairs; two bedsteads and two bedroom suits including dressers and one air conditioner and two floor furnaces and two bed mattresses.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 24th day of March A. D. 1953.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this the 24th day of March A. D. 1953.

Mary L. McPherson, Clerk, District Court, Floyd County, Texas. (SEAL)

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Turner, former Lockney residents, have recently moved from Amarillo to make their home in Lubbock at 4009 45th Street.

**Saul Introduces Loan Shark Bill**

A bill outlawing the loan shark practice of piling additional charges on loans through sale of credit life, credit health, or accident insurance has been introduced in the House by Rep. Leroy Saul of Kress.

Loan sharks frequently force the lender to buy this extra insurance as a condition to making a loan. At present, the law does not regard the insurance as part of the sale, regardless of the conditions under which it was made.

"This device permits lenders to exceed the constitutional limitation of 10 per cent interest and run up staggering rates of from 120 to 540 per cent," Saul said.

"Furthermore, the borrower gets very little protection from his insurance. One credit insurance firm received \$2,302,545.31 in 1950 of which \$2,072,293.05 went back to lenders and their associates in the form of 'agent' commissions," he said.

The Kress legislator went on to point out that his bill does not prohibit the sale of credit insurance in connection with loans.

"It simply calls a spade a spade. It says that the insurance is to be regarded as interest on the loan and must be re-

garded as such," Saul stated. The Panhandle legislator represents Briscoe, Floyd, Hale, and Swisher Counties in the legislature.

He is a member of the conser-

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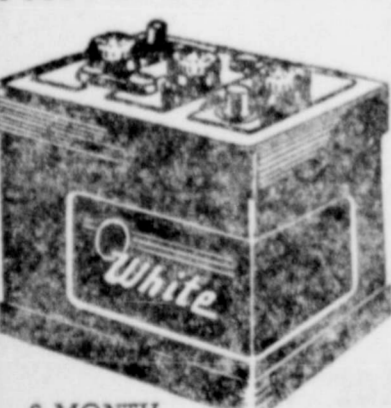
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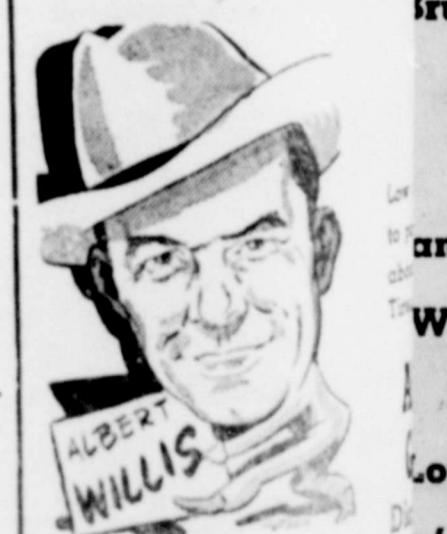
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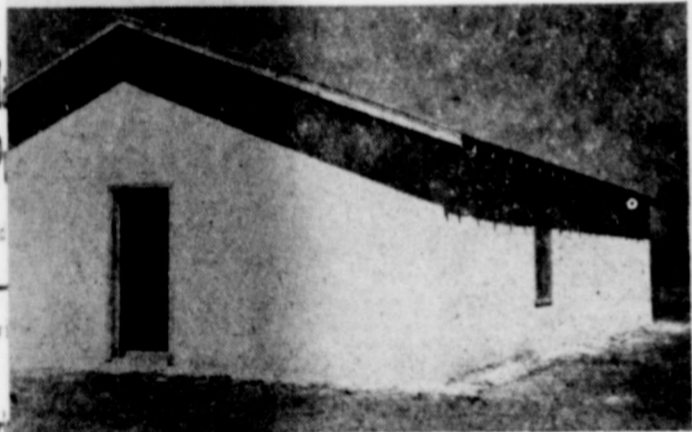
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**Delbur Rose Is In Denver Hospital**

Delbur Rose is in a hospital at Denver, Colorado where he is receiving treatment for a bronchial ailment. He will remain for approximately six weeks. He is beginning to show improvement at this time.

He has been in serious condition since March 15 and was taken to Denver on that date by his wife and brother-in-law, C. L. Record who returned home last Friday. Mrs. Rose plans to return to Denver soon.

**Sgt. Mercer Returns From Germany Stay**

Sgt. W. C. Mercer, son of Clay Mercer of Lockney, landed in the United States Saturday at noon and arrived at Fort Hood Wednesday of this week.

Sgt. Mercer has been with the army of occupation in Erlangen, Germany for the past nine months. He returned to the states on the same boat he left on last June. He is due to receive his discharge April 4.

**Hospital News**

Mrs. Ella Marr, medical. Mrs. R. C. Bennett, medical. Was dismissed March 22.

Mrs. Charlie Boedeker, surgical, was dismissed March 21.

Mrs. Cora Bell Davis, underwent major surgery March 19th. She was dismissed March 23rd.

Mrs. Mary Hall underwent minor surgery March 22. She was dismissed March 23.

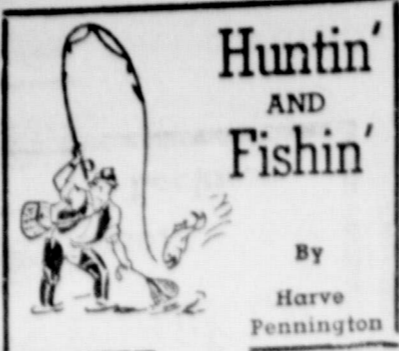
Mrs. W. L. Bean, medical, was dismissed March 22nd.

Mrs. G. B. Johnston Jr. and baby were dismissed March 22nd.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Davila are the parents of a daughter born March 19. Mother and baby were dismissed March 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rhodes are the parents of twin girls born March 21. Patricia Gay weighed 5 pounds, and Pamela Kay weighed 4 pounds, 8 ounces. Mrs. Rhodes was dismissed March 24.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Wines who farm near Lockney are preparing to build a new home in Lockney on the Claude Hammond lot in southwest Lockney.



**Huntin' AND Fishin'**

By Harve Pennington

Last week I suggested that you get your rod and reel in shape for fishing, and now how about your outboard motor? When stuck in the middle of the lake with a dead outboard it is too late for remorse of unnecessary wear or damage to these little power plants. But many of the actions most harmful seem innocent enough. For example a person who is most careful with his motor when carrying it in his car, may stand it on the tank and flywheel to be sure that it is held firmly in this position. Any water in the lower housing is likely to drain into the cylinder where it may cause serious damage. Sometimes you see a motor stored in a boat. The power unit being lower than the propeller in this position, is in danger of cylinder rust, piston corrosion, and wrist pin injury. Of course, padding the engine or tying it securely to prevent it bouncing around is essential but keep the power unit higher than the propeller end.

One of the greatest single causes of trouble with an outboard motor is carelessness in mixing the fuel and oil. Even those who know better frequently trust to luck that vibration will blend the oil and the gasoline. If the gasoline and the oil are not mixed thoroughly, gasoline alone will enter the motor and cause extremely rapid wear. Oil alone will make starting impossible. Therefore, it is best to mix the fuel in a clean container, such as the special outboard fuel can. As a safety precaution, the drain plug and screen should be removed after every 10 to 20 hours of operation and cleaned of any moisture or other foreign matter.

If the shear pins in the propeller persistently "let go" without the propeller apparently striking any object it is an indication that the flywheel is loose on the crankshaft and is imparting a violent rapping action on the propeller. When replacing shear pins it is important to pull the propeller nut up firmly, yet not tight enough to strip the threads. The cotter pin used to lock the nut should be clipped off short and bent down. Any accumulation of seaweed on the lower housing or other obstruction to the flow of cooling water may burn up the motor. Due to the failure of the water pump and lack of observation by the user, the motor may become overheated to the point where it loses power and stops. If this happens never turn the motor on end and let water run into the cylinders while they are extremely hot and don't start the motor so that it will pump cold water onto the hot cylinders. Instead let the engine cool off for about 15 minutes.

**Attend Council Scout Bivouac At Lubbock**

C. L. Turner, Duane Visage, Harold Ford, Bill Thurman, Ell and Udell Cunningham attended the Council Explorer Scout Bivouac held at Reese Air Force Base, Lubbock, Friday and Friday night and Saturday.

The program consisted of movies, demonstration of safety with firearms, rifle range, No-skeet-a-range and Link trainer demonstration.

**New County Agent Meets 4-H Club**

Bill Rodgers, new Floyd County agent, met with the 6th and 7th grade 4-H Club Tuesday at the grade school cafeteria here. Mr. Rodgers checked on the boys who had projects in the recent fat stock show and then discussed the cotton contest.

The meeting adjourned at 9:45.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Ben McGhee spent Friday in Lubbock where Mrs. Woods mother, Mrs. W. C. Ooley of Plainview had surgery on her eye at the West Texas Hospital. Mrs. Wood spent from Friday to Sunday with her mother. This is the first time Mrs. Ooley had ever been in a hospital or been seriously ill. She is 76 years of age. She stood the operation fine and expects to be back at her home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniel and daughter of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. L. Clark and Linda of Floydada, Sam Daniel of Fort Hood were all guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. N. S. Daniel Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Williams, pastor of Turkey Assembly of God, spent Thursday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Strickland.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rene Yeary were Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Applewhite of Lone Star and Mrs. Joe Phillips of Lockney.

Mr. J. H. Cooper is attending a State Farm Insurance school being held at the Plainsman in Lubbock this week.

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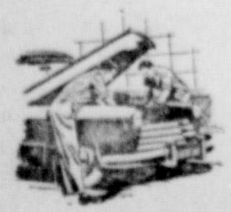
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