

# Farm Bureau Elects Three New Directors

At the countywide meeting in Lockney Thursday night, the Floyd County Farm Bureau elected three new directors. Grigsby Milton Jr. was elected for the northeast portion of the county, Carl Lemons for the central part of the county, and Harry Morekel for the south central portion. The holdover directors elected in 1953 for two years are Chester Carthel, Robert Lee Smith and R. R. Kellison for Lockney and Aiken and Walton Wilson, E. L. Turner and S. J. McIntosh for Floydada and Dougherty. These were elected as principal directors, and the membership authorized the elected directors to appoint alternates for the various districts as set up in the new system of operation for 1954. Some very nice entertainment was furnished by a quartet of girls from Crosbyton, Vanda Holcomb, Margaret McClure, Roberta Reed and Tommie Pennington.

After the entertainment and business session, Riley Arnold of Auburn, Alabama, gave some history on the Farm program back to the early thirties and gave some of the high points in new legislation affecting farm legislation. Also in attendance were Hub King, district director, district 2; Gene Leach, field representative, and O. K. Hoyle, general field man for North Texas. Mr. King reported some work being done for long term financing for drought and disaster relief. Mr. Leach stressed the continued need for organization and membership to accomplish what we wanted in our program. Mr. Hoyle cited some specific instances where organization and cooperation paid well.

E. W. Turner raised the question on whether we sold our water rights with mineral rights, and a continued discussion followed on these and many other problems.

The number in attendance was not as many as expected, but other meetings about over the county, in the schools, Scouts, etc., was in competition for the crowds. The quality of the meeting was excellent.

# Fluff Myers Is Little Better

E. A. (Fluff) Myers, a Plainview pilot, was reported slightly improved late Tuesday from injuries received early Monday morning when the light plane he was piloting crashed on the Albert Samman farm, north of Providence.

Myers suffered a brain concussion, internal injuries, fractured jaw, possible fracture of one shoulder, and several teeth knocked out.

He and James Miller were flying over a wheat field in separate planes in an attempt to stir the air and prevent frost damage when the accident happened. It was believed the plane carburetor "iced up," causing the crash.

Miller landed his plane quickly and pulled Myers from the wreckage. He did not see the plane crash and didn't know what caused it.

# Teachers To Study Accreditation Plan

The Lockney schools will be dismissed at 2:30 p. m. on Monday and Tuesday, May 10 and 11 in order that members of the faculty may meet from 2:45 to 6 p. m. to study a proposed state plan for accreditation of elementary and secondary schools, and to make a survey of the schools needs in line with the proposed standards. It was announced this week by W. C. Irons, superintendent.

Buses will run at 2:32 on these two days, Mr. Irons said.

# Ted Crager Band Wins Sweepstakes

For the third consecutive year the J. T. Hutchinson Junior High band of Lubbock directed by Ted Crager won sweepstakes in the annual Interscholastic League contest. In this year's contest more than 80 of Ted's pupils won first rating in solos and ensembles. To win sweepstakes a band wins a rating of first in all three events, concert, sight reading and marching.

Ted is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Crager of Lockney.

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# Disaster Unit Chairmen To Meet Monday

Chairmen of the various sub-committees of the Floyd County Red Cross Disaster committee along with other officials of the unit will meet at the county court room in Floydada next Monday evening at 7:30 for the purpose of completing the organization and getting set up for the school of instruction scheduled for May 19, 20 and 21.

Clarence Guffee, disaster chairman, will preside over the meeting. Miss Jean Fitzsimmons, field representative for the Red Cross, will be present to help complete the organization.

All sub-committee chairmen are especially urged to attend, Mr. Guffee said. Chairmen will be present from both Lockney and Floydada and the committees will be filled in. These committee chairmen from Lockney include:

Alsie Darden, survey; Lowell Billbery, rescue; Dr. Gene Hardy, medical; Mrs. K. O. Crum, nurse; R. L. Knox Jr., food; Mrs. Marvin Gilbert, shelter; Claude Brown, clothing; "Rusty" Baccus, transportation and communication; Mrs. Henry Hodel, registration and information; Barry Barker, fund raising and public information; Bill McClaskey, purchase and supply.

# Speech Class To Sponsor Local Talent Show

The Speech Class of Lockney High School will sponsor an amateur talent show, "Talent Revue" on Thursday night of next week, May 13. Featuring all local talent the show will be held in the high school auditorium starting at 8 p. m. Proceeds from the show will go to pay for new stage settings built by the Speech Class for the new auditorium.

The show is open to all local talent interested and will be divided into classes, as follows: Junior class for students of grade school level; Senior class for students of high school level, and Open Division for all outside talent.

Cash prizes will be awarded to first and second place winners in each class. An entry fee of 50 cents will be necessary to insure the contestant of an auditorium seat to watch the remainder of the show. All interested talent should contact Bill McAda, phone 3833 by Monday, May 10.

Admission of 50c for adults and high school students and 25c for grade school students will be charged on advance ticket sales. Tickets at the door will be 75c for adults and 50c for grade school students. You are urged to buy your ticket early and plan to see local talent in revue.

Judges will be Bob Miller, Claude Brown and Jesse Cox. Master of Ceremonies will be Barry Barker.

# Republicans Will Hold Primary

County Republican Chairman Joe Holt said this week that the Republican Party would be required to hold a primary election in this county this year because of the number of votes polled in 1952 in the presidential election. However he said that the only county candidates appearing on the ticket would be those for precinct chairman and county chairman of the party.

The ballot will probably carry the names of some state candidates. The primary will be held on the same day of the democratic primary, July 24, and one voting box will be at Lockney and one at Floydada.

# RETURN HOME MONDAY

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Brown returned home Monday after a visit with friends in South Texas. They visited at Knox City, Abilene, Austin, Mathis and Corpus Christi. They also visited the Methodist Orphans Home at Waco while gone.

# "Wait And See" On Wheat Damage

Most farmers are taking the "wait and see" attitude to decide whether or not wheat was damaged by the Sunday night cold snap. Low temperature here was 30 degrees. Weather Observer Joe Holt reports. Although wheat shows no outward sign of damage as yet, observers say that it may take two or three weeks to determine the amount of damage.

The fact that the weather didn't stay cold long and the ground was warm are factors in favor of no damage.

Young cotton on the Paul Cooper farm wasn't injured by the cold and is looking better every day, farmers of that area say. A number of farmers had cotton planted which wasn't up when the cold hit and this is expected to come on up and make a stand.

# Accident Victim Is Buried Here

John Cole, 22, grandson of Mrs. W. F. Faggard of Lockney, was buried here Tuesday afternoon. He was killed in an accident at a zinc mine at Jefferson City, Tenn., last Wednesday midnight.

Funeral services were held at the Carter Funeral Home here Tuesday at 2 p. m. with Rev. R. E. Wiley, local Baptist pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Lockney cemetery. Carter Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Cole died Thursday of injuries received when he fell 130 feet down a new zinc ore shaft belonging to the New Jersey Zinc Co. Apparently no one saw him fall. He was found at the bottom of the shaft unconscious and his body crushed. It was supposed that he had come up from the bottom of the shaft in a bucket, stepped from the bucket to a platform and lost his balance.

He had been working in the new shaft for about five and a half months but had been with the company for three years. He was known as a steady, reliable workman.

His home was in Carlsbad, N. M., where his father, Bill Cole, lives. Other survivors are his mother, Mrs. Mildred Jones of Hereford; a sister, Loretta Cole of Hereford; two brothers, Carl Cole of Hereford and Zion Cole of Carlsbad.

# Kindergarten Pupils To Appear On TV

Pupils of Mother Goose kindergarten will appear in a television program over station KDUB, Lubbock on Thursday, May 13 at 6:00 o'clock. They will be guests of "Johnny on the Spot". All pupils are expected to have a part on the program.

However sometimes such guests find they don't have as much time allotted as is planned and if this happens mostly group numbers will be presented. The sixteen seniors will appear in cap and gown.

Students to appear on the program will be the following seniors, Gay Hancock, Connie Reed, Charles Smith, Cheri Chatham, Patricia Braunig, Dale Brown, Janette Dodson, Tony Frizzell, Billy Tom Hays, Joe Holt, Jack Ooley, Benny Reece, Ada Kay Reese, Tommy Joe Sherman, Buck Smith and Mike Willis. Vickie Teuton a junior, 4 years old will also assist with the performance.

Following the program the students and their teacher, Mrs. J. D. Wood will accompany the mothers to MacKenzie park for a picnic supper.

# NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beall of Amarillo are parents of a son, born May 1 at an Amarillo hospital. The young fellow weighed 6 lbs., 8 1/2 ounces and was named Randy Warren. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beall of Lockney. The maternal grandparents live at Wichita Falls. This is the first child for the Fred Bealls.

# New Candidates Apply For Place On Demo Ballot

Several new names were added to the list of candidates who will appear on the Democratic primary ballot before the deadline on Monday midnight of this week.

New names included J. A. Hutchinson, seeking the office of county tax assessor-collector; Alton B. Chapman, seeking reelection as district judge, and James H. Word of Floydada, who along with Ben P. Ayres, will appear on the ballot for county Democratic chairman.

Contested county offices include these:

Sheriff Earl Cooper, seeking reelection, is opposed by A. K. (Alton) May of Floydada.

Tax Collector T. T. Hamilton is opposed by Hutchinson, mentioned above, and C. C. Huckabee.

For County Judge G. C. Tubbs and W. E. Grimes are in the contest. Present Judge Ralph C. Johnston did not seek reelection. Tubbs and Grimes both have previously held the office.

For County Treasurer the incumbent, Mrs. Sam A. Spence is opposed by Mrs. Troye Willis Stansell.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1, J. K. Holmes is opposed by C. O. Spence and Bob Ratjen.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4 incumbent Fay Hart is opposed by Edell DuBois.

Uncontested offices and candidates include John B. Stapleton for district attorney, W. D. Newell for county surveyor, Margaret Collier for county clerk, Mary L. McPherson for district clerk, Kenneth Bain Jr. for county attorney, Hugh Counts for Commissioner, Precinct No. 2; W. C. Plumlee for Commissioner, Precinct No. 3; Pat Sterling for Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1 and 4; J. J. Harris for Justice of the Peace, Precincts 2 and 3.

All district offices are uncontested with E. L. Pitts of Lubbock running for Chief Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, 7th district; George Mahon running for congressman, 19th district; Andy Rogers running for State senator, 30th district, and Leroy Saul running for state representative, 89th district.

Important dates concerning the political calendar include these:

May 25 — Sworn statement of campaign account must be filed 60 days next preceding first primary.

June 14 — Sworn statement of campaign account must be filed at intervals of 20 days beginning May 25.

June 21 — County executive committee apportions cost of holding primary elections among various candidates and determines by lot the order in which the names of candidates appear on ballot.

June 26 — Assessments of primary costs due and payable to county chairman.

July 4-20 — Absentee voting.

July 24 — First primary election. Also precinct conventions held to organize and elect delegates to county convention.

# Wheat Acreage Must Be Reported—Sams

Buck Sams of Lockney, chairman of the County ASC committee, reminded wheat farmers this week that any producer who does not have a wheat allotment but has planted up to 15 acres of wheat must report to the County ASC office and have the acreage measured in order to receive a marketing card.

Any wheat produced is subject to a penalty unless the producer has a marketing card, Mr. Sams said.

# MRS. BROWN HOME

Mrs. Fanny Brown is convalescing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hugh Counts after spending two weeks in Medical and Surgical Hospital here where she underwent an operation April 22. She is reported to be improving slowly. Mrs. Brown's granddaughter, Mrs. Pat Pennington of near Waco is visiting here this week.

# Rotarians To Observe Rotary Night

The Lockney Rotary Club will observe their annual Rotary Night Thursday night of this week. The program will begin at 7:30 and the banquet will be in the Methodist Church recreation hall.

Speaker of the evening will be Ernest Jeffrey, president-elect of the Plainview Rotary Club, according to Hershel Swepston, program chairman for the night.

All Rotarians and their wives are expected to be present for the evening's festivities.

# Four Sentenced In District Court

Four men were sentenced in 110th District Court at Floydada Tuesday. The men were all involved in burglary or theft charges.

Winifred Boone, charged with burglary of Knox Grocery and Handley Shop & Pump Co. in Lockney, the Alken Blacksmith Shop and the Lane Star Oil Co., was sentenced to four years in the state penitentiary.

Bill Jett, charged with burglary of the same places as Boone, was already under a 3 year probation sentence. Judge Alton B. Chapman revoked the probation and added seven years to the sentence, making Jett serve a 10 year sentence.

R. B. Mize, who had no previous record as far as officers could determine, was charged in the same cases with Jett and Boone. He was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

Charles Webster, charged with theft of a pickup-up from Mr. Henson at Floydada last December, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. Two other men were involved in the pickup-up theft, one now serving time in a reform school and the other not yet apprehended.

Another man is still being sought in the burglaries of the local places of business, also Sheriff Earl Cooper said.

# Calendar Of Events For School Closing

Calendar of events for the closing of school were released this week by school officials, as follows:

May 7 — Junior-Senior banquet.

May 10 — FFA-FHA hayride.

May 11—Parent-Teacher Assn. May 13 — Speech Class' talent revue.

May 14 — Mrs. Record's recital. Senior Day.

6th grade party.

May 15—Mrs. Record's recital. 8th grade party.

May 16—Mrs. Record's recital.

May 18 — FFA father and son banquet.

Mrs. Record's recital.

May 20 — 7th grade party.

May 21 — Kindergarten exercises.

May 23 — High school baccalaureate.

May 24 — Miss Hjalmer school of dance recital.

May 27 — 8th grade party.

May 28 — High school graduation.

Last class day for the high school will be on Monday, May 24. Examinations will be May 25-26. On May 28 pupils will return to school for report cards and to turn in books.

# PTA In Final Meeting Tuesday

The C. N. Townsend Parent-Teacher Association will hold the final meeting of this school year next Tuesday evening, May 11 at the high school auditorium.

"The Common Denominator of all neighborhoods—the PTA" will be the subject for discussion. Guest speaker will be Edgar R. Hays.

# 4-LANE HIGHWAY WILL COST COUNTY \$200,000, IS ESTIMATE

Floyd County Judge Ralph C. Johnston and the Commissioners Court estimated Monday that the 4-lane highway through the county from the Hale to Motley County lines and from Floydada south to the Crosby county line would cost the county \$200,000. The money would be spent for right-of-way with the cost of moving permanent installations along the proposed right-of-way being included in the cost.

Judge Johnston told the group that, due to increase in county valuations from slightly over ten million dollars in 1948 to more than fourteen million now, the Commissioners Court would reduce the tax rate on the county road bonds by 10c per \$100 valuation and the tax rate on court house bonds by 2c when the tax rate is set on May 10. He said that he believed that this 12c would be sufficient to retire the proposed \$200,000 bond issue if voted by the county. Thus the bond issue can be approved with probably no raise in the present tax rate.

Cost of construction of all the roads in the county, estimated to run about one and a half million dollars, would be done by the State Highway Department out of money appropriated by the federal government for road improvement.

First phase of the proposed road improvement program will be making a 4-lane highway of Highway 70 from Floydada to the Hale County line.

Judge Johnston presided over a meeting of citizens of the county Monday morning in the county court room, made up mostly of people who live or have a business along Highway 70. He explained that the plan was proposed to the county by the Highway Department and that the Court was going to ask the citizens of the county to decide whether or not they wanted the road. He then introduced James F. Potts, resident highway engineer, who explained the proposed project.

Mr. Potts first pointed out that the Floyd County farm-to-market road program was almost complete with the county being allowed only about 10 more miles under the present law. He said that the Highway Department office at Lubbock had been allocated six million dollars of a federal road fund for road improvement in this area and that District Engineer C. J. McCarty had allotted \$600,000 of that amount for the first phase of the Floyd County project provided the county would provide right-of-way. He said that present traffic justifies a 4-lane highway on Highway 70 and it is increasing.

On Highway 70 the Highway Department would require the county to furnish either 70 foot additional right-of-way now or

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Judge Johnston said that a check with the Crosby County judge, where such a road program is being completed now, indicated that an average of \$300 per acre was paid for the land and \$4,000 for the moving of each irrigation well. Cost of moving homes varies with the type and location of a house, he said.

Very little comment was heard either pro or con on the proposition at the meeting, but one business man said, "It looks like a good business proposition to me."

# Methodist Men To Receive Charter

The Methodist Men's Fellowship of Lockney will receive their charter at a meeting at the local Methodist Church on Tuesday evening, May 11. It will also be ladies' night and they will attend along with men.

Ray Nichols, conference lay leader, and Joe Salem, district lay leader, will be present to make the presentation of the charter for the newly organized group. G. M. Brunner is president of the local Fellowship, made up of men of the Methodist Church. About 90 men and women are expected to be present for the charter night ceremonies.

# Musical Program At Providence School

A musical program by the Hall quartet will be presented at the Providence school auditorium on Tuesday night, May 11 starting at 8:15.

The program is sponsored by the Providence Parent-Teacher Association and admission of 40c for adults and 20c for children will be charged. The public is invited.

furnish an additional 60 foot now and give them a "rider" on another 40 feet. The "rider" means that on the 40 feet, no installations would be moved now but that the owner would agree to move any installations built in the future at his own expense, should the highway department ever need the land for roadway.

This will give Highway 70 two 24-foot strips of paving separated by 55 feet of dirt. On Highway 62, south from Floydada the road will be a four lane highway but will not be separated by the dirt. The paving will all be in one piece. This type road will require an additional 10 feet on each side of the highway.

Through Floydada and Lockney the Highway Department will install curb and gutter and narrow the road so that business installations will not have to be moved. In Floydada the roadway will be held to 52 feet and through Lockney to 64 feet. Also at Aiken the road will be narrowed to avoid moving some business installations, Mr. Potts said.

Judge Johnston said that a preliminary survey made last week indicates that on Highway 70 from Floydada to the Hale County line it will be necessary to purchase 123 acres of land, move 3 miles of power poles, move 4 houses and one irrigation well. Houses which will have to be moved include the old Whitaker place, just west of Lockney, the Bob Muncy rent house just west of his home at Muncy, the National Alfalfa tenant houses in Aiken and the J. C. Thomas Jr. home just west of Aiken.

The irrigation well which will have to be moved belongs to J. R. Belt Jr.

On Highway 62 the county would have to purchase 40 acres of land, move 24 miles of telephone poles, 7.7 miles of power lines.

From Floydada to the Motley county line the county would purchase 126 acres of land, move 44 miles of power poles and one sub-station, move 3 irrigation wells and pay damages on one house.

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# Cotton Meeting At Floydada

A meeting of cotton farmers of the county will be held in the district court room at Floydada next Tuesday night, May 11 at 8 p. m. It was announced this week by Bill Rodgers, county agent.

Mr. Rodgers said that three cotton experts would be present and speak to the group. These include F. C. Elliott, cotton specialist from the Extension Service at A. & M. College; Ed Bush, cotton gin specialist, and Freeman M. Fuller Jr., entomologist, both also from the Extension Service. Fuller will, of course, talk about cotton insects and new insecticides and the other men will discuss all other phases of cotton growing and harvesting.

They expect to post Floyd County farmers on the latest developments in cotton and inform them on anything new in connection with cotton.

Mr. Rodgers urged all cotton farmers to be present and take advantage of these talks, pointing out that with cotton acreage controls in effect the farmer would need to increase his per acre yield as much as possible.

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**Cerebral Palsied Clinic May 10**

A clinic for the examination of cerebral palsied children will be held Monday, May 10, 1954 at the Lubbock Cerebral Palsy Treatment Center, 3502 Avenue N, Lubbock.

Specialists present to examine children will be: Dr. R. G. Lovell, Lubbock, Dr. R. Q. Lewis, Lubbock, and Dr. C. E. Ratchiff, Lubbock, orthopedists; Dr. R. K. O'Loughlin, Lubbock, neuropsychiatrist; Dr. J. B. Roundtree,

Lubbock, pediatrician; Dr. G. M. Wallace, Lubbock, eye specialist; and Dr. J. M. Reynolds, Lubbock, dentist.

Parents who plan to bring children to the clinic are requested to register the children at the Center before the date of clinic. Information regarding the clinic may be obtained by writing Dr. Esiner Snell, Director or calling Lubbock 4-7110.

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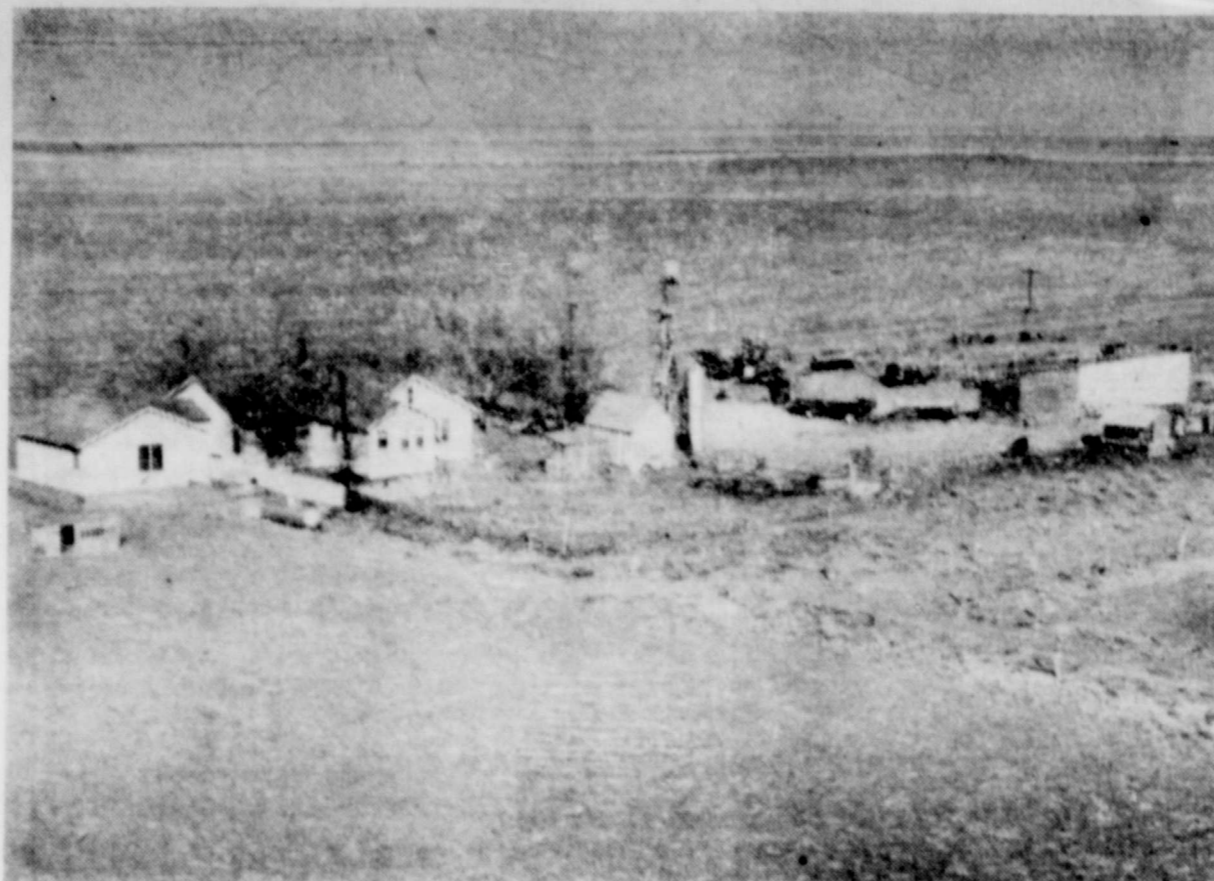
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E. A. (Audie) Noland and family are the occupants of this mystery farm house published in the First National Bank advertisement last week. The farm is located two miles south and 3/4 miles east of the intersection of the Lockney cut-off and the Floydada-Silverton highway east of Lockney. First person to correctly identify the farm was Mrs. Ray Aston although Mrs. Bob Muncy called The Beacon office

for her. Mr. Noland and his two brothers, J. A. and T. R. farm the 780 acres belonging to their father, T. M. Noland. The elder Mr. Noland also lives on the farm. He has owned the place since 1914. The farm house picture was by E. A. and his family. They added a living room and garage to the house. They work

320 acres of the place. The place is not irrigated and they grow wheat for the most part. They also have some milk cows. Mr. and Mrs. Noland were married in 1938. They have two children, Janice, age 10 and Larry, age 4. Mrs. Noland's maiden name is Ernestine. Watch for another mystery farm in the First National Bank advertisement next week.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE WITHIN THE STATE OF TEXAS—GREETING:**

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Floyd County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy: CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: "All persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed heretofore given to J. W. Hammond, trustee, of Knox County, Illinois, grantee," and J. W. Hammond, trustee, the successors in office of J. W. Hammond, trustee, all of whom are unknown, the beneficiaries of J. W. Hammond, trustee, all of whom are unknown, the beneficiaries of J. W. Hammond, trustee, all of whom are unknown, the heirs of the unknown beneficiaries of J. W. Hammond, Trustee, all of whom are unknown, and the heirs of the unknown beneficiaries of the unknown successors in office of

J. W. Hammond, trustee, all of whom are unknown. Defendants. GREETING: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of the 110th Judicial District of Floyd County, Texas, at the Courthouse thereof, in Floydada, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 24th day of May, 1954, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 9th day of April, 1954, in this cause, numbered 4223, on the docket of said court and styled N. J. SMALLEY, plaintiff, vs. "All persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed heretofore given to J. W. Hammond, trustee, of Knox County, Illinois, grantee," et al; the said N. J. Smalley being the only plaintiff, and all of the defendants being the persons hereinabove named to whom this citation is directed, and Fay Pinner, Southern Production Company, Inc., and Southwestern Life Insurance Company. A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Suit by N. S. Smalley against all of said unknown defendants to recover title and possession of North-east one-fourth (NE 1/4) of Survey No. 65, Block G, Abstract No. 116, Certificate No. 35, in Floyd County, Texas, plaintiff claiming said lands under the ten year statute of limitations as against said defendants, and claiming that said defendants own no interest in said land, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court at Floydada, Texas, this 9th day of April, 1954.

MARY L. McPHERSON, Clerk, District Court, Floyd County, Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jeffcoat and family have moved back to Lockney from Dallas where they have spent the past several months. They arrived in Lockney with the last of their household furnishings Sunday night. He will be associated with his father in Lockney Dry Goods.

Mrs. D. M. Thomas has been in Wichita Falls for several weeks visiting relatives. She plans to remain there another month or so.

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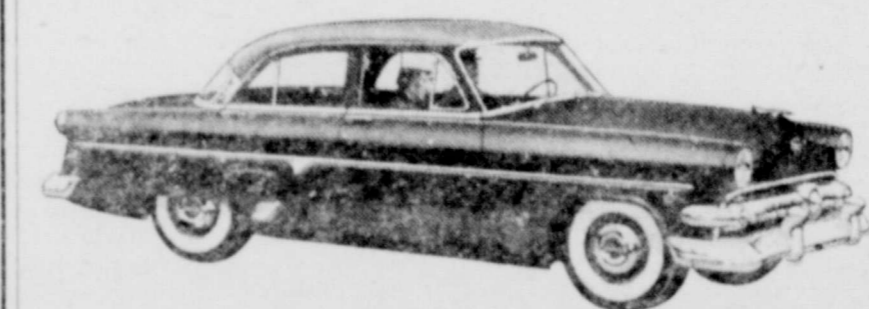
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- I. WHAT IS BAPTISM?
  1. It is a command of Christ: "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost." (Matt. 28:19.)
  2. It is a burial in water: "We are buried with him by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life." (Rom. 6:4.) "Buried with him in baptism, wherein also ye are risen with him through faith of the operation of God." (Col. 2:12.)
- II. WHO SHOULD BE BAPTIZED?
  1. Those who believe: "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved." (Mk. 16:16.)
  2. Those who have repented: "Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins." (Acts 2:38.)
  3. Those who have confessed Christ: "He answered and said, I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God. And he commanded the chariot to stand still: and they down both into the water, both Phillip and the eunuch: and he baptized him." (Acts 8:37, 38.)
- III. WHY SHOULD ONE BE BAPTIZED?
  1. To get into Christ: "Know ye not that so many of us were baptized into Jesus Christ were baptized into his death?" (Rom. 6:3.)
  2. To put on Christ: "As many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ." (Gal. 3:27.)
  3. For remission of sins: "Repent, and be baptized, every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ, for the remission of sins." (Acts 2:38.)
  4. To have sins washed away: "Arise and be baptized, and wash away thy sins, calling on the name of the Lord." (Acts 22:16.)
  5. To be saved: "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved." (Mk. 16:16) "Eight souls were saved by water. The like figure whereunto baptism doth also now save us." (1 Pet. 3:21.)
- IV. INTO WHAT ARE PERSONS BAPTIZED?
  1. Into the name: "Baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost." (Matt. 28:19.)
  2. Into Christ's death: "Know ye not that so many of you were baptized into Jesus Christ were baptized into his death." (Rom. 6:3.)
  3. Into Christ's body or church: "By one Spirit are we all baptized into one body." (1 Cor. 12:13.)

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## EDITORIAL

Congratulations to the Junior Class for a swell production of "Hillbilly Weddin'." It was a hilarious play with very capable actors. I'm sure that everyone enjoyed it as well as I did.  
The lighting was used very effectively and you could hear everything — even at the back.  
Thanks, Juniors, and best of luck for next year.

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## SENIOR ANNOUNCEMENTS ARRIVE FRIDAY

The announcements for the commencement exercises for the 1954 seniors arrived on Friday, April 30, at the Beacon office. Class members are very busy addressing them this week.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

## L. H. S. Cheerleaders Elected Tuesday

by Ann Belt  
The Pep Squad met Thursday, April 29th at 1:30 in the auditorium to elect cheerleaders for next year. Betty Johnson, who was head cheerleader this year, presided over the meeting. Four cheerleaders were elected: Betty June Jackson, head cheerleader, Jan Mathis, La Juan Henderson and Barbara Jo Hanks. The Pep Squad may have boys as members next year, and if they do, two boy cheerleaders will be elected next year. If not, one more girl will be elected.

## Honors Revealed In 1954 Roundup

The list of Who's Who, chosen by faculty members to represent the various departments, were selected by the following qualities: leadership, participation, cooperation, loyalty, punctuality, application and scholastic rating. No student could represent more than one department. The honors go to: Harold Ford, agriculture; Clydelle Hill, business; Patty Jo Wilkes, English; Edna Morris, homemaking; Jerry Holmes, mathematics; Jeanette Widener, science; Barbara Carthel, social studies; Luther Williams, band; Roy Johnston, football; Jimmy Myers, boys' basketball; Betty Jean Jackson, girls' basketball.

The Roundup also revealed Katie Rucker as the most beautiful girl in LHS and Jimmy Myers as the most handsome boy. These were elected by popular vote of the student body.  
Congratulations go to the Roundup staff for an excellent 1954 yearbook.

## BARBARA HAYS' IDEAL BOY

Most Handsome—Leland Lewis  
Hair — Eldon Fortenberry.  
Eyes — Charles Andrews.  
Teeth — Don Hellums.  
Nose — Jim Bob Reynolds.  
Lips — Jerry Mickey.  
Best Dressed — Donald Allison.  
Physique — Charles Vaughn.  
Smile — "Peanut" Calloway.  
Height — Marion Cross.  
Walk — Bobby Johnson.  
Athletics — Roy Johnston.  
Personality — Larry McCormick.

Most Likely to Succeed — Gene Lancaster.

## LARRY McCORMICK'S IDEAL GIRL

Most Beautiful—Katie Rucker

## Band Entered Interscholastic League Contest

The Lockney Longhorn Band journeyed to Lubbock last Saturday to compete in the Interscholastic League Contest for this region. The band was handicapped by the absence of four first chair players.

We left Lockney at 7:30 Saturday morning and arrived in Lubbock about 9:15. The quartets and solos unloaded immediately and went to the warm-up room. Solos entered were: Donna Baughman, clarinet; Luther Williams and Allen Younger, tubas; Jerry Holt, french horn; and Jimmy Colson, trombone. Ensembles were: Joan Harris, Katie Rucker, Barbara Carthel and David Hartman, saxophone quartet; Jean Wofford, Kay Golden, Hope Cox, and Charlene Brown, clarinet quartet; Loy O'Brien, Rosemary McDonald, La Dora Ayres and Mary Marble, clarinet quartet; and Franklin Spruiell, Betty Sams, Luther Williams, Betty Foster, Gayle Rucker and Jerry Mickey, brass sextet; Eddie Lynn Hammonds and Clara Lee Smith also entered a twirling duet.

The whole band played in concert at 3:00 and sight-read immediately after. We marched at 8:00 Saturday night.

Results of our efforts were: concert, II; sight reading IV; marching III, eighth grade, clarinet quartet, I; high school clarinet, II; brass sextet, II. Solos were Donna Baughman, I; Luther Williams II; Jerry Holt, II; Jimmy Colson, III; and Allen Younger, IV.

The band gained some valuable experience from this concert and wishes to thank everyone who has backed it this year.

Two out of three children are born at home rather than in a hospital.

Hair — Barbara Hays.  
Eyes — Sandra Myers.  
Teeth — Barbara Carthel.  
Nose — Lynn Jolly.  
Lips — Oddie Mae Rogers.  
Hands — Arlene Matthews.  
Best Dressed — Ernestine Spradlin.

Figure — Clara Lee Smith.  
Smile — La Juan Henderson.  
Height — Jean Fitzgerald.  
Athletics — Nell Cunyus.  
Personality — Joan Harris.  
Most Likely to Succeed—Patty Jo Wilkes.

Patty, how many boy friends do you have? We are interested. Rankin, that was a pretty little verse you wrote in Nell's annual. Huffman, you seem to have lots of fun with the girls in third period study hall. Cleon, does it take two, you and Betty to feed the hogs now? Rosemary, does it still take two to drive Richard's car? Royce, you seem to be getting around pretty good now. Jean, who is this boy you are always talking about? (Better not let a certain girl hear you.) Jim Bob, do you recognize this little line: "I hope I come to know you better in the near future?" Bobby Johnson and Oddie Mae were seen double dating with James and La Dora Thursday night. Jay Kemp and Sunny Lawson were seen at the play Friday night. Jan, what did you use Peggy for Thursday night? A chaperon? Dan and Katie were seen at the play Friday night. Edna, what were you doing in Plainview Sunday evening? Lere and Frances were seen together Friday night. Donnie is making up for lost time. (Good luck.) We sign off with this joke—  
General: Pvt. Willy, did you salute me?  
Pvt. Willy: No sir, must have been someone else. (Aw, K. P. isn't so bad.)

## "Whozit"

The whozit this week is another puzzle similar to the one last week. When every word is filled in the first letter of each one will spell a certain boy's name.

1. Gloomy; dismal
2. A narcotic
3. A leavening agent
4. A certain school in West Texas
5. To urge on

1. A kind of chimney
2. Something a Ford car uses
3. Strong drink
4. Door fastener
5. A great imaginary circle.
6. A color

The whozit last week was Lynn Jolly and was correctly identified by Billy McAda. The definitions were:

1. L—lough
2. Y—yellow
3. N—north
5. N—orseman
1. J—apan
2. O—of
3. L—lincin
4. L—lick
5. Y—cast.

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## Homemaking News

Lockney Chapter, Future Homemakers of America held their regular meeting Monday, May 3 in the high school auditorium at 12:30.

The meeting was opened in regular form with the president, Betty Johnson, presiding. Minutes were read by the secretary, Barbara Carthel, and approved by the chapter.

A report of the state meet was given in panel form by Edna Morris, Ann Belt, and Rosemary McDonald, our delegates to Fort Worth in April.

All members enjoyed hearing

F. H. A. meet.

Some classroom odds and ends of homemaking girls are:

The third year girls are in the process of studying beef. A field trip was made last week to the Lockney Frozen Foods Locker to see a beef cut up. Also, to the market of Pylant Grocery and Market to see the display of different cuts of meat.

The second year girls prepared and served salads in class last week.

Meat salads, vegetables, fruit and congealed salads were displayed.

First year girls are constructing blouses in class.

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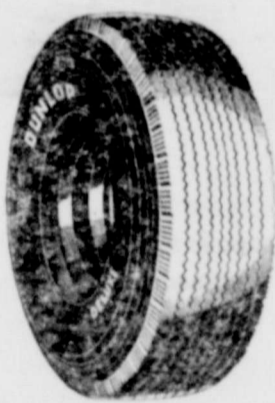
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**Providence News**

By Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

As long as we are not interested in it, there are two sides to every question.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Anderson and sons returned Thursday from Tyler, Texas where they visited relatives and Rev. Anderson attended the Texas District Convention of American Lutheran Church which was held at Austin.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner Tuesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Ross Jr. and family of Hale Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Sammann, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sammann recently returned from Fayetteville, Ark. While in Booneville, Ark. they visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann. Mrs. Karl Sammann was honored with a birthday dinner by her daughter-in-law. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann of Tulla, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sammann and family of Fayetteville, Ark.

The Sammanns also visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burkell and Mr. and Mrs. L. Savage, formerly of Plainview, now living in Lowell, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. C. Christanson at Springdale and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Snyder of Supulpa, Oklahoma.

Visiting in the Karl Sammann home the past week were Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Schmidt and S. Stanton of Plainview and Mrs. Homer Garns and daughter of Littlefield.

Attending West Texas Teachers Sunday School Association of Lubbock District of American Lutheran Church at Amarillo Sunday afternoon were Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scheele, Mrs. Ted Boedecker, Werner Boedecker and Ernest Sammann.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes visited the Clarence Brandes family in Plainview Sunday afternoon. Also visiting in the Brandes home were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dorman, Mr. and Mrs. John Alvin Dorman, all of Lockney.

Mrs. Ben Quebe and Mrs. Ben Brandes attended a Stanley party at the home of Mrs. Jake Jones at Kress Tuesday.

and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner visited the Blair family and Albert Seinfet of Kress Sunday afternoon.

**H. D. Club Meets**

Providence H. D. Club met in the spacious new home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boedecker Tuesday afternoon. The entertaining rooms were attractively decorated with spring flowers. Mrs. Ben Quebe, president, called the meeting to order. Roll call was answered with a household hint.

Business included voting to send \$5.00 to the Scholarship fund. Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner, council delegate reported. Mrs. Sam Jones and Mrs. Robert Payne gave a craft demonstration on making ear screws. Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner and Mrs. Ben Brandes gave a demonstration on frozen foods. They prepared asparagus from the Stoerner garden and strawberries.

Hostess, Mrs. Charlie Boedecker served homemade cookies and ice cream topped with fresh strawberries to Mmes. Ben Quebe, Ben Brandes, E. M. Quebe, Marvin Scheele, Helmuth Quebe, Wilfred Stoerner, Sam Jones, Robert Payne and hostess.

The twin boys of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Favors are to be released from the hospital and brought home by their parents Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Busher visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brasher of Petersburg, Texas.

**Boedecker And Kelm Leave**

Cecil Boedecker and Donald Kelm left Wednesday morning at 5 a. m. from Plainview with 22 other service inductees. The American Legion Auxiliary presented Bibles to the men and the Legion treated the group to coffee and gum.

**Trinity Lutheran Church**

H. L. Anderson, Pastor  
Calendar of week:  
Choir practice Wednesday evening at 8 p. m.

Confirmation Instruction Saturday morning 9 a. m.

Sunday, May 9, Sunday School 10 a. m. Divine Worship 11 a. m. Holy Communion will be held at 11 o'clock.

Washington, D. C. has the greatest population per square mile of any city.

**Cotton Impresses Floyd Farm Tour**

Vetch seeded in cotton and feed stubble on a trio of Floyd County farms and bench leveling accomplished by a farm operator with his own farm equipment were among the highlights of a county-wide farm tour carried out last Friday.

Taking the tour, which was sponsored by the Floyd County Soil Conservation District were a number of officials of co-operating agencies, which included the Extension Service, Southwestern Public Service Co. and the vocational agriculture departments of the Floydada and Lockney High Schools.

County Agent Bill Rogers said that stands of vetch, in grain sorghum stubble on the John Lloyd farm south of Floydada and on the Jack Dollar farm in the Irick community and in cotton middles on the Don Bennett farm south of Aiken, particularly impressed the gathering.

"All of those places now have a nice growth in a soil-improving legume crops which can be turned under as green manure," Rogers said, adding that the vetch has kept the land from blowing.

Aubrey Holt of the Irick community, Rogers said, had an outstanding example of bench leveling. Holt did the work himself, breaking the land down the slope approximately three times between benches.

**Slope Hills**  
Rogers pointed out that low-cost bench-leveling as accomplished by Holt was possible because of the nature of the slope of the land.

The two inches of rainfall which Floyd County received were most in evidence on native pasture land, which is beginning to green up, Rogers said.

He felt that in most cases moisture would be adequate for planting, barring the possibility of hot, drying winds during the next two weeks. But, he said, the rainfall of last week end was not sufficient to carry a crop, even if farmers get germination, and additional rainfall is a must if a crop is to be produced.

ard, Oliver W. Holmes and C. H. Rose.

**FRED LAM AT HOME**

Fred L. Lam, who has been a patient in the Plainview Hospital for the past two months, returned to his home, 516 West Tennessee in Floydada on Friday, April 30. He is still confined to his bed but will be glad to have his friends call.

**HOME FROM DALLAS**

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Carroll returned home Sunday afternoon after spending three weeks visiting their son, James Carroll and family in Dallas.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We greatly acknowledge and sincerely appreciate the many acts of kindness and various expressions of friendship shown us during the illness in our home. The lovely flowers, your many beautiful cards, every word of encouragement and prayers helped give us strength to withstand the anxious days and nights that we went through.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lam.

Miss Frances Knight, of Mineral Wells, Texas and student of Hardin Simmons University at Abilene, was a guest of Miss Johnie Barnhart Saturday and Sunday.

**RETURNS HOME**

Mrs. Reed Harper left Tuesday to return to her home in California after spending some time here at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Fanny Brown, who is seriously ill.

Joe Page and son, Johnny of Alpine, Texas came Saturday night to accompany Carey Page back to Alpine after he returned from a trip to Missouri with Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Fox and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Thomas.

Miss Fredda Bybee of Dallas arrived Friday and is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Bybee and other relatives. She plans to return to Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cox and Hope spent last week end in Denver City, Texas as guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Tate.

eral weeks ago, is some better at his home here, members of the family reported this week.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors who came and offered help, brought us flowers and food, offered to sit up, made trips to town for oxygen and medicine, and did many other kind deeds during Mr. Johnson's illness. We thank Dr. McClelland for his good services and those who have called to inquire as to Mr. Johnson's condition.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnson and Children.

Visitors in the Harmon Handley home Tuesday were Mrs. Handley's father, R. L. Kelley, Petersburg; and two sisters, Mrs. N. N. Goebel from Evant, Texas and Mrs. Bill Kelley of Lubbock. Mrs. Goebel remained for several days visit.

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## South Plains

by Mrs. Murray Julian  
(Delayed)

P-TA members met Monday afternoon at the school with 11 members present. Mrs. Shelby Calahan presided and urged all to be present promptly at 7 next Friday night, April 30, when the P-TA will serve supper to the candidates. It is hoped many others will attend this fried chicken supper at the school. Members bring your card tables, a cover cloth and your food and be there by 7. A call meeting will be held May 17 for the purpose of electing new officers for the coming year.

Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Spearman and children are back again at the parsonage after Rev. Spearman's illness at a hospital in Quannah. He came home Saturday, but will not be able to attend his regular duties for some time. Joe Wilson preached last Sunday. We hope Rev. Spearman will soon have his

health. While the new floor covering was laid at the church last week, the WMU met at Mrs. Kurr's and the boys auxiliaries met on the ball field Wednesday night for a work out. Regular meetings will be held this week at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ford of Lubbock were visitors Sunday afternoon in the home of his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Reeves were guests at dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry. The Fortenberrys have nearly finished redecorating their house, and this week put a new stucco finish on the outside.

New irrigation wells dug this past week in our vicinity were on the R. E. Young place east of Bradshaws, where Grigsby Milton farms. Otho Sanders, who still plans to dig another one and J. D. Webb, who has another well besides the one he is now finishing.

Wednesday after school last week, Mrs. Lloyd Deavenport took her five cub scouts to her home where they worked on completion of their den doodle, and also worked on their large map, which is being made in connection with their study of oil, their project for April. Mrs. Deavenport served supper to Nathan Mulder, Bruce Julian, Gary Wilson, Dennis Deavenport and Jimmie Pritchett after which she returned the boys to their homes.

Mrs. Owen Thornton's father, Mr. M. Manigal from Happy arrived last Tuesday to spend some time with Mrs. Thornton and her family.

About twenty families from South Plains were represented on Saturday at the all day REA annual meeting held in the high school gym. It was a delightful meeting with plenty of entertainment and delicious barbecue served to the huge crowd at noon. Mr. and Mrs. John Key West from our community were presented along with others on the various committees, an electric frying pan at the close of the day. Everyone declared the meeting to be the finest one yet. John Smitherman was re-elected for another term at the business meeting which followed the luncheon. We are glad to be so well represented.

Among the boys from South Plains who went to Lubbock Saturday with the FFA group

## The OLD TIMER says



"When you speak from the bottom of your heart, you never get beyond your depth."

were Kendis Julian and Alton Higginbotham who were on the dairy judging team; Tommy Respondek on the poultry team and Steele Deavenport on the grass judging division from Floydada High School. The dairy team was among the first nine teams judged best in that division and Kendis and Alton with their agriculture teacher, Mr. Carroll will go to College Station next Friday morning to participate in the state meet. They will not be home until Sunday evening.

Mrs. Jack Crawford from Amarillo has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Ollie Wilson for a few days and on Monday evening they were supper guests in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvian Kinnibrugh and girls went to Brownfield Sunday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Kevill Coffman and family. In the evening they came by Ralls and visited with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. McCuiston.

Mrs. Grigsby Milton and Mrs. Murray Julian were guests of Mrs. Early Joiner Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the First Christian Church in Floydada, when the four study clubs presented Mrs. R. E. Rowly, director of the Amarillo Little Theatre in a play "Allegro", which was beautifully reviewed. A tea for members and guests was held before the presentation. Approximately a hundred guests were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McClure and Donna, of Crosbyton spent Saturday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure. Friday night the Frank McClures visited in Lubbock with friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thames.

The 31st annual stockholders meeting for Consumers Fuel Association was held Monday afternoon in the district court room. John K. West was re-elected to office. Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and children were also present from here and Gary and Sue Wilson were the entertainers for the occasion, singing three songs. Dale West was the lucky winner of a foam rubber pillow during the drawing for prizes.

Mrs. Ed Reeves from Abilene was the Saturday night and Sunday house guest of her niece.

Mrs. Early Joiner, Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian, Kendis and Bruce went to Floydada where they enjoyed dinner with Mrs. Joiner and Mrs. Reeves. Early came home in the evening from Rye, Colorado and was home until Tuesday. Monday they went to the Murray Julian home where they had supper.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Reid from Dallas visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Early Pritchett and family over the week end. While here they visited Mr. Pritchett's mothers, Mrs. Dingler in Plainview where she has recently bought a new home.

Visitors for Sunday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and girls were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young and family and callers during the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and Charlyne of Lockney.

In the series, "Young People of Destiny in the Bible," South Plains WMU studied the lesson on the Israelitish maid whose faith failed not, and studied the impact of her faith on those about her. The WMU met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Bryan Karr. Mrs. Dock Jones presided over the Bible study in the absence of Mrs. Junion Calahan. Mrs. McClure dismissed with prayer. Mrs. Karr served iced drinks and cookies to the following members, Mrs. Dock Jones, Mrs. Frank McClure, Mrs. Grigsby Milton, Mrs. Murray Julian and Mrs. Sim Reeves. The next meeting will be May 5 with Royal Service Study.

### RETURNS HOME

De Juan Strickland, who has been in South Dakota for the past six weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Strickland near Onida, returned to Lockney Sunday night. De Juan has been plowing and seeding his crop of wheat, flax and oats.

Mrs. J. E. Cooper of Ruidoso, New Mexico spent last week here visiting relatives. She was accompanied home Sunday night by her son, Kenneth Cooper and Miss Patsy Coe of Ruidoso, who were week end visitors here.

### FOR THE UNEXPECTED GUEST

If you find yourself caught, and nothing to serve as a snack to the unexpected guest, slice tart apples very thin and spreading peanut butter on top. It's simple to make and is a delightful flavor combination. Keep in refrigerator until ready to serve.

### FROZEN TREATS

Children like frozen doughnuts or brownies. In fact, frozen brownies served with whipped cream for dessert are delicious. Buy enough in advance for any emergency and store in the freezer unit of your refrigerator.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

## Objectives Of Nat'l H. D. Week Are Given

College Station. — Work of 40,000 Texas home demonstration club women will be spotlighted when National Home Demonstration Week May 2-8 calls attention to the achievements that farm and ranch women have made through organized planning and action.

Maurine Hearn, State Home Demonstration Leader for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says the objectives for the week:

1. To encourage and assist parents in the training and guidance of children and youth; to develop teamwork in the family.
2. To encourage all families to eat well-balanced meals.
3. To help families to make wise decisions in the use of the family income.
4. To aid families to make satisfactory choices in the selection and use of clothing and household fabrics.
5. To help families achieve the maximum standards of housing possible within their incomes.
6. To encourage the families to use their influence to strengthen the communities in which they live.
7. To acquaint young families with the educational opportunities provided by the Extension Service and the many avenues through which home demonstration work may serve their needs.
8. To recognize that families through organized study, planning, and action are making a lasting contribution to home and community improvement.

### Blanchard Changes Mind On Office

H. J. (Doc) Blanchard, Lubbock attorney who had announced earlier this year that he was a candidate for the office of District Attorney of the 72nd District, Saturday announced that he was withdrawing from the race and would be a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Lubbock County instead.

Blanchard said he was withdrawing from the four-county race for "personal reasons."

"I don't feel that I will have the time to campaign in all of the four counties of the district as a campaign for the office should be conducted," Blanchard said.

Early in the 1940's four million pounds of keys were donated for scrap iron.

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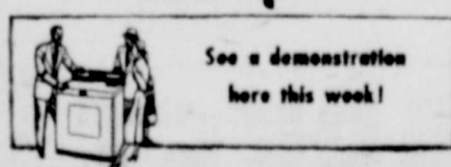
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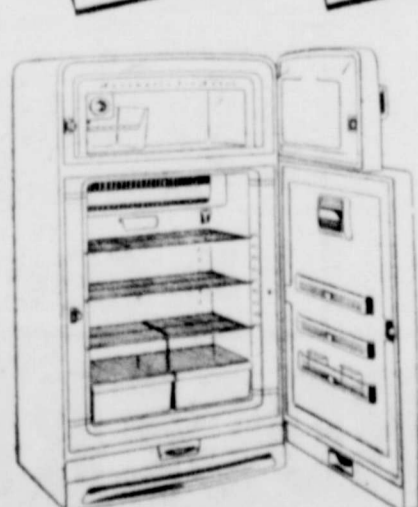
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## SOCIETY

### Bridge Club Meets In La Comida Room

Mrs. Bob Davis was hostess for a bridge party and luncheon Tuesday evening, April 27 in the La Comida Room of the Pioneer Cafe in Plainview.

Mrs. Tom Moore won high. Mrs. Jerry Harden won second and Mrs. Fred Byrd won bingo. Attending were Mmes. J. C. Thomas Jr., W. J. Mangold, Tom Moore, Wayne McClain, Jerry Harder, Rusty Baccus, Fred Byrd, G. A. McClelland and Bob Davis.

Next meeting of the club will be Tuesday of next week in the home of Mrs. Jerry Harder.

### Ronnie Harris Is Birthday Honoree

Ronnie Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Harris was named honoree at a hayride and birthday party at his home Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The occasion marked the honoree's 13th anniversary.

Following the hayride to the Harris home five miles south of town, games were played and gifts were presented.

Enjoying the occasion were Janice Hays, Welta Joyce Kent, Elaine Cooper, James Ferguson, Leslie Wilkes, Van Reese, Jackie Calahan, Kenneth Calloway, Billy Race, Joe Mac Holmes, Paty Ashton, Peggy Ford, Rita Johnson, Ann Griffith, Debra Ferguson, Shirley Mitchell, Carolyn Harris and the honoree.

Refreshments of birthday cake, ice cream and punch were served.

### Study Club Lawn Party Scheduled

Members of El Progreso Study Club and their husbands will be guests at a lawn party Thursday night of next week at 7:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Copeland.

Regular club meetings are held on Wednesday afternoon and members are reminded of the change of time to Thursday night for this social meeting which will close the club year.

### Garden Club To Hold Iris Tour

The Lockney Garden Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Tom Rankin Friday, May 7 at 9 a. m. from which place they will start an iris tour. Several homes in Lockney and one in Plainview will be visited.

### OUR MISTAKE

Tom Weeks, Aiken resident and gardener extraordinary, says he doesn't want to sell those tomato plants we advertised in last week's Beacon at 30¢ per 100. The price should have been 50¢, you pull 'em and count 'em.

### MITCHELLS ARE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Mitchell who have spent two weeks in a Weslaco hospital following a traffic accident near there arrived home Saturday afternoon. They are able to be up and are convalescing nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ginn of Floydada are spending several days with the Mitchells this week. They were neighbors during their stay in the valley this winter.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Race and family Saturday and Sunday included Mrs. Race's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Myrtle Leckie and two daughters, Beatha and Kaydette of Carlsbad, New Mexico and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Leckie of Floydada.

Lee Wofford of Amarillo visited this week with his brothers, Claude and O. D. Wofford and with his sister, Mrs. Jake Smith in Plainview.

### CALIF. VISITOR

Mrs. Harold Heath and daughter, Sharon Kay of Oakland, California arrived Sunday morning for a visit with Mrs. Heath's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Epperson and Peggy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Phillips, Bobby and Marie plan to spend Sunday in Silverton visiting Mrs. Phillips' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Thomas.

### Hospital News

Mrs. Jimmie Crawford was dismissed 4-28.

Jerry Dunn, Plainview was dismissed following tonsilectomy 4-29.

Mrs. Byron Ford and son were dismissed 5-2.

Roy Deavenport was admitted for medical treatment 4-29 and dismissed 4-30.

Mrs. J. T. Terrell, Plainview was admitted for medical treatment 4-30 and dismissed 5-1.

Mrs. C. V. Lemons was admitted for treatment 4-30 and dismissed 5-1.

Mrs. Joe Amaya was admitted 5-1 and dismissed 5-3.

Mrs. Buck Fowler was admitted for major surgery 5-3.

Phillip Stephens, Silverton was admitted for emergency treatment 5-2 and dismissed 5-3.

Mrs. T. J. Jarboe was admitted for surgery 5-3.

Mrs. Frank Simpson Floydada was admitted for medical treatment 5-3.

Mrs. Willie Carothers was admitted 5-3.

Mrs. George Weast was admitted for medical treatment 5-4.

Mrs. Jimmy Hodel was admitted 5-4.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Ford are the parents of a son born 4-28. He was named Tony Clay and weighed 8 lb. 4 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Early B. Johnston

### Wiley At Purina Farm In Missouri

M. W. Wiley, president of the First National Bank of Lockney, was among approximately 275 bankers from the Western Range states who visited the Ralston Purina research farm at Gary Summit, Missouri April 26, and spent the following day seeing the company's research laboratories and headquarters offices

are parents of a son born 5-2. He weighed 5 lb. 12 oz. and was named Steven Lynn. Mother and son were dismissed 5-5.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Savage are the parents of a daughter born 5-1. She weighed 3 lb. 4 oz., and was named Elizabeth Ann. Mother was dismissed 5-3. Elizabeth is still receiving treatment.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Willson 5-1. He was named Troy Wayne and weighed 9 lb. 11 oz.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Isidro Garza 5-4. She weighed 6 lb. 4 oz. and was named Martha.

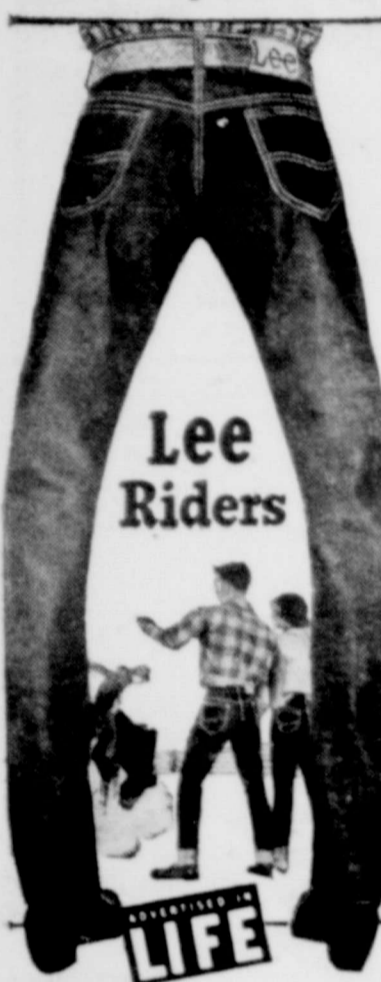
### HOUSE GUESTS

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Handley and Gene last week end was their daughter and sister, Elizabeth Handley, student at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene and three of her classmates, Nanaline Miller of Coleman; Darlene Stewart, Shreveport, La., and Jane Wood of Shawnee, Okla. They returned to Abilene Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. E. M. Whorton spent the week end with her son, Walter Whorton and family in Lubbock.

James Carthel of Texas Tech-Lubbock spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Carthel and Janice.

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GRAPE-NUTS FLAKES	12 oz.	25c
SUGAR CRISP	9 1/2 oz.	25c
POST'S KRINKLES	5 1/4 oz.	15c
40% BRAN FLAKES	15 oz.	25c
RAISIN BRAN	10 oz.	20c
GRAPE-NUTS	10 1/2 oz.	20c
CORN FETTI	10 oz.	25c
POST-TENS		39c

Potatoes	Shoe String 2 cans	25c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	46 oz. can	25c
Preserves	Pure Peach or Apricot, 2 lb. jar	53c
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John Hodel of Lockney, who entered South Plains Hospital in Lubbock Tuesday, April 27 will undergo an operation there Thursday morning of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brunner visited their daughter, Mrs. Dean Burger and family in Pampa Sunday. Mrs. Burger is convalescing from an operation.

**NOTICE**

**The White Rose Cafe**

will be closed  
Sunday, May 9th  
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**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS**

G. H. Carthel to E. W. Cooley, lot 2, block 1, Carthel addition to Lockney.

C. E. Ball to Mrs. Mamie Wofford, south one-half of lot 3, lots 4 and 5, block 34, original, Lockney.

W. D. Reese to J. M. Willson Jr. 40x90 feet out of lots 8, 9 and 10, block 3, Brunson addition to Lockney.

L. B. Fawver and other to W. D. Johnson, 201.95 acres out of north part of survey No. 34, certificate 250, Block No. 1, A. B. & M.

R. H. Ford and others to C. V. Ford, lots 6 and 7, block 21, original, Lockney.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Beacon Office

**J. G. Martin Rites Held In Floydada**

Floydada. — Funeral services for James Gerald Martin, 68, prominent Floydada merchant who died Wednesday of a heart attack were held at 3 p. m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church here.

Martin was taken to People's Hospital here after suffering the heart attack at his home about 10 p. m. Tuesday. He died at 12:45 a. m. Wednesday. He had not been ill previously with a heart ailment.

Dr. R. Earl Allen, pastor, conducted services. Burial was in the Floydada Cemetery under direction of the Harmon Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were S. W. Ross, Jack Henry, O. M. Watson Sr., Harry Morekel, Bob McGuire, and J. G. Wood. Honorary pallbearers were Clement McDonald, Walton Hale, Pleas Nelson and Ulmer White.

Martin was an uncle of Mary Martin of film, stage and radio fame.

He was owner of Ladies Specialty Shop in Floydada and had been a merchant of the town since about 1900. He was born in Long Creek, Parker County, Texas, and came to Floydada early in 1904. He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include: the widow, Mrs. J. G. Martin, of Floydada; three daughters, Mrs. Jake Watson and Miss Bettie Gail Martin, both of Floydada; and Mrs. Richard Walker, Lubbock; four brothers, Luther and Gene of Weatherford, Bernard of Wichita Falls and Claude of Austin; a sister, Mrs. W. M. Massie of Floydada. Six grandchildren also survive.

**South Plains**  
by Mrs. Murray Julian

Much cotton has been planted here the past week, but the low temperature of 34 on Saturday night and 30 on Sunday night stopped many farmers from going ahead with the planting until the weather warms some. Tender garden vegetables were not hurt in the frost for the cold was of short duration. There was ice on the water both mornings.

Rev. W. S. Spearman was well enough to take up his ministerial duties on Sunday and the regular meetings of Brotherhood on Monday night. WMS and auxiliaries with prayer meeting will be held this week as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weast went to Clovis on Sunday morning to attend the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. Paul Cherry who was killed in a car wreck near Amarillo on Saturday. They were enroute to Pampa when the collision occurred and the two girls and the father were only slightly injured.

At the Farm bureau meeting in Lockney Thursday night Grishby Milton from our vicinity was elected one of three directors of that organization and he will serve the northeast portion of Floyd County.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young had guests Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Brannon and boys from Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Pitts and boys from Lubbock spent Sunday with them, as well as Corporal and Mrs. Deral Young from Camp Hood, who came Saturday night to spend the night and Sunday with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bean from Lockney spent the past week end visiting their son, Billy Bean and family who recently moved to Winters, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Mercer and son from Abilene spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Casey and family.

Don Marble, from El Paso arrived Saturday to spend the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marble and family. He returned to Fort Bliss Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hinsley are moving this week to the home formerly occupied by Shelby Calahan and family. John has been working the past few weeks with the Parks Oil Co. in South Plains.

Mrs. Albert Stewart went to Lockney to undergo an operation Wednesday. She is doing fine now and we hope she will soon be able to come home. Guests from here who visited her Saturday morning were Mrs. George Weast and Sunday afternoon Mrs. H. L. Marble, Mrs. Bill Beedy, Mrs. L. T. Wood and Mrs. Bryant Higginbotham.

Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Thornton arrived home this past week from a three weeks visit in Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Mrs. Rene Yeary will present her music pupils in a recital on Monday night, May 10, at 8:30 in the First Baptist Church at South Plains and she cordially extends an invitation to everyone to come to her recital.

Alton Higginbotham and Kendis Julian arrived home Sunday evening from College Station where they had participated in

a dairy judging contest Saturday. They won 7th place in the 64 contestants, and their agriculture teacher, James Carrol, was proud of their standing. Bobby Britton, another of the dairy team was second in the state in personal judging.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kinnibrugh from Vera spent Wednesday visiting their son, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvian Kinnibrugh and family here.

Several from our vicinity attended the band concert given at the high school in Floydada Thursday evening of last week. It was a fine evening of music with several schools entering. Kendis Julian is a band member from our community.

Judge George Foster of Lubbock passed away on Thursday of last week and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Calahan attended the funeral on Friday in Lubbock at the First Baptist Church. Others who went were her brother, Garland Foster and her father, Clarence Foster. Judge Foster had been in failing health for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Simmons from Truscott were all day guests Sunday in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvian Kinnibrugh and girls.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry after church Sunday were his folks, Mr. and Mrs. John Fortenberry from Cedar Hill. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Kelly also called at the Fortenberry home.

On this past Friday evening the candidates from Floydada were invited to the South Plains school, where they were served supper by the P.T.A. after which they adjourned to the auditorium where short speeches were enjoyed by everyone. Judge Chapman was also present. The P.T.A. announce the proceeds of the evening were around \$87.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smitherman were among those who went to attend the open house celebration held the past Sunday from 2 until 6 at the beautiful new home of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Noland. Mrs. Smitherman was one of the hostesses for the affair and many friends called to wish the Noland success in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bean and Mrs. Philip Smitherman spent the past week end in El Paso where they visited their son and brother, Pvt. Walter Bean who is stationed at Fort Bliss.

Mrs. Essley Yeary and Mrs. J. P. Taylor visited Mrs. A. L. Stewart in the hospital in Lockney Monday morning.

The Cub scout pack meeting was held at the school house on Monday night with Bonnie Thornton opening the meeting, telling how troop No. 1 made the den doodle, and the troop told the Story of Oil, their project for March. Jimmie Pritchett, Gary Wilson, Nathan Mulder, Bruce Julian and Dennis Deavenport took part in the story with troop 2, Bud Higginbotham, J. Frank Parks, Johnny Calahan, Dwight Teeple, the sponsors, Mrs. Deavenport and Mrs. Parks.

showed the uses of oil, and the nail driving contest was won by Mrs. Higginbotham and Mrs. Mulder. They will enter the Olympics which are to be held at Tulla on May 14 at 7 p. m. Every parent will try to be present for this affair. Shelby Calahan and Lloyd Deavenport held the ceremony for the initiation for Dale West, who entered troop 2. Mrs. Parks showed films at the close of the pack meeting, and the group was dismissed in prayer by Mrs. Higginbotham.

**AT SOIL MEETING**

Bert Bobbitt of Sterley represented Floyd County at a luncheon and district convention of the Hale County Soil Conservation district held Tuesday of this week at Plainview in the Hilton Hotel.

North Dakota is the coldest state in the U. S.

Oklahoma is the windiest state in the U. S.

Following at the home of Mrs. G. M. Brunner Wednesday and Thursday, of this week are their grandchildren, Carol Ann and Johnny Montague of Silverton, Kenneth and Connie Burger of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitfill and family who have spent several months in Corpus Christi arrived home last week end.

**KEEP FLOWER VASES CLEAN**

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**FFA—FHA Hayride Monday Night**

The FFA boys of Lockney High School will be hosts to the FHA girls on a hayride Monday night. Supper will be served at the City Park at 7:30 and all FFA and FHA members are invited to attend, it was announced this week.

**TECH EXES TO MEET**

Mrs. Genie Hardy of Lockney is asking that all ex-students of Texas Technological College interested in joining an exes association meet at the Methodist Church Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

**SUFFERS STROKE**

Mrs. J. T. Livesay suffered a light stroke Saturday morning which affected her left side. Relatives report that she seems to be improving steadily. Her son, Ted Livesay and wife from Plainview visited her Sunday.

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## Minute Editorials

The name of the Lord is a strong tower; the righteous runneth into it and is safe.—Proverbs 18:10.

**THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY** will probably soon be called upon to decide whether or not they want to provide right of way for a 4-lane highway through the county, said highway to be built with money provided to the State Highway Department by the Federal government. Cost to the county for the right-of-way and moving of stationary improvements will be in the neighborhood of \$200,000, according to estimates of county officials. Drawbacks to the plan

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will include the inconvenience caused to some who live along the highway in the moving of their houses or irrigation wells. In some cases no amount of money can pay a man for disarranging his homestead lay-out. Favorable to the 4-lane highway will be the fact that it will very likely save some lives. Head-on auto collisions are not apt to happen on a 4-lane highway. The writer can remember several people who have lost their lives in just such accidents on Highway 70 between Floydada and the Hale County line since he has been here — 12 years. Another item in favor is that the state will probably spend 1 1/2 million dollars in this county while the cost to the county is \$200,000. This will likely provide jobs for some people who otherwise might not have a job.

**THE WRITER** admires the position of the Commissioners Court. They say it is up to the people. If we want it we can have it. If we don't the state can spend the money somewhere else. Most likely an election on a bond issue will be called at some time in the future. That is when the people will have their say.

**IT DOESN'T HAVE** anything to do with a 4-lane highway but an association has been formed in numerous towns in this nation boosting traffic for Highway 70. Such an organization is in operation at Floydada. They suggest that Lockney ought to have one. The highway runs from North Carolina to California, as we understand it and purpose of the organization is to get traffic on the highway, so that those business people as well as those along the route will profit. Lockney business people and especially those along the highway ought to look into this.

**"HONEST APPRAISAL** of their own shortcomings was brought out in a meeting and discussed by Matador business and professional men Friday night at the American Legion hall. They frankly admitted a serious deficit in loyalty among themselves, and pledged corrective measures." So says the Matador Tribune in a front-page story last week. The Matador business people, as we understand it, have decided to practice, as well as preach, the trade-at-home theory. Perhaps we business people of Lockney could take note of this unusual attitude to our own advantage.

Springtime means clean up, fix up and paint up jobs should be done. Labor not needed for other jobs on the farm can be profitably used on them.



### With Our EXCHANGES

#### A BIG JOB—AT HOME . . .

Before Billy Graham landed in England we were pretty suspicious that he was biting off more than he could chew.

Mr. Graham collected a vast campaign fund in American to pay the expense of a revival which would save England from her sinful ways. A number of Canyon people gave liberally into this fund.

While no one will chide this great evangelist for his ambitions to help save England, let it be remembered that religion was firmly established in England long before America was settled. England may be a sinful country, and the people may be neglecting their duties toward their church, but America has nothing to brag about. Not 50% of our people are members of any church; and unfortunately only about 50% of all church members attend church regularly.

While we are sending Billy Graham to England to save the nation; and sending vast amounts of money to save other nations, we have plenty of people here at home who are going to hell in a big way if we are taking the Bible as our guide.

More power to Billy Graham—in his native land. — Canyon News.

### VULTURES

Nearly everyone at some time or other falls prey to vultures who will do and promise anything to get a dishonest dollar.

Latest example of this in Crosbyton was a recent visit by out-of-town "roofing" men, who picked on a widow lady this time to play their game. They approached the lady with the story that her roof was in terrible condition, and was about to fall apart; but that she needn't worry because they had just the treatment needed to make the roof last for many years. Now they had just finished two or three big jobs and had just a little of this wonger stuff left—enough to cover the lady's roof.

Since they were heading for headquarters and wanted to get rid of what they had left, they would treat her roof for the very low price of \$45. The lady made the trade; the men put on the wonder stuff, got their money—and left town. Too late the lady discovered that the wonder stuff was nothing but burned out lube oil, which was smeared not only on her roof but on the walls of her house, her flower beds, and everything within a wide radius of the house as well.—Trends in Crosbyton Review.

### US AND WHO ELSE

Our Department of State

seems to be pretty outspoken about what we must do in Indo-China. It is the nearest to a threat of actual war we've had published in more than a dozen years. But all is not clear yet. In February Eisenhower said that involvement in Indo-China would be the greatest kind of tragedy. And it would. Dulles said last week the U. S. could not countenance the loss of Indo-China. With the French apparently about ready to give up or be run out, it looks like a tough proposition. If the French give up, then saving Indo-China from the Communists would be a job for the free nations of the world. With a certain American nation doing the heavy lifting, we'd have to save it, but who is the we? Us and who else — You Be The Judge in Crosbyton Review.

### WE NEED TO WAKE UP

But we are living in desperate times. The primary need of Americans is not for something to make them laugh, something to take their minds off their troubles, something to make them relax, important as all these things are.

Our primary need is for something to wake us up, something to jar us out of our lethargy, something to make us read "between the lines" so that we will get a true picture of what is going on right in our midst, something to make us think!

More than ever before we need to take an active interest in politics, to take a vigorous, militant interest in government. How can we do these things intelligently unless we are informed?—Town Topics in Tulsa Herald.

### EVERY DROP PRECIOUS

Floyd County irrigation farmers are reminded that every drop of the water they are using is precious. A folder issued recently by Southwestern Public Service Company, points up this fact. Relatively, irrigation on the high plains is new. It is quite new to many users of underground water. This fact calls for thoughtful use of the water. Everyone concerned admits there is much to be learned for efficiency and profit from this expensive source of water supply. — The Floyd County Hesperian.

Now is a good time in most sections of the state to do outside painting. The weather is relatively dry and temperature moderate. In humid, warm areas, hard type paints stand up better while the softer paints are best suited in dry areas.

## Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

**May 5, 1916**  
Miss Wadie Bragg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bragg, was married April 30 to William Eben Sweatt of Memphis. Mrs. Hunter Parsons rendered music and Miss Rudd was bridesmaid. Rev. Sweeney read the vows. Miss Wadie was one of our attractive young ladies and for two years was one of Lockney's most popular teachers. The groom is a stockman of Memphis.

Lone Star had a nice rain last week and some hail but not enough to damage anything. Grass and cattle are doing fine but this cold weather is hard on chickens and turkeys.

Sunday School was organized at Sun Set with Mr. Charles Julian as superintendent; O. F. Wilson, assistant; Miss Pauline Sims, secretary.

Charley Chaplain is playing in "Charley's First Vacation" at the Mc and Y theatre Saturday afternoon.

**May 8, 1924**  
The Mothers Club Banquet was held Thursday night in the basement of the Methodist Church with 120 mothers and fathers present.

The following teachers were re-elected for the coming term: Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Baker, Mrs. E. M. Randolph, Mr. Ivy Hart, Misses Malone, Roach, Graham, McFall, Christian, Livingston, Riley, Honea, Reeves and Braswell. The kindergarten conducted by Miss Ethel Cochran will be furnished with a room and supplied with heat. Superintendent W. D. Biggers will move from Knox City to Lockney as soon as school is closed in that place. Closing exercises for Lockney schools will be held next week.

**May 8, 1942**  
Twenty-seven will graduate from Lockney High School Thursday evening, Supt. H. P. Clemons will present the diplomas. This

is the smallest class to graduate here in a long time. Principal Sidney Reeves will make the awards. In the graduation class will be Duane Byars, Boyce Childers, Udell Cunningham, Owen Handley, Robert McCollum, Jackie Myers, Pete Newman, Richard Patterson, Joe Rigdon, Charles Smith, Bill Watson, Chester Pyle, Bryan Smith, Glen Williams, Virginia Alexander, Vaneta Barton, Bette Cunyus, Lela Floy Barton, Wynona McLeod, LaDelle Cox, Doris Stegall, Dorothy Mae Warrick, Cora Pearl Williams, Helen Wisdom, Joyce Bennett, Martha Margaret Griffith, Lurine Dudley.

A fund of \$230 was donated by people of Lockney to be sent to the city of Crowell. Crowell was struck by a tornado last week and was severely damaged.

Aileen Taack and Wallace Allen were married Saturday, May 2 at Clovis, New Mexico.

Sybil Mudgett and W. B. Par-rack were married Saturday in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Mudgett.

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**For District Clerk:**  
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**For County Judge:**  
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**For County Clerk:**  
 MARGARET COLLIER (Re-election)

**For County Attorney:**  
 KENNETH BAIN JR. (Re-election)

**For County Treasurer:**  
 MRS. SAM A. SPENCE (Re-election)  
 MRS. TROYE WILLIS STANSELL

**For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2, Floyd County:**  
 HUGH COUNTS (Re-election)

**For Justice of the Peace, Precincts 2 and 3, Floyd County:**  
 J. J. HARRIS (Re-election)

**1,500 Attend REA Co-Op Members Meet At Floydada**  
 More than 1,500 persons attended the annual membership meeting of the Lighthouse Electric Cooperative Inc. held at Graves Gymnasium in Floydada Saturday.

All seven counties included in the cooperative — Crosby, Dickens, Motley, Swisher, Hale, Briscoe and Floyd — were represented at the gathering. Two directors, Lee Rushing of District 2 and John Smitherman of District 3, were re-elected for three-year terms during the business session.

Reports were read by Secy. Harman R. King and by the president, who stated that operating costs last year mounted to \$416,141, while net profit was \$109,650.

Chief speaker during the morning session was Johnny Lynn, Amarillo radio personality, who told his listeners that "you are next door to everyone else in the world."

Ned Bradley of Floydada was master of ceremonies for the days program. A highlight of the event was a noon barbecue at the football field, where 2,276 pounds of barbecued beef and 360 pies — baked by members of the organization — were served.

Entertainment during the afternoon and morning sessions included that by a girls' quartet from Crosbyton, the Homesteaders from Lubbock, the Debonaires a dance team from Floydada under the direction of Mrs. John Hollums, a string band from Crosbyton, a male quartet from Tulla, a girls' trio from Lockney, and vocalists, Dale Smith of Floydada, Patty Adams of Lockney, Mrs. John Hutchinson of Floydada and Joe Noland of Floydada.

During the afternoon, the program was broadcast over the Floydada radio station.

Committee members planning the event included Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gordon of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reeves of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Rathel of McAdoo, Mr. and Mrs. John Key West of Lockney, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Jock McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Russell and Mr. and Mrs. New Bradley, all of Floydada.

**Cpl. Hendricks Is Returning To U. S.**  
 Orleans, France. — Army Cpl. Rufus Hendricks, whose wife, Juanita, lives in Lockney, is returning to the U. S. after duty in France.

Hendricks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Hendricks, Rising Star, was a tractor grader operator in Headquarters Company of the 982d Engineer Construction Battalion. He entered the Army in June 1952 and arrived overseas the following November.

**Scouters Meet At Floydada**  
 Probably 200 Boy Scout leaders of the Haynes District attended a Scouters banquet at the V. F. W. Hall in Floydada last Thursday night.

Brae Biggers, manager of Southwestern Public Service Co. in Floydada, was in charge of all arrangements for the banquet. M. W. Wiley, president First National Bank, Lockney and Mrs. Wiley prepared a delicious menu of barbecue for the Scouters.

Jimmy Willson Jr., Floydada, vice-president of the South Plains Council, acted as master of ceremonies. Joe Salem, Sudan, president-elect of South Plains Council, installed the following district officers: Harold LaFont, Plainview, district chairman; Jim Potts, Floydada, vice-district chairman; F. F. Calhoun, Plainview, district commissioner. Chairman and co-chairman, respectively, are H. C. Webber, Plainview and Ralph Glover, Silverton; camping and activities: Arch Keys, Plainview, Jack Henry, Floydada, organization and extension; R. A. Jefferies, Hale Center, M. W. Wiley, Lockney, finance; Rhoads Stuart, DR. Gale Seigler, Gerald Peters, Plainview, Jim Word, Floydada, leadership training; Rev. Harlan Harris and Marshall Formby, Plainview, advancement.

Training awards were given by Gerald Peters to: Algie Groves, S. M. Matador; Jim Word S. M. Floydada; Scouters' training awards were presented to: Keith Bailey, Plainview, Roy Pycatt, Hart, Scoutmasters Key for three years successful program with their boy scout troop went to F. F. Calhoun, Plainview, R. D. Rogers, Dimmitt, Kenneth Masters, Cotton Center.

R. A. Jefferies, district financial chairman presented scout statuettes to community drive chairman who had gone over their amount of money raised the previous year: Swain Brukett, Dimmitt, Joe Mayo, Petersburg, Dr. J. E. Minyard, Silverton, Edgar Hays, Lockney, Virgil Martin, Hale Center; Certificates were given to drive chairman Max Houk, Olton, Henry Miller, Tulla, Dean Sanders, Hart, and Jimmy Willson Jr.

Arch F. Keys, Organization and Extension chairman presented unit charters to 30 Institutional Representatives sponsoring Boy Scout units.

H. C. Weaver of Plainview gave appreciation certificates for jobs well done in scouting to: Brae Biggers, Maurice Coburn, James H. Word, Jewel Elza, Algie Groves, F. H. Welling, E. E. Hershey, Dr. M. T. Blume

**Douglas Meriwether At Fort Lee, Va.**  
 Fort Lee, Va. — Pvt. Douglas W. Meriwether, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond W. Meriwether of Lockney, is now attending the Unit Supply Course at the Quartermaster School, Fort Lee, Va. Pvt. Meriwether graduated from Lockney High School and entered the service in January, 1954.

This eight week course trains enlisted personnel to perform general supply duties, to serve as unit armorer and to assist in supply operations and logistics. Student training includes instruction in such subjects as mathematics, typing and administrative procedures, the Army supply system, fitting of clothing and footwear, arms and carpentry.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ashton and family spent Sunday in Floydada where Mr. Ashton was an honoree at a birthday dinner in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Aston.

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# Society News

## Little Mike Hodel Has Birthday Party

Mrs. Bill Hodel honored her son, Michael, with a party on his first birthday Tuesday, April 27 at 4 o'clock.

The refreshment table was centered with a large 21-inch candle surrounded by rainbow colored balloons. One inch of the candle was burned for young Mike's first anniversary and the same amount of candle is to be used for each birthday until he is 21 years of age.

Cakes iced in white and topped with tiny blue candles were served with grape juice and ice cream cones to Linda and Johnny Hodel and their mother, Mrs. Jimmy Hodel, Dinah and Doug Hodel and mother, Mrs. Verner Hodel, Mrs. Milton Ashton and Annel, Mrs. Thelma Hodel, aunt, and Mrs. John Hodel, grandmother of the honoree. Favours to the youngsters were whistles and balloons.

Colored slides were taken to record the memorable event.

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## At Carthel Home

Mrs. Hershel Carthel was hostess for a meeting of El Progreso Study Club Wednesday afternoon, April 28 at 3 o'clock.

Roll call was answered with "Texas Brags." Mrs. Jack Taylor gave a talk on "Heroes of the Alamo and San Jacinto. Mrs. Roy Hollar, who is county librarian, talked on "Texas Culture."

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Hollar, visitor, and thirteen members.

The last meeting of the club year will be marked with a lawn party at the J. D. Copeland home Thursday evening, May 13 at 7:30 o'clock. Mmes. Copeland, Sid Thomas and G. M. Brunner will be hostesses for the occasion.

## Birthday Honoree Is De Juan Strickland

De Juan Strickland, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Strickland, was honored on his 20th birthday recently at his parents home near Onida, South Dakota.

An indoor weiner roast highlighted the surprise celebration. The menu consisted of wieners, homebaked rolls, pickles, potato chips, cake and cocoa was served to thirty young people from Onida and Pierre, South Dakota.

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## At Methodist Church

The evening circle of the WSCS met in the parlor of the Methodist Church Monday night, April 19 at 7:30.

Study topic for the evening was "Within These Borders" with Mrs. Fred Byrd as program leader. Discussions were made on "Spanish but not from Spain," "Mexico in Texas" and "The Spanish Came First." Mrs. C. E. Blair reported on the kindergarten work along the border of the Rio Grande.

Next meeting will be May 3 at 7:30 in the church parlor. You are urged to attend this meeting.

## Cheri Chatham Has Birthday Party

Cheri Chatham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Chatham, celebrated her sixth birthday Friday morning at "Mother Goose" school which she attends.

Ice cream, angel food cake iced in pink and white, and orange juice were served to the following pupils who were present on that day, Jeanette Dodson, Tommy Joe Sherman, Mike Willis, Buck Smith, Charles Smith, Connie Reed, Billy Tom Hays, Gay Hancock, the honoree, Cheri Chatham, Mrs. Chatham and Mrs. Derrell Wood, teacher.

Favors of throw balls were given each child. Forty-seven cents in pennies was put in the birthday bank for the local park fund.

## Buffet Supper Held In W. C. Irons Home

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Irons were hosts for a buffet supper Saturday night at 7:00 o'clock.

The serving table was covered with a damask cloth and accented with an arrangement of iris flanked with white tapers in crystal holders.

Enjoying the hospitality were Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Casey, Mrs. Sid Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beedy went to Clovis, New Mexico, Tuesday to accompany her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Martin to Lockney for a visit in the Beedy home.

## Held Thursday

A training meeting for Living Room Leaders in Home Demonstration Clubs was held last Thursday afternoon. The first hour of the meeting was held in the Conference Room of the Oden Chevrolet Company where a movie, "The ABC's of Home Decorating" by Better Homes and Gardens was shown. W. C. Rodgers, County Agricultural Agent, showed the film which was delightful to see as well as being very informative.

After the movie the group went to the Lighthouse Electric Cooperative kitchen where a number of pieces of small household equipment were shown and their uses demonstrated by Miss Leila Petty, County Home Demonstration Agent. Mrs. Harry Morckel, Electrical Use Adviser for the Cooperative then showed the small and large pieces of electrical equipment in the kitchen. She fried doughnuts in the electric skillet and electric fryer which she served with iced tea to the group.

Leaders and demonstrators attending the meeting were Mmes. Shirley Race and Weldon Smith, Pleasant Valley; R. C. Ross and O. C. Vinton, Center; W. E. Grimes, Friendship; W. Earl Edwards, Jim Owens and Elvis Howell, Lakeview; Otho Sanders, South Plains; John Fowler, Starkey; E. O. Barrett and W. D. Nance, Lone Star; W. C. Sims, Sunnyside; E. L. Stapp and Calvin Tomme, Lockney; F. F. Fuqua, Homebuilders; H. F. Quebe, Providence; J. R. Turner and J. D. Franklin, Harmony.

## Canasta Party Held In Parrish Home

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parrish entertained members of the Pollyanna Club and their husbands with a canasta party Monday night.

Following the games refreshments of pie and coffee were served to Messrs. and Mmes. M. E. Shipp, Leon Wofford, Lester Carter, Bill Smith, Derrell Wood, Charlie Smith, Elmer Sandusky, and the hosts.

Next meeting of the club will be gift day and will be held Tuesday afternoon, May 11 at 2:30 with Mrs. Lester Carter, hostess.

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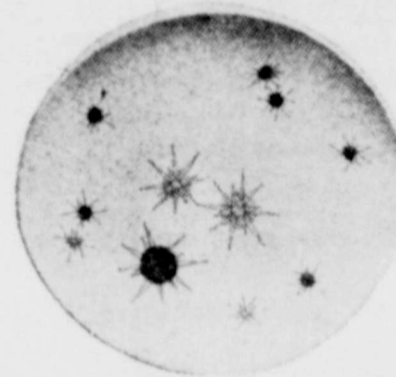
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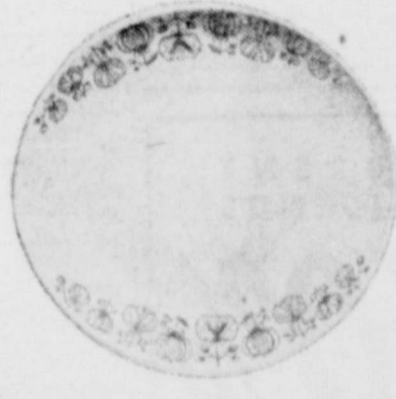
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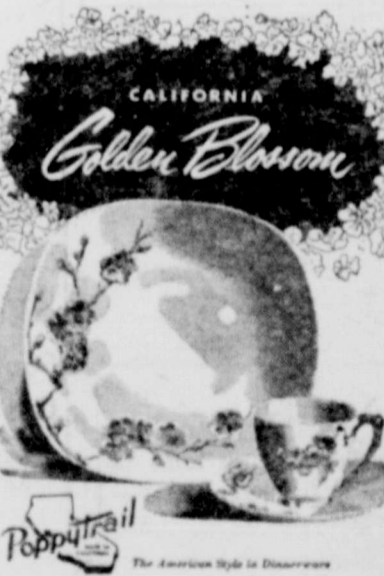
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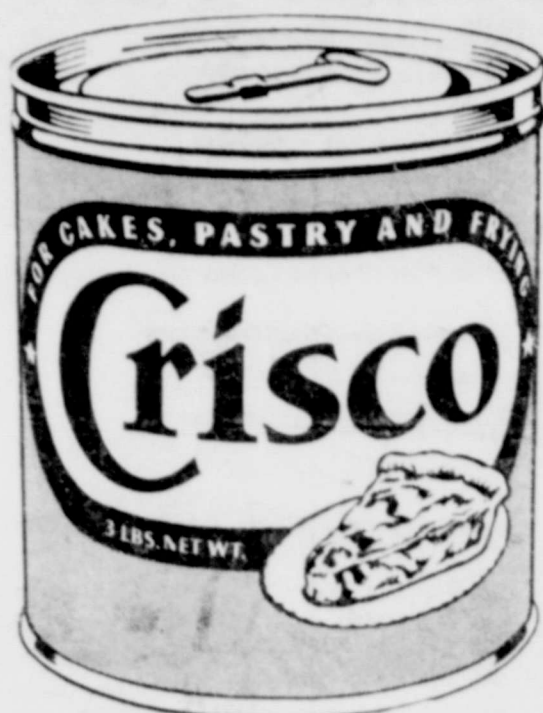
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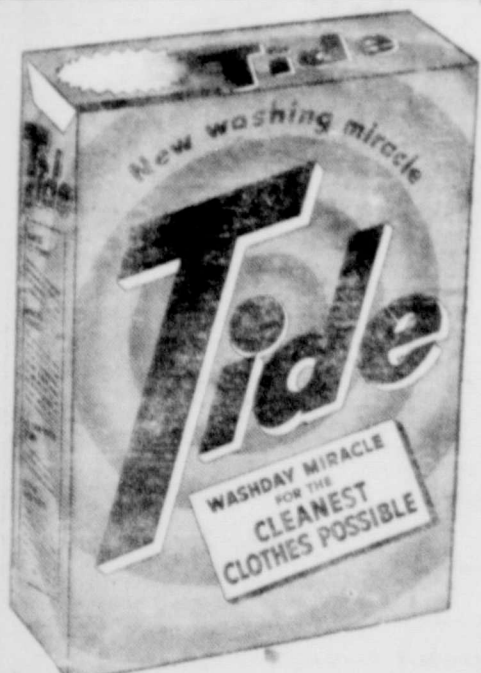
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