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MEMBER PANHANDLE  
PRESS ASSOCIATION

You know folks, it's a mighty grand feeling to come to a new place and be made to feel as welcome and "at home" as you all have made me feel. A great many of you have come in the office just for the purpose of saying "howdy, and we hope you like our town". Others whom I have met on the street and in the various places of business have extended a similar greeting. Honestly, I had forgotten that people could be so friendly. I have been living in a

place for the past three and a half years where I didn't even know my next door neighbor, so you can see what a thrill it is to be back with what I call "my kind of people". And don't think I don't appreciate every bit of courtesy and friendliness you all have extended to me—because I do. I just hope you will give me an opportunity to show you that I am equally as friendly.

Of course my coming will mean losing the Hahns and we are all going to miss them. They have played an important role in the life of this community for the past nine years. I might even go so far as to say that I know you're going to miss Roy's column. It was in a class all its own. Now I wouldn't attempt to try to give you as much "baloney" as he has, but I am going to try to give you something you'll keep reading.

As was stated in last week's paper, I was delayed in getting here from Washington to begin my work on the first of the month. Roy told you it was because I had trouble getting new tires. Well, that did enter in, but the real reason was that Mr. Truman asked me to stay a few extra days to help him with some important

matters, so who was I to refuse the President? (What did I say about "baloney"?)

By way of introduction I'll give you a few brief facts about myself. I was born and reared in the big city of Lockney just 32 miles southwest of here. I graduated from the Lockney High School and took my college work at TSCW at Denton where I received a degree in journalism. After graduating from college I was a 'school marm' in Floyd County for two years and in Lamb County for a year and a half. Just after Pearl Harbor I accepted a Civil Service position in Washington, D. C., later resigning to go into private industry with the International Business Machines Corporation, where I worked until I came here to take over the B. C. N., and believe you me it's good to be back in "God's Country." Well, that's my story—won't you come in and let me hear yours?

In this first edition under my editorship I guess I should write a lengthy article stating my policies, aims, and principles I intend to maintain while I'm in charge of the BCN. Frankly, I don't think that necessary. I'll simply say that I dedicate this paper to be an instrument in the building of a bigger and better town, always striving to promote good will, harmony and friendliness among the people it serves.

Of course, the war has retarded the growth of Silverton for the past few years just as it has that of practically every small town. It has taken the "cream of the crop" so to speak as far as the younger people are concerned, and no town can be what it should be without enthusiastic, wide-awake young citizens. Many of these will be returning before long and it's my guess that they'll be rolling up their sleeves getting ready to build up pressure for full speed ahead.

As yet my perspective of the needs, interests, and possibilities of this community are limited. However, one of the main topics I've heard discussed since I've been here is the Cooperative Hospital. This seems to be one of the most important needs of this territory and the people here realize that we need one. A minimum of five hundred interested families is required before much can

be done. Only twenty-five have indicated an interest by returning the blanks or making a personal appearance, Leo White said. Both Crosbyton and Hale Center have organized and are getting their plans into action. Surely Silverton can do as well.

As you noticed in the story on the front page, the National War Fund Campaign is sadly below its quota for the first two weeks of the drive. \$1617.00 for all of Briscoe County is not much to be expected for such a worthy cause.

The days of the OPA seem to be numbered as evidenced by the fact that the office is closing here October 18. Of course there will be some items that will need to be distributed by rationing for some time yet, but the majority

will soon be "gone with the wind"—and I'll bet there won't be a tear shed.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal are the parents of a baby girl born Monday, October 8, 1945 at the Tulia Hospital. She has been named Clena Fay.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brock were in Tulia Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Buckley and two children and Mrs. Berta McDonald of Amarillo visited with the Clay Fowler family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Martin, and Leon Martin and Mrs. Faye Dunn spent Friday in Amarillo. Mrs. Ray C. Bomar took care of the bank exchange while Faye was gone.

Mrs. L. D. Griffin and Miss Dorothy Roy McMurtry are in Austin and San Antonio this week.

Mrs. Bob Stevenson returned on Sunday from Bartlett where she has been visiting her sister.

Mrs. F. M. McCarty and baby girl have returned from the Tulia Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and Mrs. Durward Brown attended a

Beauty Demonstration at Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Steele were in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. T. L. Anderson has had a set-back and is still in the Plainview Sanitarium. Wednesday his condition was very serious and his children were at his bedside.

J. C. Fowler has been placed in Selected Service.



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**LOCAL NEWS**

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Mrs. Theron Crass entertained the Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. A. Dickerson spent last week end in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dickerson.

Mrs. Pearl Simpson returned Wednesday after visiting Mrs. Bill Shives at Tulla.

Mrs. Dick Bomar and Mrs. Anna Johnson left Sunday to visit their father at Cyril, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daniel and son Tom Daniel, visited Mr. and Mrs. Malcomb Daniel Sunday and Monday in Floydada.

Mrs. Jess Brannon, Mrs. Seymour Brannon and Mrs. George Neatherlin were in Amarillo on Monday and Tuesday.

Those attending the Fiomot foot ball game Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hill, Miss Doris Holt, Homer Gilkeyson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arnold, Milton Dudley, Winston Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Rampley, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Bailey, W. Coffee, Jr. Evelyn Coffee, Mrs. Jess Brannon, Mrs. Seymour Brannon, Dean Allard, Snooks Baird, Glen McWilliams, Curtis Bingham, Clyde Lightsey and Bryl Long.

Byrl Long returned Sunday at California after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lightsey here.

Mrs. Frances Christopher is now owner and manager of the Silverton Cafe.

Mr. Frank Havran of Sunray, was here on business the first of the week.

Mrs. Ware Fogerson returned on Thursday from Matador where she was confined to the hospital for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reid of Pecos, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reid and family; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson and family; Mr. and Mrs. Dee Reid, and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Shipman and girls spent Sunday with Mrs. W. W. Reid.

Jack Snowden of Lubbock was here over the week end with his mother, Mrs. John Montague.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Scott were in Plainview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Newberry and daughter Billy, and Mrs. Earl Rogers, all of Floydada, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Scott.

Mrs. Clarence Burson from Olympia, Washington, has been visiting her father, Mr. R. M. Hill and family.

**Dr. Cox Urges Better Breakfasts**

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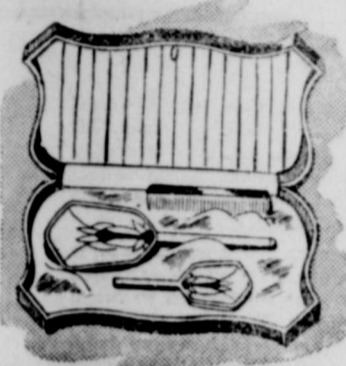
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other meals, an adequate breakfast is necessary to good health. Even during sleep normal body processes continue to burn fuel. Breakfast is needed to replace that fuel loss as well as to furnish energy for the morning's activities, according to Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"Eating no breakfast or a poor one results in irritability, fatigue and a mid-morning let down. A

mid-morning snack will satisfy hunger but furnishes little of the protective foods the body needs. It serves also to dull the appetite for the next meal," Dr. Cox warns.

"Too many individuals think of breakfast as coffee and a doughnut grabbed while dressing for work or school. It has become a compromise between reaching work and school on time and a desire to

catch that extra 'forty winks,'" Dr. Cox added.

An adequate breakfast furnishes one-fourth to one-third of the day's food requirements. Milk, fruit and whole-grain cereal, and bread makes a good simple breakfast easy to prepare and serve. In addition it is well to include frequently an egg, some type of breakfast meat and waffles or

pancakes. "Once we have taken time to plan and prepare a good breakfast, we also need time to relax and eat it properly," the Doctor added. "Only five or ten minutes more time is required to eat a good breakfast that can give added vigor for the day's activities as well as much to good general health and a cheerful disposition."

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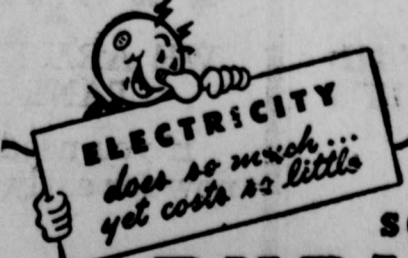
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Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Womack of Sweetwater were here Monday on business.

Mrs. W. E. Stodghill and boys were here from Amarillo one day last week visiting with the R. H. Stodghills.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wheelock and John Robert of Amarillo visited Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wheelock.

Miss Ida Griggs of Fort Worth is visiting Mrs. S. H. Crowe.

Miss Claynell Fowler, who is in college at Texas Tech, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Fowler.

Buck Hardin returned from Oklahoma City Tuesday, where he underwent an army physical examination.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bain spent Sunday in Tulla with Mrs. Bain's parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Crawford.

Mr. Elmer Vaughan was admitted to the Plainview Sanitarium Monday night for a series of X-ray examinations.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Howard had dinner Sunday with Mrs. V. L. Miller and Mrs. H. G. Finley.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bomar were visitors in Turkey on Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chester Strickland of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Strickland of Lubbock spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. C. M. Strickland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Montague spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Montague.

Mrs. Ben Bingham and Mrs. A. McDaniel spent Tuesday in Tulla. Claude Loudermilk and George Jones were in Amarillo Tuesday.

George Seaney and Arthur Arnold were in Amarillo Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Ware Fogerson and Mrs. Florence Fogerson took Ware to Clovis, N. M. Tuesday. He left there in the afternoon for Fort Ord, California.

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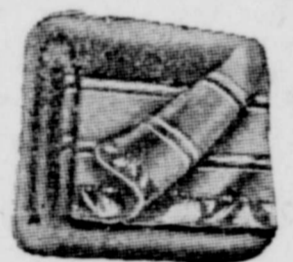
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