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Confidence is the companion
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REGIONAL ROUNDUP

By PAT FLYNN

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rized an architect to present
for its proposed Memorial
al, and will advertise for
soon.
ford's recent hail storm
an estimated loss of
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new canning plant officials
asked losers to replant in
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West Texas at the atomic
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oyon will vote June 1 on a
00 water and sewer bond
E. Johnson, prominent news-
man of West Texas, has
the staff of the Western
Service in Amarillo, as has
Ann Harper of Ohio.
J. A. Hill, prexy of West
State college, Canyon, de-
ed the commencement ad-
in Clayton, N. M., last week.
ck, Okla.'s, new bus depot is
t completed and there will
formal opening within the
few weeks.
Lean's Baptist church had a
of unknown origin last week
several thousands of dol-
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gins has voted to employ a
ame county agent and part-
county service officer.
mphis has employed an en-
er and has started a survey
termine possibilities of a city
plant.
Memphis horse ran into a car
week. The negro boy rider
ed a fractured leg, the wo-
car driver received slight
ons, and the horse died. The
de was smashed.
llington's Rodeo Assn. open-
summer activities last week
with a matched roping con-
and other arena events.
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again after passing up the
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ts are now required.
n's Lions are sponsoring a
theater for their city.
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superintendent of Wink
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th the Wink schools almost
as Johnson, succeeds as
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nstruct 11,086 miles of farm
arket roads.
uchah has organized a boys
for youngsters six to 16
of age.
ryton was extremely busy
week. The Jaycees have
ored a golf club; rodeo plans
completed for May 25-26;
Jerome Woods was named
al chairman of the Perryton
day celebration, Aug. 21-22,
first of its kind since World
II.
adian voters will hear plans
month for a new hospital
valued at \$175,000. The city
has purchased new water
to insure ample supply for
summer.
y Cowsett is the new attor-
ney for the city of Hereford,
sueing James W. Witherspoon.
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er celebration May 18
ght out a record attendance
oth parade and other high-
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at has raised a \$6,000 cham-
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new street lighting pro-
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s, has resigned and will be
eded by former principal
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ekney and Plainview's Den-
Alfalfa Milling Co. have
ed with the National Alfalfa
drying and Milling Co., it
been announced, but no local
e in personnel is anticipated
ding to district manager
e T. Wilson.
hart stages the 10th annual
reunion this year on June 22-
stepping up the dates from
August days.



"YOU'LL BE A knee-climber yet," Dr. W. A. Criswell tells chubby ten-month-old Jack Blake of Dodson, now undergoing club foot correction at the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children in Dallas. Dr. Criswell, successor to Dr. Geo. W. Truett as pastor of the First Baptist church of Dallas, was principal speaker at the hospital's ninth annual memorial services, May 26. The ceremony honored men and women of Texas who have bequeathed legacies to carry on the humane work of the hospital. The services were broadcast at 3:30 p. m., over radio station KGKO.

Little Rainfall During May

Unless rain is received Friday, May will come to a close with only .26 of an inch of moisture recorded for Silverton, according to Ray Bomar who has charge of the rain gauge here. This compares with .49 of an inch for May of 1945.
Despite talk concerning the current drouth, a check of Bomar's records revealed that more moisture has been received so far in 1946 than was received for the same period of time in 1945. A total of 4.16 inches have been received this year as compared with 2.07 inches in 1945. A recapitulation reveals the following, with 1945 listed first:

January	.62
February	.30
March	.23
April	.43
May	.49
Total	2.07

Figures for 1946

January	1.12
February	.66
March	1.49
April	.63
May	.26
Total	4.16

A total of 16.28 inches of rain was received here during 1945, Bomar stated.
Silverton's May rainfall was received early Tuesday morning, following a day of dust and gales. Reports from Turkey stated that from two to five inches of rain were received there Tuesday.



FLEET ADMIRAL CHESTER W. NIMITZ, USN, got the Silver Buffalo (which he wears around his neck) and some off-the-schedule hero worship, as Sea Scout Morton Agatsten, Clayton, St. Louis, Mo., stepped up to congratulate him following the presentation at the national convention of the Boy Scouts of America in St. Louis. Agatsten is a member of Sea Scout Ship 28, the Polaris. The Silver Buffalo received by the Chief of Naval Operations is Scouting's highest national award for services to boyhood.—Official U. S. Navy Photograph.

Garrison Seeks Post As Commissioner

Gabe Garrison this week authorized the Briscoe County News to announce his candidacy for the position of commissioner from precinct four subject to the Democratic primary in July.
Garrison stated, "I take this means of announcing myself as a candidate for commissioner of precinct four. I have lived in the county for more than 18 years and have been engaged in farming."
"I feel that I am qualified to fill this office," Garrison continued, "and if elected will strive to give the county an honest, efficient and economical administration."
"I will try to see each voter personally, but, if I should not, your vote and influence will be very much appreciated."

Endowment Quota Met in Hemphill

Hemphill county, way up near the top of the Panhandle, became the second county in the 18th district and the fifth in Texas to meet or top its quota toward the \$450,000 state-wide campaign of the Americanism Endowment Fund, it was announced in Austin this week.
Armstrong county had come through with its quota before the campaign—the opening of a \$15,000,000 national drive under the direction of the American Legion—opened officially May 20.
All 28 counties in the 18th district have been organized by James R. Moore, Amarillo radio station executive and recently-elected district commander of the American Legion, and reports of completed quotas are expected within a day or two from several of them.
The campaign organization in Hemphill county was under the co-chairmanship of H. S. Wilbur, president of the First National Bank of Canadian, and Billy Cavitt, commander of the American Legion post at Canadian.
The Americanism Endowment Fund is a trust fund administered by 21 trustees prominent in business and finance, organized labor, the professions and public life, which was set up to meet the tremendous responsibilities facing post-war America by means of a broad program of public welfare work and education in the duties and responsibilities laid upon every citizen by the constitution.
President Truman is honorary national chairman of the campaign. Gov. Coke R. Stevenson and the governors of 46 other states are honorary state chairmen of the campaign.

Announce Delegates To 4-H Encampment

The two girls and two boys who have been chosen to represent Texas 4-H Clubs at the National 4-H Club encampment in Washington, D. C., June 11-18, have been announced by Lorene Stevens and James W. Potts, 4-H club specialists for the Texas A. and M. college extension service. The winners are Eddie Virginia King, Howland, Lamar county; Lanellie Riedel, Buda, Travis county; Billie P. Hancock, Lakeview, Hall county, and Jackie Gene Brock, Floydada, Floyd county.
Usually an annual affair, the 1946 encampment will be the first to be held since 1941. Objectives of the camp are to help 4-H delegates study at first hand the work of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the other government departments, to gain a better understanding of the national government and the important part that can be played by each citizen, and to confer together regarding the development of a strong rural leadership and a richer and fuller life for all those living in the country.
The Texas boys and girls will be accompanied to Washington, by Miss Stevens and Mr. Potts, and the Texas and New Mexico groups will travel together by automobile.

Exercises Thursday For Eighth Grade

Promotion exercises for the Silverton grammar school were held last Thursday at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium.
The following program was arranged:
Processional, Mrs. C. C. Garrison; invocation, Rev. Earl Cantwell; salutatory, Donald Paige; prophecy, LaWanda Garvin; Neapolitan Dance Song by P. Tschakowsky, Beth Joiner and Betty Dickerson; class will, Teressa Crass; valedictory, Joan Clemmer; presentation of diplomas, R. E. Brookshier; recessional, Mrs. Garrison.
Members of the class were Donald Paige, president; Wayne McMurry, vice president; Betty Dickerson, secretary; Rex Montague, treasurer; Marian Arnold, Mona Brock, Don Brown, Elton Cantwell, Billy Wayne Chisum, Joan Clemmer, Teresa Crass, Carol Davis, LaWanda Garvin, Wayne Hamilton, Gene Hardin, Jim Hardin, Hershie Harrison, Flunoy Hutsell, Beth Joiner, W. C. Mercer, Frances Norris, Neva Joy Riethmeyer, Billy Ray Satterfield and Jo Ann Ziegler.
Class favorites were Beth Joiner and Wayne McMurry. Mrs. A. L. Redin was the teacher.

Bible School Closes On Friday Night

Closing exercises for the vacation Bible school, which has been held during the week by the First Baptist church, are scheduled for Friday night. The time is 8 o'clock in the Calvary Baptist church building.
Each department will present a five-minute program, according to Rev. G. A. Elrod, general superintendent of the school. Following the program, articles made during the week will be on display.
There were 87 children enrolled for the school Monday morning. The general public is invited to attend Friday night's program with a special invitation extended to parents of the children who have attended the school.

Air Show Set at Lubbock June 23

The Lubbock chapter of the National Aeronautics association will sponsor a three-point air show at the Lubbock municipal airport Sunday, June 23, beginning at 10 a. m.
The program will consist of a display of new models of private aircraft, a model airplane show and a flying exhibition by the Army air forces.
According to Virgil Musick, president of the Lubbock chapter of the NAA, all private aircraft manufacturers have been requested to have at least one type plane of the 1946 models at the show.
Rules for the model aircraft contest, featuring a \$25 prize, will be announced later. The Army flying exhibition is scheduled for 2 p. m.
The Lubbock chapter NAA is issuing invitations to all flyers in this section to fly into Lubbock that day for the show.

TECH GRADUATING CLASS PRESENTS BAND SHELL

A band shell will be the class gift to Texas Technological college, Lubbock, from the 1946 graduating class.
The shell, to be located southeast of the textile engineering building, will be made of stucco, eight feet high with an overhanging front which will extend out 12 feet. Construction will begin as soon as contracts are awarded.

Reminds Farmers of Practice Payments

Announcements of interest to farmers were made by Milton G. Martin, ACA official, this week.
May 31 is the final date for making application for dairy production payments for the months of January, February and March, 1946, Martin pointed out.
"In order for ranchers to receive payment for practices carried out in 1946, a grazing management plan must be filed in this office before May 31," Martin said.
Prior approval by the county committee is required before payments can be made on contour farming of intertilled crops. "This practice payment is 75 cents per acre," he stated, "so if you are planning to plant on the contour, it will be to your advantage to come by the office before you start planting."
Farmers were reminded that if they are planning to summer fallow land this year, prior approval must be obtained and the first cultivation must be completed before June 15. This practice payment is 75 cents per acre if chisled on the contour, or 50 cents per acre if plowed with a oneway.

Workers Wanted by Methodist Church

Responding to the call from the Methodist General Board of Education for 50 women who will work a year on subsistence basis in small church schools, the Rev. W. E. Hamilton, Lubbock, executive secretary of Christian education for the Northwest Texas conference of the Methodist church, is looking for one or two recruits for this service.
Persons qualified for this work will be given three months of training at Scarritt college and at general board headquarters in Nashville, Tenn., according to Hamilton.
During the training period (September-December, 1946) tuition, board and room, transportation to and from Nashville, and an allowance for personal incidentals will be paid by the division of the local church of the general board, which is sponsoring the project. Renumeration for the nine months work will be decided upon by the executive secretary and the worker before the training period begins, Hamilton said.
Applicants must be at least 24 years of age and must have had two years of college training.
Formerly known as the Church School Extension Corps, the Church School Extension service was begun in 1943 as a wartime emergency service to crowded industrial areas. Under its former name, the service trained 60 women who worked in practically all the large war industry centers of the country. Dr. W. McFerrin Stowe of the general board of education is director of the project.

Harvest Was Officially Opened Last Friday

Harvest in the Silverton area was officially opened last Friday when B. D. Tindall delivered the first load of wheat to the Farmer's Grain company elevator. His wheat tested 60. This first wheat brought \$1.77, as a five cents per bushel premium was paid on the first load.
Four or five carloads of wheat have been delivered to Silverton as this is being written. It is of the early black hull variety.
Production Varies
A large range is shown in production this year. Some farmers report that their average is going to be as low as four bushels to the acre, and some reports have already come in of wheat that is making 15 bushels. Most of the grain so far is extra high in moisture content, and it is expected that harvest will not get into full swing until the latter part of next week at the earliest.
All of the fields that have been cut so far are on dry land areas. No irrigated wheat has as yet been cut, since the irrigated wheat is somewhat later and has a possible chance of making a higher average per acre.
Both the Farmers Elevator and the Silverton Co-op have prepared their elevators to take care of the crop that is proving better than was predicted prior to the first harvesting.

McCarty Clarifies Views About School District Buses

In order to clarify the matter concerning ownership of buses for the Silverton schools, Supt. F. M. McCarty issued the following statement the first of this week before leaving for a trip to Colorado with the senior class:
"There seems to be some question as to who will own the buses that will be bought if the various districts vote the increased tax rate. It is my opinion that the best method of handling this problem is for a certain percent of the increased rate be set aside to meet payments on the buses in each district. If this is done, any buses bought will be in the name of the district that buys them. In view of the fact that the need for teachers salaries is so pressing, it would be best to use four years to pay the bus out. This might not be true in some cases where some of the districts have some money available to pay on them, but some of the increased rate will need to be applied toward teachers salaries since it is just as pressing a need now as it is new buses. Since the people in the common school districts are voting on themselves increased taxes, no one would oppose their having something concrete to show for the extra contribution. The buses will be that evidence.
"After all, the only thing I am asking for is means to provide a better school for the more than 4 hundred children who are to be served. The matter of title to buses is immaterial.
"It is also my idea that you will vote a tax 'not to exceed \$1.50.' Should it prove that in the future all of that amount is not needed, it can be reduced to the point where it will take care of the obligation. At the time this is done, Silverton Independent School district can and should reduce its valuations exactly the same percentage as the reduction in rate represents in the common school districts. That will mean that all will pay the same, or approximately so, toward the support of schools. Then no one can say that all are not paying the equal share toward schools.
"May I say that the spirit you people of the contract districts have shown thus far makes me feel very proud to be your superintendent. I know that the boys and girls will appreciate what you are doing to provide for them the type of school they deserve. After all, we are all one people. Why should we not work together for the common good?"

Quarter Horse Group To Attend Reunion

The American Quarter Horse association again accepted the invitation of officials of the Texas Cowboy Reunion to hold an "official" American Quarter Horse show at Stamford in connection with the rodeo on July 2, 3 and 4. It was announced this week.
John C. Burns, executive secretary of the American Quarter Horse association, and R. A. Brown, director of the organization met with officers of the Texas Cowboy Reunion to work out the prize list and other details of the show.
Burns said that in addition to the regular cash prizes offered, the association would offer, for the first time, a trophy to each of the first place winners of the open calf roping contest and the cutting horse contest, provided the stallion, mare or gelding winning the contest is registered in the stud book or registry of the American Quarter Horse association.
Roy Arledge, chairman of the quarter horse committee, mailed entry blanks and prize lists to breeders in the association this week. A record entry is expected from breeders over the nation.
Grand champion stallion of the 1945 show was "Star Deck" owned by A. I. Hunt of Tulsa. Grand champion mare was "Punkin" owned by Mrs. Helen Michaelis of El Paso.
"Wild Bill" Elliott, popular cowboy movie star is expected to attend the reunion again this year. Elliott is a quarter horse enthusiast, and last year purchased "Smokey" Waggoner from Carl Smith of Stamford.
Several entries have already been received, according to the chairman, and he reminds breeders that June 20 is the closing date for accepting entries.

Silverton Girl Is Honored at WTSC

Winona Francis of Silverton has been presented the Pi Omega award for being the most outstanding senior girl at West Texas State college, Canyon, in the class of 1946. Her name will be engraved on a plaque which contains the names of several previous winners.
Announcement of the award was made at the annual Senior Day program Thursday by Pauline Winstead, president of the Pi Omega sorority. Miss Francis is president of Delta Zeta Chi sorority. She is specializing in business administration.
IN ERROR
In reporting the teachers last week that were elected for next year, the News failed to include the name of Miss Anna Lee Anderson, who is principal of the grade school. Miss Anderson was one of the teachers re-elected, but her name was inadvertently left off the list printed in the News.
DUE HOME SOON
Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Dickenson have received a cablegram from their son, Gene, that he has arrived in Honolulu and was leaving on the USS Grasp for San Francisco. He expects to arrive home about June 1.

Pie Supper Friday

A pie supper will be held Friday night at 8 o'clock at the Francis schoolhouse, according to announcement made Tuesday.
Proceeds of the supper will go to the Girl Scout Council fund. The public is invited to attend the supper and support this cause. Earl Cantwell will be auctioneer.
HAHNS TO OREGON
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hahn and Collin left this week for Portland, Ore., where they have several papers to look over. The Hahns recently purchased a new 1946 Luxor trailer house which they are taking with them.
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bragg of Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Reid of Estelline visited Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Stevenson Sunday.

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He's Truly an American

"No man seeking re-election would do what President Truman did last Saturday." How many times have you heard these words spoken this week. It no doubt is true that Truman's action will have its effect in 1948, but since that is two years hence it seems rather early to make any predictions.

There is little doubt that our President acted according to the dictates of his own conscience, and in the manner that the great majority of the American people wanted him to act. As a man in sympathy with labor, we hated to see labor take a stand against the entire nation—against the government itself. President Truman waited action until the last minute in order to give them every chance to change their mind of their own accord.

We don't know what effect Truman's stand will have on his political future, but we do believe that he has improved his standing with the masses, and after all if we still live in the kind of America that our forefathers established for us, we have the right to select a man as president according to our own desires—giving the majority the rule. Time only can tell just how American President Truman's action really was.

Go To The Polls and Vote

We have no right to criticize our public servants unless we express ourselves at the polls in their selection. This is one place where "We, the people, speak." Particularly commendable is the following editorial by Dr. Clarence Poe, reprinted from The Progressive Farmer: "What state do you live in? No matter what state it is, there are one or more dates you should right now make note of and do something about."

(In Texas these dates are July 27 and August 24).
"What are these dates? They are the dates of our 1946 party primaries. The first date is that of the first primary; the second, the "run-off" date.

"No matter whether man or woman, if you are over 21 years old, make up your mind to be on hand and do some unbossed voting on these dates. Here in the South where one party is so largely in control, it is even more important to vote in the primaries than in the regular elections. Especially would I urge all farm women to be sure to vote in all primaries. Farm husbands and sons should insist on this. Organizations keep at work to get town and city women to vote. Unless farm women also vote, farm interests suffer.

"About every candidate for office here are three searching questions to ask: 'Is he a man of high moral character and honor? Is he a man of convictions—a man who stands for sound and progressive policies? Finally, has he the ability to fight or work effectively for the policies he believes in?' Let's score him."

Working on Sunday

Once to Horace Greeley a farmer wrote disputing Greeley's claim that Sunday should be observed as a day for worship and relaxation. To prove his point, the farmer set aside one field on his farm as a demonstration plot. He plowed, sowed, cultivated, and harvested the crop on that field only on Sundays and, upon measuring his returns, discovered that the yield was equal to a similar-size plot worked only on week days. He promptly wrote Mr. Greeley to say so. Mr. Greeley replied: "God does not settle all of his accounts in October."



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TRAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



Broom of light sweeping the lonely plains, the airplane beacon pulled night's black sheets from distance with a circling, unresting hand. A remote windmill was like a timid lady seeking her gown, then quickly hidden again in the darkness. Grazing cattle continued with their heads buried in the pursuit of tender grass, as the tongue of light licked their hides. The revolving blaze reflected on the little windows of an unpainted house, and for an instant they were massive diamonds left on the bureau of a careless king. Somewhere beyond the border of vision it is probable the jeweled eyes of coyotes watched the twirling lantern with the uncertainty of a soul advancing step at a time into eternity.

Unseen strength of the wind was pushing the speeding passenger train in its wake. Smoke from the engine hid half of it from view, like a dark woman with her hair blown over her face.

Darting out from the shore of darkness into the yellow river of light, a confused jack rabbit set four paws flat and skidded on the gravel to a few inches of the wheel's path. Frozen with fear, the animal was motionless for an instant as if debating the advantages of life and eternity while standing in one and looking at the other.

Fragrance of laughing leaves, like children freshly-washed and smelling of soap, rises from the narrow forest. Once barren, the landscape bears a dreamy enchantment since the trees reared their slender fingers skyward. Birds are singing in the swaying branches that filter sunlight across a plowed field. Sheltering the world from ugliness and the soil from abuse, the trees whisper to the heavens. They are the living dream of a man whose love for mankind remained after he is gone to conceive more sublime dreams in Valhalla. His monument is more enduring than cold stone, it is a part of men's hearts.

Blood runs from the fresh brand on the young calf's flank and there is a crimson stain across the snow-white face from the wound left by an iron spoon that gouged out the small horns. Two wide and innocent eyes stare at swinging sage-brush, teased by the wind. The huddled form shakes with pain; two deltas of dust-caked tears have dried in their course. The smoke of a branding fire has vanished and the irons are cold.

There are no dogs to yesterday; the river does not flow back to its source.

Terrell Sledge To Oppose Connally

Terrell Sledge of Kyle has announced his candidacy for the United States Senate subject to the action of the Democratic primary election in July and has paid the \$100 filing fee to the State Democratic executive committee.

Sledge, age 42, was born in Kyle, where his grandfather settled in the 1870s. He is a graduate of the University of Texas, class of 1925, and was selected as a Rhodes Scholar and attended Oxford University in England.

He has been a farmer-stockman since returning to his home town, Kyle (Hays county), in 1928 and has operated his own farm during all these years.

Sledge is a Methodist, member of the American Legion and a World War II veteran. He is married and the father of a young son. He served three and one-half years in the army, of which two years were in the foreign service, and since his return from the army, in addition to running his farm, has also edited a newspaper, The People's Business, which has distributed 200,000 copies over the state.

NAMED COUNSELOR

Berl Huffman, head basketball coach and assistant football coach at Texas Tech, Lubbock, has been named counselor for the annual Boys State, sponsored by the American Legion June 8-15 in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Northcutt, William McIntry and son of Tullia, and Mrs. Belvin Martin and son of Santa Fe, N. M., had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gilkeyson.

Mrs. F. M. McCarty, Anna Belle and Linda and Mrs. Tommie Wyrick left Sunday morning for Fort Worth where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gilkeyson, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gilkeyson and William McIntry and son, were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

D. O. Bomar and Miss Faye Tice of Lubbock spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Colston.

Do it now!
If the other fellows wait
Or postpone until it's late,
You hit up a faster gait—
Do it now!

Here's an item of Southwestern history:

Six men were hanged at one time in Fort Smith, Ark., by one springing of the trap door. All were convicted murderers and were condemned by the famous hanging judge, Judge Parker who presided over Federal Court, which had jurisdiction over Indian Territory, then the hideout of hundreds of criminals.

One of the six was found guilty of the murder of a 19-year-old boy, and a pair of boots led to conviction and execution. The father of the slain youth testified that his son and the defendant had left Texas together for Indian Territory and that sometime before the departure, he gave his son a pair of boots. At the same time, the father bought himself a pair exactly like those he gave to the boy. The heel on the son's left boot came off and he put it back on with three horseshoe nails.

The defendant was wearing in the courtroom a pair of boots just like those that the slain man's father had on. The left boot was removed from the prisoner's foot and in the heel were three horseshoe nails.
And so the pair of boots went the man to the gallows.

BOYCE HOUSE



Here's one of my grandmother's favorite poems—like so many worthwhile poems, the author is unknown. The title is "Do It Now."

If you've got a job to do,
Do it now!
If it's one you wish were through,
Do it now!
If you're sure the job's your own,
Don't hem and haw and groan.
Do it now!

Don't put off a bit of work,
Do it now!
It doesn't yap to shirk,
Do it now!
If you want to fill a place
And be useful to the race,
Do it now!

Don't linger by the way,
Do it now!
You'll lose if you delay.

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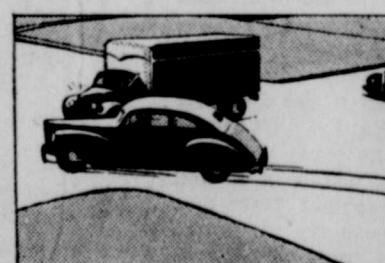
the "little" chances we all take, unthinkingly, every day. The little repairs we neglect to make! Yes, it's up to you. You can cut down America's accident rate simply by letting an accident happen to you!

Check on Yourself! HOW MANY CHANCES DO YOU TAKE EVERY DAY?



I let pedestrians watch out for me.
 I drive twice as carefully at night.

Do you forget how difficult it is to see a pedestrian at night? Are you unable to stop within your headlight vision? Then you may kill a man this year—for careless drivers strike down the most pedestrians during the first 3 hours of darkness. Do you want such tragedy?



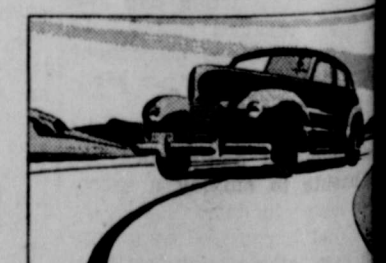
I'm stubborn about the right-of-way.
 I believe courtesy pays.

Do you try to bluff your way through intersections . . . take off like a P-38 . . . or beat another driver out of his "right-of-way"? You're playing against dangerous odds—15% of fatal accidents in cities involved failure to give right-of-way. Give in a little—your life is worth it!



I change tires on the road.
 I pull completely off the road.

When you change a tire do you pull only part way off the road . . . especially after dark? Do you risk blowouts . . . neglect needed repairs on your aging car? With the average car over eight years old, accidents involving defective equipment have more than doubled today! Why welcome trouble?



I drive in the middle of the road.
 I keep to the right at all times.

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Q. Do rabbits produce meat economically?

A. Yes. Three and one-half to four pounds of feed produces a pound of rabbit meat. The amount includes roughage.

Q. Can range sheepmen anticipate any great reduction of their overhead costs in the immediate future?

A. Unfortunately, the present condition of the industry does not produce any great reduction of overhead costs for range sheepmen. However, by increasing the efficiency of his operations, the range sheepman will be able to produce more wool and lambs without increasing his running costs.

Q. How does the birth weight of pigs correlate with the health vigor and livability of pigs farrowed?

A. Experience at the Ralston Purina Research farm proves that the birth weight of pigs is an excellent indication of vigor and livability. Of pigs weighing one and one-half pounds at birth, only 13 per cent were alive at weaning time. Of pigs weighing three pounds or more at birth, 77-85 per cent were weaned.

Q. Is the average size of turkeys marketed in the United States getting larger or smaller?

A. The size of turkeys marketed is steadily increasing. According to the United States Department of Agriculture, the average live weight of turkeys at market time was 14.5 pounds in 1935, and 17.4 pounds in 1945, an increase of almost three pounds.

Send your questions about any phase of farm management to FARM FACTS, 835 South Eighth Street, St. Louis 2, Missouri. Questions will be answered without charge, either by mail or in this column, as a service of this newspaper.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill and sons, Troy and Clovis, of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brown and son, James Roy, and Cecil Seaney of Dallas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney.

Mrs. Fred Lemons visited her mother, Mrs. Wylie Johnson, in Plainview this week.

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By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D., Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago (Released by Western Newspaper Union)

Lesson for June 2

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FRIENDS AT BETHANY

LESSON TEXT—Mark 14:3-9; Luke 10:38-42; John 11:1-3.
MEMORY SELECTION—Let us love one another: for love is of God.—1 John 4:7.

Friendship comes to those who are friendly. That response of heart to heart, which opens up the deep wells of mutual devotion, is one of life's richest experiences.

There is too little true friendship in the world because men and women have not learned of the Lord Jesus what it means to be a real friend.

There are mutual privileges and correspondingly mutual responsibilities in friendship. There are sorrows to share as well as joys, and there are times when there must be the outpouring of sacrificial devotion.

"There's not a friend like the lowly Jesus, no, not one!" is not just the sentiment of a hymn writer. There is no friend like the Lord. He, therefore, merits our fullest devotion.

There are three incidents in our lesson, all of which took place in Bethany, the little village near Jerusalem where our Lord had found real friends. He went there to rest, to pray, and to find companionship. These incidents reveal that

I. Love Gives All in Sacrificial Devotion (Mark 14:3-9)

A rather shocking thing took place in the home of Simon, Jesus, his distinguished guest, was at dinner with the disciples, when a woman walked in unannounced and anointed his head with costly spikenard ointment. The disciples were surprised, and led by the betrayer, Judas, who had his hands on and in the money bags, they protested such awful waste.

Think of it—the value of this ointment was 300 pence, the equivalent (we are told) of 500 days of work. That means in our day it would be worth from three to five thousand dollars.

She should have stopped to think! Some lesser gift would have shown her love, and this rich

gift could have been used for the poor!

Thus reasons the cool, calculating church member; but the believer with his heart full of love for the Master, gives without stint.

The Lord honored her gift, and accepted it as the anointing of his body for his coming death. He reminded them that they would always have the poor to care for, and he would soon be gone.

Love which never overflows in the abandonment of sacrifice for the one beloved is a cold and distant thing; in fact, one wonders if it really should be dignified by calling it love at all.

The Lord is looking for followers who are willing to give themselves freely and gladly to him, pouring out the lovely fragrance of a life fully yielded to him.

II. Love Shares the Fellowship of Joy (Luke 10:38-42)

The little home of Mary, Martha and Lazarus in Bethany was lighted up by the intangible but delightful glow which comes with a friend who honors one's home by his or her presence.

He had often been in this home. Here he found relaxation and comfort. Here he gave of himself in fellowship and blessing.

But there was a shadow over this visit. Martha, eager to have a good dinner, was "cumbered" in heart and soon became critical of Mary because she sat at Jesus' feet.

Do not assume that Mary had not done her share of the work. She had, but she "also sat at Jesus' feet." In other words, she knew when the time had come to quit fussing and to get some real fellowship out of the joy of having Jesus in the home.

We who love and serve the Lord need to watch lest we become so "cumbered with much serving" that we lose out spiritually. We can become so busy with church work, holding offices in religious organizations, yes, even with preaching and teaching, that we do not have time for personal fellowship with the Lord.

III. Love Bears the Burden of Sorrow (John 11:1-3)

The very home where joy was the portion one day, became the house of sickness, death and sorrow on another day. Life is like that—we may all expect that tragedy, sickness and trouble will come.

What then? Well, you will find that some of your professed friends will disappear. They are fair-weather companions. They have no taste for storms. Real friends will stand by, and what a treasure they prove to be!

But here again, the best friend of all is Jesus. When Lazarus was sick, "his sisters sent unto him." Send for Jesus in the hour of need! Oh, it is true that he did not come until Lazarus was dead, but he had a good reason for that, and in due time he came.

Judge and Mrs. C. D. Wright returned recently from Wilmington, N. C., where they spent several days visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Rampley attended a memorial service at Abilene last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Bomar were visitors in Lubbock Thursday and Friday.

Herman Gilkeyson arrived on Sunday from San Francisco for a short visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brooks plan to move to the Mrs. R. L. Campbell apartment.

What's Doing in the Churches

THE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. H. W. Barnett, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Service 11:00
Children's and Young People's
Meeting 7:00
Evening Service 7:30
WSCS every other Monday at 3:00

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST
Elder McFarland, Pastor
Bible study 10:00
Morning Service 11:00
Ladies Bible Class, Monday 3:30

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. G. A. Elrod, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Preaching 11:00
Training Union 7:30
Evening Preaching 8:30
W M U, Monday 2:30
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 8:00

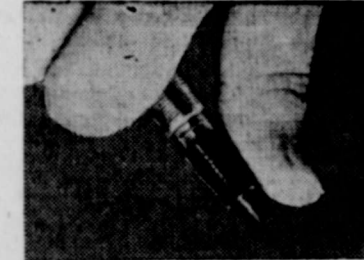
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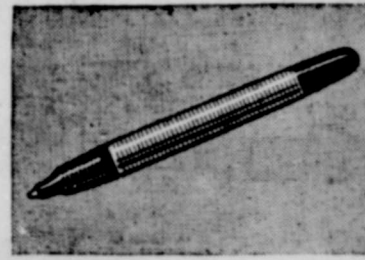
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Mon.	Acts	3
Tues.	Acts	4
Wed.	Acts	5:1-32
Thurs.	Acts	5:33-6:15
Fri.	Acts	7:1-43
Sat.	Acts	7:44-8:13

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During the 18 years between 1926-1944, Church membership in this country has increased 32.8%. During the same years, our population has grown 17.9%. Every Sunday School in America's 253,762 Churches now needs volunteer teachers to take over regular classes and form new groups who are anxious to learn from the Scriptures the simple, basic truths that will make for better living and better lives.

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Bee County Girl Gets Scholarship

Modest, versatile sixteen-year-old Georgene Mengers of Bee county, is the 1946-winner of the Maggie W. Barry scholarship offered annually to the top 4-H Club girl in Texas, Maurine Hearn, vice director for women and state home demonstration agent for the A. and M. college extension service, announced recently.

The cash scholarship is awarded by the state organization of home demonstration club women.

Georgene has been a 4-H Club member for seven years and during that time has served as president, secretary, and reporter of her club. In addition she has been demonstrator of approved methods of gardening, poultry work, bedroom and wardrobe improvement.

During the labor shortage of recent years, Georgene replaced the family hired hand who went to the army. She has helped with

the feeding of the livestock, building fences, planting, cultivating and harvesting a variety of field crops, as well as aiding with the family canning, baking, and laundry work. Of all the outside jobs, she says she prefers driving a tractor.

From a financial viewpoint, her most successful venture has been turkey production. Last year she raised 47 of a flock of 55, making \$160 profit, and this year she is in partnership with her mother in raising 100 baby beef type birds obtained from the experiment station at Beeville. Other sources of income have included making buttonholes at three cents a piece, raising pigs, and typing oil leases.

Under the supervision of three county home demonstration agents, first Blanche Crumpler, later Nell Foley and now Minnie Bell, Georgene has learned to do a variety of things such as refinish furniture, can scientifically, make a dress form, a candlewick bedspread, and her own clothes, and keep farm records.

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Veterans News

Q. May a wife, widow, child, or other dependent of a veteran be granted hospital care by the Veterans Administration?

A. No. The person must have served in the armed forces.

Q. If a veteran dies after discharge from service, may a burial allowance be awarded by the Veterans Administration?

A. When a veteran of any war, discharged or released from active service under conditions other than dishonorable, a veteran of any war in receipt of compensation or pension, or a veteran of other than wartime service discharged for disability incurred in line of duty or in receipt of pension for service-connected disability dies after discharge, the Veterans Administration may pay for burial and funeral expenses and transportation of the body to the place of burial, a sum not exceeding \$100.

Q. What veterans are entitled to special privileges under the homestead laws of the United States?

A. Any veteran who served not less than 90 days, and who was honorably discharged and makes a homestead entry, is entitled to have the term of his service in the armed forces, not exceeding 2 years, deducted from the 3 years' residence required under the homestead laws. Further information may be secured from the General Land Office, Department of Interior, Washington 25, D. C.

Q. May a veteran who has no service-connected disability be entitled to a pension?

A. A veteran may be paid a pension for a non-service-connected disease or injury only if the disability resulting therefrom is rated as permanent and total, and providing such condition is not due to the veteran's own willful misconduct. The veteran must have more than 90 days active military service terminated by a discharge under conditions other than dishonorable.

Q. Is there any restriction on the use of the money secured from a loan guaranteed by the Veterans Administration?

A. Yes. Funds secured from a loan may be used only to purchase, build, repair, alter, or improve a home or farm to be occupied by the veteran, or to purchase a business, business property, or equipment to be used by the veteran for the purpose of earning a livelihood.

Q. In an emergency, how can a veteran secure admission to a veterans hospital?

A. Before proceeding to a Veterans Administration Hospital, the veteran or someone acting for him should communicate with the nearest VA contact unit or hospital by telephone or telegraph, and request authority for admission and for transportation, if necessary. Prior authority is needed before a person can be reimbursed for any expenses incurred in such travel.

Q. Should a man who obtains National Service Life insurance from the Government while in the military or naval service retain such insurance after discharge?

A. By all means, because the premium rates are low in comparison with the rates of private insurance, especially in view of the valuable protection granted. After separation from active service, veterans cannot apply for new National Service Life insurance and the obtaining of new insurance with private companies will have to be accomplished at his present age for which rates would necessarily be higher. Furthermore, the addition medical examination which would be required for a new non-government policy might disclose some impaired health condition which would bar the granting of new insurance by the private company. If the veteran has let his National Service insurance lapse, he should seek its reinstatement at once.

More American lives were lost in motor vehicle accidents in 1945 than were lost during the past 75 years in 36 major disasters resulting from fire, flood, storm, earthquake and explosion, the National Safety Council reports.

Prior to the war, 1,310,000 people were employed in automotive sales and servicing activities within the United States. This is over three times the number who held factory jobs in automobile plants.

On the basis of 10 years experience, Kansas State Board of Health records show that machinery, excluding motor vehicles, was involved in 30 per cent of all farm fatalities.

NORTH WARD

Peewee Albright and Lucille McCall of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Beavers Saturday morning.

Mrs. Lucille Stodghill and girls and Mrs. Roddy Griffith and sons of Munday and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Groce and daughter of Kansas City, Mo., visited Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stodghill and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chitty Thursday night and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arnold and sons made a business trip to Amarillo Friday.

Those visiting in the M. W. Hartman home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hartman and son and Mr. and Mrs. Wren Hartman of Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ledbetter and son of Amarillo visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Irving McJimsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving McJimsey and children and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ledbetter visited in the M. W. Hartman home Sunday.

Mrs. Roddy Griffith spent Thursday night with Mrs. Virgil Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood and Keith visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Allard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Stodghill made a business trip to Tulla on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Hamilton

had as their dinner guests Sunday Rev. and Mrs. McFarland of Ralls.

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Holcomb visited Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Olive Sunday.

Mrs. Herbert Brown visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Winston Hamilton Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Arthur Arnold took two

of her children to the dentist of Tulla Monday.

Mrs. C. C. Garrison left Saturday for Gainesville to visit her daughter and family, Rev. Mrs. Orville Richardson, Sarah.

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and Mrs. Virgil Teever of
view was in Silvertown on
Wednesday.

Ms. Ruth Cline of Holiday,
is visiting friends here.

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**Co-Hostesses for
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The North Ward quilting club
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Mrs. Roy Stodghill, Jr., Wednes-
day, May 29.

Three quilts were completed
and a tasty luncheon was served
at the noon hour.

The club has quilted 39 quilts
since the first of March.

Members present were Mes-
dames Arthur Arnold, Floyd
Wood, Herbert Brown, M. M. Ed-
wards, Troy Cox, Bill Edwards,
M. W. Hartman, Herman Ely,
G. J. Neatherlin and Winston
Hamilton.

Visitors were Mesdames Hugh
Stodghill, M. C. Hardin, T. G.
Olive and J. W. Copeland. Dinner
guests were Mrs. J. S. Fisher,
Mrs. Richard Hill and Miss Ruby
Jo Neatherlin.

This was the last meeting of
the group until fall.

**Name Ruby Weast
As Queen of Beta**

Ruby Weast of Silvertown was
chosen Beta Queen of 1946 by
Epsilon Beta, a campus fraternity
at West Texas State college, Can-
yon. She was crowned by the
president, Frank Barrett of Here-
ford at the annual spring presen-
tation dance held in Cousins Hall
ballroom recently.

Miss Weast, a junior, is presi-
dent of Gamma Phi, a campus
sorority and with her twin sister,
Opal, does a tumbling act with the
College Variety show.



A JURY OF NATIONALLY-KNOWN men voted the white
shantung straw with gold ribbon trim, shown above, the outstand-
ing hat of the month. Serving on the jury for Cosmopolitan's
male-tested fashions were Robert Carson, noted writer; Bonnett
Cerf, famous literary figure; Zachary Scott, motion picture star;
Tod Draz, well known illustrator, and Raymond Loewy, designer.

**Quick Bread for
Breakfast Is Easy**

Many housewives these days
are faced with the problem of
making a quick bread for break-
fast when they are unable to buy
bread for the usual toast. Edith
Lawrence, specialist in food pre-
paration for the A. and M. col-
lege extension service, says that
hot biscuits or muffins can be
prepared with almost as little ef-
fort as toast if one learns the se-
cret.

A biscuit mix that can be
stored in the refrigerator and
quickly made into biscuit or muf-
fins is Miss Lawrence's answer.
The recipe is: 12 cups sifted flour,
1-3 cup double-acting baking
powder, 4 teaspoons salt, and 1 to
1 1/2 cups fat. Sift flour and mea-
sure. Add baking powder and salt
and sift the three together. Cut
in fat until mixture has a fine
even crumb. Place in a closed
container and keep in a cool
place, refrigerator preferred.

For roll biscuit, combine about
2-3 cup milk (enough to make a
soft dough) with 2 cups of mix.
Turn out on slightly floured
board. Knead very lightly about
18 strokes. Roll to 1/2 inch
thickness, cut with biscuit cutter
first dipped in flour, place on
baking sheet either ungreased or
only slightly so, and bake in hot
oven (450 to 485 degrees F.) for
about 12 minutes.

For drop biscuits: Combine
about 3/4 cup milk (enough to
make a little softer dough than
above) with 2 cups of mix. Mix
lightly. Drip from a spoon about
an inch apart on baking sheet.
Bake as for roll biscuit.

For muffins: Combine 1 slight-
ly beaten egg, 1 cup milk and 2
tablespoons sugar. Add to 2 cups
biscuit mix and stir only until
dry ingredients are moist. Fill
well-greased muffin tins about
2-3 full. Bake in hot oven (400 to
425 F.) about 20 minutes.

This recipe makes about one
gallon of mix which will keep in
the refrigerator at least a month.
Whole wheat flour may be sub-
stituted for white flour.

*Fashion Frock
of the Week*



AN ABLE GRABLE recognizes
dream bait when she sees it. A
smooth junior is fashion-wise,
that is. She picks a dress with the
stagline of the younger set
in mind. A strictly devastating
smoothie, like this Fashion
Frock of the Week, for instance.
All the lilt of a field of dancing
daisies has been captured in the
eyelet embroidery yoke and
midriff that gives a come-hither
charm to this Sweet Teen heart-
beat. The brief sleeves are
hardly sleeves at all but a de-
lightful extension of the should-
ers. And the skirt swings out
from a wide midriff of exquisite
eyelet embroidery.

**POLITICAL—
COLUMN**

Subject to the action of the
Democratic primaries, The Briscoe
County News announces the candi-
dates below for the offices set
above their respective names:

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GABE GARRISON

**Ethelyn Bailey Is
Bride of Lloyd May**

Announcement is being made of
the marriage of Miss Ethelyn
Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
J. H. Bailey of Quitaque, to Lloyd
A. May, son of Mrs. J. H. May of
Silvertown. Vows were exchanged
Thursday evening, May 9, at the
Methodist parsonage in Quitaque.
Rev. E. B. Thompson, pastor, of-
ficiated.

The bride wore an aqua suit
with black accessories, comple-
mented by a corsage of talisman
roses.

A graduate of Quitaque high
school, the bride attended WTSC
at Canyon. She is a graduate of
a Lubbock beauty school and was
employed at Lubbock until her
marriage.

Mr. May recently returned from
18 months overseas' service with
an infantry unit in Germany. He
is a graduate of Silvertown high
school.

Mr. and Mrs. May are at home
on their farm near Silvertown.

Honored at Shower

As a post-nuptial courtesy, Mrs.
J. T. Persons entertained with a
shower in her home at Quitaque
last Tuesday for Mrs. May. Mes-
dames Hood Wise, Eula Morris,
Jim Stell, Jim Partin and Jake
Merrell assisted Mrs. Persons.

Spring flowers were used in
the reception rooms. The tea table
was attractive with an arrange-
ment of flowers and candles.

Mrs. Merrell presided at the
guest book.

Misses Jean Thompson, Billie
Rae Hutcheson and Margaret
Owens presented a vocal number
accompanied by Mrs. Thomp-
son. Accordion numbers were
played by Patsy Stark, and Nor-
ma Jean Persons entertained with
piano selections. Readings were
given by Miss LaJuan Stell, and
piano numbers were played by
Mrs. C. E. Bedwell.

Out-of-town guests included
the groom's mother, Mrs. J. H.
May, his sisters, Misses Frances
and Virginia May, and Mrs. Elmer
May, all of Silvertown.

Mrs. Albert Rowland and Mrs.
Oscar McGavock were in Lub-
bock the first of this week to be
with their father, W. W. Yancy,
who is very ill.

AUXILIARY ENDS YEAR

The Presbyterian Auxiliary
closed its year's work with a
covered dish luncheon at the
home of Mrs. True Burson Mon-
day of this week.

Those present were Mesdames
Gordon Alexander, True Burson,
Tony Burson, O. T. Bundy, Bob
Dickenson, Dean Allard, Roy
Mayfield, D. T. Northcutt, Perry
Thomas, Sr., Kemp Thompson,
Fred Lemons and Deb Wulfman.

James L. Allred is on a vaca-
tion from the Amarillo Times,
due to the newsprint shortage. He
arrived here Wednesday night for
a visit with his sister, Mrs. Judd
Donnell, and friends.



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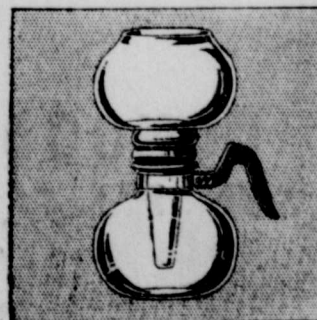
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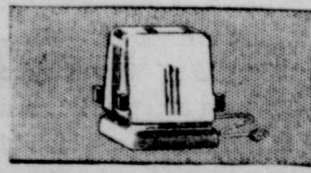
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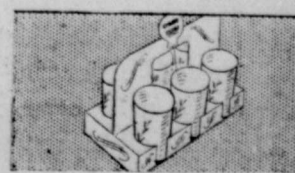
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Council Launches Campaign To Raise Accident Funds

The National Safety council and local safety organizations throughout the nation will launch a fund-raising campaign during the month of June to enlist public support of the nationwide accident prevention program. Campaign emblem will be the Green Cross.

The Green Cross for Safety campaign marks the first time in the 33-year history of the council that the organization has gone directly to the public for funds. The step was taken, according to council officials, because of the alarming increase in accidents which are killing nearly 100,000 Americans annually, including 20,000 children.

The National Safety council will conduct the campaign in Chicago, its headquarters city, while local and state safety groups will carry the program into other sections of the country.

Ned H. Dearborn, president of the Council, pointed out that during the war, deaths and injuries from accidents on the home front exceeded battle casualties among the American forces.

"The time has come for all Americans to lend their support to the accident prevention movement. Up to this time, private industry and organizations have borne the financial brunt of the movement. But accidental deaths and injuries are increasing at such an alarming rate that it will take national public support to stop this rising tide.

"The popular campaign for funds is designed to promote two important goals. By having the men, women and children of the country contribute funds, it will make them active participants in a program which they have accepted all too passively before. And by making the Green Cross an ever-visible reminder of possible carelessness, the campaign will cut down the number and severity of accidents.

"Funds from this campaign will be used on a local, state and national program to eliminate accident hazards on the farm, in the home, in the factory or office, in the school and on the teeming streets and highways of the na-



MRS. MARGUERITE DU MARS, 24, of Denver, Colo., and her husband, Arthur, offered for adoption two of three 14-month-old triplets, because they cannot adequately care for them. Shown with mother, in bed with hysteria, are babies Ardith, Evalie and Marilyn. A fourth daughter, Charlene, stands behind her mother.

tion, and to make the public aware of the hazards.

"Leaders in the national accident prevention movement know from experience in certain fields that accidents don't just happen—they are caused. Only through better and more widespread knowledge can we, as a nation, hope to cut this national accident toll."

Mr. Dearborn pointed out that thousands of dollars are given each year to lessen disease among children, yet accidents are the No. 1 cause of death to children between 1 and 14 years of age.

Earl and Buster Allard left Wednesday for their home in Oakland, Calif. They were accompanied by their mother, Mrs. W. Allard, and C. L. Dunn, who will make an indefinite visit.

Mrs. O. T. Bundy, Mrs. Virgil Ballard and daughters, Joni Jo and Betty Lu, spent Wednesday in Lubbock with Mrs. Clarence Mast.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Anderson of Texhoma visited friends here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Festus Elrod were Plainview visitors Saturday.

Health Officer Urges House Cleaning

A good old fashioned spring house cleaning in every city and community in Texas would do a great deal toward furthering good health in this state, according to Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, who said in Austin this week. "From a practical standpoint the old adage that 'cleanliness is next to Godliness' is still well worth emphasizing."

A general clean-up program of state-wide proportions with the objective of bettering health conditions for our citizenship should include surface cleaning, drainage, the graveling of streets and alleys, the cleaning of all parks and playgrounds and the clearing of weeds and rubbish off of vacant lots.

"The destruction of mosquito breeding places and rat harborage, the proper disposal of garbage and trash and the general cleaning up of all premises will be," said Dr. Cox, "of inestimable value in helping to keep down summer health hazards such as dysentery, typhoid and poliomyelitis. Good community housekeeping and ordinary sanitary measures require the prompt removal of all waste matter in and around yards and homes in order to abate the danger of such diseases, and insure good health protection throughout the state."

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that many dangerous diseases are filth-borne, and the only possible way to control them is to eliminate the insanitary conditions responsible for their spread.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Bomar as their Sunday dinner guests. Mr. and Mrs. Olen Dick of Clarendon, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Leo Combs of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Burlis Bomar.

Mrs. Edd Erown spent Tuesday of last week until Saturday with her son, Jack, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Erown are leaving soon to make their home in California.

Mrs. L. W. Kiker of Plainview spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. O. T. Bundy.

Mary Tom Bomar is expected home Thursday from Childress where she has been visiting.

Mrs. Clay Fowler and Mrs. Clifford Allard took Clayne Spur Sunday afternoon.

Better Fence Posts From New Method

Farmers and ranchers should experiment with the sap-stream method of treating fresh-cut saplings, says C. W. Simmons, farm forester for the A. and M. college extension service. The process is inexpensive to use and is very little trouble.

This method consists of soaking the cut end of the saplings in a chemical solution for one or more days, depending on the amount of sunshine. A few branches must be left at the top to help pull the chemical up the sap stream of the wood.

Best results are achieved by giving the treatment on bright sunny days in spring and summer when the sap flows fastest. Hardwood should be treated only from spring to late summer, but pines and cedar can be treated any time except during freezing weather.

The chemical solution should contain either chromated zinc chloride or borax-boric acid. Although the latter solution is still somewhat in the experimental stage and needs to be tried with different species, it has proved to be less expensive and safer to use, Simmons says.

The borax-boric acid must be dissolved by heating to 110 to 125 degrees Fahrenheit in equal quantities—three-fourths pound of each to one gallon of water, or about a 15 per cent solution. The two boron chemicals dissolved together will remain soluble in temperature as low as 50 degrees Fahrenheit. After treatment the ground end of the sapling should be peeled and dried for about a week, then soaked in a 2 1/2 per cent solution of pentachlorophenol for two or three days. One-half gallon of water-soluble preservative should be absorbed per post and about one pint to a quart of pentachlorophenol oil preservative.

This combination will not exceed much more than five cents for total cost of preservatives per post. Expected life service for average small line posts is 10 to 15 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Haynes and Shirley were in Tulia Monday on business.

Lee Bomar and Patsy transacted business in Floydada Saturday.

Miss Blanche Thompson is visiting relatives here this week.



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Young Showmen To Receive Priority

School-age exhibitors of livestock will be kings of the show for the first four days of the State of Texas to be held in Dallas Oct. 5-20, with all barns and placed at the disposal of Future Farmer and other helpful showmen.

L. Thornton, president of State Fair association, announced this week that the junior stock show will be held Oct. 5-20 with the senior division following on the ninth. He stated this was a new, streamlined procedure that would make more room in the arenas for exhibitors of both groups. Also, he pointed out this shortened exhibiting would enable boys and girls to return to school with a minimum of time lost.

ing to Ray Wilson, chairman of the junior farm and ranch committee that is planning the younger-aged exhibits, that boys and girls have had all facilities turned over to them to house and show their livestock.

Plans call for the judging of animals entered in the junior division to be completed by noon of the fourth day. During the afternoon of the same day the livestock will be marketed and the exhibitors will be free to return to schools or to follow a program of their own making.

Roy Rupard, fair secretary, stated that the premium list and instructions would be ready for distribution about July 1.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bomar and Carl Dean and Mary Tom and Mrs. Emma Frieze spent Sunday in Childress with Dr. and Mrs. W. L. McClendon.

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Quarter Horse Is Bought by Tech

Initial step in the establishment of a stud of quarter horses was made at Texas Technological college, Lubbock, recently. The department of animal husbandry at Tech purchased Sir Chubby, two-year-old stallion, at a recent auction in Plainview.

Sir Chubby is a registered quarter horse having for his sire, Chubby, a stallion owned by the Hooper estate of Plainview, who is famous as a sire of outstanding quarter horses. Sir Chubby's dam, Madame Waggoner, a registered mare, was bred by the W. T. Waggoner estate of Vernon. Two foundation quarter horse families appear in Sir Chubby's pedigree. Through his sire, he traces to Peter McCue and through his dam to Joe Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. McDaniel had as their guests Sunday Mrs. Wilbur Wilson and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Tom McDaniels of Plainview.

Mesdames Earl Brock, A. A. Arnold and Pearl Simpson and Misses LaNelle Copeland and Mona Brock were Tulia visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Alexander spent Friday in Hereford with Mr. and Mrs. Dane Alexander.

Misses Arlene and Gean Brian of Sudan were weekend guests of Fayree McMinn.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt and Pat were visitors in Tulia on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Brown visited relatives here Sunday.

George Bishop and Tommie Wyrick spent several days last week in Amarillo attending a FSA meeting.

Mrs. Mary Porter left Saturday for Amarillo where she will visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Newman and Mr. and Mrs. N. R. McDaniels were Tulia visitors Friday.

Mrs. George Jones and Billy spent from Thursday until Saturday with her mother, Mrs. T. D. Wallace, of Childress.

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Texas Tech Lists Graduation Plans

The twentieth annual graduation exercises are to be held by Texas Technological college, Lubbock, June 3. Degrees will be conferred on 190 students, including five candidates for master's degrees.

Congressman George Mahon, representing the 19th Congressional district of Texas, will make the commencement address. Rev. Kenneth R. Hemphill, pastor of the First Methodist church of McAllen and a Tech graduate, will preach the baccalaureate sermon.

Baccalaureate exercises will be held Sunday night, June 2, at 8 p. m. Both baccalaureate and commencement programs will be held in the football stadium, weather permitting.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brock, Bobby and Mona spent the weekend in Lubbock and Tahoka.

Sees Increase in Security Numbers

Beginning of the summer vacation for school children will cause an increase in the number of applications for social security account numbers, according to a statement of J. R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo office. Sanderson recommends to students who have never had a card, or who have lost their original card, to not apply for a card unless it is actually needed. Sanderson says he is sure to ask for a duplicate card if the original card has been lost, as each person should have only one number for his whole working life; and, finally, be sure to show the card to each employer for whom you work, so he can copy down for his records your name and number exactly as they appear on the card.

In the Texas Panhandle area, applications for cards should be mailed or brought to the social security board field office, 324 New Post Office building in Amarillo.

5,000 WING SCOUTS

The Wing Scouts, a division of the Girl Scout movement now has more than 5,000 members who want to prepare for future jobs in aviation or to fly their own planes.

Mrs. Leldon Gilkeyson spent from Wednesday until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gilkeyson.

Mrs. Edd Brown was an Amarillo visitor Saturday.

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VIGO PARK NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Rogers left Wednesday, May 23, on a vacation trip to New Mexico.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Hamer Redus have been very ill the past week with tonsillitis. Their condition is reported improving.

For the past few weeks Mrs. Floyd Latham has been suffering with arthritis. She is improved at this time.

W. L. Pevehouse spent the weekend in Happy visiting his daughter, Mrs. Wayne Bowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Tigpin and children of Littlefield visited last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. May. Mrs. Tigpin is a niece of the Mays.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Isbell and daughter, Charlene, have gone to New Mexico where Mr. Isbell is employed by the Skonsen construction company. He is now on a job near Lamey. Their son, Glen, did not go with them but is staying with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Gregg, of Silverton.

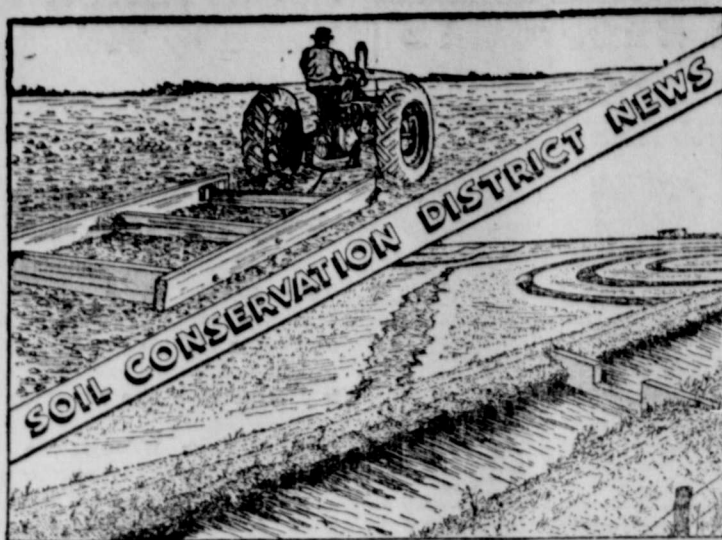
Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Bowling of Bloomfield, Ia., are visiting in the home of Mrs. Bowling's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. May.

There were no services at the Vigo Park church Sunday night, as all who could met and journeyed to Happy on the school bus for the baccalaureate services.

Mrs. John N. Merriman and Maxine spent the weekend in Amarillo where Mrs. Merriman attended the state convention of the Business and Professional Women's clubs. Maxine visited with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Fischer of Saylorburg, Pa., arrived recently for a two-weeks visit with their son, Thomas Parry, and family.

United States' 1945 food production was 33 per cent above the pre-war average while world food production was 12 per cent per capita below pre-war figures.



SUPERVISORS FOR CAP ROCK DISTRICT—Earl I. Cantwell, Chairman, Louie Kitchens, Obra Watson, Pierce White and Bray Cook.

Leonard Matthews, a cooperator of the Rock Creek group, constructed four miles of terraces on his farm. Terraces were constructed by two row farm tractor with 28-inch disc attachment which he uses for all other tillage operations. Setliff stated the terraces constructed with this equipment are easier to work and have a smaller bar-ditch left on either side than terraces constructed with heavy equipment and that an effective height and width may be maintained from year to year with little expense.

Hubert Setliff, cooperator of the Gasoline conservation group, constructed four miles of terraces on his farm. Terraces were constructed by two row farm tractor with 28-inch disc attachment which he uses for all other tillage operations. Setliff stated the terraces constructed with this equipment are easier to work and have a smaller bar-ditch left on either side than terraces constructed with heavy equipment and that an effective height and width may be maintained from year to year with little expense.

Terraces constructed by Pierce White, G. C. Thomas and J. N. Partin of the White conservation group were checked for completion by SCS engineers assisting the supervisors of the Cap Rock Soil Conservation district.

Ed Vaughn, Elbert Stephen, H. R. Stephens and Eural Vaughn, cooperators of the Cap Rock SCS district, attended the field inspection and tour of improved pasture mixtures sponsored by the supervisors of the Floyd County conservation district at Lockney on Friday afternoon.



WILLIAM DOUBLE, 3, (above) was given a fighting chance to win his battle against double pneumonia and empyema after he had received 250,000 units of the newest "miracle drug", streptomycin. The boy, son of former State Assemblyman William F. Double, a Milwaukee attorney, received the streptomycin through the efforts of the Milwaukee Sentinel and other newspapers, which obtained a release from the Civilian Production Administration. The drug was located at the Abbott laboratories in Chicago.

The value of property destroyed by fire in 1945 was \$455,000,000, or 7 per cent more than in 1944, according to the National Safety council.

The hens of the United States require about 320,000 tons of calcium a year to put shells on the eggs they lay.

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FOR SALE—Regular Farmall tractor, new rubber on back; motor in A-1 shape.—See A. O. NORRIS. 2-tp

LOST—Salutatorian's award on Saturday afternoon. Finder return to Betty Burson. 22-1tp

FOR SALE—Four-room house; six-room house; five-room house; also 640 acres, improved, watered, \$67.50 per acre; 320-acre, good wells, \$60.—ROY TEETER

LOST—A breastpin, gold bar about two inches in length, with white Cameo in the center of pin. If found, will you please return to Gertrude Arnold, and I will be glad to pay reward.—GERTRUDE ARNOLD. 22-2tp

FOR SALE—Divan and chair in good condition.—MRS. EDWIN DAVIS. 22-1tc

FOR SALE—F-20 Farmall, 1937 model, in good condition; angel one-way, 13-disc plow; 8-ft. tandem disc; one 3-section and one 2-section harrow; one International drill, 16-hole; 2-row slide go-devil; feed mill and motor, on chassis; Jamesway brooder, 500-chick capacity, used one year; 55-gallon gasoline barrels.—See MRS. RUTH C. WATLEY 21-2tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Rock Creek Store and station on paved Highway 86, 20 miles east of Tullia, 8 miles west of Silverton. Concrete block store building with fixtures, 20x44 ft.; concrete driveways, modern living quarters with nice bath; large Butane gas system; 4,000 gallon water storage tank, 24 ft. high; four-inch well; 21 block ice vault; 12x18 warehouse; 10x18 garage; two rest rooms; 12x14 chicken brooder house; cow shed and hog lot; plenty of garden space; 30 large shade trees; 2 acres of land. Best place of its kind in the country. Will give possession, 8-ft. oneway plow to sell separately.—See J. C. JOHNSON at the store. 21-2tp

CUSTOM PLOWING—Can plow 250 acres per day. All new plows.—D. W. WALLACE, Seymour Hotel, Seymour, Texas. 21-4tp

WANTED—Good, clean cotton rags that can be used for washing type, presses, etc. No sox and scraps can be accepted. Will pay 10c per pound.—THE NEWS.

HELP WANTED—See Mrs. Fowler at SILVERTON HOTEL tfe

FOR SALE—One section land, one-half in cultivation. Located in northwest Briscoe county.—See W. J. HYATT, Vigo Park. 2tp

FOR SALE—Automatic electric pump with pressure tank, Myers, pre-war. Not used a great deal. Not recommended for more than 80 feet of depth. Will sell with or without pipe. Uses 1 1/4 and 1 1/2 in. pipe, 3/4 horse electric motor.—See J. E. ARNOLD.

NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF SILVERTON

In order to have your trash moved, have all tin cans and bottles smashed and broken. Pile in alley or convenient place to be hauled off by sanitary man. Let's all cooperate. 2-tp

FOR SALE—Beauty shop fixtures and equipment. Will be sold only as one unit.—Call, write or see BALLARD DRUG CO. 20-tfc

Donations Continue To Cemetery Fund

- Mrs. W. A. Dickerson \$3.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Watson 5.00
Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Northcutt 5.00
Mrs. M. P. Stone 1.00
Mr. and Mrs. Dee McWilliams 1.00
Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Smith 1.00
Mrs. S. P. Gilkeyson 1.00
Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Whitehead 2.00
D. P. Brooks 1.00
W. J. Hollingsworth 3.00
Mr. and Mrs. Ashel Cross 5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Books 1.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bradley 5.00
Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughan 2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Carver Monroe 1.00
Mr. & Mrs. Wayne Crawford 2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thomas 5.00
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haverty 5.00
Mrs. Dick Garvin 1.00
Mrs. M. S. Freze, Canyon 4.00
Mr. and Mrs. Bland Burson, Channing 5.00
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Joiner 2.50
Mrs. W. E. Redin 1.00
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gilkeyson 5.00
J. F. Gilkeyson 1.00
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fowler 5.00
Elbert Dickerson 1.00
Mrs. Fred Lemons 1.00
A. B. Buchanan 5.00
Lewis Grable 2.00
Mrs. E. J. Vaughn 5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisch 2.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Francis 5.00
Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod 5.00
Mrs. J. H. Burson 10.00
Gid Mayhew 5.00

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Colston Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy... were in Tullia Wednesday on moved into their new home north Silverton Wednesday.

NOTICE!

DR. DOYCE D. DENNIS WILL BE OUT OF HIS OFFICE FROM MAY 31 until about JUNE 19 IN ORDER TO ATTEND A POST GRADUATE COURSE IN NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE



WE HAVE MANY APPROPRIATE GIFTS FOR THE JUNE BRIDE

Bugbee's Special (WESTERN STYLE) Greeting Cards

A NEW ASSORTMENT OF Boxed Stationery

For The Kiddies COLOR BOOKS — PAPER CUT-OUT BOOKS ACTIVITY BOOKS, IN BOX OF FIVE

ATTENTION STOCKMEN! IT'S SCREW WORM TIME, AND WE HAVE LeGear's, Franklin, Peerless, Keene and First Texas Screw Worm Killer Also Franklin's and Lederle's Formula 62 Screw Worm Smear

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"There's no keepin' up with him since he started eating Wheaties!"

WASHING — GREASING CONOCO PRODUCTS Regular and Ethyl Gasoline We feature Conoco oils, but carry several other well-known brands SEE ME FOR Vulcanizing and Recapping THIS WORK IS GUARANTEED CONOCO CORNER JOE BROOKS, Owner

Mr. Stockman! USE DDT AGAINST ALL PESTS DDT ARMY TYPE BOMB Cook's Wonder Powder 10% USE ON COWS, PETS, ETC., TO RID THEM OF PESTS Cook's Wonder Spray 5% Cook's Emulsion 20% THIS IS THE PLACE TO BUY ALL YOUR HOUSEHOLD AND AUTOMOBILE NEEDS WHITE AUTO STORE Across From Court House — South Side of Square MIKE MASON OWNER

PARMAK WE'RE PREPARED! Let our BLUE RIBBON SERVICEMAN check over and adjust your McCormick-Deering Tractor and Farm Machines. Let him replace any worn parts that might cause a breakdown. Our bins of Genuine IHC Parts and our Blue Ribbon Service Department are maintained for your convenience and protection. CRASS Motor and Implement Company

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