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BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

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First State Bank Move to New Home

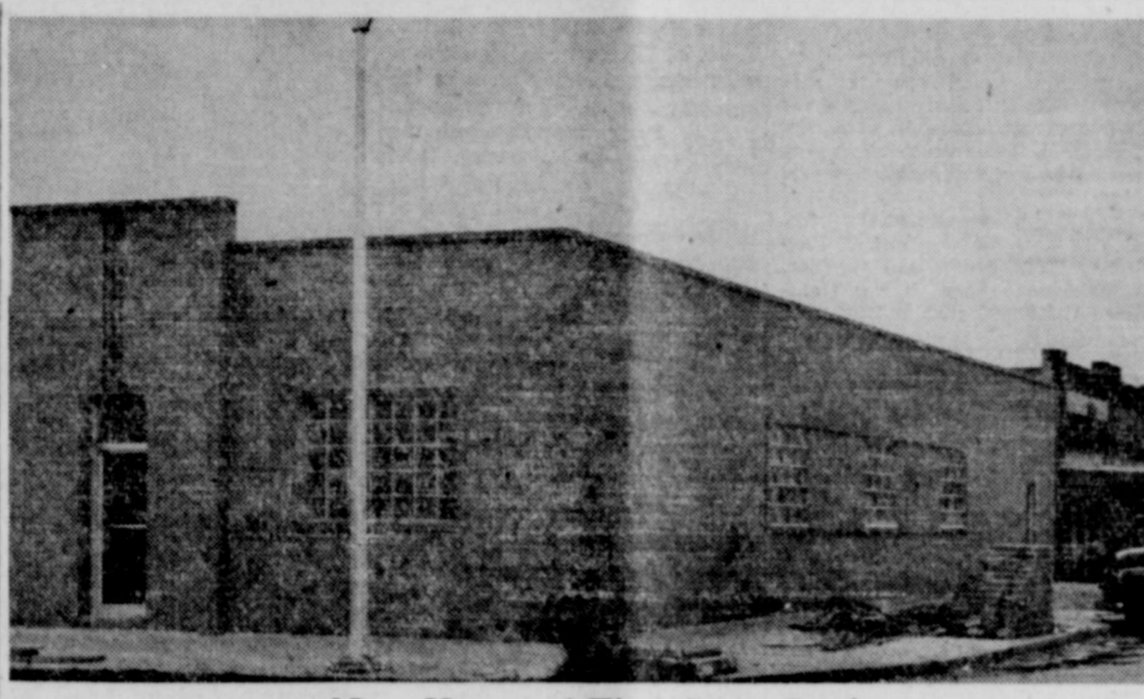
O'Neal Gets First Bale Of 1950 Cotton

D. O'Neal of the Rock Creek Community, brought in the first bale of cotton for the season. The bale was ginned at Quitaque due to the fact that the local gin has been under construction and was not ready to operate.

Mr. O'Neal brought in 2070 pounds of seed cotton and the bale weight was 547 pounds.

Mr. O'Neal has 53 acres of cotton and the bale was gathered from 6 acres. He thinks his cotton will average three-quarters of a bale to the acre.

A premium for the first bale is being worked up for Mr. O'Neal. The bale has been placed on the side walk in front of the new bank building.



New Home of First State Bank

Test Well Depth 100 Feet Tuesday—Surface Casing Set

An oil test well that is being drilled northeast of Silverton is reported to have reached a depth of 100 feet Tuesday afternoon. The well was set and they are waiting for cement to set before they begin drilling.

The interest has been shown in Silverton this week when it is reported that several local landowners had leased their property to an oil company. The land that leased were owners of small acreage.

P. T. A. To Hold Halloween Carnival October 27th

The Silverton P. T. A. will hold a Halloween Carnival on the night of October 27. This will be held on the football field if the weather is pretty, if not, it will be in the school auditorium.

The funds will be used to pay for the much needed sound system that has just been installed in the high school auditorium.

Light suppers will be served in the lunch room starting at 6:00. This will give everyone an opportunity to see the new lunch room just being completed. Then the food booth will be open on the carnival grounds at 7:00.

These people will be in charge of the different booths. If you have any helpful suggestions or care to help in anyway, please contact the ladies in charge.

Entrance Committee—Wayland Fitzgerald, Scott Smithee.

Carnival Queen—Mrs. Scott Smithee.

Purchasing Agent — Mrs. Bill Edwards.

Fish Pond—Mrs. Clarence Anderson, Mrs. Bob Hill.

Bingo—Mrs. Albert Mallow, Mrs. Pascal Garrison.

Domino—Mrs. Lee D. Bomar, Mrs. W. E. Schott.

Side Show—Mrs. Warner Reid, Mrs. Cleat Miller.

Dart Game—Mrs. Aubrey Rowell, Mrs. Carroll Garrison.

Food—Mrs. Winston Hamilton, Mrs. May, Mrs. Bill Messimer, Mrs. Joe O'Neal, Mrs. Dee Garvin.

Side Show—Mrs. Gordon Montague, Mrs. Homer Stephens.

Fortune Telling—Mrs. Herman Ely.

Archery—Mrs. Allen Kellum, Mrs. Don Garrison.

Grab Bag—Mrs. Virgil Baldwin, Mrs. J. L. Francis.

Decorations—Mrs. Claud Allison, Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald.

Clyde Wright Attended Convention at Athens, Texas

Mr. Clyde Wright attended the State Convention of the Presbyterian Church at Athens, Texas from Monday to Friday of last week. Mr. Wright presided at the last session of the Synod which was held from Tuesday to Thursday evening.

Mrs. Wright accompanied her husband and attended Synodical while there.

Mrs. Jake Penn, of Lubbock, spent the week end with relatives.

Silverton Owls Vs. Turkey Turks Will Play Here Friday Night

The Silverton Owls will play the Turkey Turks here on the local field Friday night, October 20. Game will be called at 8 o'clock. The Turks beat Happy Friday night 38-12, about the same as Happy beat Silverton, 26-0.

If scores indicate anything this should be a good ball game, Coach Hank Brown thinks.

If lumber can be secured the bleachers will be ready for Friday night's game.

Due to the football equipment of the Lakeview Eagles being destroyed by fire, the game between Silverton and the Eagles scheduled for last Friday night, was cancelled. Coach Brown said it is thought that they might play the game November 24, if the boys could get their equipment ready, but that they had nothing definite on it as yet.

Beef Calves Needed For Texas Baptist Childrens Home

The Texas Baptist Childrens Home at Round Rock, Texas, need among many other things beef for the home.

Johnnie Burson and Rev. G. A. Elrod, local pastor of the First Baptist Church, are anxious that anyone wishing to donate a beef or dairy calf to get in touch with them. Johnnie said he had donated a calf, and five heifer calves had already been donated.

This is a worthy cause and Johnnie said he would see to it that the calves were delivered.

"The Damned Don't Cry" at Palace Theatre Oct. 22-23

Following the tragic death of her son and a split with her laborer husband, Joan Crawford runs away from a sordid home, determined to win, through any means, a luxurious living. She confides her way into the confidence and love of David Brian, ruthless mastermind of a nationwide crime ring, who is already married. He promises to become divorced and marry Joan if he will spy on his west coast lieutenant, suspected of plotting Brian's overthrow. She falls for the man she was sent to expose, but before she can cross either Brian or him, the former appears and kills the latter. Joan flees, pursued by Brian, who himself is killed in a bullet-riddled climax in which Joan is wounded.

Next weeks program appears on page two.

Bomar Family Reunion Held at Lee D. Bomar's Home

Sunday, October 15, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee D. Bomar was the scene of the "Bomar Reunion" and birthday dinner in honor of cousin Nett (Mrs. J. C. Archer) of Spartanburg, S. C., whose mother was a sister of the late V. R. and Alex Bomar.

Cousin Nett was 77 years old. A cake in white, with yellow roses was presented by Pearl and Roy.

The Bomar relatives also presented Cousin Nett with a lovely tailor made suit. Kindred and friends all sang "Happy Birthday" and Cousin Nett gratefully acknowledged this was among the happiest birthdays of her life.

The relatives brought plenty of delicious food, and served fifty-eight relatives and twelve friends.

Miss Gloria Ann Walling Wed to Milton F. Clemmer

Miss Gloria Ann Walling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Walling, of Alhambra, California, and Milton F. Clemmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clemmer, of Silverton, were united in marriage October 7, 1950 in the St. Pauls Lutheran Church at Monterey Park, California.

Milton is serving in the Marine Air Corps and is located at Santa Ana, California, at the El Toro Air Base.

Mr. and Mrs. Clemmer visited his parents here last week and on their return to California, they will be at home 8600 San Carlos, South Gate, California.

Mrs. R. E. Stephens Underwent Operation Last Thursday

Mrs. R. E. Stephens underwent a major operation in the Memorial Hospital at Lubbock last Thursday. Mr. Stephens accompanied his wife to Lubbock Wednesday. Thursday morning the following friends went to Lubbock to be with Mrs. Stephens: Mrs. Bud McMinn, Rev. G. A. Elrod, Mrs. Jim Bomar, Mrs. L. K. Gilkeyson, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stephens, and Mrs. Homer Stephens.

Mrs. Stephens condition is reported to be very satisfactory.

Dick Bomar and Glenn Smith made a business trip to Amarillo Thursday.

Number of School Children Increased For Transportation

Austin, October 14—The number of school children to be transported during the present school term will show an increase over last year due to increased population and better school attendance, the Texas State Teachers Association pointed out today.

Facilities for transportation were expanded during the last school term to take care of the 320,000 living two or more miles from the school attended. This represented an increase of 25,212 pupils over the 1948-49 school term.

Although better than \$10,000,000 was provided by the state to reimburse the districts for the cost of transporting school children, there is every indication that the amount provided was inadequate in many school districts. L. P. Sturgeon, Associate Commissioner of Education, stated that the official records show that only 23 counties were reimbursed by the state in amounts equal to the actual cost of operation. This means that the remaining counties received less money from the state than it cost them to operate the buses. The financial loss to some counties and school districts was small while in others it was heavy.

Such losses had to be made up by the individual schools from local funds. In many cases school systems had to reduce other vital phases of their program in order to pay the cost of transportation. Sturgeon pointed out that official reports show that the actual cost of transportation in Texas exceeded \$12,000,000 during the last school term. This means that the districts had to supplement funds provided by the state in the amount of \$2,000,000.

Previously surveys show that 22% of the school buses have been in operation for more than six years and should be replaced. This means an additional burden to local districts since reimbursement from the state is less than actual cost of operation.

The Texas Education Agency according to Sturgeon is making a very thorough study of representative counties throughout the state to determine the cost of operation of Texas' vast school transportation system. A formula to determine the costs on a more scientific basis is being applied in more than 20 Texas counties. It is hoped that such a formula, when applied to the state as a whole, will permit each school district to be reimbursed for the actual cost of operation of the more than 6,000 school buses in Texas. Such a plan would have to be adopted by the Legislature before it could be made effective.

The provision for a minimum program of transportation that will meet the actual needs of each school district is the objective of the Texas State Teachers Association and state officials studying the problem for a solution.

Tuesday Night Was Moving Time For Local Bankers

The First State Bank building that has been under construction for the past several months was completed about three weeks ago, but due to delay in the new fixtures arrival bank officials were unable to move into the building until the first of this week. Workmen were busy over the week end installing fixtures and adding the last finishing touches to the interior of the building.

The bank opened in their new home Wednesday morning and business was carried on as usual. Many of the business people in Silverton were in and out of the bank all day, admiring the new modern structure.

Out-of-town banks represented here Wednesday were: Fort Worth National Bank; Empire State Bank, Dallas; First National Bank, Amarillo; Citizens National Bank, Lubbock; First National Bank, Tulsa; First State Bank, Memphis; First National Bank, Lockney; First National Bank, Quitaque.

The bank was originally established in Silverton January 23, 1946, and the new building represents the faith that the directors of the bank have in the future of Silverton and Briscoe County.

The News is carrying in this issue many appropriate congratulations from the business firms of Silverton to the bank on their progress and their new bank home. This alone speaks their sentiment of appreciation to the management of the bank.

Officers and personnel of the bank today are: James F. Smith, President, Hayden Hensley, Vice-President, both of Memphis, Texas; Perry Whittemore, Vice President and Cashier; Norlan Dudley, Assistant Cashier; Mrs. Eunice Elkins and Jack Strange, Bookkeepers.

Directors: Sam J. Hamilton, Heydon Hensley, Spencer Long, Alvin Redin, Jas F. Smith, D. T. Northcutt and Perry Whittemore.

The B.A.U. Class of First Baptist Church Will Present Show

The B. A. U. Class of the First Baptist Church are showing a picture on the Life of St. Paul on Tuesday night, October 31, in the auditorium of the church. This will be shown in two episodes the first one being Stephen First Christian Martyr and the second being The Conversion of Saul.

The public is invited to attend this picture, and at the close of the showing refreshments will be served in the basement of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shivers and son, Billy, of Tulla, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fisher, Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie McNeese, attended the Bomar Reunion at the Lee D. Bomar home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McMinn and Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn spent Sunday in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Haley and Mrs. Bennett-Haley and children, of Plainview, visited here Thursday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Robinson and family, of Dumas, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee D. Bomar.

Miss Julia Moreland, who is teaching in Plainview schools spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Moreland.

Morris G. Moreland who is a senior in West Texas College at Canyon, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Moreland.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Tate went to Tulla Sunday afternoon for Mrs. Ann Wood.

Mrs. Lucille Stodghill, of Munday, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Stodghill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. King left Sunday for Sherman to visit until Thursday.

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OCTOBER 24 TO BE OBSERVED UNITED NATIONS FLAG DAY

The following information on the United Nations Flag is taken from the United Nations Flag Code and Regulations, and is passed along to the reader.

When the United Nations Flag is displayed with one or more other flags, all flags should be on the same level and approximately the same size.

When flown with the flag of the United States, the United Nations Flag assumes the place of honor; i. e., to the right of the United States Flag in relation to people facing the flags.

On no account may any flag displayed with the United Nations Flag be displayed on a higher level than the United Nations Flag and on no account may any flag so displayed with the United Nations Flag be larger. (If the United Nations Flag is to be flown on the same flagstaff as the United States Flag and the Texas Flag, for instance, the United Nations Flag is at the top, then the United States Flag, then the Texas Flag.)

The United Nations Flag should normally only be displayed on buildings and on stationary flag-staffs from sunrise to sunset.

The United Nations Flag should not be displayed on days when the weather is inclement.

In a line, cluster of semi-circle grouping of flags, flags other than the United Nations Flag should be displayed in the English alphabetical order of the countries represented, reading clockwise, starting at the left. The United Nations Flag should either be displayed in the center of the line, cluster or semi-circle, or, in cases where two United Nations Flags are available, at either end of the line, cluster or semi-circle.

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IN MEMORY OF W. K. GRIMLAND:

Whereas, the Supreme Architect of the Universe has seen fit to remove from among his earthly brethren our beloved Brother, W. K. Grimland.

And whereas, in the passing of our beloved Brother we have lost a man who was a credit to his community, his profession, and his family. A kindly man who brought both strong hands and a cheerful smile to his work among us these many years.

Be it Resolved, that in the passing of our esteemed Brother, the Silverton Lodge No. 754 joins with the entire community in extending sympathy to the bereaved family and seeks to comfort them with the thought that our Brother who labored long and faithfully here on Earth has gone to rest in that house not built with hands, eternal in the Heavens.

Therefore, be it resolved that a page in our Minutes be set aside in the memory of Brother W. K. Grimland, a copy of these Resolutions be printed in the Briscoe County News, and a copy sent to the bereaved family.

COMMITTEE: Conrad Alexander, J. E. Simpson, Jr., Grady Wimberly.

Stapling Machines and staples at the News office.

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Cinderella Story Retains Ancient Hold on Readers

The "Cinderella Story" has been a "best seller" for more than 4,000 years.

It crowds the Bible and Shakespeare for popularity, all over the world.

Nearly every race has some version of the "Cinderella Story." One of the oldest stories known, it is common to countries separated by the widest stretches of land and sea and time.

A folk tale of ancient Egypt, called "Rhodopis and Her Gilded Sandals," was probably the first "Cinderella Story." "Rhodopis," meaning "the rosy-cheeked" in the Greek, is a legend that was woven around Queen Nitokris during the era of the Pyramid Builders. Told to the children of Egypt about two thousand years before Christ, it is to this day a favorite fairy tale of the land.

According to the legend, Rhodopis, "lovely as the day-dawn," was bathing in the River Nile when an eagle flew off with one of her small gilded sandals. He dropped it in the lap of the king who vowed he would wed none other than the owner of the dainty little slipper. And he did. Cinderella, or her prototype, finally developed into the story of the ill-treated but ultimately successful younger daughter which appears in the folklore of many different peoples.

The English version of the "Cinderella Story" with which all English-speaking people are familiar, came from France. It was translated into the English in 1729.

Shellac Used to Preserve Household Wood and Budget

With the price of lumber once again heading toward an all-time high, the householder and the home craftsman are faced with a pressing conservation problem. In this connection, Gordon Obrig, one of the country's top furniture designers and a fellow of the American designers' institute, offers several ideas aimed at preserving your household woods and your pocketbook.

Use of several coats of shellac on present room moldings and baseboards, as well as walls, floors and old wooden household pieces will prolong the life of each of these articles as much as 50 per cent, he points out. In addition, where slight cracks have begun to appear in your wooden possessions, they can be filled in quite handily by simply applying a shellac stick, obtainable at any hardware store.

A persistent problem with both old and new wood is the presence of knots. Here, a couple of coats of orange shellac will prevent the knot from working loose, and thus marring the surface. The glue-like qualities of shellac can be utilized if a knot has worked its way loose by simply removing the section, coating its sides with shellac and then replacing it.

These are just a few of the ways in which a little maintenance effort around the house can be used to avoid extra expenditures for lumber.

America's Bald Eagle

There are two sub-species of America's living bald eagle, the big northern and the smaller southern varieties, the latter ranging as far south as northern Mexico. These eagles build their often huge nests high in tall trees or on lofty, rocky crags. Almost invariably they nest near lakes and other waters, for fish and water fowl are favorite foods. Most of the fish captured are dead or spent, although some are taken from the successful hunter, the osprey, which is forced to drop its victim in flight.

Frozen Crushed Fruit

Crushed frozen fruit gives a delightful flavor to ice cream, sherberts, and beverages. With this fact in mind, food preservation specialists urge that some fruits be crushed and frozen for this purpose. They point out that the natural flavor of these crushed or pureed frozen fruits is more pronounced than that in sugar-packed halves or slices.

Other Side of Moon

Why can't we see the other side of the moon? The moon goes around the earth once in 27 1/3 days, and in this same period turns once on its axis. This is just enough to keep the same hemisphere always turned toward the earth. Sometimes people find it hard to understand why we say that the moon is rotating when it always keeps the same region toward us. However, an observer out in space toward the sun, watching the movements of the two bodies, would see all parts of the moon during the 27-day period.

Warning to Motorists

Even motorists with excellent vision are warned that the spacing between cars of one length for each 10 miles of speed—as stated by law in some states—is not enough. A safe stopping distance can be calculated by squaring the speed in miles per hour and dividing by 10. Thus, at 30 miles per hour, 30 times 30 equals 900; divide by 10, and you find that your safe stopping distance is 90 feet. On packed snow or partly icy pavements divide by five instead of 10, and on ice or sleet divide by two.

LEGAL NOTICE

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BRISCOE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Briscoe County, on the 3rd day of October, 1950, by Clerk of said Court for the sum of Fifteen Hundred Twenty One and 53-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Certain Judgment, in favor of J. B. Burk in a certain cause in said Court No. 1377 and styled J. B. Burk vs. O. O. Toler and wife Natalie Toler, placed in my hands for service, I, Bryan Strange as Sheriff of Briscoe County, Texas, did, on the 11th day of October, 1950, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Briscoe County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Being all of Lots Nos. Ten (10) Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) in Block No. 89 Eighty Nine, in the Town of Silverton, Briscoe County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of O. O. Toler and wife Natalie Toler and that on the first Tuesday in November, 1950, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court House door of Briscoe County, in the City of Silverton, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said O. O. Toler and wife Natalie Toler.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Briscoe County News, a newspaper published in Briscoe County.

Witness my hand, this 11th day of October, 1950.

BRYAN STRANGE, Sheriff Briscoe County, Texas. By J. W. McCracken, Deputy. 41-3tc

PERSONALS

Mrs. Shelby Haynes spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Burson in Plainview.

Mrs. Minnie Mae Bell and son, of Lubbock, visited here Saturday and while in town had the News sent to her address for another.

Mrs. S. B. Smith visited her cousin, Mrs. Andrews, in Amarillo last week. They returned to Silverton Saturday and Mrs. Andrews spent the week end with Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Kate Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobie Penn, of Lubbock, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. True Burson.

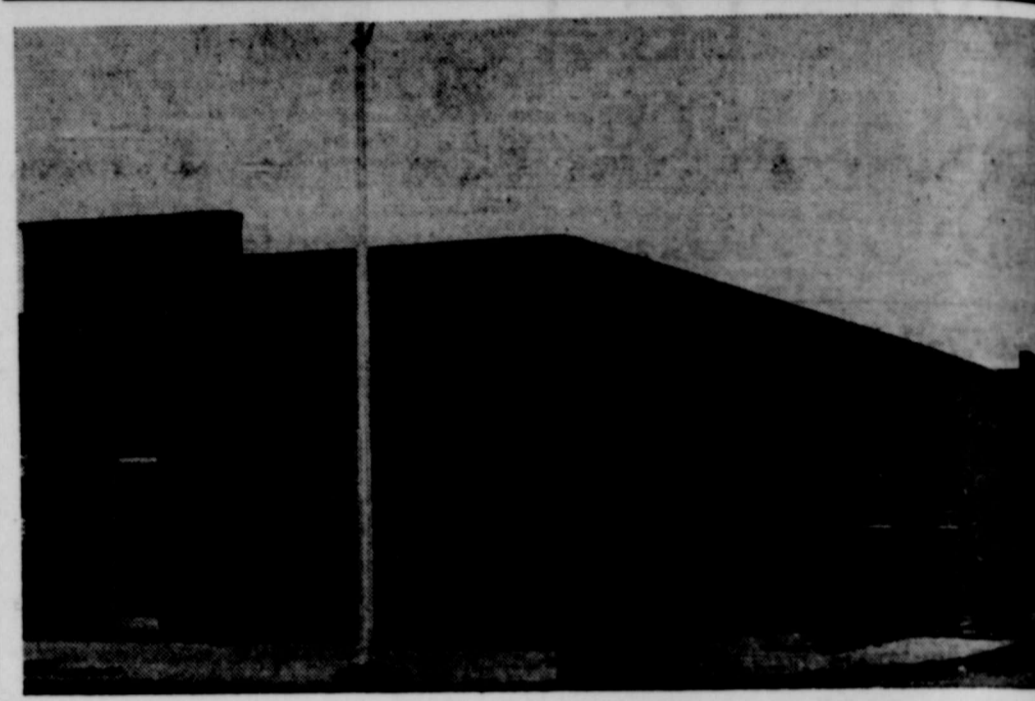
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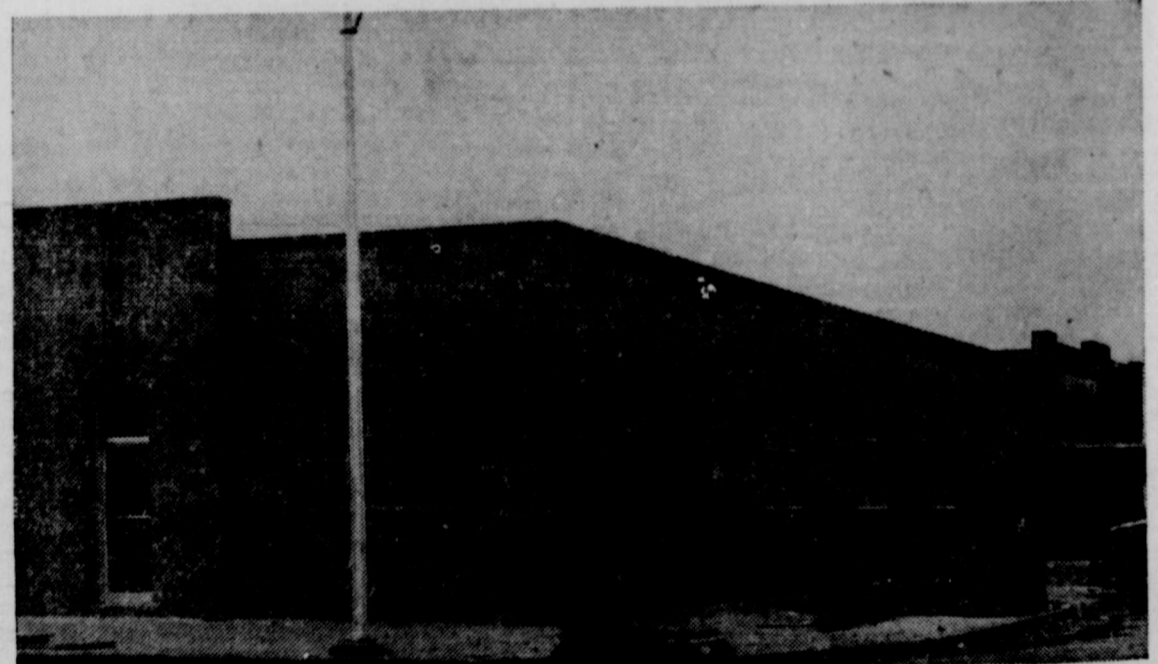
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Gene Autry in

SATAN'S CRADLE

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Joan Crawford in

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What's Doing in Churches

METHODIST CHURCH
 Rev. Grady Adcock, Pastor
 Day School ----- 10:00
 Singing Service ----- 11:00
 Children and Young People's
 Meeting ----- 7:00
 Singing Service ----- 7:30
 Services every other Monday at 3:00

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 Day School ----- 10:00
 Teaching
 Church Second Sunday ----- 11:00
 Church Fourth Sunday ----- 3:00
 Hospitality every 1st and 3rd Monday
 in the homes of the members.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 R. L. Bailey, Pastor
 Day Bible Study ----- 10:00
 Day Communion and
 Teaching ----- 11:00
 Day Young People's
 Meeting ----- 7:00 P. M.
 Day, Ladies Bible
 Study ----- 4:00 P. M.
 Wednesday, Prayer
 Meeting ----- 7:30 P. M.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 G. A. Elrod, Pastor
 Day School ----- 9:45
 Morning Service ----- 11:00
 Singing Union ----- 6:45
 Teaching ----- 7:45
 Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:00
 M. U. Monday ----- 2:30
 Intermediates GA'S Fri. Eve. 4:00
 Senior GA'S Monday ----- 4:30
 Brotherhood, First and third
 Monday night ----- 8:00

**STATEMENT OF THE OWNER-
 MANAGERMENT, AND
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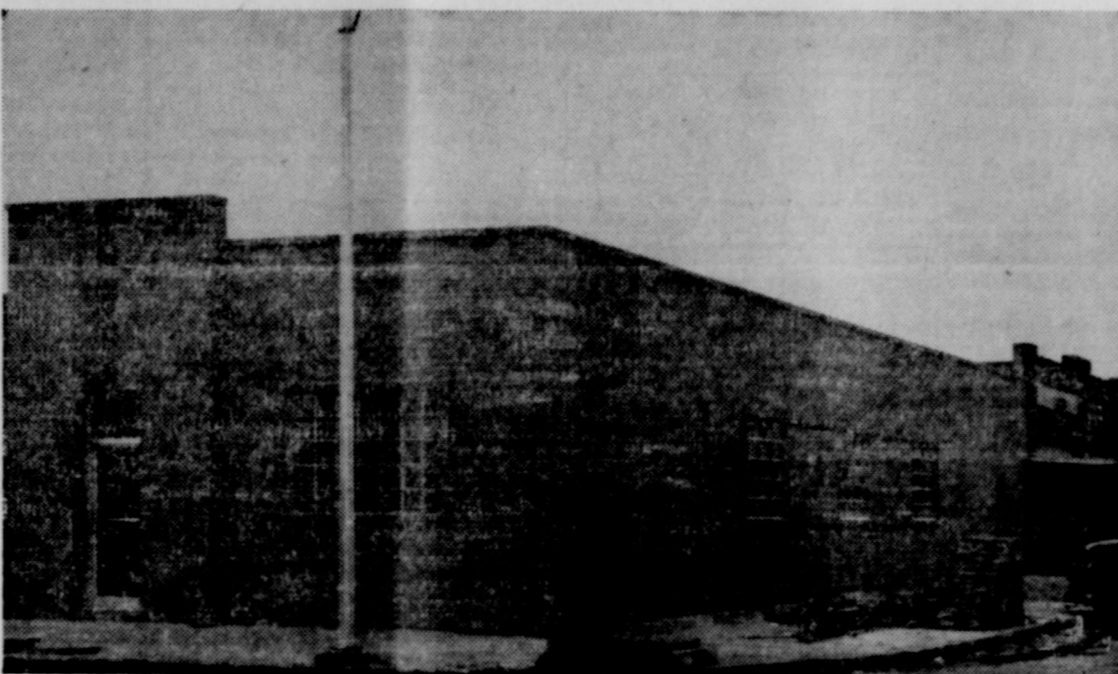
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M. B. CAVANAUGH, Owner.
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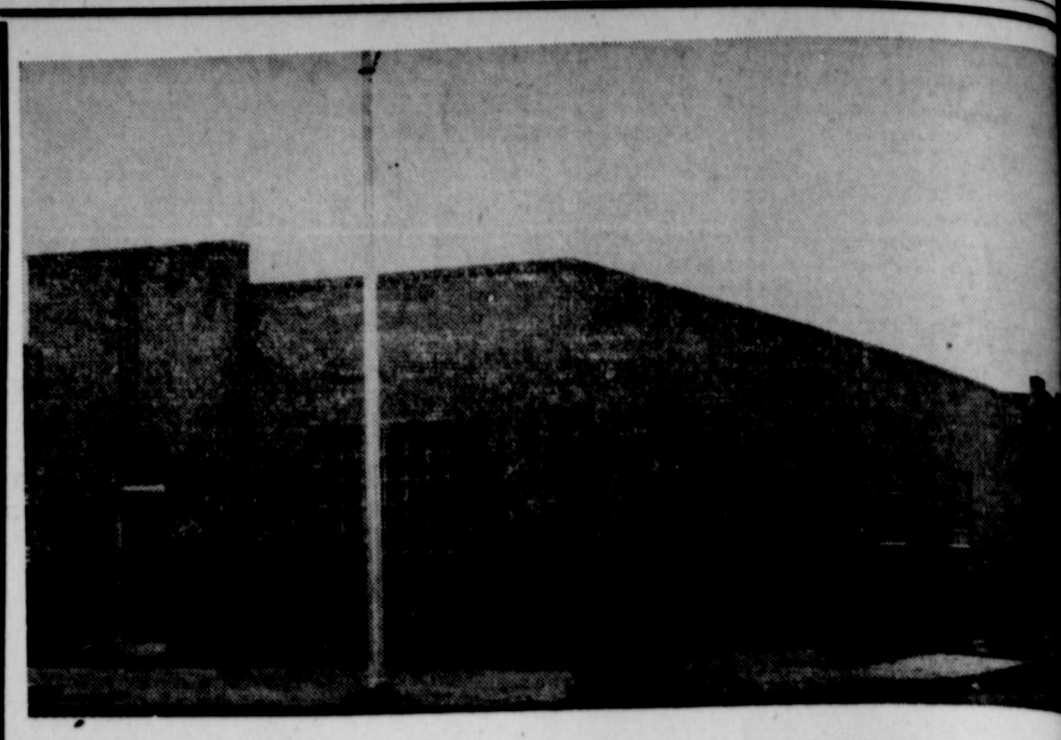
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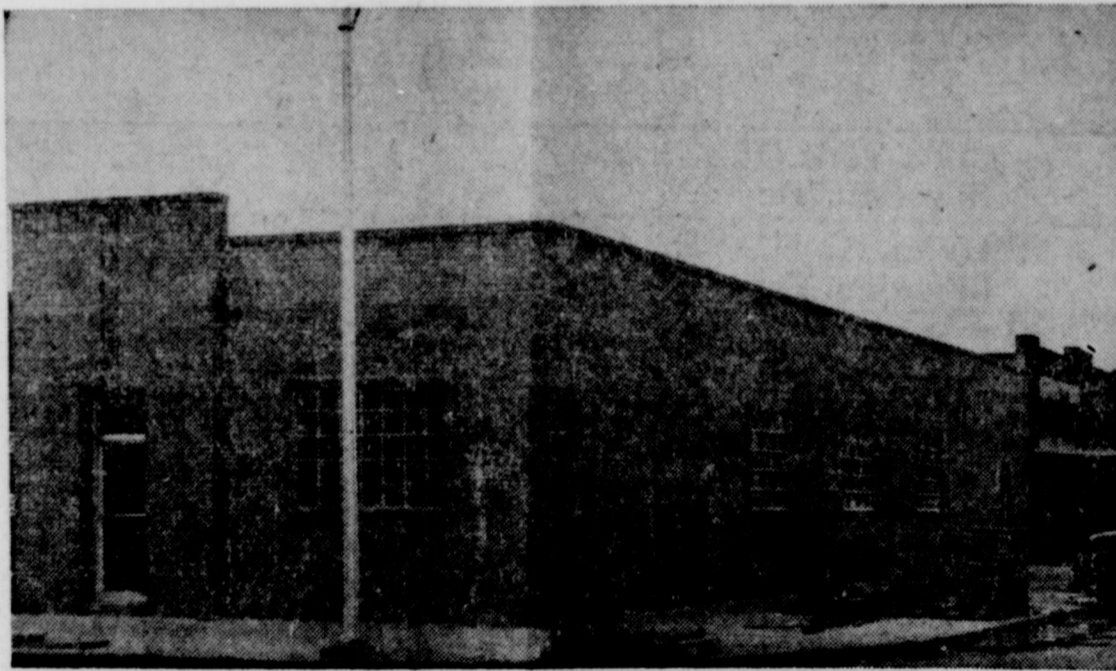


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PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Northcutt, Canyon, spent Sunday with daughter and family, Mr. Mrs. Roy Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brookshier visitors in Lubbock Wednesday. Mrs. J. S. Brookshier accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Trout and Mrs. of Vernon, are the guests of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Williams this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson spent the week end in Canyon with relatives.

Mrs. Bud McMinn carried Fayette, to Plainview Wednesday after she had spent several days with her parents here.

Mrs. J. C. Archer, Mrs. Wylie Bomar and Mrs. Pearl Simpson were Tulsa visitors last Thursday.

Mrs. Printz Brown and son, Don, spent the week end at Hereford visiting Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn and Mrs. W. L. McMinn spent the day Sunday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Visage and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Visage. While there they visited Mrs. R. E. Stephens, who is a patient in the Lubbock Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Stephens is doing nicely.

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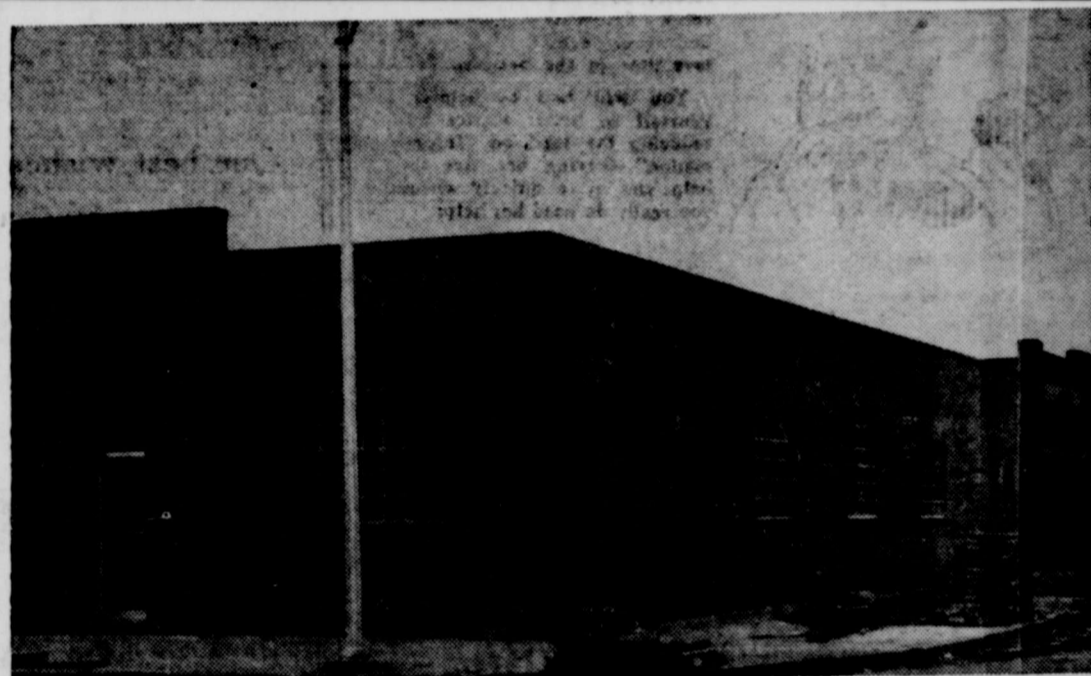
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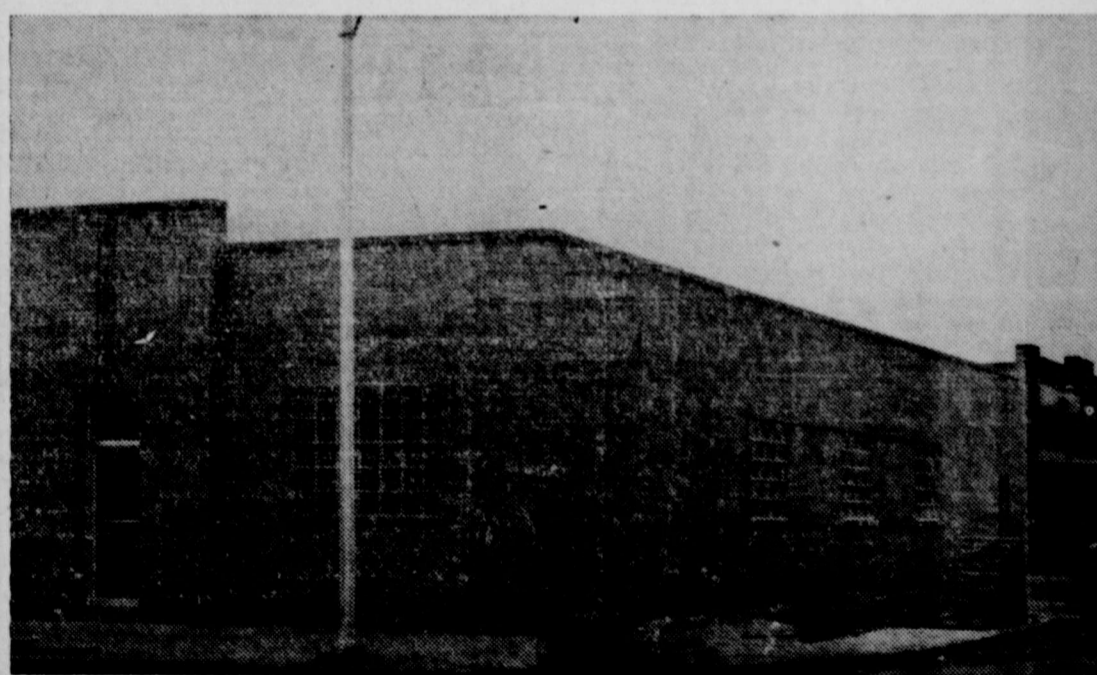
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Sophomore Reporter	Mary Dudley
Junior Reporter	Glenn Watters
Senior Reporter	Billy Tennison
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Supervisor	June H. Porter

EDITORIAL

Patience kids! The lunchroom is being fixed as fast as it can. It has a new cement floor, new sidewalks from the grade school to the lunchroom. It is looking real nice so lets keep it that way when we start eating in it. The school has gone to a lot of trouble so let's not disappoint them by tearing it up. Let's keep it clean the whole year.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Thanksgiving—November 30 to December 4. (4 days.)
 Christmas — December 22 to January 1 (one week).
 The above days were scheduled at the last regular meeting of the School Board and are therefore official so far as the school is concerned.

ANNUAL STAFF FOR 1950-51 SELECTED AND ARE AT WORK ON YEARBOOK

The following students have been chosen to work on the 1950-51 annual staff: Editor, Mary Lou Bellinger; Assistant Editor, Bonnie Watters; Sports Editor, Dick Turner; Artist, Glen Watters; Assistant Artist, Caron Welch; Typist, Buford Clemmer; Business Manager, Mary Tom Bomar; Assistant Business Manager, Gloria Stevenson; Photographer, Ray Savage; Snapshots, Valda Jo Estes; Favorites Editor, Joe Monday.
 The staff met with a representative of the publishing company and chose the binding for their annual. It will be red and white lettering.
 The snapshot editor, Valda Jo Estes, has put out a call for snapshots that anyone would like to have in the annual. They are to be turned over to her or the yearbook sponser, Mrs. Porter.

LAKEVIEW GAME POSTPONED—FIRE DESTROYED EQUIPMENT

By Dick Turner
 The football game between Silverton and Lakeview scheduled for last Friday night was postponed. Lakeview was unable to play because their football equipment burned Thursday night before the game.
 This game has been re-scheduled and will be played here November 24.

THE QUESTION OF THE WEEK

By Buford Clemmer
 I have made my question of the week "What the students of Silverton High School think of the new teachers."
 I have asked several of the students what they thought of the new teachers and most of them think they are doing a very good job of running the High School. The students seem to think that the faculty as a whole is a much better one than we have had for the past few years.

MRS. NINA EVANS SELECTED AS FRESHMAN SPONSOR

By Gay Merrell
 The Freshman class elected as their sponsor Mrs. Nina Evans. Mrs. Evans was born at Silverton, Texas, October 24, 1924. She attended her first six grades at the Francis community country school. The next five years, she attended Silverton High School. For her college education she attended West Texas State at Canyon.
 Mrs. Evans is five feet tall, has blue eyes and brown hair. She has a daughter 9 months old named Cheryl Ninette, she stays with her grandparents while her mother teaches school. Nina teaches freshman English, 8th grade history and geography. She does two hours office work and coaches high school girls basketball and likes it a lot. Her favorite food is pecan pie and she cream and positively hates squash. She states that she is proud of being elected freshman sponser and will do all she can to help them and be a good sponser.

Glenn can't seem to do without his ring or his rings. Would the girls who have them please return them.

X-CHANGE—X-TRACTS

From the Editor, Genice Bockelman, of the "Turkey Gobble," Turkey High School, comes word that they will be glad to exchange papers with the "Owlet" staff. Their paper is published weekly in the town paper "The Enterprise."

 We learn from "The Lariat" of Lockney that their editor, Mary Jones, was chosen as a Princess of the South Plains Fair in Lubbock. She was one chosen out of 48 girls. She spent the entire week as benefits royalty. She lived in the Hilton Hotel and in her spare moments found time to model formal for various companies such as Hemphill Wells and Dunlaps.

 The Lariat also offers this bit of Philosophy on that all important subject, "Men". "They're those things that know all about politics, sports, and men. And their opinion of women goes like this: If you talk you're a chatter box, if you don't you're a bore; if you dress well you're a hog for clothes, if you don't you are a slouch; if you make an effort you're chasing them; if you don't you just don't care."
 How can a poor girl win?

 The Journalism staff also has the latest issue of the paper from Plainview High School. "The Plainsman." Anyone interested in this or any other papers we receive in exchange is welcome to come by room 12 and read them. All we ask is that you don't take them out of the room or destroy them.

NEWS BRIEFS

We have reason to believe that the lunchroom will be in operation the first of next week. The building is complete and the cabinets and fixtures are being made ready as fast as possible. A cold storage fixture of some kind was placed in the building Monday. We understand that this will be used for keeping milk cold. The milk will be delivered in one-half pint containers which will eliminate the use of glasses for milk. Announcements will be made in each classroom about the exact opening of the lunchroom.

 The new sound equipment recently purchased or borrowed by the Parent Teacher Association is very good. It does not seem to make the sound so loud but it does make it clear and plain. You can hear and understand under the balcony. We are anxious to try the equipment out on the football field.

 Six weeks tests are to be given this week. They are to be given during the regular class period hour. The odd period classes to be given on Friday and the even period classes on Thursday. No time from class will be lost on account of the tests.

 Maybe we are too anxious but it does seem that we are not getting the repairs and building done as rapidly as they should be done. Of course we are ready for them to be completed before they are begun. Could be we are in too much of a hurry on this part of the deal. Anyhow we do like the part that has been completed.

FRESHMAN CLASS MET OCTOBER 16 AT 9:00 P. M.

The Freshman class met October 16 at 9:00 p. m. They voted on class dues and on a future class party. They elected a parliamentarian. Arnold Gilcrease was elected for the office. They also appointed the following people for entertainment and refreshment committee, Pat Patton, Donna Mayfield, Gale McPherson, Darrell O'Conner, Lucy Clemmer, Patsy Crass, and Anne Brown.
 The Freshman elected room mothers. They are: Mrs. Mayfield, Mrs. Davis, and Mrs. Patton.

 How was the midnight show at Quitaque Saturday night? Glenn, Joe, Sybil, Eudean?

SOPHOMORE CLASS SELECT MR. PAT GOODWIN CLASS SPONSOR

By Gay Merrell
 The sophomore class elected as their sponsor Mr. Pat Goodwin. Pat was born in Amarillo and attended school there. Among the colleges he has attended is West Texas, and the Texas Tech. at Lubbock, and the Texas University at Austin. Mr. Goodwin states that he likes to be the sophomore sponser and that he will help the class in every way he can.

 Favorite food is beef steak and gravy and he hates cabbage, turnips, and green pea soup.
 Teaches anything pertaining to science. He has a B. S. degree and will have his masters by spring.

JUNIOR CLASS ELECT JOE MONDAY SECRETARY

Dean McWilliams
 Joe Monday was elected secretary of the Junior Class. Joe has lived in Plainview for the last fifteen years. He moved to Silverton at bid-term last year. He likes Silverton very much.

 Joe is also editor of the Owllet and editor of the "Favorites" for the annual. He is also a member of the football team.

MARY TOM BOMAR ELECTED SECRETARY OF SENIOR CLASS

By Darrell McWilliams
 Mary Tom Bomar who was elected secretary of the Senior Class was born in Silverton on January 13, 1934. She has lived here all of her 16 years.
 Mary Tom has been very popular among the students. As a sophomore she was also secretary of her class. Last year she was secretary of the FHA and is president this year. She was chosen business manager of the annual staff.

 She plans to go to college after graduation this year but has not decided which one she will attend.

GRADE SCHOOL NEWS

It seems that the seventh grade girls have a crush on some of the eighth grade boys. How about that, Mike and Sharon?

 A secret case seems to have appeared between Joni Douglas and Jimmie Don.

 Have you noticed Shirley making eyes at Keith lately. Those seventh grade girls had better get to work.

 I wonder if J. T. Anderson sitting behind Fannie is the reason she stays turned around all the time.

 Joni why couldn't you answer when Teddy Jack called you so many times last Saturday?

 Why do Frances Ann and Don always trade seats when a test comes. Does Tommilcen sit behind Don?

 When Jo Ann Hillingsworth got sick Monday in study hall period, James May was out long enough to take her home.

 Heard that Shirley has a crush—and I overheard the name, G. W. What do you thing about this Keith?

 Valettra says that when Robert hits her on the head they are just love licks.

 Jimmie Don doesn't like for Taylor to sit behind Joni. Wonder why?

F. H. A. NEWS

The F. H. A. classes have finally settled down to business and most of the girls are making dresses. We've heard that some of these are nearly finished. Hurry up girls and finish them because we are all anxious to see how they fit.

 The F. H. A. met Tuesday, October 9, to elect a F. H. A. sweetheart. After many elections they finally chose Sam Lusk as the sweetheart.

FRESHMAN NEWS

The Freshman class held an open house dance at the Silverton Fire Hall Friday night. Refreshments were served at 9:00. Every one enjoyed dancing and after having a swell time went home around 11:00.

NOSEY

Who had Carroll been trying to date lately? Bet you will find out sooner or later.
 Since Silverton didn't have a football game Friday night seems like everyone went out of town to Quitaque or Turkey, to see them play. The couples Nosey saw at the games were, Bonnie and Joe, Joe Wayne and Ruby, Mary and Melvin, Pat and Mary Lou.

 For everyone's information the scores of the Quitaque and Matarcor game were 46-0 in favor of Quitaque. The Turkey and Happy game was 38-12 in Happy's favor. Billy Den was with Gloria at Plainview Sunday night. Are you going to stand for this Darrell? Buford and Edna were at Plainview also.

 How was the party at the Fire-hall Friday night kids? We heard that Carroll, Riley, Joe had an especially good time.

 Those who were in Quitaque Saturday night on a pleasure trip were—Glenn and sweet Sister.

 Did Beth expect her Plainview friend Saturday night? That was the rumor.

 Who was John chasing after Saturday night? Was she leading a pack of girls around.

 Do the Freshman girls like boy scouts? Kind of small for you girls. Wait till they get out of the fourth grade, please!

 What was Buford's car doing parked in front of Edna's house Sunday night. Was it to keep a certain freshman boy away from the door?

 Faith, Patsy and Ann hew does Darrell's little car ride. Isn't it kind of crowded especially when Buford has to ride up behind in the back.

 Nosey said it seems the "upper classmen" girls are having trouble with the freshman girls. Is it because they out numbered them in voting for basketball manager?

ORCHIDS AND ONIONS

Onions to Beth for not destroying Ted's notes written in speech class.

 Orchids to Ted for calling Beth such sweet names, such as "sweetie pic."

 Onions to Sandy Ely for trying to hook all the boys. We saw four boys with her Monday afternoon.

 Orchids to Dick for his beautiful side-burns and the long hair.

 Onions to the Soph's who didn't come to the party.

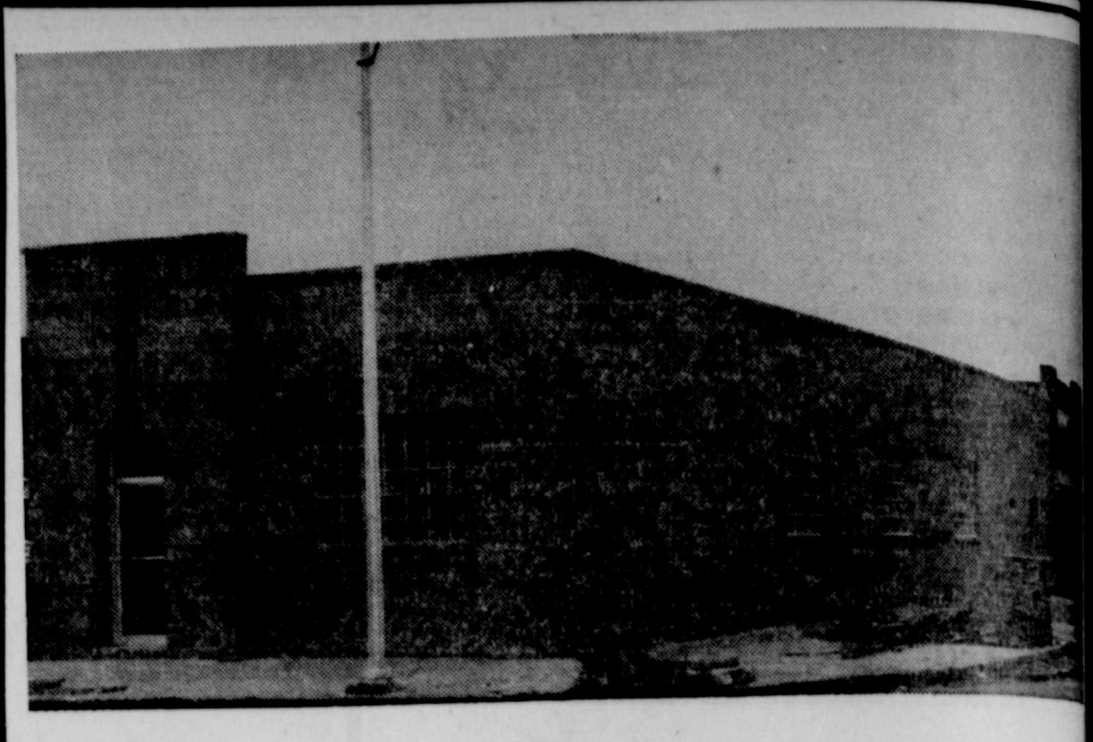
 Orchids to Gay and Beth for that delicious punch Tuesday night at the Soph. party.

SOPHOMORE NEWS

The Sophomore class had a party in general at the fire hall Tuesday night, October 10. As entertainment, they played games and danced. Refreshments of sandwiches and punch were served at 9:00 p. m. Those who were unable to attend were: Millie Marshall, Helen Vaughan and Donald Cherry. Mr. Goodwin and Mrs. Parker were the sponsors for the party. Everyone seemed to have a very nice time.

 Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Bomar accompanied their son, Don, to Dallas this week for a re-check. Mr. and Mrs. Bomar live in Lubbock. fgii.thg

 Don Burson, of Lubbock, spent the week end with relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Paige and son, Donald, were in Amarillo Friday afternoon. They attended the ball game Friday night.

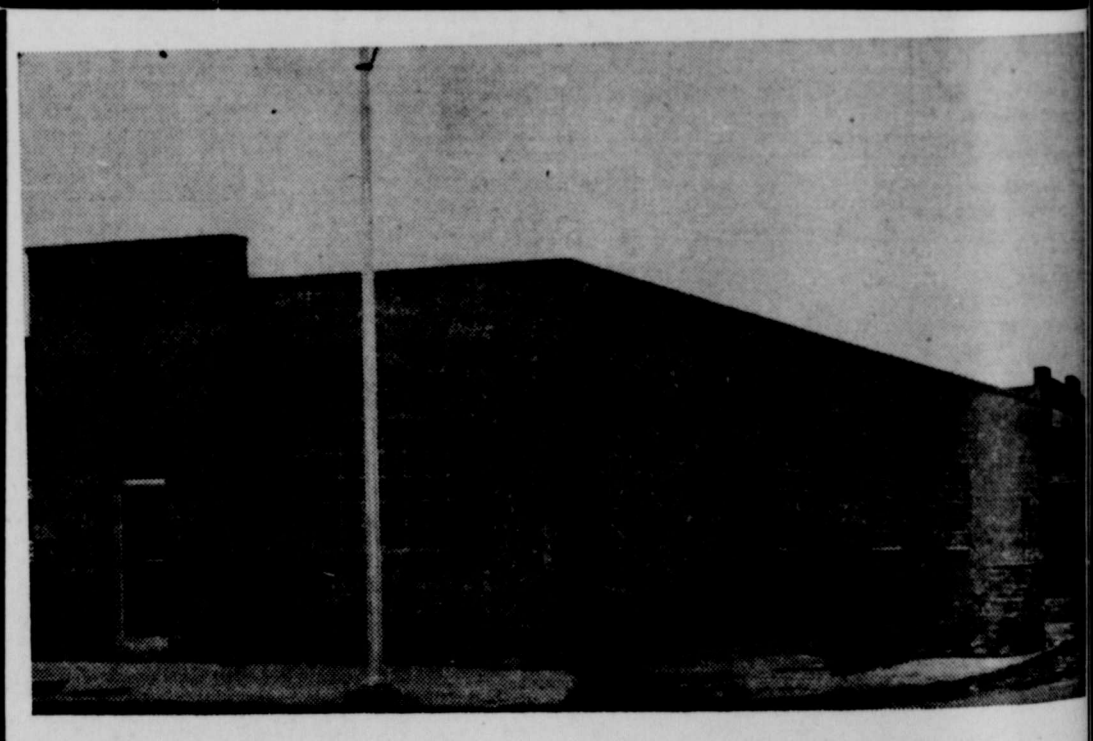


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Deep sleep has been an important part of the routine of living... The power to make conscious movements and the sense of touch follow in that order... metabolic rate becomes slower... Dr. Henry K. Beecher, Door professor of research in anaesthesia at Harvard Medical School, discovered that the transition from wakefulness to sleep involves the shifting of brain activity from the back to the frontal part of the brain.

However, what really happens during sleep is not of nearly so much concern to most of us as our ability to sleep restfully so that fatigue and tension can be eliminated from our lot of life's little problems. Lack of proper sleep is probably responsible for more personality changes, more dissension, and more failures than any other one factor.

Why Fare for Calves Does Work in Feeding

To save work in the daily feeding of calves—and only a little—cottonseed meal to beef calves, U.S. Department of Agriculture workers hit on a method of mixing enough salt with the meal to control the daily consumption. With the right mixture they found that the calves would eat about two pounds of meal a day. The proportion of salt to meal had to be watched and adjusted from time to time.

The experimenters found that the salt had no ill effects on the animals. To get the calves accustomed to the salty fare, the two-pound daily allowance of meal was fed in an introductory period with a daily increase in the proportion of salt. After the calves had learned to eat the required mixture, it was easy to mix it in bulk and shovel into a self-feeder. Then the calves ate the desired daily allowance with no further need for daily attention and a substantial saving in labor.

U.S. Patent System

Our United States patent system has weathered many storms during the 110 years of its existence. Down through those years it has stood as the immovable rock on which our fabulous industrial growth has been founded. The right of the inventor to profit from his invention through patent protection has provided the incentive to create new machines, new processes, and improvements over old methods.

Drugs Help Animals

Drugs that have given millions of people relief from hay fever and other allergies are now helping to make life better for many pets and farm animals too. Latest reports from veterinarians in the United States, England, and France reveal that allergy-relieving drugs called "anti-histamines" are giving encouraging results against at least 15 different types of ailments in pets and livestock.

Another "First" for Russia

Russia could but probably won't claim a "first" on this one, for a dog-gone good reason. Quoting French sources, the Journal of the American Veterinary Medical Association reports that the Soviet army of World War II trained thousands of dogs to carry bombs under the enemy's moving vehicles and explode them. "Though details are lacking," the Journal says, "it has been widely rumored that many tanks were blown up by dogs."

Bad for Calves

There's trouble ahead when calves make pigs out of themselves on pastures, veterinarians warn. Calves under six months of age are unable to store large amounts of grass, due to underdevelopment of the rumen. Moreover, grass is largely water and does not provide nutrients in the volume needed for rapid growth. The result, usually, is that the youngsters scour and fail to gain weight, especially if they fill up on grass and refuse grain.

Future Operation 'Haylift' Guide From Starved Sheep

Starvation experiments on sheep have turned up information that will aid stockmen in the event of another "Operation Haylift" emergency. These studies, made by veterinarians in South Africa, showed that sheep getting their first feed after several days of starvation do better on a poor ration than a good one. Sheep ate sparingly for three to five days when given a high-protein ration following a 96-hour starvation period. But when offered bulky, low-protein rations—of a type common here regarded as poor feed in the United States—the animals started to eat normal amounts immediately and regained strength much faster.

The explanation is that starvation temporarily reduced the numbers of helpful bacteria in the rumen of the sheep. Without sufficient numbers of such bacteria, normal digestion could not take place and appetite for concentrated feed was diminished accordingly. In all such cases, it is important to get a large amount of bulky feed into the rumen without delay, so as to restore rumen function. When western blizzards left thousands of cattle and sheep near death from hunger two winters ago, many stockmen learned the hard way that animals cannot be started back on full feed abruptly. Severe digestive troubles were common and in many cases were traceable to failure of owners to provide light, easily digestible rations following the extended starvation period.

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Beasts, Fish, Join Birds, Invade Air Travel Lines

The air travel market is booming with lizards and boa constrictors, cows and bears, race horses and frogs. Prior to 1940 live cargo was shipped, with few exceptions, via rail, boat and truck. It took World War II and the international transport of war materials by airplane to demonstrate the commercial potential of the flying boxcar.

Today an impressive fleet of airborne Noah's Arks is carrying everything from chickens to tropical fish, mice, and monkeys. No less than 1,150 scheduled and 15,000 non-scheduled cargo planes operate from within the U.S. alone. Animals have become such an important part of skyway traffic that the British Royal Society for the prevention of cruelty to animals has established at London airport an animal reception center and hospital, equipped with everything from oxygen tents to exercise yards.

These new "tourists," like their human counterparts, have found air travel generally comfortable, as well as fast. Recently 42 cows were flown 1,500 miles from Everett, Washington, to Anchorage, Alaska. They made the trip in a contented mood and yielded sweet milk within hours after arriving at their new home. Complete mechanization of cotton production "from seedbed preparation through storage and ginning," is the goal of the program in which 15 Cotton Belt States are cooperating with the U. S. department of agriculture, says Dr. P. V. Cardon, administrator of agricultural research. He summarizes one phase of this program as follows: "Studies in the Mississippi Delta show that 155 man hours are required to produce a bale of cotton with one-row mule-drawn equipment, and hand chopping and picking. The use of tractor-drawn equipment and a mechanical harvester reduce the man-hours to 45, and by also using the rotary hoe and flame cultivator the time was further reduced to 30 hours. If cotton production were completely mechanized and all hand work eliminated, the study indicates that a bale of cotton could be produced in the Delta with only 10 man-hours."

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Test for Stomach Cancer

An ingenious balloon test for cancer of the stomach has been devised by a group of doctors from Cornell University medical college and New York hospital, New York. A rubber balloon covered with short pieces of braided silk and attached to the end of a tube is swallowed into the patient's stomach and then inflated, the doctors say. Cells from the stomach lining cling to this balloon "brush." The apparatus is deflated and withdrawn and the cells are removed by washing in a special solution. The cells are then examined by means of the smear test.

Pillows Need Airing

Now is a good time to get all your bed pillows outside and give them the air. Either hang them on the clothesline or lay them on a sheet on the ground. Place them in the shade, as the sun's heat may destroy the natural oil in the feathers. Let them breathe the fresh air for at least a half day and fluff them up periodically. During this process, you might test them for rancidity. Push down in the center and notice whether the pillow rebounds to plump fullness when pressure is released. If not, you need new pillows. That "rebounding" quality is necessary to give proper sleeping comfort.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Eugene Long, Mrs. Luke Thompson and Mrs. Dave Ziegler visited in Lubbock Friday with Mrs. Richie. They also visited at the Memorial Hospital with Mrs. R. E. Stephens and Mrs. Bingham.

Mrs. Mattie Smith spent last week end in Amarillo with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Burson carried his mother, Mrs. Una Burson to her home in Dallas Friday. Mrs. Burson has been visiting several weeks here with relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Burson attended the ball game Saturday night.

Dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Pearl Simpson Thursday were: Mrs. J. S. Fisher, Mrs. C. L. Wilson, Mrs. J. C. Archer. Calling in the afternoon were: Mrs. R. M. Hill, Mrs. C. C. Garrison, Mrs. Wiley Bomar, Mrs. Geo. Jones, Mrs. Burbs Bomar, Robert and LaQuita Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Long, of Channing, spent Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bomar.

Bill Ray Hardcastle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hardcastle, of Meridian, who is attending Texas Tech spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bomar.

Mrs. W. T. Haley and Mrs. Bennett Haley and children, of Plainview, visited here Thursday with relatives.

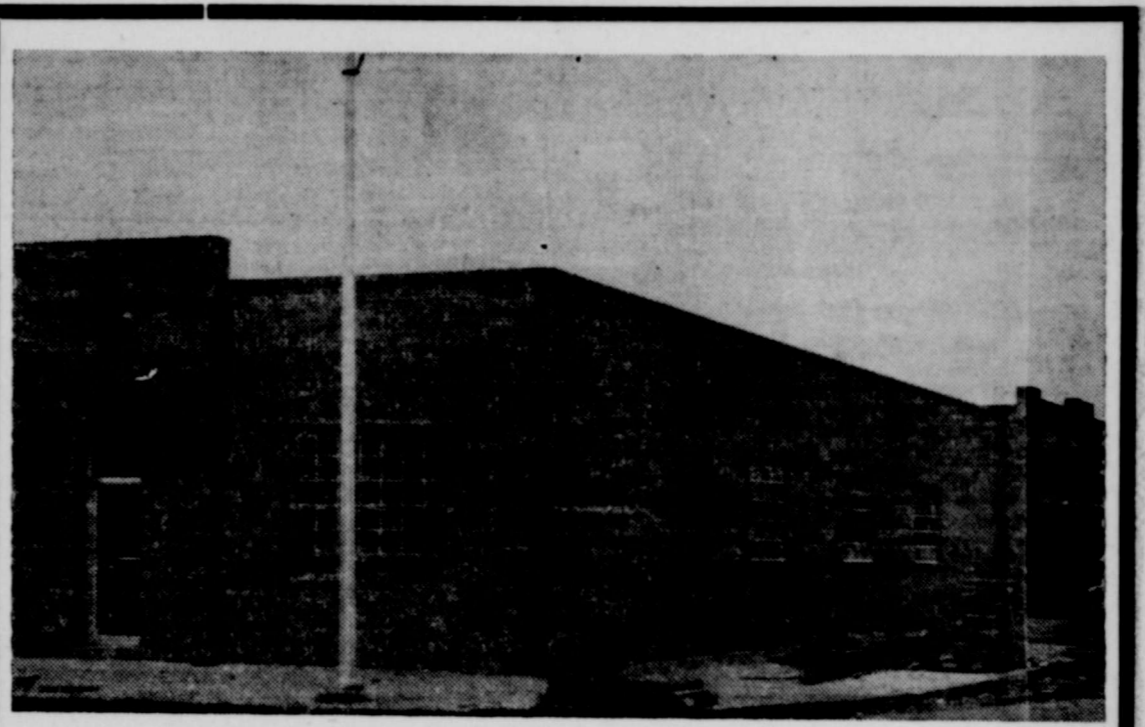
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jones and Billy, Mrs. T. D. Wallace, spent Friday and Saturday at their farm near Hollis, Oklahoma. Mr. Wallace accompanied them as far as Turkey where he visited in the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elza Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Chick Northcutt were in Amarillo Saturday. Mr. Northcutt attended a meeting of the State draft board at the courthouse there.

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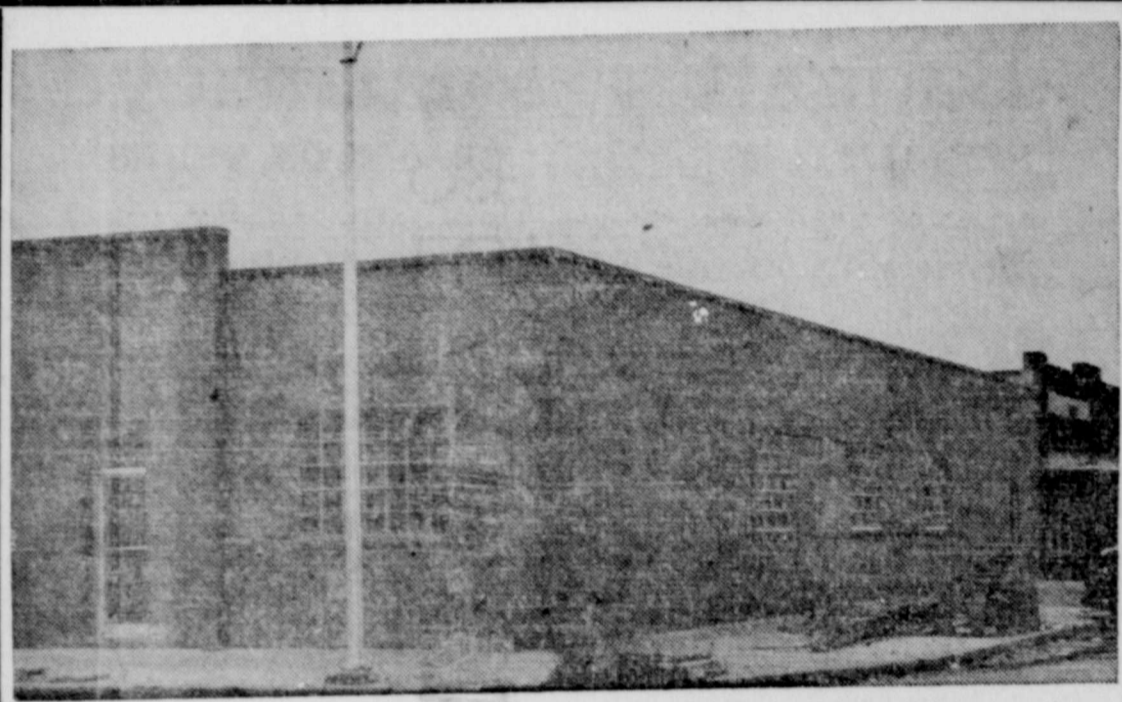
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Mrs. J. T. Gilkeyson who underwent surgery last week at the local hospital was moved home Monday. She is doing fine.

Mrs. Ruby Ellison left Sunday night for Fort Worth to visit her daughters, Mrs. Pete Hoyt and Mrs. A. G. Tadlock.

Mrs. Glenn McWilliams took her mother, Mrs. C. E. Curtis to Estelline where she boarded the train for Arlington to visit her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wakefield are in Albuquerque, New Mexico, where they will remain until the first of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Stodghill returned to their home in Birmingham, Alabama Monday.

T. C. Bomar and Johnnie Quil?ian made a business trip to Clovis, New Mexico, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Garrison spent the week end in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Coffee made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Frances Christopher, of Stephenville, Texas is visiting old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hodges have moved to the Pascal Garrison home in town, and the Garrison family have moved to the Hodges farm. A deal was closed last week between the two parties.

Flunoy Hutsell, of Abilene, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hutsell.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Reid and children, Mike and Sue, spent the week end in Dallas at the State Fair and they attended the ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Minter kept their little grandson while Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Yates attended the ball game at Fort Worth.

Mrs. Bill Middleton, of Amarillo, came for Mrs. C. R. Badgett Sunday and she was a guest in the Middleton home until Wednesday. Mr. Badgett met his wife in Tulia.

MARCH OF TIME STUDY CLUB MET OCTOBER 5

On October 5 at four o'clock the March of Time Study Club held its regular meeting.

Roll call was answered with each member telling a prize stunt of her neighbor's child. Mrs. Alvie Mayfield gave an interesting review of "Living With Teenagers" by Grace Sloan Overton.

Members present were: Miss Anna Lee Anderson, Mesdames Rex Dickerson, J. W. Lyon, Clarence Anderson, D. T. Northcutt, True Burson, Perry Whittemore, Troy Burson, Alvie Mayfield, Roy Mayfield, Johnnie Lanham, Tony Burson, and Conrad Alexander.

P. T. A. MEETS

The Silverton P. T. A. met in the high school auditorium Thursday night, October 12, for their regular meeting. The third grade gave a very nice program and also won the prize this month for having the most parents present at P. T. A. The new sound system, which is being purchased by the P. T. A. was tried out and seems to be working quiet well.

Mrs. Earl Simpson was called to Wichita Falls Friday of last week to be at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Alma York, who was critically ill. She was called home on account of her husband having the misfortune of stepping off a wheat drill and breaking his leg. He was carried to the hospital where his leg was placed in a cast, and is at his home recuperating satisfactory.

Mrs. Avis Cowart spent a few days last week in Amarillo with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burleson. Mrs. Raymond Sanders accompanied her home.

Mrs. Durward Schmidt and son, Gene, and Miss Blanche Thompson, of Lameza, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson.

Roy Bomar and C. A. Tunnell and other friends of Lubbock, left Wednesday on a deer hunt in the mountains of Colorado.

Mrs. A. M. Hill, of Erick, Oklahoma, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cantwell over the week end. Mr. Cantwell who has been ill is reported to be improved.

PERSONAL

Mrs. J. S. Brookshier, of Lubbock, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brookshier.

Clyde Wright was a business visitor in Quitaque Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Roxie H. Neely underwent surgery at the Plainview hospital last week. Her condition is very satisfactory. Mrs. Neely is a daughter of Mr. R. M. Haverty.

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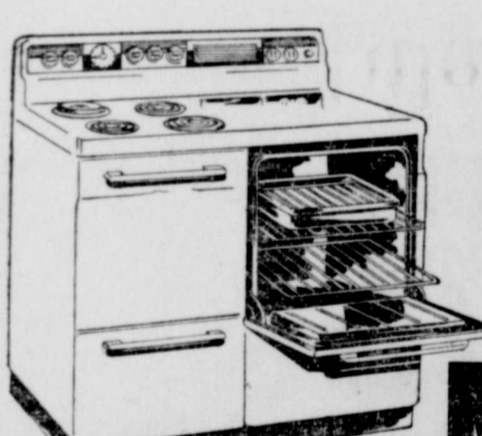
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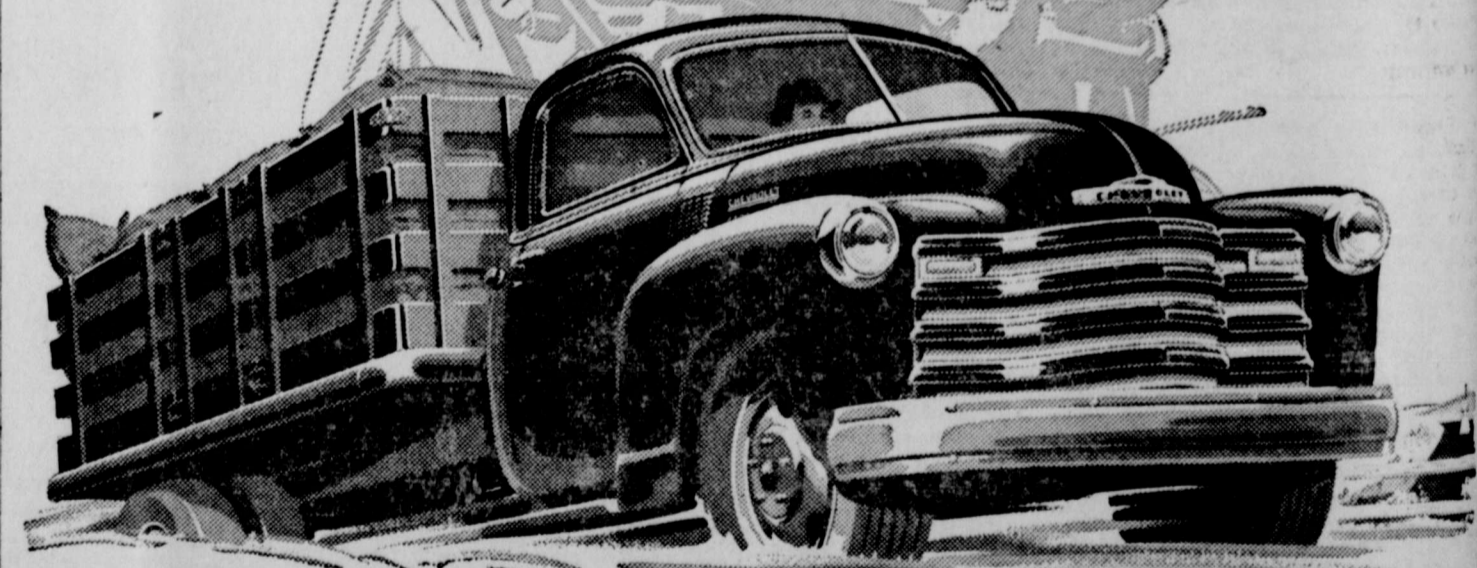
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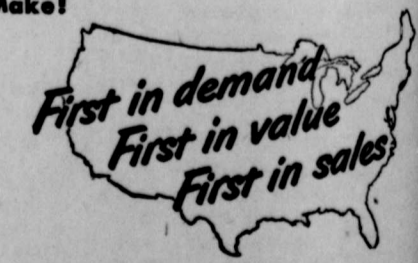
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