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Golden Wedding Celebrated By Mr. and Mrs. Dickerson

On April 3, 1904, E. C. (Bob) Dickerson and Miss Rilla Smith were united in marriage at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith, Silvertown, Texas, with Rev. Walter Griffith, officiating.

Sunday April 4, 1954, at the beautiful country home of their daughter Lillian, and her husband, Alvie Mayfield, this happy event of fifty years ago was celebrated in a great way as guests came from near and far away places to aid in this celebration and express their love and appreciation for this couple whose lives have been so closely woven for the past fifty years with the people of Silvertown and Briscoe County.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickerson desire to express to all who contributed to the pleasure of this event and for the many beautiful presents, friends and well wishers brought them. About 175 friends and relatives attended.

Out of State friends and relatives attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Meeker, Medford, Oregon, Mrs. E. C. Smith, Los Angeles, California, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Arnold, Glendale, California.

Out of Town friends and relatives attending were: Mr. and Mrs. William Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Daniel, Tom and J. E. Daniel, Floydada, Texas, Mrs. E. R. Sedgwick and Carolyn, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Sedgwick, Mr. and Mrs. Max Crawford, Mrs. Ina Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Devins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gardes and children all of Tulla, Texas, Mrs. J. N. Smith, Ropesville, Texas, Mrs. N. B. Hancock, New Home, Texas, Mrs. E. L. Dickerson, Borger, Texas;

Donald Dickerson, Amarillo, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Anthony, Happy, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyse McMurtry, Mr. and Mrs. Alen Dickerson and daughter, Lubbock, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Alexander, Hereford, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. McMurtry and Merle, Vigo Park, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith and family, Memphis, Texas, Mrs. Lend Lindsey, Spur, Texas, and Mrs. Kitty Lawler, Goodnight, Texas.



PICTURED ARE MR. AND MRS. BOB DICKERSON WHO CELEBRATED THEIR FIFTIETH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY, APRIL 4.

W. Grady Wimberly Died At Mineral Wells, April 5th

Funeral services for W. Grady Wimberly will be held today at 4 o'clock, at the First Baptist Church, with Rev. G. A. Elrod, Pastor officiating, assisted by Rev. Joe Wilson, Floydada, Texas.

Mr. Wimberly died in Mineral Wells, Texas, April 5. Surviving are his wife, two children, Curtis, Abilene, Texas, and Mrs. Harold Seefeldt of Silvertown.

The body will lie in state at the Baptist church from 3 to 4 o'clock today. Interment will be in the Silvertown Cemetery under the direction of Douglas Funeral Home.

Complete obituary will be carried in next weeks news.

April Fool Program Enjoyed By Lions

The Lions Club met Thursday April 1, in the basement of the Methodist Church. Tribute was paid to two high school seniors as students of the month of March. Wayma Callaway was the girl for the month of March, and Jack Williamson was the boy selected. After several items of business were discussed, Rev. C. R. Hankins stated that he had something he wanted to say. After he had thoroughly given the organizations that are the pride of Silvertown a working over. He revealed that it was April Fools Day and that Silvertown people were mighty fine folks and Silvertown a good place to live. Bob London and E. E. Minter were in charge of the program and had arranged for Rev. Hankins' dramatic presentation.

School Trustees Re-elected Saturday

Very few of the eligible voters were interested enough to vote in the trustee election Saturday. There were 108 votes cast. The two incumbent trustees were re-elected.

The four names appeared on the ballot in the following order, and the number of votes were as follows:

Carver Monroe, 32
Jack Harris, 24
Lowell Calloway, 66
Ronald Kitchens, 39

There were four names written in, each receiving one vote each.

A. F. Bingham
L. K. Gilkcyson
Fred Mercer
Arnold Turner.

1952 Study Club Demonstration Will Sponsor

Members of the 1952 Study Club are sponsoring a demonstration of the Whirlpool Washer and Dryer and Tapin Electric Ranges at the Seaney Hardware, Tuesday April 13, 1954, at 2:30 p. m.

Jim Duke of the Whirlpool organization will demonstrate the washing and drying. Patricia Stearns of Southwestern Public Service, will make an electric range cooking demonstration on a Tapin Range.

MRS. WANDA STRANGE RECEIVES \$75.00

Four people were honored last Saturday at the "You'll Come Day" sponsored by the Silvertown Merchants, Mrs. Wanda Strange receiving \$75.00, E. C. Strange \$15.00, Mrs. Rex Dickerson \$10.00, and Mable Turner the Silver Dollar. The sponsoring merchants were City Grocery and Badgett's Pharmacy. Mrs. Bellinger of Bellinger's Department Store had in her possession the Silver Dollar, but the dollar was not given away since no one greeted her with Hi-Neighbor which is the pass the buck pass word. Next Saturday there will be two dollars floating around some where.

Mrs. E. A. Bellinger attended a tea in Ralls Sunday afternoon.

Patsy Crass Lions Club Queen

Miss Patsy Crass, a local school senior, was chosen to represent the Silvertown Lion's Club as queen at their district convention which meets in Amarillo on April 22, 23 and 24. She received this honor, in the Queen's contest held Friday evening from 12 candidates. The girls entering the contest were: Patsy Bomar, Betty Nan Tomlin, Donna Jean Mayfield, Mary Lou Bellinger, Betty Fitzgerald, Wayma Rae Callaway, Ruby Underwood, Joni Douglas, Lucy Clemmer, Shirley Elms, Pat Redin, and last year's queen, Kay Steele.

The girls, beautifully dressed and carrying a long stemmed gladiola, entered the platform from the steps at the front of the stage, and were introduced by master - of - ceremonies, Glenn Bunch. Ralph Glover presented and crowned the 1954 queen, Miss Crass. Judges for the occasion were Neal Williams, Jim Ed Walker, Riley Armstrong, and Ernie Foster all from Plainview. Armstrong and Foster, talented musicians, entertained with several numbers. Mrs. Fred Mercer and Mrs. Mary Watson Jones prepared the decorations, and directed the queen's contest.

While the judges were reaching a decision, Joni Douglas brought accordion numbers, and the girls setet rendered three vocal numbers.

Following the queen's contest a box supper was held. George Seaney and W. H. Fitzgerald served as auctioneers, and they did a fine job with the thirty beautifully decorated boxes brought for the occasion.

Approximately \$150.00 was raised - part of it to be used to pay the queen's expenses to the convention and part to go to the Lion's Club sponsored Cripple Children's Home at Kerrville.



Thirty-Three Votes Cast In City Election

Mayor Alvin Redin was re-elected Mayor of Silvertown receiving 30 votes. J. E. Minyard was a write-in candidate and received 3 votes.

Two councilmen were elected for two year terms.

G. W. Seaney (Incumbent) 8
Conrad Alexander (Incumbent) 24
Winston Hamilton 6
Shellie Tomlin 28

Giving us one held over councilman Conrad Alexander, and one new one, Shellie Tomlin.

Dowdy's Attend Burlington Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Dowdy spent Sunday in Amarillo. After attending services at the First Baptist Church, they were guests of the Burlington Officials at a one o'clock luncheon at the Herring Hotel. This is an annual affair for the agents and their wives. While the men were attending business, the ladies were entertained with a tea in the beautiful home of Mrs. Jay Taylor.

Grand Mother Of Mrs. Jean Grundy Buried At Quitaque

Mrs. M. A. Cook, aged 93, died in Quitaque, at the home of her daughter Mrs. Gus Gibson, last Friday morning after an extended illness. Her funeral was held at 2:30 p. m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church, Quitaque, with burial in the Quitaque cemetery.

Mrs. Cook had lived in Quitaque for twelve years. She had seven living children, 34 grand children, 77 great grand children and 4 great grand children.

Mrs. Jean Grundy of Silvertown is one of the grand children.

S. E. Hudson Of Fort Worth Died March 27th.

Mr. S. E. Hudson, of Fort Worth father of Mrs. Cliff Harris and grandfather of Mrs. Boyd Bingham, died at his home on March 27th. His funeral was held at Sullivan Cemetery, near Greenville, Hunt County, on the following Sunday at 3 P. M. Mr. and Mrs. Harris attended the funeral; they were accompanied by her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holley, of Estelina. Mr. Hudson had visited here several times.

New Grocery Store

Mr. A. L. Robinson will open a Grocery Store here Saturday, April 10. It will operate under the name of Robinson Grocery and Hardware. The location will be where Mr. Robinson formerly operated a Hardware Store. The building has been redecorated. He will feature National Advertised Brands, and your patronage will be appreciated. Free Coffee and Cookies will be served Saturday.

P. T. A. Elects Officers Monday Night

Officers were elected at the regular meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association Monday night at the school. Those who were named to office are Wayland Fitzgerald, President; Scott Smith, Vice-President, M. J. Schofield, secretary; Mrs. Albert Mallow, treasurer, and Mrs. O. C. Rampley, Parliamentarian.

The new Officers and the present chairman will also serve as delegates to the district convention, April 20, in Pampa. Mrs. Fred Mercer will also attend as District Music Chairman. Any others interested are welcome to attend as visitors. Girl Scout Troop Number 1, and Brownie Troop Number 2, gave interesting programs: Mrs. Carver Monroe is leader of the Girl Scouts, Mrs. Junior Brannon the Assistant-leader, and Mrs. Albert Mallow is leader of the Brownie group.

Rev. N. D. Nettleton, Presbyterian Minister, gave the invocation. H. B. Stubblefield, Minister of the Church of Christ spoke on the "Moral and Spiritual Values in the Home, School, Church and Community." He read Romans 1: 18-32 He stressed the fact that we must accept the Bible rather than the idea of any man as the standard for moral and spiritual Training for Youth.

Everyone in the community is invited to attend the P. T. A. meetings, whether you have children or not. You are always welcome.

P. T. A. Publicity Chairman

Mrs. Hill Receives Call On Teletest Program Monday

Larry Philkins, announcer for KGNC, Amarillo, teletest program called Mrs. Bob Hill Monday afternoon. Her question was "Who gave the keynote address at the Republican National Convention in Chicago in 1952. Mrs. Hill, along with several frantic but willing neighbors failed to give the correct answer. In case you have not found out—Douglas MacArthur gave the address.

Mmes. Lewis Gilkerson, Jim Cline and Jesse Grimland were in Amarillo on Monday.

Toll Telephones

Service Now Operating

At exactly 12 noon Thursday, April 1, the switch was thrown that put toll telephone service into operation in the Silvertown area. Melvin Yancey with Mid-Plains Rural Telephone turned the switch on time. Arthur Arnold, a director of the R. E. A. made the first call to Perry Whittemore, "Collect". He had planned to call Mayor Alvin Redin, but since the Mayor was at the scene, he missed his collect call. Those present at the Bean exchange at the 12:00 o'clock tea in were: Arthur Arnold, John Lee Francis and Bill Edwards, rural subscribers and men who had worked at the job of getting rural telephones for this area. Mayor Alvin Redin, George Seaney, Hugh Nance, Fred Strange, E. W. Yancey, and W. A. Amturn all of Silvertown. Carl Dahlgren, area engineer for Rural Telephone Service, Dick Shackelford, Manager of Mid-Plains Telephone Inc., Melvin Yancey, Corkey Morris, and Parks Norris all employees for Mid-Plains. The second call over the lines was made by Mayor Redin reporting one of his telephones out of order in town. After several calls were made, the group enjoyed lunch together at Mrs. Newman's Kitchen.

Town Hall Meeting Tonight At 7:30

Tonight Town Hall will meet in the basement of the Methodist Church at 7:30. J. E. Minyard will act as Chairman. All business people are urged to be present. Some businesses have ask about th details of "You All Come", and Hi-Neighbor programs. By attending the meeting tonight April 8, you will be able to get the details first hand. Indications are that others are interested in giving tickets at their places of business. It has also been stressed that if the purchaser will ask the merchant for the tickets when purchases are made that it will be greatly appreciated. The possibilities of increasing the amount given each Saturday will also be discussed. Be present and present your views.

Vehicles Registered In Briscoe County Up To April 1

The number of vehicles registered in Briscoe County up to the dead-line, April 1 were as follows:

Commercial Trucks	414
Farm Trucks	219
Passenger Cars	837
Total	1520

This is some less than were registered at the same time during 1953.

Moisture

During the first one-fourth of 1954 there has been .14 moisture recorded in Silvertown, according to Ray C. Bomar, local recorder. The records show it as Jan. .00, Feb. .00 and March .09. During March Bomar recorded some 14 inches and .02 hundredths. About 23 inches is normal rainfall for Silvertown. Last year we were 9 inches below normal. The question is when will it start catching up.

Red Cross Drive Nearing Quota

The Red Cross fund drive for Silvertown has reached \$426.00. The drive now lack's only 41.50 of Silvertown's portion of the \$700.00 county quota. Silvertown was to raise two-thirds and Quitaque one-third. Wayland Fitzgerald and Ben Whitfill who were handling the drive in their communities have not turned in their collections to-date. It is believed that these two communities will finish the Silvertown quota.

FRED MERCER ELECTED MANAGER OF SILVERTON BASEBALL CLUB

A meeting was held at Simpson Chevrolet Co. Thursday night of last week for the purpose of organizing the Silvertown baseball club.

The following officers were elected. Fred Mercer, Club Manager; Conrad Alexander, Executive Manager.

J. L. Self and Conrad Alexander attended the league meeting Saturday night in Tulla.

**TAXES ON LONG DISTANCE
TELEPHONE CALLS REDUCED**

Congress has reduced the tax on long distant telephone calls. The tax has been 25% on all such calls which amounted to over 25 cents. The tax was cut to 10% effective April 1.

Postman Pays a Call



Photo by E. J. MINTER
Mrs. William H. Vaughn, 102 years old, of Silvertown, has a particular reason to remember one recent visit from Rural Mail Carrier Willie H. Tension. He delivered a letter from President Eisenhower, congratulating Mrs. Vaughn on her recent birthday.

Family Reunion In The Home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Word

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Word were host and hostess to a family reunion Sunday, April 3. A bountiful dinner was served to all the Word brothers and sisters except one, Mrs. Noel Moore of Williamsburg, Kentucky. Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. John Buth, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Word and girls, Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Word and sons, Hereford, his father, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Word Silverton, a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ramsey and baby, Quitaque, the host and hostess, W. O. Word and family.

THELMA MERCER FULTON PRESENTED IN VOCAL RECITAL SUNDAY, APRIL 11

Thelma Fulton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mercer will present a vocal recital Sunday afternoon, April 11 at 4:15 P.M. in the Main Auditorium of the Administration Building at West Texas State College in Canyon. Mrs. Fulton will be accompanied and assisted by Mary Helen Demus, pianist, also of Canyon. Mrs. Fulton is a vocal student of Royal Brantley of the music department of West Texas State College, and has appeared in several musical programs this year, and is a soloist for the First Methodist Church of Canyon. Last year, Thelma sang the role of Fiodiligi in the Opera Workshop production of "Cosi fan Tutti" by Mozart. Thelma takes this opportunity to invite all friends and those interested in music to attend.

ATTEND CHURCH IN PLAINVIEW SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Brannon attended church services at the Date Street Baptist Church in Plainview Sunday. Rev. A. C. Hamilton, Pastor of the church is leading the singing and Rev. Walter Bryant, Pastor at the Rudiosa, New Mexico, Baptist Church is doing the preaching. Mr. and Mrs. Brannon enjoyed the services and singing very much.

Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney visited her nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Adcock, in Amherst on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Adcock, of Odessa, met them there. V. C. Adcock is a brother to Mrs. Seaney and the father of J. V. Adcock.

The Seaneys stopped in Plainview for a short visit with Mrs. M. C. Strickland. She is doing very well.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tennison and James visited their daughter and sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Denson and children, at Anton, on Sunday.

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Sunday Dinner Guests Of Mr. And Mrs. Will Smithee

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee included Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Meeker, of Medford, Oregon, Messrs. and Mmes. Bob Dickerson and Gordon Montague and son, Teddy Gail Hancock, Silverton. After the Meekers and Dickersons had gone Mmes. J. N. Smithee, of Ropesville, and Billy Hancock, of New Home, came unexpectedly and ate their dinner. Will Smithee and Mmes. Meeker and Dickerson are brother and sister; Mrs. J. N. Smithee is their sister in law. Mrs. Montague is a daughter of the Will Smithees. Mrs. Hancock is the daughter of Mrs. J. N. Smithee.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Amel Smithee and children of Memphis, were supper guests of his parents, the Will Smithees, Sunday evening.

ATTENDING GINNERS CONVENTION IN DALLAS

Messrs. Shelley Tomlin, Norman Strange and Don Brown are attending the Ginnners Convention in Dallas this week. Enroute they stopped at Byers and were joined by Mr. K. M. Fleming who is a partner in the local Tomlin and Fleming Gin Co.

ATTENDING MEETING IN FORT WORTH

Messrs. Alton Steele and Milton Dudley left Sunday morning to go to Fort Worth to attend the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association which convened there this week.

HOPES TO BE ABLE TO GO DOWN TOWN SOON

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hodges spent last week in Lubbock where he had a physical examination and treatment. Their daughters, Mmes. Arnold Turner and Yrmon Garrison took them down, for the examination and took turns staying with them while there. The party stayed in the home of Miss Jewell Hodges. Mr. and Mrs. Hodges came home Saturday and he thinks he is able to go down town soon.

Mr. Bud Hodges and Mrs. A. L. Drummond, of Houston, and Miss Jewel Hodges, of Lubbock, spent the week end here with their parents. Mrs. Drummond and Bud Hodges remained here through Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Poe, of National City, California, and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Poe and Sammy, of Wichita Falls, were week end guests of Mrs. Bud Brooks two weeks ago. Mrs. Poe is a sister in law to Mr. Brooks and she remained here until the following Wednesday. Mr. A. N. (Stump) Brooks, of Oakland, California, arrived here on Monday, March 29th, for a two weeks visit with his mother, Mrs. Bud Brooks, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sweek and family and Miss Joy Ann Gatewood spent the week end with relatives in Mineral Wells. R. E.'s mother, Mrs. J. B. Sweek, returned home with them for an extended visit.

Mr. H. A. Cagle visited friends and relatives in Childress on Sunday.

Genuine CHEVROLET PARTS at Simpson Chevrolet Company.

MR. AND MRS. REX HOLT VISITED RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Holt and children returned on Friday from a three weeks trip to California. They visited various relatives and many places of interest to sight-seers, including Catalina Island. They returned via Grand Canyon. Say they saw lots of dirt, snow and ice but had a nice trip and enjoyed it very much.

Mr. and Mrs. George Long and children attended the wedding of Miss Susie Farrish and Mr. Fat Frizzell, in Lockney, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Long and Mr. Frizzell are sister and brother.

Mmes. H. A. Morris and Roy Morris and Arnold were in Floydada on Monday to visit an oculist.

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MRS. CRASS VISITS EARL

BROCK'S AT DIMMITT Mrs. Edwin Crass spent a recent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brock, at Dimmitt, The Brocks are former Silverton residents. Mrs. Brock recently underwent major surgery and is not regaining her strength nearly so fast as she would like.

Mrs. Crass went on to Clovis the following day and visited her Cousin and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hutchins on Thursday and Friday.

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MR. AND MRS. CLAY FOWLER HAVE OUT OF TOWN VISITORS THIS WEEK

Mrs. Andrew Payne and Miss Roberta Payne, of Hinsdale, Montana, and Mrs. Pete Quiring, of Fort Peck, Montana, arrived on Sunday for several days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Clay Fowler. Mrs. Bertie McDonald is also a visitor in the Fowler home. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McClendon, of Lubbock, were Sunday guests of the Fowlers. Mmes. Payne, McDonald and Fowler are sisters and Hugh McClendon is their brother.

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Veteran's Questions And Answers

Q—I applied for disability compensation, and the VA turned me down. I filed an appeal. Would I be entitled to a hearing, so that I could appear in person and argue my own case?

A—Yes. You would be entitled to appear, without expense to the Government, at a formal hearing. You also could bring recognized attorneys or representatives you may designate.

Q—I'm a World War Two veteran taking a correspondence course under the GI Bill. My entitlement is due to run out, but I've completed more than half the course. Will I be allowed to finish, even though I won't have any entitlement?

A—Yes, provided that your eligibility ends after you have completed satisfactorily more than half the lessons required by the course. The extension, however, will be limited to the number of lessons that \$125 will buy.

Q—Is it possible for a World War Two GI Bill trainee to change his course, even though the cut-off date has passed?

A—It is possible to change a course while in training, but only for reasons satisfactory to VA. Such reasons might include not making adequate progress in your present course through no fault of your own wanting to change to a course more in keeping with your aptitudes, or if the new course is a normal progression from the one you are now taking.

Q—Does VA make direct GI loans to help veterans start a business?

A—No. Direct GI loans may be made by VA only for the purpose of buying or building a home or farmhouse, and then only in certain areas where private capital is not available.

MR. AND MRS. JOE SMITH VISIT AT HEREFORD

Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith, Sr. were Sunday guests of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith, Jr., Ann and Van, at Hereford. The entire party attended morning services at the Episcopal church in Hereford. In the afternoon the ladies and children visited friends; the men visited Mr. Claude Higginbotham who is a patient in the Hereford hospital. Mr. Higginbotham is a Briscoe county pioneer and lived in the Silverton area many years. He and Mrs. Joe H. Smith, Sr. are cousins.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wilmeth and Miss Anna Lee Anderson took Mrs. R. L. Campbell to Hereford Sunday afternoon where she will visit for a while with Miss Roberta Campbell. Mrs. Campbell is an aunt of Miss Anderson and Roberta Campbells mother.

Mmes. Jeff Simpson and Susie Wallace were overnight guests of relatives in Turkey on Friday. They attended the Junior Class play at the Turkey high school Friday evening; their nephew, Jan Turner was in the cast.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Holt, of Alamosa, Colorado, visited his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mercer, and other relatives here several days last week. They are moving to Amarillo to make their home.

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Clyde A. Harris Appointed Loan Officer For Veterans

Clyde A. Harris of Lubbock, who has been serving as Assistant Loan Guaranty Officers of the Veterans Administration Regional Office since it was activated in 1946, has been appointed Loan Guaranty Officer to succeed Charles M. Harvin, who retired on January 1, 1954, Robert W. Sisson. Manager announced today. Clark P. Logan, Chief Loan Service and Claims, who has been with VA since 1946, was appointed Assistant Loan Guaranty Officer, Sisson stated.

Prior to Mr. Harris' entry into active military service in 1941 he was auditor of the American National Bank, Amarillo, Texas. He served with the Bank from August 1924. He entered reserve military work in 1922 with the 131st Field Artillery; was commissioned in 1932 and entered active service as a First Lieutenant.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Womack took their grand daughter, Le Anne Womack, to her home in Plainview Sunday afternoon. Le Anne had been here two weeks having a bout with measles and is not yet entirely recovered.

Mrs. D. E. Travis, of Estelline, has been here the past two weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Travis and getting acquainted with the new grandson, Gary Lynn Travis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gibson and Pam, of Sunray, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens and children.

Mmes. Ray C. Bomar, Keith Tiffin and Arnold Brown attended an OES meeting in Plainview on Saturday.

Silverton Cafe

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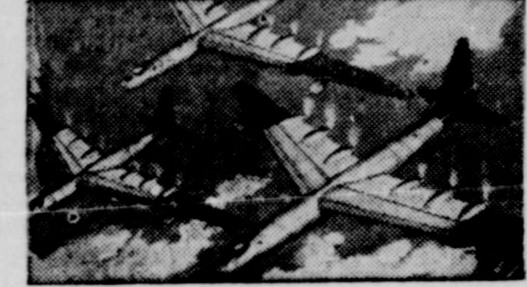
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Advertisement for Phillips 66 Flite-Fuel. Includes the Phillips 66 shield logo and the text: 'GET PHILLIPS 66 Flite-Fuel FOR YOUR CAR'. Below the logo is a box with 'We Are Always At Your Service' and 'FARMERS STATION Alvin Redin'.

Advertisement for Typewriters & Adding Machines. Lists R. C. Allen, Burroughs, and Remington. Also Machine Work and Office Furniture. For repairs on your machines contact Briscoe County News OR.

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Advertisement for Hillson & Nichols Lumber Company. Features an illustration of a house under construction. Text: 'YOU CAN MODERNIZE YOUR HOME WITH AN FHA Title Loan No Down Payment—36 mo. to pay SEE US FOR ESTIMATE BUILD A NEW ROOM OR A NEW BATH ROOM WITH FIXTURES COMPLETE PAINT JOB RE-ROOF YOUR HOUSE BUILD A YARD FENCE Hillson & Nichols Lumber Company Silverton, Texas Phone 2421'.

Advertisement for Lydia Pinkham's Compound. Text: 'SO UPSET BY "CHANGE OF LIFE" CREAMED AT MY HUSBAND!' writes Mrs. A. W., New York, N. Y. 'Now I don't suffer from "hot flashes" and nervousness, irritability'... 'Suffered 7 years - then I found Pazo - brings amazing relief!'... 'There's new power, new performance and new economy in both 1954 Chevrolet engines—the "Blue-Flame 125" in Powerglide models and the "Blue-Flame 115" in gearshift models. And they bring you the highest compression ratio of any leading low-priced car. That's why they can deliver a big gain in power, acceleration and all-around performance, along with important gasoline savings! Your test car's ready now... We'll be glad to have you compare the smooth, quiet performance of this new Chevrolet with any other car in its field. Come in and put it through any kind of "proving ground" test you care to, and judge its performance for yourself. Your test car's ready now and we hope you are, too.'

Large advertisement for Chevrolet. Text: 'Make your own "proving ground" test'. Features an illustration of a 1954 Chevrolet. Text: 'Chevrolet is out ahead in powerful performance' and 'Chevrolet is out ahead in economy'. Includes the Chevrolet bowtie logo and 'Simpson Chevrolet Company Telephone No. 3201 SILVERTON, TEXAS'.

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MAMA HAS HER SAY

The World As I See It

Doris Amburn

People just can't seem to understand, why we would want to leave our nice little nest and take up newspaper work in a small town. Of course, I came because my husband thought it was what he wanted to do, the opportunity had knocked and he made up his mind to lift the latch and see what opportunity had to offer. After being out of the printing business for eight years, there is one thing he has gotten plenty of and that is work and long hours. The burdens of

a weekly in a small town can become heavy, but he still insists that he enjoys every minute of it. I didn't realize that this would offer so many opportunities for service, and that there would never be a dull moment. We have much to learn about this business so that we can serve this area in a better way, but at the present, though content with things as they are, are looking forward to bigger and better things for this section of the Panhandle of Texas. It is only as we learn the people and situation peculiar to this section that we can be of service to you, that is outside the ordinary realm of gathering and reporting local news. Already we feel the same kind of joys for you as a parent does when a

child goes forward, excels, or just plain does well. I can't go from home to home, from farm to farm, and point out that so-and-so lives here, and point out your accomplishments but I hope to someday.

My heart swells with pride though every time I come over the little hill approaching our lovely little town. It is located in a beautiful spot. It already means joy, peace, and contentment for me. I want the best for our town—the highest morals, the best kept homes, a pretty business district, interested and active citizen working for its welfare. I believe we can have them all here.

Speed No. One Killer Of Motorist In Texas

AUSTIN. — Heavy-footed Texas motorists, whose tendency to push to hard on the gas pedal of their cars has made speed the Number One traffic killer in the State, are going to face the newest scientific device which has been designed to keep them—and others—alive by checking their rate of travel.

Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, announced today in Austin that the Highway Patrol Division of his agency has secured three Radar Speed Meters and that they will be put into use shortly in selected areas of the State.

He stated that the use of the Radar machines will be a far cry from the old concept of "speed traps" and that the public will be adequately acquainted with their locations.

The machines, said to be accurate even beyond the reliability of an auto speedometer, will be operated by members of the Patrol who have been specially schooled in their use.

The first public tests of the equipment will be made later this week in the Harlingen area and judges, prosecutors and members of the press will be invited to try their hands at "beating the machine".

Garrison said that similar public demonstrations would be made in other areas at intervals before the devices are actually utilized to catch speeders.

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Jim Ed Waller, a Plainview product was born July 2, 1922, and was educated in Plainview Public school system.

He attended Wayland College and the University of Georgia.

He joined the Plainview Lions Club in 1946 and was recognized immediately for his enthusiastic service to his club. He was handed responsibilities early in his membership serving as Secretary - Treasurer, Director, 2 years in the Vice-Presidencies, climaxed by his election as Lion President.

He has four perfect attendance awards, has attended two international Conventions as an official delegate, has attended several District conventions and is a Life Member in the Texas Lions League for Crippled Children.

In addition to being a tireless Church worker, Jim Ed is one of Plainview's outstanding citizens, having served in responsible positions in the Red Cross, Salvation Army, Community Chest, Boy Scouts, March of Dimes, Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development.

Officials of the Hale County Bank have arranged for sufficient time for Jim Ed to pursue the duties of District Governor should he be elected, and they heartily join the Plainview Lions Club along with the entire community in endorsing Lion Jim Ed Waller for the Governorship of District 2T-1 Lions International.

Notice To Bidders

Notice is hereby given that Caprock Soil Conservation District 126 will take sealed bids for the sale of Hudson Stock Power Sprayer. Bids will be received until noon on the eleventh day of May, 1954. Bids will be opened May 12, 1954.

This Hudson Power Sprayer tank has a capacity of 150 gallon. Model No. 86150, Serial No. 550-6686, compressor unit, gas motor, pump, tank, 6.00 x 16 tires, hose and nozzle.

Caprock Soil Conservation district reserves the right to reject any and all bids. This sprayer may be seen at Mac's Texaco Station in Silvertown, Texas. 11-4tc

Political Column

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries the Briscoe County News has been authorized to announce the following candidates for the office set above their names.

District Attorney
110th Judicial District
John B. Stapleton
County Judge and Ex-Officio
County Superintendent:
J. W. Lyon, Jr.
(For Re-election)
For Sheriff Tax Assessor and
Collector:

Raymond K. Grewe
(For Re-election)
A. L. (Switch) Morris
Johnnie Lanham

County and District Clerk:
Dee McWilliams
(For Re-election)
County Treasurer

Mrs. Annie J. Stevenson
Commissioner:

Precinct Number 1

H. A. (Dick) Bomar
(For Re-election)

Lige H. (Dud) Watters
Commissioner:

Precinct Number 3

J. L. (Shorty) West
Alton Steele
(For Re-election)

Commissioner:

Precinct Number 4

O. M. (Milton) Dudley
Roy S. Brown

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Amburn

attended a birthday dinner Sunday for Mrs. W. A. Amburn, Sr., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Jackson of Floydada.

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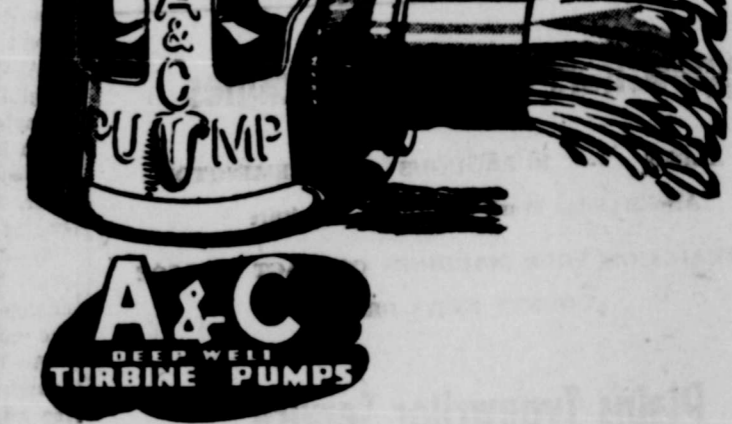
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PLUMBING SERVICE advertisement for Jimmy at 2551 Vardell Laundry.

Stop Taking Harsh Drugs for Constipation advertisement for Dr. Caldwell's Senna Laxative.

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... and Jim Edd ... to Mineral Wells on ... to return home their ... Mrs. Alton Steele who ... there for some time ...

... and Mrs. Ray Teeple were ... on Thursday of last

AMARILLO GUEST IN COFFEE HOME SUNDAY

Messrs. and Mmes. Roy Bege- man and Edgar Coble, of Ama- rillo, where Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Coffee. Mr. Begeerman is a brother to Mrs. Coffee; Mrs. Coble is a sister to Mr. Coffee.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Donley Darnell and son of Vigo Park called on the Coffee's.

Messrs. and Mmes. Carol Davis, of Lubbock, and Norlan Dudly and Joan, of Petersburg, were Sunday dinner guests in their parents home here Sunday. Mrs. Milton Dudley and Connie took the Davis' home Sunday evening and remained over night in Lub- bock. On Monday afternoon they went to the Norland Dudley home in Petersburg and were over night guests there. They returned home Tuesday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stephens included: Messrs. and Mmes. Herbert (Shine) Stephens and children, of Turkey; Bud McMinn, C. M. Chappell and Elbert Stephens and sons. Herbert (Shine) Stephens is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stephens.

DUDLEY T. DOUGHERTY ANNOUNCES FOR SENATE

AUSTIN, Texas—Rep. Dudley T. Dougherty of Beeville official- ly announced his candidacy Tuesday for the Democratic nomination for the U. S. Senate. Dougherty paid his filing fee of \$100 to the Secretary of State and officially entered his name in the primary election in July. He was elected to the Texas House of Representatives from Be County in 1932.

He served in the Army during World War II from Jan 13, 1943, until Dec 13, 1945. Dougherty was a rifleman with a reconnais- sance squadron in the 17th Mech- anized Cavalry, attached to the 3rd Army of Gen. George Pat- ton.

ATTEND WEDDING AT LOCKNEY

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Long were week end guests of her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Grimes, at Littlefield. They returned via Lockney Sunday afternoon and attended the Far- ish — Frizzell wedding.

Mrs. T. M. Marshall went to Plainview Monday afternoon to pick up Mrs. Carl Lewis who accompanied her to Lubbock where they were over night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mooney. Mrs. Marshall is the mother of Mmes. Mooney and Lewis.

Pvt. and Mrs. Raymond Reeves left for El Paso on Friday of last week after having visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Free- land Bingham, and other rela- tives in this vicinity for several days. Pvt. Reeves is stationed at Fort Bliss.

Mr. C. R. Eliot, of Monday, Texas, and his sister, Mrs. Flor- ence Summers, of Eddy, Texas, were over night guests of Mrs. J. S. Fisher on Tuesday. These folks are close friends of long standing.

Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Vardell, of Slaton, spent Friday night here. They came up to return home their children who had spent the week with their aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sweek and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stevenson spent Saturday night and Sun- day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Meeks, at Hedley. They returned by Antelope Sun- day afternoon and visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allard.

Messrs. A. H. (Stumps) Brooks of Oakland, California, and Dean Allard spent Sunday and Mon- day in Fort Summer, New Mexi- co, with Messrs. Lee Stevenson and Shot Allard.

Mr. Garner Guest and son, Bill, spent several days here with Garner's mother, Mrs. Falba Guest, last week. Mrs. Guest who has been ill for some time is still not feeling too well.

Mr. J. B. Lanham, who has been in failing health for a long time is not doing too well, so Mrs. Lanham says. They are both glad to have their friends call.

Mrs. George Long, Nancy Kay and Nicky Wayne visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Boyter and children, in Amarillo on Thursday and Fri- day of last week.

Mrs. Clyde Lightsey was able to return home last Friday. She recently underwent surgery in the Plainview hospital but is recovering satisfactorily.

Messrs. Frank and Andrew Boston, of Lubbock, visited Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Heckman and family Saturday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mercer and Mrs. Jim Mercer spent from Fri- day until Monday in El Paso with Pvt. Jim Mercer who is stationed at Fort Bliss.

Mmes. Edwin Davis, Don Brown and Norman Strange were shopping in Plainview on Mon- day.

Mrs. H. A. Cagle shopped in Plainview on Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Zeigler were dinner guests in Quitaque Sunday evening honoring their son in law, Jimmy Pointer, on his birthday anniversary.

Miss Janis Turner, Helen Vaughan, Peggy Lanham and Donna Mayfield and Messrs. Buf- ford Clemmer and Joe Wayne Brooks, of WTSC, Canyon spent the week end here with their parents and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wilson have moved their house from one block north of the old gin to a new location in south west town, across the street east of the A. H. Jackson home.

Mrs. C. L. McWilliams, Sr. is spending a visit with her daugh- ter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bingham and children in Kress this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Tye, of Paducah, were Sunday guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Davis, Diane, Barbara and Jim.

Mmes. Dan Montague and Ray Teeple were in Lubbock shopping on Monday. The Teeple children spent the day with the Raymond Teeples of Lone Star.

Mrs. Dee McWilliams and chil- dren and Mrs. Arnold Brown and children enjoyed an outing at Bursen Lake Sunday.

Mrs. Elbert Stephens took her daughter and grand daughter, Mrs. Milton Thornton and Rhonda Sue, to their home in Odessa over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Garvin and son spent a recent week end with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lavelle Blassen- game and daughter.

Mmes. D. E. Brown and Ray C. Bomar and Mr. Howard Brown transacted business in Amarillo last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hopkins, Dale and Patty Hopkins, of Gal- lup, N. M., parents of Mrs. Bud- dy Travis, spent from Saturday through Monday of last week here in the Travis home.

Mrs. Fred Lemons spent sev- eral days last week with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Johnson, of Plainview, who was ill. She is some better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tomlin and daughter of Friona, were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Tomlin.

Mmes. Bruce Womack and H. Roy Brown were business visi- tors in Tulsa and Plainview on Monday.

Must Be Bad

If you succeed in life, you must do it in spite of the efforts of others to pull you down. A help- less man arouses a neighbor's sympathy, and people find ways to help him. But let him get an honest job, become self-support- ing and give semblance of be- coming a citizen, and the story is reversed. People are willing to help a man who can't help himself, but as soon as a man is able to help himself, and does it they join in making his life as uncomfortable as possible. There is absolutely nothing in the idea that people are willing to help those who help themselves. That is why merchants in towns like Kalls cannot drive Cadillacs, even when they can afford them. Let a local business man show signs of prosperity, and his customers switch to other stores. They want a man to live; they do not want to see him prosper. A man will buy a product made in New Jer- sey when he could buy a cheap- er product made and old at home. His only compensation is that a profit has been made in Newark by a person he doesn't know, while if he bought the home town product, a neighbor he envies may receive a profit. —Ralls Banner.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Datis Martin and chil- dren were Messrs. and Mmes. Wayland Fitzgerald and family, Earl Cantwell, Elton Cantwell, James Henderson, Merle J. Mon- tague and children, Fred Arnold and sons and Ray Teeple and children and Mrs. Dan Montague.

Mmes. Elbert Dickerson and Robert McPherson shopped in Plainview on Saturday.

Mrs. Ray C. Bomar transac- ted business in Memphis Monday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn were called to Hale Center on Wednesday afternoon of last week on account of the illness of their grandchild, the son of Rev. and Mrs. Travis McMinn, who had been quite ill for several days. They returned home that night; the baby is recovering sat- isfactorily.

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HOW ABOUT A DATE? NOPE!

LISTEN, BETTY, IF YOU KEEP SAYING "NO", I'LL HURL MYSELF OFF A TWO-HUNDRED-FOOT CLIFF!

THAT'S ONLY A BLUFF!

Panhandle Press Meets April 9 And 10

The Panhandle Press Association will hold its 45th annual convention in Amarillo next Friday and Saturday.

Louie Freeman of Jenks, Okla., known as Oklahoma's rural philosopher, will be the principal speaker at the annual banquet Friday night. Douglas Meador of the Matador Tribune will be master of ceremonies.

Some of the other feature talks during the two day meeting are: "Is it Necessary to Please Everybody", Ernest Joiner, Ralls Banner, State Legislation, J. C. Smith; Ways to Serve the Advertiser, H. J. Howell T.P.A., Vern Stanford.

The convention will end with the presentation of awards and election of officers at the annual Amarillo Globe-News luncheon Saturday noon.

METHODIST VISIT BAPTIST SUNDAY NIGHT, APRIL 6

Services at the Methodist Church were dismissed last Sunday night. Rev. Hankins and his congregation visited the Baptist congregation, who are holding a revival. Rev. Cecil Rhodes is doing the preaching. Rev. G. A. Elrod pointed out that this was a customary procedure.

OPERATION ON SHOULDER

Bobby Baird had an operation on his left shoulder at the Plainview Foundation and Clinic on Monday. The shoulder bone injury was sustained in playing football during Bobby's high school days. It is thought that he is doing fine and the shoulder will be o k after this time. Bobby is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Baird.

Mrs. C. L. Cowart, Miss Eunice Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cowart were in Amarillo on Tuesday.

Presbyterian Pastor Will Be Installed April Twentieth

Plans have been made by the Presbytery of Amarillo for the installation of N. D. Nettleton as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Silverton. At a meeting in Amarillo last Friday, at which C. D. Wright and Nettleton were present, the General Council of the Presbytery received Nettleton as a member and ordered the installation to take place on Tuesday, April 20 at 7:30 P. M. The Rev. T. Winston Wilbanks, minister of the First Presbyterian Church of Canyon and moderator of the presbytery, will preside at the service. Other members of the presbytery who are ministers of Presbyterian churches in this area also will be present and participate.

The services next Sunday, April 11, begin with Sunday Church School at 10 A. M. The pastor's class for young people intending to unite with the church meets at this hour for its final session. The morning worship hour at 11 will emphasize the entry of Jesus into Jerusalem amid waving palm branches and the hosannas of the crowd. The young people will meet at 6:30. The final Inquirers' meeting of this series will be held at 7:30 p. m. At this time the sacraments of the church will be discussed. How a person joins a Presbyterian church will be outlined. The public is invited to all these services.

DALE MARTIN HYATT

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hyatt, Jr., of Plainview, are the parents of a baby son, Dale Martin, born Sunday evening, April 4th, in the Plainview hospital; the young man weighed 5 pounds, 11 1/2 ounces.

Grandparents are: Messrs. and Mrs. W. J. Hyatt, Sr., Silverton and H. G. Brink, Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Hyatt, of Tulsa, are the young man's great grandparents. This is the first child of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hyatt, Jr. and the ninth grand child for the W. J. Hyatt, Sr. Mrs. W. J. Hyatt, Sr. and Mrs. Wiley Bomer, Jr. were in Plainview Monday afternoon to visit Dale Martin and his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jackson had as their guests over the weekend, Mrs. Jackson's nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Margerum of Dallas.

Mr. Harry Seed, of Hereford, was a guest of his sister in law, Mrs. Clyde Wright, and Mr. Wright, Sunday afternoon.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 10

CLIPPED WINGS

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Huntz Hall
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SUNDAY & MONDAY April 11, 12

SIEGE OF RED RIVER

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TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY April 13, 14

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Nicole Murrey

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GARY DON FERGUSON ARRIVED MONDAY

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ferguson at 5:30 A. M. Monday of this week in the Briscoe County Hospital. Gary Don is the grand-son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Estes of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ferguson of Quitaque. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ferguson also live in Quitaque.

Shafe Weaver went to Dallas on Saturday for examination and probable medical treatment. Mrs. Weaver and the children remained here.

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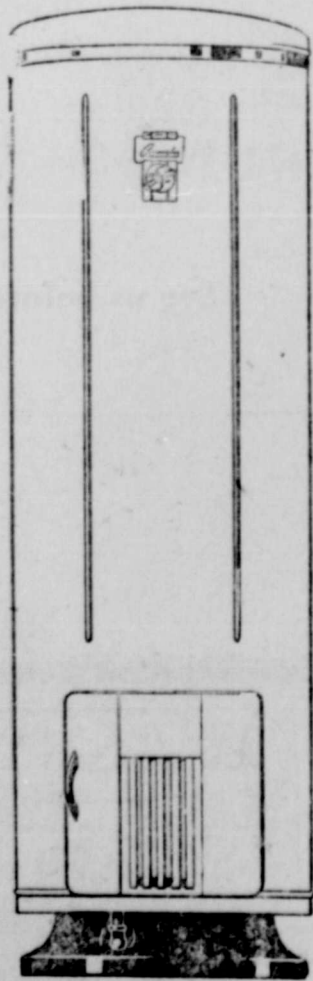
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