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School Building Bond Election Expected Soon

A petition asking for the present tax rate to be increased from \$1.25 to \$1.50, and the issuing of bonds in the amount of \$200,000.00 is being passed in Silvertown this week.

The school board in previous discussions had planned to only use \$150,000.00 at present and keep the other \$50,000.00 in case the segregation problem is stressed.

The board was to meet last night with a representative from the Rauscher and Trick Company in an attempt to set the date for the election. The election judge and other officials have already been named. Also meeting with the school board will be Ted Reid of Canyon, who is school consultant for the firm of Wilson-Patterson Architects of Ft. Worth. A tour of schools who have undergone similar building programs was made by Superintendent M. G. Moreland, Carver Monroe, Board President, Albert Mallow, Chairman of the Finance and Building Committee, accompanied by Ted Reid. They visited Hereford, Friona, Farwell, Muleshoe, Olton and Hart, and studied their recent school building programs. They inspected both gyms and classrooms.

Farmers Union Hold Meeting

The Farmers Union of Briscoe County met Tuesday night in the County Court room with 25 members present.

At this meeting two delegates were selected to go to meet with the Legislature in Washington. These delegates will present the farmers needs and have direct conferences with law-makers and heads of departments.

R. E. Brookshier and L. A. McJimsey were appointed to represent Briscoe County and will leave for Washington on February 25.

The next meeting of the Farmers Union will be held on February 22 at 7:30 in the basement of the Methodist Church. Refreshments will be served. All farmers and their wives are invited to attend this meeting, whether you are a member of the union or not.

Mrs. E. J. Duncan who is ill in the Plainview hospital was reported doing fine by Mr. Duncan.

Silvertown Girls Win District In Basketball - Boys Lose

Roy Allard Injured When Horse Fell

At his home near Brice about four o'clock last Sunday afternoon Roy Allard had a horse fall on him breaking his right leg. Roy crawled and dragged himself several hundred yards up a hill to the house. As he neared the house he called to Mrs. Allard and she drove the car close to him and helped him into it. They went to a hospital in Memphis where it was feared that amputation would be necessary.

Enroute to the hospital they met their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Shafe Weaver and children and Lem Weaver who had been to the Weaver farm at Brice. The Weavers went to Memphis with the Allards.

Both bones were broken in Roy's right leg just above the ankle; the ankle was also broken. There was a compound fracture and the bones stuck through the flesh and also his boot. At the Northwest Texas Hospital, where Roy was taken by ambulance, the bones were set, using three bolts to hold them. Mrs. Allard accompanied Roy to Amarillo.

Roy's mother, Mrs. W. Allard and the Weavers went to Amarillo on Monday. Shafe remained there over night. Messrs. C. O. Allard and Dean Allard, brothers, and Perry Whittemore, a brother in law, were in Amarillo to see Roy Monday evening.

MID-PLANS TO ISSUE DIRECTORY

Mid-Plains Telephone Inc. have announced their plans to publish a directory for their users. A representative will be in Silvertown soon to contact merchants for advertising to be placed in the directory. The date of its publication will be announced at a later date.

Silvertown Owlets are District Champions of District 9 winning their final game from Lakeview on Monday night by a score of 60-46. Sharon Gilkeyson was high in points, scoring 30. Pat Redin scored 17 and Sue Smith 13. Durrett of Lakeview made 24 points and Rankin 13.

The girls previously defeated Estelline by a score of 52-38, and were defeated by Lakeview by a score of 60-56.

The Owlets will meet McAdoo, winners of district 10, in a Bi-District game the place to be determined later. The date of the game will be either February 22 or March 1. The regional tournament will be played in Canyon at the Buffalo Gym and will be held March 4-5. If the girls defeat McAdoo they will be entitled to enter the regional tournament.

Members of the 1955 team are: Pat Redin, Sharon Gilkeyson, Sue Smith, Gaylyn Caloway, Janet Reynolds, Zobia Self, Edwina Breedlove, Barbara Grabbe, Patsy Bomar, Carla Weaver, Carlye Monroe, Betty Fitzgerald, Gwenlyn Paige, Patsy Brannon and Mike Reid Managers. Coach Euddy Travis.

Silvertown Owls lost the District Tournament to Quitaque boys. Silvertown won their first game from the Lakeview boys by a score of 102-35. They met Quitaque in the second game, Quitaque winning by an 8 point margin. In the third game Silvertown defeated Estelline by 12 points, and in the final game with Quitaque on Saturday night, lost by a six point margin -- 62-56.

BASKETBALL GAMES SCHEDULED

Games have been scheduled here by both boys and girls for Tuesday night February 22 with the Roosevelt Teams. The game with the Roosevelt girls, winners of District 6 and the Silvertown girls winner of district 9, is not a conference game but will be of championship quality.

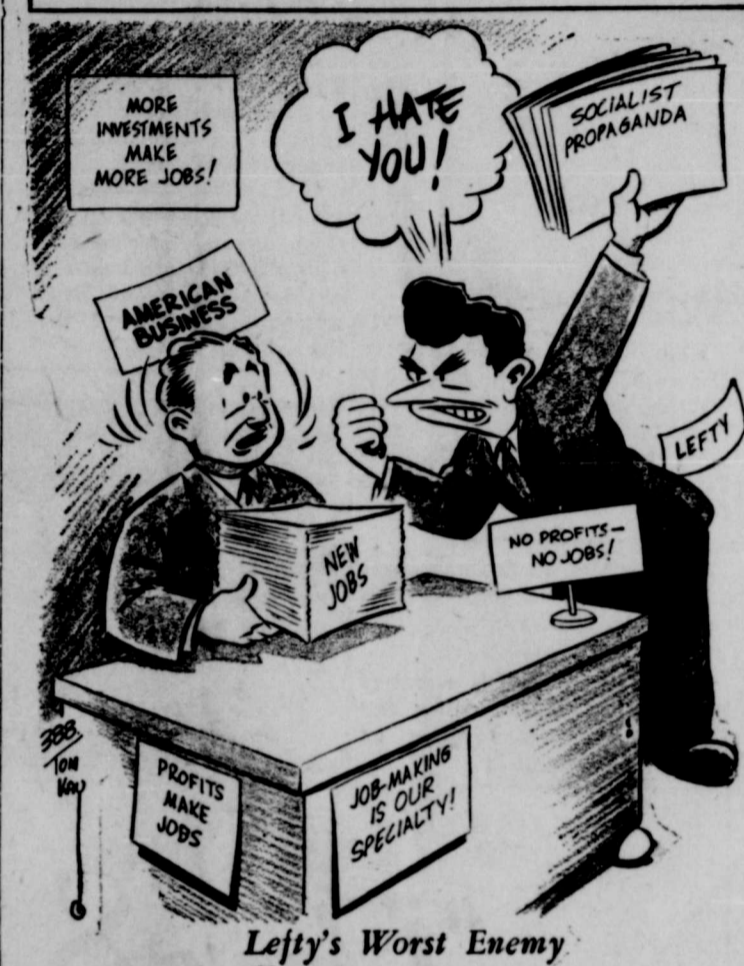
The Silvertown boys will meet the Roosevelt boys in the first game which will begin at 7:30. The girls game will follow immediately.

Billy Tension Receives Scholarship To Vanderbilt

Billy Tension, who will receive the Bachelors Degree from Howard Payne College at Brownwood, in May, majoring in the science of chemistry, biology and physics, has been awarded a scholarship to Vanderbilt University at Nashville, Tennessee. The scholarship includes tuition and a nice salary as well, while he pursues work toward the Master's Degree. The scholarship includes 9 months of residence study at Vanderbilt, and three months at the Government project at Oak Ridge, Tennessee. He would also do work in Industrial Hygiene and Radiological Physics.

Billy had planned to enter Medical school after his graduation from Howard Payne. Billy's dad feels that this is too good an offer to pass up, though it would delay his plans for a year. Billy graduated from Silvertown High School with the class of 1951, and is not yet 21 years old. He married Miss Darlene Borrowers last Thanksgiving. She is also a student at Howard Payne.

THE AMERICAN WAY



Lefty's Worst Enemy

Expenditures Of The State Highway Department In Briscoe County

From the Office of State Andy Rogers - Austin, Feb. 11 - A check on State Highway Department records has revealed that \$77,132.26 was spent by the department on Briscoe County highways during the fiscal year 1954, Senator Andy Rogers, 30th District, of Childress, announced this week.

This was part of the whopping \$3,531,666.01 allocated and spent in the 15 counties of District 30 during the period, he said. Of the amount spent in Briscoe, \$34,640.42 was for construction of new highway and \$42,491.84 for maintenance of existing road.

"And the benefit we get from this money in the 30th District is increased by the fact that ours is a rural area and the money goes for actual highway construction rather than for fancy and expensive traffic-routing devices," Sen. Rogers said. "While the effect of these tremendous expenditures is good and much needed, it is plain that highway appropriations for the state must be ever larger if Texas is to keep pace with other progressive states in the building and maintenance of good road systems."

The immediate future needs of Briscoe County are taken into account in the \$197,993.17 worth of contracts signed for jobs that are now underway, and the \$241,206 planned for near-future construction.

Joy Stodghill Received \$25.00 Award Saturday

Joy Stodghill received the \$25.00 award Saturday in the You All Come Day Program. Her ticket was stamped by Wayne's Grocery and Market.

Mildred Burson, with a ticket stamped by Wayne's Grocery and Market, received the \$15.00 award. Dave Ziegler, with a ticket stamped by Nance's Food Store, was not present to receive the \$15.00 award.

Ima Jo Bingham, with a ticket stamped by Silvertown Auto Parts, received the \$10.00 award.

Morris' Twelve Children Attend 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morris of Silvertown who were honored by their twelve children on their 50th wedding anniversary last Sunday, were married at 8:00 o'clock on February 14, 1905.

The serving table was laid with a cut-work cloth of white and pale blue. The centerpiece was of yellow jonquills arranged around a clock showing the time of their marriage. Coffee and spiced tea with slices of the wedding cake were served to the many friends and relatives who called during the afternoon between 2 and 5 o'clock.

The children presented their parents with a set of pottery in the wheat pattern and a set of Revere Ware. A number of extra pieces of the pottery was brought by the well-wishers who called, as well as a number of other beautiful gifts.

The twelve children born to this union, and all living, include: Roy Morris, Silvertown; Mrs. Charlie Wunnant, Spokane, Washington; Lee (Pete) Morris, El Monte, California; Mrs. J. L. Webb, Silvertown; Mrs. Johnnie Bailey, Fort Worth; Mrs. Jimmie Sullivan, Roseburg, Oregon; Mrs. Woodroe Grimland, El Monte, California; Mrs. Lee Laymon, Fort Worth; Mrs. Glen Green, Amarillo; Mrs. Bill Heron, Fort Worth; Mrs. Kenneth Autry, Cushing, Oklahoma; and Alvie Morris, Silvertown.

There are 19 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren.

YOUTH FOR CHRIST TO MEET AT METHODIST CHURCH

The Youth For Christ will meet at the Methodist Church at 7:00 P. M. Saturday night. An interesting program has been arranged, and all young people are invited to attend.

Mrs. T. C. Bomar is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Kitty Lawler, in Doodnight.

Final Preparations Underway For Junior Fat Stock Show on February 25th.

Public School Week In Texas Announced For March 7-12

The Public Schools Week in 1954 was the occasion for 1,325,000 Texans to go in person to visit their nearest public school. Reports on the outstanding success of this statewide visitation program indicates that parents are taking a great deal of interest in their schools. Adult citizens are becoming more and more aware of the great educational enterprise in which we have invested our most valuable assets; the young boys and girls who will occupy places of responsibility and serve as ever more useful citizens of Texas in the years ahead.

In resolving unanimously to designate March 7-12, 1955, as fifth annual Texas Public Schools Week, your State Board of Education is joined with the Governor, both houses of the Texas Legislature, the Texas Citizens' Committee for Public Schools Week, and many organizations interested in education. I am glad to have this opportunity to praise especially the work of the Texas Citizens' Committee, state and local. By promoting closer cooperation and understanding between the schools and communities, the citizens serving on these Committees continue to brighten the outlook for public schools throughout Texas.

All of us whose job it is to work for the constant improvement of the public schools must continue to recognize the importance of keeping the management and control of education close to the people. Only by keeping close to their schools can local citizens meet their important responsibility of providing the best possible educational opportunity for the boys and girls of their community.

Texas schools will be good schools just so long as Texas people keep themselves informed about their schools, striving constantly for their improvement. Working together, we can succeed in our efforts to establish for all Texas children and educational opportunity that will be second to none.

Ray Thompson Implement Company Equipped To Serve

Ray Thompson Implement Co. announces that they now have a new truck and implement trailer, equipped with hoist, to better serve the farmers of this community.

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For further merchandise and services provided by the Ray Thompson Implement Company check the advertisement of the John Deere dealer else where in this paper.

Your Heart Association says: "Your 'systems' may or may not mean heart disease. Don't guess and don't worry. See your doctor and be sure."

Briscoe County 4-H and F. F. A. Boys are making final preparations getting their stock ready for the Junior Fat Stock Show to be held at Silvertown on February 25. Boys with calves, hogs, and sheep are busy in the afternoons getting their animals ready for the big show. Last year over \$400.00 of prizes were given the winners.

The show is sponsored by the Briscoe County Junior Livestock Show Association. True Burson is president, W. E. Schott is superintendent.

T. L. Leach, Professor of Agriculture is the judge. All the animals that are to be shown in the competition will be visited by a sifting committee prior to the show to see that all animals are the very best.

Reports over the county indicate that the calver are the fattest and more uniform than ever in history. All competition here will be strong. The barrow show promises to be the best hog show here ever. It is felt that the barrows to be shown will do well in the big shows that come later. All the boys are anxious to have the biggest crowd possible to root for their individual entries. Mothers, Dads, Sisters, Brothers, and all the uncles and aunts are coming. We will be looking for you too.

4-H Club boys with calves are John and David Schott, James Roy Brown, Jerry Brannon, John Howard Burson and Melvin Cobb of Quitaque.

Boys exhibiting hogs will be Jerry and Wayne Stephens, Bobby Crass, John Mercer, Jimmy Smith, David Tipton, Joe Jasper, Jerry Reynolds, Dewey Estes, Joe Kitchens, Charles Cowart, Joe Anderson, all of Silvertown and Verlon and Randall Hamilton, Bennie Reagan, Jonnie Helms, James Starkey, Sammie Johnson, and Robert Monk, of Quitaque. All the barrows will have to weigh 170 pounds.

City Gives Go-Head To Highway Dept.

The City Officials have given the State Highway Department the go-ahead on the curbing, guttering and paving of Highway "66" through the city of Silvertown. This sounds good to our ears and before long will be good for the eyes. Not only will it eliminate much of the mud and back-up water, but will give more of a city lock to motorists passing through.

While the construction crew is in town would be a good time for other blocks to get together and put down the curbs and paving.

We're on the move. Things are happening around here, let's keep the ball rolling. Two new homes have been started only recently, one in the south part of town belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McJimsey, and one on the highway belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Hall. There are several others in the planning stage. A progressive, growing town, is a good town to live in. Spring will soon be here, let's paint-up and fix-up and clean-up our town.

Play In Basketball Tournament At Kress

The boys and girls Junior High Teams will enter a tournament this week end beginning on Friday at Kress. Silvertown teams will meet Muleshoe teams in their first game.

THE AMERICAN WAY

"I do not know a book which gives in such compact and poetic form every phase of human ideas as the Bible."



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Famous Russian's Evaluation Of The Bible



The World As I See It

Doris Amburn

We may spend a little time occasionally, but not much, on the theory that the best things in life are free. I get so bothered and hurry around so much to take care of the necessities in order to make a living and attend to the household chores, that I don't have time to enjoy the things that are free. But if you'll think about it, the free things are the ones that bring the most contentment.

As a little girl I didn't have the beautiful plastic doll furniture and houses, and the many other little things made today, which were then just a little girl's dream; neither did I have skates, nor a bicycle, and plenty of jingling money for childhood fancies; but I did have some big shade trees that provided limbs to climb, and to make a trolley on, and to provide the refreshing coolness on a hot summer day to sit and chat with playmates, or make mud pies or mansion playhouses out of sticks and bricks.

Since no pay amusements were in our little town, we enjoyed the companionship of friends and relatives. What could be more enjoyable than an evening of games and visiting, making ice cream or going fishing. In the teen-age years reading, typing up my collections, or sewing — and of course dreaming dreams.

These things brought peace of mind and contentment, and I very seldom got restless for things I couldn't have, though as the high school years came on there were many chances for outside activities, which I engaged in and enjoyed. Their usefulness came only as they served to broaden my education through experience.

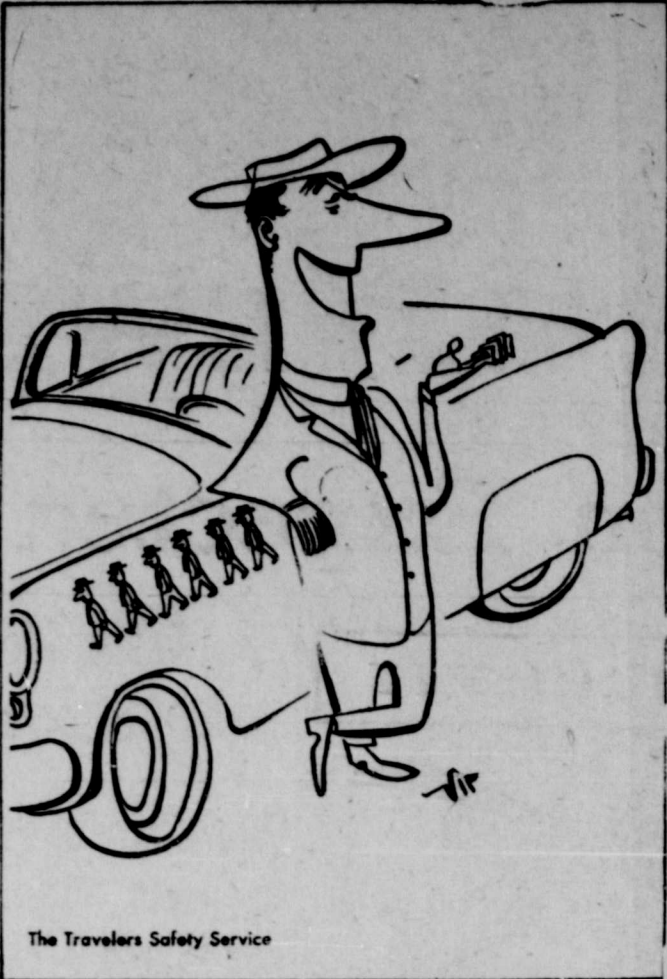
I console myself at times when the cares seem too much, that if it were my lot to be left with none of these world's goods, I could still find enjoyment, I hope, in the now luxury of reading, sewing, visiting, browsing through libraries and bookstores, and other things that wouldn't cost a penny. The beauty of our land is free, the companionship of friends is free, the love of God is free.

In one of Edgar A. Guest's articles several years ago, he wrote "Don't short change on the little things of life."

Don't get me wrong though, I do believe in progress and in amusements which we enjoy today, that is to a certain extent — but only to that point where we can still take time out to be still — and enjoy it.

Mrs. Iris Mae Graham, of Amarillo, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Allard.

Passing Scene



The Travelers Safety Service

"How many pedestrians have you bagged?"

ARRIVED HOME FROM JAPAN

Billy Don Stevenson, teleman third class, USN, arrived in Silverton Saturday evening for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James O. Stevenson. Billy Don is a grandson of Mrs. Minnie Stevenson and of Mr. J. F. Cowsar. He has recently returned from Yokosuka, Japan, where he served at the U. S. Naval Communication Facility.

RETURNED HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley and Connie visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Norland Dudley and Joan in Petersburg, Saturday afternoon. Joan returned home with them and spent the week end here. Mr. Dudley took her home Monday morning and transacted business in Petersburg.

Mrs. Florence Fogerson and Mr. and Mrs. Ware Fogerson, Diane and Stanley spent the week end in Matador, guests of Mrs. Ware Fogerson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Day.

During the past 30 years, medical science has learned more about diseases of the heart and circulation than in all previous centuries combined. To speed research, support the 1955 Heart Fund.

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Princess To Be Chosen For Lubbock Jr. Fat Stock Show

Lubbock, Texas, Feb. 14 — For the third consecutive year, two attractive Princesses will be chosen to reign during the South Plains Junior Fat Stock Show, Lee York, chairman of the show's entertainment committee, has announced.

Each 4-H Club and F. F. A. Chapter in the area may enter a young lady as a contestant and a Princess will be selected to represent each group.

As official hostess during the 22nd annual regional show to be held here March 14-16, they will be on hand during each judging event to present ribbons to the boys with winning livestock and they will also appear at the annual barbecue to present awards and checks, York said.

Winners of the two previous contests were F. F. A. Princesses, Patsy Mills of Abernathy and Kay Robinson of Plainview; and 4-H Princesses, Jennie Lou Redman of Post and Brooksey Alexander of Plainview.

Of the 800,000 persons who die from diseases of the heart, about one-third are below the age of 65, reports your Heart Association, sponsors of the 1955 Heart Fund.

Mmes. Carl Crow and Clarence Anderson and Susan spent last Wednesday night with relatives in Oklahoma City. Susan goes there monthly to see Dr. McBride and this was a routine trip for her.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Crow spent a recent week-end with relatives in Temple, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Steve Duncan is a patient in the Plainview Foundation and Clinic, having gone there on Friday for treatment.

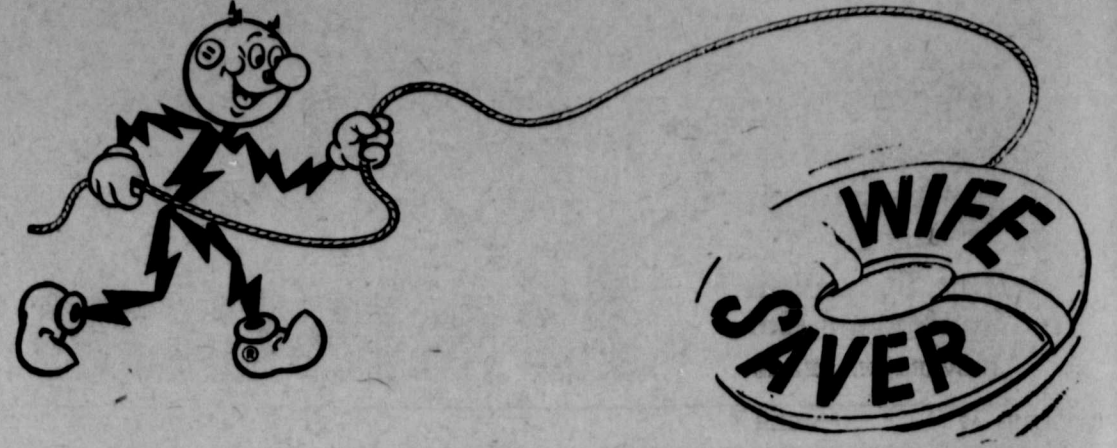
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6. "The electricity cost is surprisingly low."
7. "The electric dryer gives me more leisure time."
8. "It's a big help in Spring house-cleaning time for freshening draperies and bedspreads."



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Veterans Questions And Answers

Q — I plan to convert my GI term insurance policy to a permanent plan. Will I have to send VA a new list of beneficiaries, or will beneficiaries already named carry over to my permanent insurance?

A — It is not necessary for you to submit a new list of beneficiaries when you convert your insurance. The beneficiaries you have named originally will carry over to your permanent insurance. You can, of course, change the designation of beneficiaries at any time you desire.

Q — What is the time limit for filing a claim for an allowance to cover the burial costs of a veteran?

A — A claim must be filed within two years from the date of permanent burial of the veteran.

Q — I have just been released from military service. Will the Veterans Administration help me find a job?

A — Job-finding assistance is outside the scope of VA's activities, as defined by law. Employment placement is a function of the Veterans Employment Service of the U. S. Employment Service. Any local State Employment Office can give you further information.

Q — I intend to buy a house with a GI loan. I have approached a lending institution, and it requires a down payment. Are down payments mandatory under the law?

A — The law itself does not require a down payment on a GI loan. However, since private lenders do make the loans, they have the right to make decisions as to terms and down payments.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Dickerson transacted business in Floydada on Friday.

Vic Vet says



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Notice! To The Public

It has been brought to our attention that a lot of people are not familiar with some of the laws governing taxation. Some people are under the impression that they are to list only the items suggested by the assessor. The assessor merely makes these suggestions as an aid in making your rendition. It is the duty of the taxpayer to list all of his or her real and personal property. Personal property consists of goods and merchandise of every description, Shop equipment, cafe equipment, office equipment, automobiles, trucks, jeeps, or any other motor vehicle, trailers, irrigation pumps, tractors, and all other farming equipment, Horses, cattle, sheep, and hogs. Persons owning only an automobile are required to list same for taxation.

The law requires the taxpayer to render his property for taxation by listing the same, making oath thereto, and delivering the same to the assessor, whose duty it is to enter the said property on the tax rolls. If a property owner fails to render property to the assessor, the assessor has the authority to assess the property at what he considers to be the true and full value and place the same on the unrendered roll.

Back assessments of property which has not been assessed or rendered for taxation may be made for any previous year. Therefore, we feel that it is to the advantage of the taxpayer to know his or her duty in regard to rendering property for taxation.

We suggest that if we fail to contact you for your rendition, you should make it a point to render your property in order to protect you against back assessments and carry your part of the tax load.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank each of you for your cooperation in the past.

CITY TAX DEPARTMENT
STATE & COUNTY TAX DEPARTMENT
SILVERTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT TAX DEPARTMENT

John Henry Crow, of Dallas, son of Mrs. Carl Crow, underwent a gall bladder operation last Friday. He is thought to be responding satisfactorily to treatment.

Some forms of heart disease can be prevented and a few can be cured, according to your Heart Association, sponsor of the 1955 Heart Fund.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith and baby, Charles, of Douglas, Kansas, arrived here on Saturday for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mercer, and other relatives.

Other Sunday guests in the H. C. Mercer home included: Mr. and Mrs. Kit McDaniel, Jr. and children, of Hale Center, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. McCarty and Glenna, of Phillips, Messrs. and Mmes. J. E. Minyard and daughters, Joe B. Mercer, Frank Mercer and family and Mr. Fred Mercer, of Silvertown.

Drive carefully and save your life for your old age.

MOVED TO LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Thompson, Darrell and LaGunn moved to Lubbock last Friday. They will make their new home at 3104 Harvard.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Rampley were Sunday guests of his niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Baxter, at Lone Star.

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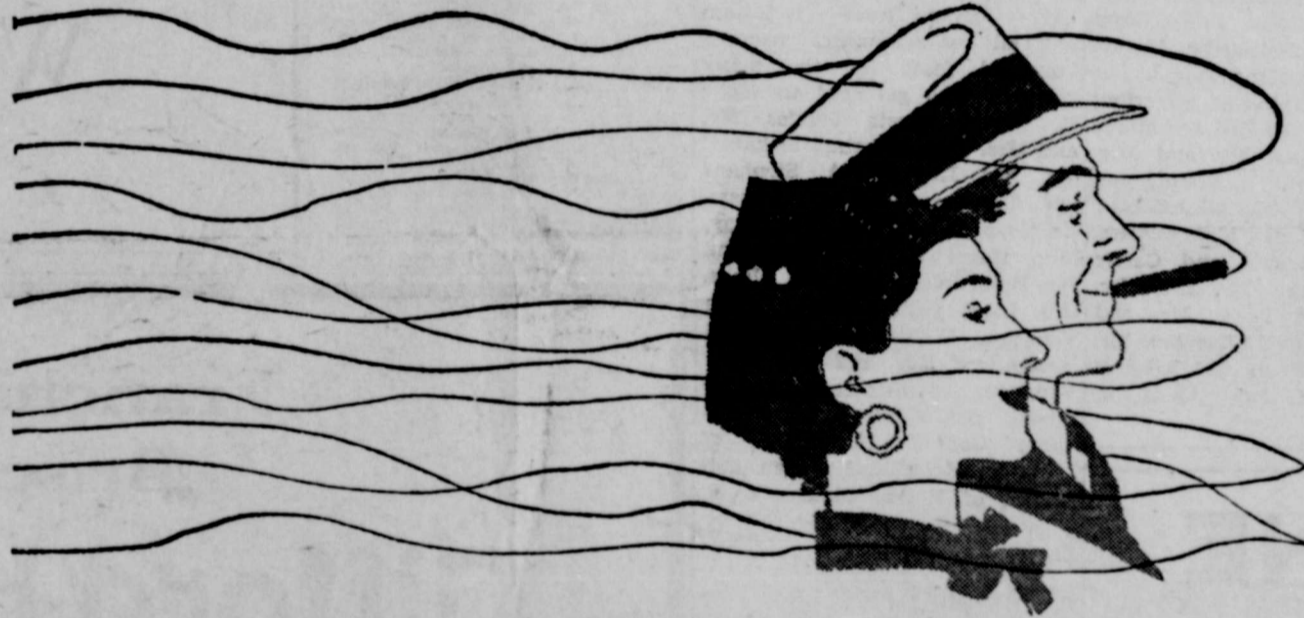
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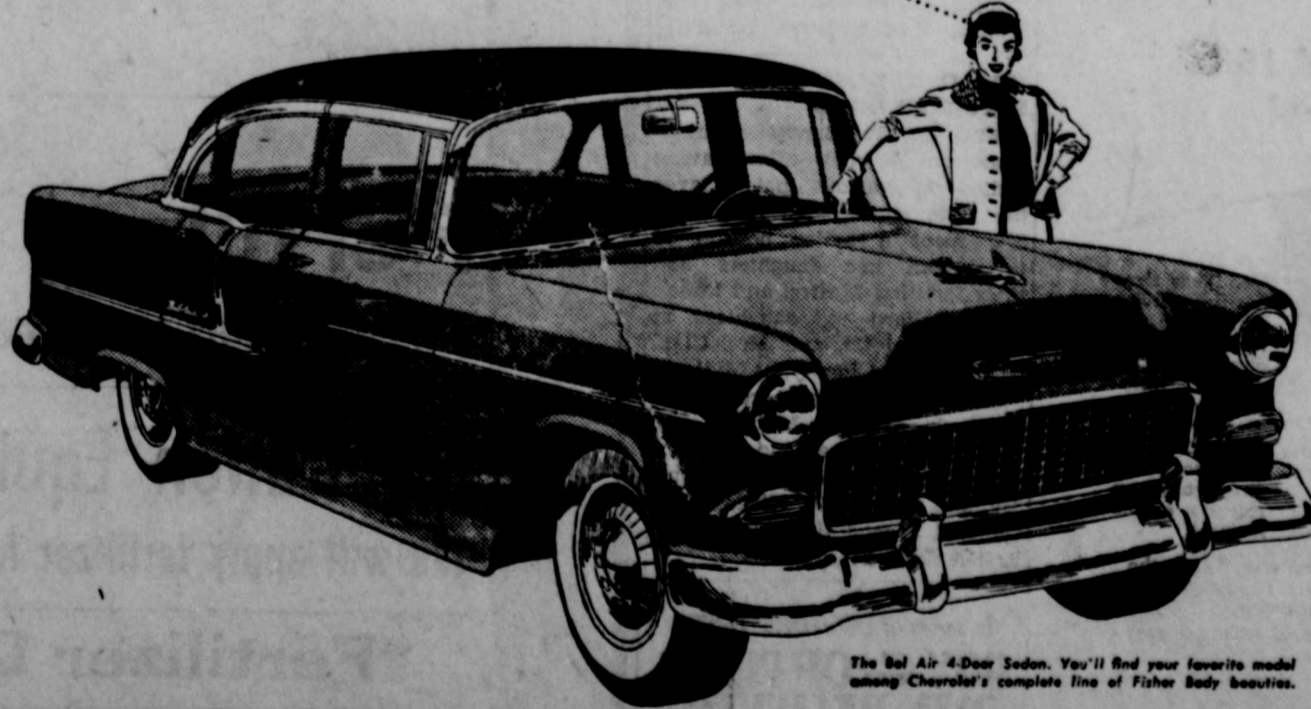
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Shower Honors Mrs. Robert Ledbetter

The ladies of the Methodist church met for a Valentine Party and a pink and blue shower, honoring Mrs. Robert Ledbetter, on Monday February 14.

The Valentine theme was carried out. The table was covered with a red and white heart shaped center piece.

Mrs. Hugh Nance and Mrs. Arnold Turner served coffee and Valentine cake squares.

Mrs. Glenn McWilliams and Mrs. E. E. Posey had charge of the games.

Mrs. Robert Hill with the help of Susie Hill pulled a red and white wagon loaded with gifts to Mrs. Robert Ledbetter. Those attending included: Mmes. C. R. Hankins, hostess, Arnold Turner, Paula Carroll Turner, S. R. Turner, R. M. Hill, Robert Hill, Miss Susie Hill, Robert Ledbetter, M. G. Moreland, Hugh Nance, Fred Simpson, Flora Dickerson, E. F. Posey, Glenn McWilliams, Jennie Fisher, Ralph Glover, Cecil Brown, James Davis, Wayne Crawford, and Miss Sandra Hankins.

The Home - Study Club Topic

The March of Time Study Club met on February 9 in the Club Room in their regular meeting.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. W. E. Schott, Jr., who presided over the business meeting. The program theme was "The Home". Mrs. Roy Mayfield was the hostess.

The invocation was given by Mrs. W. E. Schott, Jr. Roll call was answered with my pet peeve at home. Mrs. D. T. Northcutt, read a paper on "How to be a Good In-Law". Mrs. Roy Mayfield brought a paper on "Courtesy of Prime Importance". The program theme was "The Home". Mrs. Roy Mayfield was the hostess.

A report from the Federation Counciler, Mrs. Marvin Montague concluded the program. Those attending were: Mrs. Clarence Anderson, Mrs. True Burson, Mrs. Rex Dickerson, Mrs. Warner Reid, Mrs. W. E. Schott, Jr., Mrs. Marvin Montague, Mrs. Roy Mayfield, Mrs. Fred Mercer, Mrs. D. T. Northcutt, Mrs. Conrad Alexander, Mrs. T. T. Crass, and Mrs. J. W. Lyon, Jr.

TRY A NEWS WANT AD

Kirby-Perkins Wedding Performed

In a double ring ceremony performed Sunday afternoon at 2:00 O'clock in the home of the groom's parents, Miss Virginia Kirby of Tullia became the bride of Leonard Perkins of Silverton.

Miss Kirby is the daughter of Mrs. Myrtle Kirby of Tullia. Mr. Perkins is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perkins of Silverton.

Rev. G. A. Elrod, in the presence of many friends and relatives, performed the wedding ceremony.

Attending the young couple were Mrs. Robert Davis, sister of the bride, from Tullia as matron of honor; and Donnie Perkins, brother of the groom of Silverton, as best man.

A reception was given in the Perkins home following the ceremony honoring the couple. The white-tiered wedding cake, topped with a bride and groom, and decorated with pink rose buds, was served with coffee to the guests.

Miss Kirby attended Tullia Public School and Mr. Perkins attended Silverton Schools. They will make their home on a farm near Silverton.

Guests attending the wedding included: Mrs. Esther Mcleland, Rose, Charley and Beatrice of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Perkins of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, Bobby and Elizabeth Ann of Tullia, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Black, Eddie and Larry of Tullia; Mrs. C. L. Poe, Tommy, and Warren Lee of Tullia, Miss Emily Kirby of Tullia, Monnie, Viola, Jimmy and Jerry Perkins of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Perkins, Joyce and Ruby of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Perkins, Donald, Floyd, Tommy, and Kathy of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Denham, Otha and Jackie of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall, Louise, David and Mike of Kress, Mr. and Mrs. James Stout and Children of Amarillo, Marion Perkins of Silverton; Thomas Lee and Walter Perkins of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hill and children of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Hotchkiss, Connie and Debbie of Tullia, Mrs. Joy Cooper and Monty of Tullia, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jones, Marvin and Carrie Sue of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dobbs of Tullia, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davis and baby of Silverton, Mr. Jay Jones of Silverton.

Vic Vet says

AGE ALONE IS NOT ENOUGH TO QUALIFY WORLD WAR I, WORLD WAR II AND POST-KOREA VETS FOR NONSERVICE CONNECTED PENSION. THEY MUST BE TOTALLY AND PERMANENTLY DISABLED WITH INCOMES BELOW A CERTAIN AMOUNT.



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Ruth Class Will Meet Friday Night

The Ruth Class of the First Baptist Church, Mrs. G. A. Elrod teacher, will meet at the church for a business meeting and social hour at 7:30 Friday evening. Lois Walker will bring the devotional. Elvira Weeks, class president, will conduct the business meeting.

After the business meeting two films will be shown. "The DuPont Story, in technicolor, an epic film portraying the exciting story of DuPont and America, with a star cast, and "This Is Life", also in technicolor, a story of the meat industry, will be shown for the class and their husbands and any visitor who would like to see the picture.

Mrs. Mary Martin and Mrs. Diamond Williams will serve as hostesses.

Honored With Birthday Dinner

Mr. John Vaughan was honored with a birthday dinner in the home of his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Henderson and family, at Lockney, on Sunday. Baked turkey and ham and all the trimmings made a bountiful feast for the many relatives who gathered to enjoy it. Other guests besides Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughan included: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stephens and Grandma Vaughan, Messrs. Ed Vaughan and Eural Vaughan, Mrs. Mabel Welch, Ronald and Joe Brannen, Messrs. and Mmes. Bill Long and children, Veral Vaughan, Walter Brannon and family, and Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Vaughan, of Silverton; Sidney Rogers and children, of Plainview; Conrad Henderson, of Lockney; Herschal Vaughan and family, of Hollis, Oklahoma.

Program On Citizenship

The 1952 Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Bean, on February 12. After a short business meeting Mrs. Junis Hutsell introduced the program on citizenship. Mrs. J. L. Self gave a talk on Texas Criminal Law. Facts about the Texas Government were given by Mrs. Joy Wood. Mrs. Sam Lusk gave a number of points for a good citizen.

Refreshments were served to fifteen members present, including: Mrs. Nelda Teeple, Mrs. Don Eason, Mrs. Billy W. Garvin, Mrs. Larue Garvin, Mrs. Rex Holt, Mrs. Philip Smitherman, Mrs. Bob Barrett, Mrs. Joy Wood, Mrs. Junis Hutsell, Mrs. J. L. Self, Mrs. Mildred Stephens, Mrs. Merle J. Montague, Mrs. George Rampley, Mrs. Sam Lusk and hostess, Mrs. Kenneth Bean.

MRS. O. T. BUNDY RETURNED HOME

Mrs. O. T. Bundy returned home on Tuesday after having visited at various points over the state since early December. She spent a major portion of time with her daughters and their families, Messrs. and Mmes. Virgil Ballard and daughters, at Mission, and Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Mast and family, at Midland.

She returned home from Midland via Uvalde, Midland and spent the past week-end in Plainview with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kiker. Says she had a good time but is glad to be at home again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham Receive Newspaper Honors

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham, publishers of the State Line Tribune, Farwell, were featured in the January 29 issue of the Publishers' Auxiliary. Mrs. Graham is the former Jeanne Dudley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley of Silverton. Both are graduates of Texas Tech.

The Grahams have increased their circulation from 1200 to 1670 in 15 months. Graham has published the Tribune since the death of his father, W. H. Graham, in 1951. With a conscientious, hard working staff, he feels that he is able to serve well the large territory his paper serves in West Texas and Eastern New Mexico.

Many professional honors have come the Grahams way at Farwell.

Rock Creek Club Meets With Marie Garrison

The Rock Creek Club met February 9 with Marie Garrison. The club quitted one quilt. Refreshments of coffee, punch, cookies and sandwiches were served to the following members: Mrs. Brewster, Ruby McWaters, Lola Mae Shipman, Mrs. Dee O'Neal, Florence Fitzgerald, Eula Shelton, Juanita Stephens, Margie Turner, Mrs. Henry McWaters, Ruth West, Margaret Frizzell, Verna Allison, Nina Martin, Loretta Cantwell, and one visitor, Mrs. W. W. Martin and the hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Nina Martin on February 23.

UNCORK 25 FEET OF STOMACH TUBES

Feel half-alive, headachy, when stomach is soured by constipation? Black-Draught brings wonderful relief when you feel lousy, suffer gassy digestive upset from constipation. Helps sweeten your stomach at same time! Laxative-Stomach Sweetener Works Overnight! No harsh griping. Thoroughly but gently uncorks all 25 feet of clogged intestines. Comforting relief from constipation while you sleep. Helps sweeten your stomach too. Get Black-Draught today. *In Powder or Granulated form... and now in new, easy-to-take Tablets, too! FOR CHILDREN: When constipation sours children's digestion, get honey-sweet Syrup of Black-Draught.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Ledbetter Honored With Dinner

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Ledbetter Sr., on the occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary, Mrs. Avid Winauch of Spokane, Washington; Pete Morris of El Monte, California; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Webb of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Bailey of Fort Worth; Rev. and Mrs. James Sullivan of Roseburg, Oregon; Mrs. Lila Layman of Fort Worth; Mrs. Ann Grimland of San Gabriel, California; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Green of Amarillo;

Relatives here for the Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morris were: Mrs. Avid Winauch of Spokane, Washington; Pete Morris of El Monte, California; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Webb of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Bailey of Fort Worth; Rev. and Mrs. James Sullivan of Roseburg, Oregon; Mrs. Lila Layman of Fort Worth; Mrs. Ann Grimland of San Gabriel, California; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Green of Amarillo;

Ray Thompson of Thompson Implement Company attended the Tri-State Implement and Hardware Dealers Convention in Amarillo on Monday and Tuesday, February 7 and 8.

Attended 50th Anniversary

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For A New Mercury Automobile See Jim Clemmer

He can save you money on your trade.

Drive carefully and save your life for your old age.

Advertisement for Wayne's Grocery & Market featuring "Naturally Tender BEEF". The ad includes a picture of a beef roast and text: "EAT MORE BEEF... Has been the slogan for this section and is the answer to the ranchers problem. A good place to eye... CHOICE BEEF... will be found at Waynes... Wayne's Grocery & Market".

Large advertisement for Jennings Farm Supply. Text includes: "Franchise Dealer for Briscoe County", "Gifford Hill Western Aluminum Sprinkler And Irrigation Systems also", "Corlon Plastic surface irrigation systems. Gated and distribution pipe.", "BABY CHICKS", "Chickens now hatching in Silverton. Deliveries on Monday and Thursdays.", "-- See Our Supply Of --", "Fertilizer and Equipment", "We have plenty of storage and enough fertilizer to serve any need", "Application Equipment For Sale Or Lease", "We will apply fertilizer for you at 75c per acre. . .", "'Fertilizer Doesn't Cost It Pays'", "Jennings Farm Supply", "Your Complete Farm Store", "Phone 2251".

Advertisement for Goodyear tires. Text includes: "FIRST LINE GOOD YEAR TIRES", "6:70 X 15 \$17.50", "7:10 X 15 \$19.50", "7:60 X 15 \$21.50", "Goodyear tires put into service during cool weather will give you a lot of extra mileage; and, coupled with the big trade-in allowance you'll get, you can realize a terrific savings!", "But that's not all! Actually you profit a third way. That's the improved ride you'll notice right away, on safer, smoother, more dependable Goodyear Super-Cushions. So act now! Come in and see for yourself, that we mean what we say!".

Advertisement for Silverton Auto Parts Company. Text includes: "Silverton Auto Parts Company", "PHONE 2121".

Advertisement for Piles relief. Text includes: "In series of DOCTORS TESTS 90% OF PILES PAIN RELIEVED!", "NEW STAINLESS FORM ALSO AVAILABLE!", "In 90% of cases of simple piles—tested by doctors—an amazing Pazo ointment stopped bleeding, reduced swelling, healed cracking... WITHOUT SURGERY! Pain was stopped or materially reduced. Pazo acts to soothe, relieve itching instantly. In tubes, also modern Suppositories. Get Pazo at drug-gists for wonderful fast relief."

Highway Patrol Report For Amarillo District

J. W. Blackwell, Captain, Texas Highway Patrol, Amarillo district reports that five persons were killed in January, and 53 persons injured, with property damage of \$67,922.00. County roads rank second to State and Federal Highways as location of accidents.

There were 106 traffic accidents investigated. There were 589 traffic arrests, 252 for speeding and 27 for driving while intoxicated.

ATTENDED PANHANDLE MARKET SHOW

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Tiffin attended the Panhandle Market Show at the Herring Hotel, in Amarillo, on Sunday. The show the 18th since World War II, was attended by buyers from five states including Colorado, Kansas, N. M., Oklahoma and Texas. A wide variety of apparel was shown and buying was brisk, so exhibitors said.

RECENT MISFORTUNE

Mrs. Oner Cornett recently had the misfortune of having a sewing needle embedded in her right hand. She had unknowingly dropped the needle onto the bed and stuck it into her hand while straightening the bed spread. The needle has not yet been removed from her hand; she says it is quite painful at times and does not hurt at other times.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall and daughters, of Lakeview, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Renfro and daughter, of Amarillo, were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes, Robert and Randy. Mmes. Hall and Hughes are sisters; Mr. Renfro is their cousin.

Mrs. E. D. Hodges, of Memphis, spent Friday night here, a guest of her sister in law, Mrs. P. D. Jasper, and Dawn.

IT NEVER FAILS

SMACKO AT THE FRONT OF THE ROOM SAT LITTLE GARMAN WITH THE FACE AND ACTIONS OF A SAINTED ANGEL



- IN FACT HE WAS SO SWEET TEACHER FIGURED SHE COULD TRUST HIM IN THE REAR OF THE ROOM... AND THEN... IT NEVER FAILS!



THANK YOU MARYLYN BROWN ST LOUIS, MO. Geo. Nuttall

ATTENDED FUNERAL

Messrs. and Mmes. S. P. Brown, Edd Brown and Edward, Roy S. Brown and Sam, C. C. Garrison and Gabe Garrison attended the funeral of Bill Brown at Adrian on Wednesday afternoon of last week. Mr. Bill Brown was a nephew of Messrs. S. P. Brown and Edd Brown; Mrs. Bill Brown is a niece of the Messrs. Garrison.

SUNDAY VISITORS

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hyatt, Sr. were their son and daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hyatt, Jr. and family, of Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Brink and children, of Levelland. Mrs. Wiley Bomar, Jr. and children called in the afternoon.

All heart cases can be cared for best if diagnosed early, according to your Heart Association. Help Your Heart Fund -- Help Your Heart.

Judging

When we are judging other folks Should we for just one moment halt And take inventory of ourself We might forget our neighbor's fault.

Where'er life's many sorrows come And skies grow darker day by day -- Sympathizing words of kindness May help to drive the clouds away.

Could we but know the anxious love That dwells within another's breast -- Could we but know how much they care Loving thoughts might calm distress.

Life's intermingled joy and sorrow Entwine the bitter with the sweet -- And failure often means success When we bravely meet defeat.

Had You Thought

(Contributed by A Friend)

That we are debtors to those citizens who braved the winds, heat and cold, who toiled in the heat of the day that we might inherit the good things of this our community? Have you forgotten the dugouts, the privations, the primitive transportation to markets -- which required days of travel? The nights spent in the open with perils of summer storms and blizzards of winter?

These were beautiful plains where the gentle breezes blew all day and tall grass waved in mustinted sunshine.

The old minister on horseback came and tarried awhile, the cowboy saw it as a land of enchantment and passed on, then came the men of vision, who came to stay. They broke virgin soil, wrested their fuel from the canyons, and like Caleb of old said: "We are well able to take the land."

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thacker and family and Mr. and Mrs. Andrews, of Phoenix, Arizona, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughan. Mr. Thacker is a nephew to Mrs. Vaughan.

Messrs. Carver Monroe, John Earl Simpson and Pascal Garrison are serving on a federal jury this week. They were in Amarillo on Monday and Wednesday.

When you're overweight, your heart overworks, reports your Heart Association, now conducting the 1955 Heart Fund campaign.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Sedgwick of Tulia visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dickerson on Monday, and also the Clyde Wrights.

BRISCOE COUNTY Checkerboard News

By NEAL JENNINGS

JENNINGS FARM SUPPLY

TIME TO PREPARE FOR EARLY CHICKS' ARRIVAL

Now's a good time to prepare for your chicks. Here's a convenient check-list.

Ventilation: Replace broken windows. Windows open and close easily.

Room to Grow: Not more than 2 chicks per square foot in brooder house.

Adequate Water: 1 day to 3 weeks -- two 1 gal. founts per 100 chicks. 3 to 6 weeks -- one 3 gal. fount per 100 chicks. Be sure founts are sanitized with Purina Disinfectant.

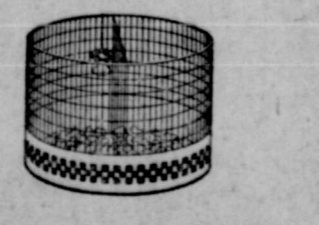
Check-R-Tabs: Have bottle on hand for disinfecting water. One tablet per day per quart of drinking water.

Plenty of Feeders: 1 day to 3 weeks -- 1 inch per chick. 3 to 6 weeks -- 2 inches per chick. Be sure feeders are washed clean and sanitized with Purina Disinfectant.

quate supply of improved Purina Chick Startena to grow big, chunky chicks.

HOGS WASTE MUCH FEED

Don't pass the hog lot when checking for places to cut feed wastage. In a test at Washington State College, a trap at one self-feeder caught more than 30 lbs. of hog feed per week. Simple adjustments in the height or width of troughs often helped eliminate feed waste.



WHAT CALVES NEED FOR FAST GROWTH

Growing plans in Purina's new Dairy book call for keeping calves in individual pens for the first 10 to 15 days, then moving them into larger pens with calves their own size. Individual pens should be at least 4 feet square and calves in the group pens each need 25 square feet.

See this book for a calf barn design, PLUS COMPLETE FEEDING INFORMATION.

FREE PROGRAM BOOKS

Helpful tips on feeding, management, sanitation in Purina's Program booklets. Books on dairy, hogs, poultry. Ask for yours now.

Clean the House: Use Purina Disinfectant on all wood surfaces, after thoroughly cleaning and scrubbing building. Allow complete drying before chicks arrive.

Cover Litter: After house has dried out, cover floor with 2 inches of clean litter. Cover litter for first 4 days after chicks arrive with clean newspapers or sacks to prevent their eating litter.

Check Hoyer: Be sure hoyer thermostat and heating elements are working properly for chick comfort. . . . and be sure to have an adequate



Jennings Farm Supply

Church Services For Presbyterian

"Threat, Promise, and Demand" will be the sermon topic of Rev. N. D. Nettleton at the morning worship hour of the Presbyterian Church next Sunday. The service begins at 11 A. M. Other services of the church are the Sunday Church School at 10 A. M. and the week night study hour each Wednesday night at 7:30. All are invited to attend these services.

MRS. DELLA WALLACE HONOR GUEST

Mrs. Della Wallace was honored at a family party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rowland, in Tulia, Saturday evening. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McGavock and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall, of Tulia, and Billy Jones, Silverton. The ladies are Mrs. Wallace's nieces; Billy Jones is her grandson. Cake and punch were served and gifts presented the honoree.

MISSIONARIES FROM NIGERIA

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Edwards missionaries from Nigeria will speak Sunday morning and night. They will show films and other things of interest they brought with them.

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Ease Pains of Headache Neuralgia - Neuritis with Quick Acting STANBACK

Test STANBACK against any preparation you've ever used . . . See how quick relief comes.

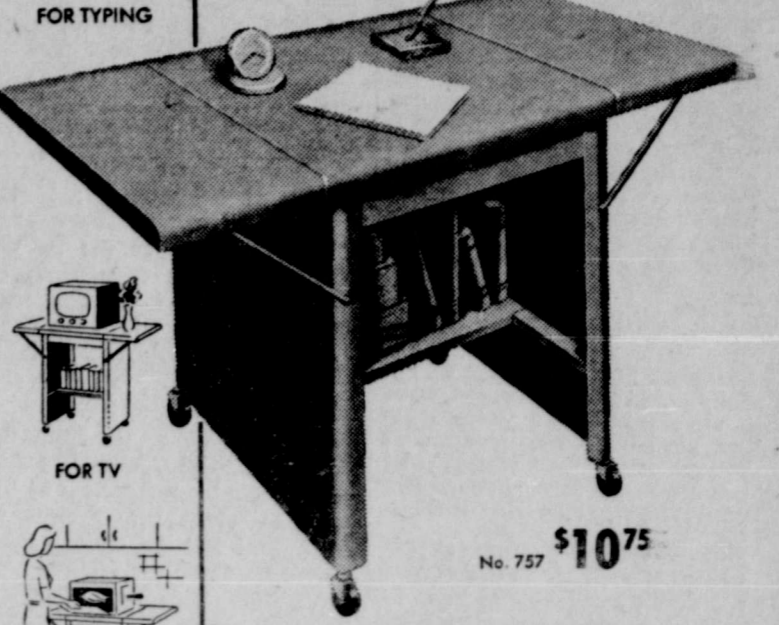


Mrs. Grace Irion and Weldon, of Amarillo, spent the week-end here with her brother, Mr. Clyde Lightsey, and Mrs. Lightsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Logan, Susie and Randy spent Sunday in Amarillo. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Owens and Craig.



Cole's "ALL-PURPOSE" STAND



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No. 757 \$10.75

- Smooth Rolling Casters
- Solid Side Walls
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Use it as a typewriter table, "TV" stand or work bench. Has a shelf for books that makes it ideal as a student's desk. Also is mighty handy in the kitchen. Rolls smoothly on four quality casters. Larger and roomier than most tables, it opens up to 39" x 17" and is typewriter desk height. Heavy gauge steel and strong piano hinges. Will last a lifetime. Olive green or Cole gray baked enamel finish.

BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS



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ECONOMY proved with over 22 miles per gallon average in 714-mile economy run! 22 miles per gallon, carrying 500 lbs. of payload, using regular gas! That's the average of a Dodge Power-Dome pick-up in a 714-mile, AAA-supervised Economy Run!

RUGGEDNESS proved in 50,000-miles-in-50-days endurance run! 50,000 miles in 50 days, without mechanical failure! That's the record set by a standard Dodge pick-up with the new 145-hp. Power-Dome V-8 engine!

REAL DEALS - prove for yourself how they can save you money! Dodge trucks are priced with the lowest. Save you money every mile. And Dodge dealers are offering the year's best deals -- all models 1/2- thru 4-ton!

Added proof of a better deal for the man at the wheel with...

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NO MONTHLY CRAMPS... not even on the VERY FIRST DAY!

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Women and girls who suffer from the functionally-caused cramps, backaches and headaches due to menstruation—who feel upset and irritable on certain "particular days" every month—may be suffering quite needlessly!

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The effectiveness of Lydia Pinkham's needs no proof to the millions of women and girls whom it has benefited. But how about you? Do you know what it may do for you?

Take Lydia Pinkham's! See if you don't get the same relief from cramps and weakness . . . feel better both before and during your period!

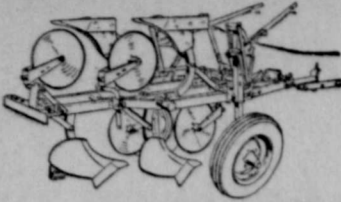
Get either Lydia Pinkham's Compound, or new, improved Tablets, with added iron!

Lydia Pinkham's is wonderful for "hot flashes" and other functional distresses of the "change of life," too!



Lydia Pinkham's has a quieting effect on the uterine contractions (see chart) which may often cause menstrual pain!

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TW TUMBLEBUG

Helps to conserve your soil and get the most out of hilly fields, irrigated fields and terraced fields. The two-way, roll-over TW gang plow turns all furrows one way, eliminates dead furrows and back furrows. You can turn all furrows uphill so that each furrow acts as a dam to keep soil on the hillside, not rushing downhill when the rain hits.

Heavy beam construction, heavy frame members permit deep tillage plowing. Square axles for greater strength. Roller bearing disc wheels. Solid, round swinging hitch for greater strength and shorter turns. Hitch has horizontal adjustment of 52 inches—can be used with crawler tractors. Available with general purpose, stubble or deep tillage bottoms.

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17 Years Ago

IN BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

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Roy Bomar, this week announced the purchase of the Burson Food Store, first door south of the Palace Theatre. The new name of the place is Roy's Cash Market. Troy Burson, former manager, plans to move to the ranch.

Jim Whiteley writes from the Veterans Hospital, West Los Angeles and said: Regardless of the place, to which I may stray or roam, that Briscoe County shall always be my home.

Grady Wimberly of Southwest

ACHING MUSCLES

Relieve pains of tired, sore, aching muscles with STANBACK, tablets or powder. STANBACK acts fast to bring comforting relief... because the STANBACK formula combines several prescription type ingredients for fast relief of pain.

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We Will Appreciate Your Cooperation

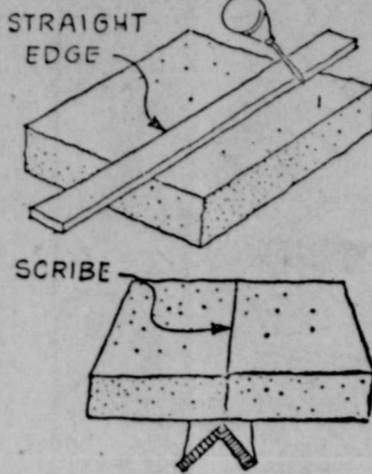
We are working out plans now for the publishing of a telephone directory, Date of Publication to be announced later.

Mid-Plains Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc.
A Telephone THAT WORKS For Every Farm

HOW TO DO IT

Cutting Flagstone

"Stone has always been considered a beautiful and prized building material, so why not use



it?" says American Builder magazine. The magazine gives this tip on cutting flagstone for a patio or a walk: Scribe the stone, then snap it over a piece of angle iron. With thick pieces of flagging, take a few taps with a chisel along the scribe line.

VISITED IN AMARILLO

Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Vaughan and Mrs. Bryan Strange were in Amarillo on Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tolliver. Mrs. Tolliver and Strange are sisters. Mr. Tolliver is a patient at the Veteran's hospital. Mrs. Tolliver is staying in Amarillo to be near her husband who is quite ill.

SUNDAY DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grimland and Joe, of Amarillo, and Mrs. W. K. Grimland were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Durham and family. Mrs. W. K. Grimland is the mother of Roy Grimland and of Mrs. Durham.

ATTENDED FUNERAL

Mr. H. Roy Brown attended the funeral of his second cousin, Frank Fortenberry, in Hereford, Saturday afternoon. Mr. Fortenberry was killed when a tractor over turned on him early Friday.

Messrs. Joe H. Smith, Sr. and H. Roy Brown transacted business in Floydada Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Lattimore, of Lubbock, were guests of her cousin, Mr. Joe H. Smith, Sr., and Mrs. Smith Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hodges, Silverton, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Garrison and family, of Tulia visited Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hodges and family, in Amarillo, Sunday afternoon. Oliver Hodges is a nephew of T. J. Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Teeter and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Martin were shopping in Lubbock one day recently.

John Sari Simpson is attending Federal Court in Amarillo this week as a juror.

of Silverton this week authorized the News to announce his candidacy for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct 3.

Funeral services for Mrs. Ruby Inez Scott were conducted from the first Baptist Church in Canyon. Mrs. Scott was known here as Miss Ruby Cooley and taught the 6th grade here for two years.

Dean Allard is reported better, he was carried last week to the Tulia Hospital with blood poisoning.

The 1925 Study Club met with Mrs. John Thorns last Wednesday.

There is a lot of interest being shown here in the band under the direction of Douglas Forbes of Happy.

Worth Alexander who is employed with the Associated Press was in Silverton visiting friends last week. He has been working at Chicago, Kansas City, and St. Louis and was on his way to the west coast.

A. J. Rowell had an attack of appendicitis and has been out of school several days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Chappell spent Sunday in the C. A. Johnson home.

Henry Norrid who is attending Texas Tech at Lubbock was home over the week-end visiting with his parents.

Miss Ina and Edna Morten and Mrs. Lee D. Bomar, with Wayne Crowford visited relatives at Goree last week-end.

J. J. Vardell's have moved to Arkansas.

Arlon and Judd Donnell were transacting business in Tulia last week.

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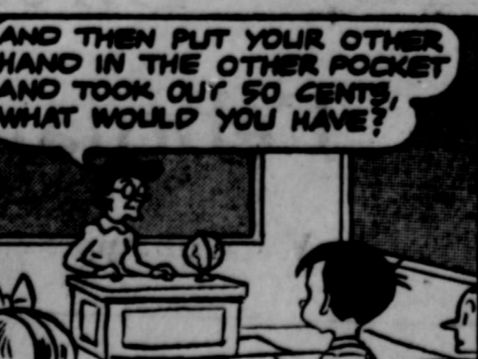
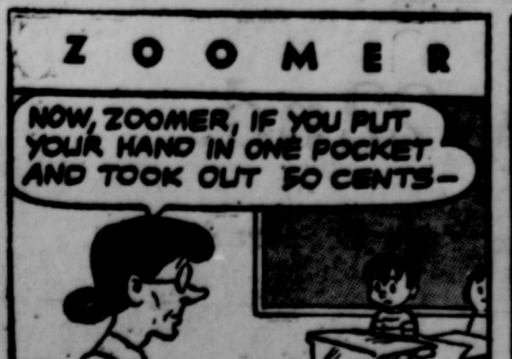
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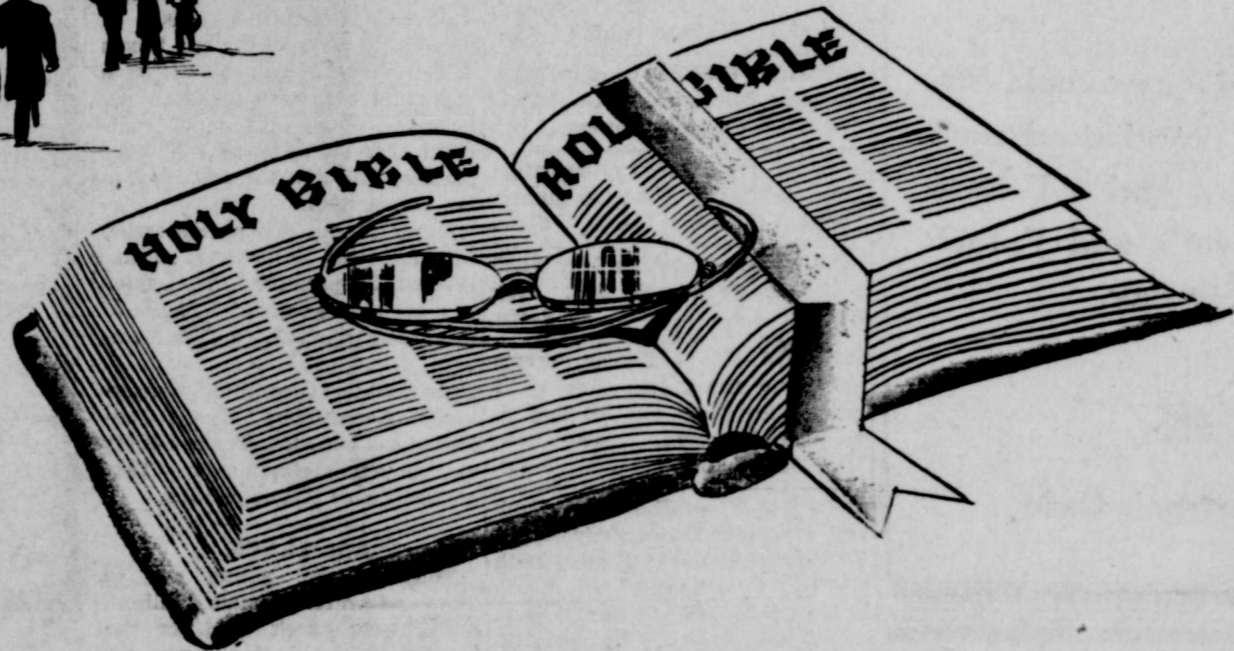
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Wayland College's Progress Program Encouraging

Plainview, Feb. 15 — Launching of a campaign to raise \$100,000 for a men's dormitory at Wayland College by the Baptist Brotherhood on Feb. 8 in Lubbock, the groundbreaking Jan. 31 for a residence hall for 34 young women and four \$12,000 duplexes for married students and an increase of 14 per cent in enrollment for the spring semester is setting Wayland College's Five Year Program of Progress set up in 1954 by the Board of Trustees so forward it may have to be revamped, according to President A. Hope Owen.

These, added to recent gifts to capital endowment and other phases of the college work and the completion in 1954 of Hattie Mays Ferguson Hall for 50 young women, make 1954-55 an outstanding year in the history of Wayland College.

In addition, Dr. Harold Haswell, executive secretary of the Texas Baptist Education Commission, was a guest on Wayland campus Feb. 7 and 8 to assist with the Self-Survey, which is to be a part of Wayland's application for further accreditation.

Scout Executives Visit Here Tuesday

A Max Hatfield, deputy regional executive of Region 9, with headquarters in Dallas, and Ray Howard of the South Plains Council were in Silverton Tuesday. Mr. Hatfield spends a few days with each of the scout workers and they visit as many towns as possible whenever he is out this way.

LEFT FOR CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Yates left Amarillo by train last Friday morning enroute to Riverside and Los Angeles, California, where they plan to visit relatives for about a month. Their daughter, Mrs. Doyle Stephens and Judy, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Thornton took Mr. and Mrs. Yates to Amarillo. They transacted business there before returning to Silverton.

tion by such agencies as Southern Association of Colleges and the Texas Association of Colleges. An examining committee from the Southern Association will be sent to the campus within the next 10 months to assist further with plans for such accreditation, President Owen has been informed.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Jennings and son Jimmy, aged 1 year, have recently moved here from Tulia. Mr. Jennings owns and operates the Jennings Farm Store. They occupy the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Luke Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Long, Nancy and Nicky spent the week end in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Boyter and children. The ladies are sisters.

Barham who was working on E. J. Duncan's farm received burns while filling the tractor. The fire was extinguished by Joe Allard of Allard Butane who was close by.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sharp and children of Tulia visited Mrs. Sharp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Peugh Sunday.

Mrs. Della Wallace and Billy Jones spent Sunday in Dimmitt, guests of her s'm and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Teague.

Leroy Saul Presents Number One Problem

As we have heard for the past several years, "Our number one problem in Texas is water." As a member of the water committee in the House of representatives, our water problem is the number one problem. The economy of the state of Texas, the economy of all the cities of the state of Texas, the economy of Hale, Swisher, Floyd, and Briscoe counties is based on water.

Two years ago the Texas Legislature created a Texas Water Resources Committee. This committee worked hard and long in presenting the water program that they feel will go far in solving our water problems of the state of Texas. The Water Resources Committee bills deal only with surface water or flood waters. The recommendations of the Water Resources Committee carries a constitutional amendment giving the people of the state of Texas an opportunity to vote the tax money needed to support a workable water program in Texas. I feel that this recommendation (the constitutional amendment) is basically my thinking in that it gives the people at the grass roots an opportunity to say whether they are taxed or whether they are not taxed.

There are some minor differences of opinion in the Water Resources Committee bills: 1. The manner in which the Texas Water Commission should have appointed officers or elected officers; 2. The number of commissioners (3, 5, or 9); 3. Some question the divided authority in the commission.

Some of the groups appearing favoring this bill were: Texas Electric Cooperatives Inc. (which is a corporation of all R. E. A.'s) Governors' Committee (101 members) Texas Water Committee Conservation Association; Texas Construction Council; Texas Society of Professional Engineers; Texas League of Municipalities.

FELL FROM TRUCK

Tony Allison, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Allison, fell off the truck used for the regular Saturday afternoon drawing immediately after the drawing program was finished last Saturday afternoon breaking the large bone in his right arm just above the wrist. He was treated at the local hospital and was able to return home Sunday afternoon where he is doing satisfactorily.

DINNER GUESTS

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Howard and Joe, were Mrs. Jimmy Howard, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Gunkey of Tulia. The Gunkey's are parents of Mrs. Jimmy Howard.

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SUNDAY GUESTS Mr. and Mrs. Oneal Watson and family were Sunday guests of local relatives. They visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Watson, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Turner.	Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clemmer went to Hart Friday night and visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Swindell. The two grandchildren returned with them and spent the weekend.	

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