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## Items Of Interest From Cap Rock SC District

Supervisors: Earl L. Cantwell, chairman; Louie Kitchen; Obra Watson, Pierce White, Bray Cook.

Irrigation well locations were made last week by Leon G. Martin of the Rock Creek Group, Elbert C. Dickerson of the Gregg Group and Milton G. Martin of the Rock Creek Group.

Terrace Systems constructed by Paul Hamilton of the Quitaque Group, Amos Persons of the Scheid Group and O. C. Crabtree of the Gasoline Group were checked by SCS engineers assisting the supervisors for meeting district specifications last week.

Bert Hawkins, a cooperater, constructed a second stock water dam on his ranch northwest of Quitaque last week. The dam is located in a portion of pasture where it has been impossible to get well water. The dam was constructed with carry-all and crawler type by a local contractor.

The Board of Supervisors approved applications for assistance in their regular meeting at Silverton Friday, May 10, for the following: Robert Selby, Walter A. Graham, E. J. Duncan, R. O. Pennington; Owner, Carl Wimberly, operator, Jack Jowell; Wayland Fitzgerald, Milton G. Martin, Printz L. Brown, and J. L. West. Conservation plans of operations were approved for the following: Owner, O. T. Bundy, operator Buster A. Thomas; Jack Montague, G. C. Witcher, Ed Whitfield, Gordon P. Montague, Joe B. Mercer, N. B. & Gifford Moore; owner, J. B. Chandler, operator H. E. Chandler; Milton Frizzell, J. L. West, H. R. Stephens and Ed Vaughn.

## ACA Information

Milton G. Martin, Administrative Officer, Briscoe County ACA

A number of farmers are almost ready to start planting feed and cotton on the contour. This practice payment is 75c per acre, but approval of the county committee must be granted before this payment can be made. Farmers wishing to summer fallow land are required to get approval from the county committee before June 15, 1946. This practice payment is 50 cents per acre if summer fallowed by one-way, or 75 cents per acre if summer fallowed by lister.

For the benefit of farmers who have not made application for dairy production payment for the months of January, February and March, you may make application now. May 31 is the final date for making application.

In order to receive the 30 cents per bushel bonus on wheat that is stored in graineries or warehouses, the wheat must be delivered to the elevator before May 24, 1946.

## WOMEN HONOR STUDENTS

Mrs. Clyde Tunnell and Mrs. N. B. Herrington were in Lubbock the first of the week where they attended the recognition service at Texas Tech for women students. The honor list included Mrs. Mary Charlotte Smithee, nee Tunnell, who is listed as a sophomore, and member of Kappa Mu Epsilon. Miss Ava Hasty, also of Quitaque, is listed as a junior honor student with an A- average, and a member of Alpha Chi.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Younger arrived last Friday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Badgett and her sister Mrs. Frank King who is here from Houston. When they leave here they will go to Des Moines, Iowa, to do research for a biography which he is writing, then to Albany, N. Y. where he will teach this summer. In the fall they will go to Charlottesville, Va., where he will be instructor of diplomatic history at the university of Virginia.

Seldon Bailey who has been working at the air field in Lubbock has gone to Dallas where he has enrolled in a training course for a civilian airplane mechanic's license.

## Charter Is Presented Quitaque Legion Post

Charter of Quitaque Post 525 of the American Legion was presented to the post in a program Tuesday night in the school auditorium. The charter was presented by Jimmy Moore, Amarillo, 18th District commander-elect.

Installation of officers and initiation of new members followed. James Brunson is commander and Morris Wilson adjutant.

A fair crowd was present and the evening's ceremony was informal. The members received their identification cards and explanation was made of what the American Legion emblem stands for.

The meeting was closed with good harmony prevailing, and as usual coffee and doughnuts were served for refreshments.

A great deal of important work is being undertaken by the group at present, and the cooperation of all veterans is urgently needed. Anyone who desires to have their name on the charter should contact a Legionnaire at once.

Meetings are held each second and fourth Tuesday in the month. The 18th District chief de gare, Otto Landis, of Amarillo, was another district officer present at the ceremony Tuesday night.

## Miss Ethelyn Bailey And Lloyd May Wed

Miss Ethelyn Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bailey of Quitaque and Lloyd A. May, son of Mrs. J. H. May of Silverton, were united in marriage Thursday evening, May 9th at 8 o'clock, at the Methodist parsonage in Quitaque. Rev. E. B. Thompson read the single ring ceremony. The couple was unattended and only the pastors family was present.

The bride wore an aqua suit with black accessories and a corsage of talisman roses.

Mrs. May is a graduate of the Quitaque schools and attended WISC at Canyon. She is a graduate of a Lubbock beauty school and worked until her marriage at the Beauty Aire, in Lubbock.

The bridegroom has just recently returned from 18 months overseas service with an infantry unit in Germany, and received his discharge. He is a graduate of the Silverton schools.

They are at home on their farm near Silverton which he will operate.

## FLOMOT SENIORS HAVE COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

The senior class of Flomot high school heard their baccalaureate address last Sunday at the Flomot Methodist church. Rev. W. Neil Record, pastor of the Fairmont Baptist church delivered the address.

The commencement program was given Thursday night, May 16, at the high school auditorium. Mrs. George D. Pepper played the processional and recessional music for both services.

Billie Joe Clark is valedictorian of the class and Ima Nell Gunn is salutatorian. Their addresses were delivered Thursday night, and also the class history by Bonnie Turner; class prophecy, Gloria Cagle; class will, Joy Tanner.

John Stapleton of Floydada gave the commencement address, and the diplomas and awards were presented by Supt. S. D. Rattan.

Members of the graduating class are Ralph Jones, president; Herbert Martin, vice president; Delores Welch, secretary; Bonnie Turner, treasurer; E. G. Reed, Nelva Snow, Joy Tanner, Billy Joe Clark, Ima Nell Gunn, Gloria Cagle, Bernel Washington, J. C. Moss, M. C. Jones. Tom Fish was a member of the class until he joined the Navy about the first of January. Mrs. Gela Stanley is class sponsor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crump of Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kimbell. Other visitors were Mrs. A. L. Merrell and daughter Juanita of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Ike Gilbert and children Jerry Don and Judy Carol of Flomot, and Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Boyles and daughter Mona Joyce of Shamrock.

## EVERYDAY RELIGION

### IN BONDAGE TO "THINGS"

By Rev. E. B. Thompson

One of the best sermons we have been privileged to hear in a long while was Brother Shaw's sermon one evening recently on the "Heart of God," taken from the story of the prodigal son. Like all truly great sermons, it suggested many side-thoughts. One such thought we took home that evening was in the simple fact that the prodigal asked his father for HIS OWN part of the property. He was no thief but simply requested what was rightfully his by law. But—he ruined and wasted his life with his own property.

One of the very practical problems of our own lives is right there. A majority of people are honest—the greater percent of accounts receivable are finally collected. So, in the main, we are an honest people. And yet, many otherwise honest people are doing exactly what the prodigal did with his possession. We are wasting it—or wasting ourselves with it.

Ralph Waldo Emerson had a rather suggestive, if not crude word about this very matter; he said, "Things are in the saddle, And ride mankind!"

That is to say, I think, that there is a possibility of becoming slaves to our possessions to the extent of allowing them to push us around. They become burdens rather than blessings! Some people work their farms, others let their farms work them. Some men run their business, others let their business run them. Some learn the secret of making the material blessings of life set them free, others are enslaved by them.

Now, of course, we couldn't say that this over-love of "things" was the prodigal's only sin. Nor could we say that all people who over-love their possessions go as far in sin as this prodigal. But, read that story for yourselves, and see if you can get any other thought than that he surely started down the road to the far-country, and away from his father's house, and his father's care, by first, mis-using "the portion of goods that falleth to me—"

It is certainly worth thinking about—don't you think?



Pfc. Ray Vernon Auston who was home on re-enlistment furlough recently, has returned to service. He had been here visiting his mother Mrs. W. T. Auston and other relatives and friends. Vernon has an English wife whom he married in England while on a furlough from duty in France. She is not planning to come to the United States at present as he is returning to Europe for 18-months further service, to be stationed in Germany.

The couple were married February 15, 1946, in London at the Paddington registry office. The bride was Miss Ruth Brown, and they were accompanied to the registry office by her parents and her sister and husband. The sister is also married to an American, Robert Smith, of Joplin, Mo. Mr. Brown is an aircraft inspector and the family's home is in London.

Vernon met his bride soon after he landed in England, in April, 1944. He plans to bring her to America when he returns again after his 18-months re-enlistment service. His sister-in-law Mrs. Smith sailed May 1, to join her husband in Joplin.

## RECEIVES DISCHARGE

Oscar Kimbell came home May 4 having received his discharge from the army at Fort Meade, Md. Oscar returned to the States in October, 1945 from Europe where he served for 10 months with the Fifth Rangers in Belgium and Germany. He has four battle stars on his campaign ribbon.

He spent a furlough here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Kimbell and reported Dec. 16 to Camp Hood, Texas, then was sent to Fort Meade where he remained until he was discharged.

## COMMUNITY SINGING MAY 27

A good crowd attended the community singing Monday night at the Baptist church and some fine singing was enjoyed. George Owens is leading the song sessions.

A community singing will be held each second and fourth Monday night in the month, with the next singing slated for May 27 at the Methodist church, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Everybody is invited. If you like to sing, come and join in, and if you think you can't sing, come and listen.

## Bryan Strange Enters Campaign For Sheriff

Bryan Strange of Silverton was in Quitaque Saturday and authorized The Post to announce his candidacy for the office of sheriff of Briscoe county subject to the action of the July primaries.

Mr. Strange is well known in the county having lived in Briscoe county and engaged in stock farming for 30 years. He is now living on his farm two miles west of Silverton, and is serving his first term as commissioner of Precinct 3.

Mr. Strange says he was a little slow making up his mind to enter the sheriff's race, but he feels confident that with the cooperation of all he can fulfill the duties of the office. "I fully realize the great responsibilities of the office," he said, "but I will try to make a good hand. It is my intention to try to see every voter in the county personally, before the July primaries, but if I should miss you, I hope that you will consider this a personal appeal for your consideration and vote. I earnestly solicit your support of my candidacy and your influence and help in my campaign, and you vote."

## Girls Are Eager For Scout Organization

A very good crowd of girls and eight mothers were present at the meeting at the school auditorium Wednesday afternoon to begin organization of a Girl Scout organization here. Mrs. Tony Burson of Silverton met with the girls and their mothers to explain the work and help with the organization. She said that the interest evidenced was encouraging and plans were made to continue the work.

A Brownie Troop was organized with Mrs. Gene Berry as leader and Mrs. Hood Wise as assistant, and an Intermediate Troop with Mrs. Tom Perons as leader and Mrs. A. C. Barrett as assistant.

Committees were tentatively named and work of organization is underway. A meeting is called for next Wednesday afternoon, May 22, at the school auditorium. Mothers who are interested in their girls' participation in the Girl Scout work are urged to attend, and if they cannot be present to send written permission.

## ROBERT HAMILTON HOME FROM NORTHERN CHINA

Robert Hamilton came in last week, glad to be home from overseas service in the Pacific theatre and have his discharge from the Marines which he received last week at San Diego.

Robert was with the 7th Marines for the past 27 months, enlisting in April, 1944. He has been on most of the major islands of the Pacific, and his group was the first combat troop to land in Northern China. He saw action on Okinawa and said when they landed in China they did so prepared for anything, having no idea what their welcome would be.

## Methodist WSCS

The Methodist WSCS met Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. W. R. Scott. The program was a study of the Role of Children in Planning for Peace. Mrs. Philip Hamilton gave an interesting devotional and topics on the study were discussed by Mrs. Mort Hawkins and Mrs. E. B. Thompson.

Refreshments of cake and ice cream and fruit punch were served to the following members: Miss Minnie Mae Roberson, Mmes. Mort Hawkins, Thompson, Bill Woods, Leonard Curtis, Jim Partin, Morris Wilson, Dee Dodson, Leon Middleton, Jake Merrell, the hostess and two guests Mrs. Hamilton and Mrs. M. Kaufman.

The next meeting will be May 28 in the home of Mrs. Venus Gillespie.

Mrs. Billie Joe Pointer, who is with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Childers at Cisco, is to undergo surgery at a Ranger hospital today (Thursday), relatives here were notified. Billie Joe who is stationed at Camp Knox, Ky., is with her on an emergency furlough.

## Services Held For Infant At Flomot

Jackie Travis McElyea, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McElyea, passed away at the Plainview sanitarium Tuesday, May 14 at 9:30 a. m., lacking four days of being two months old.

Funeral services were set for 2 o'clock this Thursday afternoon at the Flomot Church of Christ with G. M. Covington of Turkey officiating. Interment was to be in Fairmont cemetery under direction of Stewart Funeral Home.

Jackie Travis was born March 18 at Portales, N. M. and the family moved three weeks ago to Plainview to make their home.

Surviving besides the parents is one sister Barbara Elaine, and the grandparents Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Smith of Elda, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McElyea of Clay Springs, Ariz.

## Quitaque Weather Too Much For Silverton

Quitaque defeated Silverton at Quitaque Sunday afternoon in a game of winter baseball the sky was overcast most of the afternoon and a chill wind was blowing that made the big bunch of fans very uncomfortable and the players miserable.

Old Ed Morrison, catching, had on his sweatshirt, a heavy sweater, plus his winter underwear and ball playing paraphernalia and he never did get warm.

Quitaque won these "ice maneuvers" by a score of 9 to 2 in this manner: Skipper Wilson scored 1 in the first inning; Dick Cooper and Pitcher Meyers tallied 1 each in the second; Cooper repeated in the 4th and again in the 8th; Bob Patrick and Rush scored in the 5th and Patrick repeated in the 8th.

Silverton scored one run each in the second and third innings. Meyers couldn't get his throwing arm to behave and was relieved in the fourth inning, after loading the bases and no outs, by Bob Patrick who overcame the difficulty without a score crossing the plate and was not in trouble again during the remainder of the game.

In fact only three Silverton players reached first base after Bob took over. Meyers is a nice young pitcher; he just couldn't get his arm to working Sunday.

The lineup and batting order for Quitaque was Skipper Wilson ss, Ed Morrison c, Pejohn Monk 3rd, Bush 2nd, M. Morrison 1b, Patrick cf-p, Dick Cooper lf, Ross Herrington rf, Meyers p-cf.

## INJURY TO THUMB IS LONG TIME HEALING

Mrs. C. M. Grisham had a painful accident some weeks ago when she cut off the top of her thumb. At the time it happened, Mrs. Grisham did not think the injury would give her any trouble so she treated it with home remedies and wrapped it up.

Some time later proud flesh began to form and then an infection set in, so for the past two weeks she has been going to Matador to have it treated.

Mrs. Grisham said she hacked off quite a slice of the thumb, and did not realize that it should have some stitches taken in it, and she threw away the piece of flesh from the wound.

The thumb is healing nicely now, she said, and she is getting along fine.

## READY FOR FOREIGN SERVICE

The Post is in receipt of a press release from the Anti-Aircraft Replacement Training Center at Fort Bliss, Texas, stating that Pvt. James C. Haste, son of H. M. Haste of Quitaque has recently completed basic training and is being assigned to occupation troops.

In addition to his basic training, Haste was given anti-aircraft artillery training on 40 mm automatic guns. He entered service on March 1, 1946.

Hall Motor Co., delivered two new GMC trucks last week, one to Kerr Hamilton and the other to E. W. Scheid.

Purell Motor Co., delivered a new Plymouth Friday to A. B. Ramsey, Sr.



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**LOCAL BRIEFS**

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Grundy drove to Lubbock and spent Sunday.

Dean Purcell spent last week visiting in the homes of relatives at Lockney.

**CERTIFIED FIELD SEED and Bulk Garden Seed.**—City Grocery.

Wirt Boyles and family were here from Shamrock over the week end visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Love spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Robinson in Childress.

**FOR SALE**—Two six-foot galvanized stock tanks.—J. B. Baird. 171c

Marlon Roberson and Joe Bedwell spent the week in St. Louis, buying merchandise for the store.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Yates of Plainview were here Sunday to visit the A. B. Ramseys.

**CERTIFIED FIELD SEED and Bulk Garden Seed.**—City Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Curtis of Fort Worth were here over the week end visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Johnson and children spent the week end in Amarillo returning home Monday.

**NOTICE**—If your name appears in our ad this issue, bring it to us and get a drink, sundae or whatever you prefer free. Pioneer Pharmacy.

Sybil Lee spent the week end visiting friends in Amarillo, returning home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tibbetts spent the week end in Durango, Colo.

**FOR SALE**—Dining room suit, 7 piece; fair condition.—See it at the Methodist parsonage.

Richard Tibbetts and family were here for a week end visit with relatives. Richard is attending Tech at Lubbock.

Mrs. Leo Hawkins and young son of Kearney, Neb., are here to visit her father and brother, Dee Sachse and Billy Joe, and other relatives. Dee, who has been very ill, is improved.

*Willson and Son*  
Lumber and Hardware Company  
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Mr. and Mrs. Grady Starkey and children spent Sunday in Wellington with his parents Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Starkey and other relatives.

**BETTER VACCINATE** those horses against sleeping sickness. Easy to use—results sure. Let us tell you.—Pioneer Pharmacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Fate Hutcheson and Johnny spent the week end here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Hutcheson.

**SQUIBBS ANGLE** Tooth Brushes get to the hard to get to places.—50c. Burgess Pharmacy, Phone 1.

Tate Boyles underwent a tonsilectomy Monday at the Matador hospital. He is doing fine and was around town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Craig and sons of Wellington made a business trip here Wednesday, and chatted a while with friends.

**WE HAVE A FEW 24-Piece sets of stainless steel table flatware.** Will not rust, tarnish or stain, for \$9.00 a set. See them at Burgess Pharmacy, Phone 1.

Buddy Mayfield and family moved Wednesday to Meadow to mae their home where he will work for a construction company.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Burgess returned home Tuesday from a week end visit with relatives in Wichita Falls and a recheck in the hospital there. Both are improving.

**WANT TO BUY**—A two-burner gas plate. Call Mrs. Victor Hall, phone 901F2. 17-1c

Bert Hawkins returned home Sunday from the Plainview hospital where he underwent surgery about two weeks ago. He is getting along well.

Mrs. L. A. Broxson and children and Mrs. Jean Grundy and daughters left Wednesday morning for a visit with their sister Mrs. Reid Bethel and family at Lamesa.

**GUN AND PISTOL** Repairing; any kind of firearms; also small gasoline motors.—Kennith Owens at Hicks Hdw. & Imp. Co., Turkey.

Mrs. Dick Chapman spent last week in Oklahoma City with her husband, the daughters remaining here with their grandmother Mrs. W. V. Chapman.

**WEANER PIGS FOR SALE**—W. V. Chandler, Quitaque. 17-1

Mrs. W. W. Cain underwent a tonsilectomy Tuesday at the Tullia hospital. She returned home Wednesday and is getting along very well.

Cecil Purcell and his mother Mrs. U. C. Purcell drove to Seagraves Tuesday and brought her mother Mrs. Elizabeth Burton home with them.

J. T. Rogers, Jr., of the Merchant Marine, was in Lubbock a few days last week. He and his sister Coleen, and Miss Frances Shafer, students of Tech, returned home for Mothers Day.

**DR. WEST'S MIRACLE** Tooth Paste, 50c tube for 39c.—Burgess Pharmacy, Phone 1.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Grisham of California who have been here visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Grisham and with other relatives in Amarillo, plan to leave the latter part of the week for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham drove to Amarillo Tuesday and left their car to be worked on. Their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Bob Young brought them home and remained for a visit.

**GOOD USED Bedroom** suit—same as new, extra nice; also dinette suit.—Hicks Hdw. & Imp. Co., Turkey. 17-1c

The condition of Mrs. Clarence Wise is beginning to show some improvement, and Clarence stated Wednesday night that if she continued to do well there is a possibility that she may come home from the Plainview hospital in another week.

**BASEBALLS AND BATS** and golf balls at Burgess Pharmacy, Phone 1.

Mrs. L. D. Witcher returned Tuesday to her home here from a visit with a son in New Mexico, a brother in Oklahoma, and her daughter Mrs. Fulkerson in Matador who brought her home.

**FOR SALE**—ELECTRIC REFRIGERATOR—See it at my home in Quitaque, price \$60.00.—Mrs. Carl Vaughn. 17-1

Mr. and Mrs. David Hadaway, accompanied by friends, visited Sunday in the home of his mother Mrs. J. W. Hadaway. They were en route from Carlsbad, N. M. to their home in Oklahoma City.

**FOR SALE**—Six room stucco house in Turkey with all modern conveniences. Special price for quick sale.—A. V. Hendricks, Turkey. 16-1

A daughter who weighed seven and a fourth pounds was born Monday morning at the Matador hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Cowboy Tiffin. The mother and babe are getting along nicely. The little girl was named Mary Frances.

**FOR SALE**—Good 50-lb capacity ice box; in A-1 condition. See it at the City Bakery.—Mrs. May Gillespie. 16-1

**SHEAFFER Fine Line Pencils** \$1.00, and they are guaranteed.—Burgess Pharmacy, Phone 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Nall were over from Turkey Saturday afternoon, visiting friends. The Nalls recently returned to Turkey to make their home, from Midland, where they thought for a while they would live permanently.

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*Retail*

Mrs. L. D. Witcher returned Tuesday to her home here from a visit with a son in New Mexico, a brother in Oklahoma, and her daughter Mrs. Fulkerson in Matador who brought her home.

**FOR SALE**—Beauty shop, fixtures and equipment. Call, write or see Ballard Drug Store, Silverton. 171c

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J. H. Chandler and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby McAninch of Lockney were here over the week end to visit their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Chandler. The McAninches spent Saturday night with her sister Mrs. Otis Purcell and family.

**ALMANAC**



"An empty bag cannot stand upright"

- MAY
- 21—Charles Lindbergh makes first solo flight of Atlantic, 1927.
  - 22—President Carranza of Mexico is assassinated, 1920.
  - 23—Five-year plan for Russian economic development is announced, 1923.
  - 24—Construction of Trans-Siberian railway is begun, 1931.
  - 25—First daily paper in U. S.—Pennsylvania Post—founded, 1783.
  - 26—Evacuation of British troops from Dunkirk begins, 1940.
  - 27—A Century of Progress Exposition opens in Chicago, 1933.

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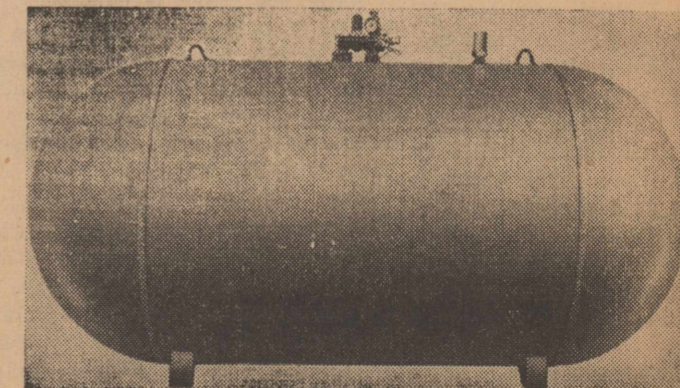


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PLAINVIEW — — — — — LUBBOCK



Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hulsey of Floydada and their son Capt. Charles Hulsey, recently returned home from overseas service, Homer Hulsey and family of Memphis, and Jack and George Hulsey and their families of Quitaque, had Mothers Day dinner with their mother Mrs. W. J. Hulsey. The occasion also was in honor of the two recently returned servicemen, George Hulsey, Jr., just back from service with the Seabees in Japan, and Capt. Chas. Hulsey.

**PLENTY OF COTTONSEED** for sale: Hybred and Half & Half; \$7.50 a sack. These seed are culled, treated and in 3 bushel sacks. Also state tested.—C. A. Hawkins. 11tc

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Berry and children moved the first of the week to the new five room home which Gene has just completed on their place, 3 miles south of town. Believe it or not, Gene turned carpenter and did almost all of the construction of the place himself. Most of the material used was from two old houses which had been on the place for many years, one being there when the Persons family came here in 1906, and the other was built about 1916.

A bit of improving was done this

week at the Rice Bros. dry goods. When the floor was covered with an asphalt rug. The rug makes quite an addition to the appearance of the store and also adds to the comfort of both shoppers and clerks. It also sticks to the feet and sorta slows up traffic up and down the aisles which is a help when the crowd gangs up for a rush on nylons or prints.

**FOR SALE**—Automatic Electric pump with pressure tank, Myers pre-war. Not used a great deal. Not recommended for more than 80 feet depth. Will sell with or without pipe. Uses 1 1/2 inch and 1 and 1/4 inch pipe. Three-fourth horse electric motor.—J. E. Arnold, Silvertown, Texas. 17-1c

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Overstreet and Mrs. John Wilkerson and young son were here this week from their new home at Weatherford, enroute to Pampa to be present at graduation exercises of the Pampa high school senior class, of which their daughter Miss Mildred Overstreet is a member. When the Overstreets moved to Weatherford recently they left Miss Mildred in Pampa to complete her senior year.

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liquid and powder, stock spray, screw worm killer, horn paint, pink eye powder, dip, vaccines, etc.—Burgess Pharmacy, Phone 1.

Mrs. Hope Elzey and Miss Ruth Simmons of Midland spent Sunday in Plainview with their sister Miss Mary Simmons and their mother at the sanitarium where Mary was receiving treatment. Mrs. Harry Barnhill of Turkey also visited with them and brought Miss Ruth home with her for a visit.

**HOT WEATHER** is coming and you will want some kind of cooling system. See our sample of the Mathes Fan. It is entirely enclosed and really circulates the air, only \$34.95. Burgess Pharmacy, Phone 1.

A pleasant Mothers Day reunion was enjoyed Sunday in the home of Mrs. G. E. Brunson. Seven of her thirteen children, and their families, were present for the occasion. They are Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Brunson, R. L. Brunson and family, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Brunson and her mother Mrs. Wessels, B. K. Hamilton and family, J. R. Lusk and family, James Brunson, Ruby and Betty Brunson, and Chester Wayne Hamilton.

**FOR SALE**—F-14 Farmall, 1939 model, with 2-row equipment, all in good shape; 2 jersey milch cows, one with young calf; yearling filly colt from good saddle stock; living room suit, one bedstead and springs; other household articles.—Barna Plaster, Turkey. 17-1

Bob Kaneen came in Sunday from California to be with his wife

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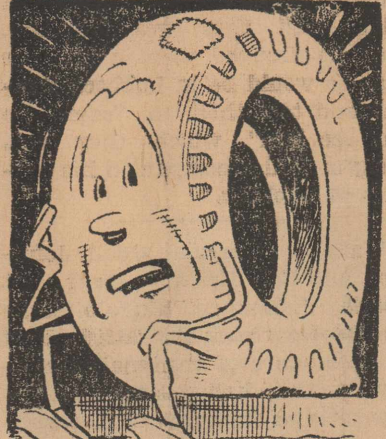
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and young son at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Otis Purcell. Bob has been quite ill since he went to California and was in a veterans hospital for seven weeks confined to his bed. He is still not completely recovered but is feeling better.

**FOR SALE**—The home place of Mrs. Julia Van Kirk. Must sell at once. Write Mrs. V. Saunders, 831 N. Woodlawn, Amarillo, Texas.

Barney Latham was in Quitaque Monday visiting friends. Barney said he had been living with his

parents in central Texas near Waco for the past two years. He accompanied some friends who were coming this way, for a visit here.

**USE LEGEAR'S Lice and Flea Powder** on your chickens and pets. Contains 50% DDT besides the other insecticides. No results—no pay. Large can 40c.—Pioneer Pharmacy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Chandler have heard from their son Babe who left recently for military service and he is at Camp Chaffee, Ark.

**CERTIFIED FIELD SEED** and bulk Garden Seed.—City Grocery.

Mrs. Leon Elliott, Jane and Jerry, Mrs. Pete Clark and Mrs. Ben Cogdill were in Plainview Saturday to visit Leon Elliott who had been re-

ceiving treatment at the hospital since last Thursday.

#### TO COMBAT ISMS

Austin—Orlin Stark, of Quitaque has been named as Briscoe county chairman of the campaign to raise \$15,000,000 toward the National Americanism Endowment Fund.

A national trust established by The American Legion, the Americanism Fund is designed to carry on a broad educational program combating all subversive "isms" in conflict with the principles of the United States Constitution. President Truman is honorary national chairman and Governor Coke K. Stevenson is national vice chairman. Chairman of the campaign to raise Texas' quota of \$450,000 is Fred F. Florence, president of the Republic National Bank of Dallas. Briscoe county's quota is \$155,000.



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### GASOLINE NEWS

#### FAREWELL COURTESY

A group of about sixty-five neighbors and friends met at the community house Tuesday evening for a farewell party honoring the E. P. Lewis family. The Lewises have been part of the community for the past thirteen years. Mr. Lewis as superintendent of the school for that length of time,

and Mrs. Lewis teaching with him for the past several years. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and the boys are universally loved and esteemed in the community and it is with deep regret that we bid them goodbye. They have our most sincere good wishes for success in whatever enterprise they choose for the future.

The entertainment for the evening was a spelling bee, with Mr.

Lewis as pronouncer. When time came to leave, he asked everyone to remain a bit, as he had a surprise for them. And he brought in several tubs of iced cold drinks. But the tables were turned on him, and it was he who had the greater surprise when he and Mrs. Lewis were presented with a beautiful bedspread, a luncheon set, and a presto cooker.

#### BUSY BEE CLUB

The Busy Bee Club met Friday, May 10, in the home of Mrs. Horace McDonald. Each member answered roll call by describing her wedding dress. The afternoon was spent working on a quilt for the hostess.

Pictures were made of the group wearing the hats which they had concocted of kitchen utensils.

Refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, macaroons and lemonade were served to three guests, Mrs. Ike Reed, Mrs. R. L. Patrick and Miss Della Mae Patrick and to the following members: Mmes. Noel Moore, C. H. Hamner, W. E. Morrison, H. B. Finney, Lester Monk, Glynn Morrison, W. E. Helms, Sid McFall, the hostess and Miss Ina Bradshaw.

The next meeting will be May 24 with Mrs. Bruce Eddleman as hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Eddleman and children of Tulsa were visitors of the Bruce Eddlemans Sunday.

Elmo Pointer went to Lubbock Wednesday and brought home Mrs. Pointer who had been receiving treatment at a hospital there for some weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter and Melvin were Sunday visitors of the Lawrence Bedwells.

Mr. and Mrs. Boone McCracken and children, Mrs. W. J. Carter and Mozelle Carter attended the baccalaureate services at Lockney Sunday evening.

Mrs. W. C. Eddleman of Quitaque, Mrs. Murry Morrison and Mrs. Bruce Eddleman visited Mrs. Ernest Morrison Monday.

Mrs. Nora Bolton and Mrs. Duncan were dinner guests of Mrs. Mattie McCracken Tuesday, going from there to Matador to have some dental work done. Miss Mary Ellen McCracken accompanied them.

Mmes. Hooks and Morgan of Quitaque visited with Mrs. R. L. Pat-

rick Tuesday.

Boone McCracken and H. B. Finney were attending to business Wednesday in Silverton.

Mrs. C. R. Taylor and son Clarence of Dallas visited here and at Quitaque Wednesday.

#### KENT HOMEMAKING CLUB

The Kent Homemakers Club met May 3 in the home of Mrs. J. C. Hamilton. The afternoon was spent piecing quilts and doing other handwork.

Eleven members answered roll call and two visitors were present. New members were welcomed into the club.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and punch were served.

The next meeting will be June 7, with Mrs. R. L. Brunson.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each and everyone of our friends for their help and kindness through the long illness and death of our dear mother. May God's richest blessings rest upon you all, is our prayer.

Robert Martin and family  
Van Martin and family  
Mark Martin and family  
Wade Martin and family  
Abe Martin and family  
Raldo Martin and family  
Mary and Vaughn Hall

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hall spent Sunday in Lubbock with their son Skeet and family, and their daughter Mrs. Gid E. Adkisson, Jr., and family of Abernathy who joined them there, and their son Capt. Jack Hall of El Paso, Jack, who is still with the army air corps, and stationed at El Paso, flew over Quitaque Saturday and buzzed his folks until they waved to him, then he dropped them a message that he would be in Lubbock Sunday and told them to "come up and see him" which they did. Vaughn Hall accompanied his parents to Lubbock.

Wallace Johnston, Odell Johnston and Son Thomas spent last Sunday fishing at Buffalo Lake and brought back 102 catfish. Most of them were of the smaller variety but they had several nice yellow cat and channel cat that measured about two feet long and weighed around five pounds each.

## QUEEN THEATRE

QUITAQUE, TEXAS  
Admission 12c & 30c—Tax Inc.

Thursday-Friday May 17-18

### Spellbound

Ingrid Bergman, Gregory Peck  
Short: PLENTY MONEY

Saturday Mat. & Night May 18

### 'Phantom of the Plains'

Wild Bill Elliott  
Short: "HISS AND YELL"  
Chapter 9 of SERIAL

Sunday-Monday May 19-20

### "Stork Club"

Betty Hutton, Barry Fitzgerald  
Short: HULLVELIER

Thursday-Friday May 23-24

### A Letter For Evie

Marsha Hunt, John Carroll  
Short: STRANGE DESTINY

Mrs. E. P. Rumph spent a delightful Mothers Day, she reported. Her children and other relatives remembered her with lovely gifts and she had dinner in Turkey with her daughter Mrs. Solon Owens and family. Mrs. Rumph said it was all such a surprise as she was not expecting to hear from anyone, so she was particularly happy over the occasion.

## GEM THEATRE

TURKEY, TEXAS  
Admission 12c & 30c—Tax Inc.

Thursday-Friday May 17-18

### Life With Blondie

Penny Singleton, Arthur Lake  
Short: YOU HIT THE SPOT

Saturday Mat. & Night May 18

### "Wanderer of the Wasteland"

James Warren, Richard Martin  
Also Selected Short Subject  
Chapter 5 of SERIAL

Sunday-Monday May 19-20

### "Kiss and Tell"

Shirley Temple, Jerome Courtland  
Also Selected Short Subject

Tuesday-Wednesday May 21-22

### The Kansan"

Richard Dix, Jane Wyatt  
Also Selected Short Subject

Thursday-Friday May 23-24

### "Pardon My Past"

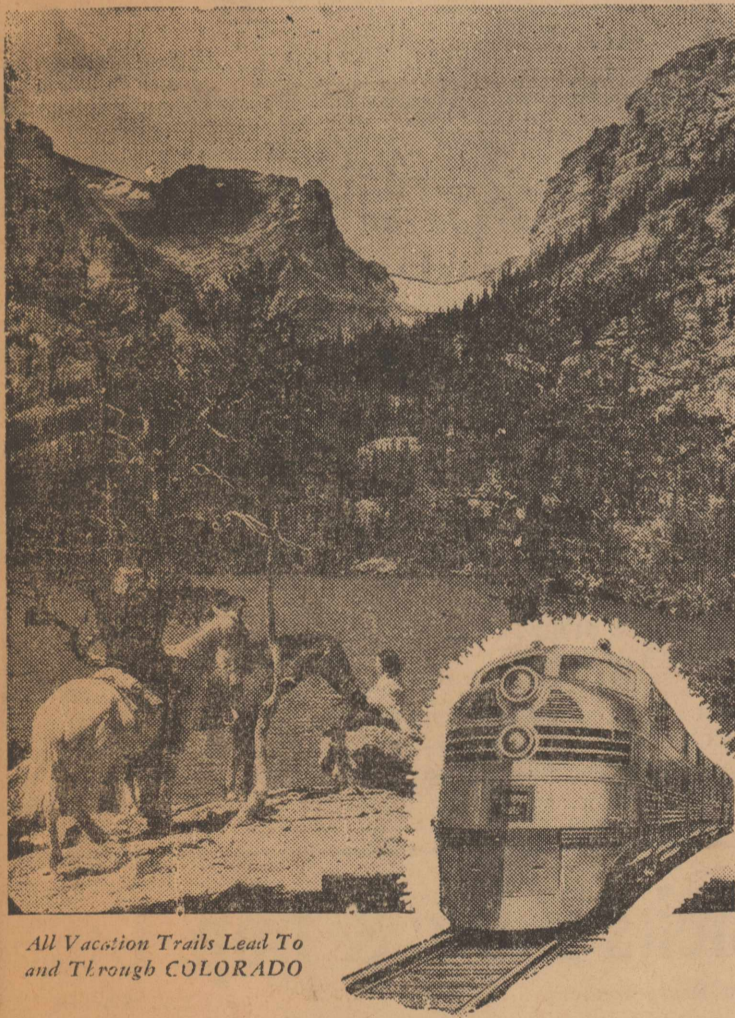
Fred MacMurray,  
Marguerite Chapman  
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Mrs. Bryan Kimbell returned home Tuesday afternoon from a visit with her sister and family in Artesia, N. M.

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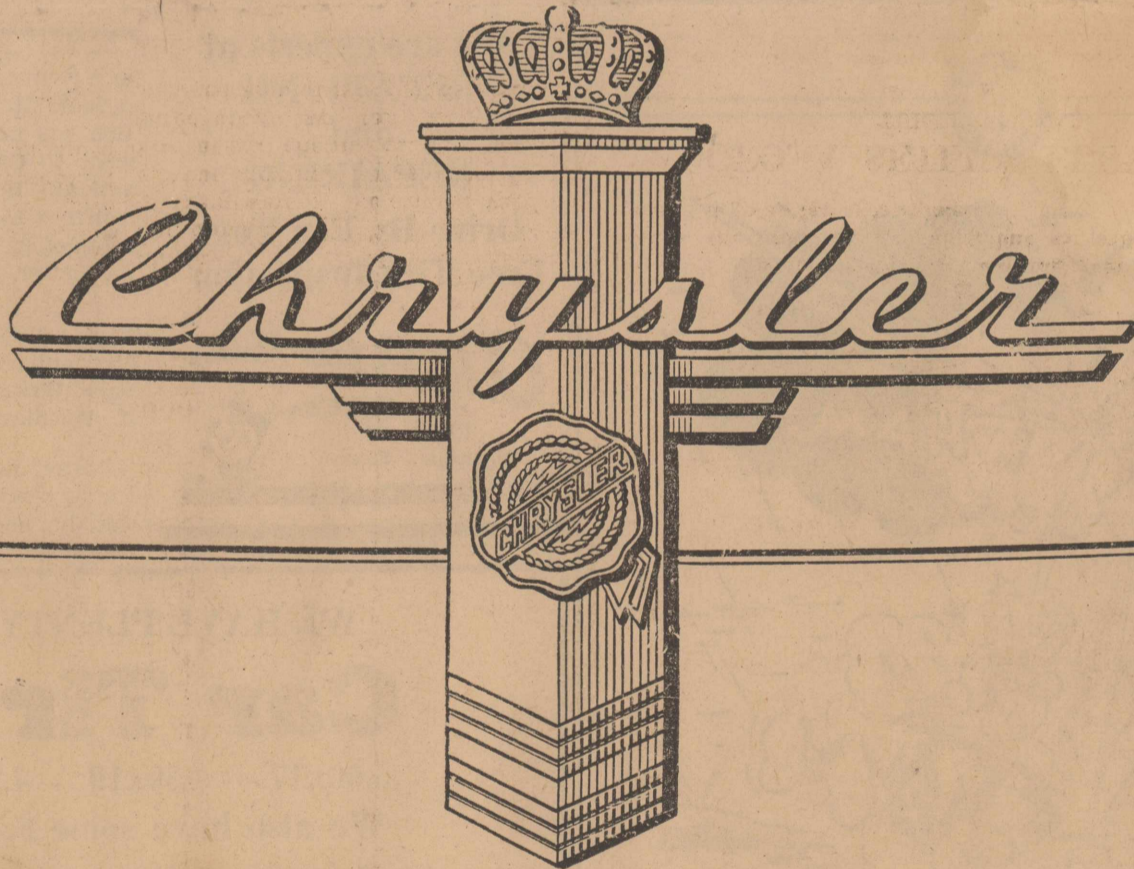
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