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SUPT. McADAMS EXPLAINS THE GILMER-AIKIN COMMITTEE What Is It?

The Gilmer-Aikin Committee is a Committee created by the last (50th, Legislature) to make a study of secondary education in Texas and to make recommendations to the next Legislature when it convenes in January, 1949 for the implementing of the program or programs recommended by the committee. The base of the committee is made up of eighteen members as follows: six professional educators, six members of the Legislature, and six lay members. In addition there are to be (1) Statewide Advisory Groups, (2) County Advisory Groups. Procedure of the Committee: The work has been organized as to proceed largely under five heads:

1. Organization of the educational system on the State level.
2. Organization of administrative school units on local level.
3. Financing the school program.
4. Textbooks, curriculum, certification and training of teachers.
5. School census, attendance, codification of school laws, buildings and building codes.

Who Is It?
County Committees are appointed by the State Committee from lists of names submitted from the various school communities by local Superintendents.

Names from the Quitaque Ind. School District are as follows: Joe W. Bailey, Mrs. Irene Kuykendall, E. P. Lewis, Mrs. Elva Rice, Mrs. Dora Hawkins, J. T. Persons, Bert Grundy, Leon Middleton, Mrs. Gene Berry and Mrs. Bill Woods.

It is expected that a list of persons recommended by the Silverton Superintendent will be submitted. From these two lists a sub-committee of the main committee will make appointments to the County Committee.

Those chosen will receive notice of appointment before long, and each committee will be advised as to methods of procedure in arriving at the facts asked for and the making of recommendations.

Respectfully,
R. H. McAdams, Supt. Schools

FLOMOT SENIORS TO HAVE BOX SUPPER

The Flomot Seniors will sponsor a box supper Friday night, March 12 at the High School building. After the box supper there will be other entertainment. We give you a special invitation for all to come and bring a box of any size, shape or fashion. All women and girls bring boxes.

We especially urge all candidates to come, bring your families and help the Senior Class is much as possible and help yourself get another vote.

Tell your friends, neighbors and relatives to come. BRING A BOX. Everyone is invited.

"THAT LUCAS FAMILY" is coming to town. Watch for them.

GEM THEATRE

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

Thursday-Friday Mar. 11-12

Dark Delusion

Lucille Bremer, James Craig
Short: TENNIS IN RHYTHM
Pathe News

Saturday Mat. & Night Mar. 13

Wild Horse Mesa

Tim Holt, Nan Leslie
Cartoon, 3-Reel Comedy and
Chapter 10 of SERIAL

Sunday-Monday March 14-15

Killer McCoy

Brian Donlevy
Mickey Rooney, Ann Blyth
Short: SLAP HAPPY LION

Tuesday-Wednesday - March 16-17

Western Union

Robert Young, Virginia Gilmore
Also Selected Short Subjects

Thursday-Friday March 18-19

The Ghost Goes Wild

James Ellison, Anne Gwynne
Also Selected Short Subjects
Pathe News

Mrs. Crabtree's Mother Died At Her Home

Mrs. Mary Ladusa Whitten, 68 years old, passed away Tuesday, March 9th at 4:50 a.m., at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. C. Crabtree, three and one half miles west of Turkey.

Mrs. Whitten was born July 30, 1880 in Montgomery County, Arkansas. She had made her home in the Newlin community the past 34 years and had only been with her daughter about 10 days. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Quitaque.

She is survived by five daughters and five sons. Her husband preceded her in death December 9, 1922.

Funeral services were pending at this writing due to the extremely bad weather.

FORMER QUITAQUE MAN DIES IN ARIZONA

Word was received this week of the passing of L. A. Trout of Coolidge, Ariz., who died at his home there Monday morning. Mr. Trout, who was about 74 years old, had moved to Phoenix, Ariz., from Quitaque in the fall of 1934. The family had lived here 14 years, and farmed on the John A. Johnson place.

Soon after coming to Quitaque, Mr. and Mrs. Trout placed their membership in the local Baptist church and both were active workers in the church during their residence here.

He is survived by the widow and two sons, Jack and Walter, five grandchildren and one great grandchild, a sister-in-law and several nieces and nephews who live at Dallas.

BAPTIST PASTOR RETURNS TO RESUME WORK AFTER REST

Rev. Ray Riley returned home last week after a month's rest on the doctor's orders. Part of the time was spent in Waco and San Antonio, and then he and Mrs. Riley visited his parents in California, before returning to Quitaque to resume his pastoral duties. He said he was feeling fine and ready to take over again.

Attendance at the Baptist Sunday school and church services was excellent, it was stated, the congregation turning out well to welcome the return of their pastor.

BAPTIST YOUTH MEETINGS

The RA boys took their counselors to Roadside Park for a picnic and did they have fun! They climbed hills and ran races until they were ready for a rest, and then piled into the cars for a ride to the big hill near the top of the cap, then a race up the hill. Some had to have a rope to help them to the top.

They were all ready for the feast of weiners, potato chips, pickles, pops, cookies and toasted marshmallows. The pops were furnished by Roy Graham who was sick and couldn't go. He was missed, and everyone thanks him for the pops. Hope Roy can go next time, and also Wiley, who missed this trip. Sorry Willie and Robert were absent too.

There were nine boys present, John Lewis Bedwell, James Arthur Lewis, Gene Lynn Rush, Don Maddux, LeRoy Bull, Norris Payne, Elmer Edwards, Harold Taint and Winfred Walker, the counselors, Mrs. Dunavant and Mrs. Buddy Morris and Teddy Dunavant who drove one of the cars.

GA MEETING

The GA girls met Monday afternoon and practiced the songs. Present were Pearl Chandler, Mattie Graham, Alpha Jean Allen, Peggy Peacock, Rochelle Craig, Emmaline Stidham, Janette Reynolds, Joann Hanny, Floretta Stone, Earlette Grundy and Mrs. Gragson.

TO TAKE SHORT COURSE

Superintendent R. H. McAdams reports that he has enrolled with the University of Texas for a special short course in Drive and Health Education to be given in Austin in June. Teachers and superintendents taking the course will be certificated to teach a half course in the public schools for which the school giving the course will be accredited. Pupils completing the course will be privileged to take tests for drivers license at an earlier age than those who have not had such course.

Highway Etiquette Will Save Lives

There are Emily Post rules of etiquette for the highway, just as there are for the drawing-room, according to W. J. Elliott, Chief of the Texas Highway Patrol.

"And traffic rules not only make for gracious living, they make for living—pedicled!" he said. "No driver is a good driver unless he knows and obeys the traffic laws, to insure his own safety as well as the safety of other drivers and pedestrians."

Chief Elliott pointed out that nearly half of all accidents in business and residential areas involve two vehicles at an intersection, and half of these are the result of two vehicles entering at right angles intent on going straight through.

He said that statistics of the National Safety Council show 15 per cent of all drivers in fatal city accidents failed to yield the right-of-way, the most frequent violation.

The Texas Highway Patrol is cooperating in a nationwide "Know and Obey Traffic Laws" program, and Captain Polk Ivy of the Amarillo District listed the following facts to remember about right-of-way at intersections:

1. A car already in the intersection has the right-of-way over cars approaching. You must give way to any car already there as you come up to the intersection.
2. If two cars arrive at an intersection at about the same time, the one on the right has the right-of-way, and the other driver must give way to him.
3. Slow down before you reach the intersection in order to be ready for a car on the cross street. Don't wait to slow down after you reach the corner—it may be too late.
4. Despite the rules, don't insist on your right-of-way at the risk of an accident. Humility is a small price to pay for safety.
5. If there are stop signs at the intersection, or if one vehicle is turning left, special rules are applicable.

EASTERN STAR OFFICER VISITS LOCAL CHAPTER

Mrs. Mayne Adamson of Turkey, deputy grand matron of the Order of Eastern Star of Texas, paid an official visit to grade the work of the Quitaque chapter last Thursday night.

The visiting officer was welcomed in an appropriate song arrangement presented by Mrs. Nellie Gillespie and Mrs. Cora Gragson.

Following presentation of the work, Mrs. Adamson was presented with a gift from the chapter, and a gift also was given to Mrs. Studie Rice, a member who is moving away. The St. Patrick's Day motif was carried out in the refreshments. The table was attractive with a color scheme of green and white, with a beautifully decorated angel food cake for each honor guest. Salad, rolled sandwiches, and other refreshments also denoted the chosen colors.

The chapter was invited to attend Friendship night at Memphis on Tuesday night, March 16, and to furnish a number for the program.

ROPING CLUB ORGANIZED ANYBODY CAN JOIN

Organization of a roping club at Quitaque is underway, and real progress has already been made, with 14 members now signed up. Membership is open to anyone who wants to join.

Plan of organization is very simple. Each member is to pay a fee of \$20.00 to provide for purchase and feeding of the roping stock. The pens and arena belonging to Frank Gillespie, located near the Santa Fe tracks will be furnished to the club, and Frank will be responsible for care of the stock. Frank will be glad to explain the setup to anyone interested in joining the club.

W. V. (Doc) Chandler was brought home Monday afternoon from the Plainview sanitarium where he received treatment for a week or more for a heart affection. Doc is improving and getting along nicely, but he has doctor's orders to remain in bed another six weeks.

New President Of West Texas Gas Co.



R. F. Hincey of Lubbock, for the past twenty years Vice President and General Manager of West Texas Gas Company, is now President and General Manager of the company. As President he succeeds R. E. Wertz of Amarillo who relinquished the post to become chairman of the board of Amarillo Oil Company, and administrative affiliate. The change, designed to enable Mr. Wertz to devote more time to special work for all the affiliated companies, was announced following a meeting of the board of directors of the company held in Kansas City last week.

Mr. Hincey came to West Texas from Okmulgee, Oklahoma, on June 1, 1927 to be in charge of the construction of a gas transmission line from the Panhandle Gas Field down into the South Plains, and of distributing plants in the various cities and towns which were to be served. First offices of the company were in Amarillo but early in 1930 after initial construction work was complete, the general offices of the company were moved to Lubbock, where they have remained.

Mr. Hincey has spent his entire working life in the natural gas business. His father and grandfather had likewise been employed in the natural gas industry. He started in his teens as water boy for a construction crew building a natural gas pipe line from Bradford, Pennsylvania, to Buffalo, New York. He has stayed with the gas industry ever since with the exception of about one year spent serving in the armed forces during World War I. His work led him from New York and Pennsylvania to Ohio, West Virginia, Oklahoma and finally to Texas. Known as "Ray" to many friends throughout West Texas he has been actively identified with the progress of this area.

Starting with the company as its first employee, Mr. Hincey has seen it grow until now it serves approximately 45,000 accounts and has more than 1500 miles of pipe in its transmission and distributing systems. The company serves 44 cities and towns from Canyon on the north to Odessa on the south and from Muleshoe and Seminole on the West to Crosbyton, Floydada and Turkey on the East.

PLAINVIEW WATER MEETING ASKS LOCAL CONTROL

Plainview, March 8—West Texans today asked the state to recognize the underground water as belonging to the owner of the land under which it is found.

The request was made in a resolution by more than 700 farmers and other representatives of the high plains irrigation belt at a 1-day meeting held here today which was called by the Texas farm bureau federation.

Underground water, the resolution said, should be recognized "the same as oil, gas, sulphur and other underground resources."

It was further urged that districts be created for underground water control and such districts be completely under local control.

The resolution asked that agriculture take precedence over other industries in the use of underground water.

VOLLEY BALL TOURNAMENT AT QUITAQUE NEXT WEEK END

A volley ball tournament is scheduled for Quitaque on Friday and Saturday, March 19-20. An official list of participants in the tournament is not available at this time but several teams have notified officials that they will be here.

Sunday Tea Is Farewell Courtesy For Mrs. Rice

An afternoon tea, Sunday from 3:00 to 6:00, was a pleasant social affair tendered as a farewell courtesy to Mrs. E. G. Rice who is leaving Quitaque soon to make her home at Tyler. The tea was served at the home of Mrs. I. G. Grundy, with Mmes. W. R. Scott, Alton Johnson, Venus Gillespie, and Frank Hawkins, as co-hostesses.

The St. Patrick's Day theme was denoted in the appointments and a color scheme of green and white was carried out. Guests were greeted by Mrs. Grundy and the honoree, and invited by Mrs. Scott to register at the "wishing well", where they dropped a penny in the well for good luck and wrote their wish on a card for the honoree to have as a remembrance.

The refreshment table was a pretty picture of green and white with a centerpiece of white tulips arranged in a tiered crystal serving dish which held dainty shamrock sandwiches, and decorated cake squares. Russian tea and coffee were served with Mrs. Johnson, assisted by Mrs. Grundy's daughter, Mrs. Dick Witten of Amarillo, presiding at the silver services. The table was lighted by tall tapers in Silver Hurricane Lamps. A bowl of white tulips and lighted candles also decorated the buffet, and trailing ivy was used for further decoration in the reception rooms.

About 70 guests called during the afternoon. Those from out of town were Mrs. A. B. Vinyard and Miss Hattie Miller of Turkey, Mrs. W. Coffee, Jr., of Silverton, Mrs. J. W. Ewing of Clovis, N.M., Mrs. Frank Simmonds of Clovis and Mrs. Homer Sanders of Muleshoe.

NEWCOMERS

A surprise package was the arrival of a new daughter to Mr and Mrs. Winston Savage of Austin. When relatives here were notified of the baby's birth on Monday, they could hardly believe their ears, as none of the aunts here knew that she was expected. We did not learn the newcomers name. Mrs. Savage is the former Miss Lucille Persons.

A son was born Monday morning at an Amarillo hospital to Mr and Mrs. Jack Meeks. The little fellow weighed a bit over five pounds. He and his mother are doing nicely. Mrs. Meeks is the former Miss Margaret Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kerr Hamilton. Donald Jack makes the fourth generation for the Hamilton clan. He is the great grandson of Mrs. Clara Hamilton.

Her birthdate at 6 o'clock, and played games.

A good time Miss Billee an emergency Plainview sanitarian.

QUEEN TH

Turkey Plans To Hold Local Livestock Show

Turkey is to have a local livestock show, date of which is yet to be announced but probably will be announced but probably will be held the latter part of April.

The area to be covered by eligible entries will extend from the Caprock east of Estelline, including Quitaque, Flomot, Gasoline, Northfld, Parnell, Hulver, etc., but excluding Estelline and Memphis. In other words the area covered is a 20-mile radius from Turkey, and including Turkey.

The show is being promoted and sponsored by Turkey FFA chapter and the Turkey Vocational classes.

The show will be open to anyone desiring to enter any kind of livestock or poultry, including beef cattle, dairy cattle, hogs, etc. Anyone desiring to enter the show or seeking information may contact George Ray Colvin at Turkey. Entrance fee has been set at 50c for each entry.

Cash prizes and ribbons will be awarded winners in each class. In order that everyone may show any animal they are interested in, classes will be arranged for all animals entered.

Those interested in showing some livestock should get their information to the committee as soon as possible. Entry blanks and further information may be secured by seeing or writing Mr. Colvin.

Further information regarding the show will be published as mature.

ATTENDS BROTHERS FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Burgess to Wichita Falls Sunday to attend funeral services there for Burgess' brother, Fred W. 'Red' man, which were held Monday, Boardman, 64, died Saturday following a short illness at the home of a daughter, Mrs. W. C. New Orleans La. Other are the widow, another Mrs. Quay Rumph of brother E. G. Boardman, Falls, and the sister, of Quitaque.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Little Miss Orm ed her eleventh 3rd, by entertaining friends at a slumber home of her parents. G. K. Farley, nice gifts. The Glenda Juan Joyce Woods nolds, Betty ta Hamner.

Her birthdate at 6 o'clock, and played games. A good time

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Jackie Cooper, Jackie Coogan Short: A BOY AND HIS DOG Paramount News

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Golden Earrings

Ray Milland, Marlene Short: POPEYE & TH

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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cooper of Floydada spent the week end here with relatives and friends.

Visitors in the H. B. Settle, Jr., home Sunday were her uncle Leonard Wilson and family of Spur.

H. B. Finney and daughter Miss Henryetta visited over the week end with relatives in Davidson, Okla.

WATCH FOR "That Lucas Family" coming soon.

Quitaque Motor Co. received a 1948 Dodge last week which was delivered to Miss Ineatha Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hooks visited Sunday with her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Reavis and children at Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Witten of Amarillo spent the week end here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Grundy.

Arthur Patrick underwent an emergency appendectomy Saturday at a Matador hospital. He is

Willson and Son
Lumber and Hardware Company
"Where Most People Trade"

getting along nicely.
FOR SALE—1946 "DC" Case tractor and equipment, all in good shape.—Bob Eudy, Turkey, Rt. 1, 7-2

O. R. Stark was home from Lubbock Tech for a week end visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Stark.

FOR SALE—Used natural gas cook stove. \$25.00. Four burners and oven.—C. R. Badgett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Purcell were here over the week end from Beaver, Okla., visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barham and Mrs. Ralph Carter and children spent the week end with relatives in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace McDonald and children of Hereford were visiting relatives and friends here last week.

FOR SALE—Go-devil for Ford tractor. Price \$50.00. Glynn Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bedwell and son of Plainview are visiting with relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Pointer and family were in Plainview Saturday attending to business and went to Olton to visit with relatives.

CAFE FOR SALE—Nice, clean, doing good business, well located.—Oliver Payne, Quitaque. 7-2

Mrs. W. O. Johnston returned home Saturday from a hospital at

Memphis where she received treatment several days last week. She is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Rumph of Amarillo were here Saturday night and Sunday for a short visit with his mother Mrs. E. P. Rumph and other relatives and friends.

Earl Morrison and Miss Ina Ruth Morrison drove to Dumas Saturday afternoon to visit relatives and view the wreckage caused by the explosion at the Cactus plant.

FOR SALE—1947 New Holland Automatic Hay Baler.—Odell Gregg, Plainview, Texas, phone 1636W. 7-2

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmonds and son Loren Gay of Clovis, N.M., were here over the week end visiting her grandmother Mrs. May Gillespie and other relatives.

Mrs. Jean Kimbrell and son of Plainview spent the week end here with her sister Mrs. Foy Peacock and family. Doyle Purcell of Plainview was also a visitor here with Mrs. Peacock and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Allen and daughter Miss Rosemund of Pampa and Miss Daphene Roberson of Clarendon visited Sunday in the Pierce White home.

THE Turkey Trading Post buys and sells used furniture. Phone 106. 8-2c

Miss LaJuan Stell accompanied Bill Ebbs down from Plainview over the week end for a visit with friends while Bill spent the week end here with Mrs. Ebbs at her parents home.

Miss Reba Gowin was here over the week end for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gowin. Miss Reba is a student at the Southwestern Baptist seminary at Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morris took his son Bobby back to Memphis for a check up Sunday and he was found to be getting along much better and expected to be back in school this week.

H. G. Boyles and family went to Dumas Sunday to visit her sister Mrs. Joe King and family, and check up on the wreckage caused by the explosion at the Cactus plant there Saturday.

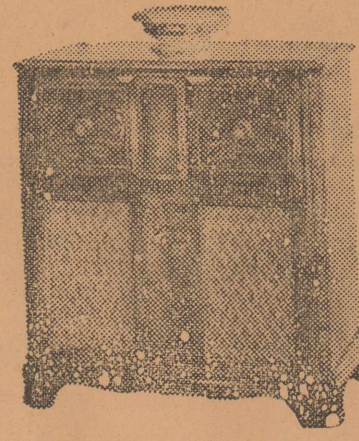
FOR SALE—Garage equipment, including new type tools, etc.—See Hubert Gilbert, Quitaque. 8-2

Mrs. W. V. Chapman came down from Lubbock for a week end visit with friends here. Mrs. Chapman is a ready-to-wear saleslady at Glassman's department store at Lubbock.

LOST OR BORROWED—From the Willson & Son Hdw., two hand saws and a shovel. Please return.

Miss Ellen Stroud was returned home Sunday from the Plainview sanitarium where she received several weeks treatment for pneumonia, and a fractured hip. She is improving, it was reported. Miss Stroud makes her home at the Quitaque hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kimmell took their young son Franklin to the clinic at Ada, Okla., last week for a recheck. The boy has been under treatment at the clinic for about three months and his mother says his condition is showing definite improvement.



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"THAT LUCAS FAMILY" will be here soon. Don't miss it!

Miss Wilda Bolding of Roaring Springs visited in the home of Miss Betty Brunson last week, returning home Saturday evening. Miss Ophelia Woodruff who is regaining her health rapidly, following several months severe illness, was a guest Sunday in the Brunson home.

The Sunday School members at Gasoline took their lunch and had dinner at the church house Sunday. After the morning session of Bible study, and dinner, the afternoon was spent just visiting. Five families attended, the Sid McFalls, the W. E. Helms, the Leon McCracken, the Glenn Morrisons and the John Kings.

FOR any kind of watsapp work call or see Raymond Way at the Trading Post. Phone 106. 8-2c

Mrs. J. N. Snodgrass who has been quite ill is reported improving. Several of her children visited her while she was ill. Buster Snodgrass and family of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Harley Workman and children of Lockney and Mrs. Albert Reed of East Texas.

Mrs. J. W. Ewing was here Sunday visiting her brother Homer

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Gregg and other relatives, and friends. Mrs. Ewing has been staying in Estelline with the children of a niece while the mother is with her father Grover Ewing who is seriously ill in a sanitarium in South Texas. Mr. J. W. Ewing has also been with his brother at the sanitarium. Mr. and Mrs. Ewing were back in Quitaque Monday, both enroute to their home at Clovis, N.M., leaving the brother unimproved.

A party last week celebrated two birthdays, W. F. Brittain's and his

granddaughter's Glenna Ray Down's. Generally the birthdays occur on following days, but this year being leap year, there was a day between them. Brit's birthday is on Feb. 28 and Glenna Ray's on March 1, and they observe them together each year. Here for the occasion were Glenna Ray and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Glen Downs of Panhandle, and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Brittain of Turkey.

171 A Classified Ad.

Bedwell Food Store

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QUITAQUE

FRIDAY & SATURDAY SPECIALS

- K.C. BAKING POWDER, 50-oz. ----- 29c
- CLEANSER Crystal White, 3 cans for 10c
- HAND SOAP, Nola, 3 for ----- 25c
- NAPKINS, 60 per pack ----- 8c
- MOBIL SPOT REMOVER, bottle ----- 29c
- MODART SHAMPOO, jar ----- 49c
- OTEX (junior size) per box ----- 24c
- ACKERS, 2-lb box ----- 39c
- Beans with Pork, 15½-oz. can ----- 10c
- ISH PEAS, No 2 cans, 2 for ----- 25c
- LOTS, No. 2½ can ----- 23c
- White Swan, Heavy Syrup
- No. 2½ can ----- 10c
- Noodle Dinner, 16-oz. jar ----- 20c
- SWAN COFFEE, per lb ----- 46c
- MASH (print sack) ----- 4.75

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BUSY BEE CLUB

The Busy Bee club met Friday, March 5 with Mrs. John King. Four members were present and 2 new members, Mrs. Ike Reed and Mrs. James Reed, also one visitor, Miss Alma Reed. A club quilt was worked on and games were played. Mrs. Finney winning the prize. Refreshments of frosted cakes and cake were served. We have had several Quitaque women express their desire to join. We are glad to have anyone who wishes to join. The next meeting will be with Mrs.

Daisy Bedwell on March 19.

ONLY TEN?

There are ten reasons why I could never even consider marrying Joe.

"What are they?"
 "Well, the first is that he hasn't any money, and the other nine are things I want."

Advice to one-arm drivers approaching railroad crossings: You can't pay attention to your brakes when your mind is on the clutch.

This And That About One Thing and Another

Queen Cafe thermometer read 0 at 7:30 Thursday morning, and earlier risers reported that when they took a look it was 3 degrees below.

Some one told us they heard a radio report this week which stated that the weather was "uncertain" but there's nothing uncertain about the kind we had Wednesday. Among other unusual occurrences are the repeated thunder storms we've been having. Just before the snow and cold strikes, we have an electrical storm and rare sound of thunder. That happened again early Wednesday morning and at 7:30 a. m. the thermometers about town registered at 10 degrees, where they remained during the day. We didn't look after dark, ten degrees was cold enough for us. Strong winds and light snow, made the roads impassible, and school buses did not run Wednesday.

We have some Flomot school news this week, which we are glad to have, and will be pleased to publish each week. All we ask of the Longhorn editors is to get their news in early, and to condense it as much as possible. We still have only four pages in which to try to print something to please all of our readers and while most of them like to read the Flomot school news some of them look for something else.

LEMON SNOWBALLS

—Cleota Burns
 Preheat oven to 350 degrees (moderate)

Mix together thoroughly 1/2 cup soft shortening, 2/3 cup sugar, 2 tsp. grated lemon rind, 1 egg.

Stir in 3 tbsps strained lemon juice, 1 tbsps water.

Sift together and stir in 1 3/4c. sifted flour, 1/4 tsp. soda, 1/2 tsp. salt, 1/4 tsp. cream of tartar.

Stir in 1/2 cup finely chopped nuts. Flour hands and form dough into balls the size of a small walnut. (If made any bigger they will be doughie). Place about 1 inch apart on ungreased baking sheet. Bake 10 to 15 minutes in moderate oven (350). When done cookies are light brown on the bottom but not on top. Remove immediately from baking sheet and roll in confectioners sugar. Makes about 4 dozen cookies. You may think the confectioners sugar will not stick as it comes off easy. After rolling the cookies in the sugar don't shake the sugar off—let it set awhile and then it will stay on.

Some of our readers like soil conservation news, and we wish more of them did. Our SCS news from the Silverton office usually arrives on the Thursday mail which makes it too late for that week, so it has to be held over. We wish we knew more about soil conservation work so that we could write more about it. And we wish that all the business men knew more about it. The item in the Annual SCS report which impressed us was the statement that the business men need more education on the soil conservation program.

Most West Texas business men are farmers on the side, or hope to be—or vice versa. And certainly in our community, our business depends upon the financial condition of our farmers. If our farmers do not save their soil, the length and progress of our business enterprises are limited. So it is logical that the business men should be educated on soil conservation, and should promote the information, for their own benefit, as well as their customers.

In a West Texas magazine which is a rather new publication, we were impressed by three pictures showing the development of Lubbock. The first picture showed Lubbock's courthouse as it appeared in 1905. A lone building with some wagons and cattle clustered around it. Then a view of Lubbock's main street, Broadway was shown, as it was in 1914. A wide street, bordered with one and two-story buildings and a few cars (look like model T's) lined up across it. Then a picture of the same street in 1941, just as wide, but appearing narrow, with the automobiles lined up on either side, tall buildings and the sidewalks crowded with pedestrians. Lubbock's growth is mainly due to the development of agriculture and the soil resources in the area surrounding it.

Here are some SCS statistics: Texas farm and ranch people on November 30, 1947, had voted into existence 145 soil conservation districts covering 82.5 percent of the state's area. In these districts about 19.5 million acres were included in more than 44 thousands plans involving such land improvement treatments as: terracing, contour cultivation, cover cropping, drainage, fertilization, crop rotation, strip cropping, irrigation, controlled grazing, spring and well development, woodland improvement, new and old pasture planting, and others. With educational and directive aid from the Extension service of Texas A&M college; engineering and scientific aid from the Soil Conservation Service; and financial and supervisory assistance from other state and federal agencies, Texas farm and ranch owners have increased the productivity of millions of acres of land. Greater yields have brought greater prosperity to these land owners.

THE BUSINESS SITUATION
 Austin. —The volume of Texas business hit another postwar high in January. The University of

Texas Bureau of Business Research reported. The Bureau's composite index of business activity was 211 per cent of the 1935-39 base period. Dr. John R. Stockton, professor of business statistics and Bureau statistician, pointed out the index was only 11 per cent below the wartime peak of 238 of January 1945. "The question is still being debated as to whether the break in commodity and security prices in February is the beginning of a major downturn in the business cycle, and at the present time the answer is not clear. However, the fact that the various elements entering into the composite index

showed such diverse trends in January suggests that the index of business activity might be approaching a peak." Farm cash income dropped 39 per cent from December, bringing the Bureau's seasonally-adjusted index to 299 per cent of the 1935-39 base period. In spite of the decline, farm income was 23 per cent above a year earlier. Prices generally rose between December and January; the index of consumers' prices in Houston rose 1 per cent and the index of food prices 2 per cent. In comparison with a year ago, consumers' prices were up 11 per cent; and food prices, 15 per cent.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Ben's Bride Gets Chickenhearted

Ben Ryder was mighty proud of his young bride when she offered to care for his new flock of baby chicks. "Just like a mother with her brood," he boasts.

Then came market time for fryers—and the crisis! Sue simply wouldn't let Ben near her chickens with an axe. She'd raised them as babes... she'd named them... they were her very own!

Ben poured himself a glass of beer, to think things over sensibly. He hated to lose the price on fryers... but he figured Sue had put up

with his peculiarities, he guessed he could put up with her fondness for the chickens.

So now Ben has the nicest brood of laying hens in town, and from where I sit, one of the most successful marriages, too. All because he "lived-and-let-live"—literally. And whenever he wants fried chicken, he takes his bride over to Andy's Garden Tavern for a crisp wing and a glass of beer.

Joe Marsh

LONGHORN BELLOW
By Students of Flomot School

MEET A SENIOR

Name—Barney Joe Martin, age, 17, height 6 ft 3 in; weight 178; hair, blond; eyes, blue; complexion fair; favorite sport, likes them all; habit, chasing girls; ambition, get married and raise chickens; looks, ignorant, dislikes, conceited people; favorite subject, not any.

So much for that—now for the serious things and happenings around Flomot High.

Louise Lee who has been taking a post graduate course since last fall is now attending Wayland

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following political announcements are subject to action of the Democratic Primary, July 24, 1948:

For County Judge and ex-Officio County Superintendent:

J. W. LYON, JR.
(Re-Election)

For Sheriff, Assessor & Collector:

BRYAN STRANGE
(Re-Election)

For County Clerk:

DEE McWILLIAMS
(Re-Election)

For County Treasurer:

A. G. STEVENSON
(Re-Election)

For Commissioner Precinct 2:

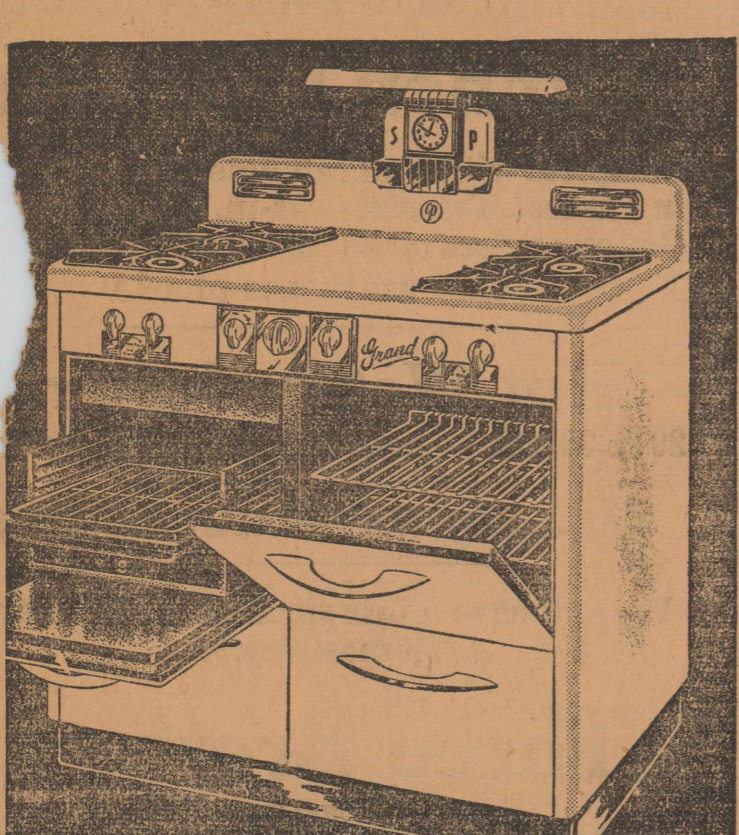
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College at Plainview. We miss her as a member of the Senior class and wish her the best of luck in everything she offers to do in her future life.

Don't forget about the Box Supper Friday night, March 12, sponsored by the Senior class. Girls, and women bring boxes! Boys and men bring money!

The junior class is having play practice and plan to present their play next week. The name of this three act comedy is "You'll Die Laughing". The exact date and admission cost will appear in the paper soon.

Keep on the look out! Don't miss this play.

SUPPER FOR SENIORS

Wednesday night of last week, a Senior class in the home of Mr. Senior class in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Martin and Nita.

Those present were: Walter Speer, Rex Tiffin, Garland Cavitt, Barney Joe Martin, Mark Clay, Cecil Reed, Frank Fisher, Walter Gunn, Riley and Ben Turner. Seniors who could not attend are Ava Nell Monk, Dale Meece, John Gilbert and sponsor, Mr. Stewart.

The menu consisted of boiled ham, green beans, corn, salads, hot rolls, peaches, whipped cream, fruit salad cake and hot chocolate.

The boys went to the show afterwards and reported a good time.

SPORTS REVIEW OF FHS

Basketball season ended for Flomot last Tuesday night when two of our all star ball players went to Quitaque to compete in the final basketball game of the season in this area. The final scores of this game were 73-37. Barney Joe and

Garland showed up great in this game when both tallied 51 points during that game.

Flomot is proud of the basketball team coach Stewart developed this season. We give him much credit for that.

The boys have organized a baseball team their first game scheduled for the last of this month.

The track team of FHS is showing up and looking good. The school is backing you boys and hoping you come out winners.

Basketball ended for the girls when they journeyed to Cooper Feb. 24. They reported a good time. Only nine girls went. They were: Red Johnson, Jane Jones, Ava Nell Monk, Joyce Tiffin, Jo Slover, Nita Martin, Erma Nall, Boo-Boo Gilbert and Bobbie Morris, Coach Odom and Martin, Mr. and Mrs. James Monk and Don.

The girls won two trophies this ball season which was fair but wished it had been more. Don't we girls?

The girls have organized a volleyball team and will know by the end of the week if they can match games with opposing teams.

HIGH SCHOOL GOSSIP

Now for the latest gossip around FHS. It appears that all the Flomot boys have taken a sudden interest in Turkey, more than usual. They all go to Turkey quite often except Cecil and John who find things more interesting at Quitaque.

Rex, who was that girl hunting you Saturday night—could it have been Margaret Beck?

It seems that Dale has begun to step out again.

It appears that one of our cute sophomores Sue George has found a new boy friend at Turkey—could it be LaMoine Hill?

Ava Nell and Wesley were seen in Quitaque Friday night.

The professional roper of FHS—Richard Nall, who is doing quite well now, says being a cow buyer should be convenient with his roping.

Billie Martin who has been going to school here since midterm seems to be doing quite well with the boys around here, especially the long, tall type such as Mark and Salty.

1948 Auto Tags

Must be on all cars by midnight of April 1, or owners will be subject to a fine and must pay a penalty for not buying their plates on time.

License tags may be put on at any time after they are purchased.

You must have certificates of title for registration or 1947 license receipt bearing same number as title.

You are to register your car in the county in which you live. This money goes for upkeep of county roads.

If you trade for a car, the papers are to be filled out within 10 days from date of assignment, else you are subject to a \$5.00 penalty.

Bryan Strange

Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector, Briscoe County

Oliver had a happy look on his face this Monday morning. He got his girl friend back, Cloris Neatherlin.

With the plans of our leap year

party set for next week Buettone wants to be sure she has an escort, she has asked several of the boys in the freshman class or was it Jean who did the asking? That's ok girls, you're still ahead of Nita and Billie, they can't get that far along.

Joan was seen with a good-looking Saturday night. Could it have

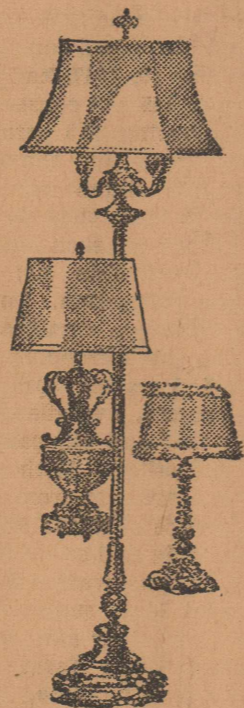
been Bob Lane, Turkey?

We now see that Doyle is the only one who does all the good at Turkey these days (or we guess it's good). They tell us Mary Jo has been wearing a diamond since Friday night. We wonder?

Erma still rates well swell, good looking guy in the junior class here in FHS.

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