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Newcomers

Mr. and Mrs. John Pigg are the parents of a son who was born Friday night at Matador. The boy was named Billy Miles. Mrs. Pigg is the former Miss Dolores Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ramsey Jr. have a son born last Thursday morning Dec. 23, at the Silverton clinic. Mrs. Ramsey was formerly Miss Marie Duck, and they have named their son Richard Dale.

A son arrived December 28 at Austin to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Grundy, relatives here were advised Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Grundy have lots of grandchildren, including some grandsons, but this is the first grandson to bear the Grundy name, and Grandpa Jess is plumb pleased. The boy was named Robert Scott Grundy.

A daughter was born Tuesday morning at Plainview to Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bailey and they have named the little one Janet. Everyone is getting along fine, Bud reported Wednesday.

A boy weighing 6 pounds and 8 ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamner in the Stanley Hospital at Matador, December 23. The baby was named Charles Ocho. The mother and baby were brought home on Christmas Day.

BUSY BEE CLUB

The Busy Bee Club met with Mrs. W. M. Tracy on Dec. 17. There were eleven members present, and one guest, Mrs. Edgar Morrison.

Some came and spent the day, but others just came in the afternoon and after working on the club quilt awhile, we had our exchange of Christmas gifts, and drew names for "Sunshine Friends."

We also viewed the "lovely" pictures which were taken of the "tacky party" group at Bradshaw's.

Some of the group who did not have lunch with the hostess, "snacked" on apple pie, cookies, etc., at intervals during the afternoon.

The next meeting will be on Jan. 7 with Mary Ellen McCracken. Bring your needlework.

Dee Sachse and son Billy Joe came down last Thursday night from Amarillo to visit their mother and grandmother Mrs. F. M. Sachse. Dee went on to Colorado City to join his wife at her relatives' home for the holidays leaving Billy Joe for a longer visit. Other children here to spend the day with Mrs. Sachse were Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Montgomery of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Lake Sachse and daughter Virginia of Loco, Mr. and Mrs. Melre Graham and boys of Silverton, and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Lewis and boys of Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Price moved about two weeks ago to the house in the northwest part of town belonging to the Co-op Gin.

E. E. Burgess suffered a heart attack Wednesday and this morning was reported resting fairly well at his home.

QUEEN THEATRE

QUITAQUE, TEXAS

Thursday-Friday Dec. 30-31

The Search
Montgomery Clift, Aline McMahon
Short: **OLD ROCKIN CHAIR TOM**

Saturday Mat. and Night Jan. 1

Angel's Alley
Leo Gorcey and The Bowery Boys
Huntz Hall
Short: **GO CHASE YOURSELF**
Chapter 14 of **TEX GRANGER**

Sunday-Monday Jan. 2-3

The Inside Story
Marsha Hunt, Charles Winninger
Gail Patrick, Florence Bates
Gene Lockhart
Short: Selected Short Subject

Tuesday-Wednesday Jan. 4-5

King of the Gamblers
Janet Martin, William Wright
Thurston Hall, William Henry
Also selected short subjects

Thursday-Friday Jan. 6-7

San Francisco
Clark Gable, Jeanette MacDonald
Spencer Tracy
Short: Selected Short Subject

New Committeemen Elected In County

Mr. Farmer, meet your 1949 county and community committeemen:

The three key men who will administer the 1949 Agricultural Conservation program were selected December 20, 1948 at the delegate's convention. They are as follows: Stanley M. Wilson, Chairman of the County Committee, John E. Wheelock, Vice Chairman, and Roy L. Brunson, Regular member.

Community committeemen who will represent farmers and ranchers in their respective community are as follows:

Silverton Community, W. E. Austry, Lee Deavenport, and Bood Myers.

Quitaque Community, James Mayfield, Maynard Wilson and Johnnie B. Whiteley.

Kent Community, O. C. Crabtree, H. A. Boggs and John Currie.

San Jacinto, Arnold Turner, Murray May, and R. M. Haverty.

Francis Community, J. E. Jowell, Edwin Crass, and Printz Brown.

Antelope Flat, Bray H. Cook, Guy D. Edens, and Elmer B. Sanders.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Anderson and son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Anderson spent Christmas in Phillips with their sons and brothers Earl and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Anderson, Jr.

Rev. and Mrs. Jerrel Gaddy and son Michael of Austin and Lit Bogan of the Marines, now stationed at Paris Island, South Carolina, were here during the holidays visiting their father S. T. Bogan and other relatives. Rev. Gaddy, who is pastor of the Kenny Ave. Baptist Church at Austin, left his family here for a longer visit while he went to California to visit his grandmother who is ill. Lit was here for a couple of days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hancock who had been here for several weeks with their daughter Mrs. James Rhoderick, left this (Thursday) morning to return to their home at Hobbs, NM. Their daughters Mrs. Jess Harwell and Mrs. Zeph Ferguson of Clovis and Hobbs, came by to take them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Faulkner and daughter came down from Morton over the week end to join the boys who had been visiting through the week, and to spend the holidays with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hardberger and children and Russell Smylie of Beaver, Okla., and Miss Overta Powders of Woodward, visited during the holidays with Mrs. Willie Smylie. Other visitors in the home were R. E.'s brother and family, Homer Hardberger and wife and daughter Jan, of O'Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ince are here from Fort Collins, Colo., where she is teaching in the high school and he is enrolled in the college.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Rumph were here from Amarillo visiting relatives and friends over the week end.

Mrs. May Coleman of Benica, Cal., is here visiting her sisters Mrs. Molly Morrison and Mrs. Odie Honea.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Woods and daughters of Clovis, NM., were here for a Christmas visit with his brother Bill Woods and family, and sister, Mrs. Bert Grundy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Love left this week for a visit with the John J. Woods in Bakersfield, Cal.

Rayburn Burgess who is home for the holidays from OU at Norman, Okla., is busy operating his drug store at Silverton. The Burgesses bought the Silverton Store some time ago and Mr. and Mrs. Burgess have been running it until Rayburn completes his pharmacy course, which he will do in January, and then he will come home and take over.

MR. BRITTAIN IMPROVING

W. F. Brittain is considerably improved and was brought to his home here the first of the week from the Silverton hospital. Mrs. Brittain stated Thursday morning that he was sleeping and resting well. His sisters, Mrs. J. B. McDonald and Mrs. S. McDonald are here with him.

Norman Gipson of Amherst will here Sunday to lead the service at the Church of Christ. Everyone cordially invited to attend.

Christmas Banquet For Young People

A delightful holiday social was the banquet for young people in which the Baptist and Methodist churches were joint hosts. The affair was given last Thursday night in the basement at the Baptist church.

Long tables were arranged and beautifully decorated with trailing holly giant red Christmas candles, and potted poinsettias. Favors were miniature red boots filled with candies, and the program and menu were enclosed in tree-shaped folders.

The menu consisted of chicken and dressing, giblet gravy, corn, peas, potatoes, cranberries, salad, hot rolls, coffee, hot chocolate, and pumpkin pie with whipped cream.

Rev. Ray Riley welcomed the guests and Bill Ebbs gave the response and also made the address of the evening. Mrs. Son Washington sang a selection and Miss Patsy Stark presented an accordion number. Christmas carols were sung by the group, with Travis Morrison leading the singing.

About 50 were present for the pleasant evening.

LOCAL GINNING SEASON CLOSES THIS WEEK

The local ginning season closes this week with the two Quitaque gins reporting Wednesday evening around 4900 bales, and with about 15 or 20 more bales to gin.

This has been one of the shortest ginning seasons on record—not in the number of bales ginned, but in the period of time required to take care of the season's crop. For the first time in years the ginning season was practically over several weeks before Christmas.

In midsummer the forecast was for a bumper crop, but our late summer rains were accompanied by either strong winds or hail, which cut considerably into harvest prospects. Then too, the continued good weather, with little or no interruption in the gathering, shortened the season.

Moisture has been reported only twice in the past four months. Homer Gregg, who succeeded Bill Middleton as city secretary about 4 months ago, and fell heir to the weather reporting chore, has found enough moisture in the gauge to measure only twice. About six weeks ago we had a little moisture, and the skim of snow which came to bring a White Christmas resulted in .07 inch of moisture.

COTTON BOWL GAME ON THE AIR JAN. 1

The traditional New Year's Day broadcast of the Cotton Bowl Game in Dallas by Humble Oil and Refining Company will go on the air at 1 p.m. Saturday. This 13th Cotton Bowl Game, featuring the Championship S.M.U. team and the visiting Oregonians, will be brought to listeners over a state-wide network. Kern Tips will give the play-by-play report and will be assisted by colorman Alec Chesser. The Humble broadcast may be heard over stations WRR, Dallas; WFAA-820, Dallas; WOAI, San Antonio; KGNC, Amarillo.

HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kimbell had a very merry Christmas with all their children and grandchildren present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McKnight and children Barbara and Martha, Roswell, NM.; Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Kimbell and children Lavaydia Jean and Larry Jack, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kimbell and little Sue Ann, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crump, all of Amarillo.

TO PLAY IN DIXIE BOWL

Rev. Riley drove down to Waco last week and brought home his son Harold, student at Baylor for a holiday visit. Harold left this week to join the Baylor Bears who compete in the Dixie Bowl New Year's game at Birmingham, Ala.

Prospect Favorable For Road Improvement

Prospects at this time look favorable for building the highway south from Quitaque to the Floyd County line, and connecting with improved highway in the northeast corner of Floyd county. Just before press time last week the editor received a release from State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer, with the advice that the highway in Briscoe county had been designated by the state department.

In Floyd county citizens also have received encouraging comment from members of the State highway commission.

The commissioners courts of Briscoe and Floyd counties appeared before the highway commission in a hearing at Fort Worth last week, and presented the urgent need of the proposed road improvement. The commissioners were accompanied by a group of residents from the communities in which the roads are located, and a number of interested citizens from Floyd and Briscoe counties.

Making the trip to Fort Worth to appear were Jim Willson and Bob Crowell of Floydada, and members of the Floyd county commissioners court; members of the Briscoe county commissioners court, and A. D. Monk, Pete Clark, Orb Payne, W. W. Merrell, Ford Johnson, E. E. Berry, W. J. Rice, Orlin Stark, M. L. Roberson, E. L. Boyett and Cecil Purcell.

ODELL WHITE KILLED IN ACCIDENT ON CHRISTMAS EVE

Friends of this area were grieved to learn of the tragic accident which took the life on Christmas Eve, of Odell White, 30 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. White and children were enroute to Havannah, Ark., to spend the holidays with their parents. Their car was pulling a trailer and went out of control on icy pavement near Mena, Ark. The accident happened about 3:00 p.m., Friday afternoon, and he received a broken neck, dying instantly. Mrs. White's neck also was broken, but the children were uninjured.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at 2:30 p.m. at Fort Smith, Ark., with Alva Johnson and his son Clark Johnson, of Turkey in charge. Mr. Johnson and his son were accompanied to Arkansas by Jess Browning of Turkey.

Mr. White and his family are well known in this area. He conducted a singing school and revival at the Church of Christ at Quitaque this year, and has been a leader in Church of Christ meetings at Turkey and other communities in the neighborhood.

The Whites were living at Farmersville, Texas where they had only recently purchased a new home.

The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mayfield were here during the holidays for a family reunion, all of them enjoying Christmas dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mayfield. Those present were Kelsie and family, and Buddy and family, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ward and daughter of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Sherman of Bakersfield, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Smith of Portales, NM, and Alger Farley and family of Lubbock.

CHRISTMAS DINNER GUESTS

Guests for Christmas dinner in the home of Mrs. Gladys Wise were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tibbetts and children of Lubbock, Bruce Wise of the JA's, Miss Mary Ollie Persons of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Billy B. Hutcheson and children of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Persons and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Persons, Norma and Joe, Tad Persons of Stevenville and Miss Barbara Jo Persons of Dallas.

Mrs. B. J. Rhoderick Buried At Clarendon

Last rites were held Wednesday for Mrs. B. J. Rhoderick, a pioneer of the Panhandle, who had made her home for the past two years at Quitaque with her daughter Mrs. J. W. Lyon, Sr. Granny Rhoderick was well known and dearly loved by many friends here, having visited her daughter, and son James Rhoderick many times and for long periods.

Following several years of failing health, she became an invalid about two years ago, and Mrs. Lyon brought her to her home here to care for her. She passed away at 4:45 p.m. Monday afternoon, Dec. 27, at the Silverton clinic, at the age of 75 years.

Services were held Wednesday morning at 10:30 at the First Baptist church of Quitaque, with Rev. Ray Riley, pastor, officiating. The remains were taken to Clarendon for interment in the cemetery there beside her husband who preceded her in death in 1912, and graveside rites were conducted there at 2:00 p.m. with Rev. Douglas Carver of Pampa in charge.

Flower bearers were the grandsons, J. W. Lyon, Jr., J. C. Rhoderick, Jr., Bernie Lee, Billy Frank, and Lynn Rhoderick, and a close friend, R. B. Persons. Honorary pallbearers were E. W. Scheid, M. L. Roberson, Jake Merrell, W. J. Rice, Orlin Stark, Jim Stell, C. E. Bedwell, Mathew Owens, Solon Owens, Roy Burgess and Elmer Tibbetts.

Flower bearers were Mrs. S. C. Brown, Patsy Brown, Madeline Owens, Mrs. Durwood Lewis, Mrs. Frank Hawkins, Mrs. Glen Gibson, Mrs. E. L. Boyett, Mrs. John T. Rogers, Jr., Mrs. E. W. Scheid, and Jessie Lee Metzker.

Sarah Frances Bozeman was born November 10, 1873 in Clark County, Ark., and came to Texas when a small child with her parents James Franklin and Sally Webster Bozeman. In 1886 they moved to Old Mobeetie where they lived until 1888 when they moved to Clarendon. She was married on September 30, 1891 to Bernard James Rhoderick, and they lived in and near Clarendon until his death. At one time they owned the Lazy-H ranch near there, and operated other ranch property which was later acquired by the JA's. Mr. Rhoderick was killed by a run-away team on November 29, 1912. Mrs. Rhoderick remained in Clarendon until 1919 when she came to Quitaque and made her home for three years with her son James on the F-ranch, then moved to Amarillo. She operated a rooming house there for many years, until her health failed.

She is survived by two children, Mrs. Mary Frances Lyon and James C. Rhoderick, both of Quitaque; six grandchildren, Judge J. W. Lyon, Jr., of Silverton, J. C. Rhoderick, Jr., and Lynn Rhoderick of Quitaque, Mrs. Clayton Johnson of Brownsville, Berna Lee Rhoderick of Morton and Billy Frank Rhoderick of Littlefield, three great grandchildren; two brothers, W. M. Bozeman of Burkeville, Ala., and Nathan Bozeman of Vallejo, Cal., and a score of nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Rhoderick was converted in early girlhood and joined the Baptist church. She was a charter member of the Clarendon Baptist church. A devout Christian, she loved her church and enjoyed the work. Of real West Texas pioneer stock, she was friendly and generous, loved her neighbors and her friends, and always thoughtful and considerate of others. When she realized that she might go at any moment, she called her loved ones to her and expressed her regret for the burden her long illness had caused, and thanked them for their care and devotion. She passed away peacefully, as she had lived, her last thoughts and concern for others.

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Pallbearers were Pete Blankenship, Dick Hooks, M. R. Boyles, Edgar Morrison, Orlin Stark and B. L. Chandler. Line walkers were Claud Cantrell and J. D. Blankenship.

The hymn, "What A Friend We Have in Jesus" was sung by special request at the service.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to the many kind friends who were so helpful to us and aided us in many ways in the last duties to our loved one. Thanks to each of you.

George Huggins and Wilson

MANY RELATIVES AND FRIENDS ATTEND RHODERICK RITES

Relatives and friends, including several nieces who had faithfully attended their aunt during her long illness, were here and at Clarendon, to attend the last rites Wednesday for Mrs. B. J. Rhoderick.

Mrs. Lizzie Stevens of Clarendon who was the first school teacher Mrs. Rhoderick's children and v is still teaching, was present at the Clarendon rites. Frank W. of Clarendon, a friend of standing, assisted with the directions at the cemetery among the host of other who came to Clarendon from arillo and other points for the vice were a cousin Mrs. Chamberlin and son and wife and Mrs. Clark Chamberlin.

Relatives included Mrs. L. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence L. of Amarillo; Miss Grace Bozeman and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Kuykendall of Springlake, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carder and son Frank of Amarillo, and Mrs. Charlie Anderson of Phoenix, Ariz.

GEM THEATRE

TURKEY, TEXAS

Thursday-Friday Dec. 30-31

The Lady from Shanghai
Rita Hayworth, Oson Welles
Selected Short Subjects

Saturday Mat. and Night Jan. 1

Wild West
(Color)
Eddie Dean, Al LaRue
Shorts: **CUPID RIDES THE RANGE**
TUMBLEWEED TEMPO

Sunday-Monday Jan. 2-3

Key Largo
Humphrey Bogart, Lauren Bacall
Short: **DAFFY SLEPT HERE**

Tuesday-Wednesday Jan. 4-5

The Smugglers
(Technicolor)
Michael Redgrave, Jean Kent
Short: **FELIX LAX**

Thursday-Friday Jan. 6-7

It Had To Be You
Ginger Rogers, Cornel Wilde
Also selected short subjects

Income Tax Reports

It's that time of year again.
Income tax reports due January 15.
Come Early.
Don Masterson
In old Wooldridge Lumber Co. Bldg.
TURKEY, TEXAS

W. R. SCOTT
Owner and Publisher

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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Roberson spent Christmas with her parents and other relatives at Amherst.

Frank Hawkins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mort Hawkins, Harvey and Bobby Payne spent the week end with their sister Mrs. Paul Kinard and family at Lubbock. L. D. Payne of the Navy also has been visiting here and with his sister in Lubbock during his Christmas leave.

NOTICE, PLEASE—All who have baseball suits or other equipment are advised to turn them in to Lewis Bedwell as early as possible. Thanks. 50-1c

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gardiner returned home Monday from Denton where they spent the week end with their daughter Mrs. Barney Bogan and family.

A. L. Morris and son Bobby spent Christmas with his mother Mrs. May Morris at Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Morris visited Christmas with his sister at Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hooks spent Christmas with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Reavis and children at Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bedwell and boys spent the holidays with her parents and other relatives at Cooper.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment at Quitaque Hotel. Mrs. W. V. Chapman. 50-1c

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bedwell and daughters visited over the holidays with her parents at Spearman and relatives at Beaver, Okla.

Mrs. C. C. Ham and son Bobby Jack left the first of the week for a visit with relatives in Saint Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Persons and Mr. and Mrs. Billy B. Hutcheson and children of Amarillo visited during Christmas with their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Persons.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Colwell and

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

daughter Emma Dean, and Mrs. Jim Tunnell were here from Amarillo Saturday for a Christmas visit in the Alton Johnson home.

CHOICE HAMPSHIRE weaner pigs for sale. At the farm in afternoons only. Willis Walker, Turkey. 50-2c

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holcomb, Rinkey and Buddy spent Sunday in Turkey attending a family reunion at the home of her mother Mrs. Fred Lacy. Others present were the Jack Lacy family, the Jake Lacy family, Rog Arnold and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilmore and small son, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gilmore, Roy Lacy and family and Luther Holland, all of Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Hicks and children of Matador spent Christmas here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Woodruff.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hamilton and daughters Gwendolyn and Pauleta, of Denton were here over the week end visiting his mother Mrs. Clara Hamilton and other relatives.

Mrs. Emma Burgess went to Odessa to spend the holidays with her son Charlie and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Merrell and Warren Lee visited his mother and other relatives at Lakeview, for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Boyett and son Jimmy returned Sunday night from Hollis where they spent the holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Honea and daughter Miss Valveria spent the holidays with relatives in San Antonio, returning home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Berry and children have gone to California to visit his mother and brother and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hodges and children of Agen spent Christmas here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Harve Foster and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Son Washington and Alicia of Springlake spent Christmas here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Morrison.

C. W. Broxson of Fort Worth spent Christmas here with his daughter Mrs. Ralph Carter and fam-

ily. **FOR SALE**—Baby bed and mattress. See Mrs. Boone McCracken. 50-1

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Finney and children spent Christmas in Davidson, Okla., with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Polk of Temple and Leon McCracken, Jr., student at Tech spent Christmas here with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Leon McCracken.

Mr. and Mrs. John King and children spent Christmas with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. King at Paducah.

FOR SALE—12-A John Deere combine; Farmall regular; 1937 V-8 truck Ford. See Dick Cooper, Quitaque. 50-1c

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Washington and Larry Dale of Portales spent Christmas holidays visiting relatives at Flomot and her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Hutcheson at Quitaque.

Miss Betty Rae Adkins was home from Lubbock to spend Christmas with her mother Mrs. Lee Driver and other relatives here.

Shug Drake came down Friday and took his parents Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Drake to Amarillo to spend Christmas with him and his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Esker Curtis and small daughter of Arlington, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Curtis of Fort Worth, visited over the holidays with the A. B. Ramseys.

Visitors in the Jess Grundy home for the holidays were their son Buddy of Wichita Falls and daughter Mrs. John Van Winkle and family of Amarillo.

Ted Copeland and family of Roswell, NM., spent Christmas here with his daughter Mrs. Nook Bedwell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lindsey and son Olivern visited during the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Nall. The Lindseys are living at Whiteface.

Tad Persons of John Tarleton College, Stevenson, and Miss Barbara Jo Persons of Dallas spent the holidays here with their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Persons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Golden and children of Levelland visited during the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Patrick.

E. H. (Shorty) Ward and family moved this week from Edgin community to Victor Hall's farm at Smyer, between Lubbock and Levelland.

The Hubert Setliffs and the Lawrence Bedwells, who live on adjoining farms, near Plainview, were here to spend the holidays with relatives.

Merrell Food & Produce

PHONE 5-M

Quitaque, Texas

Friday & Saturday Specials

Laurel Leaf Lard

4-lb Carton ----- 89c

Black Eyed Peas

White Swan — 303 size ----- 10c

Krispy Kracker

2-lb ----- 39c

Vermont Maid

Syrup

24-oz. bottle ----- 55c

Peanut Butter

Justo — 2-lb ----- 59c

White Swan — All green

Asparagus

303 size ----- 39c

Sweet Potato

No. 2 can ----- 13c

Gladiola Flour

50-lb ----- 3.79

Skimmers

Macaroni

14-oz. ----- 19c

Dole — Crushed

Pineapple

No. 2 can ----- 35c

Halo Shampoo

Large size ----- 43c

Bring Us Your Cream & Eggs

MANY THANKS
And Happy New Year To All



January 1, 1949 marks our fourth year to operate our laundry in Quitaque, and we want to express our appreciation for the nice business you have given us, and solicit your continued patronage.

Many thanks to all of you and sincere best wishes for a Happy New Year.

QUITAQUE LAUNDRY
MR. & MRS. IRA GRAHAM



WILLSON & SON

WILLSON and SON
PHONE 64J
FURNITURE LUMBER HARDWARE
QUITAQUE, TEXAS
"WHERE MOST PEOPLE TRADE"

WHEN YOUR FAMILY IS STRICKEN BY THESE DREAD DISEASES THIS EMERGENCY Policy Pays Up To \$5,000.00

POLIOMYELITIS (Infantile Paralysis)
SPINAL MENINGITIS
SMALLPOX
DIPHTHERIA
SCARLET FEVER
TETANUS
ENCEPHALITIS
LEUKEMIA

AGGREGATE FOR ALL DISEASES FOR EACH PERSON INSURED

DOCTOR BILLS—The regular charge made by your doctor or osteopath for treatment.

HOSPITAL BILLS—The regular charge for room and board, regular hospital attendance, and any hospital apparatus or medicines used in treatment.

SPECIAL NURSE—The regular charge for a registered, graduate nurse.

AMBULANCE—Up to fifty dollars for transportation to or from the hospital.

X-RAY—The regular charge for both diagnosis and treatment.

BLOOD TRANSFUSIONS—The regular charge plus expense for donors of blood.

DRUGS AND MEDICINES—The regular charge for all drugs and medicines used.

IRON LUNG—The regular charge for Iron Lung or similar apparatus.

BRACES, CRUTCHES, ETC.—Braces, crutches, wheel chair, etc., prescribed by your doctor are included.

TRANSPORTATION—Emergency transportation to another locality for treatment recommended by your doctor.

PLUS — This Is Important Extra Benefit
\$500.00 Death Benefit by accidental means, on each person insured. This is an additional extra benefit to further protect your family.

\$5 for one person — \$8 for two persons
\$12 for a family group
THIS POLICY IS NON-CANCELLABLE

OLLIE NALL, Agent
Continental Life Insurance Company, Fort Worth

relatives.

Jack Holcomb spent Monday and Tuesday at the Plainview sanitarium for a checkup.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cogdill and small daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Clark and boys had Christmas dinner with their mother Mrs. H. C. Kell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen Bingham and small Sharon spent Christmas in Floydada with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Goin. Mrs. Bingham and Sharon remained over until Tuesday when her parents returned them to Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutcheson spent Christmas visiting in the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lowe at Morton.

Gillespie visitors during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmonds and Loren Gay of Clovis, Miss Mildred Gillespie of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trout of Mountair, NM., and Lawrence Gilles-

pie of Clovis remained here while Mrs. Gillespie went over to Wellington to spend the day with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Venus Gillespie and Venus, Jr., also came up from Cozyston for the day.

Home for Christmas dinner with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Payne were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Martin and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stockton and boys of Portales, NM.; Archie Payne and family, Mr. and Mrs. Orb Payne, Mr. and Mrs. F. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Reagan and children, Warren Payne and family, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Payne and children and Rayford Payne and family all of Quitaque.

J. C. Moss and wife of Anson spent the holidays with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bradley and with her mother Mrs. Gilbert and family at Flomot.

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Grundy spent the Christmas week end visiting their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Dick Witten at Amarillo. J. T. Bradley made a business trip to Childress Wednesday.

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Mrs. Elmer Terry and son Jock left Wednesday to return to their home in Lubbock after spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carpenter and children of Alamogordo, N.M., were here over the holidays visiting his parents and brothers and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Rodgers and Miss Hope Hamilton of Denton came in Saturday and remained until Sunday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Hamilton.

Visiting in and out of the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Chandler during the holidays were

their children Miss Inez Chandler of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Patrick of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chandler of Tulla, the Buck Chandlers of Tahoka, the Bill Clarks from Quanah, and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lokey.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Clark and daughter of Wichita Falls spent Christmas here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patrick and all had Christmas dinner with Mrs. Dorman Lewis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Peacock and

children spent the week with his sister Mrs. Glen Eustace and family at Olney, driving down last week and taking his mother and grandmother Mrs. Homer Gregg and Mrs. W. H. Rose with them. Homer drove down for the week end and returned home his wife and mother-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hunter of Turkey had Christmas dinner here in the home of their daughter Mrs. Cecil Price and family.

FOR SALE—Good 4-room house, 2 miles east of Flomot; also 1941 Ford pickup, 3/4 ton.—Wade Martin, Flomot. 48-3

Mrs. W. V. Chapman's children here for a visit with her were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Chapman and children from Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. Buford Davenport and daughter of Abernathy.

Richard Morrison was here from Falls to spend Christmas with his mother Mrs. Molly Morrison and other relatives.

G. H. Thomas and family, Glen Smith and family, Ted Hester and family and Odell Johnston and family went to Lockney Christmas day to have dinner with A. L. Phillips and family.

FOR SALE—375 acres in Briscoe county, adjoining Silverton on west, about one-half in cultivation; 5-room modern house, garage, barn, granary, chicken house, butane gas, city lights; in irrigation district but no well; price \$80 per acre.—C. A. Russell, Turkey. 21-tfc

Gerald Hamilton and family visited during the holidays with relatives at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs Rucker and boys of Bellview, N.M., accompanied by Miss Sue Broxson of Pampa

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How to Save Gas



A well-tuned engine and proper driving methods resulted in gasoline savings up to 70%, tests recently conducted by Plymouth Motor Corp. at Detroit showed. The testing team above checks recording equipment and notes results of the unusual experiment.

Driver Tests Show Conservation Easy

How to conserve precious gasoline and save money was recently demonstrated at Detroit when results of engineering tests showed savings as high as 70% possible through proper engine tune-up coordinated with correct driving techniques.

The tests were conducted by the Chrysler Engineering division at the instigation of W. B. Rice, director of service for the Plymouth division. They were made by technical experts with a 1948 Plymouth special deluxe sedan equipped with recording and measuring devices including a "fifth wheel" electric speedometer, gasometer, vacuum gauge, odometers, and batteries of stop watches.

No "trick" gasoline saving devices or special fuels were used. The secret of the savings obtained lay in (1) proper spring tune-up of the car, including ignition, carburation, cooling system, oil change and chassis lubrication, and steering and brake adjustments, and (2) employment of proper driving techniques in handling foot throttle and brakes.

A basic gas saving up to 10% may be secured by having an out-of-tune car brought to the dealer's spring tune-up.

The first test run was over a ten mile course in a section of Detroit where stop lights and stop signs were numerous. Here, reasonably moderate acceleration and braking showed a 60% greater gasoline mileage over the "quick stop and start artist."

Surprisingly, the safe driver who saved so much gas, arrived at the finish of the ten mile course only one and one-half minutes later than the "hurryup" man, made 50 percent fewer stops and spent 51 percent of his time at those stops. He averaged only two per-cent slower speed and two per-cent greater elapsed time.

In a test run over the 165 mile highway from Detroit to Lansing, Michigan, the safe driver achieved a 50% saving in gasoline on the trip.

The surprising difference in gas economy was achieved by maintaining a normal speed of 50 m.p.h. on open highway as against one of 70 m.p.h.

Added to the advantages of conserving the nation's fuel supply for next winter's heating use and the saving in money accruing to the individual is the fact that safety statistics prove the "moderate" driver involved in fewer and less serious accidents than the speed-seeker, Rice pointed out.



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were here Monday and Tuesday visiting the Ralph Carters and other relatives.

OUTSTANDING PLAYERS IN DISTRICT FOOTBALL LINEUP

The combined opinions of coaches, fans, officials, and correspondents of the Panhandle and South Plains area, were dumped into the melting pot last week, and after thorough culling, screening and analyzing, the result came out as the first annual edition of the 1-B all star football team.

More than 900 schoolboy gridders representing 29 Class 1 schools were involved in the transaction. Only 44 youngsters were chosen to the all-star first team, but 55 others received honorable mention.

The selections were based primarily on a player's consistency throughout the season, although other considerations were: attitude, scholarship, character, and value to the team.

Biggest member of the all-star outfit is left tackle Bub Holt of Olton, who tips the scales at 220 pounds. Four members of the team share equally for lightweight honors. Marvin Massey of Friona, Merle Leasure of Dimmitt, Raymond

Galvin of Whiteface, and Wayland Marcum of Estelline all weigh at 140 pounds.

A few members of the first team are listed at lineman positions whereas in reality they performed in the backfield for their respective teams during the season. Notable among these is Bill Robertson of Wheeler, Sonny Windom of Spearman, Bill Robertson of Claude, and Paul Cruse of Flomot.

The quality of football exhibited by these representatives of Region 1-B football, and the high caliber of coaching throughout the area, largely is responsible for the high degree of improvement seen in Class B circles this season.

It has been reported by many schools that more paying customers came through the turnstiles this year than ever before—several regular scheduled contests drawing more than 2,000 fans.

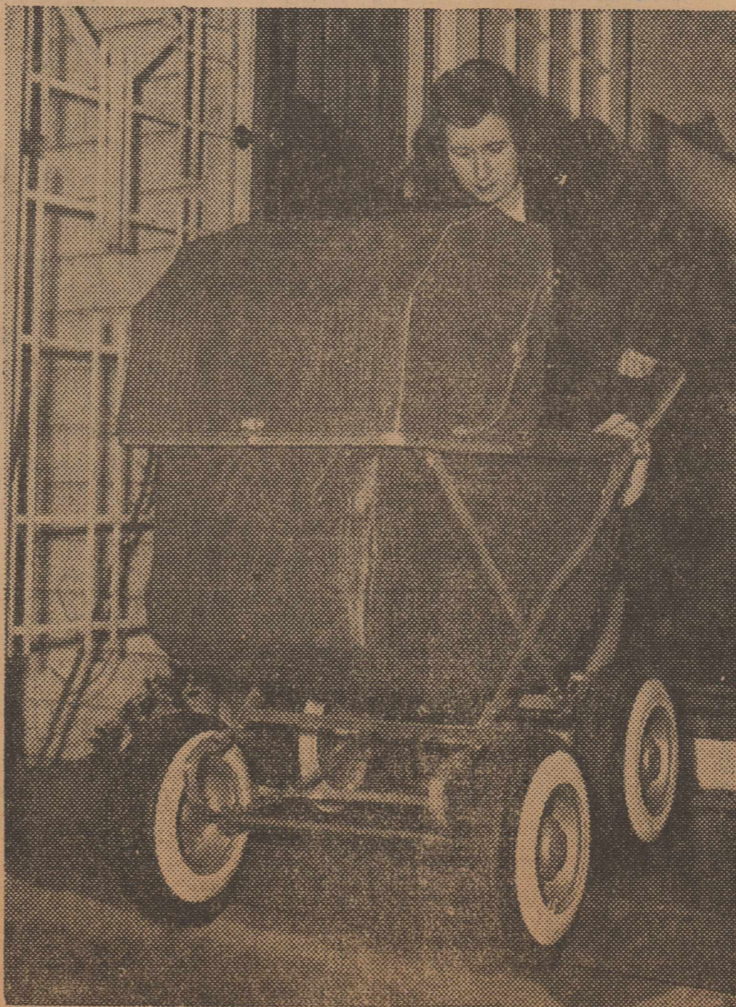
With this increased attendance comes increased profits for the schools concerned, which in turn means better equipment and play-

ing conditions for the boys participating in the sport. Several schools have reported extensive building programs in regard to repairing old stadiums or the construction of new ones. Hale County, especially, is planning an \$8,000 improvement to its football plant. The Globe-News salutes all boys who performed for Class 1-B football teams this year, and takes pleasure in honoring the members of its all star team.

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Items of Interest From the SCS Office

Terrace lines were run for Leroy Hamilton located in the County Group by the Soil Conservation technicians this week. Terrace lines were also run for J. B. Baird of the South Quitaque Group.

Soil Conservation technicians ran irrigation ditch lines for Richard Hill this week. Mr. Hill's farm is located two miles east and one mile south of Silverton.

Terracing together with other conservation practices aid in controlling both wind and water erosion. Terraces may be sown to some close growing crop the first year for best protection. Afterwards, they may be row cropped. Maintenance plays a very important part in a terrace system. They should be built up periodically in order to hold maximum amount of rainfall.

THE FRESHMEN NEWS

A party was given to the Freshman class Wednesday, Dec. 22. Everyone had lots of fun. Most of

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hogs sold Monday from \$23 to \$23.25 at Denver and \$21 to \$21.50 elsewhere. Sows brought \$18.50 to \$19 at San Antonio, and around \$16 to \$18 at other terminals.

Eggs and poultry held mostly steady to firm last week. However, fryers weakened in light demand, as consumers turned to other types of poultry for the holidays. Turkeys and light hens sold lower in some places Monday as the Christmas demand ended. More liberal egg receipts sold about unchanged.

Corn and oats advanced 2 to 3 cents a bushel during the week, but barley fell 4 to 7 cents, and wheat eased 1/2 cent. No. 2 white oats sold around 99 cents at Fort Worth Monday. No. 2 white corn ranged from \$1.75 1/2 in bulk carlots at Texas common points, and yellow corn \$1.64 to \$1.65. No. 2 barley closed at \$1.43 to \$1.45 and No. 1 wheat \$2.43-3/4 to \$2.48-3/4. Milo brought \$2.70 to \$2.75 a hundred.

Rice markets held a steady to firm during the past week. Many feedstuffs sold lower in quiet holiday trade. Hay moved in good volume at firm prices. Peanut markets remained dull and unchanged.

Cotton advanced \$1.50 to \$2 a bale for the week. Spot middling 15/16 inch closed Monday at 32.10 a pound at New Orleans, 32.15 at Houston, and 32.35 at Dallas.

The dude and hillbilly were both rank privates and occupied adjoining bunks in the barracks. One day the dude inspected his toilet kit, glanced at his neighbor and demanded sharply: "Did you take my toothpaste?"

"No, I didn't take no toothpaste," came the answer. "I don't need no toothpaste. My teeth ain't loose."

First soldier, giving a group of girls an exaggerated account of his part in capturing a small town: "Then, an explosion tore up the main street."

Girls in unison. "Goodness! And what did you do?"

Second soldier, standing by: "He tore up the side street."

Prof.: Why did they hang those pictures?"
Student: Because they couldn't find the artist.

THE BUSINESS SITUATION

Austin—Texas business activity in October continued the downward trend for the second consecutive month, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

The Bureau's seasonally-adjusted index of business activity dropped 3 per cent from September, which had declined one-half of one percent from the postwar high of 233 (1935-39-100) reached in August. Dr. John R. Stockton, Statistician for the Bureau said the decline for two consecutive months gives some support to the thesis that the peak has been reached and passed.

The decrease in the composite index was the result of declines of substantial proportions in three of the components, which were not balanced by the rather weak rise in two of the other three components, and no change in one. The greatest decline was in the department and apparel store sales (10 percent), with electric power consumption dropping 8 per cent, and crude oil runs to stills, 1 per cent. The largest gain was 1 per cent in freight carloadings in the Southwestern District. Employment rose less than 1 per cent and pay rolls showed no change from September.

The Bureau's index of cash farm income fell 5 per cent from September, after adjustment for seasonal variation. This decline left the index 22 per cent below the October 1947 level, and it indicated that the peak of the boom in agriculture has been passed. The cash farm income for the first 10 months of 1948 was 9 per cent below the same period of 1947 and with all major crops selling at the support levels, there is little indication that the peak of last year will be passed in the immediate future. However, the October level was 328 per cent above the 1935-39 level.

Farm income more than doubled from September to October in the Southern High Plains, Lower Rio Grande Valley, and Northern High Plains. Red Bed Plains turned in a 73-per-cent increase over September; Trans-Pecos, 33 per cent; and Western Cross Timbers, 27 per

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On the other hand, September-October declines were recorded by Coastal Prairies, 51 per cent; Black and Grand Prairies, 32 per cent; Southern Texas Prairies, 36 per cent; East Texas Timbered Plains, 13 per cent; and Edwards Plateau, 8 per cent.

Only two districts showed October 1948 farm income ahead of a year earlier. Western Cross Timbers showed a 3-per-cent rise, and Trans-Pecos, 6 per cent. Offsetting these small gains, declines ranging from a fractional dip in Northern High Plains to a 63-per-cent drop in Coastal Prairies, occurred in other crop-reporting districts.

"How dare you swear before my wife?" demanded the indignant husband.

"I am very sorry," replied the intoxicated man. "I was unaware that your wife wanted to swear first."

A small business man and his partner closed their office at noon one Saturday and went to the movies. When they were seated, one of them nudged the other and gasped, "Gosh, Joe, we forgot to close the safe!"

"What's the difference?" answered the other with a shrug. "We're both here, ain't we?"

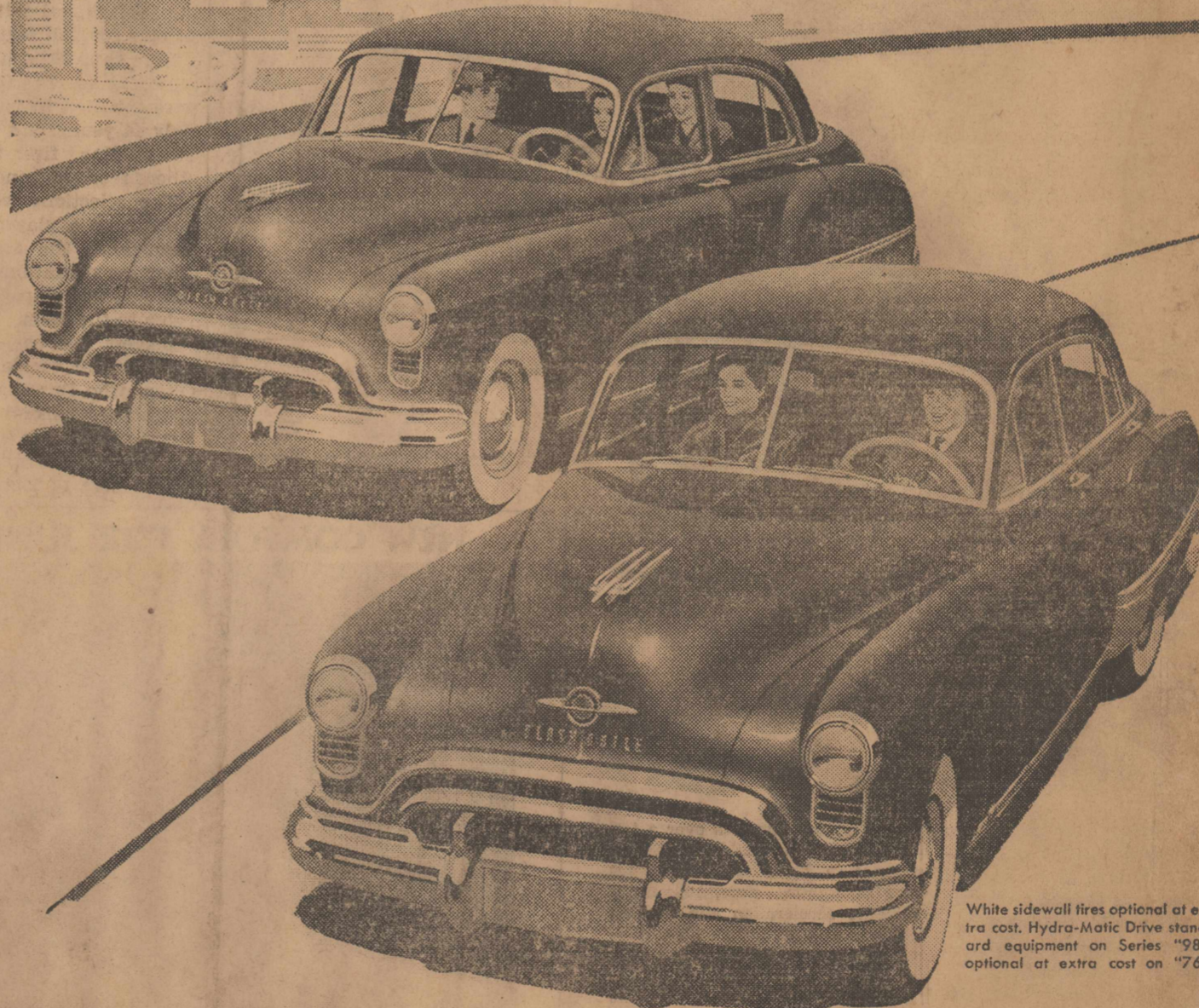
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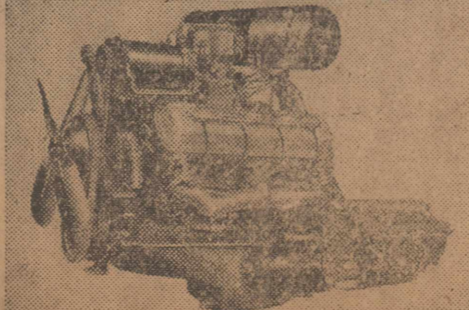
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