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This And That About One Thing and Another

The weather—unmentionable.

It took just about every sidewalk superintendent in town to help change the wiring for the street light at the corner of the new Rice bldg. Tuesday. But despite the help and advice of the unofficial directors, the job was done without mishap.

These sidewalk superintendents are having a busy season as there's lots of construction going on, and without their suggestions, the buildings could never be completed. We wished last week, when we reported on the "pink" sidewalk we'd gotten our information from one of them instead of Pete Rice. Pete told us his walk was pink but we warned him (after we saw the walk) that if any of his customers came in and asked for pink undies, he better not try to sell them any the color of his walk.

The big jack pot in the Quitaque trades day drawing is attracting lots of folks to town. Last Saturday there was \$75 in the jack pot, and the lucky ticket holder was absent, so the jack pot this Saturday is \$100.

TODAY'S OBLIGATIONS

(The following letter is reported to have been received by a State secretary after sending out a batch of letters requesting that dues be paid by his state members.)

Dear Secretary: In reply to your request that I pay my dues, I wish to inform you that the present condition of my bank account makes it almost impossible for me to comply.

My dubious financial condition is due to the multiplicity of dues, taxes, licenses, drives, contributions and donations which I am compelled to contribute to and participate in by Federal Laws, State Laws, County Laws, Corporation Laws, Liquor Laws, Mother-in-Laws, Brother-in-Laws, Sister-in-Laws, and OutLaws.

Through these laws I am compelled to pay a business tax, amusement tax, head tax, poll tax, school tax, highway tax, gas tax, light tax, liquor tax, income tax, food tax, furniture tax, carpet tax, and excise tax. By the time I get these figured out my brains are taxed. I am required to take out a business license, not to mention a marriage license and dog license.

I am also required to contribute to every society and organization which the genius of man is capable of bringing to life; to children's relief, woman's relief, blind relief, the unemployment relief, and the god-digger's relief, also to every hospital and charitable institution in the city, including the Red Cross, the Green Cross, the Blue Cross, the Gold Cross, the Purple Cross and the Double Cross.

For my own safety, I am required to carry life insurance, property insurance, liability insurance, earthquake insurance, tornado insurance, food insurance, unemployment insurance, old-age insurance as well as fire and theft insurance.

My business is so governed that it is no easy matter for me to find out who owns it. I am inspected, expected, suspected, disrespected, defected, re-examined, informed, required, summoned, fined, commended (rarely), defended and completely compelled until it seems if I were expected to provide an inexhaustible supply of money for every known need of the human race.

If I decline to donate to some cause or other, I am boycotted, talked about, lied about, held up to ridicule, held down and robbed until I'm nearly ruined.

I can tell you honestly that except for the miracle that just happened I could not enclose this remittance. My dog just had pups! I sold them and here is the money.

Asa P. Colby, State Secretary, Runney Depot, N. H.

The calendar is getting a little small for all the special days and weeks being proclaimed. The latest tally shows this year loaded with 139 special events, ranging from the traditional "Mother's Day" to "National Peanut Week" and "Expectant Father's Day."

Jess Boyles, Quitaque Cremated In Highway Accident At Roanoke

Relatives Here Alarmed By Arkansas Tornadoes

There was a great deal of anxiety here when the news was broadcast of the terrible tornadoes in Arkansas and adjoining states. About every second person in Quitaque and hereabouts has relatives in Arkansas—the Gibsons, the Chandlers, the Bedwells, the Mayfies, the Jim Barefields, the Otis Wilsons, the Gragsons, Van Meters, the H. G. Hunters, and many others.

The Archie Cates, moved from here to Arkansas, but since relatives here have not heard from them it is presumed that they are ok. The Jack Tunnells also live here.

Mrs. Fred Austin's father, S. A. Beane who left here several weeks ago to return to Dierks, was a few blocks from the storm when it struck, but escaped injury, however several of those listed as dead were related by marriage to the family, and some were close friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Stark were in Hot Springs vacationing but did not know about the tornado until Saturday, after it struck on Friday. However, Mr. Stark said that an extremely heavy rain fell at Hot Springs, which is about 15 miles from one point where the tornado struck. Mr. and Mrs. Stark returned home Saturday.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 21—A rash of devastating windstorms swept through Southwest and Central Arkansas Friday, killing at least 10 persons and injuring an estimated 33 or more in six communities.

Six were known to have died in a tornado which struck Dierks, a Southwest Arkansas lumber town of about 1,200 persons in mid-afternoon. At least four more were killed by a twister, possibly the same one, which smashed England, in the central portion of the state, about the supper hour.

State police said Georgetown was "blown away," Judsonia was "levelled" and Searcy was "hard hit."

Searcy, the county seat of White County has a population of more than 6,000.

About 25 persons were reported injured at England. Six to eight were hurt at Dierks.

Property damage was extensive at Dierks and England.

Windstorms, not described as tornadoes, also hit the Mayflower and Carlisle communities, near Little Rock in the central section. One person was hurt at Mayflower. There was property damage at both places.

The storm dipped into England at the edge of the business district on the west, veered off to the north through the residential section and destroyed virtually everything in its path.

At Dierks, the tornado missed the business district and the schoolhouse, the latter by only three blocks.

The dead, all of Dierks, were identified as:

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Allen, both about 70.

W. G. (Buddy) Allen, about 43, son of the R. S. Allens.

Mrs. Marlin Allen, about 24, wife of a grandson of the R. S. Allens.

Mrs. Frank Moore, about 75

Mrs. Onal Crisp, 19, sister of William Allen.

Mrs. Crisp's 8-months old daughter, also killed was found the next morning.

The black funnels first dipped into the Rock Creek community, a mile west of Dierks, at 2:45 p. m. Then it roared into the western edge of Dierks, demolishing three homes, crossed to the northwest corner of the town and smashed nine houses on a hilltop. No one was injured there. Residents there saw the tornado coming and scur-

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A man killed in a tandem truck-automobile crash near Roanoke, north of Fort Worth, about dusk Wednesday evening has been identified as Jess Boyles of Quitaque.

Gasoline from the tank on the truck flung over both vehicles and spread over the area of the accident, and flames which enveloped the scene made identification difficult. The driver of the truck was reported not seriously injured. Damage was estimated at about \$10,000.

The body of Boyles was taken to the Shannon Funeral Home at Ft. Worth, and officers contacted Sheriff Grewe at Silverton, to trace ownership of the car which carried new Briscoe county license tags. Registration records disclosed that the car belonged to Jess Boyles of Quitaque and Sheriff contacted relatives here.

Further identification was made through the new shoes and Stetson hat which the man wore, both carrying Rice Dry Goods tags.

The Shannon Funeral Home at Ft. Worth advised the family of Jess Boyles at Quitaque, that the body was too badly burned for embalming and advised that services be arranged quickly as possible. The body was moved by plane from Ft. Worth, arriving at the Turkey air field at 4:45 Thursday afternoon, and taken to the Daniel Funeral Home at Quitaque.

Relatives here have been notified that the son Charley Joe was killed at an air force base in Washington state, has received information of his father's death and would fly here for the services. Also the daughter in California and the wife in Dallas are expected to arrive by plane Friday morning and services have been tentatively set for Friday afternoon.

Boyles left Quitaque about noon Wednesday for Dallas. He had been painting at the N. V. Hamilton and R. B. Persons homes but both jobs were held up by carpenter work, and when he left Quitaque he told his brother Marvin (Dad) Boyles that he would be back about Monday.

Jess Boyles, about 45 years of age was of a wandering nature, and the family at Quitaque had not heard from him in some time until he came here about three weeks ago and accepted employment with various construction jobs. He was an expert plasterer and painter. He had been married twice, and his first wife and a daughter live in California. He has a son in military service and his second wife resides in Dallas.

Boyles was a member of a pioneer Briscoe county family, his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boyles coming here in 1908, and lived here until they died about ten years ago. Surviving brothers and sisters are six brothers, Griff of Sudan, John and Cecil of Lubbock, Marvin and Everett of Quitaque, and Wirt of Childress, and three sisters, Mrs. S. H. Kimbell of Quitaque, Mrs. Lee Gregg of Lovington, NM, and Mrs. Clifford McBride of Childress.

The brothers and sisters came to Quitaque early this morning (Thursday) to confer with those who live here and they are trying to contact Jess's family in California and Dallas, before making arrangements for moving the body or funeral services.

IN THE MARINES

Mrs. Bob Chase has heard from her husband who left last week for military service, and he tells her that he has been assigned to the Marines and is enroute to San Diego for training.

Mrs. C. T. Rucker, Sr., was returned home Tuesday from the Plainview sanitarium where she underwent surgery last week, and is getting along nicely.

City Election April 1st For Mayor, 2 Aldermen

Tuesday, April 1, is city election day—and we beg to remind you that good citizenship begins with your local elections—exercising your privilege and fulfilling your responsibility at the polls.

Names appearing on the ballot will be those of the incumbents: For Mayor, C. C. Ham; For Aldermen, Earl Wise and Orlin Stark. The terms of these three expire this year, and their successors are to be chosen at this election.

If you feel that they have served satisfactorily in their offices, let them know of your approval by voting for their return. If you are dissatisfied and want a change, don't just stand around and gripe—get busy and stage a campaign, find yourself a candidate and go to work for him.

Rites At Floydada For Herman Wright

The following report of the last rites for Herman Wright was published in the Amarillo News. Mr. Wright lived at Quitaque and attended school here when he was a boy. The family has many friends here. Attending the last rites at Floydada, from Quitaque were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawkins, Mort Hawkins, Mr and Mrs C. A. Hawkins, Mr and Mrs. Bert Hawkins, Mr and Mrs Sid Bogan, Mrs Glayds Wise, Mrs. Gene Berry, Mrs. A. F. Van Meter and Mr. and Mrs Otis Wilson.

Herman Wright, 40 years old, died at 4:45 o'clock Saturday morning in St. Anthony's Hospital at Amarillo.

Mr. Wright had been a resident of Amarillo for the past 10 years. He was a used car salesman. The family home is at 817 Russe 1.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Baptist Church in Floydada. Burial was in the Floydada Cemetery with Blackburn-Snow Funeral Home of Amarillo in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Jake Burkett, Orbin Carroll, Guy Mullin, Dave Briley, Virgil Gies and Alton Phillips.

Mr. Wright is survived by his wife, Loraine, three sons, Donald, Gary and Thomas, and a daughter, Rebecca, three brothers, Grady of Los Angeles, Leslie of Plainview, Clyde of Roswell, NM; two sisters, Mrs. Carl Sanders, San Diego, Cal., Mrs. Ray Crabtree, Tulsa, and the mother, Mrs. Morgan Wright of Floydada.

MOTORISTS URGED NOT TO DELAY VEHICLE INSPECTION

Motorists are urged to have their motor vehicles safety inspected while there is a lull before the expected rush to inspection stations.

G. W. Busby, chief of the Motor Vehicle Inspection Division of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said 2,400 inspection stations have been certified to aid motorists in complying with the new state law. September 6 is the final deadline for having all motor vehicles certified for safe driving.

Busby said the movement of vehicles to inspection stations is lagging, with only about 40,000 being inspected weekly. If a bottleneck is to be avoided before the deadline, he said, at least 100,000 vehicles a week will have to flow through the stations.

Requirements under the new safety law have been modified considerably following an anticipated rush to inspection stations when the law became effective a few months ago. Safety Department officials said many new inspection stations are being certified weekly to aid in avoiding another bottleneck.

"We earnestly hope that motorists will take advantage of the lull we are now having and avoid a last-minute rush in order to comply with the September 6 deadline," Busby said.

BAKE SALE SATURDAY

There will be a bake sale Saturday, sponsored by the P-TA, the proceeds to be applied to the fund for payment of the loud speaking equipment. The sale will be held in the building adjoining the Quitaque Cleaners, and mothers of the 7th and 8th grades will be responsible for the food.

Jr-Sr Banquet Features Nautical Theme

The highlight of last week's events for young folks at Quitaque was the Junior-Senior banquet, given Friday night in the school gym.

A Nautical theme was used throughout, with the long tables set up in a bower of red, white and blue paper streamers, and a realistic deck rail, concocted of posts laced with rope and hung with "life-savers" helped to create the marine atmosphere. Decorations on the tables also were in keeping with the chosen theme.

The junior class sponsor, Mrs. W. J. Rice helped the students plan and set the scene, and the class mothers prepared the meal of fried chicken, creamed potatoes, green beans, salads, hot rolls, angel squares and ice cream.

The menu-programs were clever little booklets, made by the class, with all contents versed in nautical terms.

Bon Voyage, Pat Beane
Full Speed Ahead, Billy Stone
Master of Ceremonies, Captain Albert Ramsey

"Anchor's Aweigh, Jolly Sailors
Jeanette Berry and Glorianna Neatherlin

A Nautical Prophecy, Alpha Allen

"Love Ship", Three Waves, Betty Merrell, Clara Woods, Mattie Graham, (These girls aren't really waves, but they go over in a big way.)

Last Will and Testament, Monte Wise

A party was planned for after the banquet in the big barn at the John Garner home, but the severe cold spell which struck Friday afternoon made the airy barn a bit cool for the girls in their pretty formal, so the evening broke up earlier than planned.

RED CROSS NEEDS ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR TORNADO VICTIMS

O. R. Stark, Jr., chairman of the Red Cross fund drive for Quitaque reported this week that this area had contributed \$262.00 to date. This is a little over the set quota for the area.

However I. G. Grundy, chairman of the county chapter stated that a call had been issued for some additional funds, due to the emergency need resulting from the tornado damage over the middle western states. Briscoe County has been asked to contribute an additional \$85. The Red Cross has estimated that it will take five million dollars to care for needs of the tornado devastated area.

GEM THEATRE

TURKEY, TEXAS

Thursday-Friday March 28-29

HIS KIND OF WOMAN

Robert Mitchum, Jane Russell, Vincent Price, Tim Holt, Charles McCraw
Selected Short Subjects
Pathe News

Saturday Mat. & Nite March 29

IN OLD AMARILLO

Roy Rogers and Trigger
Estella Rodriguez, Penny Edwards, Pinky Lee, Roy Barcroft, and Roy Rogers Riders
Short: FOXY PROXY
Chapter 5 of Serial:
ROAR OF THE IRON HORSE

Sunday-Monday March 30-31

FIXED BAYONETS

Richard Basehart, Gene Evans, Michael O'Shea, Richard Hylton, Craig Hill, Ship Homeler
Selected Short Subjects

Tuesday-Wednesday April 1-2

REUNION IN RENO

Mark Stevens, Peggy Dow, Gigi Perreau, Francis Dee, Ray Collins, Leif Erickson
Short: REDWOOD SAP

Thursday-Friday April 3-4

INDIAN UPRISING

In Super Cinecolor
George Montgomery, Audrey Long, Carl Benton Reid, Eugene Iglesias
Short: TEST PILOT DONALD
Pathe News

Baptist SS Teachers Feted At Banquet

The officers and teachers of the Sunday School of the First Baptist Church were entertained with an Appreciation Dinner, Monday night, March 23 in the home of the pastor and family.

The food, consisting of baked ham, potato salad, creamed english peas, vegetable salad, pickles, olives, hot rolls, coffee, tea, milk and pie a la mode, was prepared by Rev. Alvin Hamm, pastor and Sunday school superintendent, J. T. Rogers, Jr.

Following the meal, Rev. Hamm spoke briefly in appreciation of Supt. Rogers. Then Mr. Rogers spoke to the teachers saying "This dinner has been given by your church to show appreciation for your loyal and valiant efforts, for we realize that the number of souls won to the Lord is largely due to your instructions and prayers and we truly thank you from the depth of our hearts."

Bob Bratcher of Wayland College brought a short address on the responsibility that lies upon the shoulders of teachers in the Sunday School, stressing the importance of Christ-like lives and humbleness.

Attending the affair were Mrs. Jim Stroup, Travis Morrison, Mrs. Ray Persons, Mrs. O. W. Stroup, S. T. Bogan, Charlie Gowin, George Owens, Betty June Owens, Hubert Gilbert, Mrs. Arvin Gragson, Mrs. S. C. Brown, Mrs. Emma Bridges, Mrs. O. R. Stark, Sr., James L. "Bud" Bailey, Mrs. S. T. Bogan, Mrs. Gladys Wise, Mrs. O. R. Stark, Jr., Mrs. Roy Burgess, Mrs. Hubert Gilbert, Mrs. Leon McCracken, Mrs. J. T. Rogers, Jr., Mrs. J. T. Rogers, Sr., Mrs. Chas. Gowin, Mrs. Marion Wilson, Mrs. Ed Dunavant, Mrs. W. F. Brittain, Miss Frankie Hawkins, Mrs. Alvin Hamm, Mrs. Otis Purcell, Mrs. John Kling, J. T. Rogers Jr., Rev. Bob Bratcher and Rev. Alvin F. Hamm.

ATTENDY LAST RITES TO FATHER IN OKLAHOMA

T. C. Barbee and family returned home Tuesday of last week from Oklahoma where they had been called to attend the last rites for Mr. Barbee's father, J. W. Barbee, who passed away Sunday, March 16.

Mr. Barbee would have been 82 years old had he lived until April 5. He passed away at the home of a daughter Mrs. B. R. Hawkins at Woodward, Okla. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at Atoka, with interment there.

Survivors are the wife and seven children and a number of grandchildren.

QUEEN THEATRE

QUITAQUE, TEXAS

Thursday-Friday March 27-28

HONG KONG

In Technicolor
Ronald Regan, Rhonda Fleming, Nigel Bruce, Marvin Miller
Short: TA KES BOW WOW
Paramount News

Saturday Mat. & Nite March 29

The Last Musketeer

Rex Allen, Mary Ellen Kay, Slim Pickens
Short:
CORALLING A SCHOOLMARM
Chapter 4 of Serial:
DON DAREDEVIL RIDES AGAIN

Sunday-Monday March 30-31

WESTWARD THE WOMEN

Robert Taylor, Denise Darcel, Hope Emerson, John McIntire
Short: THE DUCK DOCTOR

Tuesday-Wednesday April 1-2

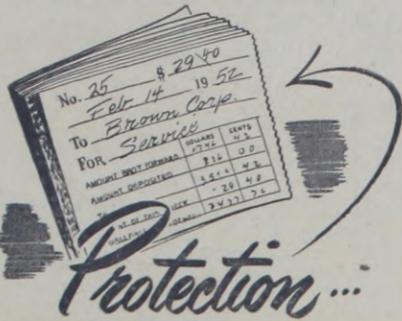
THE CIMARRON KID

In Technicolor
Audie Murphy, Yvette Dugay, Beverly Tyler, John Hudson
Short: DIPPY DIPLOMAT

Thursday-Friday April 3-4

HONEYCHILD

Here comes Judy — just when the world needs a laugh
Judy Canova, Eddie Foy, Jr., Allen Hale Jr., Walter Catlett
Short: PRETTY TAT TROUBLES
Paramount News



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LOCALS

Mrs. Newt Emerson of Roswell, N. M., is here this week visiting in the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Cecil Payne and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Emerson of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Emerson and son of Roswell, visited Sunday in the home of their cousin, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Payne.

Alton Johnson and family and Mrs. Jim Tunnell spent Sunday afternoon in Amarillo with the Price Colwells.

FOR SALE—My cafe equipment, fixtures, etc., my home and four lots in Quitaque.—Gene Chandler.

Miss Jeane Pigg went to Amarillo this week where she has enrolled in a beauty school.

Olin Patrick who is doing accounting work in Fort Worth, spent the week end here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Patrick.

Denver Powell of Turkey drove to Vernon last Friday and took Grady Starkey to the Brown sanitarium there. Grady was feeling some better when he wrote his family this week, and planned to remain several weeks.

Robert Hamilton was home from Jayton to spend the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Hamilton and friends.

FOR RENT—3-room stucco house, 2 miles north of Quitaque; electricity, water, butane; \$20.00 month.—A. B. Ramsey, Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Persons, Norma and Joe spent the week end in Fort Worth in the home of their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. George Kaether. Their son Tad, who is a student at State University, Austin, met them there Friday evening, to celebrate his twenty-first birthday with his family.

Rev. Graham Harvey and family of Plainview spent Saturday night here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wes Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg Cushenberry and son Layne, Mrs. W. C. Eddleman and Bailey, and Thelma Joyce Eddleman spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting Mr. and Mrs. Abe Udashen in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Komer Hall of Amherst, parents of Rev. Edwin Hall, who conducted the Methodist revival meeting here last week, drove over several times to attend the services, accompanied by another son and his wife, and also friends from Amherst, among them Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gilmore.

Visitors over the week end in the home of Mrs. Pearl Allen were her son Orlin Allen, wife and small new son Richard Orlin of Lubbock. Tommy Allen who had been here for a week with his grandmother went home with his parents. Also visiting in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Otis Mixon and small son Jimmy of Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Crabb and children of Rush Springs, Okla., have been here this week visiting in the W. W. Cain home and with other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mayfield, Billy and Jimmy spent the week end with the Graves Mayfield family at Waco. Mrs. Mayfield said it was just as dry in that section of the state as here, and the black soil was hard and cracked.

C. L. Smith who has been very ill is improving at his home here, relatives stated.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hooks of Shafter, Calif., have been here this week visiting relatives, and she has been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Galloway at Paducah at the bedside of her father who is very ill. They were accompanied by her brother and wife, and Mrs. Doug Honea who is at the bedside of her mother Mrs. Fossett of Lubbock who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Keith of Paducah visited here Tuesday with his cousin Mrs. W. C. Edde and family. It was the first time they had been each other in 47 years.

Mrs. W. J. Carter's sisters came in Tuesday night for a surprise visit with her. They are Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Shico and daughter Paula of San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. C. M. Wills of Coalgate, Okla. Mrs. Alice Miller was taken Tuesday to the Plainview sanitarium, her son Cleat driving there to take her and left her in the hospital for several days. She returned home Thursday and is getting along nicely.

APARTMENT FOR RENT in Persons duplex. Call 901-F6, Mrs. Ray Persons.

Mrs. J. E. Jameson and her son and wife Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jameson, Jr., spent Sunday here with their daughter and sister Mrs. Grady Starkey and children.

Mrs. Vera Dennis of Lubbock spent the week end here with Mrs. Marie Lyles and they drove to Clarendon Sunday for a visit with relatives.

Those spending Sunday with the Lindsey Grahams were Ray and Lou Aston, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rucker, Kay, Gail and Cheryl; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Noland, Joe Arlen and Joyce LaNell; Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Teaff of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Taylor, Buster and Barbara of Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lackey and Johnnie of Cedar Hill.

Dorman Lewis and family of Fort Stockton were here Wednesday visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Patrick who accompanied them to Tulla to visit his parents.

RAGS WANTED—For use at Quitaque Post.

Mrs. George Owens spent the first of the week in Plainview with her daughter Mrs. Bill Ebbs and family, and Mrs. Ebbs and Carl Wayne returned home with her Tuesday to spend the remainder of the week.



OUT OF GODFREY'S TEABAG

Heard of a guy the other day who switched to tea and bought a car with the money he saved on olives alone.

Did you ever spend the afternoon in your doctor's office waiting to see him? Friend of mine ran into that problem the other day and finally left—and left a note for the doctor too! It read: "I've gone home to die a natural death!"

A close friend of mine has a clever expert helping him with his income tax return—the only guy I ever knew who could add with his fingers crossed.

The crime investigations brought out more dirt than a soap opera.

Interior decorating has taken on quite a dignified aspect since the repeal of prohibition.

Archie Bleyer used to be part of a famous ventriloquist act. Finally he was asked to retire—he kept falling off the guy's lap.

HEARD ON "TALENT SCOUTS" MONDAY'S CBS AND CBS-TV

WEATHER IS FORECAST BY OLD INDIAN LEGEND

South Plains farmers have only an average crop year to look forward to in 1952.

The wind direction at sunrise Saturday morning was slightly north of northwest.

So, according to the old Indian legend, farmers can expect average yields this year from their crops.

That was the edict handed down by the two observers of the legend about the direction of the wind at sunrise of March 22 determining the sort of crop to expect for the year.

Mrs. Clark M. Mullican, widow of the late Judge Mullican, and Tom Holden, made the weather observation early Saturday on a knoll near Wolforth. The wind at the exact hour of sunrise Saturday was out of the north and northwest, they reported.

According to the legend, which the late J. L. Wilborn of Post was said to have received from an aged Indian in 1906, the direction of the wind at sunrise on March 22 determines the bountifulness or scarcity of crops for the year.

Wilborn passed the formula on to the late W. O. Stevens, former Post and Lubbock banker, and Judge Mullican took up the forecasting duties after Stevens' death in the early 1930's.

Interest in the legendary forecast increases year by year. Many persons say they rely on it. It has proved wrong only three times in the past 21 years, Mrs. Mullican

said Saturday.

The formula as given by the old Indian says that:

If the wind at sunrise March 22 is from:

East, or Northeast, the crop will be bumper.

West, or Southwest, the crops

will be poor and "burned up."

North, or Northwest, the crops will be average.

Southeast, the crops will be poor.—Lubbock Avalanche-Journal.

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First Grade:

The tree on the bulletin board in the First Grade room is filled to overflowing with pretty, assorted fruits. For the past month each pupil who read without missing a word during the reading class placed an apple on the tree. Mrs. Wise feels sure that the little idea has improved their reading.

We First Graders are noting with interest each new day in March to see if it will be "A Lamb or a Lion" day. As it looks now, the last day of March is due to be warm, full of sunshine and STILL!

Second Grade:

The Second Grade regrets very much losing Evelyn Wright. She moved to Houston last week.

Two little Second Grade girls were wanting to "choose" in a game. But which should choose first? Mrs. Hawkins told them she would put her fingers behind her and the one guessing the nearer to the number could be leader. One little girl said, "Twelve." The other one's eyes g'amed with joy and she answered correctly, "Ten."

Third Grade:

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For County Treasurer:
ANNIE J. STEVENSON
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For Commissioner Prec. No. 2:
B. K. HAMILTON (Re-election)

class. But we are determined to get it yet.

This week we are starting to use pen and ink in our writing class.

Fifth Grade:
The Fifth Grade geography class is currently studying the states of the Middle West, having just completed a study of the Southern States. It is interesting to note that these students are "on their toes" concerning current news about these states. All have been eagerly telling about the snow storms and tornadoes in these areas.

Sixth Grade:
In history we have been studying Daniel Boone, one of the great men who settled our America. Boone was quite a fellow and the class enjoyed him very much.

Some time ago the Sixth Grade won a room count at P-TA. With the money received a rayon flag was bought. It is two feet wide, three feet long, and has an ebony staff with a gilt spearhead.

Seventh Grade:
Seventh Graders are busy trying out for the prospective junior volleyball and baseball teams. These teams will compete against other teams of the district at the Interscholastic meet to be held in Lakeview on April 26th.

Fourth Grade:
The Fourth Grade was busy last week making Easter rabbits in art

GUESS WHO?

She is pleasant and doesn't get angry easily. Her height is five feet, six and one half inches. She has brown eyes and black hair. (Answer in this column next week.)

Last week's "Guess Who?"—Mrs. Duvall, Fourth Grade Teacher.
Lou Nell Burgess, Dottie Jo Wise, Editors, 6th Grade.

Class B Football Not Money Making Venture

By Monk Owens

In Amarillo Daily News This is Operation Red Ink. It is Class B football, from which nobody makes any money except the sporting goods companies.

There isn't much hope to break even in this classification, even if you turn out a district champion. The Region 1-B champion in 1951 lost money at football. Things are rough all over.

The lack of people to draw from, perhaps, is the biggest factor in the Class B deficits. This classification is composed of schools with an enrollment of less than 125 students.

Bovina, a town of 600 persons, lost \$1,785 last year. This is almost \$3 for every person in town. Bovina grossed only \$476 and spent

most of the gross for medical bills and officials. Injuries cost Bovina \$298 to repair. Official's cost \$148. Equipment amounted to \$1,180.

Spearman, the Region 1-B champion, lost \$119.96 even playing two post-season games in the regional playoffs.

Only 20 per cent of the Panhandle's Class B schools made money at football last season. The other 80 per cent got stuck. It averaged out a \$314.34 deficit per school.

Happy, the District 3-B champion and regional finalist, was one of the few exceptions. The Cowboys netted \$795, but had a gross of more than twice the Class B average.

The Daily News' financial poll showed the average Class B team grossed \$2,170.29. Happy' with a \$4,782.04 gross had far and away the most, while little Bovina's \$476 intake was the worst.

Gruver's introduction to 11-man football was a costly one—\$538 worth. It took in \$794.73 at the gate, second lowest in the poll.

The average school spent \$1-287.03 for equipment. This ranged all the way from Happy's \$2,614.52 bill down to the \$476 Vega spent.

Medical bills averaged out at \$99.72. Gruver got away with the fewest expensive injuries and shelled out only \$16 to the medics.

Bovina's \$298 led the list.

When you look at the figures, you'll see that there's a slim chance of breaking even in Class B football. The higher the classification, the better opportunity you have to make money.

The next time you hear somebody telling you how much your team will make playing football you'd better get him to check with the school office.

Chances are he's paying more than he thinks for a high school football team.

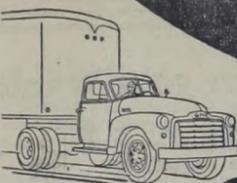
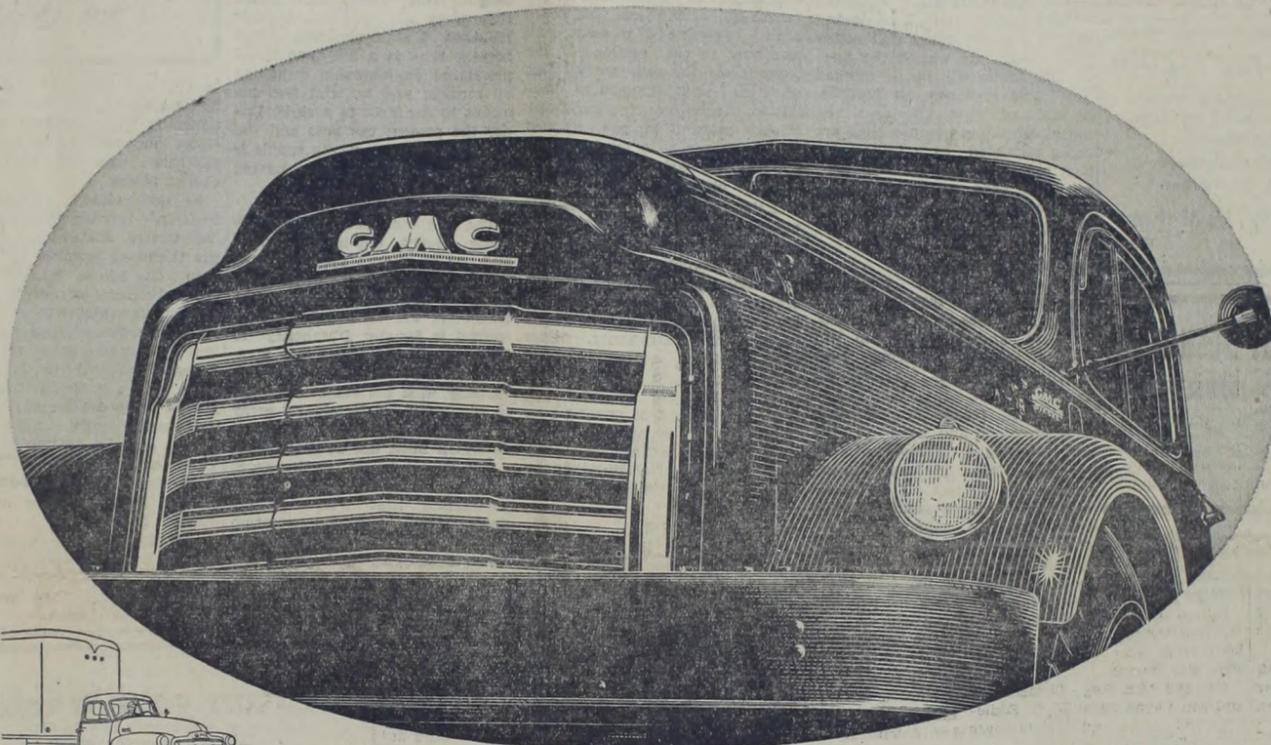
BIT BY BIT

On the bayonet course a rookie was particularly clumsy. He charged the dummy, stumbled, missed the bayonet jab and flattened his nose against the sack.

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FIGHTING LOCOS

After-dinner speakers have long referred to U. S. industry as the "strongest weapon" democracy owns, but it has remained for the railroads to see action as an actual battle participant.

Dispatches from Korea report that railroads are being used as "tactical weapons" in the fighting for the first time since our Civil War. During the fighting, trains actually picked up combat troops

from one point in the front lines and carried them to other parts of the battlefield, where the soldiers detained and resumed fighting.

Colonel W. S. Carr of the New Haven Railroad, who directed our military rail transport in Korea, says there is no other way of moving large numbers of men and vast supplies of modern war in a country where highways are almost non-existent. President William White of the Lackawanna has gone even further and maintains that any war in the foreseeable future will be a "railroad war." The railroads of America, he adds, are now suffering a financial weakness because they are being regulated as a transportation monopoly and because they have not been permitted to earn an adequate profit during a long period of high traffic volume.

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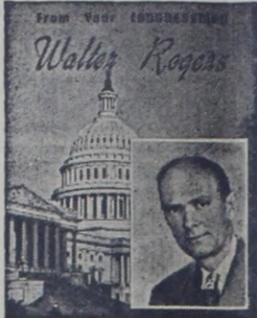
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The Proposed New Immigration Law:

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The immigration laws should have been changed a long time ago to put a stop to the illegal entry of many aliens. This proposed law will solve that problem to a certain extent, but it still has some bugs in it. For instance, there was quite a battle in the committee to change one of the provisions of the law that could have presumed farmers and ranchers in our section of the country into the penitentiary. This provision was changed in committee whereby the particular offense referred to was reduced from a felony to a misdemeanor, but the bad part of the provision was not changed.

If the law passes as it is now written, you farmers and ranchers that use Mexican labor can expect the sanctity of your homes and farms to be invaded by federal agents armed with administrative—not judicial—warrants issued by some bureaucrats, rather than a judge. If these bureaucrats find some alien on your place about whom you know nothing, the burden of proving your innocence will be on you rather than upon the government. You should give it lot of thought: its administration could be dangerous.

Tax Reduction Bill

Taxes are still the number one worry of the low income groups. The present personal exemptions and exemptions for dependents are not much help with prices rising on all of the necessities of life. It is the low income group that suffers most and the higher the price of necessities go, the harder the struggle for existence. I have searched the tax laws continuously for an effective means of affording some relief to those hardest hit. My conclusion was that the quickest and most effective relief for the low in-

come groups would be an increase in the personal and dependent exemptions. By making this change, there would be no discrimination against those in the higher income groups. In other words, the same rule would apply to all taxpayers. But the greatest relief from such increase would go to those who are in greatest need.

On February 11, 1952, I introduced a bill in Congress to increase the personal exemptions on individuals from \$600.00 to \$1,000.00, and the exemptions for dependents from \$600.00 to \$750.00. If this bill is adopted, it will mean that a man with two children earning \$3500.00 a year would not have to pay income taxes. Many people have said that it is not fair for those people to be relieved of paying taxes. This is not a very good argument because the greatest amount of federal taxes that all of us pay are hidden taxes on commodities that we buy, and local and state taxes still have to be paid as they are assessed.

Under 1948 figures, it would amount to a tax reduction of about 25% of your entire tax bill if you are in this low income group. Passing this bill is not going to be an easy task, but I intend to do my best to get some relief so that these low income people can feed and clothe themselves and children. Another bill that I am preparing at the present time is a bill that would permit an allowable deduction all medical and hospital fees incident to the birth of a child. Under the present tax laws and the low exemptions, a young couple is actually penalized for having children.

The Tidelands:

The tidelands issue is presently being fought out in the Senate, and as of March 13th remained as the Senate's unfinished business in legislative session. The leader of the fight for federal control is Senator O'Mahoney of Wyoming. He is a very able man, very resourceful, and thoroughly familiar with his subject. He has in his camp a formidable array of talent, the powers and abilities of which must not be discounted.

The proposal now pending as S. J. Res. 20 is in effect an interim proposition that would provide present exploration and operation for the production of oil and gas from these submerged lands; and would leave unsettled the burning question of whether or not these lands belong to the separate states or to the Federal government.

The proposal on its face would appear most inviting to those unfamiliar with the background of the matter and the principles involved. Should the O'Mahoney proposal be adopted, it would be the "foot in the door" for federal control that could well be the death knell of Texas' hopes to recover property that rightfully belongs to Texas.

I witnessed a recent television program in the nature of a debate between Senator O'Mahoney and Senator Long, of Louisiana, concerning the tidelands question. I noted with interest one of the arguments of Senator O'Mahoney. He stated that since the Louisiana purchase was paid for out of the federal treasury, it became the property of the federal government and that Louisiana, as a

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part of the territory so acquired, had no more right to claim the tidelands than would the other states included in the Louisiana purchase and the rest of the United States.

He also pointed out that the California territory was ceded to the United States by Mexico. On the television program he had a map on which he pointed out these different territories in support of his arguments.

The interesting thing to me was that he never once mentioned Texas or referred to how Texas came into the Union. The truth is that the above arguments could not possibly apply to Texas. The Texas case is entirely different. The unanswerable fact in the Texas case is that Texas retained title to its public lands and the source of the title to the land that you live on is a Texas patent, and not a United States patent.

When Texas came into the Union, changing her status from a sovereign power to a state, and by the resolution of annexation retained her public lands, she owned the 10 1/2 mile strip of submerged lands along her coast, and she still owns them under every conceivable law of mankind. For the federal government to assume ownership of these lands is nothing less than larceny whether it be by judicial decree or by legislative edict. The Texas delegation will continue the fight to protect our property rights until this question is settled right, and it will not be settled right until these lands are returned to the rightful owner, the State of Texas.

War On Waste:

The temper of the Congress concerning waste in government is evidenced in daily debate and floor speeches. The several departments of the government, both civil and military, are well

aware that they are under a searing searchlight. The department heads and those responsible for the expenditures are examining and re-examining the operations of their departments. This is resulting in the trimming of small unnoticeable items that will mean millions of dollars in savings to the American taxpayer.

The Congress is not going to be satisfied with the recommendations and reports of the departments, but is going to make deep-cuts and force the departments to absorb them. The action of the Congress on the appropriations bills that have come to the Floor indicates that the economy wave is definitely on the move. Unless an expenditure can be unquestionably justified, the Congress will cut it off.

The members are searching the budget requests and the committee hearings for every possible means of cutting down. This is a healthy situation and I hope we can keep it going full strength. It is the opening wedge for tax reduction.

Federal Aid:

The report of the Joint Committee on Reduction of Non-Essential Federal Expenditures reflects that since 1934 the federal government has paid out \$3.2 billion dollars in 150 programs of aid to states and individuals. (This period covers 18 years.) The payments to individuals totalled more than 42 billion dollars, payments to state and local governments more than 16 billion.

I hope that this report won't upset some of our allies, who during the ten-year period from 1945 to September 1951 received only approximately 25 billion in foreign aid grants. If some of these foreign powers learn that the American taxpayer is getting back some of his own money, no telling what might happen.

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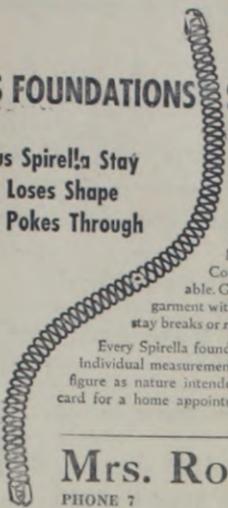
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Cap Rock Soil Conservation News

In the area around Quitaque, farmers cooperating with the Cap Rock Soil Conservation District have completed several miles of terraces. The terraces were built during January and February on the farms of J. C. Rhoderick, Ellis Currie, H. J. Bailey and Elmo Pointer. The Soil Conservation Service and PMA assisted in the establishment of this practice.

E. J. Hamilton, a district cooperator northeast of Quitaque, expects to plant about 25 acres of blue panicum, 7 acres of weeping lovegrass and 7 acres of King Ranch bluestem some time this month. These are deep rooted, perennial bunch grasses, which have their best growth during warm weather. These plantings will be grazed when they have become established.

Travis Morrison, also in the Quitaque area, intends to plant 5 acres of King Ranch bluestem.

Any farmer or rancher interested in planting grass this spring may obtain assistance from the Soil Conservation Service, or the PMA office at Silverton.

The Supervisors of the Cap Rock Conservation District have a grass seed drill which is available for farmers or ranchers to use.

FISH FOR THE QUICK FREEZE

Joe Bedwell, A. B. Ramsey, Jr., D. C. Duck and Gus Gibson took off Sunday morning for Possum Kingdom expecting the finny tribe to take their bait. There's one thing about it, if they pulled any fish out of those nice warm waters, they froze as soon as they hit the air, so they'll be quick-froze and ready for the deep-freeze. And it must have felt like a deep freeze to the bait casters on the lake Monday—no doubt it was warmer in the water than out of it.

However, if the boys took along those mermaid lures like the ones they had in the window in the B&C Hdw. the fish will be likely to fall for them. As Joe Boy, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hamilton remarked when he saw one: "Gee, any fish would sure go for 'that!' And then too, if the fish aren't biting, the boys might enjoy just watching those pretty mermaids bobbing about. They can dream, can't they."

Timely Notes From Briscoe PMA Office

The 1952 Final Grain Sorghums Price Support Rate for Briscoe County is \$2.33 Per Cwt.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has announced that the loan rate for 1952-Crop Middling 1/8-inch cotton will average not less than 30.91 cents per pound. The 1951 loan rate for the same grade of cotton was 30.46 cents per pound.

Cotton Acreage Cards

A number of producers planted cotton in 1951, but have not reported this acreage to the P. M. A. Office. As has been stated in the past this information is necessary to keep your files up-to-date in case of cotton allotments, which could happen at any time. If you have not done this you are urged to do so at your earliest convenience so that we may complete your cotton history.

That 5th Plate

By this is not meant an extra trip to the dentist or a new form of baseball, but it relates to the big chore facing our farmers in 1975, when our population will be at least 38 million more souls—making an extra plate necessary at our present 4-plate dinner table.

Those added persons to feed well—plus enough food for exports and reserves—equals the present population of all the New England and Middle Atlantic States, or of eight Midwest States, or of all the South. Such a stock of extra provisions would include 5 1/2 billion more pounds of red meats. This translates into the 1950 pig crops of Nebraska and Iowa, all the meat from the 1950 beef herds of Texas, Oklahoma and Minnesota and the lamb crop of 1950 in Montana, Wyoming, Nevada and Utah. About 14.7 billion extra eggs would be required, which equals the 1950 output of California, Kansas, Missouri, Illinois and Pennsylvania.

Total gross farm production to meet the expected 1975 demand means 20% increased output by a farm population which is not growing in numbers as fast as our urban consumers. Instead of a recent level somewhere around 138% of the pre-war average farm production a jump to 16% of that base period would probably be necessary by 1975. The answer lies, say our specialists, in making each 5 acres of farm land yield as much as 6 acres do. This is best secured through research, conservation, plant food, power equipment, adequate farm credit, and fair price incentive to farmers.

COST OF IRRIGATION WATER

It costs between \$4000 and \$5000 to develop and equip a new irrigation well on the High Plains of Texas, according to a study just published by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

These averages are based on installation and operation costs reported during 1947, 1948 and 1949 in a study of a yearly average of 176 wells in Lubbock, Hockley, Hale, Floyd and Swisher counties. Present costs may be somewhat higher than during the period of the study.

Installation costs included the drilling, casing and spillway for the well, which averaged \$1,272. Purchase and operating costs are given for four types of power units used to pump irrigation wells. These were electric engines, small and large automobile engines and

industrial engines. Respective initial costs during the period of this study were \$720, \$485, \$782 and \$1,320.

An average of 126 acre-feet of water was pumped per well each year of the study. The cost per acre-foot varied with the type of power used and whether the unit was operated with electricity, butane, gasoline or natural gas. Price ranges are shown for each kind of fuel.

The study, reported in Bulletin 745, briefs the historical development of irrigation from wells on the Texas High Plains. About 1,860,000 acres of Plains land were irrigated in 1950 from about 14,000 wells. Most of this development has taken place since 1934, with the greatest expansion since 1945. Well drilling continued at a rapid rate during 1951.

Pan Tech Field Day Slated For April 11

Ranchers and cattlemen will be particularly interested in the field day to be held at Pan Tech farms on April 11. Many speakers with valuable information for cattleman and ranchers have indicated that they will be present, and H. P. Parker, FFA adviser in the local schools, stated that he thought it would be a profitable day for all who attend.

The second annual field day will be held at PanTech Farms, April 11, 1952. All major research work being carried on at PanTech Farms will be discussed, according to J. P. Smith, PanTech Farms Manager.

L. A. Maddox, Jr., Animal Husbandman for PanTech Farms, and project leader for the bull progeny test, will lead the discussion of this year's feeding results. One hundred and thirty-one (131)

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Quitaque, Texas

A vivacious young Texan shocked her Boston-reared beau by drawing on her gloves as they started down the street on their first date. "Where I come from," chided the young man, "People would as soon see a woman put on her stockings in public as her gloves." — "Where I come from," retorted the young lady, "they'd rather."

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Dr. H. R. Crookshank, Research Chemist for the Bureau of Animal Industry at PanTech Farms, will lead the discussion on the development and results of the wheat pasture grazing studies that have been conducted at the farm.

Several state and national lead-

ers in livestock production and research, will appear on the program during the day. Dr. D. M. Wiggins, President of Texas Tech, will deliver the address of welcome. Dean W. L. Stangel will outline present and future objectives of the Pan Tech Research Farms. Dr. Donald Ashdown will outline the proposed PanTech Farms Greenbug Research program. Other leaders that have indicated they will appear on the program include Dr. R. E. Patterson, Dr. J. C. Miller, and John Jones, Texas A. & M. College, George Ellis, Manager of the Bell Ranch, and Jack Williams purebred breeder from Paint Rock, Texas.

The program will begin at 9:00 a. m. and continue throughout the day with discussion groups and tours to test plots.

PROTEST

Sandy was learning to play the bag-pipes. One night while he was strutting around the room, skirling for all he was worth, his wife attempted a mild protest.

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OUT OF GODFREY'S TEABAG

Both the Republican and the Democratic national conventions are to be held in Chicago. That's appropriate—all the politicians together in the Windy City.

With each Federal tax refund they're going to include the following poem:
You overpaid us, bless you.
Now here's your extra jack.
But don't you spend it foolishly—
Come March we'll have it back.

Some people want Taft elected as an economy measure. They wouldn't have to change the letter "T" on the White House towels.

A fellow standing at the bar put down his glass, blinked his eyes and fell flat on his face. His friend looked at him and said: "You know, that's the nice thing about John. He always knows when to stop."

The real reason Winston Churchill came to this country was to find out where Dick Tracy got all that money.

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SHOWER IN THE STIDHAM HOME SUNDAY AFTERNOON

About 60 friends called at the Lee Stidham home Sunday afternoon to "spread a little sunshine" with a shower of gifts for the family, and to encourage Mr. Stidham, who has been ill for a long time, with their good wishes.

Gifts of household linens, sheets, towels, bedspread, and other items, and shirts and pajamas for Mr. Stidham were included in the shower.

Hostesses were Mmes. J. M. Buckelew, Ike Reed, Vernon Cagle, and J. H. McDonald, and refreshments of cake and cocoa and coffee were served.

METHODIST WSCS

Mrs. H. G. Gardiner was hostess Tuesday night to the meeting of the Methodist WSCS. A very good attendance of twenty members was present, including a new member, Mrs. Robert Marler.

Following the business session, an interesting program was given with Mrs. N. V. Hamilton as leader. Theme of the program was "Thy Kingdom Come," taking part on it were Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. Loving, and Mrs. Cross. A beautiful devotional was given by Mrs. E. A. Puckett, which concluded with a prayer-song by Mrs. Baker.

The hostess served refreshments of cake and spiced tea.

The next meeting will be April 8, with Mrs. Frank Hawkins as hostess.

Tip to motorists: Keep your tires up and your speed down.

BABY DROWNS IN TRAGIC ACCIDENT

O. C. Love was notified recently of the tragic death of the small grandchild of his sister Mrs. A. C. Stanton of Salinas, Cal.

The baby, a two-year old boy, named Chris was with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Lundine and two small sisters on an outing in a park near their home in St. George, Utah. Chris while running and playing tripped and fell into a 9x18 pipe, sunk into the ground about 19 inches, which was used to cool a diesel motor. There was only 4 inches of water in the pipe, but the little fellow fell in head-first, and drowned before he could be removed.

Mrs. Lundine is the daughter of Mrs. Stanton, who will be remembered here as Bonnie Jo Woods.

FAMILY REUNION HELD IN J. R. BROWDER HOME

A family reunion and dinner was held Sunday, March 16, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Browder in honor of her brother, Bill Robinson Jr., of Childress, who left last Tuesday for induction in the army.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson and family of Childress; Mr. and Mrs. Eli Reagan and Ronnie and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Garvin and children of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Love and Nelda of Quitaque.

DRIVERS RESPONSIBILITY

South Carolina is the 45th state to adopt a driver's financial responsibility law.

The measure approved by the South Carolina Legislature recently will be effective next Jan. 1. Drivers involved in accident after that date must prove their ability to meet judgments up to \$11,000 by insurance or other security, or will forfeit drivers' licenses and registrations.

The only remaining states without this legal protection for persons injured in traffic accident are Louisiana, Mississippi and Nevada. But such a measure is pending in Mississippi, and a bill to afford the same protection will be submitted at the next session of the Louisiana Legislature. Texas, therefore, has been following the national trend in adopting a driver responsibility law that was effective the first of this year.

— Ft. Worth Star Tele.

WAYNE CRABTREE WEDS MISS SHADDEN OF COTTON CENTER

Miss Catherine Shadden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otey Shadden of Cotton Center and Wayne Crabtree, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Crabtree of Turkey exchanged wedding vows March 9 at 4:00 p. m. in the Methodist church of Cotton Center.

Rev. Tom Harmonson, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Turkey, officiated at the double ring ceremony, before an altar of candles, baskets of white stock and palm leaves.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white organdy lace gown, fashioned with bolero jacket and matching mitts. Her veil of nylon illusion, fell from a tiara of seed-peals and rhinestones. She carried a bouquet of gardenias fashioned on a fan of nylon net. For something old and borrowed, she wore a gold bracelet belonging to a friend, Mrs. J. L. Johnson. For something blue she wore a blue garter.

Miss Jeanie Hall of Canyon, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a dress of rose net over taffeta and carried a bouquet of gardenias similar to the bride's on a pale green net fan.

Bridesmaids were Linda Glen and Arlene Johnson, who wore matching dresses of pale green net over taffeta and carried bouquets of white carnations on rose net fans.

Candle lighters were Donna Mae Shadden, sister of the bride and Mary Crabtree, sister of the groom. They wore matching dresses of pale green net over taffeta.

Sherry Burnett, a cousin of the groom, wearing a dress of rose net over taffeta was flower girl.

Clifford Crabtree served his brother as best man. Jimmy Shadden, brother of the bride and Mark Shadden, her cousin served as ushers.

Miss Coleen Johnson, accompanied by Mrs. B. L. Griffith, sang "No Other Love" and "A Wedding Prayer."

The reception following the

ARKANSAS TORNADOES

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ried to the shelter of underground storm cellars.

A Dierks telephone operator, Betty Desraza, said the tornado "sounded like a big airplane in trouble." School Supt. Leroy Gattis said he was downtown when he saw the twister coming.

"I heard a terrific roar, I looked to the southwest and saw the twister. It was a black funnel and the inside of it looked like it was on fire. My first thought was of the school. Thank God, it wasn't touched."

The storm dipped to earth again in the New Hope community,

eight miles north of Dierks. Mrs. Kay Clampity of New Hope said three houses, including her own, barns and other buildings there were demolished but that no one was injured.

Dr. A. V. Harrison of Dierks said he treated six to eight injured and sent the most seriously hurt to hospital at De Queen and Nashville, Ark.

Mrs. E. P. Rumph was in town last Thursday, the first time she had been able to be out for many weeks because of illness. Mrs. Rumph suffered an attack of pneumonia which confined her to bed for a lengthy period.

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ceremony was held in the bride's home. The table holding the heart-shaped cake was laid with a Madiera linen cloth, and centered by a crystal punch bowl. Mrs. Otis Shadden and Mrs. Leon Koelder served.

After a short wedding trip the couple are making their home in Turkey where he is employed at the Post Office.

Attending the wedding from Turkey were Rev. and Mrs. Harmonson, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Crabtree, Joyce, Shalon and Morris, Charles Hedrick, J. C. Richmond, Norbit Mullin, E. J. Browning, and Mrs. Dick Cooper of Midland.

JIMMY MILLER WEDS IN RITES AT LUBBOCK CHURCH

TULLIA, March 22—St. John's Methodist Church at Lubbock was the scene for the recent marriage of Miss Bette Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hill of Tullia, and James P. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller, also of Tullia.

Rev. Hubert Bratcher read the double-ring service before a background of calla lilies and greenery, flanked by lighted tapers.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a pink militeen suit, designed with a fitted jacket trimmed with navy around the collar and pockets. A matching hat and navy accessories completed

her ensemble. She carried a white Bible topped with stephanotis and cyclamen blossoms.

Mrs. Miller was graduated from Colorado College, Colorado Springs, Colo. She works for radio station KCBD, Lubbock. She is a member of Phi Theta Kappa Sorority and is affiliated with Epsilon Sigma Alpha.

The bridegroom, a Navy veteran of World War II, has attended the US Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md. He is enrolled as an architectural student at Texas Technological College, Lubbock.

After a trip to San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Miller will be at home in Lubbock.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our friends in the Baptist church, the YWA and Intermediate Dept., and other friends at Quitaque who sent flowers and cards, and expressed sympathy in other ways in the death of our father and grandfather. We are deeply grateful to each of you for your kindness and thoughtfulness.

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