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**LOCALS**

Paul Hamilton of Denton spent the week end here visiting his mother Mrs. J. N. Hamilton and other relatives. Paul resigned his position in the county clerk's office at Denton in March and has bought a half interest in the Selby Flower Shop at Denton. He said he was delighted with his new enterprise which is located on the square in Denton, and invites his friends to visit the shop when they are down that way.

**FOR AVON PRODUCTS** call 48-W, Quitaque. Mrs. G. H. Wagnon. 13-4 Mrs. Solon Owens was here Monday from Turkey visiting her mother Mrs. E. P. Rumph.

Mrs. Bert Hawkins and Mrs. N. R. Honea, both of whom took

treatments for several days last week end and returned the first of the week to the sanitarium for more treatments.

**FOR SALE**—1947 model SC Case tractor; one practically new 16-8 John Deere Van Brunt wheat drill; one 7½-ft. John Deere one-way.—Vaughn Hall, Quitaque. 13-1fe

Polk Hall and family of Lubbock were here over the week end visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hall. Polk is with the Prudential Life company and was busy telling folks about life insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Love and his mother Mrs. W. L. Robinson of Childress were here Friday visiting relatives and attending the Assembly of God young peoples rally.

**Raisin Bread, French Bread, Butter and Egg Bread.** Fresh at your grocers. Take home a loaf tonight. City Bakery.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carpenter

and son Jimmy visited over the week end with her mother, and her brother Oliver Payne and family at Sulphur and Ardmore, Okla.

Mrs. H. K. Carpenter, Jr., became ill last week, and was taken to

Mrs. Anna Hughes returned home last Thursday from a visit with her daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tillson at Brownfield.

Matador where she remained several days for treatment. Sunday evening her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garth Ingram came from Amarillo and took her home with them to have some dental work done.

**FOR SALE**—One Eclipse steel windmill; one 30-ft. steel tower; 89 feet 2-inch tubing; 80-foot sucker rod.—All priced to sell at once, \$100.—W. J. Carter, Quitaque 13-1e

Mr. and Mrs. Venus Gillespie and Venus, Jr., were here Sunday from Crosbyton visiting relatives and friends. They had been to Turkey to visit her mother Mrs. J. V. Hadaway who is there with her son Truman and family for a time. Mrs. Hadaway became ill while she was in Crosbyton and Mrs. Gillespie took her to the Plainview sanitarium where she remained for a short time, before her son Truman and family took her to their home at Turkey. She is getting along well, Mrs. Gillespie.

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Mrs. R. D. Hooks of Shafter, Cal., arrived last week for a visit here with her son Dellis and wife and her daughter Mrs. Tracy Drake and family. She plans to visit with other relatives over the state before returning to her home in California.

Mrs. George Neatherlin of Anson was here Sunday, accompanying her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Alton Mott of Amarillo who had been down to visit her. They went on to Amarillo for a week, then Mrs. Neatherlin will return here and her son Seburn and family will take her back home. Sebe says this will be a fishing trip for him.

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Mrs. Bill Clutter was here Wednesday from Hereford visiting her father and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brittain.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce White went to Plainview Wednesday to take in the Dairy Show, but the sand was blowing so hard they didn't go out to the show barns. They said the crowd was terrific and milling around town was plenty exciting for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Qualls of Albuquerque, N.M., have been here this week visiting relatives. They have also been in Estelline at the bedside of his mother who is very ill.

**FOR SALE**—One beat-up 1940 GMC pickup; new motor, brake drums and linings.—Ottis L. Mullin, Turkey. 12-1fe

Bill Cantrell and Mel Messenger of San Bernadino, Cal., were here Sunday visiting in the Claude Cantrell home. The men are construc-

tion engineers and employed at present at Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Roberson visited over the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Knox in Am-

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**He Then Hurried Back**  
Mechanic: Well, goodbye, baby, I'm going out of town for a few days; what's your phone number? I call you up when I get back."  
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**Cap Rock Soil Conservation News**

A high point was located on Dan Montague's farm, 4 miles south and 2 miles west of Silverton. The farm is operated by Troy Cox.

Soil Conservation technicians ran irrigation ditch lines, April 11, 1949 for Mr. F. C. Benson. Mr. Benson's farm is located 4 miles east of Quitaque.

A topographic map was made by Soil Conservation technicians of the local district on Dan Montague's farm. The farm is operated by Hollie Francis and is located 12 miles southwest of Silverton.

Contour lines were run on J. B. Tiffin's farm by Soil Conservation technicians of the local district. Mr Tiffin's farm is located 2 miles east and 2 miles north of Quitaque.

A high point was located for Raymond Teeple, April 5, 1949 by Soil Conservation technicians. Mr Teeple's farm is located twelve miles southwest of Silverton, Texas.

Topographic maps were recently made by technicians of the local Soil Conservation district for Paul Reid, E. J. Duncan and Earl I. Cantwell, cooperators in the Cap Rock Soil Conservation District. The map will be used to lay out a level irrigation system.

**CLINIC IN AMARILLO FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN**

Second annual Diagnostic Orthopedic Clinic will be held in Khiva Temple, 5th and Fillmore, Amarillo, Texas, on Saturday, April 30, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

The clinic for examination, observation, and recommendation only, will be conducted by three orthopedic specialists, registered nurses, and medical stenographers.

Any child under 15 years of age of normal mentality whose physical functions or movements are impaired by reason of a joint, bone, or muscle defect or deformity is eligible for diagnosis in this clinic.

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**WEST TEXAS STATE TO HAVE NEW GYM**

Canyon—Burton Gymnasium is headed for retirement from major sports. The antiquated West Texas State College building will be replaced by a new gym which should be in use by the 1950-51 basketball season, according to athletic director, William A. Miller.

Tentative plans call for a seating capacity from 3,000 to 4,000 persons. "It will be built facing the highway southwest of the football stadium," Miller said. "It will be something for folks to drive by and see. It won't be a hangar with a gym floor and a basketball court in it. It will be built specifically as a modern up-to-date fieldhouse."

**COTTONSEED RESEARCH WILL AID INDUSTRY**

Attention farmers and cottonseed crushers: University of Texas research scientists have devised a plan to increase the value of Texas' second largest money crop, cottonseed.

Dr. A. B. Cox, cotton marketing professor, has directed research into the ratio of the price of a unit

of feed of cottonseed meal and hulls to the farm price of milk which he says will give feeders and cottonseed crushers a formula for more profitable utilization of those products.

Dr. Cox explains that cottonseed meal or hulls are raw materials and their values to the producers and the feeders depend on their most effective use.

This economic research in regard to cottonseed and cottonseed products is designed to create greater values in cottonseed and cottonseed products by developing their most valuable uses through

better marketing. The feed-milk ratio is an example of one phase of the study.

Dr. Cox has directed the economic portion of what is a broad cotton research program, financed by the legislature, sponsored by the Texas State-wide Cotton Committee and administered by the Texas Cotton Research Committee composed of the presidents of the Texas A&M College, Texas Technological College and the University of Texas.

A bulletin, embodying results of the research, is scheduled for spring publication.

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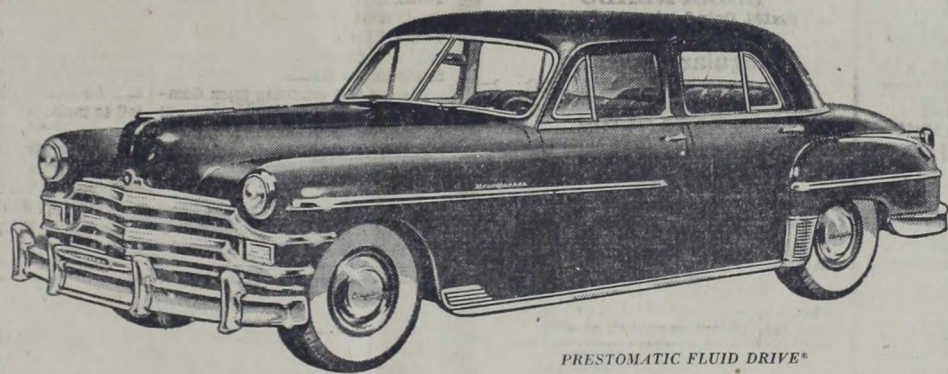
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VENERATED COLONIAL FATHERS OFTEN HAD 20 CHILDREN AND 100 OR MORE GRANDCHILDREN. TOO BAD THEY HAD NO FATHER'S DAY!



CHINA HAS TWO FATHER'S DAYS, IN SPRING AND AUTUMN, RESPECTIVELY. SONS VISIT THE TOMBS OF THEIR FOREFATHERS, THEN FEAST THEIR OWN FATHERS AND BRING THEM GIFTS.



ON FATHER'S DAY, THE 3RD SUNDAY IN JUNE EACH YEAR, FATHERS ARE REMEMBERED WITH GIFTS THEY SELDOM BUY FOR THEMSELVES

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**THE STORY OF QUITAQUE**

Following are three more essays on the history of Quitaque, submitted to The Post for publication by fifth grade pupils of Mrs. H. W. Cross. These are the last of a series which have appeared in this paper.

**How Quitaque Got It's Name**

—Rochelle Craig  
Indians came from the east going to the Llano Estacado, meaning staked plains. They would camp at twin peaks. They called it Quitaque, meaning the end of the trail.

There were only three people here when the first store was built. The owner was A. R. Jago. He had the post office, grocery store, dry goods and hardware all in one store. Mr. Jago was the first real post master in Quitaque. But before he came the mail was delivered to the Old F Ranch. Mr. Ben Jago was the first mail carrier. The mail was carried in a two wheel cart drawn by one horse. Mr. Jago had his store about where the City Park is now. Food and lumber were hauled from Estelline, Texas to the store.

The first railroad in Quitaque came in 1928.

The first cotton compress was built in 1928. No cotton was grown

till 1903. Oscar Bass grew it. The land was all cattle country till then.

The first school taught near here was taught by Mrs. M. E. Hooks. She taught in a dugout. J. M. Honea and W. P. Gipson hauled the lumber to build the dugout. Thirteen children went to that school. The second school was on the river by J. B. Russell's place. All the children rode horse back, 15 or 20 went there. The third school was in town, two teachers taught. Mrs. Hattie Hunt and Professor Ray Stevenson in 1915. Fourth school was high school. Three graduates that year, and four teachers. The fifth school is the one we go to now. It was built in 1928.

People had to call a doctor from Old Delda Plain, which isn't standing now. He came in a buggy.

First church was the Methodist Church. Brother George Fort preached. Everyone went. The Baptist Church was organized next.

Quitaque is about 58 years old.

—Sandra Mullin  
The first settlers seem to have been Mr. A. R. Jago, father of the late Ben and D. F. Jago. Mr. Jago

also was the owner of the first Post Office, Dry Goods and Grocery stores in one small room.

The first baby born in the county was Briscoe Honea, who was born about 3 miles north of Quitaque.

According to tradition the town was named after the Quitaque river and valley, an Indian name, meaning the end of the trail. Quitaque is about 60 years old.

Mrs. M. E. Hook was the first teacher in Briscoe county in a dugout near Bolton.

The first school house was located some three or four blocks south of the present site of the First National Bank. There had been 4 school houses, and the one we're in now makes the 5th school house in all. One school house was where the one we are going to now.

The first barber was Mr. Nanne Holland. Now the barber is Mr. Dick Hooks.

The first Blacksmith shop was located near the present site of the building occupied by the A. L. Morris garage a short ways south.

Where the Home Laundry is now was a grocery store. Where City Grocery store was a grocery.

Quitaque used to have a monument. It was a tall stone on one

side it had West and some of the towns that were West. On the other side it had East on it. It showed some of the towns that were East. It showed on the other side how many miles it was to the towns. People had too many wrecks. It was in the middle of the street. It was a turning around place. You ride over it a lot. It is between City Grocery store and the Bank and the garage and the Hardware. They had to dig a hole and push the monument over.

People had to ride in covered wagons then. It took two days and a night to go to Estelline.

—Peggy Starkey  
The population of Quitaque is seven hundred and thirteen. The region Quitaque is in is the plains and plateau. Quitaque's land was not covered by the ice sheet. Our community is a farming neighborhood.

Quitaque covers 408 acres of land. The kind of climate we have is cold winters and hot summers. The length of growing season is six months. The rainfall is ten to twenty inches. The wind blows west and from the south.

Farming is produced in my community. Some of the farmers raise

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cotton and feed. The farming is done by tractor, plow and other things.

My community was settled in 1891. The first settlers were Jagos and Honeas. Our town was named after some Indians. Industry of our community began with the cotton gin and it is the only industry. The reason the cotton gin was started so people could have their cotton ginned.

My family came to Quitaque in 1935. They came from Shamrock. They chose this place because they liked it.

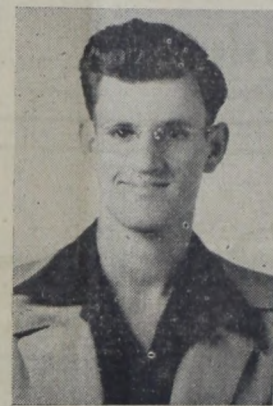
This place was named Jago before it was named Quitaque. He owned the grocery store here. The first postoffice was where McCords live now. John Jago operated the first Post Office here and carried the mail from Clarendon, Texas in a one horse cart.

**CHICKENPOX CAN HAVE SERIOUS AFTER EFFECTS**

With the present incidence of chickenpox almost twice as high as records indicate for a seven year median, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, issued a statement today declaring, "It is a great mistake to treat even light cases of childhood diseases such as chickenpox, measles, mumps, scarlet fever or whooping cough as though they did not amount to much. That sort of treatment makes it possible for these diseases to spread and cause serious outbreaks among children and the resulting lowered resistance makes them easy victims to other forms of infection."

"Some of the most serious epidemics of chickenpox which we have had, have been traced to mild cases—that is, to cases so light that a doctor was not called. In some instances the children have continued to go to school and to associate and play with other children. In others, after they have been kept at home for a few days, they have returned to school and have scattered these germs around among their schoolmates. Eventually a group of cases—sometimes very serious ones—have developed from the carelessly-handled mild case. The result was another epidemic that could have been prevented."

The State Health Officer said that the family doctor is the best judge of the seriousness of such childhood diseases, and suffering and anxiety will be avoided if the child showing symptoms of illness is put to bed and a doctor's advice sought and followed.



Blackie Stidham, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stidham of Quitaque, Texas, is now a student in the Tyler Commercial College of Tyler, Texas. This business college has long been considered one of the finest in the South.

Blackie will graduate from Commercial College in August, and will take his secretarial training in the People's National Bank of Tyler, Texas.

Prosperity is when we have twice as much money and can buy only half as much with it.

When Macon, Ga., officials built a new jail, they wondered what could be done with the old jail. But not for long. They gave it away to the Calvary Baptist Church which was looking for a place to worship. The city fathers now hope that the church can install enough religion from the old jail to make the new jail unneeded.

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We have a big selection of new merchandise for Spring and Summer. We want you to come in and see for yourself. We believe we have just as big a selection to choose from as you will find in a much bigger town. We handle first quality merchandise, in nationally advertised lines. For the men we have received our new Spring and Summer line of Curlee Suits. Summer shoes in Jarman and the Rand. Summer straw hats and Summer felts, Arrow Shirts, Arrow Ties and Arrow handkerchiefs.

And for the ladies we have Betty Rose and Mary Lane Coats and Suits; Doris Dodson Dresses, Martha Manning Dresses, and many others. Tom Sawyer clothes for the boys. If you want to make a new dress for Easter, we urge you to come in and see our new Spring and Summer line of piece goods. In other words we want you to come in, and see what we have. We are proud of it. We think you will be, too.

P. S. — We have a nice selection of ladies Summer straw and felt hats. We believe we can please you.

Come in and look around. If you don't want to buy anything just visit with us. You are always welcome.

**Salem Dry Goods**

Satisfaction Guaranteed

Turkey, Texas

(Continued from page one)  
 They made their home in Montague for a few years, Then to Elida, NM., they moved, sharing joys and tears. The pioneer family grew As normal families do. Texas still had its real allure And when Mexico crops were very poor

To Floyd county the family came To the John Smith farm by name

In the fall of 1910, Pa, Ma and kids

Donned cotton sacks, and what they did

As they bowed their backs With cotton and sacks

Made enough to carry them back. They started home on a crisp day in the fall,

When lo and behold, the babies began to bawl.

Right then and there Pa stopped that hack

"These kids are sick so we'll un-pack."

So hurriedly they threw up the tent,

To protect the children was their intent.

What looked like bronchial croup Proved only colds for part of the group.

So without much delay They were soon on their way.

Then in 1911 they bade farewell to Elida sand.

To Floyd county, on a Smith farm, moved the band.

In 1916, they moved to Motley, to till more land

Here, where the Joe Speer house now stands,

The youngest son, Boyd, joined the band.

There were Bob, Bud, Bertie, Jackie, Annie and Dillie—

John, the twins Willie and Lillie, Then Zula and Boyd. Every girl and boy

Was Mamie's and Pappie's pride and joy.

The first of the children to leave the group

Was Bertie, who took a Gunn and started her troop.

One by one, each chose their mate,

Making homes here, or out of the state.

Many a tale we would love to relate;

How Bertie, for spite, baked a wonderful cake.

Bob, who followed a cowboy, listened as the cowboy burst into melody strong.

Bob shouted, Hey Mister! My mama knows the tune to that song.

A guest arrived one Saturday late, and

Was greeted by Bill, at the garden gate.

Then, with lips drawn firm and tight,

"Have you come to stay all night?"

Bob, hearing and wishing to make amends,

Scolded "Bill, don't ask so many questions."

Bill, "I ain't asked but one and she ain't answered it, so there, ain't that fair?"

And Mammie played the organ and Pappie sang a tune.

They grew their corn and they made their own broom.

We're proud of this family group, Mr and Mrs Morris, six boys, five girls,

Thirty-seven grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren —

Sixty-four, eh? Quite a troop.

# City Grocery

Bert Grundy

Quitauque, Texas

NO JOKE—

MY BIG FOURTH ANNIVERSARY SALE

FOLKS, I AM USING MY AD SPACE THIS WEEK

TO ANNOUNCE MY

# Anniversary Sale

NEXT WEEK.

Will give you some worth while merchandise at an awfully good price—so come early and stay late, buy a years supply or a piece of candy. We will be glad to have you.

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## Easter Flowers

Let us have your corsage orders early, so if we do not have the flowers you want, we can order them. We will have a wide selection of cut flowers for bouquets and corsages . . .



Camellias, gardenias, carnations, roses, and others.



POTTED PLANTS

EASTER LILIES

HYDRANGEAS

## Quitauque Flower Shop

Phillip Hamilton was here last Friday visiting his mother, Mrs. J. N. Hamilton and attending to business. He was on his way to his ranch in South Dakota. Phillip reported that he had lost only 18 head of cattle last winter, and the severe weather was accountable

for only half of those, the others dying with septicemia.

S. G. Clark, Reg Cushmanbery, Marion and Maynard Wilson went to Amarillo Tuesday on business and while there planned to attend the exhibition baseball game, Amarillo vs Clovis, which they expected to be played in the afternoon. The game was not until night, so while they were there, they remained to see Paul Dean pitch and witnessed a good close game ending in a score of 8-6 in favor of Clovis. A couple of the fans thought it wise to throw their hats in the door before they entered when they got home in the early hours of Wednesday morning, but said it was worth it, to see the good ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Melton and Sonny and Mrs. Lewis McAninch and small daughter Sharon Kay arrived Monday from Bagdad, Ariz. for a visit with relatives and friends. Lewis will join them later in the week. The McAninches live at Ray, Ariz.

### Drug Is Discovered

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Symptoms: Headache, dizziness, pains in back of head, neck and shoulders. Irregular heart and cramping in legs, and many others.

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## Northern Star Cottonseed

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If you want some of these seed, come for it immediately. It is here on consignment from the Northern Star Farms and all seed not sold by Saturday, April 23, will be returned to the farm. They are completely out of seed at the farm, and have numerous requests for them.

DELINTED SEED ----- \$18.00 Per Hundred  
 REGULAR SEED ----- \$10.50 Per Hundred

EARL WISE  
 H. G. HUNTER

### DIST. LEGION MEETING AT SHAMROCK LAST WEEK

A group of Legionnaires and their wives from Quitauque and Turkey spent last Saturday and Sunday in Shamrock in attendance at the 18th district American Legion convention.

Points of interest were registration throughout the day. Judge Roy Bean's court where Judge Lewis Goodrich held a court showing no mercy to the victims brought in by Sheriff Bob Roach and deputies. The victims who were forced to perform initiative pranks under heavy guard, and garbed for the occasion, furnished much merriment on the streets among the milling crowds gathering from all points of the Panhandle. They also formed a part of the parade.

The highlight of the day was the afternoon parade led by the 97th Army band from Ft. Sill and covered by airplanes from Biggs Field, El Paso extended over a mile. Wallace Fields and Jim Caperton were parade marshals. Stratford's color guard lead the parade with other units from Amarillo, Canadian, Hedley, Pampa, Wellington, Mobeetie, Memphis, Miami, Happy, Follett, Quitauque, Turkey, Wheeler and Shamrock participating.

The Shamrock meeting was held in the new Legion Hall just com-

pleted there, valued at \$65,000. Constructed of stone and covering 10,000 sq. feet, all the work of the building was done by the members of the Legion post.

Attending the meeting from Quitauque were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. George Brunson, Mr. and Ms. Pete Blankenship, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Grundy and Mr. and Mrs. Odell Johnston.

### METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

Roscoe Trostle—The Methodist Church expects to have a nice Easter service. The choir will be dressed in its white Easter robes and will render several specials.

There will be the customary Infant Dedication service at the beginning of the church hour, then with the choral numbers, special singing and Easter message we hope to have a very interesting and helpful service.

There are not so many people leaving town this Easter, so let us all go to church and have a house full. The Lord will bless us.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Wilkes of Canyon visited over the week end in the home of her sister, Mrs. Jim Stroup and with other relatives and friends.

Visitors in the Roscoe Trostle home thi week were her sister and

husband Mr. and Mrs. Lester Shirley of Sunray who visited them Thursday, and his parents Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Trostle of Shamrock who spent Friday with them.

FOR SALE—1946 Dodge pick up, 28,000 miles; good tires, new battery, Mopar heater. See it at People's State Bank, Turkey. 7-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Curtis arrived Wednesday from California, bringing his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Curtis back to their home in Silverton, after spending the winter in Bakersfield and Venice.

Joe Edd, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Price had a tonsilectomy last week at Matador and is getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Broxson and children of Dumas and Mr and Mrs N. L. Bedwell of Cactus were here over the week end visiting relatives and friends.

Linda Kay Gillespie has been quite ill the past week, and her mother is keeping her at home. Which leaves the City Bakery force short-handed, and Father Frank quite distracted. Kay has had a bad throat, but was improving Tuesday.

FRYERS FOR SALE—See Joe Woodruff, Quitauque. 13-1

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Chandler left this week, Ben to fish on Lake Texhoma and Mrs. Chandler to visit relatives in Oklahoma.

## Attention!

# Poultry Raisers & Farmers

CARBOLINEUM ----- 1 gallon \$1.39  
 TOXITE, kills practically all kinds of chicken parasites, also a fine disinfectant ----- 1 gallon \$2.00  
 AVI-TON Powder for flock worm treatment, ----- 6lb \$2.19  
 LEGEARS Poultry Prescription ----- 12-oz. 29c  
 LEE'S TONAX, a tonic and conditioner for poultry ----- 6-lb \$1.89  
 REN-O-SAL Tablets, ----- 30c size Special 25c

CERESAN, ----- 4-oz. 35c — 1-lb 90c — 4-lb \$3.20  
 FRANKLIN Electric Prod Pole with Batteries ----- \$8.50  
 FRANKLIN Dehorners ----- \$2.50 & \$3.50  
 FRANKLIN Revolving Head Tattoo Outfit ----- \$6.00  
 FRANKLIN large ear notching punch ----- \$3.50

THERMOS JUGS ----- \$3.00 - \$3.50 & \$4.50  
 LUNCH KITS WITH THERMOS BOTTLE ----- \$2.98

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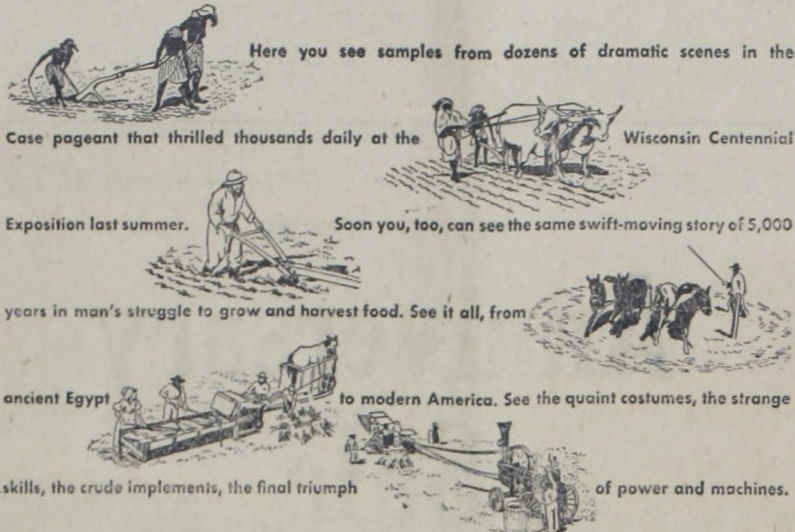
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# See 5000 Years of Farming

... From Slavery and Scarcity to Freedom and Abundance



Here you see samples from dozens of dramatic scenes in the Case pageant that thrilled thousands daily at the Wisconsin Centennial Exposition last summer. Soon you, too, can see the same swift-moving story of 5,000 years in man's struggle to grow and harvest food. See it all, from ancient Egypt to modern America. See the quaint costumes, the strange skills, the crude implements, the final triumph of power and machines.

## ... AT OUR BIG SHOW

For 5,000 years the world had only the power of muscles to produce food. And the world was hungry. Abundance began when American freedom gave birth to the era of farm machinery. Now you can see and hear the story of hardship and hunger for fifty centuries, and the miracle of machines in the last century. See the sweating slaves and plodding beasts—hear the toot of early engine whistles—in this full-color talkie-movie of the pageant at the Wisconsin Centennial Exposition. There will be a cartoon film, "Sawdust Sam," and a conservation movie, also some of the latest farm machines on display. Mark the date on your calendar. Bring all the family.

**FREE---Monday, April 18, 7:30 p. m.**  
**AT G.I. AGGIE SCHOOL BUILDING, TURKEY**  
**FARMERS SUPPLY**  
 Phone 50 J. I. Case Farm Machines Turkey

**STUDENTS ARE VISITORS AT NEWSPAPER PLANT**  
 Mrs. Don Siler brought her 8th grade science class down to the newspaper office Tuesday morning for a demonstration and the young people watched the presses run, learned a bit about the linotype, the casting boxes, etc.  
 This is excellent training for students. It is surprising how many

people grow to adulthood in the land of "free press" without ever seeing inside of a newspaper office, or having the remotest idea of what it means to publish a paper, or print a job.  
 We appreciate the interest shown and also we appreciate the excellent conduct of our young visitors. They showed intelligent interest, did not touch or meddle with any-

thing, and we want them to always feel welcome to visit us. (We also appreciate all the news items of interest they have to give us.)  
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawkins and son Joe Frank, spent the week end with relatives and friends in Amarillo.  
**Try Our Delicious "Long Johns". Ask Elmer for his recipe. City Bakery**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Glen Barrett moved last week to Tullia, and the house in the northeast part of town where they had been living, is now occupied by Eldon Maples and family.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lyles went to Wichita Falls over the week end where Mrs. Lyles remained to go through a clinic. Mr. Lyles, who was to undergo surgery at Lubbock last week end has postponed his operation until his wife's condition is improved.

# \$ Day

## At Rice's

FRIDAY & SATURDAY ONLY  
 Bring Your Dollar—and Come In.

WASH CLOTHS, 12 for	\$1.00
TOWELS, 1 lot 20x38, 3 for	\$1.00
PILLOW CASES, 42x36, 2 for	\$1.00
DUCHESS PRINT fast color, 3½ yd	\$1.00
OIL CLOTH, 46-in. wide, 2 yds.	\$1.00
KLEENEX, 200 tissues to box, 7 bxes	\$1.00
1 lot Brown Domestic, yd. wide 5 yds	\$1.00
1 lot Brown Domestic, yd. wide 7 yds	\$1.00
CROCHET THREAD, 5 balls	\$1.00
1 lot Mens Work Sox, 5 pr for	\$1.00

Just Received Ladies New Nylon Hose  
 51-gauge, 15-denier — Special \$1.00 Pr.

Come in and see our New Hats,  
 Dresses and Shoes for Easter.

## Rice Dry Goods

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# Amateur Rodeo

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 April 23 - 24  
 \$900 in Prize Money

THREE PERFORMANCES  
 Afternoon and night of 23rd, and afternoon of the 24th.  
 Two go-rounds, Five Events

Saddle bronc riding  
 Bareback Riding  
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 Sponsor Contest

Admission: Adults \$1.00 Plus Tax  
 Children: 50c plus tax

Mail all entries to Calvin Steen, Floydada, by April 22.  
 Stock furnished by Jay Wise.

**APRIL FOOL MEETING OF BUSY BEE CLUB**  
 The Busy Bee Club played an "April fool" trick on Mrs. H. B. Finney when they met with her on April 1st. Instead of coming at 2:30 in the afternoon, which is club meeting time, we had all planned to rush in on her at the noon hour and let on like we had come for dinner, leaving our covered dishes in the car, but as the weather was not very pleasant, only five made it, Mrs. John King, Mrs. W. E. Helms, Mrs. Edgar Farley, Mrs. Johnnie Brummett and Mary Ellen McCracken.  
 We had red beans, (two pots full) cornbread, onion, english peas and potatoes, chiffon cake, lemon pie and the hostess made some hot chocolate.  
 Nine members answered roll call with a "verse we learned in school". There were three guests present, Mrs. Edgar Farley, Mrs. Wes Harvey and Euna Bradshaw.  
 We pieced some fifty-odd blocks from the scraps Mrs. Leon McCracken and Mrs. Sid McFall gave us, Mrs. Finney furnished some white sacks.  
 Refreshments, first course, consisted of red beans, onions, and cornbread. Then we had sandwiches, chiffon cake, lemon pie, chocolate cookies, coffee and hot chocolate.  
 The Club received \$5.00 of the proceeds from the play presented by the colored people. Next meeting is with Mrs. John King, instead of Mrs. W. E. Helms, on April 15th.  
 —Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Burleson and baby and her mother Mrs. Williams of Rochester visited over the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woods. They lived at Quitaque several years ago and were neighbors of the Woods.  
**FOR SALE—Divan, makes bed; coffee table; electric washing machine.—Mrs. F. C. Benson, Tele. 15-W. 13-1c**  
 Mr. and Mr. S. T. Bogan left this week for an extended visit with relatives in Louisiana.  
 Mrs. Delores Goodwin was taken to Silvertown early Saturday morning for treatment of an acute attack of appendicitis. The appendix had ruptured and she could not undergo surgery until Monday afternoon when the operation was performed. She was reported Tuesday to be getting along nicely.

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Items for Babies — Pretty Dresses, Blankets, Shoes, Diapers, Kimonos, Knit Gowns, Baby Pillows, Bottles—just about everything a baby needs.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rhoderick and Mr. and Mrs. Bungy Rhoderick night from Brownsville where they had been visiting the Clayton and Barry returned home Friday Johnsons.

# THIS IS AMERICA

This is freedom—many religions, many races, living in harmony together. For freedom is more than a way of life. It is a state of spirit—and our richest asset.

Under freedom of religion, Americans attend more churches than any other nation. Under freedom of speech, we have more newspapers, more radio stations than any other country in the world. Under freedom of opportunity, our children attend more schools, have more chances to succeed in life.

We are only 7% of the world's people, living on 6% of the world's land. Yet, we who live in America have the highest standard of living the world has ever known.

Under freedom of enterprise—you may call it Democracy, or Capitalism—we make just about one-third of the world's goods, mostly for our own use. We drive three-fourths of the world's autos, use about half the world's electricity. Our homes are unrivaled for comfort and labor-saving devices. We eat more meat, buy more clothes, see more shows, own more insurance. We even save more money.

Yes, freedom pays—in the coin of tolerance and understanding, and in the coin of progress and prosperity.

## West Texas Utilities Company