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Fireman's Ball Next Thursday Night, March 17

From all indications, it looks like a very nice crowd will be on hand for the Fireman's Ball which will be held next Thursday night at the Clarendon Opera House under the sponsorship of the local volunteer Fire Department. Carl Bennett announced that ticket sales had been very good so far but still a large number needed to be sold or donations received in order to have enough cash by the end of the month to pay for the new Resuscitator that has been purchased by the department. This new machine is on display in the Rexall Drug window so everyone can see it and we hope everyone will take the time to drop by and look it over, Mr. Bennett added.

The new Resuscitator will be permanently located at the Fire Department and will be available for free use by any resident of Donley County. If you should ever have an occasion to need this artificial respirator machine in an emergency, all you need to do is call the fire station and some one will be on the way to your home or wherever it is needed within a few minutes.

Don't forget to buy your tickets for the dance or leave your donation at the Rexall Drug. Rip Ramsey and his Texas Wanderers will furnish the music for the dance. Tickets are \$1.50 per person.

COUNTY AGENT OFFICE TO NEW LOCATION

The office of the county agent will move to its new location the latter part of this week or the first of next week. The new location will be in the first building south of the Lions Club building on the south end of Main street in Clarendon.

The new building will house the county agent, Production and Marketing Administration (AAA) and also the Farm Home Administration. All farmers and ranchers and other persons having business at these offices will find the new location convenient for parking and lots of room. The move was made in order to save rent over a period of time and making the housing of these agencies more economical to the county.

JUNIOR COLLEGE BASKETBALLERS RECOGNIZED

It was revealed this week that Sidney Harp was one of the ten highest scorers in the Junior College basketball play, scoring 59 points against opponents in the Jr. College conference with an average of 7 points for each game.

Harp and Barker both received honorable mention for the Amarillo Times all-conference West Zone Southwest Junior College conference squad.

Speaker Rayburn Buys With a Smile



WASHINGTON, D. C.—House Speaker Sam Rayburn of Texas opens the annual Girl Scout Cookie Sale as he purchases the first box from girl scout daughters of Congressmen. Left to right are Elizabeth Fulbright, 13, daughter of Senator Fulbright of Arkansas; Mary Wigglesworth, 13, daughter of Rep. Wigglesworth of Mass.; Carolyn Judd, 13, daughter of Rep. Judd of Minnesota; Speaker Rayburn; and Katherine Kean, daughter of Rep. Kean of New Jersey.

Rocket Boxers Take Locals Second Time

The Wellington boxing team took the locals for their second cleaning of the season last Friday night at Wellington, winning eight out of 12 fights. About three weeks ago the Rocket team beat the locals 10-6.

The results were as follows:
 Gordon Moore, Clarendon, dec. Billy Crosby, 70 lbs.
 Donnie Lockhart, Wellington, dec. Don Moore, 75 lbs.
 Bill Hill, Clarendon, dec. Truman Judd, 80 lbs.
 Bobby Davis, Wellington, dec. Weldon Talley, 80 lbs.
 Tommy Blasingame, Clarendon, dec. Ladwain Bowen, 90 lbs.
 Earl Smith, Wellington, TKO'd Billy Adams, 110 lbs.
 Gene Baird, Wellington, TKO'd Leon Mulanax, 120 lbs.
 Don Baird, Wellington, dec. Jerry Moore, 125 lbs.
 Dale Lamkin, Wellington, dec. Leldon McBrayer, 125 lbs.
 Joe Shadle, Clarendon, dec. Doyle Ingram, 130 lbs.
 Choice Harris, Wellington, TKO'd Rex Bradford, 145 lbs.

Two exhibition fights were also held during the evening. James Wortham, Amarillo Golden Gloves boxer, TKO'd Rocky Risenhoover, Clarendon; and Ballard Montgomery, Sudan, who is employed by F. O. Masten, decisioned Freddie Molesworth, Clarendon.

FOUR LOCAL YOUTHS "TRY OUT" FOR FOOTBALL SCHOLARSHIPS

Duane Littlefield, Parley Bulman, Tommy Heatherly and Wayburn Wilson left last Thursday for Georgetown to "try out" for football scholarships being given at Southwestern University. The University coach was well pleased with the way the boys played and stated that he would notify Coach Max Jones some time this week if any of the boys had been chosen.

Austin being only 28 miles away, the boys went on down and witnessed the state basketball tournament which was won by our neighboring town of Memphis.

They were accompanied by Coach Max Jones and Charlie Murphy.

AVIATION CLUB DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT

It was announced yesterday that the Donley County Aviation club would hold their annual monthly dance this Saturday night at the airport beginning at 8:30 p. m.

A good variety of recordings of old and modern tunes have been obtained and an enjoyable time is assured for those who wish to attend. The public is invited to come. Hot coffee and cokes will be available.



This striking and dramatic picture of Red Cross disaster relief work was done by Jas Schliakjer, noted American poster artist.

KNEE OPERATION GOOD NEWS FOR FOOTBALL PLAYER

Guy Lynn Tatum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Tatum, arriving home Monday night from Dallas and is on the road to recovery after undergoing a knee operation at Baylor hospital last week.

Guy Lynn received his knee injury last fall while playing football with the Bronchos. As the season progressed his knee became more painful and the injury has been giving him trouble ever since up until the operation was performed. A physician revealed that a piece of foreign matter called a joint mouse had been removed and that Guy Lynn's knee would be just as sound as ever. He is looking forward to playing with the first string again next fall and should be a real powerhouse.

SERVICES HELD MONDAY FOR W. V. MCCAULEY

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Lelia Lake Baptist Church for Walter V. McCauley with Rev. Ernest Phillips officiating, assisted by Rev. M. W. Reynolds.

Mr. McCauley, age 72 years, passed away at his home in Lelia Lake Sunday morning following a quite lengthy illness. A native of St. Augustine county, Mr. McCauley moved to Donley county in 1914 and has been a resident of Lelia Lake for the past 20 years.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Fieta McCauley, a son John, Amarillo; three nieces, Mrs. N. R. Simmons, Clarendon; Mrs. G. C. Mangum, Center, Texas; and Mrs. Dovie McInore, Ida Lou, Texas; and a nephew, Don Bell, Clovis, N. M.

Pallbearers were W. W. Jones, Holly Wood, B. F. Wolford, Richard Dingler, Kinc' Leathers, and Loy W. Bynum. Honorary pallbearers were Ellis Chenault, Ferral Floyd, Dennis Reed, De Vertie Leathers, Richard Finch, Rice Batson, Quinn Aten, Nelson Seago, and Luther Butler.

Flower girls were Rachel Butler, Wilma Batson, Mary Chenault, Dessie Day, Luna Reed and Vivian Knox.

Burial was in Citizens Cemetery with the Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Loretta Mooney of Amarillo spent the week end as a guest of Tommy Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bryson and son Bill of Clovis, N. M. spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Bryson.

LAST PRESENTATION OF "MYSTERY AT MIDNIGHT" TONIGHT (THURS.)

Those who saw the first presentation of "Mystery at Midnight" last night at the College Auditorium can easily verify the fact that it is well worth your time and money. The play is being presented again tonight for the last time. It is being put on by the Junior Class under the direction of Miss Wilma Dee Smith.

The time for the curtain raising is 8 p. m. and the admission charge is 35 and 50 cents.

1949 Football Schedule Announced

With the exception of filling three open dates, the 1949 Broncho football schedule is complete, and Coach Clinton stated that he hoped to have two of the open dates filled within the near future.

The schedule as it now stands:
 Sept. 9—Claude Here.
 Sept. 16—Chillicothe Here.
 Sept. 23—Open.
 Sept. 30—McLean, There.*
 Oct. 7—Wellington, There.*
 Oct. 14—Canyon, Here.
 Oct. 21—Shamrock, There.*
 Oct. 28—Lefors, Here.*
 Nov. 4—Open.
 Nov. 11—Memphis, Here.*
 Nov. 18—Open.
 * Conference games.

SPEECH RECITAL AT COLLEGE AUDITORIUM SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. Jolly Johnson will present a group of her pupils in a speech recital on Sunday afternoon, March 13th at 3 o'clock at the College auditorium. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The following pupils will appear: Rhonda Shadid, Gene Elmore, Patricia Spurgeon, Marilyn Matheson, Patsy Schull, Jean McAnear, Joyce Eddings, Tommy Lane, and Jackie Estlack.

Drawings In Top Bracket

Friends of Charlotte Ann Merchant of Dallas, granddaughter of Mrs. Cal Merchant, will be pleased to know her drawings in designing passed the judges in Dallas and Ft. Worth. Out of 2,000 entries 400 were on display, 108 received honorable mention and 41 were sent on to Carnegie Institute at Pittsburgh, Pa. Charlotte Ann's drawings were among the 41 and she will compete for National honors there.

Red Cross Drive Committeemen Announced

Rev. W. Warrin Fry, 1949 Red Cross Drive chairman, released a list yesterday naming all chairmen and committeemen who will assist in the various communities in raising the 1949 quota which has been set at \$1,553. Emmett O. Simmons is the Chapter chairman.

Collecting agencies for Clarendon are: First National Bank, Farmers State Bank, Donley County State Bank, Norwood Pharmacy, Whitsett Drug, Rexall Drug, Bendix Laundry and the E-Z Laundry.

Clarendon Schools: R. E. Drennan, County Schools; Miss Ruth Richerson, Court House; Guy Wright; Hedley; Mike Thornberry at the City Drug and the Security State Bank.

Rural Chairman is Mrs. Joe Ritter, AAA office.

Captains of the various communities are as follows:
 Martin—Mrs. Richard Cannon, Mrs. W. L. Jordan.
 Jericho—Miss Annie Reeves.
 Goldston—Mrs. J. H. Ford, Mrs. Sam Dale.
 Ashtola — Mrs. Leo Wallace, Mrs. Van Knox.
 Windy Valley — Mrs. John O. Richey, Mrs. Gerald Noble.
 Bray—Mrs. Bill Clay.
 Chamberlain—Mrs. H. A. Harrison, Mrs. Chester Mann.
 Hedley — Mrs. W. C. Bridges, Mrs. Kelley Neighbours.
 Sunnyview—Mrs. Don Tomlinson, Mrs. Glen Williams.
 McKnight — Mrs. Tom Tate, Mrs. Pete Messer.
 Glenwood—Mrs. C. P. Hamilton.
 Midway—Mrs. John Goldston.
 Lelia Lake—Mrs. Carroll Lewis.
 Mrs. Sam Roberts.
 Groom — Mrs. C. F. Hermes-meyer.
 Clarendon — Mrs. Glenn Adkins, Miss Isabel Wright.
 Hudgins—Mrs. Wallace Raney, Mrs. Delton Koen.
 Bairfield—Mrs. C. E. Bairfield.
 Giles—Mrs. Mary Sue Stotts.
 Whitefish — Mrs. Charles F. Weaver.

COUNTIANS ATTEND HEARING ON ROAD BILL

Mayor Cap Morris, Commissioner Chas. Speed, of Clarendon; J. B. Masterson and Roy Jewell of Hedley were the Donley County representatives at the public hearing on Road Bill No. 59 at Austin Monday. The Donley county group, along with approximately 3,000 other persons interested in Farm-to-Market Roads, attended the public hearing before the House Revenue and Taxation Committee on Representative C. S. McLellan's Bill No. 59.

This bill proposes an occupation tax on the production of natural gas for the purpose of building a system of local county rural roads of a type not now included in the State Farm-to-Market road program.

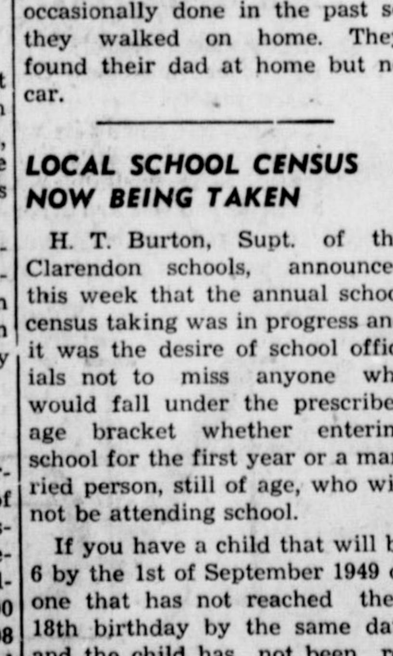
Mr. Morris stated that the 3,000 persons converging on the Capitol, stayed with the House Committee until the bill was passed on to the Legislature to be acted upon. He reported a very enjoyable trip and stated that everything was green and pretty and the crops looked wonderful down in that section of the country. The group returned home Wednesday.

48 MERCURY STOLEN FRIDAY NIGHT

Sheriff Guy Wright reports that no trace of any kind has been reported in regard to the 1948 Mercury which was stolen here last Friday night while parked near the picture show. The Mercury belonged to Raymond Pharr and had been parked near the show by his son and daughter. The thieves apparently wired around the ignition as the keys were not left in the car, the sheriff added.

The theft was not actually known until after Wesley and his sister had reached home. They thought their dad had come by and picked the car up as he had occasionally done in the past so they walked on home. They found their dad at home but no car.

HISTORY MAKING FLIGHT EARNS HEARTY HANDSHAKE



FORT WORTH—Carswell Air Force Base—S. W. Stuart Symington, left, gives hearty handshake to James Gallagher, Melrose, Minn. upon completion of the world non-stop flight by an Air Force B-50. Air Force Chief of Staff General Hoyt S. Vandenberg is also present.

Ward School Medical Check-up Completed

The medical check-up given all Elizabeth Ward School pupils was completed this week. This project was sponsored by the Sims Parent-Teachers Association and conducted by Drs. Laird and Shadid. The majority of the students were found to be in good health with a few showing need of further medical care. Enlarged tonsils and mal-nutrition were the most common defects found. The check-up included: Ears, nose, throat, teeth, chest, weight and height.

Follow-up letters have been sent to all parents whose children show to be in need of further medical attention. It is hoped that all parents will cooperate with this project, for a child in need of medical attention cannot do his best in school.

The school authorities wish to thank the members of the PTA and Drs. Laird and Shadid for this splendid work. "Our children can do much better school work if the defects are corrected at an early age," one school official stated.

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Tickets for the fight are on sale at the Clarendon Furniture Store and Charlie Murphy reports that there are quite a few good seats left, but if you want to be sure of a good reserved seat you should get by early and pick up the ones you want as a near packed house is expected.

BEEF CALVES BRING TOP PRICES

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Boys who exhibited steers at Amarillo were Ronald Thomas, Don Thornberry, Truett Koen, Robert Koen, Harold McDonald, Bob McDonald, Tommy Hodnett, and one girl Carolyn Thomas. Due to the fact that girls cannot show in Amarillo show, Carolyn sold her steer privately to Reids Market of Amarillo for forty cents per pound and the calf weighed 880 pounds.

Breedlove stated that beef calves will start on feed in the next few weeks and calves are being located for the 4-H club members at this time. The best calves possible are being located and will come from all parts of the Panhandle and some from New Mexico. Any boys who wish to feed beef calves and have not had the opportunity before now should contact the county agent.

LOCAL SCHOOL CENSUS NOW BEING TAKEN

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MIDWAY

Mrs. John Goldston

Quite a number of Midway men and wives attended the Consumers banquet at the Christian Church in Clarendon Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Quattlebaum, Mr. and Mrs. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones, Charles Longan, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eanes, Mr. Pickering and others perhaps we missed seeing.

way school sold to a man in Amarillo who is contemplating making it his home. Mrs. Longan returned home Wednesday from Plainview. Mr. Watts arrived here Monday to visit his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Longan. J. C. Longan and Linsey Johnston of Pampa spent Friday night in the Longan home, Mrs. Edith Longan returning with them for a week end visit. Mr. and Mrs. Harley Longan and son went to Pampa Sunday for a visit. Mrs. J. T. Stone and Mrs. Harley Longan shopped in Amarillo Monday. The children of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Longan have been ill with the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Phelps Sunday.

The Midway Club had a very enjoyable meeting with Mrs. Mooring this past Thursday. A most delicious dinner was served and two quilts were mostly finished.

Miss Jaunita Mooring of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents.

HUDGINS

Mrs. Carl Barker

Mr. and Mrs. Price Webb and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds at Goldston Sunday afternoon.

James Kirkland of Midway spent Thursday night with Kenneth Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Self's daughter from Tulsa, Okla. is here for a month's visit.

Drucilla Foster and Mary Barker spent Saturday night with Wanda and Betty Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Vines and children of Brice visited in the Price Webb home Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shields moved to Lelia Lake Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Foster spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buf-

ford Holland at Hedley. Bro. and Mrs. Murdock of Hedley were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue left Wednesday for Levelland to be with their daughter, Mrs. Earl Stout who is in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Slaton Mahaffey of Ashtola spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dane Perdue.

Sidney Harp visited Don Barker Saturday.

J. A. Brogdon spent Thursday night with Willard Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Barker and Mary visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mooring of Lelia Lake Sunday.

Doyce and Jimmy Graham of Ashtola spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Barker.

We extend a hearty welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Shields who have moved into our community.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wood had for their dinner guests last Sunday Mrs. J. D. Wood and daughter Evelyn Jean, Arlie Wood and family and Miss Della Wood. All enjoyed being in their home.

Bro. Doyle Williams, Minister of the local Church of Christ, and Mr. E. J. Chenault attended Church Services in Memphis, Saturday evening.

MARTIN

By Mrs. J. H. Helton

Bro. Stricklin of Wellington preached both Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fancher of Lelia Lake visited Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hill.

Mrs. Jordan took Mrs. Norton and children to their home in Pampa last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Crofford and Margie visited Sunday with relatives in Amarillo.

Mr. Leroy Brown and Miss Gwen Oakley of Amarillo visited in the Ross Brown home Sunday.

Bro. Stricklin visited Saturday night in the Geo. Bulman home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wakefield and family spent Sunday in Amarillo with the Earnest Wakefield and Sammy Crawford families.

Mr. and Mrs. Othel Elliott and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sibley and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bulman and Gene visited in the Tick Barbee home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and boys spent Sunday in Stratford with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins visited awhile Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams.

Several from our community attended the Co-op banquet at the First Christian Church Monday night.

J. A. WARREN OPENS NEW OFFICE

After two years absence from active work, most of the time, on account of illness, J. A. Warren has opened an insurance office in the Goldston Bldg., where he will be pleased to have his friends call and visit. Mr. Warren desires that it be understood he still owns the Warren-Chepault Income Tax Service and is vitally interested in this business, but his

health will not permit too active work, and it is in the capable hands of Mr. E. J. Chenault where all clients will receive the same, courteous, capable treatment that has made this office into one of the largest in west Texas. Please refer all Income Tax matters to that office.

See Mr. Warren's ad in another section of this paper.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness and sympathy during our bereavement and for the beautiful flowers. May God's richest blessings be with each of you. Mrs. J. B. Heathington and Children Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Heathington

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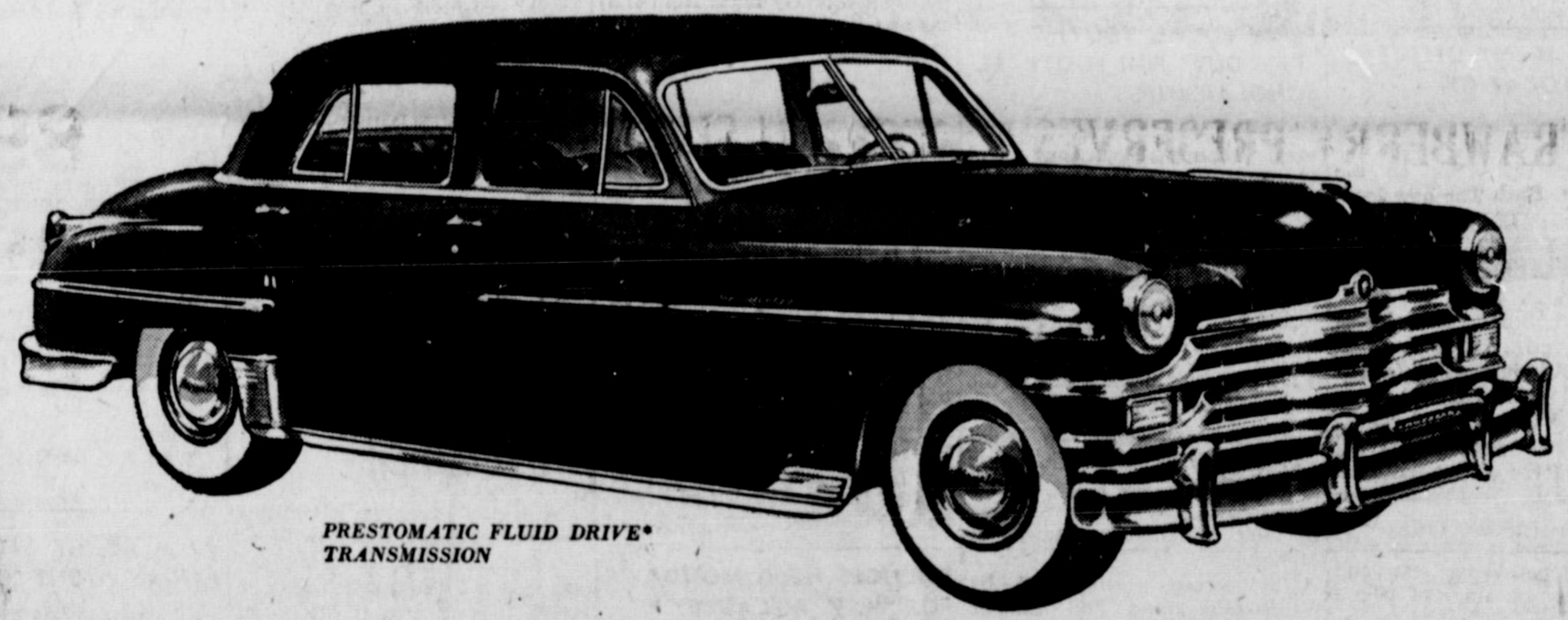
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GOLDSTON
Daphne Roberson

Elouise Hinton and Geraldine Jackson spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ashcraft.
Mrs. George McCrackin and son and Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Reynolds visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Reynolds one day last week.
Kenneth Littlefield spent Wednesday night with Carl Talley and Gene, Barbara, and Jerry McBrayer visited awhile Wednesday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bible of Berger visited in the H. C. Smith home last Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Putman visited with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield awhile Tuesday evening.
Mrs. Marjorie Roy and children from Wellington visited in the Edgar Talley home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. McBrayer from Hedley and Mr. and Mrs. Gene McBrayer from Dumas visited in the O. L. McBrayer home Sunday.
Mrs. Roy Stewart and Gayle, Mrs. Lawrence Hauck and Mrs. Eddy Reynolds visited Mrs. Clarence Reynolds Monday night.
Mrs. Walter Bible and Mrs. H. C. Smith visited Mrs. Edgar Talley Monday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ashcraft and Mrs. Ashcraft, James and Emma, J. F. Jackson and family, and Mr. Bill Littlefield visited in the Mrs. Josie Jackson home Sunday.
Dorothy Davis spent Saturday night with Dorthy Brock.
Wanda Davis spent Friday with Eva June Brock.
Mr. J. F. Jackson and family visited in the Collier Brock home Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. John Bible and sons of Alanreed spent Sunday in the H. C. Smith home.
Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Littlefield visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson Sunday evening.
Mrs. Bill Littlefield and Mrs. Doc Ford have been visiting their father, who has been ill, in Wise County last week. They returned home Sunday evening.
Mr. Bill Littlefield and boys visited in the Roy Roberson home Friday night.
Mr. J. F. Jackson and family visited in the Roy Stewart home Wednesday night.
L. M. Putman spent Sunday night with John Smith.
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore and family of Shamrock visited in the E. Moore home Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Gibson and family of Clarendon visited Mr. Doc Ford and sons Sunday.
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Laymon Garland spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Putman and family.
Joan Putman spent Thursday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Garland.
Charlsie Ann and Mrs. Whitt visited in the Lawrence Hauck home Sunday.
Pat Roberson spent Saturday night with Kenneth Littlefield.
Mr. Bud Phillely visited in the Kennard Davis home Monday evening.
Glenda Moore visited Yvonne Putman Wednesday night.
L. M. Putman has been over at Bob Williams for the past week.
Joan Putman and Ann Hauck visited Sue Talley Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Moore and Glenda visited with Mr. and Mrs. Moore of Clarendon Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson spent Friday with Mrs. M. F. Roberson and Minnie.
Duane Littlefield went to Austin on business last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reynolds and Steve visited Mrs. Koontz Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Aldridge and family visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Ruhr of Groom Sunday.
Silva Faye Morgan of Canyon spent Saturday night with Lucille Dale.

Pat Roberson and Kenneth Littlefield visited Wimp and Billy Ray Ford Sunday.
Eugene Aldridge spent Monday night with Harold McDonald.
Eugene Aldridge and Harold McDonald spent last week in Amarillo.
Mr. and Mrs. Houston McDonald went to Amarillo Tuesday and Friday.
Those visiting in the J. S. Dale home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clayton of Memphis, Mrs. R. A. Brame of Clarendon, Mrs. Roy Morgan and J. R. Morgan of Tucumcari, N. M. and Miss Sylvia Morgan of Canyon.

Sgt. and Mrs. Duncan of Shepherd Field at Wichita Falls spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carter.
J. P. Reynolds of Clovis, New Mexico spent the week end here with his parents. Mrs. Reynolds, who spent last week here, accompanied him home.
Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bullard and children visited relatives here last Wednesday enroute to Arkansas, where they will make their home.
Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Fox of Wichita Falls spent the weekend here with relatives.
Mrs. Earl Lefon of Grand Prairie spent Friday night with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Reeves.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Butler and John Bob and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White had business in Amarillo last Wednesday.
Mrs. H. K. Leathers, Mrs. W. R. Christal, Mrs. Ellis Chenault, Mrs. Loy Bynum, and Mrs. Rice Batson attended an Eastern Star meeting in Memphis last Thursday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mace and Jimmy of Farwell were called here Sunday by the death of her great uncle, W. V. McCauley.
Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hayes, Mrs. Ada Short, and Mrs. Johnnie Henry of Center came last Thursday to be with their sister, Mrs. W. V. McCauley, during the illness and death of her husband.
Sam King, who recently accepted a position as coordinator in the Distributive Vocational Department of Amarillo High School, spent the weekend here with relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Reeves had several of their children home Sunday. They were Virgil Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Reeves of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Reese and Mr. and Mrs. Dude Alexander all of Borger.

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Mrs. Frances Angel of Plainview visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnston last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Billy Moreland of Wichita Falls spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fox and other relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Graham and sons of Ashtola and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barker and Mary Lou of Hudgins spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mooring.

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KAPPA SUB-DEB CLUB

The Sub-Debs met Wednesday afternoon, March 2nd at the home of Alice McCrary. The president called the meeting to order and the secretary called the roll and read the minutes of the previous meeting. Mae Morris gave interesting excerpts from "Texas Brags" and "Tall Talk From Texas."

The meeting was adjourned and lovely refreshments were served to the following: Fanchon Allred, Nell Bentley, Shirley Brumley, Mary Edna Elmore, Sybil Head, Lois Hommel, Louva Hunt, Mae Morris, Jo Ann Ritter, Layma Tatum, Jo Anne Sibley, Anne Thompson, Doris Wallace, Portia Hay, the sponsor, Mrs. Rufus White, and the hostesses, Jean Ballew, Nancy Bennett, and Alice McCrary.

1926 BOOK CLUB

The members of the 1926 Book Club entertained their husbands with a St. Patrick's dinner on Tuesday evening at the Club Room. The green and white color scheme was carried out in the table decorations and food.

After dinner, forty-two was played. The hostesses were Mrs. E. S. Ballew, Mrs. Frank White, Jr., and Mrs. O. D. Lowry.

JR. BEAUX ARTS CLUB

The Beaux Arts Club met at the Clubroom Thursday afternoon, March 3rd, with Juanita Carpenter, Layma Tatum and Portia Hay as hostesses.

The president called the meeting to order and the secretary called the roll and read the minutes of the previous meeting. After a short business meeting, some very interesting talks were given on early Italian arts. Mrs. Lucy Saye reported on the architecture, Mrs. Jo Ann Davis on the

sculpture, and Evelyn Carpenter on painting.

Refreshments were served to the following: Delene Blair, Evelyn Carpenter, Ladelle Cox, Lucille Dale, Jo Ann Davis, Sybil Head, Louva Hunt, Jane Johnson, Mae Morris, Melba Lee Pipes, Lucy Saye, Juanelle Stevenson, Mary Cannon, Mary Helen Tankersley, the sponsors, Miss Lucille Polk and Miss Mary Howren, and the hostesses Layma Tatum, Juanita Carpenter and Portia Hay.

FORMER CLARENDON COUPLE CELEBRATE 31st ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hearn of Groom, Texas celebrated their thirty-first wedding anniversary at their Groom home with a surprise party Saturday night March 5th. Many of their friends and children were present to help the couple observe the anniversary.

Cake, ice cream, coffee, and mints were served to each member present.

The feature of the evening was playing forty-two and visiting. Later on in the evening the honorees were ushered into the dining room where many lovely gifts were opened and admired by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Hearn have three children: Mrs. Lloyd McCord of Clarendon; Miss Cora Lee Hearn of Groom; Mrs. Curtis Phillips of Borger who was unable to be present. They also have five grandchildren: Mary Louise, Margaret Sue, Lloyd Lynn McCord; Otis Lloyd and Curtis Audry Phillips. Mrs. Hearn's brother, Rev. J. A. Thomas of Borger, also helped with the family circle completion.

Guests who made the celebration enjoyable were: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bradshaw of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen and Jerry of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. L. M.

Smith of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McCord, Louise, Sue, and Lynn of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. Newman Nickels of Goodnight; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Brown and children of Groom; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Black of Groom; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown of Groom; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Goodlett and girls of Groom; Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Thomas and Bill of Borger.

GOLDSTON QUILTING CLUB

This Club met March 3rd with Joy Roberson with members present, Mazie Eichelberger, Blanche Gray, Connie Talley, Geraldine, Edith Lee and Nora Jackson, Billie Ashcraft, Nora Smith, Etta Reynolds, Flossie Reynolds, Melba Moore, Daphne Roberson, Carolyn McBrayer, Lela Hinton, Ola McBrayer, and Mrs. Maggie Dozier and Mrs. Mary Alice Wilkinson of Clarendon and the hostess Joy Roberson. A lovely covered dish luncheon was enjoyed at the noon hour. Two quilts were finished. We will meet with Blanche Gray March 17th.

—Club Reporter.

MIDWAY CLUB

The Midway Club met with Mrs. Edd Mooring on March 3rd. The day was spent quilting most of two quilts. Members present were the hostess, Mrs. Mooring, Norma Chamberlain, Nora Goldston, Eddie Williams, Allie Quatlebaum, Roxie Williams, Leona Scott, Emma Thomas, Lucille Eanes, Ellen Moreland, Lucille Luttrell. Two new members were Gordon Rackley and Delia King. As guests we had Mrs. Bill Mooring, Mrs. Lena Smith, Mrs. Bonnie Mooring, Mrs. Leo Smith, Mrs. Don Tomlinson, Mrs. Gertrude Brock, Mrs. D. M. Cook, Naoma Mooring. Our next meeting will be March 17th with Mrs. Roxie Williams.

—Club Reporter.

GABY BETTS BURTON S. S. CLASS

The Gaby Betts Burton Sunday school class met with Mrs. J. R. Bulls March 3rd in an all day meeting. 20 members were present and 4 sisters. We were served at the noon hour with a nice covered dish luncheon. Our sisters

were Rev. Stanley Hayne and wife, Mrs. Neely Hudson, Clarendon; Mrs. Lida P. Mitter, Louisville, Ky. One quilt was finished for the class. All report a very nice day working and visiting. Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Bulls from all the class.

—Reporter.

REED—STOERNER

Evalee Brandes Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes of Lockney became the bride of Wilfred Stoerner, Plainview, Texas, Thursday evening March 3rd at the home of the brides parents.

A simple double ring ceremony was conducted by Rev. R. L. Anderson, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran Church, Lockney, Tex.

After a honeymoon through California and Old Mexico they will make their home near Plainview where he is engaged in farming.

Mrs. Stoerner is a former employee of the local hospital, making her home here in Clarendon for over two years.

CHILDREN HERE FOR BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Kolb from Raton, N. M. and Annylyn Barns from Wichita Falls spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Lola Barns. Sunday was Mrs. Barns' birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Don Martin and daughter Wanda, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin O. Barns and daughter Bobbie Ruth of Amarillo spent Sunday helping celebrate her birthday with a nice dinner. Mrs. Barns' birthday cake

came from Raton. It was made in the shape of an Easter hat and was beautifully decorated.

Among her gifts, the children gave her a nice typewriter. She received many other nice gifts.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER HELD FRIDAY

The United Council of Church Women observed the World Day of Prayer Friday, March 4 at 3 p. m. at the Episcopal Church. The theme of this year's service was Psalms 125:5, "The Lord Is Thy Keeper."

During the morning the chimes rang out at the First Christian Church, calling the people of the community to prayer, and again the chimes were heard in the afternoon just preceding the worship hour of three o'clock.

A special prayer service was held in chapel at the College auditorium. Mrs. Word directed the program, while the students participated.

At the Episcopal Church Mrs. Millard Word was also the leader; it was also a participation type of program. The various divisions were as follows: Adoration, Penitence, Assurance, Thanksgiving, Offering of Self, Intercession and Dedication. Just preceding the offering a skit was presented by pupils of Mrs. Jolly Johnson. The title was "World Day of Prayer On the Air." Jackie Brooks was a very capable announcer. The following students took part in the broadcast: Jane Johnson, Mae Morris, Ladelle Cox, Loris Jean

Wallace, Alice McCrary, Wilson Lane and Sam Patterson. The groups represented in the broadcast were the American Indian, Negroes, Migrant Agricultural Workers; the foreign groups were India, China and Japan and students from foreign countries brought to the United States for college training. These are the groups that will benefit from the offerings that were taken this year throughout the United States.

Prizes Offered In Contest

Fifteen prizes offered in a Purity Oats limerick contest sponsored by General Mills, are now on display at the local White's Auto Store, Mr. Wm. Payne, Clarendon White's Auto Store manager announced today. Among the fifteen valuable prizes offered in the contest are a Leonard electric refrigerator, a Kalamazoo gas range, a Haag electric washer, and a Super Deluxe Monarch Bicycle. Over \$1,000 worth of prizes in all!

The contest, which starts Monday, March 14th, is limited to residents of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, thus increasing each entrant's opportunity to win.

Contestants simply write a last line to the Purity Oats jingle which is to be found on entry blanks now available at local grocers and the White's Auto

Store. All entries must be accompanied by one Purity Oats coupon and be deposited at the White's Auto Store before 5 p. m. April 9, 1949. Local interest in the contest is said to be high. (Adv.)

Chester Martin and his mother, Mrs. W. D. Martin visited her daughter, Mrs. Griswell at Shamrock Sunday.



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A Reader sends me the following quote from some radio program: Worry is like rocking a chair; it will give you something to do, but won't get you anywhere.

The way to get rid of a past is to have a future—Uncle Ezra.

Some folks use the fear of the Devil to try to scare the lowly sinner out of his corner; it might be better if they enlisted the help of the Lamb, and tried something similar to the game of "Follow the Leader".

I notice that the Texas Drys state among other things that they are opposed to liquor; "by the drink, by the pint, and by the gallon." If I was adding my two-bits worth I would say that I was opposed to it; by the fuss, by the fight, and by the heart-break. Was talking to an officer of the law the other day, and he tells me that a large percent of his calls are into homes to stop a fight between a man and his wife. And we sometimes kid ourselves that we are living in a civilized country. Anyway, after three calls in one day to stop family brawls, caused by the Papa's urge to drown his worries, this officer had just about lost faith in us all, and I hardly blame him.

As for one I have really been enjoying the Farm Bureau Get-togethers the folks are having over the county. Getting better acquainted, talking over their problems, and eating pie, especially lemon. Anyway, it caused me to let out another notch in my belt. By summer I will have to use binder twine to make my belt reach, and by Christmas I won't have to use any pillows for that Santa Claus job.

Congratulations to Boys Ranch on the beginning of their new paper Boys Ranch Roundup. And thanks for sending me a copy, and if you want to "Cabbage" on to anything in our little column, help yourself.

Thanks to Mr. Nurdyke for plugging the ASRN Society, but I thought there was a note of sarcasm between those complimentary words, but thanks anyway.

Mrs. Don Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin O. Barns of Amarillo were accompanied by Mrs. Lola Barns Monday for a visit with Miss Annalyn Barns at Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barns at Nocona. Mrs. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Barns went to McKenny where Edwin is receiving medical treatment in the Veterans Hospital.

Rev. B. F. Todd from Waterford, Calif. was joined by his brothers T. C. Todd and C. E. Todd of Amarillo and Bill Todd at Clarendon where they visited their mother, Mrs. A. P. Todd last week. They all visited their sister, Mrs. L. M. Mitchell at Memphis Friday. Rev. Todd was on his way to conduct a meeting in Homing, Okla.

Miss Nell Hill is visiting her brother and family at Dumas this week.

Donley County Farm News

The time for accepting orders for potatoes for livestock feed has been extended from March 5 thru March 15. If two or more feeders desire to order a car of potatoes together you may do so. The car will be shipped to one producer who will be responsible for the payment, etc.

T. E. Jones, Jericho, Alton Webb, Hudgins community, Allen Bryan, Hedley, and Ralph Porter, Goldston all have received approvals for drilling wells on their farms or ranches. Wells cannot be drilled within one-fourth mile of farm or ranch headquarters and must be drilled on pasture land.

Mr. Wesley Stevens, Engineer, from the State Office of P.M.A. was here for two days last week. He came especially to see about the Pooling Agreement in Windy Valley for the construction of a drainage ditch. While he was here he helped us on several engineering problems in the county.

C. T. McMurtry, Rob Hindman, Fred M. Thompson, Oscar and L. D. Moore, H. A. Swinney, James M. Graham, W. O. Elliott, Buford Holland, and Rhode, Williams and Gould are all seeding pasture grasses. Canada wild rye, Western wheat, side oats grama, Little blue stem, Indian grass, sand love grass, weeping love grass, blue grama and clover are the grasses being seeded by the above mentioned ranchers and farmers.

20% Superphosphat is being applied to alfalfa by M. G. Cottingham, E. S. Milton, Billie Christal, H. K. Leathers and B. F. Wolford. Park Chamberlain and Maurice Risley are using 20% superphosphate on pasture grasses.

J. B. McDaniels, Red Couch, Delbert White, A. G. Hook and Elmer Dishman are all plowing 12 inches or deeper in their sandy cropland.

Only 7 farmers were able to subsoil any cropland before the moisture prevented that practice being carried out. Ralph Porter, L. T. Mays, Frank Reid, John Koening, Oscar and L. D. Moore, J. F. Skaggs and George Preston. Only around 225 acres in all were chiseled. If you fellows can get to this practice later in the year there will be money in the budget to pay for it.

The Lion's Roar

By O. D. Lowry

The Lions Club held its regular meeting in the club hall Tuesday, March 8. There were 82 Lions present for this meeting. Percentage of attendance was 77. Guests for this meeting were Walter Patrick, Ray Burns, S. M. Rogers, and Goose Ramey.

The application for membership of R. A. Beverly was approved by unanimous vote of the club. Welcome to the club Lion Beverly.

The Boss Lion announced the dance sponsored by the local fire department. The purpose of this dance is to raise money to buy a resuscitator to be used by the local department.

The program consisted of a skit from the Junior Class play and songs by Frankie Nell Wilson, Joann May and Betty Wilson. The trio was accompanied by Margie Crofford.

Lions your absence is proving costly to that buddy of yours. The Tailtwister is a hard customer to convince.

Lions our club was born of necessity—it will exist briefly on indifference—it will thrive on attendance and cooperation.

West Texas Utilities Co. "Trouble Shooters" To Get Orders by Radio

CHILDRESS, March 5—Effective today, "trouble-shooters" of the West Texas Utilities Company, Childress District, will get their orders by radio.

The work of linemen, installation servicemen, emergency repairmen, power dispatchers, and substation operators will be directed by two-way radio. According to an announcement by Allen Shahan, district manager, the West Texas Utilities Company has received authority from the Federal Communications Commission covering the operation of a two-way, high frequency, FM radio system. The FCC license was issued on the basis of "public welfare." "The new system will materially help the WTU Co. in its efforts to maintain and provide uninterrupted electric service," said Mr. Shahan.

At present, the system will consist of a 250 watt central station, and seven 60 watt mobile units.

The 250 watt central station is located in a frame structure in the Southwest part of Childress. The antenna extends 148 feet above a 180 foot antenna tower; total height being 194.8 feet.

This central station, which has been assigned call letters KGHQ and which according to FCC regulations, will operate on assigned frequency of 37,700 kc with a maximum variance of .01% from assigned frequency allowed, cannot be heard on standard radio receivers. Only receivers designed to use this frequency will be able to pick up signals from this station.

A dispatcher located in the WTU Co.'s district distribution office at 310 North Main operates the central station by remote control. This dispatcher maintains two-way communications with the operators of seven mobile units which are installed in service and line trucks operating in the Childress district. These mobile units have a range of from thirty to sixty miles, depending upon the surrounding terrain. They can communicate with each other as well as with the central station.

In case of disaster, public need, national emergency, or in instances when existing means of communication fail; these mobile units and this fixed station can, by relaying from station to mobile unit to other mobile units, provide emergency communications with all communities of the surrounding area.

Recent surveys conducted by WTU engineers under FCC experimental license show how this system can aid the company in rendering better service to the public by speeding the handling of many orders, varying from routine to emergency switching orders.

Relatives and friends who visited in the J. A. Warren home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Mandril of Raton; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tiller and babies of Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Warren, Jr. and Weldon Warren of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Adell Williams and daughters, Misses Lois and Iva Dell of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reed and baby of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Marberry and June of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kalb of Raton, N. M., Miss Annalyn Barns of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Don Martin and daughter Wanda and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Barns and daughter Barbara Ruth of Amarillo visited their mother over the week end and helped her celebrate her birthday Sunday, March 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Beard entertained with a dinner, honoring Mrs. Frank Phelan Sr. on her birthday Sunday at their home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phelan Sr. and small daughter Sue and Mr. and Mrs. Beard.

Mrs. Emma Weir and daughter, Miss Hammon of Pratt, Kansas, are visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tatum and Guy Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Semrad returned home from Dallas Monday night where Guy Lynn underwent a knee operation last week at Baylor Hospital. He is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades entertained with a birthday dinner Wednesday at their home at Ashtola honoring his father, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Rhoades and Mrs. Rhoades' mother, Mrs. J. J. Hanson of Amarillo. Mrs. Hanson is 77 and Mr. Rhoades is 73. Mrs. W. D. Van Eaton accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Green and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mauldin of Borger spent the weekend visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Rhoades.

Little Marjorie Lu Frasier of Groom is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. C. D. McDowell this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank White Sr. visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Williams at Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. D. F. Wadsworth and son Douglas took their grandson Mikey King to his home Sunday at Ballinger. Mikey had spent the week with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Leck Goldston were Amarillo visitors Wed.

Dr. Albert Roberts from Fort Worth was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Johnson the weekend.

Mrs. Ira Smith from Dallas visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Mayo and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Butler the weekend.

Mrs. Bradshaw was an Amarillo visitor Tuesday and received medical service.

Marvin Land was accompanied to his home at Tucumcari, N. M. Friday by his mother, Mrs. W. A. Land.

Mrs. E. E. Gray, who has been visiting in the J. M. Johnson home, left Wednesday for Kerens.

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Mrs. C. C. Gilbert spent the week end visiting in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gilbert.

Mrs. Helen Martin is reported to be doing nicely after undergoing major surgery at Donley County Adair Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Rea, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitfield, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rea and family visited in the Kermit Evans home Sun.

Mrs. Frank Elmore of Vernon came in last Friday for an extended visit with relatives and old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bennett of DesMoines, N. M. visited her sister, Mrs. Monica Harvey Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

Alfred Estlack and daughter, Barbara, were in Amarillo Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hodel of Lockney visited in the C. A. and Guy Wright homes over the week end. Mrs. Thompson Wright and daughter Annella of Mexia returned with them for a weeks visit.

Geo. Thompson and daughter, Bettie were at Amarillo Monday night seeing the boxing matches.

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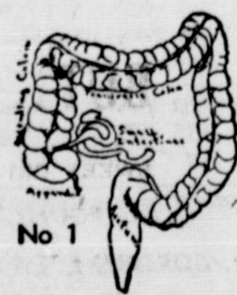
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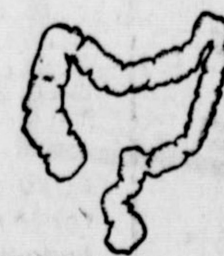


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PICTURE 1 — Shows your colon as it should appear. Picture No. 2 is a typical case of colitis, as it appeared at our colon clinic.

More than likely your colon will show one or more of the defects depicted at left in PICTURE 2. This illustrates ptosis, or a falling of the transverse colon. Also shown is a spastic colon colitis condition, with abnormal loops and adhesions caused by constipation.



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FOR SALE—Nice fat fryers, dressed or on foot; special price on 12 or more. Fred Russell. (4-3c)
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 Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Grant of Amarillo and Mrs. Clyde Hudson of Goodnight enjoyed a joint birthday dinner last Sunday at the Donley Hotel Coffee Shop. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Grant and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Grant.

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son and members of the Fort Mitchell Baptist Church, the city's youth can view their television shows in the church's recreation hall. It is believed to be the first television set used in the youth recreation programs of American churches.

Pastor Richardson, himself an athlete, has a well rounded recreation program—including, currently, eight basketball teams—"to help our young people have a good wholesome time."

Bro. Doyle Williams made a business trip to Malvern, Arkansas the past week.

Church News

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
The Rev. W. Warrin Fry
Phone 276
March 10th—Friday, Ember Day, 10 a. m. Holy Communion.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Thomas A. Gray, Minister
Frank White Jr., Supt.
9:45—Bible school with classes for all ages. When God writes a book, man ought to study it carefully.
10:45—The Lord's Supper and Sermon. An invitation

from the King of kings to come and dine should never be refused.
6:15—Junior, Intermediate and Senior Christian Endeavor Societies.
7:30—An informal service of praise, prayer and preaching that every one will enjoy. Come as you are.
The doors of this church are open to all.

LELIA LAKE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Ernest Phillips, Pastor
Sunday School—10 a. m.
Joe Johnston, Supt.
Preaching Service—11:00 a. m.
Training Union—7:00 p. m.
Johnny Leathers, Director

Preaching Service—8:00 p. m.
Prayer Service Wed.—7:00 p. m.
We will be studying the Book of Revelation each Sunday night in the preaching service. A cordial invitation is extended to every one in our community.
"The Church with a friendly welcome."

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Stanley W. Hayne, Pastor
9:45 A. M.—Church School
J. R. Gillham, Superintendent
10:50—Morning Worship
7:15—Evening Worship

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Doyle Williams, Minister
Bible School—10:00 a. m.
Preaching—11 a. m. & 7:45 p. m.
Communion at 11:45 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Ladies Bible study Wednesday at 3:00 p. m.
Mid-week Bible study, Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.
You are welcome to every service.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
L. A. Sartain, Pastor
9:45—Sunday School
Alfred Estlack, Supt.
11:00—Morning Worship
6:30—Training Union

Jack Eddings, Director
7:30—Evening Service
Wednesday 3:00—W. M. S.
6:00 R. A. and G. A.
7:30 Mid-Week Service
Thursday 7:30—Choir Practice.

Texas 4-H'ers Enroll In National Frozen Foods Program

Believe it or not—Texas boys outnumbered girls 8 to 5 in winning county honors in the 1948 National 4-H Frozen Foods awards program. But the girls will have another chance to get in the lead this year because the Lone Star State will again offer the program, according to announcement of the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work. Number of sectional awards and amount of scholarships have been increased.

As an incentive for superior records of achievement, International Harvester provides gold-filled medals of honor for county

winners and \$50 U. S. Savings Bonds for state champions. Sectional awards of all-expense trips to the 1949 National 4-H Club Congress have been increased from four to six, while the four national Fowler McCormick scholarships have been raised from \$200 to \$300 each.

The 4-H frozen foods program, conducted under the direction of the Cooperative Extension Service, is designed to further stimulate interest in farm-home economy. With the help of County Extension agents and local 4-H Club leaders, members learn the use of freezing equipment and how frozen foods can add variety to the home-raised food supply. They also develop skill in preparing, packaging and freezing meats, poultry, eggs, fish, fruits, vegetables, baked goods and other dishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gilbert spent several days in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Edlin and attended the Amarillo Fat Stock Show.

Church Installs Television Set

When tavern keepers started installing television sets in their businesses to attract customers, Rev. Darrell C. Richardson of Covington, Ky., feared they may encourage some of his young people to take the drink habit. Immediately he resolved to trade blows, tit for tat, with this competition to the way of life he preaches from one of the city's Baptist pulpits.

Now, thanks to Pastor Richard-

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The Dealership across from the Post Office.
The Used Car Lot across from Hotel Childress.

Cates Motor Company
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REMODELING SALE

FREE Three Large Baskets of Groceries will be given away at 1 p. m., 3 p. m. and 6 p. m.

DOUGHNUTS AND COFFEE WILL BE SERVED

FIX-UP for Spring


That time of the year has rolled around again when you enjoy fixing up the place and giving it a new appearance. We have all the building supplies you need to build a new home or fix-up and repair the one you now have.

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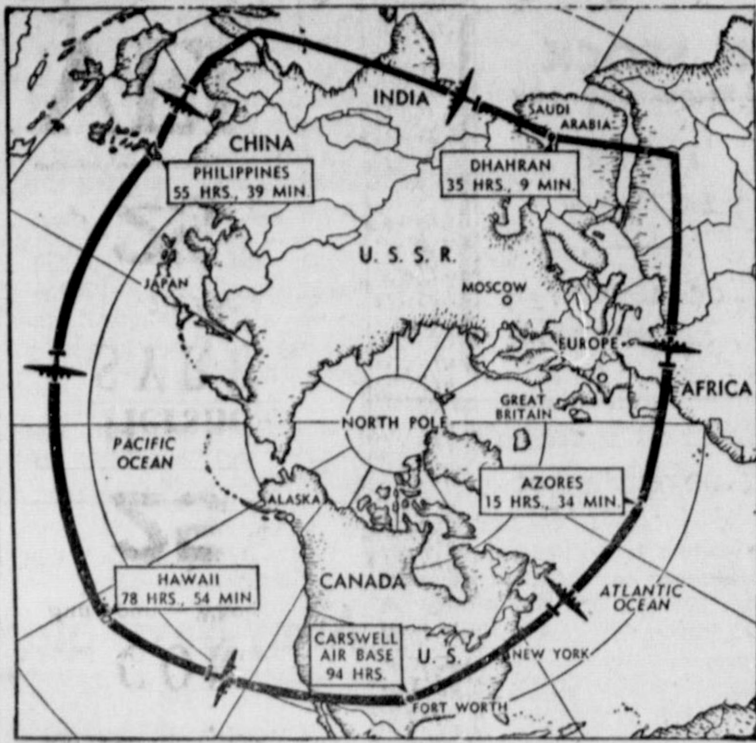
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Beef Roast 1 Pound	46c			12c
OLEO Meadolake—1 lb.	29c			ONIONS Yellow—5 lbs.
				29c
				ORANGES Dozen
				29c
				New SPUDS Pound
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Route of B-50's Non-Stop Around-The-World Flight



Map shows route of the "Lucky Lady 11," U. S. Air Force B-50 bomber in making the first non-stop around-the-world flight in history. The 94-hour flight began and ended at Carswell Air Force Base, Fort Worth, Texas, after covering 23,452 miles—almost the distance of the earth's circumference at the equator. Time required to reach each base where the plane was refueled in mid-air is given in box with place name.

BOB BAIRD HOME BECOMES WILD LIFE RESORT

Some two years ago, two wild ducks took up in the barnyard of the Bob Baird home up on the west side. They were somewhat wild at the start, Bob states, but gradually became tamer until they walked right around his feet. Being hen ducks, they laid and tried to hatch the past season. No luck!

This week Bob added a white drake to his "zoo" as he terms it, and expects to raise a bunch of mottled ducks this season. Mr. Baird just has a curiosity to know if anyone else ever had a similar experience with wild ducks. Mrs. Alfred Estlack and daughters Danalene and Patsy and Mrs. Geo. Thompson and daughter Judy were Memphis visitors Friday.

Amarillo College Boxers Defeat Local Team 6-4

The Amarillo College boxing team came out victorious over the team representing Clarendon Jr. College at Amarillo Monday night, winning 6 out of 10 matches. Some of the bouts were so close that just a slight nod from the judges would have given the Clarendon boys the meet.

The complete results: Ray Morris, Clarendon, dec. Doyle Quisenberry, 126 lbs. Danna Howerton, Clarendon, TKO Jimmy Roberts, 3rd round, 130 lbs. Melvin McClung, Amarillo, TKO Elmo Sams, 3rd round, 112 lbs. Bob Phillips, Clarendon, TKO Winson Dixon, 2nd round, 132 lbs. Bob Phillips, Amarillo, dec. Charles Bogard, 140 lbs. Travis Mulanax, Clarendon, dec. Curtis Carter, 140 lbs. R. T. Abrahamson, Amarillo, KO Ralph Nichols, 3rd round, 150 lbs. Buddy Sawyer, Amarillo, dec. Harley Bradford, 155 lbs. Finney Gordon, 160 lbs., Amarillo, KO Sidney Harp, 170 lbs., 1st round. Kenneth Hamilton, Amarillo High School, TKO Tommy Selman, Clarendon, 1st round, 137 lbs. (exhibition). Jack Rodgers, Amarillo, dec. Theo Risenhoover, 160 lbs. Mrs. A. P. Todd and Mrs. J. R. Ayers visited in Memphis Mon. Mr. J. H. Howze went to Amarillo (today) Thursday on business.

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Wed. Only—Bargain Day—March 16—Robert Young, Maureene O'Hara, Clifton Webb in "Sitting Pretty."

CAR TAG SALES STILL BELOW PAR

The first of next month, it will be unlawful to operate a vehicle on any public road without new license plates and according to officials at the tax office there will certainly be a mad rush the last few days of the month, and some will not have their new tags unless the buying picks up right away. They reported only about one-third of the usual amount already purchased at this time and are urging everyone to come on in and get their tags now and avoid inconvenience to themselves and the overload on the tax office employees at the end of the month.

ATTENE McCAULEY FUNERAL

The following out of town relatives and friends attended the funeral services for W. V. McCauley at Lelia Lake Monday afternoon:

Relatives were Mrs. Ethel Bell, Mrs. Roberta Hamelton, Mrs. T. N. Siegar, all of Pampa; Mrs. Lucile Stark, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mace, Farwell; Mr. Noah F. Holt, Mangum, Okla.

Friends were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Angel, Mrs. W. A. Bullard, all of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brown, Mrs. Claude Morton, Mrs. Wilton Grounds and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones, all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Milo Dotson and son of Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cruse and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ritter of Groom.

Confess "Lonely Heart" Killings

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—Mrs. Martha Beck, 29, and Raymond Fernandez, 34, confessed that they killed two women and a two-year-old girl in the past two months. They buried all three in concrete. The victims were lured through a "lonely hearts" club. The bodies of Mrs. Delphine Downing, 28, and her daughter Rainelle, two, were recovered. The third victim was identified by the couple as Mrs. Janet Fay, 62, of Albany, N. Y.

PIONEER TEACHER HERE MARRIES IN DALLAS

Many of the older residents of Clarendon will recall that period from 1902 to 1914 when Miss Katherine T. Stout taught in the local school when the Presbyterian church was the school building. It will also be recalled that Miss Maggie Stout was also a teacher here during a part of those years. She is said to have passed on in 1938 while residing at Lancaster, Dallas county. Miss Katherine Stout of Lancaster and Herman S. Moore of Cisco were married March 1 at 11 a. m. in the Chapel of the First Presbyterian Church in Dallas. Mrs. Moore was an instructor in the Dallas school for many years, a member of the Dallas Writers Club, and active in church work. Miss Maggie Stout is said to have come to Clarendon with her parents about 1903. Her father was the well known Dr. Stout, a practicing physician for many years and a scholarly son of the old South. Mr. and Mrs. Herman S. Moore are making their home at 521 Wilson street in Lancaster, Texas.

DONLEY COUNTY ADAIR HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients admitted: Medical—Mrs. I. M. Noble, Mrs. O. T. Melton, Mrs. Leroy Johnson and Mrs. E. A. Hutto. Surgical—Mrs. Clint Martin. Released: F. M. Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gibbs visited the week end at Melrose, N. M. with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gibbs and son Mike.

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Peaches	HUNTS No. 2 1/2 Can	.25
CARROTS	2 Bunches	15c
RADISHES	Bunch	5c
CABBAGE	Fresh Green—1 lb.	4c
LARD	ARMOURS STAR 3 lb. Carton	.57
MILK	2 Large Cans	.25
CORN	Sun-Spun—Whole Kernel 12 oz. Cans—2 FOR	25c
BACON	Cudahy's Sliced—1 lb.	45c
Hersheys SYRUP	2 CANS	25c
COLORED OLEO		
FRESH DRESSED FRYERS		
FISH	Frozen Perch—1 lb.	37c
VEL	SOAP FLAKES Large Box	.25

WHY GAMBLE with food money?

REVIVAL TO CONTINUE AT ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Rev. W. D. Stafford announces that the revival now in progress at the Assembly of God Church

will continue this week with Reydton, Okla., doing the preaching. Evangelist Dewey L. Heath of Ing.

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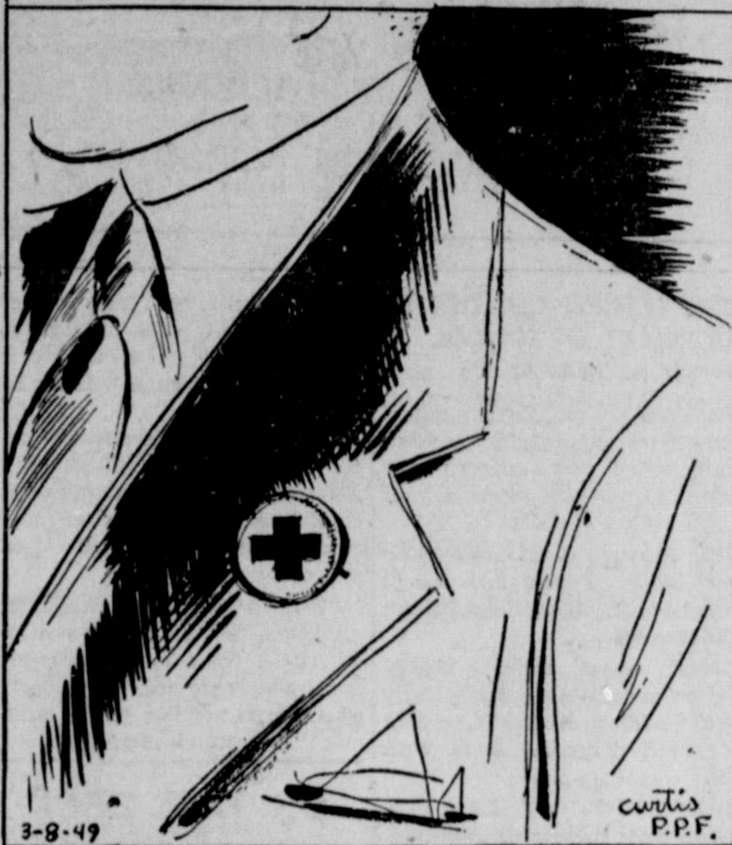
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Mother Shipton was born in Norfolk, England, more than 500 years ago. She died in 1449. From her writings, it is evident that she was prophetic. She looked down the vista of years to the "Later Days." She anticipated coming wars, moral breakdown of nations and modern inventions as radio, submarines, ocean liners, airplanes, moving pictures, etc., as follows:

Now a word in uncouth rhyme,
Of what shall be in future time,
For in that wondrous far off days
The women will adopt a craze
To dress like men and trousers
wear
And cut off all their locks of hair.
They'll ride astride with brazen
brow
As witches do on broomsticks
now.
Then love shall die and marriage
cease
And nations wane as babes
decrease.
Then wives will fondle cats and
dogs
And men live much the same as
hogs
A carriage without a horse will
go
Disaster fill the world with woe.
In London Primrose hill shall be
its center hold a Bishop's See,
Around the world men's thoughts
shall fly
Quick as the twinkle of an eye.
And waters shall great wonders
do,
How strange and yet it shall be
true.
Then upside down the world will

be,
And gold found at the root of
tree.
Through towering hills proud
men shall ride,
No horse or mule move at his
side.
Beneath the waters men shall
walk,
Shall ride, shall sleep and even
talk,
And in the air men shall be seen
In white, in black as well as
green.
A great man then shall come and
go
For prophecy declares it so.
In water iron then shall float
As easy as a wooden boat.
Gold shall be found in streams
and stones,
In a land that is yet unknown,
Water and fire shall wonders do
And England will admit a Jew.
The Jew that once was held in
scorn
Shall of a Christian be born.
A house of glass shall come to
pass
In England but alas, alas,
A war shall follow with the work
There dwells the pagan and the
turk.
The states shall lock in fiercest
strife
And seek to take each other's life.
The North shall thus divide the
South,
The eagle builds in lions' mouth.
Then tax and blood and cruel war
Shall come to every humble door.
Then when the fiercest fight is
done
England and Germany shall be as

THE SMART THING TO WEAR THIS SEASON



one.
The British lad will then entwine
In marriage with the German
vine.
All England's sons that till the
land
Shall oft be found with book in
hand.
The poor shall great wisdom
know
And water wind when corn doth
grow,
Great houses stand in farflung
vale.
All covered over with snow and
hall.
In nineteen hundred and twenty-
six
Build houses light of straw and
sticks.
For then shall mighty wars be
planned.
When pictures seem alive, with
movements free,
When boats like fishes swim be-
neath the sea,
When men like birds scour the
sky,

For half this world deep drenched
in blood shall die.
But those who live to see this
through,
In fear and trembling this will do
Flee to the mountains and the
dens
To bog and forest and wild fens.
For storms shall rage and oceans
roar
When Gabriel stands on sea and
shore,
And as he blows his wondrous
horn
Old world will die and new be
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sources: iron made in blast fur-
naces and steel scrap. About 130-
000,000 net tons of iron ore will
be required per year. While ore
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out of the mines and moving ac-
cording to schedule, night and
day, they will be thinking about
the future iron ore supply, the
exploration and development of
foreign reserves and the benefi-
ciation of low grade ores.
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most of it yielded by the mills in

their own operations. That ton-
nage will include a minimum of
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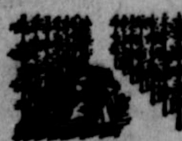
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Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tollison and daughter visited relatives in Amarillo Tuesday.

Doyce and J. M. Graham were Amarillo visitors Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. John Butler at Claude Sunday.

Dane Perdue visited Mr. and Mrs. Slaton Mahaffey Wednesday evening.
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Bob Word was home with relatives for the week end.
Mrs. W. J. Westfall and family and Mrs. Jack Lane and children are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Slim Henders were guests of the J. L. Rice family at Lakeview Wednesday.
Mrs. Marjory Roy and children of Wellington and Mr. and Mrs.

The school children enjoyed the show "The Secret Land" at the Mulkey Theatre Friday morning, and wish to thank everyone responsible for making it possible for them to see it.

Bill Thompson's brother from Silverton spent the week end in their home.
Mrs. Nooge Allen and children spent the week end visiting relatives in Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Vaughan visited relatives and friends in Lelia Lake Sunday.

Many Southern Baptist churches have regular attendants who are stone deaf. The "silent audience" usually is seated in a special group of pews, and a church-employed interpreter uses sign language to help them "hear" the pastor's sermon.

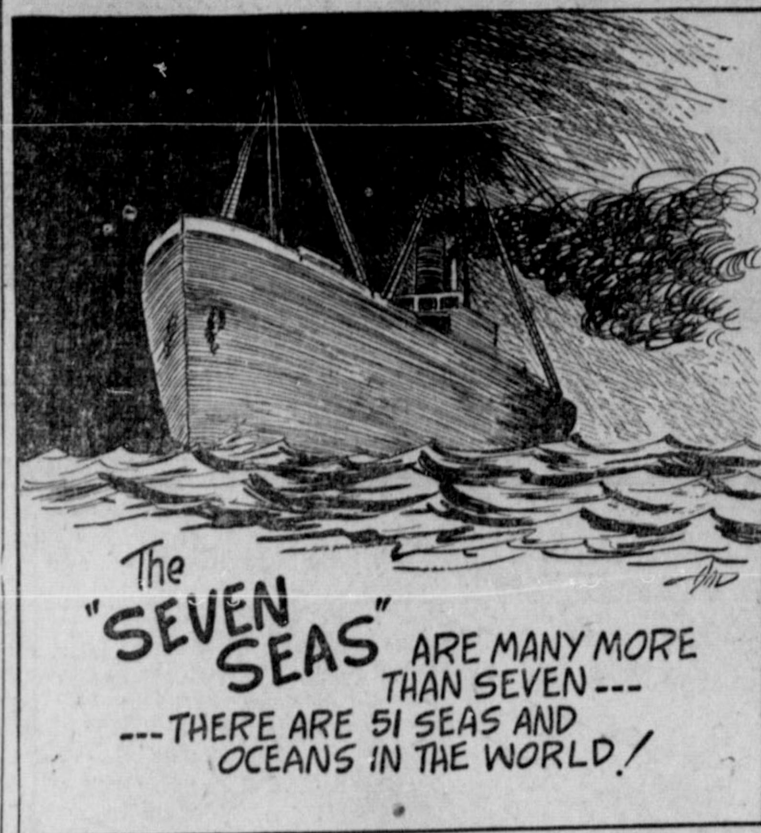
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MORE SCHOOL CHILDREN TAKE PART IN SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

The number of Texas school children taking part in the community school lunch program has jumped 13 per cent above a year ago.

This announcement came today from M. F. Thurmond, school lunch director, State Department of Education.

Latest count shows 293,136 children are eating lunches daily in 2,314 schools. About 72 percent are served Type A lunch with milk.

Since last July, USDA's Production and Marketing Administration in cooperation with 79 county school superintendents throughout the state have distributed to these schools about 336 carlots of farm products, most of

which were bought from farmer's under USDA's price support programs. Major foods are dried eggs, dried and canned fruits and Irish potatoes.

In addition, PMA also has purchased other foods which children need for a balanced meal. Included are cheese, dried milk, canned tomatoes, tomato paste and orange juice.

"The school lunch program continues to be an ever increasing outlet for a lot of farm products which are not being absorbed through regular trade channels," Thurmond emphasized.

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He added that this is one of the reasons for the joint sponsorship of the national school lunch program by USDA and the State Department of Education. It is essentially a community project with the state government matching funds put up by the federal government and looking after foods received from USDA.

This partnership makes it possible to shift plentiful foods into areas where these foods are less

plentiful. For instance, Texas school children are benefiting from raisins, prunes and peaches grown in other parts of the country, he explained.

The first book printed on the North American continent was a hymnal, produced on a printing press brought across the Atlantic by the Puritans. The book was entitled "Bay Song Book."

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Business In Texas For Year 1948 Shows 13% Above 1947

AUSTIN — Business in Texas for the year 1948 was 13 per cent above the average level of 1947,

the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

The Bureau's index of business activity stood at 230 per cent of the 1935-39 base as compared with 209 in December 1947. Dr. John R. Stockton, statistician for the Bureau, said the December

level was 2 per cent below the peak reached in January 1945, when wartime activity in Texas pushed the composite index to 238.

As the year 1948 ended, however, and activity dipped somewhat below the peak for the year, businessmen viewed prospects for the future with considerable uncertainty. The consensus of opinion seemed to hold that prospects for 1949 were still bright, although very few observers predicted that business in 1949 would exceed that for 1948.

Merchants expressed some concern about the future price of retail trade if prices continued at present high levels. The spurt in sales following liberal mark-downs after Christmas convinced businessmen that consumers still have plenty of money, but that spending has become cautious in the hope that prices will recede. Price declines in foods have continued, with prices of livestock joining the earlier declines in crop prices.

Retail trade continued to in-

crease in 1948. Total sales of retail stores in Texas were estimated to be \$4,652 million for 1947, and \$5,144 million in 1948, an increase of 11 per cent. There was very little increase in the level of retail trade during 1948, but the total for the year was above 1947 because of the fact that the first half of 1947 was substantially below the second half of the year, Dr. Stockton said.

Sales of durable goods during 1948 continued to lead nondurable goods. Total sales of durable goods stores for 1948 were 16 per cent ahead of 1947, while the sales of nondurable goods stores showed an increase of only 8 per cent. In December 1948 sales of durable goods stores were 4 per cent greater than in the same month of 1947, while sales of nondurable goods stores were only 2 per cent greater than in December 1947.

Crude petroleum production in Texas for 1948 averaged 2,448,241 barrels per day, an increase of 10 per cent over 1947. The refining industry showed a considerably

greater increase over 1947, with total crude oil runs to stills of 605,914,000 barrels for the year 1948, up 15 per cent from 1947.

The building industry in 1948 established what may remain an all-time record, with total construction contracts awarded, as compiled by the Texas Contractor, totaling \$949,714,456, or an increase of 47 per cent over the value of contracts awarded in 1947. The Bureau's index of building permits issued in Texas cities rose 28 per cent in 1948, compared with 1947, but during the year showed a definite tendency to decline. The seasonally adjusted index in the second six months of the year was 20 per cent below the average level of the first six months. Dr. Stockton said this decline suggests that the greatest need for building in the State may have been met.

Farm cash income in Texas for 1948 declined 12 per cent from the peak year of 1947. The decline in 1948 income represents principally the drop in crop prices, for despite the continued high level of national income and the strong foreign demand for American agricultural products, the record crops of the past three years are at last beginning to be reflected in declining prices. The production of farm products since the end of the war has been greater than in any previous three-year period. Farmers have sold these products at prices that average the highest on record, and farm income in these three years has consequently been the greatest in the history of the State.



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Health Notes

Contrary to the popular belief that pyorrhea is always incurable, this is only true in the most advanced cases, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. His advice to persons who even suspect the presence of pyorrhea is to seek an early diagnosis from their dentist so that proper treatment can be instituted while the disease is still curable.

"Early detection and proper treatment of pyorrhea represent the formula for a successful cure. This means that the dentist must have an opportunity to discover the presence of the disease at the



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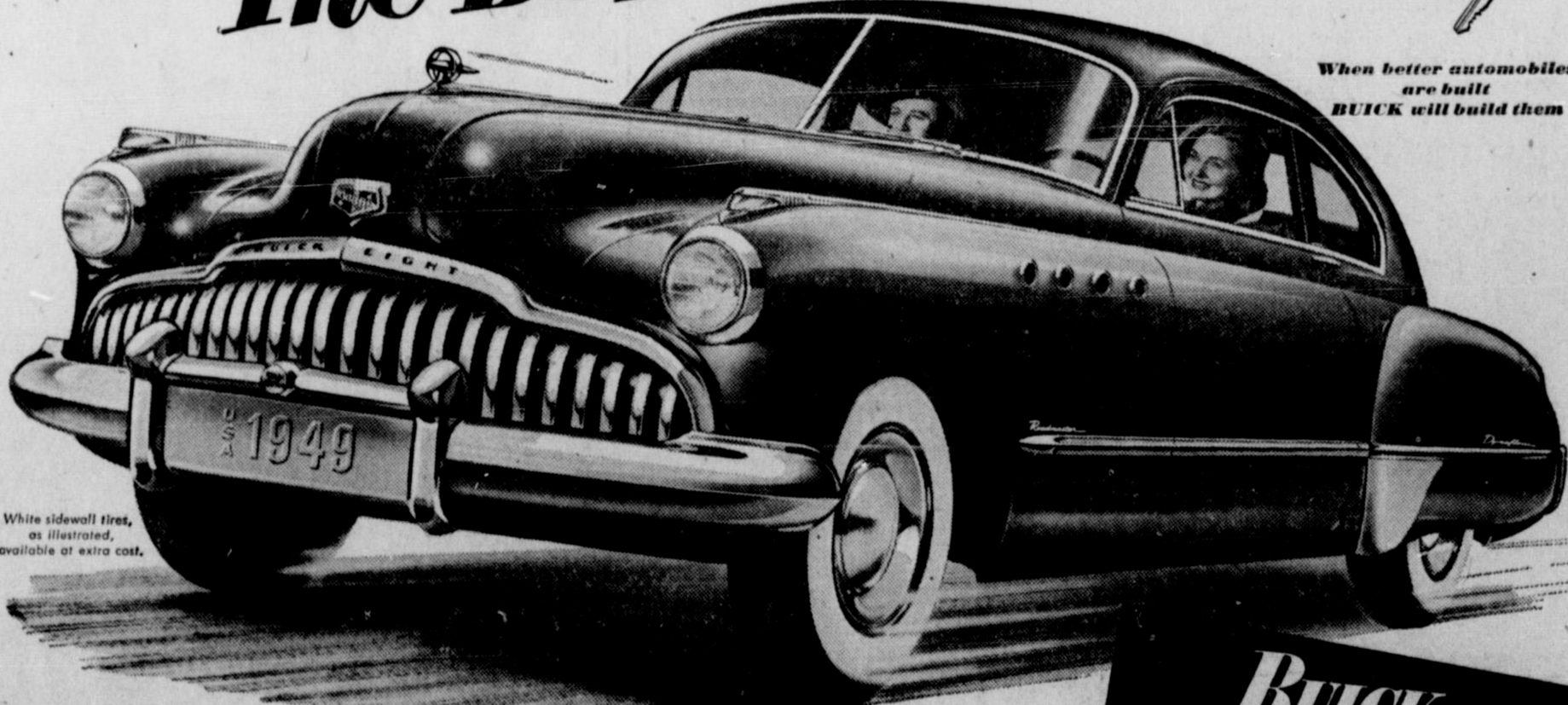
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earliest possible moment. Since the symptoms are often so vague that the patient is unaware of having pyorrhea," Dr. Cox said, "regular visits to the family dentist are extremely important in the control of this disease."

The treatment of pyorrhea is not an involved procedure. In the average early case one of the main therapeutic features is the proper hygienic care of teeth and gums as outlined by any reputable dentist. Carelessness regarding mouth hygiene is usually the basic cause for the condition.

remove the cause of the trouble, Dr. Cox said, and when this has been done, intelligent routine care of the mouth by the patient will help to effect a fairly quick cure in the majority of early cases.

John Stewart died recently at Young Harris, Ga., at the age of 110 years. He was a retired farmer and had served as a deacon in the local Baptist church for the past 70 years.

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