

Two Army Prisoners Arrested Here After Escaping RAFB Must File Prior To April Fourth For Pre-Measurement Service

City Police officers arrested two soldiers Monday arrested two soldiers who were the object of an area search slugging a guard and being taken to the guard house at the Army Air Force Base, Lubbock, Sunday.

The prisoners struck their guard, Pfc. David Rude, three times, knocking him unconscious, and took a .45 automatic pistol it is reported. They are said to have escaped from the base in a 1949 Ford owned by Sgt. Truman Lagston.

The local officers told this story: Trier and Eugene drove the Ford

to Anton, where it is said they stole a 1950 Oldsmobile from Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Anderson, taking the car from a garage near the Anderson's bedroom window. Anderson did not know of the loss of his car until Black and Gilbert notified him by phone.

The soldiers drove both cars to Littlefield and left the Ford parked here. Then they went to Springlake and Earth, stopping at a

service station in Earth to get gasoline and driving off without paying for it. Muleshoe officers picked up their trail and chased them to Sudan, where they called Littlefield policemen to take up the chase.

Black and Gilbert waited for the fugitives on a highway approach to Littlefield, and made the arrest when the soldiers stopped at a gasoline station here at 1:30 a.m.

Monday. A gun was found beneath the front seat of the car.

Military Policemen from Lubbock took Trier and Eugene in custody here Monday morning.

Reports from Lubbock indicated that the guard slugged by the soldiers suffered severe bruises on his head, but had no concussion or fracture. His condition was not considered serious.

Lamb County cotton growers can arrange for official measurements of 1950 farm cotton acreage allotments prior to planting time, the Lamb County PMA Committee announced this week.

To get the pre-measurement service which is being provided on a cost basis, a cotton farmer must file a written request at the PMA Office in Amherst prior to April 4, 1950, says Mr. Henry Gilbert, Chairman of the Committee. The rate to be charged for the services in Lamb County has been estimated at \$6.00 per farm, plus \$1.25 for each plot to be planted to cotton on the farm, plus 3c for each acre in the farm's cotton acreage allotment. Payment based on this rate must be made at the time the request for measurement is filed.

The pre-measurement is purely optional according to Mr. Gilbert, and is offered as a service to growers in having an official measurement to use as a planting guide. The Chairman explained that all cotton acreage in the county will be measured at no cost to the producers as soon as possible after the cotton comes up to determine compliance with the acreage allotment-marketing quota program, and at that time the producer may plow up any excess cotton acres if his acreage exceeds his allotment. However, if the farmer elects to obtain the pre-measurement service, the farm will be considered to be within the farm acreage allotment if the crop is planted within the pre-measurement area at the time a compliance check is made for that farm.

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At The Been Trial



ITS VERDICT—Zerold Been, charged with the murder of neighbor, Harvey Buchanan, last July 17 near Spade, sits at counsel table, above, awaiting to hear the jury's verdict. Later, the jury announced a verdict of "guilty of murder without malice" recommending a five-year suspended sentence.

Zerold Been Gets 5-Year Suspended Sentence

Stock Show Group To Complete Plans At Meeting Friday

Final details of plans for the annual 4-H and FFA Boys Livestock Show will be made at a meeting set for 4 p. m. Friday, March 24, in the Chamber of Commerce.

Officials of the Chamber of Commerce, sponsors of the show, will meet with Elwin Matthews, vocational agriculture instructor and sponsor of the FFA Boys, and with James G. Simmons, assistant county agent and 4-H Club sponsor.

To be decided are details of transportation for about 30 boys expected to be awarded a free trip to Fort Worth for placing in first or second class market ratings by judges at the stock show. Several changes in the schedule of the trip will be made.

Deadline for entries in the show, which is set for April 3, will be Saturday, March 25. The bulk of entries is already in. It was reported, with about 49 boys and 72 animals registered.

Total Of 2570 Car License Tags Sold

A total of 2,570 car license tags, including plates for passenger cars, trucks and farm trucks, have been sold, according to a report from the office of Clarence Davis, Lamb County tax assessor-collector.

The office expects to issue about 6,000 license tags before the March 31 deadline. Registrants must show title and a 1949 license receipt.

After the deadline, registrants must sign an affidavit that they have not used their car since expiration of the 1949 license. A 20 per cent penalty is added to the license fee for those who do not make the affidavit.

Out-of-town cars and new owners will make up a large percentage of those who purchase the license tags after the deadline. Last year a total of 10,051 tags were sold.

Delegation Attends Water Code Hearing In Amarillo Monday

No details were available late Monday on the outcome of a Texas Water Code Committee hearing held all day Monday in the Herrington Hotel, Amarillo.

Arthur P. Duggan, attorney for the High Plains Water Users and Conservation Association, was scheduled to testify at the hearing. Duggan and Pat Mann, Chamber of Commerce manager, headed a small delegation of Littlefield men who attended the hearing.

Senator Rogers Kelly of Edinburg had announced that the committee would consider the Canadian dam project in the morning and hear testimony on underground water laws in the afternoon.



EXCHANGE BENCHES—For the murder trial of Zerold Been, Judge G. V. Pardue of Lubbock exchanged benches with Judge E. A. Bills of Littlefield, who was disqualified because of an interest in the case before his elevation to the bench.

Three Motorcyclists Hurt, One Badly, In Highway Accident Near Amherst

Three Levelland boys were injured, one seriously, in a motorcycle accident at 2:30 P. M. Thursday one mile east of Amherst turnoff.

J. O. Spurlock suffered a fractured pelvis in the accident. Henry Ivey and Junior Ralley, also of Levelland, were treated for bruises and lacerations. They were taken to the South Plains Cooperative Hospital in a Payne ambulance, summoned by Deputy Sheriff Truman Cotton. Cotton, en route to Littlefield from Sudan, was nearby when the accident occurred and made the investigation.

Four boys were travelling on three motorcycles from Levelland to Clovis to complete a deal for purchase of another motorcycle. Handlebars of the motorcycle on which Spurlock and Ivey were riding together tumbled with handlebars of Ralley's vehicle when they both swerved to avoid hitting a car which made a sudden turn off the highway.

J. C. Weeks, riding a third motorcycle, was not injured.

THREE D.W.I. ARRESTS

Three persons were arrested over the week-end on charges of driving while intoxicated. Charles Stark, arrested Sunday by the Highway Patrol, was fined \$50 and cost; Emiles Davis, negro, arrested by City Police officers Saturday, was fined \$50 and costs; and Willie Johnson, negro, arrested Sunday, is awaiting a hearing. The two negro men are still in jail.

Jury's Verdict Is Guilty Of Murder Without Malice

A 64th Judicial District Court jury Saturday morning returned a verdict of "guilty of murder without malice" against Zerold Been, 34-year-old Spade farmer charged with beating his neighbor, Harvey Buchanan, 24, to death with a pipe wrench last July 17 during a dice game.

Acting on the jury's recommendation, Judge G. V. Pardue of Lubbock, presiding, assessed a five-year suspended sentence, and freed Been under the suspended sentence law.

Then Judge Pardue, in a stern lecture on religious living, brought tears to the eyes of several women spectators (Been's wife cried openly), and murmurs of "amen" from several men in the gallery.

"There are just a few passages of scripture that a feller don't have to have a diploma from a theological seminary to know," the judge began, "and the way is pretty clear." Then he quoted the first Psalm: "Blessed is the man that walketh not in the way of the ungodly... the light is in the law of the Lord."

"You have an intelligent son," the judge told Been, referring to 13-year-old Rodney, who had testified in his father's behalf. "You are casting lengthy shadows on that boy's life." Then he added another Bible quotation: "The sins of fathers are visited upon their sons, even to the third and fourth generation."

He charged Been to go to church and take his wife and children, and he offered to advise Been at any time in the future.

"With his wife and other women relatives weeping with joy, Been went over to shake hands with jurors, with the judge and with his defense attorneys, Herbert Martin and Bill Street.

Ran Five Days

The murder trial, in which the state asked the death penalty for Been on a charge of murder with malice, (Continued On Back Page)

Final Rites Held In Amherst For Mrs. C. M. Bolton

Funeral services for Mrs. C. M. Bolton of Amherst, who died Saturday, were held at 2:30 p. m. Sunday at the Church of Christ in Amherst, with Brother Norman Gipson officiating. Burial followed in the Amherst Cemetery.

Mrs. Bolton, who was 78 years old, died at her home at 4:45 a. m. Saturday. She had been ill for about 15 years and was confined to bed the past five years.

Survivors are five daughters, Mrs. C. F. Carrico of Amherst, Mrs. C. L. Parker of Rallis, Mrs. E. F. Parker of Brownfield, Mrs. R. A. Williams of Hereford and Mrs. T. E. Williams of Amherst; three sons, Clyde Bolton of Arvin, Calif.; Carl Bolton of Guam Island; and Gene Bolton of San Diego, Calif.; five brothers, O. R. Carter of Haven, Fla.; Frank Carter of Denver, Colo.; Baxter Carter of Colbert, Okla.; Marion Carter of Fort Worth and James Carter of New York City; a sister, Mrs. Hugh Hiden of Hamilton City, Calif.; 25 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers at the funeral were A. D. Lynch, Dave Britt, Bud (Continued On Back Page)



EXECUTION COUNSEL CONFER—District Attorney Joe Plainview, left, and County Attorney Bob Kirk, seated at desk in the Lamb County Courthouse, hold a conference during the recesses at Zerold Been's trial on a murder charge. Not pictured is George Dupree of Lubbock, who served as prosecutor in the case.



DEFENSE—Herbert C. Martin, left, and Bill Street, both Littlefield attorneys, were defense counsel.

Littlefield Firemen Answer Two Calls

Firemen were called out twice over the week-end. On Saturday morning, they extinguished a trash fire burning at the rear of Western Cottonoil Mill. No damage resulted. Sunday, firemen were summoned to help take up hose left at the scene of the Walker Grain Elevator Fire ten days ago. Hose were left in the area for use when smaller fires broke out during salvaging activities.

Turn Ground For New High School Building

The first spadeful of dirt, breaking ground for a half-million dollar high school building, was turned by Mancil Hall, president of the Littlefield Independent School board, in a public ground-breaking ceremony Monday morning.

Hundreds of school children, town dignitaries, members and former members of the school board, together with photographers, radio and press representatives, were on hand for the ceremony.

Littlefield High School band, under direction of Don Hayes, opened the program with two selections, and closed it with the school anthem. Lee Hemphill, pastor of the First Baptist Church, said a prayer for the success of the undertaking.

Jack Christian, a member of the school board, served as master of ceremonies, introducing past and present school officials, the contractor and building superintendent for the new structure.

Among the speakers were Dr. Bill Orr, immediate past president of the school board; Contractor Gilstrap; Pat Boone, Jess Elms, Ed Seeley, Mancil Hall, Jack Yarbrough and W. O. Hampton.

Gilstrap, contractor for P. F. Brown and Overton Schools in Lubbock and for the Sundown

school, promised to try to fulfill the 200-day building contract as soon as possible. Building superintendent Lloyd Price, who supervised construction of the Sundown School, was also introduced.

For the benefit of cameraman, Hall performed the ground-breaking task three times. Gathered around him were School Supt. Joe Hutchison, Business Manager Carl Arnold, Gilstrap, and Board members; Christian, Yarbrough, Hampton, G. G. Wilson and Boyd Montgomery. Houston Hoover, another board member, was unable to attend.

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## Lamb County Farmers Commended For Efforts To Stop Wind Erosion

A statement commending farmers on their efforts to prevent wind erosion was issued by the Board of Supervisors, Lamb County Soil Conservation District, on Wednesday.

The statement follows: "The supervisors of the Lamb County Soil Conservation District would like to call attention to the amount of good work that farmers in Lamb County are doing this year to prevent wind erosion. The encouraging thing is that farmers have recognized that it is easier to prevent their land from blowing than it is to stop it after it once gets started.

"Most farmers started earlier than ever before to chisel their cotton land and deep flat break sandy land. A large per cent of the land received some sort of treatment that helped to hold the land before any blowing started. It has been noticed that where combine sorghum stubble was left there was no other treatment necessary.

As we have suggested now is the time to start thinking

## Future Farmers Set April 21 For Banquet

Date of the Future Farmers of America parent-son banquet has been set for Friday evening, April 21, according to Elwin Matthews, sponsor.

Arrangements for the banquet, including the place, program and menu, will be left to a committee of high school boys, Matthews said. They are Dwayne Gibson, chairman; Roger Sell and Don Lynskey.

about next year's blowing problem and if all land is used for what it is best suited such as: retirement to grass of all blow land and sandier lands being planted to crops which will afford protection, dust storms will no longer be a problem. "It is also noticeable that the farmers that are practicing good conservation farming have on serious problem except that of neighboring land blowing over on him. With the cooperation of everyone we feel very little damage will be done to the land in the Lamb County Soil Conservation District from the high winds of the next month or two."

## Ten Seniors Outrank Other Classes In Local High School Honor Roll

Seniors outranked all other classes, with freshmen taking second honors, in the honor roll announced by Troy Armes, Littlefield High School principal, for the first six weeks period of the spring semester.

Ten seniors were named, along with five juniors, two sophomores and six freshmen. The list follows: Freshmen: Margie Gregg, Tommy Meers, Vinita Roberts, Edwina Schovajsa, Minnie Faye Weschke and Dan Wilson.

Sophomores: Diane Hall and Robert Hill.

Juniors: Mary Jane Coen, Jackie Farr, Eldon Gohlke, Ronald Harlan and Connie Huckabay.

Seniors: John Banks, Barbara Bryan, Barbara Dunn, Lavanda Farrington, Yvonne James, Coy

## Lutheran Quarterly Meeting April 2

As the result of a special meeting of worship at Emmanuel Lutheran held after the morning hour last Sunday morning, the congregation decided to have their next quarterly meeting on April 12, instead of the 9th, which is the scheduled date at first. As the result of this change, the Church Council, made up of the various officers and boards within the congregation, will assemble for a meeting this coming Sunday afternoon, March 19, at 2:30 p. m. The gathering will be held in the school addition at 417 West Third Street.

## Chamber of Commerce Plans Two Meetings

Two more Chamber of Commerce meetings are scheduled this month.

Board of directors will hold a regular session at 7:30 a. m. Tuesday (today) in Hays Coffee Shop. The third of a series of monthly membership meetings is set for 7:30 Monday, March 27, in Hays Coffee Shop.

## Man Returned Here From Albuquerque On Forgery Charge

Two sheriff's deputies Ralph Carpenter and Dennis, returned Tuesday from Albuquerque with Kermit Roberts, under indictment here for forgery and passing.

Roberts had been held in an Albuquerque jail the past four months, following his arrest by officers there.

The sheriff's office said no trial date has been set here.



**NOT PENNY POLITICS . . .** William Boyle, Jr., chairman, Democratic national committee chairman, samples a steak before the \$100-a-plate Jefferson-Jackson day dinner in Washington recently.

## The Private Flying Forum By "Ernie" Bode

In case you haven't noticed, the Airport has a new entrance. It's on the east side of the field and just a little south of the hangar. The old entrance became such a nuisance by allowing cars and trucks to wander all over the runways, (day and night) that it had to be closed. The Civil Air Authorities has made it clear that any vehicles on the field are a definite hazard to the safety of air craft in operation, whether they are in the air or on the ground. A car or truck in the path of a landing aircraft with an inexperienced student pilot at the controls, could cause an accident that would be hard to justify. I think the public will appreciate the added convenience, of being able to park their cars in a place that is near the office, cold drinks, rest rooms, and a good view of the whole Airport.

I heard a rumor, (in quite a way for scooping rumors), about a new airplane that W. T. Piper has built as a test model. It is supposed to fly as slowly as 28 M.P.H. and as fast as 115 M.P.H. Ole W. T. Piper is always pulling something out of his sleeve—the claim is, that he has done it with out any slots or gadgets to promote "left" beyond the stalling angle.—



**KISS THAT "SOOTED" . . .** In England, the luckiest thing can happen to a bride is to meet a chimney sweep on her way to church. Lucky is the word for the former Caroline Douglas Montagu, who not only meets a chimney sweep, but is enthusiastically kissed by the chimney doctor, Frank Miles. It happened on her marriage to George Weston in Beaulieu Abbey church. George is a son of Canadian biscuit manufacturer.

don't see how he can do it. Flying at the local airport took on a healthy flush with all the usual Pilots—Herb Owens, Herb Owens, Jr., Jack Johnston, Kenny Hamilton, Bob Dillard and Don Cox.

W. M. Barton came by and flew Ole "96" for awhile. The Frost Corp. kept us busy serving their company plane, and that about winds it up for last week. A lot of people have asked me if the "G. I." flight training is still available—by all means it is still YES. Drop around some time and let us tell you how to enroll.

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## April 15 Opening Date Set For Miniature Golf Course At Park

Building of a nine-hole miniature golf course at City Park is underway, and plans call for opening the course for business about April 15.

Operators of the project have leased space for the golf course just south of the swimming pool at City Park. Payment will be on a percentage of the gross receipts.

The golf course will be lighted for night play and will open daily at about 6:30 p. m. Arrangements will be made to keep it open in the afternoon if youngsters show sufficient interest in daytime play.

A staff of two men will be employed to run the project.



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- The unit in weighing gold is the (a) gram, (b) milligram, (c) troy ounce, (d) pound.
- Singapore is inhabited mostly by (a) Chinese, (b) Japanese, (c) British, (d) Malaysians.
- During World War II, Albania (a) did, (b) did not, declare war on the United States.
- A curator would be associated with (a) books, (b) animals, (c) relics, (d) hides.
- The "kilo" in the word "kilowatt" refers to (a) 10,000, (b) 1,000, (c) 100, (d) 10.

ANSWERS  
1.—(c) The troy ounce.  
2.—(a) Chinese.  
3.—(a) Albania did declare war on the United States, Dec. 11, 1941.  
4.—(c) Relics.  
5.—(b) 1,000.

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## ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW---

Mrs. F. L. Rhodes underwent major surgery at the Littlefield Hospital Sunday, and is reported to be doing as well as can be expected. Mr. Rhodes is in charge of the meat department at Brock's Food Store. Mrs. Rhodes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lamber of Muleshoe, were with Mrs. Rhodes for the operation.

Raymond McGarr, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McGarr, Littlefield, who underwent an appendicitis operation at the Littlefield Hospital about two weeks ago, was readmitted to the hospital last week suffering from complications. Better he was again released Sunday.

Mrs. John Blair, who has been suffering from high blood pressure and a heart ailment, and been a patient in the Payne-Shotwell Foundation for about ten days, is doing nicely. Her grand-son, Blair Goodwin, a student of John Tarleton College, Stephenville, Texas, who is taking pre-law, arrived home Friday to visit his mother. Mrs. Cleda Goodwin and grand-children, Mr. and Mrs. Blair. He returned to his studies Sunday.

Roy Byers, Jr., who is suffering from pneumonia, believed to have been caused from dust when loading grain, and a patient of the Payne-Shotwell Foundation, is getting along fairly well.

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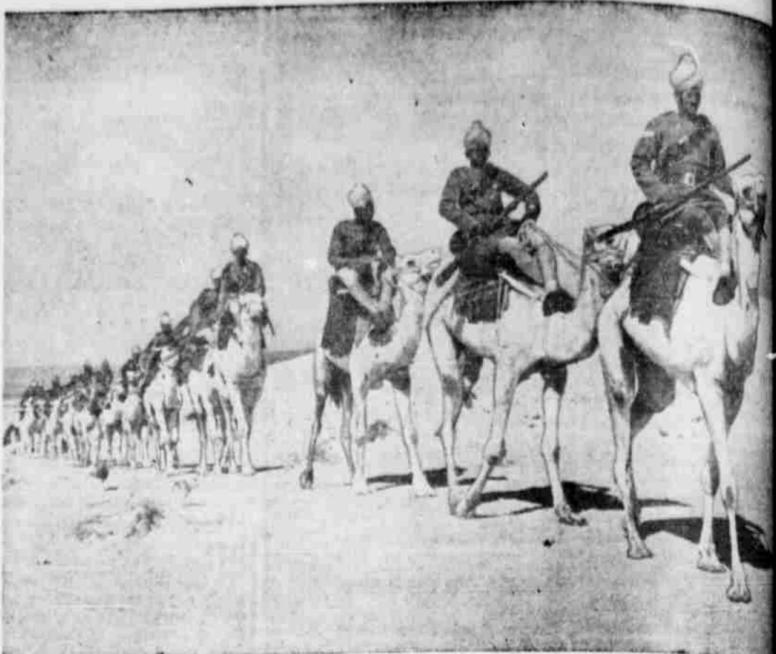
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# AMHERST NEWS

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Shortly after their return, one of the students, Eugene Griffing, lost his calf when the Griffing barn burned.

Both students and Amherst businessmen rallied around, took up a fund and bought Eugene another calf. It was an Angus, and the cost was about \$120.

## Amherst, Hale Center Businessmen Meet

Four Hale Center businessmen were guests of the Amherst Businessmen's Club at a steak dinner last Monday evening.

Promotion and publicity methods used in Hale Center were outlined by the visitors. It was a special session for the Amherst group, which meets every two weeks.

## Amherst Cage Teams Honor Guests Friday At Banquet Meeting

Boys and girls basketball squads from Amherst High School were the honor guests at a banquet given jointly by the Amherst Lions Club and Quarterback Club Friday night at the school.

About 150 persons attended the dinner and program which followed. Horace Holt made arrangements for the program, which featured musical selections by the FFA boys.

Wolfe Shaw, Littlefield merchant, was the main speaker of the evening.

## MRS. JOHN HOLDER SUSTAINS SEVERE INJURY TO HAND

Mrs. John Holder sustained a severe injury to the large finger on her left hand Thursday night while in the act of mixing a cake at her home.

Mrs. Holder was pushing the beaters up into the mixer with her left hand when her right sleeve was caught on the release button, starting the mixer.

Mrs. Holder was obliged to pull her hand from the mixer, tearing the flesh from the large finger on her left hand.

Mrs. Tera Pickrell, a guest of Mrs. Holder at the time, took Mrs. Holder to the Littlefield Hospital, where her hand was dressed.

Dr. F. W. Jones, who cared for Mrs. Holder, soon had two patients on his hands when Mrs. Pickrell on getting her companion to the hospital, fainted. Both, however, were soon able to leave the hospital.

## Guessing Contest Underway



Pictured By Taylor's

The above display of Admiration Coffee has been arranged in connection with the guessing contest being sponsored by the Duncan Coffee Company. This concern will give free six Silex Coffee Makers to the six persons who guesses the closest to the number of pounds in the stack. The public are invited to visit the Piggly-Wiggly Store Saturday, March 25, to guess in the contest.

members were in killed into the club.

R-R  
Farmers in the Whitbarrel Community are getting their land ready for another crop regardless of the dust storm.

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B. F. Gentry and family are moving a mile west of Pep this week.

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The Panhandle-South Plains of Texas, considered as a State has

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Well folks that is just about 30 again.

## and Boy's Poland-China Wins Honors At Hockley Show

of Levelland showed champion hog, a Poland-China, at the opening of the annual County 4-H and FFA at Levelland Friday.

15-year-old Levelland sophomore, also grand champion gill netter at County Fair last year.

Judges Hogs of hogs Friday was by professor of Agriculture at Texas Technological Institute in Lubbock, Texas, a. m. Friday, prof. of the calves. A total of 18 calves were shown.

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Results Given in judging of hogs

McCoy of Pettus; Billy Kinser of reserve champion.

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### Reminiscences

#### 20 Years Ago

By Cecile

Hi Neighbors, will it's that time again to relax and remember when;

Orders were received by City Officials from State Hi-Way Dept. for the Removal of all gasoline Pumps, encroaching upon State Hi-Way No. 7 from the Hi-Way property.

Other orders were issued for the City to put "No Parking" sign on the Hi-Way. These orders were issued for "Safety" said Mayor Otto Jones.

R-R  
E. S. Rowe attended District Court in Olton this week.

R-R  
Mrs. N. T. Dalton made a trip to Lubbock Friday.

R-R  
W. J. Chesher returned from a business trip to Dallas Friday.

R-R  
The B-2 Club met Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bills. There were eleven members present and eight new

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## Contest In Amherst School Election Seen As Three More Candidates File

A contest in the Amherst school trustee election set for April 1 developed last week with filing of a petition naming three more candidates.

Horace Holt, David Harmon and J. B. Davis are the new candidates.

Earlier, a petition naming Danis Kellogg, L. A. Caraway and Alfred Schander was filed.

Three trustee posts all three-year terms, are open with the expiration of terms being served by Dr. W. F. Birdsall, V. F. Peterman and E. E. Gee. Dr. Birdsall is chairman of the board of trustees.

Deadline for filing is Wednesday, March 22.

The school board will meet Tuesday, to accept the petitions and order printing of ballots.

E. L. Black has been named election judge. Mrs. Lester LaGrange and Mrs. J. A. Jackson will be clerks.

## Sudan Voters Approve \$125,000 School Bond Issue

By a majority of nearly four to one, Sudan voters Saturday approved a \$125,000 school bond issue to finance repairs to the Sudan grade school, building of a new gymnasium and conversion of the present gymnasium into an auditorium.

The vote, as canvassed Monday morning by the school board, was: maintenance tax—253 for and 67 against; assumption of 28 per cent of the Fairview School District—258 for and 56 against; issuance of \$125,000 in bonds for the construction project—253 for and 65 against.

Margin on the bond issue was 188 votes. The assumption issue passed with a margin of 203 votes, and the maintenance tax issue passed with a margin of 186 votes.

Supt. A. Dooley said the Sudan School Board met Monday morning with an architect, engineers and bondsmen to map out preliminary plans for the construction project.

Dooley estimated that it would take from 30 to 40 days to draw up definite plans for building and improvements, and said that the board hoped to call for bids as soon as the plans are complete, possibly allowing the 30-day bidding period to run concurrently with final planning stages.

The vote increased the tax rate

## LAFF OF THE WEEK



"Some Guys Just Won't Take 'No' For An Answer!"

## Thirteen O E S Chapters Holds School; Mrs. Bellomy Presides

With Mrs. Emma Ruth Bellomy, worthy matron of the Littlefield chapter presiding, thirteen chapters of the Order of Eastern Star met at the Masonic Hall in Plainview March 14 for the School Instruction for District 2, Section 5.

Honor guests for the occasion were Mrs. Mabel Harle, worthy grand matron; Dean Gauldin, worthy grand patron; Mrs. Elsie Bils, grand examiner; Mrs. Pauline Baker, district deputy grand matron and Mrs. Gladys Laine, deputy grand matron. Eighteen other grand officers were present.

The School of Instruction opened at 8 a. m. for registration, and 13 chapters participating were registered, including Littlefield, Muleshoe, Paducah, Matador, Roaring Springs, Floydada, Lockney, Abernathy, Hale Center, Plainview, Earth, Olton and Sudan.

Mrs. Bellomy presided as worthy matron, with worthy matrons from the other chapters filling the different stations. During the day, certificates were presented to those members who successfully passed examinations on the work.

A banquet for the honor guests was held in the Hilton Hotel banquet room at 6 p. m.

During the evening session, the chapters were opened in ritualistic form by worthy matrons in this section. Mrs. Bellomy acted as mistress of ceremonies for the program presented in honor of the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy

Grand Patron. A drill by Rainbow Girls opened the program. Then Mrs. Grace Findley of Littlefield accompanied by Mrs. Vera Mae Brown, organist also of Littlefield sang "Mable Harle," a song composed by Mrs. Bellomy in honor of the worthy grand matron.

Mrs. Bellomy performed introduction of the grand officers, followed by presentation of honorary memberships by Amanda Hart of Floydada, presentation of gifts by Grace Campbell of Matador, greetings by the worthy grand patron and worthy grand matron, and the ritualistic closing.

Throughout the session, the colors chosen by Mrs. Harle were used in costumes and decorations. Officers wore for the day session blue chambray dresses with silver sandals and corsages of violets. For the evening session, all worthy matrons wore white formal dresses with orchid corsages and silver accessories.

Among members attending from Littlefield were Pat Boone, past worthy grand patron; Mrs. Flora Jeast Boone, grand conductress; Mrs. Catheryn Luce, Mrs. Alma Ruth Lockwood, Mrs. Pearl Brandon, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Findley, Mrs. Tina Kuykendall and Mrs. Vera Mae Brown.

## Flora Besst Boone Club Organized By Star Conductress

Organization of the Flora Besst Boone Club was effected in Plainview last week at a luncheon in the Hilton Hotel at which Mrs. Boone, Littlefield, grand conductress of the Order of Eastern Star in Texas, was the honor guest.

Members of the club are conductresses of 13 Eastern Star chapters in this section. They were guests at the luncheon, held in connection with a district school of instruction in Plainview last Tuesday.

The conductresses will be worthy matrons of their respective chapters next year, with Mrs. Boone advancing from her present post to that of Worthy Grand Matron, the highest office in the state in Eastern Star work.

Mrs. Catheryn Luce of Littlefield, conductress of the local chapter, was named president of the Flora Besst Boone Club. Other officers were also chosen. Besides the conductresses and Mrs. Boone, one other guest was present at the luncheon, Mrs. Emma Ruth Bellomy, worthy matron of the Littlefield chapter.

They plan to meet again the second Friday evening in June. The meeting will be in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lee left Tuesday for Coral Gables, Fla. on a two weeks' vacation trip. They will visit their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Iwen at Coral Gables, also visit other points of interest enroute.

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# News of Women



**KISS AMISS . . .** A kiss bestowed by Riddell Riggs on Charlotte McClain, as he crowned her Bethany, Okla., basketball sweetheart, caused five students to be suspended, a mass meeting of irate parents and a board meeting.

## Oma's Beauty Shop Advertise Special Prices For 2 Weeks

Oma's Beauty Shop, of which Mrs. Oma Gilder is owner and operator, is advertising this week permanent wave specials for two weeks only.

Mrs. Gilder has just completed the remodeling of her beauty shop, and the installation of all new equipment and furnishings. Mrs. Gilder is advertising \$20.00 permanent for \$15.00; \$15.00 waves for \$12.50; \$12.50 waves for \$10.00; \$15.00 Machine Cream Oil permanents for \$10; and \$10.00 Cream Oil Permanents for \$8.50.

Mrs. Retha Mitchell of Milford, Texas, and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mitchell, and their two sons, of Italy, Texas, spent last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sevier. Mrs. Mitchell is a sister of Mr. Sevier.

## Attend State Executive W. M. U. Board Meeting

Rev. and Mrs. Lee Hemphill attended the State Executive W.M.U. Board meeting at Fort Worth Wednesday and Thursday last.

Rev. Hemphill also interviewed some prospects for the position of Educational Director and Youth Leader for the First Baptist Church.

## Southern Baptist Convention To Meet In Chicago

The Southern Baptist Convention will be held this coming May in Chicago, Ill.

This will be the first time in the history of the Baptist Convention that they have met in this great city of the north.

## Charolett Holder Struck By Car

Charolett Ann Holder, seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Holder of Lubbock, and niece of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brock of this city, was struck by an automobile Tuesday afternoon of last week in front the Lubbock high school on 19th Street, and suffered bruises and possible other injuries.

She was taken home by a police officer near the scene of the accident.

## About People You Know

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Taylor returned to Littlefield Thursday night from a two-weeks trip to Oakland, Calif. Returning with them were Mr. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Taylor. The elder Mrs. Taylor suffered a light stroke in Oakland, where she went with her husband for a Christmas vacation, and had to remain there until her health improved sufficiently to make the trip home.

Pvt. Bob Thomas Jr., left Sunday for Camp Stoneman, Calif. for overseas duty in the Far East Command. Pvt. Thomas arrived March 13 for a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob C. Thomas Sr., Barton Apartments. He has been in the Army since last November.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Shaw, Mrs. W. G. Street, Mrs. H. W. Wiseman, Miss Katherine Apperson and Mrs. T. S. Sales spent Sunday at Boys' Ranch, near Amarillo. They drove up for lunch and were taken for a sight seeing tour of the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Highman talked long distance with their daughter, Mrs. E. C. Rogers, at Excelsior Springs, Mo. Thursday night. Mrs. Rogers had underwent surgery at the hospital there Tuesday of last week. She reported as getting along fine.

Mrs. George Ross left Thursday on a two weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Green, at Houston. Miss Thetogene Ross is visiting girlfriends in her mother's absence.

Stephen Brock and Miss Patsy Phillips visited in Lubbock Thursday night and enjoyed dinner with Mr. Brock's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Celton Farley. Cheryl Brock, sister of Mrs. Farley, who had spent about a week in the Farley home, accompanied Mr. Brock and Miss Phillips to Littlefield.

Mrs. I. S. Brock has as her guest her sister, Mrs. Nannie Miller of

Bryan, Texas, who arrived Monday for a two weeks visit.

A. C. Rogers and two other brothers accompanied Ellis Rogers, who is ill, to a hospital.

A. C. Rogers left Friday to join two other brothers at Lubbock, and they planned to accompany another brother, Ellis Rogers, to Dallas or Temple for treatment.

Ed Moore is ill with a heart ailment, and is a patient of the Littlefield Hospital.

Roy Byers, Jr., has been a patient of the Payne-Shotwell Foundation for several days suffering from pneumonia. When he was admitted Wednesday of last week he had 105 temperature. He is getting along nicely.

Mrs. J. L. Brown of Spade has been released from the Littlefield Hospital after spending a week end as a patient suffering from Flu.

Glenda, 5 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Bates was taken to the Payne Shotwell Hospital recently for a checkup and treatment for a cold. After an examination, etc, she was taken home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Seeley have returned from a weeks trip to Houston, where they visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Miller.

## BACKACHE

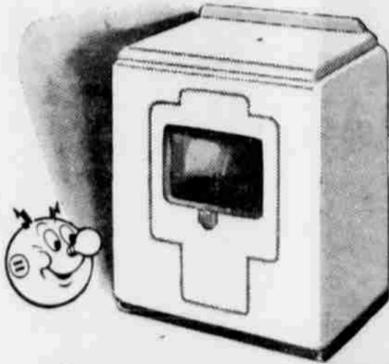
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Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Crane, Texas, visited Mrs. A. L. Hood, noon.  
Mrs. John Atkinson, A. L. Hood, Sr. and daughter, Harold Hood at Littlefield.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Atkinson, day for a visit with Mrs. North Texas. He plans to turn Sunday.  
Rev. and Mrs. Lee Hemphill, the First Baptist, Tuesday morning, where they are attending executive board meeting. Women's Missionary Society, morning.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown from Brownsville, Texas, plan to be away this year, and enclosed renewal of their subscription. The Brannen firm opened a hardware store in

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## Engman Of Hereford Purchases Takes Over Bus Depot

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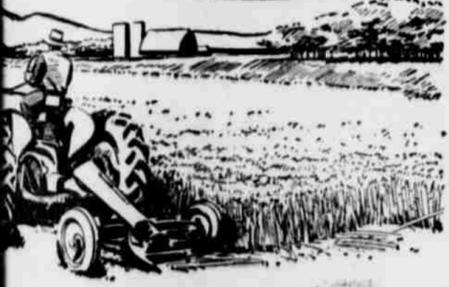
of the office, while Mr. Engman will be in charge of the kitchen. Mr. Braden, a chef of 40 years experience, and a man who has been employed previously by Mr. Engman and who has a reputation of being an expert in his line, will be chef under the new management. Mrs. Sue Woodall, who has been connected with the bus department at the It Cafe for several years, will continue to take care of the issuing of bus tickets, etc.

Miss Mary Short, a niece of Mr. Engman, will assist Miss Engman. The It Cafe was closed Thursday, and a general program of remodeling took place. Booths were moved from the rear of the dining room to the front; and it is the plan of the management to arrange large tables in the northeast section of the room for the holding of private parties. Club meetings, etc.

Mr. Engman, daughter and niece, arrived in Littlefield Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Engman, and son Billy Don, 17, who is a senior in

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**LET'S BE BRIEF . . .** It's a cheerful thought if your teeth are chattering way up North to know that somewhere in the world the sun is shining warm and bright. One place is Miami Beach where these belles are posing after "Miss Brevity" contest. Winner is Lois Ingerham, Columbus (center), flanked by Reina Seaman, New York (left), and Phyllis Duke, Miami Beach.

high school, and a sport enthusiast, will remain in Hereford until the end of the school term.

Mr. Engman, in an interview Friday, he was much enthused over his new setup, was looking forward to a very successful year in the cafe business here; and extends a cordial invitation to the people of this city to visit the It Cafe and meet him personally.

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### CONSERVATION WEEK

May 15 to 21 will be Texas Soil Conservation District Week, by proclamation of Governor Allan Shivers. The Lamb County Soil Conservation District office said Friday that the Board of Supervisors, so far, has made no plans for a special observance here.

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## Nine County Piano Students Take Part In Music Festival

Nine Lamb County piano students took part in the Seventh District Federation of Music Clubs Junior Festivals in Hereford on March 11. The Festivals are sponsored annually by the National Federation of Music Clubs, offering an immediate goal for students of piano, voice, musicianship, hymns, violin, and wind instruments, voice and instrumental ensembles.

Lamb County students taking part were: Jerry Brantley, Claudia Ruth Keithley, Kathryn Keithley, Carol Jean Naylor, Jan Hampton, Tommy Evins, Monya Hawk, Esta Mae Bitner, Arlene Packwood.

Miss Mattie Mae Swisher, lifetime member of the National Federation of Music Clubs, of Hereford, was director of the Junior Festivals in Seventh District, three of which were held Saturday. Lubbock and Quanah were there other two centers of this district.

Parents, friends and teachers accompanying the Lamb County students were Mr. and Mrs. Brantley and Miss Edwina Schovassja of Amberst, Mrs. Nelson Naylor Mrs. J. W. Butner, Mrs. J. W. Keithley, Miss Rebecca Minix, and Miss Arlene Packwood.

Teachers met for luncheon at the Jim Hill Hotel, where thirteen teachers, music club leaders, and accompanists enjoyed exchanging notes. After the Festivals, the students heard brief addresses by Miss Gladys M. Glenn, piano auditor and President of the Amarillo Conservatory of Music, and Mr. Hill voice auditor and teacher in West Texas State College.

The Music Study Club of Hereford gave a reception in the Methodist Church after District honor cards were awarded to all the participants in the Festivals with their parents, teachers and friends.

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## Official Record

### TRANSFERS FILED

W. L. Weaver and wife to J. Henry Cox, Labor 17, League 644, Lamb County, containing 177.1 acres of land; \$7500.

J. J. Stark and wife to W. B. Tubb, All of Lots 9, 10, in Block 101, original Town of Olton, situated in said Lamb County; \$1600.

W. P. Harlin and wife to Troy C. Fred and wife, Lot 10, Block 27, Duggan Addition to the City of Littlefield; \$4600.32.

E. H. Metcalf, joined by wife to W. P. Kirk—All of Lots 5 and 6, Block 5, R. E. Cole Addition to the City of Littlefield; \$500.

Donald Layman and wife to W. O. Rudd—Lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18, Block 5, R. I. Doughty Addition to the City of Earth; \$800.

Tollie D. Gray and wife to Walter J. Gray, Labor 7, State Capital League 671, Abner Taylor original Grantee in Lamb County, containing 177.1 acres of land; \$40,000.

Kenneth Scarbrough and wife to Mrs. Lela Johnson, W 1-2 of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, Block 9, original town of Earth, \$1300.

W. P. Moore and wife to A. F. Tubbs and wife—NE 1-4 of Section 13, Block "T" T. A. Thomson original Grantee, containing 159.7 acres, \$10,000.

R. E. Cleveland and wife Mrs. Lavina Cleveland to L. R. Actkinson, SE 30 feet of Lots 11, 11, and 12, Block 4, original Town of Sudan, Lamb County; \$1300.

J. F. Parton and wife to Urbano Villa, Part of Block 63, original Town of Sudan, Texas; \$400.

J. E. McNeill and wife to H. L. Dennis—Lot 23, Block 66, original Town of Olton; \$4000.

G. C. Nicholson and wife to Lloyd Edwards—39 acres out of SE corner of Labor 2, John H. Stephens Block 8-1, 88100.

James Alan Womack and wife to Robert Lee Bennett—Lot 3, Block 1, Seymour Subdivision of Blocks 3 and 6, Westside Addition to the City of Littlefield; \$300.

R. M. Jones to John Holloway—all of Lots 23 and 24, Block 25, original Town of Olton, situated in Lamb County; \$500.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

Billy Joe Gerik and Vennetta Sue Pennington, March 4, 1950;

Marvicio Hernandez and Romana Mary Rosa Gutierrez, March 4, 1950;

Billy Wayne Clayton and Delma Jean Dennis, March 6, 1950;

Celestino Lopez and Genevieve Marquez, Jr., March 8;

Orrin Homer Harbitt and Miss Leta Mae McCormick, March 10;

Troy Truman Burrows and Joyce Gwendolyn Hastings, March 10;

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# Plans Well Underway For Youth Recreation Center In Littlefield

If plans being made by Littlefield business and civic leaders materialize, teenagers in Littlefield and Lamb County will have a youth recreation center in City Park.

A meeting called by C. S. Duncan last Thursday night in Hays Coffee Shop got the planning project underway. More than 20 parents and business leaders present named Mancil Hall to serve as general chairman of the planning group.

Hall reported later that Hardy Shelby, president of the Chamber of Commerce board, will serve as chairman of a committee making recommendations of the type and size of building needed and other facilities.

Mayor A. C. Chester is to make plans for a financial campaign to start when plans are complete, and will organize the financial committee.

Mrs. S. E. Ayres, president of the Woman's Club, has been asked to propose that the club take over sponsorship of the youth center, serving in a supervisory capacity, as the club's project for the year. The club has not confirmed the sponsorship appointment to date.

At the meeting Thursday, Mayor Chester gave tentative approval for building the youth center on City Park property. The approval is subject to action of the City Commission.

A Permanent Youth Center planning organization is expected to result from another meeting set for 8 p. m. Thursday, March 23, in Hays Coffee Shop. All parents and interested citizens are urged to attend, the chairman announced.

A fund raising campaign will be started, Hall emphasized, until the general organization is completed. Contributions in the form of labor and material, as well as cash donations, may be sought.

Preliminary plans for the youth center include a building and program large enough to take care of Littlefield youngsters, together

with all children in the county who are interested.

A meeting of Littlefield teenagers will be called in the near future to see if the youngsters are willing to accept responsibility for the program and to determine what type of recreation program they want.

Under present plans, the youngsters would form a council, elect their own officers, and be responsible for the recreation program, maintenance of the building, operation of concessions and general management of the center. Sponsors would serve in an advisory and supervisory capacity to guarantee that no rowdyism or undesirable situations arise.

The center scheduled would be arranged so as not to interfere with any regularly scheduled church activities.

## Final Rites

(Continued From Page One)

Thomas, Bill Humphery, G. D. Tooley and Alfred Schrader. Flower girls, all granddaughters, were Mrs. Aubrey Willis, Mrs. Lee Lovelady, Mrs. Claude Williams, Mrs. Hubert Carico, Mrs. N. L. Thomas and Miss Linda Parker.

Friends and relatives from out of town who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson, Mrs. Ethyl Johnson, Maxine Stephens and Mrs. Lester Stephens, all of Bakersfield, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gaskin of Santa Fe, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Polk Anderson of Los Alamos, N. M.; Mrs. Clyde Battles of House, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harbinson of Oklahoma City, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Carter of Durant, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Williams of Hastings, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. Emory Ashcraft, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parker, all of Ralls; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Williams, all of Lubbock; Mrs. Dink Emerson of Gainesville; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Thomas, all of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Willis of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lovelady of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bryson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parker, all of Whitharral; and Mrs. Floyd Dutton of Friona.

## Funeral In Texico For J. F. Parton, Formerly Of Sudan

Funeral services for J. F. Parton, 51, of Texico and Sudan, were held at 2 p. m. Friday in the First Methodist Church in Texico, with burial following in the Sudan Cemetery. He was a brother of Mrs. M. V. Robinson of Littlefield. Mr. Parton had been bedridden for nearly a year following an accident in which his hip was broken. Prior to the accident he had lived in Sudan for about 25 years, having been a farmer and operator of a tourist court.

He had lived in Texico since the accident.

Survivors include his wife and three children, Oather Parton of California, Marion Parton of Texico and Mrs. Oren Butler of Casa Grande, Ariz.; two sisters, Mrs. M. V. Robinson of Littlefield and Mrs. A. M. Fox of Eastland; and two brothers, W. A. Parton of Olden and J. W. Parton of Sudan.

## Been Case

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malice, ran almost exactly five days—from 10 a. m. Monday to 10:40 a. m. Saturday. Jury selection took two and a half days, and testimony started early Wednesday afternoon.

The body of the Spade Community farmer, Harvey Buchanan, was found in the back yard at the Buchanan home by a brother, Wesley, late one Sunday afternoon in July. Harvey had been struck on the head five times with a heavy, blunt instrument. A three-pound Stillson wrench introduced in evidence was believed to be the death weapon.

The two men reportedly had made a trip to Lubbock together and returned to the Buchanan home. There was evidence of drinking, with "home brew" bottles strewn about the floor. Officers found a pair of dice and a few wadded bills in Been's pocket when they arrested him.

The 37-year-old defendant was on the witness stand an hour and a

half Thursday afternoon building up his claims of self defense in the death of his neighbor.

Been testified that he "blacked out" when hit on the head with a beer bottle and knows nothing about the slaying of Harvey Buchanan.

Been told the 6th District Court jury that he and Buchanan had been shooting craps and "I was about \$135 ahead." He said he wanted to quit because it was getting late.

"Harvey got mad when I started to the door. He said 'I am going to kill you.' I grabbed his arm and said 'You don't want to do that.'"

The defendant said Buchanan kept trying to get to the bedroom and "I knew he was an expert shot."

"He (Buchanan) hit me over the head with a beer bottle. Shattering glass was the last thing I saw until I was in custody. . . . I first learned Harvey was dead when I came to the courthouse."

## Got Into Trouble

The accused man described at length what he said was Harvey's inclination to get into trouble, saying Harvey himself had told him of several involvements. Been said his wife also had told him things about Harvey which she had learned from Harvey's wife.

Attempting to prove that Harvey Buchanan was known to be "a dangerous and violent man," the defense paraded a number of witnesses to the stand Thursday, and several testified to violent incidents in which Buchanan had figured.

Mrs. Zerold Been testified that Harvey's wife had told her Buchanan had once choked her until a neighbor pulled him off. Mrs. Been quoted Mrs. Buchanan as saying she had hidden a knife and a gun from her husband.

Then a hushed courtroom heard Buchanan's widow testify that she was afraid of her husband and that she had once filed assault charges against him.

Rob McDaniel and R. E. Edwards both testified that in 1947 Harvey Buchanan had hijacked a poker game at Whitharral in which the three men were players. They said Buchanan was loser in the game and returned from one of several trips outside to his car with a gun in his hand. He allegedly scooped up the money, mostly checks, and ordered Edwards and McDaniel's outside. Edwards said he fired two shots at them from his car.

Following Edwards' testimony, Judge Pardue interrupted the trial to deliver a lecture on the evils of drinking and gambling. Addressing his remarks specifically to young people in the crowded courtroom, Judge Pardue said "I will offer \$1,000 to anyone present who will give me one reason why anyone should take a drink of whiskey without a doctor's prescription, or get into a poker game."

In another address to the crowded courtroom at the close of testimony Thursday night, Judge Pardue told spectators that he would

move the trial to one of the local church auditoriums if they would arrange it in order to make more room for spectators.

Roscoe Brown of Whitharral, an advisor to the county Veterans Vocational Board, testified that he had expelled Harvey Buchanan from a veterans training school "for drunkenness," and later had reinstated him. In an argument over the expulsion, Buchanan said "he wanted to get a handful of me" and "he wanted to stomp me up," Brown declared.

Robert M. Butler, father of Harvey Buchanan's wife, told of an incident in which Harvey threatened him with a gun. He said that his daughter, Christine, had come to their home with her infant child. A few hours later, Harvey came up on a tractor with a gun, got off and called for Butler.

"He hollered through the house I want to kill him because he (Butler) went over and got my wife without me home," the witness said, accusing Buchanan of firing the gun at least twice. Butler said that his daughter begged Buchanan "to leave us alone and then he pointed the gun at her." He added that she finally went home to Harvey.

## Filed Complaint

Butler said that on May 21, 1949, shortly after the incident, he filed a complaint in the county clerk's office, but that he asked County Attorney Bob Kirk to dismiss the complaint against Buchanan about eight days later.

The defense called a large number of character witnesses in behalf of the defendant.

The defense inquest began shortly before noon Thursday when the state rested after using 14 witnesses.

Among the first witnesses for the accused farmer were his wife and 13-year-old son, Rodney, and widow of Harvey Buchanan.

Mrs. Buchanan said that her family and the Been family had been friendly. On the day of the slaying, she had been away from home. Mrs. Buchanan said, and when she came home in the afternoon, Zerold Been was there.

"I asked him where Harvey was," she said. "Been said 'He is behind the house. I took a concealed weapon from him, and shot him with it. He was going to get you and the little girl. I am sorry.'"

Mr. Buchanan said Been appeared to be trying to talk rationally. "I think he was drunk and beginning to sober up."

It was brought out at this point that Harvey Buchanan was accustomed to making home brew.

Then the widow identified the blood-stained Stillson wrench in evidence as "one that had been lying around the place."

## Son Testifies

Rodney Been, 13-year-old son of the defendant, said that on the afternoon of the killing his family and an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Waldo, who were visiting in the Beens started over to the Harvey Buchanan home about a mile away.

"We met Wesley Buchanan (Harvey's brother)-driving north, fast. We went on down to Harvey's house. Daddy was lying there in the yard. He looked like he had been beaten up. A man named Elwood McBride was there, and Daddy said: 'He was one of them that tried to drown me.' Harvey's wife, Christine, came up before we left. Daddy told her he was sorry but he had to do it. I asked McBride if he had anything to do with Daddy getting beat up, and he said: 'I think it was Harvey and his brother.'"

The boy said his father was "out of his head." He said they got him into the car once, but Been got out and started walking home across the field. "We left him there."

In the first 10 hours of testimony Wednesday, District Attorney Joe Sharp of Plainview, Special Prosecutor George Dupree of Lubbock and County Attorney Bob Kirk called 14 witnesses. They included Buchanan's survivors, officers who investigated the slaying, a chemist, an undertaker, a nurse and a physician's deposition.

The state read to the jury a deposition made by Dr. I. T. Shotwell, who was ill and unable to appear in court. Dr. Shotwell had examined Harvey Buchanan's body and gave the opinion that death had resulted from a beating about the head, administered with a blunt weapon.

Mrs. Ted Evans, nurse on duty at the hospital when Buchanan was brought in, described his wounds. Lenton Smith of Hammons Funeral Home said he prepared the body for burial and turned the bloody clothing of the victim over to Deputy Sheriff Dick Dyer.

Highway Patrolman Mack Niffen, who assisted in the arrest of Been, said officers found the suspect in a cotton field, lying in a cotton row about 100 yards north of Harvey's house, near Spade.

"I kicked him on the bottom of his seat, and he stirred and got up. We searched him, and loaded him into the patrol car."

Niffen said Been was drunk and had a scratch on his nose, a bruised jaw, blood on his clothing,

scratched hands, and blood on his shirt.

The house was "an empty beer bottle was about, and there was a sink. 'It must have been a fight.'"

Ed Huff of Lubbock, Littlefield patrolman, testified that he did not see Been drunk when he was arrested after the slaying. He also said he had seen the defendant with a "head."

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## 36 Bombers Will Fly Over City During Armed Services Parade

Thirty-six B-25 training bombers will fly over Littlefield during a parade tentatively planned for Saturday morning, May 29, in observance of Armed Services Week, May 14 to 29.

The announcement came from Sgt. Gerald F. Cutshall, project officer for Littlefield and Lamb County, who said that Pat Mann, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, is helping him make plans for the parade.

By proclamation of President Truman, Armed Services Week will be celebrated throughout the nation May 14 to 29. The ob-

servance, formerly Army Day, was altered to fall in line with unification of the armed services.

Sgt. Cutshall said he hoped to have from three to six T-6 training planes at the Littlefield Municipal Airport for inspection during Armed Service Week. Some other army equipment may also be displayed.

An Army colonel will deliver an address during or after the parade, the project officer said.

Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion will be asked to join the parade. Sgt. Cutshall reported. They are to consider the invitation at meetings this month.

## Meeting Underway At Fundamental Baptist; Continues Through March 26

A meeting opened at the Fundamental Baptist Church Thursday, March 16, and will continue through Sunday, March 26, with Rev. H. S. Hinson, outstanding Evangelist of Stamford, Texas, doing the preaching.

J. D. Evans is leading the singing

for the meeting.

A good attendance is reported. Rev. Weldon Mears, who has been pastor of the church for nearly four years, reports a membership now of 600, stating that since his coming here there have been 100 and more additions to the church each year.

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★ Farmed in Central and West Texas.

★ Worked his way through Lamesa High School and Texas Tech College.

★ Married and father of two children.

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