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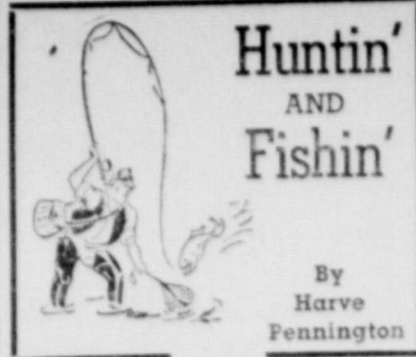
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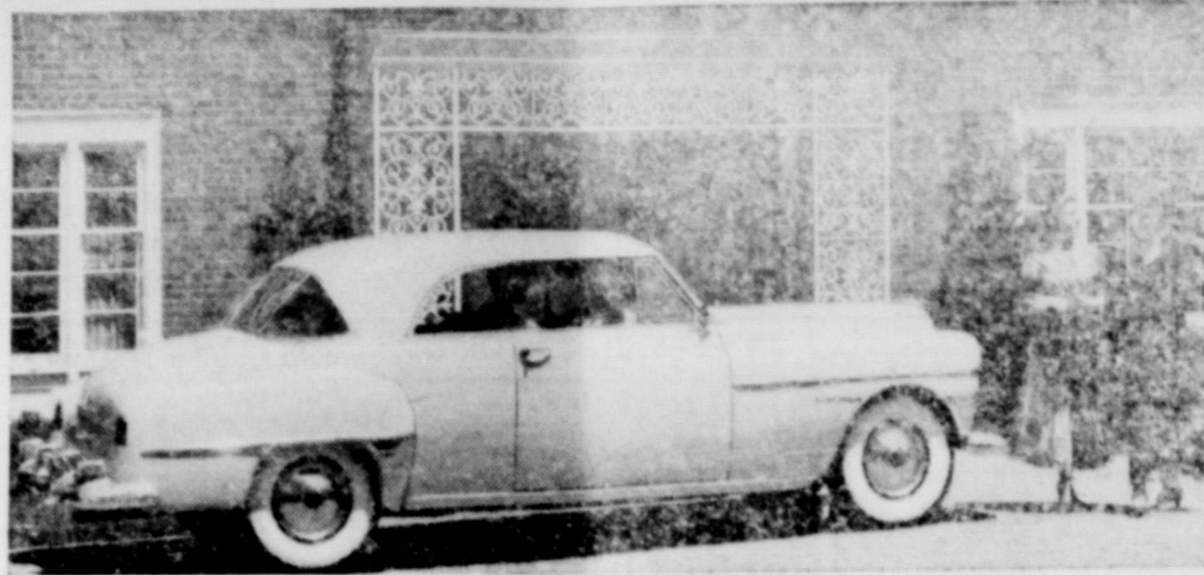
By Harve Fennington

This week we are listing some of the state laws in regard to fresh water fishing. A license is required of resident Texas citizens before fishing in fresh water outside of county of residence or adjacent counties with artificial bait and before using live bait outside of county of resident. Resident license not required of resident person under 17 years of age nor of resident holding commercial fishing license. No license required for salt water sport fishing.

An artificial lure, is any manufactured bait or imitation of a natural bait. The price of resident license \$1.65. Nonresidents of Texas or aliens must procure a nonresident fishing license, price \$5.25 or a five-day license, price \$1.65, when fishing with any kind of bait in any fresh water, exception persons under 17. "Nonresident" is any citizen of the United States who is not a citizen of Texas and who has not continually for six months been actual bona fide resident of this state. A seine or net license is required of commercial fishermen operating in fresh waters as well as those operating in salt water. A license is required to sell fish.

Here is your tackle you may use: Ordinary pole and line, set line, trotline, artificial lures and seines or nets of not less than three inch square mesh permitted, seines or net made of wire or other metallic substance is prohibited. Minnow seines not more than twenty feet in length.

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and fruit jars with funnel attached are permitted for taking minnows, all other methods or means of taking fish are prohibited unless specially noted for the different counties, except that 20 foot minnow seine and cast net are permitted for taking shad, carp, suckers, gar and buffalo in all counties.

Here are your size limits: Large mouth black bass, small-mouth black bass, spotted bass, or any sub-species of these fishes, not less than seven inches. The bag limits in certain counties are different but here are the general limits: large-mouth black bass, small-mouth black bass, spotted bass, or any sub-species of these fishes, single or in the aggregate, fifteen (15) of which not more than ten (10) shall be greater length than eleven (11) inches, white bass twenty-five (25), blue catfish, channel catfish and yellow catfish, single or in the aggregate, twenty-five (25), crappie or white perch, twenty-five (25). In those counties where the sale of catfish is permitted, this limitation as to possession of catfish does not apply to persons having a commercial fisherman's license, wholesale fish dealers license, whole-

sale truck dealers fish license or retail fish dealers license.

Sale prohibited of black bass or crappie or white perch in all counties. It is unlawful to fish by any method in waters within the confines of any public park under the control of the State Parks Board, without the consent of person in charge of the park.

It is unlawful to fish from deck or road surface of any highway bridge or causeway maintained by State Highway Department or to leave any dead fish or bait on such property.

It is unlawful to enter the enclosed land of another without the consent of the owner or person in charge thereof and thereon catch or take, or attempt to catch fish.

THE FISHERMAN'S PRAYER  
Oh! Lord please let me catch  
A fish so large that even I!  
In telling of it afterwards  
Will have no need to lie.

When a sportsman violates Texas laws relating to hunting and fishing and gets caught, he automatically forfeits his state license and is barred from fishing or hunting, as the case may

be for one year from the date of conviction. In many cases this provision of the law is more distasteful to the offender than would be the payment of a fine. To some persons the actual fine is a normal amount and of no consequence, but to loose the right to hunt or fish is a serious impairment of their most delightful pleasures.

There is another provision that makes the loss of a license a serious matter. When the license has been revoked the process of getting it reinstated is just about as difficult as getting a pardon for robbing a bank. In fact the process is just the same. The application must be endorsed by the State Board of Pardons and Paroles and then must be approved by the governor. Some sportsmen think the law should be changed to make it optional with the presiding judge, whether the license is revoked or not. Other fishermen and hunters argue that the man who violates the law is just as much a criminal as the man who steals. In fact they say he is stealing when he catches a bass above the limit or when he kills deer out of season.

Anyway it would require an

act of legislature to change the law, and the Legislature seems to like the idea of revoking the license in every case.

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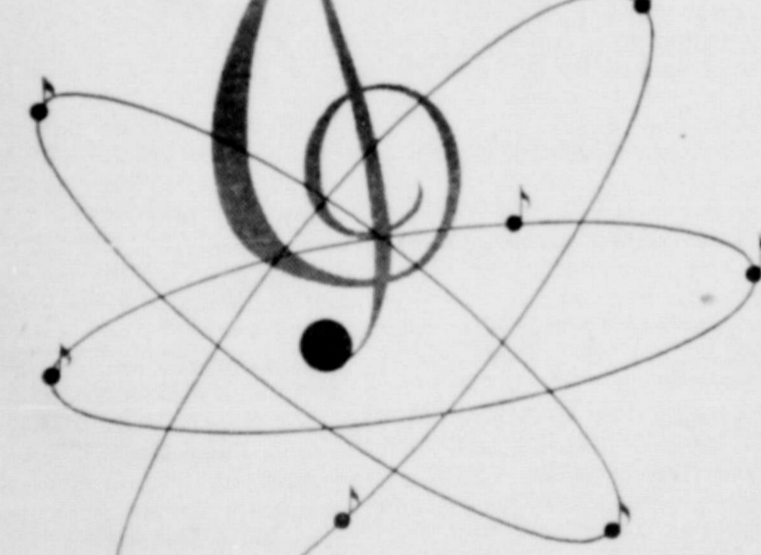
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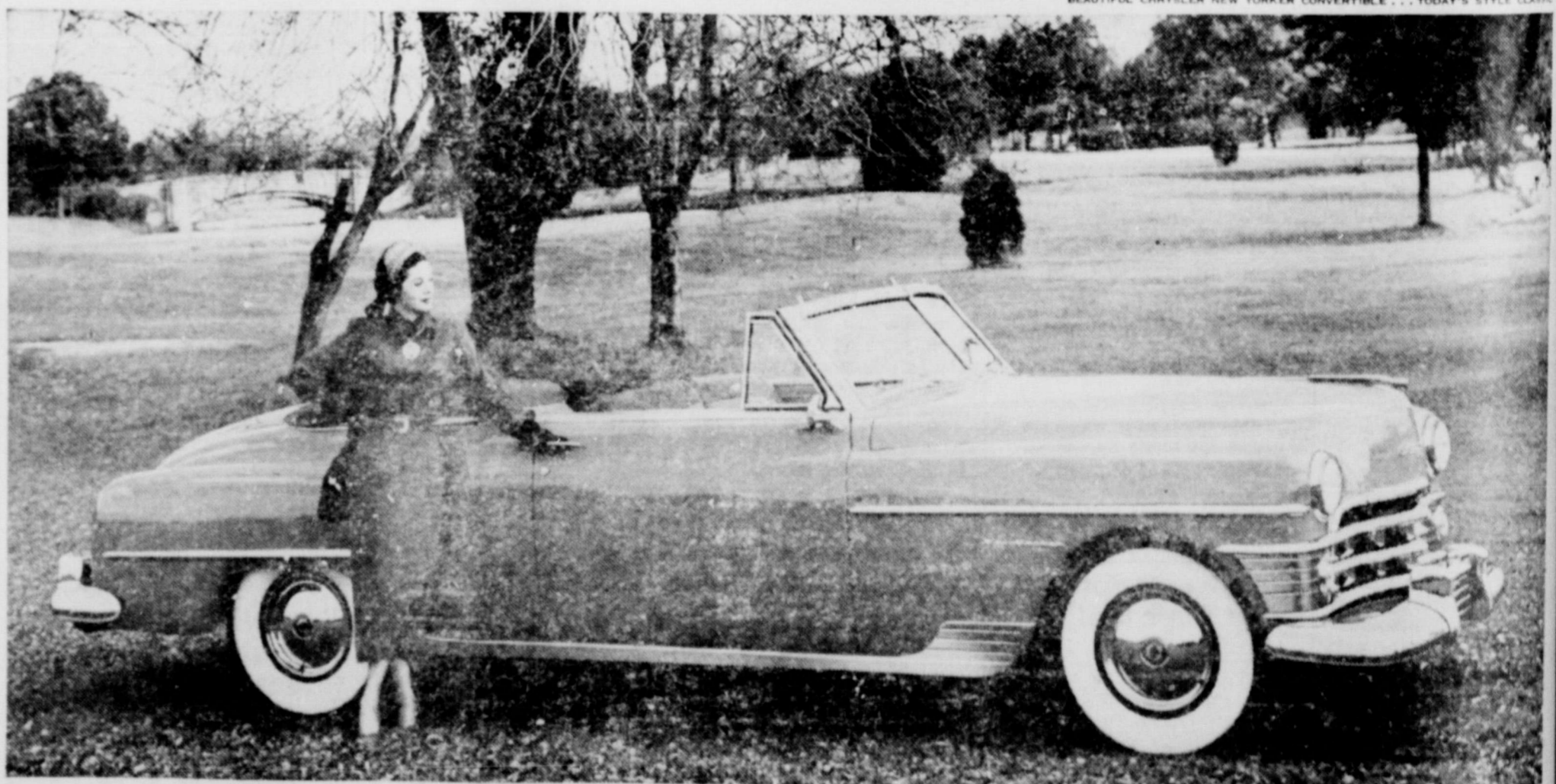
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Action From Lightning Advised Engineer

Station. — Early summer weather in Texas is often characterized by violent electrical storms. These storms emphasize the necessity for lightning protection, says W. S. Alton, extension agricultural engineer of Texas A. & M. University. Alton says that farm property from lightning average a \$10 million per year to say the least and the 400,000 people who are injured each year by lightning. Some can be done to prevent losses. Alton points out that lightning when properly installed and maintained, will give practically complete protection to buildings against damage from lightning. He recommends that the installation of rods be done in accordance with the National Code for the Protection against Lightning. He says it is very important that all metal bodies inside buildings be grounded and bonded together to prevent electricity from jumping from one body to another. The metal tracks for feed carriers, feed or hay elevators and the heavy hardware on barn doors should always be grounded and tied into the lightning rod protection system on the barn. A metal roof, electrically bonded, properly grounded, and provided with air terminals to protect chimneys or other non-metallic projections, usually gives satisfactory protection. He says the metal roof will give little or no protection unless it is grounded and bonded and here again he says do the job according to the National Code. If you have lightning rods on the farm buildings, he suggests that you give them a periodic check to be sure they'll perform their duty should the need arise. If you plan to install rods, be sure they are installed according to the National Code. It means you've got a good job.

Longview, Texas, is the southern terminus of the "big inch" pipe line extending into Illinois. Gainesville, Texas, is called the "City of 100,000 Trees."



THE ROSENTHAL FAMILY—Left to right, Ruta, age 10, Mara, age 4, Mrs. Valija Rosenthal and Roberts Rosenthal, parents of the two girls. The Latvian family are now living on the Walter Sammann farm in the Providence community where he is employed as a farm laborer.



IN LATVIA—This scene shows Roberts Rosenthal, head of Latvian family now living on the Walter Sammann farm, drinking beer with his brother-in-law in his native country. Note the profusion of flowers and shrubs which practically hide the house. "All is destroyed now" Mr. Rosenthal told The Beacon representative.

figure out that one. But she did know how to set out the plants quickly and efficiently. One of Mrs. Rosenthal's duties is to milk the cows. In Latvia it is always the woman of the house who does the milking and the custom is carried on here. She does the milking.

She also attended school eight years and of that studied cooking two years. "She certainly knows how to cook too," Mrs. Sammann said. Mrs. Rosenthal was quick to explain that she hadn't studied sewing in school but that she knew how and did the sewing for her family.

Fryers "Too Little"

A humorous incident happened a few days after the family arrived. Some of the members of the Providence Lutheran Church had given the Rosenthals several frying size chickens. Mrs. Sammann noticed that the Latvian lady did not kill the chickens but turned them loose in the chicken yard and fed them. Thinking perhaps she did not understand what they were for Mrs. Sammann explained to her that they were given to them to eat.

"Oh no, they are too little," Mrs. Rosenthal said. "We will wait until they get big." It seems in Latvia they eat baked hen instead of fried chicken.

There is a difference in the climate, the Latvians say. "It is always cool in Latvia," they explained and indicated that they found the climate on the plains of Texas slightly warm.

The family are regular churchgoers and always attend the Trinity Lutheran Church when services are held. Mrs. Sammann said. The little girls attended the Vacation Bible School held at the church recently and seemed to enjoy it very much.

In the interview Mrs. Sammann and Mr. Rosenthal both spoke the German language but this is not the native tongue of Latvia and apparently the Latvian man still had some slight difficulty with the language even though he had lived in Germany for several years. The Beacon man found the

Latvian refugee family to be congenial, co-operative and helpful and a very pleasant family to know. He also found that in pronouncing the name Latvia, it

is pronounced in three syllables, Lat-vi-a with the accent on the "vi" and the "i" being short or having the "e" sound. He didn't know that.

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"Some day we might return home when Latvia is free, but until then we will make our home in America," Roberts Rosenthal had a far-away, wistful look in his eye when he spoke these words to Mrs. Walter Sammann, interpreter between the Latvian refugee and The Beacon representative who interviewed him last week.

Mr. Rosenthal, age 42, his wife, Valija, age 38 and their two very pretty little girls, Ruta, age 10, and Mara, age 4, are living on the Walter Sammann place near Providence and Mr. Rosenthal is working for Mr. Sammann as a farm laborer.

The family came to America from a displaced person camp at Englestadt, Germany, through the help and influence of the Trinity Lutheran Church at Providence, the Lutheran Welfare Association with headquarters at San Antonio and the Lutheran missionaries in Germany. Their ship, the Ballou, docked at New York on May 17 and they came on to Floyd County by train.

The family was forced out of their native Latvia by the Russian Army and drifted on into Germany where they have lived in D. P. camps until coming to America. Rosenthal, his wife and the oldest girl are all natives of Valmera, Latvia but the youngest was born at Englestadt.

Mr. Rosenthal left a father, mother and three sisters in Latvia. Whether they are still living he doesn't know since he hasn't heard from them in four years.

"We write to our relatives in Latvia but we just don't get an answer," he said. "We don't know whether they are all dead or the Russian government will not allow them to answer."

He also has one brother in

Germany and Mrs. Rosenthal has a brother in Canada, an aunt in Washington, D. C. and a sister and brother in Albany, N. Y.

Mr. Rosenthal was reared a farmer and, although he used teams in his native country, he is catching on very quickly to mechanized farming.

"I went one round on the tractor with him and then turned it over to him," Mr. Sammann said. Mr. Rosenthal, is very co-operative, the Sammanns report. His native country grows wheat, rye, potatoes and flax and it is easy to see that he was reared a farmer.

He attended school eight years he said and apparently was almost through the public school, since they had "10 classes" there instead of the 12 grades in public schools in this country.

Mrs. Rosenthal is equally co-operative and helpful. Mrs. Sammann reports that she is willing to do anything and that she knows how to do her work. In planting a garden, the Latvian lady quickly recognized every plant Mrs. Sammann had brought home to set out except sweet potatoes. She couldn't



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# Society News

## B&PW Meets Tues. With Mrs. Wiley

The Business and Professional Women met for a regular business meeting Tuesday night, June 6 in the home of Mrs. Ellen Wiley.

Two new members were voted in the organization. After the business meeting, games were enjoyed and refreshments of punch, cookies, and nuts were served.

Members present were Wanda Baker, Lucy Dean Record, Mary Ida Rose, June Bybee, Wilma Brown, Edna Mae Honea, Tangy Hargis, Clara Copeland, and the hostesses, Edel Sams, Frances O'Hearn, Estelle Powers, and Ellen Wiley.

## Shower Compliments Mrs. Henry Ford

Mrs. H. C. Ford, Jr., a recent bride was complimented with a linen shower May 26 in the home of Mrs. Hershel Avenger in Plainview.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Dean Brookshire, the honoree and Mrs. Henry Ford, Sr. They wore corsages of sweetpeas presented them by the hostesses.

Mrs. Opal Baus presided at the bride's register. Mrs. Joe Degge and Wanda Crist served the guests orange-herbert punch and white and pink cakes from a silver tray. The serving table was decorated with sweetpeas.

Mrs. Ford and Mrs. Byron Ford attended from Lockney.

## Recent Bride



MRS. RICHARD GOLDEN

The serving table was covered with a white hand-crocheted table cloth and decorated with white roses and blue love-in-a-mist and white candles in crystal candelabra.

Miss Wanda Dorman served the bride's cake which was three-tiered topped with a miniature bride and groom. Lime sherbert punch was served by Miss Jeanette Pickens.

Seventy-two guests registered in the bride's book.

The bride attended Lockney schools. The groom is a graduate of Petersburg high school.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in Norwood, Missouri.

## Priscilla Class Has Social Thurs.

The Priscilla Class met in the Baptist Church parlor for its monthly business and social meeting Thursday, June 1. Mrs. Jim Bert Bobbitt, Mrs. Wallace Allen, and Mrs. Horace Jones served as hostesses.

Mrs. Thurmon Thomas, president of the class, presided at the business meeting. Mrs. Ross Cooper brought the devotional, after which Mrs. Horace Jones lead the group in prayer.

Games of Bible Baseball and musical knowledge were played by the group. Dessert was served to the following: Mmes. Bob McAninch, E. J. Cobb, G. B. Ramsey, Horace Jones, Wayne McClain, Bert Bobbitt, Rhea Mitchell, Thurmon Thomas, Wallace Allen, Ross Cooper, Tom Moore.

## Carthel-Golden Vows Read In Home Ceremony

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Carthel was the scene of the wedding June 1 at 8 o'clock p. m. of Jessie Mae Carthel and Richard Golden.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carthel of Lockney. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Golden, formerly of Petersburg, now of Norwood, Missouri.

The single ring ceremony was performed by Royce Blackburn, minister of the Church of Christ of Roby, uncle of the bride.

The rites were read in front of the mantel decorated with white dutch iris and fern and white candles. Tall baskets of dutch iris and fern flanked either side of the mantel.

Miss Ann Belt served as candle lighter while Miss Joyce Carthel played appropriate nuptial music. She also provided the traditional wedding marches and played "Always" as background music while the vows were being exchanged. Mrs. Billy Wayne Carthel of Hereford sang "Oh Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly" before the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose for her wedding a street-length dress of white organza. Her small hat had a shoulder length veil. She carried a bouquet of white rosebuds.

The bride was attended by her cousin, Barbara Carthel, who wore a dress of blue organza and carried a bouquet of pink rosebuds.

L. J. Carthel, brother of the bride, served the groom as best man. Ushers were Dale Tierce, cousin of the groom, and Therman Branch of Oklahoma City, cousin of the bride.

**Reception Follows**

Immediately following the ceremony a reception for the bride and groom and wedding guests was held in the Carthel home. Miss Ledell Colvin pre-

## Pre-Nuptial Shower Honors Verda Holt

A tea shower honoring Verda Mae Holt, bride-elect of Jack Williams, was given in the home of Mrs. C. O. Jeffcoat, Wednesday afternoon, May 31, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Mrs. W. L. Thomas, Mrs. Blaine Holt, mother of the honoree, the honoree, Mrs. Tom Cope, and Mrs. Emma Holt, grandmothers of the honoree were in the receiving line.

Miss Kay Norman presided at the bride's book.

Misses Ilene Harris and Bonnie Harrison presided at the lace covered table centered with a crystal punch bowl on a reflector surrounded by roses and fern. Individual cakes were decorated in pink and green and served with pineapple punch. Garden flowers were placed in attractive arrangements at vantage points about the entertaining rooms.

Piano music was furnished by Verna Henderson during the receiving hours.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. O. B. Patterson, E. A. Bonner, Bob Miller, Olson Allison, Doyle Harrison, Vernon Pylant, Melvin Potts, June Bybee, Ed Thornton, Bernard Harris, Lula Woodburn, Edwin Johnson, W. A. Taylor, W. L. Thomas, Earl Norman, Sam Miller, Alvin Spradlin, Shortie Spradlin, Dwight Jackson, L. L. Reecer, and C. O. Jeffcoat.

## New OES Officers Installed June 1

At a special call meeting June 1 at the Masonic Hall, new officers for the ensuing year of the Order of the Eastern Star were installed. Mrs. Anna Delle Quebe served as Worthy Installing Officer, Mrs. Betty Counts as Installing Marshall, and Mrs. Ethel Mitchell as Installing Chaplain.

Mrs. Katherine Rucker was installed as the new Worthy Matron of the order. Other officers installed were Raymond Rucker, Worthy Patron; Mrs. Ruth Cox, Associate Matron; Marvin Cox, Associate Patron; Mrs. Ruby Sams, Secretary; Mrs. Leota Huggins, Treasurer; Mrs. Lorene King, Conductress; Mrs. Myrtle Messimer, Associate Conductress; Mrs. Louise Cooper, Chaplain; Mrs. Helen Huffman, Marshall; Mrs. Bernice Miller, Organist.

Mrs. Thelma O'Brien, Ada; Mrs. Attie Ford, Ruth; Mrs. Virgie McCandless, Ester; Mrs. Saily Shaw, Martha; Mrs. Beth Mitchell, Electa; Mrs. Violet Cooper, Warder; Rhea Mitchell, Sentinel.

Guests of the chapter were Mr.

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# Questions and Answers about the Telephone Company's Request for Higher Rates in Lockney

**Q. Why is the telephone company asking for higher rates in Lockney?**

A. Because they are needed to justify the expenditure of additional large sums of money to provide a dial telephone system for Lockney.

**Q. How about telephone costs? Are they up much?**

A. Yes. The cost of virtually everything that goes into furnishing telephone service is much higher than before the war.

**Q. How much has Lockney's telephone system grown since before the war?**

A. Lockney now has more than 660 telephones—over three times as many as in 1940.

**Q. With so much more business, isn't the company's revenue much higher than it was a few years ago?**

A. Telephone revenues have increased, to be sure, but expenses have increased sharply, too. Despite the fact that we have more telephones, and are handling a greater volume of calls than ever before, the telephone system here is being operated each month at a loss.

A revised schedule of telephone rates is necessary to justify the expenditure of additional large sums of money to provide a dial telephone system for Lockney.

**Q. Would it be possible for the telephone company to cut corners and reduce expenses?**

A. The telephone company takes advantage of every possible operating economy to keep rates low without affecting the quality of the service. Through these economies and advances in the telephone art we have been able to furnish more and better telephone service here.

**Q. What are the proposed new telephone rates for Lockney?**

A. The proposed new business rate in Lockney is \$6.00 a month, while residence service will cost \$3.75 a month for an individual line and \$3.25 a month for a two-party line. The new rural business telephone rate will be \$4.50, and the rural residence rate \$3.00.

**Q. What are the telephone company's expansion plans for Lockney?**

A. If the new rates are approved promptly, the telephone company plans to start work immediately on a \$100,000 dial telephone system which would be put in service in Lockney in 1951. This project will require the construction of a dial central office building, manufacture and installation of a complete new dial switching system, replacement of telephones now in use with dial instruments, and extension of the network of outside lines and cables in Lockney.

**Q. What are some of the advantages of the proposed dial service?**

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### EDITORIAL

But whose looketh into the perfect law of liberty, and continueth therein, he being not a forgetful hearer, but a doer of the word, this man shall be blessed in his deed.—James 1:25.

Although some of us, of necessity, must make a living out of a weekly newspaper, the said newspaper is and should be a community project which means that everyone in the community served by the newspaper should take some interest in it and cooperate in the publishing of it.

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The fact that a newspaper reflects usually the attitudes, progressive spirit or lack of it, the friendliness of the lack of that, and many other elements found in a community, is proof enough that the citizens of that community should manifest an interest in the publication of the newspaper.

We hope that we are publishing a newspaper that the people of this community will feel free to contribute news items of interest or other things that will help to make the newspaper better reflects the community to the outside world. Some of our citizens are helpful in telling us of news items or things of interest that will make the paper more interesting while others never think of such things. For that reason we sometimes fail to hear of items that we ought to know about and someone gets their feelings hurt because their particular item of interest wasn't in the paper.

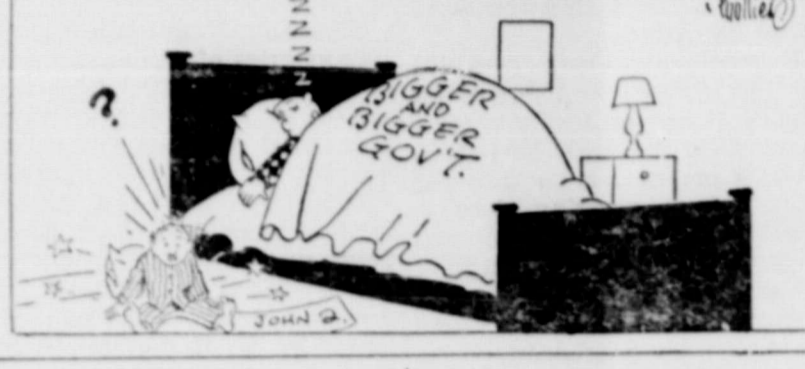
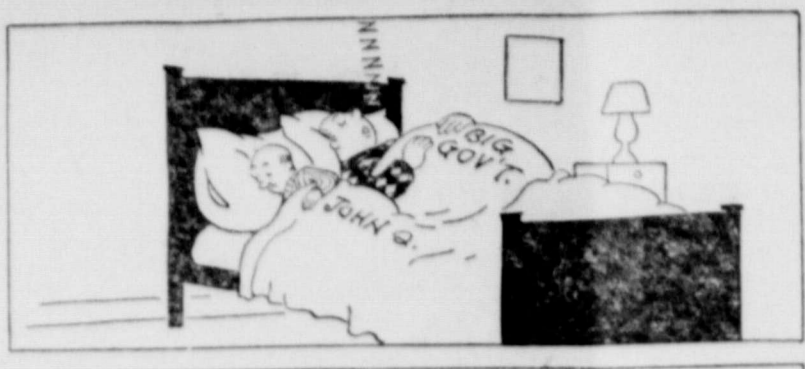
We say all that to say this: We do appreciate your sending us notes about your company or other news, or calling us on the phone, or thinking to bring us in a picture a few days before the marriage ceremony or before the wedding anniversary celebration. Please don't get married and leave the country without leaving the details of the wedding with someone who will get it to us without delay because if you do it may be that we won't be able to run a story about your wedding and you may not like that.

Then, too, if you hear of something that you think might make a good news story why not call us or stop us on the street and give us a tip on it. Sometimes we think the newspaper man is the last person in town to hear something that is newsworthy. Almost every week we turn over a new leaf and decide to try to do better in publishing a newspaper but if we are to do as well as we ought we must have your help and cooperation too. We'll thank you very much.

Another matter of co-operation: Let's get together at the city auditorium Friday night of this week and get ourselves organized so that we may look out for our own interests in many ways that have been neglected in the past. Read the story on page 1.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

### THE OVERGROWN BEDFELLOW



### With Our EXCHANGES

#### VOLUNTARY COOPERATION

Voluntary cooperation is fine as long as it does not violate the individual rights of others. Compulsory cooperation is tyranny if and when it does violate the God-given rights of any individual. The pooling of funds by individuals for the common welfare of the people, for charitable, moral, educational, religious, or other benevolent purposes is to be commended and encouraged; but the pooling of funds to promote the welfare of those who enter into the pool to the detriment of their neighbors and other members of society is to be condemned. Communism is wrong because it virtually enslaves all who come under its sway. Trusts and combines which swindle, cheat, and rob the people under forms of law should likewise be condemned. Communism should be suppressed because it violates practically every right the individual possesses. Trusts and combines should likewise be suppressed because they too violate the rights or militate against the common welfare of the people. Instead of encouraging communism, our state and federal officials should constantly be on the alert to enforce our anti-trust laws.—Lynn County News.

#### AGE OF INCONSISTENCY

This is the Age of Inconsistency. In West Virginia the other day, miners' wives mobbed a teen-age son of a non-union mine owner and struck him twenty times with hatpins. Unionists who want an antilynch law rammed down the South's throat do not get excited about organized mob action in their own interest. A high Washington official espousing civil rights forced Negro doctors into a tax-supported hospital, but when his wife got sick took her somewhere else. President Truman, after a year of denial, reluctantly opened loyalty records. But when he was Senator Truman he demanded and received records while head of the Truman investigating committee. Propagandistic attacks on segregation in the South stem from Manhattan, Manhattan, with Jamaica, Harlem, Yorkville, is the most segregated spot on earth and practices exactly what it condemns. Statesmen and their sycophants who profess moral and political principles are as the god, Janus, with two faces looking in both directions. Both faces seek, not statesmanship or justice, but votes.—Dallas News.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rucker and children and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Golden spent last weekend at Ruidosa, N. M.

### Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

May 14, 1908  
N. T. A. Byars and wife and Miss Gorman of the Kelly community were in town Sunday at church.

New residences reported going up this week are the homes of C. M. Alford and E. C. Nix.

Z. T. Riley has moved again. Back to town this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Reed, with Mrs. Emma Dawson helping, entertained the young people at their home Tuesday night. All who arrived before 10:30 reported a good time.

Frank Barber came in last Tuesday night to visit his brother and sister, Mrs. Theo Griffith and Floyd Barber.

J. J. Day of Starkey was in town Thursday attending to business and shaking hands with friends.

Last Wednesday three prodigals returned home, J. R. Meriwether who has been at Amarillo and looking at the country, Jesse Dillard who has been at Amarillo, and V. N. Dillard who has been at Hereford since Monday.

August 9, 1918  
C. F. Merrick, C. D. Merrick and wife and John Stevenson and family left Monday overland in their cars for Oklahoma for a visit.

Miss Dimple Baker was in the Plainview Sanitarium several days this week having her tonsils removed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Z. Pennington and Ross Mickey and family left Wednesday for Ft. Worth where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. E. M. Walling and Maurice Riley left this week for a visit to Dalhart.

Lockney's water works system was completed this week. A truck and apparatuses to fight fire with have been added by the council.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nelson and Janie of Petersburg spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Harris and Ilene.

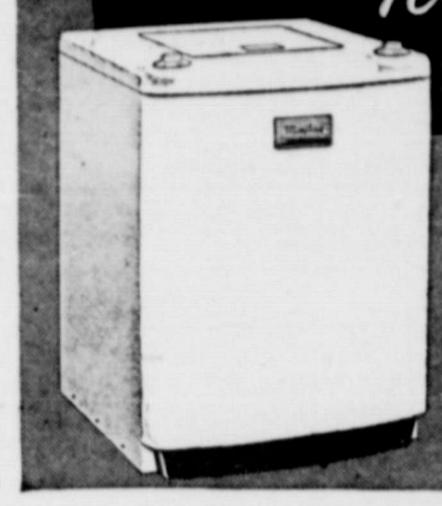
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitten turned Saturday from fishing for a week.

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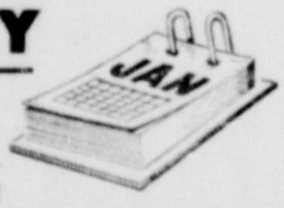
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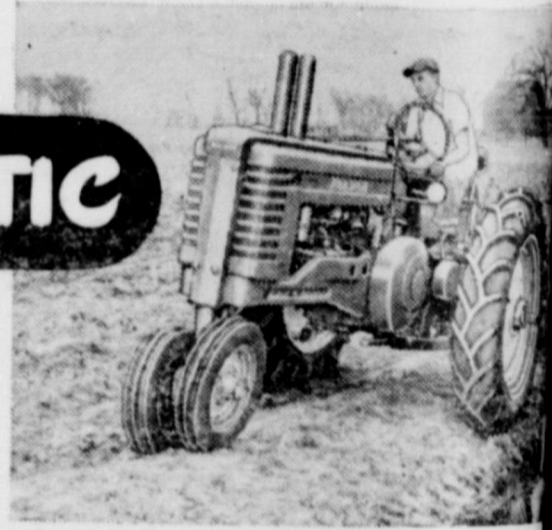
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### Enroll At Tech At Day Of Session

First day registration at Technological College session sent 2,394 into classes but total will not be complete until several days. 2,800 students registered the first summer 1949, and present figures indicate that there will be a decline this year.

From various Tech departments showed the enrollment was in education, in the elementary

### Floydada School Contracts Let

Floydada.—Contracts for construction of a new gymnasium and addition to the R. C. Andrews School here were awarded by the school board Wednesday, May 31.

Winning bids on the two projects totaled \$149,260. The board has available some \$165,000 including a school bond issue voted earlier this year.

Winning bid on general construction work was \$133,333 submitted by Dolph Construction Company of Dallas. The board also accepted a bid of \$13,200 by R. M. Wells Company, Lubbock, for plumbing and heating, and a bid of \$2,727 by Nipper Electric Company, Hereford, for electrical work.

Plans for the gymnasium and addition have been prepared by the architectural firm of Haynes and Kirby, Lubbock.

The addition to the school is expected to be finished shortly after beginning of the fall term. The gymnasium may be completed "in time for the basketball season," school officials said.

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### Swisher Co. To Form Water Dist.

Swisher County is joining Lamb, Hockley and Dallam counties in efforts to form underground water conservation districts under provisions of House Bill 162, according to a report by the High Plains Water Conservation and Users Association.

The announcement came following a meeting in Tulla May 25 held under auspices of the Swisher County Farm Bureau.

Starting in mid-June, the Swisher County Water Users Association will hold a series of meetings through which they hope to reach every water user and submit the proposal for a district, Bradford said.

Fifteen members attended the Farm Bureau meeting and round-table forum. They were unanimous in expressing the opinion that a district should be formed as soon as possible.

Hockley County has asked the State Board of Water Engineers to define boundaries of an underground water reservoir for the purpose of forming an Underground Water Conservation District.

Bert Eads and Burnett Roberts of the Hockley County Farm Bureau announced that petitions bearing the signatures of 87 property-owning, tax-paying voters in Hockley County have been mailed to the State Board of Water Engineers.

The petitions request formation of a district "for Hockley County and such additional territory as the board sees fit."

Boundaries of the district, under provisions of House Bill 162, must coincide with those of an underground water reservoir or subdivision thereof, as defined by the Board. The Board must hold a hearing in Hockley County before announcing the boundaries, giving land owners who wish to be included or excluded from the district an opportunity to appear.

Hockley County is the second High Plains county to take the step. Dallam County expects the Board to call a hearing in June at Texline to announce boundaries of a reservoir there. Lamb

### Lutherans Begin Building Drive

Seguin. — A state-wide financial campaign to provide additional buildings for Texas Lutheran College will open the week of June 11. New buildings included in the college's expansion plans are a women's dormitory, a gymnasium, a student union, and a chapel.

The cost of these buildings and of the proposed campus improvements is estimated at approximately \$500,000. Citizens of Seguin and Guadalupe County have raised \$83,000 for the proposed gymnasium.

Dr. A. G. Wiederaenders, vice-president of T. L. C. and director of the College Development Association, recently reported that 85 contributors had made pre-campaign gifts totaling approximately \$35,000. It is expected that 20,000 Texas members of the American Lutheran Church will contribute to the campaign.

The campaign for Texas Lutheran is part of the churchwide Ingathering being conducted by the American Lutheran Church in the interest of its colleges and seminaries.

### First Wheat In Floydada Tues.

The first load of 1950 wheat was sold at Floydada Tuesday of last week. Homer Newberry who lives in the south east part of the county brought the wheat in. Farmer's Elevator Company bought the wheat for \$1.95 per bushel less a five cent dock for moisture content. The 242 bushels averaged 60 pounds per bushel with a moisture content of 15.25.

Newberry's wheat looks as if it will yield 12 to 15 bushels per acre, he said. Newberry received a \$25 premium from the elevator and an additional ten cents per bushel by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce for the first load.

J. E. Huggins of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Huggins last weekend.

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### King Signs Pro Ball Contract

Spur.—Joe King, star pitcher for Spur High school Region 1-A championship baseball team, has signed a professional contract with the Dallas Eagles club of the Texas league.

King, one of the outstanding schoolboy diamond performers on the South Plains during the 1950 season, has been assigned by Dallas to the Chickasha team of the Class D Sooner State league. He will join the Oklahoma club within the next few days.

### Terms Not Disclosed

Terms of King's contract with Millionaire Dick Burnett's Dallas team were not disclosed. The Spur youngster signed with the Texas league club after a three-day tryout in Dallas, during which he favorably impressed Eagle Manager Charlie Grimm and Red Smith, Dallas coach.

Dallas team officials indicated that they customarily are not interested in signing prospects who do not show promise of becoming at least Class AA performers. They showed considerable interest in King, and seemed particularly impressed by his remarkable control.

King defeated all opponents in high school baseball the past season to lead his team to the regional championship in Region 1-A.

### Floyd County Hits 6.19% Of Quota

Floyd County has purchased \$2,662.50 in E bonds since May 15 in the current Independence Savings Bond drive. This is 6.19% of the county quota of \$43,000. The drive will continue through July 4.

### ON ALABAMA TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Truett and John Perry accompanied by relatives from other nearby towns left Sunday morning for a visit with relatives at Enterprise, Alabama.

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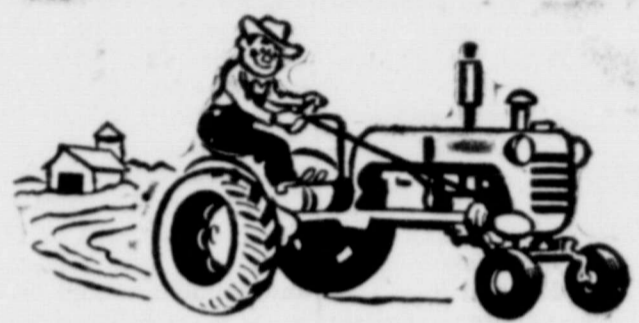
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### Lone Star News

By Mrs. Harold Griffith

Mr. and Mrs. Vert Readhimer of Amarillo were dinner guests in the L. M. Readhimer home last Tuesday.

Mrs. Clyde Farish and Betty Sue visited with Mrs. Jake Griffith last Monday, and in Aiken with Mrs. D. M. Marshall.

Nita Jo Readhimer went to Amarillo Tuesday to visit relatives until Sunday.

Mrs. Clyde Farish with Mrs. Jack Frizzell honored Mrs. W. T. Rankin Tuesday night with a birthday dinner in the Clyde Farish home. Those enjoying the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Rankin, Mary Ann and Jimmie, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frizzell and children, Pat Frizzell, and

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Farish, Betty Sue and Donald.

A recent visitor in the Charlie Merrick and Ben McGhee homes was Mrs. John Broyles of East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Phillips spent last weekend in Dallas visiting relatives and carried their son, Elbert there to work.

Mary Ann Rankin visited with Nita Kellison last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mosley and boys visited in Plainview last Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Readhimer were dinner guests in the Howard Mosley home Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Frizzell and Pat visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Frizzell and family of Rock Creek last Friday night.



**Shampoo A La Carte**

This sudsy pup with the soulful eyes doesn't know what a lucky dog he is. A shampoo in the sun from such a pretty miss should make even a dog smile. He's getting his Saturday afternoon bath in a versatile new cart, designed to take the hard work out of yardwork. It's handier and easier to use than a wheelbarrow, and eliminates the stooping and straining necessary when totin' leaves, soil or ashes in a finger-cutting bushel basket.

The front tilts down flush with the ground or floor so that rubbish may be swept or raked directly in, and heavier objects rolled in. The handle acts as a lever making it easy to bring the loaded cart back onto the wheels. Full or empty, it's so well balanced even a child may use it. Made of sturdy steel, the cart is large enough to carry several basketfuls in one trip, and it's wide rubber tires are easy on the lawn. It may even be used for bringing groceries or packages home from the store. Available at hardware stores and other dealers, it is brightly colored in green and orange. It makes an attractive ice box on wheels to keep bottled drinks cold for outdoor parties and picnics.

In the J. B. Nance home Saturday night.

Betty June Jackson spent last Wednesday night with Betty Ann Nance.

Guests Sunday in the J. B. Nance home were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nance and son of Silverton, Mrs. Lowell Calloway and girls Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rowell and family of Rock Creek, Hope McGhee, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scarborough and girls of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Readhimer and Glenda Ann with Douglas Meriwether visited relatives in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mosley and sons spent Sunday in Plainview.

Mrs. Kellison visited with Mrs. Clyde Farish Tuesday morning.

Herbert, Chester and Elton Griffith of Lubbock visited in the Griffith home Monday night.

Tommy and Rita Johnson of

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fith home were Mr. and Mrs. Joy B. Harbin and children of Whit-harrel, Carolyn and Kenneth Wayne Griffith of Plainview. Callers Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Cleo Griffith, Mrs. Elmer Griffith and Mrs. Bertram Slaughter and son of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Griffith and children visited in the Tom Wells home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gilbreath and children of Thorndale were visitors in the community Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Frizzell were visitors Sunday in the home of their daughter of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. George Long.

Dinner guests in the Jack Frizzell home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Lee Thomas and children of Floydada and Pat Frizzell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Henderson

have been spending some time in Plainview visiting with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Rodgers and Vickie. Little Vickie is some better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brannon and girls of Silverton were dinner guests in the Bailey Henderson home Sunday.

Bobby Nance and Helen Sprue of Amarillo were Saturday evening visitors in the W. D. Nance home. Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Henderson and sons and Earl and Don Mercer visited in the evening also. Don Mercer is spending the week in the W. D. Nance home.

Mrs. Bob Merrill and Mark Wade visited with LaNelle Griffith Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scarborough and girls of Amarillo and Hope McGhee were overnight guests

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**Aiken News**  
By Mrs. M. B. Salmon

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dorman and family spent last weekend with relatives and friends in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Snider and Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Snider were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Snider last Sunday in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McDuff of Chico spent last weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Horton.

Mrs. Jay M. Tye's sister from Dallas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay M. Tye last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McDuff of Anson were dinner guests last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Horton.

The Aiken community welcomes Rev. and Mrs. F. R. Pickens who will pastor the Aiken and Sterley Methodist churches. We also wish Rev. and Mrs. Oran D. Smith the best of luck in their new church at Leuders.

Mrs. A. P. Longfelt and Mrs. Don Colson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Schacht near Lockney Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burns and family of Matador spent Monday and Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Salmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Compton and L. A. made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Harvey Copeland made the wheat harvest at Chillicothe last week.

Mrs. Lois Williams and Mrs. Connie O'Brien went shopping in Lubbock Thursday.

Misses Peggy Williams and Nita Wesley spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Conner near Plainview.

Mrs. L. T. Cox, Margie and Butch made a business trip to Floydada Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Keys Jr., Jimmie and Janis were supper guests Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Moore.

Mrs. Ernest Tucker, Bobbie, Fred and Janie, Billie Moore and Ben Hodges of Roswell, N. M. were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Grisham and Randy are vacationing near San Antonio.

**Two Sure Signs of Open Weather**



Two 100 per cent-guaranteed harbingers of summer are paint-up time at amusement parks and the increasing appearance of top-down Chevrolet convertibles. This impatient family group watches a painter put finishing touches on a dry-land boat ride while brother prepares to ward off attacks by Indians.

**Methodist Notes**

Back to Lockney for another year's work. That sounds good to me. I hope it sounds good to you. The word work is the best word in the sentence. There is much to do. There are people to win for Christ and His church. There are indifferent church members that need to be brought back into the service of God. There are those who are new in our church that need to be encouraged. There are people all around that need our help. They are in need both spiritually and materially. Maybe we can not go to these people, but can help to send others. May this new year be a year of sacrificial work in our church.

We had a fine report this past year. Forty-seven additions to the church. We paid \$5000 into the Benevolent causes of our church. We paid for all expenses, \$14,845. That is good, but not as good as it should be. May we, by the grace of God, do such a year's work that Jesus could say to each of us, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant."

Thoughts for the week: Religion costs, but irreligion costs much more. Why wait until you are dead to come to church? "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble." Newton Daniel, Pastor.

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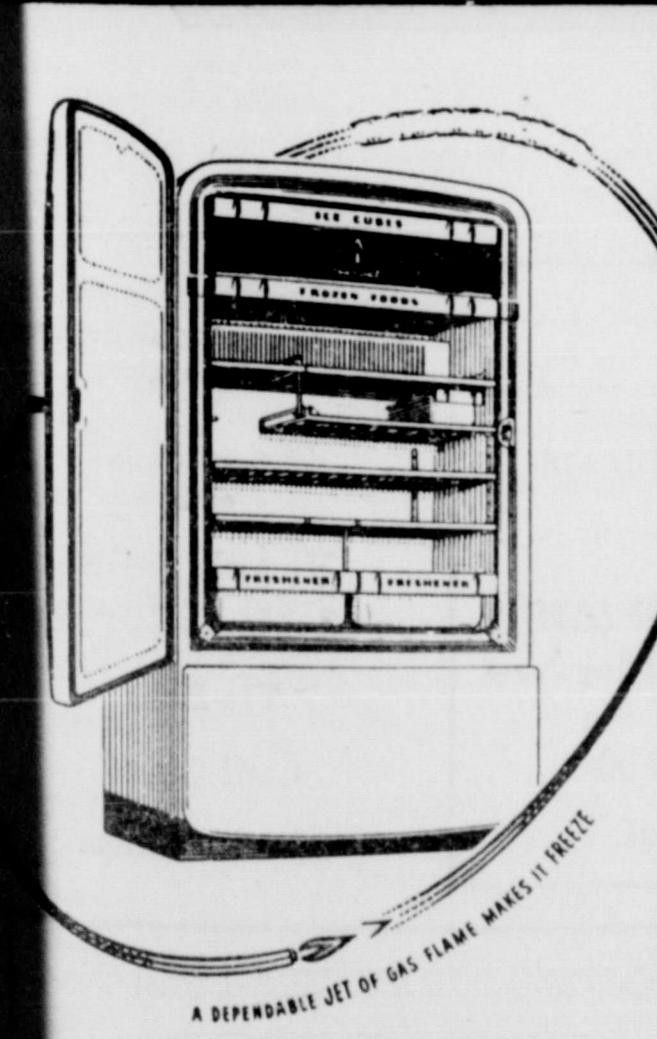
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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stowe and Mr. and Mrs. David Stowe and Connie are vacationing in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Scott and Sonny visited relatives at Albany over the weekend.

Mrs. Charlie Elam, Mary, Bennett and Mrs. Elam's grandson of Tulsa were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Elam.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred O'Brien and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil O'Brien of Lamesa were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Connie O'Brien. Kay returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Snider and son of Plainview were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Snider.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Campbell attended singing at Petersburg Sunday afternoon.

The annual Vacation Bible School will be held at the Aiken Baptist Church June 12-16. All boys and girls from beginners through intermediates in Aiken community are invited to attend. The school will be held each afternoon from 2:30 until 5. Department superintendents would

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Floyd, their granddaughter, Carolyn, and Mr. and Mrs. Arch Keys of Plainview left Tuesday for California where they will be for an extended visit with Mr. Floyd's and Mrs. Key's brothers who live near Los Angeles.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Harris and Ilene Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Alexander of Olton, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Willis, Benny and David of Amarillo, Mrs. B. C. Willis and Emmett of Floydada, and Mrs. Byron Ford and Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cox, Nove Jean and Wanda Mae, and Mrs. Pepper Martin of Hart returned home Tuesday morning from Oklahoma City where Nove Jean and Mrs. Martin attended Balyeat Clinic. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Patterson and children, former residents of Pleasant Valley, in Lawton, Oklahoma Monday.

Miss Carolyn Campbell spent Sunday night with Margie Cox.

Mrs. Carl McAdams left Monday for Lexington, Ky., where she will visit for a month with her daughter and family, Dr. and Mrs. Wilford Cooper and boys.

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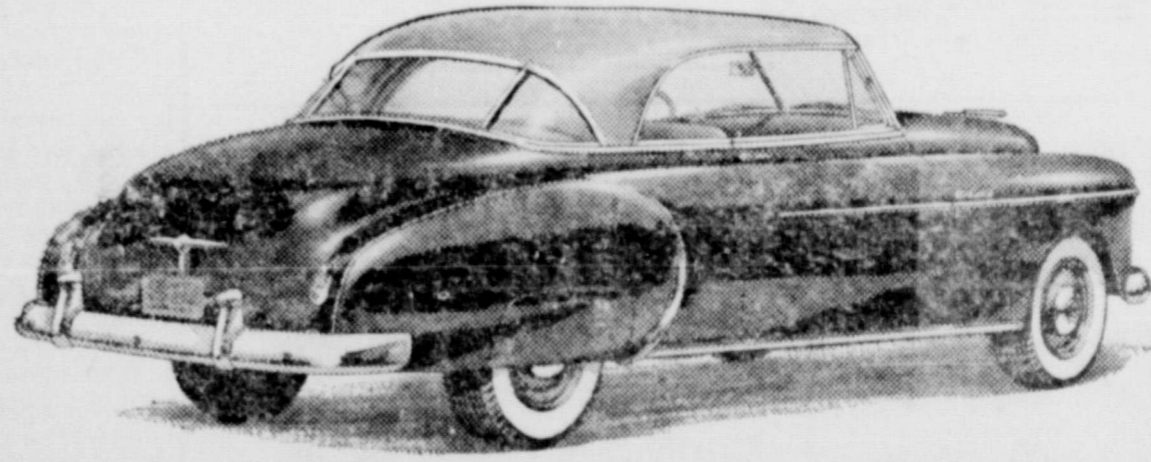
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Mrs. Olive Myers, Mrs. Jay McPherson and two daughters, Mylie Mudgett and Gene Messer attended the wedding of Donald Myers and Virginia Hunter at Canyon Saturday afternoon.

Visitors in the L. W. McCuiston home this week are their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Stinson from Ft. Worth.

Port Arkansas is called the Tarpon Capitol of the world.

The Texas State Penitentiary at Huntsville was built in 1849.

Most of the world's supply of helium is produced around Amarillo, Texas.

### Teen-Agers Stage Mass Elopement



BIRMINGHAM, ALA. — These four teen-aged couples eloped and were married in a mass ceremony. They then returned here, where they received their parents' blessing, and enjoyed Sunday dinner at the home of two of the grooms. Now, they're house-hunting, and insist they'll all live together. Left to right they are: Roy Lee, 20, and his wife Helen, 16; Johnny Lynch, 16, and his wife, Elaine, 17; James Cash, 19, and his wife, Moise, 15, are dancing, while Charles Cash, 19, and his bride, Charlie May, 17, play the phonograph.

### Hospital News

Glenn Welch is still improving.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blair are parents of a baby daughter born June 4. She has been named Kathy Jane and weighed 7 pounds. Mother and daughter were dismissed June 7.  
Mrs. Jack Orr, who has been receiving medical treatment is improving.  
Mrs. H. R. Leaverton was admitted June 4, dismissed June 5.  
J. C. Colvin Sr., was admitted June 2.  
Luis Amaya was admitted June 6 for medical treatment.  
Mrs. Bobby Tiner was admitted June 7.  
LaWauna Hamilton was admitted June 2 for an appendectomy, dismissed June 6.

### Gibson Gives Advice On Chiggers

"How to get rid of chiggers," is the most popular request being made of the County Agent the past few days. The answer is that there is no permanently effective way. Gibson said that they bite him the same as any one else.  
Dusting the lawn with about 5 pounds of sulphur per 100 square feet helps rid the lawn until a rain is received or the lawn is watered, however if the sulphur is applied several times during the summer it is possible that the grass will be damaged.  
The best way to keep from being bothered by chiggers is to stay off the grass especially sitting or lying. Whenever it is necessary to get in grass or weeds dusting the legs and shoes with sulphur will usually keep the chiggers from getting on the body, Gibson said.

The best possible care should be given to peach trees suffering from delayed foliage. The delayed foliage is a result of last winter's mild weather. There wasn't enough cold weather before February 15 to break the rest period of the trees. This conditions has occurred in Texas only four times in the past 50 years.

Small garden tractors, it is reported, are being over produced and price cuts will result later this summer.

### Burlington Officials Tour This Area

A group of almost 50 officials of the Burlington Lines toured this area this week. The group passed through Lockney Tuesday afternoon on their way to Lubbock.

Headed by Harry C. Murphy of Chicago, president of the Burlington Lines, the officials were on the annual inspection tour of their railway properties.

A luncheon was served at the Hilton Hotel in Plainview at noon Tuesday at which a number of business men of the area were invited to attend and meet the officials. Mr. Murphy was the principal speaker at the luncheon, expressing the thought that the railroads did not object to competition but that subsidized competition was unfair not only to the railroads but to the general public who used the railroads for shipping or passenger traffic.

The group was scheduled to go to Amarillo from Lubbock. Some of the railway officials in the party in addition to Mr. Murphy included L. R. Capron, vice-president of Chicago; Charles A. Guy, Lubbock, a director; Robert L. Hoyt, general passenger agent, Fort Worth; Arch S. Underwood, Lubbock, director; Guy Victory, Lubbock.

Attending the luncheon from Lockney were R. E. Patterson, Charles Baxter, G. M. Brunnier, J. D. Wood and Edgar R. Hays.

More coal is being produced than the market will absorb. This is the result of the switch over to other types of fuel due to the interruptions in coal production resulting from frequent strikes. The result: price cutting and closed mines. A push for government control of coal by coal companies is predicted.

### Truman Tours



CRESTON, IA.—President Truman will always have one sure haven in case of political trouble as the result of his transcontinental tour. He is shown receiving the city key at Creston from Mayor Arnold Cook.

### Floyd Boys Win District Grass Judging Contest

The Floyd County 4-H Club grass judging team composed of Billy Jo Hambricht, Bob Hambricht and Troy Lee McNeill was named the first place winner in the District 2 elimination contest held at Texas Tech College, Tuesday, May 30. These boys won over the 17 other Counties comprising Extension District 2. These Floyd County boys will represent District 2 at the annual 4-H Club Round-Up at Texas A. & M. College June 12-14, and compete with the winner of the other 12 districts for the State Championship.

New busses are now being built to use propane gas instead of gasoline. Builders report orders pouring in. It is claimed this type of fuel will effect a saving of two cents a mile over gasoline.

The use of a new method of control for the corn earworm may make sweet corn a profitable crop in areas where previously the damage done by the earworm made the crop unprofitable.

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