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## Scholastics In District Show 10% Increase

Scholastics in the Lockney Rural High School district will show an increase of at least 10% when the enumeration is complete, according to an estimate Wednesday by Supt. Sidney Reeves. A total of 821 students have already been enumerated in the district and a check against last year's rolls is expected to increase the number to around 875, Mr. Reeves said. The final total enumeration last year was 787.

In Lockney proper 472 students have been enumerated this year against a total last year of 408. The above figures do not include transfers from other districts which will increase the number attending school here still more. Quite a few students are usually transferred into this district from adjoining districts which do not teach high school subjects.

## Betty Vernon Wins Trip To Ridgecrest

Betty Vernon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Vernon, will attend an encampment for the Young Women's Auxiliary of the Baptist W. M. U. at Ridgecrest, North Carolina, June 9-21 with all expenses paid.

Betty was awarded the trip last Saturday at a house party for young women at Wayland College, Plainview. She was required to pass all Girls Auxiliary requirements and write 10 reasons why she wanted to attend the Ridgecrest encampment. She won over girls from Baptist Churches in 20 counties on the Plains.

## Legion Sponsors Stage Show Here

The American Legion post is sponsoring a stage show at the City Auditorium here on Thursday and Friday nights of next week. Title of the show is "Shooting Stars" and it will feature around 60 local people impersonating famous television and radio stars on a simulated television show, according to Miss Virginia Gretzer, who is directing.

Twenty high school girls all fitted in special costumes will furnish the singing and dancing for the show. One lady will impersonate Kate Smith singing with a group of 10 ladies in black face.

Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs will also be present with 11 small children acting out the story while it is being read by a local impersonator of Frank Allison on "Tell-A-Story" time.

There will be a Roy Acuff "Happy Hay Ride" with a lot of singing and a variety of other impersonations.

Money derived from the show will go to the Boy Scout building fund and to the Legion Auxiliary.

**Tiny Tot Contest**  
A Tiny Tot Contest is being sponsored by the Legion in connection with the show. The pictures of the contestants will be displayed in a down town store window and each child will have a box in a local store where votes at one cent each may be placed. The winners will be crowned and presented prizes on the stage at the City Auditorium Friday evening, April 11.

Children 6 years of age and under are invited to enter, it was said, and mothers are asked to contact Mrs. Billie Harris.

**NEW ARRIVAL**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. David Sechrist a baby boy Sunday morning, March 30 at a Floydada hospital. The young fellow has been named James David and he weighed seven pounds, 11 ounces. The mother and baby came home Monday and are doing fine. The baby has two big sisters.

**HAS MAJOR OPERATION**  
Mrs. Claude Hammond underwent a serious operation in the Medical Arts Hospital, Dallas, Friday of last week. She was reported to be feeling much better and improving Tuesday.

**BOB SIMMONS RETURNS**  
Bob Simmons, who took a little vacation trip down to Waco and Corpus recently returned home Thursday. Uncle Bob's trip was interrupted by a fall he had badly bruising his knee and leg.

**Managers Meet**  
All softball teams play in the Lockney this year are asked to meet Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the Fire Hall, according to announcement by C. W. Peterson, secretary-treasurer. He is interested in having a team in the league this meeting, Mr.

**HOME**  
Johnson, who fell two days ago and broke a leg was brought to her home from the hospital today to sit in a bed. She is doing fine, reports.



C. E. MCGAUGHEY who will preach in a meeting at the Main Street Church of Christ here April 7 through April 16.

## Meeting At Main Street Church To Start April 7th

A gospel meeting will begin at the Main Street Church of Christ here on Monday night, April 7th and will continue through Wednesday, April 16. It was announced this week by George S. Devoll, minister.

C. E. McGaughey will be the evangelist for the meeting and will preach twice each day, at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. Mr. McGaughey held a meeting in the local church about two years ago and is well known here by the membership. He is from Springfield, Mo.

The public is cordially invited to attend, Mr. Devoll said.

## \$7,000 Damage In Hammond Fire

An estimated \$7,000 damage resulted in a fire at the Claude Hammond home here early Friday morning. Damages to the house totaled \$5,100 and the entire furnishings were ruined by the heat and smoke, Mr. Hammond said.

The Hammonds were away from home at the time, Mrs. Hammond undergoing a serious operation in a Dallas hospital the day of the fire. They had left home Monday. Origin of the blaze was unknown but it was believed to have started from wiring in a wall between the kitchen and living room. A passerby discovered smoke coming from the house about 7:30 a. m. and sounded the alarm. The fire had apparently smoldered for several hours in the wall and under the floor before being discovered.

Fire damage was confined to the floor, living room and kitchen but the entire house was damaged by smoke and heat.

Workers were busy redecorating the interior of the home and came back to work Friday morning to discover the damaged house.

Mr. Hammond has been here this week to talk with insurance company representatives but went back to Dallas to be with his wife.

**False Alarm Saturday**  
A false alarm Saturday morning sent the Lockney Fire Department scurrying over the countryside seeking the fire and could have resulted in serious consequences. A boy called in and said that the Harmon Handley home was on fire. The truck made the run to the Handley home here in town and found no fire. They then went to the Handley farm four miles southwest of town where the Handleys are building a new home and likewise found no fire. The Handleys recently lost their home by fire and the event proved quite a shock to both Mr. and Mrs. Handley. Officials believe that the alarm was turned in falsely, the penalty for which is rather severe.

## County Ginnings Total 92,661 Bales

A report from Fred Bell, special agent of the Census Bureau, shows that 92,661 bales of cotton were ginned in Floyd County from the crop of 1951 as compared to 23,722 bales from the 1950 crop. The above figure does not reflect the estimated 20,000 to 30,000 bales of Floyd County cotton ginned in other counties of the area.

## Lockney Gin To Construct New Building Here

The Lockney Gin laid the foundation this week for a new gin building on their gin lot in south Lockney and will construct a new all-steel building to house the gin, according to Lester Carter, manager. Also included in the program is the rebuilding and enlarging of their gin plant.

The new building will be built just a few feet northeast of the present gin building. The gin machinery will be rebuilt, more cleaners and dryers will be added and another stand will be added to make the plant a 5-stand gin, Mr. Carter said.

**Buildings Started**  
The new Storie gin plant, to be located at the northwest edge of the city limits, is going up with the steel building now taking shape. The sides and roof are almost all up.

At the Cassel gin at Lone Star this building is also taking shape and the work going right along.

## Meeting Begins At Prairie Chapel

A gospel meeting will begin at the Prairie Chapel Church of Christ on Saturday night, April 5 and continue through April 13. It was announced this week by members.

Frank Duckworth of Dallas will do the preaching and services will be held at 7:45 each evening and Sunday morning at 10:30. Everyone is invited to attend the services, it was said.

## Mrs. McGowen Dies Suddenly

Mrs. Bud McGowen died suddenly of a heart attack early Friday morning at the home of her sister, Miss Marie McAlister in Plainview. She was thought to be improving from a recent operation when the attack claimed her life.

Mrs. McGowen had surgery on March 8 and was recuperating at her sister's home. Her death was very unexpected.

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church here on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock conducted by Rev. R. H. Campbell of Plainview and Rev. N. S. Daniel of Lockney. Interment was in the Plainview cemetery. Pallbearers were Lem Brock, Frank Garrett, Walter Hollams, Frank McLeod, Barney Manning, Shirley Rice.

Mrs. McGowen was born July 23, 1904 at Whitt, Texas. She was married to B. R. (Bud) McGowen on September 2, 1923. The family had lived near Lockney the past 10 years, moving here from Flomot. She was a member of the Lockney Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband, four sons, Donnie Ray who lives at home, Jimmie Lee and Orvil L. McGowen, of Plainview, Sam R. McGowen of Lubbock; two grandchildren; three sisters, Miss McAlister of Plainview, Mrs. J. A. Wolf of Lamesa and Mrs. D. E. Norrid of Amarillo; her mother, Mrs. Emma McAlister of Plainview.

## Wood, Hammond And Webster Are Named Aldermen

In a surprisingly large vote Tuesday George Webster, Claude Hammond and J. D. Wood were elected aldermen. A total of 210 votes were cast which is an unusually large number of votes for a city election here.

Six write-in candidates appeared on the ballot but no one of them received very many votes. Hammond led the ticket with 169 votes while Webster received 149, and Wood received 129. C. E. Childers, also on the ticket, received 97 votes and in write-in votes Austin Meriwether received 29. J. D. Copeland received 9. Frank Perkins received 1. J. H. Cooper received 1 and A. R. Meriwether received 1.

The newly elected aldermen will take office at the first meeting of the council, Terms of Lloyd Wofford, Austin Meriwether and J. H. Cooper expire at that time.

## Five Names On Trustee Ballot

Five names will appear on the ballot in the election Saturday to name two trustees to the board of the Lockney Rural High School District. For place one, the Prairie Chapel district the names of Ernest Tannahill and John T. Carthel are on the ballot. For place two, the Irick district the names of Melvin Potts, H. E. Seago and Homer Bartram are on the ballot.

Terms expiring are Hershel Carthel in the Prairie Chapel district and Henry Schacht in the Irick district. Both men refused to allow their names to appear on the ballot for re-election.

Election judge will be T. B. Mitchell and clerks are Mrs. Lula Woodburn and Mrs. Frank Dodson. The voting will be at the Lockney High School building. Polls will be open from 8 a. m. until 7 p. m.

**County Trustee Election**  
Voters in the election Saturday will be confronted with two ballots, the second one dealing with candidates for the county board. The names of Robert W. Smith of Sterley and Fred Battey of Floydada will appear on the ballot for the office of county trustee-at-large. Mr. Smith is the present trustee-at-large and Battey has held the office in previous years.

In precinct 3 voters will decide between Bill Beedy and Herman B. Thornton and Hershel Green is the only candidate from Precinct 4 for the county board. Holdovers on the board are Ben Quebe in this precinct and M. P. Goen from Precinct 1.

## Pupils To Present Program Over KFLD

The first grade pupils of the C. N. Townsend school will present a rhythm band program over the Floydada radio station, KFLD, beginning at 3:00 p. m. on Monday, April 7. Mrs. Troy Ray will accompany the group. The first grade teachers are Mmes. Clay Muncy, Nellie Brown, and C. E. Ball.

The children will also play for the Townsend Parent-Teacher Association on Tuesday, April 8, at 8 p. m.

## Community Singing At Aiken Tuesday

A community singing will be held at the Aiken Methodist Church Tuesday night and everyone is invited to attend, according to Charlie Andrews. Quartets from Floydada and Lockney are expected to be present and some good singing is in store.

The community singing has been held at the Aiken church several times, and Mr. Andrews is anxious that the people of the community and others who will attend.

## 2-Day Cooking School Planned April 10-11



MISS PATRICIA STEARNS, home service advisor for the Southwestern Public Service Co., will conduct the cooking school here April 10 and 11.



MISS CLYDE LITTLE, home service advisor, for Southwestern Public Service Co., will aid in the cooking school here April 10-11.

An all-electric cooking school presented by the Southwestern Public Service Co. and a number of Lockney appliance dealers has been announced for Thursday and Friday, April 10 and 11. The two-day school will be held at 2 p. m. each day at the City Auditorium here.

Electric appliance dealers who are co-operating with the public service company in the school are Plains Plumbing & Electric, Pennington Motor Co., Parker Furniture Co., Baker Hardware Co., Brunner Lumber Co., Hammond & Company and the White Auto Store. The local dealers are offering a \$200 electric merchandise certificate as a grand prize for those attending and it will be awarded at the conclusion of the last session of the cooking school. Small door prizes of electric merchandise will also be given by the electrical merchandise-dealers here both days.

All of the food prepared by the Southwestern Public Service Company's home service advisors, Miss Patricia Stearns and Miss Clyde Little, will be given away at the conclusion of each session. Miss Stearns promises some delicious steaks and a complete oven meal among the prepared food to be given away. Frozen pies will be added to the list of food each day.

Miss Stearns, who has headquarters in Plainview, will conduct the school, assisted by Miss Little from Clovis. Miss Stearns is well known in Lockney and this area. In cooperation with Miss Little, she has presented electric cooking schools in many plains communities in recent months.

## April 11 Clean-Up Day Here

Friday of next week, April 11, is Spring Clean-Up Day in Lockney and plans are to give the city a thorough cleaning, according to Joe Holt, chairman of the Public Health Committee.

The annual clean-up day is designed to help prevent the spread of disease by ridding the city of all trash and weeds possible.

Business houses will be asked to close from 10 a. m. until 3 p. m. and spend that time in cleaning their premises. The school will not be dismissed but the Explorer Troop of Boy Scouts will be asked to help. The city will furnish trucks to haul off all trash.

## P. T. A. To Meet Tuesday Night

The C. N. Townsend Elementary Parent-Teacher Association will meet Tuesday night, April 8, at 8 p. m. in the City Auditorium.

Weldon Dodson, principal, will bring the devotional. Music will be presented by the Rotary quartette and the first grade pupils will play several rhythm band numbers. Mrs. Troy Ray will accompany them. Mort Crapster will be the speaker for the meeting and his theme will be "Our Resources — Our Destiny."

The public is invited to attend and the members are urged to be present.

## CASH MARKETS

Poultry	
Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. & over	18c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs.	15c
Cocks, pound	8c
Eggs, No. 1 dozen	29c
Geese, pound	12c
Ducks, pound	10c
Young Tom Turkey	20c
Young Turkey Hens	25c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, pound	75c
Hides	
Hides, No. 1, pound	8c
Grain	
Wheat, per bushel	\$2.28
Milo, per cwt.	\$2.50

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### West Texas Electric Companies Show Gain

Abilene. — From 1946 to 1952, customers of electric power companies serving 90 per cent of West Texas increased a total of 66 per cent, while revenues rose 79 per cent, payrolls jumped 121 per cent and fuel costs went up 104 per cent, according to results of a survey published in the current issue of West Texas Aoday, monthly magazine of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

These companies are doing \$55 million of new construction this year to bring to more than \$245 million their total investment in expanded facilities in seven years.

### McMURRY STUDENTS TO BE HOME FOR EASTER

Abilene. — Janice Thompson and Sam Daniel, McMurry College students from Lockney, are two of the about 550 McMurry students who will be on Easter vacation from April 10-April 14.

The students will be dismissed from classes at noon, April 10 and will not have to report back until 8 a. m., April 14. This will be the last holiday of the year, as final examinations will be completed May 18.

### ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

A paper cup container in the kitchen and bathroom is a health measure as well as a time saver.

Queen Elizabeth was known as the Tudor Wench.

### Sterley News

by Mrs. M. A. Boone

Visitors in the W. B. Mullins home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Green of Crosbyton, Miss Pauline Mullins of Brownfield, Louis Franks of Tatum, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Webster and Bobby and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cunyus of Lockney.

Bert Bobbitt is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Lee Cates and family of Manila, Ark. and his son, W. N. Bobbitt and family of Oklahoma City this week.

Mrs. B. A. Howell and Mrs. M. A. Boone shopped and visited friends and relatives in Lubbock Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Allen and family visited in Muleshoe over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Gibson and family visited friends and relatives in Quitaque Sunday.

Miss Patsy Fortenberry of Cedar Hill spent the week end with Miss Eldora Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Penix and Narelne visited over the week end in Lefors.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Rivers and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rivers and girls spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives in Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fortenberry of Cedar Hill were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Howard have returned home for a few days visit. They have been in Fort Worth where he has been receiving medical treatment at St. Joseph Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shearer, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shearer and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Goode of Plainview were visitors in the L. A. Claborn home Sunday. Little Karen Lynne Shearer returned home with her parents. She has been visiting with her grandparents since Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sulter of Amarillo visited friends in Sterley Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett and family visited friends and relatives in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Yarbrough and children spent Sunday afternoon in Tulla visiting Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Newman.

Mrs. A. D. Yarbrough and Sandra and Mrs. V. L. Yarbrough shopped in Lubbock Wednesday.

### ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

With the new compact gas house-heating units, that are made to fit any corner or location, the basement can now take an air of cleanliness and space where a workshop, a game room or recreation center can be planned with pleasure.



Girl Scouts of Lockney are this week selling cookies from house-to-house. The money will be used for Scout projects.

### Every Day Is Vegetable Day

College Station. — "Every day should be vegetable day" states Louise Mason, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. She says every homemaker should plan to serve three different kinds of vegetables each day. The Texas Food Standard, the guide for good eating in Texas, suggests one serving of sweet or Irish potatoes, one serving of green or yellow vegetables and one serving of other vegetables.

Green and yellow vegetables are so named because of their color. Green vegetables include all kinds of green leafy vegetables, young and tender English peas, string beans, beet tops, green asparagus, green celery, water cress and parsley.

Yellow vegetables are few in number. Among these are carrots, yellow squash, cushaw, pumpkin and rutabaga.

The third group of vegetables is known as other vegetables. This group includes white squash, onions, beets, radishes, half mature beans and peas, white corn, cauliflower, bleached celery, bleached asparagus and cucumbers.

Miss Mason says vegetables furnish minerals, vitamins, some starch, protein and roughage. The minerals found in most vegetables are calcium, which is necessary for good bone and teeth development; iron which is an essential part of the blood and phosphorus, which works along with the calcium.

Green and yellow vegetables are very high in vitamin A. This vitamin is very important to the growth of children. It is needed by everyone for the maintenance of normal vision. It also helps keep the skin and linings of the nose, mouth and inner organs in good condition.

The Vitamin B group, known as thiamine, riboflavin and niacin, are found in many vegetables. Getting enough of these vitamins helps produce steady nerves, normal appetites, good digestion, good morale and healthy skin, says Miss Mason.

Good sources of vitamin C, known as ascorbic acid, are raw cabbage, tomatoes, greens, asparagus, green pepper and green lettuce. This vitamin helps keep the gums in good condition, prevents swelling of the joints and helps make strong muscles. Miss Mason points out that foods containing vitamin C must be eaten

each day because it is not stored in the body.

Vegetable proteins are considered incomplete because they can not do all the things for the body that complete proteins do, that is, build and repair body tissues. Therefore, says Miss Mason, the diet should also include meat, eggs, cheese, fish, poultry and milk along with the vegetables.

### ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

Increasing in popularity are the gas incinerators that come in many styles and make the garbage disposal problem a less distasteful experience.

### ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

A furniture scratch will not be so noticeable if you rub the meat of a nut into it. After it has dried thoroughly, wax over it.

It was an English courtier of Elizabeth's time, Sir Walter Raleigh, who paved the way for the settlement of America.

Robert Morris and Haym Salomon helped finance the American Revolution.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Beacon Office.

### PLAINVIEW COMMUNITY CONCERT APRIL 10

The final Community Concert of this season in Plainview will feature the Teltschick Brothers Duo Piano Team. It was announced this week by Mrs. J. B. Hardeman, concert chairman. The concert will play at the City Auditorium in Plainview instead of the new high school auditorium as was formerly planned, Mrs. Hardeman said.

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### BAPTIST BULLETIN

## First Baptist Church

LOCKNEY, TEXAS

J. R. NAYLOR, Pastor

ROYCE DOWELL, Ed. Dir.

### RECORDS SPEAK (Last Sunday)

Bible School	321
Avg. Att. in March	300
Training Union	124
Offering	\$407.88
Budget	\$336.38
Missions	71.50

Additions:  
Mrs. Lorena Reasoner  
(Promise of letter from Benjamin)

### PASTOR'S NOTES

Did you have a part in helping make the above records? I am new and do not know everybody yet, but I know of many who should have been in these services who were not. With your cooperation and prayers our church can be the Church that God would be pleased with. "If every church member was just like me, what kind of a church would my church be?"

### DEACONS MEETING

This will be the first Deacons meeting since the new Pastor has been on the field. Several items of business need to be discussed. Come at 3:00 this Sunday afternoon.

### CROSS FOR SALE

One Cross, nearly new. I cannot carry it and keep up with the world and its crowd. One talent, new except slightly shelf-worn. It has been laid away for years in a napkin. One five-piece set of armour. All pieces are in good shape, only need polishing. One badly used Christian Influence. Buyer may be able to repair this influence if carefully handled. The above mentioned items are stored in the basement of my home, located on Neglect Street.

Signed,  
A LOTA CHRISTIANS.

### ACTIVITIES FOR YOU NEXT WEEK

W. M. U. Monday

Monday

Royal Service (Spence Circle)	
Topic: "Hawlians Are Americans Too."	
Sunbeams	3:00
G. A.'s	4:15
R. A.'s	4:15

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

We began last Wednesday night our systematic study of the Bible. We have started in Genesis and plan to go on through the Bible.

### ARE YOU NEW IN THE LOCKNEY COMMUNITY?

If so, do not wait for someone to give you an invitation to church. You are always welcome. Come to see us and we will come to see you.

### OUR SUNDAY SERVICES

Bible School	10:00
Morning Worship	11:00
Training Union	7:00
Evening Worship	8:00

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### Rain gives me a pain

Rainy spring weather is strictly for the birds... and not the ones in the poultry yard. Dampness often brings on intestinal coccidiosis, which can play heck with a chicken's insides. I'm thankful we have Dr. Salsbury's Sulfa (Veterinary) around. Sulfa clears-up intestinal "coxy" fast!

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### Property Of Death



### Drouth, Livestock Numbers Demand Big Feed Crop

College Station. — Livestock numbers, except cattle and chickens, on Texas farms and ranches at the beginning of 1952 were lower than a year ago. For the entire nation cattle numbers were 7 per cent larger than on January 1, 1951, while for Texas the increase was only 2 per cent. The severe drouth over the state has seriously hampered livestock production and has hit hardest the sheep and goat producing sections, says C. H. Bates, farm management specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Stock sheep numbers in Texas showed a slight upturn in 1950 but were down 10 per cent on January 1, 1952 compared to a year earlier. There was 6 per cent fewer goats than a year ago

and 5 per cent fewer hogs. This means that livestock numbers have been kept relatively low, during a period of favorable returns, because of reduced feed supplies. Even now, Texas farms and ranches have almost 9 million cattle, over 6 million stock sheep and 1.6 million hogs. Also, at the start of 1952, Texas farms had about 23 million chickens and a half million turkeys, which was an increase over the year before. In specialized broiler areas, Texas growers raise about 50 million broilers annually, says Bates.

Feed reserves have been depleted because of abnormally heavy feeding during the past few months and feed supplies per animal unit are now the lowest since 1947, points out Bates. Unless the weather becomes extremely favorable for the production of large feed crops this year, reserves are likely to drop still further, he adds. So it looks like higher feed costs are ahead, unless stockmen plan wisely and

get a better break on the weather.

With moisture conditions in some areas improved by recent rains, farmers should plan to produce adequate feed crops this season. The highest yielding varieties should be planted. Plant for a good stand and use fertilizers whenever possible to produce the maximum yields, says the specialist.

Another important item is to plan for increased feed storage on the farm. Prices of feed grains and hay tend to drop at harvest time and with proper storage, the surplus can be held until the temporary "glut" is relieved. If plans for storage bins are needed, farmers should see their local agent for blueprints. The local Production and Marketing Administration provides facility loans to farmers who need financial aid on constructing storage facilities.

And finally, Bates suggests that all livestock producers put into operation a complete forage production and storage program.

This will include supplemental pastures, improving the permanent ones and storing enough forage and grain to take care of such situations as now exists. Forage, says Bates, can be stored for years in a silo and he recommends that silage crops be included in this year's production program.

#### ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

Here's an idea for baked potatoes that's extra good eating. Bake potatoes in the oven of your gas range. When done, cut slice from top and scoop out. Mash the potatoes and beat in about 1 1/2 tablespoons of hot milk for each potato. Season to taste. Now stir in one tablespoon shredded cheddar cheese for each potato. Pile lightly into potato shells; put into hot oven until tops are brown.

Two men have been candidates for the presidency, Victoria Woodhull nominated in 1872, and Belva Lockwood in 1884 and 1888.

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**TIP FOR SPRINGTIME**—Where to store blankets safely through the summer is a problem every housewife faces in the spring. Stored in closets or portable wardrobes, bulky blankets take a lot of room, often fall prey to moths. Here's a good solution. Put cleaned blankets in a new galvanized rubbish can and keep it in the attic or basement. A paper seal between the lid and the top of the can keeps out moths and dust. Quality ware, with durable galvanized coating, is inexpensive and will last for many years as a moisture- and rodent-proof storage container.

wording of the will so that it states plainly what disposition the testator desires for the property.

A third option in disposing of property is through joint ownership. There are three methods of owning property jointly. Joint tenancy is when two or more persons own any kind of property as "joint tenants" on the deed or bill of sale transferring property. Secondly there is "tenancy by the entirety" which is possible only for a wife and husband and applies only to real property. Then there is tenancy in common where two or more persons hold any kind of property as "tenants in common." The deed or bill of sale carries all the names and makes no reference to survivorship. Each of the three joint ownership of property options carries its own method of disposing of the property which should be thoroughly understood.

Each property owner has a choice of any of the three methods of disposing of property.

**ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS**  
Tuna fish mixed with cooked macaroni, a sharp cheese, sliced onions make an easy casserole dish. Top with crushed potato chips and bake in a moderate oven of the gas range for 30 minutes.

The Amazon River is 3,900 miles long.

MY CLEAN ELECTRIC RANGE IS ALWAYS BRIGHT AND SHINY!



## SEE CLEAN COOKING

At The

# ALL-ELECTRIC COOKING SCHOOL

APRIL 10-11

2:00 -4:00 P. M.

## CITY AUDITORIUM

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# Society News

## Girl Scout Troop 4 Honored At Dinner

The dining rooms of the First Baptist Church, decorated with the Easter motif was the scene of a dinner given in honor of the girls of Scout Troop 4, Thursday evening, March 27.

For the invocation the scouts sang their "Grace Song." Patrice Marshall, Kay Lyn Phillips, and Barbara Rigby were the announcers for the evening. Linda Baxter, Nancy Bollman, and Peggy Ford rendered several piano numbers and Lawauna Taylor gave a reading. Elaine Cooper and Rita Johnson, accompanied by Peggy Ford, sang "Easter Parade" and Janice Hays, Debra Ferguson, Patsy Ashton and Shirley Mitchell, accompanied by Mrs. Ashton, sang "Peter Cottontail." Second class badges and year pens were presented to the troop members.

Mrs. Ike Johnson and Mrs. Clyde Baxter were elected leader and assistant leader for the troop.

Dinner was served to Messrs. and Mmes. George Taylor, Clyde Baxter, Henry Bollman, Edgar Hays, Leslie Ferguson, Doug Marshall, R. H. Ford, Milton Ashton, Chester Mitchell, and Mmes. Melvin Cooper, Ike Johnson, W. H. Rigby, and Harold Dollar.

Scouts Patrice Marshall, Kay Lynn Phillips, Barbara Rigby, Linda Baxter, Nancy Bollman, Peggy Ford, Lawauna Taylor, Elaine Cooper and Rita Johnson, Janice Hays, Debra Ferguson, Patsy Ashton, and Shirley Mitchell.

Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Campbell of Plainview visited Grandmother Harper here Saturday afternoon.

## Huff Home Is Scene Of Party

A delicious turkey dinner was spread last Sunday, March 30, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Huff celebrating the birthdays of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Huff. Mrs. Huff's birthday was March 27 and Mr. Huff's birthday was March 28.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Olin Huff and daughters, Patricia and Charlotte, of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Degg and son, Olin Douglas, of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Preston Greenhaw of Plainview.

Afternoon guests were Messrs. and Mmes. W. C. Watson, H. P. Coleman, J. C. Chambers and Gerald of Lockney, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blair of Tulia.

An enjoyable afternoon was spent in visiting and singing.

## Vikkee Hammitt Is Party Honoree

Miss Vikkee Carole Hammitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hammitt, was honored on her second birthday Tuesday, April 1, with a party in her home.

Refreshments of individual cake squares, ice cream, soda pop, cheese sandwiches, and candy were served to Judy Billbrey, Larry Cook, Sherry Carthel, Ricky Kellison, Joy and Van Bradley, Joe Bob and Jerry Newman, Larry and Nancy Mitchell, Dara Bybee, Lynn Murphy, and Mmes. G. W. Newman, J. B. Billbrey, Bobby Carthel, Donnie Bybee, Glenn Mitchell, Earl Kellison, Martin Bradley, Don Murphy, Kenneth Cook, and the honoree and hostess.

Some people are fenced off from success by their own railing.



MRS. RUBY GARRETT, the Center. The couple were married former Ruth Lanell Jones of Hale March 22. Photo by Miles Studio —Engraved by Plainview Herald-News

## Jones-Garrett Vows Are Read

Miss Ruth Lanell Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jones of Hale Center, became the bride of Ruby Dwayne Garrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett of Plainview, Saturday evening, March 22, at 6:30 o'clock in the chapel of the First Baptist Church with Rev. C. G. Sewell officiating.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rexrode of Lockney and the sister of Mrs. Donald Johnson of Lone Star. The Jones are former residents of the Lone Star community.

Preceding the ceremony, Miss Jeannine Green, organist, played a group of pre-nuptial selections and accompanied Mrs. Rose Melody Wolf as she sang "Because," "I Love You Truly" and "The Lord's Prayer" as a benediction.

Given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Donald Johnson of Lockney, the bride wore a gown of white satin fashioned with a fitted bodice and off shoulder yoke of Chantilly lace. The long sleeves came to points over her hands. The bride's bouquet was

a white orchid surrounded by stephanotis with flowing white satin streamers.

Miss Nell Ruth Waldroup of Dallas was maid of honor and Troy Daniel served as best man.

Miss Ruby Morris and Mrs. Mack Bevel were candlelighters and the ushers were Joe Garrett and Mack Bevel.

A reception was held in the parlor of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Garrett is a graduate of Hale Center high school and Mr. Garrett is a graduate of Plainview high school. The bride will continue to live in Plainview where she is employed as a bookkeeper for Wayland College and her husband, who is a Fireman 3rd Class in the U. S. Navy, will return to Boston, Mass., where he is stationed.

## THE GARDEN CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY

The regular meeting of the Lockney Garden Club will be held in the home of Mrs. Arthur Barker Friday, April 4, at 3 p. m.

All members are to bring some antique to this meeting.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

## Mrs. Bollman Was Hostess To Club

Mrs. Henry Bollman was hostess to the Lockney Home Demonstration Club Thursday, March 27. Mrs. I. A. Applewhite presided in the absence of the president and Mrs. Frank Messimer gave the council report. The program was on gardening and "Taking Samples for Soil Analysis." Mrs. E. L. Stapp gave a talk on "Vegetable Gardens" and Mrs. L. M. Honea gave a talk on "Flower Gardens."

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Calvin Tomme, Ross Cooper, R. E. Ivy, Raymond Watson, H. D. Wright, B. B. Moody, Garland Tams, K. L. Hall, E. L. Stapp, J. S. Hill, L. M. Honea, Frank Messimer, Fred Anderson, I. A. Applewhite, W. M. Whorton, and the hostess, Mrs. Bollman.

The next meeting, April 17, will be "Guest Day."

## W. M. S. Had Bible Study

The Women's Missionary Society of the Aiken Baptist Church met in the church Wednesday, March 26, at 2:30 p. m. for Bible Study. The meeting opened by a prayer that was led by Mrs. J. M. Tye. After a brief business session, Mrs. O. B. Dorman taught the Bible lesson

from "A Year of the Bible." Those present were Henry Moore, Elam, Dub Smith, L. L. Smith, and J. Wiley.



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For District Clerk: MARY L. McPHERSON

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For County Attorney: KENNETH BAIN, JR.

CARD OF THANKS

When we try to express the gratitude we feel in our hearts for the many, many kindnesses you have shown us during the long illness of our loved one we find that words are entirely inadequate to express our true feelings. A great many people have helped us in so many ways that we cannot begin to mention all of them. We are deeply grateful for your every act of kindness and expression of sympathy. You will never know how much we do appreciate what you have done for us but our Heavenly Father knows and may He reward you for your goodness. Kirby Foard and Glenda.

CARD OF THANKS

I am deeply grateful to you all for the flowers and cards during the time I was in the hospital. Thanks so much for remembering me. Mrs. M. S. Johnson and family.

SOCIETY

The Jolly Stitches Met Thursday Eve.

The Jolly Stitches Club met Thursday evening, March 27, in the home of Mrs. W. O. Stuart. An interesting afternoon was spent in "Textile Painting." Refreshments were served to Mrs. C. E. Blair, Wallace Allen, W. G. Kinard, H. R. Stuart, E. T. Pigg, W. A. Jolly, N. M. Caldwell, Warren Graham, Ray Hillman, C. O. Williams, L. Sanderson, Oliver Holmes, and two guests. Mrs. K. E. Probosco and Mrs. Stitt, and the hostess, Mrs. Stuart.

The Pollyanna Club Met Thursday

The Pollyanna Club met in the home of Mrs. Charlie Smith Tuesday afternoon for an evening of sewing.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Charlie Cross, Joe Parrish, Pont Darnell, Warren Embree, Derrell Wood, Albert Waldroupe, Woodson Terrell, Owen Thornton, Barney Manning, Lloyd Wofford, and Olsen Allison.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Owen Thornton on Tuesday afternoon, April 15. All members are asked to remember that April 15 is Gift Day.

Mrs. Cox Presents Lockney Pupils In A Pioneer Program

Twelve pupils of Lockney grade school under the direction of Mrs. Lola I. Cox presented a varied program at the meeting Saturday of the Pioneer Club in the home of Mrs. F. E. Cave at Plainview. Mrs. Dave Taylor assisted Mrs. Cox as hostess.

Mrs. C. C. Casey introduced Mrs. Cox who in turn presented the twelve boys and girls who gave historical sketches of songs and writers of the Plains of Texas.

Sally Cox as mistress of ceremonies introduced her group with dignity and skill. The children sang Texas melodies; followed with several piano solos played by Gail Rucker, Gene Wofford, Kay Golden and David Howell. An accordion solo was given by Janis Widner; and also three songs were presented as chorus selections.

Others who participated in the program were Hope Cox, Loy O'Brien, Charlene Brown, Dolores Brown, Kelly Harbison and Nelson Wofford.

The group was graciously received by the club members and were extended an invitation to make another appearance.



NEW PIONEER PLANES — Pictured here is one of the new fleet of planes purchased by Pioneer Airlines and which will be used in this area. The plane seats 36 passengers and has wide vision windows. It cruises at 270 miles per hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Joe Ivy, Jean Taylor and Junior Keen, all of Plainview were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johns Cox Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Collins of Lamesa have moved here and are living in one of the Kenady apartments. He is working with the Keystone seismograph crew.

Miss Joyce Noland spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Wanda Cox.

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### EDITORIAL

The people which sat in darkness saw great light; and to them which sat in the region and shadow of death light is sprung up.—Matt. 4:16.

Now that President Truman has shown that he has more sense than most of us thought, it is time for the Democratic party member to start looking for the man he wants to be the nominee of the party.

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just because he happens to be the party nominee.

Who is the best man for the Democratic party to nominate? That we cannot say but we hope that local citizens will not become too much sold on Mr. Kefauver. Not that he isn't a good man. He did a wonderful job as head of the crime investigating committee and his services were of untold benefit to the nation. But the fact that he served well on one committee doesn't make him presidential timber. Beside that his views are very much the same as Truman's on a lot of things that are obnoxious to the South — the Fair Employment Practices act for one thing. Mr. Kefauver thinks that we should be legislated into hiring people we don't want to hire just as Mr. Truman thinks the same thing. In fact Kefauver has said on numerous occasions that his views and those of Mr. Truman are very similar.

Kerr of Oklahoma, Russell of Georgia, Stevenson of Illinois are other candidates although some have not just some right out and said so. Of this group Russell of Georgia and Kerr of Oklahoma of course will have views more beneficial and favorable to the south. But the question is, can a man from the South get the nomination and if he does get it can he win? A lot of people in the North, as well as some in the South, have not forgotten the Civil War yet and they will vote against a Southern man just as a matter of course.

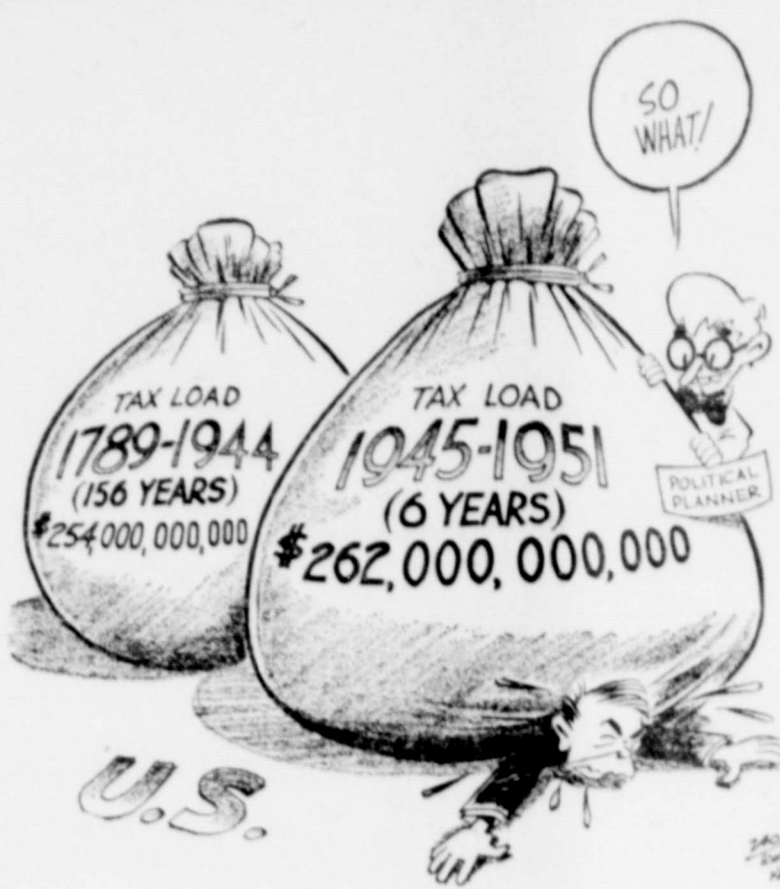
Congratulations to Congressman George Mahon and the other congressman from Texas who, being members of the appropriations committee, voted recently to cut off funds for an ambassador to the Vatican unless the Senate first approves such a mission. Of course, the vote might be termed one that put the cat on the back of the Senate but it was a good move at that. Truman's insistence on sending an ambassador to the Vatican is not only a violation of the principle of separation of church and state but just another way to spend money that will do the nation no good.

If you're going to want some extra copies of our 50th anniversary edition it would be good to place your order now. We plan to print some extra copies of this edition but we do not plan to print a great lot of them. Call or see us if you want extra copies.

The school trustee who is coming up Saturday is important to the school and the school district. Go to the polls and vote. There will be two ballots. Be sure that you vote both of them.

President Tyler saw himself burned in effigy before the White House.

## THE AMERICAN WAY



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### With Our EXCHANGES

#### O YE OF LITTLE FAITH

One lady carried a raincoat. The occasion was a prayer meeting for rain in sun-parched Central Texas.

That same night, the heavens opened and rain came down in torrents. The rain fell for a full hour, the first moisture that had fallen in the Waco area for a long, long time.

The report of the meeting, recently held in the First Baptist Church in Waco, told of the fervent prayers for rain to save the thirsty crops.

We were struck particularly by the reporter's sentence, "One lady carried a raincoat," and we concluded that others attending the prayer for rain did not have raincoats.

It was not related whether the rains came while the meeting was in progress or whether the rains gave the petitioners time to get home from the meeting.

But the rains did come, although only "one lady carried a raincoat." Her faith was justified.

All of which recalls a meeting held in another Central Texas town a number of years ago in which the handful of people prayed for rain to save the corn that was parching in the fields. . . . This time, too, the rains came, and they came even before the meeting closed. But on this occasion, not even one lady carried a raincoat, nor did the men have their slickers.

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INCREASED ALARM EXPRESSED OVER GROWING EXPENDITURES Increased alarm is being expressed by Congressional leaders in mushrooming government expenditures and taxation. Even if much of this concern is election year bitters (and this writer is sure a great deal of it is), the genuine need for a change is indicated. H. Parr Armstrong, lecturer

and world traveler who spoke to Hereford civic clubs this week while conducting a series of lectures at the First Christian Church, dwelt on this very matter in some length to Hereford businessmen.

Mr. Armstrong expressed the opinion that the government should use some of the military dollars and spend them on propaganda.

With approximately 85% of the national budget going for the military, some of the money should be spent to fight the kind of war the Russians are waging — an ideological war.

Guns and tanks will not win the war of man's mind. With Russia wooing the world in the "cold" war — and winning — we should devote SOME of our foreign expenditures to meet them on an equal propoganda wise.—W. W. K. in Hereford Brand.

#### KEFAUVER'S WIN

Republican leaders hailed the upset defeat of President Truman in New Hampshire as a "complete repudiation of Trumanism" and an omen for GOP victory in November. As for the man who beat the President, soft-spoken Senator Estes Kefauver of Tennessee said: "I have won a very wonderful victory, but I don't think this is a protest vote against President Truman. In general, I agree with Mr. Truman."

Kefauver said he thought his triumph over Truman indicated that Democratic voters want "new ideas, new faces and aggressive action." — Paducah Post.

President Ulysses S. Grant was the only president ever to be arrested during his term of office. He was arrested for exceeding the speed limit while driving a team of spirited horses through the streets of Washington.

Andrew Carnegie, the great philanthropist and business man wrote the following epitaph about himself: "Here lies a man who knew how to enlist in his service better men than himself."

John Law's scheme for exploiting the resources of French Louisiana was known as the Mississippi Bubble.

### Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

October 17, 1913 Walter S. Ayres, Sales Manager for the Pearson Syndicate, was in Lockney last Friday with another bunch of Northern prospectors from Iowa and Wisconsin. In the past two months Mr. Ayres has sold \$150,000 of irrigated property.

Word was received in Lockney yesterday that Judge L. W. Dalton died in Amarillo at 2 o'clock Thursday from the effects of an operation.

Bert Wells, aged six years, son of C. E. Wells, picked one hundred and one pounds of cotton last Monday. Bert is entitled to the championship of Texas for the best cotton picker in the state.

Wm. McGehee had the misfortune to get his cutter torn to pieces one day last week. He was filling a silo when an iron bar was fed through the machine.

J. R. Vandergriff has moved his offices to the two rear west rooms upstairs of the First National Bank building.

June 11, 1920 Mrs. Horace M. Russell died at 10:45 this morning at her home in Amarillo. She had been suffering a headache for a week and began to grow worse Sunday. Her condition did not become alarming until about thirty minutes before her death.

Messrs. C. R. Hatcher and John M. Livesay have secured the agencies for the Buick and

Overland cars. The territory and

Ed Reeves is that he will soon erect a filling station on the corner lot on the Main Street. The fire-proof way.

The tax payers and 3 will vote on the proposition of collecting an additional road tax.

Wednesday after McCollum held the meeting of farmers address by T. G. representative of the of Agriculture. the lines of marketing methods of the wheat and cotton.

October 15 The Lockney Lions won six games and football season. The Paducah tomorrow for their first contest.

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Plains

Murray Julian

Church Sunday were Bradford Beedy, Bradford's...

man, Harold Hoeksema, Eugene Beedy, James A. Higginbotham...

Mrs. Ralph McGuire was hostess at a Daggett and Ramsdell's...

Rev. Chas. Joiner is still in the hospital at Lockney, but he is recovering from his illness...

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and son were Friday night guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby...

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Whitlock from Roseland.

Rev. Earl Allen, Mrs. Allen and Norma were supper guests...

Dick Guest was visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman Monday and was a guest of Mac Smitherman at lunch.

Farewell Dinner At Fields Mr. and Mrs. Menard Field of Floydada were hosts at a dinner given in honor of their son, Adron and wife and children...

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Sanders gave a birthday dinner at their home on Sunday, honoring their son, Hansel. It was Mrs. Sanders birthday also.

Mrs. Grigsby Milton had a birthday dinner on Monday night in honor of her husband's birthday, and the birthday of Arby Mulder.

Guests in the H. L. Marble home Sunday were Mrs. E. C. King, Mrs. Pierce King and Leora, and J. L. King all from Floydada.

Rev. and Mrs. John Allen visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julian on Friday and watched the carpenters as they worked on the redecorating of the Julian home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rene Yeary took Mrs. Yeary's mother, Mrs. W. T. Weaver to Amarillo Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dean Brand.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Young and family had as their guests on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and girls. They all went to Quitaque during the afternoon.

The South Plains Home Demonstration Club will meet Wednesday, April 9, with Mrs. Sim Reeves as hostess and Mrs. Arby Mulder as co-hostess.

Mrs. J. B. Thames had a slumber party for all the girls in Mr. Thames' room at school on Friday night while Mr. Thames took the Boy Scouts on the camping trip.

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If you're economy minded but still long for a dressing table in the bathroom, cut down the legs of an old table, paint it with a glossy paint in a pastel shade, make a strip of flowered wallpaper for table top and put it under glass. It does the trick.

**ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS**  
For a living room catch-all, buy a small laundry basket, paint it a shiny white, have the frame and handles in a gay color. It's a perfect place for newspapers, magazines, mending kit.

In 1912, when Theodore Roosevelt was shot by John Schrank, a spectacle case deflected the assassin's bullet and saved the President's life.

There is a tree in South America called the rain tree, so named because the ejection of juice by cicadas upon it causes it to appear to be always raining under its branches.

**Providence News**

By Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

**Leadership Training School Held At Trinity Lutheran Church**  
Forty young Luther Leaguers from the following congregations of the Lubbock Federation met at Trinity Lutheran Church Sunday afternoon. They were from Slaton, Wichita Falls, Littlefield, Wilson and Providence Luther League.

The president of Lubbock Federation, Robert Becker from the Slaton congregation gave a very inspiring lecture on "Carrying On A League." The duties of the different departments and the chairmans duties. Miss Dale Maxwell of the Littlefield League gave an interesting lecture on league work. Miss Roselee Matthews and Miss Clara Sammann of our local league both gave inspiring messages on league work. Rev. Alyler from the Wilson congregation showed a film strip of the Lubbock Federations Bible Camp which was held at Kerrville, Texas last summer. The local League served a delicious supper to the guests, visitors and local members.

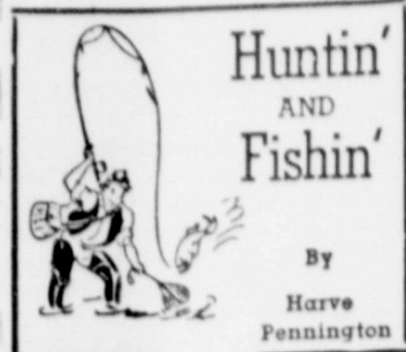
Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes Sunday were Carol Walters, Jo Ann Brewer, Edna Napier, Mrs. Wirz, Paul Wirz, Leon Mueller. They were leaguers from the Wichita Falls league where Rev. Lee Roy Brandes is pastor. Other dinner guests were Miss Clara Sammann, Mrs. Henry Sammann, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes, Debra, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner.

**Mrs. Ben Brandes Honored**  
Many of the friends of Mrs. Ben Brandes gathered in the Brandes home Friday night to surprise her on her birthday.

Many beautiful gifts were received by the honoree. Flash photos were taken of the guests and honoree opening her gifts. Delicious refreshments of a beautiful birthday cake baked by Mrs. L. B. Brandes which centered the table, cakes, sandwiches, cookies, cold pop and coffee were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Quebe, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brandes and sons, Loyd, and Luther, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Storer and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes and Debra, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele, Mrs. Joe Zimmermann, Mrs. Weldon Foster, Mrs. Adolph Schaffner, Miss Nelda Schaffner, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner.

Trinity Lutheran Church  
H. L. Anderson, Pastor  
April 2, Lenten Service 8 p. m. Choir rehearsal following service.  
April 5, Confirmation instruction.

April 9 a. m.  
April 6, Sunday School 10 a. m. Worship 11 a. m. Candle Light Circle meets at 3 p. m. with Mrs. A. D. Schaffner as hostess. Visitors are always cordially welcomed to Trinity Lutheran Church.  
April 11, Good Friday service 10:30 a. m.



The great popularity of fly fishing for bass in American waters today is due largely to the "kick" one gets from hooking a fighting bass on light tackle. The like of resistance offered by the fly rod and light feathered lure allows the bass great freedom, and as a result it will perform more aerial antics than when hooked with the larger lures and the short and heavier rod. Nothing is more exciting and invigorating than to watch from a boat a fighting black bass leap clear of the water and dance for a moment on the tip of his tail in an effort to free himself from the fly. For the sportsman who fishes purely for the love of the game and not for the fish themselves, such a thrill is his greatest reward.

The wide variety of fly rod lures for bass on the market today gives the fisherman an opportunity to select almost any shape, color, and construction he wishes. They are made from much the same material, namely feathers, deer hair, hackle, silk, light metal, and wood. Cork and straw are used in most cases, for the purpose of making the lures float and remain buoyant throughout the fishing trip. Bass bugs and large feather lures have a body of cork that is either wound with silk and varnished, or enameled with a paint of high, glossy finish.

It is well for the fly fisherman to select several types of fly

rod lures and try each out under various conditions. In so doing he can judge best for himself which ones are the most successful. Of course, it must be understood that the fisherman must have sufficient actual stream experience if he is to hook successfully his share of bass. One fisherman may condemn a certain lure because he is not able to make a good catch with it, while another fisherman may make the bass dance around on the tips of their tails in an effort to gobble it. Any of the fly rod lures on the market will take bass—if the lure is presented properly and at the right time. In some cases the bass may be feeding on some one else's bait. Take your own fly or lure which may make a good reason the fly always carry lures with him.

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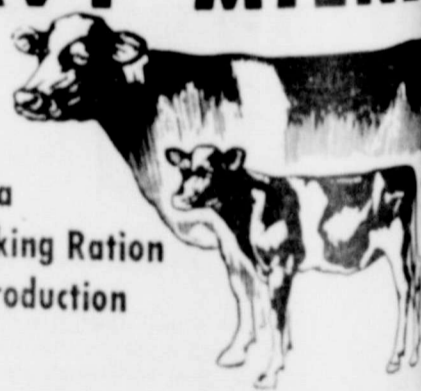
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 wood Stratton) was born in 1838  
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 1883.  
 Martin Van Buren was the first  
 President born in the USA.  
 William Howard Taft was the  
 first President of the 48 states.

**WASHINGTON AND  
 'SMALL BUSINESS'**  
 By C. WILSON HARDER

The Black Day of March 15,  
 1952, may well go down into his-  
 tory as the turning point in the  
 battle for the preservation of the  
 United States.

Never before has so much re-  
 sentment been aroused. Many in-  
 dividuals and businessmen  
 found it neces-  
 sary to borrow  
 money to pay  
 taxes.



So intense is  
 the mail on the  
 tax subject  
 many Con-  
 gressmen,  
 facing re-elec-  
 tion, privately  
 say that a  
 "yea" for any tax or heavy  
 spending bill will be sure death  
 in November.

If protests continue, the plan  
 to spend another \$8 billion dol-  
 lars this year in gifts to foreign  
 nations will be defeated soundly  
 by bi-partisan action.

Support grows for the bill in-  
 troduced in January by Rep.  
 John F. Kennedy (D., Mass.)  
 providing for a bi-partisan com-  
 mission to investigate just how  
 the billions are spent abroad.

The first job, Rep. Kennedy  
 says is to actually find out how  
 many billions of dollars extort-  
 ed from American taxpayers  
 have been sent to foreign na-  
 tions. Estimates run all the way  
 from \$30 to \$93 billions with no  
 one knowing exactly how much  
 has been spent, he finds.

In addition, Kennedy reports  
 no evidence can be secured of  
 any basic good being obtained  
 from the vast expenditures.

He states investigating Con-  
 gressmen have found the bil-  
 lions already spent have failed  
 to help the ordinary citizens; but  
 monopolistic foreign industrial-

**ists have gained greatly.**

Congressmen have found that  
 many hundreds of thousands of  
 dollars given by the Marshall  
 Plan to build needed hospitals  
 in Sicily ended up building elab-  
 orate government offices.

The cost of giving away this  
 money is staggering.

It is estimated, and again no  
 one can give a figure, that the  
 U. S. has 200,000 employees  
 abroad giving away this money.

Thus, the nation has more  
 people engaged in giving away  
 money than it has under arms  
 on the ground in Korea observ-  
 ing the bloody "truce".

It is further estimated that  
 these estimated 200,000 receive  
 in salaries an estimated half  
 billion dollars. With living and  
 travel expenses added, it could  
 total a billion dollars.

Thus, on this scale, it would  
 cost over 12% this year to give  
 away another \$8 billion while  
 many independent businesses at  
 home feel lucky to be able to get  
 an average 12% markup on  
 sales. But now it appears that it  
 costs more to give money away,  
 than make money.

As to be expected, the Social-  
 ists in all branches of govern-  
 ment seeking to finance world  
 wide Socialism with American  
 tax dollars are preparing to  
 level the finger of scorn and  
 shout the epithet of "isolationist"  
 at Rep. Kennedy and all who  
 support his measure.

But then, no one hates police  
 officials like a robber still at  
 large, because he fears appre-  
 hension. And likewise, in many  
 quarters in Washington today  
 there is deep gnawing fear that  
 the scandal of the American  
 bankrupting give-away pro-  
 grams is being exposed.

"Emotional Atmosphere of the  
 Home" at an American Home  
 luncheon at 1 o'clock.

On Saturday morning, Delbert  
 Downing of the Midland Cham-  
 ber of Commerce will discuss "A  
 Clubwoman in Her Community."

Other events scheduled for the  
 convention hall, which will be  
 the auditorium of the Frank  
 Phillips College, include a pub-  
 lic affairs forum with Mrs. J.  
 Howard Hodge, Midland, past  
 president of the Texas Federation  
 of Women's Clubs, and Ben Guill  
 of Pampa, as speakers. Margaret  
 Turner of Lubbock, Mrs. Carl  
 England of Morton will appear  
 on a press and publicity panel.

A civil defense breakfast Fri-  
 day morning, with a Friendship  
 Hall tea in the afternoon, and  
 a fine arts program Friday even-  
 ing fill in a full program for a  
 day to keep the convention dele-  
 gates entertained as well as in-  
 formed.

On Saturday morning a parlia-  
 mentary procedure breakfast un-  
 der the leadership of Mrs. H. F.  
 Godeke of Lubbock and a year-  
 book planning breakfast work-  
 shop led by Mrs. W. E. Cantrell,  
 regional vice president of Lo-  
 meta, will vie with each other  
 for early morning attendance.

An awards luncheon at the  
 College cafeteria will draw to a  
 close the convention proper Sat-  
 urday at 12 o'clock.

Mati Hari, the famous German  
 spy in World War I, was Dutch.

Ants keep cows — ant-cows  
 which yield a honey-like fluid.

"Stet" to a proofreader means  
 "leave as is."

"Thirty" to a newspaperman  
 means "end of story."

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 Day April 11**

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 will be held at PanTech Farms,  
 April 11. All major research work  
 being carried on at PanTech  
 Farms will be discussed, accord-  
 ing to J. P. Smith, PanTech  
 Farms Manager.

L. A. Maddox, Jr., Animal Hus-  
 bandman for PanTech Farms,  
 and project leader for the bull  
 progeny test, will lead the dis-  
 cussion of this year's feeding re-  
 sults. One hundred and thirty-  
 one (131) bulls representing thirty-  
 six (36) sire groups have  
 been fed uniformly since last  
 November.

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 Sons and the Eskimo Ranch,  
 Hereford; Brown & Davis and R.  
 H. Brown & Son, Throckmorton;  
 M. H. Smith & Son, Canadian;  
 Lee Richardson, Stinnett; George  
 Coffee, White Deer; R. L. Newton,  
 Lark; C. A. Hoover, Lawrence  
 Ellzey, Percy Powers, Roger Pear-  
 son and R. H. Holland, Perry,  
 ton; M. R. Pearson, Farnsworth;  
 C. J. Frantz & Sons, Waka; A. B.  
 Carroth, M. C. Overton, Jr. and  
 Emmett LeFors, Pampa; Paul  
 Rauer, Panhandle; Travis Damer-  
 on, Amarillo; M. A. Blau, Bock-  
 er; and McQuiddy Brothers, Hig-  
 gins, Texas.

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

Several state and national  
 leaders in livestock production  
 and research, will appear on the  
 program during the day. Dr. D.  
 M. Wiggins, President of Texas  
 Tech, will deliver the address of  
 welcome. Dean W. L. Stangel will  
 outline present and future ob-  
 jectives of the PanTech Research  
 Farms. Dr. Donald Ashdown will  
 outline the proposed PanTech  
 Farms Greenbug Research pro-  
 gram. Other leaders that have  
 indicated they will appear on  
 the program include Dr. R. E.  
 Patterson, Dr. J. C. Miller, and  
 John Jones, Texas A. and M. Col-  
 lege; George Ellis, Manager of the  
 Bell Ranch, and Jack Wil-  
 liams, purebred breeder from  
 Paint Rock, Texas.

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

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Highlights and speakers who  
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 been announced in "Convention-  
 ally Speaking" a bulletin re-  
 leased this week by Mrs. O. M.  
 McGinty, of Spur, president of the  
 district.

Mrs. Van Hook Stubbs of  
 Wortham, state federation pres-  
 ident, will speak on "The Texas  
 Clubwoman — A Responsible  
 Citizen," Friday afternoon, Fri-  
 day morning Hon. John Ben  
 Shepherd, Secretary of State, will  
 talk about "Nature's Agreeable  
 Blunder."

Dr. Paul Southern, Abilene, of  
 the Hogg Memorial foundation,  
 will deliver an address on the

**Baptist Workers Meet April 8**

The Floyd County Baptist Workers Conference will be held at the Whiteflat Baptist Church in Motley County on Tuesday, April 8. Theme of the conference will be "The Individual and the Revival."

The meeting will begin at 10 a. m. with a song service lead by Rev. Alvin Hamm of Quitaque. Rev. J. R. Naylor, pastor of the

First Baptist Church of Lockney, will bring the morning devotion.

Rev. F. P. Graham, pastor of the Lone Star Baptist Church, will preach the conference sermon at 11:30. The meeting will close at 2 p. m. The Whiteflat Church will serve lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weathers and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Samples and Joann spent the week end in Clovis, New Mexico visiting relatives.

**Community Singing Night Is Changed**

The Community Singing nights at the Sterley Methodist church have been changed according to word received by the Beacon this week. The nights have been changed from once every week to twice a month on the first and third Friday nights.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

**WILL RECEIVE TREATMENT**

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Thompson of Aiken left Tuesday morning for Savannah, Mo., where Mrs. Thompson will enter a hospital for treatment. Claude Hutchinson of Plainview flew them in an ambulance plane.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Griffith returned home last Wednesday March 27, after spending the winter in Weslaco. They left Lockney to go to the winter resort about the first of December.

**Mrs. T. J. Gilbert Dies Suddenly**

Mrs. J. T. Gilbert of Floydada died rather suddenly at her home Monday night about 11 o'clock. Mrs. Gilbert had been in failing health for several months but was still active. Her death was attributed to a heart attack.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church of Lockney Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Rev. A. L. Shaw, Baptist pastor of Happy, Rev. R. Earl Allen, Baptist pastor of Floydada, and Rev. N. S. Daniel, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Lockney, officiating. Interment was in the Lockney cemetery beside the grave of her husband who passed away in April of 1934.

Harmon Funeral Home of Floydada was in charge and pallbearers were six grandsons, Earl and Farris Hicks of Plainview, Capt. James Hicks of San Antonio, Cpl. Orland Gilbert of Dallas, Pfc. James T. Gilbert of Roswell, N. M., and Marvin Orland Gilbert Jr. of Lockney.

Mrs. Gilbert was born Mae Crawford on April 21, 1868 at Miles, Runnels County, Texas. On January 13, 1884, she was married to T. J. Gilbert at Bartlett, Texas. The couple and their family first moved to Floyd County in 1902 but stayed only a few months and moved back to Miles. In 1913 they again moved to this county, settling on a farm near Lockney and living there until Mr. Gilbert passed away. Mrs. Gilbert continued to make her home on the farm with her son, Jack, until 1943 when Jack was claimed by death. She then moved to Floydada and lived with her daughter, Miss Ethel Gilbert until her death Monday night.

Mrs. Gilbert was a member of the Baptist Church. She was very active all of her life and was a lovable, friendly type of person.

Survivors include four sons, Marvin of Lockney, Frank of Sweetwater, Ed of Plainview, Leslie of Amarillo; two daughters, Miss Ethel Gilbert and Mrs. Etta Hicks, both of Floydada; three sisters, Mrs. Mark Hanna of Lubbock, Mrs. Dell Fowler of

**Hospital News**

Marvin Taylor is a surgical patient.

A. C. Jones is improving. Rev. C. A. Joiner is a medical patient.

George Weast is a medical patient.

Mrs. Floyd Barber Jr. is a surgical patient.

Mrs. C. E. Ball is receiving medical treatment.

Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Mangold are the parents of a son born March 27th. The young man weighed 6 lbs. 8 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sutton are the parents of a daughter born March 30th. The young lady weighed 9 lbs. and has been named Cynthia Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Jones are the parents of a son born March 31st. He has been named Robert Wayne. Mother and baby were dismissed April 2nd.

G. B. Johnston Sr. was dismissed April 1 after receiving medical treatment for several days.

D. M. McDaniel was dismissed March 30.

Jack Orr was dismissed March 29 after receiving medical treatment.

Rev. J. G. Strickland was dismissed March 28.

Thelma Joe Newton was dismissed March 30.

Minnie Betancourt was dismissed March 27.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I wish to take this opportunity to thank each and everyone for the nice gifts, cards and flowers that have been given to me during my illness. Thanks again.

Mrs. M. L. Rexrode.

Mrs. Audine Kimble and daughter, Jean, and Mrs. Della Wilmon visited Mrs. Kimble's husband who is stationed in Fort Bliss and Mrs. Wilmon's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Carter and children in El Paso from Sunday, March 16, through Wednesday, March 19.

Plainview and Mrs. Texas Daniel of Levelland. Ten grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren also survive. Two sons preceded her in death, Jack in 1943 and Fred Gilbert in 1941.

**Wilkie Parris Is Promoted To Sgt.**

Elemendorf Air Force Base, Alaska, March 25. — Wilkie E. Parrish, formerly of Lockney, Texas, and presently stationed with the U. S. Air Force in Alaska, was recently promoted to the grade of Sergeant. Sergeant Parrish is a member of the 2107th Air Weather Group, Elmendorf Air Force Base, Alaska, where he is assigned as a Weather Observer. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Parrish of Lockney, Texas.

Sergeant Parrish is a graduate of Lockney High School, and prior to his entry into the Air Force he was a student of West Texas State College.

The 2107th Air Weather Group is one of the most elite divisions of the Air Weather Group is centered in the Arctic region and Air Weather Group for the collection of weather data from all over the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Parrish returned to their home in Lockney, Texas, for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Parrish, and his mother, Mrs. Sweet.

Mr. and Mrs. Parrish and children of the family will be in Lockney, Texas, Thursday for a visit with his father, Mr. Joe W. Parrish, and his family.

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