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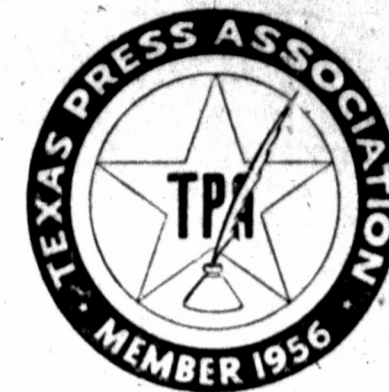
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By JERRY STOLTZ

Notice the story about Halliburton on page 8 of the second section. This is another story to better acquaint us with industry. We had one on Mid-Continent in January, and hope to run one a month ... as the fellow said, "you can't beat a good farm with an oil well on it." The same is true for a county, if you've got good farms and substantial oil development you have a good economy.

That "if" is reminding of the joke about the fellow who had just insured his house against fire, and asked, "what would I get if this building should burn down on this very day?"

"I would say," replied the fire insurance agent, "that if you had a first-class lawyer and a good defense fund, you might not get more than ten years."

Mrs. Kenneth Watkins and Jane Wade are in Dallas for Gift market this week.

This would be a good spot to congratulate O. R. Douglas, Clarence Griffith and the entire school board for coming up with Doug Cox as new head football coach. If we had to lose as fine a fellow as Toby Greer, it is nice to replace him with such an outstanding coach as Cox appears to be.

"Griff," J. L. Newsom, Joe Satterwhite and I went to Abilene Monday night to see Tech play H-SU, and to interview and get a picture of Cox. He makes a fine impression.

Incidentally, one leads on a nice two or three bedroom house to rent will be appreciated. Call Satterwhite at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Several small businesses who have formerly been exempt under the unemployment tax laws will now be included since the number of employees has been lowered to four.

Terry County Singers will meet at the Foursquare Gospel Church at 2:30 Sunday afternoon.

Rotary President Johnny Kendrick says we'll probably have twenty or more foreign students visit Brownfield early in August. They'll be on a tour of the U.S.

Airman Kenneth Bartlett of the 3502nd Maintenance Squadron at Reese Air Force Base has been named "Airman of the Month" for January. Bartlett, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bartlett of Meadow, entered the Marine Corps in 1952 and last October transferred to the Air Force.

He was a 1950 Meadow High school graduate and worked as an automobile body and fender repairman before joining the Marines.

Doc Clement, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Clement, 308 E. Oak, has enrolled in an accounting course at Draughon's Business college in Lubbock.

That reminds me, I talked to Teddy Joe Hardy and Joe Sharp and said hello to Marilyn Miller at the Hardin-Simmons game. There's quite a bunch from Brownfield down there ... Joe starts spring football practice in a couple of weeks.

Fourteen local churches will participate in the religious census Sunday. Bro. John McCoy is chairman of the project.

Don't forget World Day of Prayer services tomorrow morning ... at the First Baptist church from 10 to 11 a.m.

Leonard Ellington and Boyd Miller are co-chairmen for the March 17 showings of the US Air Force

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FATAL MISHAP SITE—The scene above is at the site of the car-train crash Monday afternoon in which Grady M. Grissom, 41, of 242 Garner, suffered fatal injuries. The mishap occurred at 5 p. m., and Grissom died about 30 minutes later. The partially demolished car lies to one side of the Santa Fe track. It was the second major car-train crash within eight days. (Staff Photo)

## Second Train-Auto Crash Is Fatal To One

Funeral services were held here Wednesday for Grady M. Grissom, 41, of 242 Garner, who died of injuries 30 minutes after his car collided with a Santa Fe train Monday afternoon.

Services were held in First Baptist Church, with Rev. C. G. Watts of Lovington, N. M., officiating, assisted by Rev. Jones Weathers, pastor of the church. Burial was in Terry County Memorial cemetery.

Survivors include the widow, the former Miss Maxine Harbin; two daughters, Brenda, 12, and Karen, 6, and one son, Christie, 10, all of Brownfield.

Other survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Grissom of Levelland; two brothers, Marvin of Sherman and Leroy of Brownfield; and four sisters, Mrs. G. L. George of Brownfield, Mrs. M. L. Spence and Mrs. Paul Jarmon of Levelland, and Mrs. Roe Jackson of Odessa.

Monday's mishap was similar to one near Wellman, Feb. 6, in which Carl Cottrell, 21, of Brownfield, was driving a butane truck

which collided with the same train. Attendants this morning at Seagraves Hospital reported that Cottrell was showing satisfactory improvement.

Cottrell suffered a brain concussion, broken pelvis, several broken bones and deep facial cuts.

Grissom was killed at the crossing of State Highway 137 and the railroad at 5 p. m. Monday. The crash site is southwest of Brownfield, near the city limits.

Investigating highway patrolmen said they were unable to determine the exact cause of the accident, but did say that tire tracks from Grissom's 1951 sedan extended a short distance across the tracks, indicating that it was in front of the locomotive which struck the car.

The car, traveling south on 14th street was crushed on the front end and on the right side. It did not overturn. The Santa Fe train was approaching from Seagraves.

## Hogue Is Candidate For Commissioner

Carl Hogue announced as a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct 3 this week, making four candidates in the race for this office.

Hogue said: "I wish to take this means of announcing as candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, of Terry County, Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries.

"I believe that I am qualified to take care of all duties required of a County Commissioner, I realize the responsibilities of the office, and I assure each of you that if I am elected I will try at all times to handle the affairs of the office in a business like manner, keeping in mind that I am handling your money paid in as taxes.

"To those of you who do not know me, I was born and reared in Terry County, and have owned property and farmed in Precinct 3 for a number of years, and I will welcome your investigation as to my ability and character.

"I earnestly solicit your vote and influence in the coming election."

## Doug Cox From McMurry Is New Cub Grid Coach

Doug Cox, popular 33-year-old McMurry college head coach, will assume head football coaching duties at Brownfield High school on March 1, according to School Board President C. G. Griffith. The announcement ended a nine-week search for a coach following the resignation of Toby Greer.

"We feel that we are very fortunate to obtain a man with Cox's qualifications for the coaching job here," said Griffith.

Cox was signed to a three-year contract at a substantial salary increase over that formerly paid. He will name two assistants in the next week or so. A former McMurry quarterback himself, Cox anticipates either hiring a line and a backfield coach, or two line coaches.

Spring training for the Cubs who are moving into Triple-A next fall, will probably be set for sometime in April, Cox said. By having it late in the month the new coaching staff would have about six weeks prior to practice in which to get acquainted with the boys.

The new Brownfield coach grew up in Ballinger where he played the normal routine of high school sports and then played three years at McMurry before going into the Air Force. He flew 25 missions over Europe as an aerial gunner with the Eighth Air Force during the war and afterwards returned to Abilene for his final year at McMurry.

He started coaching as an assistant at Colorado City in 1947 and moved on to Ballinger as an assistant for the 1948 and 49 seasons. He stepped up to head coach in 1950 and during four years at Ballinger he won two district championships, going to the State AA finals against Huntsville in 1953.

Cox moved into the college ranks for the 1955 season where his McMurry Indians compiled an enviable eight win, two lost record. They won the Texas Conference championship.

In resigning from the McMurry job Cox said, "I wouldn't take a million dollars for the experience I've had in this year of college coaching. I've sincerely enjoyed the work and the cooperation from the administration and student body has been fine. However, I believe that I find more enjoyment from working with boys of high school age, and because of this I am making the move."

Superintendent of Schools O. R. Douglas actually set the stage for obtaining Cox back in December when he announced the school policy was going to be "to seek the man we want and then offer the job to him."

And although a number of well qualified applicants were considered, Douglas continued his search until he ran onto Cox. After a mutual investigation, Coach Cox accepted the position and tendered his resignation at McMurry Monday.

Cox is married to a former Ballinger girl, Winnie, and they have three children. Gena, age 11; Sterling, 7; and Lela Ann, 4. They are members of the Methodist church. Mrs. Cox also attended McMurry college and Cox received his Masters Degree in Education there in addition to his Bachelor's degree.

McMurry ran from the T straight and winged, with variations depending on the personnel, says Cox. He plans on using the same type offense with the Cubs.

"Cox is tackling a big job," said Griffith, "but he has the ability, confidence and experience to cope with the situation. If the townspeople will get behind him and stick with him I think we'll all be happy." Griffith was referring to the Cub's 1955 record of winning two and losing eight, plus the even tougher schedule this fall.

The Cubs open with Levelland Littlefield and Lamesa as AAA opponents and Plainview 1-A. They meet tough AA Seminole and AAA Colorado City before getting into district play with Pees, Monahan, Andrews and Kermit.

Twenty-three members of the 1955 varsity will be back as they were only eight seniors on the squad.

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## World Prayer Day Scheduled Friday

The World Day of Prayer will be held from 10 to 11 a.m. tomorrow (Friday) at the First Baptist Church.

Rev. Jimmy Tidwell will give the opening prayer. There will be an organ prelude by Mrs. Pat Ramsey. Mrs. Jerry Stoltz will give the welcome.

"Beautiful Savior" (Christenson) will be sung by the A Cappella choir. They will also sing "The Beatitudes" (Garum).

The program, entitled "The Spirit of Power," will be presented in five parts: "The Peril of Fear" by Malcom Thomason, "Prelude to Power" by Mrs. C. W. Denison, "The Spirit of Power For an Impotent World" by Leonard Ellington, "The Spirit of Love for

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## Mayor And Aldermen Run For Re-election

Mayor C. C. Primm and City Councilmen Henry Chisholm and Johnny Kendrick have announced as candidates for re-election in the city election, according to City Secretary Jake Geron.

Candidates must file for the city election on or before March 3. March 14 is the filing deadline for school trustees, and so far no candidates have filed, according to Raymond Simms, school tax collector. The election will be held on April 7th.

## School Census Lacks First Graders-to-be

More than 2,500 white and 96 colored students have been enumerated in the school census, but this is still about 100 students short of the anticipated figure, according to Delvin Webb.

Webb said that on the basis of this year's first grade enrollment, there are at least 100 children who will enroll as first graders in September who have not been included.

Parents of children who will start to school this fall, and who have not filled in a census card should phone 2644 and report their child's name.

## Water Vote March 13 Will Determine Future Of Canadian River Project

After agreeing on minor revisions in the water purchase contract to be submitted to the nine Panhandle-Plains cities at elections on March 13, directors of the Canadian River Municipal Water Authority gave final approval to the contract to be submitted to the voters.

The revisions in today's meeting were made at the suggestion of Portland Merrill of Rilyn & Co. and O. V. Cecil, of Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Beene, both of New York who are representatives of prospective purchasers of the \$74.8 million bond issue to finance the project.

Prior to approval of the revisions in the contract, the authority counsel, Bryce Hugenin of Dallas, read tentative draft of a proposed water purchase contract for non-member cities for the benefit of a delegation from Post at the meeting.

Terms of the contract are virtually the same as those of member cities including the price to be paid for water.

Mayor James Minor of Post declared after reading of the contract that he believed the Post council would agree to the contract and would want to become a water purchaser for upwards of a million gallons of water a day.

"We plan to vote bonds for a pipeline to connect with your line and have already started on plans for the project," Minor said. "We feel that Post should have been on this project from the very start."

Major portion of today's meeting was spent in discussion of the various details of the water purchase contract so as to provide enough support for the bonds to make them "marketable" at the lowest possible interest rate.

At the close of the discussion and revisions of the contract, Merrill told the directors: "We can run in this contract and we think it is now workable. We will have a letter from our bond attorneys to you within a short time."

## Drillstem Tests Are Dry On Two Locations

Dry drillstem tests hogged Terry county oil news this week with both the Phillips wildcat in the southeastern part of the county, and the Anderson-Pritchard Northwest Wellman field stepout reporting dry tests.

The No. 1-A Allen Phillips hole in Section 41, Block O, showed slightly oil cut mud in a test run 11,970-995 feet. Sample top of the Ellenburger was picked at 11,970 feet. A barren Montoya test was run earlier in the week.

The No. 1-F Oil Development, three-quarter mile south-southeast depot to the Northwest Wellman field is drilling below 8,877 feet. Tests were made from 8,350-836 and from 8,470-546 feet.

## License Plate Sales Are Off To Slow Start

Exceedingly slow license plate sales with only 205 passenger tags sold in the first three weeks, were reported by the Tax Collector's office this week. Principal reason for the slow start was bad weather, but sales didn't show much of an increase this week during good weather.

It all points toward a heavy rush during March, with more than 4,000 cars still to be registered for 1956. In addition to this figure, farm trucks and commercial license sales have also been slow, and they'll add into the final rush to beat the March 31 final day deadline.

## Speaker Stresses Cost Of Price For Freedom

The school, the home and the church — these three were said here Friday night to bear the responsibility for teaching American youth the costly price of freedom.

The three institutions were discussed by Dr. Alexander J. Stoddard, superintendent emeritus of Los Angeles public schools.

The nationally known educator spoke to an audience of more than 330 persons attending the annual banquet of the Brownfield Chamber of Commerce.

Said Dr. Stoddard: "The young people of today must understand that happiness or freedom cannot be bought at bargain prices in bargain basements."

A pioneer in the development of education sound films and former adviser to Gen. Douglas MacArthur in Japan, Dr. Stoddard termed the current 35 million school-age children the biggest crop of wealth we possess—even in Texas.

The Friday event was the occasion for installing J. T. Hoy a 1956 chamber president, replacing B. F. Hutson. W. N. (Doc) Lewis was installed as vice-president.

Lal Copeland, Curtis Sterling, J. L. (Dusty) Kemper, Dennis Q. Lilly and John Hansard — these men were introduced by emcee Alvin Davis as newly elected directors for 1956.

The chamber saluted the following outgoing directors: Harlan Glenn, Ed Wilder, Harry Goble, H. M. (Dube) Pyeatt and J. E. Smith.

Sitting in Jessie G. Randal cafeteria, the banquet audience comprising Brownfield residents and a number of out-of-town guests heard entertainment by the Lubbock chapter of SPEBSQSA, barbershop singing group.

Before the program was well under way, chamber personnel were hard put to seat the surprisingly large number of guests.

Special acknowledgement was given to the following:

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BANQUET PRINCIPALS—The marked success of the Brownfield Chamber of Commerce's annual banquet Friday night was sparked to a great degree by the four men shown above. From left, they are J. T. Hoy, 1956 chamber president; Dr. Alexander J. Stoddard, superintendent emeritus of the Los Angeles public schools, who was guest speaker; O. R. Douglas, superintendent of Brownfield Public Schools, who introduced the keynote speaker; and Alvin Davis, president of the Brownfield Jaycees, who emceed the event, held in Jessie G. Randal cafeteria. Stoddard wears a Stetson presented to him by the chamber.

### Rebekah And Odd Fellows Association Elect District Officers Here Monday

Officers for 1956 were elected here Monday during a meeting of the Plains District Secretaries, Scribes and Clerks Association of Rebekahs and Oddfellows. The election and instruction sessions were held in the IOOF Hall, following a luncheon served by Brownfield Rebekah Lodge 56 to more than 75 persons in First Baptist Church. Officers of the association for 1956 are: Mrs. Velma Garner of Plainview, president; Mrs. L. W. Hamilton of Lubbock, vice-president; Mrs. David Nicholson of Brownfield, secretary-treasurer.

### Challis Personals

The Women's Missionary Society of the Challis Baptist Church met at the church Monday at 1 p.m., with Mrs. M. L. Pate leading in opening exercises and business session. Mrs. L. Henderson led the devotional scripture reading, taken from Matt. 28 and the 9th chapter. The program, "God Save America," was taken from the Royal Service, and those taking part on the program were Meses. C. S. Carroll, M. L. Pate, John Garner, E. N. Corley, L. P. Price, and Martha Pettigrew.

### Glove Making Is H. D. Club Study

Wednesday, February 8, the Willow Wells Home Demonstration Club met for the regular meeting in the home of Mrs. W. C. Faulkenberry. It was during the business meeting that the Terry County Home Demonstration Association fund (25 cents per person) was collected. The program, "Let's Make Gloves and Bags" was brought by Mrs. W. M. Nelson and Betty Kinney. Patterns and instructions for each were given to each member. Refreshments of open-face sandwiches, pickles, individual Valentine cakes, and coffee and cocoa were served to the following: Meses. Shafter Bailey, Shelby Baum, E. G. Lampp, and W. M. Nelson, and Betty Kinney and Buddy Bailey. We are grateful that Mrs. O. D. Kennedy is improving and thinking of club again. Miss Kinney will be hostess for the next regular meeting on March 14.

### Teachers Attend Textbook Hearings

Thirteen members of the Brownfield School faculty Saturday. Books were presented for eight high school courses and supplementary reading in the first and fourth through eighth grades. Attending were Joe Colium, Ken Browning, Ronald Garrett, Ray Bishop, Meadames H. P. Carr, Beulah Walker, Wanda Franke and Marie Carnett, Misses Janie Hodel, Terry Lou Moorhead, Cleoia Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Delwin Webb.

Charles Quillon of Seminole visited the group in the afternoon. Mrs. T. C. Pettigrew and Mrs. W. J. Henderson visited Mrs. W. J. Moss and Mrs. Wanda Doak near Meadow Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Henson and Kathy visited the L. R. Bagwell home Sunday evening. Visiting in the L. P. Price home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Junior Johnson of Lubbock and Rev. and Mrs. Gary Martin and boys, Chris, and Terry Don, also of Lubbock. The B. M. Henderson family visited relatives in Seminole Wednesday night.



**NEW, RETIRING OFFICERS** — Officers for 1956 were elected here Monday during a meeting of the Plains District Secretaries, Scribes and Clerks Association of Rebekahs and Oddfellows. New officers are pictured above, seated. From left, they are Mrs. L. W. Hamilton of the Hub City Rebekah Lodge 219 at Lubbock, who is the new vice-president; Mrs. David Nicholson of Brownfield Rebekah Lodge 56, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. H. O. Trent of the Denver City Rebekah Lodge 116, chaplain. From left in the back, they are Mrs. Lily Alexander of Lubbock, president of the Rebekah Assembly of Texas; Alfred Holeman of Lubbock, retiring association president; Mrs. A. L. Cook of Sundown Rebekah Lodge 141, retiring secretary-treasurer, and Raymond Gage of Circle Back, Grand Warden, Grand Lodge, IOOF of Texas. Not shown is the association's new president, Mrs. Velma Garner of Plainview. (Staff Photo)



If you think I'm crazy, you should see the boys in the back, chunking the paper together every week. My column last week read as though I had taken leave of my senses, which, Weldon maintains, is the way I was born. Well, as a matter of fact, it was two columns run together in a rather haphazard way which Weldon is reluctant to take the blame for and I ditto. So there you are and here we are.

Be sure to plan to attend the World Day of Prayer services to be held at the First Baptist Church here from 10 to 11 a.m. Friday, February 17. And of course you've bought your tickets for the Lions Club talent show which will be the 23rd and 24th. You're bound to have bought some by now, because R. T. Wilson, our amiable DE teacher at BHS, pounces like a duck on a junebug every time he sees a likely looking prospect. Also of some interest is a scheduled address by Captain Edgar C. Bundy at the Plains High School auditorium on the 23rd. This widely acclaimed authority on the Far East is being sponsored by the study clubs of Plains and Denver City, the Plains Lions club, and the Youkum county Business and Professional Women's club. Time is 8 p.m. and subject is the Master Plan of World Communism. Free deal.

Speaking of addresses, I wish everyone could have heard Dr. Alexander Stoddard when he spoke for the Chamber of Commerce banquet last Friday evening. He is an outstanding educator with plenty of savvy, and Brownfield was certainly privileged to have such an interesting and interested speaker. It was a fine banquet too: wonderful food, thanks to Mrs. Jack Mason; smart decorations, thanks to the Brownfield Garden Club; well arranged tables, thanks to the FFA; and an excellent program, thanks to Doc Lewis, Joe Satterwhite, and the rest of the Chamber members.

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### Religious Census Begins On Sunday

The Brownfield Religious Census, which was postponed two weeks ago due to inclement weather, will begin this Sunday, February 19, according to John McCoy, minister of the Crescent Hill Church of Christ and head of the census. Cards will be available at all 14 participating churches at Sunday morning worship services. Mr. McCoy said, and representatives from the churches will begin taking the census Sunday afternoon. Persons who do not plan to be at home Sunday afternoon are requested to leave the completed cards in a conspicuous place at their front door so that census takers may pick them up.

### Commissioners Veto Aid To Meadow Park

Terry county commissioners voted to spend \$300 on the Meadow Memorial Park for improving and developing the youth recreation facilities there in a regular session Monday. Other action included an order to cancel the blanket bond covering county employees not covered by individual bonds. The opinion of the court was this policy is providing unnecessary overlapping coverage. The savings will be almost \$100 a year to the county. The court approved purchase of two pickups and asked for bids on a new diesel motor grader. A 1956 pickup was purchased from Portwood Motor Co. for \$1,550 and the trade-in for precinct 1 and a used pickup was purchased outright for Precinct 4 for \$825. The new grader will also be for Precinct 4.

Such an enchanting name (the recipe is good, too) that I thought I'd pass it on to you. This perfectly charming thing goes by the name of MUSH! CHICKEN, and here it is: put the chicken in a pot of water (Jedge says just add salt, but I can't see how a little celery and onion could possibly hurt it, especially if you, like I, like celery and onion flavor). Boil until the chicken is falling off the bones. Remove bones and throw in enough corn meal to make a good mush—you can use the mush recipe on the corn meal box. Cook until done, then turn into a lightly greased loaf pan, cool, slice and serve. A nice compliment to this would be a toothsome mushroom sauce.

Know everyone will be happy to know that Stinky Mason is making a rapid recovery from bronchitis at Tim Faulkenberry's animal hospital. Mary Dee didn't even knock off work while Stinky has been sick.

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### Mrs. Troy Noel Hostess For Gala Bridge Club

Mrs. Troy Noel was hostess when the Gala Bridge Club met February 7. High scorer was Mrs. J. O. Rodgers, and Mrs. R. N. Lowe was second high. Mrs. Burton Hackney and Mrs. Clovis Kendrick binged. Congealed fruit salad with whipped cream and coffee were served to Mesdames Rodgers, Lowe, Hackney, Kendrick, O. L. Stice, Frank Ballard, Herbert Chesshir, Leonard Chesshir, Harlan Glenn.

### Former Residents Nearly Suffocate

Former Brownfield residents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Townes, Connie and sister-in-law, Mrs. Betty Sue Townes of Denver City, were near suffocation victims recently when the central heating system failed to work properly. None of the family were hospitalized, but the doctor did remain with them until he was sure they were all out of danger. Eddie Ballard, Jimmy Cotton, and a guest, Mrs. Pat Ramsey.

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# Cubs End Season In Third Place Battle

A Friday win over Crane and a Tuesday night loss to Andrews dropped the Brownfield Cubs into a tie for third in 6-AA standings with Andrews. But with Andrews scheduled to play Pecos Friday the Cubs have a virtual clinch on tying for third, and a win at Alpine Friday should mean third place by themselves.

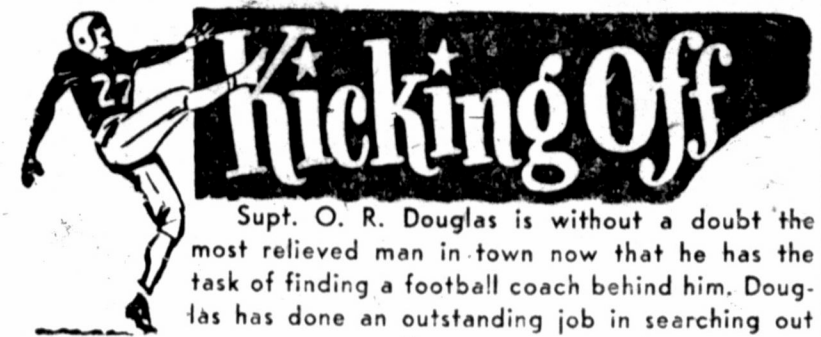
Alpine—lost to Seminole; Friday night and Pecos Tuesday night to drop out of contention for third place. The Cubs won a close game with the Bucks here earlier in the season. The game at Alpine will be the last of the season for Coach Farris Nowell's cagers. The Cubs now have an 18-9 record for the season. The Cubs spotted Crane an 11-10 first quarter lead Friday, but moved ahead

25-19 at halftime and continued to roll from there on in. Carl Moore bucketed 17 points for high point honors and Virgil Hughlett added 10.

Tuesday night the Cubs were ahead through three quarters 34-32, but failed to hold the pace in the last period. Gene Young scored 9, while Hughlett and Moore each had 8, Lanier Petty had 6 and Mike Hamilton, Leslie Britton and Johnny Raybon each had 4.

6-AA Standings:

	W	L	Pts	Opp
Seminole	12	1	729	531
Pecos	12	1	834	519
Brownfield	8	5	637	656
Andrews	8	5	659	662
Alpine	6	7	694	625
Crane	2	11	489	693
Kernit	2	11	662	851
Monahans	2	11	482	653



Supt. O. R. Douglas is without a doubt the most relieved man in town now that he has the task of finding a football coach behind him. Douglas has done an outstanding job in searching out

qualified man for the job. That the school board unanimously agreed to hiring Coach Cox is an indication of that.

Douglas waded through a stack of applications about eight inches high, from more than 60 persons... and then finally found his man among those who didn't even apply for the job.

In commenting on the list of applicants Douglas said "it would be interesting to chart the record of all these men through the years to come, to see how many are successful." In other words, some of those men will without a doubt make big names in the coaching field someday. But the fact is that Brownfield needed a man with proven ability if they could and securing an exceedingly well find one.

Douglas was well pleased, for as he said, "we are losing two very fine men, and we would hate not to replace them with other men of equally fine character."

The Cubs are several years away from what a lot of fans would like to see, but the school board is thinking and planning for a new stadium and other facilities. But as we've said before, even

Knute Rockne couldn't win with the kind of support local fans have given football during the past couple of years.

Springlike weather brought out trackmen, tennis and golfers, and even signs of Little League activity as boys started throwing to get their arms in shape.

In the event you're interested in what is shipped to a major league club's spring training camp—look at this list of equipment consigned to the Kansas City A's base at West Palm Beach, as reported by The Sporting News. There were two trunks of medical supplies, including a whirlpool bath tub and a diathermy machine, 200 uniforms, 100 caps, 100 pairs of outer hose, 500 pairs of inner hose, 50 belts, 40 jackets, two electric jackets and 40 inner plastic liners for caps. In addition, Clayton Reid, equipment manager of the A's, shipped 130 dozen baseballs, 100 bats and 18 fungo bats, four complete sets of catchers equipment, two leather bat bags and 40 equipment bags.

## Elmer Wilson Resigns As Meadow Grid Coach

Elmer Wilson, former Texas Tech halfback from Pampa, tendered his resignation to the school board and is retiring as head football coach at Meadow High school. Under Wilson's direction, the Meadow football team had a 5-5 season and finished second in District 4B despite heavy losses from the championship team of 1954. The Bronchos posted a 5-1 record in conference play, losing only to Wilson, which won the conference. Wilson said that he probably would enter private business in Pampa.

"My wife and I have enjoyed the stay in Meadow," Wilson declared. "Meadow ought to have a fine football team next year and I wish the players and school a lot of luck."



By Gene Purtell

The Cubs have been snowed in, but last week the 7th grade played Lamesa and lost. The final score was Lamesa 33, Cubs 9.

High point man of the game was Holland with 7 points.

The 7th grade team is going to a tournament at New Home starting Thursday.

The 8th grade came out and won over Littlefield. The score was Brownfield 38, Littlefield 30. High point man of this game was Nayman with 14 points.

Friday the 8th grade played Lamesa but lost 17 to 26. High point man was Nayman with 5 points.

The 8th grade will also go to the New Home tournament.

The 9th grade played Littlefield last Thursday and lost 27 to 36. High point man was Oswald with 9 points.

This Monday the 9th grade played Wellman B team and won 51 to 19. High point man was White with 11 points.

## Muldrow Speaks To AAUW Meeting

A. M. Muldrow, a member of the Higher Education Board of Texas and former Secretary of State, was principal speaker when members of the American Association of University Women met at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the Seleta Jane Brownfield Club House.

Mr. Muldrow spoke on the functions and purpose of the Higher Education board, stating that the board "is becoming more important day by day." He told the group that all but two of the 48 states have such a board, but that it was more powerful in Texas than in any other state.

Mrs. H. T. Carr was program chairman. In a business meeting, the group voted to contribute 100 percent to the State Fellowship Fund. The nominating committee also reported, and a report was given on Louise Bralley, who is attending college at Canyon on a scholarship.

Mrs. J. H. Bounds was appointed chairman of window displays for Texas Education Week. Other members of the committee are Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. T. P. Brown, and Miss Creola Moore. Members present were Meses, A. G. Greer, R. N. McClain, Wilson, E. B. McBurnett, Jr., A. B. Cox, H. T. Carr, Brown C. W. Wilkerson, George Weiss, Al Muldrow, H. W. Peace, Coleman Williams, W. A. Kimbrough, and G. B. Evans; and Misses Creola Moore and Marie Gracy.

Hostesses were Meses, Carr, Weiss, and Muldrow. The next regular meeting will be held March 5.

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## Play-Off Could Be Here

Seagraves defeated Sundown in a District 4-A playoff basketball game at Sundown Tuesday night 48-44. The two teams will play again Friday night at Seagraves. Should Sundown even the play-off by winning, they will play the final game in Brownfield Saturday night.

The tentative game will start at 8 o'clock in the High School gym.

## SEASON ENDS AT ALPINE

Coach Farris Nowell's 1955-56 Brownfield High School basketball team that finishes the season at Alpine tonight are pictured above. From left, standing, they include Manager Wayne Dorsett, Mike Hamilton, Virgil Hughlett, Lanier Petty, Kenneth Cason, Leslie Britton, Jerry

Don Huckabee, Gene Young, Coach Nowell and Coach Gene Baldwin. Kneeling, Jackie Meeks, John Milburn, Doyle Simpson, Carl Moore, Johnny Raybon, Leon Willis, Ellis Cox and Gene Mason wasn't present.

## MEADOW NEWS

The death angel has visited Meadow again, this time taking Bob Castleberry, whose home was west of Meadow where he had lived for 33 years. He passed away last Friday morning in the Treadaway-Daniel Hospital, following a heart attack. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 3 p.m. in the Meadow First Baptist Church. Rev. Alton Polk, pastor officiated at the services. He is survived by his wife; three sons, Aubrey of Morton, Paul J. of Berger, and Ray E. of Friona; one daughter, Mrs. W. M. Harris of Falls; two brothers, Ham of Lovington, N. M. and Ray of Colorado; a sister, Mrs. Tom Hodges of Silverton; and eight grandchildren. Our sympathy goes to the family and relatives.

Bob Warren is driving a brand new '56 Chevrolet and our advice to Bob is to be careful as this is Leap Year.

Rev. and Mrs. M. W. Reynolds and several teachers and Sunday school superintendents attended the training school in Brownfield this week.

Jim Castleberry of Big Spring and Joe Tongate spent Saturday night with Ray Guber.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearce Warren and Bob have returned home from Dallas, where they spent several days visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Warren and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Selman and daughter, Pat, of Hobbs, N. M. visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Guber, Sunday.

The Mothers Club had a called meeting at the school house Tuesday afternoon to plan a program

and raise some money for the school.

Roy Guber, J. H. Guber, and Lonnie Dalton were shopping in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guber visited his parents, the J. H. Gobers, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Branch of Lubbock visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. Lela Mackey, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Gray, Frank Gray and sons of Brownfield, attended services at the Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Harris and son, Scotty, of Midland, have returned to their home after visiting several days in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton White and Alma.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. West had two of their grandchildren from Lubbock visiting in their home over the week end.

Sam Branch has returned home from Greenville where he attended the funeral of his brother, Will, who passed away last Tuesday. Funeral services were held in the Greenville First Methodist Church.

Several out-of-town people were here Saturday for the funeral of R. E. Castleberry.

Mrs. Joe Burleson has returned home from the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, where she was confined several days for treatment.

Offer College Course College Credit At HS

An extension class, Education 4323, will be offered at Brownfield High school through the Texas Tech education department and Brownfield schools. Curriculum Coordinator Delwin Webb announced this week.

The class is to meet Tuesday evening in the High School library. It will carry three hours of college credit for either graduate or undergraduate students.

Registration fee will be \$21. It will be a workshop type course and will continue for 15 weeks.

## Final Rites Held For One-Time Resident

Funeral services were held in Truth or Consequences, N. W., Wednesday, for L. H. Pilon, former Brownfield resident and one time owner of the Brownfield Telephone exchange.

Rev. Ralph O'Dell officiated at

interment services in Terry County Memorial cemetery Thursday morning. Burial was directed by Brownfield Funeral Home, agents of the Truth or Consequences service.

Survivors include his wife and

two daughters, Mrs. Billie McCoid of Corpus Christi and Mrs. Frances Wright of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Merritt were called to Dallas today to attend the funeral of his uncle, W. M. Cox, who died Wednesday.

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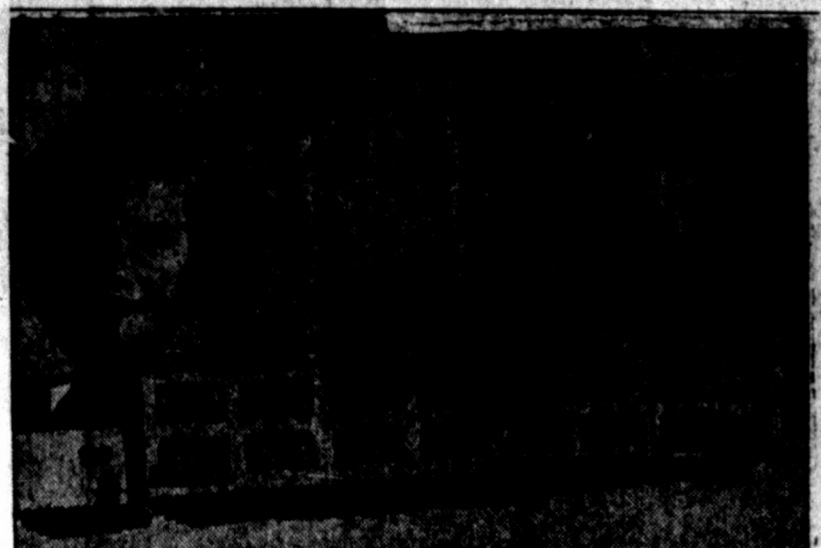
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Brownfield teenagers have really had their share of Sweetheart banquets celebrating Valentine's Day this week. Did you know that this day began in 306 A.D. on St. Valentine's birthday (Feb. 14)? On the eve of St. Valentine's day, young people of both sexes used to meet and each of them drew one by lot from a number of names of the opposite sex, which were put into a common receptacle. Each gentleman thus got a lady for his Valentine, and became the Valentine of a lady. The gentleman remained bound to the service of his Valentine for a year. Our custom today isn't quite as gallant, but it's still just as romantic for as long as it lasts.

The Senior Sunday School class of the Presbyterian church gave a Sweetheart banquet Saturday night. Ken Muldrow gave a welcome speech and Don O'Neal served as master of ceremonies. After the banquet at the rec. hall, the guests went to the high school auditorium to be entertained by the Dumbo Combo of Artesia. This combo pantomimed records, of which the most hilarious proved to be the "Dear John and Marsha Letter". After this, they returned to the rec. hall, which was decorated in a Valentine theme, and danced. Throughout the evening pictures were made of the guests

party Monday night. Others running for sweetheart were: Johnny Raybon, Jackie Meeks, and John Hill.

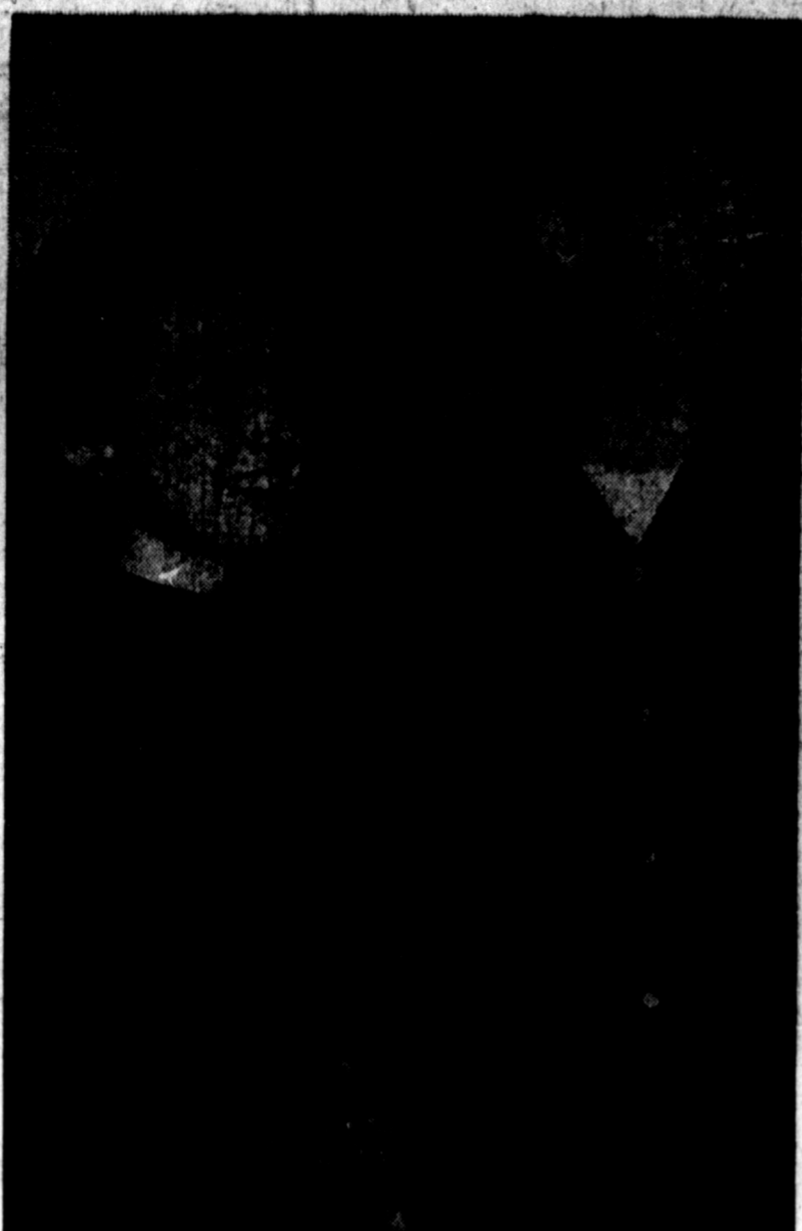
Other banquets given in honor of Valentine's Day were at the Calvary Baptist Church and the First Baptist Church.

We had our last two home ball games last week; Tuesday night we played Seminole and Friday, Crane. Both games were very close, with the Cubs winning the Crane game.

After the Crane game, Mary Jane Brownfield was given a surprise birthday party for her 16th birthday. The scene of the party, the Presbyterian rec. hall, was decorated in a lovely birthday style.

On a pink table, there was a basket filled with flowers and hanging from the handle of the basket, the number 16. For refreshments, a large birthday cake and punch were served to about 100 guests. Patti Wilder really did a sneaky job of handing out that many invitations with Mary Jane around all the time.

Old Dan Cupid was really at work during Valentine season this year. Patsy McAnally received her engagement ring from Larry Fulford Friday. They will be married Saturday and live at Johnson. Friday, we had the honor of hearing Dr. Stoddard, superintendent



**ALL-SCHOOL FAVORITES**—Key Kessinger and Carl Moore, popular Brownfield High school students who were recently elected All-school Favorites are shown above.

ent of schools in Los Angeles. He made an interesting speech on the importance of an education.

Mary Jane Brownfield was chosen Spanish queen. She will represent Brownfield in the annual Pan American Fiesta held in Snyder April 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ellis came home from San Diego for a visit last week. Patti and her baby, Stevie, will be here for about four more weeks, but Edward has had to return to the navy.

Dan Cupid shot his arrows in the direction of these guys and gals for this week: Barbara Cheshr-Keith Hodges, Bobbie Richardson-Ronnie Swan, Jo Bess Boston-Lloyd Martin, E. V. Murphy-Jean Criswell, Barbara Knox-Richard Baggett, Jimmy Jenkins-Joy Martin, Keith Baker-Freda Newsom, Mary Ann Holmes-Dick McReynolds, Ann Shropshire-Raymond

**Barton D. Evans Feted On Twelfth Birthday**

Mrs. G. B. Evans honored her son on his twelfth birthday with a supper and theatre party February 10th.

Tuna sandwiches, hot chocolate,

**Mrs. T. M. Ellis is Club Hostess**

Harmony Home Demonstration Club met February 10 in the home of Mrs. T. M. Ellis in a called meeting. The members and one visitor were present.

Following the business meeting, Mrs. Jasper Moore and Mrs. M. W. Stone, clothing leaders, gave a program on making gloves and bags.

Refreshments of cookies and coffee were served to Mesdames Moore, Stone, E. D. Saunders, R. S. Townsend, J. E. Gracey, C. D. Wise, Loyce Floyd, Elery Jones, Paul Gracy and a visitor, Mrs. D. P. Carter.

The next club meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Loyce Floyd. Visitors and new members are invited to attend.

**Pool Personals**

Mrs. Martha Howard and J. T. visited her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Joplin, and Mr. and Mrs. David Dunn and children in Seagraves Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Joplin and Janice spent Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rackler, at Smyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Johnson and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Seton and baby visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Dunn, Sunday.

Mrs. Elvise Duncan attended a council meeting for home economists Tuesday.

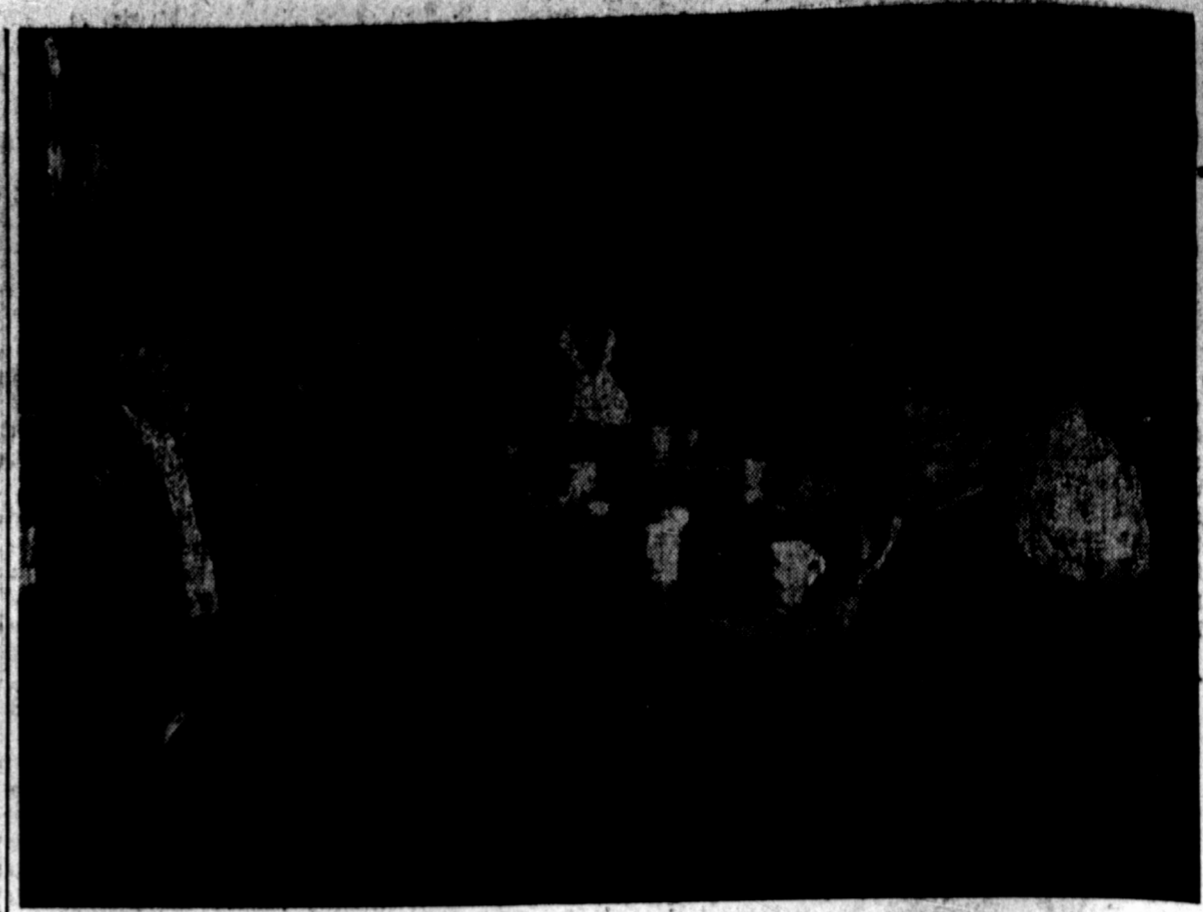
Mrs. E. J. Duncan and Mrs. W. M. Joplin were shopping in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mrs. Eddie Bingham and Mrs. Elvise Duncan attended a pink and blue shower Friday in Meadow for Mrs. Buddie Quinsberry, who is leaving for Georgia to join her husband who is stationed there.

Miss Wilmeth Duncan spent a few days with Mrs. Leroy Barrier. Several from this community attended the funeral of Grady Grison who was killed in a wreck. Our sympathy goes out to his family.

Club meeting Wednesday, February 15, was in the home of Mrs. Elvise Duncan.

potato salad, pork and beans, and potato chips were served to Jim Brannon, Ronnie and Donnie Raybon, Donnie Goodpasture, and the honoree.



**TEACHERS COFFEE**

It all started Tuesday with a coffee — "Be Kind To Teachers Day" did. The scene shown above is during the coffee session in the home room of Brownfield High School. Teachers and members of the student council attended. Rolls were baked for the occasion by members of the Home

Economics Department. During the event, the Distributive Education Club presented corsages to the women teachers as a part of the DE Week program. Valentines were matched to "see which student would serve which teacher."

**Alpha Omega Study Club Has Program on "World Cultures"**

Mrs. Marion Bowers was hostess when the Alpha Omega Study Club met at the Seleta Jane Brownfield club house Tuesday.

"Cultures of the World" was the theme of the program, which was directed by Mrs. Burnon Haws. Papers were read by Mrs. E. Y. Wilder on China, and by Mrs. Jack Cleveland on India. Mrs. V. L. Patterson conducted the round table discussion. Of particular interest to the group was the similarity of the conditions of India and the United States. The club project for the month is sending magazines to Jamaica, British West Indies.

In the business meeting, Mrs. Grady Goodpasture was named club house director. M. A. Tommy Hicks and Mrs. Truett Flaché were chosen to represent the club

at the district federated club meeting to be held soon in Plainview.

Mrs. Lee Brownfield read a letter from the club's foster child, Helen Kambanaki, in Greece. The group is sending her a box of gifts for her birthday.

Individual cherry tarts and coffee were served to Mesdames Brownfield, P. R. Cates, Cleveland, Bill Cope, Jack Eastham, Jake Geron, Goodpasture, Jack Gore, Jack Hamilton, Haws, Hicks, Earl Jones, Arlie Lowrimore, Patterson, and Wilder.

Fishing at Falcon Dam and Sugar Lake this week are Nathan and Leonard Chesshir, Son Beasley, and Rube Faught.

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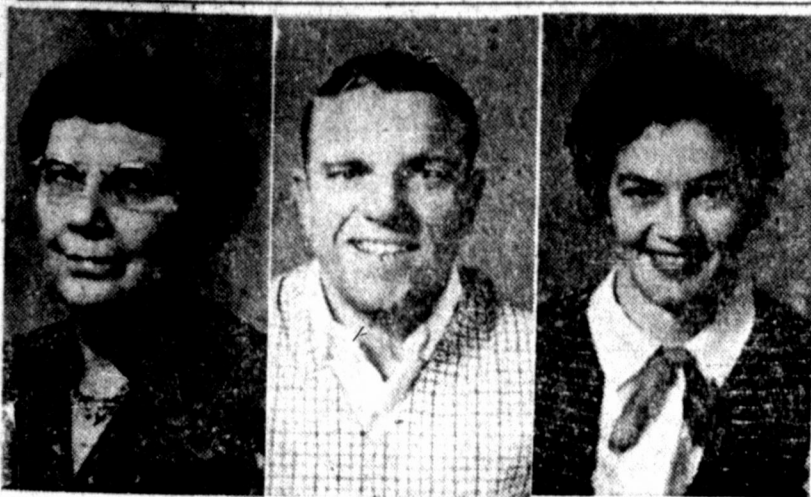
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**KNOW YOUR TEACHERS**—Three popular teachers in Brownfield Junior High School are shown above. From left, they are Miss Hazel B. Crouch, Glen H. Mitchell and Mrs. Coy Jones. Miss Crouch, eighth-grade math teacher, holds a master's degree in education; Mitchell, who teaches social studies in the eighth grade, bachelor of arts degree and Mrs. Jones, home economics teachers, a bachelor of science degree. Miss Crouch is making plans to travel this summer. Mitchell will do graduate study at Tech, and Mrs. Jones says she has no current plans.

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One of our former class mates, Aleta McCullough, from Seagraves visited school Monday.

The Home Economics girls are selling pop corn balls, sandwiches and other things to make money for their trip to the Convention in Ft. Worth.

This week is Six Weeks Test, so let's everyone study real hard and pass. After this six weeks there will be 12 more weeks of school. The Seniors are sure anticipating their trip to Colorado.

Our English teacher, Mr. Odus Walser, was absent from school Monday on account of sickness.

We urge everyone to attend the Union Athletic Banquet February 28. The Seniors are selling tickets.

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The boys and girls played Wellman. High point boy was Howard Hungerford with 16 points. The girls have been showing some good competition but haven't been on top with scores. High point girl was Anita Chestnut with 6 points.

Friday night, the girls and A & B team boys played Meadow. The Wildcats lost both games. High point girl was Joyce Foster with 21 points. High point boy for B team game was Howard Hungerford with 7 points. High point for the A team was Preston Drake with 11 points.

Valentine couples Around Union are: David Cobe-Barbara Bishop, Alfred Newsome-Sammie Chanbliss, Doris Howell-Claud Chanbliss, Eddie Powell-Danny Lowe, Carol Ann Garner-Nolan Cornett, Claud Montgomery-Foxie Cliver, Janice Newsome-Kenneth Hancock.  
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**World Day—**

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a Forlorn World" by Truett Flache, and "The Spirit of a Sound Mind for a Confused World" by A. W. Johnson.

A special offering will be taken to help Home and Foreign Missionary work. The offertory prayer will be by Rev. William J. Spreen. Special prayer will be offered by Rev. Jones Weather's.

Following a congregational song, "The Church is One Foundation," Rev. Ralph O'Dell will close the service with prayer.

All persons are urged to attend this special World Day of Prayer Service. Local businesses will probably close during the service.

**News-Views—**

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Band and the Singing Sergeants in Brownfield. The Kiwanis club is sponsoring the event, and it is definitely one you'll want to mark on your calendar not to miss. There will be a matinee and evening performance.

Dr. W. A. Roberson was elected vice-president of the South Plains Dental Society in Lubbock Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bañard have left for a national Plumbers and Electricians convention in Ohio. They also plan on going back to Connecticut to visit the Tom Keenans.

**Banquet—**

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made of the Brownfield Garden Club's table and centerpiece decorations.

In his address Stoddard also emphasized the teaching of loyalty in our public schools, explaining, "The nations which survive will be those made of men and women who love their country and know why."

The doctor continued: "We have seen loyalty to the stomach, to selfishness and to fear. Ours is not that kind. In this nation, we cannot brook loyalty into the individual."

Even while he recognized its shortcomings, Dr. Stoddard had only the highest praise for the American teaching profession saying, "The million American teachers I stand them as a group against any other group in the world for honesty, loyalty, patriotism and love of their work."

In addition to the newly elected directors, the chamber's board comprises the following: Hoy, as chairman, Lewis, C. C. Primm, Cliff Jones, Marion Powers, Hutson, Morgan Copeland, George Neal, Joe Christian, Davis and Myron Fenton.

After his speech Dr. Stoddard was presented with a Stearns hat. He said: "It fits me... I'll try to fit it."

The guest speaker was introduced by O. R. Douglas, superintendent of the Brownfield schools. An invocation was said by Rev. James Tidwell, pastor of First Methodist Church and chairman of the Brownfield Ministerial Alliance.



Most of the Wellman High students are now participating in an intramural basketball tournament sponsored by the Seniors.

Four games were played Monday night, with the Freshman girls and boys competing against the Junior boys and girls. The Freshman girls won over the Juniors, but the Freshman boys lost.

Sophomores played the Seniors. Our Sophomores won with a three point lead at the close of the fourth quarter. The Sophomore boys lost, however.

There will be a final play-off Friday night between the two winning teams and the losing teams for a first and a consolation prize.

**Wellman PTA Will Have Meet Tonight**

The Wellman Parent Teacher Association will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium. It was announced by H. E. Stephens, publicity chairman.

A panel will discuss building citizenship in the home, school, church, and community. Special music will also be presented. All interested persons are urged to attend.

The money made at the tournament will go to the Seniors for the trip and other expenses.

The Sophomores will present a one-act play entitled "It's Cold In Them Tar Hills", on March 3rd during school hours. The characters are: Paw, Kenneth Taylor; Maw, Sue Sanders; Snoddy, La Rue Rex; Prissy Lu, Glenda Jane Christopher; Mandy, Margaret Ingram; Becky Mae, Clara Bolen; Sarry, Norma Morley; Neelie Ann, Martha Coza; Zeke, Bill Adams; Bill Vandemere, Johnny Gaston; Mrs. Vandemere, Dannie Loe; and the Preacher, Carrol Parker.

Mrs. Akers, our English teacher, gave the Sophomore class a Valentine party Tuesday afternoon. There were five who got over 20 words each receiving suckers as prizes. There were also readings given and then we wrote ally poems. (With La Rue Rex being the main topic.) Refreshments were served.

**Mae Dallas Circle Met February 13**

The Mae Dallas Circle of the Presbyterian Church met Monday, February 13. The meeting opened



**AFTER 20 YEARS**—It was 20 years ago that the four sisters pictured above were last together — until last Sunday. From left, they are Mrs. Lizzie Flache, Terry county pioneer who lives at 514 Lubbock Road; Mrs. Emma Brewer of Eugene, Ore.; Mrs. Arslie Green of Indianapolis, Ind., and Mrs. Vera Scroggins, of Baird. They were honored last Sunday by immediate relatives attending a family reunion and dinner at the Mitchell Flache home, 801 East Grove. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Flache and children, Robert Ame and Gwendolyn; Mr. and Mrs. Binie White and children, Martha Ann and Binie, all of Vincent; Mr. and Mrs. John M. Hill and children, John and Patsy; Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Parrish and sons, James and Bobby, of Hobbs, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Truett Flache and children, Elaine and Arthur Ame of 702 East Buckley. (Staff Photo.)

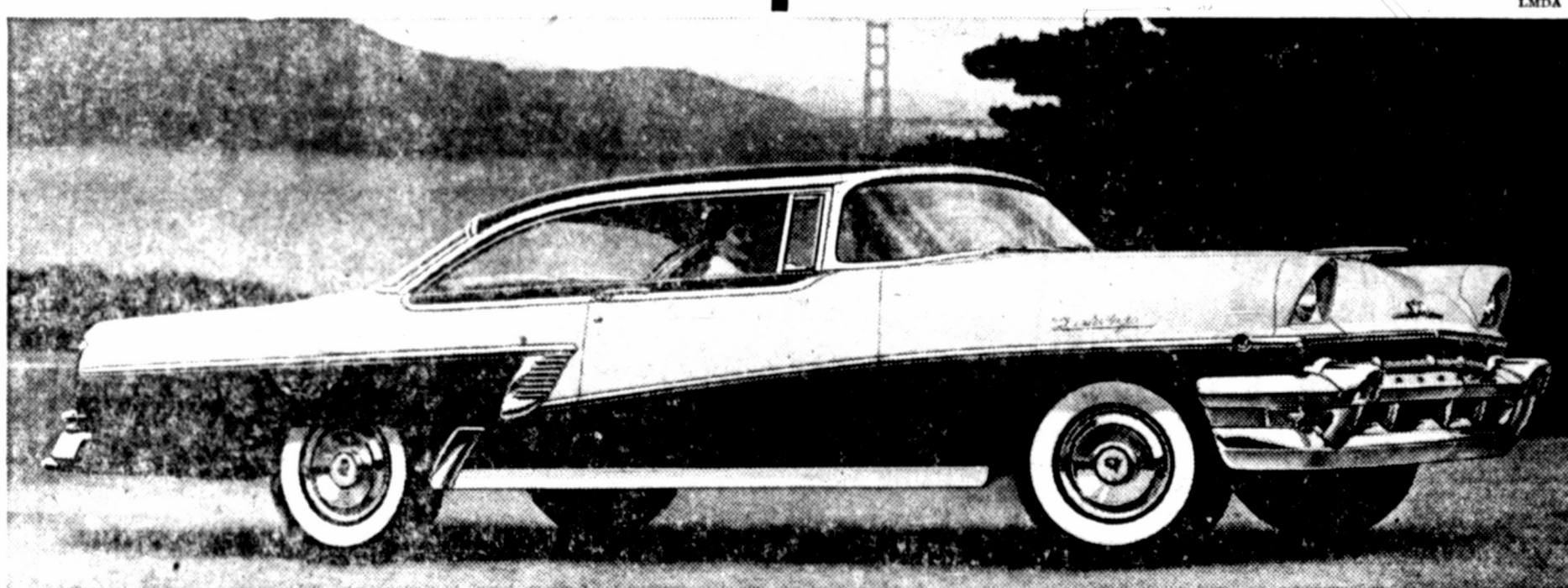
with a hymn, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee". Mrs. John King gave the Bible Study, "The Way of Divine Purpose". The members closed the meeting with a prayer.

Valentine cake and coffee were served to Mmes. Phil Gaasch, Al Muldrow, Jay Barrett, Caroline Ellington, J. S. Carter, John King, Charles Kersh, Claude Buchanan, Barney Vachal, L. E. Hamilton, and the hostess, Mrs. T. C. Williams.

**Your Invitation:**  
Southside Church of Christ

701 Old Lamesa Road  
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**Terry Jail Breaker's Still A? Larq**

James Burney, one of four Terry county jail breakers, was still at large this week. The other three Denny and Billy Potts and Edwin Harris were returned to Brownfield last week and removed to Huntsville to start serving prison terms early this week.

Charley Durham, who declined the opportunity to escape, and caved in jail was also taken to Huntsville to serve a two-year sentence.



**WITH 29TH INF.**—PFC James Riley has arrived at Inchon, Korea and is serving with the 29th Infantry Division according to his wife, the former Myrna Lindsey, who is living in Brownfield. Riley recently re-enlisted for six years and is expecting 16 months of Korean duty.

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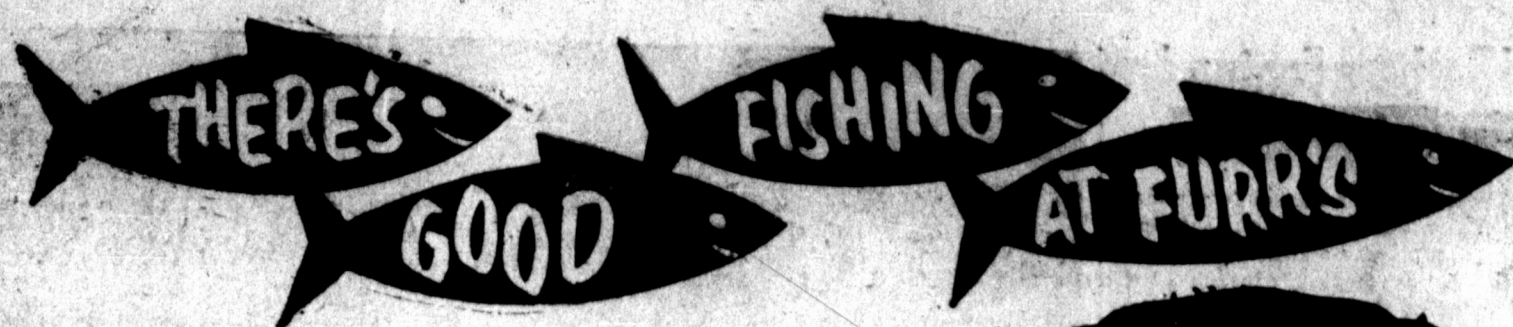
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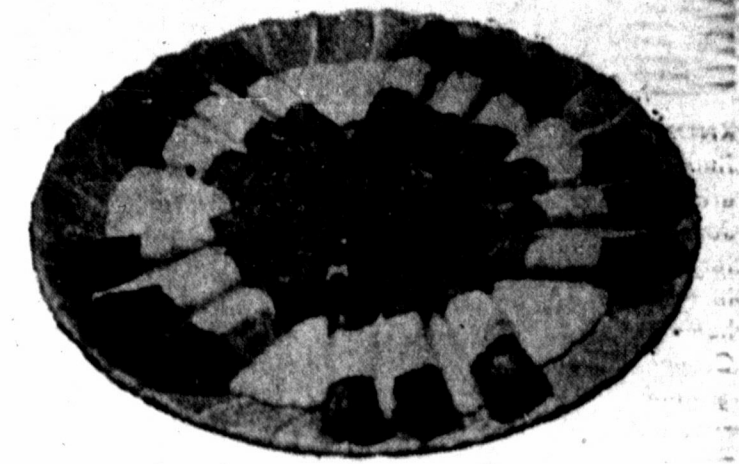
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Combine 6 1/2 oz. can flaked tuna, 2 tablespoons chopped pimento, 1/2 cup Miracle Whip, 1/2 cup chopped sweet pickles, 1 tablespoon minced onion and 1 1/2 cups medium cream sauce in top of double boiler; heat. Heat 3 1/2 oz. chow mein noodles in slow oven, 300 degrees. Place on serving plate and pour tuna mixture over them. Serves 4.

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Cook 1/2 lb. long macaroni, broken into 2-inch pieces, in boiling salted water. Drain well. Make cream sauce with 3 tablespoons Parkay Margarine, 3 tablespoons flour, 3 cups milk and salt. Place half of the macaroni in a greased 1 1/2 quart casserole. Cover with half of the cream macaroni and cream sauce. Shred 8 oz. pkg. Cracker Barrel Brand Natural Cheddar Cheese, sprinkle in one half. Add the remaining macaroni and cream sauce; top with remaining shredded cheese. Bake in a moderate oven, 350 degrees, for 20 minutes. Serves six.



**CHEEZ WHIZ ON FISH STICKS**  
Heat Cheez Whiz in small saucepan over low heat, or in double boiler. Pour over hot fish sticks which have been arranged on serving plate. Garnish with parsley.

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Dartmouth Fresh Frozen **ORANGE JUICE** 10 Oz. Can ..... **27¢**  
Morton Fresh Frozen **MACARONI DINNER** Pkg. ..... **27¢**  
Campbell Oyster or Shrimp **SOUP** Fresh Frozen, 10 Oz. Can ..... **35¢**

**PEAS** Libby's Sweet Fresh Frozen, 10 Oz. Pkg. ..... **12 1/2¢**  
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**FOOD CLUB BREADED SHRIMP** 10 Oz. Pkg. ..... **55¢**  
**EMPRESS BRAND RAINBOW TROUT** 12 Oz. Pkg. ..... **99¢**  
**CHEESE** Wisconsin Longhorn, Lb. ..... **49¢** Elna Spread 2-Lb. Box ..... **69¢**  
**TORTILLAS** El Popo Pkg. ..... **19¢**

**FRANKFURTERS** FAMILY STYLE, 3 LB. PKG. ..... **79¢**

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**PORK ROAST** LEAN SHOULDER CUT, LB. .... **29¢**



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**GREEN ONIONS** Nice and Fresh, Bunch ..... **7 1/2¢**  
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**IGLOO, 'GLOO BUILDER, FRIEND**—We won't try to fool you: Mother and dad helped to construct the igloo shown above for Beverly, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jones of 307 North C. The time, of course, was this week end after the big snowfall here. Two-year-old sister Deborah also had a hand in the job, but proved too camera-shy to show her work. The snow was a rare sight for the Jones girls. (Staff Photo)

### Country Club Committee Assignments Are Announced By President Taylor

Crawford Taylor, newly elected president of the Brownfield Country Club, this week announced committees for the year 1956 as follows:

**Budget & Finance Committee**—Director in Charge, Buddy Gillham; Chairman, Ike Bailey; Ass't. Chairman, Morgan Copeland; Members—John Kendrick, Frank Ballard, V. L. Patterson and Bruce Zorns.

**Greens Committee**—Director in Charge, Jack Shirley; Chairman, L. T. Stretch; Ass't. Chairman, Roy Wingerd; Members—Bob Duke, Bob Campbell, Ralph Kerley, Jack Mann, Phil Gasch, Jack Eastham, Otho Reeves, Otis Larner.

**House Committee**—Director in Charge, J. O. Burnett; Chairman, Harry Goble, Ass't. Chairman, Dockey Germany; Members—Dusty Kemper, Jim Cousineau,

Marge Williams, Dorothy Kirschner, Lois Wingerd, Alma Faye Taylor, Jane Shirley, Evelyn Cruce, Vivian Smith, Gail Davis.

**Tournament Committee**—Director in Charge, Jerry Kirschner; Chairman, Prentice Walker; Ass't. Chairman, Ted Hardy; Members—Paul Woods, Jack Mann, Mary Jo Hardy, Jack Shirley.

**Social and Entertainment**—Director in Charge, Jerry Kirschner; Chairman, Bugs Bailey; Members—Jane Shirley, Dorothy Kirschner, Kathryn Eastham, Bea Allen, Gail Davis, Helen Walker, Merle Kemper, Lois Wingerd, Jean Jones, Mary Stretch.

**Publicity Committee**—Director in Charge, Bobby Jones; Chairman, Jerry Stoltz; Ass't. Chairman, Helen Walker; Members—Gee Gee Privitt, Mike Barnett, Marge Williams, Curtis Sterling, Small Childrens Committee—

### Gomez News

Mrs. George Mills received word Wednesday night that her mother in Ada, Okla., was seriously ill Mr. and Mrs. Ellis and son, Hugh, left immediately for Oklahoma.

Jack Kern of Bakersfield, Calif., has been visiting here in the home of his mother, Mrs. Bill Carter, and Mr. Carter. Also visiting in the Carter home was their grandson Sonny Blaug, of Abilene.

Mrs. Dwayne Scott and son Mickie, of Littlefield are here visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aron Fox.

Little Becky Martin, 2½ year old granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Martin, underwent a tonsillectomy Friday at the Payne C. Hill clinic.

The Gomez-Johnson Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon in the Fellowship room at the Gomez Baptist Church.

Mrs. C. D. Parker, president was in charge of the program.

Roll call was answered with members answering the question "What do you have in your handbag?"

Mrs. R. D. Jones, conducted the recreation period by leading the group in Bible quiz games.

Plans were made for a new date for the March of Dimes 42 party which was to have been held two weeks ago and was postponed due to the weather.

Friday night, February 17th, is the date set, at 7 p.m. at the tenant house near the home of Mrs. B. R. Lay, 2½ miles east and 2 miles north of Gomez. The public is cordially invited to attend. Bring card table, dominoes, and canasta cards. Meet your neighbors for an

### Lee Dale Bowden And Barbara Fenton Are Sweetheart Banquet King And Queen

Monday night was the annual Sweetheart Banquet date at the First Baptist Church. Over one hundred young people gathered for this festive occasion. Bryan Robinson, Dean of Students at Wayland College, Plainview, was the speaker.

The program consisted of an invocation by Odell Sears, superintendent of the Senior Department of the Sunday school; Introduction of guests and a singspiration led by Ed Rogers, educational director of the church; a piano solo by Brenda Fenton; the speaker; and the crowning of the King and Queen of the First Baptist Youth by Dr. Jones Weathers, pastor of the church.

### Rites Are Held For Mrs. L. L. Blackstock

Funeral services were held for Mrs. L. L. Blackstock, 77, a longtime Terry County resident, at 2 p.m. Monday at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jones Weathers, officiating.

Burial was in Terry County Memorial Cemetery.

### Mrs. J. L. Newsom Hostess to Circle

Peace Circle of the First Methodist Church met Monday in the home of Mrs. J. L. Newsom. Mrs. Jess Smith opened with a prayer. Mrs. Coke Toliver gave the invocation and a chapter from the Study book.

Cake and coffee were served to Mesdames Toliver, Ernest Latham, Jess Smith, Leo Holmes, Kenneth Purcell, Paul Turner, and A. W. Johnson.

Lee Dale Rowden was elected King and Brenda Fenton, Queen. The several committee chairmen in the preparation for the banquet were as follows: publicity—Bill Neel, decorations—Mrs. M. E. Hinson, food—Mrs. Arlie Lowmore, tickets—Mrs. E. H. Farrar, program—Ed Rogers, printing of programs—Mrs. Mack Ross, and invitations—Mrs. Jones Weathers.

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**TOURNAMENT OF TALENT SPARKLERS**—These young ladies, third and fourth grade students at West Ward School, will comprise some of the entertainment highlights of the fifth annual Tournament of Talent, to be presented Feb. 23-24 by the Brownfield Lions Club. From left seated, they are Wanda Jo Switzer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Switzer of 1013 South Fourth; Patsy Olene Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Young of 417 North Second; Noma Moore, daughter of Mrs. Oma Moore of 616 East Broadway; Nancy Lou Noel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Noel of 201 West Broadway, and June Carole Hinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Faulkner of 301 West Lake. From left back, they are Glenda Ann Bounds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bounds of 807 East Reppto; Ava Beth Neel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill R. Neel of 1102 East Buckley; Sharon Sue Haywood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Haywood of 1012 East Hill; Betty Ann Brownlee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Brownlee of 1215 South Fourth, and Marilyn Ann Davenport, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Davenport of 812 South Seventh. With the exception of Glenda Ann, who will present an expression piece, all the girls plan to perform in

### Presbyterian Annual Sweetheart Banquet Features Comic Trio

The Dumbo Combo, a comic pantomime trio, highlighted the 9th annual Sweetheart Banquet held at the First Presbyterian Church Saturday night.

Sponsored jointly by the Senior High Sunday School Class and the Senior High Westminster Fellowship, the dinner drew a crowd of approximately 100 young people.

The Combos, Jack Knorr, Don Knorr, and Bill Alvers, hail from Artesia, N. M. They featured panomimes of such recording artists as Stan Freberg, Spike Jones, and Homer and Jethroe.

### COTTON — COTTON EQUITIES

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**NEW DIRECTORS** — Bobby Jones, left, and newly elected Brownfield Country Club President Crawford Taylor are the two new members of the Club Board of Directors.

Chairman, Daryl Pemberton; Ass't. Chairman, Wilma Stoltz; Members—Gayle Bayless, Mrs. Don Hewitt, Janet Gasch, Barbara Duke, Gwen Henderson, Jean Jones, Virginia Zorns, Faneta Graham.

**Teen Agers Committee**—Chairman, Jean Brownfield; Ass't. Chairman, Katherine Hamilton; Members—Daurice O'Neal, Addie Lee Christian, Tiny Barrett, Mrs. Leland Prewitt, Arlene Clements, Dee Cloud, Mrs. John Bost, Mary Stretch.

**Stag Night Committee**—Director in Charge, Crawford Taylor; Chairman, Harold Crites; Ass't. Chairman, Members—Eddie Ballard, Jack Shirley, Pat McMillan, R. N. McClain, Bill Williams, Paul Woods, Jerry Kirschner.

**Skish Committee**—Director in Charge, Crawford Taylor; Chairman, C. K. Kendrick; Ass't. Chairman, E. G. Akers; Members—B. G. Hackney, Jack Bailey.

**Membership Committee**—Director in Charge, Crawford Taylor; Chairman, Frances Gillham; Members—Jack Shirley, Jerry Kirschner, George Weiss, Joe Christian, Leland Prewitt, George O'Neal, Don Hewitt, O. C. Elliott, Jimmie Billings, Bonnie Reeves.

**Swimming, Tennis and Playground**—Director in Charge, Bobby Jones; Chairman, Ida May Monnett; Ass't. Chairman, Earl Jones; Members—Troy Noel, Charlie Price, Herb Chesshir, Sam Privitt, Grady Goodpasture, Ed Wilder.

**Grounds Beautifications**—Director in Charge, Buddy Gillham; Chairman, Lee O. Allen; Ass't. Chairman, John L. Cruce; Members—Murphy May, Lee Brownfield, Phyllis Mann.

**Telephone Committee Members**—Marge Gill, Kathryn Eastham, Herbie Boswell, Eleanor Hahn, Mildred Wilder, Mrs. Joe Rasmussen, Bunny Smith, Mrs. Barney Vachel, Josie Sterling, Joyce Jones, Mae Jones, Mrs. John Cowser, Coordinator of High School Golf Team—George O'Neal.

### "Hi! From Junior High"

There were big red hearts and little red hearts floating around Junior High this week, since Tuesday was Valentine's Day. There were also some heart-shaped boxes of chocolate candy that threw some of us off our reducing diets.

The Junior High homemaking classes are studying foods this semester and will begin lab work next week, with salads. The past few weeks they have been studying nutrition and at present they are studying and working on diets, to gain or lose weight, that is. The picture above shows a demonstration on mixing biscuits. In the center of the picture is Mrs. Jones, the home ec teacher.

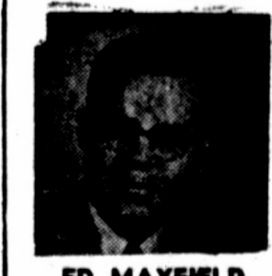
The eighth grade English classes have been busy this past week writing themes on "What America Means To Me." We are sure that there were some very good themes written.

Next Monday, there will be a southern assembly presented at Junior High to the students. Entertaining will be the Carrolls, who are make-up artists.

In Speech classes the past two weeks, different persons in the class were assigned skits to learn and present to the class. The 5th period Speech class has received a new comedy play which will be presented to the student body in a few weeks.

Barton Evans, one of our Sixth grade students, is elected "Gentleman of the Week" by these reporters because of his thoughtfulness. Seems that when the city graders came by school they piled snow on the sides, and Barton spent quite some time shovelling out paths for our students to cross the streets.

Carol Crawford  
Leonn Chesshir, Reporters



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MR. and MRS. LANNY WEBB

## Mary Bass, Lanny Webb Nuptials Performed at Wellman February 12

Miss Mary Lou Bass, daughter of Mrs. Virgil Stell of Oakland, Calif., and Lanny Webb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Webb, 1119 Tahoka Road, were married at 3 p.m. February 12 in the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Jimmy Welcher, in Wellman.

Reverend J. C. Waters, Jr., of Brownfield, performed the double ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her grandfather, J. A. Bass, the bride wore a two piece winter white faille suit fashioned with a long jacket with shawl collar, side buttoned, and three quarter length sleeves. She carried a white Bible topped with an orchid and showered with stephanotis and white satin love knots.

Miss Nelda Bowlin of Brownfield was maid of honor. She wore a turquoise suit with a white camellia corsage.

Doug Tankersley of Brownfield was best man.

At a reception in the Welcher home, the bride's table was laid with a white damask cloth and was decorated with an arrangement of white snapdragons, flanked with tapers in crystal holders. Cake and punch were served from crystal appointments.

Guests attended from California, Olton, Post, and Brownfield.

Following a wedding trip to Monterey, Mexico, the couple will be at home on Cactus Lane.

The bride is a graduate of Wellman High School and attended business college in Georgia. Prior to her marriage, she was employed in the bookkeeping department of Goodpasture Grain company.

The groom is a graduate of Brownfield High School and attended Texas Western College. He is engaged in the gin business at Needmore.

## Garden Club Had Plant Texas Theme

"Plant Texas" was the theme of the program for the regular meeting of the Brownfield Garden Club February 8. Hostesses were Mrs. Bill Blackstock and Mrs. Lee Fulton.

Mrs. J. C. Rhoades was program chairman and introduced the guest speakers, Mrs. John V. Powers and Mrs. Nat Williams, both of Lubbock. Mrs. Powers spoke on "Plant Texas", and Mrs. Williams discussed "Landscaping".

Special valentine arrangements were made by Mrs. Virgil Travis, who displayed an arrangement on the mantle, and Mrs. Fulton and Mrs. Blackstock, who decorated the table.

Hot tea and heart-shaped sandwiches were served to 18 members and the two guests.

Members of the Garden Club made special Valentine arrangements for the tables when the Chamber of Commerce held their annual banquet Friday night at Jessie G. Randal cafeteria.



**GARDEN CLUB SESSION**—During their regular meeting Wednesday a week ago, members of the Brownfield Garden Club heard discussions of "landscaping" and "Plant Texas." From left in the picture, they are Mrs. Cleo Barnett of the club; Mrs. Nat Williams of Lubbock, governor of District 2, Garden Clubs of America, who discussed landscaping; Mrs. Leonard Lang, president of BGC, and Mrs. John V. Powers of Lubbock, chairman of Plant Texas committee, who talked about the committee's progress. The club also discussed the work it was to do in decorating Jessie G. Randal cafeteria for the annual banquet of the Brownfield Chamber of Commerce, which was held Friday night. (Staff Photo)

## Miss Helen Ilene Rogers Becomes Bride of Howard Franklin Smith

In a ceremony read at 4 p.m. in the SouthSide Church of Christ on February 4, Miss Helen Ilene Rogers became the bride of Howard Franklin Smith. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Rogers of Brownfield, and he is the son of Mrs. Letha Smith of Denver City, formerly of Marlowe, Okla.

John McCoy, minister of the Crescent Hill Church of Christ, read the double ring rites before an altar decked with baskets of white mums and stock, flanked with silver candelabra and greenery.

Holland Boring, soloist, sang "O Promise Me" and "Because." A choir sang the traditional wedding marches.

Miss Beverly Rogers attended her sister as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Nelda Bowlin and Nita Stevens, both of Brownfield. Joyce Elaine McCoy was flower girl.

L. R. Little was best man. Candelights were Jimmy Smith and Johnny Rogers, brothers of the couple, Gale Armstrong ushers.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a ballerina length gown of white antique satin, fashioned with fitted bodice with stand up collar and a sweetheart neckline. The long sleeves terminated in points over her hands. The bouffant skirt was emphasized with ermine petticoats. She carried a bouquet of white roses atop a white Bible.

The maid of honor wore a full waltz length dress of rose colored taffeta styled with a princess waist line and V neckline. She carried a nosegay of rose colored carnations.

The bridesmaids wore pale pink taffeta gowns made identical to that of the maid of honor and carried nosegays of pale pink carnations.

At a reception held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. McCoy, the couple were entertained by Mrs. L. R. Little. See ROGERS, Page 2

## M. L. Copelands Hosts To Tuesday Night Club

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Copeland entertained the Tuesday night Couples bridge club February 14. High couple for the evening was Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jones. Mrs. Robert Knight and Robert Lee Craig binged.

Cherry pie with whipped cream, and coffee were served to Mrs. and Misses Jones, Knight, Craig, Sammy Jones, J. E. Smith, and J. C. Howell.

## Holiday Club Plans To Have "Leap Year" Ball

The Holiday Dance Club of the Brownfield Country Club will have an informal Leap Year Dance Saturday, February 18, beginning at 9:30 p.m.

## Brownfield Junior Women's Club To Give Annual Negro Scholarship

The Brownfield Junior Woman's Study Club met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Bill Blankenship, 711 Lanny Drive. Mrs. Dub Holloway was introduced as a new member.

Mrs. Harley Starnes, president, called the meeting to order, followed by the reading of the minutes by Mrs. E. B. McBurnett, Jr.

Mrs. Alton Martin announced the completion of plans for an Essay Contest on "What America Means To Me" in the Junior High school and the Phyllis Wheatley Junior High school. First, second, and third prizes will be given to each school. Mrs. Carl Elliott, publicity chairman, reported that United States defense bond posters were placed in downtown stores.

Mrs. Starnes appointed a nominating committee, consisting of Mrs. D. E. Hewitt, chairman, Harley Rogers, L. V. McPherson, and Bob Campbell. New officers will be elected at the March 12th meeting.

Mrs. Robert Knight reported that the special scholarship committee sent the following letter to Mr. C. E. Arnold, principal of Phyllis Wheatley School:

"We wish to advise you that the Junior Women's Study Club of Brownfield, Texas, has voted on and approved the setting aside of \$50 annually for the purpose of setting up a scholarship fund for the further education of a deserving graduate of Phyllis Wheatley school. This amount is to be payable to the school of the student's choice upon his or her registration. The student selected to receive the scholarship will be notified by the club."

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9:30 p.m.  
Music will be by Jake Miller and his orchestra, and it will be a "girl's tag" dance.

Any country club member who doesn't belong to the Holiday club may attend the dance.

## FOOT SAVING EDUCATION

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were assisted in receiving by their parents.

The bride's table was laid with a lace cloth over pink and was decorated with the bride's bouquet, surrounded by the attendants nose-gays. The three tiered wedding cake was topped with a miniature bride and groom. Mrs. Durwood Jones of Seminole, Mrs. Jimmy Berryhill of Wellman, and Mrs. Donny Jenkins presided at the serving table and the guest register. Guests attended from Denver City, Oklahoma, and Brownfield.

For a wedding trip to points in New Mexico, the bride chose a brown princess style dress, flounced below the knees and emphasized with crinoline and net, with tan and brown accessories.

The bride is a graduate of Wellman High School and is employed as secretary at the Crescent Hill Church of Christ.

The groom attended Marlow, Oklahoma, and Brownfield schools, and is employed with Griggs and Goble Furniture company.

The couple is at home at 406 North Atkins.

**G. S. Leaders Met Wednesday Morn**

The Girl Scout Leaders club met Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. After a program of Valentine suggestions from Mrs. L. D. McReynolds and some discussion on Area Council, coffee and cakes were served to the following leaders: Marion May, Bugs Bailey, Marge Gill, Jane Shirley, Ann Johnson, Rosemary Bowers, Dixie Williams, Anita McReynolds, and Herbie Boswell.

Girls Scout Troop 11 met Wednesday. After roll call and dues were taken, Barbara Kirschner made a motion that they have a party and invite guests.

The refreshment committee for the party will be Sue Steele, Gayle Gore, and Caroline Cary. The decoration committee will be Caroline Hall, Vicki Norris, and Sharon Baggett. The game committee will be Toni Lowe, Barbara Kirschner, and Ann Eastham.

The girls practice the peasant waltz, Polka, schottische, and put your little foot dances.



**LADIES HONORED** — Pictured, left to right, are Mrs. J. C. Criswell, Mrs. W. A. Bell, Mrs. P. R. Cates, Mrs. Jake Geron, and Mrs. Mozelle Fitzgerald, who received special awards at the annual PTA Founders Day program held in the Junior High School auditorium February 9. Mrs. Cates was in charge of the program. Mrs. Bell received a gold pin, as first president of the PTA in Brownfield. The other three women received life memberships in PTA for outstanding work.

**Mrs. Tommy Hamilton Honored With Miscellaneous Shower February 9**

Mrs. Tommy Hamilton, the former Miss Betty DuBose, was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower given in the home of Mrs. A. M. Muldrow, 221 S. Club, February 9, from 5 to 7 p.m.

Other hostesses were Mesmes A. V. Black, Micky Clark, Smith Murray, J. M. Teague, James King, Byron Cabiness, Terrell Knight, Bobby Green, A. F. Dungan, T. L. Treadaway, Clovis Kendrick, Jim Quenton, E. G. Akers, Bill Harold, J. E. Worsham, and T. A. Wartes.

Mrs. Treadaway greeted guests and presented them to the honoree; her mother, Mrs. Jack DuBose; and Mrs. L. E. Hamilton, mother of the groom. Mrs. Billy

Hamilton registered guests.

The table was laid with a white embroidered linen cloth and was centered with an arrangement of white carnations and greenery, intersticed with blue styrofoam hearts. Silver and crystal appointments were used, and spiced tea, coffee, cake, and nuts were served. Mrs. Jack Hamilton poured and Miss Nancy King assisted.

Approximately 50 guests called during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dusty Kemper spent the weekend in Dallas for his parents' 50th wedding anniversary.

**Dickie Brownfield Was**

Mrs. L. D. McReynolds honored her son, Dickie, on his seventh birthday with a party from 4 to 5:30 p.m. Monday.

Chocolate cake and vanilla ice cream were served, and plate favors of novelty horns, whistles, and paper caps were given.

The guest list included George Rich, Brenda Benson, Mike Copeland, Robert Clements, James Rich, O'Linda Parker, Kathy and Vicky Winchester, Susan Zorn, Kimberley May, Lisa Shirley, Kenny Black, Danny Miller, and Barry Shaw of Levelland. Assisting with hospitalities were the honoree's brother, Stephen Lynn, and cousin, Pam Shirley.

The group played games and pictures were made during the afternoon.

**Honored At P-TA Founders Day Program**

Mrs. W. A. Bell, First President of the National Congress of Mothers in Brownfield, in 1917, received special recognition and was presented a Past Presidents Pin by Mrs. P. R. Cates, President of the Brownfield City Council P. T. A. at the Founders Day Program, Thursday Evening, February 9, at the Junior High School Auditorium. The Founders Day Program is sponsored by the City P. T. A. Council in cooperation with the Jessie G. Randal, Frances Bell and Junior High School P. T. A.

Mrs. Jake Geron, general chairman of the program, lead the group in giving the P. T. A. Prayer, then introduced special music by the Ninettes. Mrs. Bill Cope lead the group in singing "Hail, Oh Faithful Founders".

An entertaining skit "Mister Facts" was presented, emphasizing the fact that P. T. A. is a suited effort between educators and the general public to promote the welfare of children and youth in the home, school, church and community. Participating in the skit were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Williams and son Tommy; and Mrs. Sam Teague and Mrs. Truitt Flache.

Life Memberships awarded annually by each P. T. A. Unit to outstanding persons for their work in promoting the welfare of children were presented to Mrs. P. R. Cated by Mrs. Troy Noel in behalf of the Frances Bell P. T. A.; to Mrs. J. C. Criswell by Mrs. Jack

Griggs in behalf of the Junior High School P. T. A.; and to Mrs. Mozelle Fitzgerald by Mrs. Charles Hamilton in behalf of the Randal P.T.A.

The members of the Brownfield Board of Education, Past and Present Presidents of local P. T. A. Units, those who held Life Memberships, and District 14 officers Mrs. M. G. Butler, Past President and Present Parliamentarian and Mrs. V. L. Patterson, Recording Secretary, were given a special welcome by Mrs. Cates.

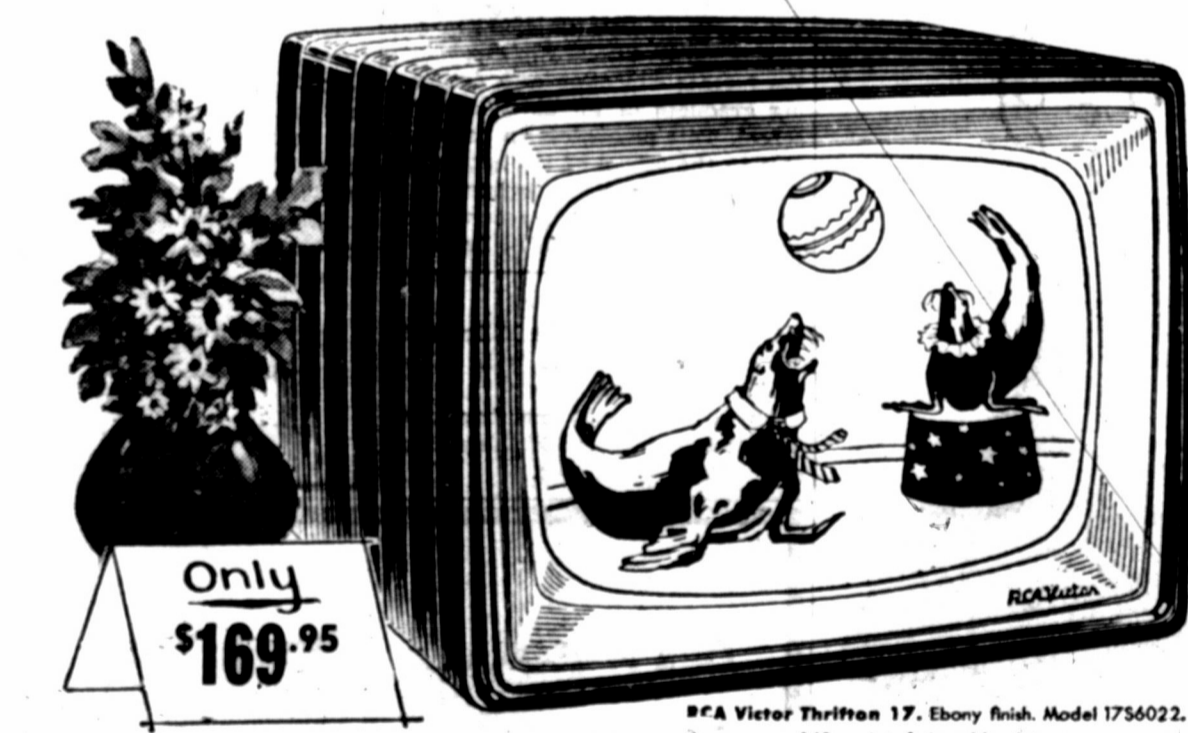
Members of the Junior High School Student Council presided at the registration tables and served

as ushers for the evening. They were: Latrice Teague, Yvonne Parker, Barbara Germany, Janies Newell, Theretha Smith and Margie Chisholm.

Mrs. Howard Hurd and Miss Creola Moore were in charge of the Silver Tea following the program. Gold painted Oak Leaves and Acorns, National Emblem of P. T. A., made an impressive centerpiece for the refreshment table. Spiced tea and cookies were served to 130 persons by Mesdames Fred Miller, Lewis Stimmons, John Jennings, Lloyd Hahn, J. R. Blackburn, Thurman King and Lawrence Renfro.



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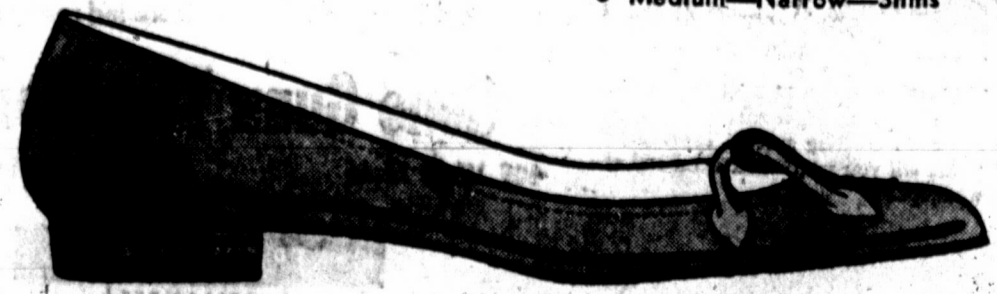


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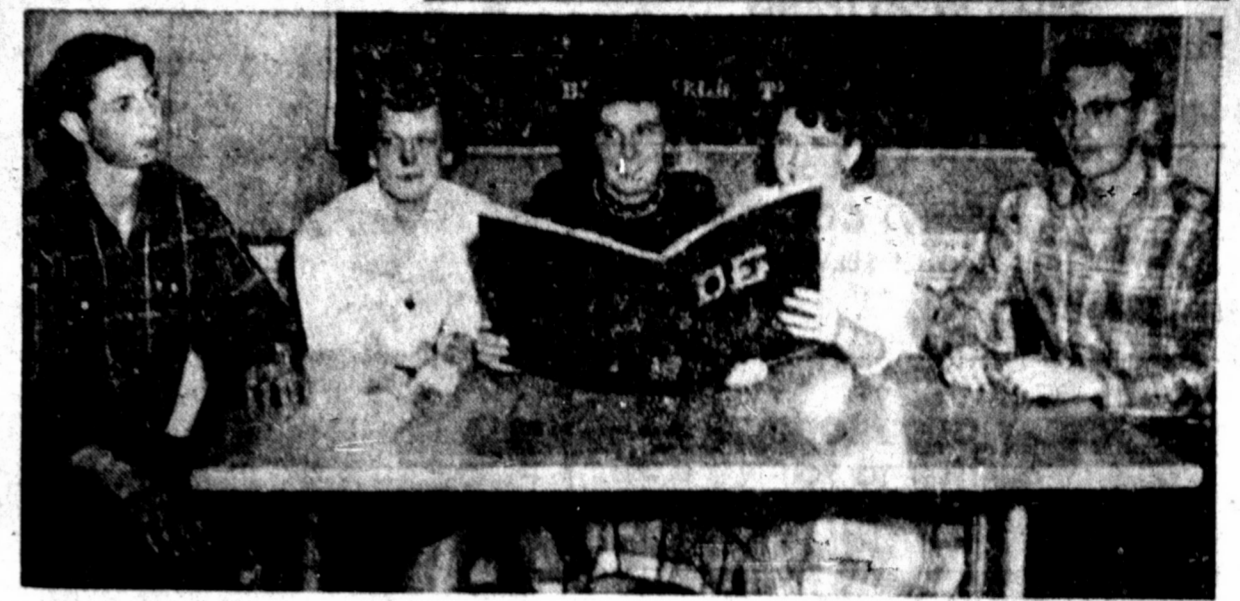
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**D. E. CLUB SWEETHEART FOR 1955-56**—Gail Cottrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cottrell, was elected Sweetheart of the Brownfield D. E. Club for this year. Her picture has been entered in the Contest for State Sweetheart which will be held during the Annual Club Convention in Austin on February 17-18. The State of Texas is divided into four areas for Distributive Education and there will be one Duchess chosen from each of these areas. These four Duchesses attend the State Convention and one is elected as State Sweetheart. She in turn represents the State of Texas in the National Convention of the Distributive Education Clubs of America that will be held in St. Louis, Mo., sometime in April.



**D. E. DELEGATES**—Delegates from the Brownfield Distributive Education Club are shown above prior to leaving Wednesday noon for Austin, where they will attend the annual State Club Convention today through Saturday. From left, they are Dennis McCutcheon, president of the Brownfield club and a candidate for National Delegate; Georgia Martin, entrant in the Student Workbook Contest at Austin; Janith Spears, entrant in the Job Application Contest; Arvin Stafford, candidate for State Parliamentarian, and R. T. Wilson, coordinator of the DE program in Brownfield. (Staff Photo)



**D. E. CLUB OFFICERS**—The students officers of the Brownfield Distributive Education Club are shown above. From left, they are Eddie McKay, vice-president; Shelby Thompson, reporter; Janith Spears, student council representative; Barbara Phillips, secretary, and Dennis McCutcheon, president. (Staff Photo)

**Baptist WMS Study "The Tribes Go Up"**

Circles of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met in homes this week for a Mission Study taken from the Mission book, "The Tribes Go Up". Members were given an opportunity to learn more about the Baptist Mission work and needs among the American Indians. Circles had the following attendance: Ann Pettit, 5 present; Bagby, 8 members and one visitor; Blanche Groves, 6 members and one visitor; Janelle Doyle, 4 present; Lois Glass, 3 present; Lottie Moon, 7 members and one visitor; Lucille Reagan, 9 present; and Roberta Edwards, 4 present. The W. M. S. will meet at the church Monday at 4 p. m. for a Royal Service program.

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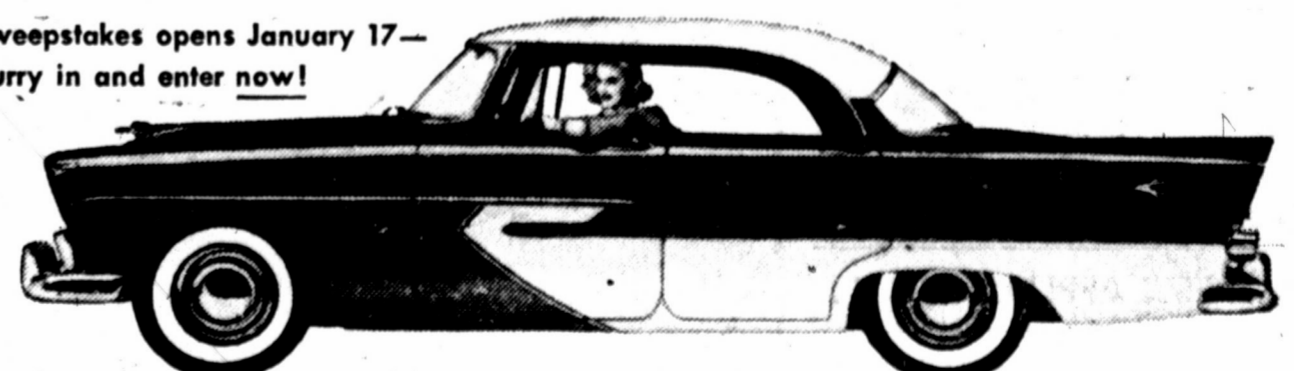
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At present there are thirty students enrolled in Distributive Education in the Brownfield High School. These students are shown in the pictures on these pages.



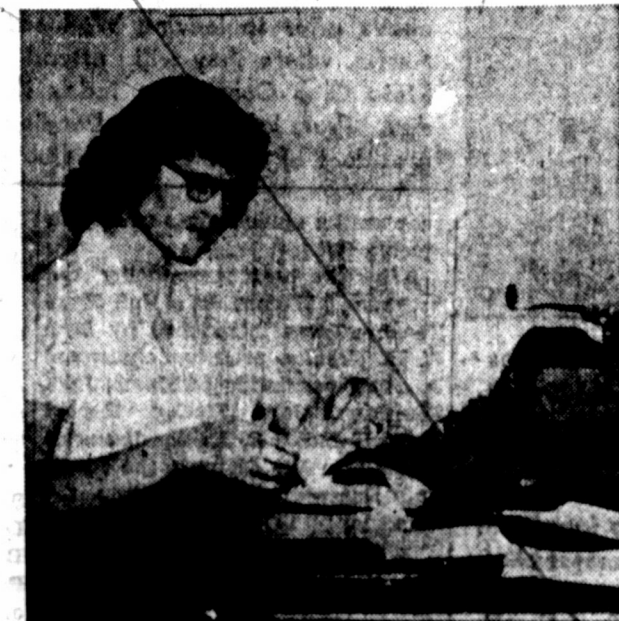
Linda Harrell ... Works in the Retail Merchants Association. 1st year D. E.



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Georgia Martin ... Training at Copeland Hardware. 1 year D. E. and Senior.



Barbara Phillips ... 2nd Year D. E., Senior, Training at Wackers Variety Store.



Frances Floyd ... Junior, 1st year trainee, Griffith Variety.



James Hall, Jr. ... Trainee at Griggs and Goble Furniture—1st year.



Melba Stephens ... Senior, Employee at City Drug, 2nd Year D. E.



H. W. Shelton ... Junior, In training at Kyle Grocery, 1st Year D. E. Student.



Adrian McWilliams ... Senior, 1st year D. E. Employed by Martin Radio & T.V.



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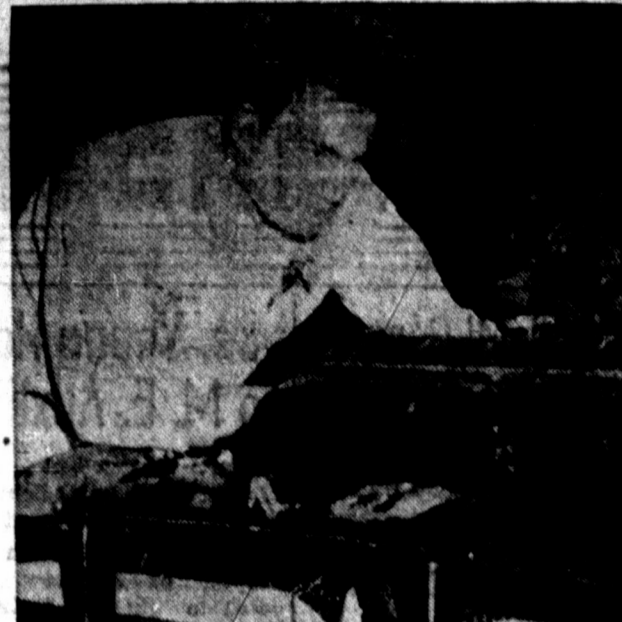
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Barry Burrow . . . Senior, at Denison and Eaves Appliance, 1 year D. E.



Janith Spears . . . Junior and employee of Primm Drug. 1st year in D. E.



Charles Inscore . . . Junior trainee, at Portwood Motor Co.—1 year D. E.



Wanda George . . . Senior, 1 year D. E. Training at Cliffs Western Wear.



Connie Kuebler . . . Is training at Dunlaps, 2nd year D. E. and Senior.



Dennis McCutcheon . . . Senior, in training at Brownfield State Bank, 1 year D. E.



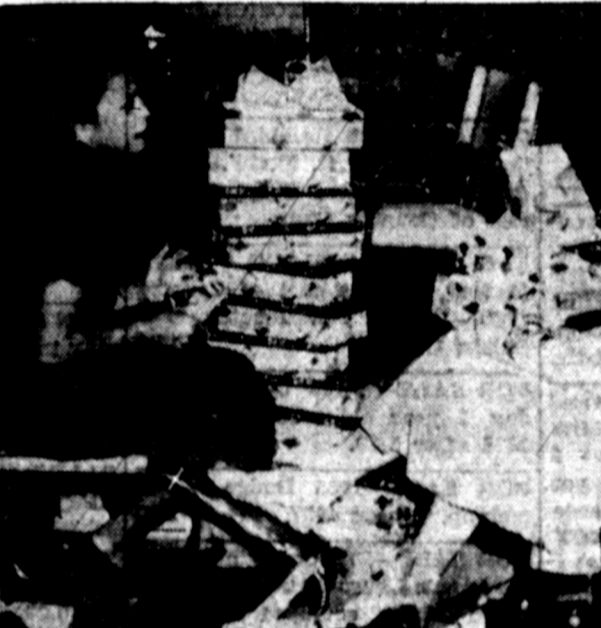
Marthelle Bagley . . . 1st year D. E. Training at Brownfield Bus Station.



Leodell Gorman . . . 2nd Year in D. E. Senior, employed by Copeland Hardware.



Eddie McKay . . . Junior and employee of 1st National Bank—1 year D. E.



Clara Cabrera . . . Selling Shoes at Fentons Shoe Store, 2nd year D. E.



Arvin Stafford . . . Junior, in training at Terry County Printing as 1 year student.



Darwin Parker . . . Employed at Brownfield Floral, Senior, and 1 year D. E.



Freddie Shipley . . . 1 year D. E.; Senior. Employed at Shipley Motor Co.

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The program has met our expectations. Brownfield schools have sent us young men and women who have done a good job, deserving of the boost and the assistance that we and the schools have been able to offer them. We take this occasion, publicly, to commend these students and wish them the very best and most successful future.



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## Calvary Baptist Women Hold Circle Meets, Have Bible Study on Prayer

Members of the Calvary Baptist Church Women's Missionary Union met in various circles for Bible study recently.

**Helen Tisdale**

The Helen Tisdale Circle of the Calvary Baptist Church met with Mrs. Mary Howell. A devotional

was given by Mrs. Cecil George. Mrs. Bryon Cabiness was elected secretary for the circle.

Bible study on Prayer was taught by Mrs. A. W. Stowe.

Those present were Meses. Doyle Pierson, Alton Garner, Lynn Smith, Johnny Bowling, Cabiness, George, Stowe, and Howell.

**Ruby Wheat**

The Ruby Wheat Circle met in the home of Mrs. Ralph Murry.

Opening prayer for the missionaries was led by Mrs. Bill Stallings. Mrs. Alton McKee taught the Bible study on the "Prayers of Abraham." The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Evans.

Those present were Meses. Stallings, McKee, Lottie Evans, Bill Lindsey, and Murry.

**Darlene Sears**

The Darlene Sears Circle met in the home of Mrs. Carl McIntyre.

Opening prayer was led by Mrs. Chock Mulky. Prayer for the missionaries was led by Mrs. O. W. Cox. Mrs. Oscar Decker taught the Bible Study on "Prayers of

## Wellman FHA Club Will Sell Cards

A called business meeting was held February 8. The chapter voted to sell cards again to help raise money for area and state meetings and summer camp. Each FHA member is taking orders for the cards.

**La Rue Rex** spent the week end in Seagraves with Louise Ballard, Danny and Tommy have as a guest in their home, Mrs. Willie L. Smith from Spur.

**Mae Smith** spent the week end at New Home with her sister, Mrs. Rogers.

**Mrs. Kenneth Free** of Waxahatchie has a new daughter, Evetta Sue. She is the sister of Peggy Dean.

**Mass Hines** attended a vocational Home Economics meeting in Odessa Saturday.

**Sue Saunders** was sick over the

**Moses.**

Those present were Meses. J. Stokes, Ben Stokes, L. T. Redding, W. S. Armstrong, C. N. McIntyre, Ruth Hall, Cox, Mulky, and Decker.

All circles will meet at the church February 20 at 2:30 p.m. for royal service program.

## Attend NMMI Dance

Mrs. Al Hallbauer, Mrs. W. C. Burrow, Sr., and Misses Freda Newson and Mary Jane Brownfield attended the annual Sweetheart dance at New Mexico Military Institute Saturday night as the guests of Leslie Hallbauer, who is a student here.

week end, but was able to attend school Monday.

**Jenelle Hulise** received a package from Japan Monday containing different articles from that country.

**La Vena Dickens** is sick this week.

The Sophomore girls won over the senior girls in the intramural tournament and will play the freshmen for the championship Friday night. The junior and senior girls will play for consolation. The tournament is sponsored by the seniors and all proceeds go to them. Admission is 25c.

**Danny Loe**, Reporter

## Mrs. Young Hostess To M. E. Auxiliary

The Evangelical Methodist Women met in the home of Mrs. B. W. Young Monday at 7:30 p.m. Bible Study was from the 10th chapter of Matthew. Members voted to change their regular meeting to each first and third Thursday at 7:30 p.m. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. A. McCraw on March 1.

Members present were Meses. J. C. Waters, Jr., Charlie Shrimpton, J. L. Reast, G. M. Thomason, and Evelyn Collins, and Misses Betty Collins and Anita and Viola Young. Punch and cookies were served.

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Service and Safety. . . just like the popular hit tune "Love and Marriage". . . go together as far as Halliburton employees are concerned in Brownfield. In fact, after logging 600,000 miles with company vehicles without an accident they even believe "you can't have one without the other".

That's quite a safety record Charlie Parker and his crew have compiled, and they take pride in the accomplishment as they look forward to passing the million mile mark sometime in 1957 or late '56.

But right now they are perhaps even prouder of the new plant that is nearing completion on the southwest edge of Brownfield. The new facilities include a \$10,000 office building, a blacktopped service area costing about \$10,000, a

six stall garage for maintenance and a bulk plant that costs somewhere in the neighborhood of \$60,000.

When completed, the plant will represent five years of growth in Brownfield. It was just five years ago this month that Parker moved to Brownfield to open the office. The office has since been designated District headquarters for the area extending north to Amarillo, east to Post, and along a line extending roughly from Lamesa to Denver City and the New Mexico state line.

Halliburton Oil Well Cementing Co., as it is officially known, is an oilfield servicing company that originated just after World War I. It was incorporated in 1924 and through the years has grown into

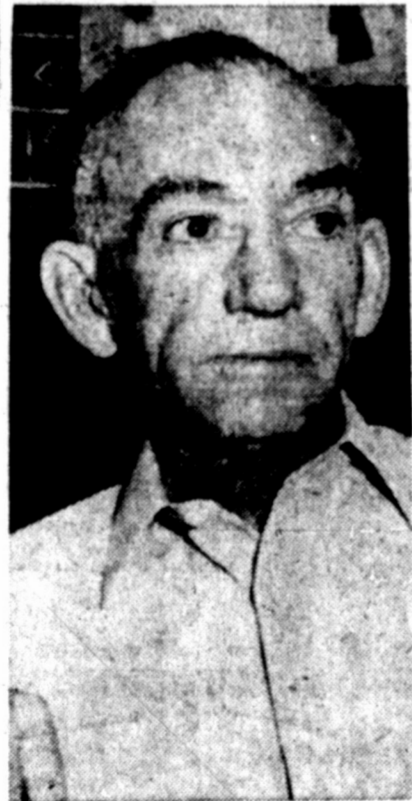
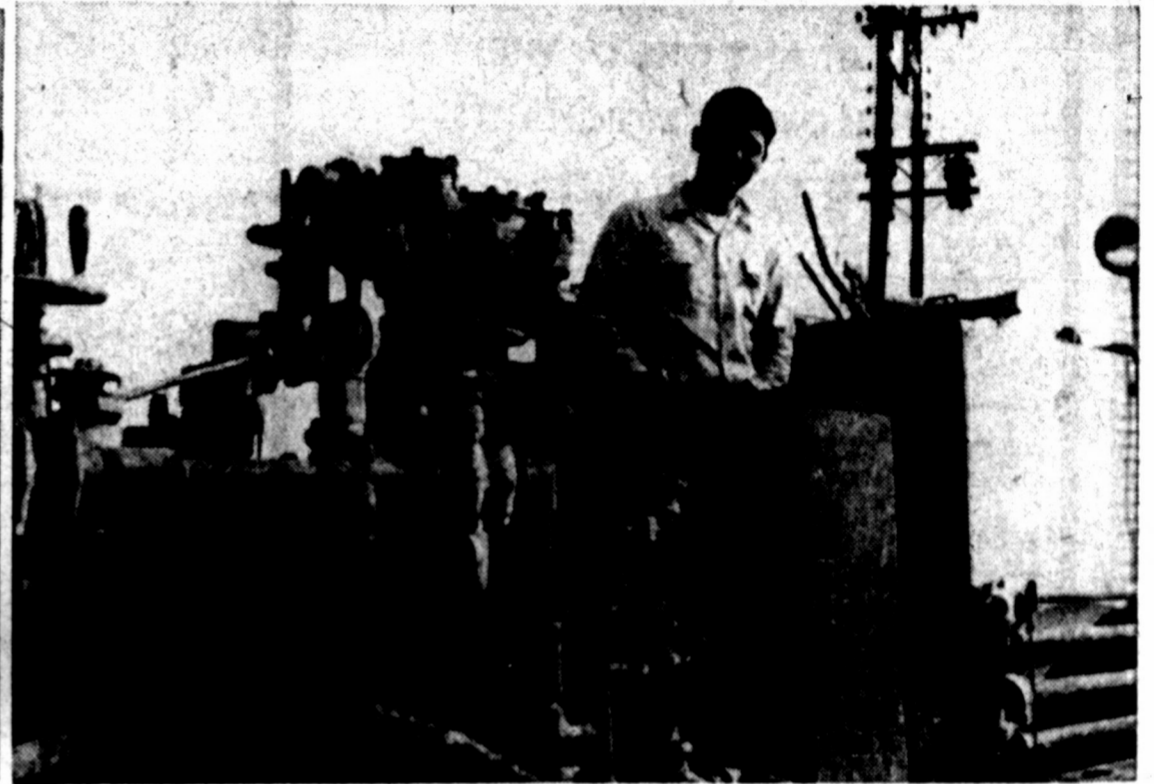
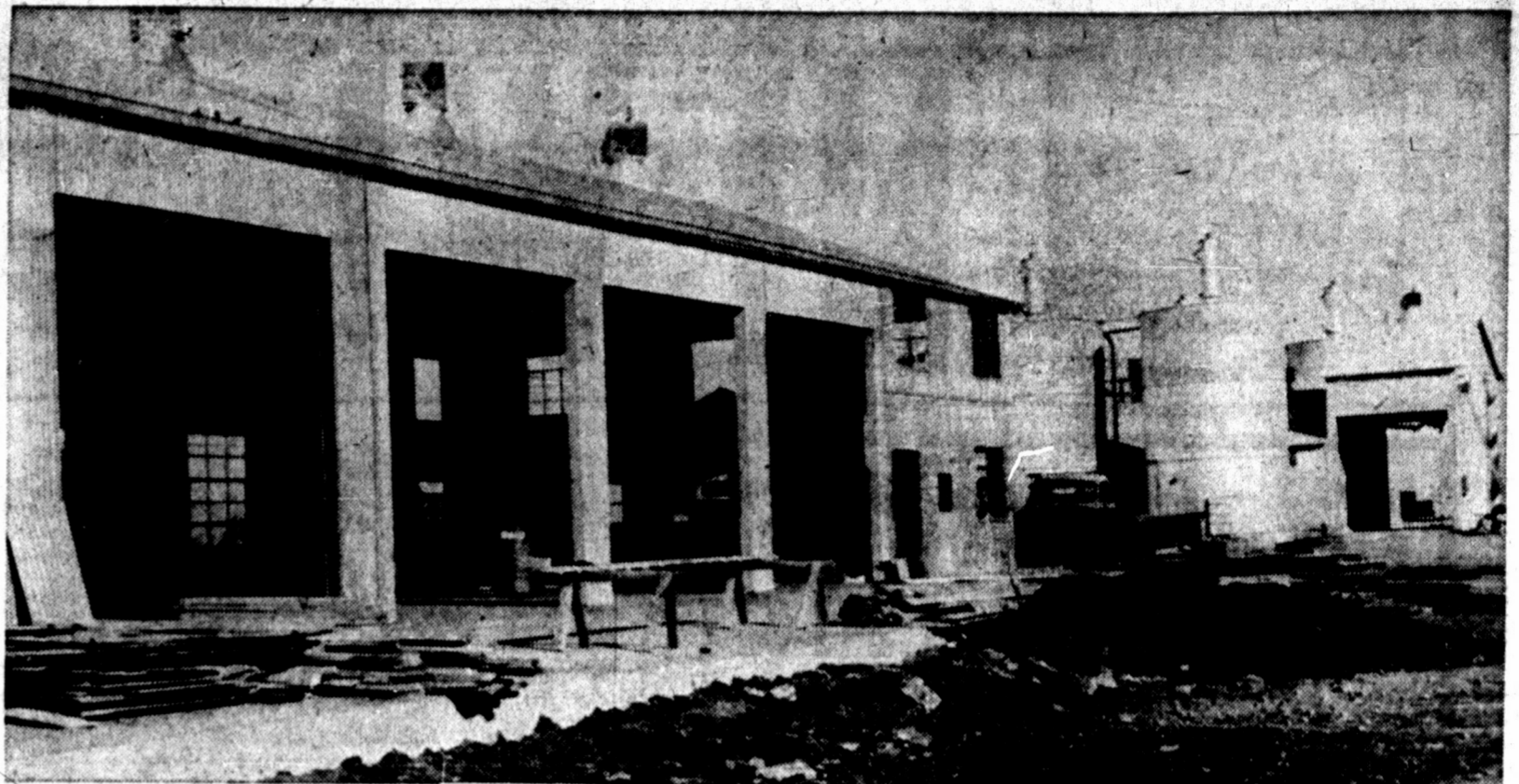
a worldwide concern. Oilwell cementing may be their speciality, but it is just another of many services, such as acidizing, sand-oil fracturing, testing special tools, Electric Well Service well logging, and sales of manufactured products.

To cope with the ever expanding west Texas oil development Halliburton has about 50 employees here now. The bulk plant is the most modern of its kind and will handle up to 250 sacks of cement or mix every eight minutes. Twenty pieces of cementing equipment, an EWS truck, a tester and 16 pickups or cars comprise the Halliburton "fleet". Three mechanics have full time jobs keeping the equipment on the road.

Just to give you a rough idea of

the immense cost involved in servicing the oil industry, a cementing truck costs about \$65,000. They paid in the neighborhood of \$40,000 for the EWS truck, and each of the nine bulk trucks cost \$25,000 apiece. The tester at \$3,000 and pickups and cars at less than \$3,000 are almost minor items, compared to the cost of the heavy equipment.

Also included in the new plant is a dispatcher's office (two way radio keeps the Halliburton fleet in almost constant contact with the office), a warehouse, ticket room and of course there's an 18 by 40 feet assembly room for safety school. For as we said in the beginning. . . Halliburton practices the principle that no matter how expensive the equipment you can't give service without safety.

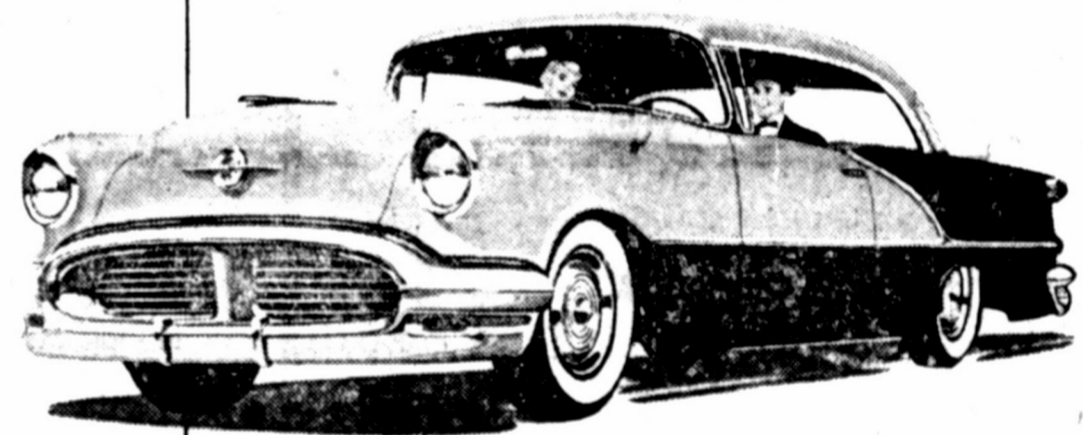


**LOOKING AT HALLIBURTON**—The NEWS camera gives us a glimpse into the working, and tremendous investment behind another part of the oil industry. Top right, the new six-stall shop for maintaining 38 pieces of rolling equipment with the modern bulk plant in the background is shown nearing completion. From left, in the next row are Charlie Parker, district superintendent, who started with the company 29 years ago as a semi-pro baseball player. He opened the local plant five years ago this month. Mack Coppock, bulk cement field man, who is in his 19th year with Halliburton is next. He moved here with his family from Levelland in August. His 13-year-old son, Douglas, will be playing Pony League baseball here this summer. Next is Eton Johnston, electric well service truck driver; Dan Frech is a bulk truck driver. H. C. Green and Cliff Windham are mechanics. O. R. Roberts, driver, is shown at the controls of one of the big cementing trucks on the far right. Moving back to the left, D. E. Yandell, a cementer, is shown with some of his equipment. The two single shots are Neill Trout, dispatcher and George K. Burt, senior field clerk. Burt has been with the company 12 years. His daughter Sandra is a senior at BHS. He also moved his family here from Levelland in August. They bought a home at 511 Park Lane. The new company office is shown below. A \$10,000 building, it will house the district offices.

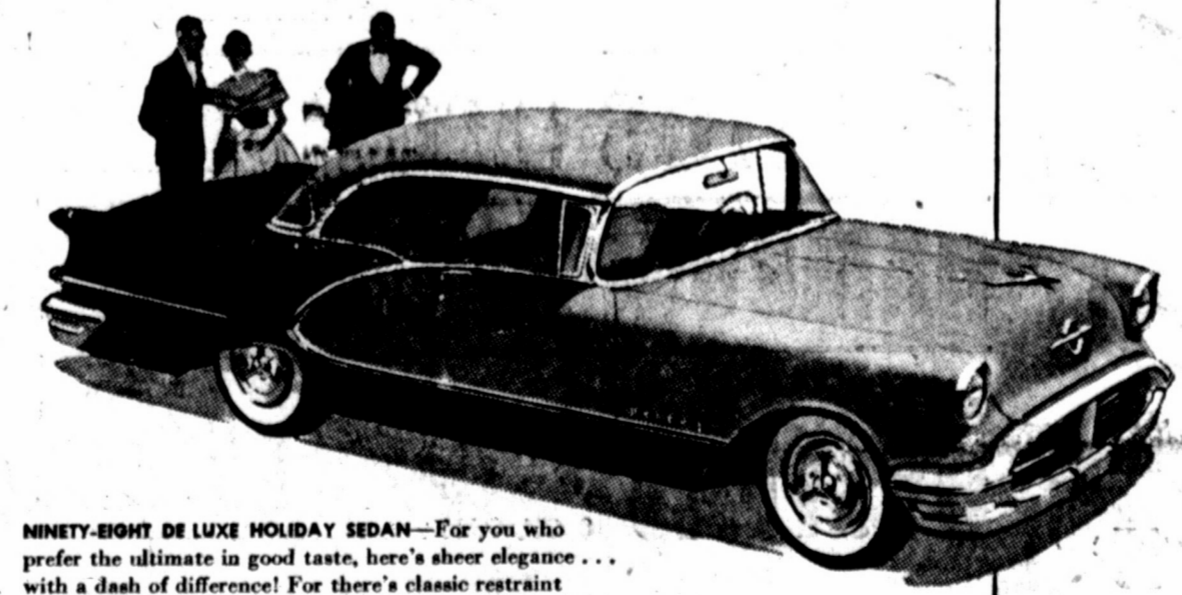


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IN LEVELLAND COURT CASE

High Plains Water District Scores Victory

The High Plains Underground Water Conservation District scored a first round victory Tuesday in Lubbock in an injunction suit against a Witharal farmer which was filed as a court test of the validity of the state's underground water statutes.

The defendant's attorney immediately announced plans to appeal to the state supreme court the ruling of 72nd District Court Judge Victor H. Lindsey, in which the farmer is permanently enjoined from anything more than restricted usage of an irrigation well which allegedly was drilled contrary to the rules of the water conservation district.

**First Case Filed**

Of great importance because it deals with the first case filed in the state challenging provisions of the Texas underground water law, Judge Lindsey's decision was an-

nounced Tuesday afternoon in the suit, which was styled High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 against F. J. Bryson.

The case was aired during a three-day hearing held in Level-land Dec. 7-9. Upon completion of testimony, Judge Lindsey asked attorney for each side to prepare briefs, which then were taken under advisement.

Tuesday's ruling was to the effect that Bryson is restrained from using or producing more than 100,000 gallons per day from the well in question. According to state statutes, wells producing that amount or less are considered as being for domestic purposes and not under domain of the underground water conservation law.

The suit was filed by the local water conservation district after Bryson allegedly drilled an irri-

gation well on his property last summer which failed to meet spacing requirements set up by the 13-county organization under provisions of the state statutes. The defendant's well was located approximately 74 yards from one belonging to Bryan Hulise, who had been granted a permit for drifting and operation of a well in that location.

Upon learning of the court's decision, Tom McFarland, manager of the High Plains district, said "We feel sure Uey will appeal the ruling, and actually hope they do. We want to know for sure that we are right, and we think this is a good test case for both sides."

**Appeal Is Definite**

R. H. Munsterman, attorney for Bryson, said in Levelland that the decision definitely would be appealed.

See FARM TRIAL, Page 5

SECTION THREE  
The Brownfield News  
AND THE TERRY COUNTY HERALD

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Results of cotton-fertilizer tests conducted on three Terry farms last summer were reported favorably last week.

In a meeting here with personnel of the Lubbock Agricultural Experiment Station, a group of Terry farmers and bankers heard Don Jones, manager of the station, say that "the trend toward increased yields with the use of fertilizer is encouraging."

The station held the tests on the farms of T. B. Woods, E. H. Farrar and George Hudspeth. Jones agreed that he would continue the tests this year on Farrar and Hudspeth's farms.

In addition to the cotton-fertilizer tests, the station will carry out experiments with grain sorghum-fertilizers and dryland cotton-fertilizers.

"If a newspaper reporter stood on the banks of the Mississippi and saw a herd of a hundred cattle, a flock of sheep and goats, a barnyard of chickens, a carload of fruits and vegetables and a silo with grain going drifting past him, it would make all the front pages.

"But unnoticed, the equivalent of a thousand-acre farm floats down the Mississippi every 24 hours, lost to us forever. It takes nature up to 1,000 years to restore one inch of topsoil. Yet, more than half a billion tons of irreplaceable soil are swept down the Potomac — just the halls of Congress — each and every year."

—COLLIER'S editorial.

A group of four or five Terry county farmers — as yet unnamed — are to go Sunday to Abilene, where they will be "briefed" by lawyers for the plaintiffs in the Houston court suit to test the West Texas 1956 cotton acreage allotted by the State Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation committee.

The Terry men will join farmers from other West Texas counties. See FARMING ANGLE, Page 6



**TESTS PROVE FAVORABLE**—Personnel of the Lubbock Agricultural Experiment Station reported favorably here last week on fertilizer-cotton tests run on three Terry county farms. In the picture above, J. W. Walker, second from left, writes weight of cotton in sack as County Agent Jim Foy, extreme right, looks on. The picture was taken last summer on the T. B. Woods farm, northeast of Brownfield, where the Lubbock station conducted one of its tests. (Staff Photo)

Records Necessity For Filing Complete 1955 Tax Returns

Terry county farmers should keep adequate records to be able to file complete tax returns, John R. Robinson, administrative officer, Lubbock Internal Revenue, announced today.

"By all means keep a complete record of all your income and all your expenses from your farming operation," Robinson cautioned.

"Keep your records up to date by recording daily each sale of a farm product and each expense for feed, fertilizer and other farm items.

"Personal living expenses, such as your own food, clothing and the like are not considered farm expenses. This record of your farm expenses and income will make the job of filing tax returns at the end of the year easy."

Many more tax returns from farmers will be received this year, Robinson explained. "This is true because the coverage of farm operators by social security will require a tax return



**AT LUBBOCK MEETING**—Among persons pictured above are several Terry County Farm Bureau personnel who attended the Feb. 6 meeting in Lubbock—a meeting set up by the Texas Farm Bureau to get the state organization's annual spring membership drive under way. From left in the front row, they are R. D. Jones, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fulford and Harry Bryson of Chicago, director of field services for the American Farm Bureau Federation. From left in the back row, they are Leon Foote, J. O. Farrar and Delton Tatum. Fulford is ICFB president. With the exception of Bryson, the other men are directors. TFB seeks to enroll 75,000 members during this year. Membership in 1955 totaled 65,000-plus. (Staff Photo)

RESULTS ARE ENCOURAGING

Cotton-Fertilizer Tests Revealed

Top personnel of the Lubbock Agricultural Experiment Station expressed their belief here last week that the use of fertilizer on cotton is a paying proposition for Terry county farmers.

The recommendation that fertilizer be applied came from a meeting between station representatives and a group of farmers and bank officers.

Highlight of the meeting was a discussion of the results of 12 separate fertilizer tests conducted on three Terry farms last summer. The tests were held by the station in cooperation with T. B. Woods, George Hudspeth and E. H. Farrar, farmers.

The most encouraging aspect of the tests was the trend toward increased yields on the three farms when fertilizer was used.

The following is a summary of the tests. On each farm, the station men laid out four test tracts, one unfertilized and three treated with varying amounts of fertilizer.

Farm No. 1, Lankart: no fertilizer, 299 pounds of lint cotton per acre; 0-90-0 fertilizer, 329 pounds; 30-0-0, 369 pounds, and 30-90-0, 416 pounds.

Farm No. 2, Dunn: no fertilizer, 487 pounds of lint cotton per acre; 0-90-0, 488 pounds; 30-0-0, 517 pounds, and 30-90-0, 626 pounds.

Farm No. 3, Paymaster: no fertilizer, 438 pounds of lint cotton

per acre; 0-90-0, 465 pounds; 30-0-0, 560 pounds, and 30-90-0, 561 pounds.

The officials pointed out that the average yield per acre from the three farms, using no fertilizer, was 408 pounds of lint cotton. With 0-90-0 fertilizer, total average yield from the three farms was 427 pounds of lint cotton; with 30-0-0, 544 pounds, and with 30-90-0, 544 pounds.

The percentage of lint cotton from the ginning samples was as follows:

Farm 1, no fertilizer, (machine harvested), 25.50; 0-90-0 fertilizer, 24.00; 300-01, 24.00, and 30-90-0, 22.50.

Farm No. 2, hand-picked, no fertilizer, 30.00; 0-90-0, 29.50; 30-0-0, 30.00, and 30-90-0, 31.00.

Farm No. 3, hand-picked, no fertilizer, 28.00; 0-90-0, 28.50; 30-0-0, 29.50, and 30-90-0, 29.00.

With the increased cotton value at 27 cents a pound, the tests showed a loss of \$2.87 an acre, if fertilized with 0-90-0; a profit of \$15.19 an acre if fertilized with 30-0-0, and a profit of \$23.95 if fertilized with 30-90-0.

Here from Lubbock for the talks were Don Jones, Earnest Thaxton and J. W. Walker of the Experiment Station. See RESULTS ARE, Page 4

REQUIRED BY LAW

State Board of Water Engineers Seek Information on Use of Surface Waters

Water is the subject these days of as many conversations as the weather. The two are of vital importance to the general welfare of Texas.

The last session of the Texas Legislature, by law, made provisions for the gathering of information badly needed by the State Board of Water Engineers for making a more nearly complete inventory of all surface water in Texas.

Among the provisions of this new law is one dealing with reporting on the use of surface water for irrigation, industrial and certain other purposes. This does not apply to those using underground water for any purpose nor to surface water used for domestic or stock-raising purposes.

**Is Board Responsibility**

It is the responsibility of the State Board to collect and analyze the information obtained from the reports.

Board Chairman R. M. Dixon points out that anyone using water from streams or natural water courses or from reservoirs located on such courses is required under the new law to file by March 1 each year a report on water used.

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# Brownfield News Editorials

PUBLISH THE FACTS

## Safeguard the Public's Money

For many years the Texas Press Association — of which this newspaper, along with a vast majority of all Texas newspapers, is a member — has suggested laws that would require governing bodies of the state, various districts, and municipalities, to open their records to the public.

In many instances, publication of minutes would be required, and in the case of agencies handling public funds, publication of a financial statement would be mandatory.

Some progress has been made in these efforts, but not nearly as much as the importance of the project justifies. There never has been a great deal of opposition to the TPA proposals. But they have been shunted aside for other matters.

Apathy — not opposition — has kept them off the statute books.

Now all Texas is concerned over the nume-

rous, unsavory circumstances that have come to light the past few years. There have been the Duval County revelations; the veterans land investigations; the U. S. Trust and other insurance debacles; to say nothing of smaller local instances of corruption and abuse of public trust of which there have been many.

Men who are in a position to know — such as the Attorney General of Texas — say that none of these things could have gone on for long had there been adequate laws governing PUBLIC NOTICE. It is doubtful that any of them would have been attempted, had there been requirements that official actions be made public.

Proper public notice laws will prevent such things in the future. Such laws automatically lead to good government.

This is an election year. If you think public business should be made public, ask each candidate for the legislature how he feels about secrecy in government affairs. Vote for and support men who pledge themselves to help pass legislation requiring publication of financial reports by insurance companies, county treasurers, and any and all persons who handle public funds.

### GAINING THE KNOW HOW

#### Prove DE Program Value

The Brownfield schools deserve a pat on the back for the advancement of distributive education work in the city, as do the business houses which have participated in the program.

The DE program is designed to allow students to put their book learning to work in the regular commercial fields, and to give them experience to go along with the theory of commercial education.

Students go into the co-operating business houses and actually do the work in which they are interested, under the guidance of worker-supervisors. The degree of success that the program has reached is indicated by the fact that after graduation many of the students continue as full-time employees of the commercial houses in which they trained.

For those who go on to college, the experience is bound to furnish guidance on the important question of what they want to get out of higher education. That in itself has proven to be quite an accomplishment.

From time to time you hear criticism of schools on the basis that the education offered doesn't fit the student for work he will be expected by a boss to do. If such a criticism was ever valid, the program seems to be the complete answer. Business men should welcome the expansion of such a worthwhile project.



Beginning to Wake Up!

## THE AMERICAN WAY

### FORMULA FOR SURVIVAL

By George Peck

(EDITOR'S NOTE: George Peck is Chairman of the Board of the National Labor-Management Foundation and Executive Editor of its official publication, PARTNERS.)

Some years ago in this column, just prior to America's entry into World War II, I refuted the charge made by many individuals that the world writhed in the agony of war because religion had failed mankind. Rather, I entered a countercharge that mankind had failed religion.

The world (the U.S.A. included) had been following after gods that were not gods; it had been exalting intellect and science to a divine position, with a false confidence that a scientifically and technically efficient world would automatically be a good and moral world. The gods of totalitarianism were the answer to the world's vaingloriousness.

At that time those false gods threatened to destroy man who so unwisely created them. Those false gods still threaten civilization and only a revival of sound ethical religion can bring about an enduring world peace. Man-made governments and the man-made United Nations, by themselves cannot accomplish that ideal condition for which the non-communist world so eagerly clamors.

In seeking a definition as to what constitutes sound ethical religion that would be acceptable to Jews, Protestants and Catholics alike, I wrote:

"Sound ethical religion is any code of principles and rules of conduct based on man's recognition of God as the Supreme Being, the Author of Life and Creator of all things—of God to whom man is accountable for the constructive or destructive use he makes of his life—with whom he finally hopes to be united in Eternity as a reward for making the proper use of his life—of God from whom he may be forever separated as punishment for failure to properly exploit his opportunities."

Subsequent to the appearance of that definition in newspapers across the nation, letters were received from people of all religious faiths located in all parts of America and not a single correspondent disagreed with it. It appeared that at long last something

### SNOWSTORM—'56

Broke the north wind cold and fast,  
And dealt the clouds a winter blast  
Snow flakes from the laden skies  
Fell thick as northern summer flies.  
They whirled and danced and hit the ground,  
And rose again to look around,  
As if the stage they fell upon  
They cared not for and wandered on.

With fury anew the wind drove in  
And howled in glee at the weathermen.  
"Not just for a day nor just for a night,  
I'll wrap the earth and I'll wrap it tight,  
I'll string the ice on wires and trees,  
And lock the roads with slippery keys."

Through the night the storm wore on.  
A new gust hit, ere the last one gone.  
They left a moan in the frosty eaves,  
And a ghostly whine in the barren trees.

Mark up five days and measure the drift,  
In front of the house where snow flakes sift.  
The wind has died and beauty lies;  
Jewels are glistening 'neath the skies.  
The streets of town lie stark and quiet,  
No cars are out in the starry night,  
No law could stop them; not even with guns,  
But crystals of snow stop them by tons.  
The silence of it all rings loud in the ear,  
And we know that the Lord is walking near.  
—Fred H. Turner

## Letter To the Editor . . .

February 11, 1956

The Brownfield News,  
Brownfield, Texas  
Dear Sirs;

We have just received a copy of the February 9 issue of your newspaper showing pictures of the milkman, postman and fireman. Too often we forget the fine services rendered by these men especially during trying times that face them — such as during our recent snowstorm.

Let us congratulate you on this news story.

Sincerely yours,  
George Wilson

### LOOKING AHEAD

#### It's A Big Step Toward Soundness

There has been a great deal of concern expressed among sober-thinking people as a result of the proposed upturn in Federal government expenditures as recommended in President Eisenhower's budget message. The concern is, I think, well founded; but there is a comforting factor in the budget message. For the first time in 25 years we have the prospect of a balanced budget as a result of deliberate planning. This means, if Congress approves the budget as submitted, that our Federal government will be adopting a fiscal program of pay-as-you-go.

So far as the future of our country is concerned, and with it the long-range welfare of all of us, this long-delayed action outweighs the disturbing fact of a rising Federal governmental cost. As a general rule the citizens of America would not trouble themselves individually to take collective action toward cutting down governmental expenses so long as a good portion of the rise was being financed with borrowed money and with little pain to the taxpayer.

Touching Your Pocketbook  
With a pay-as-you-go operating plan, however, the government will find it more difficult to hide its extravagance, and the taxpayer will be more directly affected — in his personal pocketbook — by the ups and downs of Federal spending.

A small-town banker friend of mine recently remarked about several little business bankruptcies in his bank's service territory. "Any business that keeps a good set of books," he said, "is not likely to go bankrupt." He meant that a businessman who was constantly aware of his true financial operation of his business would seldom get into such a financial hole that his business would go bankrupt. This fact explains the reason investors examine so closely the financial statement of a company before they buy stock in it.

Sound Financing Required  
People who save a few dollars a month out of their earnings, by practicing thrift and denying themselves things they would like to have, do not wish to invest this savings in a business which has a big debt and yet, over the years, has continued to increase that debt — regardless of how big its sales and income may be. In the business world, there is a group of companies whose common stock has come to be known as "blue chip" stock. Over a period of many years these companies have had efficient management, have shown sound progress, have paid back their borrowings in a reasonable time, and have seldom if ever missed a dividend.

Stock in these companies is designated "blue chip" because it is valued highest in the investment world. In contrast, the stocks of companies whose financial statements reflect a chronic inability to hue to the strict demands of sound fiscal policy, do not attract

had turned away from God. It is encouraging to know that our churches, synagogues and other places of holy worship are now playing a larger role in the American scheme of things. But we must get more and more people back into those places of worship, more youngsters into the Sunday Schools, a return to daily prayers and worship in more American homes.

Thank God! America's churches of all creeds are still open, where Americans are at liberty to worship when they please and how they please. Let's make greater use of them. Surely, if we have learned one lesson from the rapidly moving and tragic events of the past few years it is that dictators (whether they be communist or fascist) cannot work their black magic in a nation, or a world, whose citizenry is God-loving and God-respecting. Our very survival depends upon a return to sound ethical religion on the part of the vast majority of American men, women and children.



By VERN SANFORD  
Texas Press Association

Austin, Tex. — US Trust and Guaranty creditors can expect first payments about mid-July, Liquidator J. D. Wheeler told the Senate investigating committee. Liquidation process was set in

motion when a Temple firm was appointed to collect notes owed US Automotive Service, a US Trust affiliate.

Insurance Com. Chmn. J. Bryon Saunders would not say that Texas is "over the hill" yet with insurance problems. But he did say that companies which pass the solvency test and get licenses after May 31 "will be entitled to public confidence."

If sound management had been instituted, US Trust might have been saved as late as last fall, according to a Dallas CPA, who made a partial audit. Felix Emsohn said he found inadequately trained clerks handling million-dollar operations. He quit his work after refusing to prepare for A. B. Shoemaker, president, a "certified financial statement inconsistent with my evaluation of facts."

Continuing its "clean-up" drive, the Insurance Commission:

1. Granted leaves of absence to four examiners named in a suit alleging conspiracy to commit fraud, but indicated they would not be re-employed.

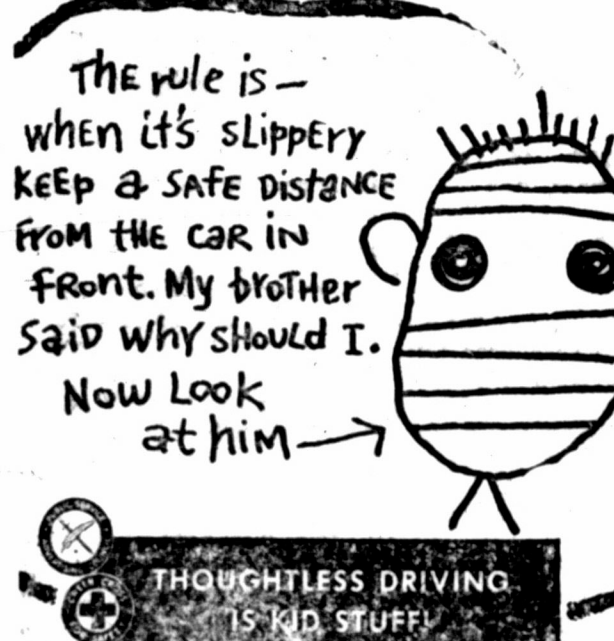
2. Ordered the following companies to "show cause" why their permits should not be revoked: Trans-Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Dallas; American Home Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Dallas; Texas Union County Mutual Insurance Co. of San Antonio; and Merchants National Life Insurance Co. of Denton.

3. Announced plans to cut rates for insuring crops against hail damage.

Reminded companies that all advertising of insurance securities must be approved by the commission before publication.

Hart Back With Governor  
Return of Weldon Hart to his old job as Gov. Allan Shivers' first assistant is causing much speculation.

Hart has been serving as chairman of the Texas Employment Commission since 1953. Before that he was the governor's top political aide.



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## Tests Prove That Stilbestrol Can Save Feed But Not Time

Stilbestrol saves feed but not time in fattening beef steers. Recent tests with stilbestrol at Beltsville, Md., confirm previous indications that this hormone-like chemical, used in approved amounts in finishing rations for beef cattle, can save feed but does not shorten the feeding time required to give steers the desired

## State Board—

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port forms may be obtained from the State Board of Water Engineers, 1410 Lavaca Street, Austin, or from the office of the local county agricultural agent.

**Riparian Rights Assured**  
Dixon says the Board recognizes the riparian rights of landowners and considers it a legal use of water. Also that the Board desires

degree of fatness.

Dr. T. C. Byerly, assistant director of livestock research for USDA's Agricultural Research Service, said research definitely shows that the drug improves the daily rate of gain in cattle with substantial savings in the amount of feed required for finishing.

He pointed out that stilbestrol-fed cattle must be marketed at heavier weights and may account for the heavier average weights of steers marketed last fall. An estimated 5 million cattle have been fattened on rations containing the drug since it was approved for feeding in November 1954.

Dr. Byerly cited results of experiment station tests in 9 states, including Texas, and said the rate of gain for cattle on stilbestrol was more than a third of a pound per head per day or 18.8 per cent over the controls. Feed savings amounted to 12 per cent with no difference in carcass grade or dressing percentage between control and drug-treated animals.

The approved feeding rate for stilbestrol is 10 milligrams per day per animal for steers weighing not less than 600 pounds. The scientist also said that results of three and six month tests at Beltsville showed that meat from stilbestrol-fed cattle was at least as firm and high in solids content as that of controls, giving no support to complaints voiced during 1955 in some quarters that feeding the drug resulted in "watery carcasses" and over-soft beef cuts.

to serve those concerned in the best possible manner and asks the full cooperation of all in carrying out the provisions of the new law. "It is the duty," he adds, "of those required to file a report to do so on time. Promptness on the part of the water users concerned will speed-up the work of collecting the vitally needed water-use information. Our only intention is to get information."

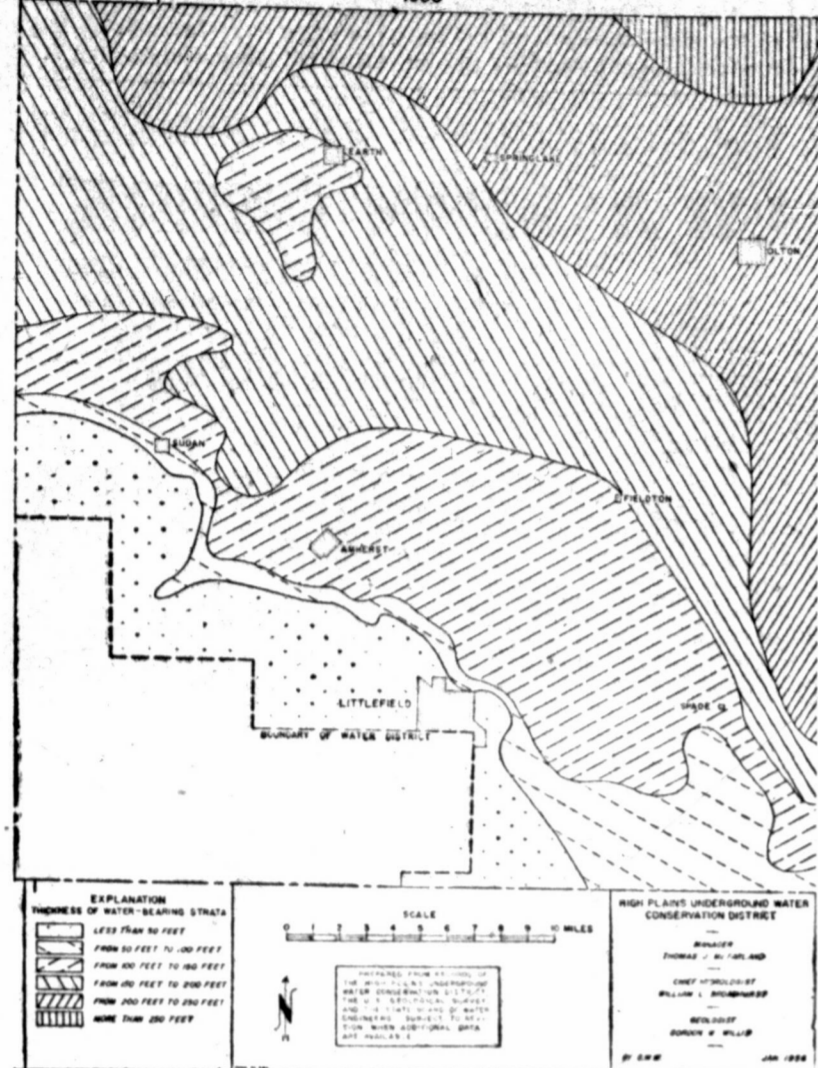
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used by the board to determine future water use; by engineers in planning dams and watershed projects; by soil and water conservation program planners; by industrial and municipal planners; by irrigation project or program planners; and to condition any permits granted for protection of downstream users.

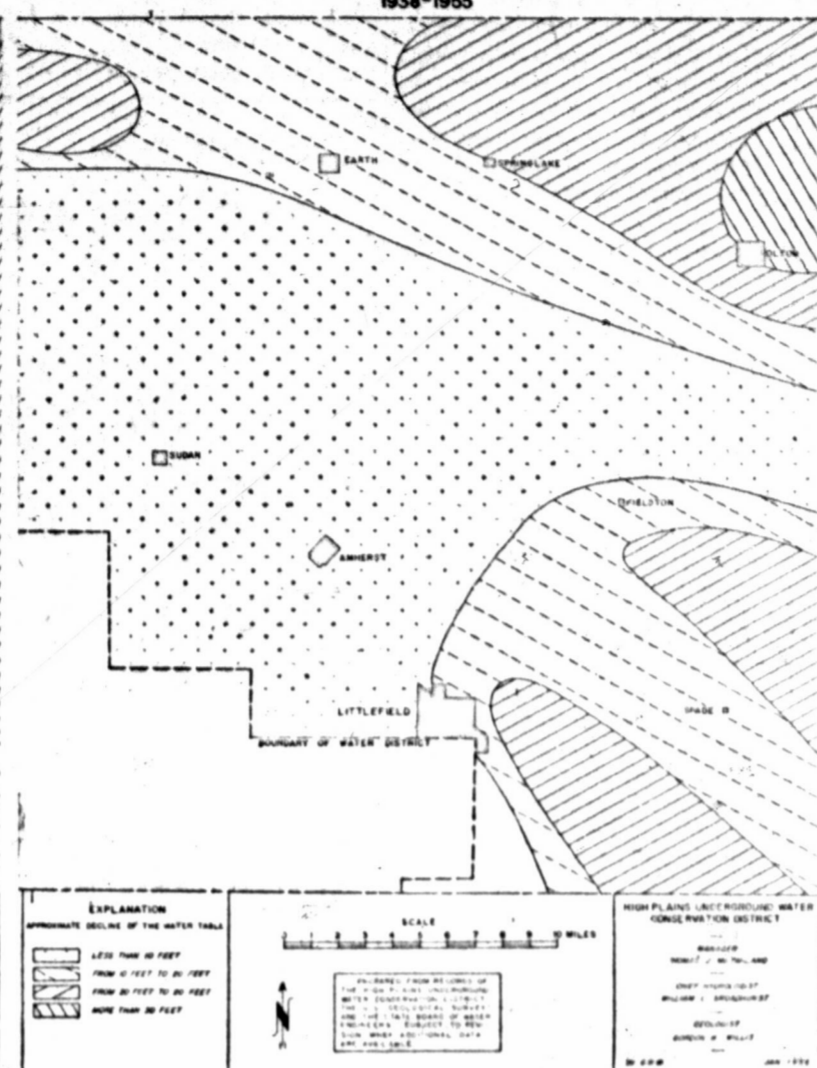
"The filing of the report," says Dixon, "will in no way prejudice a person's legal right to divert water from a stream, river or natural water course or from reservoirs located on these courses." Those holding permits for water use have been filing reports since 1913.

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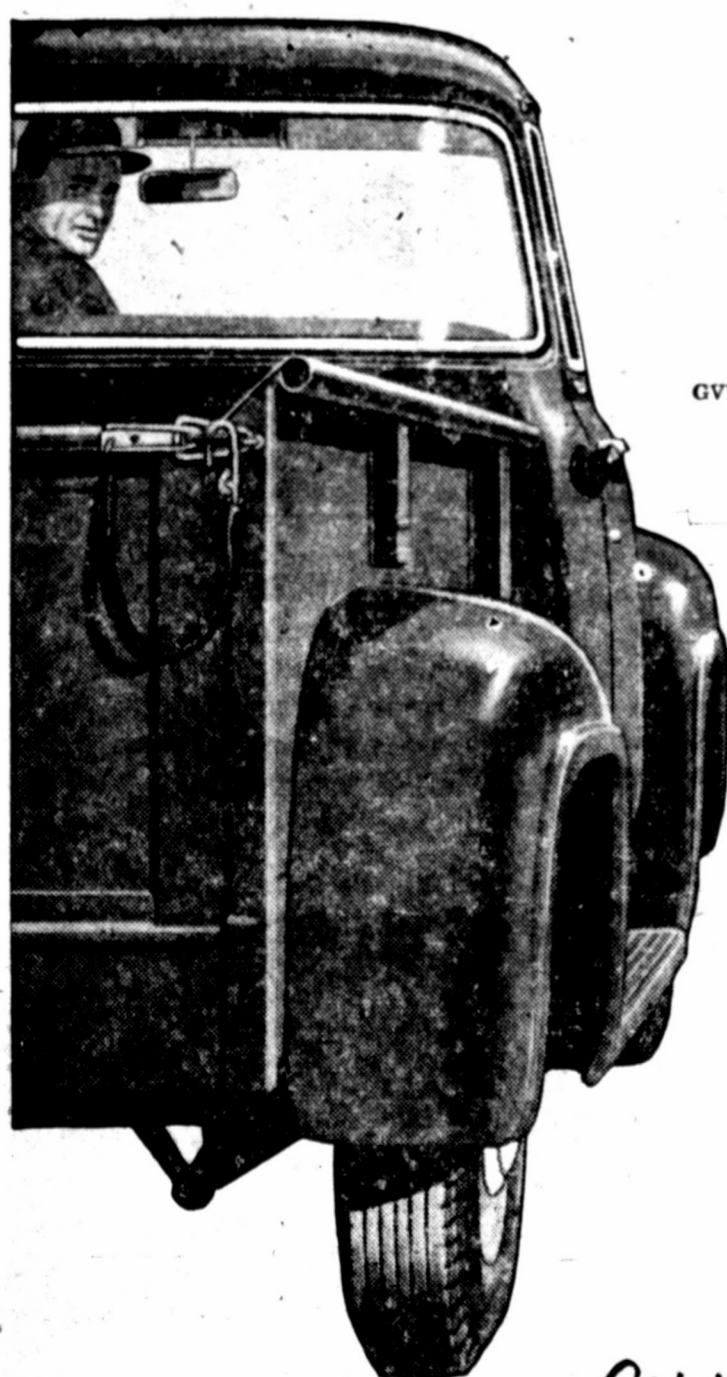
APPROXIMATE DECLINE OF THE WATER TABLE LAMB COUNTY, TEXAS 1938-1955



**GROUND-WATER INVENTORY OF LAMB COUNTY**—The portion of Lamb county within the boundary of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District covers about 560,000 acres of land. (The total area of the county is about 654,000 acres.) The underground reservoir in the Ogallala formation beneath the area within the district contained approximately 11,700,000 acre-feet of ground water in storage available for pumping in January 1955. The above maps were prepared from data compiled from a study of about 900 logs of water wells and about 300 measurements of water levels in wells. The map in plate 1 shows the thickness of the water-bearing strata between the water table and the redbeds in 1938 before an appreciable amount of water had been pumped from the reservoir. The map in plate 2 shows the decline of the water table from the spring of 1938 to January 1955. The volume of water remaining in the underground reservoir was determined by subtracting the volume of material unwatered since 1938 from the total volume of saturated material in 1938 and multiplying the remainder by the coefficient of storage of 15 percent. These show that 12,800,000 acre-

feet of water was in storage available for pumping in 1938, and that the net decrease in storage from 1938 to 1955 was 1,100,000 acre-feet. In other words, the net decrease in storage is about 9 per cent of the quantity available in 1938. The approximate quantity of underground water in storage, available for pumping, beneath an individual farm may be determined by multiplying the number of acres in the farm by the thickness of the water-bearing strata underlying the farm and then multiplying by the storage coefficient of 15 per cent. Suppose the farm consists of 320 acres and has 200 feet of water-bearing strata underlying it, then 320 acres x 200 feet x 0.15 equals 9,600 acre-feet of water available for pumping. An acre-foot of water is the quantity required to cover one acre to a depth of one foot, and it is also equal to 43,650 cubic feet or 325,829 gallons. An individual may use this information to determine, within reasonable limits, how long the quantity of underground water in storage beneath his farm will last at any annual rate of withdrawal. This assumes of course, that his neighbors pump a comparable amount of water per acre on their farms.

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### Highlights—

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 litical and public relations strategists.  
 His return to the Capitol is variously interpreted as (1) girding for the battle to control the Democratic state convention, (2) priming for new political campaigns, or (3) an aid in clearing up criticism resulting from insurance developments.

### Democratic Leaders Exchange Fire

Early skirmishes by rival leaders in the Texas Democratic party indicate a real brawl for state convention control in May.

Executive Committee Chairman George Sandlin charged the Liberals are planning to bolt the convention if they don't win out. He proposed a "winner - take - all" agreement to avoid sending competing delegations to Chicago as in 1952.

Liberals Byron Skelton and Tom Moore Jr. countered with predictions that the "Shivers Executive Committee will control the party machinery, in particular the credentials committee . . . depriving legally elected delegations of their votes."

As each faction held schools and sent out literature to bolster its strength, the sniping continued. Samples: Conservatives said Liberals were bringing in out-of-state union organizers; Liberals said Conservatives would use machine tactics and tricks.

### Amendments Listed

A drawing for positions on the Nov. 6 ballot gives first place to the constitutional amendment providing for financial compensation to prisoners later found innocent

### Results Are—

ment Station. Meeting in County Agent Jim Foy's office, the Lubbock men told the farmers that they were "highly pleased and encouraged with the test results."

In addition, Jones agreed that the station would continue the tests next year. The station will add a grain sorghum test to Farrar and Hudspeth's farms. A dryland cotton-fertilizer test also will be conducted.

of a crime.

Tom Reavley, Secretary of State, conducted the drawing, assisted by Sibyl Dickinson of the same office.

Second on the ballot will be the amendment relating to re-allocation of county funds; third, an amendment broadening the University of Texas investments and the college building program; fourth, one expanding teacher retirement; fifth, a \$100,000,000 veterans' land bond issue; sixth, revising the constitutional oath of office; seventh, providing waiver of jury trial in lunacy cases; and eighth, authorizing a judge to deny bail in a felony case to a person twice previously convicted of felony.

Because of a legislative error in the context of the ninth amendment, authorizing state aid to the totally disabled, it will have to be voted upon at a special election on Nov. 13.

"Right-to-Work" Decision Due  
 Texas Supreme Court reports it will make a decision soon on the validity of Texas "right-to-work" law. Previously the court had set the case aside pending U. S. Supreme Court action on a similar Nebraska case.

An early decision by Texas high court might permit the issues involved to be considered by the federal tribunal before it rules on the Nebraska case.  
 Gov. Allan Shivers has designated Feb. 19-25 as Advertising Week in Texas; and Feb. 22 as U. S. Army Reserve Day . . .

Short Snorts  
 Ralph Yarborough took another step toward official announcement of his third-time candidacy for governor. He appointed Roger I. Daily, Houston oil and gas attorney, as his state campaign manager . . . Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd asks Congressional enactment of a law limiting appeal of state criminal cases to federal courts. Texas' U. S. Senators and the organizations for attorneys general and chief justices, back the plan on the grounds it would save money, prevent appeals for "frivolous" reasons . . . A state-wide drive to get the legislature to adopt an interposition resolution, to preserve segregation, has been launched by the Association of Texas Citizen Councils.

### TSCD NO EXCEPTION

## SCS Plays Important Role in Soil District

(This is the final of four articles dealing generally with soil conservation districts. The principles set forth apply to the Terry Soil Conservation District. The articles are based on literature released by TSCD.)

After the governing body of a new soil conservation district takes office, it appoints and calls together committees of farmers. These committees make studies of the agricultural and economic conditions within the district.

In the interest of efficiency, applications from individual farmers or ranchers are tabled by some districts until groups of them have an opportunity to join together.

Other districts give first priority to areas in critical need of protection from floods. Such decisions are made by the district governing bodies in the best interests of the whole districts.

After the district governing body approves a farmer's application, it requests the SCS to make a scientific inventory of the farmer's land. This is done by a specially trained, experienced, technician.

On an aerial photograph of the farm, the technician makes a map which shows the soil, slope, degree of erosion, land-use and other important physical features.

Using this inventory, the farmer and the farm conservation planner of the SCS together work out a conservation plan for the farm. They decide how each field, pasture and wood lot should be treated and managed to conserve the land and, at the same time, accomplish the most desirable, sustained production.

The conditions shown by the land inventory, what the farmer or rancher agrees to do about them, and what help the district will supply — all are written down

on what is known as a Cooperative Agreement.

It also is known as the farm or ranch conservation plan. Each person has a copy of the photographic map and a map showing what conservation work the farmer or rancher intends to do over his entire unit.

Such an agreement becomes effective only after the approval of the district governing body. The only ones who sign the Cooperative Agreement are the landowner and operator and the officers of the district. There is no compulsion involved.

The districts agree to furnish the technical help to carry out the conservation practices. These are the practices the farmer or rancher himself says he needs to protect and improve his land.

If he doesn't do his part, the district simply cancels his name off the list of those receiving assistance. That is the only penalty involved.

These complete farm and ranch conservation plans are becoming more and more popular every year.

On Jan. 31, 1951, more than 51,000 were in effect on more than 851,000 acres. Another 200,000 farmers and ranchers, owning about 60 million acres, were then on the waiting list of soil conservation districts.

The limited facilities of the Soil Conservation Service are all that prevent their land and millions of other acres from being benefited by this detailed planning and application of scientific conservation measures.

There are two main reasons for the tremendous demand for the facilities of SCS's—pride and profit. Farmers and ranchers fast are becoming ashamed to own a gully or blowing sand dune. They are as proud of the new conservation agriculture as their wives are of new kitchens with all the modern equipment.

These modern soil conservation farming programs put money in the farmers' and ranchers' bank accounts. Crop, grazing and timber yields of SCD cooperators have

been increased about 35 per cent, on the average.

Then, top farming scientifically according to the conservation plan saves money for the owner by insuring that the practices are applied correctly the first time. There is no need to pay for costly mistakes caused by bad guessing.

Through the districts, the landowners of America are keeping the land in good, productive condition to meet the requirements of their country in peace and in war — and also for future generations. They are protecting the very base of their own and the nation's prosperity.

In the years ahead, soil conservation districts offer America the greatest opportunity it has had in modern times to strengthen its ideal of self-government and solve at the same time one of the most fundamental problems — the protection of its vital land and resources.

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### Farm Trial—

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"The question to us is not whether the state law has value or if the district organization is something that is needed," Munsterman added. "It is the action taken by the board which we are attacking, and we definitely feel that they (the board members) acted arbitrarily and capriciously."

The attorney said personalities were not an issue in the case, but that he felt "more horse sense should have been used" in making the decision which allowed Halse



**SNOW ON THE FARM**—The condition of the soil on many Terry county farms determined the amount of snow which was caught and held during the "big snow" of three weeks ago. For example: Stubble on the unplowed ground — it had been chiseled between the rows — in the picture

on the left helped to hold 8-10 inches of snow, despite a rather stiff wind. In the right panel, snow is having a tough time staying on the listed ground. John W. Cadenhead, farming northwest of Meadow, said that the same principle applied to his soil: That which still had the stubble re-

tained practically all the snow which fell, and that which had been plowed or listed—and having no stubble—was left quite bare in many spots. Some farmers have estimated that the snowfall was worth a good two-inch slow rainfall. (Staff Photo)

### Rules for Sampling Cotton Reinforced

Strengthening of cotton sampling regulations under the Smith-Doxey classing service for farmers was announced recently by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Cotton samples are submitted for classification under this program by bonded samplers or by employees of warehouses which issue negotiable warehouse receipts. The samples must be cut from both sides of each bale or drawn by approved mechanical samplers. Each sampler located

at a cotton gin must execute and file with the Agricultural Marketing Service a bond to the United States for not less than \$1,000 for each gin serviced. The sample from a bale weighs approximately six ounces and is composed of not less than three ounces of cotton from each side of the bale.

#### Regulations Are Given

The revised sampling regula-

tions provide that:

1. Each sample must be representative of the bale from which drawn.
2. Samples shall not be dressed or trimmed and shall be carefully handled in such manner as not to cause loss of leaf, sand, or other waste change their representative character.
3. Samples shall not be handled by any person other than the

### A. C. Beard Funeral Held Here Monday

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon for A. C. Beard, 72, in the First Methodist Church. Rev. James Tidwell, officiated.

Beard, a Terry county resident from 1916 to 1940, died in Treadaway-Daniell hospital following a two months illness Sunday afternoon. Burial was in Brownfield Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife; a son,

sampling agent prior to shipment or delivery to the cotton classing office.

4. Only one sample from each bale of eligible cotton shall be submitted for classification under the program except for a review classification or a reclassification.

#### Groups Are Eligible

Groups of producers, organized to promote the improvement of cotton, which adopt a variety of cotton, file application, arrange for sampling, and meet certain other requirements as to membership are eligible for the classing and market news services under the Smith-Doxey Act.

More than 500,000 producers now belong to these organized groups. Preliminary estimates indicate that approximately 11,500,000 samples, representing about 80 per cent of total U. S. cotton production, will be classed under the program during the 1955-56 season. This would be the highest percentage of a crop classed for cotton producers since the program was begun in 1938.

Ernest of Brownfield; a daughter, Mrs. Sam Tankersley of Brownfield; one brother, two sisters, three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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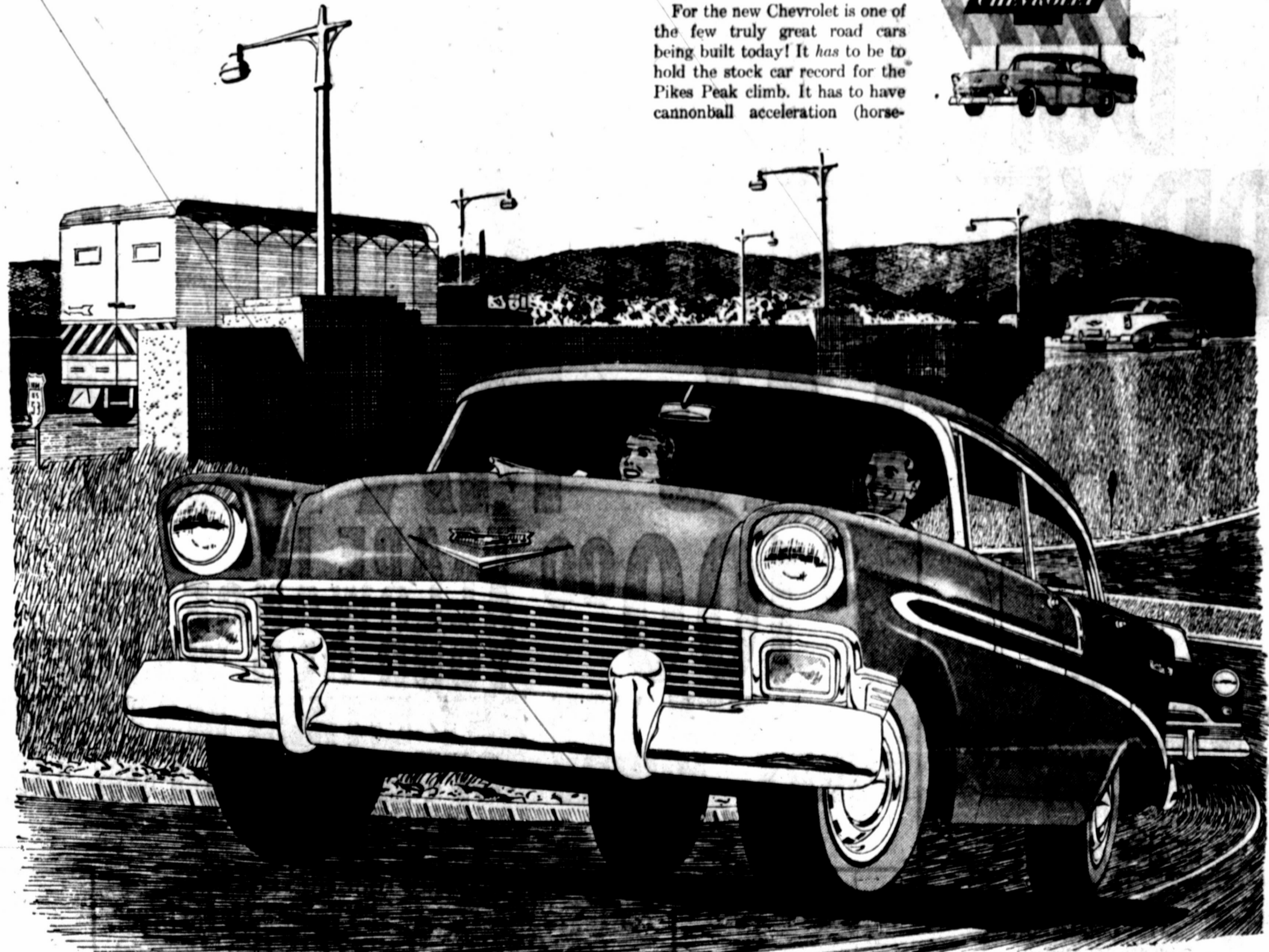
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### Farming Angle—

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ties at the Abilene meeting, designed by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to bring them up-to-date on the chances of the suit succeeding.

In a meeting here, set for the 29th or 30th day of this month, the lawyers and attorneys for the government will take part in a public hearing concerning the lost acreage. The men will talk, at that time, to the ASC review committee.

"We shall achieve conservation when and only when the destructive use of the land becomes unethical—punishable by social ostracism." — Aldo Leopold.

Methods of financing the Plains Cotton Growers will be discussed at 8 p.m. today in the 106th District Court room.

In a meeting called by R. D. Jones, Sr., and Al M. Muldrow, Terry members of PCG's board of directors, financing and current work of the association will be presented to Terry farmers.

Said Muldrow: "This session tonight in the courthouse is of great importance to all Terry farmers. We urge any and all farmers who are interested to meet with us."

"An abundance of natural resources is the difference between never-ending poverty and security and comfort."—Ernest

### Swift.

Total ginnings of the 1955 cotton crop as of Feb. 1, released by the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, show Texas has produced 3,941,722 bales.

The 20-county South Plains produced 1,311,096 bales. Breakdown by counties is as follows:

Bailey	58,118
Borden	6,000
Briscoe	13,967
Castro	42,085
Cochran	45,483
Crosby	78,058
Dawson	84,679
Deaf Smith	8,000
Floyd	60,975
Gaines	16,950
Garza	14,296
Hale	157,212
Hockley	136,612
Lamb	135,208
Lubbock	216,182
Lynn	84,560
Farmer	46,410
Swisher	30,463
TERRY	57,287
Yoakum	18,772
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,311,096</b>

"... If we are courageous in accepting new ideas, and are willing to work with—instead of against—the land, we shall find in conservation farming the best system of agriculture the world has ever known."—Dr. Hugh H. Bennett.

Terry was among five counties represented Wednesday a week ago in Seminole when the State Board of Water Engineers held a hearing on the proposed water district for

### Specialist Offers Helpful Advice About Self-Employment Tax Law for Farmers

A large number of Terry farmers are concerned about the self-employment tax law, according to John R. Robinson, administrative

office, Internal Revenue Bureau.

Amendments to the Social Security Law made farmers subject to self-employment tax during 1955 for the first time. Robinson has set out the five most common questions asked by farmers—and the answers.

**Is self-employment optional or mandatory for farmers?**  
No. If the farmer had net earnings from self-employment of \$400 or more last year and did not receive any wages subject to the social security taxes on employees, or if such wages were less than \$4,200, he must pay self-employment tax for last year.

**What form does the farmer need to fill out in order to pay his self-employment tax?**  
He will use Schedule F listing all farm income and deductions to determine net farm profit or loss. Page 4 of this form is used to figure your self-employment tax. This form needs to be filed along with his income tax return, Form 1040.

**Can a farmer owe self-employment tax and not owe any income tax?**  
Yes. His net income from farm operations is \$400 or more and the total amount of his exemptions is more than his net income, then he

office, Internal Revenue Bureau. Among Terry men attending were County Judge Herb Chesshir, Jim Foy, Bob Burnett, Carl Stevenson, Vic Herring, G. I. Sims, J. T. (Jake) Fulford, Alfred Tittle, John Clark and Otis Lerner.

Dawson, Yoakum, Gaines and Lynn—these counties also were represented. A resolution was passed by the group at the conclusion of the hearing that a district reservoir be defined by the board—this after due consideration of the testimony presented during the meeting.

The resolution does not mean that a water district will be created. It is up to the people of the area to petition the board for such action. If the board finds a water district feasible, an election will be held to determine that the people actually want the district.

Socrates said: "Husbandry is the mother and nurse of the other arts. For when husbandry flourishes, all the other arts are in good fettle, but whenever the land is compelled to lie waste, the other arts well-nigh perish."

More cattlemen use cottonseed meal or cake than any other protein supplement, according to the results of a scientifically conducted survey made by the American National Cattlemen's Association and Washington State College.

Jack Dionne, Texas editor and lecturer, tells about a professional dog trainer who confided to his friends that he had a new dog that was amazingly intelligent. He was so smart, in fact, that he was trying some things never tried before. He was training the dog to play poker, and the animal was learning the game quicker than the average human being.

But one day one of his close friends met the trainer and asked about the poker playing dog. The trainer looked crestfallen. Said he had given up trying to make an expert poker player out of the animal. He friend was curious, and wanted to know why.

"I'll tell you," said the dog trainer. "I couldn't break him of a very bad habit. Every time he got a good hand, he wagged his tail."

### Pvt. Bandy Completes Signal School Course

CAMP GORDON, GA.—Pvt. Robert G. Bandy of 312 North 10th St., Brownfield, Texas has graduated week from the Pole Line Construction Course, one of the many courses offered at The Southeastern Signal School, Camp Gordon, Georgia. He is the son of Mrs. Marguerite L. Bandy.

The Pole Line Construction course, which is 8 weeks in length trains enlisted personnel to construct, maintain and rehabilitate open wire, cable and field wire communications systems. During his training, Pvt. Bandy received a technical education worth thousands of dollars.

He would be required to pay self-employment tax but would owe no income tax.

**What is the self-employment tax rate for farmers?**

If, in the taxable year, he receives no wages subject to social security taxes and his self-employment net earnings from farming for the year are at least \$400 and no more than \$4,200, the entire amount is subject to the 3% rate.

**Are farm rents, as such, subject to self-employment tax?**

No. If the landowner rents his land receiving a crop share or the proceeds thereof, under the ordinary crop-sharing arrangement, he is considered to be receiving rentals from real estate and such rentals are excluded from real earnings for self-employment.



**MYSTERY FARM NO. 27**—Two persons telephoned last week to say that MF2 is the Mobley farm, southeast of Wellman. First to telephone was Mrs. M. A. Duncan of 713 East Hill. Second, Glenda Oliver, Box 268. MF27, Terry county. Do you know it? If so, why not telephone 2188—and say so. The winner each week receives two tickets to any one of the four Jones theatres. The Rustic Drive-In Theatre is "back in business" once more, so the tickets might prove more attractive."



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or going without your muffler. Grandma, take a bow! From where I sit, there's liable to be sound reasoning behind the old customs people believe in. "Early to bed, early to rise," for instance—or the practice of drinking hot milk or a glass of beer at bedtime. I'm not saying you ought to hold with these beliefs yourself... but you'd better get the facts before giving them the "chill."

Joe Marsh

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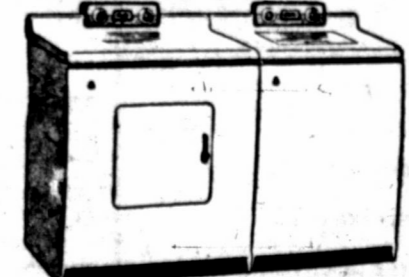
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