

# Local Schools to Open Monday; New High Building Not Ready

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### NEW CAFETERIA SEATING 300, IS IN READINESS

### School Buses to Run Half An Hour Earlier

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### R. E. Rucker Found Dead In Olton Trailer House

Roy E. Rucker, Jr. age 38, was found dead in the trailer house which he and his family occupied on the farm home of his wife's parents, 9 miles south of Olton, by his wife, a moment after she heard a shot, about 8:45 Thursday night. Her husband was dead with a .22 calibre bullet through his heart, and the rifle nearby, when she reached the trailer house from her parents' farm, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Stamps, only a short distance away. Her mother is an invalid, and she had been ministering to her wants.

Officers were called, and conducted an investigation, in routine manner, and gave their opinion that it was a case of self-destruction.

Deceased was a long-time resident of Littlefield, and attended school here. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rucker, who were formerly in business here, but who now make their home in McKinney. They were immediately notified, and drove all night, to arrive here early Friday morning.

Roy Rucker served with a medical unit in World War II, overseas, and that service seemed to change him, make him morose and

despondent to a degree, but not to the extent, it was thought, that he might seek his own life.

Lately his despondency had been amplified, it was stated by his parents, over the crop on the farm, which had to be replanted, and which had proven more expensive than anticipated to bring it to a stand.

Only last week with his wife, they visited with his parents at McKinney, and he enjoyed a fishing expedition while there, and seemed in fairly good spirits, according to his mother.

Funeral arrangements were completed Friday morning, and the service scheduled for Saturday morning, at 10 a. m., at First Baptist church in Littlefield, with Rev. Lee Hemphill conducting. Arrangements are with Hammons Funeral Home.

Roy E. Rucker, Jr. was born May 9, 1913, at Sherman, Texas. Shortly afterward, the family moved to Littlefield, where he grew to manhood, and attended school. He served five years with the armed forces, and shortly after his discharge from the service, was united in marriage with Mrs. Odesa Pittilo.

Survivors include: his wife, a son, Roy Ed., a stepson, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rucker, sr., two sisters, Mrs. Alyne Eakins of Brownfield and Miss Louise Rucker, living at home. A brother, Alton, and a sister, Alverda preceded him in death. All arrived here Friday to attend the funeral services, as did also a sister of his mother, Mrs. Bertha Parker of McKinney who accompanied the parents to Littlefield.

Interment will be made at Littlefield cemetery.

### J. H. Yeager Family Gather At Reunion



Pictured above are relatives who attended the reunion of the J. H. Yeager family held here Sunday, August 19th.

First row, reading from left to right are, Gloria Yeager, Carlbad, N. M., Betty Yeager, Carlbad, Bobby Yeager, Carlbad, Kenneth Yeager, Carlbad, Tony Yeager, Carlbad, Janna Lou Gee, Littlefield, the next two are McClendon children, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClendon of Devol, Oklahoma, and Connie Williams of Andrews.

Second row, reading from left to right, Mrs. J. H. Yeager, Littlefield, holding her little grand-

daughter, Kitty Faye Yeager of Carlbad, N.M., Mrs. Tank Northcutt, Hilton, Oklahoma, Mrs. W. M. Harrison, Devol, Oklahoma, Mrs. Myrtle Johnson, Lindsey, Oklahoma, Mrs. John Stockinger, Littlefield, Mrs. T. Williams, Andrews, Mrs. Frank McClendon, Devol, Oklahoma, Mrs. Rose Vandevale, Littlefield, Mrs. Frank Odum, Frederick Oklahoma, Mrs. O. D. Yeager, Littlefield, holding her little grandson, David Williams.

Third row reading from left to right, Mrs. J. H. Yeager, Littlefield, Tank Northcutt, Hilton, Oklahoma, John Stockinger, Lit-

tlefield, T. Williams, Andrews, Mrs. Jewell Gee, Littlefield, Frank McClendon, Devol, Oklahoma, Burnis Swindell, Sr., Lindsey, Oklahoma, John Warren, Littlefield, Mrs. Ethel Yeager, Littlefield, J. L. Yeager, Littlefield, O. D. Yeager, El Paso.

Reading from left to right are Glen Dale Patterson, Littlefield, Mrs. W. D. Yeager, Carlbad, N.M., Landon Brown, Littlefield, Miss Bonnie Gee, Littlefield, Pete McBride, Carlbad, Billy Stockinger, Littlefield, Walter Gee, Littlefield, Burns Swindell, Jr., Lindsey, Oklahoma.

—PHOTO BY TAYLOR

### Shriners Organize To Help Needy Children

Plains Shriners Club, organization with membership exclusively to this immediate area, organized in Littlefield August 20th, Temple.

The organization, it was announced, and with Swanson, prominent in the community, presiding, the elected Jack Yarbrough, president; Louis Hair, secretary and Johnny Spade, secretary-treasurer.

The organization is transportation and other to the area to Shriners hospitals and institutions. A committee was named to make a study and report on crippled or handicapped children in this area.

The seventeen charter members agreed to name the organization the West Plains Shriners club—to give the club individuality and recognition from this section of the state—and not to conflict with the South Plains Shriners Club, which has headquarters at Lubbock.

Mr. Swanson said any shriner is eligible for membership. He said there are least fifty shriners in the county are eligible and approximately 100 in the district. The district includes Lamb county and adjacent counties west and south.

Meetings are held the fourth Thursday night of each month, in the Masonic Hall dining room.

### Sudan Man Sworn In As Attorney

George E. Gilkerson, Jr., was sworn in by the Supreme Court of Texas, as an attorney, Wednesday, August 29th. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Gilkerson of Sudan.

The new attorney received his L.L.B. degree from the University of Texas at Austin. Last April he was awarded a wrist watch by the law faculty at Austin, during a banquet, for his outstanding work in the law school.

Mr. Gilkerson and son, Ernie visited his parents here the past week. Mrs. Gilkerson is employed by the attorney-general's office in Austin.

### Amherst Schools Open Monday Morning; Faculty Names Announced

Amherst schools will open Monday morning at nine o'clock, for registration and issuing of books. Classes will meet for a half day session. School will begin on a full time basis beginning Tuesday morning.

W. D. Kay, school superintendent announced that he has a full corps of teachers.

The faculty members are as follows: V. P. Osborn, high school principal and grid coach; Mrs. Ruth Adams, high school English; A. D. Shaver, boys athletic coach, and history; Herbert Williford, commercial; Johnny Lumsden, math; A. T. Hedgpeth, vocational agriculture; Mrs. Dorothy Weddle, vocational home making teacher.

J. W. Adams is principal of junior high and will teach mathematics. Mrs. Ray Blessing will instruct in English and spelling; Dean Wright, will teach social studies and be grade school coach and act as assistant high school football

### Farmers Urged To Leave Stubble; Combat Erosion

The Lamb county P.M.A. committee has announced that the practice of leaving stubble on the land as a protection for wind erosion has been approved for Lamb county this year.

Specifications for the practice are: Application for the practice must be made before the grain sorghum is harvested and by no later than November 1, 1951. The stubble must be left at least 10 inches high, not grazed and left at least until January 1, 1952 to be eligible for payment. The practice must be reported as completed between January 1 and January 15, 1952. Payment rate for the practice is 25c per acre.

### Last Rites Held For Sudan Marine

Military rites, conducted by the Sudan American Legion burial team, were held Wednesday, August 29 in the First Baptist church, Sudan for Marine Pfc. Jack Deans Crouch, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Crouch of that city.

Rev. J. B. Leverett of Stineit and Rev. J. H. Cox of Olton assisted in the services. Interment was at the Sudan cemetery.

By special request of the Red Cross, Jimmy Graves and Cletis Whitmire received permission to return home in order to be pall bearers. Graves is stationed at Craig Air Force Base in Alabama, and Whitmire is stationed at the Lowry Air Base in Denver, Colorado.

Jack was born in Memphis, Texas, February 2nd, 1932 but had lived practically all his life in Sudan. He attended Sudan schools from the first grade through his sophomore year and played football on the Hornet squad in the position of blocking back. He was a member of the First Baptist church since he was 12 years old.

His classmates dedicated their annual of 1950-51 to him and to Denver Smith, another Sudan boy who lost his life in the Korean war.

Jack enlisted in the Marine Corps on February 14th, 1950, and had been overseas only 16 days when he was killed in action. He was with the 5th Marine and First Division.

He is survived by his parents, and two sisters, Mrs. Floyd Seymore of Sudan and Mrs. Don Goodyear of Sweetwater; and two brothers, Bobby Don and Bud Crouch of Sudan.

Jack was the first boy from Lamb county to lose his life in the Korean war.

### More On Earth

— BY — FRANKLIN REYNOLDS

The world's great philantropists have engaged in horse racing in various ways, but the reason, in many instances, is that we don't know the names of the people who have done it. Particularly like, but that name to like very, very

a lot of people to condemn horse racing and the men and women engaged in horse racing in general, and yet I suspect there are fewer genuine horsemen than doctors, lawyers and merchants in the penitentiaries of this country. Maybe the horsemen just haven't been caught, but when you search the records you'll find the names of mighty, mighty few of them on the rolls within the stone walls and behind the iron bars.

This woman, it might be explained, didn't own a horse. She had probably never touched the hair of one and if there hadn't been any horse races she would have likely taken the money just the same and her husband would have lost it at bridge or poker or canasta or craps.

I come from a horse-racing family and I expect I'm as near a

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## Lamb Countians Attend Roundup

Littlefield and Lamb county were well represented at the Muleshoe's first annual Will Rogers Memorial Roundup which opened Thursday noon with a joint luncheon of civic club and chamber of commerce members.

Eighteen members of Lamb county Posse rode in the colorful parade Thursday afternoon, led by a color guard of US Marines, every one a veteran, followed by the Reese Air Force band from Lubbock.

Mrs. Jo Black of Spade a super horsewoman, who won the queen contest in the local Jaycee Rodeo contest in the local Jaycee Rodeo for two consecutive years here, was a rider in the big parade Thursday afternoon.

Beautiful colorful floats were entered by civic organizations, old and new modes of transportation and horses by the hundreds passed before thousands of home folks and visitors.

### Jeanette Kirk Announced As "Miss Muleshoe"; Wilma Vaughn Rodeo Queen

A capacity crowd attended the opening performance of the rodeo Thursday night and again Friday night. Several roping clubs from surrounding towns joined in the grand entry parade with music.

Miss Wilma Vaughn of Clovis, New Mexico was named rodeo queen at the first annual meeting of the Will Rogers Memorial Roundup. She is 20 years old, and was introduced following the initial grand entry into the area Thursday night.

Miss Jeanette Kirk, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kirk of Muleshoe was crowned "Miss Muleshoe of 1951," winning over 10 other contestants to earn the title and the right to represent her city in regional activities throughout the next year.

### RETURN FROM VACATION TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Walraven returned home Sunday night from a two weeks' vacation trip to San Diego, Calif., where they visited their three daughters. Mr. Walraven is chief of city police and Mrs. Walraven is employed at Rutherford and company.

### ON SICK LIST

Mrs. Lon Campbell has been on the sick list the past few days suffering from Intestinal Flu. She is reported better.

Judge E. A. Bills was among the honored guests at a luncheon held at the American Legion Hall, Thursday, attended by more than 200. Other dignitaries from this section were Judge Walker Davis, Lubbock; State Rep. Harold LaFont, Plainview; L. D. Whitley, Lubbock, state vice-president of the Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce; Wesley Quinn of Clovis, N.M. official representative of Gov. Ed Mechem.

Cal Harvey, Amarillo, president of Boys Ranch, paid special tribute to Will Rogers as a great American, a great man and a great humorist. He told several of the humorist's favorite stories.

Ray Keeling, mayor of Amherst was master of ceremonies.

Weldon Findley is leaving Sunday for market at Dallas. He will return about Wednesday.

TO GO TO MARKET

# How to Control Rural Fires

How to control rural fires without levying a tax is demonstrated by McCulloch county farmers. They have a volunteer system.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce cited the McCulloch county group in a discussion of a proposed amendment to the Texas Constitution which will be voted on November 13. The amendment would permit creation of rural fire prevention districts supported by a tax of up to 50 cents per \$100 valuation.

McCulloch county's efficient rural fire-fighting organization will make it unnecessary for this county to have such a tax-supported system, WTCO said.

This is how the county's plan operates:

When a fire is discovered anywhere in the county, the Chamber of Commerce is notified. The Chamber of Commerce has a list

of the names and telephone numbers of 21 ranchers living in all parts of the county who own cattle spraying machines.

The first move is to send one of the two pieces of firefighting equipment, which the McCulloch county Commissioners Court maintains for rural use, one being kept in Brady, the other in Melvin, and one or more of the spraying machines which are located nearest the fire.

Next radio station KNEL is notified and it, in turn, begins broadcasting the location of the fire.

Then one of the REA mobile radio units is dispatched to the fire to furnish direct communications. Through this radio communication, the Chamber of Commerce determines the number of men and equipment and other supplies that are needed to control the fire.

The jeep or pickup-drawn sprays are at all times filled with water

and are ready to combat fire at a moment's notice. These machines are equipped with pumps and can refill themselves from tanks, creeks, or any available water supply. When the fire is in a dry area water is sent out by the City of Brady in large tanks to refill these sprays.

There are 14 community foremen. They are responsible for enlisting "beaters" armed with wet tow sacks or other weapons. They fight the fire in trees and logs that is not extinguished by the machines, which are more effective on weeds and grass.

In all cases the owners of the damaged land have telephoned back to the chamber office and reported that the fire has been brought under control and requested that no more men or equipment be sent as the highways are already congested.

## TEEN TALK

By VIVIAN BROWN

### AP Newsfeatures

How're your recreation manners? There are many unwritten rules in the world of summer sport, and if you just naturally do the lady-like thing and observe them perhaps you will not need to be briefed. But some of us need a refresher course in manners occasionally, and particularly if we are just learning a sport, it is good to observe social amenities which do not necessarily appear in the printed sports rules. Here goes:

#### Horseback Riding

Be kind to the horse, yourself and other people by not trying to get the poor creature to cross a road in traffic. If he gets panicky you might have a serious accident. Also, treat the animal kindly. The riding stable might bar you if you are mean to an animal and if they don't, they should.

#### Golf

If you are a slow player or a beginner don't hold up players in the rear. Let the group behind you go ahead, in particular let them drive before you putt. While they walk toward the green, do your putting.

#### Boating

If you are invited on a canoe ride, or invite someone to take one with you, don't change seats, stand up or jump around, endangering the person's life in the event the canoe upsets. Particularly on a large boat observe "no smoking" regulations. Smart decks who violate safety rules aboard ship are likely to wind up in the briny deep or as a big cinder.

#### Tennis

Two sets of tennis should be plenty on a crowded day at the courts. If you've completed one set and notice a line forming—go on to your second set, but it would be kinder to call it a day, and give the other fellow a break.

#### Swimming

The water wag is a real bore to everyone. Don't duck or splash other swimmers. Observe life-guard rules and don't give him a headache trying to keep up with your efforts to drown yourself by going out above your head, if you are not a good swimmer. Particularly where there is no lifeguard, don't taunt companions to deeper water than they are capable of or to dangerous high diving.

#### Picnics

It doesn't pay to be greedy. Don't eat more than your share, and if you possibly can do with less, make the sacrifice. It is better to have a little food left over, an old coaxe people to eat it, than to have someone left hungry, because you didn't know when to stop.

Be a good sport about doing your share of the work, also. See that everything is arranged before you begin to have fun. And, don't be the first one away from the scene, leaving others to do the clean-up job. Be sure all boxes, bottles, cans and other litter, are picked up and put in a disposal unit.

#### The Dance

Observe the rules of dress at the resort you are visiting. Don't enter the dining room in shorts or slacks if the custom is to dress. Don't be an exhibitionist on the dance floor. Jitterbugs should not try to strut their stuff, or the dancing by others is more sedate. At a resort the chaperone or social director will inform you as to the custom to be followed.

#### Weekend Guest

If you are a weekend guest, don't try to run the show. Your host or hostess probably has planned your entertainment, so when they suggest a swim or a hike or a picnic, don't say "aw, let's not." If you accept a weekend date you are at the mercy of the people who invite you. If you don't wish to visit them on that basis—don't go. Any hostess, however, will appreciate suggestions and might sometimes ask for them. But don't be thinking up ideas that will disrupt the routine of the entire household. Be considerate. And above all, don't criticize anything in your hostesses home.

#### The Jalopy

When inviting a crowd to a drive, make sure you take them in comfort. Besides normal safety hazards involved in piloting a gang of kids in a car, it shouldn't be much fun if there isn't enough room for comfort.

#### EX-BIG LEAGUERS LEAD PCL

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Former major league players, some of them with over 10 years experience in the big time, are leading the Pacific Coast League in batting. The

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## Paving and Improvements at South Plains Fair Grounds

paving and improvement program begun last year with the paving of the midway from the south end of the merchants building up to the carnival midway. The entire midway will be completely paved with the additional improvements now in progress. Other improvements last year included installation of paved walkways, service aisles, and remodeling stalls in the livestock barns. This program attracted much favorable attention from

exhibitors and spectators alike, and the additional paving to be accomplished will make the 34th annual fair "the most comfortable exposition in its history," a fair spokesman said.

The entire fair grounds will be graded and drained and the usual painting and remodeling which goes on all year long will be completed before fair time, October 1 through 5. The west parking area will be doubled in size and will be graded and drained—and the open space exhibit area, implement and industrial areas will be stabilized with a surface coating of fine caliche which will reduce rocks and blowing dust. The trees and grass on the grounds "have never been in better condition," according to fair officials.

The new livestock divisions, at this year's fair for the first time, include an Aberdeen-Angus division and a Chester White Swine division. Clyde R. Bradford of Happy, Tex., is superintendent of the Aberdeen-Angus division, and the new Chester White division will be in charge of Ollie Limer, Hale County Agent, who is superintendent of swine.

The addition of these two new divisions has created "a great deal of interest throughout the area, and we are expecting the livestock barns to overflow this year," Homer E. Hunt, new fair president, stated.

Scotty Samson, of Post again general agriculture superintendent, stated he is "working up a bigger cotton exhibit" than the one last year, which attracted many spectators to the agriculture building. "We are also changing all our agriculture exhibits to make a greater variety of displays possible," Samson added.

Special entertainment at the fair this year will consist of a series of daring aerial acts spotted at advantageous positions on the midways daily, and giant fireworks displays nightly. All this will be free of charge to the fairgoer. In fact, "the front gate admission ticket to this year's fair admits spectator to everything on the grounds except carnival rides and shows," Hunt nounced. There will be no grandstand charges.

## Italian Opera Season to Open December 8th

MILAN, Italy (AP)—La Scala's opera season will begin this year on Dec. 8, anniversary of Milan's Patron Saint Ambrose. In the past, the season usually started on the day after Christmas.

The program will include Giuseppe Verdi's "Vespri Siciliani," to be conducted by Victor De Sabata. Other operas to be presented will be Verdi's "Luisa Miller" and "Rigoletto," and Wagner's "Tristan and Isolde" and "Die Meistersinger." Rossini's "Barber of Seville" and Beethoven's "Fidelio."

Meanwhile, construction has begun within the Scala building for a "Little Scala" theater. It will have a seating capacity of 600 and will be used primarily for ballets and chamber music concerts for which the big Scala is not available.

## Thousands Spent to Eradicate Toad Flax And Leafy Spurge

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask (AP)—Thousands of dollars are being spent to eradicate the menace of two tough types of weed, the toad flax and the leafy spurge. These hardy perennials are a pretty sight and they decorate many gardens in western Canada, but they are damaging in grain fields.

Many farmers in western Manitoba have been driven off farms rendered useless by these weeds. Chemicals won't kill the flowers of these weeds. In farm fields, it takes three full years of summer following to bring them under control.

MILK-FED PORK  
ZELMA, Sask (AP)—A cow which lost her calf on a farm here has adopted four young pigs. The porkers started nursing while the cow was lying down one day and have been following her around ever since.

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# FURR'S

# News of Women

## Engagement of Marilyn Winston and Richard W. Hanford is Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Winston announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marilyn, to Mr. Richard W. Hanford of Cincinnati, Ohio.

The ceremony is scheduled to take place Saturday, September 22.



MISS MARILYN WINSTON

at the Walnut Hills Methodist church, Cincinnati, Ohio.

The bride-to-be was graduated from the Littlefield high school with the class of 1947, and attended North Texas State College at Denton two years. From there she went to Cincinnati, where she is employed as bookkeeper for the Ziv Advertising Agency.

The groom-elect is a physicist for the General Electric Corporation, in charge of development of atomic energy for the operation of turbines for the electric company at their plant at Portwood, Ohio.

## Ellen Massengill Hostess At Funburger Party

Miss Ellen Massengill was hostess to a group of young people of the First Baptist church held at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Massengill of west of Littlefield last Thursday evening.

The "funburger" party was given to welcome new members in the group.

The "funburger" theme was carried out in games and refreshments.

Hamburgers with all the trimmings were served to Mary Rue Fox, Dorothy Yarbrough, Margie Hanford, Fred Gishma, Joy Parker, Ethel Lindly, Clarence Williams, Eva Jane Fields, Jerry Roberts, Jimmy Bitter, James Stuteville, Clinton Byers, Barbara Dunn, Virgil Fields, and Juanita Holland, and Mrs. J. J. Renfro, Mrs. D. C. Lindley, Mrs. O. C. Fox, Mrs. G. V. Walden, Mrs. E. L. Yarbrough and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Massengill.

## Miss Madilyn Black To Be Complimented At Shower Tuesday

Miss Marilyn Black, bride-elect of Sam Volpe, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Volpe of Akron, Ohio will be complimented with a miscellaneous bridal shower at the home of Mrs. Nath Griffin Tuesday evening.

## Mrs. Robert Wilson Returns From A Delightful Trip To Michigan

Mrs. Robert Wilson returned home the first of the week from a delightful trip to scenic Michigan, where she visited her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barber, who live in Battle Creek.

An itinerary of her trip is as follows: Visited Post and Kellogg surreal plants in Battle Creek, Friday; went to Jackson Saturday night and saw the beautiful cascades, presented annually at Jackson; flew to Detroit on Sunday to attend the National Air Races, and then went across the Detroit river over to Windsor, Canada; left Battle Creek, Tuesday evening for the northern peninsula, following the coast line along Lake Michigan, arriving at Cheboygan on Wednesday, crossing the straits by ferry to Mackinaw Island; returned to Mackinaw City by boat, and then left by car for a trip through National Forests to Sault Ste. Marie, where we watched the freighters pass through the locks; leaving there, returned to Cheboygan, taking a central route through the state to Battle Creek, visiting the

## Country Club Family Night Set For Sept. 14

Family night will be observed by members of Littlefield Country Club to be held Friday night, September 14th, with Mrs. W. F. Martin chairman of the hostess committee. Others on the committee are Mesdames Maxie Don Bagwell, J. H. Lee, Tom Hewitt and Ben Lyman.

Chairman of the children's committee is Mrs. J. M. Farmer, assisted by Mrs. A. P. Duggan and Mrs. Ernest Connell.

All members are asked to bring meat for their own family and a covered dish. Supper will be served at 7:30 o'clock.

## Committee Named To Arrange Details For Festival Wedding

Mrs. Carolyn Watkins, Mrs. Joe Smith and Mrs. Virginia Nichols have been named as a committee in charge of arrangements for the public wedding which will be staged in the Sudan City Park on September 14th in connection with the activities of the Sudan fall festival.

The Sudan Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the affair and local business men will contribute a bevy of beautiful gifts to the couple exchanging wedding vows. A local couple has been selected but will not be known until time of the wedding.

The bride has selected her pattern of beautiful china and those wishing to contribute are asked to contact Ken Minyard. Other gifts will include silverware and life insurance policies. Those who

would like to contribute on these gifts should contact Mrs. Doyle Baccus.

The complete selection of gifts which will be presented the newlyweds will be displayed in a Sudan store window.

Bob Jackson at Salem's has been named to receive Bibles from area residents which will be displayed in Salem's window. A new and beautiful Bible will be awarded the person bringing the oldest Bible which will be used in the wedding ceremony. Age of the Bibles submitted will be judged by ministers of the Sudan churches.

According to members of the committee, the wedding will be a beautiful affair, with bridesmaids, flower girls and etc. A local minister of the couples choosing will perform the wedding ceremony.

## SPENDING WEEKEND IN EL PASO

Mrs. J. R. Coen and daughter, Mary Jane are spending the weekend at El Paso, visiting Mrs. Coen's brother and family. He is a captain in the U.S. army and is stationed at Fort Bliss.

## VISIT IN CHISHOLM HOME

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Newman and Mr. and Mrs. Clint Wilks of Denton are spending the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chisholm. Mr. Newman is a brother and Mrs. Wilks is a sister of Mrs. Chisholm.

## Church Ceremony Unites Linda Duffy And Thomas M. O'Brien Saturday

In a beautiful double ring ceremony performed at Saint Michael's Catholic church, Levelland, Miss Linda Louise Duffy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Duffy, Amherst, became the bride of Thomas Michael O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. O'Brien, Bayonne, New Jersey.

Rev. F. M. Higgins, rector of Sacred Heart church, Littlefield, read the nuptial mass at 10 a.m. Saturday before an altar decorated with candelabra and greenery.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a lovely wedding gown of duchess satin and imported chantilly type lace, fashioned with drop shouldered yoke of lace, outlined with satin applique that extended to a point at center front waistline. The fitted bodice had long sleeves ending in points over the hands and darts accenting the point at the waistline. Joining this, a voluminous skirt, with inset of lace ruffles enclosed by deep pleats starting at waistline and spreading toward hem, had shirred fullness which spread into a long and graceful train at the back. Hoops underneath emphasized the skirt's fullness. Her veil of silk illusion in fingertip length was joined to a Juliet cap of Point De Esprit, outlined with satin fold that tied in a large bow at the back. She carried a bridal bouquet of white roses and stephanotis.

Miss Mary Ellen Duffy, Amherst, attended her sister as maid of honor and wore a dress of purple velveteen and net, fashioned with a portrait neckline with upstanding ruche of pleated net, framing the face. The fitted velveteen bodice had small sleeves and terminated with point at center front waistline. From this, stemmed an immense net skirt over taffeta, with its shirred fullness emphasized by hoops underneath. She wore a matching velveteen cap with a tiny veil. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

Miss Catherine Foltyn, Sudan, organist, played the traditional wedding marches, and also played the accompaniment for Mrs. Helen



MRS. THOS. M. O'BRIEN

Tibey, Littlefield, who sang, "The Rosary" and "Ave Maria," preceding the ceremony, and "On This Day," "O Sacred Heart" and "O Perfect Love," during the Mass. Keenen O'Brien, Bayonne, New Jersey, brother of the groom attended as best man. Ushers were John McCrory, Levelland, C. A. Duffy, Jr., Amherst, brother of the bride, and Joe Duffy, Tuscon, Arizona, cousin of the bride.

Following the ceremony a reception was given in the home of the bride's parents.

Leaving on a trip to New Mexico the bride wore a suit of new Grosgrana wool in a beautiful shade of heather-blue, fashioned

on classic lines designed with a sheath skirt. She wore a rhinestone clip on her lapel. Navy accessories completed the costume.

The couple will make their home at 75 West 35th street, Bayonne, New Jersey, where the groom is employed by the Keenen-Cashman company.

The bride is a graduate of Amherst high school with the class of 1949. She attended Saint Mary's College, Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana for two years.

The groom attended Saint Peter's Prep and graduated from the University of Notre Dame, Indiana with the class of 1951, when he received a B.A. degree.

## Children Enjoy Library During Summer Vacation

By MISS LULA HUBBARD

The public library has been a busy place this summer for the teen-agers and small boys and girls.

Francisco, and El Cerrita, and touring California. They had been gone about two weeks. They report that it was nice and cool; that it rained on the moon their trip to California and also enroute back.

## Two Pioneer Lamb Couples Who Were Interviewed At Reunion

Among the really "old timers" who attended the Pioneer Reunion at Littlefield Country Club last Tuesday, were Mr. and Mrs. George Staggers, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Liles.

Mr. and Mrs. Staggers came to Lamb County in April 1915, having moved here from Oklahoma. They have lived in Lamb county for 37 years, and have lived in Littlefield for a number of years. They will observe their 57th wedding anniversary next spring. Mrs. Staggers is 77 years of age while Mr. Staggers is 85.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Liles came to Lamb county in 1923 moving here from Oklahoma. They bought a section of land one-half mile west of Spears Gin, north of Lit-

tlefield and have been living there ever since. Mr. Liles is 83 years old, while his wife is 77. Both enjoy good health. It was their first time to attend the Pioneer Reunion, but they were having such a good time, Tuesday, we feel sure they will be there next year.

Mr. Liles was reared in Eastland county, eleven miles west of Cisco. He was born in Tennessee. Mrs. Liles is a native Texan, and was born and reared in Leon county.

Mr. and Mrs. Liles have had nine children. However, two have passed away. They all live in Lamb county with the exception of a son, Clio Liles of Fort Worth and a daughter, Mrs. Estelle Davis of San Antonio.

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Control of smut is one of the important jobs in producing a good crop of quality grain. The Texas-Oklahoma Wheat Improvement Association, cooperating with crop improvement associations and state extension services of the winter wheat belt is urging farmers to combat smut diseases by careful selection and preparation of seed for planting. Stinking smut or bunt is the most destructive of the wheat smuts and occurs everywhere wheat is grown. It is characterized by the formation of smut balls in place of wheat kernels, balls filled with hundreds of thousands of smut spores which have the odor of

decaying fish. Seed treatment with seed disinfectants is the recommended control. Loose smut of wheat spores are scattered and lodge on healthy plants at blossoming time. These spores germinate and enter the developing kernels in which they remain dormant until the next season. As the infected kernels sprout, the smut parasite begins to grow and continues inside the stem, becoming localized in the head before it emerges. Each wheat kernel is displaced by a mass of smut spores. Hot water seed treatment is the only control measure known, except for the use of smut-free seed and smut-resistant varieties.

### Farmers Should Make Plans Now To Get Seed and Fertilizers Needed

The continuing dry, hot weather over much of Texas is not conducive to getting a big acreage of fall and winter legumes planted but as the old timers say, "it has always rained." So despite the drought, farmers should be making plans now for getting the seed and fertilizers they will need for their legume plantings. According to E. A. Miller, Extension agronomist of Texas A&M College, there is still lots of time for planting legumes. In most areas of the state, the best time for fall planting is from the middle of September to November 1st and not later than November 15th. He points out that the best legumes for fall planting in the East Texas Timber area are hairy vetch, Singletary peas, Austrian winter peas and crimson clover. In the southern half of the area, common and Willamette vetches and Dixie Wonder peas are also adapted but are not winter hardy enough for the northern part of East Texas. In the Gulf Coast Prairie and South Texas, annual yellow blossom sweetclover (*Mellilotus indica*), is well adapted. The vetches and winter peas including Dixie Wonder can also be grown. In the river valleys, such as the Brazos, Colorado and Trinity, where the soils contain more lime than those in the coastal prairies, hubam and Madrid sweetclovers do well without the addition of lime to the soil. For the Blackland, Grand Prairie and South Texas regions, Miller recommends hubam and Madrid sweetclovers because of their ability to increase yields, reduce the losses from cotton root rot and their deep root systems open up the soil. This puncturing of the soil and especially the subsoil, allows faster and deeper penetration of water into the soil and also materially increases the amount of organic matter in the subsoils. The organic matter comes from the decaying root systems. Evergreen biennial is an excellent sweetclover for the area, however, the seed

supply is limited. Hairy vetch and winter peas are adapted to the area but are not as effective in controlling cotton root rot as the sweetclovers nor in opening up the soil with their root systems. Miller recommends planting the sweetclovers in the fall in the areas south of Waco and adds it's safer to plant the mix the spring in the areas to the north of Waco. For the West Cross Timbers area, hairy vetch is the most dependable legume; however, winter peas and the sweetclovers are also adapted to this region. Recommended legumes for the Rolling Plains area are alfalfa, hairy vetch, sweetclover and Austrian winter peas. Alfalfa does especially well on the subirrigated soils of the area. For the High Plains and the El Paso and Pecos valleys, the principal adapted legume is alfalfa under irrigation, but the biennial sweetclovers, hairy vetch and Austrian winter peas can also be grown if irrigation is available. Miller suggests that you check with your local county agent for information on the best legumes for your particular area as well as on fertilizing, inoculating and seeding operations.

**TWO-HEADED CALF LOYALIST**, Alta. (P)—A two-headed calf with two mouths and four eyes was born on the farm of Alex Lees. It can drink with both mouths at the same time but is unable to lift its heavy "head." It was the third calf of a four-year-old shorthorn.

The State Farm and Ranch Safety Committee of Texas urges every citizen of the state to be doubly careful with fires. Range and pasture plants are tinder dry and a carelessly tossed cigarette or match is all that is needed to start a destructive fire.

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### It's Everyone's Job To Prevent Grass Fires

The continued hot, dry weather has created a situation that is "tailor made" for grass and range fires. Grass and other plants along the highways, in parks and pastures and ranges are all tinder dry and there are a lot of ways fires can get started. However, just plain carelessness or failure on the part of people to observe the rules of safety as they relate to fire account for a majority of the destructive grass fires. The State Farm and Ranch Safety Committee of Texas, headed by J. Walter Hammond of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation and E. C. Martin of the Agricultural Extension Service are strong in their plea for every citizen of the state to join with them in conducting a campaign to hold down grass fires. They point out that the livestock industry of the state is basically dependent upon the grasslands of the state for its existence. A livestock producer without grass for his cattle is fighting a hard battle with a short stick. A blackened range caused from a fire that was started by a carelessly thrown cigarette, cigar or match can put a producer or producers out of business. Most would not be able to purchase feed to maintain their head over any considerable period of time.

The nation needs every pound of meat that can be produced, say the committee leaders, and grass is our cheapest source of livestock feed. It must be protected. They urge the organization of community and county groups for combating grass fires. The local neighborhood groups should be coordinated on a community and county basis so that if necessary, an effective fighting force could be gotten together in the shortest possible time in case of a major outbreak.

Ranges should be protected by fireguards. Hazards that might possibly cause fires should be eliminated. Glass bottles have started many fires. They act as a magnifying glass and when the sun's rays reach the proper angle, almost any bottle may concentrate the heat from the sun sufficiently to ignite dry grass.

Fires, for any reason, should not be started, says Hammond unless they can be controlled. Trash should be burned in a closed incinerator so as to eliminate the possibility of starting a grass fire. Motorists are urged to snuff out the fire on cigarettes or cigars before tossing them onto the highway. Many fires are set by motorists who never know what they have done for they are usually

### Cotton Ginners to Be Allowed Uniform Adjustment in Service Charges

The Lubbock District Office of Price Stabilization announced that action has been taken to allow cotton ginners a uniform adjustment in their charges for ginning, wrapping and baling during the 1951 season.

The action is covered by a supplementary regulation to Ceiling Price Regulation 34 effective September 1.

Section 8 of CPR permits percentage increases in rates over those charged in 1950 to persons engaged in seasonal services, such as ginning. These percentage increases are decreased by 1 percent in each of 7 seasonal periods beginning with 8 percent in the January 26, 1950 through April 30, 1950 seasonal period, down to 2 percent in the December 1, 1950 through December 18, 1950 period.

Since the season for cotton ginning does not begin at the same time for all sections in the cotton producing areas, it has been found that the decreasing percentage basis for adjusting rates is not equitable.

Down the road before the fire is discovered. Those who drive in the country are urged to be on the lookout for fires and should report them when found. A small fire can usually be put out before it has a chance to spread, while on the other hand, if permitted to go unchecked, it may be out of control before it is discovered.

The leaders think the situation is critical enough in many sections of the state to warrant the beginning of a widespread campaign and warn that the next big fire may be right in your community unless steps are taken to prevent or put out a fire should one get started.

able to those ginners in northerly areas who gin later in the year.

Data submitted to OPS indicates that cotton ginners generally make their commitments in early spring when their costs and cost increases are generally uniform. It is also indicated that ginning costs have risen approximately 10 percent since the 1950 season.

Based on these factors and taking into account the large cotton crop estimated for 1951, together with the fact that this is a decreasing cost industry, it is indicated that a uniform adjustment in ginning charges to reflect increased costs is desirable and necessary to provide equitable treatment.

Accordingly, the supplementary regulation permits ginners to increase their rates by a flat 6 percent over rates charged during the 1950 season, rather than using the graduated percentage rates now allowed under Section 8 of CPR 34.

Also, the action applies to all cotton ginners regardless of the number of employees, whereas under Section 8 of CPR 34 a distinction is made between services which employ more than or less than 7 persons.

Present range and pasture conditions in Texas are conducive to the development of Vitamin A deficiency among farm animals. The lack of green feeds, over a long period, may bring on the deficiency. The first symptom is night blindness.

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 "It was stolen," replied the swimmer. "The Hottentots took it from me."  
 "The Hottentots," exclaimed the friend, "but there are no Hottentots here."  
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**BRIDGE SHADOW MENACES CROPS**  
**KHARTOUM (AP)**—There is something new under the sun—and in the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan it's the shadow of a bridge. Cultivators on an island under the white Nile bridge at Omdurman are claiming compensation for loss of crops caused by the structure's shadow. Authorities are studying the plea. Thus far they've failed to find any precedent in law.

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**METHODS OF DISPELLING BAD ODORS FROM FREEZER SAYS SPECIALIST**

The freezer accumulates odors from spoiled foods and has difficulty releasing them. Clayton, home manager for the Extension Service at Texas A&M College, says that the best method of dispelling odors from the freezer is to use activated charcoal. The specialist says that activated charcoal in the warm freezer will absorb odors released by the heat, or a commercial, wick-type air freshener may be used.

When the odor has been removed or reduced to where it is of no consequence, the specialist suggests a final washing of the inside surfaces of the freezer with soda water. Activated charcoal left in for a while will pick up any residual odor.

Age should be fed at least once a day. It is not necessary to feed the cake and alfalfa hay if sufficient green grazing is available. However, when the pasture or range starts turning brown, the above named foods should be given to the cattle.

Silage, sudan or Johnson grass or other temporary grazing will and in supplying the cheapest source of protein, mineral and vitamin A, says Thompson. Cows are able to draw for a time from the fat of the bodies and their livers vitamin A. When this supply is exhausted, there is trouble ahead, says Thompson unless other sources of vitamin A are supplied. Since cottonseed cake contains no vitamin A, such feeds as green alfalfa hay or yellow corn are needed in the cow's ration to help prevent blindness and many calving problems.

The situation is a tough one, he adds but good herd management, in times such as now exists, will not only keep the herd in good condition but will also mean a better and bigger calf crop next year. The expense will be high but the results will offset the costs.

**TRAVEL TIPS FOR YOUNGSTERS**

By DAVID TAYLOR MARKE  
AP Newsfeatures Write

Do you enjoy taking your children traveling with you? True, traveling with them is quite a large order, says Helen Stanick, homemaking authority of Cornell University. And with vacations coming along, more and more families will be faced with the problem of amusing the small fry on long trips. It can be done, she says.

Miss Stanick offers the example of the Smiths who had three children, Patty, 6, Peggy, 3, and Scotty, 18 months.

They began by mentally preparing the children as gently as possible for the coming trip, starting a few days in advance. Then Dad prepared the car. He built a platform to fit between the front and rear seat. This brought the level of the floor up about eighteen inches.

The extra flooring, he figured, would eliminate nasty falls and provide more comfortable sleeping space in the back. In addition, he padded the platform, door and window handles to cut down bruises and bumps.

Next on their agenda was the packing. They tried to put everything in the trunk except for one small suitcase which they put in the front seat. This small suitcase contained diapers, baby food, bottles, towel and wash-cloth, thermos of water, and necessary clothing changes.

Since a day of traveling seems awfully long to youngsters, a box of toys of their own selection was added to the back seat. Youngsters cannot understand time and distance, and modern cars go so fast that parents can only point out a few prominent objects to occupy the children's eyes and minds, so the Smiths kept the back seat of the car as free as possible of luggage. This gave the children room to play with their toys. The parents packed their picnic basket in the trunk, away from the prying fingers... but they always kept fruit and cookies on call.

The parents, realizing they were traveling with three growing children, considered the youngsters' schedules, and fit the trip in where it would cause the least disturbance. Thus, they began their trip after the baby's bath at one o'clock, so that Scotty could take his nap on the first leg of the journey. As planned, Scotty dropped off to sleep with his head in Mother's lap. And with minor interruptions, the girls played quietly in the back of the car until Scotty finished his hour-and-a-half nap. Then another hour passed peacefully with some refreshments and some seat-swapping.

About this time, the youngsters became restless. But the Smiths were prepared with a number of gadgets. One of the children's favorites was a bag of "surprises"... nothing more than a paper bag with balloons, trucks, and lollipops. These surprises were awarded every half-hour or every fifty miles.

Of course, the prizes were given out in triplicate!

Then, at meal time, Dad and Mother found it best to have a picnic meal, since the weather was warm. This gave the children a chance to run and play off some of their excess energy.

After they were under way again, stories and songs took up the time till bedtime.

On the strip the Smiths stopped by a Vermont mountain stream to wash up and prepare the children for bed. Patty, the 6-year-old, had the back seat for her bed. Peggy, the 3-year-old, had the raised, padded platform between the seats, and Scotty shared the front. When the family reached their destination, 400 miles away, the children, still asleep, were transferred from the car to beds without waking.

**German Youths Dive For Scrap Metal**

HEIDELBERG, Germany (AP)—Bold young West Germans are making a living today from the German army's panic of defeat of 1945.

Along the placid Neckar River they are carrying on a daily job both dangerous and rewarding: diving for war material thrown away by retreating Wehrmacht troops.

It is not officially permitted, but the youngsters, ranging in age from 17 to 23, are doing it anyway. They say they can't find jobs and that scrap metal brings them at least enough to live on. West Germany is badly short of scrap and it is quickly snapped up by dealers. The youths have dragged up bazookas, bushels of rifle cartridges, small arms and other war equipment, now rusted beyond usefulness except as scrap.

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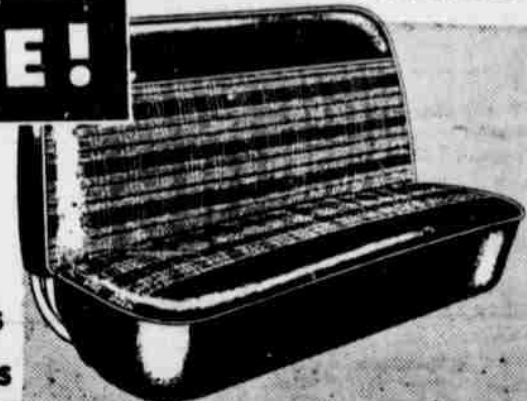
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## Three New Coaches To Aid Head Football Mentor At Hardin-Simmons

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turning from Kingsville where he was head coach, and Larry Cunningham, who was on the athletic staff at McMurry College.

All three are H-SU graduates.

Scott, named head basketball coach this past spring, will move up to the varsity staff this fall because freshmen will be eligible for the Cowboy team. He will work with the backfield.

Considered an excellent teacher with an intrinsic grading ability, Scott compiled an outstanding record as an overseas coach in the army while in Guam.

A captain in the national guard, Scott served both in the ETO and Pacific theatre of operations.

## Mrs. Lee—

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torates. They moved here from Austin about six years ago.

Mrs. Furrar was an outstanding Bible student, and been declared a Bible scholar by many noted Baptist preachers. She taught Sunday School classes nearly all of her married life, and was active in Woman's Missionary work of the church until her health forced her to remain at home. She was a member of the Littlefield chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, having affiliated about four years ago. She was also a member of the Mary Martha Class of the First Baptist church. She had been a member of the Baptist church 33 years and was converted at the age of 14.

Survivors include her husband and two daughters, one granddaughter, Laura Beth Harlin, one sister, Mrs. B. G. Spikes, Bellevue and two brothers, D. Q. Baskin, Temple and Sam Baskin, Albuquerque, N.M.

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## Here on Earth—

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black sheep as anything that family ever produced in the male line. I did have a sister who admitted she married a gambler for his money, and that, to my way of thinking, is more immoral than drinking whiskey or raising a couple of dollars on a horse race. At the same time I am not unmindful of the fact that I, after a fashion, married for money, too. I had seven dollars and Marjorie had \$237 when we faced the preacher.

Yes, I've known a great many of the race horse folks, and I don't know but that they stack up pretty well when it comes to real down-to-earth honesty and a true religious conviction. And I think that if the world in general knew them better they would be more highly respected.

Several years ago when I was visiting Lexington, Kentucky, a friend there drove me around the city showing me the places of interest. As we passed a nice-looking, but for that wealthy community a most modest church, this friend remarked: "That is the race horse church."

And then he went on to explain that this church was so known because so many of the race horse people attended it so regularly. It, let it be mentioned, was a Protestant church.

Then this friend took me out to the famous Idle Hour Farm, then owned by the late Colonel Edward R. Bradley, the first horseman to ever breed and saddle four winners of the Kentucky Derby. On this farm there was pointed out to me a little chapel that Col. Bradley had built there, and where he and as many of his employees as wished, worshipped, with a spiritual leader who drove out from town for the service. Col. Bradley insisted that his employees regularly attend the church of their choice, and that community never had a citizen who contributed more of his time and money to as many various charities as Colonel Bradley.

And now let me tell you the story of another breeder of race horses and a little country church.

Not so many months ago another Kentucky breeder took his 75-year-old widowed mother to the races at Hialeah Park in Florida. This elderly lady had never been to the races before, because she was a minister's wife, and as such she, at one time, had been bitterly opposed to racing. After her visit to the

## FIRST BAPTIST TRAINING UNION REVIVAL STARTS SUNDAY NIGHT

The First Baptist Training Union Revival will begin tonight (Sunday), at 7:30 o'clock, with Mrs. Vernon Shaw of Fort Worth, directing. Mrs. Shaw formerly was connected with the state training union at Fort Worth. She has directed many enlargement campaigns throughout the state.

Mrs. T. C. Gardner, also an outstanding training union director will be here, and she will teach the elementary workers each evening and will work with the children in the department.

Mrs. Ed Packwood will be in charge of the children's activities. Miss Juanita Holland, youth leader in the department, and Mrs. Ernest Hock will teach the juniors, while Mr. Hock will teach the young married couples. Mrs. Norman Renfro will have charge of the nursery children.

Preceding the opening of the training union revival, a short film will be shown in the auditorium of the educational building, followed by the classes meeting in each union.

Florida track, she said, according to her son: "You know, I don't see anything bad about this."

This breeder was Julian Walden of Midway, Kentucky, a little town in the blue grass state.

And then Mr. Walden went ahead to explain to a newspaper reporter, that his father, at one time was very much opposed to horse racing and frequently preached against it before he moved to Midway to live. Upon his arrival to take charge of the church there he learned that a race horse man, Jim Parrish, had put up most of the money to build the church, the pulpit of which Rev. Walden had been called to occupy.

Mr. Parrish was, according to the church records, and in the opinions of those who knew him best, a very religious man and regular church attendant. And he had been an unusually successful breeder and owner of horses. He raised his own stock and he raced it. He never had a pretentious stable, but he won a lot of races and bred a great many stakes horses.

Shortly after Rev. Walden arrived in Midway, according to his son, the congregation decided that the church should have a pipe organ and various methods of raising the money were discussed.

Mr. Parrish listened to the discussion of ways and means and then he said to his fellows of the congregation: "Delay action on this matter for a week. My horse, Rolled Stocking, is running in a stakes race at Latonia on Saturday. If he wins go ahead and order the organ for we'll have the money to pay for it."

On Saturday Rolled Stocking came bounding down the stretch well in the lead, and it wasn't many Sundays after that until the Midway Christian Church resounded to the mellow tones of the organ, and the people of the congregation expressed their gratitude to Rolled Stocking—just another horse on which people bet, won and lost money.

Then the day finally came when the church needed to be painted, inside and outside, and this with other work that needed to be done was going to cost about \$2,000, at a time when the church treasury was empty.

"I'm shipping some horses to Chicago," Mr. Parrish said, "and I expect them to win. Just as soon as you hear one of them has won, you can start painting."

The folks in the little Kentucky town awaited the word, and then it came. Parrish's horse had won, and the lids came off the paint buckets.

Every racing stable has its "colors," a distinguishing color or combination of colors in the jockey's cap and jacket or shirt, so that the horses may be more easily distinguished.

It was nearly a month before Parrish got home from the Chicago race meeting, and the first Sunday after his return he attended church.

And you've probably guessed it. Yes, the interior of the church had been decorated in Jim Parrish's racing colors—terra cotta and straw.

So it is that not all race horse money is the wages of sin, and so it is that not all race horse people are children of Satan. There are worse things in the world than horse racing, and

## In Planting Cotton, Plant Two—Skip One—Says College Station

Approximately equal yields of cotton were obtained under irrigation by planting two rows and skipping one and by planting each row, according to D. L. Jones, superintendent of the Lubbock Experiment Station.

Little difference in yields were observed between the two practices in tests conducted under irrigation at Lubbock during the three years 1948-50. Where each row was planted, an average of 382 pounds of lint per acre was obtained, while 370 pounds of lint was obtained from planting two rows and skipping one. During the two dry years of 1948 and 1950, the practice of allowing every third row to remain blank returned greater yields.

In tests conducted under dry-land conditions during the four years 1929-32, the practice of planting each row gave an average of 23 percent higher yields. These results were obtained where the "plant two—skip one plots" had two-thirds as many plants as where each row was planted. Jones points out that planting one row and skipping two and skipping one and skipping one and skipping one are equal on an acreage basis. The results of the experiment are given in Progress Report No. 10, available from the office, College Station. To make a quick test, a cup of water until the sugar is covered and boil gently minutes.

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