

WHY NOT Big Sports Program For Littlefield and Lamb County?

(AN EDITORIAL)

Summer is just around the corner.

With the annual vacation from school, your children will have a lot of free time on their hands. What will they do with it? What will you do with your free time during the long, twilight summer evenings?

You look for outdoor recreation, either as an individual or as one of a group, you will find that Littlefield and Lamb County have little in the way of recreational facilities.

A survey of the meager sports facilities in Littlefield yields a short

Jaycee softball park, lighted for night-time league games; rodeo arena, used once or twice a year; city stadium and football field, used for fall grid events; tennis court at the high school; swimming pool at city park; baseball diamond.

Not very impressive for a city of more than 8,000, a county with a population of more than 30,000; a prosperous trade territory of more than 30,000 regular customers.

Factors brighten the picture a bit. A supervised youth recreation program for morning hours this summer at the city swimming pool and the prospect of a commercial enterprise, a miniature golf course, are being planned.

Recreational facilities are still woefully inadequate. Kids will find a lot of things to do—stand on street corners, to race their jalopies on high school farm roads, to seek out the local bootleggers, to shoot craps, to play pool, to find plenty of mischief if it doesn't find them.

What the town needs is a sports council, to plan a varied program of outdoor recreational activities for boys and girls, and women, and to serve as a general governing body to coordinate the who, when, what, where and how of the local sports program.

Let's have a drive to recruit league teams from youth and civic organizations for summer softball tournaments and then let's draw in teams that aren't affiliated with clubs.

Let's enlarge the recreation program and the supervision at the city swimming pool. Let's sponsor swimming instruction for adults, too, for the benefit of the city.

Let's get half a dozen tennis courts and have twilight or night-time tournaments, open to all players.

Let's organize nightly or weekly square dance lessons and dances at some public hall, using recorded music and callers, and let's get back to the old-fashioned public barn dances and square dances.

Let's have midget auto races or soapbox races for the kids. Let's have matched roping events at the unused rodeo arena, with prizes invited.

Let's do something besides listen and watch. Let's have some times when we are changing, and we take a dim view of "passive recreation" so popular in these days. There's a great incentive for the many to watch the few and call it sport. Partying—doing things—heightens enjoyment.

When we get organized, let's have an old-fashioned field day like the Romans had 2,000 years ago, with contests, races, and prizes.

Let's attract competition from other towns in the South Plains... Let's have spectators, participants, visitors.

Enjoy life this summer.

Jaycees Change Rodeo Date To June

June 15, 16 and 17 are the new dates for the annual Jaycee rodeo, officers announced this week, promising a bigger and better show than ever.

The rodeo was originally scheduled for May 17, 18 and 19, but was set over in order to avoid conflict with high school graduation activities.

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Tommy and Buck Steiner of Austin, famous for their rodeo stock, will provide stock for the Littlefield rodeo, the Jaycees announced.

Two top flight clowns, along with three other top-notch specialty acts, will enliven the show. Square dance

contests are also planned.

Jaycees are guaranteeing a better show this year, with more livestock—including brahma bulls.

A special rodeo committee composed of John D. Smith, Jack Alexander and Rhenard McCary will be in charge of arrangements for the

affair.

The plans were made at a Jaycee meeting Thursday night.

IN CALIFORNIA

Sheriff Sid Hopping was expected to return today from a three-day trip to California, where he was to pick up a prisoner.

CAR DAMAGED

A 1941 Pontiac backed into his 1934 Buick and tore off the grill and front fender, Elton Hoca of Kermit reported to the sheriff's office Sunday night. Driver of the Pontiac left the scene of the accident on Main Street, Hoca said.

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Fair Plans Progressing

Gallant Youngster Wages Battle Against Chorea And Heart Disease In Steaming Hot Metal Cabinet

Every other day Billy Pack, a seven-year-old tow-headed youngster with freckles and an engaging smile, climbs into a big shiny metal cabinet. Doctors call a hyperpyrexia cabinet to fight another round in his battle against chorea and heart disease.

Billy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pack of Yellowhouse Switch, entered Payne-Shotwell Foundation a week ago.

In February, national heart month, Billy's case stands out as an example of preventive techniques used by modern physicians in conquering heart disease.

A marked improvement in his condition is reported by the attending physician, Dr. F. B. Faust, after three treatments in the hyperpyrexia cabinet, which raises Billy's temperature to 103 degrees for one to two hours.

A week ago, the boy's right hand twitched uncontrollably; now he can use it to write. When he entered the hospital a week ago, Billy couldn't or wouldn't talk. Now his main interest is in telling visitors about his saving dimes in a cash register bank "to pay my hospital bills." He has saved about \$3, and the bank will open automatically when he gets \$10.

Billy's ailment is diagnosed as chorea, a form of rheumatic fever. Affecting people between the ages of 5 and 21, rheumatic fever is a condition usually associated with joint pains and fever; it results eventually in a disease of the heart, Chorea, or St. Vitus Dance, is found in about one-third of these cases and usually results in the same problem.

The common method of treatment, Dr. Faust explained, is by using salicylates and complete

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Billy Pack responds with a smile to encouraging words from his mother, Mrs. Luther Pack, Yellowhouse Switch, (seated), Lt. R. E. Hall and Mrs. Hall of the Salvation Army, standing behind the steam cabinet, and Nurse Mary McDaniels and Dr. F. B. Faust. Photo by Taylor's.

Fair Association Sets Concession Limit At Four

Catalogue Will Be Printed; Carnival Program Outlined

Carnival, concessions and a catalogue for the 1950 Lamb County Fair came up for discussion at a membership meeting of the Lamb County Fair Association Friday night. V. M. Peterman, president, presided over the dinner meeting attended by 15 persons.

The group agreed to limit concessions to four this year and to sell them for \$25 each. No free concession rights will be granted.

Carnival Planned Square dance contests, a band concert and an Indian dance staged by Boy Scouts were suggested for the carnival. The Association decided to ask Buck Ross to promote a square dance contest each night at the fair. A small fee should be charged dancers and a smaller fee for spectators, it was suggested.

Don Hayes, director of the high school band, will be asked to furnish a band concert for one night of the fair. David Eaton was asked to contact Houston Hoover and Wayne Brown in an effort to get

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Sudan School Board Calls Election

Pupils To Take Home School Census Forms Starting Wednesday

March will be census month for Littlefield school children, and starting Wednesday, March 1, each pupil will take home a census blank for his parents to fill out. The enumeration will include each child who was born after September 1, 1932, and on or before September 1, 1944.

Even though a child whose parents reside in this school district

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Marilyn Black and Charles Askew Named "All-Wildcat" At Festival

Marilyn Black and Charles Askew were named as the All-Wildcat boy and girl and were presented pins in a ceremony which climaxed the 1950 Littlefield High School Festival Friday night in the school auditorium.

Elected by the students in a secret ballot, names of the All-Wildcat favorites were kept secret until the presentation.

Also presented Friday night were Court of Honor students, Who's

Who selections, the Outstanding Boy and Girl selected by the faculty and boy and girl winners of scholarships offered by the Jayceettes and Rotary clubs.

Band Wins Prize

With Coy Orr as master of ceremonies, 13 groups presented skits to open the program. The high school band, with a musical skit titled "Adventures of Pedro," won first place. The F. H. A. Chapter won second prize with a skit on a broadcast from station BATS.

Court of Honor certificates were presented to the three highest ranking students scholastically in each class. Winners were: Seniors—Nadene Spann, first; Barbara Dunn and Coy Orr, tied for second; Joanne Schovajsa, third; Juniors—Connie Huckaby, first; Ronald Harlan and Eldon Gohlke, tied for second; Jackie Farr, third; Sophomores—Dianne Hall, first; Margaret Nicholson, second; and Robert Hill, third; Freshmen—Don Wilson, first; Edwina Schovajsa, second; and Sue Landrum, third.

Who's Who certificates, awarded

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Sudan school board, in a meeting Monday, ordered an election March 18 on a \$125,000 bond issue for school improvements.

One polling place, the city hall, was designated. Persons who live within the district, have poll tax receipts and own personal or real property within the district will be eligible to vote, school Supt. A. Dooley said.

If approved by Sudan voters, the \$125,000 will be used to make needed repairs to the elementary school and to convert the elementary gymnasium into an auditorium and to construct a new gymnasium.

Observers predict that the bond election, which would raise the tax rate from \$1.30 to \$1.50 per hundred dollars valuation on real property, will carry by an overwhelming majority.

LIONS TO MEET

A representative of the Extension Service is scheduled to speak on the agricultural outlook for the coming year at the weekly Lions Club meeting Wednesday.

The meeting will be held in the American Legion Hut.

Reservation Of Peace Should Be "Objective" Says George Mahon

Reservation of peace should be one objective of the American program, said George Mahon, director of the 19th District, here in Washington.

Mahon followed a series of military leaders with the House Military Appropriations Committee. Mahon is chairman of the fact that within Russia has developed a bomb and overrun China. All Military Program Committee has not been

greatly changed," Mahon continues. "Our whole problem of national defense should be re-examined in the light of these events. It is true that the Military Forces of this country on land, sea and in the air are in a better state of readiness for immediate combat now than at any time since the demobilization following World War II, but our forces are smaller than last year."

On account of the inadequacy of funds and on account of the impact which a large military estab-

lishment would have upon the economy of the United States, this country is not undertaking to maintain a large military force in being that could wage sustained warfare, according to the Congressman. Yet the findings of Mahon's committee show that unless the rate of airplane procurement requested in the budget this year is increased in succeeding years, the United States Air Force and the naval arms will become less modern at a rapid rate.

At the request of Congressman Mahon, General Dwight D. Eisenhower, military expert and President of Columbia University, came down from New York to counsel with the Committee. General Eisenhower feels that the budgetary request of the President for the Army, Navy and Air Force are not fully adequate to place the United States in a state of readiness for war. But he does not advocate an increase, as he feels that the United States cannot afford larger military spending and that certain "calculated risks" must be taken.

At this time one third of our tax dollars are being spent directly on the Army, Navy and Air Force. In commenting on defense spending, Mahon said: "The Military people have never won any medals for economy but there is less waste and more economy in our military programs now than in any time within a decade."

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Users Asked To Speak Up Free New Code Hearings Set

Loggers Kelley of Edinburg, George Moffett of Chilton, chairman of Texas War Relocation Authority and of the War Relocation Authority, respectively, and the War Relocation Authority, respectively, are the next to be heard at the next regular session of the committee in Amarillo on March 21 and 22.

Two more regional hearings, one in Dallas and one in Houston, following the Northwest Texas meetings and before May 1. After May 1 no more regional meetings will be held and the committee will devote its energies to the preparation of its report and recommendations for submission at the next regular session of the legislature. Several state-wide meetings will probably be held in Austin during the year as progress is made on the report and as particular problems are encountered, Lowe stated.

The committee expects to have its report and recommendations ready for publication by November 15, he added.

Missing Little Girl Was Visiting Friends

A six-year-old child who "went home with friends in the country to spend the night" was the object of a search by Littlefield police officers and friends of her family Friday.

A number of radio broadcasts described Carolyn Tillman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Tillman of College Heights addition, as "missing" on Friday. The child's friends brought her back to town Saturday morning.

W. J. Chesher Family Will Tour Europe

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. (Bill) Chesher, and daughter, Billy June, and Mrs. Nell Lyne, sister of Mrs. Chesher, will visit Europe this summer.

A delightful trip is being planned. They expect to leave here early

in June, sailing from New York June 10, and to visit England, Holland, Belgium, Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Italy, and France.

They will sail on the Caronia and return to New York on the Queen Mary.

Keep Initial Fee For Rural Telephones Low, Say Texas Solon

Congressmen Are Worried About \$25-\$50 Equity Large Installation Fee May Prevent Some From Joining

Two Texas congressmen are trying to figure out a program to make rural phone service available at a reasonable cost to farmers. Representatives W. R. Poage of Waco, author of the rural telephone law, and Lindley Beckworth of Gladewater, think that the initial fee for installation is going to have to be kept as low as possible if many farmers are to get the phones.

The congressmen are worried about the \$25 to \$50 equity which the Rural Electrification Administration has decided must be charged each individual member of a rural telephone cooperative.

REA by law must have assurance of getting its money back before it can make loans. Therefore, REA feels that it must require each farmer to make an investment.

The reasoning behind this, according to Administrator Claude Wickard, is that telephone service is more detachable and more easily withdrawn than the rural electric cooperative.

Wickard says every farmer who puts up only \$5 to join the rural electric cooperative must also have invested several hundred dollars toward the wiring of his house. But a telephone can be taken out on short notice, and in lean times,

the farmer might withdraw quickly from the telephone cooperative, leaving the government holding the sack. But both Poage and Beckworth fear that this equity of \$25 to \$50 to be paid in by each member of a telephone cooperative may deter many from taking telephone service.

Must Be Available To Farmers

Much of the success of the whole rural telephone program, they feel, will depend upon how easily accessible these instruments will be to farmers with small pocketbooks and in the Southwest, this situation is widely prevalent among folk without telephones.

If the fee is too high, the whole purpose of the program may be defeated because although rural telephones will be within their reach legally, from a practical standpoint the telephone service will be just as far away as ever. On the way the regulations are written will depend whether the rural telephone field is yet to be left to the existing utilities or whether it is to be farmer owned and operated.

REA officials have in mind varying the amount of equity from \$25 to \$50 depending upon the individual cooperative and the particular conditions of the locality. They have been told already that in some sections of the country the \$50 equity is not considered at all excessive and that they will get it from farmers. Poage and Beckworth however think that would be too much in Texas.

Plan Is Offered

Poage suggested that at the start the charge be \$10 to initiate membership in the cooperative and then the remaining amount be charged to the farmer later or in installments. The psychology of the thing is what Poage is thinking about. He feels that many Texas farmers will turn down the

MODERN CIVILIZATION?



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- George Washington was a (a) Whig, (b) Federalist, (c) Democrat-Republican, (d) Tory.
- Herbert Hoover is a (a) Presbyterian, (b) Methodist, (c) Quaker, (d) Baptist.
- In Georgia, a voter must be at least (a) 21 years of age, (b) 18 years of age, (c) 25 years of age.
- The capital of South Carolina is (a) Columbia, (b) Charleston, (c) Charleston, (d) Rawleigh.
- South Carolina is (a) the keystone state, (b) the hazel state, (c) the palmetto state, (d) the garden state.

ANSWERS
 1.—(b) Federalist.
 2.—(c) Quaker.
 3.—(b) 18 Years of age.
 4.—(a) Columbia.
 5.—(c) The palmetto state.

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chance to join an organization which costs \$50 at the outset with nothing tangible in sight whereas they might pay \$10 apiece and later on might not object to paying more.

There were some discussions for a time as to whether each farmer would be permitted to buy his own telephone, but that was decided against as conducive to tying in all kinds of equipment on the line. Now the plan is for the cooperative to own all the equipment and for standard equipment to be used of course.

In discussions at Washington, it was brought out that new telephone cooperatives would be organized to serve their members not because of a profit motive and therefore they should require a lower initial equity than many small private telephone companies.

Already there are 24 applications from Texas in the offices of REA here. Names of the applicants are not being divulged yet.

The \$25,000,000 provided for loans in the Act must be used in rural areas, which is defined by law as communities with less than 1,500 population.

Any one willing to meet requirements for the loan is eligible to get loans, Administrator Wickard said.

"I believe everybody except maybe a public body," said Wickard. "We could not loan to a town or any division of a state or county or parish but to any person, cooperative, etc."

"During the first year, existing companies have certain preferences, that is, if they have made application for a loan and that loan proves to be one which meets the requirement, then they will have preference over any new organizations that might be formed during the first year.

Territories Also Included
 "Loans may be made for 35 years at two percent interest. There was one other requirement which Congress saw fit to put into the law which I think is a very good one, and that is that every one in the territory shall have telephone service made available to them. I think that will require that everybody be given service at about the same rate; in other words, we don't treat people with preference because they happen to be unfavorably or favorably located. Another thing is that we, of course, must have assurance that the loans be paid back in time agreed upon, just the same as we do in REA."

"If there is an existing telephone company in that section, it might be well for the people to go to them and express their desire and

Deadline Tomorrow On PMA Applications

Tomorrow (March 1) is the final date for accepting applications for new-grower cotton allotments, Jno. W. McQuen, Lamb County PMA secretary, reports.

The applications must be filed in person in the PMA office.

say they understand that REA might give them financial assistance and technical help to aid them in serving that territory.

"We have advised that the people who wish telephone service form a separate corporation from the rural electric cooperative. They have to keep their funds separate and usually the territory to be served is different. That doesn't mean, however, that officials of the REA Cooperatives won't be interested in helping the people set up an organization or do all they can to enable farmers to take advantage of the telephone program."

Taxidermist Mounts Caribou Heads For Two Local Trappers

Two Lamb County men, T. D. Gray of Littlefield and Frank Karvas Jr., of Shallwater, will soon have trophies and rugs to show off game bagged on a caribou hunt in northern Saskatchewan, Canada, last January.

Heads of five caribou are being mounted and the hides are being tanned into rugs by O. J. Farmer, taxidermist, in Lubbock this week.

The Lamb County hunters, with D. M. Holloway of Levelland, killed their limit of two caribou each on their first day in the far north, which they visited by private plane. They sent five caribou back from Saskatchewan. They were skinned and sent by truck 150 miles and then by refrigerator car to Lubbock.

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Lollis Attends North Meeting

H. Lollis, who is Beauty manager of Lubbock, Lamb Counties, spent in Fort Worth last week, accompanied by the manager, the Gibbons of Amarillo, the monthly meeting of the group, which convened at Hotel, Fort Worth, Feb. 23. She left here returning Friday.

Meeting was presided over by Beeman, Vice-President of the group, Mich. The Skin was discussed on before you Buy." Plan. Mrs. DeWitt Jones, registrars of Dallas, also at-

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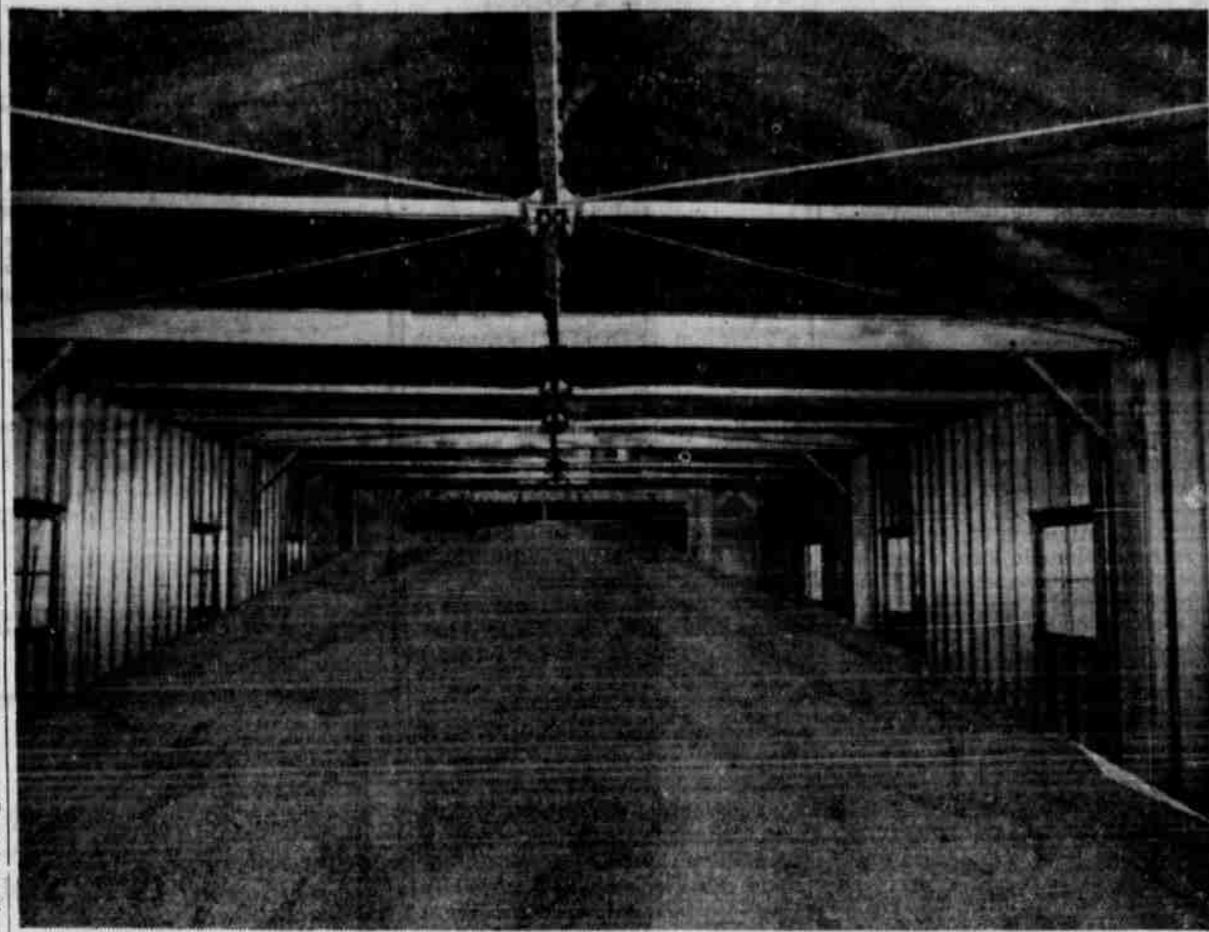
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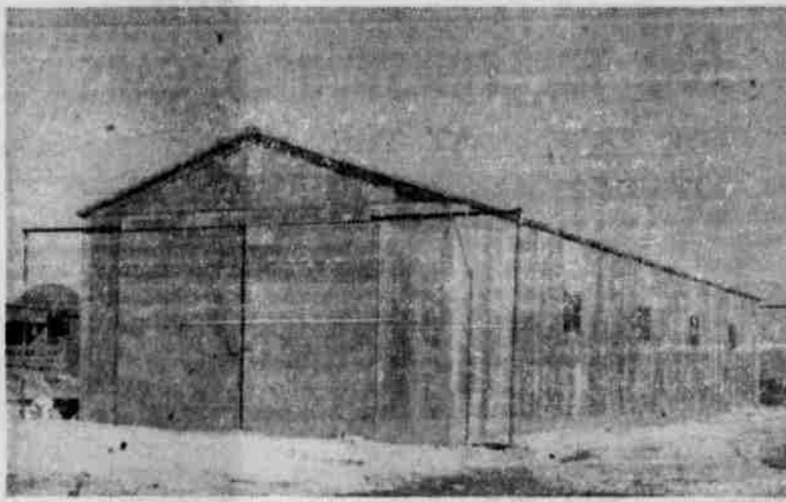
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HE "TIED" HIM AND WENT ONE BETTER . . . Race track fans who like to place their money on the jockey rather than on the horse might be interested to know that these two jockeys, Sam Boulemello (left) and Joe Culmore, are battling for leading honors at Hialeah. When this photo was made, Sam was trying to tie Joe. He did such a good job, however, that he now possesses 13 wins, while the rider he was emulating has only 12. The winter racing season is on in Florida.

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Earth Legion Plans Huge Welcome Sign

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The 36-foot sign board will have space for the "Scotch light" welcome, a background depicting the cotton, feed and irrigation resources of the area, and checkerboard-type panels to be sold to Earth merchants for advertising purposes.

The Legion expects to complete installation of the welcome sign within about three weeks.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Lamb County Leader is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, election to be subject to action of the Democratic Primary Saturday, July 24:

For District Judge
64th Judicial District
ROBT. (BOB) KIRK
E. A. BILLS

For County Clerk—
JOEL F. THOMSON

For County Tax Assessor and Collector—
CLARENCE DAVIS

For Sheriff—
SID HOPPING

For County Superintendent of Schools—
J. ERNEST JONES

For County Treasurer—
MRS. BILL PASS

For Commissioner, Pre. 3
ROY GILBERT

For Justice of the Peace
Precinct No. 3—
SAM J. FARQUHAR

For District Attorney,
64th Judicial District—
JOE SHARP

For County Attorney—
CURTIS R. WILKINSON

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Texas Could Support 30 Million People, Researcher Declares

The president of the Southwest Research Institute told Texas bankers in Fort Worth that the Lone Star state was capable of supporting a population of at least 30,000,000.

Dr. Harold Vagtborg, San Antonio, predicted that this could take place when scientific research brings agricultural and other untapped natural resources to equal standing with petroleum.

Vagtborg addressed the seventh district bankers convention. He said Texas had not touched, in a manner comparable to oil, the potentialities of its agriculture and non-petroleum minerals.

"We have taken full advantage of oil—our greatest single asset supporting our economy," he said. Vagtborg said the state could

er Clinic, Lubbock, of a heart condition.

Services were held at the First Baptist Church, with burial in Lubbock cemetery under direction of Rix Funeral home.

Mrs. Parker, who had moved to Lubbock from Amherst six years ago, was taken to the clinic only a short time before her death.

Funeral Rites Held For Mrs. E. D. Parker

Funeral services for Mrs. E. Delbert Parker, 46, formerly of Amherst, were held Monday afternoon in Lubbock. Mrs. Parker died suddenly early Saturday night in Port-

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become more and more a source of raw materials and manufactured goods for world consumption. He cited four major reasons:
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1947 FORD TWO-DOOR DELUXE	\$995
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News of Women

Miss Leverett, Bride-Elect, Glimmered At Shower In Bula

Miss Leverett of Bula, of John E. Smith of Amherst, was honored Thursday, February 23, in the home of Mrs. H. G. Holt Amherst.

Hostesses for the courtesy honoring the recent bride were Mrs. Holt, Mrs. E. L. Black, Mrs. Edd Ross, Mrs. Ice Cummings, Mrs. Lester LaGrange, Mrs. G. A. Duffy, Mrs. Allan White, Mrs. H. L. Phelps, Mrs. Doyle Tapley, Mrs. George Harmon and Mrs. Rogers Willett.

A heart made of ice-blue meline decorated with pink carnations provided an attractive centerpiece for the refreshment table. White candles in crystal holders flanked the centerpiece on the lace-covered table. Mrs. Allan White and Mrs. Cecil Grimes poured.

About 30 guests called during the receiving hours, and many others sent gifts.

Tea-Shower Honoring Mrs. Robert Payne Held In Amherst

A dozen Amherst women were hostesses at a recent tea-shower in honor of Mrs. Robert Payne, the former Betty Clements. The party was on Thursday afternoon, February 23, in the home of Mrs. H. G. Holt Amherst.

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Rev. and Mrs. Harris Honored At Surprise Shower In Amherst

The Rev. and Mrs. Odell Harris were honored with a surprise linen shower last Tuesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Zachary in Amherst.

Hostesses were Mrs. Jessie Renfro and Miss Inez Zachary of Littlefield, Mrs. John Cope and Mrs. Cecil Zachary of Amherst.

Songs and games were enjoyed by guests, and refreshments of coffee, cocoa and cake were served.

Those attending were the Rev. and Mrs. Odell Harris and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Patrick and son, Mrs. Howard and Jimmie and Janna Lou Zachary, all of Littlefield; Mrs. Janice Bass and Mr. and Mrs. Guston of Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. Graham of Olton; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dalrymple and sons of Littlefield.

AMHERST NEWS

Local People Enter Amherst Hospital

Eleven Littlefield residents were among patients admitted last week at the South Plains Co-Operative Hospital in Amherst.

The local people were Mrs. Clint Penn, medical; Wayne Rudisill, surgery; N. M. Little, medical; Miss Glenda Akin, medical; J. R. Montgomery, medical; A. C. Rogers, medical; Mrs. E. H. Williams, medical; Mrs. V. C. Davis, medical; Baby Maurice E. Northan, medical; Doyle Dean Jr., medical; and L. D. Spears, possible surgery.

Other patients admitted from the area included Mrs. W. T. Huckaby, Ralls, surgery; Mrs. W. L. Bollinger, Dimmitt, surgery; James P. Jolley, Anton, possible surgery; Sawnie Branscum, Muleshoe, medical; Miss Pattle Walker, Muleshoe, medical; J. A. Feagley, Amherst, medical; Mrs. J. E. Dryden, Sudan, medical; Mrs. W. S. Williams, Earth, surgery; Mrs. Jacquelyn Parrish, Earth, medical; Mrs. C. G. Ivy, Amherst, medical; Fred L. Ohr, Portales, surgery; W. T. Rice, Sudan, medical; Mrs. Bernice Clark Muleshoe, medical; Mrs. James Stanley, Sudan, medical; Mrs. R. E. Vestal Jr., Sudan, medical; and Miss Dolley Cook, Sudan, surgery.

Mrs. Collins Attends Food Demonstrations

Conferences on food demonstrations to be given to Home Demonstration clubs were included in a two-day conference at Lubbock for district home demonstration agents. Mrs. Xie Collins, Lamb county agent, attended.

The meeting, conducted by Miss Frances Reasonover, assistant food specialist for the State Extension Service, was held Tuesday and Wednesday. Judging of canned goods and other products was included.

Amherst 4-H Clubbers Attend Games Party

About 60 persons attended a 4-H Club party Monday, February 20, in the Legion Hut at Amherst.

Mrs. Joe Holtyn and Mrs. K. E. Gregson of Sudan, adult sponsors, served refreshments of punch and cookies to the guests.

The 4-H recreational group led games which provided the evening's entertainment.

ATTENDING WEST TECH

Winston Cummings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ice Cummings, is attending West Texas State College at Canyon for the spring semester. He finished at Amherst High School at mid-term.

Jeweler To Present Watch To Best Pupil At Amherst School

C. R. Burgess of Bob's Jewelry in Amherst has announced that he will give a 17 jewel wrist watch to the student with the highest average in all classes at Amherst School.

Another award, an identification bracelet, will be given to the second highest ranking student at the close of school, Burgess announced.

Business Men Plan Luncheon Meeting

Members of the Amherst Businessmen's Club went to Hale Center and Plainview Friday in an effort to recruit a speaker for the next club meeting.

At a business session last week, they voted to hold a luncheon meeting in March and to secure a guest speaker for the occasion.

Personals

Postmaster and Mrs. Allan White and Lester LaGrange attended a district meeting of postmasters in Brownfield last Wednesday night.

Mrs. Rogers Willett returned last Sunday from a visit with her daughters, Mrs. J. N. Riggs Jr. and family and Miss Patty Willett, in Pampa. Mr. Willett has joined her in Pampa Saturday for the return trip. Mrs. Willett visited another daughter, Mrs. John McCrory, all day Monday in Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Montgomery returned Thursday from Oklahoma where they were called Monday by the serious illness of Mr. Montgomery's father.

James Duffy spent a few days last week visiting his son, C. A. Duffy, in Amherst. The elder Mr. Duffy was en route to his home in Mangum, Oklahoma, from a winter vacation in California.

Amherst seniors are finishing up work on their yearbook, and expect to have the annual back from the printers in about eight weeks.

Seventh grade students will present an assembly program next Wednesday, March 8, in Amherst school.

Rev. Normal Gipson and Dennis Kellogg were in Abilene last week to attend a lectureship of the Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Harper spent last week in Corpus Christi. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hufstедler announce the birth of a son, Jimmy Dwight, at the Plains Cooperative Hospital on February 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Efton Graham are planning to move into a new home across the street from C and C Electric. The three room and bath house was moved last week and soon will be ready for occupancy.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Atkinson are visiting their son, Larry, in Los Angeles, California.

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SUDAN NEWS

Sudan Legion To Consider Leasing Its Rodeo Arena To Roping Club

Members of the Sudan American Legion will decide tonight (Tuesday) what action they will take on a proposal to let the Sudan Roping Club take over the Legion's rodeo arena and operate it on a commission basis.

The proposed contract conditions are that the Roping Club take complete charge of the arena, with the Legion receiving 15 per cent of the gross on all admissions charged for any show during the tenure of the contract.

A controversy developed in contract discussions between the two groups last week.

Some Legionnaires objected to the proposition on the grounds that many Sudan citizens were interested in playing soft ball and that the arena should be maintained for all alike. Roping Club members pointed out that where the same grounds are used for ball playing the center of the arena becomes hardened and is dangerous to both themselves and their horses.

A counter proposal was offered whereby the Roping club would be given the use of the grounds, without charge, except for the lights used, and the same to hold true for any civic use, with the Legion retaining in complete control of their property.

New Street Lights Installed In Sudan. Turned On Monday

Installation of 100 new street lights in Sudan was completed last week by the Southwestern Public Service Company, and the lights were put in service this week.

The project, which will cost the town of Sudan about \$3,000 a year, will give complete and adequate lighting of both the business and residential sections, Mayor Homer Morris said.

Fifty big mercury lights on steel poles were installed in the business section, and the same number of smaller lights on wooden poles will illuminate the residential district at every intersection.

Old lights, which Mayor Morris described as "very inadequate," will be removed shortly.

The Public Service Company will pay for the initial installation cost. The town will pay it out on a 25-year contract, Mayor Morris said.

Two New Buildings, About 30 New Homes To Go Up In Sudan

New Addition Will Extend Sudan City Limits 21 Blocks

A new residential addition will extend city limits of Sudan 21 blocks southeast, Mayor Homer Morris announced.

A. W. Ormand and Joe Salem, land owners, are petitioning the city for annexation. Approval is expected on the first reading of the necessary ordinance before City Commissioners Reed Markham and Raymond Nix, and official acceptance will be complete by March 5.

Funds for developing the new lots will come from regular sources of city revenue, Mayor Morris said.

O. L. Shannon, operator of a new compress here, plans to purchase several lots and build brick veneer homes for his employees, according to Ormand.

An increase in building activity in Sudan is in prospect for the summer months, with work on several new buildings already in progress.

Two new buildings will go up, and the Southwestern Public Service Company will remodel a structure on Main Street into a modern office building, it was reported.

In addition, 30 new dwellings in the Ormand addition will go up this summer, according to a "conservative" estimate made by Mayor Homer Morris.

Work was started on one of the new brick houses. Grif Boyles announced that the new brick building will cost about \$10,000 and will be a rental property.

"Dutch" Crow has announced plans to build a new home for his Chevrolet Agency on lots south of the new Supermarket.

The utility company is expected to start remodeling work in about two weeks, and will reportedly spend more than \$7,000 on the construction project.

The foundation is down for the new \$30,000 Church of Christ building, and workmen are making good progress.

Sudan High School Band To Give Play

Sudan High School band will present a play at 8 p. m. Friday, March 3, in the high school auditorium as another project to raise money for band uniforms.

The band lacks about \$600 on their \$2,000 fund raising project. Juniors are in rehearsal for their Junior Class play, to be presented two nights, March 30 and 31, in the high school auditorium.

Four other dates are reserved on the school calendar, Supt. A. Dooley announced.

The annual F.F.A. father-son banquet will be held March 14 and the F. H. A. mother-daughter banquet will be March 23.

School closing week will open

Sudan Sales People Study Merchandising

A merchandising course, conducted by Lester W. Grainger, retail specialist from the University of Texas, was organized Monday night in Sudan.

Sales people from business houses in Sudan attended the organization meeting at Sudan High School. The course is on "Merchandise Selling."

Sunday, May 14, with the baccalaureate sermon, Dooley said. Commencement exercises will be Friday, May 19.



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Legion Opposes Hoover Report Proposals On Veterans Affairs

The American Legion is continuing to voice strong opposition to that part of the Hoover Commission Report which deals with veteran affairs, because Legionnaires know that part of the Hoover Plan cannot result in economy but only in chaos and in waste, according to a statement by Vernon Hofack, commander of the Legion Post in Littlefield.

Proposed dismemberment of the Veterans Administration into five separate experimental agencies will waste taxpayers' money and be contrary to the interests of 19,000,000 veterans, the Legion believes.

The American Legion supports most of the Hoover Report, but it differs with the Commission on its recommendation on veteran affairs. Views of the Legion are expressed in a recent statement by Hofack, as follows:

The one-stop service agency—the Veterans Administration—now handling veterans affairs without any run-around, would be split up into five separate government bureaus if the proposal of the Hoover Commission is adopted.

In the name of economy the VA would be dismembered into the following separate federal agencies:

- 1—United Medical Administration—to handle veteran hospital and medical services.
- 2—Department of the Interior—to handle hospital construction.
- 3—Veterans' Insurance Corporation—to handle all insurance matters.
- 4—Housing and Home Finance Agency—to handle home loans only.
- 5—Veterans Administration—to handle remaining veteran services.

This is the equivalent of telling General Motors "you may retain your administration functions but you will have to divorce yourself from the other operations of your corporation! Ford will take over your production! Engineering will go to Studebaker! Your distribution will be assumed by Chrysler! And your sales will be handled by Kaiser-Fraser!"

That is substantially what the Hoover Commission recommends so far as the Veterans Administration is concerned!

In such a situation, could you possibly expect more efficiency—more economy?

The American Legion, with the poignant memory of the chaos of the days of 1920-21, has to laugh!

The American Legion's greatest monument today is the Veterans Administration. It was solely responsible for bringing into being a single agency handling veterans affairs exclusively. Over the years it has kept a watchful eye over all VA operations.

The American Legion knows from bitter experience that the carving up of the VA cannot possibly result in economy. It can only



H-BOMB WARNING . . . Dr. Harold Urey, atomic scientist, tells radio audience that if Russia had been allowed to develop the H-bomb alone she could have forced surrender of all nations without dropping a bomb.

Melons Flown From Cuba For Anton Boy

A shipment of water melons arrived in Lubbock Thursday for Charles Pat Atkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Atkinson. The melons came by plane from Miami, Fla., and were brought from Cuba to Miami. The Ben Keith Produce Co. handled the deal for Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson.

Pat has been afflicted for some months with what is commonly called "Bright's Disease." Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson communicated with interested persons at Kilgore, Texas who recently secured a shipment of winter melons for a small boy there, and they were informed that his condition had shown marked improvement since using the melon juice.

MUTT AND JEFF



Tech Dean To Present Program At First Baptist Church, Sudan, March 6

"Music the American Way," a lecture and musicale, will be presented by Dean Margarette Wible Walker of Texas Technological College at 8 p. m. Monday, March 6, at the First Baptist Church, Sudan.

Guest night will be observed by the 1935 Study Club, sponsors, with women from the surrounding communities invited to attend. Invitations are being sent out to members of the Tuesday Study Club and other federated clubs in the area.

herst, Anton, Littlefield, Muleshoe and Olton.

Mrs. E. E. Chance is director. Mrs. Kenneth Wiseman and Mrs. Elmer Kimball are hostesses.

Dean Walker, a newcomer to the South Plains, is national president of Mu Phi Epsilon, honorary professional music sorority. She is scheduling numerous public speaking and singing engagements this year in order to become acquainted with residents of communities near Tech. Her Sudan appearance will be the first in this immediate area.

All music lovers are welcome to be present.

Breaking power-producing records is getting to be old hat for Grand Coulee dam. Last month the huge generators hummed out 35,894,000 kilowatt-hours of electricity in a 24-hour period for a world record. The equivalent in coal would be 26,800 tons and in fuel oil 94,000 barrels.

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New Building Being Constructed For Riley & Burt

Construction of a new fabricated steel building with tile front is underway for the Riley & Burt Implement Company on the Lubbock Highway, just east of Cassel Court.

The foundation and the floors have been laid and the plumbing installed. Some of the steel have arrived, and construction is expected to be in full swing this week.

Tru-Fab Company of Lubbock, with Mr. Rook as representative, is furnishing the building, which will be 40x64.

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The VA maintains a case folder on each of 19,000,000 veterans.

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FORSAKES HOLLYWOOD FOR GOD . . . The Reverend Herman Humke, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Punnasutawney, Pa., presents Colleen Townsend, ex-movie star, with a Bible on behalf of the Retail Business Men's association. Colleen is forsaking a budding Hollywood career for the life of an evangelist. She preached a 15-minute sermon at the Punnasutawney church.

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PRE-HEARING DISCUSSION . . . Agriculture Secretary C. Brannan confers with Sen. Guy Gillette (D., Iowa), a member of a agricultural committee, before Brannan testified on government program at recent hearing. The department of agriculture has with 50 million bushels of potatoes bought through price-control program and was without a means of disposing of them without a

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Exemptions Explained
In sending in your filled-out form 1040-A, you must attach a copy of each form W-2 given you by your boss or bosses.

On form 1040-A watch the questions about your being blind or 65 in 1949. Be sure you make the correct check mark.

Every person filing a return gets a \$600 exemption. But if he was blind in 1949, he gets an extra \$600 exemption, and if he was 65 in 1949, he gets still another \$600 exemption.

And each person filing a return — if his wife files jointly with him, or if she had no income — gets a \$600 exemption for her, plus another \$600 if she was blind in 1949, plus another \$600 if she was 65 in 1949.

(You get only a \$600 exemption for a dependent and no extra \$600 because the dependent was blind or 65 in 1949.)

Both Must Sign
Be sure, though, that you list every person you can justly claim as a dependent.

A dependent is a close relative who received more than half his support from you in 1949 and whose income, if he had any, was less than \$500.

The rest of the problem of filling out form 1040-A is simple. And be sure — if you're making a joint husband-wife return — that both of you sign it.

For more detailed explanations on the problems of deductions, exemptions, and husband-wife filing on form 1040-A, see previous stories in this series.

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By John Jarvis



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"Time" Artist Shows Three Paintings At West Texas College

CANYON, Tex. Feb. 18 (WTNS)—Three original paintings by Guy Rowe, distinguished American painter best known for Time Magazine covers will be on display in the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum on the campus of West Texas State College March 8, 10 and 11.

The paintings are taken from the new Biblical book "In Our Image." They are three of the 32 illustrations done for the book.

For his models Mr. Rowe used people in real life who seemed to him to be the physical reincarnation of Biblical characters. These he found among his own friends, on trains and planes, in great world figures of today and even in his own family.

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Ropesville Eliminates Spade Team Early In Region 1-B Tournament

Eliminated in the first round of the Region 1-B basketball tournament Friday night in the Texas Tech gym at Lubbock, Spade's Longhorns lost the match by four points to the Ropesville Eagles, who then forged ahead in the second round with an overtime victory over Samnorwood.

Final score in the Spade-Ropesville tilt was 39 to 35.

Ropesville breezed smoothly through the first half, gaining at 27 to 16 intermission lead, but Spade roared back to chop the margin to 27 to 26 and from there on it was anybody's game.

The Eagles finally won, but had to resort to a stall in the closing minutes as Spade battled desperately.

The Box Score

Ropesville (39)	fg	ft	pf	tp
Reynolds	6	4	4	16
Arant	4	3	4	11
Means	2	1	2	5
Odom	1	0	4	2
Hewlett	0	2	3	2
Champion	1	1	2	3
Totals	14	11	19	39

Spade (35)	fg	ft	pf	tp
E. Trull	2	8	2	12
Meinast	4	1	5	9
Mayon	1	1	3	3
McCurry	0	0	0	0
Hutchins	2	2	4	6
Wiley	1	3	1	5
N. Trull	0	0	0	0
Totals	10	15	15	35

Boxing Star's Uncle Attending Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Ferguson are in Plainview to attend funeral services for Ferguson's nephew, LaVern Roach, boxing star who died of injuries following a bout in New York last Wednesday.

Funeral services are set for 3 p. m. today (Tuesday) in the First Baptist Church at Plainview.

The Fergusons have been in Plainview since they learned of Roach's death. He died last Thursday as a result of a brain injury suffered in a tenth-round knockout Wednesday night.

Fair Plans—

[Continued from page one] A troop of eight Lubbock Boy Scouts to put on an Indian dance.

To Sell Advertising Peterman appointed several men to sell advertising in the fair catalogue in their respective communities, and named Eaton to supervise the advertising job and make arrangements for printing the catalogue. Eaton is to get bids on the catalogue printing job, proofread it and get it printed by May 30.

Peterman will handle advertisement sales in Amherst and Sudan; Judge Otha Dent will be in charge in Springlake; Joe Walters will sell in Littlefield west of Phelps Avenue and west of highway 51, with Viggo Peterson taking the opposite side of town; and G. T. Sides will be responsible for sales in Olton.

To Furnish Hay The president said he would appoint someone else to sell commercial exhibit space at the fair. Eighty bales of hay will be furnished by Peterman and locked in a barn at the fair grounds until fair time, the group decided, naming Jess Elms to make arrangements.

Springlake Wins Third And Sudan Fourth In 18-A

Two Lamb County contenders, Springlake and Sudan, battled it out Saturday night for third place in the District 18-A girls basketball tournament at Chapman Fieldhouse in Lubbock. Springlake scored a 23 to 18 triumph.

Cotton Center edged out Roosevelt for the district championship 47 to 32, preserving their perfect school girl record and gaining the district championship.

Nathan Tubb, District 18-A chairman, presented trophies to the teams finishing in the top four spots after the finals Saturday night. Order of line-up was Cotton Center first, Roosevelt second, Springlake third and Sudan fourth. Springlake came from behind to score a 23 to 18 triumph in the hard-fought third place preliminary game.

The regular season champion, Springlake, edged ahead by 4 to 2 at the quarter but Sudan, the county runnerup, forged out front by 9 to 8 at halftime. Sudan built its lead to 17 to 12 during the third quarter, but then Springlake came back strong to win going away.

Louise Bolinger posted nine points for the winners, but Laquita Williams, who had hit 25 points Friday night in a losing effort against Cotton Center, gained individual honors in the game by netting ten.

THE BOX SCORE

Springlake (23)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Cleavinger, f	1	3	3	5
Bolinger, f	4	1	0	9
Brown, f	3	2	1	8
Crawford	0	1	0	1
Clayton	0	0	0	0
Williams, f	0	0	1	0
I. Myers, g	0	0	2	0
Howell, g	0	0	2	0
R. Armstrong, g	0	0	3	0
C. Myers	0	0	1	0
Totals	8	7	11	23

Sudan (18)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Clayton	0	0	0	0
Messamore, f	0	2	2	2
Bayles, f	1	1	0	3
Williams, f	5	3	2	13
Glover	0	0	0	0
Price, g	0	0	1	0
Reed, g	0	0	4	0
Legg, g	0	0	1	0
Totals	6	6	10	18

Halftime score: Sudan 9, Springlake 8.
Free throws missed: Cleavinger 2, Brown, Clayton, Bayles 2, Messamore, Williams 4.

Marilyn Black—

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to outstanding students in each department, were presented to Billy Frank Davis, mathematics; Joanne Schovajsa, journalism; Ernestine Sell, commercial; Nadene Spann, English; Eldon Gohlke, social science; Janet Brooks, distributive education; Bill Gray, speech; Dwayne Gipson, agriculture; Fath McCormick, home economics; Ronald Harlan and Barbara Bryan, band; Coy Orr, science; Annie Mae Ward, foreign languages; Stephen Brock, boys athletics; and Janetta Simmons, girls athletics.

Jaycee-ettes' honor girl was Eudene Glover, and the Rotary Club's honor boy was Coy Orr. Each will receive a \$100 scholarship to any school.

Donald Tirey and Nadene Spann were chosen by the school faculty as the "outstanding boy and girl." In a recognition service, officers and sweethearts of various school organizations were presented.

Reminiscences

20 Years Ago



By Cecile

Hello Neighbors:

Well it seems as if the sand storms were disliked as far back as 1930, as this news item appeared from the Whittarral News.

Every body is enjoying these pretty days after all of those bad sand storms we have been having.

Building permits total \$34,600, since January 1. Which goes to show that Littlefield is enjoying an era of building.

Complaints recently filed by various citizens against horse and mule barn owners were dropped on an agreement that such barns would be moved North of the railroad tracks.

A benefit show was given for the Future Farmers last Friday night by the management of the local theatre.

Miss Eva Gertrude Chisholm was hostess Wednesday afternoon to the Junior Study Club.

The Jones Brothers Motor Company hold the distinction of rating second place on new car sales in this district.

In a ten-round go of a pugilistic combat Monday night, Lee Farley, local man, and Marlan Owens of Anton fought to a finish with Farley winning the bout.

A. C. Chesher, formerly of Littlefield, but now of Hobbs, N. M., took three of his friends for a spin in his new Lockheed plane last week, now it seems that the pilot, a man by the name of Mitchell, had difficulty in landing the plane and took a nose-dive. No one was hurt, but R. E. McCaskill, Dick Johnson and Travis Jones with Mr. Chesher was a bit on the scared side.

E. J. Foust returned Tuesday from Fort Worth where he shipped two carloads of beef cattle to market.

Mrs. R. E. McCaskill, president of the local PTA has been invited to serve on the Credential Committee at the district meet.

I'm late folks so this will have to be 30 for this week.

SUDAN IS FIRST-ROUND LOSER IN REGION 1-A CAGE TOURNAMENT

Sudan's basketball team was one of the three regular season winners knocked off in early rounds of the Region 1-A basketball tournament in Burton gym in the West Texas State college campus.

Sports writers described Sudan's loss as "the biggest surprise of the tourney." The Hornets were eliminated by Dumas 51 to 42 in the final game of the first round matches Friday night at Canyon.

Sudan, winners of 27 games over the regular season, lost an early lead and the ball game to a hustling band of Dumas Demons.

Rated as pre-tourney favorite with Canyon, which was beaten twice this season by the Sudan Hornets, the Sudan boys stayed even with Dumas through the first 13½ minutes. Then the Demons hit quickly to spread a 24 to 23 margin to a half-time lead of 29 to 23.

Although the Hornets rallied early in the second half, Dumas remained ahead six points as the third quarter ended. A final stretch drive opened the gap to 44 to 36 before Harlan Pickett hit for the Hornets.

But even in the last minutes Sudan couldn't narrow the margin. Their play became ragged and the Demons hit with uncanny accuracy. The visitors in a stunning upset walked off the court to tremendous cheers in the crowded gym.

Ray McKown had 15 points for Dumas, assisted by Doyle Black with 14 and Paul Adair with 10. Cal Foster led the Hornets in defeat with 13. Harlan Pickett had 12 and Don Lance, playing with a bad case of flu and running a temperature of almost 100 degrees, pitched in 10 for the Hornets.

The Box Score

Sudan (42)	fg	ft	pf	tp
Pickett	5	2	1	12
Lance	4	2	4	10
Foster	6	1	3	13
Wiseman	0	1	2	1
Sherrill	1	1	0	3
Lynch	1	0	5	2
Whitmire	0	1	2	1
Totals	17	8	17	42

Dumas (51)	fg	ft	pf	tp
Adair	4	2	0	10
McKown	6	3	4	15
Munkres	2	0	1	4
D. Black	6	2	4	14
Cates	2	2	1	8
Totals	20	11	10	51

Halftime score: Dumas 29, Sudan 23.

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Preservation—

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Further progress in efficiency must be made."

The Congressman indicated that the top military leaders do not think that an outbreak of war with Russia is likely within the next two years. Their fears, based on the fact that Russia is feverishly building up her submarine fleet, navy, air force and army seem to be that we will inevitably have trouble with Russia at a later date unless some way can be found to establish good will between the United States and Russia.

Among those appearing before the Committee in recent meetings are General Omar N. Bradley, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff; Louis Johnson, Secretary of Defense; the Secretaries of the Army, Navy and Air Force; and the members of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Democratic members of the House Military Appropriations Subcommittee are Representatives Mahon, Chairman, Harry R. Sheppard of California and Robert L. Sikes of Florida. The Republicans on the Committee include Representatives Albert J. Engel of Michigan and Charles A. Plumley of Vermont.

The Committee handles all appropriations in the House of Representatives for the office of Secretary of Defense and for the Army, Navy and Air Force. The Committee has been holding hearings for the past seven weeks in an effort to get ready to present the Military Appropriation measure to the House for consideration about April 1.

Pupils To Take—

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is married, not attending school or never did attend school, not living inside this school district, but is within the age limits, he should be listed on the census, school officials said. Physically handicapped children should be included.

Officers are seeking cooperation in getting additional census listings. Persons knowing of a family living inside this school district during March or on April 1, having school age children, are requested to notify school officials.

"Ask about any six-year-old child you know. If he is to be of school age next September 1, please notify school officials," they asked.

Gallant Youngster—

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rest. In the past few years, however, outstanding medical men, notably Dr. Ephraim Engleman of the University of California and Dr. Stanley Dillenberg of Columbia University, have advocated treatment of these cases by fever therapy. It is reported in "Current Therapy of 1949." This is accomplished by placing patients in a cabinet and increasing the body temperature by diathermy, thus aiding the medications and helping the body tissues to resist infection.

To carry out this treatment, Billy Pack's little body is lowered every other day into the big hyperpyrexia cabinet, which looks to a layman somewhat like an iron lung.

As the heat and steam increase, fans are turned on Billy's head; he is given salt tablets to replenish body salts; fruit juices and water are fed him to replace lost body fluids. His temperature is held at 103 degrees for from one to two hours, depending on the benefits received.

Well on the road to recovery, Billy is due to get up to five more treatments at Payne-Shotwell, Dr. Faust said. He may avoid heart disease altogether.

The Salvation Army, now observing its 100th year in the United States, is to be highly commended for bringing Billy in for treatment, Dr. Faust said.

The child's condition worsened about two weeks ago, and he was examined by specialists in Lubbock before the treatment was undertaken here, said Lt. R. E. Hall, in charge of the Salvation Army here.

The Pack family attend Salvation Army services regularly.

House Comm

Gives Okay

Phone Co-

The House committee approved the co-op bill by an 83-0 vote on Monday night. The bill still must pass the House.

The action came after efforts to reauthorize failed.

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