

Farmers Demand That Land Owners Have Water Rights

More than 700 farmers and other representatives of the High Plains irrigation belt meeting in Plainview last Friday, went on record with the demand that the state recognize underground water as belonging to the owner of the land under which it is found, the same as oil, gas sulphur and other underground resources.

The group insisted on such recognition in a resolution adopted at the close of the all-day assembly, sponsored by the Texas Farm Bureau Federation.

The resolution further urged that district be created for underground water control, if any, and that such districts be completely under local control.

The proposal adopted after lengthy discussion also asked that agricultural take precedence over other industries in the use of underground water.

A. B. Tarwater, Plainview, former state representative from this district, and chairman of the resolutions committee, told the groups at the morning session, "The legislature can never provide laws that will fit all localities in control of ground water." He suggested the local districts in preference to a statewide unit for control.

W. L. Broadhurst, district engineer for the US Geological Survey, provided data for considerable thought in his reports on studies made during the past years of ground water on the High Plains.

Broadhurst said, "Facts obtained during the last 15 years show that without a reasonable doubt every drop of fresh water under the High Plains is water that fell on the High Plains."

The water engineer said water levels in general are highest in the spring just before irrigation pumping starts. After the crop growing season is past, water levels start slowly recovering. Broadhurst pointed out that before irrigation on the Plains, water could be found in places at a depth of 35 feet. The wells in those same areas must be sunk considerably deeper now, he pointed out. "Just how much water from rainfall sinks down to replenish the underground supply is the \$64 question," Broadhurst said, adding, "And I don't believe we will ever know the answer." He said that in areas of light soil, rainfall brought the water level up only slightly while in sections where the soil is sandy, rainfall in one year has been known to raise the water level as much as 15 feet.

"I don't believe we will ever know just how much water we have in storage underground," the engineer said, explaining that porosity of all areas is impossible to determine with positive accuracy.

"More important than the knowledge of the reserve water supply," Broadhurst declared, "is how much water can be recovered economically." The engineer concluded his statements with suggestion that unless the water is worth getting, it does not matter how much there is under the ground.

Most of the afternoon conference was devoted to reports of representatives of countries who voiced what they believed was the general attitude to the underground water situation.

Thala Foster Named Tech Soph Favorite

Thala Foster, pretty, red-haired daughter of Dr. D. R. Foster of Lockney, was selected by popular vote recently as the favorite of the Sophomore class at Texas Technological College.

Thala, the second of Dr. Foster's four daughters, is a member of DFD women's social club, Sociology club, and is a sophomore representative from Dorm 3 West, on the Women's Governing Board.

Secret ballots were used in the election under the direction of the Student council and supervised by James G. Allen, dean of men. Each class favorite will have a full page picture in this year's La Ventana, according to Editor Bob Watson.

Other favorites were Jackie Lewis, senior; Theresa Hargrove, junior; and Jane Loflin, freshman.

ACCEPTS POSITION WITH A. & I.

Roach Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen of Lockney and a Spring graduate of the University of Texas, has accepted a position as Professor of Elementary Education at A. & I. College, Kingsville. He will assume his duties this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clell Baggett and children visited in Ralls, and Ruidoso, N. M. last week.

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Mrs. Heiny Presents Recital Here Monday

Mrs. Margaret Heiny of Amarillo, one of West Texas' really fine artists, will appear in a recital at the City Auditorium in Lockney next Monday night, March 15 starting at 8:00 p. m. Mrs. Heiny is presented here by the Gamma Beta of Texas, a local chapter of National Council of Pi MU, which is a non-secret musical fraternity.

The Gamma Beta chapter is composed of local scholarship music students who are enrolled as Progressive Series piano students. After high school graduation they are given free scholarships to the summer sessions at the St. Louis Institute of Music. Mrs. Charles L. Record and Mrs. Pearl Fagen of Floydada are advisors of the local chapter and Miss Carolyn Brunner, assistant advisor. The chapter includes piano students from both Lockney and Floydada.

Mrs. Heiny will play Chopin's Polonaise in A Flat, The Fire Dance by DePalla Teccatta, Fugue in D Minor and many other popular numbers. At the same time four of the outstanding piano students in Texas will be presented and there will be Pi MU members from other chapters.

During the intermission of the recital Monday night the Gamma Beta chapter will be installed by Mr. Harold Leith of Amarillo.

Everyone who loves good music is invited to attend the recital Monday night. Tickets will be \$1.00 and the proceeds from the tickets will be used by the local chapter for educational programs and other maintenance expenses.

All members of the Gamma Beta will be guests of Hardin College, at Wichita Falls on March 20. Miss Brunner, Mrs. Record and Miss Bobby Lu Casey of Lockney are going to study at the St. Louis Institute of Music this summer as scholarship students.

Grade School Honor Roll Given

EIGHTH GRADE—
None
SEVENTH GRADE—
Frances Copeland and Orland Gilbert.

SIXTH GRADE—
None
FIFTH GRADE—
James Dollar, Harold Ford, Jerry Wayne, Ray, Joan Harris, Betty Machee, Ann Moore, and Patty Jo Wilkes.

FOURTH GRADE—
Morris Bruns, Eldora Boone, Carolyn Campbell, Janie Sue Clark, Caroline Cobb, Barbara Jo Hanks, Frankie Hardy, Jo Ann Hearne, Barbara Husky, Betty Jean Jackson, Betty June Jackson, Gail Spradlin, Derral Waldroupe, Deanna Arterburn, Eddie Lynne Hammonds, La Dora Ayres, Asa Lou Copeland, Oddie Mae Rogers, Sandra Sams, and Mary Jo Myres.

THIRD GRADE—
Gene Handley, Roy Paschal, Roland Watson, Paul Ray Williams, Floy Baxter, Jane Fitzgerald, Beth Gross, Lynn Jolly, Frankie Lester, Katy Ray Rucker, Genevieve Watson, Mary Kathryn Ford, Glenn Broughton, Everett Dorman, Gerald Huckabee, Jerry Workman, Judy Bruns, Rita Griffith, Rita Merle Smith, and Margie Sechrist.

SECOND GRADES—
Kay Golden, Bobby Mills, David Howell, Kelley Harrison, Larry Hammit, Sally Cox, Carol Jean Chandler, Hope Cox, Charlyne Brown, Mary Jane Chandler, Imogene Melton, John Paul Schacht, Nelson Wofford, Jaudon Cobb, Jo Wiley Rigby, Wanda Mae Cox, Annette Graham, Loy O'Brien, and Gayle Rucker.

FIRST GRADE—
Jackie Don Calahan, Glen McCandless, Dwayne Poteet, Layne Poteet, Don Schacht, Lesley Wilkes, Patsy Anderson, Katherine Chandler, Debra Ferguson, Janice Hays, Lawanna Ann Taylor, Ann Griffith, Sally Weathers, Shirley Mitchell, Darrell Poe, Patsy Ashton, Nancy Hollman, Carol Ann Foster, Darlene Perkins, and Peggy Ford.

Jean Thomas, student of Baylor University, Waco, spent last week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Thomas.

To Appear In Recital



MRS. MARGARET HEINY OF AMARILLO

who will appear here Monday night in a piano recital at the City Auditorium. Mrs. Heiny is regarded as one of West Texas' really fine artists.

Hammond & Co. Plans Big Show

The International Hit Parade, a variety show the entire family will enjoy, will be presented by Hammond & Company, local International Harvester dealers, on Saturday night, March 20, at the Lockney Legion Hall. It was announced this week. The show will be free to all, and farmers and their families are especially invited to attend.

The hit parade will feature both "in person" performers and a number of color movies, according to Claude Hammond, manager.

Featured on the stage will be Tiny Grant, the magician and master of ceremonies and Joyce Anderson, who plays the accordion and dances while playing your favorite musical numbers; Joe and Eddy Dayton, a comedy team termed the "craziest men in the world"; and Patty Ross, a sensational acrobatic dancer.

On the screen several new color movies dealing with educational features, travel and comedy will be shown. The show will start at 8:00 p. m. March 20, and Mr. Hammond said, "Everybody likes a party and we're having one for our friends and customers. Mark the date on your calendar and plan to attend this big free show. You'll enjoy it we know."

Rotary Club Officers Selected For Year

Officers of the Lockney Rotary Club were selected in voting this week among club members. Joe Parrish, secretary announced the following officers had been selected to serve the fiscal year starting July 1. President, J. D. Wood; vice-president, F. L. Brown; secretary, Joe Parrish; directors, Marvin Cox, Brad Seale, Ed Carter; sergeant-at-arms, Payton Powers. Marvin Cox is the retiring president.

Briscoe County News Sold To Cavanaugh's

Announcement was made last week of the sale of the Briscoe County News at Silverton. Joe Powell owner of The News for the past 20 months has disposed of the paper to Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Cavanaugh, former publishers of the Floyd County Plainsman at Floydada. The Cavanaugh's suspended publication on their Floydada paper about two years ago and have been in Lubbock since that time.

Fire Department Re-Organizes Friday

The Lockney Volunteer Fire Department in a meeting last Friday night elected officers and re-organized the department. New officers selected were as follows:

Calvin Tomme, fire chief; Charlie Cross, assistant chief; Joe Handley, secretary and treasurer, and E. L. (Zeke) Brotherton as sergeant-at-arms.

Another meeting is planned for Thursday night of this week when definite plans regarding drill nights and other details will be ironed out.

Members of the fire department in addition to the officers were listed as follows: Vestal Elland, B. J. Wofford, Hollis Thornton, Dave Sechrist, Ross Earl Smith, Aurba Kent, M. L. Anderson, Cap Carthel, Pay Pinner, Lloyd Wofford, Louis Smith, Revis Harris, Fred Hardage, Foy Duncan, O. A. Thornton, Wayne Bybee, Edd Rodgers, and A. B. Ellis.

Guy's Talk On Europe Very Interesting

Charles A. Guy, editor and publisher of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal, held the interest of a good crowd who braved the bad weather Monday night to hear him speak for over an hour on "European affairs and customs." He was presented by Supt. Sidney Reeves. Guy along with 13 other American journalists, was invited to make a trip to Germany and other European countries as guest of the Army and to make criticism, both good and bad, without restrictions.

Only two men south of the Mason-Dixon line were invited, the other being the publisher of the Atlanta (Ga.) Constitution. The group left Washington and flew to Berlin in an Army C-54 transport, Mr. Guy reported.

At the beginning of his talk Mr. Guy stated that he was an isolationist. He stated that isolationism was a beautiful thought but it just wouldn't work, and his trip to Europe had proven that to him.

He pointed out that, despite differences of opinion among the men making the trip, they all agreed on one point and that was the Marshall Plan or some similar plan must be adopted by the United States. Western Europe is lying prostrate, he stated, and the Marshall plan will protect Americans against two dangers. One is a world wide depression such as the world has never seen. The other is the spread of Communism.

Occupation Force High Class
Mr. Guy stated that the U. S. Occupation Force is a very high class Army and that discipline and order are very good. He said that there was no comparison in the appearance of the American and Russian soldiers, and the fact that American soldiers were so much better dressed than Russians was a factor in our favor among the other peoples of Europe.

The occupation force has plenty of food and good housing, he said, and have servants in abundance. He complimented the efficiency of the German servants.

Trieste A Danger Spot
Trieste is the danger spot of Europe, Mr. Guy brought out. Here the forces of U. S., Britain and France face the forces of Communism in the person of Russian and Yugoslavian soldiers and if there is an explosion it will probably be in this spot, he said.

Mr. Guy said that there were still lots of Texans in the Army and in Europe.

The Germans living in the country have enough to eat and probably sufficient housing and fire, but the city Germans are always hungry and always cold, he stated.

In speaking of American soldiers Mr. Guy stated that a large part of them were exhibiting Christianity in action by sharing candy and other food with the German children who didn't have enough to eat.

Several in the crowd asked Mr. Guy questions at the close of his talk and many expressed their appreciation of his visit here.

ARRIVES TO VISIT BROTHER

Mrs. L. P. Goen of Los Angeles, Calif., arrived Thursday to visit her brother, Arlen Dew, who is ill in the Lockney hospital. Mrs. Goen is a former resident of this area. Mr. Dew is improving.

Telephone Company Men Here Tuesday

A. O. Thomas of Amarillo, district manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., and C. A. Myers of Plainview, who is the area manager for the same company, were in Lockney Tuesday morning and discussed the proposed telephone expansion program for this area with a group of business men and farmers who met with them in the Lockney Frozen Foods building.

In discussing the rural lines to be built, Mr. Thomas said that these lines would be built where the majority of the rural subscribers wanted them built in most cases. He assured the group that the company wants to please the people who are to be served by the lines and the program would be planned with that thought in mind.

According to the map prepared by the company, the Lockney area comprises a section bounded roughly on the east by the Silverton highway, cutting across by Muncy and running along a line east and west about 1 1/2 miles south of Pleasant valley school house. On the West the area goes practically to the county line except a section in the Providence community. A survey last summer showed 367 prospective subscribers in this area, he said. Mr. Thomas said the present expansion program was started in Floyd County because this county had, previous to the war, the largest percent of rural telephone users in relation to the population of any county in West Texas. Where present lines, which were built and are being maintained by the subscriber, are still in use, the subscriber will be given his preference of which he will use, he said.

In eastern Floyd County the REA lines will be usable in most cases, he said, although some lines have to be built. In this way the company will be able to test and compare performance between the lines carried by REA and the conventional lines.

He stressed again that the lines which will be built by the company in this area, will be metallic lines properly insulated so that interference will be eliminated. Reception over this line will be as good as over the REA carrier lines. REA lines will not be used in this part of Floyd County due to the fact that most of them are three phase and present equipment cannot be used on this type line.

Temperatures Hit Skids This Week

Temperatures hit the skids this week with the lowest of the week recorded Thursday morning. The temperature here at 7 a. m. was 1 degree above zero.

Ice covered the ground Tuesday and Wednesday and little relief was predicted for Thursday. However, weather men say that the mercury will rise Friday.

A thin covering of snow fell Wednesday and will be of some benefit from a moisture standpoint although it was drifted by the north winds.

Gas company officials were again urging conservation of gas Thursday.

RECEIVES NEW PRESS

Brown's Cleaners have just installed a new steam press in the cleaning shop here. The new press replaces an old one that has been in use since the shop was established.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ebling and two children of Edmonson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hartley Sunday.

Thursday Markets

Poultry	
Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. and over	19c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs.	15c
Cocks, pound	9c
Eggs, current receipt, per doz.	37c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, pound	70c
Hides	
Hides, No. 1, pound	14c
Grain	
Wheat, per bushel	\$2.12
Milo per cwt.	\$3.10
Barley per cwt.	\$3.35
Cotton	
Spot cotton, Dallas market	33.65

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OPPORTUNITY UNLIMITED

Some very interesting studies have been made in late years on the subject of retailing as a career for young people. The old idea that anybody could do a satisfactory job of working in a store is no longer tenable. Retailing is a complex and highly specialized enterprise. Large stores have as many as 800 different job classifications. And even in very small stores, a long list of aptitudes and skills is required.

Small stores, it is pointed out, frequently offer the best place for training. One person performs a multitude of duties. That is a primary reason why the top people in retail trade today so often began at the bottom in modest stores. They literally learned the job from the ground up.

Opportunity in retailing is unlimited. Practically all of the large stores, including the chain systems, had extremely humble beginnings. Their growth was the inevitable result of their giving the kind of service that

SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



public liked. What happened in the past is happening still. Few enterprises offer the individual so much chance to demonstrate imagination, ingenuity and a brand of personal public relations that makes friends and customers.

Retailing, in all its various branches, isn't just a job. It's a career. And those who approach it with that attitude have the best chance of going to the top.

A DOUBLE DUTY

The railroads' financial problem, which has forced them to apply to the Interstate Commerce Commission for permission to increase their rates, is not new. As one expert has put it, "The record shows that the public has enjoyed a railroad transportation service for the past 25 years with an inadequate return to investors in railroad property and in many instances with a complete loss of their holdings through bankruptcy proceedings."

Many causes have contributed to this situation. The depression of the '30s hit the industry hard. Other forms of transportation have developed, and in many instances have been heavily subsidized by the government. The wages and working agreements of railroad workers are largely determined by governmental agencies. Most important of all, the railroads are regulated to the hilt, and they are unable to quickly adjust their rates to meet changing conditions.

During those 25 years, two dollars have been spent for railroad improvement for every dollar paid to stockholders. Dividend payments have averaged little more than three per cent on the par value of stock outstanding. The industry cannot be accused of having overfavored the people who own it.

The postwar inflation has simply made the railroads' position more difficult. Wage and all other costs have skyrocketed. The industry has nothing to sell except transportation, and its only salvation lies in rates based on its cost of operation. And it should be remembered that the rate increases requested are very modest when compared with the increase in the general price level.

The ICC has a double duty. It must assure the public the best transportation service at the lowest possible cost. And it must follow policies which will give the country a progressive expanding railroad industry, ready to meet any demand. Transportation by rail is a basic strength of this nation.

515 ENROLLED AT WAYLAND

Latest totals released from the Wayland College registrar list 515 students attending the Plainview college. This is compared to 510 who enrolled last September, the largest number ever to attend Wayland college up to that time.

Seventy students entered Wayland at mid-term for the first time. Seven of those were from outside the continental limits of the United States. Three students enrolled from Shanghai, China.

The largest single group is from Plainview, with about one-fourth of the total enrollment made up of non-resident students living in the city.

Besides representatives from China, Brazil, Mexico, and Hawaii, 42 students were listed from outside the state of Texas.

Three Chinese Enroll At Wayland College

Wayland students greeted three more foreign students who have just arrived in the states and have come to Wayland College at Plainview for their studies.

The three coming from Shanghai, China, are Peter Chenk, Rose Wang, and Lucy Zia. They report that they were 19 days enroute, 15 days were spent on the sea; two in San Francisco, and two days on a train.

Upon their arrival at Wayland they were met by Rachel Fong, also of Shanghai, who has studied at Wayland for the past term. They have found, as she did, that American colleges are quite different to Chinese colleges they attended.

The three have decided to major in religious education. Peter speaks for all three when he makes this statement concerning their future plans, "We thank God that we have an opportunity to study here and we will work for God in mission work when we return to China."

Although they studied English in colleges in China, they find it difficult to converse with Americans in the United States, since they seldom had the opportunity to speak with Americans in China.

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IN CALIFORNIA

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Mrs. Mary Baggett of Lockney is a patient in the Plainview hospital. Her condition was reported to be possibly slightly better Tuesday.

OPEN SANDALS KEEP FEET WARMER, PROF SAYS

LUBBOCK—Open sandals keep the feet warmer in cold weather than do closed shoes. At least, that's the theory of M. F. Landwer, associate professor of biology at Texas Technological College, who wears open sandals all year around.

Closed shoes tend to cut off blood circulation in the feet, Landwer says, and even a little tightness will cause chilliness. On the other hand, sandals that fit loosely, when supplemented by a couple of pair of socks, will keep feet warm in the coldest weather, he contends.

The only exception the professor takes to the rule is that he occasionally wears shoes in deep snow.

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Truck Crops Now Popular On Plains

COLLEGE STATION.—In sections of the High Plains where deep irrigation wells have been dug to bring in the necessary water for truck crops, farmers are finding a new source of income, says J. F. Rosborough, extension horticulturist of Texas A. & M. College. This area of Texas has been very successful with its production of truck crops.

Lubbock county came out with a brand new truck crop last year; 1947 was the first year that lettuce had been tried. Several farmers in the Monroe community grew a potato crop using intensive fertilizer and irrigation methods; the potatoes were followed by lettuce, grossing \$600 per acre. The truck crops in Lubbock County included 1000 acres of potatoes with a yield of 130 sacks per acre; 230 acres of lettuce yielding 230 crates per acre; 360 acres of sugar beets, 14 tons per acre; 150 acres of sweet potatoes at 400 bushels per acre; and 400 acres of blackeyed peas.

Vegetable farming in 1947 paid high gross returns per acre in Bailey county. Two hundred and fifty acres of green beans were planted, producing a little over 20,000 cases — 20 train carloads for the crop. One venture in tomato growing aroused much enthusiasm throughout the county. Seventy acres of tomatoes were planted with an ordinary grain sorghum planter, and germination results were high. Five tons of "green pack" tomatoes per acre were shipped out to a ready market, and about 10 tons of tomatoes per acre could have been produced if they had ripened for canning.

Hale county reports that vegetable production in that area is new, but such crops as carrots, onions, lettuce, beets, tomatoes, sweet potatoes and Irish potatoes have been grown in sufficient quantities to show that exceptionally good yields may be produced.

Land Levelling Saves Time In Irrigation

LUBBOCK.—If farmers will spend a few hours per acre now levelling land preparatory to irrigation, they will save many hours work and considerable water later in the summer, according to Dr. A. W. Young, head professor of plant industry at Texas Technological College.

"Since we are becoming more conscious of possible limitations of the water supply on the high plains, every farmer should make the most effective use of his irrigation water and not permit any unnecessary waste by allowing water to run into lake beds or along the road side," Dr. Young declared.

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'TOY BULLDOG' . . . Mickey Walker, famed "Toy Bulldog" of the ring who fought them all—big or small—and won the middle-weight championship of the world, has new job as sports editor of the Police Gazette.

Irick News

Mrs. Harrell Dollar, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Portman and children of Hal, Center spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jolly.

Mr. L. B. Williams, who is employed by Melvin Potts, is in the Veteran's Hospital in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Rorex Laceywell of Boston, Mass. visited his brother, Dale Laceywell and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Dollar and boys spent Sunday with C. A. Purnell of Cedar Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Caldwell and girls visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Meek and children Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Graham and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Graham and family of Plainview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayes.

Mrs. Rena Jones of California here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dow Colson and Mr. and Mrs. Casie Yarbrough.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shaddix of Plainview took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Colson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lam of Lockney Sunday night.

The Ladies Club will meet Thursday, March 18 with Mrs. Tom Graham in an all day meeting. Each member is urged to be present and bring your favorite recipe.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cannon of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Poage and children of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Holmes and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dollar had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hampton and family of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Robertson.

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Battle were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watson of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Branscum.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bartram, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Robertson and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ashton shopped in Amarillo Monday.

CHEVROLET HAS EIGHT MILLION UNITS OPERATING

DETROIT—Latest available registration figures show the number of Chevrolets in operation has reached an all-time peak of 8,834,871 units, T. H. Keating, general sales manager of the company, announced today.

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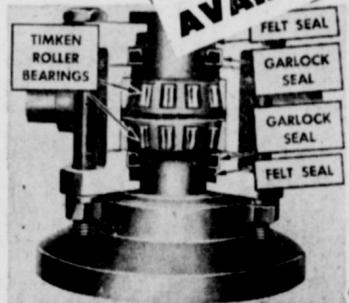
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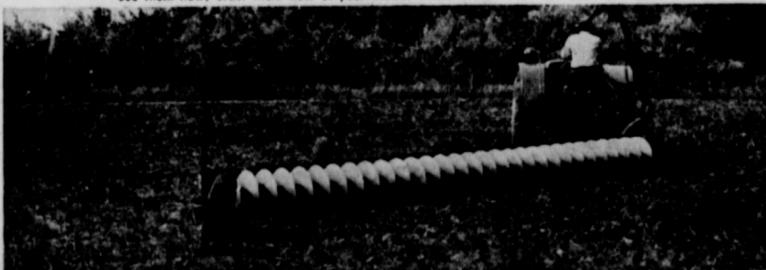
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Society News

B&PW Club Meets In Wofford Home

A business and social meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club was held Tuesday evening, March 2 in the home of Miss Una Faye Wofford. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Pearl Martin and Mrs. C. L. Record. Mrs. Pearl Martin gave a talk on "Is Today's Woman Ready for Her

Tomorrow?" Results of the Red Cross drive was discussed and plans were made to hold another 42 party on Friday night, March 26 at the office of Mrs. Wanda Baker.

Refreshments of cake and coffee and favors of candy Easter rabbits were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Patterson of Lubbock spent last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Patterson.

Local O. E. S. Chapter Has Memorial Service

The local chapter of the Order of Eastern Star held a very beautiful and impressive memorial program at a regular meeting held at the lodge hall Monday night.

A large number of out-of-town visitors were guests for the evening, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Arch Keys, Mrs. Adelle Drew, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harris, and Miss Anni Sims, all of Plainview, and well known in Lockney. Other visitors included Mrs. Ara Mae Jennings, district deputy grand matron, and husband, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster of Lone Star and Artesia, N. M., members of the Artesia chapter. There was a total of twenty four guests from Plainview, twenty three from Floydada and three from Silverton.

Places were laid for more than one hundred members and guests. Flowers in pastel shades decorated the dining tables and entertaining rooms.

Those in charge of arrangements included Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Cox, Mrs. Howard Cooper and Mrs. Marvin Cox.

Mrs. G. D. Russell is worthy matron and G. D. Russell is worthy patron of the Lockney chapter.

Mrs. J. L. Guest Dies In Florida

Mrs. J. L. Guest, wife of a pioneer physician of this area, died of a heart attack early Friday morning of last week at Jacksonville, Fla., where she had gone with her husband to visit a daughter.

Dr. and Mrs. Guest were early residents of Lockney having lived here from 1916 until 1917 when they moved to Plainview.

Funeral services for Mrs. Guest were held Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the First Methodist Church in Plainview. Dr. G. K. Rogers, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church conducted the services. Interment was at Plainview.

Mrs. Guest was born in Fayetteville, Arkansas, but spent most of her life in Texas. She would have been 73 years old on March 17.

Survivors include her husband and two daughters, Meses. Hugh V. Tull, Jr. of Plainview and Mrs. Sam Harvey of Jacksonville, Fla.; six grandchildren, four sisters, Mrs. Mae Gilbert of Floydada, Mrs. Mark Hannah of Lubbock, Mrs. Dell Fowler of Plainview and Mrs. Texas Daniels of Levelland. Marvin Gilbert of Lockney was a nephew of Mrs. Guest.

Many Lockney friends attended the funeral services.

A & M Scholarship Offered In Exams

COLLEGE STATION—Any Lockney boy graduating from high school this year with a good scholastic record and need of financial assistance will have a chance to win his own college education in a competition being conducted by Texas A & M College. Notice of the 1948 competition, with entry blanks for Lockney boys who want to compete, were mailed to the principal of Lockney's high school today by R. C. Perryman, secretary of the Texas A & M College scholarships committee.

Filling the need of giving every outstanding Texas boy a chance to earn his own college education, in spite of possible financial handicaps, the "Texas A & M Opportunity Awards" program is now in its third year. It offers boys graduating from Texas high schools each year a chance to compete for four-year college scholarships paying \$200 to \$300 per year plus an assurance of student jobs sufficient to earn other necessary expenses.

There are at least 1500 known varieties of mosquitoes and there is hardly a place on earth where they are not found. They are common not only in the vast deserts, where they breed and develop in temporary pools of water, but also in the Arctic regions, where they breed in water from melt-

Regular use of an anti-decay chemical for treatment of the teeth of all children is now recommended by the American Dental Association—Santa Fe Almanac

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J. T. Spears Passes Away Last Week

J. T. Spears, a resident of Matador and father of V. E. Spears, Lockney ginner passed away at a hospital in Littlefield Tuesday morning of last week after a long illness.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church of Matador at 2:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon conducted by the pastor, Rev. Clifford Potts, assisted by Rev. R. L. Jameson of Whiteflat. Interment was made in the East Mound cemetery at Matador. Mr. Spears had been a member of the Baptist Church since early manhood.

Mrs. Spears, wife of the deceased man, has also been very ill and was a patient in the Littlefield Hospital at the time of her husband's death. She was unable to attend funeral services.

Mr. Spears had been in ill health for the past eleven years and he and Mrs. Spears had lived in various localities during that time, in an effort to restore his health. He suffered from an asthmatic condition, and in seeking a climate that would aid him they had lived at Fort Sumner, New Mexico, and at Fort Stockton, Texas, returning to this section last July, when they located at Dickens. Last Wednesday both he and Mrs. Spears became ill and were conveyed to the Littlefield hospital.

Jefferson Taylor Spears was born at Talladega, Alabama, March 4, 1871 and died March 2, 1948 at the age of 76 years, 11 months and 28 days. He was married to Miss Kadora Elizabeth Pearce, November 21, 1895 in Cauthron, Arkansas. The couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary two years ago. They moved from Arkansas to Indian Territory in Oklahoma, and made their home at Hartshorne, Okla., until coming to Matador in 1926. Mr. Spears operated his own business, the Spears Gin here, until a few years ago.

Besides his wife, he is survived by eight of the nine children born to the union, one daughter, Ethel, having died at the age of 17 years. The surviving are four sons and four daughters: Wm. F. Spears of Seminole, Okla., V. E. Spears of Lockney, George, of Amherst and Tom L. Spears of Plomont; Mrs. J. L. Smallwood of Levelland, Mrs. G. G. Wilson of Littlefield, Mrs. C. C. Swearingen of Dickens and Mrs. C. M. Thompson of Matador; and twelve grandchildren. Other survivors are three brothers and three sisters: J. D. Spears of Hartshorne, Oklahoma, Millard Spear of Heavner, Okla., Jack Spears of Afton, Texas, Mrs. Mollie Ramsey of Stigler, Okla.,

and Mrs. Mindy Roland and Mrs. Mattie Rogers both of Mena, Arkansas.

Hospital News

Patsy Gilbreath was dismissed Monday after medical treatment. Allen Dew, who has been in the hospital two weeks, is improving. Bill Rigdon's condition continues to improve.

Mrs. J. L. Rice of Melrose, N. M. was dismissed Thursday after medical treatment.

R. L. Knox is receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. Maud Shurbet entered the hospital Tuesday for medical treatment.

WATCH YOUR EXPIRATION DATE

Three Names Filed For Alderman

Three names have been filed for the office of City Alderman according to reports from the office of Mrs. Faye Messer, city secretary Thursday.

J. D. Copeland, J. D. Wood and Lloyd Wofford have filed for the three vacancies. It was said, Copeland and Wood are old members of the council while Wofford will be running to fill the vacancy of E. L. Brown, who has declined to run again.

Others desiring to run for one of these places may file with Mrs. Messer, it was said.

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Two Names Filed For Trustee

The names of J. R. Bell, Jr., and Raymond Rucker have been filed for the office of trustee in the election to be held, Saturday, April 3. Both men are already on the board but their terms expire this year.

The names were proposed by a committee composed of T. B. Mitchell, Alvin Wilson and B. R. Wilkes, who were appointed by the school board to select names for the vacancies.

Other candidates who wish to file for the places have until March 24, 10 days prior to the election, to file, it was said.

Flying Farmers Enjoy Breakfast Here Sunday

The Floyd County Flying Farmers club met Sunday morning at 8:00 o'clock at the Baker Hotel Coffee Shop in Lockney for a breakfast and business meeting.

The following officers were selected to serve for the new year: Herman King, Lone Star, President; Grady Walker, Floydada, Vice President; Betty Martin, Floydada, Treasurer; and Bill Tanner, Floydada, secretary, replacing A. L. Hartzog. There will be a district meeting of the organization in the next few weeks at Floydada. A definite date has not been set.

Breakfast was served to approximately thirty-five guests.

Scholastic Census Now Being Taken

A scholastic census of this district is now being taken. Supt. Sidney Reeves said this week J. J. Harris is enumerating pupils in this district. All parents who have children who will be in the first grade next year are urged to be sure that the children are enumerated. The school district receives state aid based on the number of children enumerated.

If parents are unable to contact Mr. Harris in the children may be enumerated at the high school, Mr. Reeves said.

Those people who have either colored or Mexican children employed are asked to notify school officials, also.

CHARLENE MESSIMER BIRTHDAY HONOREE

Charlene Messimer was named honoree at a birthday party given Tuesday afternoon from 2:30 to 5:00 p. m. by her mother, Mrs. Frank Messimer. Games were played and the guests sang "Happy Birthday" while the candles were being lighted. The group assisted in opening and admiring the gifts.

Punch, cookies and candy were served.

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Swing Of Southwest Farm Markets

Most farm prices followed rising trends last week, but sharp declines Monday on some products erased much of the gains, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Cattle scored gains of mostly 50 cents to \$1 during the seven days ending Monday, and calves sold as much as \$1.50 higher at Texas markets. Houston bought good calves at \$25 to \$27, San Antonio and Fort Worth paid from \$24 to \$27 for good and choice grades. Oklahoma City took good calves at \$27 to \$28.50, as heavy lots brought \$21 to \$25 at Wichita and below \$26 at Denver. Good and choice \$27 and Denver up to \$30.

Sheep prices rose 50 cents to \$1.25 at principal southwest terminals for the week. Top woolled lambs brought \$20 at San Antonio, \$22 at Fort Worth and \$21.50 at Oklahoma City. Good and choice grades sold up to \$20.85 at Wichita and \$22 at Denver. San Antonio bought common and medium shorn goats fully steady at \$8 to \$9.

Hogs advanced sharply early last week, but steady losses on succeeding days more than erased the gains. Good and choice medium weight butcher hogs sold Monday at \$22 at San Antonio, \$22.25 to \$22.50 at Fort Worth and Oklahoma City, and \$22.75 to \$23.25 at Wichita and Kansas City. Sows sold from \$14 to \$19.

Egg prices dropped off a couple of cents per dozen last week as spring supplies increased rapidly. Dallas paid around 38 cents a dozen for current receipts Monday as Fort Worth gave 29 to 40 cents. Poultry held firm. Heavy hens brought 24 to 26 cents a pound at Dallas and Fort Worth, light hens 20 to 22, and fryers 32 to 35.

Monday's cotton losses more than erased gains of late last week. Spot middling 15-16 inch closed Monday at 33.10 cents a pound at Dallas, 33.00 at Houston, and 32.90 at New Orleans.

Most grains advanced sharply last week to regain levels of a month ago but liquidated most of the gains in a sudden break over the weekend. No. 2 white corn closed Monday at \$2.86 1/4 per bushel at Texas common points, and No. 1 wheat \$2.52.

Rice found limited demand last week in domestic and foreign trade, but the Commodity Credit Corporation made large purchases. Feed prices advanced mostly one to two dollars per ton, as medium and low qualities of hay declined 50 cents to \$1.50. Peanut butter manufacturers with government contracts influenced demand for shelled peanuts. Fine Texas wools continued in demand at steady prices.

Cabbage markets gained considerable strength in the Lower Rio Grande Valley as the week progressed. As this week's trade opened, straight cars of domestic round type loaded at 75 to 95 cents per 50 pound sack. Other south Texas vegetables sold about steady to slightly lower. Southern Louisiana shallots dropped to \$6 per barrel unpacked at the shed for U. S. No. 2, and sweet potatoes moved slowly in barely steady to slightly easier markets. Colorado potatoes also eased a little.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Tooley at Lakeview last Sunday and in the afternoon attended an ordination service at Mount Blanco Baptist church at which their son, Brice Allen was ordained as a deacon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cooper and Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper and children visited friends in Happy Sunday.

J. B. Seale, Jr., student at WTSC, Canyon visited in Lockney a few days this week.

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PYLANT'S GROCERY & MARKET

Railroads owned 1,936 pieces of floating equipment such as steamships, tugboats, ferry boats, car floats and work equipment at the beginning of 1946.—Santa Fe Almanac

The speed of moving vehicles may now be accurately determined by a new device used in cars parked off main roads and highways.

In ancient Egypt bridegrooms were required to promise to supply their brides every year of their married life with a certain amount of honey.

Among motorcyclists there is only one accident in every 315,459 miles of driving. Contrary to popular belief they are among the safest of motorlists.

Mrs. Louis Thomas Added To Wayland College Faculty

Mrs. Louis Thomas of Plainview, who appeared last season as soloist with the Lubbock symphony orchestra, is the most recent addition to the Wayland College faculty. President J. W. Bill Marshall announced today. Mrs. Thomas teaches courses in elementary and advanced conducting, in addition to private voice lessons.

Following her graduation from Juilliard school of music in New York, Mrs. Thomas was auditioned and given a contract by the New York Opera Company. She decided against an operatic career, however, in favor of marriage to Louis Thomas, Plainview insurance man.

A native of West Virginia, Mrs. Thomas majored in music at Marshall College, Huntington, W. Va. She was graduated from Juilliard school in 1943, following three years of graduate work there. A full scholarship student, she was outstanding in New York music circles and in coaching at Juilliard. She appeared in all operas presented by the school during her stay there, including "Don Giovanni," "The Gondoliers," and "Orpheus and Eurydice."

In addition to her duties at the college, Mrs. Thomas is director of music at the Plainview Presbyterian church.

Average earning per hour for railroad employees increased from 75.1 cents in 1940 to \$1.67 in 1946.—Santa Fe Almanac

Soil Conservation District News

It is getting time to plant Hubam Clover in wheat or small grain. Hubam is a summer legume crop and is planted to improve fertility and is also used as a cash crop as the seed is harvested. During spring of 1947 several farmers including Raymond Rucker, Robin Byars, Lockview Farm, Hershel Carthel, Ernest Lee Thomas and W. S. Poole planted it with various degrees of success. Mr. Rucker and Mr. Byars harvested a seed crop.

Horton Howell and W. B. Mullins have 100 acres of vetch overseeded in volunteer wheat that has ninety head of cattle and they expect to increase this number as grazing permits.

Lines were run for M. M. Julian to irrigate with.

The Soil Conservation Service technicians assigned to the Floyd County Soil Conservation District set high points for irrigation wells for A. O. Foster and J. M. Tye.



Methods Suggested For Treating Lice - Second Application Is Generally Necessary

The poultry grower has a choice of several effective methods for treating lice. Which one he uses will depend on his preference or the availability of remedies, according to Washington State college. Whatever method is used, birds should be examined 10 days to two weeks after treatment to see if any lice still are present.

Louse eggs are not always destroyed by the treatment used, and these will hatch later. A second



Mass of body-lice eggs attached to feathers. treatment usually is necessary and should be applied about two weeks after the first treatment.

One method is to fumigate with a 40 per cent nicotine sulfate solution. In this case directions of the manufacturer should be followed.

Lice powder also is effective. These may be DDT, nicotine sulfate or commercial sodium fluoride or sodium fluosulfate. These may be

applied by the pinch method. It consists of placing on the skin of each fowl about 10 pinches, rubbing into the breast, each thigh, below the vent, on each side of the back, on the neck and head and on the underside of each outspread wing. The fowls also may be dusted, sprayed with dusting material or dipped in a solution. In some parts of the country louse ointments are widely used.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Whitfill and children of Silverton visited in the R. E. Patterson home Monday.

Mrs. L. M. Gilbert of Amarillo attended the funeral of Mrs. J. L. Guest at Plainview Monday and is here spending the remainder of the week with her sister, Mrs. Pont Darnell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown and Chilton of Arlington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mitchell and family.

Mr. B. B. Moody has been seriously ill this week.

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 WHITE SANDS, NEW MEXICO—A German V-2 rocket was guided "from left to right and up and down" during its flight of 79 miles skyward in recent test at the proving grounds here. It was the first time American scientists had succeeded in controlling the flight path of a rocket.

Major J. D. Dickey, Public Relations Officer, said that the test was made with equipment developed from Army Ordnance Department.

For every \$1 in dividends paid by the railroads from 1921 to 1945, \$2 were spent in improvements—Santa Fe Almanac

SUGGESTIONS SAVE \$9 1/2 MILLION
 WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Army and Air Force saved more than \$9 1/2 million last year as a result of suggestions made by employees who received \$176,241 in cash awards for 4,631 successful ideas. More than 25,000 suggestions were submitted and the awards ranged from \$10 to \$918, the amount being based on the saving effected by the idea.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Mitchell returned home Monday after nearly three weeks vacation in South Texas. They visited in Corpus Christi, Brownsville, McAllen, Weslaco, Mission, Rockport and Reynosa, Old Mexico.



NO NEAR MISS THIS . . . Drawing a bead (no relation to a sequin) on the target here is sharpshooting Sharon McBride, first girl ever to win a place on the regular rifle team of the University of Maryland. She recently scored 276 out of a possible 300 to win a spot on the team over scores of men candidates competing for the position. A sophomore, she has competed against marksmen from four large colleges.

O. K. Reynolds Moves To Houston District

O. K. Reynolds, who has been field Scout executive for the South Plains Council of the Boy Scouts of America for the past several years, has resigned his position to accept a similar position with the Sam Houston Council at Houston, Texas, it was announced this week by Council officials. Mr. Reynolds has served this area

the past six years maintaining his home in Plainview. Counties served included Castro, Swisher, Briscoe, Hale, Floyd, and Crosby. He was active in civic and church work at Plainview as well as his work in the Boy Scout organization. The Reynolds family will make their home at Conroe, Texas, from which place he will cover a part of the Sam Houston Council.

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Weekly SURPLUS NEWS WAA

On March 12, the Laughlin Army Air Field, near Del Rio, Texas, will be opened to the public preparatory to a location sale of 452 buildings. It will be the latest in a continuous series of building sales being held throughout the southwest for clearing the installations of all buildings to be sold for offsite use. Inspection period will close March 23, and the buildings will be offered to informal bidders on March 24, 25 and 26.

No more priority certification will be needed hereafter from World War II veterans seeking war surplus items. Previously, special certification had been eliminated from all surplus materials except certain aircraft surplus, railroad rolling stock and laundry equipment items. Now the only requirement for establishment of veterans preference to surplus is a showing of World War II discharge, papers or filing of a simple statement of intent. Real property disposals, which also provide veterans priority in a few cases, will be handled the same as previously.

The southwest has gone the national average one better as far as return of surplus lands to former owners is concerned. Over the nation as a whole former owners have bought back so far approximately two thirds of this agricultural property, whereas southwesterners who had this kind of land originally have reacquired more than four-fifths of it. In Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi and Oklahoma, 136,352 acres of a total of 157,849 acres have been purchased under priority disposals by former owners. They paid \$2,392,775 for their lands, or about 64 per cent of the cost of the land to the government.

A quantity of miscellaneous food surplus is being offered by the War Assets Administration through a nation-wide sealed bid offering. The products include such items as flavoring, pickles and staple canned goods located in 14 widely scattered government depots. Some of the foods products are stored at Camden, Arkansas. Complete details of the sale, which closes March 14, will be available at the Grand Prairie War Assets Customer Service Center.

More than 300 buildings of the Pampa Airfield are to be sold by the sealed bid method for offsite use. Schools and other standard priority holders will get the first chance to buy the buildings by submitting purchase applications on special forms provided by the WAA. The initial priority will expire March 23. Inspection arrangements, and preliminary plans may be obtained from the WAA's real property office, Box 6030, Dallas, or by a visit to the WAA plant

in the North American Aviation building at Grand Prairie.

Some 14,000 acres of the Pantex Ordnance Plant, near Amarillo, are seen coming up for disposal to eight different priority classes. The land is to be sold in two parcels, with World War II veterans and former owners, among the eligible priority claimants. Complete information on this land disposal may be obtained from the WAA's real property office Box 6030, Dallas, or by a visit to the WAA plant in the North American Aviation building at Grand Prairie.

WHITFILLS OPEN WOOD SHOP HERE

The opening of a wood working shop here was announced this week by Frank Whitfill and two sons, Forrest and James. The shop is located 2 1/2 blocks east of the Dixie Tavern. They make window screens, window shutters, and many other wood products. It was said.

Leo Maule Watson began work Monday at the Lockney Drug.

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- Window Units
- Window Glass
- Cooks Interior and Exterior Paints
- Thinner
- Linseed Oil
- Paint Brushes
- Barb Wire
- Hog and Sheep Wire and mesh
- Red Picket Fence
- Composition Shingles
- Plywood—any thickness
- Tile Board, finished and unfinished
- Re-inforcing iron
- Congowall in Black, Blue, Green, Yellow, White
- Sand, Gravel, Cement
- Stucco and Lime

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 Leon Wofford, Manager

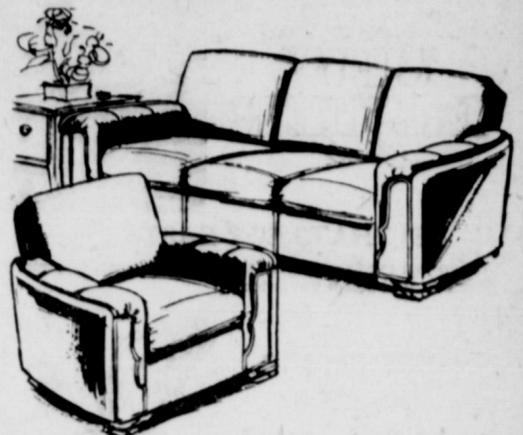
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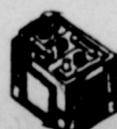
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NEW STUDENT LEAGUE

LUBBOCK—Newest student organization at Texas Technological College is the Student League for World Government, whose 50 members are banded together to work for a world federation and a world police force. Foster Henderson, sophomore from Friona, is president.

TEXAS U. RECEIVES GIFTS

AUSTIN, Tex.—Gifts and grants totaling \$64,320 were accepted recently for the Main University of Texas by the Board of Regents. The Medical Branch received \$9,217.78.

The funds will be used for research in petroleum, rubber, allergy, cancer, vascular and cardiovascular diseases.

GO TO CHURCH WEDNESDAY

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LOCKNEY HIGH

By Martel McDonald and Glynn Earle Norman

We won't recount the details of the six weeks tests that most of us survived this week. Just a bare mention of them will do. Don't you all agree? We simply wish to offer congratulations to those that passed and consolation to us that don't!

We won't attempt to tell you about the fights with Tahoka last night. We do wish to say, though, that we appreciate what Coach Kelley is doing for the reputation of this fair city as a boxing town. These matches are drawing bigger crowds than most of our football games, and is very encouraging. He is doing his best to train these boys so that they will be a credit to the town and school, and we think that he deserves a pat on the back for the fine work that he is doing. That goes also for the boys with whom he is working.

Coach Hansard has started a baseball team also. The boys started training last week. It has been several years since Lockney has entered in competition in baseball, but perhaps we will be able to this season. We will keep you posted on developments in this field of athletics in LHS.

The Junior play has been selected and rehearsals have begun. The play "A Case of Springtime" will be presented March 19. The play is under the competent direction of Miss Minnie Lou Harris, director of the winning play of the '48 Follies.

THE DIRT STORM

Silverton's charms are becoming more and more apparent, as three girls who's names start with M tell us.

Will the Big Four come to an agreement? Mary Pearl, that is a lovely watch

you are wearing, a gift, maybe? ? ? Eldon, do you enjoy being spanked, at your age?

Why does De Juan say that there is a serious scarcity of women around LHS?

Roy, does Mrs. DeGge always have that startling effect on you?

Who came after Dora Lee Saturday night that she would liked to have gone with very much?

Why does Eldon accuse Mrs. DeGge of henpecking her husband? (Look, no teeth!)

Who almost got their throat cut because of the gossip that was printed in the Dirt Storm last week?

We hear that Edwin's grades are falling. Could it be love?

TWO NEW DEVICES ON CHEVROLET TRUCKS

DETROIT—Two mechanical devices which contribute importantly to driving ease are among features disclosed today on new 1948 Chevrolet trucks.

They are the steering column gearshift as standard equipment on all models equipped with three-speed transmission and a four-speed synchromesh transmission on heavy-duty trucks. Both are firsts in the truck industry and highspot improvements that assure greater comfort, safety and reliability.

Announcement of the new series by J. W. Burke, manager of the Chevrolet truck department, follows one of the most successful truck years in the company's history. Domestic truck sales in 1947 established a new Chevrolet peak with production of 335,334 units was close to the previous all-time record.

The new series is the first since the company's Advance-Design models pioneered in the low-price market the wide, spacious cabs that have won universal acclaim. Blanketing the light, medium and heavy-duty truck categories, the line contains 107 models on eight different wheelbases.

Aiken News

Fifty members and pledges with their sponsor of the Las Vivarachas club of Texas Tech were guests of Dorothy Moore at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Moore last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Salmon and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Seago attended Church at Fairview last Sunday night. Rev. Threadgill is holding a revival meeting there.

Mrs. Floyd Compton visited relatives in Amarillo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson visited Mr. Hampton and Nell last Sunday night.

Peggy Williams visited Loy O'Brian last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Copland and children visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hurst one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Salmon and Mr. and Mrs. Scott and sonny visited Mr. and Mrs. Louis Williams last Sunday.

Mr. Wiley Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. Archie Keys and family of Plainview spent last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. O'Brian's niece of Plainview spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. O'Brian.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kellison and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davall and Buck Kellison visited relatives at Hollis, Oklahoma this week.

Leota McNutt of Canyon spent last week end with her mother Mrs. W. R. Hurst.

Mrs. L. L. Scott received medical treatment at a Plainview clinic last Wednesday.

Mrs. Threadgill's sister of Floydada visited Mrs. Threadgill last Wednesday.

James Mullins Plays With Simmons Band

ABILENE—James Mullins, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mullins, Sterley, is in his third year with Hardin-Simmons university's Cowboy band. A 23 year-old senior, Mullins is a senior chemistry major at Hardin-Simmons. Mullins plays first trombone with the band and has made trips with the musical group through several states during his three-year period.

The world famous musical organization, now in its 25th year of operation, has a spring enrollment of 51 musicians from four states.

Since its origin 25 years ago the musical group has been to Europe twice and has traveled enough miles to encircle the globe 12 times. In the past year and a half the band has traveled more than 10,000 miles, performing for the Lions International Convention in San Francisco, two two state fairs, Arkansas and Texas, the International Junior Chamber of Commerce convention in Dallas, the inauguration of Texas, Governor Beauford Jester, and for numerous

parades, rodeos and football games.

Each year the renowned organization tours towns of Texas, playing concerts for school students and grownups alike. Frequently accompanying the musicians are Norma Kniffen, Veterans of Foreign Wars national baton twirling champion in 1947, and Lloyd Mitchell trick rope artist who has been performing professionally since the age of 13.

Playing jazz and symphony, whatever the occasion might demand, the widely heralded group has performed for such notables as the King of England and the President of the United States.

MRS. ED. TEUTON HONORED

Wednesday March 3rd, friends and neighbors met at the home of Mrs. Floyd Huff, for a covered dish luncheon and quilting party, honoring Mrs. Ed Teuton.

Those present were: Mesdames Dee Williams, R. C. Bennett, T. J. Jarboe, D. D. Tate, R. E. L. Stutts, E. J. Thomas, H. P. Coleman, Harman Handley, Wesley Hay, W. L. Thomas, George Meriwether, W. A. Cunningham, J. W. Channell, W. C. Watson, R. N. Roper, J. D. Huggins, the honoree, Mrs. Ed Teuton, and the hostesses, Mrs. R. G. Still and Mrs. Floyd Huff.

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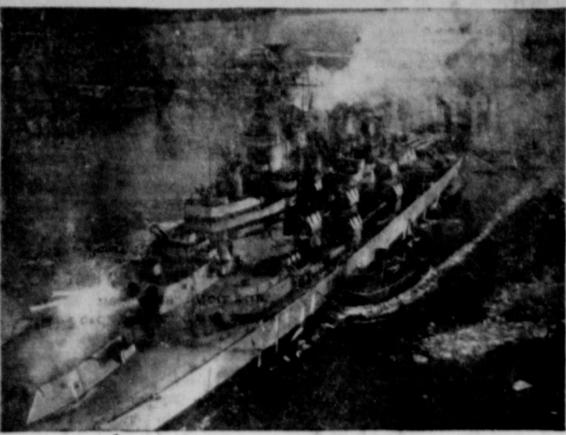
If you trade for a car, the papers are to be filed within 10 days from date of assignment, else you are subject to a \$5.00 penalty.

When trading for a car, be sure you check papers and see that they are properly filled out before accepting them, as the purchaser is subject to a fine as well as the seller for skipping himself in the deal and giving you papers not properly filled out. No title can be accepted with an erasure on same without having an affidavit properly notarized from person whose signature is on same. You also have to have the current year registration receipt, as this receipt is made a part of your title.

ETHEL GRAHAM

Tax Assessor-Collector, Floyd County, Tex.

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BATTLE WAGON GOES LAST MILE . . . Her fighting days at an end, the USS New Jersey, once ranking among the greatest of American fighting ships, is shown passing down the East river as tugs hauled her from the New York navy yard on her last voyage—an ignominious one in the light of her past achievements. The battleship is bound for Gravesend bay, Brooklyn, to be broken up for scrap.

Classified Advertisements

For Sale

FOR SALE—55.6 acre farm, irrigated and well improved, natural gas and electricity at Aiken. See M. B. Salmon. 1tp

FOLKS, SPRING IS COMING!
Let us make your window screens, window shutters, etc. We also rip lumber. See us for your wood work needs. We try to please everyone. Whitfill's wood Shop, located 2 1/2 blocks east of the Dixie Tavern. 27-2tp

See W. LEO COOPER for venetian blinds at W. R. Childers real estate office, Phone 127. 27-8tp

FOR SALE or TRADE—One 50-30 International Tractor on rubber in A-1 condition; two 2-row shop-made go-devils, like new, with blades and sweeps, adjustable to all width rows. One 20-foot Oliver combine in perfect mechanical condition; two 12 foot, one 9 foot Sanders one-way plows, W. E. H. Brown, Phone 265, Floydada. 24-4tc

FOR SALE—2 1946 Ford tractors, excellent condition; 1 AV Farmall like new, also Farmall equipment. See at V. E. Spears Gin. 27-3tc

FOR SALE—Two Shetland ponies. See Raymond Martin, 8 miles northwest of Lockney. 27-3tp

FOR SALE—Hubam Clover seed, Re-cleaned and sacked. Wesley Hay, 4 1/2 miles southwest of Lockney. 27-4tc

FOR SALE—10 ft. x 14 ft. building and cow shed. D. D. Langford, Lockney, Phone 159-W. 27-4tc

FOR SALE—Planter and Hoeme plow for Ford tractor. J. H. Poore, 424 West Missouri Street, Floydada, Texas. 27-2tc Hs

FOR SALE—New Ford pickup, Ford Tractor and two Ford Cultivators. J. C. Thomas Jr., at Aiken. 1tp

FOR SALE—My 3-room house with part bath located in east Lockney, one block off pavement. See R. L. Tomme. 27-2tp

FOR SALE—House with 2 rooms and bath, 3 lots. See Dale Taylor at Taylor Laundry. 27-2tc

FOR SALE—1941 John Deere 12-A combine, extra good condition; 1947 side delivery rake, 2 row slide go-devil. Wesley Hay, 4 1/2 miles southwest of Lockney. 26-11tc

FOR SALE—ABC washing machine, electric motor, good condition. Mrs. A. I. Applewhite, second house north of Legion Home. 26-2tp

FOR SALE—Nice bay saddle mare, 5 years old, weigh 1000 lbs. Sire registered Paimeno. See D. B. Mathis, one mile east of Providence school. 26-3tp

FOR SALE—House with three rooms and bath on 1 1/2 lots, located one block east of high school. Troy Ray. 25-11tc

FOR SALE—1938 Chevrolet 2-door sedan, clean. See N. L. Livingston, at Livingston Body Works, 1/2 mile east, 1/2 mile north of Baker Hotel on Lone Star road. 25-4tc

FOR SALE or TRADE—One 125 Horse Power Delsel motor with butane carburetor. Burton Thornton, South Plains. 25-3tp

SEWING MACHINES electrified at reasonable cost. Write for details, Bond-Bryles Specialties, 2309 West Dallas, Houston 6, Texas. 26-4tc

FOR SALE—6 foot Sanders One-Way with 24 inch disc, 2 unit Rite-Way Milker complete with electric motor. William Wood, Lockney, Texas. 26-2tp

For Sale

See the Lockney Auto Co's March special on block assemblies elsewhere in this paper. 1tc

FOR SALE—Pressure pump, pipe and fittings. Also washing machine. See J. B. Allen. 24-4tc

FOR SALE—Several town lots in northeast Lockney. See Tom Rigdon. 26-4tp

PLENTY of 2-pound Buff Orpington fryers for sale. Jack Brian, 4 miles north, one mile east of Lockney. 26-2tp

WE TAKE ORDERS for baby chicks, delivered each Monday from Hamlin Hatchery, Hamlin, Texas. Also our poultry remedies are guaranteed. Huggins Produce, Lockney, Texas. 22-4tc

MONUMENTS—An unmarked grave? See me for monuments or coping. We can sell you a nice monument. Frank Dodson. 22-4tc

SEWING MOTORS, shuttles, belts, bobbins, needles, springs, screws, bolts, lights and various other parts for sewing machines. Repair work done, work guaranteed. S. H. Wright, 226 E. Tenn., Floydada, Texas. 22-4tc

FOR SALE—New 1947 H International tractor with equipment. Also 1947 model W-9 International tractor, slightly used and 1937 John Deere with 2 row equipment. L. L. Rhodes, Lockney. 23-4tc

FOR SALE—Two lots, each 30x140 feet with frame building 30x30 feet, east front on pavement on Main street and connected with all utilities. Huggins Produce, Lockney. 22-4tc

SEE ME for the Lashier's Fine Cosmetics and Perfumes. They are the best made. Mrs. G. L. Sims, Phone 107-J, Lockney. 12-5tp

FOR SALE or TRADE—4 rooms and bath on Main Street, new. Also 2 Ford tractors and one B International with full equipment. V. D. Harris, Box 484, Phone 105-J, Lockney. 20-4tc

FOR SALE—Ford tractor, all equipment, newly overhauled, road gear. See W. M. Sumerlin, 1 mile southwest of Lockney. 15-4tc

FOR SALE—22-36 International tractor, good shape. See T. J. Honea. 18-4tc

FOR SALE—6 room house, two acres of land, chicken house and garage, partly chicken fenced, good well of water. Known as the Collier place. Paul C. Poe, Box 78, Lockney. 7-4tc

FOR SALE—12-foot grain loader, auger type, with motor; two feed mills with belts. Also 5-room house northeast of Lone Star. Dorsey Baker. 10-4tc

HATCHERY NOTICE
We have started our hatchery and will have baby chicks each week. We can use some good setting eggs, especially White Leghorns. We pay 10 cents above the market for good eggs. We set each Monday and have baby chicks each Tuesday. We need some good White Leghorn breeding cockerels. See us if you have any and for your hatchery wants.
Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Coleman
23-4tc

FOR SALE—5-room house, 1 1/2 acre land, south of ball park. Immediate possession. Some terms. See G. O. McGinley at house or Frank Perkins. 24-4tc

FOR SALE—10 1/2 acres of land, four blocks west of high school. See Frank Dodson. 24-4tc

For Rent

FOR RENT—Storage space. See Wayne Greer. 20-4tc

Lost and Found

LOST—Saber and white male Collie dog about 6 months old. Answers to name "Dannie". Call 179 Lockney.

LOST—Parker Lifetime Fountain Pen, black. Reward for return to Mrs. Payton Powers. 1tc

Miscellaneous

VENETIAN BLINDS—measurement and installation FREE. W. Leo Cooper. 27-8tp

THE BLIND and MYSTIC reader, formerly of Amarillo, but now of Roaring Springs. J. W. Hendricks. 5-52tp

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WILL DO custom one-waying, capping or Hoemeing. See Wayne Hybee, Lockney. 13-10tp

NOTICE—I will do machine quilting in my home. Mrs. Lula Copeland, one block east of high school. 11-4tp

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University of California scientists have discovered that mites on wild birds, such as yellow headed black birds and English sparrows, carry the virus that causes encephalitis or sleeping sickness.—Santa Fe Almanac



CAN THIS BE? . . . To most golfers a hole-in-one is a once-in-a-lifetime thrill, but to Arthur Wall Jr. of Honesdale, Pa., it's just plain monotony. He claims 25 aces, and he's only been playing 10 years.

POLITICAL Announcements

The Beacon is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following for the office indicated above the name, subject to action of the Democratic Primaries:

- For State Senator, 30th Senatorial District: **KILMER B. CORBIN**
- For District Attorney: **JOHN B. STAPLETON**
- For County Judge: **TOM DEEN**, **F. L. BROWN**, **W. E. GRIMES**
- For County Attorney: **ENOS T. JONES**
- For County Clerk: **MARGARET COLLIER**
- For District Clerk: **MRS. GLADYS B. HOWARD**
- For Sheriff: **LELAND A. HART**
- For County School Superintendent: **CLARENCE A. GUFFEE**
- For County Treasurer: **MRS. JAMES L. ASHER**
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: **W. H. (HUGH) COUNTS**, **BERT BOBBITT**, **W. F. (CAP) CARTHEL**

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Sterley News

By B. A. HOWELL

Ye Humble, Scribe has been layed up with a bad eye and did not get any news to you last week but doing a lot better now and will try to not have it happen again.

Weather is the general topic of conversation recently and there seems to be very little done about it except warm discussions. There is much work to be done and it is not being done but merely discussed.

Mrs. F. E. Weatherly returned Monday from a visit of some three or four weeks with her mother in Childress. Jackie and Joylene accompanied their mother on this visit where Joylene attended school while there and is now back in our own school.

A. H. Sulter is back on his run as a brakeman after some sixty days leave, which was largely spent in a hospital in Fort Worth.

Miss Evelyn Bobbitt spent the week end with her home folks and returned to her home in Amarillo Sunday evening.

She accompanied B. A. Howell and James Bobbitt from Amarillo Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. G. E. Patterson mixed a little business and pleasure while transacting business and visiting in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. W. B. Mullins, with daughters, Mrs. Vrowe and Barbara visited in the home of another daughter Mrs. Denton in Denver City over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Horton Howell with David and Jimmie visited with Mrs. Howell's people at Olton over the week end.

The Douglas Graham family visited in Amarillo over the week end.

We are expecting a grand day next Sunday as we are to entertain and be entertained by a representation from Wayland College. We are to have dinner spread—maybe on the ground—and hope to have you and them and every one else there who can possible attend.

Clarence Nelson and family from Anton, Texas visited with his father and mother in Sterley over Sunday.



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