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4-H Girls Get Chance To Star In Motion Picture

Plans are now being made for a motion picture "The Green Promise". "The Green Promise" will tell the story of how 4-H Club work helps a twelve-year old rural girl and her family to win independence and a sense of personal achievement. Four girls will be selected from over the nation; that is, one from each Extension region, for a screen test in Hollywood. These four, with chaperons, will have an all-expense paid trip to Hollywood for the screen test. The picture will be made in Hollywood and sponsored by Glenn McCarthy, Houston, Texas business-man.

How 4-H Club Girls May Enter

- Any 4-H Club girl who has not passed her thirteenth birthday by June 30th of this year may enter provided:
1. She is now a bona fide 4-H Club member.
 2. She has been an enrolled member of a 4-H Club for two years (1948 counted as one year).
 3. She has done any one of these:
 - a. Completed a demonstration.
 - b. Now has a demonstration in progress.
 - c. Has held an elective club office.
 - d. Has completed all the co-operators' goals for one year.
 4. She has the approval of her parents to fill in the entry blank which they will sign.
 5. A photograph must be attached to the entry blank, preferably a snapshot or a photograph that has not been retouched.
- If a Texas girl should be selected as the representative of the southern region, she must then compete against the representatives of the other three regions for the final selection.
- Those 4-H Club girls who are eligible and want to enter the contest may get their entry blanks from Miss Lella Petty, County Home Demonstration Agent.

Mother Of George Turner Passes Away

Mrs. Molly E. Turner, 82, passed away at her home in Roaring Springs Sunday at 2 p. m. She is the mother of George Turner of the Aiken community.

Mrs. Turner had been a resident of Roaring Springs for 17 years. She had been in ill health the past three years but became very ill about three weeks ago.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 p. m. at the Roaring Springs Methodist Church. Rev. Marvin McBrayer, pastor of the Dalhart Methodist Church, conducted the services. Burial was in the Roaring Springs cemetery.

Survivors include four sons, John and Albert of Roaring Springs, Earl of Lockney Falls, and George of Lockney; six daughters, Miss Mary Turner of Roaring Springs, Mrs. R. H. Rheudasil of Paris, Mrs. S. R. Ward of Caruse Springs, Mrs. H. W. Conn of Wichita Falls, Mrs. S. D. Hunter and Mrs. O. C. Campbell, of Roaring Springs; two brothers, John and George Hurnes of Shamrock.

Those attending the services included: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Campbell, Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Campbell, Mrs. Boyce Kenady, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Cargile, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Daniels and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Truett, Miss Leo Maudie Watson, J. of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. George Turner and George Dial, Charlie Anderson, Jim Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Connie O'Brien and family, all of Aiken; Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Brown and three children and E. H. Brown of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Williams and family of Abernathy; Mrs. Nannie Turner and Mrs. Sarah L. Thompson of Plomot; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Amerson of Abernathy; Mrs. Floyd Dunavant of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Campbell of Floydada.

MRS. B. D. WINGO PASSES THURSDAY

Mrs. B. D. Wingo, pioneer of this section, passed away last Thursday morning at the Plainview Sanitarium. She was 94 years of age and had lived at Plainview for 30 years.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 Friday afternoon at the First Methodist Church in Plainview. She left 160 descendants, among them eight children. Her husband passed away in 1938.

Gloria Ann Carthel of Floydada spent several days here last week with her grandmother, Mrs. F. S. Byars.

Jimmy Scott Whitfill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Whitfill of Silvertown, is here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitfill and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Patterson.

4-H Boys Awarded Cow-Hog-Hen Gilts

Twelve Registered Duroc pigs were awarded winning 4-H Club boys by Sponsors of the Floyd County Cow-Hog-Hen Program, Saturday, May 29, according to A. L. Hartzog, County Agent. Sponsors of the program are: Floydada Consumers' Fuel Association, Producers' Cooperative Elevator, The Farmers' Cooperative Gin and The Lockney Consumers' Fuel Association. The 4-H Club members who received gilts for having written outstanding essays entitled "Why We Need Livestock in our Farm" are: Jack Covington, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Covington, Dougherty; Ray Neal Ford, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ford, Cedar Hill; Pete Hopper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hopper, Baker; Lonnie Jake Jarrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jarrett, South Plains; Weldon Lovvorn, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lovvorn, Providence; Weldon Pickens, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Pickens, Lockney; Hubert Ring, Jr. of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ring, Dougherty; Jim Robertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robertson, Sand Hill; Bobby Sammann, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sammann, Providence; Junior Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lois Williams of Irick; and Billy Joe Buth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Buth of Providence. 4-H members who received pigs last year were: Sammy Ross, Dougherty; Jerry Dunn, Lakeview; Bobby Clyde Baxter, Lone Star; Terry Julian, South Plains; R. W. Smith, Baker; Cecil Boedeker, Providence; Jackie Lee Johnson, Antelope; Don Probasco, Sand Hill; and Buck Ford, Cedar Hill.

The sponsors gave away two gilts more than they gave last year and Jim Robertson of Sand Hill was awarded a Registered boar pig to be used as a herd sire for the gilts awarded this year. He was purchased from Chester W. Mitchell of the Pleasant Valley community and is out of a family of prize-winning Durocs Chester brought from Oklahoma.

SILVERTON GETS FIRST LOAD WHEAT

SILVERTON—First in 1948 wheat has been received in Silvertown. The wheat was delivered to Farmer's Grain Company by J. L. Webb who lives 12 miles east of here.

The wheat, early Wichita, tested 60 with 12 per cent moisture. It brought \$2.50 a bushel. Mr. Webb said the wheat was making about six bushels to the acre.

Mr. Webb also harvested the first load of wheat in 1947.

STATE AID FOR FLOYD HOSPITAL

FLOYDADA—Construction of the People's Hospital at Floydada was given promise of state aid today when the State Hospital Advisory Council recommended allocation of \$60,000 to aid in its construction.

The chartered co-op hospital, of which John A. Lloyd is president, would consist of 17 rooms. Total cost of the building has not been released.

Some material for the foundation has been delivered to the proposed site in Southwest Floydada.

WATCH YOUR EXPIRATION DATE



WEDDED BLISS...Bernarr McFadden, health faddist who is spry as a two-year-old at 80, drinks a rousing toast in carrot juice to his new bride, the former Mrs. Jonnie Lee, 42-year-old grandmother. McFadden flies his own plane, runs for governor of Florida.

Carrots and Lettuce Will Be Planted On Bowman Place

Eighty acres will be put in carrots and lettuce on the old Bowman place in the Irick community, it was reported to The Beacon this week. The place has been leased to J. W. Parrish, the same man who has 300 acres of carrots and lettuce near Barwise, it was said.

The Bowman place was sold recently to Cecil Hagood of Floydada who has leased the land to Parrish, reports stated.

Work of levelling the ground preparatory to planting is already underway, it was said.

Rare Type Blood Needed To Save Life of Local Boy

Do you want to save a life? You can do just that if you have that rare type blood known as AB RH negative and are willing to give part of your blood to a boy that needs it badly.

Little Kenneth Don Hill, 4 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hill, who live four miles north of Lockney has that dread disease known as leukemia. He is steadily growing weaker and needs blood. Two men in this area have been found who had this rare type blood. They are Fred Shipman of Lockney and Charley Carpenter of Quitaque. Both men have given of their blood freely but additional sources of this blood must be found if the boy is to continue to live. The boy should have a transfusion from 250 to 300 ccs of blood, slightly less than a pint, every two weeks.

Kenneth Don is being treated by Dr. Jerrell Wagoner of Plainview.

A slight hope was raised Thursday morning when daily papers carried a story of a rare chemical discovery which had, in one case at least, arrested the disease leukemia and improved the health of the patient. The Hills plan to try to contact the John Sealy hospital at Galveston where the patient was treated in order to find if the chemical is available.

But in the meantime Kenneth Don needs AB RH negative blood. Do you know of anyone who has the type?

County 4-H Dress Review Friday

A county-wide Dress Review for 4-H Club Girls will be held at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon June 18, in the High School Auditorium in Floydada. There will be a Junior and a Senior division. Juniors are those who have not yet reached the age of 14, and Seniors are girls of 14 and above. Dresses will be classed in the blue ribbon, red ribbon and white ribbon group. All those in the blue ribbon group will receive medals from the Simplicity Pattern Company. The first place winner in the Senior division will be eligible to enter the State Dress Review at the 4-H Round-Up at College Station in August. Prizes will be given the winners in the local Review.

Hospital News

Jack Barnette was released Sunday.
Boyd Ballard was released Monday after an operation.
Cecil Pinner was admitted Saturday for medical treatment.
Mrs. Hubert Frizzell and baby son went home Wednesday.
Mrs. Z. C. Cummings underwent minor surgery Monday.
Mrs. T. B. Mitchell was admitted to the hospital Monday for medical treatment.
Mrs. Will McDonald was admitted Monday suffering from burns and shock.
W. D. Rowell continues to improve.
Mrs. M. T. Holt is still improving.
Ima Gene Melton of Sterley was released Tuesday after medical treatment.
Mrs. Harold Griffith was released Sunday.
Mrs. Lottie Love and son, Alton, moved to Floydada last week.

Two Hurt In Four Way Wreck Monday

A four car collision on Highway 70 about two miles this side of Floydada Monday afternoon resulted in cuts and bruises to two men and a shaking up of other occupants of the cars and trucks involved.

All vehicles involved, two cars and two trucks were going south. A 1942 Ford sedan driven by Stanford F. Sharpes of Happy was pushing a 1940 Chevrolet driven by Lawrence J. Taylor of Lubbock because the Taylor car had run out of gas. A 1948 Ford truck driven by Ed Whitaker of Plomot ran up behind the two cars, slowed down and started around them. Another truck, a 1934 Chevrolet driven by Floyd W. King of Vernon, was just behind the Whitaker truck and did not slow down in time, ramming the rear of the other truck, knocking it into the car driven by Sharpes.

King suffered severe cuts and bruises as did James Edwards, who was riding with King. Two stitches were taken in Edward's eye lid. Other men were slightly bruised and shaken up.

The 42 Ford car was badly damaged both front and rear, and the Ford truck was also damaged considerably. The motor in the Chevrolet truck was knocked loose from its moorings.

Deputy Sheriff Earl Cooper and Night Watchman Zeke Brotherton of Lockney investigated the wreck. Charges were filed against King and Whitaker.

Deputy also arrested two local men Sunday and charged them with drunken driving.

Roach V. Allen Receives Degree

Roach V. Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen of Lockney, received his Doctor of Education degree at the University of Texas commencement exercises on Monday, June 7.

Roach will teach at A. & I. College, Kingsville, Texas, during the summer and accepted a position as educational director of the Lakewood Baptist Church in Dallas effective September 1.

Brother Of C. A. Fowler Dies

Henry Jefferson Fowler, 69, of Stamford, brother to C. A. Fowler of Lockney, passed away at his home early Friday morning of last week. He was a retired grocer and had lived at Stamford 11 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Fowler of Lockney went to Stamford Friday to attend the funeral services and returned home Sunday afternoon. Services were held Saturday afternoon.

Survivors include his wife, four sons, three daughters, 22 grandchildren, one sister and two brothers including the Lockney man.

Patsy Pierce is spending two weeks with her Grandmother Roberts, the former Mrs. D. P. Pierce at Post. She will visit her aunt and uncle also of Post.

Joyce Ann Morgan spent last week at Crowell with relatives.

LIGHTED WATERFALLS



The lighting of Seven Falls and the mile-long canyon at Colorado Springs, Colorado, has now been completed and will be open to the public at night this summer. This is the only completely lighted canyon and waterfalls in the world and the lighting effects are quite spectacular.

Rev. Oran Smith Pastor At Aiken And Bellview

Rev. Oran D. Smith of Plainview is supplying at the Aiken and Plainview Methodist churches, it was announced this week. Preaching dates are the first and third Sundays at Aiken and the second and fourth Sundays at Bellview.

Rev. L. L. Broughton, former pastor at Aiken is pastor of the Hart and Valley View churches.

165 Enrolled At Bible School

A total of 165 pupils and teachers have enrolled at The Vacation Bible school now in progress at the Lockney Baptist Church, Rev. E. J. Cobb reported Thursday.

The school is held each morning Monday through Friday from 9 until 11:45.

A movie is shown each morning just before the school is dismissed. Other work includes missionary stories, Bible drills, songs, notebook work, etc. Refreshments are served each morning to the enrollment.

Of the above enrollment 25 are teachers, Rev. Cobb said. The staff this year is very efficient, he stated.

The school will continue through next week. On Friday morning of next week at 11 o'clock, Rev. F. E. Swanner, the district missionary of Plainview will speak to the group.

No. 1 Carmichael To Make Tests

The Bob Donnell, et al. No. 1 Carmichael, discovery for commercial production from the Pennsylvanian lime reef in the southeast Hale County at General American Oil Company No. 1-A, F. Byrd, has been bottomed at 6,955 feet in lime and is preparing to run and cement 5 1/2 inch casing to allow making production tests.

This project topped the reef lime at 5,855 feet. It took a drillstem test at 5,845 feet. The tool was 120 feet of oil and gas cut was open 45 minutes; Recovery drilling mud.

Another drillstem test was run at 5,870 feet. The tester was open 45 minutes. Recovery was 900 feet of heavy oil and gas cut mud. The drill pipe flowed out one head of heavy oil and gas cut drilling fluid while it was being pulled.

The borehole then cased on down to 6,995 feet, ran a gamma ray survey, and started preparations to run casing. This well is in Southwest Floyd County and is 650 feet from the south and 1,950 feet from the east lines of section 18, block K, TTRR survey.

Lario Oil and Gas Company No. 1 Bob Mayo, another stepout from the Byrd discovery also in southwest Floyd County and 650 feet south and 1,950 feet from the west lines of section 18, block K, TTRR survey, had reached 6,015 feet in shale and lime and was making more hole. It has not yet penetrated the reef.

H. E. Chiles Jr. et al. No. 1 Strickler 1,580 feet from south and east lines of section 19, block K, TTRR survey, and another flanker to the General American producer at No. 1 Byrd was making hole under 6,090 feet in lime.

It took a drillstem test at 6,015-37 feet. The tester was open one hour. Recovery was 550 feet of drilling mud with no shows of oil, gas or water.

NO. 2 BYRD WELL IS ABANDONED

General American Oil Company's No. 2 A. F. Byrd, located near the Floyd and Hale border line southwest of Lockney, has been plugged and abandoned, it was reported the past week end. The total depth was 6,602. The producer did not develop any indications of possible production and informed sources reveal that it was rather low geologically. It was located one-half mile west of the initial producer.

The Lario Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 Mayo, in the vicinity, was reported clogging low at 5,705 and would probably be abandoned also.

Mrs. Ed Gross and Beth spent last Friday in Hereford.

Mrs. Will McDonald Suffers Burns And Shock—Lightning

Mrs. Will McDonald of Lockney suffered severe shock and first and second degree burns on the body and lower limbs Monday afternoon when lightning struck a tree in the yard of the McDonald home. Apparently the lightning hit the tree, and then followed a drain pipe into the bath room of the house. Mrs. McDonald was just entering the bathroom when the lightning struck. She is being treated at the Floyd County hospital here and is showing some improvement. It was reported Thursday.

The accident occurred during a severe lightning and thunderstorm here. Lightning also struck several other places doing light damage. Among these was a Mexican home on the Louis Cummings place west of town. Dr. J. M. Floyd reported that lightning had burned out the control switch on a pressure pump at his home here.

Rain that accompanied the thunderstorm amounted to approximately one-third inch here.

Rain fell again Wednesday afternoon with only a light shower here and up to a half inch reported south of town. Some hail fell south and west of town and also in the area east of Muncy it was reported. However damage was light.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Krause in the Harmony community was struck by lightning also Monday afternoon and the house and all contents were destroyed in the resulting fire. Loss was set at between \$10,000 and \$15,000.

Ed Gross Employed By Hereford Bank

Ed Gross, until recently cashier of the First National Bank of Lockney, has accepted a position with the First National Bank of Hereford. He and Mrs. Gross and their daughter, Beth moved to Hereford last week end and Ed began his work there Monday morning.

A note to The Beacon this week states that they like their new home fine and that they have met several former Lockney people including R. C. McIlvany, the Pricketts and others.

Hammond & Co. Adds To Building

A 40 foot by 60 foot addition is being made to the present building housing Hammond & Company, local International dealers. The new addition will be of brick and tile with concrete floor and will house the repair department of the firm when completed.

The present repair department will be used for storage of implements and parts, it was said.

The workmen are expected to begin laying the tile and brick this week end and the addition will be completed as fast as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Holladay returned Tuesday after visiting in Fort Worth and Waco Monday. They will return to Abilene this weekend where Mr. Holladay will continue his studies at McMurry College.

Thursday Markets

Poultry	
Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. and over	21c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs.	17c
Cocks, pound	9c
Eggs, current receipt, per doz.	35c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, pound	74c
Butterfat, No. 2, pound	72c
Hides	
Hides, No. 1, pound	12c
Grain	
Wheat per bushel	\$2.00
Milo per cwt.	\$3.25
Alfalfa Hay	
Dehydrated, in field, ton	\$15.00
Baled, No. 1 at mill per ton	\$23.00
Baled, No. 2, at mill, per ton	\$19.00
Baled, rain-damaged, at mill, per ton	\$15.00
Cotton	
Spot cotton, middling, Dallas market	37.65

ATTEND GRADUATION

Mrs. Ben Brandes and daughter, Eyaloe Reed, and Miss Clara Sammann left for Columbus, Ohio, last week, to attend the graduation exercises of Lee Roy Brandes son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes of Lockney, Route 1. Lee Roy will graduate from Capitol University and then will further his theological work at the Lutheran seminary at Columbus. They will also visit Miss Laura Sammann at Toledo, Ohio.

Miss Thelma Thompson of Plainview is here for a visit of several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Clayton Weathers and family. She is convalescing from a major operation. Sally and Judy Weathers are also visiting in the home and attending Vacation Bible School.

Next time the wife uses our razor for sharpening a pencil we're going to remember that powder puffs make fine shoe shiners.



BULBOUS NOTE OF THANKS... Dutch bulb-growers are blooming with appreciation for the Marshall plan. This is just one of many designs that have sprung up throughout Holland, where the bulb-growers have designed in flowers words of appreciation for the passage of the American aid to Europe program. Word of appreciation here is 'dollars,' which speaks volumes.

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Providence News

The home demonstration club women met on Thursday June 3 at 2 o'clock p. m. with Mrs. M. C. Scheele as hostess. Plans were made to redecorate club room demonstration. "Whats new in the Food Field" was given by Miss Leila Petty. Being National Music Week, songs by the entire group were enjoyed. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to Mesdames R. C. Matthews, Ben Quebe, E. M. Quebe, Jake Jones, Clarence Brandes, L. B. Brandes, Harold McLaughlin, Dave Mathis, Martin Schuette, Bill Butth, H. J. Schauer, Walter Sammann, M. C. Scheele, Leila Petty and a visitor, Mrs. Ralph Brown. Our next meeting will be June 22 at 2 o'clock, with Mrs. Jake Jones as hostess.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid Society met Sunday in the home of Mrs. Leo Boedeker.

Mr. and Mrs. Helmuth Quebe entertained a group of friends Sunday with a dinner.

Arlene Matthews spent Thursday night with Carolyn Sammann.

The 4-H Club girls met Tuesday with their sponsor Mrs. Jake Jones. The evening was spent cutting out aprons and heming them. The girls also brought their luncheon cloths and kitchen towels they had made at home. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Misses Foincine Boedeker, Janice Mathis, Maebeth McLaughlin, Delores Sammann, Fayrene Harden, Marie Scheele, Mrs. Harold McLaughlin and hostess Mrs. Iskie Jones. The girls and their sponsor Mrs. Jake Jones will meet again on Tuesday June 8 at the home of Mrs. Harold McLaughlin.

Mrs. Walter Sammann is on the sick list this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jake Jones visited with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schuette on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann and girls, M. and Mrs. Harold McLaughlin and family were dinner guests in the

home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Scheele on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Payne and daughter have moved to Plainview, where Mr. Payne will attend Wayland College this fall. Their new home address is 3212 Lexington, and invite all friends to come visit with them.

Mr. Arthur Sammann and daughter Yvonne of Tulsa, visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann and girls.

Miss Janice Mathis visited Saturday with Miss Delores Sammann.

A two weeks Bible School is being taught at the Providence School. Quite a number of children are attending. Teachers are Rev. and Mrs. Schauer, Mrs. Leo Boedeker and Miss Helen Neumann.

Ways To Save Fuel On Farm

COLLEGE STATION—Fuel conservation can be started right on the farm and the farm tractor is one of the first vehicles to watch when it comes to saving fuel.

Texas tractor owners own close to 150,000 tractors, and from these it is estimated that nearly 18 million gallons of gasoline are wasted each year in the Lone Star State alone.

Not only will the conservation of fuel keep more dollars in the farmers' pockets, but it will also lighten the fuel shortage that is expected this fall, says W. L. Ulrich, assistant extension agricultural engineer of Texas A. & M. College.

Ulrich says there are at least seven ways to save gasoline, and here they

1. Don't let the motor idle when the tractor is not in use, such as when hooking on equipment or visiting with the neighbors.
2. Prepare all farm petroleum storage possible in advance and see that the drums are in good repair. If you need more storage, get new drums ready beforehand.
3. Look into the future and see how much you will need and when. Then tell the tank wagon salesman well in advance.
4. Make one trip to town do for

spark plugs, fan belts, tools, gaskets many. Keep on hand a supply of and so on.

5. Haul run loads whenever possible.
6. Tune up the tractor during slack periods when it is not needed in the field. Adjust the carburetor.
7. Put equipment in the field in the best possible condition, and by doing so, you will prevent costly breakdowns when in use.

Here is another 7-step program the farmer will probably find to good advantage, says Ulrich.

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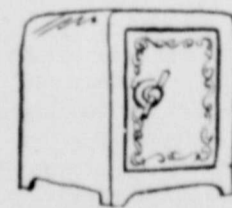
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 Whereas, satisfactory evidence has been presented to the Comptroller of the Currency that
 "FIRST NATIONAL BANK
 IN LOCKNEY
 Lockney, County of Floyd, STATE OF TEXAS, has complied with all the

provisions of the Statutes of the United States required to be complied with before being authorized to commence the business of Banking as a National Banking Association;
 Now, therefore, I, PRESTON DELANO, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that the said "FIRST NATIONAL BANK IN LOCKNEY," having complied with the requirements of the Statutes of the United States as aforesaid is authorized to commence the business of Banking as a National Banking Association (to succeed No. 9126 The First National Bank of Lockney, Lockney, Texas) beginning business June 1, 1948.

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and Seal of office this 17th day of May, 1948.

Preston Delano
 Comptroller of the Currency
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WATCH YOUR EXPIRATION DATE



The revolutionary new Ford four-door sedan for 1949 is lower, wider, roomier and provides nearly 25 per cent more visibility.

**New Ford To Be
 Shown Here June 18**

The 1949 Ford, which reveals a radical departure from traditional Ford styling and engineering, was made public today by the Ford Motor Company. It will be on display at the "Whitey" Baucus motor company here on June 18.

"New standards of beauty, comfort, economy and performance in the 1949 Ford passenger cars advance them far ahead of others in the low-priced field," J. R. Davis, vice-president and director of sales and advertising, said. Styling of the new Ford definitely establishes it as the car of the year."

To develop and produce the 1949 Ford passenger cars, Ford Motor Company has expended more than \$37,400,000 in tools, dies, jigs and fixtures.

The modern design has been molded along functional lines, resulting in a long, low, sweeping silhouette. The grille is distinctive, the hood massive but shorter and the body so wide the rear fenders have been eliminated. There are clean, unbroken lines from front to rear.

Comfort has been one of the primary objectives in the new Ford. There is more room in the "lounge car" interiors than in many cars with much larger over-all dimensions. Front seat widths have been increased six inches and the rear seat nearly eight inches. The body has been moved five inches forward with the seats cradled between the axles for a much smoother ride.

A new type of suspension system—"hydra-coil" springs—replaces the traditional transverse spring and the front axle. This system is centered around airplane type shock absorbers mounted within low frequency coil springs. In the rear, extra long longitudinal springs are complemented by airplane type shock absorbers.

The drive shaft tunnel has been decreased by adoption of the Hotchkiss drive and the hypoid rear axle. These engineering changes also minimized the transmission of road noises into the car.

Engine vibration has been reduced by literally floating the power plant on rubber mounts.

A new heating system available in the new Fords brings year around comfort to driver and passengers. Fresh air is scooped into the car through large intakes just behind the grille.

The system, which has an automatic control, can be used as a fresh air heater or as a recirculating heater. Fresh air plus the pressure effect obtained by the car's forward motion reduces fogging and drafts.

Economy of operation has been increased up to 10 per cent improvement in gasoline mileage for the new six-cylinder engine and the extensively redesigned v-8. Both are offered as power plants in all Ford models. Other engineering features result in better performance and longer engine life.

A new intake manifold achieves better fuel distribution. It is attached to the engine so that it is horizontal to the ground, reducing the tendency of raw gasoline to flow toward the rear cylinders and smothering engine operation.

The new "equa-flow" cooling system contributes to good performance under extreme conditions by improving general operating efficiency. Water flows in volume the full length of the block. Temperatures in "hot spots" in the six and eight cylinder engines have been decreased by as much as 12 degrees. There are larger water pumps in the v-8.

Improvement in the ignition system also have contributed to increased economy and efficiency.

As much as 25 per cent improvement in gasoline economy may be achieved by taking advantage of the overdrive which is available as factory-installed optional equipment.

New standards of safety have been set in the rugged construction of the chassis and body. The box-type frame is of all-welded construction. Although the frame is lighter, there is 59 per cent more rigidity when com-

bined with the body.

Lowering the over-all height by four inches and placing the seats between the axles results in a lower center of gravity, an aid in safe driving.

The windshield has been increased in height and width and the rear window now provides "picture window" visibility for driver and passengers. The rear window is larger than the ordinary windshield. There is as much as 20 square feet of windows in the new cars.

All doors hinge at the front. Inside handles push up instead of down to open the door. Both features combine to preclude accidental opening of the doors.

Increased performance values are one of the highlights of the new cars. Steering has been greatly improved.

The new Ford may be guided by a minimum of effort even under severe wind conditions. Road shocks have been minimized. This is the result of a newly designed linkage in which the pivot point of the tie rods is on the same center line as the wheels.

Engineering changes in the engines, some of them already mentioned, contribute to smoothness of operation. These include the new cooling system, intake manifold, redesigned combustion chambers and improved crankcase ventilation system as well as other features.

The 114-inch wheelbase, convenient for parking and in moving through heavy traffic, has been retained.

The new six develops 95-horsepower, providing better acceleration in passing and heavy traffic. The v-8 develops 100-horsepower.

Interior styling is colorful and practical. Traditional, neutral-toned automobile fabrics have been discarded for new tweeds, broadcloths and mohairs which retain the ability to absorb, hard family usage.

Hardware is massive and attractive. Door handles and other hardware are much easier to operate. The doors have new type locks which eliminate all possibility of persons being locked out of the car with the keys inside.

The flight panel dash provides centralized grouping of instruments for quick, easy reference in line with the driver's view of the road. Fuel level,

oil pressure, water temperature and battery charge indicators are placed outside the rim of the speedometer. The glove compartment on the right hand side has been enlarged.

Chrome trim, both inside and out, has been reduced.

There are two lines of cars, the Ford and the Ford Custom. Body styles in both lines include the four door sedan, two door sedan and club coupe. Convertible and station wagon models are obtained only in the Custom line and the three passenger coupe only in the Ford line.

There are eight durable new exterior colors—Bayview Blue Metallic, Birch Gray, Sea Mist Green, Arabian Green, Colony Blue, Gun Metal Gray Metallic, Midland Maroon Metallic and Black.

Two additional colors—Faz Red and Miami Cream—are available in the convertible only.

To most of us our memory is the thing we forget with.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

It has been brought to the attention of The Editor that a cartoon salesman has been calling on business men in Lockney, endeavoring to sell cartoons which would run in The Beacon as advertising. We wish to call your attention to the fact that these salesmen do not represent The Beacon in any way, that their merchandise is usually too high to be practical and that if you wish to use cartoon in your advertising The Beacon will secure them for you at cost, which is usually about 20% of the price of traveling salesmen.

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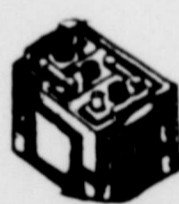
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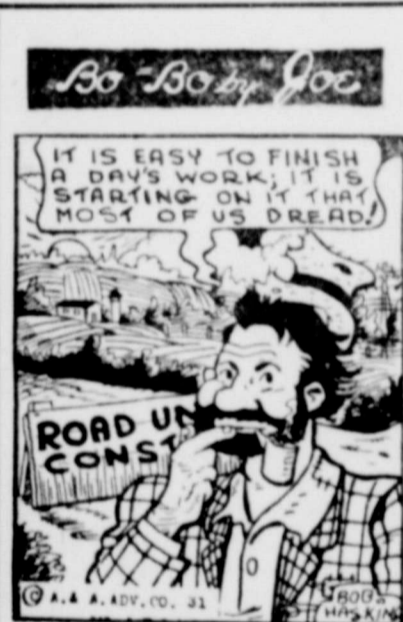
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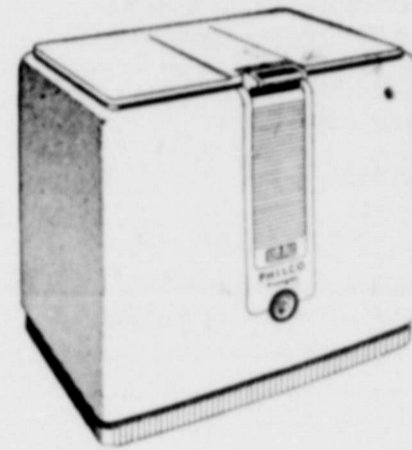
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Sterley News

By B. A. HOWELL

Mrs. M. A. Boone and Eldora returned from Hermitage last Monday where they had been visiting relatives for a few days.

John Stapleton and Leland Hart were transacting business in Sterley Wednesday of last week.

A. D. Yarbrough has completed a room on his tenant house and besides adding to appearance to the surroundings it seems to be much more comfortable for Oscar Weaver and his family.

Keith McCormack of Dalhart is spending a few days visiting his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bonner. Mr. Bonner is too busy this week to spend much time with Keith as he is supervising a weed-burner on his entire route which is the entire South Plains Branch of the Denver.

Earl Nelson and his family from Quanah were here from Wednesday until Thursday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Nelson and his brothers, A. C. and J. V. Nelson and

families. Lou Wana Rivers is visiting her grand-parents in Turkey for a few days and her mother, Mrs. E. F. Rivers and Ruth Ann are spending the week in Petersburg with Mr. Rivers who is doing extra work there for the Fort Worth and Denver.

Little Ina Jean Melton has been receiving medical treatment in the Lockney Hospital, and we think returned home this Tuesday.

Mrs. R. L. Murray who has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. F. B. Weatherly, returned to her home in Childress Tuesday.

Mrs. Denton and her daughter are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mullins. Mrs. Denton is now living in Lovington, New Mexico.

Mr. Thompson with Patterson Grain Company was in Sterley Tuesday conditioning his elevator for the coming wheat harvest. Mr. Thompson seems to be very optimistic concerning the wheat prospects this summer and while he is not expecting the yield we had last summer it seems we will be agreeably surprised.

PUBLIC AUCTION

The following school property will be sold at public auction at the Fairview School, District No. 5, located 11 miles northeast of Floydada, Texas on

TUESDAY, JUNE 29

Starting at 1:30 p. m.

- Frame House, 28x38 feet, 5 rooms, solid sheathing, wired for R. E. A.
- School House, 46x57 feet, two story brick (1 year to remove)
- Garage, 18x18 feet, boxed and striped, shingled
- Playground equipment
- One steel slide, 11 feet high, 24 feet long
- Two Sawsaws
- Six steel swings
- Two oak Desk Chairs
- Three oak Teachers Desks
- One oak Table
- Two play Tables
- 130 feet of Blackboard, 3 1/2 and 4 feet
- One Whitney Piano and bench
- Two scenery curtains and other stage fixtures
- Nine 4-inch light fixtures and some Romex wire
- Two steel Cabinets
- One 8-foot Aeromotor Windmill and tower
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I KNOW somehow that time will heal this sorrow. This bitter grief, and that the years will bring forgetfulness and peace, that some tomorrow will hold no memory of my suffering. And I believe that there will be a blessing Of the jagged edges of the wounds I bear, And in my heart again will be the stirring Of laughter that has long been quiet there.

I know all this, yet still cannot remember... I cannot see beyond this wall of tears. Yet as the falling sun sets on my eyes, So will my heart find comfort through the stars. I know—our God, our God, my soul is great! Give me the inner strength this day to wait.

Grace Nell Carroll

Soil Conservation District News

Looks like harvesting will get started any day now. This year a lot of harvesting is done with a plow, which leads us to the thought that a lot of folks have said that they were going to do that much needed terracing after they got the wheat off. If you expect to terrace let the boys at the District office know so they can schedule you in time to get the lines ran.

The Soil Conservation Service technicians assigned to the District were out to the L. B. Brandes farm to assist in locating several high places and making preliminary surveys for an elevated ditch.

When one of your buildings is on fire you don't ordinarily wait to see how far you can let it burn before putting it out. So why let most of your land slip away when the proper conservation measures will not only stop erosion but will restore a good deal of the lands early fertility.

The Soil Conservation Service boys were out to Lloyd Allens where they assisted Lloyd in establishing several irrigation ditches.

The District technicians were also out to the Oscar Golden farm and did some planning on an elevated ditch.

Somebody has said that a dirt farmer is a man who starts out with nothing, loses on everything he grows and comes out even at the end of the year. Nobody knows how he does it. He doesn't even know himself.

The Soil Conservation Service technicians were out to the Judson Jones farm to assist in running row direction control lines.

The Soil Conservation Service boys were also out on the Price land which C. J. McGee has rented. They established several lines and row directions for Mr. McGee. Mr. Price has a new well on his land which is about five miles northeast of Lockney.

Some of you are expecting to plant alfalfa this fall, so here are a few words of advice which we believe might be helpful. You know you will keep land in alfalfa several years so you better have it in good shape as you might have several years of mean

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Audio-Visual Short Course At Lubbock

LUBBOCK—An audio-visual short-course and conference under the direction of the education department, Texas Technological college, is to be conducted July 5-7 in the education building of the First Christian church. Dr. Lewis B. Cooper, conference director, announces.

The newest equipment, materials, techniques and methods for using visual aids in public schools and colleges will be brought together in the three-day conference, Dr. Cooper said. The demonstration will culminate progressive steps in visual education, and will combine visual aids available in religious education work. Educational and religious films are to be shown each day in elementary,

secondary and religious fields. Members of the summer classes in audio-visual aids will assist in various demonstrations of materials and methods.

Dr. Cooper estimated 600 teachers in the West Texas area have taken courses taught by him in audio-visual aids. He said he hopes many former students can return to take advantage of this supplementary instruction.

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LETTUCE, California, pound **13c**

CUCUMBERS, pound **9c**

MARKET

ROAST pound **55c**

Rose Food Market

One Indicted For Grain Theft At Plainview

Truckers last harvest swindled farmers and elevator operators in this area out of an estimated \$250,000, in grain hauling operations, District Attorney H. H. LaFont of Plainview said Thursday. The Hale County grand jury investigated the operations recently.

M. B. Jernigan of Sherman was indicted for grain theft. LaFont said Jernigan who owned two trucks operating in this area last harvest allegedly stole a load of grain from a Hale Center elevator. He is being held in the Hale County jail. LaFont said Jernigan had been convicted in connection with grain thefts at Dumas.

The District Attorney prepared the following account as a warning to farmers and grain dealers whom he hopes will be on the alert as this year's wheat harvest gets underway. The names "George Jones" and "Bill Jones" are fictitious.

One case involved 35 or 40 men, drivers of trucks, owners of trucks and elevator employees. Statements were taken from several men involved in thefts cases.

According to the statements, one method involved an elevator employee who weighed the trucks. "It was known by the group that this particular employee was on duty from approximately 5 a. m. until 9 a. m. This man would come to the elevator around 5 a. m. each morning and the truckers would go to the elevator about that time in order for him to weigh their trucks before the rest of the elevator employees reported for duty.

In weighing the empty trucks, the weigher would slide the pee beam out to where each would weigh from four to five thousand pounds over the actual weight. At first the truck drivers would give him either \$5.00 in cash or give him a pint of whiskey for each load he overweighed. This weigher would weigh a load for each of the parties each morning, giving them heavy weights. This went on for about a month or so and he then started charging them \$5.00 per thousand on the loads.

Of course when the truck loaded



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with grain was weighed there was an underweight on the grain actually purchased and the farmer would lose approximately four to five thousand pounds per load.

Another method used by these men was to get some weigher out of the office and while he was out one of the gang would take his handkerchief, reach up and remove the weight from the pee beam. They would then weigh their load. While unloading some trucker of the gang would catch the weigher not noticing and replace the weight on the pee beam that they had removed.

They used a handkerchief in order to avoid leaving fingerprints on this weight and each time they removed they placed it down under the pee beam on the scale platform, leaving it in plain view so that if it was noticed it would appear to have fallen off.

I do not know the exact gain on these loads but from the conversation I heard between these truckers the gain ran around 12,000 pounds per load. The drivers of these trucks who were on weekly salaries were paid their weekly salary plus one-half of the gain of overload on each load."

Another method used by these truckers was to steal from elevators who, in the rush, were transferring grain from a smaller elevator to a larger elevator.

An elevator operator hired a trucker to haul grain to Amarillo and the truck was loaded but the grain was not weighed, the elevator operator stating he would take the weights from the Amarillo elevator, he trucker who was hauling the grain met his buddies en route to Amarillo and approximately 3,000 pounds of grain was scooped onto an empty truck and the remainder of the load hauled on to Amarillo. Of course the elevator operator who sent the load to Amarillo lost approximately 3,000 pounds of weight.

THE DEVIL GOT MAD

The editor of a little weekly newspaper in a Nevada town was hard up one week for matter with which to fill his columns, so he had his compositor set up the Ten Commandments and ran them without making an editorial comment.

Three days after the paper was published he received a letter saying "Cancel my subscription. You are getting too personal."

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First 1948 Wheat At Plainview

The first load of 1948 wheat was delivered to the Plainview Wheat Growers, Inc., elevator late Thursday afternoon. The load of Early Wichita was grown by Bruce and Charles Walker five miles west of Plainview on a 30-acre plot that is making 20 bushels to the acre.

G. G. Smith, manager of the Plainview Wheat Growers elevator, said the load of Walker wheat tested 63 and showed a moisture content of

13.50. The producers sold it at the current price of \$2.06 a bushel, collecting a premium from the elevator in addition to the market price, Smith said.

The 30 acres produced a blackeye pea crop last year. It was prepared for wheat and irrigated before the grain was planted. It received no other irrigation.

The first load this year arrived about a week ahead of the average date for the first load of wheat. Early Wichita is a good milling variety.

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By the way: If you go in for "free flight," your plane may get hung up in the lines or atop a pole some time. Don't try to rescue it yourself. Call your Public Service office for a lineman or serviceman to handle the job. When you're flying model planes, be a careful pilot—always!

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Society News

Rehearsal Party Given By The Brunniers

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brunnier were hosts at a rehearsal party given Sunday afternoon at 6:00 o'clock.

The ushers for the Brunnier-Burger wedding were presented with gold tie clasps. Bridesmaids were presented pictures of the bride-to-be.

An outdoor supper was served to the following guests: Mrs. Ruth Wood, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stone, and sons Jimmy and Johnny, Lubbock; Robert J. Wood, Lubbock; Miss Bernice Brunnier, Amarillo; Charles Reed, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Stubblefield, and family, Lyman, Lynn, Kay and Elaine, Amarillo; Mrs. Troy Ray, Lockney; Marvin Montague, Plainview; Miss Barbara Helm, Miss Shirley Anglin, Miss Jo Anne Hess, of Groom; Dwight Perkins, Terry Perkins, Lockney; Dean H. Burger, Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Don Elledge, Waka; Donna Mae Brunnier, Carolyn Brunnier.

Mrs. D. R. Foster and Carol Ann were in Lubbock last Friday and accompanied Mary Dee and Thala home from Tech.

Mrs. Horton Howell Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. Horton Howell was named honoree at a pink and blue shower given Saturday, June 5 from 3 to 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. T. B. Mitchell.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Mitchell and Mrs. E. A. Bonner. Mrs. Sid Thomas presided at the register. Mrs. F. U. Payne and Mrs. Hilburn Casey were in the gift room.

The tea table was laid with a white cloth and centered with two tall crystal vases holding pink roses and laced together with pink satin ribbon sprayed with baby breath. Pink and blue predominated in the refreshment plate. Individual cakes of pink and blue were topped with coconut, and served with mint punch and candy mints. Pink napkins were inscribed in gold letters. Mrs. Chester Mitchell and Mrs. Harmon Handley served. A crystal service was used.

Mrs. Edgar Hays, accompanied by Mrs. Luther Rhine, sang "The Cradle Song" by Brahms. Piano selections were rendered during the afternoon by Mrs. C. L. Record and Jeanne Thomas.

Hostesses for the occasion included Misses T. B. Mitchell, Harmon Handley, Chester Mitchell, Mrs. Hilburn Casey, R. C. Mitchell, Leslie Ferguson, S. F. Fox, Sid Thomas, C. O. Roberts, E. A. Bonner, Marvin Cox, Robin Byars, F. U. Payne and Edgar Hays.

A large number of guests registered or sent gifts.

Carthels Will Hold Open House Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Carthel will hold open house at their new brick home four miles north of Lockney Sunday afternoon, June 13 from 2 to 6 p. m.

Friends and acquaintances are invited to call during the afternoon.

The new house, of modernistic design and faced with a light brick, is very beautiful.

Campbells Are Hosts At Luncheon

Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Campbell were hosts at a luncheon Sunday morning following the wedding reception honoring their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Holladay.

Guests at the luncheon were the out-of-town guests who attended the wedding ceremony and Mrs. R. J. Clark, Janey and Elixie of Lockney. The menu consisted of chicken pie, salad, hot rolls with butter and jam, coffee, iced tea and strawberry shortcake.

STAMP PAD INK at The Beacon



MRS. DEAN H. BURGER

Candlelight Service Units Miss Brunnier and Mr. Burger In Church Rites Monday

In an impressive candlelight service solemnized Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock June 7 at the First Methodist Church, Lockney, Donna Mae Brunnier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brunnier, Lockney, became the bride of Dean H. Burger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy G. Burger, Pampa, Texas.

Rev. Oscar Bruce, Rule, Texas, read the double ring service before an archway decorated with ferns and daisies, and flanked with tall baskets of white and blue peonies. Fern and candelabra formed the back ground.

The bride entered on the arm of her father who gave her in marriage. She wore a floor length gown of white organza over satin with imported chantilly lace forming the bertha and trimming the bottom of the full skirt which extended into a six foot train. The bridal veil of illusion fell from a seed pearl tiara.

She carried a bouquet of love flowers and lilies centered with a white orchid showered with white satin ribbon. For something new she wore a string of pearls, gift of the groom, something old was a linen handkerchief with tatting made by a great-great aunt and carried by the bride's mother at her wedding. Something borrowed were fan shaped brilliant combs belonging to Mrs. Frank Perkins. She wore blue garters and the traditional penny in her shoe.

Mrs. Troy Ray played the traditional wedding marches and "Always" by Irwin Berlin, De Koven's "Oh Promise Me," "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life" by Victor Herbert and "Indian Love Call" by Friml as pre-nuptial music. During the ceremony she played "Clare de Lune" by Claude Debussy, W. A. Wagoner of Groom, Texas, sang, "Because" and "Through the Years" accompanied by Mrs. Wagoner at the piano.

The bride's attendants were attired in dresses of similar lines to that of the bride's. They carried red roses on wedding rings fashioned of ruffles and wore matching halo hats. Miss Carolyn Brunnier, maid of honor and sister of the bride, wore blue. Miss Bernice Brunnier, bridesmaid, sister of the bride, wore yellow. Mrs. Fred Stone, cousin of the bride, bridesmaid, wore aqua. Misses Barbara Helm and Shirley Anglin, both of Groom, Texas were candlelighters. They wore blue. Flower girl, Lynn Stubblefield, niece of the bride, wore aqua taffeta.

The bride's mother wore an aqua crepe formal with a yellow rose corsage and the bridegroom's mother wore green crepe formal with yellow roses.

Little Jimmy Stone, cousin of the bride, was page. Marvin Montague, Plainview, served as best man. Ushers were Dwight Stubblefield, brother-in-law of the bride, Lubbock; Fred Stone, Lubbock; Don Elledge, cousin of the bridegroom, Waka, Texas; Dwight and Terry Perkins of Lockney.

The bride attended school at Groom and Lockney, Texas. The bridegroom graduated from Perryton High School and served in the army eighteen months. He is engaged in farming and ranching near Pampa where they will be at home after a wedding trip to Colorado.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents. In the receiving line were Mrs. G. M. Brunnier, Mrs. Roy Burger, Mr. Burger, the bride and bridegroom, Carolyn Brunnier, Marvin Montague, Bernice Brunnier and Mrs. Fred Stone.

The bride's table was laid with a white lace cloth and decorated with white tapers with white satin bows and the wedding rings with red roses carried by bride's attendants. The crystal punch bowl was surrounded by fern and blue and white daisies. The double ring wedding cake was decorated with orchids and lilies of the valley and was served with a sterling silver cake server belonging to the bride's great-great grandmother. Mrs. Dwight Stubblefield presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. Ruth Wood, aunt of the bride, served cake. Jo Anne Hess of Groom presided at the register. Mrs. Don Elledge was in the gift room.

Out of town guests were: Miss Barbara Helm, Mrs. E. E. Tiller, Mrs. Van Earl Steed, Mrs. Tom Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. George Calkins, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weller, Mr. and Mrs. Benton Moreman, Jo Ann Hess, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wagoner, Mrs. Shirley Anglin, Jimmy and Johnny, Mrs.

R. G. West, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Lovelace, Darrell Godfrey, Mrs. Nadine Godfrey, Corky and Cheryl Godfrey, all of Groom, Texas; Rev. and Mrs. Oscar Bruce of Rule, Texas; Lula Mae Cole, Dr. Jason H. Roberson, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Stubblefield and children, Lyman, Lynn, Kay and Elaine; Evelyn Blackwell, Bernice Brunnier, all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Burger, Mr. and Mrs. David Burger, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Leighnon, LaVerne Burger, Lois Burger, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Elledge, Mr. and Mrs. Don Elledge, all of Waka, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Lawson and Eugenia and Marvin Montague of Plainview; Mrs. Ruth Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stone, and children, Jimmy and Bobby, and Robert D. Wood all of Lubbock.

BETHOTHAL OF DAPHNE MAHON IS ANNOUNCED

Congressman and Mrs. George Mahon have sent out invitations to announce that their daughter, Daphne will become the bride of Mr. Duncan Waldo Holt Jr. on Monday, June 28, at 8:00 p. m. The Metropolitan Memorial Methodist Church in Washington, D. C. will be the scene of the marriage ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mason returned home last Friday from Albuquerque, N. M., and were accompanied home by their daughter, Mrs. Dock Harris and boys, Phillip and Jimmie.

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Anyone interested in private piano, private voice or piano accordion lessons please see Mrs. Oran H. Smith at the Methodist parsonage in Aiken Monday morning between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock. Also Monday afternoon between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Smith has had six years of teaching experience in college and private teaching. (Adv.)40-1tc

HAS BEEN ILL

Miss Nell Hampton, correspondent for The Beacon at Aiken, has been ill the past two weeks. She was treated at the Plainview Sanitarium and is back home now but must stay in bed most of the time.

Campbell-Holladay Wedding Solemnized In Church Rites Early Sunday Morning

Among the June weddings of interest in this section was an impressive double-ring ceremony performed at the First Methodist Church, Lockney at 9:00 o'clock Sunday morning, June 6 when Miss Ruth Campbell, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Campbell, became the bride of Otis A. Holladay, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Holladay, Waco, Texas.

The vows were exchanged before arched candelabra banked with fern and flanked by baskets of white stock, peonies and greenery. Rev. Campbell local pastor, and father of the bride, read the ceremony.

The bride entered on the arm of her brother, C. C. Campbell, Odessa, who gave her in marriage. She wore a floor length gown of ivory slipper satin fashioned with low round neck, puff sleeves and basque waist. The skirt was of full gathers with padded-hip effect. Her finger-tip length veil of illusion fell from a tiara of seed pearls. For something old the bride wore her mother's ruby engagement ring, something borrowed was her veil which belonged to Mrs. Kelton Shaw, something new was a string of pearls, gift from her parents. She also wore the traditional blue. She carried an old fashioned nosegay of garden flowers centered in crisp organdy ruffles edged with Swiss embroidery with long streamers of white satin ribbon.

The bride's attendants wore identical white organdy dresses with tucked bodies, full skirts with deep tucks, and wide sashes. The neck lines were finished with pointed roll collars over strands of pearls. Their headpieces

were bandeaus of ribbon fastened with pom poms of garden flowers over the ears. Matron of honor was the bride's sister-in-law, Mrs. C. C. Campbell. She carried a nosegay similar to that of the bride's. Bridesmaids were Miss Beverly King, Haskell, and Miss Joyce Sherrill, Sudan. They carried small ruffled organdy drawstring bags containing garden flowers.

The bride's mother wore white gaberdine with a corsage of red roses. The groom's mother wore lavender and white bemberg print with a corsage of white carnations.

Sandra Kay Campbell, niece of the bride, carried the rings on a white satin pillow showered with white satin streamers.

The groom was attended by his brother-in-law, Robert W. Cole, Fort Worth.

The ushers were Jean Campbell, Amherst, brother of the bride; Brooks Holladay, Hobbs, New Mexico; and J. T. Holladay, Eunice, New Mexico, brothers of the groom.

Mrs. Jean Campbell, sister-in-law of the bride, played the traditional wedding processional. She played "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life" as Brooks and T. J. Holladay lighted the candles. She accompanied Mrs. Eleanor Schacht who sang "The Lord's Prayer" as the bridal couple knelt on a white satin pillow at the altar. Mendelssohn's Wedding march was used as a recessional.

The marriage culminated a courtship at McMurry College, Abilene, where the bride received her B. S. degree this spring. The groom, a U. S. Army veteran, will receive his degree next spring in Physical Education.

After a brief wedding trip the couple will be at home in Abilene.

Reception

Immediately following the ceremony an informal reception was held in the home of the bride's parents.

Out of town guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole, Fort Worth, Tex.; Mrs. H. T. Holladay, Waco, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Holladay and Delora Lee, Eunice, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Holladay, Ronnie and Kathie, Hobbs, New Mexico; Mrs. Minnie Jett, Tollett, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Jett, Tollett, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mattack, Berger, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Campbell, Sandra and Bobby, Odessa, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Moss, Abilene, Tex.; Miss Beverly King, Haskell, Tex.; Miss Joyce Sherrill, Sudan; Mr. and Mrs. Jean Campbell, Amherst, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Black, Amherst, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. David Harmon, Nelloyd, Joy, and Pat, Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Harmon and Sandra, Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Holland, Prentiss and Joyce Dean, Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. Lester La Grange and Mary Lenore, Amherst.

Shower Compliments Miss Ruth Campbell

Miss Ruth Campbell, bride-elect of Mr. Otis Holloway, was complimented with a bridal shower given Wednesday, May 26 from 4 to 6 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Floyd Moore.

The bride-elect's chosen color scheme of all white was carried out in the house decorations and refreshments. The tea table covered with a white lace cloth was centered with an arrangement of columbine and fern flanked by white tapers in crystal holders.

Miss Betty Myers presided at the register. Misses Patsy Harris, Dora Lee McDonald and Geraldine Sims presided at the table. Musical recordings were in charge of Ann Moore.

In the house party were Misses W. L. Thomas, W. A. Campbell, F. L. Brown, R. E. L. Stutts, Edwin Johnson, Hugh Counts, Luther Cooper, Olive Myers, Paul Cooper, Jake Griffith, Arthur Barker, Sr., Frank Perkins, F. O. Schacht, Buck Sams, Lewis Busby, Bernard Harris, R. J. Clark, G. M. Brunnier, Will McDonald, Frank Dodson, Floyd Moore, Roy Patterson, Henry Ford.

Those attending were: Mrs. W. L. Thomas, Mrs. Lewis Busby, Mrs. R. J. Clark, Mrs. Floyd Moore, Mrs. G. M. Brunnier, Mrs. Olive Myers, Mrs. Bernard Harris, Mrs. F. L. Brown,



MRS. OTIS A. HOLLADAY

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FRED HARDAGE IMPROVED

Rev. Fred Hardage is improving at the home of his brother in Vernon. Rev. Hardage had been to Dallas for medical treatment and on returning became very ill at Vernon and had to be removed to a hospital. It was found that he had pneumonia. However, he is better now and expects to be able to return to his home here within two or three days.

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DANGER SIGNALS

The later George Horace Lorimer, who built the Saturday Evening Post from obscurity into an American institution, once wrote: "I have passed through one panic and one depression after another. In my lifetime I have seen much ruthless exploitation of men and resources, but in spite of this America has always forged ahead on the courage and initiative of its private citizens. And steadily, through all that period, I have seen business practices and ethics grow better; I have seen sentiment developing against the waste and exploitation of our natural resources, and a public conscience hardening against the old abuses. Could a paternalistic government have done better? I venture to doubt it. Granting all the waste, the ruthlessness and the loose ethics of the past, America has done a pretty good job and no ism would have done a better one. To exchange one form of ruthlessness that is steadily growing less, for another

SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



that is steadily hardening, would not be a sound trade." The editorial from which that is taken appeared in the Post nearly twelve years ago. In those twelve years we have seen the "steadily hardening" ruthlessness come to full flower in communism, facism, and national socialism. In those same twelve years, for all our alleged shortcomings, we have seen the living standards and the opportunity of the average American remarkably bettered.

At a time when great governments keep themselves in power through terror, oppression and assassination, the United States has held to its concept of the dignity of the individual—and its principle of the fullest liberty for all.

Still, we cannot afford the luxury of complacency. In those twelve years, there has been a weakening of our national fibers. We have taken steps, tentative but unmistakable which could carry us in time to iron-clad government paternalism and eventual dictatorship. The steady encroachment of government into business; the growth of powerful bureaucracies and administrative law; the emphasis on "social gains" at the expense of individual freedom; the growing dependence of individuals and whole state on the Federal government for undertakings which belong in the province of private enterprise and local government—these are the danger signs.

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Admiral Ingram, public relations officer in the Navy Department before the war, while serving as wartime Commander, Fourth Fleet, with headquarters at Recife, Brazil, established a fleet newspaper which was so popular it was widely read by Brazilians and widely quoted in the Brazilian press.

While commanding the Fourth Fleet, Admiral Ingram also developed a model farm which supplied his naval forces in the South Atlantic with fresh vegetables and meats. Brazilian students of agriculture visited the farm to study the latest methods used there.

Texas Business Trend Continues Up

AUSTIN, Tex.—After hesitating for the first three months of the year, Texas business in April resumed its upward trend, reported Dr. John R. Stockton, Statistician for the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

The composite index of business activity compiled by the Bureau rose 2 per cent from March to bring it to 216, the highest point reached since the end of the war.

One of the significant characteristics of the rise in the April index is the fact that all but one of the components increased. Sales of department and apparel stores declined 2 per cent, after adjustment for seasonal variation. Miscellaneous freight carloadings in the southwestern district rose 2 per cent, bringing the index to 162, a fraction below the post-war peak reached in December 1947.

Crude runs to stills increased 4 per cent from March, to establish a post-war high of 182. Electric power consumption gained 4 per cent to bring the index to 312, although this point was below the February high of 326.

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The index of employment rose to 124, an increase of 1 per cent over March, but still below December 1947, when the index stood at 125. Also below December was the index of pay rolls; but at 245 for April, it was 3 per cent above March.

The index of bank debts in principal Texas cities rose 5 per cent from March to 451 in relation to the 1935-39 average. The level of the bank debts index was 25 per cent above April 1947. It must be recognized that some of this rise in the index is due to higher prices, Dr. Stockton said, but even after making allowance for the higher price level, the volume of business transactions is considerably larger than a year ago.

The volume of postal receipts in Texas cities also rose between March and April. The Bureau's index adjusted for seasonal variation was 1 per cent higher in April than in March.

In comparison with April 1947, the index was up 14 per cent.

Farm cash income rose sharply in April to bring the Bureau's seasonally-adjusted index to 331, the highest point reached in 1948. This value of the index was 26 per cent above the level of April 1947, although farm income for the first four months of 1948 was below the same period of 1947. The April rise in farm income was brought about by an increase in farm prices and an upward movement in the marketings of farm products.

According to Dr. Stockton's report, the building industry continued to represent one of the strongest elements of the current business situation, with the Bureau's index of building permits for April standing at 674 in comparison with the 1935-39 value of 100. This represents a rise of 23 per cent over the high level of March and 88 per cent greater than April 1947.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Counts and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Sams and daughter, Sandra, spent the week end in Fort Worth where they attended a family reunion of the Counts family. Seven out of ten of the Counts-brothers and sisters were present. About 40 in all attended the reunion. Mrs. Fannie Brown accompanied the local people as far as Aspermont where she visited.

VACATION IN COLORADO

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lee Stapp and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ray Stapp have been vacationing in Colorado. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rogers, at Denver and saw many interesting scenes in Colorado. Mrs. Rogers is the former Geraldine Stapp.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Cox were in Muleshoe Thursday visiting and attending to business.

It doesn't pay to be so busy doing so many things that you forget what you are supposed to be doing.

Nature sure pulled a boner when she made prunes more healthful than strawberries.

Senior Trip Is A Gay Affair

By Gleyenn Earle Norman

A little before 6:00 a. m. on Friday, May 28, a group of 1948 Seniors began to gather at the high school building. By 6:15 the group consisted of three mothers, Mrs. Bob McDonald, Mrs. Earl Norman and Mrs. Sid Thomas, two men, Earl Cooper and F. L. Montandon, ten girls, Sarah Miller, Wanda Carter, Vera Jo Rogers, Gleyenn Earle Norman, Martel McDonald, Mary Pearl Carthel, Margaret Weathers, Betty Jean Myers, Erma Hall and Elna Sanderson, and eight boys, Bob Logan, Harold Hall, Billy Applewhite, Glen Worsham, James Quisenberry, Red Daniels, Roy Glover, and Junior Golden.

At 6:25 the gay Seniors of 1948 were on their way—destination Austin. We ate dinner at Abilene and reached the city limits of Austin at exactly 5:49. After reaching the Sam Houston Motel, where we were to spend our first night, we quickly decided it was just right for a swim and off we went. After our swim we ate supper at Loma Linda which was a Mexican eating place. The food was delicious but hot. After this we went skating and then back to the courts to talk over the days happenings and a short sleep. After being awakened early Saturday morning we ate breakfast and then began our tour of Austin. First came the capitol and our climb to the top. We were shown by Miss Minnie-neir all of the important rooms including the House of Representatives and others. Then last but not least we were introduced to THE GOVERNOR NOR JESTER. After Billy Applewhite's "governor winning smile" we left to see the library building at the University and took a fast ride to the 27th floor where we saw miles and miles of Austin.

After eating dinner at "Tucker's", we left at 1:30 with many happy memories of Austin, destination—San Antonio. At 3:30 we were at the Grande Courts and off to see the zoo and Brackenridge Park. Then came supper time and a place called "Jack's Steak House". (Ask any of the kids. They'll tell you about Jack.) Then came the amusement park and most of our first ride on the roller coaster. Incidentally the chaperons seemed to enjoy this or at least that's what we were led to believe by their screams of delight and thrills. Then on Sunday morning we all went to 8:00 mass and by 3:30 we were on our way to Corpus Christi. Just at sundown we saw our first glimpse of the water. We

reached the University in time for a late supper and a welcoming by Dr. John Cobb. After a night in their wonderful "dorms" we were ready for an early swim in the University swimming pool and then breakfast at the Tarpon Inn. Then we swam until noon and a slight red color seemed to appear on our faces and shoulders which was later a definite blister. We ate dinner at "Shoop's" where they served delicious strawberry pie. We rented a big boat from two until six so we could spend the afternoon fishing. You won't believe it but we really did catch some fish and learned to drive a boat besides. That night we went back to "Shoop's" for more pie and then across to Aransas Pass and the Gulf then home to bed. We left Corpus at 10:30 Tuesday morning homeward bound. We reached the Glenora Courts in Waco at 7:30 where we were to spend our last night. After supper we all looked over Waco and ended up at a show. The next morning we looked over Baylor's campus and were escorted through the "Browning room" where we learned more of their lives. At 9:30 on Wednesday morning we were really homeward bound. Late that evening we reached the outskirts of Lockney and even those who wanted to keep going broke out in radiant smiles. We had our last supper together at the Hotel Coffee Shop where we made plans for a class reunion next Christmas and to put that final touch to our happy memories we joined hands and sang our school song.



LATE BIRD... In June, 1939, William S. Wellman of Cleveland waved good by to his homing pigeon, A. U. 567, which had taken off in a pigeon race. And good by it was, for the bird didn't show up again until a few weeks ago—nine years after the race.

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"Across the years that lie ahead For you we'll yearn. North and south and east and west Maroon and white we love you best. To dear old Lockney High in thoughts we'll turn."

Cox Warns Against "Summer" Complaint

Austin, Texas—Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued a warning to parents that this is the season for an increase in dysentery, diarrhea and "summer complaint."

"The chief cause of these intestinal diseases are contaminated milk; water or food; allowing the child to get overheated or exhausted; excessive sugar in the babies formula; and improper amount of food," Dr. Cox said. "All foods should be fresh and clean, and left-overs should be properly refrigerated to prevent spoilage."

Dr. Cox urged extreme care in the preparation of feeding formula for infants. He said it should be prescribed by a physician, and that cleanliness and refrigeration were absolute essentials. Babies should be fed at regular intervals and on a definite schedule, since their stomach and bowels can easily upset if fed irregularly or whenever they are fretful or restless. The State Health Officer declared that dysentery is transmitted by flies and said every home should be well-screened and free of flies.

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Weekly SURPLUS NEWS

A long-standing priority, that of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation has been removed from future disposals of surplus property. Heretofore, the RFC had preference rights in the purchase for resale to small business just under World War II veterans in all personal property sales and below government agencies in disposals of real property. In recent months this priority group has been active in securing camp buildings and other real property from War Assets Administration for resale. But congress' new RFC act, passed May 25, 1948, repeals this agency's authority to function in the surplus property activities. However, War Assets Administration will continue to encourage the development of small business and will maintain the present priority accorded to dealers and businessmen who are World War II veterans.

Two industrial plants were moved into the ranks of private industry by disposal action this week. The Sunray Carbon Black plant, which has been operated under lease since 1944 by the Continental Carbon Company

of Amarillo, was sold to that company for \$1,100,000. The government-owned toluene plant of Ponca City went to the Continental Oil Company of that Oklahoma City for \$175,000. This company plans to convert the facility to oil refining.

First two months of the WAA's new donation program witnessed a total of \$137,669.98 worth of government surplus turned over to Texas and other state educational institutions without cost. Most unique donation was 52 South American flags given to the City of New Orleans. Other items included obsolete aircraft and radio parts, telephone switchboards and about 13,000 volumes of textbooks, fiction and non-fiction books, many of which went to veteran hospitals and schools. The program is being administered by the priority claimants division of the Grand Prairie regional office.

Lettuce loses its flavor and food value if kept too long, even in the refrigerator. Add salad dressing just before serving in order not to wilt the leaves.

The best time of the year to use kerosene for killing trees and shrubs is when the ground is dry in the late summer or early fall. Kerosene and sodium arsenite are the two chemicals commonly used to kill mesquite.

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Spray Closets To Stop Moths

COLLEGE STATION—Clothes moths feed upon animal hair, fur, feathers and articles made from these materials, according to Mary Routh, extension clothing specialist of Texas A. & M. College. Woolen lint and hair, which has accumulated in floor cracks, under the quarter-round and baseboard, and other hard-to-reach places are often fertile breeding grounds. The batch of dog and cat hairs may yield a supply of moths.

After cleaning the clothes this spring, apply a DDT spray to the walls, woodwork, baseboards and shelves as a protection against clothes moths for the warm weather season, Miss Routh advises. Approximately one-half pint DDT spray is necessary for an average size closet. An oil spray is preferred because it does not leave a white deposit as a water spray does.

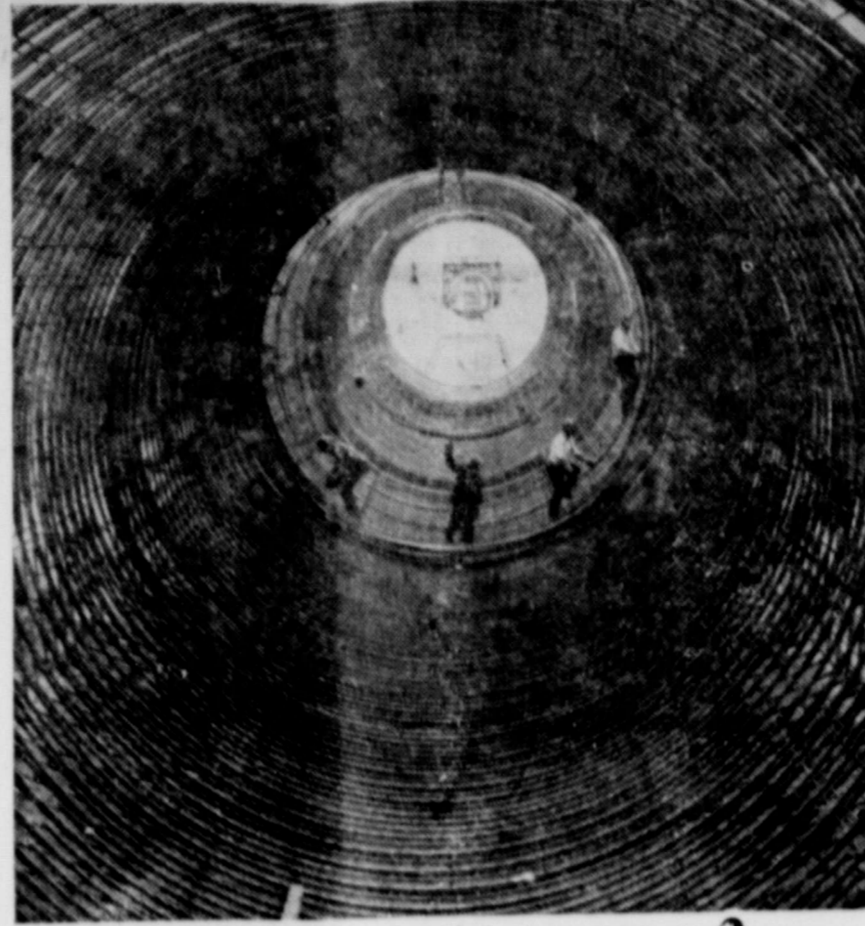
The best DDT spray for this purpose is a residual spray, rather than one of the "aerosol bomb" or space

spray type, if it is to be effective over a period of months in killing insects which come into contact with the closet surfaces. The aerosol spray is fine for killing flying insects, or those which happen to be exposed at the time, but it does not have the lasting effect because it doesn't leave a residue.

DDT solutions may also be sprayed lightly on wool clothes without injuring the fabric. Too much of the solution, however, may show up in whitish traces on dark clothes, but these can be removed by brushing or drycleaning.

DDT spraying is useful for protecting clothes hanging in closets, while the more familiar moth flakes or crystals are advised for clothes stored in tight bags, trunks or other containers where a fumigating effect is desired. Added protection may be given stored clothes by spraying them and their container with DDT.

All woolen clothing, of course, should be treated before storing in either treated closets or tight containers, says Miss Routh.



COLUMBIA BASIN SIPHON. Near Adrian, Wash., steel workers weave web of heavy reinforcing bars around which will be poured concrete for Crab creek inverted siphons which will convey Columbia basin irrigation water across Dry Coulee to reclaim eastern Washington sagebrush land. Twenty-five feet in diameter and 4,500 feet long, it will be world's largest monolithic concrete pipeline.

a wreath-encircled star. Kin are given choice between two types of fasteners. Sgt. Alles warned that when once received, lapel buttons should be safeguarded. For, he said: "no gold star lapel button will be sold to any person who has been furnished one without cost, and not more than one will be sold to any one person."

Had is the past tense of money.

ON VACATION

Miss Marie Reeves, secretary to Frank Perkins, local real estate and insurance dealer, left Wednesday for a vacation trip to Nashville, Tenn., and Washington, D. C. Miss Irene Hall will join her at Nashville and they will visit Miss Reeves' sister, Mrs. Kenneth Bailey at Washington. Miss Reeves expects to be gone about three weeks.



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Points In Curing Hay Are Explained

COLLEGE STATION—If hay is left too long before cutting, it becomes coarse and loses much of its feed value, especially in protein, E. A. Miller, extension agronomist at Texas A. & M. College, points out.

When to cut hay will depend a lot on what particular crop is being harvested. There are certain times to harvest certain crops—each crop a certain time. Prairie grass, for example, is usually cut when there is labor to do the job and if the weather is right. However, you can't wait too long even on prairie grass, because, like the others, it will lose quality.

The best time for sudan and Johnson grass cuttings is as soon as the first seed heads begin to form, or even earlier in order to get high quality hay rich in protein. Cowpeas should be left until the first pods start to ripen.

Alfalfa hay is best harvested when the field is one-tenth to one-fourth in bloom, or when young shoots begin to show up at the base of the plants. In a new field it is important to let one cutting of alfalfa go to seed or at least to the full bloom stage to develop a stronger root system and build longer lived fields.

Cut sweet clover before the stems grow coarse and woody—before it begins to bloom. And remember to leave 5 or 6 inches of stem on sweet clover, since what clover you get in the second cutting will grow from the six-inch stem left from the first.

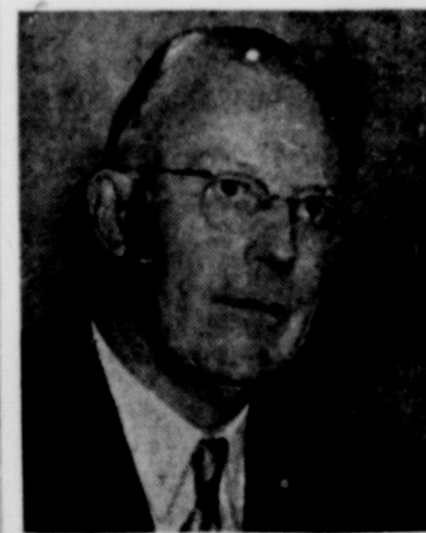
Grass hay may be left in the swath until fairly well cured, but legume hay—such as alfalfa, the clovers and cowpeas must be raked into windrows before the leaves shatter.

If pickup balers are not available stack the hay in piles or small stacks before the leaves shatter, and then bale or place in hay stacks when it is sufficiently cured.

The two important processes in hay curing are loss of water from about 75 percent to 15 or 20 percent—and the chemical change known as "sweetening" or fermenting. During the "sweetening" process the hay develops an aroma and becomes more palatable.

One of the most important things about hay curing, says Miller, is getting rid of the moisture in the hay as quickly as possible and still keeping the green color of the hay.

If you want to get rid of a man who tries to borrow some money, lend it to him.



FAVORITE SON. California's Gov. Earl Warren called for a rock-bound domestic policy to save the nation from moral and economic bankruptcy in his first nationwide radio address as a favorite son candidate for Republican presidential nomination.

Marine Corps Now Issuing Gold Stars

Applications for gold star lapel buttons from kin of deceased World War Two Marines are now being taken by the U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting Office, Room 20, Post Office Building, Lubbock.

The lapel buttons were designed by passage of the 80th Congress public law 306 and are available to widows and parents or other next of kin.

Sgt. M. L. Alles, Non-Commissioned Officer in Charge of the Lubbock Marine Corps Recruiting Office, said the applications could be obtained by personal appearance of the deserving kin at room 200 Post Office Building, Lubbock.

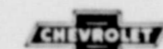
A gratuitous issue of the lapel buttons will be made by the government to widows, widowers, parents, step-parents and mothers who adopted the deceased.

Lapel buttons may be purchased at cost price by children, step-children, adopted children, brothers, sisters, half brothers, and half sisters, said the sergeant.

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Irick News

Mrs. Harrell Dollar, Correspondent

A large number attended the supper and candidate rally at the school house last Wednesday night.

Floy Baxter left last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hatchett to visit her Aunt, Mrs. Jerry Schrimsher of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jolly and Lynn spent Sunday with relatives at Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Baxter took Sunday dinner with Mrs. J. H. Baxter of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell Dallar and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Blackie Cox Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Withrow and girls of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs.

Hubert Branscum spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Battle.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Laceywell and children spent Sunday with his parents at Belin, N. Mexico. Ronnie returned home with them after several days visit with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Langfeldt and Mrs. Stowe of Aiken visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dow Colson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Holmes and boys spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Garner Weems of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marney and girls of Ralls spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Sanderson entertained with a birthday dinner Sunday honoring her father, Mr. Mills, Mrs. Mills, and Mrs. Tom Graham. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. D. Holt and children, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Horton, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Graham, Miss Appewhite, Gene, Delois and Joyce Collis.

Bobby Sue Withrow is spending this week with her grandmother, Mrs. Bob Battles.

Mr. and Mrs. Langford took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Caldwell and girls. Both families visited Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Cumble of Hale Center Sunday afternoon.

Betty Jo Holmes suffered a cut on the foot Sunday afternoon while swimming in a tank near Sandhill. Five stitches were taken. She is doing fine it was reported.

Mrs. Melvin Potts shopped in Amarillo Monday.

Several children from here are attending the Baptist Bible School at Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jolly and Lynn have as their guests, her sister Miss Nell Tice and her grandmother Mrs. Davis of Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lunn and girls spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. G. W. Smith of Floydada.

There will be a community entertainment at the school house Friday night. Everyone is invited to attend. Games of "42", dominoes and bridge will be played. Time 8:30.

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Aiken News

Little Milton Adams was ill last week.

Virginia Compton of Lubbock visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Compton, last week end.

Carolyn Campbell was released from the Plainview hospital last Friday. She is much improved.

Mrs. Ottaman and daughter of Prescott, Ark., is visiting her daughter Mrs. M. B. Salmon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Moore were Lubbock visitors Monday.

Mrs. Fred Duvall received medical treatment at the Plainview hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adda Lorman and family visited Mrs. Dorman's parents at Silverton last Sunday.

Those visiting in the J. E. Hampton home last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Hampton and children and Mr.

and Mrs. J. E. Billing'ey of Amarillo, Carl Smith of Floydada, Mrs. Attaman and daughter of Ark., Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kelley of Lockney, Mrs. Dollar, Mr. and Mrs. Baylor Byars and Mrs. M. B. Salmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Starkey and children visited relatives in Jones county last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Lucas have gone to Abilene, Mrs. Lucas, is receiving medical treatment there.

Mrs. Charley Elam and Mary Bennett spent last week end in Tulla.

Rev. Broughton and family are moving near Hart. He will be pastor there this year.

Rev. and Mrs. Smith of Painview are moving here this week. He is the new Methodist pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Huckaby and family of near Lockney visited Mr. Hampton and Nell Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Hill

NOTICE OF LIQUIDATION

The First National Bank of Lockney, located at Lockney in the State of Texas, is closing its affairs. All creditors of the association are therefore hereby notified to present claims for payment.

Signed: ARTIE BAKER
President

June 10, 1948 40-9tc

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dillard, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Parker of Floydada visited in Hobbs, New Mexico Sunday. Mrs. Dillard remained to spend this week with her daughter.

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NOTICE

If you wish your child to take piano lessons during the summer please see me Monday at my home.

Carolyn Brunner

Phone 132-W

CLELL BAGGETT CATCHES THE FISH

Clell Baggett and family returned Saturday from a three-weeks fishing expedition to Questa, N.M., and they really brought back the fish. The Beacon has been informed.

They brought back 48 big trout weighing from a half pound to 3 1/2 pounds. Bob caught German brown trout measuring 24 inches in length. Clell is already threatening to go again soon.

PERSONALS

Miss Jeanne Thomas who studied at Baylor University, Waco, the past two years is home for summer vacation.

Gene Messer, James Carroll, Dwight and Terry Perkins, students of Tech, Lubbock are home for the summer.

Leon Noel of Dale is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Troy Ray and family.

NEW light pattern burlap back in-laid linoleum at Brunner Lumber Co. 40-1tc

Mrs. J. W. Paschal and son, Roy of Plainview, spent Monday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hackney.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Moss returned Thursday from a business trip to Memphis and Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Frogge of Plainview spent the week end in the home of Judge and Mrs. A. S. Moss.

MOTH-PROOF BAGS protect your winter clothing during the summer months. We have them. Brown's Cleaners. ttc

Mrs. C. C. Campbell, Sandra and Bobby of Odessa are spending two weeks in the home of Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Beck of Dallas are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Gilder.

Ed Channell of Tuttle, Okla., visited in the home of his brother, J. W. Channell and family Sunday.

WE FIX 'EM. Minor repairs made without charge when your clothes are cleaned and pressed here. Brown's Cleaners. ttc

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Raper of Plainview visited his mother, Mrs. Norvell Raper Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Orba Elland have moved back to Lockney from Arkansas where they have made their home the past two years.

Mrs. J. W. Channell and son returned last weekend after spending two weeks visiting with her mother, Mrs. L. B. Hunt at Walters, Oklahoma.

Classified Advertisements

For Sale

FOR SALE—Two good Jersey milk cows, tested. Clyde Lucas, second house east of Aiken schoolhouse. 40-1tc

FOR SALE—Nice red pigs. J. D. Perkins, third house south of Haggards Phillips Station. 40-3tp

FOR SALE—Model D Wheatland tractor, newly overhauled; also 10 foot Moline One-Way in good shape. W. H. Workman, Route M, one mile east, 3/4 mile north of Muncy switch. 40-1tp

FOR SALE—20 foot Oliver combine in good shape with new canvas. Also regular Farmall tractor. See Joe Wilson. 40-2tp

FOR SALE—1940 model Ford Club coupe. See Harold Marler at the Plains Barber shop. 40-1tp

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FOR SALE—Dining room suite, slightly used living room suite, electric washing machine. Mrs. George T. Meriwether. 40-2tp

FOR SALE—One 10-foot joint of 9-inch column pipe with 8 inch standard adapter. Austin Meriwether. 40-2tp

FOR SALE—Four slightly used M Farmall batteries. White Auto Store, Lockney. 40-1tc

FOR SALE—Locket 140 cotton seed. See H. P. Cargile, 4 miles southwest of Lockney. 39-2tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 15-30 International Tractor on rubber in A-1 condition; one 20-foot Oliver combine in perfect mechanical condition; two 12 foot, one 9 foot Sanders one-way plows. W. Edd Brown, Phone 265, Floydada. 39-4tc

FOR SALE—Knife attachments with knives for Ford cultivator. \$25.00. O. A. Lucas, 1/2 mile south-east of Aiken. 39-2tp

FOR SALE—Good pigs. See W. M. Ferguson. 39-3tp

FOR SALE—Practically new boat and 5 1/2 h. p. outboard motor. Howard Cooper. 39-3tp

FOR SALE—3 rooms and bath on three lots, located one block north of Lockney Lumber & Supply. Mrs. Loveta Williams. 39-2tp

FOR SALE—Living room suite and a good second hand 39 gallon hot water heater. See Arch Crager. 39-2tc

FOR SALE—One new Ford tractor with equipment; one new B International 48 model tractor, never been used. See V. D. Harris, Phone 165-J. 40-1tc

FOR SALE—25 foot factory built house trailer, excellent condition. Bargain. Inquire at The Lockney Drug. 38-4tc

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—F-30 with two-row equipment and hydraulic power lift. Will trade for lighter tractor. Wesley Hay, 4 1/2 miles southwest of Lockney. 38-1tc

FOR SALE—Battery fryers, Leslie Cox at Bud Cooper place, north of Lockney. 38-3tp

FOR SALE—1935 model A John Deere tractor with 2-row equipment. Lockney Implement Co. 381tc

IF YOU HAVE an unmarked grave see me for monuments or for coping. Frank Dodson. 38-3tc

FOR SALE—1946 Chevrolet truck. See M. L. Anderson, fifth house north of Legion Hall. 38-3tc

FOR SALE—New hog wire. See Dorsey Baker. 38-1tc

AVON PRODUCTS—Mrs. W. A. Rushing, telephone 173-J. 31-1tc

Plenty of CANVAS DITCH STOPS. Also 1 1/2 and 2 inch aluminum irrigation siphons. Lockney Implement Co. 31-1tc

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

For Sale

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

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. 22-1tc

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

FOR SALE—22-36 International tractor, good shape. See T. J. Honoa. 18-1tc

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. 7-1tc

Wanted

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, 10 lb. for colored, 15c for white. No buttons. Lockney Auto Co. 39-2tc

WANTED—Ironing. Will do my very best to please. Have automatic ironer. Mrs. R. L. Tomme, third house east of Maier Food Store. 37-2tc

CUSTOM SPRAYING—We have a power spraying machine for spraying bind weeds, dandelions, and other noxious weeds, chicken houses, barns, etc. If you want custom spraying see F. L. Montandon or any member of the F. F. A. chapter. 36-1tc

WANTED—Sewing and alterations at my home, one block west of high school. Evelyn Pierce. 35-4tc

Custom Work

Have Ford tractor and equipment and Pick-up Truck available for all kinds of work, farm or town. H. C. Burke, block east of Cooper Bros. Garage. 31-2tp-ttc

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PAPER HANGING and PAINTING—We also take orders for wallpaper. Experienced workman. H. P. Cargile, Route M, 3 1/2 miles southwest of Lockney. 36-6tp

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

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any bills other than those made by me personally. Bill Erickson. 40-1tc

THE BLIND and MYSTIC reader, formerly of Amarillo, but now of Roaring Springs. J. W. Hendricks. Four questions \$1.00. 5-52tp

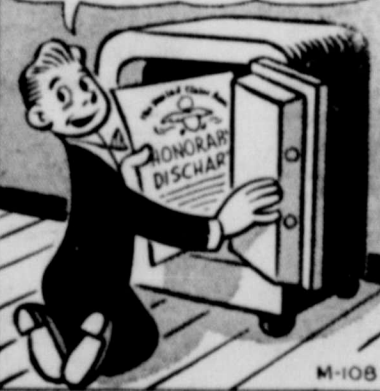
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If handkerchiefs are washed in the machine along with the other clothes, it is a good idea to tie them in a loose cheesecloth bag, and let them go through both wringer and washer in the bag. This saves wear and tear in washing and keeps them out of the wringer.

New Type of Wheat Resists Attacks Of Deadly Sawfly

BOULDER, COLO.—After years of research, a new development in wheat farming promises more food for a hungry world.

This is Rescue wheat. Rescue is the first wheat ever developed to withstand the attack of the destructive wheat stem sawfly which sporadically since 1900 has laid waste to untold millions of acres of precious grain in the Northwest and in Canada.

The success of Rescue may turn out to be a milestone in farming. Last year it proved its resistance to the sawfly in extensive field trials. This year there will be enough Rescue seed to plant one million acres in Montana and millions more in North Dakota and Canada. This means more bread, sorely needed at a critical time in world affairs.

Research Started

Montana state college entomologists, agronomists, and the natural scientists of the United States department of agriculture worked hard on the sawfly problem. When Rescue came along in October, 1944, they dropped everything to concentrate on the new find.

The following May, Montana got back 35 bushels which were planted on 27 acres. The yield in 1945 was 877 bushels. Again Montana shipped Rescue to Arizona—100 bushels this time for further increase. The rest was planted at home. An unseasonable frost and a rail strike delayed Arizona's return shipment of 3,870 bushels until the first of June. It was dry and late but the wheat was sown. Within 24 hours rain fell, the first since the regular seeding time.

Wheat Crops Increase

In 24 months a single bushel on land previously attacked by the sawfly had grown to 80,000 and Montana and North Dakota farmers were offering as high as \$25 a bushel for it. Last year Montana planted 78,000 acres in 19 counties, harvested 1,250,000 bushels, and North Dakota is fast developing its own seed sources. Rescue seed still is selling as high as \$6.50 per bushel.

The sawfly, given a few more years, might have wiped out huge sections of the nation's breadbasket. It damaged more than one million acres severely last year in Montana, spread over 30 counties. In two counties, practically every field was damaged severely. Forty to 100 per cent of the stems were cut off on essentially all of the acreage of the common bread wheats.

The damage in Rescue fields last year, on the other hand, was negligible. Rescue is living up to its name and saving bread for a hungry world.

Army Will Blast Underground Caverns to Check Strength

WASHINGTON.—The army will undertake a series of tests in underground explosions, to determine the best construction to resist attack by guided missiles and modern heavy bombs, it was announced. The explosions will be set off in four types of soil and four types of rock.

Results are expected to guide army engineers in designing blast-proof command posts and other vital military installations. It is hoped the data obtained will assist industrial engineers in determining the best type of construction for underground factories.

Trials will be conducted at the Dugway proving ground, near Salt Lake City; near Castle Dale, Utah, and near Grand Junction, Colo. They will start with explosive charges of 320 pounds of TNT against a small structure. Installations and charges will mount progressively until a final explosion of 320,000 pounds of TNT is set off.

Lieut. Gen. R. A. Wheeler, chief engineer, said, "The tests will provide technical knowledge based on actual experiments of the type of underground facilities to withstand modern bombs and guided missiles." General Wheeler emphasized that no atomic bombs would be used.

Congressman Submits Bill for Funds to Purify Ocean Water

WASHINGTON.—Scientific research to make fresh water from sea water is proposed by a bill before congress introduced by Rep. Fletcher (Rep., Calif.) which would place the study in the hands of the navy.

The measure would authorize the navy to operate one or more demonstration plants to produce potable water from sea water.

Desalting sea water has long been carried out by the ordinary distillation process on shipboard and other places. This requires considerable fixed equipment.

In the war several methods were developed for use on lifeboats. These required only such equipment as could be easily stored with other supplies in the boats.

The principle employed in these methods is what is known as ion exchangers. These cause an interchange of ions between the material in solution and the solid introduced. The process is used in water softeners.

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 Congressman, 19th Congressional District
GEORGE MAHON

For State Senator, 30th Senatorial District:
KILMER B. CORBIN
DUDLEY K. BRUMMETT
STERLING J. PARRISH

For District Attorney:
JOHN B. STAPLETON

For County Judge:
TOM DEEN
F. L. BROWN
W. E. GRIMES
G. C. TUBBS

For County Attorney:
ENOS T. JONES

For County Clerk:
MARGARET COLLIER

For District Clerk
MRS. GLADYS B. HOWARD
MARY LOUISE McPHERSON

For Sheriff:
LELAND A. HART
HOWARD E. WHITAKER
W. A. ADAMS

For Tax Assessor-Collector
T. T. HAMILTON
MRS. IRENE WINTERS
MRS. ELIZABETH (JOE) McCOLLUM

For County School Superintendent:
CLARENCE A. GUFFEE

For County Treasurer:
MRS. SAM A. SPENCE

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2
W. H. (HUGH) COUNTS
BERT BOBBITT
W. F. (CAP) CARTEL

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Scientists to Probe Lack of Traffic Problems Among Fish

BIMINI, BAHAMAS.—If fish were people, 300 of them could board a subway train in two minutes without bumping, shoving or rubbing elbows. How do they do it?

That is one of the fish mysteries which scientists hope to solve at the Michael-Lerner marine laboratory here which Sir William Murphy, governor of the Bahamas, dedicated.

The \$100,000 research center, only 60 miles east of Miami, was founded by the American Museum of Natural History. Lerner, noted game fisherman and trustee of the museum, is its principal backer. Dr. C. M. Breder, jr., of New York, is scientific director.

Philip Wylie, author and member of the advisory committee, said the ability of a large number of fish to rush through a limited space without bumping and shoving is a small part of the study to be undertaken on fish behavior.

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