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Four Longhorns Named On Regional Football Team

The Regional All-Star Class A football line up as selected by the Amarillo Daily News included four players from the Lockney Longhorn squad with two other Longhorns getting honorable mention.

The line-up included 44 players selected from practically every Class A team in region one. The Longhorns and Phillips were the only teams to place four men on the all star line up. Shamrock placed three men.

Longhorns making the squad included: Calvin Pyle, end. Jerry McCulloch, back. Ewell D. Kelley, tackle. Donnie Bybee, center.

Receiving honorable mention were Charles Hammitt, guard and Delbert Shearer, tackle.

Other players in District 3-A selected on the all-star team were: Joe Pitts, end, Matador; Neal Chastain, tackle, Spur; Clyde Blair, back, Spur; Bill Simmons, back, Crosbyton; Bill Jeter back, Floydada.

Beacon Will Carry Babson's Forecast

The Lockney Beacon will publish Roger W. Babson's Business and Financial Outlook for 1949 in the issue of December 31. Mr. Babson has made an enviable record for accuracy in his forecasts of the past and our readers will be interested in his forecast of what is in store for the nation in the year to come.

Mr. Babson's 1949 Outlook will contain 50 forecasts covering such important topics as:

- General Business
 - Commodity prices
 - Taxes
 - Retail and Foreign trade
 - Labor
 - Inflation
 - Farm Outlook
 - Stock market
 - Real Estate
 - Politics
- Watch for the Babson forecast in our issue of December 31.

Monahans Trims Phillips 13 To 7

Monahans won the title of "Champion of West Texas" in Class A football last Saturday when they defeated the Phillips Blackhawks 13 to 7 at Jones Stadium in Lubbock.

The Monahans team was clearly the best team on the field although they only defeated the Phillips boys one touchdown. Monahans scored in the second and fourth quarters while Phillips scored in the third quarter.

Monahans will pay New London of East Texas in the semi-finals at Breckenwood on Saturday of this week. This is the first year that Class A teams have gone to the State Championship. Either New London or New Braunfels are favored to win the title.

City Officials Attend Plainview Meeting

City officials of Lockney attended a meeting of city officials of the plains in Plainview Monday. Mayor Bud Brunner, Aldermen Jesse Cox, J. E. Seale, and J. D. Copeland attended.

The session followed a luncheon at the Hilton Hotel ballroom at noon. New sources of revenue and plans for unloading some financial burden of municipalities on the state came in for review.

Legislation authorizing summary sale of property for payment of delinquent taxes, was discussed as was legislation authorizing cities to broaden their tax base by imposing taxes on various bills, businesses, etc. Another proposal was that the State Highway department assume cost of construction and maintenance of all state and federal highways through cities, regardless of size.

State Law Forbids Parking In Front Of Movie Theatre

A state fire marshal in Lockney last week ask that the Beacon point out to the people of this area that the state law forbids parking cars in front of a movie theatre. One parking space is reserved in order that the theatre may be accessible in case of fire. The parking space in front of the Plains Theatre here is plainly marked and urged that patrons observe this

CHURCH SUNDAY

Santa Claus Will Be Here Saturday

Hey, kids! Santa Claus is coming to town! He will be in Lockney again Saturday from 12 noon until about 5 o'clock and all the kids in this area are invited to come in and meet him. And that's not all! He will have a treat for all the kids. He has informed local business men that he will give candy and apples to all the boys and girls.

Santa is scheduled to visit all the stores and parade around on the streets so that he won't miss any boys or girls. Christmas carols will be played over the public address system so that Main Street will have the proper Christmas atmosphere. Christmas trees are scheduled to be set at each intersection to complete the decorations.

Decorated Windows

Many local stores have beautifully decorated windows to emphasize the Christmas season. Outstanding among these are Armstrong Electric and White Auto Store. Many homes have decorated windows and trees also.

Longhorns Drop Two Games To Paducah

The Longhorn basketball teams dropped two games to the Paducah Dragon squad on the local floor Tuesday night.

Coach Metz LaFollette's charges had trouble getting them to stay in the basket although they did show up good in spots.

In the B game the score was 19 to 14. Players for the locals included Thompson, Dameron, Reecer, Meriwether, Frizzell and Cunyus.

In the A game the score was 29 to 20. The Longhorns led most of the way but the Dragons started hitting the last quarter and pulled ahead. Players were Thomas, Bybee, Cole, Kelley, Keeter and Thompson.

Girls Win

The Lockney girls team saved the day by winning their game from the Wayland College sextette. The score was 14 to 6. Players for the girls were Velma Seale, Kay Norman, Betty Handley, Melba Weathers, Maxine Foster, Peggy Carthel and Mary Louise Manning.

Other Scores

Other scores in this district the past week were:
Matador 12, Floydada 50.
Abernathy 25, Crosbyton 24.

Cannery Will Close Next Thursday

The Lockney Cannery will close next Thursday, December 23 for the holidays. Mrs. Sallie Griffith has announced. It will re-open January 5.

Mrs. Griffith requested that every one please pick up any canned goods they had left at the cannery before the closing day.

Hospital News

Miss Mary Manning was dismissed Monday after an appendectomy last week.

Katherine Chandler was dismissed Sunday after medical treatment.

Felix Ybarre was dismissed Friday after medical treatment.

Mrs. Charles Gibson, medical, was dismissed Thursday.

Mrs. Troy Ray underwent minor surgery Tuesday.

Mrs. Paul Guerra underwent minor surgery and was dismissed Wednesday.

J. D. Morrison continues to improve. E. M. Lawson is improving.

I. N. Ledger was admitted Monday for medical treatment.

Mrs. Belle Watson was admitted Tuesday for medical treatment.

Paul Wilson was treated Thursday for burns about the face and hands. He suffered the burns when a butane stove exploded Thursday morning.

ATTEND FUNERAL SERVICES
Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Johnston Sr. and G. B. Jr. went to Ponder, in Denton County Sunday where they attended the funeral of Mr. Johnston's uncle, E. S. Potteet, on Monday. Mr. Potteet passed away Saturday. Burial was in the Sanger cemetery.

Christmas Edition Published Next Week

The annual Christmas edition of the Lockney Beacon will be published next week. The paper will be put into the mails Thursday morning instead of Friday morning as usual.

We request that our advertisers and correspondents get their copy to us one day earlier than usual because of this. Merchants and professional people of this area will be given opportunity to extend greetings of the season to the more than 1300 families that read The Beacon.

Many Christmas stories and other holiday features will appear in this Christmas issue.

Magician To Appear At Rotary Banquet Honoring Longhorns

J. Sissom, a magician and humorist will furnish the entertainment for the annual Lockney Rotary Club banquet honoring the Longhorn football squad of Lockney High School tonight.

The banquet will be held in the basement of the Methodist Church and served by the Methodist ladies. J. D. Wood is president of the club and Claude Brown is program chairman.

The entire football squad, coaches and men teachers of the schools have been invited. Mr. Wood said. About 75 are expected to be present.

The Longhorns are honored each year at a banquet by the Rotarians. This year the banquet will be especially important since the Longhorns brought the district title to Lockney for the first time in 10 years.

Mr. Sissom's act includes such puzzles as the plucking of live goldfishes from the audience with a cane pole and an ordinary line. He includes the traditional rabbit and hat tricks and others, but to each of these he has given a fresh, new twist and added the verve of his own inimitable humor.

Sissom was a student of drama in both high school and college and his application of drollery and repartee lift his show out of the usual class of magic presentations.

The young legerdemain artist has been made a member of the International Brotherhood of Magicians, an association of the best in the business, including such famous names as the great Blackstone.

During the four years he served in the Naval Air Force, Sissom gave his talent to the entertainment of servicemen in hospitals, service installations, and U. S. O. establishments.

Contrary to popular belief that all magic is accomplished with the aid of props, Sissom reveals that a great portion of his feats are the result of practice, practice and more practice until the results obtained are little short of manipulation miracles. The proficiency which he has acquired, the mark of a true professional in the field of entertainment has been brought about through countless hours of hard work.

J. Sissom appears through the courtesy of Southwestern Public Service Company. His appearances in Lockney and elsewhere are sponsored by the Company with which he has been connected since the first of the year. Besides his magical activities, he is working as a student lighting specialist and is preparing to become a member of the Company's lighting advisory staff.

"Second Coming" Is Theme Of Sermon At Sandhill Sunday

Mrs. Bennie M. Rose, commissioned evangelist of the Church of the Nazarene has announced that services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Sunday afternoon, Dec. 19 in the Sandhill schoolhouse.

The parable of a portion of Matt. 25 and Zephaniah I will prove an interesting and helpful study and the necessity of being a welcomed guest at the marriage supper of the lamb will be stressed in the message of the afternoon. Mrs. Rose said. Everyone is invited to attend.

Council Calls Election On Revenue Bond Issues Totaling \$135,000.00

Court Talks With Hiway Commission At Fort Worth

The Floyd County Commissioners Court, Judge W. E. Grimes, Commissioners Charlie Smith, Carl Plumlee, Fred Clark and Boy Calhoun, left Wednesday afternoon for Fort Worth where they have an appointment on Thursday of this week with the State Highway Commission.

The Court will discuss the matter of federal aid roads in Floyd County with the Commission, Mr. Smith said. Floyd County has a present quota of federal aid roads of 14 miles for the next two years, it was said. For this the Court will recommend 12 miles of road from Aiken north to Providence and 2.7 miles in the northeast part of the county.

The Court does not contemplate any trouble getting the Commission to accept the Providence road but the Commission does not want to take over the 2.7 miles of road because of the fact there are two bridges on this road and the cost of constructing them will be high.

Mrs. Maggie Franklin Buried In N. Mexico

Funeral services for Mrs. Maggie Franklin were conducted at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at Tres Piedras, N. M. Mrs. Franklin died at 2 o'clock Monday morning at the home of her brother, Fred Cooper, in Plainview. She had been ill three months.

Mrs. Franklin was a sister of Luther Cooper of Lockney. She moved with her parents to Floyd County in 1906. She taught school at Lockney, Cedar Hill, Pleasant Valley and Muncy in early days. She and her husband moved to New Mexico about 25 years ago.

Survivors include her husband, S. L. Franklin; three sisters, Mrs. Azzie McGill Clovis, N. M.; Mrs. Laura Martin, Portales, N. M.; and Mrs. Lillie Mae Daugherty, Clovis; four brothers, Fred Cooper, Plainview; Luther and Arleigh Cooper of Lockney and Arch Cooper of Olton. A half-brother, W. T. Cooper of Plainview also survives.

County Bond Sales Total Over Quarter Million In 1948

Floyd County's bond sales during the year 1948 from January through November totaled \$275,137.50, according to a report received from Nathan Adams, state chairman of the bond committee, by J. M. Willson of Floydada, county chairman.

The county purchased \$13,462.50 in E bonds in November, the report said. Texans have purchased \$177,000,000 in U. S. savings bonds during the first eleven months of this year and E bonds have totaled \$125,000,000.

Mr. Adams suggested bonds as a gift at Christmas time and also as a bonus for employees.

Thompson And Spence Lease Service Station

George Thompson and Rayburn T. Spence have leased the service station on Highway 70 in South Lockney formerly operated by the Reed Brothers and are now in charge, they announced this week.

The station will be known as Spence and Thompson "66" Station and will handle Phillips gas, oils and greases, tires and tubes, batteries, cold drinks, candy and tobacco, they said. They are inviting their friends and acquaintances to their station for any kind of auto service in their advertisement this week.

R. E. Solomon of Chickasha, Okla. is here visiting his son, Ike Solomon and family.

Extension of Water, Sewer Lines Is Object

The Lockney City Council has called for an election to be held on January 4, 1949, to determine whether or not the qualified voters of the city shall authorize the council to issue water and sewer revenue bonds in the amount of \$135,000. The full text of the notice of election is given on another page in this issue of The Beacon.

At the election the voters will vote on two propositions: First, whether or not the council will be authorized to issue \$21,000 revenue bonds for the purpose of constructing improvements, enlargements, extensions and repairs to the city's sewer system; and second whether or not the Council will be authorized to issue \$114,000 water revenue bonds for the purpose of constructing improvements, enlargements, extensions, and repairs to the city's water system.

Although the combined amount of the two propositions is \$135,000, the City Council has given notice that

Officials Re-elected To Serve For PMA

The County Convention for the election of County Committeemen was held Monday, December 13, 1948, at 10:00 a. m. in the Agricultural Building, Floydada, Texas. The three community delegates composed of Ben O. Quebe, Lockney, William M. Stanforth Jr., South Plains; and Raymond A. Williams, Poydada, meeting in open session named the following for the county committee to serve during the year 1949:

- Chairman, George R. Johnston, Route 1, Lockney, Texas.
- Vice-chairman, William H. Nelson, Route 5, Floydada, Texas.
- Regular Member, William E. Ferguson, Route 1, Floydada, Texas.
- First Alternate, Henry W. Schacht, Route 2, Lockney, Texas.
- Second Alternate, George C. Beedy, Silverton Route, Floydada, Texas.

Of the committeemen named all were members of the 1948 committee except George C. Beedy, who was a member of the 1947 committee. January 1, 1949 will be the beginning of the tenth year of service for Mr. Johnston. The other members are veterans of past programs.

Owen Speaks To Local Brotherhood

Rev. A. Hope Owen was the principal speaker at the monthly meeting of the Lockney Baptist Brotherhood last Monday night.

Rev. Owen's theme was "Open The Door" and he stressed the necessity of churches and church members opening doors that weren't open and looking to the future in religious work.

Also discussed was the church's building program and the proposed new educational building for which plans have been in the making for several weeks. The building is expected to cost around \$30,000 and will house three Sunday School departments and a kitchen.

Fifty-four men attended the supper and the program following. Harmon Handley, president of the organization, presided over the sessions.

Joe Norman Initiated Into Pre-Med Society

Joe Brian Norman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Norman of Lockney was among the 33 University of Texas students to be initiated into the Alpha Epsilon Delta chapter, which is a national honorary pre-medical society. One of the group was a student from Alexandria, Egypt.

Joe is a graduate of Lockney High School and served with the Navy during World War II. He is preparing for a career as a physician.

only \$65,000 of the amount will be issued at the present time. The additional \$70,000 will be set up to issue in future years if needed. The larger amount will be voted on in order to take care of future growth of the city because only one issue of revenue bonds can be outstanding. The council does not believe that it will be necessary to issue the remaining \$70,000 bonds for a period of at least five years. The bonds will not bear interest until issued by the City.

According to the order of election the bonds will be "revenue bonds" which means that they will not be charged against taxation and no tax can ever be raised to support the bonds. The water and sewer revenue bonds will be a pledge of the combined water and sewer systems revenue after deductions of reasonable operating expenses, and each of the bonds, as issued, will carry on its face this clause:

"The holder hereof shall never have the right to demand payment of this obligation out of any funds raised, or to be raised, by taxation."

The City Council has been studying the needs of improving the water and sewer systems for some time. A short time ago the Council secured the services of H. N. Roberts, engineer, of Lubbock to make a survey as to the needs of the systems. As stated above, the money needed to extend the water and sewer lines to take care of additional customers and to enlarge the lines will amount to about \$65,000. This extension, of course, will increase the revenue of the systems.

At a later time it may be necessary to put in an additional tank and storage, and for this reason the Council decided to set up an additional \$70,000 in bonds to be used in the future when needed. The additional bonds will more than pay for the overhead tank but the funds can also be used for additional improvements and extensions of the two systems in future years.

The Council has been attempting to keep up with improvements, extensions and repairs to the two systems through the income from the monthly water and sewer bills. This has been almost impossible to do and capital investments cannot be made satisfactorily from the amount of income that the systems will produce, officials said. For this reason, the water and sewer systems have depreciated in the last few years.

The establishment of this additional water service and equipment repairs will save the citizens of Lockney approximately \$7,000 per year on insurance premiums, city officials estimated. This is more than the combined principal and interest on the revenue bonds will amount to.

The election will be held at the City Hall on January 4, 1949. The polls will open at 8:00 a. m. and close at 7:00 p. m. Only qualified property taxing voters will be allowed to vote. The election officials are J. J. Harris, presiding judge; T. B. Mitchell, judge; Mrs. Clyde Applewhite and Mrs. Henry Hotel, clerks.

Thursday Markets

Poultry	
Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. and over	26c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs.	24c
Cocks, pound	12c
Fryers, heavy, lb.	32c
Turkey Hens, No. 1, lb.	45c
Turkey Toms, No. 1, lb.	40c
EGGS, No. 1, dozen	45c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, lb.	65c
Butterfat, No. 2, lb.	63c
Hides	
Hides, No. 1, pound	13c
Grain	
Wheat, per bushel	\$2.06
Milo, per cwt.	\$2.15
Alfalfa Hay	
Trucker's price, No. 1 per ton, in barn	\$35.00
Cotton	
Spot cotton, middling, Dallas market	32.00
Cottonseed, per ton	\$70.00



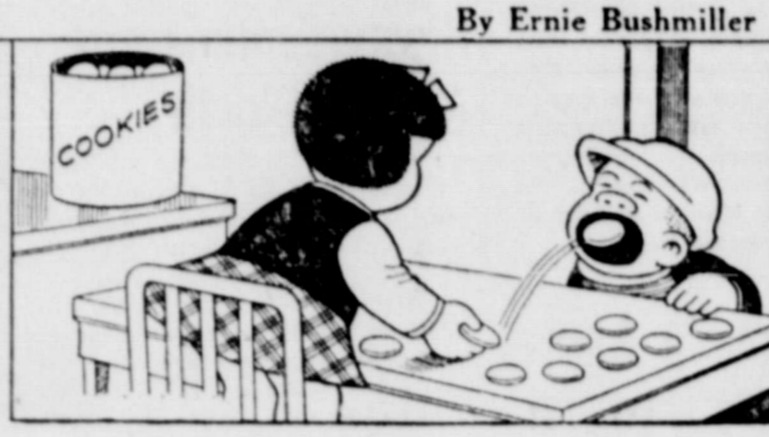
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Bobby Sox by Mary Lora



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By Ernie Bushmiller



LITTLE REGGIE



By Margarita



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MENTHOLATUM

Professor Collects Texas Folk Sayings

AUSTIN, Texas—If evidence is wanted that Texans have a strong tendency to use folk sayings and pro-

verbial quotes in every-day speech, one University of Texas English professor has that evidence.

Dr. Mody C. Boatwright has a collection of several hundred folk and "wise" sayings, along with proverbial rhymes and commonly-used expressions, which he will soon send to the American Dialect Society.

The Society asked Dr. Boatwright to help collect proverbs from Texas for use in a future publication, "Dictionary of American and Canadian Proverbs." He began his task two years ago, and said he believes the material he now has is a fairly composite and complete sampling of frequently-used expressions.

Mr. and Mrs. Elster McLeod of Floydada were visiting with friends at Lockney Saturday.

Providence News

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brandes and boys of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Jones of Lockney were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLaughlin on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes and Debra visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scheele Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schuette and family spent the week end visiting friends and relatives in Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Quebe were Amarillo shoppers on Saturday.

Delores Samman spent Wednesday night with Carolyn Clark.

Carolyn Sammann spent Wednesday night with Janice Mathis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLaughlin were Amarillo shoppers on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sammann and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scheele visited with Rev. and Mrs. H. Anderson on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Walter Sammann visited with Mrs. H. Anderson Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Neumann and Helen were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Scheele on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann and Valera were visiting in Littlefield last Thursday.

Little Valera Sammann and Glenda Harden visited school Monday.

Gladys Matthews spent Sunday with Valera Sammann.

Carolyn Sammann spent Sunday with Arlene Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Scheele and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann were Amarillo shoppers on Tuesday.

"Winter Complaints" Hit Children Too

AUSTIN, TEXAS—Every mother is familiar with childhood illnesses known commonly as "summer complaints," but many mothers fail to realize that the winter season brings its quota of "winter complaints" from which young children must be carefully protected.

In stressing this important fact, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, says: "Certain winter diseases are just as harmful and just as likely to make their appearance as summer ailments, unless children are safeguarded against them."

In the group of winter health hazards, Dr. Cox included influenza, colds, tonsillitis, pneumonia, bronchitis, asthma, and diphtheria when no immunization has been given.

Any such disease affecting a child's respiratory or breathing system is apt to be very serious and in many cases it is fatal. Pneumonia often develops from a neglected cold, or may follow a severe case of measles or whooping cough. Bronchial conditions may also prove to be an after effect of these diseases, and certainly these respiratory illnesses are much more difficult to combat than the digestive disturbances commonly called summer complaints.

"These winter diseases are especially dangerous to babies and very young children," Dr. Cox said. "Nearly all of them are spread from the secretions of the nose and mouth. Children not in good health are naturally more susceptible than those who are stronger, and the first line of defense is to keep the child's resistance built up to the highest possible point; the second is to keep him under competent medical supervision, and the third is to make sure that they avoid contact with persons who have coughs and colds."

Tech Teams Win In Stock Judging Event

LUBBOCK — Texas Technological college, represented by two teams in intercollegiate judging at the recent international livestock show has won recognition in the upper quarter of contest results.

In the international crop contest, held at Kansas City, Texas Tech placed third to a first place win by Oklahoma A & M, and a second by Nebraska.

The Texas Tech team ranked tenth in the livestock judging contest in Chicago with 4,592 points. Oklahoma A & M placed first with 4,654, and Purdue second with 4,631.

Robert Cox, senior student from Lubbock, placed sixth in hog judging and ninth in cattle judging. He was tenth high man in individual contests from a group of 155.

In the separate contests, Texas Tech placed fifth in hog judging and tenth in sheep judging.

One good way to get rid of roaches in the kitchen is to leave nothing for them to eat. Keep the crumbs and small bits of food picked up.

Bargain Rates On Daily Papers

The Lockney Beacon is accepting subscriptions, either new or renewal, to the following daily papers at rates quoted:

The Amarillo Daily News rates are now only \$10.95 for daily and Sunday or \$8.95 for daily only.

Fort Worth Star Telegram, \$13.95 daily and Sunday, \$12.60 daily only, and Sunday; \$8.95 daily only.

Lubbock Morning Avalanche, \$9.00 daily and Sunday; \$8.00 daily only.

Wichita Falls Record News, \$8.75 daily and Sunday.

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MEN OUTNUMBER WOMEN 4 TO 1 AT TECH

LUBBOCK—It's a man's world by a four to one ratio at Texas Technological college.

Whether by choice or circumstance, there are 4,678 men enrolled for classes to 1,467 women. Most of the students come from Texas, representing 598 towns. However, according to birthplaces, students from 42 of the 48 states and from 10 foreign countries are here.

This year, the only states not represented are Delaware, Idaho, Maine, Nevada and Utah. Neighboring Oklahoma is contributing the most out-of-state student with 442. Of that number 193 are women.

Second to Lubbock in representation on the campus is Fort Worth with 135 students.

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Sterley News

By Mrs. M. A. Boone

The Sterley Home Demonstration Club held its annual Christmas party Tuesday night at the club room. Members of the club and their families were present. A dinner consisting of baked chicken and dressing, cranberry sauce, potato salad, fruit salad, green beans, celery, pie, and coffee was served. After dinner games of 42 was played. In the midst of the games Santa Claus made his appearance and gave gifts to the children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sulter left Friday for Florida to spend the holidays with their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Melton of Turkey and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Melton and children of Edgin visited Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Melton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Nelson of Anton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Nelson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mullins of Abilene spent the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mullins.

A pink and blue snowier was given in the home of Mrs. J. N. Southard Friday honoring Mrs. James Harvis. Refreshments of cake and hot chocolate were served. Those present or sending gifts were Mmes. Everett Rivers, Lois Melton, M. A. Boone, B. A. Howell, L. A. Claborn, W. B. Mullins, J. D. Nelson, G. P. Nelson, A. K. Glover, J. N. Southard, A. H. Sulter, James Stack, L. L. Jones and C. B. Humphrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mitchell, Jackie and Clyde of Modesto, California, and Mrs. Bessie Arney and children of Amarillo visited Sunday and Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stack are visiting in Ft. Worth this week.

Mrs. C. B. Humphrey and children were in Plainview Tuesday.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Soil Conservation District News

The Floyd County Soil Conservation District held their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, December 8th. Bert Bobbitt attended the meeting as a new member of the board of supervisors. All other members were present. The recent soil blowing was discussed and the board thought that the emergency could be reduced if the farmers would rough up the land by chiseling or listing. Clodding the land will work and the few fields which soil type is such that clodding is impossible, could be aggravated by plowing. To prevent future erosion on this type of soil it should be planted to grass at first opportunity. The fields that were cloudy or had a good cover of stubble did not move as much as fields that were bare and pulverized. Better management of the crop residue, contour farming and terracing during seasonable years will minimize hazardous conditions during dry years. The drought has caused part of this condition to materialize while some operators overgrazed fields or otherwise abused the land. One farmer can undo the efforts of several if he refuses to cooperate in controlling a blow hazard and lets his land blow over on adjoining fields. Preventative measures require less effort and expense than emergency treatment. If wind erosion develops it can be checked and stopped much easier at start than after several blows.

Applications for district assistance were approved for the following: Durwood Jack, Vernon Daniels, Ray & James C. Pinner, O. G. Mayfield, Raymond A. Klatt, T. E. Davis, Clark Cates, E. M. Jackson, R. R. Ferguson, Frank Probasco, O. L. Lawrance, Wm. Culppeper, Milton Shore, Rene Yeary and E. E. Joiner.

Conservation plans between the district and the following cooperators were also approved: H. A. Tardy, C. R. Reed, D. L. Wright, Frank Probasco, O. P. Clark, Ben Cogdill, W. G. Walker and A. O. Foster.

Postmaster General Warns Public Against Delay In Mailing

With the normal mail volume at an all-time high, Postmaster General Jesse M. Donaldson today warned Christmas mailers that unless they mail their Christmas parcels at once and their Christmas cards well in advance of Christmas week that they face the likelihood of not having them delivered until after Christmas.

Directing the attention of Christmas mailers to the fact that normal mail volume in the last several months has daily reached the proportions of the peak of the Christmas period a year ago, the Postmaster General said that this year's Christmas mail, added to the present everyday record volume, has created the most acute mail congestion and transportation problem in the entire history of the Postal Service.

Only by the immediate mailing of Christmas parcels, Mr. Donaldson said, can the senders be assured that their gifts will arrive prior to Christmas and thereby be in keeping with the spirit of the holiday season.

The Post Office Department, Mr. Donaldson pointed out, has been making preparations for this year's anticipated record Christmas mailings since early last Spring. He added, however, that only by the wholehearted cooperation of the mailing public with this urgent mail early plea of the Postal Service will it be possible to handle this year's unprecedented holiday mailings on time.

While every available means of transportation and extra facilities have been pressed into service, together with the employment of approximately 300,000 temporary employees during the holiday period, Mr. Donaldson emphasized that much of this advance preparation will have been in vain if the mailing public fails to place their Christmas parcels in the mails at once.

Root Rot Reduced By Rotation

COLLEGE STATION—Losses from root-rot disease are markedly reduced following rotation of cotton with certain legume crops, according to research results just released by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Findings of a 5-year study conducted at the Temple substation are given in Bulletin 699 entitled "Control of Cotton Root Rot by Sweetclover in Rotation."

Sweetclovers best adapted to growing conditions in the central Blacklands of Texas are Melilotus Indica and hubam. Both were used in the rotation experiments reported in this bulletin as winter and combined winter-summer crops.

Rotation with hubam that is grown to maturity at least once every third or fourth year was found the best means yet known for the control of root rot in the central Blacklands.

In addition to a larger yield of cotton through disease control and increased soil fertility, hubam provides additional farm income when used as pasture for livestock or when harvested as hay or seed.

Authors of the bulletin are E. W. Lyle, formerly plant pathologist of Plant Physiology and Pathology; H. O. Hull, now superintendent of the

Station's Bluebonnet Farm, and J. R. Johnston, superintendent of the Temple station.

Dianna Dean of Borger spent last week here visiting with Mrs. G. J. Smith.

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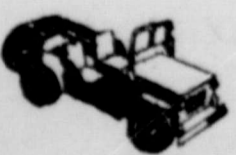
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Conservation Program Open To All Farmers

The 1949 Agricultural Conservation Program is open to every farmer in Floyd County. Farmers who have a conservation problem on their farms are urged to participate in the program. Full information is available at the County Conservation Office in Floydada.

Mr. G. B. Johnston, Chairman of the County Agricultural Conservation Committee, advises that within the limits of funds available, assistance is available to all farmers who participate in the program. Conservation practices carried out must meet the requirements for such practices.

It should be understood, says Johnston, that the funds which this county receives for conservation work represents the National interest in conserving soil and water in this county. The county committee is charged with the responsibility of seeing that the funds are used to get maximum conservation for each dollar spent.

The conservation practices which have been approved for national use in conserving soil and water have been drawn up by the county committees, State PMA Committees, State Technical Committees and the Agricultural Conservation Programs Branch in Washington, D. C. County practices have been selected and adapted by community and county committees.

Assistance under the program is intended to encourage additional conservation and not to help farmers with customary operations, Mr. Johnston states.

Practices approved in Floyd County for use in the 1949 program are as follows:

1. Construction of terraces for which necessary outlets and waterways are provided.
2. Construction of diversion terraces to control excess water.
3. Subsoiling to permit better penetra-

tion of water.

6. Bringing clod forming subsoil to the surface of sandy cropland to prevent wind erosion.

7. Leaving on the land as a protection against wind erosion the stalks or stubble of sorghums or millet.

8. Managing crop residues to protect soil from wind erosion.

9. Contour listing, contour chiseling, cross-slope chiseling, basin listing or pit cultivation.

10. Contour seeding drilled grasses, legumes, or small grains.

11. Control of bindweed.

14. Leveling for irrigation land for which water is available.

15. Reorganization of a permanent farm irrigation system to conserve water and prevent erosion.

16. Drilling or digging wells for livestock water.

18. Construction of earthen dams or reservoirs for livestock water or erosion control.

20. Elimination of destructive plants on noncrop pasture and range land.

21. Controlling competing weeds in pastures by mowing.

22. Reseeding range or pasture land by deferred grazing.

23. Constructing fireguards on non-crop pasture and range land.

24. Establishing or improving permanent pastures by seeding adapted pasture grasses, pasture legumes, or mixtures of grasses and legumes.

26. Growing a green manure or cover crop of summer legumes.

27. Establishing a satisfactory cover of winter legumes and ryegrass seeded in the fall of 1948.

29. Turning under a satisfactory growth of sweet clover.

31. Application of potash and superphosphate.

CAPTAINS ARE NAMED

LUBBOCK—Bobby Williams, Phillips center, and Ernest Hawkins, Lamesa quarterback, have been named captains of the 1949 Texas Tech Border conference championship football team. During the season captains were named for each game but at the close of play these two were chosen permanent leaders. Both have won four letters.

Aiken News

By Mrs. M. B. Salmon

Mr. Wiley Moore's niece, Mrs. J. T. Gother of Plainview spent last Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Moore. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Compton visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duval Monday night for awhile.

Mr. Bill Wesley, Nita and Corky left Wednesday for Grand Prairie. They spent Wednesday night and Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Leck Powell and returned home Friday night. They purchased Junior a new Frasier.

Mr. Wiley Moore made a business trip to Lubbock Thursday.

Miss Juanelle Martain has obtained a position in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Buckner and Peggy and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Salmon visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Compton Tuesday night.

Mr. Olan Rexrode returned to his home Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duval accompanied him home and visited relatives at Hollis, Okla.

Mrs. O. A. Lucas' brother, Mr. J. E. Thornton of Plainview, visited in her home Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Starkie and family were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Starkie Saturday night in Lockney.

Mrs. Artie Baker came home last week after spending awhile at Peecos.

Mrs. Charlie Elam and Mary Bennett left Thursday for Tulla where they will visit relatives for a few days and attend to business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Finney of Winderado and their two grandchildren

of Kress spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Compton.

Little Charlotte Warren of Plainview spent the weekend with her grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Weathers are proud parents of a baby girl weighing 8 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wesley, Nita, Corky, Rex Rogers and Peggy Williams were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Conner at Petersburg.

Grandpa Campbell is in Plainview hospital. The community wishes him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Stafford is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Compton for awhile.

Junior Wesley visited friends at Canyon Sunday.

Little Katherine Chandler is on the sick list this week. The community wishes her a speedy recovery.

League Revises Class A Districts

The Interscholastic League has issued the tentative list for Class A schools for the 1949 football season. They are as follows:

District 1—Canyon, Dalhart, Dumas, Hereford Perryton, Phillips.

District 2—Clarendon, Lefors, McLean, Memphis, Shamrock, Wellington.

District 3—Abernathy, Crosbyton, Floydada, Lockney, Matador, Paducah, Spur, Ralls, Tulla. (Note: Tulla has been added to District 3-A since the past season.)

District 4—Levelland, Littlefield, Morton, Muleshoe, O'Donnell, Post, Seagraves, Slaton, Sedan, Sundown, Tahoka.

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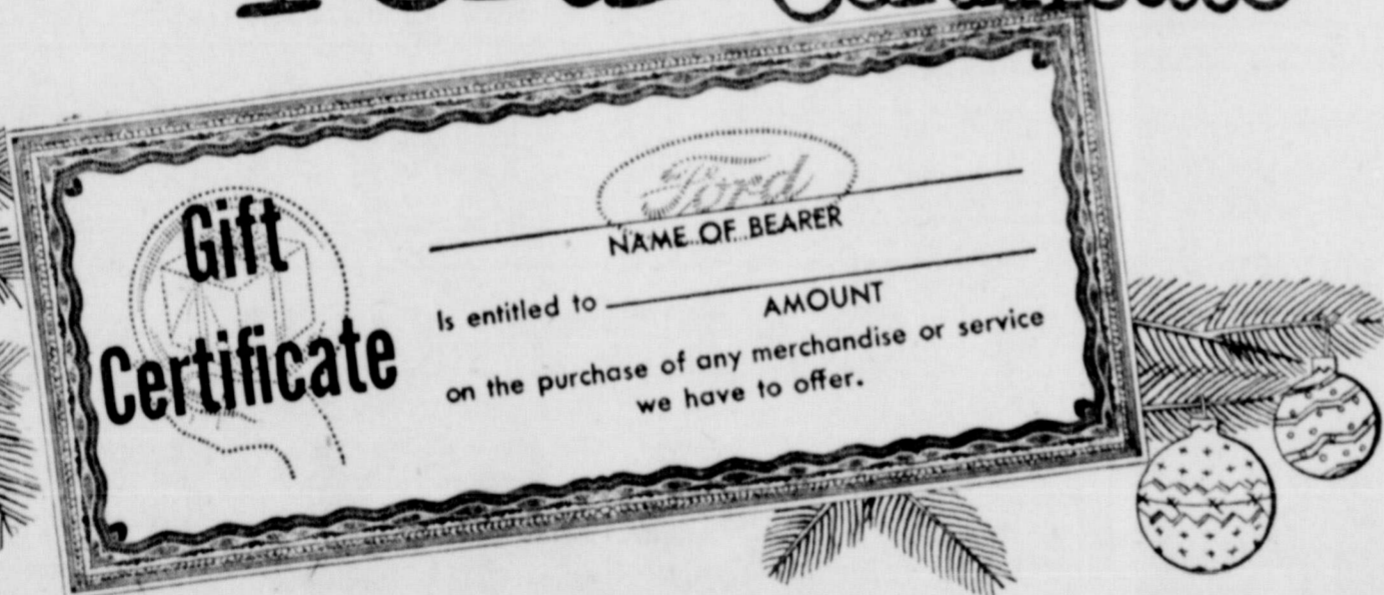
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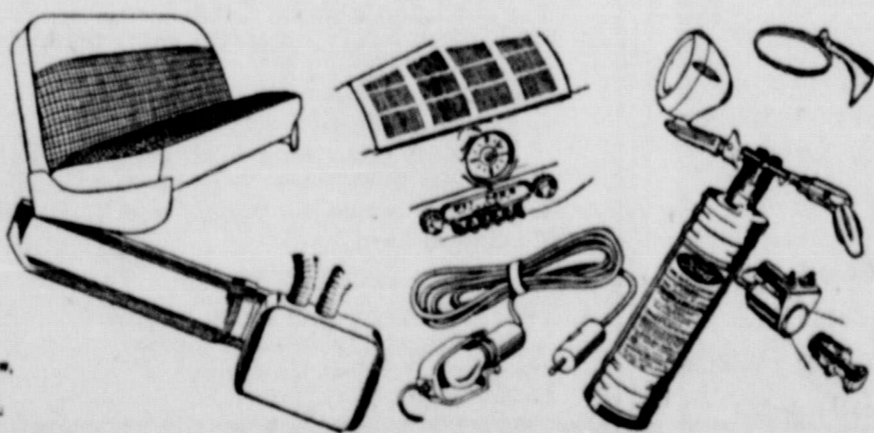


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Society News

Dinner Marks Birthday For Father And Son

M. D. Lynn and son, J. B. Lynn were named honorees at a birthday dinner given in their honor Sunday, December 12 at the Lynn home 520 E. Spruce.

A number of relatives were present for the occasion. Two large decorated

cakes centered the table where places were laid for the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holiday and Betty Jo, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Holiday and children, Floydada; Mrs. Cludia Hinkle and sons, Floydada; Mrs. Julia Holiday, mother of Mrs. Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert E. Lynn and son, Edward, who are staying in the Lynn home.

4-H Girls Party Saturday Afternoon

A Christmas party for 4-H Club girls of Floyd County has been planned for Saturday afternoon, December 18, in the American Legion Hall in Floydada. Games will be played and gifts exchanged. Mrs. Orvus Shearer, County 4-H Girls' Sponsor will be in charge.

At the present time there are 12 girls' 4-H Clubs in the county. Officers of the clubs will be introduced at the Christmas party. They are as follows:

Dougherty: President, Ginger Tinnin; Vice-president, Maxine Hatley; Secretary, Joyce Clayton.

Lakeview: President, Mary Sue Dunford; Vice-president, Betty Sue Thornton; Secretary, Patricia Spears.

Lockney Jr.: President, Barbara June Hays; Vice-president, Patsy Martin; Secretary, Darla Allison.

Lockney Sr.: President, Elizabeth Handley; Vice-president, Rochelle Rigdon; Secretary, Pat Pylant.

Floydada 4th and 5th Grade: President, Nita Joe Lightfoot; vice-president, Sonja Beth Wilson; Secretary, Linda Maxey.

Floydada 6th Grade: President, Patsy Ruth Gilliland; vice-president, Shirley Harper; secretary, Jo Hall.

Floydada 7th Grade: President, Mildred Clark; vice-president, Patsy Roberson; secretary, Aurie Bell Eubanks.

Floydada 8th grade: President, Ann Welborn; vice-president, Betty Gayle Stewart; Secretary, Jean Porter.

Providence: President, Marie Schoele; vice-president, Delores Brown; Secretary, Bobby Buth.

Sand Hill: President, Shirley Womack; vice-president, Dorothy Holmes; secretary, Buena Mae Holmes.

South Plains: President, Winnie Hartman; vice-president, Peggy Jones; Secretary, Gail Brown.

Lone Star: President, Betty Sue Parish; vice-president, Leona Graves; secretary, Loretta Peugh.

Mrs. Lina Copeland is spending a few days at Petersburg with her daughter, Mrs. Bill Allmon and husband.

Xmas Party Enjoyed By 4-H Club Girls

Mrs. Jake Jones, sponsor of the Providence 4-H Club girls entertained them with a party at the club room on Monday evening, Dec. 13. Games were enjoyed, gifts were exchanged and refreshments of fruit, candy, nuts and cakes were enjoyed by Marie Schoele, Bobby Buth, Carolyn, Delores and Valera Sammann, Maebeth and Patsy McLaughlin, Janice Mathis, Delores Brown, Payrene and Martha Harden, Pencie Boedeker, Don McLaughlin, Warren Mathis, Carol and Bobby Sammann, Robert Brown, Cecil Boedeker, Billy Jo Buth; Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Schoele, Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Samman and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Jones.

Gloria Ann Carthel of Floydada spent the week end here with her grandmother, Mrs. F. S. Byars.

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FOR SALE—Glen Roberts electric welder, Ace welder, one large, one small air hammers. If interested contact G. E. Lynn, 520 East Spruce, Lockney. 14-2tp

FOR SALE—One ton Ford Pick-up, 1941 model. See Dorsey Baker. 14-tfc

FOR SALE—3 bottom Moline Plow, W. Also SC Case 41 model Tractor. See T. W. Ashburn, 3 1/2 miles south of Lockney. 14-2tp

FOR SALE—Boys regular bicycle, \$30. See Mrs. D. D. Langford. 14-2tp

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FOR SALE—5 rooms and bath across street from high school, W. H. Higby. 13-4tp

FOR TRADE—1948 model Ford tractor will trade in on 4-row tractor. See Joe Page, 5 1/2 miles north of Lockney. 12-tfc

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

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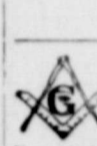
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A son weighing eight pounds, twelve ounces was born December 1 to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Teuton of Lubbock. He made his appearance at the St. Mary's Hospital. He has been named William Thomas. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Teuton of Lockney and Mrs. Williams of Alameda, Calif.

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WHO IS WASHINGTON'S BOSS?

In late September, the Times Herald of Dallas, Texas, published an outstanding editorial under the title SELF-HELP WILL CURB WASHINGTON'S POWER. Here is the text of it: "Many, if not most, Americans complain of the continuing centralization of power at Washington. And many are the solutions for this problem offered, especially in this political year. Some of these are highly complex. Others are more simple."

"W. G. Vollmer, president of the Texas & Pacific Railroad, offered a simple solution this week in a talk to laymen of the First Methodist Church. It would be hard to find one more effective, if it were carried out."

"Mr. Vollmer's solution was this—don't go to Washington so often seeking money and favors."

"He laid down this prohibition for American communities, saying they must solve their local problems if freedom in this country is to be preserved, but we may be sure he would extend it to private corporations and to individuals also. The record shows these, too, continually run to Washington for money and other aid, just as states, cities, towns and hamlets do."

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is going to try to meet our demands. To do so, it must have the power."

"If we want to curb that power, let's stop asking it for so much."

This comment so impressed John N. Garner, former vice-president of the United States, that he wrote the Times Herald it "is one of the soundest editorials I have read in many moons. If every paper in Texas, yes, in the United States, would follow suit and continue to repeat I believe we (would) get results."

The present burden of taxation is largely the result of the attitude of the people that the Federal Treasury is a grab bag for anybody and any community. We have made the government the biggest of all bankers, and an operator of business. The stage is now set to further enlarge its activities and increase taxes for that purpose. And we are parrying the concept of social security to the point

where it is undermining the self-reliance of the people—to say nothing of what it is doing to their pocket-books. Ultimately, unless checked, the present trend will destroy all security.

The Dallas Times Herald, Mr. Vollmer, and Mr. Garner, have told us a fundamental truth. There's no other way to curb Washington's dangerous power.

WHO ELECTED HARRY TRUMAN?

Ever since the election, some of the more prominent labor leaders have been claiming that the unions elected Mr. Truman. According to them, the biggest single issue was the Taft-Hartley Act.

That will take a good deal of proving to anyone who has made even a cursory examination of the final returns. Governor Dewey ran strongly in the industrial states, where the labor vote is proportionately largest, and carried most of them. The President, on the other hand, did extremely well in the agricultural regions where organized labor amounts to a small minority of the population.

Arizona provides the most interesting example. Mr. Truman carried it easily. Yet, at the same time, the voters approved a measure outlawing the closed shop. That certainly doesn't look as if the people want labor to hold the whip hand over the government or the people.

Mr. Truman does not owe his remarkable success to any group or any class. He wasn't elected by labor or capital or agriculture or any other segment of the nation. He was elected by the American people, and he is the President of all the people. He doesn't even owe allegiance to the Democratic leaders—most of them deserted him when they thought his cause was lost, and he won in spite of these.

Harry S. Truman has a chance to go down in history as one of the great Presidents—as man who, when the world was torn between slavery and freedom, stood staunchly for the liberties of mankind, and was too big to admit allegiance to special interests of any kind. The whole civilized world hopes that he may measure up to the enormous responsibilities that have fallen upon him. He has a chance now

1949 Crop Situation Is Discussed

COLLEGE STATION—What's ahead in the crop situation for next year?

This question may be asked by a great many Texas farmers, says C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist of Texas A. & M. College. And here's his answer.

There's a caution sign out for the wheat and feed grain producers. Prices of these crops will probably drop a third this winter and early spring. So they will be about a third lower next year than they were in 1948. Exports may still be as large next year, but are being trimmed in places by large demands for durable

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goods and armament. Figuring on average weather conditions, cotton farmers should have a good year. The agricultural economists figure twice as much cotton will be exported next year as last. At the same time, the nation here at home won't use quite as much as in 1948. The support prices will hold at 90 percent of parity—which means the government loan price will be around 27 cents for middling seven-eighths inches in Texas markets. Here again, says Bates, an acreage boost next year might bring production control problems into the 1950 picture. Peanut growers do not know yet whether marketing quotas will be in effect. Support prices announced for

1949 will average about \$210 per ton. So to get guaranteed prices, the goober growers may have to comply with acreage controls authorized by last year's referendum vote.

And the way it looks now, the acreage goal for peanuts next year is likely to be down 10 percent or more.

That's about the size of things as they look now, says Bates. Two of the big things that will affect the crop outlooks next year are the government spending for European relief and the military preparedness program.

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Lone Star News

By Mrs. Harold Griffith

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Mr. and Mrs. Buck Sams, Mr. and rooms in the afternoon on Thursday. The Christmas program by the children will be Friday night. Everyone is invited to come and hear the children. School will be resumed on January 3, 1949. Mamye Lou and Bobby Dean Nance of Amarillo were recent week-end visitors in the home of their parents,

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Nance. Nita Jo Reidhimer visited with Sissy Frizzell last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scarbrough and girls of Amarillo spent Tuesday night with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nance. L. M. Reidhimer, Jack Frizzell, Harold Griffith, David Frizzell and Harold Dean Griffith attended the

fighters in Plainview Wednesday night. On the evening that a farewell party was given for Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hatchett in the Albert King home, a child's tan, water-repellant jacket was left. Who ever left this jacket there would you please come and call for it. Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Jarrett have recently completed a pretty new house on their farm north and east of Lone Star and have moved into it. We are all proud for the Jarretts and will soon come calling to be shown through the new house. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mosley with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mosley have purchased the place vacated by the Jarretts. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mosley have already moved to this place and will continue to make it their home. They are making some changes but will soon be settled. We are happy to have them as one family in the community and hope they will like living here. We extend to them our heartiest welcome. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frizzell and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Fletcher in Plainview Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watkins and Sherry visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Watkins of Plainview Sunday. Mrs. Lowell Jarrett has been spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Lee Davenport, who is ill in the Silverton hospital with pneumonia. Visitors in the Walter Griffith home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Kline Nall and daughters of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Harding Nall of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Griffith and children of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Griffith and sons. Mr. W. T. Rankin, L. M. Reidhimer, Hubert Frizzle and Herman R. King were in McKinney, Texas Saturday on business. Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Wheeler of Lubbock spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Albert King home. Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. King were week end guests in the Albert King home. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Phillips and family Mr. and Mrs. Harly Workman and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Workman and Grandma Frizzell were luncheon guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Herwan King. In the afternoon James Miller brought a new 4 passenger Aronica Sedan out to the King and gave people rides. This caused lots of excitement and a large crowd come over to watch. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watkins are in Albuquerque and Santa Fe, New Mexico this week on business. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Rankin and children visited Mrs. T. S. McGehee in Plainview Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Buckner and family will move to their new home near Hale Center this week. Visitors in the Ira Graves home Sunday was his mother, Mrs. Maggie Graves of Tulla and his brothers Cecil and Homer Graves. Mr. and Mrs. Arch Crager were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman King Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Reed Lawson and Sunny visited his father, Morgan Lawson, Sunday night. Mr. Lawson is still in the Hospital at Lockney but is improving. Delbert Phillips of Denver, Colorado is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Phillips for the Christmas holidays. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nance, Betty Ann and J. D. attended church in Lockney Sunday morning. In the afternoon they visited their son Hugh Nance and family of Silverton. Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Johnston and G. B. Jr. attended the funeral of Mr. Johnston's uncle at Denton, Texas on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Reidhimer and Jo visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Reidhimer of Plainview Sunday. Joy Keeter of Lockney spent the weekend with Wilma Foster. Mr. and Mrs. George Long of Silverton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Frizzell and Pat Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tiner and Gary Don with Mrs. G. C. Tiner were in Lubbock Saturday shopping. Lowell Jarrett and Larry spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs.

Jack Frizzell. Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Peugh and children visited in the Tom Wells home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Floyd W. Jackson entertained with a surprise birthday dinner for her father, Buck Sams of Lockney, on Sunday. Those present were Mrs. M. J. Sams, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Leaverton, Miss Juanita and Janice Thompson, Barry and Billy Thompson and the hostess Mrs. Jackson and Betty. Visitors in the Bob Tiner home Saturday night and Sunday were Son Watson, Betty Jo Hodgins of Lubbock, Lonnie Harmon of Roaring Springs, and Reynita Martin of Lockney. Glenda Ann Reidhimer spent the week-end with Betty Sue Farish. Eugene Harris of Amarillo visited in the Herman King home Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Earl Davenport of Lubbock, Lee Davenport and Roy Lynn, and Mrs. Arlie Barnett of Amarillo spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Jarrett. This has been visitation week at the lunch room. Parents were requested to come and eat one lunch there this week so that all may know how the lunch room is progressing. Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Baxter and girls have purchased the W. B. Hatchett home and are now living there.

We are glad to have the Baxter, our community once again and hope they will feel at home here. Mr. and Mrs. Shreeves have moved into the Wingo rent house and will be one of our community. We are glad that they, too, have moved into this neighborhood. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Merrick and Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Foster visited in the Albert King home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Farish, Mrs. R. L. Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frizzell were in Amarillo on Wednesday. Donald Farish spent Tuesday night with David Frizzell.

JUDGING TEAM INVITED
LUBBOCK—Texas Technological college has been invited to sponsor a judging team to participate in the intercollegiate flower show to be held at the St. Louis Flower show association exhibit March 13-20. Intercollegiate competition has formerly been conducted at the National Flower show, which is not scheduled for 1949. Hogs may be wormed at any time, but two weeks after they're weaned is the best time. Use five grams of sodium fluoride in a pound of dry feed for pigs up to 25 pounds. For those weighing more, give them another dose of the same 12 hours later.

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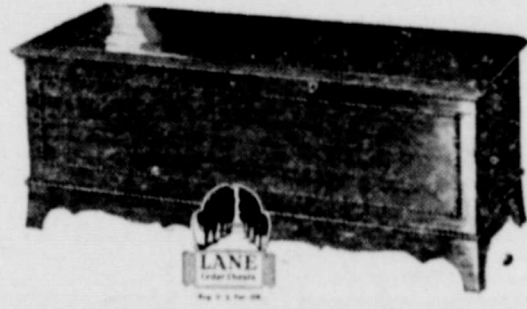
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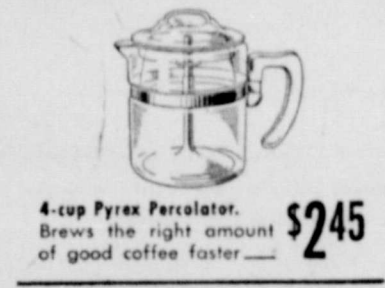
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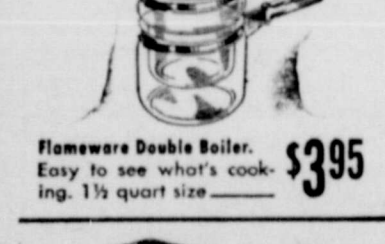


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NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS
 THE STATE OF TEXAS
 CITY OF LOCKNEY
 COUNTY OF FLOYD
 TO ALL QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY OF LOCKNEY, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID CITY, AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:
 TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the City of Lockney, Texas, on the 4th day of January, 1949 to determine whether or not the City Council of said City shall be author-

ized to issue the bonds of said City, in the following amounts and for the following purposes, to-wit:
 \$21,000 revenue bonds for the purpose of constructing improvements, enlargements, extensions and repairs to the City's Sewer System;
 \$114,000 revenue bonds for the purpose of constructing improvements, enlargements, extensions and repairs to the City's Water System;
 and which election was duly called and ordered by the order of the City Council of said City, passed on the

14th day of December, 1948, and which ELECTION ORDER is made a part of this Notice, and is in words and figures as follows, to-wit:
ORDER FOR BOND ELECTION
 THE STATE OF TEXAS
 CITY OF LOCKNEY
 COUNTY OF FLOYD
 ON THIS, the 14th day of December, 1948, the City Council of the City of Lockney, Texas, convened in special session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the City Hall, there being present and in attendance the following members:
 G. M. BRUNNIER, MAYOR,
 LLOYD WOFFORD,
 J. D. WOOD,
 JESSE COX,
 J. B. SEALE,
 J. D. COPELAND, ALDERMEN
 and with the following members absent: None, constituting a quorum; at which time the following among other business, was transacted, to-wit:

It was moved by Alderman Wofford, and seconded by Alderman Wood that there be submitted to the qualified voters of the City of Lockney, Texas, who are property taxpayers therein, and who have duly rendered their property for taxation, propositions for the issuance of the bonds of said City, in the following amounts and for the following purposes, to-wit:
 \$21,000 revenue bonds for the purpose of constructing improvements, enlargements, extensions and repairs to the City's Sewer System;
 \$114,000 revenue bonds for the purpose of constructing improvements, enlargements, extensions and repairs to the City's Water System.

The above motion carried by the following vote:
 AYES: Alderman Wofford, Wood, Cox, Seale and Copeland.
 NOES: None.

Thereupon, Alderman Wofford introduced an order calling an election for the purpose of submitting the propositions to a vote of the qualified property taxing voters of said City, and moved the passage and adoption of such order. The motion was seconded by Alderman Wood.

The motion, carrying with it the passage and adoption of the election order, prevailed by the following vote:

AYES: Alderman Wofford, Wood, Cox, Seale and Copeland.
 NOES: None.

THE ELECTION ORDER IS AS FOLLOWS:

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Lockney, Texas, deems it advisable to issue the bonds of said City for the purposes hereinafter stated; therefore,

BE IT ORDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOCKNEY, TEXAS:

I. That an election be held on the 4th day of January, 1949, which date is not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this order, at which election the following propositions shall be submitted to the qualified electors who own taxable property in said City, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation:

PROPOSITION NUMBER 1.
 "SHALL the City Council of the City of Lockney, Texas, be authorized to issue TWENTY-ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$21,000) of the revenue bonds of said City for the purpose of constructing improvements, enlargements, extensions and repairs to the City's Sewer System, maturing serially over a period of years not to exceed twenty (20) years from their date, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed FOUR AND ONE-FOURTH PER CENTUM (4 1/4%) per annum, payable annually or semi-annually; and shall the said City Council be authorized to pay both principal and interest of said bonds from and secure same by an exclusive first lien on and pledge of the revenues of the City's combined Water and Sewer System, after deduction of reasonable expenses of operation and maintenance, as defined by statute?"

PROPOSITION NUMBER 2.
 "SHALL the City Council of the City of Lockney, Texas, be authorized to issue ONE HUNDRED FOURTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$114,000) of the revenue bonds of said City for the purpose of constructing improvements, enlargements, extensions and repairs to the City's Water System, maturing serially over a period of years not to exceed twenty (20) years from their date,

bearing interest at a rate not to exceed FOUR AND ONE-FOURTH PER CENTUM (4 1/4%) per annum, payable annually or semi-annually; and shall the said City Council be authorized to pay both principal and interest of said bonds from and secure same by an exclusive first lien on and pledge of the revenues of the City's combined Water and Sewer System, after deduction of reasonable expenses of operation and maintenance, as defined by statute?"

II. In the event the said revenue bonds are authorized to be issued by a majority of the qualified electors of said City, voting at said election, and the same are issued and sold, the holder or holders of such bonds shall never have the right to demand payment thereof out of any funds raised or to be raised by taxation; and each bond issued or executed, in pursuance of such election, shall contain this clause:

"The holder hereof shall never have the right to demand payment of this obligation out of any funds raised, or to be raised, by taxation."

III. That said election shall be held at the CITY HALL in the City of Lockney, Texas, and the entire City shall constitute one election precinct.

IV. That the following named persons are hereby appointed officers of the election, to-wit:
 J. J. Harris, Presiding Judge,
 T. B. Mitchell, Judge,
 Mrs. Clyde Applewhite, Clerk, and
 Mrs. Henry Hodel, Clerk.

V. That said election shall be held under the provisions of and in accordance with the laws governing the issuance of municipal bonds by cities, as provided in the General Laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified electors who own taxable property in the City and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be qualified to vote.

VI. That the ballots of said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT
 "FOR THE ISSUANCE OF SEWER REVENUE BONDS AND THE PLEDGING OF THE REVENUES OF THE CITY'S COMBINED WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM TO THE PAYMENT THEREOF, AS SUBMITTED IN PROPOSITION NUMBER 1."
 "AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF SEWER REVENUE BONDS AND THE PLEDGING OF THE REVENUES OF THE CITY'S COMBINED WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM TO THE PAYMENT THEREOF, AS SUBMITTED IN PROPOSITION NUMBER 1."
 "FOR THE ISSUANCE OF WATER REVENUE BONDS AND THE PLEDGING OF THE REVENUES OF THE CITY'S COMBINED WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM TO THE PAYMENT THEREOF, AS SUBMITTED IN PROPOSITION NUMBER 2."
 "AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF WATER REVENUE BONDS AND THE PLEDGING OF THE REVENUES OF THE CITY'S COMBINED WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM TO THE PAYMENT THEREOF, AS SUBMITTED IN PROPOSITION NUMBER 2."

THEREOF, AS SUBMITTED IN PROPOSITION NUMBER 2."
 AS TO EACH of the foregoing propositions, each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his or her vote on each of the propositions, respectively.

VII. That a copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of the City of Lockney, and attested by the City Secretary shall serve as proper notice of said election.

VIII. That notice of said election shall be given by posting and publication of a copy of this order, at the top of which shall appear the words "NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS". Said notice shall be posted at the City Hall and at two other public places in said City, not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date on which said election is to be held, and be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks, in THE LOCKNEY BEACON, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the City of Lockney, Texas, the first of said publications to be made not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for said election.

IX. Should the revenue bonds be authorized by the qualified voters of the City of Lockney, voting at the election herein ordered, the City Council in issuing said bonds may combine them into one issue of Water and Sewer Revenue Bonds, to be ratably secured by an exclusive first lien on and pledge of the net revenues of the City's combined Water and Sewer System in such manner that no one bond shall have priority over any other bond of said issue.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 14th day of December, 1948.

G. M. BRUNNIER

Mayor, City of Lockney, Texas

ATTEST:
 FAYE MESSER

City Secretary, City of Lockney, Texas.

(CITY SEAL)

THIS NOTICE of election is issued and given by the undersigned, pursuant to authority conferred by virtue of the above and foregoing order of the City Council of the City of Lockney, Texas, and under authority of law.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF THE CITY OF LOCKNEY, TEXAS, this, the 14th day of December, 1948.

G. M. BRUNNIER

Mayor, City of Lockney, Texas

ATTEST:
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City Secretary, City of Lockney, Texas.

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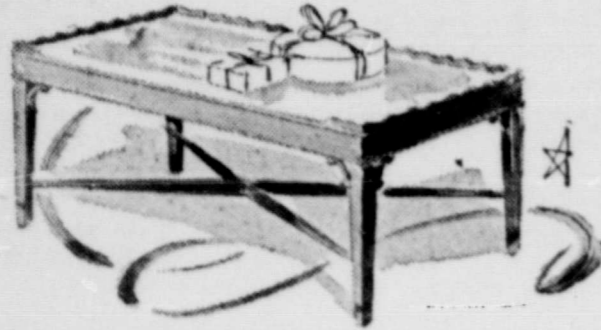
CHIPS ANKLE BONE
 Ross Earl Smith suffered torn ligaments in his ankle and a chipped ankle bone Monday when he stepped over a pipe and turned his ankle while working at the Wofford Wood Shop here.

He was treated at the Floyd County Co-operative Hospital where his lower leg was put in a cast.

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Silk and Flannel Lounging Robes, B. V. D. Downs, Broadcloth and Rayon Pajamas, Gloves by Broadside, Hats by Stetson and Resistol. (2 dozen XXX Beaver Stetsons this week.)

You will find a nice range from \$8.50 to \$50.00.



Leather Coats for men, boys fringe Papoose Leather Coats, Freeman Oxfords, \$9.95 to \$16.95, Olsen-Stelzer hand-made Boots, B. V. D. and Don Juan Sport Shirts, English Imported Corduroy Coats, Men's Suits by America's oldest Clothiers, and with 2 pants, Val-a-Pak Luggage for men, you'll travel right and travel light, there's a place for everything. Wool Gabardine Top Coats by one of the oldest makers. Indesructo Traveling Sets for ladies, Pendleton's virgin wool Stockman's Suits, Blankets and Shirts, Misses Frontier Suede Coats.

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Refreshments, a thin sandwich and two olives, had just been served at the town dance in the hill country.

"Is your program filled?" asked a local Romeo of a hillbilly belle when the dancing was resumed.

"Filled!" glared the girl. "Look here, young feller, it takes more than a skinny sandwich and two green plums to fill my program."

Tricks of the Trade
The night was dark and the hour was late as a solitary wayfarer passed along the deserted street. Suddenly three slinking figures emerged from the shadows, marked their prey, and then attacked him.

Three to one is powerful odds, but the wayfarer held his own. One by one his assailants landed with a thud on the ground, battered and bruised, their clothing torn.

A policeman hurried up and surveyed the wreckage.

"Fine work!" he said, addressing the hero, who was calmly lighting a cigarette. "Ju-jitsu?"

"No," answered the hero. "Railway porter."

You can breeze through a good part of your Christmas shopping by simplifying your gift list. It's probably a fact that a good many of your friends enjoy cigarette or pipe smoking. You can easily please these friends by ordering several cartons of mild, mellow Camels and pound tins of rich-tasting Prince Albert from a local dealer. Both these popular gifts come ready-wrapped in gay holiday dress. No other gift wrapping is necessary. There's even space for your personal greeting. Save time and energy this Christmas season by giving cool, mild Camels and mellow Prince Albert Smoking Tobacco. (Adv.)

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for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

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Lydia E. Pinkham's TABLETS

When Your Back Hurts

And Your Strength and Energy is Below Par

It may be caused by disorder of kidney function that permits poisonous waste to accumulate. For truly many people feel tired, weak and miserable when the kidneys fail to remove excess acids and other waste matter from the blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, rheumatic pains, headaches, dizziness, getting up rigid, leg pain, swelling, sometimes frequent and scanty urination, with stinging and burning in another sign the something is wrong with the kidneys or bladder.

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A General Quiz

- The Questions**
1. How many different kinds of birds are there?
 2. Who invented bifocal glasses?
 3. How many words are there in the English language?
 4. How many teen-age girls use lipstick?
 5. How many ships in the world have been damaged by World War II mines since the end of the war?
 6. What kind of electricity does an electric eel generate?
 7. How much perspiration does a person give off in a day?
 8. How fast does a toy top turn when you spin it?

- The Answers**
1. More than 14,000.
 2. Benjamin Franklin.
 3. More than 700,000.
 4. Ninety-nine per cent of all teen-age girls use it.
 5. Two hundred and fifty-one.
 6. An electric eel generates intermittent direct current.
 7. From 25 to 70 ounces. During very hot weather, even more.
 8. A thousand times a minute at the top of its spin.

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Man About Town:

Il Duce's youngest son, Romano Mussolini, probably will elope with Gioconda Mancuso of Forio d'Ischia . . . Queen Alexandrine of Denmark is ailing . . . Sir Ivor Thomas and Lady Thomas have phuffed in London . . . It's a boy for the Count and Countess of Caithness . . . Ex-Ambassador J. P. Kennedy isn't really trying to get Hjalmar Schacht (Hitler's boy) over here as his economic adviser? . . . Hotel rates along Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, have skyrocketed for the inaugural parade. From \$75 to \$250 if the windows face the avenue . . . Jessie Royce Landis, the top-flight actress, is carrying a terrible scorch . . . They say Dis't Att'y Hogan is being fattened up (by the Dewey hierarchy) to step into Mayor O'Dwyer's "florsheims" as a Fusion candidate. He's a Democrat now, as who ain't? . . . Headline: "Dewey to Raise State Income Taxes" . . . Had enough?

Radio reviewer John Crosby (covering the major televisions election night) tagged the boners of this and that commentator as the returns came in. He pointed out that we reported Cong. Marcantonio (N. Y.) was defeated, only to announce (soon after) he had won . . . We didn't write the flashes, John, we read them as they were handed to us from the thumping teletypes!

The Freddy Bartholomews say these diverse rumors must have come straight from the political doapsters . . . Pulitzer Prize winner Fred Woltman is ill in So. Carolina . . . The big slump in pro-football gates marks the end of all telecasts which contracts expire. The Bklyn Dodgers, we hear, will not resign . . . Theatre ticket brokers plan a beef to the license commission. They'll allege only agencies with an "in" are getting big ducaats . . . Ex-Cong. Richard Harless and ex-Follies girl Meredith Howard are looking none the worse after their several merger postponements. Not sealed yet . . . D. Saffer of Columbia U. and Carole Nevans (of This Week mag) are editorializing like Waaandd!! . . . Army-Navy tie (face-valued at \$12 the pair) are getting \$40, despite the experts who claim it'll be "no contest."

Drew Pearson, in a comedian mood the other ante meridian, revised a legend which many interviewers and editors believed for a decade. . . He quipped that Sherman Billingsley "runs Walter Winchell's swank Stork Club." . . . Which it ain't. . . But Pearson's readers believe everything he says about J. Parnell Thomas (as who doesn't), and so please know Mr. Pearson was being comical. . . Speaking of Cong. Thomas (indicted on charges of crookedness with Gov't payrolls), his real name is Feevey. . . If Drew has another skewp, Mr. Thomas will certainly be Feevey's d. . . Pun my soul!

Count Alfred de Marigny, acquitted in the unsolved murder case of his ex-wife's zillionaire pater (in the Bahamas), is now working for a burlap bag firm on Water St. . . . What Some People Won't Do for Money Dep't: John Ball, record editor, deserted the World-Telly gazette for a disc-jockey job in Washington at 15 Gs per annum . . . The Roney-Plaza Hotel has two West Point grads piloting elevators . . . A stripteuse at Club Gables (Florida) is billed as "Sheila the Peeler" . . . "Nature Boy" (the ditty) was declared The Song of the Year, but Bullets Durgom (who owns 12 1/2 per cent of it) hasn't rec'd a penny yet . . . It's a girl doll for the Ernest Cuneos of 40 Wall Street. Mrs. Cuneo, one of Canada's loveliest ladies, was a British counter-espionage agent. Her great work helped shorten the war.

Army brass is fuming over the leak in Sec'y Forrestal's office on a meeting the other day of the state-army-navy-air force coordinating committee . . . An attempt was made to lay the groundwork for a new Gov't dept. of internal security . . . As evidence of what could be done, the central intelligence agency was cited as an example . . . This agency (a hangerover of OSS) is slated for drastic overhauling if congress can ever get access to the reported evidence of its ineffectiveness.

Many top men in the Communist Party here are in hiding . . . The FBI knows all the leaders and if an emergency comes up, they will be collared with the same dispatch used on Pearl Harbor Day . . . The New Yorker's Paris bureau reveals that the "Paris Ballet is back home, somewhat lamed by the critical drubbings it received in New York." That's the outfit Grover Whalen tried to give a clean bill to—after Nazi-collaboration charges against balletmaster Serge Lifar, the louse, were echoed in Variety and here . . . The latest fashion from Paree is sloping shoulders. Has U. S. shoulder-pad makers in a tizzy . . . Mrs. Tex Bereke's pet Chinchilla died. Loneliness, said the vet. You have to keep 'em in pairs. They're now \$1,000 a pr.

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FIRST AID to the AILING HOUSE
by Roger C. Whitman

QUESTION: Is there any remedy for crumbly brick?

ANSWER: A partial remedy is to give the bricks two coats of a cement base paint, to be bought from a dealer in mason supplies. This is a powder to mix with water. This will protect the surface of the brick only; it will not harden them throughout. Very poor bricks should be replaced with a harder burned variety.

QUESTION: I intend to put in a new cement walk in the gangway, and need to know the amount of sand, gravel and cement that I will need.

ANSWER: There is much more to be said about laying a sidewalk than the proper mixture of cement, etc. For complete information on laying concrete walks as well as proportions and amount of necessary material, ask the Portland Cement association, 33 West Grand avenue, Chicago, to send you a copy of their booklet on this subject.

QUESTION: We had planned to use a creosote stain on a white cedar rustic fence, but understand that this would be injurious to the adjacent shrubbery. What type of paint would you recommend?

ANSWER: As the cedar is resistant to deterioration, it will hardly be necessary to apply any kind of finish unless you have a special reason for doing so. A liquid wood preservative that can be brushed on could be used instead of the creosote, or else a good spar varnish.

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HAS OPERATION

Mrs. Bob Vaughn left Wednesday for Savannah, Mo., where she underwent an operation upon arrival. She was doing well this week, according to reports reaching her husband. She will have to stay there six weeks, it was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carter and granddaughter, Kay, visited the Carters daughter, Mrs. Alvin McKassen at Lawton, Okla., Monday.

**Mrs. Record's Pupils
In Recital Sunday**

Piano students of Mrs. Charles L. Record will present a musical Christmas program at the First Methodist Church Sunday, December 19, at 3:30 p. m.

The public is invited to attend. Students who will appear in the program are:

La Dora Ayres, Patricia Bayley, Patsy Ruth Bybee, Asa Lou Copeland, Doyle Fowler, Mary Joyce Griffith, Evelyn Hooten, Barbara Ann Howard, Betty Ann Johnson, Shirley Mitchell, Myrtle Lou Newton, Jerry Rose, Glenda Ann Reidhimer, Bonnie Singer, Sandra Sams, John Perry Truett, Junior Williams, Peggy Williams, Elma Watson, Jontha Lee Casey, and the following pre-school children: Carrie Pryor Page, LaYona Carthel, Ann Brown, Jonie Rose.

CHRISTMAS PARTY ENJOYED

A delightful Christmas party was enjoyed by the members of the Trinity Lutheran Federation, on Sunday evening in the club room at Providence. Mrs. H. Anderson and Mrs. Albert Kelm led the recreation in which several games were played. Also Christmas Carols were sung by the whole group.

Scripture Reading and Prayer was led by Rev. H. Anderson.

Refreshments of candy, pop corn balls, fruit and nuts and cakes were served to Messers and Mesdames Ben Quebe, Ben Brandes, M. C. Scheele, Henry Sammann, Walter Sammann, Ted Boedeker, Leo Boedeker, Will Schmidt, Albert Sammann, Otto Schrieber, Albert Kelm, and Rev. and Mrs. H. Anderson; Misses Ruth Boedeker, Foince Boedeker, Marie Scheele, Delores, Carolyn, Valera and Clara Sammann, Virginia, Barbara Sammann, Lary, Cecil and Merlin Boedeker, Werner, Eugene Boedeker, Donald Kelm, Elbert and Jess Sammann, and David Anderson.

Gifts were exchanged among sunshine friends.

WORDS AT WESLACO

A card from T. J. Word informs The Beacon that he and Mrs. Word are now located at Weslaco for the winter. The couple have been spending their winters in South Texas for several years.

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Cake Flour	Swans Down 2 3-4 lb. pkg.	39c
Lard	Cudahy's Puritan 4 pounds	96c
APRICOTS	Hunt's No. 2 1/2 can	27c
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