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Connie Reed Gets Mail Route Contract

Connie Reed of Lockney was the successful bidder on the U. S. mail route from Childress to Plainview. He will start on the route July 1.

The route makes one trip each way each day. The route originates in Plainview, the carrier leaving there at 8 p. m. each night and gets to Childress at 12 midnight. He leaves Childress at 4 a. m. and reaches Plainview at 10 a. m.

Towns served are Turkey, Quitaque, Silverton, Lockney, Aiken and Plainview. The mail route was set up last year by post office officials after the discontinuing of the FW&D passenger train here.

Vets Must Begin Education Soon

Veterans who are eligible for education and who have not undertaken such training under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act, as well as those who have commenced but have not completed their course, must have commenced and actually be pursuing a course of education on July 25, 1951 if they are to receive training under the present program.

Veterans planning to benefit from the program should contact the Floyd County Vocational School immediately in order that the necessary papers be completed for their enrollment before July 25. Two courses are offered in the school, namely, on-the-farm training, and bookkeeping. Two of the farm training courses are held in Lockney and one in Floydada. The bookkeeping course is held in Floydada.

For further information about training in the school veterans should contact N. S. Abbott, coordinator or Mrs. Virgil Shaw, secretary, Courthouse, Floydada; or McLee Brewer, or Roy Cooley, teachers of the farm training courses in Lockney, or Kenneth Bain Jr., bookkeeping teacher, Floydada.

City To Stop Double Parking

Double and parallel parking on Main Street will be stopped soon, city officials said this week because of the dangerous condition the practice creates. Especially on Saturday nights cars park double and parallel creating a hazard to pedestrian traffic. The City Council voted to ban the practice at the last meeting.

Parking stripes will be painted on the streets and several parking lots will be provided before officials really clamp down, it was said. Officials hope to be able to provide four free parking lots on Main Street in order to accommodate those who want to park. The lots will be lighted with flood lights and plainly marked, it was said.

Date for clamping down on double parking has not been set, but it will be as soon as other parking facilities are provided.

Emert & Williams Open Garage Here

Owen Emert and Curtis Williams have opened a general repair shop in the building formerly occupied by Clinton Blacksmith across the street from Webster's Station on South Main. The men expect to do both auto and tractor repair work they have announced.

They have both been previously employed here as mechanics and have equipped their shop to take care of any kind of repair.

GOES AFTER PRISONER

Deputy Sheriff Alton May left Wednesday afternoon for Big Spring where he will obtain custody of Kenneth Collins, indicted by the Floyd County grand jury recently for forgery. Mr. May expects to return Thursday morning.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

J. C. Fortenberry, Floyd Pioneer, Passes Monday

J. C. "Uncle Ceph" Fortenberry, Floyd County pioneer and builder, passed away late Monday in the Lockney General Hospital. He was almost 92 years of age and had lived in Floyd County 61 years.

Funeral services for the aged Floyd County citizen were held at the First Baptist Church here Wednesday afternoon at 2:30, conducted by Rev. Guy Shields of Wichita, Kansas, a long time friend of the deceased. Interment was in the Lockney cemetery beside the grave of his wife who passed away in December of 1943. A large crowd attended the last rites. Arrangements were in charge of Carter Funeral Home of Lockney.

Mr. Fortenberry had been in good health until April, 1950 when a calf ran into him, knocking him down and broke his hip. He had been bedfast most of the time since then. His condition became more serious recently and he came to the hospital here for treatment.

He had been a leader in the Cedar Hill community since October 8, 1890 when he brought his family to Floyd County and homesteaded some land there. He had always been a progressive, civic minded man and had served his area as school trustee for many years. He also was a deacon in the Baptist Church there for many years.

Mr. Fortenberry was born October 30, 1859 in Lawrence County, Arkansas. He came to Texas in 1868 with his family and settled in Wise County, near Deatur. He moved on to Floyd County in 1890.

He was the last of a family of 11 children. His three brothers and seven sisters all preceded him in death.

He was converted at the age of 17 and joined a Baptist Church. He had been a member since that time.

Nine children, 41 grandchildren and 55 great-grandchildren survive. The children are John C. Joe and Tom Fortenberry, all of Cedar; Jack and Hugh Fortenberry of Adrian; Mrs. M. H. Taylor, Mrs. C. V. Lemons, Mrs. J. R. Kelly, all of Cedar and Mrs. J. D. Seay of Duran. N. M. Two children preceded him in death.

Methodist Vacation Bible School Begins Monday Afternoon

The Vacation Bible School will begin at the Lockney Methodist Church Monday afternoon, Rev. N. S. Daniel said this week. The school will be held each afternoon from 3:45 to 6 o'clock.

"We urge you to see that your child attends. We will have good Christian training and fun for all," Rev. Daniel said.

Thornton Buys In Copeland Electric

A deal was consummated this week wherein J. P. Thornton, local licensed plumber, bought an interest in the Copeland Electric and the business will be enlarged into a plumbing and electric shop.

To be known as Plains Plumbing & Electric the new business will carry a line of electric and plumbing supplies and Mr. Thornton will continue to do plumbing, heating and air conditioning work.

Charles Givens, now in the Army, keeps an interest in the business and will return to it when he is released from military duties.

The firm handles Frigidaire appliances and will enlarge their stock of supplies as soon as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beall of Amarillo spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beall.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Beacon Office.

Bishop Martin To Speak Here Sunday

Bishop William C. Martin of Dallas will preach at the First Methodist Church here Sunday evening at 7:30, the pastor, Rev. N. S. Daniel has announced. The preaching hour is earlier than usual in order that the Bishop might catch a train.

"The Bishop's visit is an honor to our church," Rev. Daniel said, "and we hope that everyone who can will take advantage of this opportunity to hear him."

Rev. Marvin Boyd, the district superintendent, will accompany the Bishop to Lockney.

One Dead, Two Hurt In Floydada

Floydada. — One negro workman died and two others were overcome late Friday morning while working in a bin at the Kimble Elevator company here. A company official said a weevil poison recently had been sprayed into the bin.

Dead is Harold Riddley, 21, a resident of Floydada for four years. J. C. Johnson and Jimmy Chatman were hospitalized briefly.

Riddley died about 11 a. m. Jack Givens, negro foreman who discovered Johnson lying face down at the bottom of the 18-foot elevator said he thought Johnson had fallen and instructed three other men to go to his aid.

Worker Falls Dead
When the men had gone about halfway down, they said they noticed fumes and started back up. Riddley reportedly reached the top of the bin and fell dead. Chatman, a fourth worker, then attempted to go to Johnson and was overcome while at the bottom of the bin.

A. N. Redd, a white worker at the elevator, immediately called the fire department for aid and equipment.

The rescue was finally effected by Marvin Rape, 42, ginner of Floydada. Rape donned a gas mask and secured ropes about the men and they were pulled to the surface.

Riddley worked for Glen Mitchell on his farm south of Lockney until just a few days before the accident.

Ward Leases Service Station On Highway

W. A. Ward has leased the service station on Highway 70 in South Lockney owned by Raymond Ragle and will handle Gulf products there. The station has recently been moved back from the intersection a short distance and the building renovated. New driveways and pumps bases have been run.



BAPTIST CAMP HOUSE — Pictured here is the cabin recently constructed by the Brotherhood of the Lockney Baptist Church at the Plains Baptist Encampment in Blanco Canyon, south of Floydada. The cabin is 24 feet wide by 72 feet long with a 12x12 extension on the north side. It is constructed of pumice tile and painted white. The bunk room is 24x50 feet and is designed to comfortably house 40 to 50 boys or girls. In the extreme west end is the pastor's bedroom with private toilet and shower. Also the office is in that end of the building. Next is the counselors rooms with toilet and shower and included in the room is sink and cooking equipment for use when the camp is not in regular session. The toilets

and showers for the big bunk room are in the extension on the north of the building. In the extreme east end of the bunk room is a large fire place. The building has its own private disposal plant. It is the largest church owned building at the camp at present.

The building was designed and constructed by the Brotherhood under the leadership of Sid Thomas, president. Rev. Clay Muncy drew the plans. The cost of the building was set at \$5200 not including the value of the labor donated by the members of the Brotherhood.

Leon Hill To Speak To Lions Here Monday

Rev. Leon Hill of Amarillo, noted after-dinner speaker and entertainer, will be the principal speaker at the Lockney Lions Club ladies night and installation of officers here Monday night.

The banquet program will be held in the Methodist Church basement.

Rev. Hill has made a reputation for himself in West Texas as a speaker with a keen wit and inspiration talks. He is a crusader for Americanism as well as preacher of the gospel.

R. C. Mitchell will be installed as president of the local club with Claude Hammond the retiring president. Other officers to be installed are Clyde Applewhite, first vice-president; Keltion Shaw, second vice-president; F. O. Schacht, third vice-president; Udell Cunningham, secretary; Thomas Marr, treasurer; R. L. Knox Jr., lion tamer; Chester Mitchell, tail twister.

Directors will be Howard Thoghill, Tom Moore, H. B. Machen and Rhea Mitchell.

John Buths Hurt In Car Accident

Mr. and Mrs. John Buth of Lubbock, former residents of this community, were hurt seriously last Saturday morning when the car in which they were riding collided headon with another car on the highway a half mile west of Lorenzo.

Mrs. Estelle Rash, of Stonewall county, was killed in the crash, and Mrs. Mattie Orick of Peacock was also injured.

The Buths were going east enroute to visit relatives at Silverton and the other car was traveling west when the accident occurred. A horse-drawn wagon was traveling on the highway and Mr. Buth reportedly slammed on his brakes when he approached the wagon. His car "pulled to the left" into the left lane when he applied his brakes causing the collision, reports here say.

Mrs. Buth is the daughter of T. J. Ward of Lockney and Mr. Buth has a number of relatives in this area.

Singing Here Sunday Afternoon

The regular Fourth Sunday singing will be held at the City Auditorium Sunday afternoon starting at 2:30, it was announced this week. All singers are invited to attend.

Man Loses Arm In Rock Crusher

Gus Whited, employed by Bryan & Hoffman on the paving job south of Lockney, lost his left arm last Thursday morning when it was caught in a rock crusher at the caliche pit.

Whited was an oiler on the rock crusher. A chain on the machine caught the sleeve of his jacket and pulled the arm down into the hammers. The arm was badly mutilated both below and above the elbow. It was removed just below the shoulder soon after his arrival at the hospital.

Whited's home is at Ralls. His condition was reported as "good" Wednesday.

Rains Hinder League Play

Rains falling late Friday night and also Monday night of this week have hindered play in the Lockney Softball League and the two undefeated teams, American Legion and the Fire Department, have been unable to play. The two teams were scheduled to play Monday night but the game was rained out.

On last Thursday night, the Aiken Paymaster team defeated Aiken elevator 11 to 3 in the first game. But the second game of the night took honors for being

the best one of the season when Lone Star defeated Providence 1 to 0. C. B. Smart was the winning pitcher. It was one of the most thrilling games seen here in the past two seasons.

On Tuesday night of this week Lone Star won a close game from South Plains No. 2 by a 7 to 6 score. The game was filled with errors and the Lone Star boys almost lost it. In the second game of the night Aiken Paymaster defeated South Plains No. 1 by a 9 to 6 score.

The present standings are:

Team	W	L
American Legion	5	0
Fire Department	4	0
Lone Star	5	2
Aiken Paymaster	4	2
Providence	3	3
Aiken Elevator	1	5
South Plains No. 1	1	5
South Plains No. 2	0	6

Schedule for the following week is:

June 21—Fire Department vs. South Plains No. 1; Lone Star vs. Paymaster.
June 22—Providence vs. Aiken Elevator; South Plains No. 2 vs. Legion.
June 25 — Legion vs. Lone Star; Providence vs. South Plains No. 1.
June 26—South Plains No. 2 vs. Paymaster; Fire Department vs. Aiken Elevator.

Hospital News

In hospital:
Gus Whited
Dr. N. E. Greer
Mrs. Jimmy Hodel
Mrs. J. L. Felf
Dismissed:
Lindell Whitefield
Gilbert Huls
Mrs. Jack Cole and son
Mrs. Willie Cork and son
Sam Jack

New Arrivals:
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Felf are parents of a daughter born June 16. The little lady has been named Kathy Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hodel are parents of a son born June 19. He was named John Dennis and weighed 8 pounds. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Hodel and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Boedeker.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie D. Cork are parents of a son born June 16. He was named Willie Glen.

Pvt. and Mrs. Jack Cole are parents of a son born June 19. He was named Jack Randall Jr. and weighed 8½ pounds. The father is in the Army and stationed in Maryland but expects to be home on furlough within a few weeks.

Damaging Hail And Rain Strikes Area Monday

A damaging hail and rain storm struck this area late Monday, wiping out some crops in the Sterley area and damaging others. Considerable hail fell within the city but gardens and flowers were not damaged here to a great extent.

Several farmers in the Sterley area lost cotton crops and others were damaged 50 to 75%. Crops of Gene Belt, Pete Mosley, R. W. Smith, Joe Reeves, Jim Bert Bobbitt, Robert Lee Smith, and possibly others were completely wiped out, it was reported here.

Other farmers suffering damage were Ray Sissney, Leslie Ferguson, Loran Rhodes, Horton Howell, W. B. Mullins, Bill Johnston, W. E. Mitchell, Wesley Hay, and several others in the same general area. Some wheat was also lost in the area but the acreage did not compare with the cotton acreage.

The storm struck about 8 p. m. Monday, forming to the northwest of Lockney, apparently moving south and then coming back from the southwest. Rain-fall here amounted to .51 of an inch and ranged up to an inch over the area.

South of town the moisture was one inch with no hail damage reported. In the Aiken area very little rain fell and no hail. At Cedar Hill John C. Fortenberry reported .45 of an inch and no hail. Lone Star had only .25 of an inch and very little hail. A. B. Muncy reported .6 of an inch at Muncy with no hail.

Property Damaged

In addition to wiping out cotton crops, the hail was bad enough in one area to break out window lights and damage houses. Houses of Wesley Hay, Pete Mosley, F. S. Fox and possibly others had windows knocked out and some roof damage.

Lightning Injures Girl

LaJuana McCormick, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McCormick suffered injuries during the storm when lightning hit a light pole in front of her house. She was unconscious for about five minutes, relatives said and suffered burns to her eyes. The girl and her father were standing at the front door watching the storm and he had just turned away when the lightning struck. The family live in northeast Lockney just off highway 135. She was able to be up Tuesday but her eyes were still causing some trouble.

Second Storm

The Monday night storm was the second within a week to strike North Floyd County. On last Friday evening hail and rain storm hit an area north of Lone Star and in the South Plains vicinity. Lowell Jarrett lost several hundred acres of cotton along with many other farmers in the area. The hail storm extended east of South Plains to the Stanforth place, it was reported.

Moisture here for the past week has totaled 1.05 inches according to the gauge kept by Joe Holt, local weather observer. On last Wednesday the rain

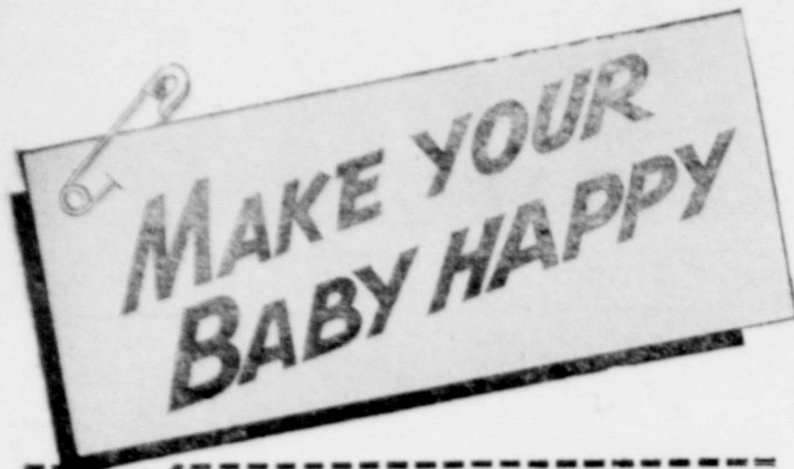
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Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. & over	21c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs.	20c
Cocks, pound	10c
Eggs, No. 1 dozen	35c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, pound	60c
Butterfat, No. 2, pound	58c
Hides	
Hides, No. 1, pound	10c
Grain	
Wheat, per bushel	\$2.13
Milo, per cwt	\$1.95
Cotton	
Spot Cotton, Dallas market	44.77
Alfalfa	
Dehydrated, in field, per ton	\$15
Baled Hay, No. 1 at mill, ton	\$23

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4-H Swine Program Proves Valuable

College Station. — As an example of the value of the Sears 4-H Swine Program, Tyler County Agent M. S. Hyde points out the record of a purebred Duroc gilt which James Robert Jordan of the Spurger community received in 1942.

This hog is still living and has farrowed one or two litters annually for the past eight years, raising an average of seven pigs per litter.

Hyde says, "This swine program has made it possible for many 4-H Club boys, as well as farmers, in the county to own good pigs. It is from this program that you will find a great deal of the progress in better hogs in Tyler County."

In its fourteenth year, the Sears 4-H Swine Program will operate in 167 counties in Texas during 1951, six more than last year. It is an educational program in swine production, sponsored by the Sears-Roebuck Foundation and conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

One boar and eight gilts are distributed each year to deserving 4-H boys in each county participating in the program. Approximately 15,000 4-H Club members have received Sears gilts and boars, and many who have participated in the program are not mature men.

In May and June, 1949, 1,244 purebred gilts and 154 purebred boar pigs were distributed to 1,380 Texas 4-H Club boys. By April 15, 1950, 68.5 percent, or 836, of the sows had farrowed 7,043 pigs, an average of 8.1 per litter.

The 4-H Club members raised 5,428 pigs to weaning age for an average of 6.4 per litter.

Boar pigs distributed under the program are developed into breeding boars and used for public service after they are eight months old. Free breeding service is provided for all gilts in the program.

For the boar pigs distributed in the spring of 1949, the average income per boar from cash service fees in the first six months was \$60.30.

Club boys who receive gilts agree to return a sow pig from the first litter, or to pay \$15.00, to the county fund for use in the program the following year.

The Sears Program has had a very definite effect upon the Texas swine industry, says E. M. Regenbrecht, extension swine husbandman of Texas A. & M. College. In addition to helping improve the quality of commercial hogs, the program has influenced farmers to adopt better methods of production such as improved swine pastures, use of self feeders and the feeding of balanced rations.

The Marine Corps has opened its ranks to enlisted reservists on active duty who may become regulars without loss of rank or precedence.

Longest underwater snorkel cruise by a U. S. submarine was made in April 1950, by the USS Pickerel, going 5,194 nautical miles from Hong Kong to Pearl Harbor.

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My Neighbors

By BILL PAULSON



"A Communist is the kind who would chop off the neck of our economic system—to cure a cold in its head."

S. S. Report By Self-Employed Is Compulsory

Old-age and survivors insurance is not optional for self-employed persons, John G. Hutton, manager of the Lubbock Social Security office, pointed out yesterday.

Mr. Hutton said there had been some misunderstanding regarding persons working for themselves in their own trade or business, or as partners in such enterprises.

"If you are self-employed and derive as much as \$400 in net profit from your business or businesses in any taxable year after Dec. 31, 1950, your Social Security coverage is compulsory by law," Mr. Hutton said.

He also pointed out that the only exceptions are income derived from practice as a physician, lawyer, dentist, osteopath, chiropractor, optometrist, naturopath, veterinarian, architect, CPA licensed, registered or full-time practicing public accountant, Christian Science practitioner, professional engineer or funeral director.

Self-employed persons do not report themselves with the employees. This income must be reported annually on income tax form 1040 Schedule C, especially revised for this purpose. The

first such report is due March 15, 1952, covering self-employment income for the taxable year 1951.

Payable along with the report is self-employment Social Security tax. This tax is 2 1/2 per cent of the first \$3,600 net business profit. For business partners, the tax is levied on the first \$3,600 of the distributive share of the partnership net profits, whether or not the profits are distributed.

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The Beacon has been selling at a lower price than most any other weekly paper on the plains because we want everyone in our territory to read The Beacon. However we feel that the increase in price at this time will not deprive any one of The Beacon but it will help us to meet the high price of the materials that go into the making of a newspaper.

Up until July 1, the price for The Beacon will remain as it is now—\$1.50 in Floyd County, \$2.00 elsewhere. If your subscription is out or nearly out, now is the time to renew. Or if you are not getting The Beacon and have been planning to subscribe do it today.

We will not accept any subscription more than two years in advance. It is not the policy of The Beacon to accept subscriptions far in advance. You may renew your subscription up further than July 1, 1951.

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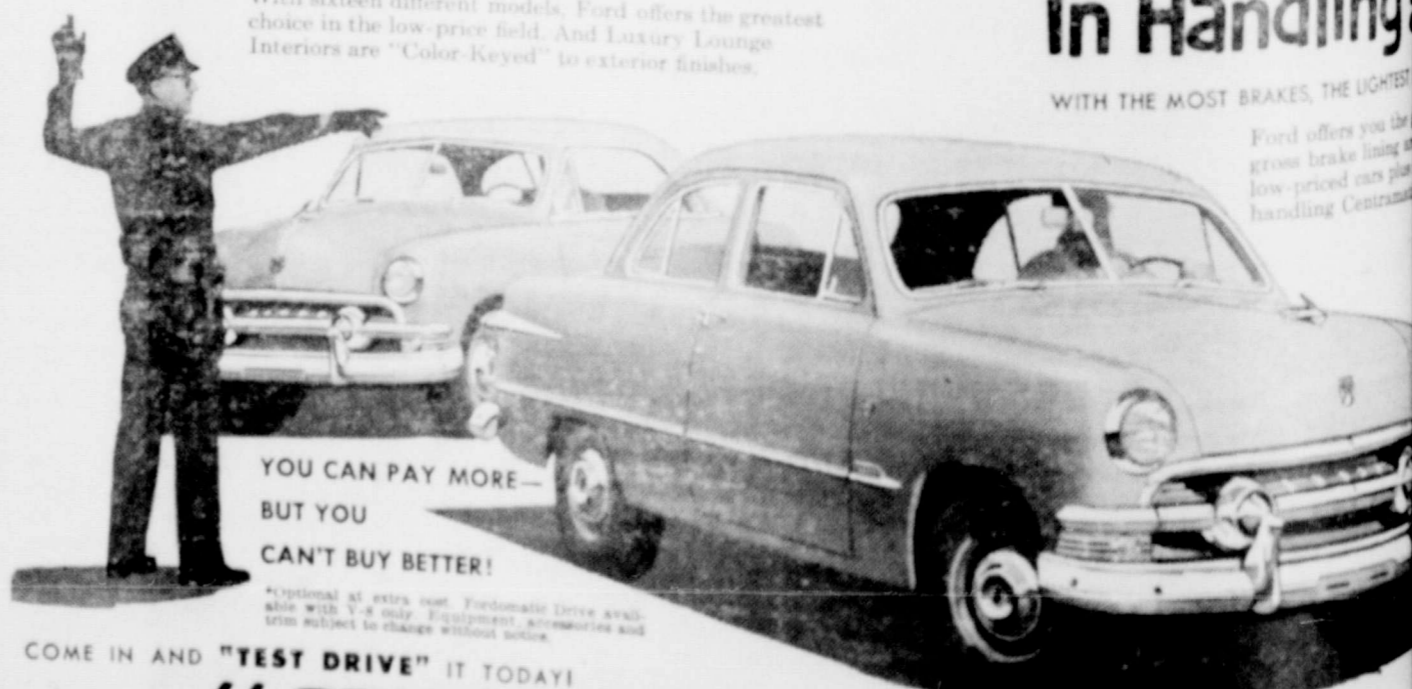
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State 4-H Dress Review June 26

College Station.—The annual State 4-H Dress Review will be held at College Station, June 26. Mary Routh and Nena Roberson, clothing specialists for the Extension Service of Texas A. & M. College, say 145 garments have been entered for judging in the final revue.

The revue is the achievement event for all 4-H Club girls in Texas who have worked on the clothing demonstration this year. The specialists say that 9,596 girls entered garments they made in the county revues.

Home demonstration agents and adult leaders in more than 145 counties have trained girls in color and pattern selection, choosing fabrics, finishes and accessories and proper grooming. The girls have learned through these lessons, through demonstrations, from seeing colored slides, and by actual sewing in the home.

The McLennan county home demonstration agents, Mrs. Vera Cargill, and Mrs. Neil Robinson,

My Neighbors

By BILL PAULSON



"Inflation is like a skittish horse; the time to keep him from running away with you is before he starts."

scored 81 winners for construction from the 16 local 4-H dress revues held as evening community events. The agents report that more than half of the 500 girls in the county entered the dress revues in their communities this year.

Each girl received special awards from the community organizations and home demonstration club women served as judges. Adult leaders planned the meetings with special programs, announcers and musical background. Mrs. Morris Attaway and Mrs. Earl Thompson, adult leaders for the Midway 4-H Club, held a sewing day for seven 4-H girls, and all except two received blue ribbons.

Nearly 2,000 people attended the 16 local revues in McLennan county. Home demonstration agents from nearby counties judged the 81 girls wearing their dresses in the county revue. Cynthia McKethan, a 4-H Club girl, trained the others to model in the revue—carrying out the theme, "The 4-H Girl in the Pictures."

Many McLennan county girls made dresses for the first time this year. Nita Hilland, age 11 of the Lakeview 4-H Club, made her first—with her mother, Mrs. Joe Hilland, working along with her on "mother-daughter" dresses. The agents report that Nita's dress was unusually good for a first effort. She cut, stay stitched and sewed it according to recommended methods, and she scored 93 in the revue.

Barbara Ann Place of Crawford, will represent the McLennan county 4-H Club girls in the State Dress Revue in Guion Hall, June 26. This revue will be one of the high lights of the Texas 4-H Roundup at A. & M. College, June 26-27.

May Extend QA&P to Lubbock

Lubbock.—Possibility of a direct rail link between the great eastern markets and the vast farm and ranch resources of Lubbock and the South Plains in the not too distant future was revealed here recently.

Plans for the move were first made public in Lubbock following the latest in a series of conferences between directors of the Quanah, Acme and Pacific railroad and officials of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce.

The project would include extension of QA&P tracks from Floydada to Lubbock. Such a move would create direct rail connections between Lubbock and the South Plains to Oklahoma City, St. Louis, Kansas City and the markets those cities represent.

Chas. H. Sommer, St. Louis, president of the QA&P, stated that an engineering corps will be organized promptly to explore the possibilities of extending the line to Lubbock and that he anticipated a survey party would be in the field within the next two or three weeks.

Both chamber of commerce officials and Sommer stressed that "many hurdles still must be taken" before the railroad extension involving possibly 50 miles of new track, becomes a reality.

"Actualities of the proposal depends on the surveyors findings and, of course, the approval of the Interstate Commerce commission after a request has been filed," officials pointed out. Although the line is now used for freight hauling primarily, A. B. Davis, manager of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, said he believed passenger service would

be instituted also."

At present the QA&P runs from Floydada to Quanah. From Quanah the line connects with the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad, commonly known as the Frisco line, to Oklahoma City and St. Louis. The QA&P gets its western outlet through a link with the Santa Fe tracks in Lockney.

Davis, who conferred with the rail officials, said the project "was the first step toward realization of a 20 year dream."

If this line is extended Petersburg is more than likely to be on the route as it would be almost in direct line with Lubbock if they head the canyon just south of Floydada for a better crossing.

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Rev. and Mrs. N. S. Daniel went to Lefors Friday where Rev. Daniel conducted funeral services Saturday for L. Strong, a member of the Lefors Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Allen and three children of Bakersfield, California left Friday after a visit here with her brother, Rev. N. S. Daniel and family.

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Mrs. J. B. Harper Celebrates 95th Birthday Thurs.

Mrs. J. B. Harper Sr., is celebrating her 95th anniversary Thursday, June 21. All of her children except Dr. George Harper, San Francisco, Calif., are expected to be present for a six o'clock dinner held in honor of her birthday.

Mrs. Harper is the mother of nine children, seven of whom are still living. Her grandchildren number thirty-three. There are also thirty-seven great grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Harper has enjoyed good health until two years ago when she suffered a stroke which has confined her to her bed or wheel chair most of the time since.

In a birthday letter to his mother, Dr. Geo. Harper expressed this sentiment which is shared by many other relatives and friends: "You have never stated just what it is to which you attribute your long and useful life, but if I may speculate I'd say it may be the beautiful philosophy which you have employed and constantly advocated, namely: the maintenance of a pleasant, cheerful, sound, far-reaching and optimistic frame of mind, together with a strong faith in the future and an abiding interest in the welfare and comfort of those around you, including the improvement and advancement of the interests of the community."

A. C. Huff of Temple is here spending two weeks with his son, Floyd Huff and Mrs. Huff, Mr. Huff's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harrell and sons also of Temple visited here Saturday night. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Degge and son of Lubbock who spent Sunday here.

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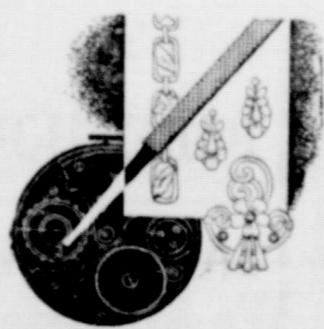
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Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Johnston were honored with a farewell party in the beautiful new home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boedeker Saturday evening. Co-hostesses with the Bodkers were Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Quebe.

The evening was spent in playing canasta with Mr. and Mrs. Johnston being declared high score winners. They were presented with a nice gift by their friends.

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McNeill, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wofford, Mr. and Mrs. Olson Allison, Dr. and Mrs. K. O. Crum, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Payton Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Carthel, the honorees and the hosts.

Those unable to attend but contributing to the gift were Mr. and Mrs. Harley Workman and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown.

Cheri Crapster Is Party Honoree

Mrs. Mori Crapster honored her daughter Cheri at a party on her sixth birthday Saturday, June 16 at 9:30 a. m.

A large birthday cake was iced with pink and bore the words "Cheri, 6 today." Individual cakes in the form of a basket edged with lace were iced in pink with flowers on the handles and also announced the anniversary greetings. Pink lemonade with green ice cubes was also served. Plate favors were candy lipstick for the girls and marbles for the boys.

Guests were: Johnny Tammhill, Karen Ann McPherson, Jerry Kemp, Paul Barker, Sandra and Karla Smith, Cheryl Becker, Marsha McClelland, Bobby Miller, Cheri Chatham, Diana Allison, Polly Sue Gilbert, Janie Rhodes, David Patterson, Richard Cook, Jimmy and Judy Whitfill, Caroline Belt, Cheryl Kelly, Janie Reynolds, Joe Holt and Susan Meriwether of Plainview. Gary Crapster and the honoree.

Mrs. Cunningham Honored At Shower

Mrs. Udell Cunningham was named honoree at a pink and blue shower Friday, June 15 from 2 to 5 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Clarence McCoy.

Hostesses were Mmes. McCoy, Thomas Marr, Bob Smith, Ross Cooper and Otis Lummus.

Mrs. McCoy met the guests and Mrs. Ross Cooper presided at the register. Pink and blue larkspurs decorated the entertaining rooms.

The refreshment table was covered with a lace cloth and was centered by a crystal punch bowl surrounded by pink roses. Mrs. Marr served, Mrs. Lummus and Mrs. Bob Smith were in the gift display room.

A large number of guests called and sent gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Applewhite of Canadian came Wednesday of last week to spend the summer in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Goree Applewhite. Mr. Applewhite taught in Canadian High School last term.

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Miss Daisy Hatch, Marshall Langford Married June 8

A double ring ceremony read June 8 at 8 p. m. by the Rev. J. O. Haynes, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Plainview, united in marriage Miss Daisy Elaine Hatch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hatch of Plainview, and Mr. Marshall M. Langford, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Langford of Lockney.

The ceremony took place in the home of the bride's parents. The wedding party stood before an archway of greenery outlined by lighted tapers with baskets of pink and gladioli in the center.

The bride's father gave her in marriage. She wore a dress of white imported organdy over white taffeta. The fitted bodice was fashioned with rolled collar, and the full gathered skirt was gathered at the waist. For a bridal bouquet, she carried a white Bible topped with white gardenias showered with white satin streamers.

Mrs. Truman Collins was matron of honor. Her dress was of pink imported organdy, fashioned after that of the bride. She carried a bouquet of yellow rosebuds and yellow satin streamers.

Truman Collins was best man. Following the ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. The couple were assisted in receiving by their parents and members of the wedding party.

The table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of orchid asters and pink rosebuds. The punch bowl and cake were on either end of the table.

The bride's mother wore a pink crepe dress with pink carnation corsage, and the mother of the groom wore a blue print corsage with pink carnation corsage.

For travel, the bride chose a pink linen two piece with eyelet trim. Her accessories were navy and white and her corsage was of gardenias. The couple will make their home in Plainview. Mr. Langford is farming near Lockney.

The bride is a graduate of Plainview High School and the groom attended Lockney schools. He was in the Naval Air Force for five years.

Judy Dean Honored At Birthday Party

Miss Judy Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Dean, was honored at a birthday party at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. A. P. Shugart on Monday, June 11. It was her third birthday.

Games were played and refreshments were served to Roger Dorman, Pat O'Brien, Carolyn Belt, Stevie Belt, Larry Golden, Cora Jean Thomas, Tim Thompson, Linda Weathers, Barbara Weathers, Linda Lucas, Cherie Welch, Patsy Weathers.

Patsy Anderson Has Play Party

Patsy Anderson entertained several friends with a play party on Tuesday afternoon from 2:30 until 4:30.

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Garden Club Meets With Mrs. Cowart

The Lockney Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. T. E. Cowart on June 15.
 The roll call was answered with a biennial. Leader of the program was Mrs. T. V. Rankin. "Bulbs for Summer Garden" was discussed by Mrs. R. E. Patterson.
 "Lilies" was the discussion by Mrs. Theo Griffith and Mrs. Patterson.
 "Bulbs for Shade" was the subject of Mrs. Frank Roberson. Thirteen were present at the enjoyable meeting. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Frank Roberson July 6 at 12:30.

Friends Meet For Party In Ben McGhee Home

Mr. and Mrs. Ben McGhee and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Applewhite entertained several friends in the McGhee home Tuesday night of last week.
 Present were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cox, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Applewhite, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Thomas and the hosts.
 Cheese sandwiches, cake and cokes were served.

Aiken Baptist W.M.S. Meets Wednesday

The W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church at Aiken met Wednesday afternoon, June 13 at the church for Benevolence program.
 The meeting was called to order by president, Mrs. J. M. Tye. Mrs. Klyce Ooley led the women in songs, "Follow On" and "The Way of The Cross Leads Home."
 After reports from all committee chairmen were read and adopted, the meeting was turned over to Benevolence Chairman, Mrs. Bert Elam, who presented a most interesting and informative program about the old retired ministers of the state. Program was entitled "Fishers of Men." Scripture was Mark 1:16-20. Those having parts of the program: Mrs. Bert Elam, Mrs. J. W. Moore, Mrs. Odie Dorman, Mrs. Klyce Ooley and Mrs. Henry Moore.
 The Love Offering taken was given for the benefit of the Old Ministers who have spent their lives "Fishing for Lost Souls," and are now unable to continue in that work because of failing health and old age.
 Members present were Mmes. J. M. Tye, Henry Moore, J. W. Moore, Bert Elam, Klyce Ooley, Odie Dorman, L. L. Scott.
 Next meeting will be June 27, 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. J. M. Tye. Program is to be Bible Study taken from book "Missionary Tour of Bible," by Fouts, pages 26 through half of page

29. All members are urged to be present and bring a visitor if possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitfill returned home Saturday after spending several weeks in the valley.

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EDITORIAL

Bear ye one another's burdens and so fulfill the law of Christ. —Galatians 6:2.

It seems that every town has its driver problems and Lockney is no exception. It is almost taking your life in your hands to venture out on South Main Street on Sunday afternoon as well as a lot of other times. Some drivers, in a big hurry to get nowhere, race down the street, suddenly change their minds about the direction they want to go, sid around in the middle of the last block and race back the other way, leaving about \$2 worth of tires on the asphalt paving and burning a lot of gas for what purpose no one knows. Most of these drivers are young fellows from 15 to 20 years old.

What to do about such a problem is something to think about. Of course, it ought to be handled by the parents of these young people but it isn't. We suppose

law enforcement officers could file charges for reckless driving but that would be quite a task with so many drivers participating and it would certainly be an unpopular one. We suppose that nothing will be done about it until some tragic accident happens and then everyone will want to jump up and lean too far in the other direction to make up for the negligence. That's the way we do most things.

Another traffic hazard in Lockney is the double parking practice on the 100 block of South Main especially on Saturday night. Some times it is almost impossible to get down the street in a car and we feel sure the recent pedestrian accident in that block can be blamed on the double parking situation. We are informed that the city officials feel that something must be done about the situation in order to eliminate the definite hazard to life and limb. We hope that the people of the area, both city and rural, will cooperate with their suggestions.

People of this area are watching with interest the hail prevention plan as advanced by the Skyblock Scholarship House. Whether or not the man can actually prevent hail is a point which has been argued back and forth considerably. One thing everyone agrees on—we are all willing for him to do it if he can.

A point that may not have been considered is that he may have to experiment a little to work his plan, if it is workable. In other words, a golfer doesn't learn to play golf the first round, and this business of preventing hail may take several rounds of practice before the pilot is able to hit the spot and stop the hail, if he can do it at all. We're not saying he can or he can't. But we're sure willing.

The upset weather conditions of the past two years may bear out the contention of the ancient weather Prophet of the North Panhandle that the explosion of the atom bomb has jarred the world side-ways and disturbed the weather cycle. These weather experts out on the plains ought to comment on this theory at some length.

In a sneeze, the expelled air travels about 100 miles an hour.

DOG ODDITIES

By Harry Miller, Director, CAINES DOG RESEARCH CENTER



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With Our EXCHANGES

THE EDITOR'S PRAYER—
"O Lord, have mercy on this guy as we wander here below gathering news and spreading tales about the folks we know. It's true, he is inquisitive . . . a very nosy guy. his one redeeming feature is, he's seldom known to lie. He has his nose in everything that happens here on earth, no matter what your standing is, how high or low your birth. You try to steal some money and present a pretty tale. This bird comes out and tells the truth as to why you went to jail. You wreck your car on one short beer, or so you firmly stated. This man reports the judge declared you were inebriated. The preacher brings his sermons in, the lawyer brings his will, the plumber states in big, bold type, he must collect his bill. This man prints news about the time you first saw the light of day, about the things you did on earth and when you passed away. He has to delve in everything from politics to treason . . . at times he is convinced that even murder is in season. It's queer how folks will do nice things, then drop a little hint as to how it wouldn't hurt a bit to have it show in print. Then that same guy while flying high will cut some foolish caper

and go to any length at all to keep it from the paper. And so we ask Thy mercy as we near the Golden Stairs You put us here to stick our nose in other folks' affairs!" —Craig (Colo.) Empire-Courier

DANGEROUS GROUND
To resort to the vernacular, members of the House Rules committee stuck their necks out the other day when they "sheived" a bill which would allow the importation of Mexican farm hands to help with the preparation and harvest of 1951 crops. The measure apparently is dead unless the committee does an about face. The United States has been called upon to produce the largest crops of practically all kinds in history this year. In most instances, record-breaking productions are expected. But any such achievement will require a great many more workers than will be available in the U. S. Labor shortages not only are anticipated in

this country, but nothing short of a draft could force most of the available American workers onto the farms. Workers from Mexico offer the most promising solution of the problem. This labor will not be available if the present bill continues on the Rules committee shelf. We would not care to be in the shoes of members of the committee if crop losses should be heavy at this critical time because harvest hands are not available. The Rules committee if it "stands pat", could not escape a large part of the responsibility if that should happen. True, the bill now pending may have objectionable features. But it will be a poor testimonial to the ability of members of the committee if they are unable to work out something that would be satisfactory. This certainly is not the sort of legislation which should be placed on a committee shelf and forgotten. —Lubbock Avalanche

THE TIDELANDS CASE
Attorney General Price Daniel told this scribe that Texas and the coastal states were going to win the tidelands case. "We're going to win those lands back for the school children of Texas," he said. . . . Not only is the Texas delegation and those from other coastal states increased and determined, but even many of the members of Congress from inland states are seeing their rivers and lakes and other resources coming under federal control and management, reasons the Texas Attorney General. They'll ultimately help. . . . Price said this one day. . . . That very same day legislation giving the states clear title to off shore oil lands won approval of a House Judiciary committee subcommittee in Washington. Representative Gossett of Wichita Falls said he believes the full committee will approve the bill next week. . . . The same day President Truman is reported to have told a caller that he would veto such a measure. . . . Lots of votes are needed to override a veto. . . . But Texas isn't through yet on its case, which is distinctly different from that of any other state, due to reservations upon admission to the union. —Plainview Herald. The first step in bringing soils to their maximum production should be a soil test or analysis.

Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

October 14, 1909
Edward Kennedy has completed arrangements for money to build the Altus, Roswell and El Paso railroad according to an announcement this week. The proposed road is to come through Lockney.
The Lockney exhibit at the State Fair has been shipped and George Brewster will be in charge of it at the fair. Boosters think it will take first place.
Prof. J. C. McKeivy has been informed the next Teachers Institute would be held in Lockney.
The first freeze of the season came October 11.
A. G. McAdams Lumber Co. has added 150 feet of shed to their building.
A Farmer's Institute will be held in Lockney on Saturday, October 23.
Mrs. Billie Britton left Saturday for El Paso where she will attend the grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star.
August 29, 1919
Lockney schools will open September 8. Superintendent is Prof. A. L. Foster. He announces that the state will furnish most text books this year and pupils will be required to cover the books and take care of them.
Wheat harvest is still underway and the yield is running around 25 bushels per acre.

Paul Edgar White, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. White, was killed near Altus when he fell under a wagon.
Big crowds attended the State Fair at Pleasant Valley Thursday, Friday, A. A. Wray was in charge of arrangements.
C. C. Seeman has been elected position with the First National Bank.
F. Davenport has 960 acres of land in Floyd County.
January 8, 1920
The Lockney Chamber of Commerce elected officers for the coming year as follows: Henry (president); Frank (vice president); Arthur (secretary); D. E. Cox, treasurer.
The temperature hit a low zero, six inches of snow on the ground.
Mrs. Isabella McLaughlin, 90 years old, mother of E. J. Laughlin, died at Lockney, December 10.
Statement of condition of First National Bank of Lockney at close of business December 31, showed deposits of \$22,000 with cash and due from banks of \$28,270.09.
The Security State Bank statement showed cash of \$2,000 and deposits of \$23,500.
Announcements for publication in this issue were: Guimain for district clerk; Allen for county school superintendent; Miss Ora Harms county superintendent; Sims for Commissioner; J. F. Dollar for commissioner precinct 2; A. A. Tabin for assessor; P. G. Stegall for tax collector; Price for county superintendent.

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BUY and SAVE at HOME

South Plains

by Mrs. Murray Julian

Hail and torrential winds and rains fell Friday night about dark in the vicinity of South Plains. On the Home Demonstration Club tour on Friday afternoon, the farms were beautiful with cotton showing like lacy patterns all over the country. The next day it was a different picture. Part of the hail fell up north of South Plains, doing great damage to wheat, as well as cotton, but the greatest amounts of hail and rain seems to have fallen around Shelby Calahans, clear across south to the Staniforth farm, even past the west end of Carl Jarrett's place. Bryant Higginbotham's and neighbors across the canyon took nearly a total loss. Every farm in between these places was hurt to some degree. Now everyone will be busy replanting, but maize will be the main crop in the ground now.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Johnson are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, born Tuesday night, June 12, at Lubbock General hospital, in Lubbock. The new boy has been named Carlton Lewis, for the two grandfathers. This is the second grandson for Mr. and Mrs. Carl Daniel, as Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burgess have a son, also. We offer best wishes to the new parents, and the family.

Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Guest are spending their second week in Deport. They have written that Mrs. Guest's mother is in poor health. They are expected home the latter part of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Scott from Lockney, were at the South Plains church on Sunday, and Mr. Scott preached the morning and evening services, in the absence of Rev. Guest. We were glad to welcome them in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Arby Mulder, Catherine and Nathan went to Floydada after church on Sunday to have dinner and spent Father's Day with Mrs. Sippie Mulder.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wright and family, from Pampa, came Friday and spent the rest of the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Davis and family.

Mrs. Ruth Burnett left for San Antonio Sunday morning after a two weeks stay with her mother, Mrs. Sula Julian, who resides in Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Smitherman returned Sunday from a trip to

Dallas. They went down on Friday, on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Golden, from Amarillo, came Sunday evening to visit with Mrs. Golden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, and the Gene Edmonds at the Edmonds home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Thornton and Kay, and Mr. and Mrs. Noel Deavenport returned Monday night from Truman, Arkansas, where they had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Norman W. Deavenport for several days. Mrs. Norman Deavenport underwent major surgery while all the family were there, and after she was home from the hospital, the Thorntons and Deavenports returned home. Mrs. N. W. Deavenport is convalescing nicely at this time, we are glad to report. Mrs. Wade Deavenport has since returned home here, also, for she had been in Truman for a month's visit, and was there while Mrs. N. W. Deavenport was ill and in the hospital.

Sharon Burnett is visiting this week at the home of her uncle, Murray Julian and family. She is here from San Antonio, and has been with her mother, Mrs. Burnett, the past two weeks at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Sula Julian.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartman spent Thursday in Lubbock shopping and attending to some business.

Wade Davenport's brother, J. A. Davenport, from Boulder, Colo. has been visiting the past week at the Deavenport and Thornton home.

Mrs. H. L. Marble spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. John Burgett, in Floydada. Mrs. Burgett is here from Denton, and was called here by the death of her husband's mother, Mrs. R. M. Burgett, who has been in bad health for some time. She passed away Friday night.

M. M. Julian and son Terry, took a load of cattle to the Amarillo Western sales ring for Jimmy Davis Monday morning. There was so many cattle coming in so early in the day, that the truck load didn't sell until Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Johnson, from Plainview was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bean Sunday and was present at church with Mr. and Mrs. Bean and son, Bill.

ly.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Edmonds missed the big hail and wind storm here, but on the way to Dallas on Friday morning, they were almost swept off the highway near Dallas and overturned by high waters. A truck pulled them back on the road to safety. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, from Cameron, parents of Mrs. Edmond, returned for a two weeks visit Sunday night with the Edmonds and Goldens, who live in Amarillo.

Several people had picnics in mind last Sunday, and so took their dinners and their families and went to Roaring Springs to spend the day. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Brown and girls, Jerry and Peggy Pearsey, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Davis and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Parks and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood and Juanelle and Glenn Brown went to Tucumcari, N. M. to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGowan and twin boys, and other relatives over there. Mr. McGowan is reported to be going elsewhere soon, and the Woods wanted to see them all before he was transferred.

Mrs. Truday Taylor was a visitor at Mrs. Mildred Thornton's on Thursday of this past week, and Dennis Scaling from Lubbock was also a visitor at the Deavenport and Thornton home on Thursday.

The Home Demonstration Club tour of homes which was held last Friday afternoon, June 15, was an enjoyable experience for those who participated in the event, and those who did not join in the tour missed a fine afternoon. The homes and yards that were visited showed the latest methods in planning, and many interesting new closet devices and other improvements were seen. The homes were all planned with an eye to comfort and beauty combined. The tour ended at Mrs. Barrett's home, where refreshments were served to all the ladies. Those who went from the South Plains club were Mrs. J. K. West, Mrs. J. B. Smitherman, Mrs. A. T. Engebretson and Mrs. M. M. Julian.

Mrs. Bert Douglas and Mrs. Homer Williamson from Lubbock were gracious hostesses at a dinner party Friday night. Mr.

and Mrs. George Weast from here attended the dinner party.

Visitors in the Weast home all day Sunday were Weast's daughter, Mrs. Robt. Smith and husband and children from Sterley and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stanford of Lubbock. The granddaughter, Sharon went home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans of Amarillo on Saturday.

Wednesday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Bert Douglas and Mrs. Tunnell, all from Lubbock, drove up to Mr. and Mrs. George Weast's and spent the afternoon visiting

with them.

Mrs. Grigsby Milton and daughter, Barbara Sue are both confined to their home with mumps this week. We hope this marks the end of the mumps in our vicinity, for they have certainly been bad this spring.

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CHAS. GIVENS RETURNS

S-Sgt. Charles Givens has returned to camp at Greenville, S. C. after spending two weeks leave here with his wife and daughter. Accompanying him back was his sister-in-law, Miss Fredda Bybee, who will go to Winston-Salem, N. C., to visit her sister, Mrs. C. E. Shouse.

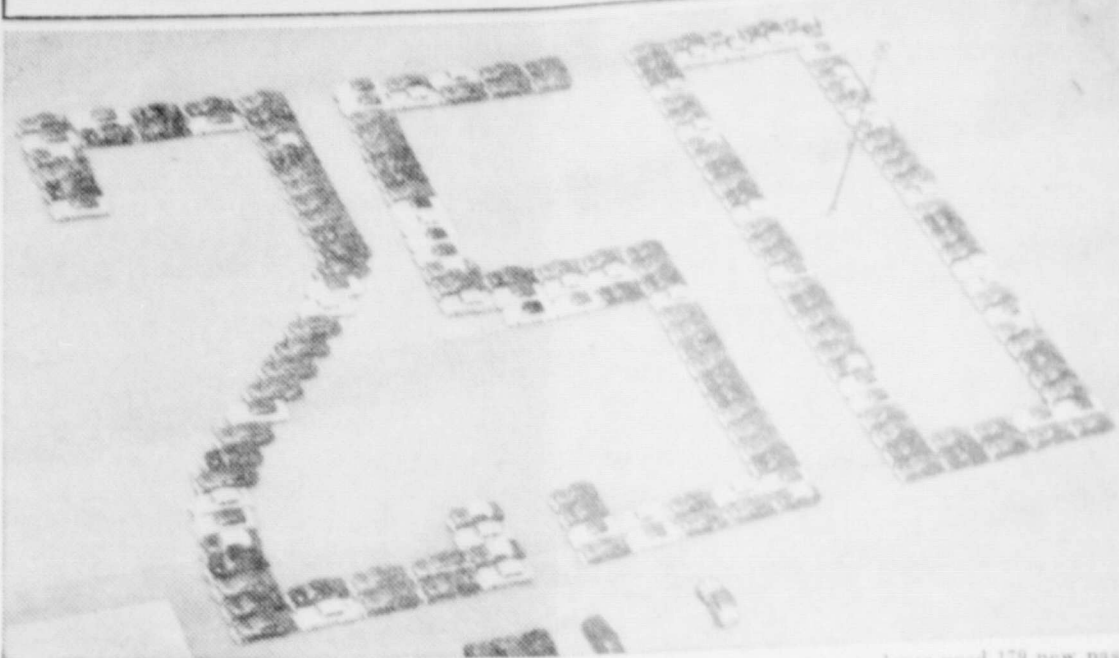
Jovoyne Taylor of Cone left Thursday after spending six days here visiting friends and relatives.

EXPRESS THANKS

The Girl Scout Troop No. 7 of Lockney wishes to thank everyone who bought cakes and pies and who donated them last Saturday. The girls appreciate the help given them very much, they say.

Last year's income from hunting and fishing leases in Texas, exceeded \$2 million and the sale of furs added several millions more to the wildlife income of the state.

Automotive Salute to Detroit's Birthday



The Chevrolet Motor Division salutes the 250th anniversary of Detroit with an array of the products which have made the city world-famous. In laying out the design, company employees used 179 new passenger cars to form figures each 219 feet deep and 60 feet across, covering more than 44,900 square feet.

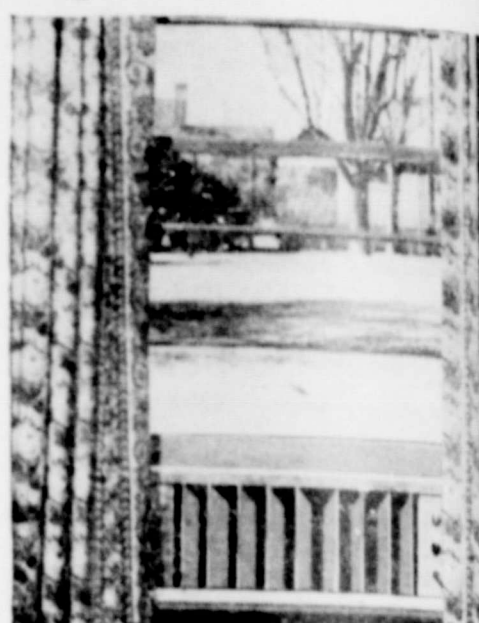
parents of Mrs. Chambers, were there, too. The storm that brought some hail to Lockney Monday night, did not damage crops in the Lockney community, we are glad to report.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bonner, Mary Jo and Jonnie Mac left last week for a two weeks vacation in California.

ATTEND FUNERAL
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blair and Mrs. Lee King, Mrs. Odie King, Mrs. Junior Traylor and Mrs. Turner recently held services for Mr. R. H. Blair and Mrs. King. The funeral was held at Plainview.

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By **Harve Pennington**

Surface lures for bass aren't much good unless the bass are in shallow water. Naturally, the shallower the water the more easily the fish become frightened, but they are there for the definite purpose of feeding, so there's always opportunity for great sport.—The varied habits, diversified diet, and the temperament of the bass call for a wide variety of both artificial and natural baits, as well as of methods. The successful bass fisherman is one that makes use of his knowledge of the traits and habits of his fish. A close study of your favorite fishing ground will get you more and bigger fish.

Good fishing spots are a lot harder to find in lakes than they are in streams. Nearly all lakes have their likely-looking places, but the chances are they are over-fished, and many excellent spots are just waiting to be found by some fisherman. So how to tell the good places for the bad—and without wasting too much precious vacation time: Well, first of all, you should take advantage of the first calm morning or evening, when the fish are likely to be kicking up the surface. At such times it is easy to spot where the schools are feeding. Beware, however of isolated activity, especially when it occurs in the deeper part of the lake and well out from shore. It is a common thing to see fish jumping all over the lake, but catching them is something else again. Look for steady activity in one spot.

Irick News
By Mrs. J. C. Chambers

Steve Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Allen had his tonsils removed last week and is reported doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Colson have just returned from a vacation trip through Oklahoma, Arkansas and Missouri. They reported having a very enjoyable trip. They visited some of their relatives while on the trip and the rest of the trip was vacationing.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Graham and children ate Sunday dinner with Mr. Graham's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. George Graham. Sunday night they ate supper with Mr. Graham's nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Shaddix.

Lynn Holmes, nephew of Oliver Holmes, is spending the week with the Oliver Holmes. He is from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sumrall from Hale Center, ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jolly and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jolly went to Lubbock Tuesday on a shopping trip.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stephens of Hale Center ate dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hillman.

John Holmes, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. M. B. Holmes, motored to Gould, Okla., Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Beanland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Battle ate

Sunday dinner with their daughter, Mrs. Lola Withrow and family, celebrating Fathers Day. Also visiting in this home were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Branscom and son, Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Krause spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Lazewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrin Isom of Pinedale, Texas, visited in the Frank McClure home Sunday and Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blair and children spent the week end with Carl's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jenkins at Sayre, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Childers visited relatives at Amarillo, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Chambers, accompanied by Mrs. Chambers' grandfather, A. C. Huff, went to Kress Sunday and ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Burk Jr. Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Burk Sr.

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Providence News

By Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

Today is worth two tomorrows. Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Stoerner were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stoerner, Plainview, Rev. and Mrs. Lee Roy Brandes and daughter, Maria Joy.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes observing Fathers Day were Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Nance, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Flippin and son, Riekey.

Guests this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes are Rev. and Mrs. Lee Roy Brandes and daughter, Maria Joy.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Quebe visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roberts of Plainview Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Herndon and family of Plainview spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scheele and family.

The following attended the concert conducted by the Chapel Choir of Capital University Choir of Columbus, Ohio, conducted by Ellis Emanuel Snyder at First Christian Church Lubbock Texas Wednesday night June 13th: Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Anderson and son David, Albert Scheele, Miss Bertha Luedtke, Waco, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes, Debra motored to Lubbock Saturday. Miss Bertha Luedtke accompanied them. She returned to her home in Waco after visiting friends in Lubbock.

Master David Anderson was admitted to the Plainview hospital last week for medical care. He was able to return home Saturday. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bath former residents of Providence were injured in an auto accident Saturday near Lorenza. They are in Memorial Hospital at Lubbock. Let's remember them with a card shower. I'm sure they would appreciate them.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Brasher

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This bright-eyed young miss is a real little lady in her cotton sun-treated ruffled bodice. Her sophisticated ruffled bodice is blue and white pique. The mother-daughter dresses were designed by Trade of California. Sundress-holero combinations are expected to be among the most popular summer fashions, National Cotton Council fashionists report.

were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brasher of Petersburg Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Brasher visited Mr. and Mrs. John Bath, patients at Lubbock Memorial hospital, Lubbock.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Klyce Ooley Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ooley and daughter of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Ellison of Evergreen, Texas. Home Demonstration club meets with Mrs. Harold McLaughlin Tuesday, June 26th. Don't forget to bring your hand

made gift to exchange. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Baker visited Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Burns of Plainview Sunday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Smith Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Jackson of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams and family of Plainview.

Little Miss Joyce Glenn Jackson is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Norman Smith. Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Quebe and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boedeker and daughter were in Floydada on business Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Helmuth Quebe and family visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mathis Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Helmuth Quebe visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown of South Plains.

Trinity Lutheran Church
H. L. Anderson, Pastor
B. F. Sammann Jr., S. S. Supt.
Mrs. Jack Faver, Organist
June 24th: Sunday School 10 a. m., Divine Service 11 a. m., Religious film, Life of St. Paul, 8:00 p. m.

June 20th: Choir practice 8:15 p. m., Vacation Bible school started this Monday, 18th. There are excellent teachers and a class for your child. Send them. The attendance was poor the first day. Let's support our Vacation Bible school.

Trinity Luther League
Sponsors Second Annual Fathers Day Celebration

A large crowd of members of Trinity congregation gathered for a chicken fry Sunday afternoon at 6:30 p. m. A delicious supper was enjoyed. A delightful program honoring our fathers. A quiz program, fathers against sons. The fathers won. A clever arrangement of prizes were given. Chicken drum sticks suspended on wire for the sons attempted to eat. Laughter was indeed proper as the chicken was consumed by the sons. The regular Luther League meeting followed the program. Cecil Boedeker, president, presiding.

Rev. Anderson reported the convention and Bible Camp will be held at Kerrville. Lutheran stickers will be sold by members of the League.

Meeting closed with Lords Prayer. Next meeting will be in charge of Roselle and Robert Matthews.

Roaring Springs Buys Water System

A transaction early last week placed the city of Roaring Springs in the water business. After 38 years the community has acquired title to the Roaring Springs Townsite company, a subsidiary of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific Railway, and will operate its own municipal water system.

Stock of the Townsite Co., was sold to Roaring Springs for \$25,000. City Secretary J. D. Mitchell declared. The purchase included approximately 37 business lots and 37 residential lots, the entire water system and about five acres of wellsite. The company retained one corner business lot and two business buildings in Roaring Springs.

Motley county permanent school fund purchased the bonds making the transaction possible. Time of payment is 25 years at 4% interest.

Roaring Springs has about 155 water connections and net profit from the water system over the past five years has been over \$3,600 annually.

The railroad line organized the company in 1913 and furnished much of the system with fine, abundant water which is produced by the water system. With the recent change to diesel locomotives on the railroad, the need for water has been abolished.

Mr. Mitchell said the city of Roaring Springs still has hopes of selling the revenue bonds approved last year for the purpose of installing a municipal sewer system.

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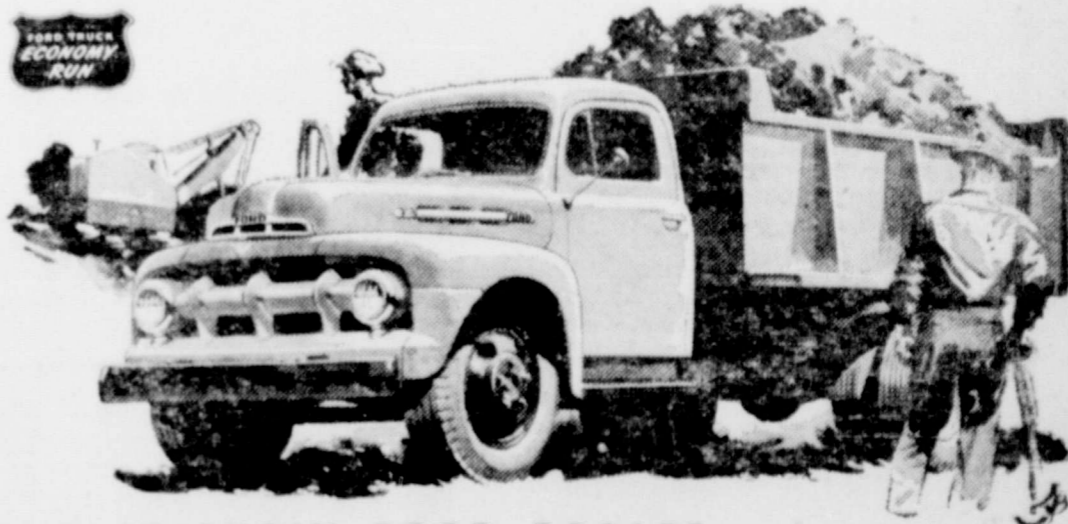
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Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Foster Jr. and Sammy of Lockney were among those attending a father's day and birthday celebration recently for Mrs. Foster's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. French of Roaring Springs. Mrs. French celebrated her 73rd birthday and Mr. French his 75th birthday. Thirty-three relatives from over West Texas attended the celebration.

SUNDAY VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Carthel and family were hosts to a number of visitors Sunday including Professor Dosche and daughter, Renee from San Antonio. Prof. Dosche is flute instructor in summer band school at Texas Tech, Lubbock. Other visitors were the Carthel's daughters, June and Joyce, students at Tech, Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Carthel, Gayle and Lee.

Damaging Hail—

(Continued from page 1) totaled 45 here, on Friday .09 of an inch fell and the 51 Monday completed the total. The hottest day of the past week was last Thursday when the temperature soared to 102, Mr. Holt said. The low that day was 62. On Monday of this week the thermometer hit 94 and on Tuesday the high was 90 degrees above. Mr. Holt said that the fact that it had seemed hotter this week was due to the high humidity.

4-H Cotton Contest Entry Deadline Is July 1st

Robert H. Gibson, County Agent is reminding and encouraging all Floyd County 4-H Boys and Girls who plan to enter their 5 acres of cotton in the Cotton Production Contest this year to send in their entries in this contest by July 1, 1951. It is absolutely essential that he receive your entries by this date in order for you to be eligible. You should give your name, address, and location of your farm and where the five acres of cotton is located in the field. Your entries may be mailed or brought to the County Agents office, but by no means after July 1.

Infant Buried Here Tuesday

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Burleson of Lubbock was buried here Tuesday afternoon. The baby was born late Monday in the Plainview hospital and lived only an hour.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Burleson, who live four miles northwest of Lockney, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Watson of Plainview. A brother and sister also survive.

Services were held at the Carter Funeral Chapel here Tuesday afternoon at 3 p. m. with burial in Lockney Cemetery.

SAILOR HERE

S 1-c Don Aycock is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Aycock. Don has spent the past 11 months serving on a destroyer in the Pacific. His ship has participated in shelling of enemy-held shore installations. He has a 16 day leave.

Mrs. Ella Marr has just returned from a 10 day visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ed Stewart and her grandson, Cecil Shearer at Amarillo.

Elaine and Linda Dean of Amarillo are visiting their cousin, Janice Boedeker this week.

Local Men Are Slightly Improved

Two Lockney men who have been very ill were reported as "slightly improved" Wednesday. Gilbert Huls, who has been seriously ill for the past several weeks, was some better at his home here. He was returned to his home from the hospital Saturday. However his condition is still serious.

Uncle Ben Reece, injured when knocked down by an automobile on Main Street about three weeks ago, was slightly better in Baylor Hospital at Dallas. He has undergone two head operations and contracted pneumonia since entering there some two weeks ago. His condition is also still serious.

Bank To Sponsor Coleman Show

The First National Bank in Lockney, will sponsor the Ronald Coleman radio show, Favorite Story, to be heard over Station KFLD at Floydada beginning Sunday, July 3rd. It was announced this week.

The program will include thrilling and romantic adventures adapted from famous books and legends, the selected favorites of notable public figures of today. Coleman narrates the stories himself and occasional portrayals those famous starring roles.

The stories will be heard over KFLD each Sunday at 2 p. m. beginning July 3.

Mrs. Russell, New Extension Agent, Due In Lubbock

Lubbock. — Mrs. Aubrey W. Russell, now home demonstration agent in Hunt County, will be the new district agent for Extension District 2, with headquarters in Lubbock.

Mrs. Russell succeeds Miss Kate Adele Hill who is being transferred to College Station to become Extension Service studies and training leader. Mrs. Russell is a native of Burleson and is a graduate of Paschal High School at Fort Worth and Texas State College for Women at Denton.

Mrs. Russell is a former school teacher and home supervisor for the Farmers Home Administration. She has been with the Extension Service since Aug. 1, 1947, when she was named home demonstration agent in Cottle County and has been in Hunt County since Dec. 1, 1949.

58 On Tour Of Homes And Yards

A tour of homes and yards of Home Demonstration Club members was held Friday afternoon, June 15 with 51 adults and 7 children attending. This was a part of the Home Demonstration Club's program for the year and other tours will be held from time to time.

The first stop on Friday's tour was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Price. Mrs. Price is a member of the Sunnyside Home Demonstration Club. Her cool shady back lawn and her flower garden were delightful to see. The group also admired a number of occasional tables Mrs. Price has made.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Tinsley of Sterley was visited next. Her spacious new house of cream colored brick was admired by all. Her barbecue furnace and two three-tiered strawberry beds were of interest to everyone. The group drove on to the Lone Star community where Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Frizzell's new home, also of cream colored brick, was visited, and it was admired from front to back as was the brick home of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Nance that was visited next to the last. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Kings place was visited after the Frizzell's and their native grass lawn and extensive windbreak plantings were admired as well as their barbecue furnace.

The last place visited was that of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Barrett where another well arranged house was shown. Here the thirsty travelers were served refreshments by Mrs. Barrett, Frizzell, King, Nance and G. B. Johnston Sr. of the Lone Star

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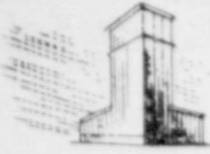
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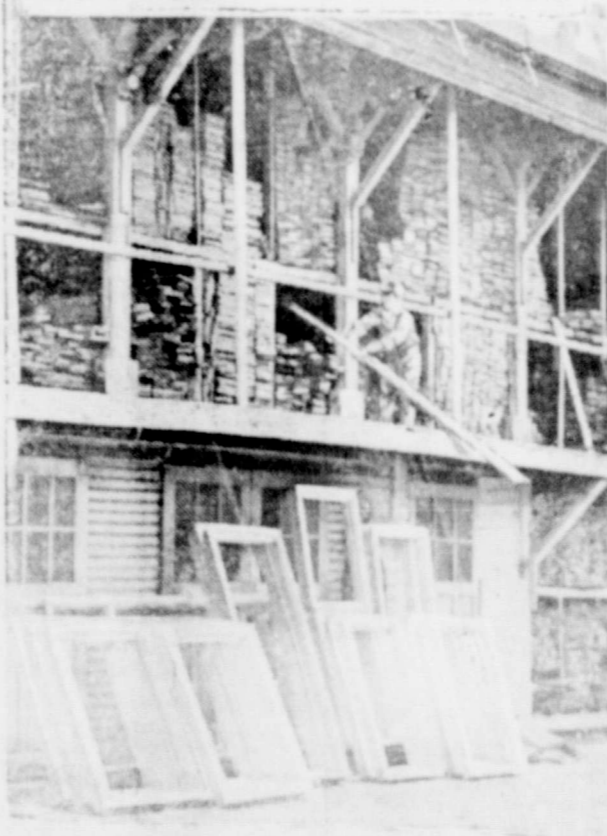
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