

DR. MAURICE EWING, FORMER LOCKNEY STUDENT, REACHES HIGH POSITION IN SCIENCE

(Editor's note: This story concerning Dr. Maurice Ewing, professor of Geology at Columbia University, was intended for The Beacon's 50th Anniversary edition last week but the copy was received too late. Because of its interest we are running it this week. Dr. Ewing is a cousin of Miss Juanita Thompson and Mrs. Buck Sams, both of Lockney.)

By Lucy Ewing Clawson

"The year I started to school, the old Lockney school house burned down. It looked as if I was getting off to a bad start and I thought I had to work extra hard to make up for it."

This has been the policy of Dr. Maurice Ewing, professor of Geology at Columbia University and well-known scientist both in this country and abroad, ever since that time. If an obstacle presented itself, it simply meant hard work to overcome it. This strong determination, together with an insatiable thirst for knowing the "why" of things and a refusal to admit defeat have made of this one-time Lockney school boy a recognized authority in the field of science.

Starting to school at the usual age of six, Maurice, son of Mrs. Hope Ewing and the late Floyd Ewing, did the unusual by entering the third grade at the age of seven, and the fifth fifth grade at the age of eight. After that, he discovered the even numbers. This precociousness was evident throughout his school career, and was coupled with a versatility that made him even more out-

standing. He won the spelling contests, arithmetic was a snap, and he read everything. He played trombone in the school and municipal bands, entertained school assemblies with tricks of magic, and was generally a leader in school activities. He graduated from Lockney high school two weeks after his 15th birthday, valedictorian of his class.

At home Maurice's "out our way" behavior was a source of irritability or amusement, depending upon who was the victim of his pranks at the moment. He turned the garage into a laboratory which became a hodgepodge of books, experimental equipment, and booby traps. It was unsafe to enter. Often one of the boiler of his younger brother or sisters was sent to the garage to hunt the coffee pot, the can opener or some other household essential, and would find it a part of some inconceivable contraption. We served also as scapegoats for his experiments, and this story is concrete evidence of the failure of his electric chair.

After graduating from high school, Maurice entered Rice Institute in Houston, working his way through college for the most part in addition to being an honor student and helping his sisters through school at the same time. Not satisfied with the BA degree, he stayed on and earned the MA and Ph D, which he would have received at the age of 21 except for a stroke of bad luck. After writing his disserta-



DR. MAURICE EWING

—Courtesy Amarillo News

tion, he discovered that the subject he had chosen had already been written on, so another year, during which he taught in a college in Erie, Pa., was consumed while he worked another dissertation. At this time he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

Dr. Ewing has lectured in many places, including such cities as El Paso, Tulsa, Washington, D. C., New York, Amsterdam and Rome, but it is doubtful if he has ever had a more delightful and spellbound audience than the assemblage of students in his dormitory at Rice at the beginning of his Sophomore year. This was occasioned by his eventful return trip to Rice.

Deciding to save train fare, Maurice bought a second-hand motorcycle, and started out in the general direction of Houston. That vehicle was of ancient vintage and worn out, and the trip was marked by trouble from the start. It was finally abandoned, and the trip continued by train

after all—hobo fashion. His letter, telling how he was almost robbed by professional hobos, and how he escaped, first by posing as an insane person and finally by simply outrunning his pursuers, hiding in a cemetery and arriving at swank Rice in tatters in the early morning hours is a cherished family document, rating along with his degrees and certificates of honors. It is far more exciting than the modern comic books.

Intending to slip into his room, he was surprised by one of the boys who roused the whole dormitory, and in his begrimed, barely decent state, he told the story of his journey from Lockney to Houston, via motorcycle, freight train, and finally and ignominiously afoot.

Two years at Erie were followed by several more as a member of the physics department of Lehigh University, in Bethlehem,

Pa. Then during World War II, Dr. Ewing did special work for the Navy in locating and identifying sunken ships and submarines. By this time he had improved his technique and equipment in taking underwater pictures. His camera and flash equipment were sealed in a heavy cylinder which would withstand the great pressure of water two to three miles deep. This was attached to a pole six to eight feet in length, and was lowered by means of a cable. The lens of the camera, placed against a heavy glass insert in the cylinder, was in perfect focus, and when the end of the pole struck bottom or any object, the camera clicked and the flash bulb went off simultaneously.

During this time, too, Dr. Ewing perfected a device for locating ships in distress. This enabled other vessels to arrive at the scene more quickly, thus speeding up and greatly increasing the efficiency of rescue work.

After the war he assumed duties at Columbia University in New York, his present position. Several years ago, he was named director of the Lamont Geological Observatory, a branch of the University. Here he and a hand-picked group of scientists are making an enviable reputation for themselves. Other associates travel widely, taking seismograph readings and "cores" or samples from the ocean floor. So thorough and extensive have been their surveys that they have evolved many new geological principles and discredited others which have had long-standing acceptance.

Dr. Ewing is one of the world's foremost authorities on the floor of the ocean which is admittedly a difficult part of the world to study. He still follows his early pattern of overcoming obstacles by hard work, ingenuity, and a tenacity almost beyond belief. Dr. Ewing has received many honors from various sources. Notable among these are his honorary degree from Washington and Lee University on the occasion of its one hundredth anniversary, and his invitation to membership in the National

Academy of Science. He is one of the youngest members of that distinguished organization. Last year he was invited to speak in Rome and was presented to Pope Pius who graciously thanked him for coming so far and contributing so much to a world-wide meeting of scientists. He was highly gratified to learn that his work was known and respected in scientific circles in many countries.

Dr. and Mrs. Ewing are the parents of four children, Jerry, Hope, Peter, and little Margaret, who is four months old. He has another son, Van Ewing, of Dallas, Texas.

Modest and unassuming, but with a charm that is a mixture of quick wit and the ability to take mental strides where others take steps, Dr. Ewing is still keenly interested in the people with whom he grew up, and is always delighted to have news of them. "Where's Doyle now? And how are the Doctor and Mrs. Greer?"

Is Mr. Wilson... school? What do... Cecil Cape? And... Hula, where is... Rogers? Mrs. B... girls, Jim... White?" If time... ces would permit... please him more... long chat with... tell us, the first... formative ones... on to point with... native son.

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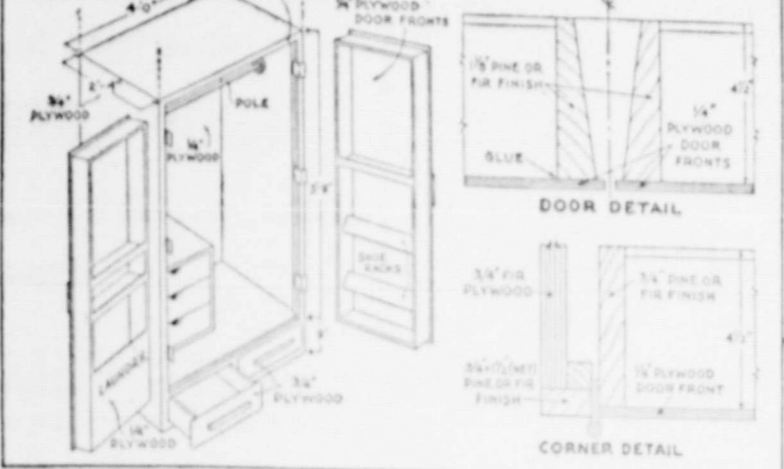
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Briscoe Pioneer Died At Silverton Home

Riley Seay, Briscoe county pioneer, passed away Monday morning, April 14, at the Silverton hospital. He would have been 92 years old in June, and had been in failing health for some months.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Silverton Baptist Church... Mr. Seay was born in Alabama on June 2, 1860. He married Miss Loretta Hamilton on Nov. 1, 1883, and they moved to West Texas in 1908.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

The bottom of a pressing iron sometimes gets a little rough. To make it smooth, rub vigorously with salt dampened in cold

water and applied with a crushed newspaper, then wipe on a clean cloth. Watch your expiration date.

Saccharin is derived from coal-tar. French is the chief language of Haiti.

BAPTIST BULLETIN First Baptist Church

J. R. NAYLOR, Pastor ROYCE DOWELL, Ed. Dir.

PASTOR'S NOTES: Beginning this next Sunday, we begin a series of messages, "WHAT BAPTIST BELIEVE." Baptist have been misunderstood and misquoted many times.



The Truth Shall Make You Free JOHN 8:32

A TEA PARTY: I had a little tea party This afternoon at three. "Twas very small— Three guest in all— Just I, Myself, and Me. Myself ate all the sandwiches, While I drank up the tea; 'Twas also I who ate the pie and passed the cake to me.

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Society News

Baker Hotel Is Scene Of Luncheon

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Anderson entertained their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Garrard and Mr. and Mrs. John R. Whitworth of Waco, with a luncheon in the Baker Hotel last Thursday. Mr. Garrard and Mr. Whitworth are past masters of the Fidelis Lodge 1127 of Waco. They had attended the annual meeting of the Grand Commandery of Texas which was held in Lubbock last week.

Others present for the luncheon were Messers, and Mmes. Herman King and Ben Richard, V. L. Webster, and Ed Carter.

Seniors Honored At Jr.-Sr. Banquet

The annual Junior-Senior Banquet was held Friday night, April 18, in the Hilton Hotel Ball Room at Plainview. A western theme of "Deep In The Heart of Texas" was carried out throughout the entire banquet.

The entrance to the dining room was decorated with a large hitching post and several tumbleweeds surrounding it. Large cardboard cowboys decorated the tables and guns and holsters served as plate favors.

Goree Applewhite gave the invocation and the program began with an address given by Gene Applewhite, the Junior class president. It was entitled "Tall Tales."

Orland Gilbert was next on the program with a speech entitled "Texas Brags." After Barry Thompson's account of "Friendship" a delicious dinner was served. Immediately following the dinner Frances Dee Copeland made a speech on "Texas — A World In Itself."

An account of "Texas Under Six Flags" was given by John Kendall and Gayle Sherman read the Senior Class Will which was followed by the Class Prophecy by Pat Pylant. The Senior Class History was read by Marie Scheele.

Gene Applewhite presented the banquet favorites. Gayle Sherman and Bobby Dorman were chosen as "Most Representative." Glenda Readhimer and Barry Thompson, "Most Popular," and Marie Scheele and John Kendall, "Most Likely To Succeed." The girls were given tiny silver identification bracelets and each boy was presented with a gold tie chain.

The Junior class presented a large ship clock to Mrs. E. C. Cope who had helped the class with the banquet.

The main speaker for the evening was Superintendent Sidney Reeves. His address was on "The Eyes of Texas Are Upon You."

The memorable occasion was concluded by Eddie Joe Fortenberry, who gave the benediction.

John Alden's wife's maiden name was Priscilla Mullins.



MR. AND MRS. JAMES BRADFORD WHITEHEAD JR.

Foster-Whitehead Vows Exchanged

Miss Joyce Jeannine Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foster, and James Bradford Whitehead Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whitehead Sr., were united in marriage Wednesday morning, April 16, at 11 a. m. in the Sterley Methodist Church. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. F. R. Pickens, pastor of the Sterley and Aiken Methodist churches.

Miss Patsy Fortenberry played the traditional wedding marches and several piano selections.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a navy blue street length sheer nylon dress with white accessories. Her corsage was a white gardenia and she carried a white Bible topped with white streamers and stock flowerlets. For something old the bride carried a handkerchief belonging to her uncle; something new was her wedding attire; borrowed was a watch belonging to a friend; and something blue was her garter.

Miss Helen Whitehead, sister of the groom, was maid of honor. She wore a dusty rose crepe street length dress with white accessories and her corsage was a gardenia.

Lewis Foster, brother of the bride, was best man.

The couple will make their home in Lockney after their honeymoon trip to Abilene and Austin.

The bride is a 1951 graduate of Lockney High School. The groom attended school in Georgetown, Texas.

After the United States purchased the Danish West Indies in 1917, their name was changed to the Virgin Islands.

Mrs. Mac Howard Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. George Malcolm Howard, the former Miss Neida Schaffner, was honored with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Marvin Scheele of Providence Friday evening, April 18, from 2:30 until 5 o'clock.

Upon arrival the bride, her mother, and mother-in-law were each presented with a corsage of pink and white gladiolus.

The serving table was covered with a white lace table cloth and a crystal punch bowl was placed on one end of the table and the centerpiece consisted of the bride's colors of pink and white gladiolus. Pink and white individual cake squares and punch were served to thirty-five guests.

Guests were received by Mrs. R. C. Matthews and were registered by Miss Marie Scheele. Mrs. Jack Faver rendered several musical selections. Mmes. Marvin Scheele and R. C. Matthews presided in the gift room and presented the bride with her many lovely gifts.

A mock wedding was acted out by Mrs. Luther Brandes impersonating the preacher; Mrs. Sid Sammann, Neida; Miss Marie Scheele, Mar; Mrs. Leroy Brandes, the bride's maid; Mrs. Ben Brandes, best man; and Mrs. Marvin Scheele, the bride's mother.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Sid Thomas, J. B. Seale, E. P. Jones, Marvin Scheele, Jack Faver, R. C. Matthews, Henry Sammann, Sid Sammann, and Misses Marie Scheele, Rosalee Matthews, and Clara Sammann.

Local People Attend OES School

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cox, Mrs. Connie O'Brien, Mrs. Buck Sams, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Russell, and Mrs. Frank Messimer attended the meeting in Hereford April 15 of the Eastern Star when the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Flora Boone, made her official visit.

Wednesday, April 16, the Eastern Star school for District 2, Section 3 was held at Plainview in the Masonic Hall. Honored guests were Mrs. Flora Beest Boone, Worthy Grand Matron; Earl T. Manning, Mrs. Elsie Hills, Grand Examiner; Mrs. Molly Goodpasture, District Deputy Grand Matron; and Mrs. Beulah Stuckler, Deputy Grand Matron.

Those from Lockney attending this school and receiving their A. and B. S. certificate were Mmes. Ruby Sams, Atlie Ford, Loraine King, Ruth Cox, Annie Dell Quebe, Bessie Russell, Myrtle Messimer, and Louise Cooper.

Fleas do not have wings.

Open House At Potts Home Sunday

The beautiful new brick neer home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Potts, located in the Irick community, a half mile east of the old school house, will be inspected by visitors Sunday when the Potts hold open house from 3 to 6 o'clock.

The new home is probably the largest, most elaborate in this entire area. The main floor has 2650 square feet of floor space in eight rooms and two baths. An almost full basement has four small rooms and one large recreation room 16 by 71 feet. The basement has around 2500 feet of floor space.

The home was completed just recently. Lockney Lumber & Supply furnished the material while Becton Potts, father of Melvin, and Clyde Hill were carpenters on the job. Harley Workman did the plumbing. Olan Beauchamp did the electrical work, Joe Rogers the cement work and Si Ramsey the painting.

Demonstration On Braided Rugs Mon.

A demonstration on making braided rugs will be given at 2:30 Monday afternoon, April 28, in the Council Room of the court house in Floydada, according to an announcement by Miss Leila Petty, County Home Demonstration Agent. Mrs. Kate Collier will give the demonstration. Any person interested is invited to attend this meeting. Those who have made braided rugs are invited to display their rugs at this meeting.

A million is a thousand thousand.

LaVentana Club Met Tuesday Afternoon

The LaVentana Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Clarence Strickland Tuesday, April 22, at 2 p. m. Mrs. Charlie Merrick, president, gave the federation news and each member told some current news. Roll call was answered with "Women's Rights" and Mrs. Clyde Farish rendered several musical selections. Mrs. J. L. Lovvorn gave a talk on "Sister Elizabeth Kenny, Polio" and Mrs. Albert King told of Madam Curie.

When the meeting had adjourned the ladies all went to a tea party at Floydada in the First

Christian Church. O. M. McGinty, 7th District of Texas Women's Club, was the occasion was...

The women attended from Lockney were Foster, J. T. Griffin, Clois King, J. L. Merrick, Emma Robert Smith, Clarence and Raymond...

The next meeting will be at the Lockney Church when Mrs. present a musical begin at 3:30 p. m. He is invited to attend.

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EDITORIAL

Who shall change our vile body, that it may be fashioned like unto his glorious body, according to the working whereby he is able even to subdue all things unto himself. — Philippians 3:21.

Thanks for the fine reception and the many compliments given The Beacon's 50th Anniversary edition. Now that the rush is over and conditions have subsided somewhat around The Beacon office we can see that it could have been a bigger and better paper had we started earlier, had more help and did more research. It is the usual custom when a special edition is in the making to hire some one who specializes in that field

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or at least to hire extra help. But The Beacon office did this whole job without outside help except for two or three articles contributed to the project by local people. We do appreciate the help we received in the preparation of the issue.

Thanks to local business men who were generous in supporting this issue of the paper, it was the largest issue published since the present management has been in charge of The Beacon. The 28 pages included in this anniversary edition is not a record for this area of course — many weekly newspapers in larger places have exceeded that — but it is a record for Lockney.

The rains came. For the first time since last September the Lockney area has had a good rain. But we weren't bad off at all. Some areas have gone 18 months and in isolated instances three years without appreciable rain. The drought is the worst in some places since the 13th century according to weather observers although we doubt if very much of a weather record was kept that far back. At any rate, the rains have made every one feel better and put a fine season in the ground for planting.

Now that the pain is beginning to subside we might all look at what March 15 meant to us and the government. The government probably fared pretty well. Tax receipts for the month should be a record \$9½ billion, compared with about \$7.7 billion in March, 1951. Total collections for the fiscal year ending June 30, according to one source, will be about \$62 billion.

If you are beginning to wonder whether taxes or inflation are the biggest threat you might consider one authority's estimate that taxes have risen 66 per cent since the Korean war began while the cost-of-living rise in the same period has been a mere 11 per cent. With the government raking in this big tax hike, while planning to curb its defense spending, a balanced budget for fiscal '52 is not improbable.

William Christmand, buried in 1864, was the first soldier in Arlington National Cemetery.

There are about three and one-half pounds of salty material to every 100 pounds of sea water.

Andrew Jackson, as a boy, received a sabre cut because he refused to black an officer's boots.

A baker's dozen is 13.

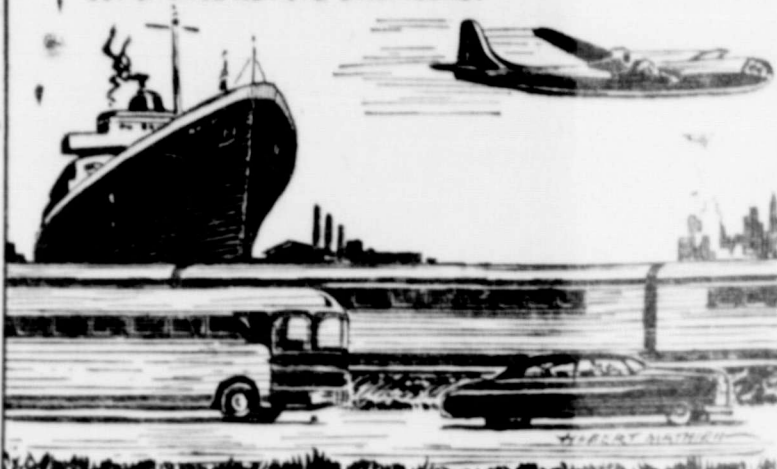
OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

"HOWDY, NEIGHBOR"

IN THE HORSE-AND-BUGGY DAYS, THE RADIUS OF A COMMUNITY WAS PRETTY WELL DETERMINED BY HOW FAR OLD DOBBIN COULD TRAVEL.



TODAY, THE COMMUNITY IS COUNTRY-WIDE, AS THE MOBILITY OF TRANSPORTATION HAS BROUGHT ONCE DISTANT TOWNS NEXT DOOR AND MADE NEXT-DOOR NEIGHBORS OUT OF ONCE REMOTE STRANGERS.



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YOU DIDN'T TELL US

Every now and then this office gets a telephone call from a mother who wants to know why the fact that her son in uniform has been promoted to sergeant hasn't been printed in the paper. She has seen a number of similar items about other Wichita Falls youths in the service and can't understand why her son is being overlooked.

Newspapers don't know anything except what people tell them, and sometimes nobody tells them about Junior's promotion. Usually, such items reach us from the post or camp where the young man is stationed. Most establishments have somebody whose duty it is to tell home town newspapers what happens to soldiers, sailors or airmen from their communities. Items of that nature come in nearly every day's mail. Some outfits don't seem to have anybody designated for such service, and the Wichita Falls youths in those outfits are denied the publicity which is due them. It isn't the newspaper's fault if nobody tells them.

Newspapers aren't the only establishments that suffer rebukes because folks don't tell them things.

It isn't unusual for a minister to get a phone call inquiring sharply why he hasn't been to



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see Mrs. Whosiz, who has been sick for two days. He hasn't been because nobody has told him of her illness, but that explanation doesn't seem to satisfy the inquirer, who apparently believes he should be clairvoyant in such matters. It is the same sort of individual who calls up somebody connected with the city, like as not the mayor himself, to ask peevishly why the dead dog hasn't been removed from the street in front of his house.

Newspapermen, ministers, city authorities and others don't know anything about anything except what people tell them. It's an elemental fact, but hard for some people to grasp. — Wichita Daily Times.

RAISING CHILDREN . . .

Today, more so than ever before, parents can pick up magazines and newspapers and read millions of words telling them just how to raise their children. Plots of movies are based on why children do the many things they do that we grownups forget we did and then raise cane with the children for doing. Advice on child raising falls into many classifications ranging from the old rule of "spare the rod and spoil the child" to the psychological viewpoint of taking the round about way of coming to the point. This approach is to camouflage your attack so that the child never realizes he has been tricked into doing something he had no intentions of doing. Of course this might be the most painless way for the child, but there is no doubt that parents must have the subject down to perfection or they will be beaten at their own game. Despite the fact we have never professed to be an expert on child raising we can observe with our eyes and ears that some of the parents have made a mess out of raising their children. And some are bringing up the small ones with that old "turn-em-loose-and-they'll-take-care-of-themselves" attitude. This can be evidenced almost every night in the theatre, on the streets and most every place you go. We have no intentions of telling anyone how to raise a child, but we do want to state: When some night at the local theatre some person just entering the show (naturally blinded by the darkness) stumbles over any of those infants who are usually crawling or running up and down the aisle, you parents have no complaints coming. They shouldn't be there in the first place. That's what the seats are for. — Post Dispatch.

INSURANCE POLICY

And there was the insurance man who was probably non-plused when he was investigating a barn that had recently burned. The farmer policyholder was assured that the insurance company would build another barn of similar size and material instead of the claim being settled in cash.

Said the farmer, "If that's the way your darn company does business, you can cancel the policy on my wife." — Friona Star.

Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the file of The Lockney Beacon.

November 7, 1913

J. H. Gruver has purchased the grocery stock of the Ed Reeves Grocery Co. and taken charge. Mr. Reeves will visit in East Texas.

In the bank statements of Lockney appearing in last week's paper combine deposits of \$128,774.45 were shown. This is a splendid showing and is equally, if not better, than the statement for the corresponding period last year.

The Bachelor Boy's Commercial Club entertained the young people of the city last Friday night with a Halloween party at the home of E. P. Thompson.

Willie Virden and Miss Alza Rigdon were married last Sunday afternoon by Rev. R. E. L. Muncy in the latter's home.

The long felt need of a high-class entertainment in Lockney is now realized through the efforts of the Bachelor Boys Commercial Club. The Dixie Lyceum Course has been secured for the College.

July 2, 1920

A force of carpenters have been at work this week erecting the gin building for the new gin of Ben Whitfill & Sons.

The Canady-Echois Lumber Company is coming to Lockney. The site occupied by Burn's blacksmith shop has been purchased and the yard will be located there.

Quite a number of Government army wagons are being received in this community which will be used on the farms and in the wheat fields of this section.

A. J. White, for ten years before going to Dalhart a citizen of Lockney, came in Friday and is in charge of the Lockney Farmers Co-operative Elevator as manager.

C. R. Wilkinson has sold a half

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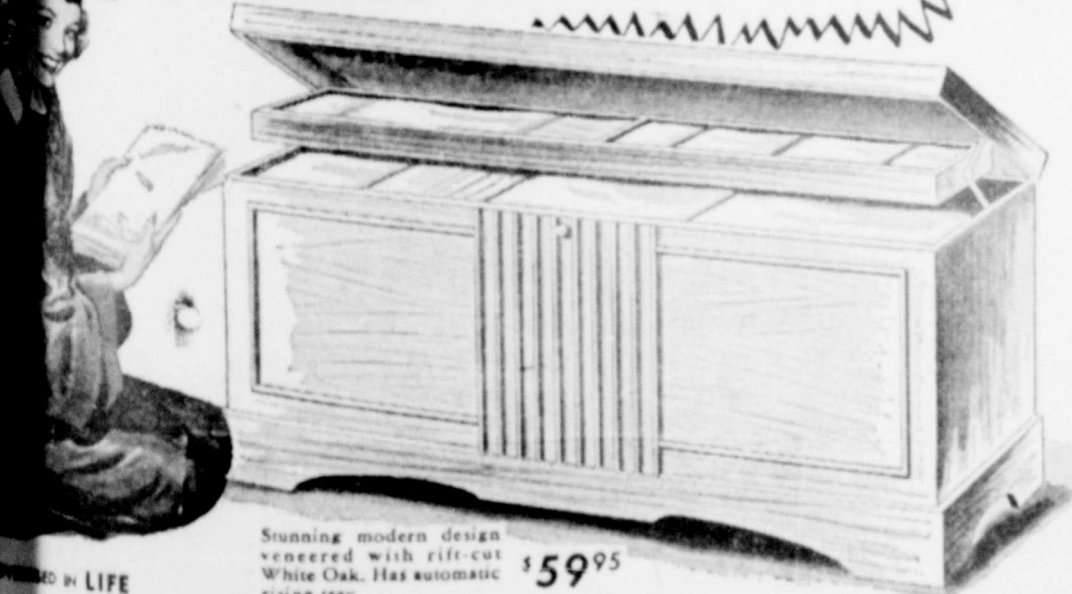
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South Plains

by Mrs. Murray Julian

The good rain of Saturday night and all day Sunday brought smiles to the farmers faces. The roads were next to impassable Sunday, and the church revival attendance was cut way down. During the week the Rev. Robert Webb and the singer, Johnny Winters, from Wayland had good crowds every night.

Junior and June Calahan made a trip to Temple, Texas Friday of last week and they went through the Scott and White Sanitorium while they were there. They arrived home Tuesday morning and Mrs. Hilburn Casey kept the Calahan children while they were gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Daniel left for their new home in Sedalia, Missouri Sunday morning. They had intended to get moved before this time, but business matters kept them here longer than expected.

Many went to the REA annual celebration which was held in Floydada Saturday, April 19. Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wood from our community were among those who helped plan the affair. They are all to be commended for a wonderful program. John Smitherman was elected to serve from this area during the day's election. Several from here won some of the fine prizes given away during the day.

Mrs. Edna Lackey is now back at her apartment in Lockney and is glad to know she is able to get around quite well without her crutches. She fell and broke her hip some few weeks ago and has been staying with a daughter in Channing for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Karr from Hubbard, Texas were guests of their son, Bryan Karr and family, from Tuesday of this past week until Thursday when they returned to their home in Hubbard. During the past week end Elton Karr was suffering with a case of the three day measles, but he was not severely ill. He is back in school now.

Mrs. George Weast attended the cooking school which was held in Lockney on Thursday and Friday of last week. Mrs. Bruce Whitlock was the lucky winner of the big prize for electric merchandise.

John K. West is having another hole dug at his irrigation well for it was discovered when they went to case the first one that the hole was not straight. Early Pritchett is having his troubles too. He had his pump set lower to see if the flow of water would not be stronger.

Ladies bring your food to the school house by four o'clock on Friday, April 25, for the candidates supper. This will make it possible to have all in readiness to serve.

Mrs. Elmo Reeves has been quite ill the past few days and is still not feeling well. She has suffered these attacks before and we hope she is soon able to be

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up again.

Mrs. Murray Julian called on Mrs. J. B. Harper and Mrs. Boyce Kenady in Lockney on Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Harper with her sweet smile and bright eyes and keen mind at ninety-six years of age is an inspiration to everyone who visits her.

Mrs. Rene Yeary was visited by her sister, Mrs. Ada Macready who lives in Houston last week. She came Monday and left Wednesday. While she was here they saw a few old friends and attended church at the South Plains church.

George Weast is sitting up now and walks back and forth to the table. He is getting better every day and able to see more of his friends.

Everyone was glad to see Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan Sr. out to church several times last week and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and their children were welcomed several nights.

Private Jerry Pearsey has been in Korea every since March 18. Mrs. Pearsey reports that Jerry is right up at the front and is in the smoke and screen division. He says the weather is fine over there now and he spoke of how the very poorest of people here live like kings in comparison to the people in Korea. Anyone who would like to write Jerry, his address is:

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Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Staniforth Jr. and Billy III went to Fort Worth Friday morning where they planned to attend the Ice Capades of 1952, which are held in the Will Rogers Coliseum. They expect to be back the first of the week.

Opal and Robert Depriest of MacAllister, Oklahoma, were Thursday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rene Yeary at their home.

Mrs. Leola McNorma from Dallas arrived Thursday to spend a few days visiting her brother, Gilbert Bean and Mrs. Bean. She was a visitor at church on different occasions with the Beans.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Cummings were hosts to the visiting minister, Rev. Webb, and Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Allen and Arlene and Harold on Sunday for dinner and the afternoon. The ministers enjoyed dinners and suppers during the whole past week with different members of the church.

Rev. C. A. Joiner plans to go to Abilene Tuesday to spend a few days visiting his brother, Ambrose Joiner, and his sister-in-law, Mrs. W. F. Joiner of Tye.

Farm Income Up 4 Per Cent

Austin. — Texas farmers' cash income in January-February was 4 per cent greater than the same period last year, primarily because of increased cotton sales, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Despite a 12-cent drop in average Texas cotton prices from February, the volume sold in January-February brought farmers \$35,000,000 — more than twice the total sales for the same 1951 period.

In other comparisons of the two January-February periods, early marketings of wheat this year boosted income from that source nearly 1,000 per cent over last year, but price marketings, \$4,100,000 last year, melted to practically nothing this year. Grain sorghum income dropped 38 per cent; oats, 77 per cent; eggs, 23 per cent; sheep and lambs, 5 per cent; hogs, 6 per cent; calves, 16 per cent; and cattle, 39 per cent.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Clark and daughter of Hart visited Mr. and Mrs. Baylor Byars Monday.

Mrs. F. L. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson spent the week end in Amarillo.

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SOCIAL SECURITY TAX ON HOUSEHOLD WORKERS EXPLAINED

April 30th is the deadline on which social security payments for household workers for the first quarter of 1952 are due at the office of your Collector of Internal Revenue.

The federal law bringing household workers under the old-age and survivors insurance system went into effect January 1, 1951. However, lawyers say that many persons who employ help in their homes are still in the dark about requirements of the law.

Here are some provisions everyone should know. Household workers covered by the law include maids, laundresses, housekeepers, cooks, nursemaids, gardeners, handymen, valets, footmen, grooms, chauffeurs of privately owned cars, practical nurses, and others.

Whether or not a household worker is included in the law depends on how many days she works and how much money she is paid. If the person works 24 days and earns \$50 during any one of the three month periods into which the calendar year has been divided, a tax report must be filed and payment made.

Only cash wages are considered, which includes bus fare if paid in cash, but does not include bus tokens, clothing, room and board, or other non-cash items furnished the employee. A domestic worker does not have to put in a full day to count on the 24 day rule — any portion of the day worked counts as a full day.

The rule is different for domestic workers on farms operated for profit. In such cases the domestic is considered a farm worker and is covered only if he or she meets the test for farm labor.

The tax in all amounts to 3% of the cash wages paid. You, as an employer, must deduct 1½% from your household worker's cash wages if the person meets the 24 day, fifty dollar test. You then include another 1½% which is the employer's contribution. After the close of each specified three-month period you should send the tax, with a report of the wages paid, to the Collector of Internal Revenue.

These three month periods, or quarters, end on March 31st, June 30th, September 30th and December 31st. Reports and payments are due by the last day of the month following the close of each quarter. During any quarterly period that a household worker does NOT work 24 days or earn \$50, the employer need not be concerned. You need not consider the work your employee performs for any other employer.

The Bureau of Internal Revenue has a special household report form, printed on the back of a return envelope, which can be obtained from your Collector upon request. Just ask for Form 942.

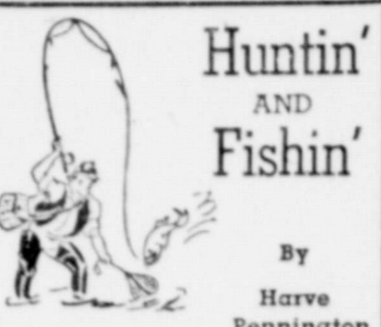
(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)



Governor Allan Shivers signs the proclamation designating April 27—May 3 as Home Demonstration Week in Texas. Present for the occasion, reading from left to right, are:

Bennie Cox, organization specialist, TAES; Mrs. R. M. Almarode, president, THDA; Mrs. Bus Rogas, a past president, THDA; Maurine Hearn, State Home Demonstration

Leader, TAES; Mrs. Sam Speir, Travis County THDA chairman; Mrs. J. E. Mills, vice president, THDA District 10; Mrs. G. W. Ferguson, editor, THDA Messenger.



Huntin' AND Fishin'

By **Harve Pennington**

It goes without saying that fly fishing for bass is shallow water fishing almost without exception. Aside from spinning a glittering blade through the deeper pools and across the weed-beds of deep water, one cannot expect to connect with bass save when these fish are in feeding mood. Unlike bait casting, the fly rod and its lures attract mainly because the bait imitates in form, color, or action the movements of bass food. Food is found in the shallows, hence the fly fisher works the shallow streams, the margin of banks of larger rivers, the pad covered points, shore lines, and covers of lakes and downed timber.

The large-mouth black bass prefers vegetation. He will respond more quickly to a wet offering than to one riding the surface, although we have fish-ed waters where this fish would rise nicely to a surface fly. This is in marked contrast to the bait casters surface plug which will pull a big mouth to the surface from almost unbelievable depths with regularity.

There is no place in shallow water where cover is present that may not be the hide-out of a bass. The show going fisherman, he who fishes every foot of possible water, will win more fish in a days casting than the hit-and-miss type of fisherman who merely picks out the best looking spots, gives them a dab or two with a fly or a bug, and

New Labor Agreement With Mexico Sought

Abilene. — Several Texans will be observers of a conference in Miami, Fla., this week in which a new labor agreement between the United States and Mexico will be sought, Robert M. Fielder of Abilene, chairman of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce agriculture and livestock committee reported.

Scheduled to be present are M. B. Morgan, commissioner of labor, Governor Shivers' personal representative; Rep. W. R. Poage, Waco, vice chairman of the House Agriculture committee; Joe Montague, general counsel of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, and a representative of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association.

The West Texas chamber called a state-wide agricultural labor conference in Waco last January. There representatives of 15 organizations subscribed to a resolution that expressed the position of those organizations toward legislation on the subject then pending in congress, and terms of a new bracero agreement.

When efforts to have Texans appear before the Miami conference failed, the WTCC acted for the 14 other organizations in urging that representatives of Texas farming, ranching and labor interests be present as observers.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Joe Ivy and Pat Ivy of Plainview and Miss Louella Cox were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Cox and Wanda Tuesday night.

journeying on, spends half the day in travel. He gets the exercise, to be sure, and that is something, but the slow going fisherman gets the bass.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Pepper Martin of Hart are the proud parents of a 7 lb., 14½ oz. baby boy. The young man, Bruce Wayne, was born Tuesday, April 16, in the Plainview Hospital and Clinic Foundation. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Pepper Martin and baby son, Bruce, spent Saturday through Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Cox and Wanda, Miss Louella Cox, aunt of Mrs. Martin, returned home with them.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

The most nutritious part of celery is in the green foliage at the end of the stalks, says the Gas Appliance Manufacturers Association. Don't waste this valuable food with its high vitamin content. Use it for soups, seasonings, salads, etc.

The best Panama hats come from Monte Christi, Ecuador. They are so fine that they can be rolled up and drawn through a wedding ring.

The University of Minnesota and the University of Michigan meet on the football gridiron each year to battle for "The Little Brown Jug."

The Bay Psalm Book, printed in 1639, was the first American book printed.

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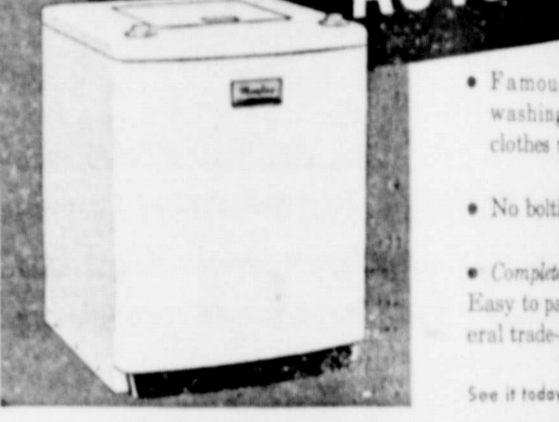
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Parker agent, Canyon. Class of '27 — Irby Carruth, president, superintendent of schools in Austin, president; Mae Simmons, agent, Canyon. Class of '22 — Mrs. Tommie Montfort, agent, Canyon. Class of '17 — Members should send addresses direct to the Ex-Student Association at the Col-lege.

Cotton Supply Is Smallest In Years

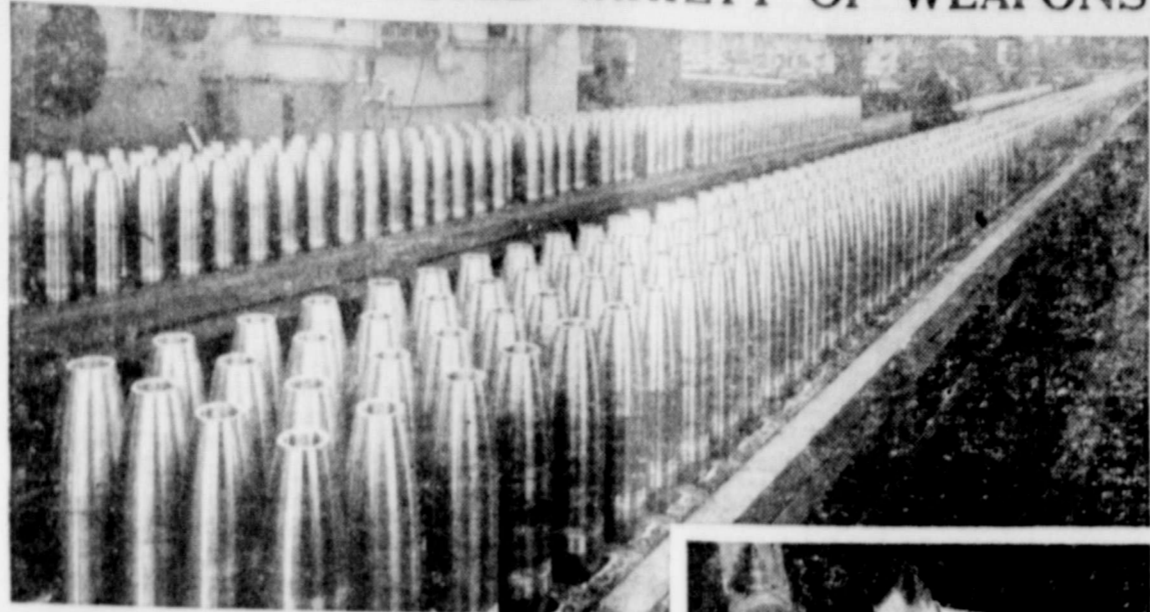
Austin. — The U. S. cotton sup- ply threatens to be the smallest in 20 years by August, a Univer- sity of Texas cotton marketing expert warned.

Dr. A. B. Cox reports that in only two years (1946-48) out of the past 15 have supplies been lower than they are now. Yet consumption and exports so far this year are about 600,000 bales more than they were in the cor- responding 1951 period. Present lower cotton prices are caused by a cotton goods manufacturing depression, he said.

Limburger cheese originated in Belgium.

A "piece of eight" was worth about a dollar.

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Scope of Chevrolet's defense effort while continuing civilian goods output is shown by these pictures from three plants. (Top) — Artillery shells ready for final inspection at St. Louis. (Above) — Broaching drive gears for tanks at Cleveland. (At left) — Aircraft engine pistons in production at Buffalo.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

When you have left-over egg yolks from yesterday's meringue pie, you can cook them this way on your automatic gas range. Drop the yolks carefully, to pre- vent them from separating, into water just below the boiling point. Cover and simmer exactly 15 minutes. Cool and use them diced in salads or sauces, and pressed through a sieve. They give a festive touch to salads, soups, or creamed dishes. Added to sandwich mixtures, they step up the iron content for school lunches.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

Teenagers, here's a pretty spring salad you can serve your friends the next time they come to your house. Set a tiny ball of fruit juice, made in the freezing compartment of your refrigerator, atop your fruit luncheon salad and serve the dressing in a bowl.

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Prec. Conv'n't'n First Step In Naming President

(As a public service, the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has prepared a series of two articles that emphasize importance of individual participation in party precinct conventions in a presi- dential election year. This is the first article—Editor's Note.)

In the past a very small por- tion of Texas voters have had any direct influence — with their individual votes — upon the elec- tion of the President and Vice President of the United States.

They have voted in primary elections, and a few of them in general elections. But they voted for Presidential Electors — not the candidates themselves.

Those candidates — the party nominees — had been selected three or four months before the general election itself.

And, even then, they had not been selected by ballots of in- dividual voters, cast in an elec- tion.

Their nominations originated way back there in May at party precinct conventions.

Here is how it works: The precinct convention names delegates to the party's county convention.

The county convention selects delegates to the state convention.

The state convention selects delegates to the national conven- tion.

The national convention nomi- nates the presidential and vice- presidential candidates of the

party.

It is, therefore, necessary that the individual voter take part in the precinct convention to most effectively make his own vote count in election of the President and Vice President.

Because such a relatively few voters usually attend Precinct conventions, the vast majority have had little moral right to complain about any administra- tion's policies.

Here are some questions and answers to point up fundamental facts about the Presidential Pre- cinct Convention:

Q. When will it be held?

A. On Saturday, May 3.

Q. At what hour?

A. The law requires that it be held between 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. outside the largest cities, it usually is opened at 2 p. m. The County chairman of the party is required by law to file a list of times and places with the County Clerk at least ten days before the convention day. This list of

must be posted on the Court House bulletin board.

Q. Who can take part in the Precinct Convention?

A. All qualified voters who live within the voting precinct.

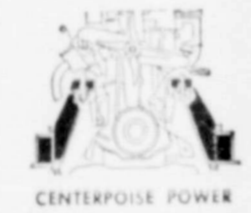
Q. Must each person show proof of his right to vote in the Precinct Convention?

A. Yes. He must bring with him to the convention, his Poll Tax receipt or his Exemption Certificate.

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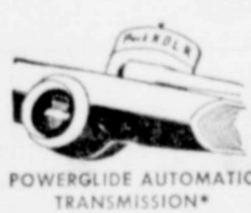
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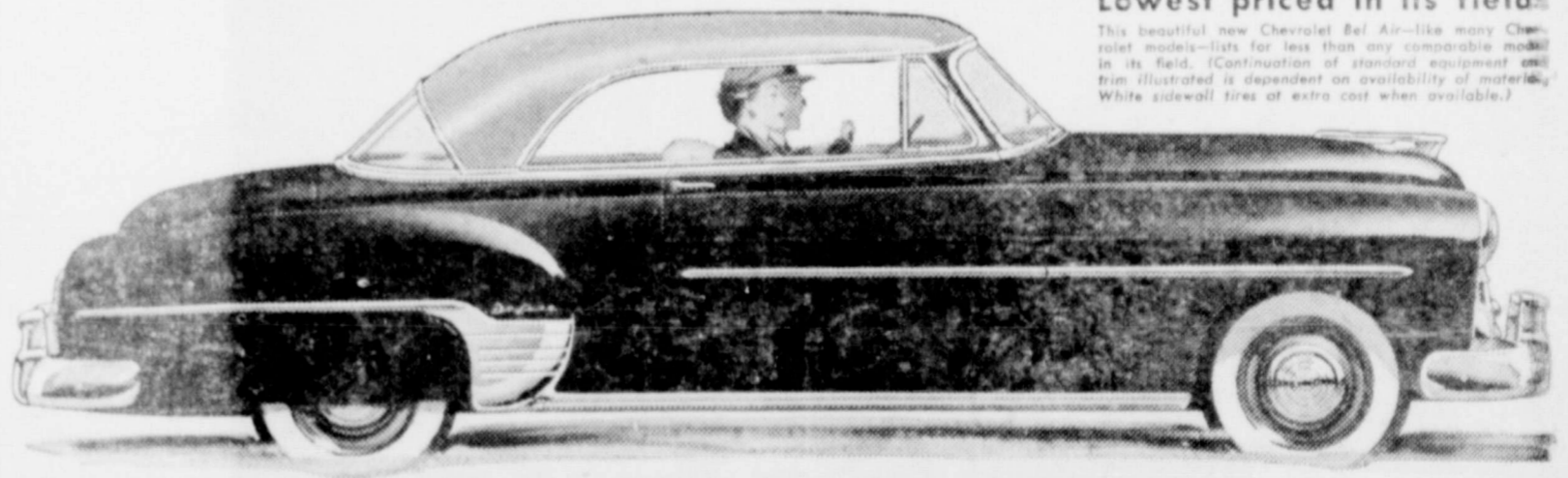
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REA Elects Officers At Annual Meeting

W. C. Snodgrass of Floydada was re-elected president of the board of directors of the Floyd County Rural Electric Co-Operative at the group's annual session in Floydada Saturday.

More than 400 members attended the business session and dinner was served to approximately 2,000 at noon.

Other board members and officers include: H. L. Morris, vice president, McAdoo; Herman L. King, Lockney, secretary-treasurer, and Earl Edwards, Lee Rushing and John Smitherman, all from Floydada, and Oliver Harmel, Plainview.

Outgoing board members include J. K. West, Milton Harrison and C. W. Burton.

Ned Bradley, co-op member, served as master of ceremonies.

Thomas Jefferson was the first president to be inaugurated in Washington, D. C. The date, 1917.

BROTHER DIES

Louis Fred Reithmeyer, brother of Mrs. C. A. Gloyna of Lockney, passed away in an Amarillo hospital last Friday. Funeral services were held Saturday in Silverton. Attending from Lockney in addition to the Gloyna family were Mr. and Mrs. Baylor Byars, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schacht, John Paul and Nancy.

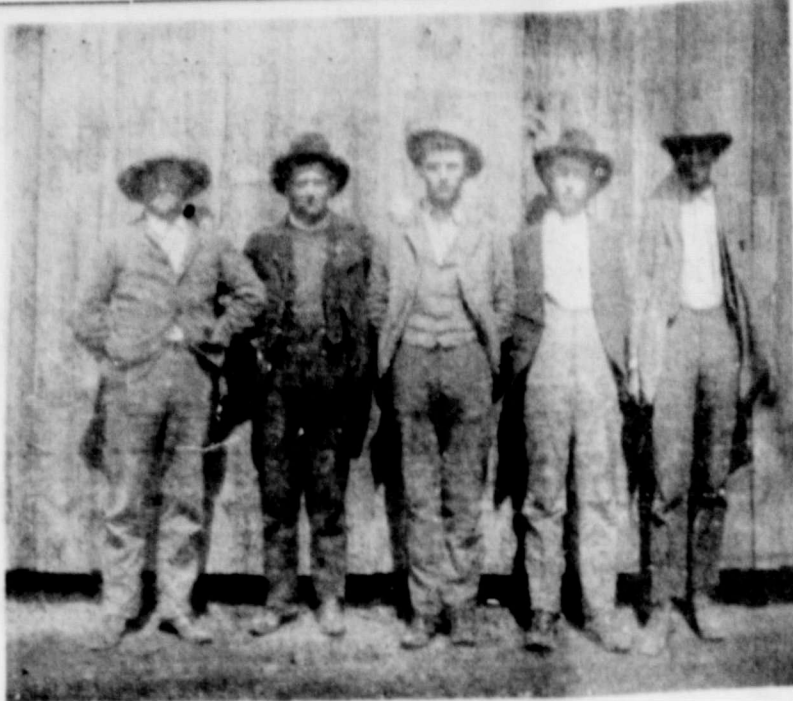
BIRTHDAY DINNER

E. D. Teuton and son, Dan Teuton were honored at a joint birthday dinner Sunday. Guests in addition to members of the families of the honorees were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Teuton and son.

The dinner was held at the E. D. Teuton's new home on West Locust Street.

Thomas Jefferson was the first U. S. President to advocate the abolition of slavery.

Gibraltar is two square miles in area.



FRANK DODSON of Lockney was the first to identify the men in the above picture, published in *The Beacon's* anniversary edition last week. The men in the picture are, left to right, Dr. Everett Nichols of Plainview, A. R. (Tab) Meriwether of Lockney, Sum-

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Conventions—

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following list. While many of the smaller precincts will probably not care to hold a convention, all precinct chairmen are urged to make the necessary arrangements for a convention in case their voters desire to hold one.

The hour of the County Convention to be held on May 6, has been set at 2:30 p. m. and the place as the District Court Room in the County Court House at Floydada.

The precinct, the place of its meeting and the Democratic chairman of the precinct is given below:

Southwest Floydada, No. 1 — District Court Room, County Court House — C. C. Goen.

Starkey, No. 2 — Starkey Teacherage — Tom Porter.

Allmon, No. 3 — E. E. Foster Residence — E. E. Foster.

Sandhill, No. 4 — Sandhill Schoolhouse — W. M. Knight.

East Lockney, No. 5 — City Auditorium, Lockney — C. H. Rose.

Aiken, No. 6 — Aiken Methodist Church — C. H. Andrews.

Providence, No. 7 — Providence Schoolhouse — M. C. Scheele.

Lone Star, No. 8 — Lone Star Schoolhouse — H. E. Frizzell.

South Plains, No. 9 — South Plains Schoolhouse — J. K. West.

Cedar Hill, No. 11 — Cedar Hill Schoolhouse — R. G. Dunlap.

Fairview, No. 12 — Lee Rushing Residence — Lee Rushing.

Baker, No. 13 — Herschel Green Residence — Herschel Green.

Lakeview, No. 15 — Lakeview Schoolhouse — P. J. Wilkes.

Harmony, No. 15 — Harmony Schoolhouse — Zant Scott.

Goodnight, No. 17 — Cecil Purcell Residence — Cecil Purcell.

West Lockney, No. 18 — Lockney Beacon Office — T. B. Mitchell.

Northwest Floydada, No. 19 — City Hall, Floydada — J. G. Wood.

Dougherty, No. 20 — Dougherty Schoolhouse — Orland Howard.

Sterley, No. 21 — Sterley Schoolhouse — Bert Bobbitt.

McCoy, No. 22 — McCoy Store

— John Shipley.

Southeast Floydada, No. 23 — County Court Room, County Court House — C. C. Huckabee.

Northwest Floydada, No. 24 — Grand Jury Room, County Court House — Ernie Widener.

Ben P. Ayres of Floydada is County Democratic Chairman and E. E. Wells of Cedar is County Republican Chairman. Mr. Wells will furnish us next week details concerning the meeting of the Republican county convention.

Since there is some talk of voters attending more than one convention, Mr. Wells has asked that this provision from the law concerning conventions be quoted:

"Whoever votes or offers to vote at a primary election or convention of a political party, having voted at a primary election or convention of any other party on the same day, shall be fined not less than \$100 nor more than \$500."

There is no need for a voter to register in the primary or general election.

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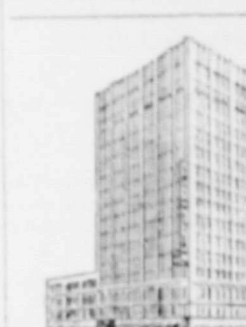
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