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Wheat Quota Referendum

On August 14th wheat farmers will vote for or against marketing quotas for the 1954 crop. As required by law, the Secretary of Agriculture has proclaimed wheat quotas — subject to a grower referendum. Two-thirds or more of the eligible farmers who vote must approve quotas before they can be put into effect.

Farmers themselves will therefore make the final decision on whether or not quota controls will apply for 1954 wheat production.

The proclamation of quotas became mandatory when the nation's supply of wheat available for the marketing year exceeded the "normal" supply by 50 percent, the largest supply in the nation's history. By law at any time the nation's supply is as much as 20 per cent over "normal" the controlling legislation provides for a quota proclamation.

Wheat farmers are urged to study the situation carefully and to make their decision with a full understanding of the issues involved, and then be sure to vote. It is an important decision — and it is their decision. Marketing quotas can not be in effect without acreage allotments. Acreage allotments, however, can be in effect without quotas. Information and tracts can be secured from PMA Chairman, Buck Sams, or from the PMA office.

Four Years Of Scout Activity Shows Growth

When the Lockney Business and Professional Women sponsored the organization of the first Girl Scout group four years ago, that club could not realize the present outcome of the movement. It is difficult for anyone not affiliated with the work to believe that Lockney registers 120 to 125 each year. These numbers include the girls and their leaders. A late development is more to Lockney's credit than the large number of yearly registrations. Of the fifteen Lockney people who were asked to serve on various committee heads in the scout set-up, there was not a single refusal.

These are the fifteen newly appointed committee heads:

Mrs. E. J. Foster — Troop Organization Function Committee.
Mrs. Jesse Cox — Program Committee and International and Juliette Love Committee.
E. Johnson and C. L. Record — Committee on Camping.
Mrs. Briggs Terry and Mrs. Charlie Boedeker — Training.
Dr. McClelland — Health and Publicity.
R. L. Knox, Jr., Joe Parrish — Finance.
Edgar Hays — Public Relations, Newspaper.
Mrs. O. C. Bailey — Radio.
Mrs. George Webster — Membership and Nominating Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brunner, Brad Hardy — House Maintenance.

The recently organized Girl Scout Council met in first regular session Tuesday, July 14th at their hut, the log cabin in the park donated by the Lockney Boy Scouts. Claude Brown, president, conducted the business. Mrs. Marvin Gilbert, secretary, recorded the business proceedings.

"We were encouraged by the start of the council. A number of interested people who were not members of the council were present, and their presence gave us moral support and encouragement. We welcome any outsiders who are interested to meet with the council," said Mr. Brown in speaking of the meeting afterward.

The Lockney Board of Directors consisting of standing committee chairman, officers of the council, president of the Troop Leader's Club, will meet in joint session the first Tuesday of each month.

Tuesday, August 4th, will be

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Must Apply For School Transfers This Month

All applications for school transfers must be made this month, according to an announcement made Wednesday by Clarence Guffee, county school superintendent.

Parents will apply for those children whose grade is not taught in their local district, or who wish to transfer, in Mr. Guffee's office.

Curbs On Drouth Relief Protested

Protests from 17 counties had been received when the state drouth relief committee met Monday afternoon following the adoption of a tough federal policy on eligibility for drouth relief feed. Chairman of the committee, Claude McCain of Victoria, predicted that all 152 counties in the drouth area would be heard from.

The regulation, dispatched to Texas county drouth relief committees during the week-end, requires that a cattleman must declare himself financially unable to buy feed on the open market before he can receive one-half price feed being shipped to drouth areas.

On a Wednesday broadcast Governor Allan Shivers pronounced the disturbance as coming from a misunderstanding and that the whole matter could be cleared up satisfactorily.

In some instances it was thought that commercial feeders had been taking advantage of the drouth-feed program and for that reason the government was forced to clamp on more rigid controls.

The telegram to the county committees restated the purpose of the drouth-feed program as a means "to maintain basic foundation herds for those bona fide farmers and stockmen who do not have the finances to purchase feed at prevailing market prices, to maintain such herds and remain in business." The telegram then listed off such animals as necessary for foundation herds.

Eligibility for feed, according to the telegram, is based on those "1. Who have less than a thirty day supply of feed to supplement the roughage for the foundation herd to be maintained... and others to be marketed not later than Sept. 30, 1953; 2. Who do not have the financial ability to remain in business and maintain a herd in a relatively satisfactory condition in view of the present drouth conditions."

Lubbock County asked that its feed order be cancelled unless the order be changed.

Many county drouth relief committees and chairmen made no comment, but took the attitude of waiting to see what would develop.

The Floyd County PMA office is letting its feed orders stand until further notice.

Cotton Acreage To Be Measured

Texas '53 cotton acreage is to be measured in the month of August through a special congressional appropriation. The purpose of measuring the cotton is to settle a supposed variance between the estimates of county agents and the Bureau of Agriculture Economists.

Beginning August first, twelve men working from the Floyd County PMA office have thirty days in which to measure all the cotton in Floyd county.

Anything that has been seeded in cotton this year is counted cotton acreage.

Raymond Spence To Speak At Cedar Hill

Rev. Raymond Spence, returned missionary from Japan, will speak at both services in the Cedar Hill Baptist Church Sunday. A portion of the evening service is to be devoted to slides and discussion by Rev. Spence and a costume display by Mrs. Spence and the Spence children.



The Radio and Television Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention Baptist Radio Center, Atlanta, Georgia has named Dr. James Cauthen as Baptist Hour speaker for July, August and September.

Baptist Pastor Attends Assembly

Rev. W. M. Wiley, pastor of First Baptist Church, and his family will leave Lockney early Monday morning for Clorietta Baptist Assembly near Santa Fe, New Mexico to attend the Sunday School Conference to be held there during that week. The Wileys will return Monday or Tuesday of the following week.

During the absence of the pastor, the prayer services for next Wednesday night at the First Baptist Church will be conducted by returned missionary, Raymond Spence. The services are scheduled for 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Joe Holt To Be Acting Postmaster

Mrs. Joseph H. Holt has been appointed acting postmaster of the local post office, it was officially announced this week by G. R. Gray of Amarillo, postal inspector.

Mrs. Holt will assume her duties August 25 when the resignation of H. B. Machen becomes effective. She will serve as acting postmaster until examinations are given to select a permanent postmaster.

The Machen family moved to Bentonville, Arkansas this week. However, Mr. Machen will remain here in the post office for another month.

Officers Installed In Masonry

Officers of the Lockney Masonic chapter were installed at the regular meeting last week. The new officers are: Herman King, High Priest; E. D. Jackson, King; C. L. Anderson, Scribe; V. L. Webster, Treasurer; E. D. Carter, Secretary; Ben Wood, Captain of the Host; Fred Anderson, Principal Sojourner; M. L. Anderson, Royal Arch Captain; R. V. Webster, Master of the 3rd Veil; William E. Whitfill, Master of the 2nd Veil; Byron Ford, Master of the 1st Veil; Clyde Stapp, Guard.

Lockney Council installed officers as follows: Fred Anderson, Grand Master; David C. Sechrist, Right Illustrious Deputy Master; Ben C. Wood, 1st Principal Conductor of Work; V. L. Webster, Treasurer; E. D. Carter, Recorder; William E. Whitfill, Captain of the Guard; Byron Ford, Conductor of the Council; R. V. Webster, Steward; E. D. Jackson, Sentinel.

Library To Receive 1000 Volumes

Mrs. Rosita Hollar, librarian, is in Austin this week where she is selecting 1000 volumes of fiction for the Floyd County Library. These volumes will be on indefinite loan from the State Department of Education, and they, with other new books received will about fill the present capacity of the libraries. Mrs. Hollar said.

MRS. R. C. BENNETT IMPROVES

Mrs. R. C. Bennett who is still a patient in the Lockney General Hospital continues to improve according to hospital personnel.

Mrs. S. E. Parsons Funeral Tues.

Funeral services for Mrs. S. E. Parsons were held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the First Methodist Church here. Rev. Burgin Watkins, pastor, officiated. Friends and relatives paid last tribute to this long-time Lockney resident in their presence at the rites and in floral offerings.

Burial was in the Lockney Cemetery with Carter Funeral Home of Lockney in charge of arrangements.

Special music was by a quartet composed of Dee Copeland, A. P. Barker, C. L. Record and Oliver Holmes.

Mrs. Parsons had never regained her health since she suffered a stroke in 1936. She fell one week before her passing and grew worse until her death on Monday night.

She was married to W. E. Parsons in 1898 in Alvord, Texas. They moved to Lockney later where Mr. Parsons taught band. There was a period of time when he taught band in other places, but in 1916 Mr. Parsons was again employed as band director in Lockney. This had been Mrs. Mrs. Parsons home since that time.

Mrs. Parsons' father, and her sister operated the old Lockney Hotel that once stood where the Lockney Auto Company now stands.

Mrs. Parsons was preceded in death by two sons, Rudd Parsons who was buried in Lockney two years ago and Cortez Parsons who died in Salinas, California last May and was buried in Lockney. She is survived by one son, J. Ed who owns and operates the Capitol Photo Shop and a sister, Mrs. W. E. Ragsdale of Artesia, New Mexico. Both of whom were present for the funeral.

South Plains, Lone Star Are Tied For League Lead

A tally of last weeks softball scores shows that Lone Star is now tied with South Plains for first place in the Lockney Softball League. Each team has won ten games and been defeated in three. South Plains has maintained the lead for three weeks.

The Fire Department retains third place, although it participated in no games last week.

Lone Star defeated Providence by two runs in the first game last Thursday night, the score being 13 to 11. In the second game Lone Star attained the first place tie with South Plains by defeating them 4 to 2.

On Friday night, July 17, South Plains won a game over Gulf Service 8 to 5. Tuesday night of this week both South Plains and Lone Star each won a game, Lone Star defeating Gulf Service 8 to 7, and South Plains victor over the Legion 6 to 5.

Standings	W	L	Pct.
South Plains	10	3	.769
Lone Star	10	3	.769
Fire Dept.	7	4	.637
Providence	6	6	.500
Legion	4	6	.400
Gulf Service	3	9	.250

Following is the schedule of games for the next two weeks. At the end of this series the four leading teams will enter a double elimination play-off to determine the top team in the league.

Thursday, July 23: Fire Dept. vs. Providence; Gulf Service vs. Legion.

Friday, July 24: Legion vs. Providence; Lone Star vs. Fire Dept.

Tuesday, July 28: South Plains vs. Fire Dept.; Providence vs. Gulf Service.

Thursday, July 30: Lone Star vs. South Plains; Legion vs. Fire Dept.

Friday, July 31: Gulf Service vs. South Plains; Lone Star vs. Legion.

Thursday, August 6: Lone Star vs. Providence.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Worsham and children of Amarillo visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Worsham.

Soaking Rains Fall In County

Frances Copeland Will Receive A Dunlap Scholarship

Miss Frances Dee Copeland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Copeland, received notification Wednesday that she has been selected to receive a Dunlap scholarship at Texas Tech for 1953-54.

The four top scholastic students in all high schools in the Lubbock area are eligible to apply for the 20 \$150 scholarships the Dunlap stores sponsor. Frances Dee made her application when she was interviewed and took an examination in June at Lubbock. She was the 1953 high school valedictorian.

Local Man Victim Of Hold-Up

John Price of Lockney was robbed of \$480 Monday night about nine o'clock near Roaring Springs in Motley County as he was returning from Ballinger where he had delivered a truck load of hay.

Mr. Price was compelled to stop his truck at a bridge some distance south of Roaring Springs because a parked maroon Mercury on the bridge prohibited his passing. Two men, he found, were staging what turned out to be a sham fight. A woman dressed in a plaid shirt and pedal pushers then rushed up to Mr. Price and asked him to stop the fight. When he stepped from his truck the woman threw a gun on Mr. Price and his billfold was taken and the money removed. Sheriff John Strot and other officers of Motley are at work on the case, but to date there have been no clues found.

Seven To Be Inducted July 23

The following listed registrants have been ordered by Texas Local Board No. 45, (jurisdictional area being Floyd, Hale, Motley and Swisher Counties) to report to the third floor, County Courthouse, Plainview, Texas at 5:00 a. m. on the 23rd day of July, 1953 for induction into the Armed Forces:

Richard C. Turner, Tulla.

Royce C. Durham, Kress.

The following listed registrants have volunteered and will report with the above group:

Edward B. Wallingford, Plainview.

Wayne A. Smyer, Plainview.

Jerry A. Warren, Matador.

The following listed registrants are delinquent with this Local Board and have been ordered with the above group:

James T. Shugart, Plainview.

Clyde S. Kirk, Tulla.

Will Have Regular Radio Program

Two local young ladies of talent, Patty Adams and Sandra Myers, are to be presented in a radio program over Floydada station KFLD beginning Saturday, July 25.

Patty and Sandra, popular high school singer and accompanist, will have a half-hour program each Saturday from 3:30 to 4:00.

Mrs. Brown Has 91st Birthday

Mrs. "Aunt" Fannie Brown celebrated her 91st birthday Wednesday, July 22. Mrs. Brown is very active and is one of Lockney's "youngest" old-time residents.

MRS. KROPP IMPROVING
Mrs. Paul Kropp, who has been seriously ill in the West Texas hospital in Lubbock, has been showing improvement this week, it is reported.

Rain for four consecutive nights beginning on the 16th of the month and again on the 22nd gave Lockney and adjoining area the first real moisture this year.

The 4.68 inches of rain recorded by Joe Holt, local weather observer, up to Wednesday of this week is only slightly less than the other rain received in Lockney the first six months of the year. Mr. Holt reports 5.34 inches of moisture in 1953 up to July 1st.

The rain has been general in the Lockney vicinity and has brought moisture to spots too dry heretofore for planting to the extent forage crops have now been planted. Reports coming to the Beacon office show rain to be heavier in places.

Leslie Ferguson and his father north of town report six inches of rain.

Lone Star residents report 3 to 5 inches of rain fell in and around there.

Other than hail in the Aiken community where Byron Ford and others near him received as high as .50, Lockney vicinity has received its rain without the accompanying damage of wind and hail reported in some sections.

R. C. Mitchell, who lives southwest of town received 1 and 1/2 inches up to Tuesday. He reports another 1/2 for Tuesday night. Other reports from that section show that Tuesday night's rain was spotted and that some neighbors had heavier rainfall.

Jim Conner, who lives east of Cedar Hill near the rim of the caprock, reported 1 and 1/2 inches of rain up to Sunday. Unirrigated farms in this section have been summer tilled in many instances because of extreme drouth, but the present moisture is encouraging the planting of forage crops.

A v.50 area shared Friday night's rainfall. The vicinity north of Silverton which had received little up to this week received rain on Tuesday night. Areas around Lubbock are believed to have received less rain than any other in this section.

February is the only month this year so far when no moisture of one form or another and in varying amounts has not fallen. With the recent precipitation many areas around are approaching the normal rainfall for the first half of '53 despite drouth conditions that have existed to this point.

Officers Recover Whiskey In Raid

Friday night the sheriffs department raided C. E. Truett's home in Lockney and found whiskey. Truett pleaded guilty of possession of whiskey in court and the judge fined him \$225 and court costs.

4TH SUNDAY SINGING

The regular Fourth Sunday Singing will be next Sunday at the City Auditorium starting at 2 o'clock, according to an announcement made this week by Joe Reeves, president. He invited everyone who enjoys singing to attend.

CASH MARKETS

Poultry	
Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. and over	17c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs.	13c
Cocks, pound	7c
Eggs, No. 1 dozen	38c
Ducks, pound	11c
Hen Turkeys, pound	23c
Tom Turkeys, pound	18c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, pound	52c
Hides	
Hides, No. 1, pound	4c
Grain	
Wheat, per bushel	\$1.92
Milo, per cwt.	\$2.20

Alfalfa	
Alfalfa Hay, dehydrated, in field, ton	\$15.00
Baled, at mill, ton	\$22.00
Truckers price, in field	
No. 1 hay, ton	\$25.00-\$27.50

PROVIDENCE NEWS

By Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

May we each give thanks in our own way for God's blessings of moisture received. Time spent in prayer is our greatest rain maker.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele, Miss Marie Scheele and Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLaughlin are vacationing in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gloyna and family have spent the past two weeks vacationing in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sammann and son are vacationing in Ruidoso, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stoerner and sons were dinner guests

Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kelm. Calling in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Quebe were Mrs. James E. Whorton and family, Mrs. E. M. Whorton, and Mrs. Ben Quebe.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Dietrich entertained with a fish fry Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Brasher, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Dietrich, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Word and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Dietrich have just returned from Houston where Mr. Dietrich went deep sea

600,000 4-H'ers Say "Let's Help Correct Safety Hazards"



Chicago—(Special)—The largest volunteer army ever organized for a peaceful mission is now "invading" farms and rural communities throughout the Nation. It consists of more than 600,000 4-H Club boys and girls whose objective is to show rural folk how to prevent accidents and fires which result in 14,000 deaths and 1 1/2 million injuries among farm people, as well as destruction of millions of dollars' worth of buildings and equipment annually.

Fires account for 36 percent of all fatal accidents in farm homes and 19 percent outside. More than 50 percent of all fatal accidents in working with farm machinery involve tractors, and overturning accounts for more than half of the tractor accident fatalities.

Safety experts give considerable credit to the contributions made by 4-H'ers in the reduction of one-fifth in the number of fatal accidents to farm people in 1951—the last year for which estimates are available—from the estimated annual rate in 1941, the first year of the National Farm Safety Week, which will be observed this year July 19-25.

Illustrative of the 4-H'ers do "approach" to the accident problem, a Tennessee club girl reported that she picked up broken glass, rusty nails protruding from boards, and other sharp articles in the farm lot; helped her father and brother become safety conscious in working with farm machinery; had a ladder with two broken rungs repaired; per-

sued her mother to use a step-ladder in reaching high places in the house, and to always wipe up grease or water immediately if it is spilled on the floor.

A Texas 4-H boy reports that their farm tractor often was filled with gasoline to overflowing when the engine was warm. He called this unsafe practice to the attention of his father and brother and now the tractor is filled correctly. His small brothers frequently asked to ride on the tractor, but this safety enthusiast taught them to understand how hazardous it was to hitchhike a ride on a tractor.

Similar reports of the 4-H'ers participating in the National 4-H Safety program are legion. Instead of using "don't" admonitions, expressions such as "Let's Correct This Hazard" prevail. Outstanding 4-H records of achievement in safety are rewarded with awards provided by General Motors for the ninth consecutive year. They include sterling silver medals for the blue award group in each qualifying county, and an all-expense trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago next November for the state winner. Six state winners will be chosen to receive a national award, which is a \$200 college scholarship. A handsome plaque, appropriately embossed, will be awarded to the county reporting the most outstanding county-wide 4-H safety program.

The National 4-H Safety program is conducted under the direction of the Cooperative Extension Service.

fishing. They also visited relatives at Alvin and Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Helmut Quebe and family were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart McKallip in Plainview. In the afternoon they motored to Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scheele and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes and Debra went on a picnic outing Sunday afternoon near Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Matthews had as dinner guests the Lenard Matthews family of Silverton.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Klyve Coley Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. C. O. Haile and family of Aiken.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes visited Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Marr and family in the Allen community Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Palmer and family of Plainview enjoyed an ice cream, watermelon supper at the Wilfred Stoerner home Monday evening.

Trinity Lutheran Church
H. L. Anderson, Pastor
The Lords Vineyard.

July 20. Membership Class meets 8:30 p. m. We are happy to welcome more to our attendance this past week. Why not come out and join the discussion with us?

July 22. Choir rehearsal 8:30 p. m.

July 26. Sunday School, 10 a. m. Divine Worship 11 a. m.

Luther League is planning a special feature to replace their regular meeting. Announcement will be made at the League meeting following service next Sunday.

Mahogany trees are cut by the light of the moon because they are then freest of sap and of richer color.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

... and I quote:

"I gave up the attentions of several men for the inattention of one." — Unhappy Bride.

"Vacation — that's sleeping on your own time." — Bill Cullen.

"Tariffs are no assurance to anyone that a ready-made market awaits the manufacturer." — Charles K. Slight, Jr., president of NAM.

"A pessimist is a guy who sees a cloud in every silver lining." — Galen Drake.

"First I was a waitress doing part-time acting; then I was an actress doing full-time waiting." — Joyce Bryant re Hollywood experience.

"When a girl says she's got a boyish figure, it's usually straight from the shoulder." — Tom Kelly.

"Although most girls' bathing suits aren't as big as a postage stamp, they still deliver the males!" — Randy Merriman.

Originally there were four months between presidential elections and the inauguration to allow for slow methods of communication and transportation.

In the patriotic hymn "America," the word "America" does not appear.

St. Elizabeth was the first of John the Baptist.

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THURSDAY and FRIDAY
July 23 and 24

"Shoot First"

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A brand new picture — first showing in this area — high adventure with your favorite actor — Joel McCrea.

Also CARTOON

SATURDAY NIGHT ONLY
July 25

"Rough Shod"

with Robert Sterling and John Ireland

An outdoor action picture that will give you thrills aplenty.

Also CARTOON

SUNDAY and MONDAY
July 26 and 27

"Young Bess"

with Jean Simmons, Stewart Granger, Deborah Kerr

The greatest love story the world has ever known — filmed in technicolor amid settings of pomp and splendor — with an outstanding cast — a masterpiece in motion picture achievement.

Also CARTOON and NEWS

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
July 28 and 29

"The Blue Gardenia"

with Ann Baxter, Richard Conte and Ann Sothern

Tilted by the man she loved — a lonely girl seeks solace with a man marked for murder — and finds herself trapped in a network of intrigue, suspense and excitement.

Also CARTOON

Plains Theatre Lockney

Show starts at 7:20

Enjoy your movies in cool comfort at the Plains Theatre.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
July 24 and 25

"The Silver Whip"

with Rory Calhoun and Dale Robertson

Along the bitter road to Silver City rode a man with a future to stake out—hitting a trail that ripped wide open in a raw, rampaging epic.

Also CARTOON

SUNDAY MATINEE ONLY
July 26

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Also CARTOON and NEWS

During July the Plains Theatre will be open Friday Nights, Saturday Matinees, Saturday Nights and Sunday Matinees only.

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Local News

TO GLORIETA ASSEMBLY

Roger Conner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Conner and a member of this year's Lockney High School graduating class, left Amarillo on Monday of this week for Glorieta Baptist Assembly near Santa Fe, New Mexico where he will attend the Sunday School Superintendents Conference from the 20th through the 26th of July. He is superintendent of the Cedar Hill Baptist Church Sunday School. On the trip he will visit with his brothers, Fred and family of Canyon and Robert of Amarillo.

Myra Applewhite left Plainview Friday of last week for Camp Waldemar near Kerrville where she will spend six weeks as a counselor and as an instructor on the waterfront in swimming for girls between the ages eight and twelve. There are seventy counselors at the camp. It is one of the oldest girl camps in the state.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Powell spent the weekend in White-wright with Mrs. Powell's sister who is seriously ill. Mrs. R. L. Holland and son accompanied them on the trip.

Chrysler's Lady Engine Doctor Diagnoses Patient



Lucille Pieti, woman engineer with Chrysler Corporation's "New Worlds in Motion" automotive show, proves she understands the practical side of her profession. As judge of an old-car contest, staged in connection with the traveling styling and engineering show when it played in Milwaukee recently, Miss Pieti expertly analyzed the motor of the winning car with the latest scientific equipment. The contest was designed to discover the oldest Chrysler-built car still operating in Milwaukee. The winner was a 1928 Chrysler with 63,000 miles on its odometer. Miss Pieti found the 25-year-old car "mechanically sound." The engineering exhibit is scheduled for Omaha, Minneapolis and Dayton in the next three months.

Cottonseed Stored 15 Years Germinates

College Station. — Under controlled conditions, cottonseed has been stored for periods up to 15 years and germination was good at the end of the test period. The percentage of germination was most effected by moisture and temperature, says Fred C. Elliott, cotton specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Seed from two upland cotton varieties were used in the tests which were conducted jointly by the Tennessee Experiment Station and the USDA. The seed were divided into lots and adjusted to moisture levels ranging from 7 to 14 percent. Samples of each were stored in constant temperatures of 90, 70 and 33 degrees Fahrenheit. Similar lots were stored at normal uncontrolled air temperatures at Knoxville, Tennessee.

After 15 years in storage, Elliott says, seeds kept at 33 degrees F. with 7, 9, and 11 percent moisture still germinated well. Those stored at 13 percent moisture showed some deterioration while those with 14 percent moisture were all dead after 15 years.

Seeds stored at 70 degrees and with 7 percent moisture for 15 years still showed 73 percent of the seed capable of germinating. All lots stored at 70 degrees with more than 7 percent moisture were dead at the end of the test period.

Seeds stored at uncontrolled air temperature did not fare so well, says Elliott. Only those with a moisture content below 7 percent survived beyond three years in storage and all lots were dead after 13 1/2 years.

Most rapid deterioration of seed occurred at 90 degrees. Those containing 14 percent moisture were dead in four months and those at all other moisture levels were dead or badly deteriorated in three years, says Elliott.

TAKES RESERVE TRAINING
Horton Kenady left July 19 from Lubbock for San Diego, Calif. where he will receive two weeks training as a Marine reserve.

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VISIT IN OREGON

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bushy left last Saturday for Cottage Grove, Oregon where they will visit their children, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Armstrong and children, and Mrs. Nettie Hanscock and children. Mrs. Hanscock has been in Cottage Grove visiting her sister the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Griffith left Wednesday for Oregon where they will join the Bushys. They plan to vacation for two months in the northwest and Canada before returning to Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Wines enjoyed an outing at Buffalo Lake last Sunday. They visited there with friends from Memphis. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Corley.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Patterson and sons visited last weekend in Brownfield with Mrs. Patterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McDuffie.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beall of Amarillo were guests last weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beall.

Mrs. Erma Johnson of Slaton and Mrs. Charlene Tabor of Levelland visited friends here last Saturday evening.

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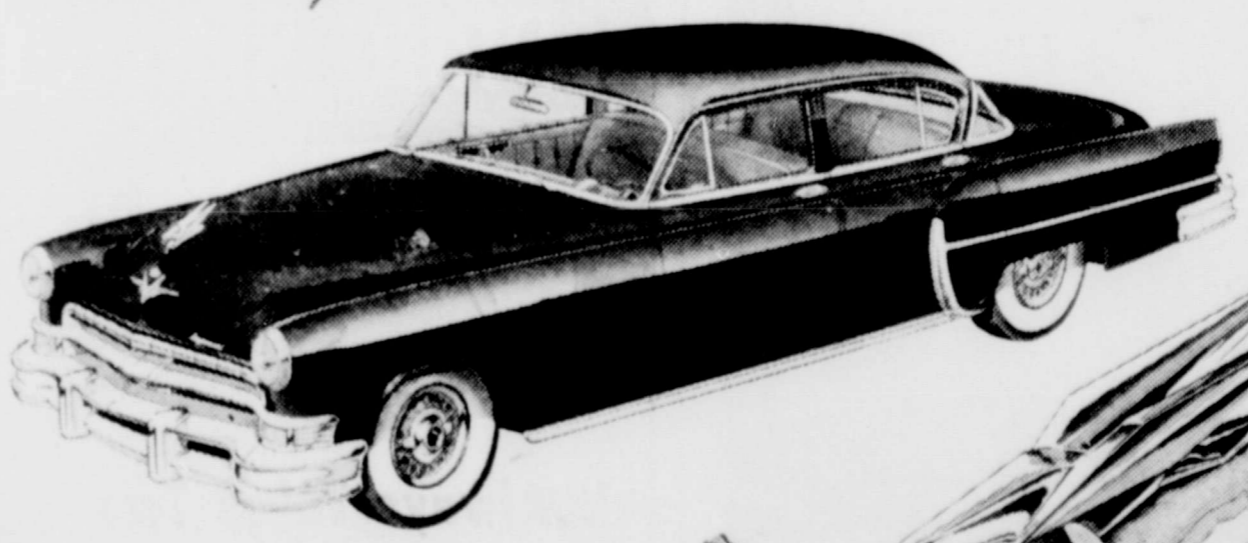
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Cynthia Turner Celebrates Birthday

Cynthia Ann Turner, daughter of Mrs. Leo Turner, celebrated her fourth birthday Tuesday, August 21. She was entertained with a party in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Glen Watson.

Ice cream and birthday cake were served and favors of hats with balloons in the top were presented to Larry and Nancy Mitchell, Bobby Webster, Oran and Lonnie Watson, Vickie Teuton, Bennie Reece, Vivvee Hammitt, Carol Davis, David Roy Patterson, Paul Turner and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. "Whitey" Baccus and children and Mrs. Baccus's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pospiek of Dallas are vacationing this week in Chama, N. M.

Mrs. Doug Beedy Complimented

Mrs. Douglas Beedy was named honoree at a Pink and Blue shower Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Gilbert Bean.

The serving table was laid with a beautiful imported Japanese embroidered cloth. Mrs. Horace Marble and Mrs. John Key West served the guests punch and cookies. Mrs. Leonard Harper presided at the registry.

About 45 guests were present. Among them were the honoree's mother, Mrs. Ethel Cragg, her sister, Mildred Cragg and Mrs. Austin Beedy and Betty Bryant, all of Plainview, and Mrs. Ganelle Folly of Paducah, West, John Key West, Billy Bean, Sim Reeves, Revis Harris, Ernest Huckabee, Frank McClure, Horace Marble, Bryan Karr, Leonard Harper, Skeet Thorntop, Gilbert Bean.

Penguins are birds, but they never fly.

Home Demonstration Council Meeting

The Floyd County Home Demonstration Council met on June 18, 1953 in the council room with Mrs. W. R. Daniel, chairman presiding and Mrs. Raymond Teeple acting secretary. Nine clubs were represented by ten members. Miss Petty and the T. H. D. A. Chairman, Mrs. C. A. Caffee were present. Mrs. D. T. Mayo, Mrs. C. L. King, Mrs. M. Julian and Mrs. Carl Ferguson were visitors.

Mrs. Raymond Teeple reported that work on the year books had begun. Demonstration on meats will be completed this year and fruits for the family will be demonstrated next year. Suggestions for the year books will still be accepted.

Mrs. C. A. Caffee requested that all yearly reports be turned in immediately.

Mrs. L. K. Sherman gave an interesting report on her studies at the Creative Arts Workshop held in Lubbock. The lectures and demonstrations took up new processes in textile design. Knotting and braiding were included in the courses also. The meeting was adjourned.



NEW LION PREXY — S. A. Dodge, of Detroit, Mich., is the new president of The International Association of Lions Clubs. He was elected at the 36th annual convention meeting at Chicago which closed July 11.

TCU Offers \$100 Scholarship To Korean Veterans

Fort Worth. — Texas Christian University will grant all Korean veterans annual scholarships of \$100 starting this fall, Dr. M. E. Sadler announced today.

"The action has just been approved by our board," the University president said. "It was taken in appreciation of the services of our veterans who have served in Korea. The men and women who qualify will receive \$100 each year while attending school."

To be eligible for the scholarships, veterans must qualify under Public Law 550 and any amendments thereto. Veterans must enroll as fulltime students carrying 12 semester hours or more. Qualification will be based on certification by the Veterans Administration.

"The \$100 scholarship will be given as a supplement to any benefits that veterans may receive from the Veterans Administration," Sadler stated. TCU officials also pointed out that if amendments to Law 550 now pending before Congress are passed, the additional \$100 grant from the school will permit veterans to defray most or all of their tuition expenses. The amendments would allow \$39 per month for tuition or some \$270 annually — roughly the same as tuition expenses at TCU.

Dr. T. F. Richardson, co-ordinator of veterans education, pointed out that the university also has a program of helping other veterans. Students called into military service before completing the last two years of high school may be admitted to TCU on individual approval on their return if they are 18 years of age or above and have sufficient educational achievement as measured by tests which are available.

Work done in the Armed Forces Institute will be given reasonable credit, Richardson said. A complete program for helping former service personnel is in effect at TCU including methods of admission, qualifying tests, counseling, course plans in all departments and assistance in making applications to the Veterans Administration.

"We sincerely hope that the action of our board in granting the \$100 scholarships will help many veterans to continue their education," Dr. Sadler said. "They are fine assets on any campus and we certainly like to have them on ours."

Mrs. Ball To Teach In Plainview

Mrs. C. E. Ball of Plainview has been employed to teach in the Highland Elementary school in Plainview next year, the school board announced last week. The Balls are former Lockney residents. Mr. Ball is now the supervising agent for the Santa Fe Railroad in Plainview.

YE EDITOR VACATIONING

Editor and Mrs. Hays and children are on their vacation this week. A card received stated it was hot in San Antonio and they were going on to the Coast in search of cool breezes.

Mrs. G. C. Applewhite has assisted the Beacon force in this edition of the paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Crager returned from Colorado Thursday of last week where they had spent ten days fishing and sight seeing at Creed, Lake City, Canyon City and Royal George.

Guests in the Ray Hardin home this week are their children, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Everett and family of Victoria and Mrs. Harry Hamlin and children of Lamesa.

Mrs. C. F. Reves was allowed to leave the Lubbock Hospital where she has been receiving treatment for the past four weeks and be in her home last week end. It is hoped by her family that Mrs. Reves will be dismissed from the hospital by the end of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sandusky and Mrs. Whitaker returned Monday from a weeks stay in Harrison, Arkansas.

Darla Allison and Sue Wofford returned home last week end after spending two weeks in Lubbock attending a singing school.

SPONGE CAKE SPECIAL

Cut day-old sponge cake into slices, then toast in the broiler of your range. Remove and cover each slice with your favorite jam, top with meringue, brown quickly. Serve with iced coffee.

Charles Dana Gibson created the "Gibson Girl."

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Nelda Love and Judy Johnson were complimented with a party in honor of their birthdays Monday, July 20th in the home of Mrs. Glen Cooper. Birthday cake and ice cream cones were served to the following: Misses Carol Cooper, Linda Marr, Carol Howell, Vikkee Hammitt, Shirlene and Carolyn Rose, Nita Jo and Jackie Elland, Gloria and Kennedy Cooper, Judy and Mary Johnson, Glenda Cooper, David Love and the honoree, Nelda Love. Mothers attending were:

Mmes. Bill Marr, Horace Charles Hammitt, Shirlene Orba Elland, Ross Cooper, von Johnson, Glen Cooper, Mrs. O. C. Love.

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 Monuments, Markers, Slab Grave Coverings. Cunningham, Lockney. 13-tfc.
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 New and second hand congolesse rugs, suit, baby bed and also numerous other. Trading Post. 11-tfc.
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 TRADE — 1945 truck 16-foot grain del. White motor, saddle tanks. Phone Smith Jr.
 Houses in sale. Also farm land. Wholesale. V. D. 3847. 12-tfc.
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 Sewing Machines — Liberty King, phone demonstration. 5-tfc.
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 FOR SALE — 3 more sets of the new Tri Chem Paints for Fabrics. Minnie Canon, phone 2115. 15-1tp.
 SEE ME for fresh carrot juice and other fresh vegetable juices. Gordon McAda, phone 2248. 6-tfc.

For Rent
 FOR RENT — 3 room furnished apartment. Call F. O. Conner, 3198 after 6 p. m. or before 8 a. m. 13-tfc.
 FOR RENT — 2 room house with shower. Ross Cooper, phone 2245 or 2372. 12-tfc.
 FOR RENT — Duplex. Call Mrs. J. L. Dagley, phone 2243. 5-tfc.
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 Sincerely,
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 For each act of kindness, for the many gifts, cards, flowers, and visits during Kenneth's illness, we want to thank you. May God bless each of you.
 The Garland Sams.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Marr and children returned last Wednesday from a visit of several days with friends and relatives in Bonham and Clarksville. They reported that that part of the state received rain during their visit.

REMEMBER THIS
 Rotary Club lunches Friday at Hotel Coffee Shop 12 noon.
 Wesleyan Guild camp at Ceta Canyon Saturday, July 25th.
 Intermediates at Ceta Monday through Friday, July 27-31.
 Methodist Missions, Monday through Friday, July 27-31. Lubbock.
 H. Demonstration Club—Mrs. M. S. Johnson, Thursday, July 30th.
 Business Professional guest night, Mrs. M. W. Wiley, Tuesday, 7:30.
 Lions meet Monday evening at 7:45 at Grade School Cafeteria.
 Baptist Officers and T. cover-dish supper, 8:00, Thurs., July 30th.
 Revival Tabernacle, Gene Hammit speaks to young people, Fri.
 Revival Tabernacle Radio Program Thurs. and Fri. 9:00 K. F. L. D.
 Boy Scouts meet at 8:00 at Scout Hut on Tuesday.
 Royal Arch Masons meet in lodge hall at 8:00, Tues. 28th.
 Pleasant Valley H. D. Club, Mrs. A. M. Dorsey, Tue., July 28

Hospital News
 Mrs. Ella Marr is a medical patient.
 Lowell Jarrett was dismissed 7-16.
 Mrs. Fred Byrd was dismissed 7-16.
 Mrs. R. C. Bennett was admitted for medical treatment 7-17.
 Charles Dippery was admitted 7-18 for medical treatment and dismissed 7-21.
 Robert Garcia was admitted for surgery 7-18 and dismissed 7-21.
 Mrs. A. B. Ferns underwent minor surgery 7-15.
 Bud Kelly was admitted for minor surgery 7-18 and dismissed 7-19.
 Mrs. I. O. Arney was admitted for medical treatment 7-19.
 Mrs. W. O. Newberry was admitted for minor surgery 7-20 and dismissed 7-20.
 Mrs. George Chapman was admitted for medical treatment 7-20 and dismissed 7-21.
 Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jimenez are the parents of a daughter born 7-21. She was named Maria Jacqueline, and weighed 9 lbs.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
 THE STATE OF TEXAS
 TO: RALPH SHIPMAN GREETING: You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 24th day of August, A. D., 1953, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Floyd County, at the Court House in Floydada, Texas.
 Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 18 day of April, 1953. The file number of said suit being No. 4130.
 The names of the parties in said suit are: VIRGINIA SHIPMAN as Plaintiff, and RALPH SHIPMAN as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Plaintiff is suing defendant for a divorce on the grounds of cruel treatment, and plaintiff is asking for custody of their minor child, Deborah Shipman, for support of said child and costs of suit.
 If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
 Issued this the 10th day of July, A. D., 1953.
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this the 10th day of July A. D., 1953.
 Mary L. McPherson, Clerk, District Court Floyd County, Texas. (SEAL) 15-tfc.

Lone Star Baptist Church
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 Preaching service 11:00 a. m.
 Training Union 7:00 p. m.
 Preaching service 8:15 p. m.
 Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
 W. M. U. first and third Wednesdays at 2:00 p. m.
 Young Men's Brotherhood first Monday at 8:00.
 Men's Brotherhood second Monday at 8:00.
 F. P. GRAHAM, Pastor.

PLAYS DOUBLE ROLL
 Berries and fruits are "easy pickings" — and easy packing — for frozen food storage with your refrigerator playing an important role. Berries should be stored in the moist cold section of the refrigerator and shouldn't be washed until ready for preparation. If you have room, spread them on platters or shallow dishes in the refrigerator. Don't pack them too closely. They're likely to bruise and spoil.

KITCHEN IMPROVEMENT
 If you have reason to complain about your kitchen, you have lots of company. It has been estimated that 60 per cent of home remodeling this year will be devoted to the kitchen because homemakers are becoming increasingly aware of the defects in the room where they spend so many hours each week. According to a recent study the chief complaints of housewives about out-of-date kitchens are: lack of storage space; dirt-eating surfaces; outmoded equipment; inefficient working areas. Therefore, most modernization is concentrated in wall length storage cabinets, sink counter and work surfaces of easy-to-clean material, and a new floor plan to accommodate as many of the modern appliances as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Griffin from Quitman, Mary Lena Griffin and Mary Berry from North Texas State College in Denton, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Culberson and Buddy of Carthage all were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Irons and Jerry.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith are visiting relatives in Leonard and Dallas this week.

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat
WELL BEGUN IS HALF DONE
 IF CORN IS KNEE HIGH BY JULY, AN OLD SAYING GOES, THE FARMER WILL HAVE A BOUNTIFUL CROP, COME HARVEST TIME. AND THE CHANCES ARE THAT, ONCE WELL ESTABLISHED, THE CORN WILL COME THROUGH.



IF A FAMILY IS WELL STARTED ON THE PATHS OF THRIFT, THE CHANCES ARE THAT, BY PUTTING MONEY REGULARLY INTO LIFE INSURANCE AND SAVINGS, IT WILL REAP A BOUNTIFUL HARVEST OF FINANCIAL SECURITY IN ITS LATER YEARS

THE LOCKNEY BEACON, LOCKNEY, TEXAS, JULY 23, 1953
CERTIFIED LIFE GUARDS
 Jerry Irons and Mickey Jones received Red Cross Senior Life Guard Certificates in Plainview this week on the completion of a 20 hour course at the American Legion pool. The boys attended instruction two hours each day for the past two weeks in order to complete the necessary work. Their instructor was the Plainview assistant football coach. Their enrollment in the course was sponsored by the Lockney Park Board under the direction of Claude Brown.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Webster and girls, Nancy and Toni returned Monday from a two weeks vacation in the west. Some highlights of their trip were Grand Canyon, San Francisco, the costland drive to Portland, and Yellowstone Park.
 F. M. Smith, Lockney High School principal, is travelling with the Manderville King Seed Company of Rochester, N. Y. for the summer months. Mr. Smith was home over the week end, but left on Tuesday to be gone fifteen days to Colorado on his company's business. Mr. Smith has broken a record in securing new customers for the company in the time he has been working.
 Frank and George Perkins spent the first part of the week in Dublin, Texas.

Jim Bob Reynolds attended Swisher County's 63rd anniversary celebration at Tulla last Friday and Saturday.

The Lockney General Hospital
 wishes to announce to the public the visiting and clinic hours for hospital patients:
 10:30 to 11:30 a. m.
 2:00 to 4:00 p. m.
 7:00 to 8:30 p. m.
 Clinic open Monday through Saturday 9 a. m. to 12 noon; 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. Closed Sunday except for emergencies.
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Minute Editorials

The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament sheweth his handiwork.—Psalm 19:1

Are cracks — big cracks — at last appearing in the Iron Curtain? Have oppressed people reached a point of desperation where they will run any risk in an effort to rid themselves of their masters? Has the death of Stalin, and the passing on of his powers to warring factions within the Kremlin, resulted in weaknesses in the Soviet system far greater, more far reaching, than the anti-communist world even could have hoped for a few months ago?

Today, any answers to these vast questions must be hedged about with "ifs," "ands," and "buts." No one can be sure. But there is a degree of optimism in the western world that is greater than we have known in a very long time.

The amazing East German riots were unprecedented. In Time's view, "they were jolting proof of a fact that the free world's leaders seem all too reluctant or timid to act upon: The people who have suffered communism hate it passionately — East German rebellion against communism seemed to give the anti-communist world its greatest opportunity — and challenge — since the cold war began."

U. S. News and World Report began a lead article datelined Berlin with these words: "Signs multiply that the world is witnessing the beginning of the end of the new Russian empire in Europe. The myth of strength through communism is shattered by open revolt. The men in the Kremlin are desperately playing for time to patch things up, but it is becoming increasingly doubtful if they can do so, even with time. Revolt is in the air in the Soviet part of the world."

At a press conference President Eisenhower said that revolt against tyranny seemed to be spreading like wildfire. According to the AP account, he added that this shows "that people who have known freedom rate it as the highest of human values and consider life itself worth spending to regain it."

Moreover, the unrest has not been confined to Eastern Germany. It is widespread in Czechoslovakia too. And there are signs of an impending blowup of major proportions in Poland, which has been given the full communist treatment.

The difficulties faced by anti-communists behind the Iron Curtain are enormous. Purges have destroyed much of their leadership. A ruthless, huge and tough-disciplined police force, equipped like an army, is always ready to move instantly to curb dissension. Every conceivable step has been taken to safeguard communist authority. Yet, as history shows, unarmed peoples have overthrown dictatorships before, although at a terrible cost.

Finally, these great events must certainly be the reason for Russia's stepped-up "peace offensive." A nation with such tremendous troubles at home is naturally eager to reduce her troubles and commitments elsewhere to the greatest possible extent.

ANOTHER FRANKENSTEIN?



With Our EXCHANGES

PRAY FOR RAIN

Recently when the prayer service for rain was held at the First Baptist Church, young son, Larry, age 6, accompanied Pratter, the Missus and Beverly to the service. Larry, very reverently bowed at the altar more than 30 minutes without squirming or twisting. During the night a light shower fell. The next morning immediately upon awakening, he said, "Mother, God heard our prayers, and it did rain. Didn't it?" The Missus replied, "Yes, Larry, it did come a light rain, but not enough"; to which Larry replied, "Well, Mother, don't you remember, we didn't tell God how much rain we wanted, we just asked Him to send rain." — Paducah Post.

SALUTE TO COMPETITION

A business man has a plaque on a wall above his desk which reads as follows: "My competitors do more for me than my friends do; my friends are too polite to point out my weaknesses, but my competitors go to great expense to

advertise them. "My competitors are efficient, diligent and attentive; they make me search for ways to improve products and services. "My competitors would take my business away from me if they could; this keeps me alert to hold what I have. "If I had no competitors, I would be lazy, incompetent, inattentive; I need the discipline they enforce upon me. "I salute my competitors; they have been good to me. God bless them all!" Business competition takes many forms. Sometimes it is in price. Other times it is in the

quality of service. Other times still it is in some innovation which people find interesting and attractive. Whatever the form, competition — which exists in its true state only in a true economy — is the greatest force for progress that exists. —The Wink Bulletin.

COOL LIVING

Now that the thermometer has been registering at or above the century mark consistently for day after day, there have been helpful hints from various and sundry sources on how to keep "cool, calm and collected." In a recent interview in Collier's that ageless relief pitcher, Satchel Paige, for the St. Louis Browns, gives six simple rules on how to stay healthy and enjoy life.

- Here they are: 1. Avoid fried meats, which angry up the blood. 2. If your stomach disputes you, lie down and pacify it with cool thoughts. 3. Keep the juices flowing by jangling around gently as you move. 4. Go lightly on the vices, such as carrying on in society. The social ramble ain't restful. 5. Avoid running at all times. 6. Don't look back. Something might be gaining on you.—Amarillo Daily News.

GOATS FOR KOREA

Now a movement has been started to send goats to Korea to aid the war-devastated country. That old firebrand Synngram Rhee, has had our goat for some time. Facetiousness aside, Americans probably are as generous as any other people in the world. They give money, time, talents and energy to finance, promote and push all kinds of projects and causes. If the cause seems worth espousing, charity begins abroad almost as quickly as at home.—Amarillo Daily News.

Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the file of The Lockney Beacon.

July 23, 1915

A good rain fell throughout Floyd county last Friday and at intervals throughout the week. The cotton and maize crops promise a big harvest, and this with out present large wheat and oat crop, the Lockney country will be in better shape than it has been in for several years.

Norton Baker left Saturday for Indianapolis, Indiana, to attend the National Photographers Association this week.

Lockney College wishes to express thanks to the general public for the assistance given in building new cement walks.

W. M. Brown, one of our progressive wheat farmers reports that he recently threshed his grain crop and made 41 bushels to the acre. This grain was double listed and dragged down and is considered an exceptionally large yield. Mr. Brown lives two miles east of town.

July 26, 1923

Elder E. E. Degge of Plainview preached Sunday morning for the Church of Christ worshipping at the college.

Miss Hula Coleman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Coeiman of Lockney has returned from Canyon where she attended the summer short course of the Normal. She has been granted a teacher's certificate and will teach next term at Pleasant Valley school.

The "Square Deal Garage" a

new establishment has been opened for the McCollum building Main Street, C. A. Fort Worth is the daughter of J. E. was practically new

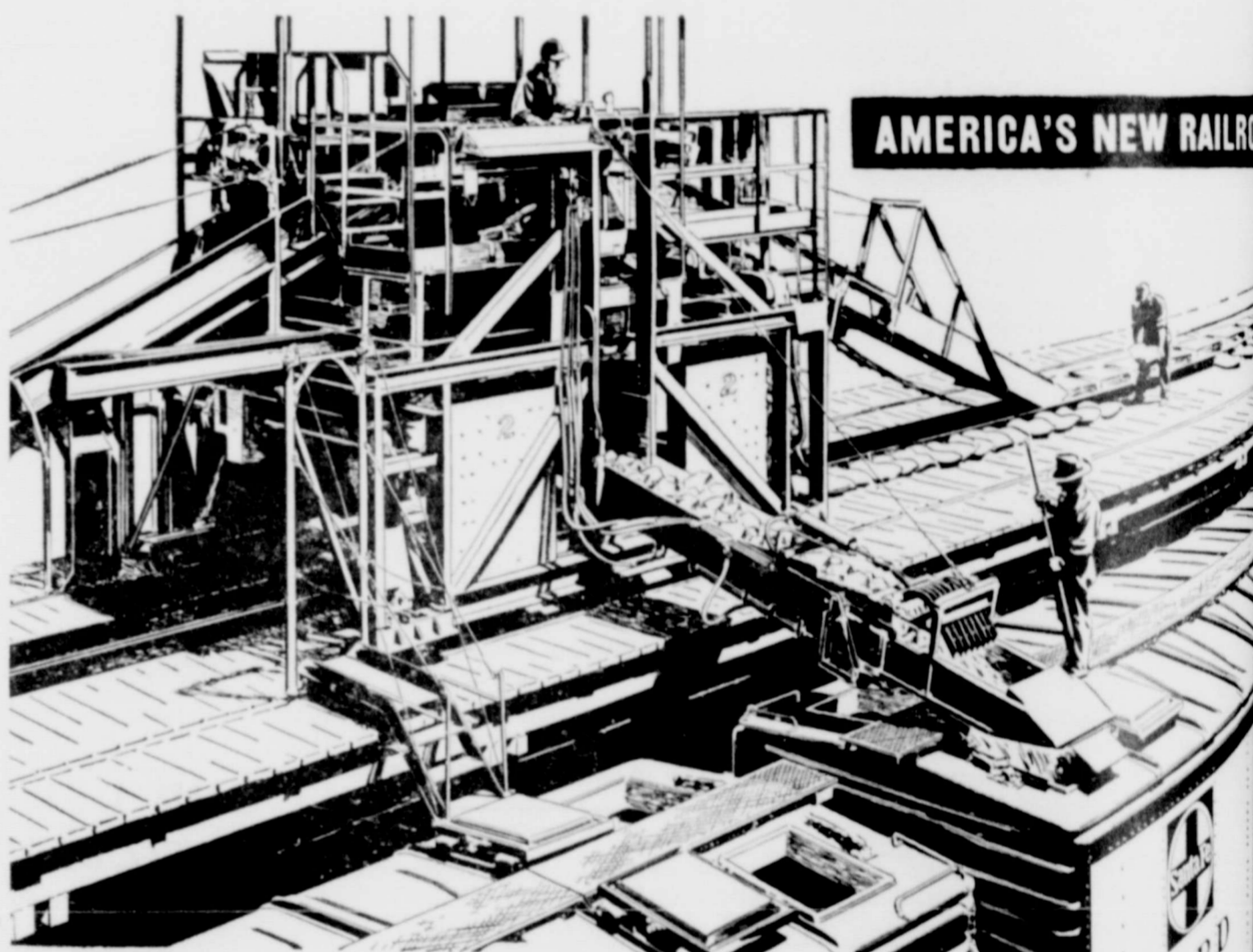
July 25, 1940 Students and faculty of Lockney Christian will meet in Lockney and Friday, July 28 for their fourth annual They will gather at Street Church of Christ College was established in 1916 and of young people classes.

Taxpayers of the independent School District Saturday to increase tax rate from \$1.25 hundred dollar value the understanding the valuation will be reduced to 66.25 percent the valuation.

Zoeth King Thomas of the late Dr. and Thomas, pioneer of Floyd County died in Warren, Arkansas. He was born in Floyd 1891 and spent most of his life in Lockney where he was a member of the Christian Church.

Potato harvest getting under way this week. The load of Lockney potatoes Tuesday for Houston, Santa Fe while the being transported by trucks.

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Lockney To Wed

Approaching marriage of Shoomaker, daughter of Mrs. F. T. Shoomaker and Garland Cox, and Mrs. B. W. Cox. Star has been announced for 31 in the Stamford of Christ at 2:30 o'clock. Cox formerly attended High School. Both he and Shoomaker are graduates of Stamford High School. Their marriage will be held at a trucking comp-

Anderson Reunion Held Thursday

The yearly reunion of the Anderson family took place in the C. L. Anderson home in Lockney on Thursday of last week where the entertainment was in the form of a barbecue. M. L. Anderson and family from Benicia, California, G. E. Oakes and family from Paris, Texas, W. F. Anderson and wife of Lockney, S. E. Dimam and family of Floydada, Herman King and family of Lockney and A. M. Stapps of Lockney were present.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Announcement has been made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Winnie LaGrone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David A. LaGrone of Floydada and Ray Gene Carthel, son of Mrs. W. A. Carthel of Lockney. The marriage will be conducted by Rev. R. Earl Allen in the First Baptist Church parlor in Floydada Sunday, August 9 at 13 o'clock.



BETHROTHED

Rev. and Mrs. V. C. Sparks of Lockney announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marisa to Mr. Durrell Fortenberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robin Fortenberry of Cedar Hill. Vows will be exchanged at the Assembly of God Church on Wednesday, August 5.

Mrs. E. J. Foster Shows Slides

Mrs. E. J. Foster entertained members of the Lockney Garden Club by showing slides on her various travels when the club met on Friday of last week in the home of Mrs. Turner Cowart.

The speaker began her showing by presenting slides made on a trip to Hawaii where she visited her sister who lives there and where she made an extensive tour of the islands. Her painstaking photography revealed interesting geographical and social aspects of the life on the islands. In contrast but equally as interesting were the slides following Hawaii on Alaska where Mrs. Foster toured with the governor's party through Alaskan scenery and industry.

Mrs. Foster closed her showing by presenting slides on the Cypress gardens of Florida which included a detailed picturization of Edward Bok's famous Singing Tower. Close-ups of unusual flowering plants proved especially interesting to the gardeners present.

Members attending were: Mmes. Tom Rankin, Arthur Barker, Robert Smith, R. C. Mitchell, T. B. Mitchell, G. C. Applewhite, Henry Ford, Frank Roberson, Alex Norris, L. M. Honea and Cowart.

The membership concluded with a discussion on tuberous bogoniads. Mrs. Cowart served punch and cake at the meeting which will be the last preceding an August holiday.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. Boyce Kenady was honored Sunday, July 19 with a dinner celebrating his birthday. Those present other than Mr. and Mrs. Kenady were Mrs. C. S. Kenady of Jayton and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weaver of Plainview.

M. S. Cecil Gentry and family have been visiting here in the home of his mother, Mrs. Nora Gentry for about two weeks. Cecil has been stationed in Dallas but will report to California for future assignment.

Coffee Honoring Mrs. Herman Dean

Mrs. Herman Dean of Borger, who has been here a week visiting with her parents, the L. M. Honeas, her sister, Mrs. Clyde Applewhite and brother, T. J. Honea and other relatives and friends, was honored with a coffee given by Mrs. Payton Powers between 10 and 11 o'clock on Friday of last week.

Mrs. Art Barker, Jr. poured from a table covered with a white linen table cloth and decorated with an arrangement of pastel gladioli and round mirror. Further color was added by the use of Russelwright China.

Mmes. Mary Phillips of Port Lavaca, Roscoe Snider of Plainview, Henry Hodel, Loran Rhodes, Joe Holt, Clyde Applewhite, Bill Hodel, Sam Miller, Raymond Meriwether, Floyd Jackson and E. A. Bonner were guests.

Anniversary Party For Gilberts

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gilbert were honored with a surprise party arranged by their children, Sue and Orland, Sunday evening, July 19 in their home. The occasion celebrated the Gilbert's 24th anniversary.

Ice cream and cake were served to Messrs. and Mmes. Lloyd Readhimer and Jo, Jess Cox, Austin Meriwether, Kelton Shaw, Buck Sams, Guy Sams, Wayne McClain and sons, and Betty Johnson.

Party For Mrs. Claude E. Jarrett, Jr.

The home of Mrs. Jack Frizzell was the scene for a shower honoring Mrs. Claude E. Jarrett, Jr. on Friday afternoon of last week from 3 to 5. Mrs. Clyde Farish and Mrs. Lowell Jarrett served punch from a bowl flanked by sweet peas on an imported linen cloth belonging to Mrs. Walter Griffith. The guests registered at a book presided over by Mrs. Harold Griffith and Mrs. Howard Mosley. Approximately 85 guests representing Lockney, Lone Star and Silverton attended the shower or sent gifts.

Mmes. Clyde Farish, Howard Mosley, J. T. Griffin, Bob Merrill, Harold Griffith, Reid Lawson, Lowell Jarrett, and Jack Frizzell planned the party.

CURTIS KELLEYS FETED

A supper honoring the Curtis Kelley family was given in the back lawn of the L. M. Readhimers Wednesday night of this week. Mmes. M. W. Wiley, Marvin Gilbert and W. J. Mangold assisted Mrs. Readhimer in giving the supper. Coach and Mrs. Kelley and daughter, Cheryl, will leave for Alpine on Monday of next week where Mr. Kelley will take up his duties as head coach in Alpine High School.

Present at the supper were the Marvin Gilbert family, Betty Johnson, W. J. Mangold family, M. W. Wileys, Carol Ann Monzingo of Memphis, June Powell, Jimmy McLaughlin of Plainview, Elvin Lyon family, John True-loves, Bill Birdwell, Robert Foot of Petersburg, the Readhimers and the Curtis Kelleys.

RUISOSO VACATIONERS

Several Lockney people have chosen Ruidoso as their vacation spot the past two weeks. Among them have been Mrs. Glen Watson, Roland Watson, Lionel Hays, Mrs. Leo Turner and Cynthia; Mrs. Johnny Moody, Mrs. Dan Teuton, Mrs. Arlene Mitchell; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jarrett and children, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Henderson and children; Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Allison and Diana.

ATTEND REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Reed and family attended a reunion of the 142nd General Hospital Unit in Dallas last weekend. Connie served with this unit during the war.

FORMER RESIDENT VISITS

Crawford Johnson and wife and son of Denton visited in the home of his uncle, G. B. Johnson, Jr. on Sunday. Crawford was reared on the place which belongs now to Hubert Frizzell. At that time the place was owned by Crawford's father, Jim Johnson.

Mrs. Jim Conner, fourth grade teacher in the Lockney school system, returned last week from a visit to Yuma, Arizona where she, her husband and son, Roger, spent a week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Fourn, the former Margaret Conner.

Bob Knox has been to Christoval, Texas the past two weeks taking the mineral baths.

Joyce Carthel Is Betrothed

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Carthel announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Joyce Ruth, to Charles E. Wilson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wilson of Lubbock.

An announcement dinner was given in the home of the bride's parents, Tuesday evening, July 21. A table arrangement of flowers in the bride's chosen colors of blue and white announced the wedding date for August 15. Guests at the dinner included Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wilson and Charles E. (Chuck) of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Carthel and family of Lockney and the family of the bride.

WILEYS TO DALLAS

Mrs. M. W. Wiley, her daughters, June and Kay, and Glenda Readhimer went to Dallas on Friday of last week and returned on Monday of this week. They visited Billy Norton Baker who is a student in Southern Methodist University. While there they saw the Ice Show in the Century Room. June attended a performance of Kiss Me Kate, a current stage drama starring Jose Ferrer at Fair Park.

COOPERS SEE SON

Sheriff and Mrs. Earl Cooper of Floydada have returned recently from a two weeks visit with their son, Eddie Wayne, and family of Eureka, California. Eddie Wayne has a young son whom he has named Marvin Earl. With the Coopers on the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beede of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Finley of Floydada. Mrs. Cooper has a sister, Eba Lou Massengale, who lives in Eureka also.

VISIT SISTER

Mmes. Watt Griffith and Charlie Merrick spent Monday through Friday of last week in Weatherford visiting their sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Broyles.

Mrs. M. F. Shaw and daughter, Mrs. M. A. Boyd of Amarillo, and Mrs. Kate Collier of Floydada visited the Paul Coopers on Tuesday of last week.

Jackie McCuiston, Harold Dean Griffith and Donald Allison went to Farmington, N. M. this week where they will be employed the rest of the summer.

January 1 became generally accepted as the first day in the year in 1752.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Jackson returned Saturday night from a few days fishing at Possum Kingdom. Miss Ann Williamson, English teacher of Lockney Grade School, is in Minneola, Texas, visiting relatives.

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SOUTH PLAINS NEWS

by Mrs. Murray Julian

Our community has received from half an inch of rainfall around the Bryant Higginbotham farm, to two inches at the Otho Sanders farm during the first rains, and more in the showers that followed. Most of the farms in this vicinity have received about an inch and a half during the showers that have fallen.

Eddie and J. Frank Parks have been visiting their uncle, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Shearer in Wall, South Dakota for the past several days and last Sunday Mrs. I. H. Parks went back to South Dakota to bring home her sons. They arrived on Thursday of this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thames and three children spent last Sunday in Lubbock where they attended the 49th anniversary of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Irwin. The family reunion was held at MacKenzie Park in Lubbock and many members of her family attended the gathering.

Rev. W. S. Spearman spent most of last week down at the Baptist encampment where he stayed with the junior and intermediate boys who attended camp during the week days. Junior boys who attended were Billy Spearman, Ronnie and Don Scott, Thornton, Price Pritchett, Jay Ronald Taylor and Frankie D. Jones. H. S. Calahan Jr. brought the junior boys Wednesday and took the intermediate boys home. This Monday the junior girls, Sue Wilson and Yvonne Karr left for their camp with Mrs. Raymond Upton as camp counselor.

Rev. Spearman helped serve meals during this past week. Mmes. Raymond Upton, Brian Karr, Murray Julian, Sim Reeves, Louella Cox and Horace Marble helped serve the junior boys on Wednesday night, and they numbered 1,100 boys.

Mac Smitherman left for Fort Benning, Georgia on Monday of this week. He had been home a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman. He went

back to Georgia in his car and took a passenger with him to the paratrooper camp. Another of our boys, Bob Reeves, left this week for Japan, on his way to the front. Mrs. Reeves talked to him just before he left on his voyage.

Guests in the home of the Minister, Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Spearman on Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Guy McDaniel, Nancy, and Joan Storm and Mickey Pelley from Kirkland. Nancy McDaniels had spent the week with Mrs. Spearman.

On the way home from attending the wedding of Louise Childress and Chester Hidalgo in Canyon on Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. George West and Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman stopped in Plainview and enjoyed seeing the Albuquerque and Plainview baseball team in action in a good ball game.

In the second game of the evening on Tuesday night, the South Plains softball players came off victors over Gulf Service on Friday night, July 17. Lone Star and South Plains played the first game with Lone Star on the winning side. A make-up game with Gulf Service resulted in another win for the South Plains boys.

Those who went from here for the Childress-Hidalgo wedding in Canyon Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smitherman, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Smitherman, Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Lanham, and Peggy Don, Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton, Donita and Barbara Sue, Mrs. Bryant Higginbotham, Mrs. Bill Beedy, Winnie Hartman and Virginia Taylor.

Kendis Julian celebrated his fourteenth birthday on Sunday of this week with a Sunday dinner and friends in to help him celebrate. James Higginbotham and Eugene Beedy were guests on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McClure and Donna Jean from Seagraves, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure. They were visitors at church Sunday morning with the McClures.

Luella Cox has been a guest of Mrs. H. L. Marble for the past two weeks in her home. On Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Marble and Luella Cox went to Tulla to spend the evening. June Marble spent from Wednesday until Sat-

W HO, DLE:



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urday visiting Nancy McDaniels in the W. S. Spearman home.

Taking their supper down to the encampment last Friday evening were the following: Messrs. and Mmes. Bryan Karr, and children, Raymond Upton, Bonnie and Jimmie. Going with Bonnie Upton as her guests were Louise Pritchett, Winnie Hartman and Virginia Taylor. After supper those who came and attended services were Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and girls, and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan Jr. and girls.

The South Plains Womens Missionary Society met on Wednesday, July 15, at the church for an afternoon of Bible study. Mrs. W. S. Spearman gave the opening prayer, and song service was held. Mrs. Spearman led the group in studying about Women in Moses life, Rahab and Ruth, and Women who Shared With the Judges. Three chapters were covered in the Bible study and next meeting two chapters will be studied. The next meeting will be on August 26. Business discussion was under the direction of president, Mrs. Bryan Karr. Mrs. Sim Reeves closed the meeting with a prayer, and those present were Mmes. Grigsby Milton, Murray Julian, Bryan Karr, Horace Marble, W. S. Spearman, Dock Jones, Shelby Calahan, H. S. Calahan, Jr. and Sim Reeves. Mrs. Riggs was a guest of the WMS this afternoon.

Last Sunday afternoon many callers visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders, Martha Lee and boys. Martha Lee had just come home from California and those who came during the afternoon and evening were Messrs. and Mmes. John Wilson and small children, H. B. Barnett, Jack Thornhill, and Pam from Wake, C. E. Bartlett, Lorin Liebfreid, Frank McClure and Mrs. J. R. Langley and Cecelia, W. M. Sanders and W. H. Liebfreid.

Otho Sanders was called to Santa Fe, N. M. on Sunday afternoon for the funeral services of his aunt, Mrs. Jane Beaver who was laid to rest at Forest, New Mexico on Sunday afternoon.

The Brotherhood of the South Plains Baptist Church met on Monday evening, July 20, at eight o'clock and J. B. Thames was in charge of the program. Raymond Spence, returned missionary from Japan, will speak at their next meeting, at which time everyone will be cordially invited. Members present at the meeting were Rev. W. S. Spearman, Grigsby Milton, Murray Julian, Sterling Cummings, Kendall Cummings, Clayton Bond, J. B. Thames, Brian Karr, H. S. Calahan, Jr.

BEN WOOD

NEW and USED CARS and PICKUPS

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Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and girls went to Amarillo from Canyon on Saturday evening, after attending the Childress-Hidalgo wedding. They spent the night with his mother and sister, Mrs. Milton and Linnie. The girls were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Milton in Amarillo on Saturday night. He is doing much better after his attack of polio.

Mrs. Otho Sanders and Martha Lee went to Floydada Sunday afternoon to call on their folks. They visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sanders, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pope. Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure were Sunday supper guests at their home later in the evening.

Jo Ann Baggett, of Portales, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hidalgo, daughter Norma Jean and Mrs. Bobbie S. Fohrmann, all of Opelousas, Louisiana, have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Childress over the week end, and they all were present at the wedding of Louise Childress and Chester Hidalgo in Canyon on Saturday at four o'clock.

Weast Home Scene of Shower For Bride-Elect

The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. George West on the Silverton highway was the setting for a lovely shower honoring Miss Mary Louise Childress, bride-elect of Chester Hidalgo on Saturday, July 18.

In the receiving line with Mrs. West were the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Roy Childress and Mrs. Leo Hidalgo, mother of the groom-to-be from Opelousas, Louisiana.

The living room was beautifully decorated with cut flowers of

pastel hues, and the bride's chosen colors, green and yellow, were carried out in the decorative scheme.

Mrs. John Smitherman and Mrs. Gilbert Bean presided at the refreshment table, which was covered with an Irish linen cut work cloth and the crystal bowl with green punch was encircled with a wreath of greenery entwined with vari-colored verbenas. The white cake squares were iced in white and centered with a yellow flower with green leaves. The napkins were in gold and white, featuring wedding bells, and the names "Louise and Chester" in gold. A tiny bride and groom were centered amid a display of beautiful cut flowers. The honoree wore a white carnation corsage, a gift from the hostesses, while the mothers wore gold carnation corsages.

Mrs. Murray Julian played piano music as the guests were arriving.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. George West, Bryant Higginbotham, S. A. Thornton, Bill Beedy, John Smitherman, Grigsby Milton, Paul Snodgrass, Harry Hartman, John Wilson, Frank McClure, Murray Julian, Gilbert Bean, Walter Wood, Lena King and Zach Cummings. Registering and sending gifts were sisters of the groom, Mrs. Bobbie S. Fohrmann, of Opelousas, Louisiana, and Miss Jo Ann Baggett, close friend and room mate of the honoree, from Holland, Texas. Mrs. Leo Hidalgo from Louisiana, Mrs. Roy Childress, and Mmes. Ernest Smitherman, Phillip Smitherman, Fred Fortenberry, L. T. Wood, Alvin Nichols, Ruby Whitfill and girls, Kenneth Bean, L. N. Johnson, H. T. Bradshaw, J. R. Langley, W. L. Orman and Everett Collier. Present also were Miss Cecelia Langley and Miss Donita Milton.

The hostess gift to the bride was her Franciscan pottery in the apple design. Many others sent gifts.



AND Fishin'

By Harve Pennington

Night feeding is invariably done in shallow waters, where the bass come in so close to the shore that their backs are often out of the water. Thus, as their feeding operations are carried on under the cloak of darkness to escape the heat of the day, the bass also escape being tricked by the fisherman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller, children, Bobby and Debbie, turned Monday from a vacation at Red River, La.

to correct this trouble, your lure will not sink but will float on the surface. It is not true that the "best" grounds for night fishing are in heavily vegetated or padded areas. Best grounds would involve sandy or rocky inshore waters where one can cast up to the shore without the slightest chance of hooking up, since weeds are likely to be few and far between. During the day hours your sandy shallows.

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CITY OF CHILDRESS

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Collier of Floydada.
Sunday afternoon guests in the Rene Yeary home were Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Applewhite of Lone Star.

Visited in Arizona
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Conner and son, Roger, returned Thursday afternoon from Yuma, Arizona where they had spent the week visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Millard Fourt and children. They had the pleasure of being with their new grandson for the first time.

Larry Taylor of Hollis, Okla. returned home Sunday after spending a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Taylor.

Mrs. Eula Mae Lyles is at home again this week having her second week of vacation from the business college she is attending at Plainview.

Mrs. W. T. Conner and daughter, Kathy, spent several days in Floydada last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Collier and other relatives attending a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Whitfill and children occupied the residence on Mrs. Goldie Cypert's irrigated farm this week. Mr. Whitfill has been farming the place for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lemons and children went to Plainview on Tuesday to see their aunt, Mrs. V. F. Lemons who underwent surgery on her throat Monday morning in the Plainview Clinic. She returned to her home on Tuesday and is reported to be doing nicely.

Attend Wedding
Mrs. Glen Whitfill and daughters accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nichols of Canyon Saturday to attend the wedding of Mary Louise Childress of South Plains who became the bride of Chester Hiealdo of Otelousas, Louisiana on Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The wedding was performed by the Priest in the St. Ann's Catholic Church in Canyon with a very impressive ceremony. They also attended the reception following the wedding. Later the Nichols and the Whitfills went to Hereford where they spent the night with Mrs. Nichols brother.

T. B. Cox and family. The party returned to their home Sunday night.

Assembly Of God Services
A good crowd attended the regular services Sunday in spite of the muddy roads. The C. A.'s meet each Wednesday evening under the leadership of Mrs. Juanita Teeple.

Thursday afternoon at two-thirty the ladies of the Assembly of God Church met for their Missionary council. They are quilting quilts for a project of raising money. Please be sociable and meet with them.

Mrs. J. E. Anderson accompanied her daughter, Mrs. S. A. Decker, Mr. Decker and sons, Shields and Jimmy to visit with Mrs. Anderson's other daughter, Mrs. C. F. Lemons and family from Thursday until Friday. Friday afternoon they went to the Baptist Encampment grounds to get the junior boys. The Amarillo group returned home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ware, daughter June, and son, B. G. Ware and small son, Johnnie Bill visited with relatives in Lubbock on Sunday.

Rev. Raymond Spence Speaks
An apology is made to Rev. Raymond Spence since an error was made last week on his coming to the Cedar Hill Baptist Church. The news column read that Rev. Spence would be here on Sunday the 19th. He will be at the Cedar Hill Baptist Church on Sunday the 26th. He will preach on Sunday morning and will show some colorful slides of Japanese on Sunday evening. The morning services will begin at 10:00 o'clock and the evening services will begin at 8 o'clock. An invitation is extended to every one.

The Intermediate girls left Wednesday afternoon to the Baptist Encampment south of Floydada. Mrs. Rene Yeary accompanied Mary Sue Burleson, Frances Lemons, Juanita McLendon and Leelou Rogers. Mrs. Applewhite took Mrs. Yeary's place on Thursday. The girls will return on Friday. G. A.'s and R. A.'s will meet at the church on Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock.

Prayer Service will begin at 8:00 o'clock Wednesday evening. Lets bring our Bibles and study with the pastor.

Mrs. Rogers of Jacksboro and her granddaughter, Sandy spent several days with Mrs. Rogers sister, Mrs. T. F. Love and family.

W. P. Ware is doing nicely over his surgery and it seems to be successful. Another surgery will be performed soon on his other eye.

C. F. Lemons is still improving from the accident he received on June 17th. He expects to be back at work in about ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Lemons visited their sister-in-law, Mrs. V. F. Lemons who is ill in the Plainview hospital on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Mildred Zeigler has written home of her many interesting experiences in London. Mrs. Zeigler had a first hand view of the coronation services due to arrangement of English friends. She will spend time in the country of the Lake Poets before her return to America where she will resume her English teaching duties in Lockney High School.

Miss Carol Ann Monzingo of Memphis is a house guest of Glenda Ann Readthimer this week.

The Jerry Paul Coopers have moved into their new home north of Lockney for the remainder of the summer. Jerry is a senior at Texas Technological College and will resume his studies in September.

Neal Henderson, teacher of driver education in Lockney High School is at Commerce, Texas, where he is enrolled in East Texas State College studying for the summer.

George Washington did not belong to a political party.

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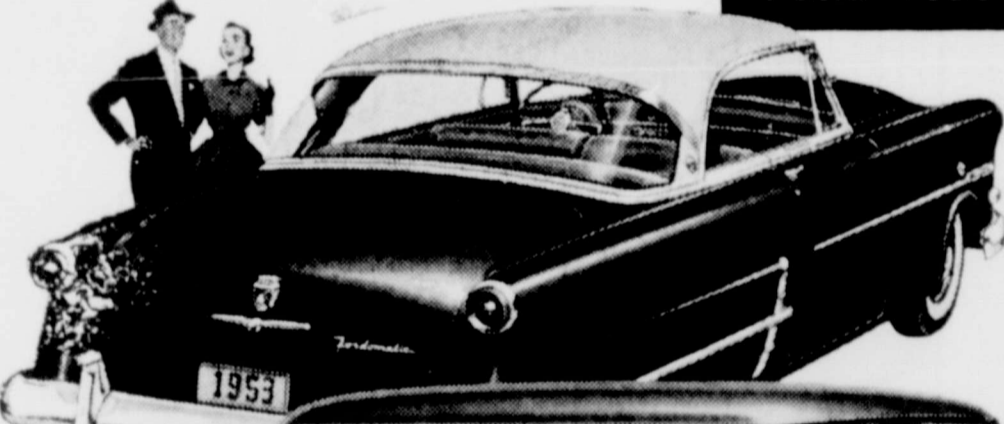


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Thada Lackey, Auctioneer

Thada Lackey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elvie Lackey of the Cedar Hill community, returned home Friday morning from Bryan, Texas where she completed a course in auctioneering. Miss Lackey was the only girl in a class of fourteen. She also holds the record of being the only girl ever to enter the school to study auctioneering. So far as is known she is the only woman auctioneer in the state of Texas. Among her instructors was the well-known W. S. Britten of Amarillo who auctions off club calves each year. Miss Lackey is showing unusual promise in the tattle-ta-ta field and is receiving invitations to auctioneer at her home at Route Q, Lockney, Texas or by telephone 22434 Floydada, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McLendon, Nita and Harold have moved from Cedar Hill to Lockney near the airport. Mrs. McLendon is with the Byrd Pharmacy and Mr. McLendon is with the South Plains Cotton Gin.

S. S. Representative To Be Here Tues.

Eighty percent of all workers in the United States are engaged in employment covered by social security and are building an insured status under the old-age and survivors insurance program, John G. Hutton, manager of the Lubbock social security office, announced today.

About twenty-five million workers have been in jobs under social security long enough to be assured of retirement benefits for themselves at 65 and survivors' benefits for their families. Four out of every five mothers and children are protected under the program in the event of the death of the family breadwinner.

For the workers over 65 who retire and for the survivors of workers who die at any age, the old-age and survivors insurance program provides substantial monthly benefits. In those cases where benefits may be based on the average earnings since 1950, the average monthly payment for a retired worker without dependents is about \$65; for an aged couple, somewhat more than \$100; and for a widow with two children, about \$150.

Since these benefit payments provide such important income for the retired worker and his family and for survivors in case of his death, each worker, says Mr. Hutton, owes it to himself and to his family to know just what his status is in this insurance program; to know what, if any, protection he is providing for himself and for his family through old-age and survivors insurance. He can best get this information by discussing his own personal case at the social security office located at 1616 19th St., Lubbock.

To assist in all matters pertaining to Social Security, a representative of the Lubbock Field Office will be in Lockney at the post office on July 28 at 2:30 p. m.

Four Years Old—

(Continued from page 1)
the next regular meeting date of the council with the board of directors. A special urgent invitation for everyone who is interested to attend is given.

With an ever expanding and growing program a need has become evident. It is the shortage of leaders. New troops need to be organized, but there are no leaders to head newly organized bodies. Since no troop enrolls more than 16, leader requirements are emphasized.

The last troop to be organized is composed of a group of girls who are now in the third grade. They were organized while the girls were in the first grade. There are others in the third grades eager to enter scout work. There are many others younger than those in the third grade who are waiting for an opportunity to enroll in the scouts. All they need is leaders.



The Paymaster farm, 2 1/2 miles north of Aiken, was correctly identified by several phone calls soon after Beacon publication as the Mystery Farm in last weeks Handley Shop & Pump Co. advertisement. The houses in the picture shown are on the south part

of the Paymaster farm. The families who occupy these homes are those of J. W. Kidd, Ralph Owen, and G. M. Webb. Paymaster Farm is maintained by Western Cottonoil Co. for production of registered Paymaster cottonseed. Cotton acreage of the farm is 885

acres. Harold Logan is manager.

Winner of the two tickets to the Plains Theatre or Seale Drive-In is Billy Rexrode.

Watch next week's Beacon for another Handley Shop & Pump Co. Mystery Farm Advertisement.

Not Easy To Buy Farm But Some Manage To Do It

College Station. — The young family seeking to become a farm owner in Texas today seldom is heard to say "no help wanted." Acquiring title to a modern family-size unit requires a sizable chunk of capital, and this, says C. H. Bates, farm management specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Services, is not always easy to get. But, he adds, families with determination usually find a way to turn the trick.

This financial assistance is obtained from many sources and the specialist cites information obtained from a recently made study in Virginia on where this help comes from. In a majority of cases in that state, financial aid was provided young farmers by their parents or families. Some of the help was in the form of inheritance, family financing or the privilege of working on the home farm. The family help factor in the main was in the form of an assist for acquiring more land when the start was made on a small scale.

A big factor in becoming an owner, independent of family help, was non-farm employment during prosperous times, says Bates. Farmers worked in industries and saved enough to make the down payment on their chosen farm. The average down payment, in the Virginia study,

was about 40 percent of the total cost. The balance on the purchased farm was obtained from individuals, commercial banks, life insurance companies and the Federal Land Bank.

Farm tenancy, says Bates, remains a factor in the process of becoming a farm owner but is not so important as it once was. Some young families find it easier, he explains, to put their available capital into machinery, equipment and livestock and rent land until they are able to purchase the farm of their choice. Experience has taught, he says, that good returns can be made on rented farms if they are operated under a sound rental agreement. This means that costs of such items as livestock, fertilizers, soil improvement practices and seed for legumes used for soil improvement and in

some cases machinery and needed improvements on the farm are shared by the tenant and owner. Bates believes this is a good system to follow in growing into a farm owner and says it proves the old adage "there's more in the man than in the land" that influences success.

RANDALL GRAYSON TATE

Lt. and Mrs. Grayson D. Tate of El Paso have announced the birth of a son born July 7, named Randall Grayson. The new arrival weighed 6 lbs. at birth. He has a sister, Debbie, and his grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Tate of Denver City.

Mrs. Floyd Jackson and Betty and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jackson and Children of Floydada left Friday for Ruidiso where they will vacation several days.

Classification Of Registrant Is Told

(Article 4 of a series)

How does a local draft board consider a draft registrant's case when it comes before the board in the manner governed by law and regulations?

The members of a board sit around a table — and the file containing the man's papers are placed before it by the clerk.

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2. Is he a conscientious objector who has been ordered to a civilian job? (1-W.)
3. Is he too old for service under the law? (3-A.)
4. Can it be determined at the board level whether he is physically, mentally, or morally unfit for service? (4-F.)
5. Is he a minister of religion or divinity student? (4-D.)
6. Is he subject to exemption as an alien? (4-C.)
7. Is he a public official de-

ferred by the law? (4-A.)
8. Is he a World War veteran as defined by law?
9. Is he subject to exemption because of his age? (3-A.)
10. Is he eligible for service as a member of the reserve or a student in military training? (1-D.)
11. Is he a student in college or university under local board order? (2-S.)
12. Does he meet the requirements for farm or other job deferment? (2-C.)
13. Is he a college or university student subject to exemption by law for a job? (1-S.)
14. Is he one of the conscientious objectors and 1-A-U.)
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