

# The Lockney Beacon

SERVING THE RICH IRRIGATED SECTION OF FLOYD COUNTY

VOLUME 54

LOCKNEY, FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 19, 1955

NUMBER 6

## DAMAGE IS HEAVY IN AMERICAN LEGION HOME FIRE TUESDAY

Damage was heavy in the fire which practically gutted the Lockney American Legion home early Tuesday. Post Commander Wayne Bybee said Wednesday that it was hard to tell exactly how much damage was involved but he estimated it to run between \$12,000 to \$15,000 at least. It could possibly be higher, depending upon the amount of damage to the building proper. The west end of the structure was completely burned out. This part of the building contained the club rooms, the kitchen and the rest rooms. All furniture and fixtures were destroyed, partitions ruined and the celotex burned off the ceiling.

Damage to the building depends upon how much the steel girders and the sheet iron on the outside of the quonset type building is damaged. Members of the post feared that some of the girders had buckled and that the sheet iron would have to be partially replaced.

Origin of the fire was undetermined. Members of the post had held a regular meeting Monday night and some were of the opinion that the fire started from a lighted cigarette accidentally dropped in a couch located against the north wall of the club room. The couch was completely destroyed. No one was in the building when the fire broke out and it probably smoldered for several hours before being discovered early Tuesday morning.

Insurance in the amount of \$8,000 was carried on the building and \$1200 was carried on the fixtures, Bybee said.

The building was used for many public affairs, such as chamber of commerce banquets, school banquets, etc., and will be missed by those needing a large banquet hall or meeting place of this size.

## School Transfers Must Be In By June 1

Superintendent W. C. Irons reminds parents that school transfers must be in the County Superintendent's office by June 1. Any parent desiring to send their child to any other school other than his home school must make a transfer, Supt. Irons said. This includes students who have finished their home school and desire to attend a school with a higher classification. It is necessary to go to the County Superintendent's office to make these transfers which must be in the office no later than the first day of June.

## Special Services At Revival Tabernacle

Special services have been announced for Thursday night of this week beginning at 7:45 at Revival Tabernacle. Rev. W. P. Hodge, pastor of Lubbock Missionary Church will do the preaching. The public is cordially invited to attend.

## Hope For Vaccine Shipment Soon

Dr. George Smith of Floydada, county health officer, said Wednesday that word from the State Health Department said that they expected a shipment of polio vaccine soon for the second round of shots of the new vaccine. The state department will notify him as soon as a shipment is received, Dr. Smith said.

## Local People Attend Plainview C-C Meet

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McClasky and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cox of Lockney attended the annual banquet of the Plainview Chamber of Commerce held Tuesday evening of this week at the City Auditorium in Plainview. Four hundred people were in attendance at the banquet.

Guest speaker for the occasion was Dr. William Alexander of Oklahoma City, Okla., who told the group that "each of you is a part of the answer to a part of the problem that embraces mankind in its most perilous times."

## Rev. Watkins Is Going To School

Rev. Burgin Watkins will not return to the Lockney Methodist Church as pastor next year but will attend the Iliff School of Theology at Denver, Colo. Next Sunday will be his last day to preach at the local church since the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference meets next week.

The Conference will meet in the Lubbock First Methodist Church's new million and a half dollar building for the forty-sixth annual session, opening Wednesday morning at 10 a. m. and closing with the reading of appointments Sunday afternoon, May 29.

Buck Sams is lay delegate from the local church to the conference and Arthur Barker Jr. is the alternate delegate. Rev. and Mrs. Watkins will attend as will Leslie Floyd, F. L. Brown, Frank Perkins, Bud Brunner, Oliver Holmes and possibly others from the church here.

Bishop William C. Martin of the Dallas-Fort Worth Area, will be presiding during the session.

Major business items will include consideration of a building program for McMurry College, Abilene. Trustees of the college, which is owned and operated by the Northwest Texas and New Mexico Conferences, approved a building program late in 1954 which includes a girls dormitory and a classroom building with estimated costs of \$450,000 and \$375,000, respectively. Trustees are to have a breakfast meeting in Abilene on Monday, May 23.

Clergy and lay delegates to the General Conference to be held at Minneapolis, Minn., and the South Central Jurisdiction Conference to be held in New Orleans, La., both in 1956, will be elected.

Conference preacher will be Dr. J. Wallace Hamilton known as the pastor of the Pasadena Community church in St. Petersburg, Fla. Each Sunday, his "drive-in church" congregation numbers in the thousands. Since the church itself cannot accommodate the crowds, many people sit on benches surrounding the building while others listen through the use of special electronic equipment in their parked cars. Dr. Hamilton speaks annually to such audiences as Ocean Grove, Chautauqua and Silver Bay, and travels extensively from four to six months each year addressing lay and ministerial conferences and conventions. He is the author of "Ride The Wild Horses" and "Horns and Halos in Human Nature."

Dean Merrimon Cunningham of Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, will be the speaker for the annual all-college dinner.

Bishop Martin's devotional message will be based on the theme, "Living in Two Worlds." His topic will include: "Material Reality and the Realm of the Spirit," "God's Sovereignty and Man's Responsibility," and "The Continuing Struggle and the Eternal Hope."

## Dr. Greer Is In Critical Condition

Dr. N. E. Greer of Lockney is in the Plains Clinic at Lubbock in a critical condition, members of the family said this week. He recently suffered another heart attack and his condition has not improved. Mrs. Greer is with him.

## Local Auto Parts Changes Name

The firm known in the past as the Lockney Automotive Supply will be known in the future as the Parks Auto Supply, it was announced this week by I. H. Parks, owner. Mr. Parks recently purchased the business from A. H. Kiser.

The supply store will be operated under the same policies of courteous and efficient service, Mr. Parks said.

## Commissioners Vote To Employ Asst. Agt.

The Floyd County Commissioners Court, in a recent meeting, voted to employ an assistant county agent, subject to approval and recommendation of the Extension Service. Commissioner Hugh Counts said that the court was asked by a delegation representing the Floyd County Junior Livestock Association to employ the assistant. The Court will wait upon the Extension Service to approve the move and recommend a man.

## C-C Directors To Employ Manager

Officers and directors of the Lockney Chamber of Commerce and Board of Development in a meeting last Thursday night voted to accept applications and employ a manager for the Chamber if a suitable man can be found. Applications may be left with W. W. McClasky, secretary, at the First National Bank.

The directors reviewed the recent membership drive and found that, although the goal of \$6500 hadn't been reached, sufficient funds were in sight to warrant the employing of a manager. There are still some prospects to contact in the drive, Mr. McClasky said.

Vice-president Lowell Bilbrey presided at the meeting in the absence of President Joe Holt, who was ill. Bilbrey appointed a committee of three, Bob Miller, Edgar Hays and R. H. Ford, to receive applications and make recommendations concerning a manager.

The meeting was held at the grade school cafeteria where the cafeteria ladies served a delicious meal to the directors. Several guests were present for the meeting.

## Eight Teams In Softball League

Eight teams will play in the Lockney Softball League this summer. Buster Epperson, commissioner of the league said Monday. The teams will include the Lone Star Co-op, Lone Star Golden Spread, South Plains, Silverton, Lockney Fire Department, Lockney Gulf Service, a high school team managed by Rudy Haile and a Floydada team.

A meeting last Friday evening made plans for the season's play and accepted the teams. Play will start on May 31 with two games being played on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights of each week starting at 8 p. m.

Teams are allowed 14 on their roster or 15 including a playing manager.

Epperson was named commissioner of the league at a recent meeting of managers. He succeeds Lloyd Readmire who asked that he be relieved of the position for this year.

## Singer Infant Buried Tuesday

Cathy Diane, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Singer of Lockney was buried Tuesday afternoon in the Littlefield cemetery after funeral services at the Carter Funeral Chapel here. Rev. Fred J. Smith, pastor of the Flediton Baptist Church, conducted the services at 1 p. m.

The infant was stillborn sometime after midnight Monday at the Medical Surgical Hospital here.

The Singers have two other children. Also surviving are both maternal and paternal grandparents.

## Brandes Elected To National Angus Assn

L. B. Brandes of Lockney, has been elected to membership in the American Aberdeen-Angus Breeders' Association at Chicago, announced Secretary Frank Riehard.

Mr. Brandes was among the twenty-three purebred Aberdeen-Angus breeders from Texas elected to membership during the past month.

## Rains Continue As Farmers Hope For Dry Weather

Rains in this vicinity were continuing Wednesday as irrigation farmers were hoping for a let-up and some dry weather in order to get their crops planted. Dry land farmers are still willing to take more moisture but want some clear skies the latter part of the month in which to plant.

Rains falling here Tuesday night and Wednesday totaled 1.53, according to Joe Holt, local weather observer. This added to 25 of an inch which fell Sunday and the 6.1 inches which fell last week brings the total May rainfall here to 7.88 inches. Some nearby communities have had more than this, however, with measurements approaching 10 inches. Rain was still falling here at midafternoon Wednesday with clouds still hanging heavy.

Hail Damages Crops Some crops in this area were damaged by hail falling last Sunday afternoon and also Tuesday evening. On Sunday hail wiped out or heavily damaged crops in an area between Lockney and Aiken and north. Crops on the farms of C. H. Rose, Oscar Golden, J. R. Belt, B. B. Wilkes and Verner Hodel were damaged.

Hodel reported that his cotton was destroyed and his wheat damaged around 30-40%. Rose lost 40-50 acres of cotton. Other farmers in the vicinity also lost crops that were up. Judson Jones had .40 of an inch of rain and some hail.

Heavy rains and some hail also fell in the Sterley vicinity Sunday afternoon but little crop damage was reported. Mason Davis reported 3 of an inch of rain and some hail. Near South Plains Junior Calahan reported .3 inch rain and a little hail Sunday.

Wednesday morning R. L. Powell, who lives 1 1/2 miles south and two miles west of Aiken reported that 2.25 of an inch of rain and considerable hail had fallen in that vicinity Tuesday night. Hail as large as golf balls was reported. He said that crops were damaged from the Horace Seago place west into Hale County, and that hail drifted 5 and 6 inches deep.

The White River draw, running from Plainview south and west of Lockney, was running from 200 yards wide up to a mile in some places, it was reported here and residents living south of it had trouble getting into Lockney. In Plainview the draw had stopped traffic Tuesday night going both south and west out of Plainview.

Charlie Boedeker, living in the Prairie Chapel community, reported 2.2 inches Tuesday night and Wednesday morning but that area had no hail damage, he said. Leslie Ferguson, five miles north of town, reported 1.75 inches Tuesday night and Wednesday.

Water was running over roads in this vicinity in numerous places Wednesday morning. Most all lakes were getting full and some were threatening travel on rural roads.

## Bible School Set For June 6-10 At Baptist Church

Daily Vacation Bible School has been set for the week June 6 through 10th at the First Baptist Church, according to Mrs. Raymond Spence, principal of the school. A preparation day will be held a week before this date, Mrs. Spence said.

Superintendents of the departments have been named as follows: Intermediate, Mrs. Chester Mitchell; Junior, Mrs. B. B. Vernon; Primary, Mrs. Leslie Ferguson; Beginner, Mrs. Jesse Cox; Nursery, Mrs. Dillion Patterson.

The Intermediates will do handwork of copper craft and the Juniors will have aluminum craft.

The nursery will be open only to the children of those working in the Bible School, because of lack of space, Mrs. Spence stated.

## FINAL SCHOOL ACTIVITIES WILL BE THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

School activities for this school term were rapidly coming to a close this week with final exercises scheduled for Thursday, and Friday evenings.

Thursday will be the final day of regular school sessions but the buses will run at the usual time Friday morning. Students will turn in their books and receive their report cards Friday morning and the buses will get them back home by noon. Lunchrooms will serve their final meal in the local schools on Thursday, Supt. W. C. Irons said.

School attendance has been good this week in spite of the rains, Supt. Irons said. However most buses were running on the pavement only because of muddy rural roads.

Grade School Exercises Seventy-three are scheduled to receive diplomas graduating from grade school to high school Thursday evening, according to Principal L. D. Hawkins Jr. Debra Ferguson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ferguson, is valedictorian of the class and Miss Patty Jo Wilkes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wilkes is salutatorian. Speaker of the evening will be Rev. Chess Lovern, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Lubbock, an outstanding speaker and preacher of this area.

Following is the program for the evening:

Processional—Mrs. L. D. Hawkins Jr.

Invocation—Rev. Burgin Watkins.

## Noxious Weed Control Law Is Passed

A noxious weed control law, originally written and sponsored by officers of the Floyd County Farm Bureau, has passed both houses of the legislature and is ready for the governor's signature. The law is a permissive one, allowing the setting up of noxious weed control districts upon the vote of the people of the district.

The law is effective only in 38 Panhandle and South Plains counties, including Floyd and all adjacent counties. The law requires that the district comprise not more than five counties or less than 32,000 acres.

To form the district a petition must be circulated, the Commissioners Court must hold a hearing, and then call an election if it seems wise. The district will be governed by five directors whose powers it will be to determine which noxious weeds will be subject to control, to determine the method of control, to define areas where the control measures are to be carried out, to prescribe the period within which the control is to be used, and to take other actions necessary.

The board of directors also have the authority to set up rules requiring cleaning of farm machinery moving in and out of the district, the directors are to give each land owner written notice of the control measures in effect on his land, and it shall be the duty of the Commissioners Court in each county to comply with control measures on road rights-of-way and inspectors appointed by the board shall have the authority to enter lands to determine if control measures are being carried out.

The directors may levy an assessment against the land within the district not to exceed three cents per acre, for the purpose of paying expenses of the district.

The law was not passed exactly as the Farm Bureau wanted it, President Chester Carthel said, but they feel that it is a good beginning on a big problem. It is expected that Governor Allan Shivers will sign it into law within the next few days.

## NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Joe Ivy are parents of a baby boy named Ricky Dale. He arrived at the Medical & Surgical Hospital May 12 weighing 8 lbs., 4 ozs. His sister's name is Sheila Kay. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Johns Cox, Lockney, and Mrs. Daphne Ivy, Plainview.

Song—Girls Quartet. Salutatorian—Milt Walters. Valedictorian—Debra Ferguson.

Class History—Elaine Cooper. Class Will—Peggy Ford. Class Prophecy—Patsy Anderson.

Presentation of Grade School Awards—Mrs. Alma Dutton.

Presentation of Junior High Awards—L. D. Hawkins Jr. Presentation of Diplomas—W. C. Irons.

Song—Graduating Class. Benediction—Horton Howell. Recessional—Mrs. L. D. Hawkins Jr.

High School Exercises Thirty-nine seniors will receive diplomas on Friday evening in the usual Commencement exercises. Principal F. M. Smith said Wednesday. Miss Jeanette Widener, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Widener, is valedictorian of the class and Miss Patty Jo Wilkes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wilkes is salutatorian.

Speaker of the evening will be Rev. Chess Lovern, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Lubbock, an outstanding speaker and preacher of this area.

Following is the program for the evening:

Processional—Oddie Mae Rogers.

Invocation—Francis Montandon.

Salutatory—Patty Jo Wilkes. Song—Eldora Boone.

Valedictory—Jeanette Widener.

Introduction of Speaker—"Whitey" Baccus.

Address—Rev. Chess Lovern.

Presentation of Awards—Principal F. M. Smith.

Presentation of Diplomas—Supt. W. C. Irons.

School Song—Senior Class. Benediction—John T. Carthel.

Recessional—Oddie Mae Rogers.

## Youth Questioned In Mail Theft

A 15-year-old boy was questioned last Friday and Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Ray Hardin and Post Office Inspector A. W. Pfannmiller of Amarillo concerning the disappearance of mail from a box at the local post office. Officers said that he admitted opening the box and taking mail from it. Mail has been disappearing from the box since January Mrs. Imogene Holt, acting post master, said.

Officers recovered three checks which reportedly disappeared from the box.

Post office employees had kept a careful watch on the box for several days in an attempt to catch the one who had been opening it. The climax came Friday when they noticed someone opening the box and found the boy in the lobby.

Two other boys were questioned concerning attempts to dispose of checks taken from the box but they were not connected with the mail box opening, officers said.

Inspector Pfannmiller took a deposition from each of the boys and will turn his information over to the United States District Attorney at Fort Worth who will take whatever action he deems best, it was said. The boys were released to the custody of their parents.

## League Rule Is Announced

Chairman of the League Committee which is Little League based this summer, has announced the complete schedule for the six teams in the League play will begin August 1 and run through August 31. Two games being played on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of each week. Games will begin at 5:30 p. m. and will be completed by 8 o'clock. The teams are the Cardinals, Yankees, Red Sox, Dodgers and Indians. Rules for the league play will be announced Monday night. On that night the team must play two games in each league in each evening. This is in order to assure each boy some playing time. A change of players from one team to another is permitted for them to attend games and boys are asked to check out their uniforms to see that they are sure what team they are on.

Following is the complete schedule as released by Mr. Irons:

- June 21 — Giants vs. Dodgers.
- June 22 — Red Sox.
- June 23 — Yankees vs. Indians.
- June 24 — Cardinals.
- June 25 — Red Sox vs. Yankees.
- June 26 — Indians.
- June 27 — Dodgers vs. Yankees.
- June 28 — Indians.
- June 29 — Cardinals vs. Red Sox.
- June 30 — Cardinals.
- July 1 — Cardinals vs. Indians.
- July 2 — Yankees vs. Giants.
- July 3 — Cardinals.
- July 4 — Dodgers vs. Yankees.
- July 5 — Cardinals.
- July 6 — Cardinals vs. Indians.
- July 7 — Yankees vs. Giants.
- July 8 — Indians.
- July 9 — Red Sox vs. Yankees.
- July 10 — Cardinals.
- July 11 — Cardinals vs. Indians.
- July 12 — Red Sox vs. Indians.
- July 13 — Yankees.
- July 14 — Dodgers vs. Cardinals.
- July 15 — Giants vs. Red Sox.
- July 16 — Yankees vs. Giants.
- July 17 — Indians.
- July 18 — Dodgers vs. Red Sox.
- July 19 — Indians.
- July 20 — Yankees vs. Indians.
- July 21 — Giants vs. Dodgers.
- July 22 — Yankees vs. Indians.
- July 23 — Red Sox.
- July 24 — Cardinals vs. Yankees.
- July 25 — Indians.
- July 26 — Yankees vs. Indians.
- July 27 — Indians.
- July 28 — Dodgers vs. Yankees.
- July 29 — Indians.
- July 30 — Cardinals vs. Red Sox.
- July 31 — Indians.

## Hardy Clemons To Reach Sunday

Hardy S. Clemons, a student at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, will reach here Sunday morning and remain here Sunday morning and evening. Rev. R. E. Wiley, the pastor, has been ill for several weeks and is spending this week at Bovina "just resting." His condition is reported to be improving right along.

## With Sunday Singing At City Auditorium

The regular Fourth Sunday Singing will be held this Sunday, May 22, at the City Auditorium. It was announced by Norvel Rapp, president. Visitors are expected from Plainview, Floydada and possibly other places. Everyone is invited to attend.

## TEMPLE

Lloyd Wofford left Saturday to go through Scott and White Clinic at Temple. He is to return home Thursday of this week.

# The Lockney Beacon

Established 1902  
PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY

HAYS & REYNOLDS  
Publishers  
Edgar R. Hays Editor  
Willis Reynolds  
Mechanical Superintendent

SUBSCRIPTION RATES  
In Floyd County, per year—\$2.00  
Outside Floyd County, per year—\$2.50  
Either new or renewal subscriptions

Entered April 14, 1902, as second class mail matter at the Postoffice at Lockney, Texas, under the act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of The Beacon will be corrected gladly upon being brought to the attention of the editor.



MEMBER OF THE TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

## Minute Editorials

I am the Lord which exercises loving-kindness, judgment, and righteousness, in the earth, for in these things I delight.—Jeremiah 9:24

"THE LORD helps them who help themselves." That isn't scripture for we think maybe Ben Franklin originated that saying in his famed Poor Richard's Almanac, but it is true nevertheless. The people down at Crosbyton apparently believe it because they have taken steps to provide their city with a manufacturing plant. They're going to build one themselves. The plant will manufacture irrigation pipe and related articles and will require an investment of around \$100,000. Most cities the size of Lockney and Crosbyton are anxiously looking for a manufacturing plant, seeking to interest some firm in building one in their city. But

**SPECIAL PRICES on all radiators.**  
International farm and Cores—\$25.00 Exchange  
**STOVALL-BOOHER RADIATOR**  
Sales and Service  
Plainview, Texas

here is a group of citizens who have decided to build their own. Perhaps Lockney and other cities in West Texas could take a lesson from this example. If a town is worth living in, it's worth investing money in—if you have the money.

A DRINKING DRIVER was involved in 41% of the 1,539 fatal traffic accidents in 1954 on Texas rural roads. So says a report from the Texas Department of Public Safety. Yet there are those who say open the saloons, let a man drink when and where he will, make no effort to curtail or control the drinking of intoxicants. The people who advocate such foolish ideas change quickly when they or some loved one is involved in an accident caused by a drunken driver. Better to turn a crazy man loose on the streets of Lockney with a loaded gun in his hand than to turn a drunken man loose on the highway with a 3,000 to 5,000 lb. vehicle at his command.

ONE WONDERS what people are thinking when a bill passes the state legislature like the one which recently gave the Hale County Commissioners Court authority to issue \$300,000 in certificates of indebtedness for the purchase of highway right-of-way in that county. We're not criticizing—we're just wondering. True some opposition was heard to the bill from Petersburg. But apparently not very much. And what were the people of Edmonson and Halfway and other areas of the county thinking? Were they in favor of the measure in order to save expense of a bond election or did they feel that opposition was futile because of the size of Plainview? We don't know and actually it is none of our affair. We're just wondering.

IN FLOYD COUNTY we hope that such affairs will be left to a vote of the people. Although bond elections don't always come out the way we would like for them to, yet the rights of the minorities are protected by such election laws and we believe the proper way to handle them is to let the people decide. To do otherwise is setting a dangerous precedent.

WITH EVERY ROSE there comes a thorn and with every rain in West Texas it seems some hail must fall. But there is still time to replant and most Floyd County farmers would feel completely out of place if they matured their first planting anyway. The bumper crop of last year, most of which was planted around the first of June, make us think maybe that early planting is not as advantageous as it could be.

## Misguided Missiles by Chon Day



"How long have you been driving... if you'll permit the complete misuse of a word"

## With Our EXCHANGES

### A LITTLE CARE

Note how apathy can spoil a pretty plan. Citizens of Floydada borrowed \$25,000 to build a municipal swimming pool, and prevailed on the city council to put another five or ten thousand over, as the saying goes. For a electric light department. It was a thing of beauty and joy forever, as the saying goes. For a time it answered the sour pussies who said it was wasted money. But last summer it was neglected. It became a nasty hole in the ground, with rowdies taking over. Such should not be allowed to happen again this year. Supervision and protection, whatever amount of money may be needed for the purpose appropriated, are the only answers. The little pool and its surroundings should be idyllic, but they are not unless and until something is done about it. — The Floyd County Hesperian.

### FILTERED CIGARETTES

We get a bang out of the talk around the coffee shops about "filtered cigarettes." After the scare about "cigarettes might cause lung cancer" some months back, the manufacturers of this product hit upon the idea of

making filtered cigarettes, giving the smokers their smokes, yet eliminating the danger of lung cancer. For a while they seemed to be going over pretty well but now a lot of grumbling is going on. They say they cannot tell when they have had a smoke. Of course not, smoking is habit forming because of the nicotine content of the cigarette. When you take that out you might just as well smoke a piece of grape vine as far as satisfaction you get out of it. Cigarette smokers forget that "you cannot keep your pie and eat it too." Get a pipe, and really enjoy smoking with just enough nicotine seeping through to make it satisfying, yet according to the "esting boys" there is very little danger of lung cancer by pipe smoking. — Petersburg Journal.

## A BIT OF WISDOM

"The man who trims himself to suit everybody will soon whittle himself away."

This bit of wisdom comes from the bulletin of the Happy First Baptist Church. It's true not only of ministers but also of newspaper editors. — Town Topics in Tullia Herald.

## TRANSPORTATION

Are you one of those who think man has done about all he can do with transportation, or in this age of miracles, do you think anything can happen? From what we have been told transportation is going to change so rapidly within the next few years that persons living in 1965 will probably refer to our times as the "slow age." Listen to this: Trains will be fast, comfortable and low-slung, only faintly resembling the stream-liners of today. Jet propelled passenger plains will be out of this world, traveling at incredible speeds but offering the maximum comfort to the passengers. Helicopters will come into their own, hauling 5 million passengers by 1960. Commuters' trains will likely be monorail trains riding suspended from an overhanging track and traveling 250 miles an hour. Even pedestrians will have it easy, with moving sidewalks equipped with benches carrying them along the most used thoroughfares. — Trends in Crosbyton Review.

## FUEL COST

Several have been asking about what the cost is running where farmers have tied on to natural gas lines. Walter McGowan tells me that his engine cost 16 1/2¢ per hour to operate. This sure is cheap drought insurance. Of course there is lots of overhead in addition to the operating expense, but there is still lots of net profit in the right crops. Silage was charged up to steers at the Spur Experiment Station at \$10 per ton. The steers still netted \$23 per head, 20 tons of silage under irrigation is only a moderate yield. This would gross \$200 per acre at \$10 per ton. Twenty-five acres of 15 ton silage per acre will feed 100 steers 140 days. Lets put in part of our crop in silage. Maize yielding 4000 lbs at \$2 per hundred is only \$80 gross per acre. Think these figures over. — County Agent in Claude News.

## Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

May 21, 1925

Otis Harris has purchased the City Tailor Shop from Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Counts and will take full charge June 1.

Rudolph Smith, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Smith who live east of Floydada died Friday morning. He underwent an operation May 12 and lived until Friday. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Offord and B. J. Smith.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gordon of Lockney a 10-pound boy Sunday, May 17.

Another rain fell Saturday leaving another inch of moisture here. This brings the total rainfall to five inches for the past month.

Lockney's new \$8,550 fire truck arrived here Friday.

May 21, 1931

Forty students are on the graduation list for the 1930-31 class of Lockney High School. Two of these graduated at mid term and the others graduate in exercises May 22. They are Elijah Alexander, Ralph Arceneaux, Willie Boedeker, Frank Boucher, Ruel Cook, Vivian Chambers, Edna Collins, Wilma Cooper, Winfred Cooper, Buster Davis, R. C. Davis, Evelyn Fields, Othel Gunn.

David Hamilton, George Ray Hays, Jim Hill, Leonard, Dorothy Lacker, Duane Merwin, Mitchell, Faye Monahan, Phillips, Juanita Potts, Lucile Purcell, Ramsey, Robert Lee Spotts, Jack Spence, Vaud Traver, Virginia Irene Thompson, J. R. Buster Whitlock, Leonard, Leon Wofford, Bell Wofford, Fay Wofford, Valedictorian and Traver salutatorian.

Misses Dora Sammie Coleman have returned after teaching the past year at McLean, Texas.

May 21, 1940

Lockney placed three district football team. Mitchell, left halfback, unanimous choice by the press. Other Lockney players Dagley and Milton.

A daughter, Bonnie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Allen at the Lockney hospital. Grandparents are Mrs. J. D. Allen and Mrs. W. R. Tassie.

John B. Staples  
LAWYER

General Practice of Law

Courthouse, Floyd

Telephone No. 14

## NOW . . .

We can make your G. I. and F. H. A. Loans from our office. Conventional loans on existing property both new and the older type — or to build a new home you so desire. Bring your applications in now.

We can now write all types of BONDS.

Complete lines of insurance — FIRE, AUTO, MARINE, HOSPITALIZATION.  
Also see us for REAL ESTATE.

## J. H. COOPER AGENCY

Phone 2131 218 South Main Street

they fell in love...



...with the sweetheart of the low-price 3

Biggest of the low-price 3! Plymouth is much bigger than the "other 2" low-price cars. You get more beauty outside, more comfort inside, more trunk space, plus the only truly big car ride in the lowest-price field.

Most economical of the low-price 3! Plymouth's fast-stepping new 6-cylinder PowerFlow 117 is a joy to drive, and own. Its exclusive Chrome-Sealed Action locks in power to give you peak performance for extra thousands of miles—at rock-bottom cost.

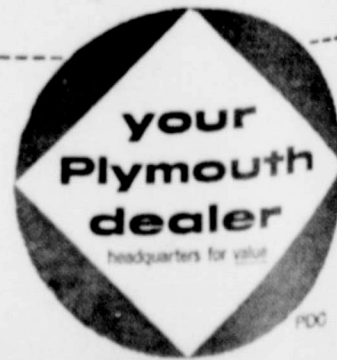
Greatest vision of the low-price 3! Plymouth's new Full-View windshield, with cornerposts swept back both top and bottom, gives you the widest vision of any low-price car.

Newest power features! Plymouth alone offers full-time Power Steering, and all the other energy-saving power assists, at low extra cost. And you get many features that other low-price cars don't have.

Drive this big beauty today!

Why pay up to \$500 more for a car smaller than Plymouth?

Don't be fooled by the claims of medium-price cars that they cost practically the same as Plymouth. When you compare price tags, you'll find that, model for model, Plymouth sells for much, much less, and gives you more car for your money!



# Plymouth

BEST BUY NEW; BETTER TRADE-IN, TOO

## BILBREY MOTOR COMPANY

205 S. Main St. Phone 3348 Lockney, Texas

## FROM START TO FINISH . . .

You're ahead with GAS

- Gas Water Heaters
- ... cost less to buy
- ... cost less to install
- ... cost less to maintain
- ... cost less to operate

Speed is essential to modern clothes washing! With many automatic washing machines using up to 20 gallons of hot water per washer load, it is important that you have a water heater that will keep up with this demand. Check the sizing chart below and call your plumber or gas appliance dealer and ask him to install an automatic Gas water heater sized to the needs of your family.

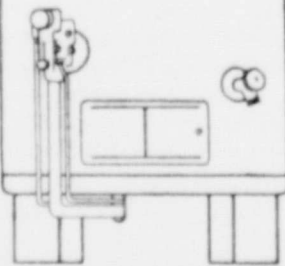
MINIMUM RECOMMENDATIONS FOR NORMAL HOT WATER REQUIREMENTS		
Number Bathrooms	Number Bedrooms	Storage Cap'y. Gallons
1	1 or 2	30
1	3 or 4	40
2	2 or 3	40
2	4 or 5	50
3	3	50
3 or 4	4 or 5	75

NOTE: USE NEXT LARGER SIZE WITH AUTOMATIC CLOTHES WASHER OR AUTOMATIC DISHWASHER.

Only GAS heats water 3 times faster

## Pioneer Natural Gas Company

FUEL FOR A GROWING EMPIRE



Illustrated above is a Rheem automatic Gas water heater. The Rheem Coppermatic tank is made of a rustproof, corrosion-resistant copper.

# Day Armed s Day

Air Force Base. — With flying overhead most day and aircraft and defense equipment on display on the ground, the South will observe Armed Forces Day, May 21, with activities centralized at Reese AFB, west of Lubbock. Over at regular intervals will be many types of aircraft, including F-86 jets, T-33, the Navy's F2V2, B-25 training and B-29 superfortresses. More field artillery from Oklahoma will be on display at 2:15 p. m. will give demonstration of fire power. Reese Volunteer band will play two concerts and the base team will appear. Displays are to be centered around the big new hanger. Airplanes parked nearby for enjoyment and inspection of visitors include F-86, T-33, F-80, and Navy's P-51, a helicopter, a B-26 fighter plane, a C-119 boxcar, T-29, flying class, B-29 superfortresses, and T-28 engine trainer. Visitors will be able to see propeller aircraft engines, types of weapons from a .45-

calibre pistol to eight-inch gun, communications equipment, training aids, mine detectors, model bridges, a B-25 aircraft stripped away so its various parts may be seen, and latest type clothing issued the military. Various military units of Lubbock and Texas Tech will cooperate in displays and explanations.

Col. C. P. West, Reese AFB commander, speaking for all branches of the armed forces, has issued an invitation for all citizens to visit the base during open house from 10 a. m. until 5 p. m. Saturday. He said thousands of persons are expected to spend the day on the base. Free movies will be shown in the base theatre all day for youngsters and adults. Special parking areas for automobiles have been set aside and Lubbock and Texas highway patrolmen will cooperate in traffic activities.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

May 13, 1955.

Dear Mr. Hays:

I have arrived here in Yorktown and I have got settled down. I am in the garage division of this base. It seems like this will be a swell place. I sure do like it.



E. O. BARRETT is the owner of this mystery farm pictured in the First National Bank advertisement last week. First person to correctly identify the farm was Roy Porter of the Baker Flash-O-Gas Co. Others who recognized the place were Arthur Brown, Mrs. I. O. Graves, Joe Nance, Harold Calloway. The Barrett farm is located 14 miles north, and a half a mile east of Lockney. Mail is

received on Route 1, out of Lockney. Mr. Barrett bought the farm in 1948 from Buck Sams and moved onto it the first of 1949. He raises cotton and grain and minor crops. Recent changes in the place include the building of two tenant houses. Mr. and Mrs. Barrett were married in 1923 and moved to Lockney from Roscoe. Her given name is Ruby and the

couple have three sons, all married. They are J. B. and Montie, who live at Bovina and Robert, who farms near Lone Star. They attend the Lone Star Baptist Church and Mr. Barrett is a member of the Floyd County Farm Bureau and the Farmer's union. Watch for the final mystery farm picture in the First National Bank advertisement next week.

I saw a lot of very nice country between there, Milwaukee, Wis. and here. It is not dry every where. In fact it has been raining here all day. Hope you get some of this stuff down there.

Please send my paper to this address: Hubert M. Davis ENFA 4681677 Box 624 U. S. Naval Schools Mine Warfare

Yorktown, Va. Thank you very much. The paper is a great help to us guys away from home. Yours truly, Mac Davis.

# Gospel of Christ

## MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST

THOS. McDONALD Preacher

### THE PURPOSE OF BAPTISM

The Holy Spirit states the purpose of baptism in these words: "Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins." (Acts 2:38) We agree that remission of sins means the pardon or forgiveness of sins, yet there is much controversy over the word "for." Those who contend that baptism is a sacrament tell us that "for" means because of. If the Greek word eis (for) means because of, there is not in evidence a true translation of Acts 2:38. Note the renderings found in the following 28 versions of the New Testament.

- KING JAMES: "Repent, and be baptized . . . for the remission of sins."
- TWENTIETH CENTURY: "Ye must repent, and be baptized for the remission."
- AMERICAN BIBLE UNION: "Reform, and be immersed for the remission of sins."
- MOFFAT'S TRANSLATION: "Repent . . . be baptized for the remission of sins."
- WEYMOUTH'S: "Repent . . . and be baptized . . . for remission of sins."
- SYRIAN VERSION: "Repent, and be baptized for the remission of sins."
- DOUAY VERSION: "Do penance . . . and be baptized for the remission of your sins."
- ENGLISH REVISED: "Repent, and be baptized . . . into the remission."
- AMERICAN STANDARD: "Repent . . . and be baptized into the remission."
- MODERN READER'S: "Repent . . . and be baptized for the remission of your sins."
- BROTHERHAM'S TRANSLATION: "Repent ye . . . and be baptized . . . unto the remission."
- AMERICAN BIBLE (I.M.E.D.): "Repent, and be immersed . . . unto remission."
- EMPHASIZED: "Repent ye and be immersed . . . into remission."
- ITALIAN TRANSLATION: "Repent and be ye all baptized . . . into the remission."
- WYCLIFF'S T.: "Do ye penance, and each of you be baptized . . . into remission."
- ANDERSON: "Repent, and be immersed in order to remission."
- LIVING ORACLES: "Reform, and be . . . immersed . . . for the remission."
- GERMAN TRANSLATION: "Repent, and be baptized (for unto) in order to the forgiveness of sins."
- INDIAN TRANSLATION: "Turn back and be baptized in order to the forgiveness."
- FIRST GERMAN BIBLE: "Repent and . . . be baptized (in order to) unto the forgiveness of sins."
- FRENCH TRANSLATION: "Repent, and be . . . baptized . . . in order to obtain the remission."
- GOODSPEED: "Ye must repent and every one of you be baptized in order to have your sins forgiven."
- BLACKNIGHT: "Reform, and be . . . immersed in order to remission of sins."
- REVISED STANDARD: "Repent, and be immersed . . . for forgiveness of your sins."
- EMPHATIC DIAGLOTT: "Reform and be immersed for the forgiveness."
- MODERN SPEECH: "Repent . . . and be baptized . . . in view to the remission."
- SPANISH TRANS.: "Repent and be ye all baptized for the purpose of the remission."
- MODERN ENGLISH: "Change your minds and be baptized for a release of your sins."

No Greek scholar has ever translated eis in Acts 2:38 as "for." Such a rendition would contradict every Bible verse concerning the purpose of baptism. Every scripture mentioning baptism and salvation or its equivalent places baptism first. Read the following: Mk. 16:16; Acts 2:38; Acts 22:16; Rom. 6:3, 4; Gal. 3:27; 1 Cor. 6:11. A position is certainly without foundation when it is counter to every translation and contradicts every passage that deals with the subject. — T. M.



"Sure she's walking in her sleep. After all, she was just riding in a dream—an OK Used Car!"

Looking for a dream car at a strictly down-to-earth price? You'll find it here with an OK Tag on it. OK Used Cars are thoroughly inspected and scientifically reconditioned. To make sure your dreams have a happy ending, OK Used Cars are warranted in writing by the dealer.

Sold only by an Authorized Chevrolet Dealer

See our listings below

## LOCKNEY AUTO COMPANY

Lockney, Texas

### LOOK AT THESE USED CAR BARGAINS

If you need a good used car that has our OK Used Car GUARANTEE and need monthly payments here's the place to get both. Your old car will probably make a down payment. Here's a few of our special Used Cars for this week and next:

1952 Chevrolet 4-door Deluxe, nice and Clean. <b>\$675.00</b>	1951 Chevrolet 2-door Sedan <b>\$575.00</b>	1951 Chevrolet 4-door, power glide, low mileage. <b>\$600.00</b>
1954 Chevrolet 4-door Sedan, power glide, low mileage, one-owner car, good as new— <b>\$1495</b>	1952 Chevrolet 2-door Deluxe, power glide <b>\$750.00</b>	1951 Ford 4-door Custom Sedan, nice and clean, good tires. <b>\$695.00</b>

SEE US FIRST FOR YOUR USED CAR NEEDS!

## Lockney Auto Company

Dial 3368 Your Chevrolet Dealer Lockney

## SEALE DRIVE-IN THEATRE

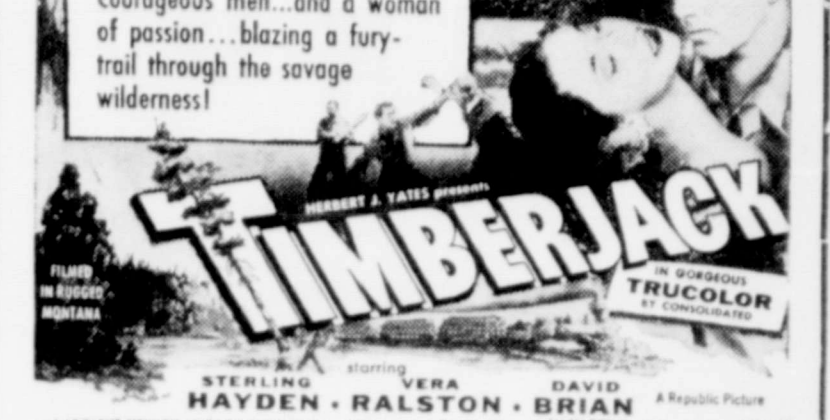
Located 2 1/2 miles west of Lockney on Plainview Highway

### LAST TIME TODAY (THURSDAY): "6 BRIDGES TO CROSS"

starring Tony Curtis, Julie Adams, George Nader  
Was he the man behind the great \$2,500,000 Boston robbery? — here's the film thrill of the year based on the sensational Collier's magazine story — a dramatic ballad from opening to fadeout.

Also CARTOON

### FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, May 20 and 21



**FIERY DRAMA!**  
Courageous men...and a woman of passion...blazing a fury-trail through the savage wilderness!

**TIMBERJACK**  
starring VERA HAYDEN, DAVID RALSTON, BRIAN

Lusty, rousing, robust adventure — love and hate in the timber country of the great Northwest — two men loved her but her heart was unable to choose — high adventure, rousing action, lusty songs.

Also CARTOON

### SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, May 22, 23, 24

## "MANY RIVERS TO CROSS"

with Robert Taylor, Eleanor Parker, Victor McLaglen  
IN COLOR AND CINEMASCOPE  
Kentucky in frontier days — a land full of surprises for Robert Taylor — carefree trapper — with one eye on the ladies — the other on the Indians — a man who likes his freedom — till a purty redhead decided he was for her.

Also CARTOON AND NEWS

### WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, May 25 and 26



The BEST LOVED Picture Of Our Time!  
The MOST HONORED Picture Of All Time!

Winner of 9 Academy Awards!

**THE BEST YEARS OF OUR LIVES**  
An RKO Radio Pictures Re-release

One of the truly great pictures of this or any other year — a parade of stars bringing you the best in entertainment — brought back to thrill you anew.

Also CARTOON

## PLAINS THEATRE, Lockney

### FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, May 20 and 21

## "CATTLE QUEEN OF MONTANA"

with Barbara Stanwyck and Ronald Reagan  
IN TECHNICOLOR  
Big sweep — big story — big spectacle — a rugged roaring saga of the west that used to be — and of a woman you'll never forget — born into the wilds of the frontier — bred on hardship and danger — as brave as she was beautiful.

Also CARTOON

### SUNDAY AND MONDAY, May 22 and 23

## THOMAS B. COSTAIN'S RECORD-SETTING BEST-SELLER!



"...for this was the time of Temptation, and this was the day of Sin..."

**THE SILVER CHALICE**  
VICTOR SAVILLE DIRECTOR • CINEMASCOPE • VIRGINIA MAYO • PIER ANGELO • JACK PALANCE • PAUL NEWMAN

More than 25 million people have read Thos. B. Costain's record best-seller — and every breathless moment of it is captured in cinemascope — in the mighty Bible story of truth and temptation.

Also CARTOON

**FREE! FREE**

**RCA Portable Radio**

A \$39.95 value, will be given FREE with the purchase of any

**RCA TELEVISION SET**

Table or Console models, priced from \$209.95 up.

See us for TV Service and Parts  
Also TV Antennas

**Modern Radio & TV Service**

Dial 3345 J. MARVIN COX, Prop. Lockney

**SEED**

We have a good supply of Seeds, all good quality and high germination.

See us soon for your grain sorghums.

**CERTIFIED**

Martin  
Plainsman  
Caprock  
7078 Milo  
Redbine 66  
Blackhul Kaffir  
Sweet Sudan

**FIELD SEEDS**

Red Top Cane  
Mung Beans  
Pinto Beans  
Guar  
Iron Clay Peas  
Chinese Reds

We will appreciate the opportunity of serving you.

**BAXTER & SMITH GRAIN CO.**

Dial 3377 Lockney

Just for looking you get

**FREE Tide**

at our

**MAYTAG SPRING PARTY!**



• Maytag Automatic saves 9 gallons of hot water per load with Automatic Water Level Control

• Exclusive Maytag agitator washing action

• Exclusive Double-Spin Tubs. No dirt streaks.

Ask about our Spring Party Trade-ins!

Come in—help us celebrate Maytag's 9 millionth washer... far more than any other make.

**PENNINGTON MOTOR CO.**

Dial 3383 Your Maytag Dealer Lockney

**Formby Tells Of Trip To Europe**

Speaking to the Lockney Rotary Club last Friday at noon, State Highway Commissioner Marshall Formby told of his recent trip to Europe and his impressions of conditions behind the Iron Curtain.

Mr. Formby, along with a number of other newspaper and radio people, visited countries in Europe on both sides of the Iron Curtain.

Mr. Formby told the group that the people of Russia were friendly to the Americans and that he found little tension or unrest in that country. He stayed a week in Moscow, went where he wanted to and talked in one Baptist church there. He said that apparently the people of Russia are allowed to worship as they see fit, provided the church is already established. The government still talks against religion but does nothing to prevent worship.

He said that the agricultural program of the country was the weak spot and that the collective farms just didn't produce as much as they should.

He estimated that there are a half million Baptists in Russia and also quite a number Methodists and Lutherans. He said that it was his opinion that there was a movement toward a return to religion in Russia.

The people of Russia are continually talking of peace but their government is continually preparing for war, Formby said. He said that the nine men who sit behind the Kremlin walls and dictate the policies of the country will determine whether Russia has peace or war. They control everything in the country even down to a level equal to our county precincts, he explained.

The group of newspaper and radio people interviewed many high ranking people in Europe on the trip, including the King and Queen of Greece. As they entered each country they were given a briefing on conditions there by members of the American Ambassador's staff. He said that the vast difference between the free and enslaved world could be readily seen in Berlin. West Berlin, controlled by the Democratic countries, has a high rate of employment, many things for sale in the markets and everyone has a happy attitude while the opposite is true in East Berlin.

Mr. Formby said that the recent decision to re-arm Western Germany was a big step in maintaining peace in the European area and that Western Germany would serve as a buffer state between Russia and France, Belgium and England.

He said that Turkey was one of the United States best friends and that they were not afraid of Russia. They have had several wars with Russia and have won most of them and they are prepared to fight if attacked.

The Egyptian government is on thin ice at present, he said but Egypt has made some progress.

Mr. Formby said that it was the opinion of most of the group that the foreign aid given to European countries by the United States had been well worth while but that it appeared now that the aid had about served its purpose and could be reduced.

Italy is in poor condition but the Communists are losing power both in Italy and France, Mr. Formby said.

There are now 15 countries in the NATO organization and we have what it takes to hold back Russia should they try to attack.

England is recovering from their economic straits and they are probably our best friends in Europe, Mr. Formby said. He also predicted that the Conservatives would win in the forthcoming British elections.

There is much tension and unrest in Czechoslovakia and Poland, he said and only about 10% of the people are Communists although the Communists control the countries. Prices are very high and the standard of living poor.

Other guests for the noon luncheon included Rotarians from Floydada and Plainview and the valedictorian, Debra Ferguson, and salutatorian, Milt Walters of the eighth grade graduating class.

**HEART ATTACK**

Albert Stewart of South Plains was admitted to the Medical & Surgical Hospital here Friday after suffering a heart attack at his home. He is the father of Mrs. Wayne Greer.

Eugene Prickett of Hereford spent Sunday of last week here with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Prickett.

**Larger Flocks, Greater Efficiency**

College Station. — Egg producers who seek efficiency in the laying house are advised to have flocks of 1,000 or more hens.

"Efficiency increases with flock size," says Ben Wormell, extension poultry husbandman.

"There is a definite need in Texas for increasing flock numbers to more economical units — to at least 1,000 layers."

Stay in business in both good and bad years, he advises. Only increased commercial production and fewer backyard producers will stabilize the state's fluctuating egg market.

When eggs make favorable returns one year, there is a tendency for backyard producers to jump into business the next. Although there is only a slight upsurge in production, it is enough to put prices on the skids, Wormell explains.

Try us for that

**Good Gulf Service**

Bring your car in for any kind of service—

- Washing and Greasing
- Tire Service
- Good Gulf Gasoline and Oils

We'll take care of your needs in a jiffy.

Also—

**Firestone Tires and Tubes**

**Fowler-Barnett Gulf Service**

Dial 8883 Lockney

Twenty-four per cent of drivers involved in fatal auto accidents in the U. S. last year were under 25 years old.

hicles involved in fatal accidents in 1954 were traveling ahead.

Here are **Gifts** to make grads Glad!

HURRY down to Lockney Drug and select those graduation gift items you need. We have a nice selection of both boys and girls.

- Cameras
- Pangburn Candies
- Billfolds
- Costume Jewelry
- Airmail Hose

MANY OTHER GIFT ITEMS

**LOCKNEY DRUG COMPANY**

The *Rexall* Store

CLYDE BRILEY Day Phone 3333 BOB MILLER Night 3328

WE FEATURE SERVICE FOR THE SICK

**HAIL INSURANCE**

Let us insure that COTTON before it is too late in a good stock company.

The rate is down some this year. See us today.

**Pinner Insurance Agency**

Phone 3329 Lockney

**YOUR Rexall PHARMACIST SAYS...**

Good health is the foundation of good living. Without it life becomes a meaningless burden. Fortunately, it is not usually difficult to maintain health. You need only follow a few common-sense rules, one of which is to have your physician examine you regularly.

And you can rely on us when you need to have a prescription filled.

**YOUR Rexall PHARMACIST**

**LOCKNEY DRUG COMPANY**

Dial 3333 Lockney

**CARL McADAMS**

GENERAL INSURANCE

Fire — Hail — Polio —  
Windstorm — Auto — Bonds

Phone 2141

First National Bank Building

**ARTHUR B. DUNCAN**

ABSTRACT COMPANY

**MAUD E. HOLLUMS**

Owner and Manager

South East corner Square Floydada, Texas

Oldest and most complete abstract plant in Floyd County. Prepared to render prompt efficient service on everything in the line of land titles.

**NOW!**

You can cut, chop, and load silage and forage up to

**25 TONS AN HOUR!**

**McCormick No. 20-C FIELD HARVESTER**



Quick, 4-bolt change-over with...



Cutter-bar attachment—with full 6-foot cutter bar.



Pick-up hay attachment—low-level, gentle, leaf-saving action.



Row-crop attachment—Low, wide-spread gatherers get down corn.

- Huge chopping capacity with six tempered steel knives rigidly aligned on heavy boiler plate cutter head, 3/4-inch to 6-inch cut.
- Light draft—easily driven by power take-off from three-plov tractor. Heavy-duty mounted engine available.
- Non-plugging—jaw-type steel feeder aprons automatically adjust to light or heavy crops. Over-running clutch lets cutter head spin free to clear blower when power is shut off.
- Long life—roller chain drives and pre-lubricated anti-friction bearings.
- Blower pipe swivels for rear or side delivery.

Use the Income Purchase Plan—let time and labor savings plus higher feeding value from your crops pay for a new McCormick No. 20-C field harvester in use.

**HAMMOND & COMPANY**

Dial 3841 CLAUDE HAMMOND, Dealer Lockney



### Mystery Is Solved In Area

A Rabbit advertising has been unraveled. It was Bunny Bread, an advertisement in this week and in previous mediums throughout the area during the few days.

The new loaf being advertised by Mead's Fine Bread is a new loaf being advertised by Mead's Fine Bread, an advertisement in this week and in previous mediums throughout the area during the few days.

### L. Walker Killed By Death

L. Walker of near Cotton died late Sunday after illness. He was a brother of Mrs. Berman Huffman of Cotton.

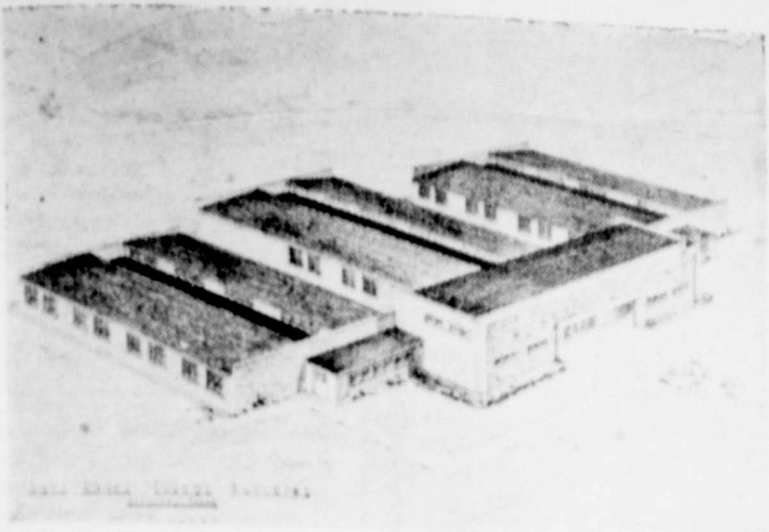
Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday at the Cotton Baptist Church. Interment was in the Plainview cemetery.

Walker is survived by his two brothers, two sisters and a daughter.

### Silvertown Girl Improving

Lynn Shott, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Shott of Silvertown is showing improvement in Northwest Texas hospital in Amarillo. She is recovering from injuries received in a car accident four months ago. Her condition has improved and she is expected to be home in a few days.

### TO CHURCH SUNDAY.



DRAWING of the new Peace Officers of America school building at Boys' Ranch, near Amarillo is shown here. Work has begun on the building and it is expected to be completed

### Aubrey Weathers Is Attending School

Aubrey C. Weathers, radioman first class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Weathers of Lockney, Texas is attending the Naval Teletype Maintenance School at Norfolk, Va.

The school qualifies the student in the maintenance of teletype equipment both ashore and afloat. Although a portion of time is devoted to theory, the major part of the course is devoted to practical adjusting, testing and repairing of teletype equipment in the laboratory.

Graduates of the school are assigned either to advanced training or returned to the commands from which they were received.

Ether was first used as an anesthetic in 1842.

Emolus was the founder of Rome.

this fall. It will include academic and vocational facilities for 200 boys. The Colorado red stone school building will be the largest permanent building at the Ranch.

### Howard Celebrates Birthday On Ship

Formosa (PHTNC). — Among those who celebrated their birthday in April aboard the fleet oiler USS Platte, a unit of the U. S. 7th Fleet here was George M. Howard, boatswain's mate third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Howard and husband of the former Miss Nelda F. Schaffner, Lockney.

Before entering the Navy in January, 1952, he was graduated from Lockney High School.

Navy Capt. R. M. Farrell, Commanding Officer of the Platte, attended the birthday party, held April 15, as a guest of the men.

Mercury is the swiftest moving planet.

### UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Agricultural Stabilization & Conservation  
County Floyd, May 10, 1955

### PUBLIC NOTICE

EMPLOYMENT OF COUNTY OFFICE MANAGER FOR FLOYD COUNTY AGRICULTURAL STABILIZATION AND CONSERVATION. The County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee of Floyd county will accept applications for the position of County Office Manager of Floyd county from May 10, 1955 to and including May 20, 1955.

QUALIFICATION STANDARDS FOR POSITION OF AGRICULTURAL STABILIZATION AND CONSERVATION COUNTY OFFICE MANAGER:

Applicants for the position of County Office Manager must meet the following qualification standards: (1) Citizen of the United States; (2) Age 19 to 65; (3) Applicant must be physically able to efficiently perform the duties of the position; (4) Have at least two years actual farm experience or the equivalent in agricultural organizations; (5) Applicant must have completed at least two years of high school or the equivalent in other recognized schools and be able to adequately operate office machines; (6) Applicant must have a total of at least 18 months of responsible experience in an Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation county office or other acceptable substitutions; (7) Applicant must be of good character and other responsibilities acceptable to the county committee.

Starting salary \$3,760.00 per year.

For complete details and application forms, please call at the county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Office located at Floydada, Texas. 5-2tc.

A CLEAN CITY IS A SAFE CITY.

THE LOCKNEY BEACON, LOCKNEY, TEXAS, MAY 19, 1955

### MID-WEEK SPECIAL WASH

Wash chenille or tufted bedspreads by themselves. Use your favorite detergent or soap powder, and be sure the water is hot. Place in your clothes dryer and set the dial at not. In a half hour they'll be fluffy and ready to put back on the beds.

### GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

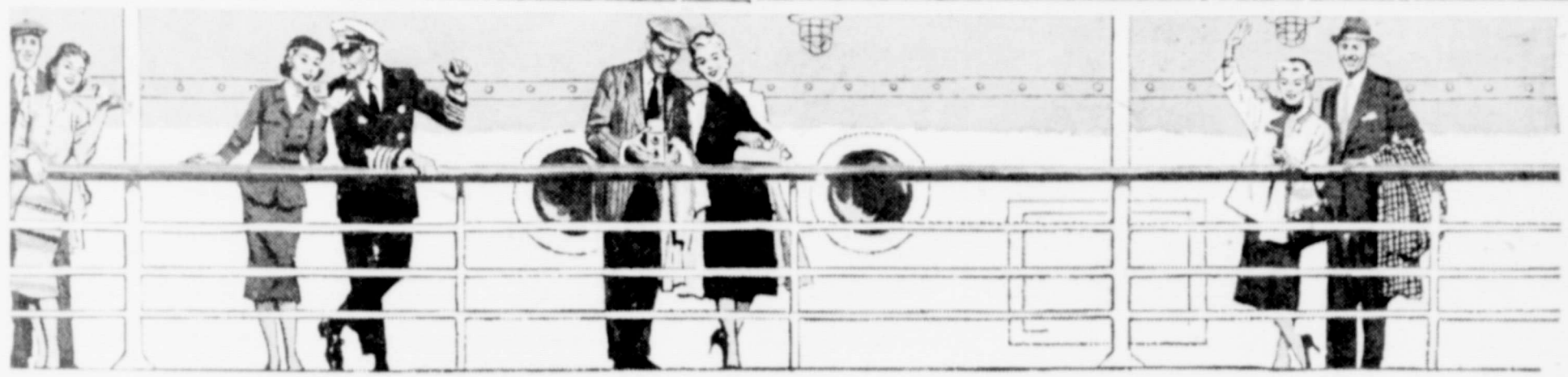
DON'T SCRATCH THAT ITCH IN JUST 15 MINUTES. If not pleased, your 40c back at any drug store. Try instant-drying ITCH-ME-NOT at any time of day or night to KILL germs ON CONTACT. Fine for eczema, ringworm, foot itch and other surface itches. Today at BYRD PHARMACY.

## National Alfalfa Dehydrating & Milling Company

The reliable local market for year

### Dehydrated and baled Alfalfa Hay

Dial 3821 — Lockney, Texas



## It costs no more to go "First Class"

Vegetation Idea... VISIT FORD ROTUNDA, SHOW PLACE OF THE AUTO INDUSTRY, DEARBORN, MICHIGAN

You pay nothing extra for Ford's Thunderbird styling...  
Luxury Lounge interiors... smoother Angle-Poised ride...  
nor for Ford's 23-year V-8 experience that brings you Trigger-Torque power!

Only Ford offers Thunderbird Styling

Take a closer look at those long, low, "front-running" lines. From the smart, visored head lights to the tapered tail fins, they're Thunderbird through and through. Step inside. Colorfully fresh new Luxury Lounge interiors make Ford truly your "living room on wheels."

Your new-car dollars buy more today. For example, a first-class ride in a first-class car is yours at Ford's low fare.

You command a Y-block V-8 that responds reassuringly when you need it. You have Ford's smoother Angle-Poised ride cushioning out road shock wherever you go. And you own the style-setter—the car that's styled like its brilliant running-mate, the Thunderbird.

You can expect more when you trade, too... for Fords have been returning more in resale than any other low-priced car. Take a Test Drive and you'll see why!

Only Ford offers Trigger-Torque power

Whether you choose the 162-h.p. Y-block V-8 or 182-h.p. Special V-8, you get split-second "Go" when you want it. With Speed-Trigger Fordomatic, you're even farther out front... automatically.

THE NEW BEST SELLER...  
sells more because it's worth more!

## '55 Ford

## FIELD GROWN Plants

Maryland Sweet Potato-Tomato  
Pepper -- Egg Plant--Strawberry  
Onion

Flower Plants — for bedding out  
Rhubard — Asparagus Roots  
Lawn Grass Seeds  
Heat Moss — Vigoro — Hot Kaps  
Weedone — guaranteed to kill  
andelions and possession vines

Burpee's Garden Seed  
Texas Hybrid Seed Corn  
Certified Watermelon  
Cantaloupe Seed  
All Kinds of Garden Seeds  
for Freezing  
Certified Black-Eyed and  
Crowder Peas

# WHITE'S SUPER MARKETS

## SEED DEPARTMENT

10 Ash Street Plainview, Texas

SEE, STEER, STOP SAFELY—Have your car Safety Checked

## "WHITEY" BACCUS

AUTHORIZED FORD DEALER

GREAT TV FORD THEATRE STATION KCBD, CHANNEL 11, TUESDAY EVENING AT 8:30 —

Telephone 3395 Lockney

# Society News

## "Rhythm In Blue" Is Band Banquet Theme

"Rhythm in Blue" was the theme for the annual banquet of Lockney Longhorn band held Thursday night, May 12 at the high school cafeteria.

Guests were met at the door by charming waitresses and ushered into the "Rock and Roll Club". The waitresses, F. H. A. girls, were dressed in dark blue skirts, white blouses and white organdy aprons trimmed with blue bows.

The tables, separately placed, were covered with white linen paper and centered with strips of blue paper holding an arrangement of roses and white

tapers which provided light for the occasion.

Connie O'Brien gave the invocation. Following a delicious dinner band officers and other band members were recognized. Talks were made by Mr. Elmer Stimson, band director, Mr. F. M. Smith, principal, and Franklin Spruiell, band major.

The meal was prepared by some of the band mothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Marshall of Fresno, Calif., visited friends here Monday also visited graves of relatives in the local cemetery. Mrs. Marshall is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sanders. Her maiden name was Freda Sanders and she lived here during her girlhood.

## Miss Barbara Carthel Is Shower Honoree

Miss Barbara Carthel, bride-elect of Warren Mathis was named honoree at a wedding shower given Saturday, May 14 in the home of Mrs. Jack Taylor. Calling hours were 4:00 to 6:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Taylor, the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Hershel Carthel, and Mrs. D. B. Mathis, mother of the prospective bride-groom received the guests.

Alternating at the bride's book were Mrs. Bobby McCormick, and Miss Kay Golden.

Piano music was furnished by Joan Harris and Sandra Myers. The refreshment table was laid with a white crocheted cloth centered with a pearl studded white styrofoam arch topped with rainbow colored pom poms showered with satin ribbon. Standing on a platform under the arch was a miniature bridal couple. A pastel blue net ruffle outlined the base of the centerpiece. Lime sherbert punch and individual cake squares decorated in colors of pink, green and yellow topped with white love birds were served from a crystal service.

An arrangement of yellow roses topped with a butterfly was placed on the coffee table. They were a gift from Joe Taylor who is in service in Korea. On the piano was an arrange-

ment of pink peonies, a gift from Mrs. Lula Copeland. On the register table stood a bride holding a bouquet showered with rainbow colored streamers. This arrangement was backed by tapers and an arrangement of pansies.

Ann Belt and Mrs. Delton Jack poured. Jan Mathis and Jean Wofford served cake.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Floyd Jackson, Ike Johnson, Paul Cooper, Clyde Applewhite, Jesse Cox, E. A. Bonner, Clark Harris, Harley Workman, Durwood and Delton Jack, Clyde Hill, Geo. Myers, Fred Dorman, Kenneth Wofford, Joe Taylor, Art Williams, Henry Hodel, Dee Copeland, Lloyd Wofford, Olson Allison, Ernest Tannahill, Doyle Harrison, J. R. Belt, Oscar Golden, Clyde Farish, Bobby McCormick, Herman Huffman and Joe Foster.

## Pollyannas Meet In Darnell Home

The Pollyanna Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. R. Darnell. After a sewing session gifts were exchanged.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Charlie Smith, Lester Carter, Owen Thornton, Bill Smith, Valca Thomas, Lloyd Wofford, Derrell Wood, Joe Parrish, Olson Allison and Elmer Sandusky.

A dinner party will be held for members and their husbands on Tuesday, May 21 at 8:00 o'clock in the Elmer Sandusky home.

Next regular club meeting will be Tuesday, May 24 at 3:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Lester Carter.

Mrs. Joe Page and boys, Carey Fox homes Tuesday night and Johnny and Mrs. Waller, ny remained for a visit. all of Alpine, and Mrs. F. A. Zodrow of Wichita, Kansas visited in the Sid Thomas and T. S. GO TO CHURCH

## NEW '55' AUTOMOBILES

Fords — Chevrolets — Plymouth Pontiacs — Buicks — Oldsmobile

In addition to our stock we have access to the largest new car stock in Texas... This service enables you to make your choice of make, color and equipment. You will find our prices will result in a saving to you in the purchase of your new car. SELL OR TRADE.

- FACTORY FRESH
- IMMEDIATE DELIVERY
- FACTORY WARRANTY
- SERVICE POLICY
- CONVENIENT FINANCING

1952 Chevrolet 2 Door, Radio, Heater, Excellent condition mechanically. Priced far below the used car market.

1954 Ford Crestline 4 Door, Fordomatic, radio, white wall tires, owner car. Has 11,000 miles.

## HARRIS MOTOR COMPANY

J. O. (OTIS) HARRIS Baker Hotel Bldg.—Lockney

for the boy who's "going places"



On his birthday — at school — or his first day on his first job — a boy gets ahead faster with a handsome CROTON AQUAMATIC, because he need not remember to wind it. Ordinary wrist movements keep it wound right and running true. The AQUAMATIC loves water! It's certified waterproof before it comes to us. All you need do is make sure only a CROTON jeweler opens, closes, and services your watch. Sweep second hand — shock-resistant — crystal can't shatter. A durable watch for a lifetime of accurate use!

\$54.45

## OLIVER JEWELRY

106 South Main Dial 2149

For Memorial Day . . .

See our

## ARTIFICIAL WREATHS

A variety to select from. They're beautiful.

## LOCKNEY VARIETY

## MR. FARMER!

We have a new shipment of WRENCHES!

- Box End
- Open End
- Combination
- Socket

All sizes and in sets.

LOOK! Complete set of 8 open end wrenches from 3-8 to 1 7-16 size for only

**\$3.45**

Also TOOL BOXES Hudson Hand Sprayers Co-op Tires

18-month road hazard guarantee Also U. S. Royal Tires

MOTOR OILS — Diamond DX, Amalie, Co-op Premium, etc.

Also GREASES

Consumers Fuel Association Lockney

Friday Saturday Specials

There's a heap of good eating at our

# DEL MONTE GARDEN SHOW



## SUGAR

10 Pounds

89c

Del-Monte FRUIT COCKTAIL



2 Cans 303

43c

PINEAPPLE JUICE



46 Oz.

32c

Del-Monte PEACHES



2 Cans 303

45c

Del-Monte PINEAPPLE



No. 2 Can

25c

Del-Monte APRICOTS



303 Can

25c

## PRESERVES

Kimbell's Pure Apricot or Peach 20 oz. Tumbler

39c

## NEW POTATOES

Kimbell's No. 2 can—2 for

19c

## PICKLES

Diamond Sour or Dill—quart

25c

PEAS Del-Monte



2 Cans 303

39c



Ketchup

Del-Monte

14 oz. bottle

21c

## SPINACH

303 Cans 3 for

29c

## BATHROOM TISSUE

Roll

5c

## PRESERVES

Kimbell's 12 oz. Tumbler Pure Cherry—3 for

49c

## OLEO

Kimbell's Pound

20c

## BACON

Wilson's Sliced Corn King—Pound

52c

## FRYERS

Cut Up Pound

55c

Corn 'N Pepper Del-Monte

2 Cans 12 oz

35c

Del-Monte Blue Lake Cut Green Beans

2 Cans

49c

SHORTENING Kimbell's 3 Lb. Carton

69c

## Flour

Pillsbury Best 25 Pounds

\$1.89

Double Stamps Every Tuesday with \$2.50 Cash Purchase

# PYLANT GROCERY & MARKET

Call for Pylant's Trading Stamps at Lena Fae Store and Pylant's Grocery

**WANT ADS TO BUY TO SELL TO RENT**

**Society**

**Lockney General Hospital Notes**

Mr. L. K. Sherman was dismissed 5-11 following medical treatment.  
Dale Lacey was dismissed 5-16 following major surgery.  
Mrs. Jim Bert Bobbitt was admitted 5-12 for medical treatment and was dismissed 5-13.  
Will McDonald was admitted 5-13 for major surgery.

THE LOCKNEY BEACON, LOCKNEY, TEXAS, MAY 19, 1955

**VISIT HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Witte of Nevada, Missouri were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitfill. The Wittes were met in Plainview by their youngest son, Lloyd who recently completed navy boot training in San Diego and is spending a furlough with relatives and friends in Plainview. He will return to California accompanied by his parents Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Witte will visit in Los Angeles with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Witte and family and daughter, Miss Elna Witte.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Beacon Office.

**For Sale**  
FOR SALE — Beautiful aquarium with automatic aerator, heater, filter, all fish and fish equipment, solid terrarium with glass top, equipped with light. Aquarium is 24 inches long, 12 inches wide, \$65 value, will sell for \$25. M. W. Wilson, phone 2322. 6-tfc.

**For Sale**  
FOR SALE — Small electric wringer, same as also dining room suite. 6-tfc.

**Wanted**  
R. W. JOHNSON  
WELL SERVICE  
Windmill and Pressure Pump Work  
We also sell  
SUBMERSIBLE PUMPS  
Phone 3384

WANTED — 500 and 1000 gallon butane and propane tanks at Baker Flash-O-Gas Co. in Lockney. 50-tfc.

**El Progreso Club Has Luncheon**

El Progreso Study Club enjoyed a luncheon Wednesday at 12:30 in the home of Mrs. Ewald Quebe. The occasion marked the close of the club year. Luncheon tables were decorated with arrangements of iris and the same kind of flowers were placed at other points about the entertaining rooms. Mrs. Leslie Ferguson gave some interesting information on the subject of Cairo, Egypt and Mrs. Clyde Applewhite showed slides of the Holy Land taken by the Applewhites and Mr. and Mrs. Sid B. Thomas during their trips to these places. A gift was presented to the president, Mrs. Guy Sams. Hostesses were Mmes. Quebe, Sams, T. V. McClure, J. C. Kemp, Bill Hotel and Clyde Applewhite.

**BATES AERIAL SERVICE**  
Temporarily located in Plainview until June 1st.  
Phone 4-2930  
Box 262 Plainview 50-tfc.

**Local & Long Distance MOVING**  
We Specialize in Packing, Crating and Storage  
TRANSFER & STORAGE  
"MOVE SAFE WITH"  
**BRUCE & SON**  
Dial 4-6349  
1009 North Broadway  
Plainview

**MORGAN CONVALESCENT HOME** No. 4  
Spur, Texas, Phone 9517  
Private and semi-private rooms, reasonable rates, nursing care 24 hours. Well trained manager. Location: former Nichols Hospital. 40-tfc.

**PIANO TUNING** — Drop a card to Luther Fowler, Box 66, Lockney or phone 2173. 46-tfc.

NOW IS THE TIME to clean and moth proof your valuable carpets, rugs and furniture. See Buck Formby, or call Parker Furniture, phone 3315, Lockney. 45-8tp-tfc.

**CESSPOOL DRILLING**  
Storm Cellars  
Pier Holes  
30, 36, 42 and 48-inch Holes  
L. E. FISH  
900 Broadway Dial 4-5828  
Plainview, Texas

WANTED — Why not let me bake and decorate those wedding and party cakes for you? Reasonable prices. Mrs. Ross Cooper, phone 2245. 2-tfc.

**5% FARM LOANS**  
Prompt Inspection and Closing  
No closing charges except abstract and recording  
**GOEN & GOEN**  
232 Boothe Bldg. Floydada  
Representing Amicable Life Insurance Company.

**Lost and Found**  
LOST — Floor board for Chevrolet station wagon at highway intersection in South Lockney. Return to G. A. McCAda at Lockney Auto Co. 3-tfc.

**For Rent**  
FOR RENT — 7-room modern house, R. E. A. and butane, good barns, etc. About 2 1/2 miles north-east of Lockney. Call Cecil Hagood, 304 or 35, Floydada. 5-tfc.

FOR RENT — 5 rooms and bath, vacant May 18. Close in. See T. J. Word. 5-2tp.

FOR RENT — 4 room apartment, private bath, newly decorated. Mrs. C. L. Allen, phone 2243. 4-tfc.

FOR RENT — House with 2 rooms and bath. Unfurnished or partly furnished. M. D. Lynn, dial 2108. 4-4tp.

FOR RENT — 5 room modern house near high school. See Frank Perkins. 4-tfc.

FOR RENT — Six room modern house, 3 1/2 miles from town, all conveniences. See Frank Perkins.

FOR RENT — Small house, 2 rooms and shower. Ross Cooper, phone 2245. 3-tfc.

3-ROOM furnished apartment, rent free for couple or lady as company for elderly lady. Mrs. Frank Dodson. 3-tfc.

FOR RENT — 4 room modern house in West Lockney. Dorsey Baker. 2-tfc.

FOR RENT — 3 room furnished apartment, private bath. S. H. Milwee, Phone 384. 36-tfc.

**Wanted**  
WANTED — Ladies to sell Beauty Counselor cosmetics in Lockney. Call Lucille Sherrad, phone 4-2997, Plainview. 5-5tp.

WANTED — Custom listing homeing, etc. Durrel Fortenberry, phone 3167, Lockney. 5-4tp.

SPARE TIME JOB for men and women. \$10.00 daily booking orders for Scotch-Lite name plates that shine at nite for top of rural mail boxes, also house numbers and door plates — unlimited field — no sales experience or investment required. Pleasant, interesting work that pays big profits. Ideal for retired persons on pension or fund raising organizations. Free sales outfit. Illuminated Sign Co., 3004 1st Ave., S., Minneapolis, Minn. PS331. 4-3tp.

**Garden Club Meets In Mitchell Home**  
Mrs. R. C. Mitchell was hostess for a meeting of Lockney Garden Club May 6 at 3 o'clock. Mrs. T. B. Mitchell talked on "How to Renew Your Perennials." Mrs. Lester Honea give information on "Better Perennials." Attending were Mmes. Arthur Barker, Jeffie Griffith, Theo Griffith, L. M. Honea, Horton Howell, Dale Lacey, T. B. Mitchell, Alex Norris, Roy Patterson, Ewald Quebe, Tom Rankin, Frank Roberson, R. W. Smith, J. C. Wilson, R. C. Mitchell, members and two visitors, Mrs. Don Hatch and Mrs. E. C. Abbott.

**Medical-Surgical Hospital Notes**  
5-1 to 5-19  
Jerry Dale Thompson of Floydada was admitted 5-1, released 5-6.  
Mr. J. A. Glenn of Route 1, Kress was admitted 5-7 and released 5-9.  
Mrs. Joe Phillips was admitted 5-7 and released 5-10.  
Mr. Tom Jackson of Crosbyton, Texas was admitted 5-9 and released on 5-16.  
Mr. John Cassel of Lubbock was admitted to hospital on 5-9 and released on 5-10.  
Miss Jessie Gibson was admitted 5-9 and released 5-12.  
Mrs. W. R. Billington of Rt. 4, Floydada was admitted 5-11 released 5-13.  
Johnny Kirkpatrick was admitted 5-13.  
Mrs. Doyle Harrison was admitted 5-13.  
Mr. Albert Stewart of South Plains was admitted 5-14.  
Mrs. Frank Messimer was admitted 5-15.  
Mrs. J. C. Singer was admitted 5-15.  
Mrs. Thomas Matlock of Plainview was admitted 5-16, released 5-17.  
Mr. Jake A. Dane of Pilot Point, Texas was admitted 5-17.  
Jackie Wayne Ivy Jr., of Plainview is still a patient.

**Lockney Lodge No. 867 A. F. & A. M.**  
Regular meeting third Tuesday night at 7:30.  
JAMES A. BOBBITT, W. M.  
E. A. CARTER, Secretary

**4%**  
Use a Land Bank loan to Build, Buy, Improve or Refinance — low cost, long terms if needed. Full or part repayment privileges.  
**FLOYDADA NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION**  
Phone 256 319 South Main  
Jake B. Watson, Sec'y-Treas.

**Trade for GOODYEAR TUBELESS**  
this quick easy way!  
let your tires be your down payment!  
pay as low as \$1.25 a week for the balance!  
get full value for your present tires in trade!

**GOODYEAR TUBELESS**  
Tires are your safest buy!  
Goodyear's 3-T triple-tempered cord body, plus exclusive Grip-Seal construction, makes the new Goodyear Tubeless one of the most durable, safest tires ever made!  
• Better Blowout Protection • Better Puncture Protection • Better Performance • Longer Mileage  
See our complete line today!  
More People Ride On Goodyear Tires Than On Any Other Kind

**V. L. WEBSTER SERVICE STATION**  
DIAL 2244 LOCKNEY

**GOODYEAR TUBELESS**  
Tires are your safest buy!  
See our complete line today!  
More People Ride On Goodyear Tires Than On Any Other Kind

**V. L. WEBSTER SERVICE STATION**  
DIAL 2244 LOCKNEY

**FOR SALE 4-row Crustbusters 4-row Salty Dog Go-Devs**

**Salty Dog Press Wheel attachment, \$11.50.**

**Hard - surfaced John Deere sweeps in 30-inch and 36-inch for your John Deere Frogs (for listers.)**

**24-inch and 30-inch regular sweeps.**

**Hard-surfaced lister points.**

**Hard - surfaced cultivator sweeps. Meyers V - type Ditchers.**

**John Deere Drag Harrows.**

**3 and 4-section Eveners.**

**Genuine John Deere Rotary Hoes in 4 and 6-section.**

**Irrigation supplies.**

**Dams, Sticks, Tubes, Reducers, Shovels, etc.**

**Lockney Implement Co.**  
Your John Deere Dealer

**FOR SALE** — 16-inch irrigation casing. Dorsey Baker. 2-tfc.

**WE FIX tractor flats** at Fowler-Barnett Gulf Service. 1tc.

**RADIATOR TROUBLE?** — Let us take care of your radiator trouble. We do all kinds of repairing and cleaning. Experienced workman. **WESTERN RADIATOR SERVICE**, Lockney, Phone 3800, day or night. 51-tfc.

**FOR SALE** — 1953 Fireball 8 Buick engine. Has butane carburetor, also Ford tractor and equipment in good shape, new tires. Also two 4-bale cotton trailers. Phone 3108 or see Lawrence Quisenberry, 4 miles north of town on McPherson place. 48-tfc.

**Wanted**  
WANTED — Ladies to sell Beauty Counselor cosmetics in Lockney. Call Lucille Sherrad, phone 4-2997, Plainview. 5-5tp.

WANTED — Custom listing homeing, etc. Durrel Fortenberry, phone 3167, Lockney. 5-4tp.

SPARE TIME JOB for men and women. \$10.00 daily booking orders for Scotch-Lite name plates that shine at nite for top of rural mail boxes, also house numbers and door plates — unlimited field — no sales experience or investment required. Pleasant, interesting work that pays big profits. Ideal for retired persons on pension or fund raising organizations. Free sales outfit. Illuminated Sign Co., 3004 1st Ave., S., Minneapolis, Minn. PS331. 4-3tp.

**FOR SALE** — Good 6 room in Lockney. Also 1951 2-door and 1952 Buick 4-door both in good condition. Wilson, phone 2242. 6-2tc.

**FOR SALE** — Spinet piano. Bargain. Easy terms. Mrs. I. B. Fowler, 210 N. St. Amarillo. 6-3tp.

**FOR SALE** — Cotton seed. Northern Star and saw delinted, sacked ready to plant. James Savvone 47256, Plainview. 6-2tp.

**FOR SALE** — Stewart Warner record player combination. Also Uplands both in good condition. See Norma Vernon. 6-2tc.

**FOR SALE** — 1954 model glide Chevrolet, tinted back up lights, windshield, four doors. Call K. W. Phone 3868. 5-4tc.

**FOR SALE** — Pansy Delphinium hybrid tomato plants, outdoors. Bales Pansy, 1007 Columbia Street, W. Texas. 5-2tc.

There is an item you need. Chances are we have it. Jewelry. Lockney. 5-tfc.

**ENGINE OIL** at Fowler-Barnett Service. 1tc.

**FOR SALE** — Two heavy doors full size, in good includes arms, etc. A Mrs. C. L. Allen, phone 4-tfc.

**MOVED** Maryland Sweet plants are ready at the Trading Post. Get them from the bed. 4-tfc.

**FOR SALE** — Nice 5-room near high school. Terms bank Perkins. 4-tfc.

**FOR SALE** — 6 lots on South street, paved. Mrs. C. phone 3335 from 9 to 4-3tp.

**A SIGN?** — Tom's Sign box 771, phone 5-3368, Texas. 4-4tp.

**FOR RENT** — Small 3 rooms and bath, nice. 100, Lockney. 2-tfc.

**FOR RENT** for Avon products in Mrs. T. C. Bilibry, Box 50-tfc.

**FOR SALE** — 4 room house and or will sell house to see. See Hubert Griffith or Griffith. 51-tfc.

**FOR RENT** for notes and Bible books. Mrs. Bet Vernon. 51-tfc.

**FOR SALE** — 4 rooms, bath garage. Fenced in back on pavement. Fred Hug, Phone 3392. 43-tfc.

**FOR RENT** for monuments and I represent an old, reliable firm. Frank Dodson, phone 33-tfc.

**AVON COSMETICS** see or Mrs. Coleman, phone 3730. 48-tfc.

**FOR SALE** — Cotton seed, static, first pulling measure. 7-32 Brought 44.84 in 1954. J. D. Copeland or John 1-tfc.

**LOCKNEY TRADING POST** Dorothy Mae Mattresses. Give the best in cotton and spring. Can also give you service on your renovating samples at our We will take your old as trade in or will buy. 52-tfc.

**FOR SALE** — Houses in for sale. Also farm me for beef at wholesale. D. Harris, dial 3847. 48-tfc.

**FOR RENT** and see our new of artificial fruit and Oliver Jewelry, Lockney. 5-tfc.

**TIME TO FERTILIZE!**  
See us today for  
**8-24-0 Nitro-Phos for Cotton**  
**Anhydrous Ammonia For Feed**  
**Barber's Farm Store**  
Dial 2109 Block east of Bank

**SHADOWLINE**  
... Lingerie you'll like near you!

See this Shortie Gown

This gown is the most perfect we have seen in the shortie or dress length group. Trimmed with multiple shirred nylon tricot at the cool neckline, hemline and baby sleeves. Buttoned down the front. The ideal hospital gift and a gown as perfect for the dormitory as it is for grandmother wear.

White, pink, blue.  
**\$4.95**

**Baker Mercantile Dry Goods**

**USEFUL ITEMS**  
**Heavy Steel Tubing Clothes Line Posts**  
with cross arms and wire loops, ready to install.  
**Only \$13.98 pair**  
Electric and Gasoline Powered Lawn Mowers. Lawn Boy, try one and be convinced. **FREE TRIAL.**  
**No. 1 Grade Outside White Paint**  
Our price \$4.49 per gallon  
**Green or Red Roof Paint**  
at only \$2.95 per gallon  
One of the better grades.

**Garden Tools** at amazingly low prices. New patterns of Congowall and Linoleum  
**Bath Fixtures** at lowest possible prices, considering quality.  
**LIGHT FIXTURES** and all electrical supplies and plenty of wire.  
**Coleman Lanterns** and heavy-duty Flash Lights  
**Plumbers — Carpenters — Electricians**  
**Air Conditioner Renewal Pads**

**Brunnier Lumber Co.**  
YOUR HOME-OWNED LUMBER YARD  
Dial 3385 Lockney

**LINEN IS A LOVE**

The more linen is washed and ironed, the better it looks. Keep it beautiful by laundering it properly. Hot water for whites — warm for colors — and always, to insure brightness and whiteness, include bead bluing in the wash water.

Individualized Cosmetic Service

Luzier's Fine Cosmetics and Perfumes

Distributed by:

MRS. JESSIE TYE  
Route 2, Lockney  
Phone 4-2013, Plainview

—EYES EXAMINED—

—GLASSES PRESCRIBED—

DR. C. M. CLOUGH, SR.  
Has returned to practice  
Clough Bldg. 111 W. 7th St.  
Plainview, Texas

**Seek New Office Manager For ASC Office In County**

The Floyd County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation committee is advertising this week for a new office manager. Henry I. Martin, who has held the position for the past several years, has resigned effective June 10, according to information from Buck Sams, committee member.

Applications for the position will be accepted up to and including May 20. Required qualifications for the applicant are listed in a legal notice elsewhere in this issue of the paper.

The ASC office handles crop loans, and all other matters relating to the government farm program in the county.

**HOME-MADE SOUP**

A delicious split pea soup makes a satisfactory luncheon, especially if it's home-made. Try ox-tail for flavoring if you haven't a ham bone, and cook over a moderate flame about an hour or so before adding anything; then add a large onion, two carrots, three stalks of celery, parsley and seasoning, and the dried peas. Cook another hour or until peas are soft.

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FLOYD**

Notice is hereby given that on the 5 day of May, 1955, Patterson Grain Company, Inc., owner of the hereinafter described land, made application to the Commissioner's Court of Floyd County, Texas, to cancel a portion and subdivision of the unincorporated Town of Sterley, Floyd County Texas, which application is as follows:

STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF FLOYD:

TO THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONER'S COURT OF FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS:

Comes now, Patterson Grain Company, Inc., the owner of the hereinafter described lands, acting herein by and through Richard Patterson, its Vice President, duly authorized, and files this its application, and files the following described portion and subdivision of the unincorporated Town of Sterley, Floyd County, Texas, to-wit:

All of Block Number 13; all of Industrial Avenue lying West of the Lubbock-Silverton Line of the Fort Worth and Denver South Plains Railway Company; all of Jefferson Street lying North of the Plainview-Esteline Line of said Railway Company; and all of Highway Road lying North of said Plainview-Esteline Line of said Railway Company — all as shown by the plat of Sterley unincorporated Town of Sterley recorded in Volume 37, page 104, Deed Records of Floyd County, Texas — the property the plat of which is hereby cancelled being a part of Section No. 57, Block D-2, Certificate No. 637, TTRR Co., described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at a hub set in the West right-of-way line of said F. W. & D. S. P. Ry. Co. Lubbock-Silverton Line from whence 1/4-inch pipe set in East Line of said Section No. 57, Block D-2, 1396 feet South of the Northeast Corner of said Section No. 57 bears North 80 degrees 8 Minutes East a distance of 77 feet, for the Northeast Corner of this tract;

THENCE South 80 degrees 8 Minutes West a distance of 1041 feet to 1/4-inch pipe set in ground for the Northwest Corner of said town of Sterley for the Northwest Corner of this tract;

THENCE South 231.3 feet to North right-of-way line of said Plainview-Esteline Line of said F. W. & D. S. P. Ry. Co. for the Southwest Corner of this tract;

THENCE North 80 degrees 8 Minutes East with said right-of-way line a distance of approximately 854.5 feet to West right-of-way line of said Lubbock-Silverton Line of said Railway Company, for the Southeast Corner of this tract;

THENCE in a Northeasterly direction with said West right-of-way line of said Lubbock-Silverton Line of said Railway Company a distance of 258.7 feet to the place of BEGINNING;

— said tract of land being all that portion of said unincorporated town of Sterley lying north of said Plainview-Esteline Line of said F. W. & D. S. P. Ry. Co. and West of said Lubbock-Silverton Line of said Railway Company.

In connection with this application, your applicant would show that a cancellation of the above described portion and subdivision of the unincorporated Town of Sterley, Floyd County, Texas, will not interfere with the established rights of any person owning any portion of such subdivision.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, your applicant prays that is court set a time for hearing on this application and that notice of said hearing be given as provided by law, and that upon hearing this court enter its order authorizing Patterson Grain Company, Inc., to cancel the above described portion and subdivision of the unincorporated Town of Sterley, Floyd County, Texas.

PATTERSON GRAIN COMPANY, INC.

BY: Richard Patterson, Its Vice President  
ATTEST: S. Gilbert Bean, Secretary.

(SEAL)  
STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF FLOYD:

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personal-

ly appeared Richard Patterson, Vice President of the Patterson Grain Company, Inc., known to me to be the person and officer whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed, and in the capacity therein stated.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 28th day of April, 1955.

S. Thurman Davis, Notary Public, Floyd County, Texas. (SEAL)

A hearing on said application will be held by the Commissioner's Court of Floyd County, Texas, at the courthouse in Floydada, Texas, on the 13th day of June, 1955, at 10:00 A. M. and all persons interested in the above described lands are commanded to be present at said hearing to protest against such cancellation if they so desire.

Given under my hand and seal of the Commissioner's Court of Floyd County, Texas, at office in Floydada, Texas, this 5th day of May, 1955.

Margaret Collier, County Clerk, Floyd County, Texas, and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioner's Court, Floyd County, Texas. (SEAL) 5-3tc.

**Nine Called For Induction May 18**

Nine men from the four county area of Swisher, Hale, Floyd and Motley have been called for induction into the armed forces on May 18. A short program will be held for the group just prior to their leaving sponsored by the American Legion, Legion Auxiliary and the W. O. W. Lodge. The following men will report at 5:00 a. m. to the courthouse at Plainview:

Clarence Edwin Leatherman, Floydada.  
Earl Rocky, Brownfield.  
Thomas Coffey Randolph, Norman.  
Shelby Ray Stapleton, Plainview.  
Donald Ray Thorpe, Petersburg.  
Charles Edwards Givens, San Francisco.  
Ronald Neil Howard, Petersburg.  
Neaves T. Hernandez, Abernathy.  
Roy Robert Hembree, Plainview.

The Island of Bali is in Java in the Dutch East Indies.

**Methodist Men's Fellowship Elect New Officers**

At a dinner meeting of the Methodist Men's Fellowship Tuesday night at 7:30 at the church new officers were elected.

Clyde Briley was elected to succeed G. M. Brunner as president. 1st vice president is Barry Barker. 2nd vice-president, Richard Patterson and secretary-treasurer, Jerry Cooper.

Rev. Burgin Watkins, pastor, gave a talk on "What Should You Expect From Your Pastor." He was presented a gift from the men of the church, as a going-away gift. The Watkins are moving soon to Denver, Colorado where he will attend school.

Mrs. Lura Stinebaugh and Mrs. Olive Myers prepared and served the chicken dinner.

**MOVE TO LOCKNEY**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baxter have moved to Lockney from Plainview and are living in the Francis Montandon house on Southwest 6th Street. Mr. Baxter recently bought the interest of his partners in the Baxter & Smith Grain Co. The Baxter's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don M. Hatch, have also moved here, and are living in the Rhea Mitchell house, four miles southwest of town. Mr. Hatch is connected with the grain company also.

**it's Karo for me, the best-tasting waffle syrup of 'em all!**



MAGGIE MCKENZIE, popular radio star of KGNC says, "woman knows light Karo is best for cooking... and on the table."



Yes, indeed... biscuits go like hot cakes when you pour on plenty of delicious Karo waffle syrup. There's nothing like it for good taste. Satisfyin' flavor. So rich it stands right on top of biscuits (keeps 'em light and fluffy). Keep Karo on your table morning, noon or night... it tops anything!

Ask your grocer for Karo waffle syrup, in pints and quarts.



**HYBRID CORN**

Plant Texas Hybrid No. 26  
**FIELD CORN**

Texas Agriculture Experiment Station proved this to be the highest yield corn, both in high and low yield areas. Plainview farmers have had yields up to 130 bu. per acre. Also Texas Hybrid white corn seed for sale.

Rowland-Gordon Co. can advise you on fertilizer for corn.

GET YOUR SEED AT  
**White's Super Market No. 1**  
SEED DEPARTMENT  
And  
**Glen A. Beard Popcorn Co.**  
Plainview, Texas

**Kimble Optometric Clinic**  
8:30 to 5:30 Mon. through Sat.  
Appointments — Phone 254, Floydada

**DR. A. E. HEWITT**  
CHIROPRACTOR  
Office Hours: 9-12, 2-6 each day  
except Thursdays  
Phone 3389 North Main Lockney

**Your Credit Record Is An Open Book**  
PRESERVING a good credit record is not only a matter of convenience, but of personal prestige.  
For if you fall into the bad habit of not paying your bills promptly, the fact may become known to the merchant, physician, dentist, hospital, fuel dealer and other credit granters.  
The files of the Retail Merchants show how you pay your bills. This record is available to all members of the Credit Bureau in your own community.  
Your Credit Record is an open book — written by yourself in the way you meet your obligations. The only way to maintain it is by paying every bill on the date it is due.  
**Buy Wisely . . . Pay Promptly**  
**RETAIL MERCHANTS ASS'N.**  
Lockney, Texas

42 Years of Land Title Service  
FLOYD COUNTY ABSTRACT CO.  
201 Boothe Bldg.  
Phone 116  
Floydada, Texas

**J. C. TURNER**  
Bookkeeping and Income Tax Service  
For information, call Plainview collect 4-6914

**INSURANCE**  
FIRE — HAIL — TORNADO  
REAL ESTATE and SURETY BONDS  
MONEY TO LOAN on Farms and Ranches at Low Interest Rate  
Next door to Federal Bldg.  
**FRANK PERKINS**  
Phone 3311

**Magnificently alive!**



**Alive in looks** Only car in its field with Body by Fisher  
**Alive in power** A new V8 and two new Sixes reach new highs in horsepower and performance  
**Alive in features** Never found on a car of Chevrolet's price before  
Anti-dive braking that means head-up stopping. 12-volt electrical system delivers twice the punch. Ball-Race steering makes steering and parking easier. But try these things for yourself. Telephone or come in and let us arrange a demonstration soon.

**Chevrolet** SALES LEADER FOR 19 STRAIGHT YEARS  
55 RACEMAKER CHEVROLET

**LOCKNEY AUTO COMPANY**  
Lockney, Texas Telephone



# Destroy the Farmer's Cooperative?

## Of Course Not!

You may have been told, by someone who is either uninformed or deliberately trying to mislead you, that the Public Information Committee of The Cotton Industries has set out to "fight the cotton farmer's cooperative."

**Nothing is further from the truth!**

It is unfortunate that confusion on this subject is being spread by a great number of paid professional co-op organizers and managers; they have laid down a smoke screen of half-truths and untruths in an effort to hide the facts being brought out by the Committee. It is high time the records be set straight.

### HERE ARE THE FACTS

Q. Who Is The Public Information Committee?

A. *We, The Public Information Committee of the Cotton Industries, are cotton ginners, cottonoil mills, compresses, cotton farmers, cotton buyers and merchants. We have members in all cotton-growing states in this country; many of us are your neighbors, here on the Plains.*

Q. Why Was The Committee Formed?

A. *The Committee was formed because we, its members, know IT IS BAD BUSINESS for the government to sanction tax laws that do not apply to ALL of us alike—laws and discriminatory government regulations that FAVOR cooperatives and certain other business, and discriminate AGAINST their Federal Income Tax-paying competitors.*

Q. Does The Committee "fight" Co-ops?

A. *Of course not. The Committee believes in the right of cooperatives to organize, the right to engage in business, the right to compete for business in the market place. That's Free Enterprise — that's the American Way. Furthermore, The Committee will always defend the right of any farmer to join or not to join a co-op.*

Q. Who is furnishing the money for The Public Information Committee of The Cotton Industries?

A. *We have received hundreds of VOLUNTARY contributions from every segment of the cotton industries—cotton ginners, cottonseed oil mills, cotton producers, cotton compresses, and cotton buyers and merchants.*

Q. Why are we spending our money to tell you about our tax disadvantages?

A. *We make no bones about it—We are being hurt; hurt not by fair competition but by the tax advantages granted our cooperative competitors.*

• • •

Examine our statements. They deal with specific facts. There is no double talk—no gimmicks—no evasion; nor will there ever be, on our part. We simply believe you have the right to be informed about unfair tax regulations which prevent taxes from applying to all of us alike. That's just fair play.

### WHAT ABOUT FAIR PLAY?

Present Federal tax laws and treasury rulings set up special privileges for cooperative corporations. While members of ordinary and cooperative corporations receive equal tax treatment on what they receive from the corporation, the cooperative and ordinary corporations receive very different treatment on what they earn. The ordinary corporation must pay from around a third to a half of its earnings in Federal Income Taxes, thus strictly limiting what it has to distribute or grow on. But the cooperative, with the same earnings, can escape all Federal Income Taxes.

This is not fair play. *Nor is it sound business, even for patrons of cooperatives.*

It is, of course, a well-known fact that co-op corporations pay no Federal Income Tax on their net earnings because they can and usually do rid themselves of the tax obligation on these profits by book entries, cash patronage dividends, or both.

It may not be generally understood that co-op corporations pay no Federal Tax on so-called "allocated dividends"—dividends that are *not* distributed to their farmer-patrons, but withheld to provide untaxed funds through which co-ops continue to expand against their income tax paying competitors.

The plain fact is, present tax favoritism for cooperatives, at most, benefits some but not *all* farmers. Any benefits for farmers should be to all farmers; no farmers should be compelled to join any group, or do business with any organization to qualify for such benefits.

### WHAT ABOUT TAXES?

Taxes are the fairest way yet devised by democratic people to support the cost of their government. Federal Income Taxes are the backbone of government income, paying for national defense, plus the multitude of services which every American should expect to pay for—and expects to benefit by—*equally.*

But through the years, Americans have learned that taxes are fair *only* when equally assessed and equally paid. Thus a tax which does not apply to all of us alike is not a fair tax. *The laws affording cooperative corporations tremendous tax advantages are grossly unfair to all competing businesses and to all individual income tax payers.*

### WHERE DO WE STAND?

To summarize, the Public Information Committee of The Cotton Industries believes:

1. that the fact of tax inequality in present tax laws and regulations has been confused by those who generally profit most by such confusion;
2. that the time has come to state the position of those in the cotton business who see the situation clearly—that inequality in tax laws is not consistent with democratic principles;
3. that, if all businessmen and corporations in the cotton business—or any other business—took advantage of this favoritism under the tax laws (by becoming cooperatives), our government could not pay its bills, or even survive, unless you, the individual taxpayer can shoulder and carry this huge, additional tax burden;
4. that such failure to provide income through equalized taxes from all people and businesses puts everyone of us in jeopardy, because under present world conditions, our nation must be kept strong. At this time, when there is a budget deficit, the only way to balance the budget is by increasing taxes on those already paying heavily, or by taxing profits of those not paying;
5. that the time has come for all of us to *stand up and be counted* on the issue of *equal taxation* for all competing businesses;
6. that since cooperatives do make profits (net margins), they should pay Federal Income Taxes on the same basis as their competitors and thus assume their fair share of the cost of maintaining our government and defending our country.

**PUBLIC INFORMATION COMMITTEE**  
*of the COTTON INDUSTRIES*

Lubbock Committee, Plains Division,  
P. O. Box 643, Lubbock, Texas

### The Beacon's Kiddie Korner

Here are some pictures of children of this area made recently by a professional photographer at The Beacon office. Other pictures will be printed in this space from week to week.



TOP ROW: left to right, Ruthie Mangum, 6 year-old-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mangum, city; Ricky Mangum, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mangum, city; Lucretia Willis, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Willis, city.

BOTTOM ROW: left to right, Terry Turner, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Turner, city; Judy Turner, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Turner, city; Terry, 2-year-old-son of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Howard, Lockney.

### Providence News

by Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

No opportunity is ever lost. The other fellow takes those you miss.

We are still receiving rains which are a welcomed sight after so many months of being dry. However the farmers are ready to see it dry off so seed can be planted and some of this green foliage turned under.

Mrs. Sam Newman was able to return home from the hospital. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Quite a few people attended the funeral of Mrs. Dora Burkhul, a former member of Trinity congregation. She passed away in Pennsylvania Monday. She was buried in Tulla beside the body of her husband, Rev. H. L. Anderson conducted the services which was held at Kress in the Methodist Church there.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Anderson, parents of Rev. H. L. Anderson, are visiting their son and family here.

Over night guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes Thursday night were Miss Dorothy Haas of Columbus, Ohio, and Mrs. E. W. Steinbring of Austin, Texas.

Sunday School teachers spring rally meets at Slaton next Sunday. Beginning at 3 p. m.

W. M. F. Meeting

The tenth annual group meeting of North West Texas Women's Federation of American Lutheran Church met at Providence Friday.

The theme was "Thank God For My Christian Church." The Candle Light Circle and members of Trinity congregation were hosts to hundred and seventy-

five ladies. The meeting opened with the singing of "Our Mighty Church Rejoices," followed by welcome by president of the local missionary group, Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner. Response by Mrs. George Houser of Haskell, Mrs. M. C. M. McPherson, president of Northwest Texas group introduced Miss Dorothy Haas, international president of the Women's Missionary Federation of the United States, Canada and South America. She spoke on "Real Religion in My Christian Church." Miss Haas has recently been appointed to the World Council of Church Women. She sails for Sweden in June and will meet with the World Council of Church Women at that time. She was also a representative at the meeting held at Evenston, Illinois, last year and has been to Europe several times representing the American Lutheran Church women. She was followed by an address by Mrs. E. W. Steinbring, president of the Texas District of the Women's Missionary Federation. Miss Haas conducted a clinic which she helped solve problems which arise in Missionary work. A bountiful meal was served at noon by the members of the Candle Light circle and members of the church. The International Choir of Wayland College sang several numbers which was very well received.

#### Tea Honors The National President

Members of the Candle Light Circle entertained with a tea at the parsonage of the church following the business meeting. The table was set with crystal appointments and pink candles in crystal and silver candle holders. A center piece of pink carnations trimmed in silver graced the table with a large pink ribbon with the words in silver Dorothy Haas. Very beautiful nosegays were at each corner of the table. Pink colored mints, green punch and angel coconut balls in green color were served by Mrs. E. M. Quebe and Mrs. H. L. Brandes. Also assisting them was Mrs. O. W. Schmidt, Mrs. Ben Quebe, Mrs. Barron Blair. In the receiving line was Mrs. H. L. Anderson, hostess, Miss Dorothy Haas, president international, Mrs. E. W. Steinbring, president of Texas Womens Missionary society, Mrs. Werner Tagerman, Junior Mission Band chairman of Texas group, Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner, president of the local Missionary society.

#### Officers Elected

President of the Northwest Texas group for the next two years is Mrs. A. E. Mier of Amarillo, vice president is Mrs. Ellis Ueckert of Winters, Texas, and secretary is Mrs. R. H. Marth of Slaton. Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner of the local group was elected reporter for the Northwest Texas group.

#### CAKE TOPPING

A sumptuous frosting for a just-out-of-the-oven cake—that's what folks love. And it's a praline topping made this way: mix together 1/2 cup firmly packed brown sugar, two tablespoons cake flour, 1/4 cup melted butter, two tablespoons water, and 1/2 cup finely chopped nuts. Spread carefully, a little at a time, over your cake. Return to the oven and bake five minutes more.

#### KEEP WINDOW SILLS CLEAN

You can keep window curtains clean for a longer time by scrubbing dirt from the outside window sills. Use very hot water and a stiff brush well lathered with thick soapsuds.

Love may make the world go round; but it also makes a lot of people dizzy.

### Pioneer Round-Up At Plainview Saturday, May 21

Plainview will be host to thousands on the 27th annual Pioneer Round-Up on Saturday, May 21, said Miss Dorothy Peret, president of the Plainview Business and Professional Women's Club. The club has sponsored this Round-Up for the past 26 years.

The main theme for the day will be "Through the Years" and will be spent in honoring the early settlers of Hale County and surrounding area. It will also be a day spent swapping yarns and reminiscing as old timers meet old friends who have traveled hundreds of miles just for this big event yearly.

Big attraction for the morning will be the reception held at the city auditorium. It is the best time of the day for the early settlers to meet long-ago friends and to get in some honest-to-goodness long delayed gossip, or yarn swapping.

The parade will be the drawing card for the early afternoon when thousands of visitors crowd the city streets to see the miles of parade depicting the early days with floats, wagons, old cars and hundreds of horses, all bringing back the colorful days of the west. Any organization, club, or school wishing to enter pioneer theme floats is urged to do so.

Beginning at 6:00 the regular old cowboy meal called "Chuck Wagon Supper" will be served at the city auditorium. The only change in the menu this year will be early day barbecue replacing the son-of-a-gun served for many years. The other part of the menu will be beans, onions, pickles, potato salad, sour

dough biscuits and stewed dried fruit along with black coffee. The Business and Professional women have been serving from 1500 to 2000 yearly at the Round-

Ups, said Miss Peret. A colorful parade "Through the Years" will follow and will end at square dancing.



**You're on the Train**  
**1955 Graduate**  
The journey may be more difficult but we know you will face it with courage.  
**Workman Plumbing & Heat**  
J. H. WORKMAN, Prop.

**DR. O. R. McINTOSH**  
OPTOMETRIST  
211 South Main St.  
Floydada, Texas

**RURAL LIFE**  
INSURANCE COMPANY  
K. W. COOK, Special Representative  
Phone 3808 Box 215 Lockney

**ARE YOU LOOKING FOR GIFTS FOR THE GRADUATE?**  
If so, BYRD'S is the place to get them at money-saving prices too.

**Parker 51 Pen and Pencil Set**  
\$22.50 value, now at Byrd's for **\$13.95**

<b>Remington Norelco Electric Shavers</b> \$24.95	<b>20% Discount on Elgin, Bulova and Crown Watches</b>
<b>Sunbeam Electric Shavers</b> \$27.50	<b>Costume Jewelry</b>
<b>Remington Shavers</b> \$27.50 and \$29.50	<b>Colognes, Perfumes and Cosmetics</b>
<b>\$7.95 Shavex Free with the purchase of any Shaver</b>	<b>Remington Duchess Electric Shaver for the Ladies</b> \$19.95
<b>King's Chocolates</b> Large selection—variety of sizes	<b>Billfolds</b> Name stamped in gold leaf <b>FREE</b> \$4.00 and up

**Byrd Pharmacy**  
Dial 3353 FRED D. BYRD, Pharmacist Lockney

### Here's why you should take the "100-Million-Dollar Ride"...



**EVERY DAY YOU WAIT** means you're missing that much more fun... for we assure you you've never known driving enjoyment as you can have it, right now, in a big and powerful new Chrysler. And, what's more, you can have it at a price that's far more reasonable than you might guess!

We know you'll be thrilled by the surging power and instantaneous response of Chrysler's matchless V-8 engines and fully-automatic PowerFlite Drive. And not till you actually drive with Full-time Power Steering can you appreciate the full-time protection it gives you! There's lots more, too. Extra large and safe Power Brakes... double-strength Oriflow shock absorbers... anti-roll suspension... synchronized springs. Today, Chrysler's engineering reputation is at an ALL-TIME HIGH!

So come on in, we're ready with a big welcome. Or phone us and we'll bring a new Chrysler to your door!

## CHRYSLER

WITH THE "100-MILLION-DOLLAR LOOK"

— MAY IS NATIONAL SAFETY-CHECK MONTH— CHECK YOUR CAR, CHECK ACCIDENTS! —  
**BILBREY MOTOR COMPANY**  
205 South Main Street Phone 3348  
FOR THE BEST IN TV, SEE "IT'S A GREAT LIFE," "CLIMAX" AND "SHOWER OF STARS." SEE TV PAGE FOR TIMES AND STATIONS

**RIDE RELAXED ON**

**DUNLOP**  
**Tension-Free**  
**TUBELESS TIRES**

**JACKSON TIRE COMPANY**  
Dial 3366 Lockney

# WORLD OF TOMORROW



It's a fascinating thing, that globe. As they twirl it, Ken and Johnnie speak of the places they'd like to visit, the things they'd like to do. All the wonders they've ever heard of come to life for them, and it's as if they could actually shut their eyes and see the Taj Mahal, in its Oriental splendor, and the Tower of Pisa slanting across the Italian sky.

But it's a frightening thing too, that globe, shadowed by war and the threat of war, intolerance, superstition. Out of its darkness, a single light burns brightly, the light of FAITH... kindled across its face by the Church. Ken and Johnnie... and all the other youngsters in their generation... need the guiding hand of the Church if they are going to succeed in making that globe a better world in which to live.

## THE CHURCH FOR ALL... ALL FOR THE CHURCH

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Psalms	119	9-16
Monday	Isaiah	11	1-9
Tuesday	Isaiah	55	6-13
Wednesday	Matthew	6	19-34
Thursday	Luke	16	1-13
Friday	2 Timothy	3	1-7
Saturday	1 John	2	12-17

Copyright 1953, Radio-Adm. Service, Strasburg, Va.

**KEY METHODIST CHURCH**  
Watkins, Minister  
School ..... 9:45  
Prayer and Worship ..... 11:00  
Worship ..... 6:30  
Worship ..... 7:00  
Prayer Services  
Sunday at ..... 7:00

**UNITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Providence  
L. Anderson, Pastor  
School ..... 10:00  
Worship ..... 11:00  
Worship ..... 7:30

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
V. C. Sparks, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 10:00  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00  
Evening People's Meeting ..... 7:00  
Evening Worship ..... 7:45  
Prayer Service Wednesday ..... 7:45  
Women's Missionary Council  
Thursday at ..... 2:30

**GREEN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
C. O. Halle, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 10:00  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00  
Training Union ..... 7:00  
Evening Worship ..... 8:00  
Prayer Service Wednesday ..... 8:00  
Brotherhood, W. M. U. and  
Auxiliaries Wednesday ..... 8:30

**KEY METHODIST CHURCH**  
James Futch, Pastor  
Worship services each second  
and third Sundays  
Sunday School ..... 10:00  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00  
Evening Worship ..... 8:00

**STANLEY METHODIST CHURCH**  
James Futch, Pastor  
Worship services each second  
and fourth Sundays  
Sunday School ..... 10:00  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30  
Evening Worship ..... 8:00

**MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Dora McDonald, Minister  
Sunday School ..... 9:45  
Morning Worship ..... 10:45  
Evening Worship ..... 6:00  
Men's Bible Class  
Sunday at ..... 2:30  
Week Bible  
Classes Wednesday at 8:00

**PRAIRIE CHAPEL CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Sunday Morning Worship  
Services ..... 10:30  
Sunday Evening Worship  
Services ..... 7:30  
Herbert Setliff preaches  
each first Sunday.  
Arthur B. Watkins preaches  
each second Sunday.  
Local men in charge of third  
Sunday services.  
C. W. Watkins preaches each  
fourth Sunday.

**LONE STAR BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. A. L. Shaw, Supply  
Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 10:00  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00  
Training Union ..... 6:45  
Evening Worship ..... 8:00  
Prayer Service Wednesday  
Evening ..... 7:30  
Brotherhood on second Mon-  
day night.  
W. M. U. 1st and 3rd Wednes-  
days at 2:30 p. m.

**BELLVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Your church in the Bellview  
community.  
Meeting in the old Bellview  
School.  
Wilber E. Sheppard, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 10:00  
Worship Services ..... 11:00  
Training Union ..... 7:30  
Worship Services ..... 8:30  
Prayer Meeting, Wednes-  
day ..... 8:00  
WMU Thursday ..... 3:00  
G. A.'s 2nd and 4th  
Thursday ..... 4:00

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rolan E. Wiley, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 10:00  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00  
Training Union ..... 6:00  
Evening Worship ..... 7:00  
W. M. U. Monday  
at ..... 4:00 and 8:00  
Sunbeams Monday at ..... 3:00  
Auxiliaries Monday at ..... 4:00  
Y. W. A. Wednesday at 6:00  
Prayer Service Wednesday  
at ..... 7:00  
Choir practice Wednesday  
at ..... 8:00  
Brotherhood first Tuesday  
night in month.

**WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Sunday Morning Worship  
Services ..... 10:30  
Sunday Evening Worship  
Services ..... 7:00  
Wednesday Evening Prayer  
Services ..... 8:00

These Religious Messages are Being Sponsored by the Following Interested Individuals and Business Establishments:

- |   |   |  |   |
|---|---|--|---|
| Knox Grocery & Market<br>We Try To Please                           | Lockney Auto Company<br>Chevrolet Sales & Service                     | Lockney Lumber & Supply<br>We Appreciate Your Business         | Lockney Frozen Foods & Market<br>Processing for Deep Freeze     |
| Plains Electric<br>Electrical Irrigation Supplies                   | Johnson & Johnson<br>General Repair and Parts                         | J. C. Kemp<br>Phillips "66" Wholesale                          | INSURANCE<br>Frank Perkins                                      |
| Baker Hardware Company<br>Home Appliances — Home Furnishings        | Taylor's Help-Ur-Self Laundry<br>Complete Laundry Service             | Barber's Farm Store<br>Feed and Fertilizer                     | Parker Furniture<br>Home Furnishings and Appliances             |
| Lockney Drug Co.<br>We Feature Service for the Sick                 | Lockney Implement Company<br>Your John Deere Dealer                   | V. L. Webster Service Station<br>Goodyear Tires and Batteries  | Darnell Grocery<br>A Good Place To Trade                        |
| Handley Shop & Pump Co.<br>Blacksmithing and Irrigation Well Repair | Aiken Blacksmith Shop<br>Welding, Disc Rolling, Trailers and Ditchers | Plains Floral Shop<br>Phone 2385 — Say It With Flowers         | Luke's Blacksmith Shop<br>Blacksmithing — Portable Welding      |
| Pylant Grocery & Market<br>Phone 2134 — Free Delivery               | Baxter & Smith Grain Co.<br>Grain, Feed, Seed and Fertilizer          | First National Bank<br>Member FDIC                             | Jackson Tire Company<br>Dunlop Tires                            |
| Brown's Cleaners & Clothiers<br>Men's Wear — Quality Cleaning       | Lockney Gin<br>Ginning and Seed Cleaning                              | Lockney Variety<br>Notions and Stationery                      | Pinner Insurance<br>Insurance of All Kinds                      |
| Brunner Lumber Company<br>Your Home-Owned Lumber Yard               | Jack And June Shop<br>Ladies' and Misses' Ready-to-Wear               | Byrd Pharmacy<br>Fred D. Byrd, Pharmacist                      | White Auto Store<br>Arvin TV Sales and Service                  |
| "Whitey" Baccus Motor Co.<br>Ford Sales & Service                   | Lockney Real Estate Co.<br>Loans—Real Estate—Insurance                | Higginbotham-Bartlett Co.<br>Off. Phone 3351 — Res. Phone 2116 | J. C. Jones Co.<br>The Family Store                             |
| Hammond & Company<br>International Harvester                        | Seale Drive-In Theatre<br>PLAINS THEATRE                              | Carter Mortuary<br>Phone 2211                                  | Cooper Garage & Service Station<br>Genoco Products — Phone 2372 |
| Rhodes Grocery & Market<br>We Give S&H Green Stamps                 | Reecer's Master Cleaners<br>Phone 2262                                | Consumers Fuel Association<br>Everything for the Farmer        | Bilbrey Motor Company<br>Chrysler-Plymouth Sales & Service      |
|   |   | Patterson Grain Co.<br>Gin & Elevator                          |   |
|   |   | Lockney Dry Goods<br>Dresses Fashioned by Michael Mode         |   |

**Escape Serious Injury In Stove Explosion**

Mrs. R. H. Ford and daughter, Peggy, both escaped serious injury late Tuesday when a gas range in the kitchen at their home exploded. Both were in the kitchen and were knocked to the floor but were only bruised and shaken up. Mr. Ford also suffered a bruised hip when he rushed in to see about the trouble, slipped on the grease-covered floor and fell.

Mrs. Ford was cooking a pan of fish and a pan of potatoes on the top burners at the time and attempted to light the oven but had difficulty doing so. Finally when the oven did light, it burned a short time and then the stove exploded. The pan of fish struck Mrs. Ford in the forehead

knocking her down. One side of the stove was blown out and an automatic washer next to it caved in. There was no noticeable damage to the house.

The three were examined and treated at the Lockney General Hospital and released.

**Betty Machen Is Valedictorian At Bentonville School**

Miss Betty Machen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Machen, former residents of Lockney, has been named valedictorian of the Bentonville, Ark., high school graduating class. Betty made a grade point average of 5.81. There are 66 in her graduating class. She will receive a scholarship to Cotney College at Nevada, Mo.

**Stanley Conner Plays "Patient" In Mock Disaster**

Stanley Conner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Conner of the Cedar Hill community, and a medical student at the Baylor University School of Medicine, Houston, played "patient" in a fullscale mock disaster, termed "Operation Mercy" recently. A full field hospital on wheels sped from Houston to Beaumont and began treating casualties within five hours of the mock disaster.

"The \$500,000 medical caravan, carrying a hospital staff of 50, had this mission: To care for 250 "Casualties" following a surprise enemy bombing attack and resulting explosions in a Beaumont industrial area.

Stanley was the first "patient" to receive treatment from the medical caravan after its non-stop 50-mile an hour trip from Houston. He also led the parade of "patients" into a field hospital set up at a high school building seven blocks away from the scene of the mock disaster.

Stanley, in commenting on the big operation, said that he was very grateful to have had a chance to enter in and that the whole operation was very entertaining and exciting.

**Committees Named For Bond Week**

Brae Biggers, Chairman of the Floyd County Savings Bonds Committee, today announced the names of local people who will serve as sub-committee chairmen to promote U. S. Defense Savings Bonds Week for Texas, May 22-28.

Local committee members will join with 1300 other volunteer workers throughout Texas in promoting the sale of U. S. Defense Savings Bonds during the week proclaimed by Governor Shivers as Texas "Full Speed Ahead" Week for bonds.

Last year Texas ranked only 38th among all states in percentage of bond sales quota accomplished. Texas volunteer workers in the bond program intend to put Texas in first place in 1955.

Local sub-committee chairmen named by Mr. Biggers to serve during Texas Week are Homer Steen, Publicity; Earl Crow, Banking; George Bickley, Payroll Savings; Bill Rodgers, Farm & Ranches.

Texas' bond sales quota for 1955 is \$201,900,000, according to Mr. Biggers. The goal for Floyd County is \$290,000.

**Ted Carthel Named On Student Union Committee At Tech**

Teddy Carthel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Carthel of Lockney, was named chairman of the committee on games and tournaments for the Texas Tech Student Union recently. He will direct activities in this phase of student life for the school year of 1955-1956.

Ted was also recently presented a certificate for meritorious service for his work with the Student Union during the past year.

He is a sophomore student at Tech.

**Whitfill Son-in-law Involved In Wreck**

Melvin Jennings of Tullia, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitfill of Lockney, was involved in a car collision Saturday night at 8:30 on the north edge of Tullia. Melvin was driving alone in a 1955 Pontiac and a man and his wife were in the 1952 Chevrolet. Although all three were hospitalized, none were critically injured. The Chevrolet was demolished and the Pontiac damaged extensively.

Visiting Mr. Jennings at a Tullia hospital Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Whitfill, Mr. and Mrs. James Whitfill, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stutts, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitfill. Mr. Jennings was to be released Monday.

**ATTEND VBS CLINIC**

A number of local women of Lockney Baptist Church attended a Vacation Bible School Clinic in Cone Tuesday. Mrs. Jesse Cox was in charge of the clinic for Beginner Department workers. Those attending were Mmes. Chester Mitchell, R. C. Mitchell, T. B. Mitchell, Hilburn Casey, B. B. Vernon, Weldon Smith, Henry Rowell, Leslie Ferguson, N. S. Abbott, Frank Brown, Arthur Brown, Jesse Cox, R. C. Mitchell, Raymond Spence and Edgar Musser.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Duke Spencer and Gayle Lynn of Plainview and Lanell Johnson visited Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Ivy, Sheila and Ricky Dale Sunday afternoon.

**CHICKEN PINEAPPLE**

Chicken pineapple provides a welcome change, yet is simple to prepare. Allow 3/4 pound broiling chicken per person. Split chicken down the back, and cover with pineapple juice for one hour. Drain, then brush with melted butter. Sprinkle with salt. Arrange skin-side-down on greased, preheated broiler rack and place four inches from flame. Broil 15 minutes, then turn and move rack about seven inches from flame. Continue broiling for 15 minutes more, basting with butter until tender. Serve with sliced pineapple browned in butter.

A CLEAN CITY IS A SAFE CITY.

**Graduates Picnic At Roaring Springs**

To celebrate Senior Day the graduates of LHS spent Friday on an outing at Roaring Springs. They enjoyed hiking, wading, swimming, sunning, taking pictures and a full picnic dinner.

They were sponsored by Miss Johnie Barnhart, and Mmes. Carl Lemons, I. O. Graves, Roy Ragle and Edgar Hays.

**VISITING RELATIVES**

Mrs. James Whitfill of Lone Star is spending this week in Earth, Texas with her father, R. N. Martin while her mother is staying in Slaton with her grandson, David Wayne Martin who is recovering from third degree burns. Wayne is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Martin. David was burned when he knocked off a pot of coffee from the cabinet.

Mrs. Frank Whitfill of Lone Star is spending a ten-day visit in Fort Worth with Mrs. Kathie Barber, and her husband, and her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Barber, former Luria W. Barber near Lockney a year ago. She is a graduate of Lockney High School.



**Play Ball!**

For "Little League" play come in and let us fit you with a pair of

**Jets Sport Shoes**

When you wear a pair of "Jets" you'll agree that you get—

- Faster Get-Away—after bunts
- More Speed—chasing fly balls
- Sharper turns—running bases
- Quicker stops—on second.

We have these fine quality sport shoes in child's sizes 6 1/2-12, junior sizes 1-3 and 12 1/2-13 1-2 and boys sizes 2 1/2-6.

\$3.95 to \$5.95

**Davy Crockett Shirts**

with fringe sleeves and lace-up front. Boys sizes from 4 through 14.

\$3.95

**BROWN'S CLEANERS & CLOTHIERS**

Men's Wear — Quality Cleaning

Dial 3831

Lockney

**LARGE SHIPMENT OF MONUMENTS just received.**

Please make selection for Memorial Day!

**South Plains Monument Co.**

401 West 6th

Plainview, Texas

ANNOUNCING . . . we can now serve you through our

**UPHOLSTERY SHOP**

**AUTO SEAT COVERS**

Made and installed on any model car.

**FURNITURE UPHOLSTERY**

We do all type of furniture upholstery.

Call or come in to see us for details.

**"Whitey" Baccus Motor Company**

Dial 3395

Your FORD Dealer

Lockney



Thursday  
Friday  
Saturday

**Corn Meal**

Aunt Jemima 5 Pound white or yellow 33

**OLEO**

Meadowlake—Yellow Quarters 1/2 lb. FREE with purchase 1 Pound for 25

**CRISCO**

3 Pound Can 79

**GARDEN HOSE**

50 Ft. 7 Year Guarantee \$1.00



**RED POTATOES, 25 pounds \$1.00**

KRAFT MIRACLE WHIP SALAD DRESSING, quart 49

WE GIVE S & H GREEN STAMPS Double Stamps on Wednesday with \$2.00 Purchase or More.

**Rhodes Grocery & Market**

Dial 2275

Free Delivery