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Teachers And Employees Are Elected Monday

Teachers and other employees of the Lockney Independent School District were elected Monday evening at a regular meeting of the Lockney School Board. The board also called an election for the purpose of naming two trustees to be held April 6th and placed an order for a new 60-passenger school bus.

Teachers and employees elected by the board included these:

Bobbie Lu Casey, secretary; Elsie Peckham, school nurse. High School: Lena Sue Babitzke, English; Mildred Zelgler, English; Myrtle Cope, math; Edward Babitzke, science; Martha M. Davis, commercial; Wilma Adams, home-making; McLee Brewer, agriculture; Felicia Applewhite, girls; P. E. Clyde Seaman, band; C. E. Johnson, social studies.

Junior High: Vera Holt, Weldon Dodson, eighth grade; Eathyl Marble, J. H. Hall, seventh grade; Bobbie Seaman, Jan Halle, Velma Cox, sixth grade.

Grade School: Marjorie Wood, Goree Applewhite, fifth grade; Lue Ella Brewer, Viola Conner, Mollie Harris, fourth grade; Nora Ayres, Pauline McReynolds, Arla Copeland, third grade; Essie Nicholas, Inell Wiley, Imogene Myers, second grade; Maudie Muncy, Nellie Brown, Edythe Clark, Leona Watson, first grade.

Colored school: Waverley Washington, Pearlina Grayson. Custodians: John Spradlin, Ernest Spradlin.

Administrators and supervisory employees have been elected in previous meetings as have coaches. Bus drivers will be elected in April and lunchroom workers will be elected in June, according to Supt. H. H. Nicholas.

Trustee Election
Terms of Trustees Oscar Golden and Clark Harris expire this year. The election for the new vacancies will be held on Saturday, April 6th at the high school with F. L. Brown as election judge, Mrs. Lula Woodburn and Mrs. Raymond Meredith, clerks.

A nominating committee composed of Leon Wofford, Raymond Rucker and Connie O'Brien was appointed by the board to place names on the ballot for the vacancies.

County-wide two members of the county school trustee board will be named. Terms of Ewald Quebe of precinct 2 and M. P. Goen of precinct 1 will expire. All common school districts of the county will also name trustees and at Floydada the terms of E. M. Collins and Ralph Johnston expire.

The new bus ordered by the board will replace bus No. 3 which now makes the trip through the Irick community, Mr. Nicholas said.

PTA Needs Help To Plant Shrubs

An effort is being made to beautify the grounds at C. N. Townsend Elementary School. The movement is sponsored by the Lockney Parent-Teacher Association and Mrs. Hershel Carthel has offered enough shrubbery to complete the project.

The committee for this undertaking is composed of Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Quebe, Mrs. Conrad Henderson and Mrs. Lavon Johnson. They are asking as many men and women as possible to join in the work of transplanting the shrubs from the Carthel farm to the school grounds. If the weather is favorable, workers are asked to meet Friday beginning at 9:00 a. m. at the grade school with tools for yard work.

Charles Wells To Be Buried Here

Charles Wells, age 87 years, will be buried in Lockney Cemetery this (Thursday) afternoon following services at the Lockney Methodist Church. Mr. Wells, a former resident of this community, died Tuesday at his home in San Angelo.

Rev. H. B. Coggin, local Methodist pastor, will officiate at the services which are scheduled for 3 p. m.

Mr. Wells farmed in this area for a good many years but moved away some 20 years ago. Wells died a number of years ago and is buried in Lockney cemetery. He was born November 16, 1869.

Survivors include several sons and daughters among whom being Mrs. Gordon Crocker of Lubbock and H. (Deek) Wells of Pomona, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Warren of Liberal, Kansas spent from Wednesday until Friday in the home of her sister, Mrs. Fritz Schacht.

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Three Injured Seriously In Auto Accident



TED CARTHEL is honored at Tech for outstanding campus activity.

An auto accident Wednesday morning about 9 a. m. four miles southeast of Lockney on Highway 70 left three persons seriously injured. They are: Mrs. Roland Sandlin, Lockney.

C. R. Howell, 53, Lubbock. Charles Howell, 26, Lubbock. The three were injured when the 1952 Ford driven by Mrs. Sandlin and a 1956 Ford pick-up driven by the elder Mr. Howell crashed head-on in a fog. According to witnesses at the wreck, Mrs. Sandlin started to pass a Green Machinery Co. pick-up driven by N. B. Smith of Plainview. She saw the Howell pick-up meeting her and swerved back behind the Green Machinery pick-up. However she pulled too far and hit the soft shoulder on the highway causing her to lose control of the car. It skidded sideways for a short distance then straightened up and swerved back to the left side of the road in time to collide directly head-on with the Howell pick-up. Neither car turned over and both were sitting on the same side of the pavement when they stopped.

Mrs. Sandlin was probably the most seriously injured of the trio. She suffered a fractured right thigh, a dislocated left hip, two fractured ribs, a fractured left forearm and a bad laceration on her forehead according to physicians at the Lockney General Hospital where she was taken by Carter Ambulance. She was transferred to Methodist Hospital at Lubbock later in the morning for attention of a specialist.

The elder Mr. Howell suffered four fractured ribs, a fractured leg below the knee, and multiple lacerations and abrasions. The younger man suffered a dislocated and fractured left shoulder, and multiple lacerations and abrasions. Both are receiving treatment at Lockney General Hospital.

A report from Lubbock said that Mrs. Sandlin made the trip alright and was doing fairly well. Lowell Bibrey drove a Carter ambulance to take her to Lubbock.

The Howells are paint contractors from Lubbock and were enroute to Lockney at the time of the accident. Mrs. Sandlin was going to Floydada to visit a daughter who is expecting a baby, members of the family said.

Mrs. Sandlin's husband died about a year ago. She has two married children, Gary Sandlin of Lockney and the daughter at Floydada, and three daughters at home, one of them a senior in Lockney High School.

Two Lockney boys, Sammy and Bruce Lynn, were driving behind Mrs. Sandlin and were the first ones to reach the wreck victims. They called the ambulance from the Muncy elevator and did their best, along with other passersby, to comfort the victims until the ambulance came. The two boys were enroute to the stock show at Floydada.

Program Today Will Close School Week

A program at the High School Auditorium today (Thursday) at 2:30 p. m. will close out the Public School Week activities here. The public is invited to attend the program.

On Tuesday evening some 150 parents attended open house at the grade school where coffee and cookies were served. They visited the various classrooms, viewed the work of the students and visited with teachers.

Henry Teubel of Tulla spoke to an assembly of High School students in the auditorium Wednesday afternoon, his subject being "The Importance of Education."

Quite a few parents have been eating lunch at the school cafeterias this week. Today the Rotary Club is scheduled to eat at the grade school cafeteria and the Lions Club at the high school cafeteria. There will be no Rotary meeting Friday.

There will be no school Friday of this week due to a teachers meeting at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harper returned to Lockney Monday after spending the past two months at the winter home in Weslaco, Texas.



GRAND CHAMPION fat light weight milk fed Hereford shown by Warren Mitchell, Lockney 4-H club boy.

Warren Mitchell's Hereford Is County Grand Champion

Farm Bureau Meeting At Lubbock Today

State and national issues affecting agriculture will be discussed at a district Farm Bureau meeting to be held at the Lubbock Hotel, Thursday, March 7th, at 1 p. m. according to H. L. (Hub) King, district director.

Among the more important items to be discussed is the Texas Farm Bureau's recommendation for increased research, egg grading and labeling, water legislation, farm licenses for pick-up trucks, redistricting of county commissioners precincts, and wage and hour law and its effect on agriculture. Several area county Farm Bureau members will participate.

All county Farm Bureau members and their wives are invited, and especially the officers and legislative committeemen are urged to attend. Following the afternoon meeting a go-dutch banquet will be held at 7 p. m. All Farm Bureau members and wives are invited to attend, as Dan Arnold, secretary of the Oklahoma Farm Bureau will be the speaker.

Those who do not have convenient transportation are requested to report to the local office before 11 a. m. Thursday.

C-C Ballots Are Mailed Out

Balloting on five directors for the Lockney Chamber of Commerce is under way. The Chamber has 15 directors each serving three year terms. Five terms expire this year and the balloting is to name five new directors. Under the by-laws a man cannot be re-elected a director of the association.

Ballots with return envelopes were mailed early this week with instructions to return the ballots by March 14th. Following the canvassing of the ballots the new board will hold an organizational meeting prior to the annual membership meeting on March 21st.

The planning committee for the annual membership meeting is to meet Friday morning at 10 o'clock. It was announced this week by Mr. Whiteley.

Cold, Wet Weather But Little Moisture

Cold, wet weather continues for this area but little moisture has fallen. Only a trace could be counted at Lockney Wednesday and probably a quarter inch fell over the week end to add to the little more than an inch total of the previous week. Temperatures were due to fall below freezing Wednesday night.

Ground Observer Corps To Meet Friday Night

A meeting to organize a Ground Observer Corps here will be held Friday evening in the High School auditorium. The meeting is scheduled to start at 8 p. m. The movement is sponsored by the Lockney Fire Department.

All those who may be interested in joining the corps are urged to attend the meeting and take part in the organization. Both men and women may join, it was said. In fact any person from 14 years of age up may become a member.

The Ground Observer Corps, or GOC, is a part of Civil Defense. The Corps is organized under the Air Defense Command, which has the mission of defending the United States against attack from the air. In its role of assisting the Air Defense Command, the GOC, though manned by civilian volunteers, is a co-partner with the three other members of the Air Defense Team, namely jet fighter-interceptor squadrons, anti-aircraft artillery, and radar.

Along with radar, the GOC provides the early warning and continues tracking information which in an emergency would send fighter-interceptors aloft, and alert the civilian population. The role of the Air Force in the GOC program is to train the volunteers and to supervise operation of the Corps.

The members of the GOC supplement radar capabilities and in many cases enable the fighter-interceptors to intercept unidentified aircraft. Radar, with all its amazing power of detection, is most effective only at altitudes above 5,000 feet. It is this limitation of radar which, together with the following, makes the GOC necessary as an augmentation force.

Plates are \$1.00 each for club members. Teachers will not be charged, the planning committee said.

Vegetable Assoc. To Meet Friday

The Lockney Vegetable Association will meet Friday evening at the Junior High School at 7 p. m. It was announced this week by Dick Whiteley, temporary chairman. The association was organized last week and has had a membership drive on this week. Some 10 regular members have joined the association at \$1.00 per membership and around 30 associate members, mostly business men, have joined at \$25 per membership and up.

GREETS TO OKLAHOMA

Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Greer, Joe Neil and Debbie, left for Oklahoma City Sunday to visit an Oklahoma Allergy Clinic. The other son, Timmy, remained at home with his grandmother, Mrs. N. E. Greer. The Greers plan to return the latter part of the week.



THIS HEREFORD dry lot heavy weight calf belonging to Ronnie Harris, Lockney FFA, was named grand champion of the Lockney Junior Livestock Show last Saturday and was reserve champion of the Floyd County Show Wednesday.

Only Three On City Ballot

Only three names were filed for a place on the City ballot up to the deadline Saturday evening, City Secretary Juanita Thompson said Wednesday. They are the three incumbents whose terms will expire this year.

J. E. Cox is on the ticket for re-election to the office of mayor, Kelton Shaw and Jimmie Hodel are running for re-election as aldermen.

The city election will be held Tuesday, April 2nd.

Banquet Will Honor Teachers

A spaghetti dinner, set for March 15 in the high school cafeteria and sponsored by four local civic clubs, will honor teachers of the Lockney school system. Planned now to be the start of an annual affair, the program will include the awarding of medals to teachers who have served the local school system as much as five years. Pens will be given for five, ten and 20 years of service.

Also on the program will be a men's quartet and probably some short talks. Co-operating in sponsoring the dinner are the Rotary Club, the Lions Club, the Toastmasters Club and the Business & Professional Women's Club.

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Warren Mitchell, Lockney 4-H club boy, showed the grand champion fat calf and the grand champion fat barrow in the Floyd County Junior Livestock Show Wednesday. His calf was a light weight milk fed Hereford. Reserve champion calf was shown by Ronnie Harris, Lockney FFA, who showed a heavy weight dry lot Hereford. The placings were reverse of the Lockney Junior Show last Saturday when Ronnie's calf was named grand champion and Warren's calf was reserve champion. Warren is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mitchell and Ronnie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Harris.

Warren's champion barrow was a light weight Chester White. Reserve champion barrow was a Hampshire shown by Teddy Porter, Floydada FFA.

No grand champion was named in the sheep division but David Mitchell's lamb won first in the medium wool class, Kelly Harrison's lambs won first and second in the fine wool class and Mike Shurbet's lamb won first in the South-down class. David is a Lockney 4-H club boy, Kelly is a Lockney FFA and Mike is a 4-H club member from Allmon.

David Mitchell showed the best pen of 3 fat barrow and also lambs.

Sale of the animals will begin at 1 p. m. today (Thursday.) The show barn is warm, well heated and clean, those attending the show say and local people are urged to attend the remainder of the show.

Following are the placings in each division and class:

Swine
Light Weight Chester Whites — 1 and 2, Warren Mitchell, Lockney 4-H; 3, Randy Laceywell, Lockney 4-H; 4, Jerry Wofford, Lockney FFA; 5, Roy Ford, Lockney 4-H.

Heavy weight Chester Whites — 1 and 2, David Mitchell, Lockney 4-H; 3, Jerry Wofford, Lockney FFA; 4, Ronnie Laceywell, Lockney FFA; 5, Gary Matsler, Floydada 4-H.

Light weight Durocs — 1, Pat Gross, 2, Danny Shipley, 3, Henry Gaither, 4, Danny Shipley, 5, Don Schacht, Lockney FFA.

Light Hampshire — 1, Teddy Porter, Floydada FFA.

Heavy Hampshire — 1, Bill Orman, 2, Larry Irby, 3, Pat O'Brien, Lockney 4-H; 4, Larry Irby; 5, Jimmy Respondek, South Plains 4-H.

Light weight Other Breeds — 1, Donald Castleberry, 2, Dale Brown; 3, Neil Mitchell, Lockney 4-H.

Heavy weight other breeds — 1, Dennis Deavenport, 2, Neil Mitchell, 3, Tommy Davis, Lockney FFA; 4, Danny Shipley, 5, Jerry Crawford.

Pen of 3 fat barrows — 1, David Mitchell, 2, Warren Mitchell, 3, Jerry Wofford, 4, Neil Mitchell, 5, Ronnie Laceywell, all Lockney 4-H and FFA.

Sheep
Medium Wool — 1, David Mitchell, 2, Loy O'Brien, Lockney 4-H; 3, Dan Faulkenberry; 4, Esthel Scott, Floydada 4-H.

Fine Wool — 1, and 2, Kelly Harrison, Lockney FFA; 3, and 4, James Ansley, Lockney FFA; 5, Max Marble, Lockney FFA.

Southdown — 1, Mike Shurbet, Allmon 4-H; 2, David Mitchell, 3, Mike Shurbet, 4, Pat O'Brien, 5, Allen Adams.

Pen of 3 Fat Lambs — 1, David Mitchell, 2, Kelly Harrison, 3, Dan Faulkenberry, 4, Dan Smith, 5, James Ansley.

Fat Calves
Light Dry Lot — 1, Neil Mitchell, Lockney 4-H; 2, James McNeil, Floydada 4-H; 3, Billy Don Colson, Floydada 4-H; 4, Kay Golden, Lockney 4-H.

Heavy weight Dry Lot — 1, Ronnie Harris, 2, Donald Farish, Lockney FFA; 3, Kay Golden, 4, Joe Noland, Floydada FFA; 5, Loyd Widener, Lockney FFA.

Light weight Milk Fed — 1, Warren Mitchell, 2, Mack Shurbet, 3, Mike Shurbet, 4, Lonell Hays, Lockney FFA; 5, Marisue Burleson, Floydada 4-H.

Heavy weight Milk Fed — 1, Bill Smith, 2, Joe Noland, 3, Joyce Noland, 4, James McNeil, 5, Warren Mitchell.

In a special Aberdeen Angus class, the following were winners: 1, Bill Smith, Floydada; 2, Mack Shurbet, Allmon; 3, Mike Shurbet, Allmon; 4, Donald Farish; 5, Kay Golden.

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Minute Editorials

For God has not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind. — II Timothy 1:7.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK is being observed in Texas this week. It is an important part of the life of our state and nation. That the future of our nation depends a great deal on the quality of our schools today is obvious to most anyone. Any school teacher has a big job and a big responsibility. The fact that he or she helps to mold the character of growing boys and girls is enough to give any one a deep sense of responsibility. Some take this responsibility seriously and others regard it lightly to the detriment of the pupil, the school and the community.

IN ADDITION to basic or fundamental studies, such as reading, writing and arithmetic, a pupil needs also to learn to learn to think for himself to be dependable, to determine moral and spiritual values.

and learn how to get along with and work or play with others. The home and the church, of course, should join in with the school in the latter phases of this development.

BUT SCHOLASTICALLY, we do not believe that the schools at Lockney, at Floydada, at Plainview, or anywhere else are doing the job they should be doing in teaching pupils to think and in training them for the future. We believe that schools need to get back to the fundamentals, to leave off some of the extra curricular activities and to challenge pupils to think seriously, to improve their minds and take responsibilities seriously. Roger W. Babson said recently in one of his columns that the product of the public schools today is not as good as it was 50 years ago, despite the improved facilities, modern methods of teaching and other advantages. Improvement in the school systems of America won't come until parents become more interested in their schools and actively seek to find a way of improvement.

IN THIS ISSUE of The Beacon you will find the last of a series of eleven articles on Duval County. It summarizes the weaknesses in the Texas legal system that permitted the Duval County situation to come into being and to exist for 40 years. This concluding article also points out what the newspaper profession of Texas, as represented by the Texas Press Association, is trying to do to restore and preserve democracy in Texas with its "Better Government" legislative program. The legislation proposed is designed to "make public business public." Most of these proposed laws make it illegal for public officials to conceal official actions. If you also favor keeping public business in the open, write your senator or representative and tell them so.

WHERE WILL PEOPLE live in 1975. The Kiplinger Washington letter says that the United States will have a population of 221,000,000 by that date. The present estimated population stands at 170,000,000. Population is bound to increase in almost every town and habitable area in the country. Fastest growing areas are listed as Florida, California, the western states, Texas and Louisiana. Losing population are Maine, Vermont, West Virginia, Mississippi and Arkansas. We are surprised that Arkansas is losing in population. There are enough Lockney people over there to push up the population considerably.

With declining production on one hand and the opportunity of atom power on the other, it is safe to predict that no great increase may logically be expected from the oil and gas resources of the state. This, coupled with growing school costs and mounting state expenses, definitely indicates that we should consider other possible forms of revenue, including the sales tax plan used in neighboring states.

However, we hope that it will be delayed as long as possible and when it does become a necessity, that it will be called what it is — and not fostered on the people under the guise of some high sounding title or subterfuge. — Hereford Brand.

STOP DRIBBLING AND SHOOT!



With Our EXCHANGES

SALES TAX TALK

Recent introduction of a proposed manufacturer's tax by Rep. Jerry Sadler once again emphasizes the fact that Texans can expect the words "Sales Tax" to crop up from time to time.

Mr. Sadler's proposal is in fact, nothing but an indirect sales tax, to our way of thinking, a bit clumsy at best. Like any other tax imposed on the manufacturer or distributor, it will be definitely passed along to the public.

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WANTS THE ADVANTAGE

After losing four consecutive races for a major office in Texas, Ralph Yarborough has given up hopes of ever being elected when a majority of Texans go to the polls. He criticized Governor Price Daniel soundly last week in a meeting at Lubbock for setting the election at a time which would coincide with 130 city elections "so that those opposing me would be at their greatest strength." Quite a statement for a man to make who is asking the voters of Texas to send him to the U. S. Senate! Any candidate who fears the democratic process of election should not be given

the right to seek public office. We still prefer the old American custom of "majority rule," or is an idea almost 200 years old too ancient for the people to believe in. Some actually are old fashioned enough to believe in a Bible to which not one word has been added in almost 2000 years. — Sticking Our Neck Out in Happy Herald.



Dear Editor: I note that the new tranquilizing pills are getting very popular as people find out it is simpler to drug trouble than to grapple with it.

My unfeeling neighbor says he doesn't use these new pills, however, as he can still lie down beside a stack of monthly bills and go sound asleep.

But he hopes the government won't overlook the chance to further world peace by seeing that the next few shipments of foreign aid are spiked pretty heavy with these pain-tying drugs.

D. E. SCOTT
Crossroads, U. S. A.

BREAD BOARD HAS MANY VARIED USES

The next time you clean the medicine cabinet, try placing a bread board across the basin to hold items removed from the shelves. Wash the cabinet and shelves with hot soap and detergent suds. While they are drying wipe the bottles and jars with a damp sudsy cloth. Dry them as you replace them on the shelves. Then finish up by cleaning the board a sudsy hot bath in a sink before returning it to the kitchen.

Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

March 10, 1927

In the city election held Tuesday for the purpose of voting \$25,000 worth of municipal bonds for the extension of the City's water system, the bonds carried by a majority of 11 to 1.

Rev. Y. F. Walker suffered a broken right arm while cranking his car Monday.

Work on the Denver railroad from Estelino to Lockney is becoming general all along the line, and the road bed is being constructed at a rapid pace.

Wedding — Frank Messimer and Miss Myrtle McMinn were married at the home of the bride's parents near Lockney Sunday afternoon. The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McMinn, a prominent family living near Lockney and the bridegroom is proprietor of the Messimer Garage of this city.

March 9, 1945

Mary Genelle Allen, 22-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen, died at the family home in south Lockney Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. She had been in ill health 18 months. Survivors include her parents, one sister, Mrs. Wilborn Tannahill, three brothers, Capt. Bruce Allen of Fort Belvoir, Va., Lt. Roach V. Allen who is in the Philippine Islands, and Billy L. Allen, 2-c, stationed at San Francisco, California. All the family attended the funeral except Lt. Roach V. Allen unable to be here.

Sterley News

By Mrs. Virgil Adair
The Sterley Community of 25 of an inch of Friday night and Saturday morning. Mrs. G. C. Nelson was Crum Clinic Wednesday for treatment. Betty Joe Nelson spent weekend with her graner. Others in the Nelson family were Mr. and Mrs. Amos Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nelson all of nathy and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson of Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin ner and girls of O' spent Thursday and Friday the home of his parents and Mrs. A. D. Schaffner. Gordon Allen Adams, Medical Center Hospital Plainview from Tuesday noon. He had treatment ing an appendix attack day morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. made a business trip to this Wednesday.

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Alexandria Daily Town Talk

Orchid to the Railroads
Railroads serving the Southwest in the drought area to make a 50 per cent reduction in interest rates, or if all the railroads had been asked to cut in half the prices they charge for basic needs of farmers and ranchers.

BIG SPRING DAILY HERALD

Thanks For A Big Good Turn
"If all the banks in the non-orchard areas of the West and Southwest were asked by President Eisenhower to make a 50 per cent reduction in interest rates on their loans to farmers and ranchers, it would be considered most commendable."

Golden Dead, Indeed!

The nation's railroads through the years have been good neighbors in most instances—extending aid, financial and otherwise, to their friends and neighbors and to their country in times of emergency.

Farmers Praise Railroads For Reducing Freight Rates On Drouth Hay Shipments

Railroads being the drought-stricken area, emergency freight rates were cut in the drought area to make a 50 per cent reduction in interest rates, or if all the railroads had been asked to cut in half the prices they charge for basic needs of farmers and ranchers.

Marshall News Messenger

Railroads Render a Vital Service
The Texas and Pacific Railway Co. voluntarily cut freight rates on drought-stricken areas to make a 50 per cent reduction in interest rates, or if all the railroads had been asked to cut in half the prices they charge for basic needs of farmers and ranchers.

The Galveston Daily News

Railroads and Drouth
When the railroads render a good deed for which they are not being paid, they are entitled to the appreciation of those who benefit from their good will.

WESTERN UNION

IN REPLY YOUR TELEGRAM FEBRUARY 4, RAILROADS HAVE NOT BEEN COMPENSATED BY GOVERNMENT SUBSIDY OR DIRECT PAYMENT FOR THE FIFTY PERCENT REDUCTION THEY VOLUNTARILY MADE ON SHIPMENTS OF HAY TO DROUTH DESIGNATED STATES. MANY REPORTS WE HAVE RECEIVED FROM THESE STATES INDICATE THESE REDUCED RAIL RATES HAVE BEEN VERY HELPFUL TO FARMERS AND RANCHERS. WE WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF YOU WOULD PUBLICIZE THIS STATEMENT.

EZRA TAFT BENSON SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE

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Fido, a dog's name is taken. Both the words Czar and from the Latin fidus meaning Kaiser come from the Latin faithful. word Caesar.

Sterley News

By Mrs. Virgil Adams

The Sterley Community had about 25 of an inch of rain Friday night and Saturday.

Mrs. G. C. Nelson was in the Crum Clinic Wednesday and Thursday for treatment. She is able to sit up some now.

Betty Joe Nelson spent the weekend with her grandmother. Others in the Nelson home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Amos Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nelson all of Aberrath and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nelson of Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Schaffner and girls of O'Donnell spent Thursday and Friday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Schaffner.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Schaffner left Saturday morning to spend the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Mac Howard of Hereford. Mrs. Schaffner went with her grandparents.

Mrs. Melvin Mahagan and boys and Mrs. Janelle Burns and children both of Hale Center visited Mrs. Mary Simmons Friday.

Mrs. Jean Taylor of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stringer.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Adams and children visited in the homes of some friends in Plainview Sunday afternoon. They were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bass and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Yarborough.

Doug Reeves and his uncle, John Reeves, left Thursday to spend a week at Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith and Mrs. R. W. Smith visited Mrs. Howard Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross Crocker of Tulla Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horton Howell are to go to Dallas Tuesday for Horton's check up.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Newkirk and children of the Sterley church visited in the A. P. Sanders and Elmo Reeves homes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Evon Youngquist and daughter of Anson visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Reeves Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Sanders Sanders visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Washington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Webb and children of Floydada were Sunday dinner guests in the Sterling Cummings home.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

STORY NO. 11—in a series of articles on Duval County by Frederick Hodgson and Franz Rosenwald. New York newspaper and magazine writers who visited Duval County and wrote the series exclusively for Texas readers.

TPA's Anti-Secrecy Legislation Will Help Prevent Another "Duval County"

By-FREDERICK HODGSON

SAN DIEGO, Tex.—Texas law requires certain offices and political subdivisions to publish financial statements in the newspapers. But if they don't, there is generally no penalty and there is no fixed responsibility for removing from his public post an official who fails to comply. If there is no newspaper in the county independent enough to push the issue, the publications laws are just so much wordy manuscript.

Suppose the people are suspicious of the way the school board or the commissioners court is running things. All you have to do is hold the meetings in secret. Texas has no anti-secrecy law that says meetings have to be open.

In a sewed-up, boss-run county there is no danger that the people will come in with an auditor and expose everything. The only way they can do it under existing law is to get an order from the district judge at the direction of the grand jury, or from the commissioners court. This law just assumes that the judge and the commissioners will be honest, upright fellows with nothing to hide and nobody to protect. There is no way for the public to force an audit.

There are plenty of other ways for a smart boss to keep his county sewed up and his supporters happy. Suppose he wants to put the bus stops in front of his friends' stores to help their business. His controlled city council can fix him up quick. The law says that descriptive titles of all city ordinances have to be published in a newspaper. Even if the boss chooses to comply, there's no problem. A "descriptive title" can be anything he wants to make it.

All these loopholes together, and a few more besides, explain how Duval County fell under boss rule and stayed there.

Before going to Duval County, I was frankly a little incredulous when I learned there hadn't been a county audit in forty years in spite of the repeated demands of the county's citizens. I thought the statement that Duvalians asked to see the public records at the risk of their lives, might be an exaggeration. I smiled when I heard that the people in Duval County had been trying for many years to find out when and where their commissioners court held its meetings, and in some cases whether the statutory school boards even existed.

But then I talked with men whose lives were threatened just because they were curious enough to ask questions about the county government. There's a woman in Freer, Texas, who repeatedly asked all the members of the Benavides School board for permission to attend one of their meetings. Her letters were never acknowledged.

The State of Texas has charged that hundreds of thousands of dollars from Benavides school funds were shoveled into private pockets.

John Ben Shepperd, in three years of court battles, became pretty familiar with the Texas Constitution and the criminal and civil statutes as they serve the purposes of dictators. He came out convinced that the best protection against crookedness in office is an alert newspaper backed up with laws. Publication laws, anti-secrecy laws, auditing laws, open-records laws, and laws for removing public officials who do not keep faith with the people. Most of all, laws to indict and

prosecute malefactors outside their own sewed-up counties.

It happened that the conclusions tallied with those of the Texas Press Association, which for several legislative sessions has asked for laws to strengthen the people's right to know what is going on in government. President of that group is David C. Leavell, publisher of the Galveston News-Tribune. Under his guidance the TPA is pushing 15 bills "for better government" at this legislative session, most of which are aimed at plugging the loopholes that made Duval County possible.

TPA members, by and large, believe Duval County is a warning of worse things that can happen unless the people of Texas act. Chief among these are probably Russell W. Bryant, publisher of the Italy News Herald, who is TPA's Legislative Committee chairman, and W. R. Beaumier who publishes the Lufkin Daily News, and is vice chairman.

Shepperd is quick to deny that the TPA's bills are proposed just because of Duval County, which he says would be a case of the tail wagging the dog.

"The defects in the law that we found in Duval County were not new discoveries," he says. "They have been there for decades and longer. The Duval County business simply shows what can happen in any of the 254 counties of Texas if something isn't done about the loopholes."

The bills which Shepperd and TPA think would improve and safeguard the quality of government in Texas are simple.

One of them would make it possible for persons charged with embezzling or misusing public funds to be indicted in any county adjoining the county where the offense occurs, or in Travis County.

Such a law would keep crime and punishment apart from local politics. This "outside indictment" is already provided by law in rape cases, so it isn't new.

Another proposed law would require District or County Attorneys to file suit for recovery of misapplied funds in any political subdivision of the state within their jurisdiction, with or without the permission of the governing body. Another would make an audit of the records mandatory when 30 percent of the qualified voters petition the District Judge.

An anti-secrecy bill is included in the bunch, requiring that all meetings of official bodies be open to the press and public except as now otherwise provided by law. There are a few cases in which closed meetings are necessary—such as when job applicants are being considered. In all other cases, as Shepperd puts it, there is no business in public office that is not the public's business.

If one of the TPA bills goes into effect as law, public officials who stand on the Fifth Amendment and refuse to answer questions about their official conduct would be removed from office. Shepperd maintains that this is not inconsistent with the Constitution.

"The Fifth Amendment is a guarantee that a person does not have to incriminate himself in a criminal proceeding. It was never intended to shield bad office-holders from just criticism or to keep unworthy men in office. Such a distortion of its use is not consistent with the honor of public service."

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Wednesday: Baked beans, potato salad, hot tamales, boiled cabbage, cornbread muffins, milk, lemon coconut custard.

Thursday: Macaroni and cheese casserole, ham wedges, green beans, pineapple salad on lettuce, cranberry sauce, P. B. cookies, toasted W. W. bread, milk.

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Society News

Federation Club Women To Meet

Delegates from the Laventana Study Club will attend the 36th annual convention of the Seventh District of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in Amarillo on March 14 and 15. Seventh District board members attending from here include Mrs. C. D. Merrick, Historical Restorations Division Chairman and Mrs. M. S. Johnson of the Hospitality Committee. Mrs. Clyde Baxter is president of the local club.

The Seventh District covers an area of forty-nine counties including all the Panhandle of Texas extending as far south as Seminole and Snyder and as far east as Crowell and Quanah.

The meeting will feature two workshops, a parliamentary workshop on Thursday and a public speaking workshop on Friday. Also two outstanding speakers will appear on the program. They are H. Roe Bartle, mayor of Kansas City, Mo., who will speak Thursday evening and Judge Philip B. Gilliam, of Denver, Colo., who will speak Friday afternoon.

Birthday Party Honors Teenager

Miss Ann Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown was honored with a surprise party on her 14th birthday Tuesday, February 26. The party took place in the home of Karen Brown from 3:30 until 6:00 p. m.

Refreshments were served to Kay Pickle, Maxine Vaneek, Nancy Jo Schacht, Vicki Cook, Kim Mickey, Carolyn Harris, Janice Boedeker, Jackie Lou Frizzell, Rita Marshall, Charlotte Taylor, Jane Carol Phillips, June Caldwell, Laveta Jones and Linda Gammage.

Quiza Boards get their name from a combination of the French and German words for yes.

Garden Club Meets In Barker Home

Mrs. Arthur Barker Sr. was hostess for a meeting of Lockney Garden Club Friday, March 1 at 4:00 o'clock.

Leader of the program was Mrs. H. B. Coggin. Roll call was answered with "A New Flower I would like to Grow." Mrs. Horton Howell spoke on "Spring Garden Starts with the Soil" and Mrs. E. M. Quebe gave "For Leaves as Colorful as Flowers." The flower arrangement was brought by Mrs. N. E. Greer.

Refreshments of peppermint ice cream and angel food cake were served to Mmes. H. B. Coggin, Henry Ford Sr., Horton Howell, Harmon Handley, T. B. Mitchell, R. C. Mitchell, Alex Norris, Ewald Quebe, Frank Roberson, Kelton Shaw, Robt. W. Smith, Mrs. Lennie Hammit of Amarillo and Mrs. Howard Smith visitors, and the hostess.

Next meeting will be March 15 in the home of Mrs. E. M. Quebe instead of the home of Mrs. L. M. Honea who is ill.

Douglas Hodel Is Birthday Honoree

Mrs. Verner Hodel honored her son, Douglas with a party on his fifth birthday, Wednesday, February 27 from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Games were played and refreshments of cup cakes topped with a candle were served with cold drinks. Centering the table was a ship laden with suckers dressed as boys and girls. They were given as plate favors.

Attending were Tammy Dale Chatham, Kenneth Patterson, Debbie Greer, Debbie Webster, Debbie Miller, Nancy Knox, Sandy Riley, Kenny and Donna Hatch, Kay Wiley, 13-ky Thompson, Monty Cook, Mike Hodel, Gordon Moore, Annell Ashton, Pat and Pam Rhodes, Dinah Hodel, the honoree, and Mrs. Irma Thompson.

Pierce-Miller Rites Are Read Saturday

Miss Patsy Lowell Pierce, daughter of Willard F. Pierce, 1114 Smythe Street, Plainview, Texas, became the bride of Franklin Daniel Miller of 805 W. 11th Street, Plainview, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Turk, Spencer, New York, in a double ring ceremony at St. Pauls Lutheran Church, Plainview, Saturday afternoon, March 2 at 2:30.

Rev. Edwin A. Wolf of 903 Oakland, Plainview, read the vows as the couple stood before an altar centered with a sunburst arrangement of white stock flanked by tall baskets of white gladioli and greenery and cathedral candelabra holding white tapers.

An organ prelude of wedding music was given and the traditional wedding marches were played by Miss Adaline Schaffer of Plainview. She accompanied Norman Hemphill of Wilson, Texas who sang "Bless This House," "The Wedding Prayer" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a white faille street-length dress featuring push-up sleeves, and a scoop neckline piped in white satin. A wide satin cummerbund was worn at the waist. She wore a white satin crown hat and carried a white Bible topped with white carnations showered with white satin streamers tied in love knots.

For something old the bride carried a white lace handkerchief belonging to Mrs. Crawford Burrow, new was a pearl necklace and ear screws, a gift from the bridegroom, borrowed was rice belonging to Mrs. J. D. Wood and used at her wedding. Blue was a garter. In her shoe she wore a penny for luck.

Miss Lenora Wolf of Houston was maid of honor. She was attired in ice blue brocade satin designed similar to that of the bride. She wore a small white satin hat and carried a colonial bouquet of white carnations.

Gunnar Thyson of El Campo, Texas attended the bridegroom as best man.

Rayburn (Sonny) Pierce, brother of the bride, lighted the candles and acted as usher. Carroll McClure, Plainview, was also an usher.

A reception, given by Mrs. Edwin A. Wolf, in Fellowship Hall of the church followed immediately after the ceremony. Approximately 90 guests were registered by Mrs. Bobby Murdoch.

Mary Jane Gordon cut the wedding cake and Mary Jane Wolf poured punch. Arrangements of white stock and white carnations accented with blue bows decorated the entertaining rooms.

The couple will take a honeymoon trip in the summer to Ithaca, New York to visit his parents. They are now at home in Plainview at 819 1/2 Broadway, Apartment 5.

The bride was reared in Lockney and graduated from Lockney High School last spring. She completed a course of study with Central Tech Institute, Kansas City, Missouri and has been employed at Plainview Hospital and Clinic Foundation the past year.

Mr. Miller is a graduate of Ithaca New York High School and is now employed with Plainview Police Department as a warrant officer.

Guests were registered from Carlsbad, Littlefield, Amarillo, Lockney and Plainview.

New Comers Club In Meeting Here

The Lockney New Comers Club met at the Plains Hotel dining room Wednesday at 2:30. Two new members, Mrs. Don Hatch and Mrs. Jimmie D. Stennett, joined the club.

The program was given by Mrs. J. H. Widener, hand writing analyst. It was very interesting and instructive.

Refreshments of cherry pie and coffee were served to Mmes. Raymond Smith, Howard Smith, Dick Whiteley, Claud Holley, Roy Thornton, Mrs. Widener and the two new members.

The colors in the American flag stand for courage (red), liberty (white), and loyalty (blue).



PVT. DOYLE McADA, recently entered the Army and is now taking his recruit training at Fort Carson, Colo. He is the son of Van McAda of Lockney.

Providence

By Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

You cannot help them permanently by doing for them what they could and should do for themselves.

Nice spring showers have fallen here during the past few days.

Mrs. A. K. Windecker returned from the hospital last week with her new son. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

Ben Brandes who fell and broke his wrist during the recent ice storm is recovering nicely at his home.

Miss Marie Scheele visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Collins and son of Borger during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Peppurey visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes entertained with a supper Sunday evening celebrating the sixty-sixth birthday of Ben Brandes and the eighth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner and Cynthia Ann, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes, Pamela and Debra, Rev. and Mrs. Lee Roy Brandes, Mark and MarlaJoy of Wichita Falls. The honorees received many nice gifts.

Providence Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Ben Quebe Tuesday afternoon. Roll call was answered with "A task I dread Most." Mrs. Sam Jones, president, presided over the meeting. Mrs. Ben Brandes, council delegate, reported on activities of the recent council meeting.

Mrs. H. F. Quebe gave a very good demonstration on "Principals of Work Simplification." Using a diagram she constructed herself, she showed how steps could be saved in her kitchen by simplifying her work. She and Mrs. Sam Jones gave a demonstration on making a bed. One made it the old fashioned way and the other one showed the time and step saving method. Mrs. Quebe served coffee, cheese crackers, fruit cake and angel cake to the Mmes: Ben Brandes, Marvin Scheele, L. B. Brandes, H. F. Quebe, Sam Jones, Wilfred Stoerner, Ben Quebe; Misses Pamela Brandes and Cynthia Ann Stoerner. Next meeting will be with Mrs. L. B. Brandes on March 26th.

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Wednesday afternoon — 2:30 p. m. Candle Light Circle meets. Mrs. Hubert Stoerner, hostess and program chairman.
Wednesday 7:30 p. m. — Ash Wednesday Services on succeeding Wednesday evenings during Lent season. Other Conference pastors will conduct the services. The season of Lent holds great meaning. It is a time when we in a special way look upon the cross and death of our Savior intent upon accepting him more completely as our Redeemer and King. May each of us make a personal resolution to be present at every service.

Wednesday evening after services the Church choir will meet for practice.

Thursday at 7:30 p. m. The second round of Dart Ball sponsored by Luther League will be held. If you wish to play be sure and be present for an evening of fun.

Lockney General Hospital News

Mrs. Marcia Meriwether continues to receive medical care.

Mrs. Zeb Reed continues to receive medical care.

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Jim Elliott continues to receive medical care.

R. L. Knox Sr. was admitted 2-4 for medical care and was dismissed 3-1.

Ronnie Christian was admitted 2-26 for medical care and was dismissed 3-2.

Raymond Martin was admitted 2-28 for medical care and was dismissed 3-2.

Mrs. A. B. Collis was admitted 3-4 for orthopedic care and was dismissed 3-6.

L. A. Blair was admitted 3-4 for medical care.

V. D. Harris was admitted 2-28 for medical care.

W. A. Taylor was admitted 3-5 for medical care.

C. R. Howell was admitted 3-6 for orthopedic care.

Charles Howell was admitted 3-6 for orthopedic care.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Martinez are the parents of a baby boy born 2-27. He weighed 8 lbs., 4 ozs. and was named Simon Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Santellana are the parents of a baby girl born 2-28. She weighed 8 lbs., and was named Adelmiria.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hooten are the parents of a baby boy born 3-5. He weighed 7 lbs., 7 ozs., and was named Lonny Gene.

Mr. and Mrs. Trinidad Salazar are the parents of a baby

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Longhorns Win Second In 4-Way Meet Here

The Lockney Longhorn track and field team won second place in a 4-way meet held on the local field last Thursday afternoon. Plainview High won first place and Hale Center and Olton placed third and fourth in that order.

Plainview rolled up 78 points, Lockney made 42, Hale Center made 33 and Olton 30. First places won by Lockney were: Jerry Williams, 100 yard dash, 10.2.

Bill Musser, mile run, 5.11. Gene Handley, 880 yard run, 2.19.

Plainview won nine first places to lead the scoring. Here are results of the meet:

120 yard high hurdles — Gardner, Plainview; Pinner, Lockney; R. Kidd, Lockney; Holly, Hale Center — 18.0.

180 yard low hurdles — Gardner, Plainview; Pinner, Lockney; McGuire, Plainview; Conner, Plainview — 22.4.

440 dash — Jacobs, Plainview; Groce, Plainview; Handley, Lockney; Hamm, Olton — 55.1.

100 dash — Williams, Lockney; McGuire, Plainview; Gould, Plainview; N. Wofford, Lockney — 10.2.

220 dash — McGowan, Plainview; Gould, Plainview; Williams, Lockney; N. Wofford, Lockney — 22.2.

Mile — Musser, Lockney; Tare, Plainview; Maston, Plainview — 5:11.0.

880 — Handley, Lockney; Maston, Plainview; C. Kidd, Lockney; Howell, Lockney — 2:19.

440 yard relay — Plainview; Lockney; Olton; Hale Center — 46.0.

Mile relay — Plainview; Olton; Hale Center — 3:43.

High Jump — Dennis, Olton; Terrell, Plainview; Summerall, Hale Center; Paine, Plainview (first three tied at 5').

Shot put — Hamilton, Plainview; Hanst, Lockney; McGowan, Plainview; Lauderdale, Hale Center — 44.2.

Discus — Hamilton, Plainview; McGowan, Plainview; Hanst, Lockney; Lauderdale, Hale Center — 114.7.

Broad Jump — Gould, Plainview; Summerall, Hale Center; Handley, Lockney; McBeth, Hale Center — 19.5.

In a three way track meet at Plainview Wednesday, Plainview High racked up 54 points, Hereford made 35 1/2 and the Longhorns made 32 1/2.

Longhorns winning first places were: Jerry Williams in 100 yard dash, 10 seconds flat; Bill Musser in mile run, 5:22; Arley Pinner in 180 yard low hurdles, 22.1; Nelson Wofford, 220 yard dash, 22.7. In addition Roy Kidd won second in the 180 hurdles, Coy Kidd won third and David Howell won fourth in the 880 yard run, Arley Pinner won third in the high hurdles, Cliff Hardy won third in the discus throw and the Longhorn team won second in the 440 yard relay.

The Longhorns will enter a big track meet at Snyder Saturday of this week and the Longhorn Relays will be held here March 23rd.

Eight Called For Induction

Eight men have been called for induction into the armed forces on March 21st and 25 others are ordered to report for pre-induction physical examinations, according to information from Selective Service Board No. 45. Several of the boys are from Floyd County.

The following registrants were ordered for induction:

C. L. Turner, Lockney.

James Tex Perkins, Roswell.

Joseph Herman Lepper, Henley, Missouri.

Wayne Allen Taylor, Plainview.

Roy Nowlin Boyd, Kermit.

James Dee Graves, Fort Worth.

Wilber Lenoy Stallings, Abemathy.

Johnnie Melvin Duncan, Plainview.

Going for Pre-Induction Physical Examination:

James Alan Sneathen, Plainview.

Alonza Brooks Chapman, Waco.

Charlie Lee Mayberry, Fort Worth.

Lester Bryant Duncan, Plainview.

Jesse Ray Herring, Midland.

Jerry W. Forderhase, Arhtagton.

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Robert L. Ammons, Plainview.

Gilbert Joe Lopez, Hale Center.

Jesse Jerome Callendar, Kress.

James Randall Ray, Abemathy.

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Billy Ray Horton, Plainview.

Emmett Austin Buck Jr., Plainview.

James F. Shackelford, Hale Center.

Adrian Verrell Tallet, Plainview.

Donald Ray Harris, Flomot.

Harold Dean Griffith, Lubbock.

Claudio Medeles Carles, Lockney.

Kenneth Glenn White, Quitaque.

Kevin Baker, Plainview.



DAN SMITH'S lamb won first in the medium wool class here last Saturday.

Large Crowds Attend Baptist Homecoming

Last Sunday was homecoming day at the First Baptist Church here and it was probably the most successful one in several years. The event is held annually the first Sunday in March.

More than 100 out-of-town visitors were present to hear some inspiring sermons, all by former members of the church. Speakers were Rev. Leonard Hartley, pastor of the Lamar Street Baptist Church in Sweetwater, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hartley of Lockney; Hardy Clemons, B. S. U. director at the University of Texas, Austin, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Clemons of Lubbock, formerly of Lockney; and Dr. Leroy Smith, associate executive secretary of the Colorado Baptist General Convention, Denver, Colorado, the son of J. J. Smith and the many years east of Lockney. The elder Mr. Smith now lives at Amarillo.

Dr. Willis J. Ray, former pastor of the local church, now executive secretary of the Colorado Baptist General Convention, was on the program but was prevented from attending by illness in his family.

A. A. Suits, now of Petersburg and former Sunday School superintendent here, spoke at the night service.

Lunch was served in the educational unit of the church at the noon hour to more than 200 people including members of the church.

Following is a list of those who registered from out-of-town:

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kelley and son, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Brice Allen and girls, Mount Blanco, Crosbyton; Dr. and Mrs. Leroy Smith, Denver, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thomas, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Whately and sons, Clovis, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Suits, Petersburg; Mr. and Mrs. Sid Thomas, Texico, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Woods, Floydada; Mrs. A. L. Shaw, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wayne Cooper, Wheeler; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart, Jimmy, Rudy and Janice, Lubbock; Rev. and Mrs. Leonard Hartley, Sweetwater, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Ben A. Smith and Warren, Dumas; Miss Evelyn Smith, Wayland College, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Clemons, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Clemons and Kay, Austin; Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Hartley, Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Hartley, Rosie Hartley, all of Pampa; Mr. Richard K. Dumas, Pampa; Robert Hartley, Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. T. V. McClure, Wesley and Sandra Mitchell, Plainview; Bill McAda, Lubbock; A. B. Muncy, Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Allen, Plainview; Mrs. Jack Fore, Anita Fore and Sandy Vick, of Littlefield;

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Dyer of Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hay and sons, Tulla; Mrs. Willie Merle Halthcock, Plainview; Miss Anna Sims, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ford, Mrs. H. M. Mitchell, Elizabeth Handley, all of Plainview; Mrs. Linnie Hammitt, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Haws, Plainview; Mrs. Ethel Floyd, Brownfield; Mrs. George Barrows, Santa Fe, N. M.;

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Jamison, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Rhine Sr. and Danny, Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Rhine Jr., Hale Center; J. J. Smith, Amarillo; Mrs. Howard Martin, Mary, Francis and Susie Martin, Childress, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Carroll and Linda; Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. James Carroll, Peggy and Jimmy, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan Jr., South Plains.

Funeral Services For Charlie Smith Are Held Friday

Funeral services for Charlie Smith, 52, were held Friday of last week at 3 p. m. at the Lockney Methodist Church. Mr. Smith was killed instantly Wednesday morning when a tractor rolled over his chest. The accident happened on the Reed Lawson farm, 14 miles northeast of Lockney over the edge of Briscoe County.

Rev. H. B. Coggin, local pastor, conducted the services assisted by Rev. R. H. Campbell, former pastor here, now of Gruver. A crowd of friends and relatives which filled the church attended.

Mr. Smith, a former county commissioner, had lived in Lockney most of the time since 1914. He was a dirt moving contractor at the time of his death.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Effie Lee Smith; two sons, Alfred, now a student at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, and Charles Jr. of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Clara Lee Smith of Bryan, Texas; his father, Al Smith of Lockney; two brothers, Joe and Woodrow, both of Amarillo; three sisters, Mrs. A. C. Galloway of Lockney, Mrs. Elmer Swaffler of Floydada, and Mrs. Arthur Folsom Jr. of Amarillo. Two grand children also survive.

Interment was in the Floydada Cemetery where his mother and a brother, Tom Smith, are buried. Carter Funeral Home of Lockney was in charge of arrangements. Pallbearers were W. C. Plumlee, Bill Smith, Gilbert Bean, J. D. Wood, Lester Carter and Leon Wofford.

Jarretts Return From Washington

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jarrett returned home Sunday night from Washington, D. C. where they met with various senators and representatives in the interest of Farmers Union who sponsored the trip. Mr. Jarrett is president of Floyd County Farmers Union.

Thirty-two Texas farmers and their wives were on the chartered bus which left February 22. Some 130 other farmers representing South Dakota, Iowa, Illinois and Ohio were also in the party which met for about two hours with the Agriculture Department. They also conferred with Representative Sam Rayburn, Majority Leader Lyndon Johnson and wife and Congressman Geo. Mahon. Mrs. Johnson served refreshments to the Texas visitors. George Mahon omitted three important meetings in order to spend two hours in conference with the 19 farmers from this district.

Mr. Jarrett states the Texas delegation was cordially received by Congressmen from other districts also. Main objective of the Texas group was to ask for a government loan on light spot cotton and relief on grain sorghum prices.

Mrs. E. J. Rodgers In Baylor Hospital

Mrs. E. J. Rodgers of Lockney who has been suffering from knee injury, consulted a bone specialist in Dallas last Saturday. She entered Baylor Hospital Monday for surgery Tuesday. Mrs. Rodgers will be in the hospital 10 days. Her room number is 653.

Mrs. Rodgers would appreciate hearing from all her friends in Lockney, according to a letter from her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Thomas Jr. who is with her.

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Local Girls Attend Area I FHA Meet

At 6:45 a. m. Saturday morning 39 F. H. A.ers and a sponsor, Mrs. Wilma Adams began their journey to Amarillo to the Area I F. H. A. meeting. The area president, Helen Anne Norris from Slaton, was in charge of the day's activities. She chose as the key theme, "Footsteps Into the Future."

The Lockney chapter was well represented in the program. Martha Harden and Peggy Hall sang in the area choir in which were 202 voices. Charlyne Brown won fourth place in the talent show in which 23 chapters participated. Gayle Rucker represented the local chapter at the House of Delegates. She was the voting delegate and voted for Area Officers.

Mrs. E. L. Norris, Slaton, mother of the area president, Johnny Parker, Quail, and Garland (Cotton John) Smith, Amarillo, were given honorary memberships in the organization.

The key items on the day's program included Rev. Jack H. Gray's address, "Footsteps Into the Future," the 202 voice choir concert, the talent show, the presidents address.

Installation of new officers, and a panel of ex-F. H. A. officers, entitled "What F. H. A. Has Meant to Me," concluded the program.

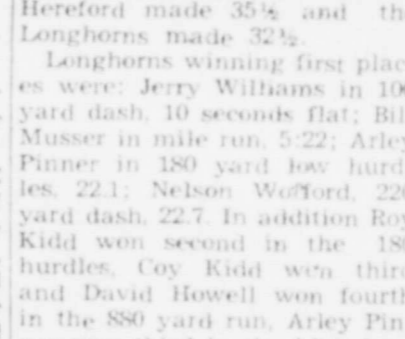
Mrs. C. E. Childers Sister Dies Friday

Mrs. B. M. Whitman, 54, of Dallas passed away at Baylor Hospital in Dallas Friday morning, March 1 at 7:30 after being seriously ill one week. She was the sister of Mrs. C. E. Childers of Lockney.

Attending funeral services in Dallas Saturday at 11:30 a. m. were Mrs. Childers and daughters, Sybil Childers, Mrs. Don Allen and Mr. Allen, Lubbock.

Mrs. Childers left here Thursday night and arrived shortly after her sister had passed away.

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A reader asks how to make the spicy-good hot tomato bouillon served in fine restaurants. Here's the recipe: to two cans of tomato juice add one can of condensed consommé! Add 2 whole cloves, a bay leaf, salt, pepper, one small onion, chopped. Simmer half an hour over low flame. Then strain. Serve garnished with parsley or minced celery tops.

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GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Society

El Progreso Show To Help Buy Drapes

El Progreso Study Club will sponsor a Spring Style Show Saturday afternoon, March 16 at 2:30 in the High School Cafeteria. All area residents and their friends are invited to attend. Proceeds will go to the Lockney High School Student Council to help buy draperies for the auditorium.

Jack and June Shop in Lockney will furnish the fashions which will include a lovely array of Spring and Easter clothing for women and girls.

Mrs. Floyd Jackson, proprietor of Jack and June Shop will donate a dress to be given away as a door prize.

Tickets are 50c each and may be purchased from any member of El Progreso Study Club. Tickets will also be available at the door on the date of the show or may be picked up in advance at Jack and June Shop.

Sandhill HD Club To Sponsor Supper

The Sandhill Home Demonstration Club extend a cordial invitation to the public to attend a chili supper and showing of films at the Sandhill school Friday night, March 8.

The club ladies will begin serving homemade chili at 7 p. m. along with crackers, onions, pie and coffee all for 50c a person.

Homemade beef and vegetable soup will also be available.

The films to be shown were obtained for the occasion through the county agents office and will be interesting to both men and women. There also will be a comedy for the children. Showing of the films will start around eight o'clock.

Everyone is urged to come and bring your friends.

Debbie Miller Is Party Honoree

Debbie Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller, celebrated her 6th birthday, Friday morning at the Mother Goose School.

Following the mornings work of free hand drawings of presents, orange juice and cookies were served to the following pupils, Bruce Baeus, Bill Aston, Carolyn Byrd, Glenda Cooper, Andy Duvall, Pat Jester, Cindy Rankin, Darlene Reed, Susan Simmons, Kathy Thornton, Lavonia Wilson, Freddie Elliott, Brettie Dutton, Gary Mangold, Kay Wiley, Brenda and Steven Wisdom, the honoree, and Mrs. Derrell Wood, teacher.

Eighty-three cents was collected for the polio birthday bank.

VISIT AZALEA TRAIL

Mrs. France Carthel and Mrs. R. R. Kellison of Lockney are to return home Thursday of this week after a trip on a chartered bus with Hereford Garden Club along the Azalea Trail in Alabama and Mississippi. They spent two nights in New Orleans and saw the Mardi Gras parade before going on to Mobile, Alabama and Natchez, Mississippi.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Mrs. Barry Barker Is Club Hostess

El Progreso Study Club met Wednesday, February 27 at 3:45 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Barry Barker.

Roll call was answered with mention of "Contributions to Medical Science."

Mrs. Leslie Ferguson prepared and read a paper concerning "Mental Illness."

Refreshments were served to Misses Milton Ashton, T. B. Mitchell, Dee Copeland, Guy Sams, Henry Hodel, Bill Hodel, Leslie Ferguson, Henry Schacht, Ewald Quebe, C. J. Taylor, B. A. Simmons, Charles Duran, Jesse Cox, Chester Mitchell, Hershel Carthel and the hostess, Mrs. Barker.

The next meeting will be "Guest Day", Saturday, March 16 at 2:30 in the High School Cafeteria. The club will present a style show.

Pre-Nuptial Shower Honors Patsy Pierce

Miss Patsy Lowell Pierce, bride-elect of Franklin Daniel Miller, Plainview, was complimented with a pre-nuptial shower in the home of Mrs. J. D. Wood, Thursday afternoon, February 28. Calling hours were 2:00 to 4:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Wood greeted the guests and presented them to the honoree.

The refreshment table was covered with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of white carnations from which stemmed blue satin streamers. Blue tapers in crystal candleholders flanked the centerpiece. Silver appointments completed the table decor.

Presiding at the bride's table were Mrs. Roy Patterson and Mrs. Lewis Busby.

Approximately 40 guests registered or sent gifts.

VISIT RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Rhine returned home Tuesday after spending several days visiting relatives at Fort Worth and Dallas. They had accompanied their daughter, Mrs. Jamie Robison to Fort Worth where she joined her husband who is stationed at Carswell Air Force Base. On Saturday the Rhines attended a reunion of Mrs. Rhine's brothers and sisters in Fort Worth. All except one brother was present. Before returning home the Rhines visited their daughter and family. Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Donnell and children at Abilene.

World Day Of Prayer To Be Observed

The World Day of Prayer, sponsored by the United Church Women, National Council of Churches of Christ in the United States, will be observed at the Lockney Methodist Church Friday of this week, March 8. It has been announced. The program will begin at 3 p. m. Women of all churches are invited to attend.

This is the 71st observance of World Day of Prayer which is held in 141 countries beginning on the Tonga Islands, west of the International date line and ending on St. Lawrence Island in Alaska.

The purpose of the day is to unite all Christians in a bond of prayer and to make an offering for Christian missions at home and abroad.

Each year the program for the day comes from a different country. This year it comes from behind the Iron Curtain in Europe.

Jolly Stitches Elect New Officers

At a meeting February 25 in the home of Mrs. Don Bennett, the Jolly Stitches Club of Irick community elected new officers for the ensuing club year.

Elected as president was Miss Anna Schacht; vice president, Mrs. Farrel Dollar; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Andy Jolly; gift committee, Mrs. Gene Bloys, Mrs. Don Bennett and Mrs. Gene Probasco.

Names were drawn for Sunshine Sisters and two new members, Mrs. Lois Williams and Mrs. Gene Bloys, were welcomed.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Eugene Pigg.

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Lockney HD Club To Meet Thursday

Mrs. Lavon Johnson will be hostess for a meeting of Lockney Home Demonstration Club Thursday afternoon beginning at 2:45.

The program will include a demonstration on ironing simplification given by Mrs. Lavon Johnson.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Merrell of Lubbock are parents of a baby son born Monday, March 4 at 1:55 a. m. in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock. The black haired baby weighed 7 lbs., 9 ozs., has been named Nicky Fred. He has a sister named Kathy. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hays and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Merrell, all of Lockney.

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Most University Students Are Church Members

Austin — Religion has a role in most University of Texas students' lives. A total of 17,095 students were church members or listed religious preferences during the 1955-56 long session, according to reports just released from the registrar's office. Only 74

out of 19,667 students listed no church affiliation or preference.

Some 16,358 students were members of 34 different religious groups. An additional 1,039 students listed a preference for some religious group.

Methodist students were most numerous, totaling 4,388. Groups next in order were Baptist with 3,903; Roman Catholic, 2,174; Presbyterian, 1,857; Episcopal, 1,355; Christian (Disciples of Christ), 870; Lutheran, 628; Church of Christ, 594; Montanist, 136.

Also Christian Science, 120; Unitarian, 82; Evangelical, 77; Greek Orthodox, 53; Assembly of God, 37; Congregational, 26; Hindu, 24; Adventist, 21; Mormon (Latter Day Saints), 21; Buddhist, 20; Moroccan Brethren, 19; Nazarene, 15; Quaker, 8; Armenian, 7; Interdenominational, 4; Pentecostal, 3; Zoroastrian, 3; Apostolic, 2; United Brethren, 2; Taoist, 1; and Universalist, 1.

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CASUALTY EVACUATION by helicopter, perfected in the Korean War, is demonstrated at the Federal Civil Defense Administration's up-to-date rescue school at Olney, Md. Here a street of carefully engineered "bombed out" buildings confront rescue course students with a variety of situations, including rescue from actually flaming structures of persons made to as "victims." (Sam Photo)

South Plains

By Mrs. Murray Julian
Womens Missionary Union of the Baptist Church joined with other Southern Baptist churches in observing the Annie Armstrong Week of Prayer for Home Missions. Program began at 1 p. m. Monday and closes at 1 p. m. Tuesday. Mrs. Murray Julian, Larry Faus and Sam Reeves acted as program chairman for the study "Our Mission in Home Missions." Mrs. L. T. Wood presided and Mrs. Snodgrass was program director. Taking part in the study were: Mrs. Larry Faus, L. T. Wood, Paul Snodgrass, Thomas Pierce, Bryan Kerr, L. N. Johnson, Murray Julian, Grigsby Milton, J. F. Taylor and Sam Reeves. March 8 has been designated as World Day of Prayer.

play. Virginia spent Saturday in Amarillo where she attended the meeting of Future Homemakers of America. Virginia is president of the Floydada Chapter of F.H.A.
Lloyd Deavenport went to Amarillo by car and then there by bus to Boulder, Colo., Tuesday of last week. There he visited with his son, Steve, who attends Colorado University. He came home Saturday. We extend hearty congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Early Pritchett on the birth of a son Monday, March 4, at 2 a. m. He has been named Robert Steven, and he weighed 8 pounds six ounces. The Pritchetts have three other children, Louise, Mirvile and Price.
Rev. and Mrs. Larry Faus and Vassie Beth spent Friday in Lubbock.
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Reeves accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bell of Floydada to Kingville, Texas Friday where they visited the Reeves' son, Mr. and Mrs. Ronc. Reeves and children. Mrs. Reeves has been ill the past six weeks, but she was reported improved Monday when the group came home.
Mr. and Mrs. John Key West accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mankin of Floydada left for Dallas Sunday to attend a Consumers Fuel meeting. They planned to be home Tuesday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Fincher of Seminole spent last week end with his cousin, Mrs. Larry Faus, Rev. Faus and children. They visited at church Sunday morning.
Home for the week end from W. T. & C. Canyon, were Bonnie Upton and Terry Julian.
Mrs. Skeet Thornton took her guest, Mrs. Mattie Ross to Lubbock Friday to board a train for her home in Los Angeles. She had visited with the Thorntons for the past two weeks.
Rev. T. W. Condon, Floydada, was guest speaker at the P.T.A. meeting Friday night at the school auditorium. He spoke on "The Need for Christian Education." J. M. Williams won the room crant with the most parents present. Mrs. Beebe named a nominating committee and the next meeting will be

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on April 5 at 1 o'clock with movie slides shown by Mrs. J. H. Barnard. Friday, March 8 will be a school holiday and Easter holidays will be April 20 through 22nd.
Closing services of the Lone Star singing School were held Friday night at the Baptist church. Sue Wilson from here sang and played in the closing night program.
Mrs. Menard Field gave a birthday dinner last Sunday at her home in Floydada honoring her daughter, Mrs. John Wilson. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, Sue, Gary and Johnny. Mr. and Mrs. Adon Field and children and Menard Field.
Mr. and Mrs. Ford Fortenberry had Sunday dinner in Lockney with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hamton and family. On Friday Ford pumped his new irrigation well, which is located right north of his house and reports a fine well there.
Mr. and Mrs. Don Probasco had as guests in their home Monday night, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvia Kinniburgh and girls, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pierce and children. Games of 84 were enjoyed. The hostess served apple pie, coffee and banana cake.
Mr. and Mrs. John Smithman left Saturday at 2 p. m. from Plainview for a trip to Chicago where they will attend the REA convention. They plan to be home next Saturday.
Mrs. John Key West and Mrs. Sylvia Kinniburgh were hostesses in the West home Wednesday, Feb. 27 to H. D. Club members, with Mrs. J. E. Smith, morning presiding, and Mrs. West acting as secretary in the absence of Mrs. Fortenberry. Mrs. Julian gave the devotional at 10:30 and was "A Thank I Dread Most." Mrs. Wood reported on the school meeting and as one of the more delegates started from Floyd County will go to Lubbock for the parent meeting March 27. Year books were complete by 11:00 a. m. and Mrs. Dunlap gave the work simplification demonstration on "Dressing a Shirt." Games were led by Mrs. M. M. The hostesses served sandwiches, cake and coffee. Mrs. Bill Seely, K. G. Dunlap, Bryant Higginbotham, Murray Julian, Grigsby Milton, Arby Mulder, J. H. Parks, John Smithman, Skeet Thornton, George West, John Wilson, L. T. Wood, J. D. Wood, Noel Deavenport, Larry Faus, Menard Field, Lloyd Deavenport and Mrs. Joe Wilson of Floydada, Mrs. Parks and Mrs. Webb will be hostesses on March 11 in the next club meeting in the Parks home in South Plains.
The home of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Johnson north east of South Plains was the setting for a pink and blue shower given Friday, March 1 at 3:30 p. m. to honor Mrs. Chester Hildaige.
A pink and blue color scheme was used throughout the house. The serving table was covered with pink linen and centered with a pink stork holding a white basket in which lay a miniature doll. Blue lace surrounded the center arrangement. A silver coffee service was used. Small white cakes decorated with pink were served by Mrs. Pierce and Mrs. Kinniburgh. Favors were tiny pink and blue shoes. Mrs. Hildaige was presented with many gifts, and hostesses assisting Mrs. Johnson were

HAS TREATMENT
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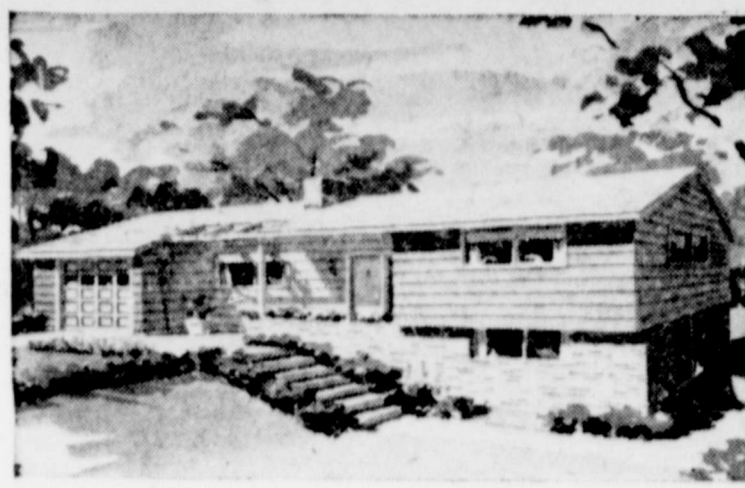


little hardships like holding off on new shoes for the kids, so the King won't ever be humiliated by having to ride in the same Cadillac twice.
D. E. SCOTT

Patty Wilkes On Honor Roll At Colorado College

Miss Patty Wilkes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wilkes of Lockney, was recently placed on the Dean's honor roll for the first semester at Colorado Woman's College in Denver. To be eligible for the honor roll a student must have a grade point average of 3.5 or better, 3 being a B average and 4 being an A. Patty is a senior at CWC and is majoring in liberal arts.

Siding in Color Adds Sparkle



A modern material for home exteriors, asbestos-cement siding shingles, is finding increasing favor with architects and builders. In this advanced 1957 split-level design, smartly styled asbestos siding is applied with accentuated shadow lines which add interest to the entire exterior. Color styling plays an important part, too. The siding, an attractive shade of gray, harmonizes perfectly with the brick-red lower wall and the white asbestos-cement roofing shingles. Blue and yellow are introduced in the painted trim. Asbestos siding is fire-safe and rotproof and needs no paint to preserve it. It comes in many beautiful colors and in a variety of sizes.

Bill Would Revise School Bus Expense

Austin. — Under a bill proposed in the Texas Senate, the South Plains Consolidated School District would gain back \$440 in losses incurred in transportation costs during the 1955-56 school year. Senator Andy Rogers, District 39, of Childress said today that some thirteen school districts in eight counties in District 39 stand a chance under the bill to gain back \$17,358 lost last year because of the failure of state transportation aid to equal current operating expense. Senate Bill 122 is designed to eliminate a section of the present Transportation Law which limits school transportation expenditures to a 1949-50 formula plus ten percent.

"The trouble with the formula under the present law is that it penalizes school districts which, for one reason or another, had a very low bus transportation cost in the 1949-50 school year," Senator Rogers said. "Normal rises in total cost, such as purchases of new buses and equipment, have since made the old formula extremely unrealistic in most cases."

Of the 298 school districts in Texas which would be immediately added under the bill, 13 are in District 39. They are as follows, by counties:

Armstrong; Claude Independent School District; Childress; Carey Consolidated School District; Donley; Hedley Independent School District; Floyd; South Plains Consolidated School District; Hale; Cotton Center District and Plainview district; Lamb; Olton; Spade and Springlake districts; Farmer; Bovina; Friona and Lubbudly districts; and in Swisher County, the Kress district. "In no instance is the amount for any one district of any great amount," Senator Rogers said in advocating passage of the measure. "But this proposed change of law may make the difference between operating on a break-even basis and

operating at a financial loss to the local district."

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Earnings Affect Old-Age Benefits

Planning for partial retirement calls for a clear understanding of earnings restrictions on receipt of Federal old-age insurance benefits. Mr. Hutton, Manager of the Lubbock social security office, said today.

Many older workers do not understand, he explained, that in order to decide how many benefit checks may be payable in the taxable year in which a claim is filed, all earnings in the full taxable year are counted.

For every \$80 or fraction of \$80 over \$1200 earned in the year of filing a claim, one month's benefit is withheld. A worker who earns \$1282 in the year of filing, for example, stands to lose two months' benefits he may have been entitled to receive. This is true whether the amounts were earned before or after the month of filing. The restriction on amount of earnings applies to all years during any part of which he was under age 72 and entitled to social security benefits.

Mr. Hutton said workers planning partial retirement should also be aware of the exceptions to the general rule. Regardless of total earnings in the year, no entitled worker will lose a benefit for any month in which he does not earn more than \$80 in employment and does not render substantial services in a business or profession in which he is self-employed. After he attains age 72 he will lose no benefits regardless of the amount he earns or the extent of his work. Total earnings for the full year, however, are taken into account in deciding whether the worker may receive benefits for all months before he attains age 72.

A representative from the Lubbock Social Security office will be in Lockney on March 11 at 1:30 p. m. at Room 106 High School.

52 Tracts Of Land To Be Offered Vets

Austin. — 52 tracts of land in 23 counties will be offered for sale in the fourth Veterans' Land Board forfeited land sale on April 3rd. Land Commissioner Earl Rudder said Monday.

Scaled bids will be received until 10 o'clock that morning when they will be opened. Altogether, 3,932.70 acres — mostly located in the northeast, central and southwest portions of the state — will be offered for sale.

Largest tract of land offered by the VLB is 239 acres located about five miles north-west of Rising Star in Eastland County.

Previous forfeited land sales were conducted by the Veterans' Land Board earlier this month and in September and January, 1956.

The property offered for sale was originally bought by veterans through the Veterans' Land Program, but was later forfeited because original purchasers were behind in their payments.

Ten thousand veterans on a special mailing list have already received information about the sale. Advertising notices announcing the sale began appearing last week in newspapers near lands offered.

Information about the sale has also been sent to county service officers, VA hospitals, and VA regional offices, Commissioner Rudder said.

Anyone desiring further information about the sale may also contact the Veterans' Land Board in Austin, Commissioner Rudder added.

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Ronnie Harris' Hereford Wins Lockney Show

A heavy weight dry lot Hereford calf belonging to Ronnie Harris, Lockney High Future Farmer and son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Harris, was named grand champion of the Lockney Junior Livestock Show Saturday. Reserve champion was a milk fed Hereford belonging to Warren Mitchell, 4-H club boy and son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mitchell of Pleasant Valley.

In the fat barrow division, a Chester White belonging to David Mitchell, 9-year-old 4-H club boy, was named grand champion barrow. David is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Mitchell. Neil Mitchell, another son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mitchell, won the reserve championship title with a Berkshire. He is also a 4-H club boy.

In the fat lambs classes there was no grand champion named. Loy O'Brien's lamb won first place in the Southdown class. Dan Smith's lamb won first in the medium wool class and Sammy Lynn won first with his lamb in the fine wool class.

Showmanship awards went to Jan Widener in the calf division, Dan Smith in the sheep division and Gene Handley in the swine division.

In a special Black Angus division, sponsored by the Floyd County Angus Breeders Association, Donald Farish's calf placed first and Kay Golden's calf was second.

Approximately 150 animals were shown with the quality the best in several years. Gene Barnett, agriculture instructor from Plainview High School, was judge of the show.

Sponsored by the Lockney Chamber of Commerce, some \$500 in prize money was distributed to the various winners in the show by the Chamber and around \$100 was given in prizes by the Angus Breeders.

The winners in each class were as follows:

Fat Calf Division
Milk Fed Light Weight Calves: Lonell Hays, first; Shirley Mitchell, second.

Milk-fed Heavy Weight: Warren Mitchell, first and second; Donald Farish, third.

Dry lot light weight calves: Neil Mitchell, first; Francis Montandon, second; Johnny Tannahill, third; Jan Widener, fourth; Billy Thomas, fifth; Ronnie Thornton, sixth; Kay Golden, seventh; Jimmy Colson, eighth; Francis Montandon, ninth; Ronnie Thornton, tenth.

Dry lot heavy weight calves: Ronnie Harris, first; Donald Farish, second; Loy Widener, third and fourth; Ronnie Harris, fifth; Kay Golden, sixth; Jan Brewer, seventh; Larry Golden, eighth; Bill Bigham, ninth; Larry Golden, tenth.

Swine Division
Light weight fat barrows: Randy Laceywell, first; Warren Mitchell, second; Ronnie Laceywell, third; Jake Wofford, fourth; Johnnie Hanst, fifth; Ralph Kellison, sixth; Warren Mitchell, seventh; Jerry Wofford, eighth; Stephen Handley, ninth; Gene Handley, tenth.

Heavy weight fat barrows: David Mitchell, first; Neil Mitchell, second; Jake Wofford, third; Gene Handley, fourth; Ronnie Laceywell, fifth; Lauretta Laceywell, sixth; Jerry Wofford, seventh; David Mitchell, eighth; Tommy Davis, ninth; Neil Mitchell, tenth.

Pen of three fat barrows: David Mitchell, first; Warren Mitchell, second; Ronnie Laceywell, third; Neil Mitchell, fourth; Jerry Wofford, fifth.

Gilts: Gene Handley, first; Lauretta Laceywell, second; Max Marble, third; Joyce Paschal, fourth; Joe Cox, fifth; Byron Brook, sixth; Joe Rexrode, seventh; Ralph Kellison, eighth; Joe E. Davis, ninth; Randy Laceywell, tenth.

Fine Wool Lambs: Sammy Lynn, first; Kelly Harrison, second and third; Max Marble, fourth; Dan Smith, fifth; James Ansley, sixth; Dan Smith, seventh; David Mitchell, eighth; Bruce Lynn, ninth; Jimmy Howell, tenth.

Southdown Lambs: Loy O'Brien, first; David Mitchell, second; Pat O'Brien, third. Medium Wool Lambs: Dan Smith, first; Loy O'Brien, second; Pat O'Brien, third; Dan Smith, fourth; Pat O'Brien, fifth; David Mitchell, sixth and George McGhee, seventh.

Pen of three lambs: Dan Smith, first; Kelly Harrison, second; Max Marble, third; Sammy Lynn, fourth; Bruce Lynn, fifth.

Black Angus Class: Donald Farish, first; Kay Golden, second; Johnny Tannahill, third; Larry Golden, fourth; Janice Widener, fifth; Shirley Mitchell, sixth; Larry Golden, seventh; Kay Golden, eighth; Ronnie Thornton, ninth and tenth; Billy Bigham, eleventh; Francis Montandon, twelfth.

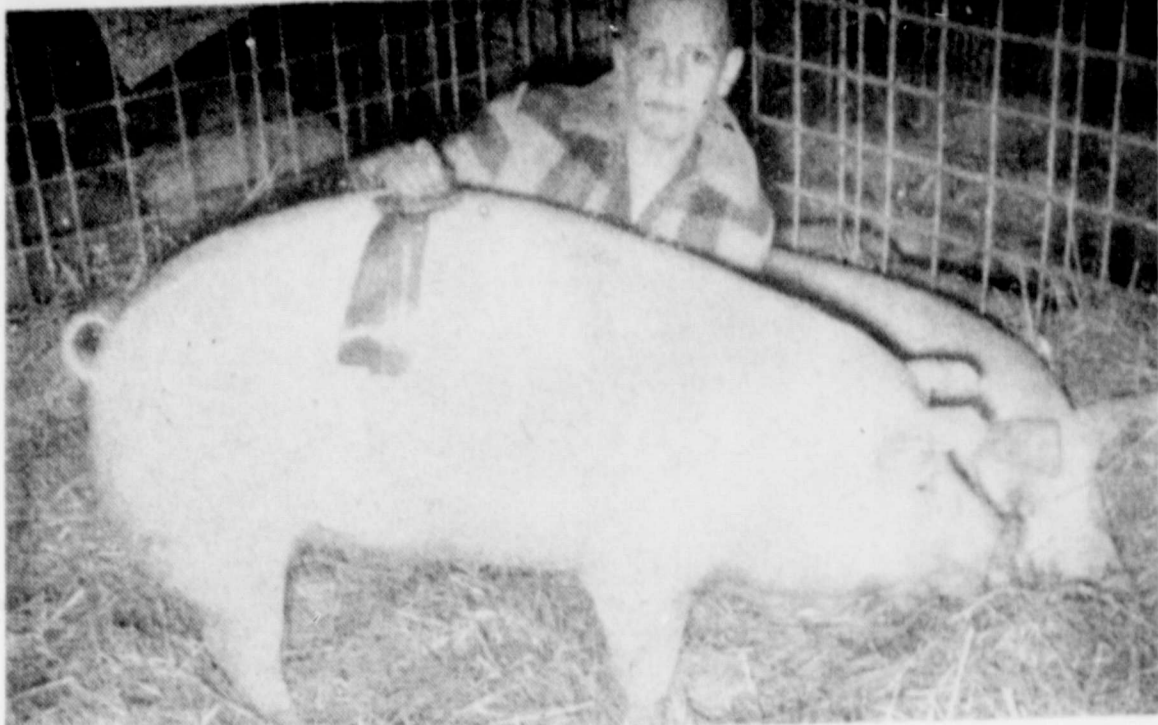
Angus Breeders In Meeting Here

The Floyd County Aberdeen Angus Breeders Association held a meeting at the Plains Hotel dining room here Wednesday evening of last week. All officers were present.

The group voted to give prize money at the Floyd County Junior Fat Stock Show this week as follows: \$75, \$50, \$40, \$30 and \$25. In the 1957 and 1958 show it was decided that money given by the Floyd County Fat Stock Show would be matched by the Angus Breeders Association if the animal placing is an Angus. If an Angus wins grand champion the youngster will be presented with a Angus heifer, the heifer to be selected by the two agriculture teachers, the county agent and assistant county agent from the herd of some member of the Floyd County Association.

The Association is now accepting memberships, according to Secretary Dean Walls. The next meeting will be March 11 at the Plains Hotel here at which time officers will be elected for the coming year.

Shaving was originally a protective measure since long beards were easy for opponents in combat to seize.



DAVID MITCHELL'S Chester White barrow was named grand champion of the Lockney Junior Livestock Show Saturday.

It won first in the heavy weight Chester White division of the Floyd County show Wednesday.

Alcohol Education Week Planned By Baptist Church

A week of study on the effects of alcohol on the human body and the results of its use by society is planned next week at the First Baptist Church here.

The study is sponsored by the Training Union of which W. S. Cates is director. The course of study will feature the teaching of five books, one for each age group and a panel discussion on Wednesday evening with talks by leading professional people of the city. The adult book will be taught by Tom Parrish of Plainview, a lawyer and Christian educator, who is one of the outstanding speakers of the area.

The study period will be held each evening starting at 7 o'clock, Monday through Friday. Rev. R. E. Wiley, pastor, will preach on the subject Sunday morning and a film will be shown during the training union hour Sunday night.

Everyone is invited to attend the classes. Mr. Cates said, "Stressing the fact that three out of every four men and two out of every three women in America drink alcohol in some form, he urged those interested in stamping out this evil to attend these classes." Following is a list of the books to be taught and the teachers:

Adults — Shadow Over America — Tom Parrish. Young People — Alcohol and Christian Influence — Horton Howell.

Intermediates — It's Up To You — Rev. L. A. Blair.

Juniors — Highway to Health — Buck Latimer. Primary and Beginners — Pleasing God With My Body — Mrs. Buck Latimer.

On Wednesday evening, the following will appear on the panel discussion on alcohol: The Lawyer's Viewpoint — Tom Parrish.

The Medical Viewpoint — Dr. W. J. Mangold.

The Law Enforcement Viewpoint — Earl Cooper.

The School Viewpoint — F. M. Smith.

The Child Welfare Viewpoint — Mrs. O. C. Bailey.

The Editorial viewpoint — Edgar R. Hays.

The Insurance viewpoint — Howard Cooper.

The housewife viewpoint — Mrs. Tom Moore.

The young people's viewpoint — Bill Musser.

Refreshments will be served on Friday evening, closing out the week of study. The nursery will be open during the week to take care of the very young children.

Red Jacobs May Speak To Farmers

Bob Jarrett, president of Floyd County Farmers Union, announced this week that Red Jacobs, former employee of the Department of Agriculture in Washington, may appear as guest speaker for the next meeting of the Union, Monday, March 11. The meeting will take place in the County Court Room in Floydada at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Jacobs who is a brilliant and captivating speaker, will be in Amarillo Monday, promised to speak at the Floydada meeting unless he is called back to Washington.

Mrs. Shearer Wins New Table Broiler

Mrs. F. S. Shearer, residing just south of Lockney, has won a new table broiler in a baking powder contest. She was notified this week of her prize by the Calumet Baking Powder Co. The contest was to finish the sentence, "I like Calumet baking powder because..." and she sent in her entry some time ago. The company informed her that her prize would be shipped soon.

Baggett House Damaged By Fire

A rent house located just north of the grade school belonging to Mrs. J. W. Baggett was badly damaged by fire last Friday night. The house had been vacant for some two months.

Fire Chief Lloyd Paul Reece said that the fire apparently started in the attic on the north side of the house. He presumed faulty wiring may have been the cause.

A Mrs. Wilson had lived in the house for several years but had moved out about a year ago.

The Lockney Fire Department was able to extinguish the fire before it burned through the walls or roof but it was believed the house was damaged beyond repair since the interior was so badly burned.

The Fire Department was called out last Thursday afternoon to a fire west of the high school but it was only a small shed which the owner was burning to get it out of the way.

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Uncle Dies At Quitaque Thursday

W. V. Chandler, 77, uncle of John Chandler of Lockney, died at his home east of Quitaque Thursday of last week. He had been ill six years, having suffered a stroke some six years ago.

Funeral services were conducted at Quitaque Saturday afternoon with burial in Quitaque cemetery. Attending from Lockney were Mr. and Mrs. John Chandler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cooper and family, Howard, Melvin and Ross Cooper.

Survivors include his wife, six sons, seven daughters, one brother and one sister, 25 grandchildren and a number of great grandchildren.

Providence School Submits Honor Roll

Pupils listed on Providence school honor roll this six weeks are submitted as follows by Mrs. Flippin, teacher:

First Grade: Rhonda McGaugh and Diane Scheele.

Second Grade: Glenda Quebe and Johnny Dempsey.

Third Grade: Myra Sue Quebe and Edwin Buckner.

Fifth Grade: Dorothy Honeycutt.

Sixth Grade: Louise Jones and Linda Scheele.

Eighth Grade: Gladys Matthews.

Citizens Advisory Committee Meets Monday Evening

The Citizens Advisory Committee, named recently by the Lockney School Board to aid and advise them in the solving of school problems, met with the school board Monday evening and were briefed by Supt. H. H. Nicholas on some of the problems facing the board.

Mr. Nicholas suggested the appointing of three major committees as follows: Courses of Study Offered, Finances, Building.

He asked special study on questions of grade divisions in the three schools, enlarging of the math department, the teaching of a foreign language, planning a driver education program, a better planned physical education and health program, adding to the school's music program, the addition of other vocational subjects, more credits required for graduation, added buildings and finances.

The next meeting of the committee will be held Monday evening, March 18, at 7:30 p. m. at the school division at West Texas College.

The group originally planned for a day night but because Dr. Smith was present at that time, the meeting was postponed. Members of the committee are Edgar R. Hays, Robert Lee Smith, Mangold Mrs. E. H. C. Mitchell, Mrs. M. Rucker, Art Barkley, Phillips, Connie O'Neil, Wofford, Hubert Horton Howell, Walter Ernest Tannahill.

SUNDAY VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. George had as their visitors the following: Mr. Jack Jeffcoat and Mrs. G. D. Jones and family, all from Lockney. Mrs. E. J. Mansfield, family of Littlefield. Mrs. Bob Coleman and Mrs. and Mrs. Ted children, Lockney.

Plant's Will Celebrate 20th Anniversary

Plant Grocery & Market will celebrate their 20th anniversary business in Lockney with a special sale. A full page advertisement elsewhere in the Beacon gives details. The sale will run Thursday and Saturday with special attractions on Saturday. Cloverluka Merry and for the kiddies will be at the store Saturday afternoon. Many valuable prizes will be given away. Its prizes include a Steam Pressure Cooker, 95 Universal Coffees, 95 Sunbeam Iron, a set of groceries worth \$10. Any adult may win these prizes without purchase. The drawing will be held at 4:30 p. m. Saturday. In addition some \$300 in merchandise will be given away through the drawing during the day.

For the kiddies there will be balloons and candy as well as a number of prizes to be given in a special kiddie drawing. Children from 2 to 12 years of age are eligible to register for the drawing. Free coffee and doilies will be served Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Vened for business. Vened now occupies the building at the corner of First Street and Avenue. This new building gave them nearly twice the floor space as the old building. Pylant said this was one of the present conveniences of the new building. The entire 20 years of business have been in business. They are inviting the community to bring this special anniversary to participate in the many bargains offered this weekend.

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School Comm Will Meet Monday
The Citizens Committee, appointed by members of the board, will meet Monday at 7:30 in a meeting at the Junior High School.

Week-End I At Aiken C
A week-end re- held at the Aiken ch starting this morning, according to Rev. O. L. Marley will do the pr Marley is a laym serving as presi Floyd County Baptist Brotherh Farmer. The song servi charge of Mr. an O'Brien. Services will 1 8 p. m. and 8 p. through Sunday. will precede the at 7:45.