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## General Electric's 'House of Magic' to Be Shown at High School Auditorium Next Tuesday Night, Will Give Insight Into Marvels of Electronics

Some of the marvels of progress in the field of electronics and the development of science will be presented in a program at the Floydada high school auditorium Tuesday night.

The show will be presented in the auditorium which scientists have made available for the immediate future of American people and the world.

A beam of light is sent across the stage on a human shakes hands with his shadow.

The name "House of Magic" originally was given to the Research Laboratory of the General Electric Company by the late Floyd Gibbons.

The most interesting of the features is that which makes a propeller appear to stand still, although it actually is whirling at the rate of hundreds of revolutions per minute.

## 1948 Political Year in State And the Nation

Locally, in the state, and in the nation, 1948 is to be an important political year. People of the United States will choose their public servants and already there are moves in the political arena in Texas.

Major state interest is in the entry this morning of former Governor Coke Stevenson in the U. S. senatorial contest, asking for the seat now occupied by W. Lee O'Daniel.

Only actual local announcement for office is that of a delegation which is backing Tom W. Dean for county judge as a drafted candidate.

## Mrs. Joe M. Smith Funeral Today at Methodist Church

Funeral services for Mrs. Joe M. Smith are scheduled to be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the First Methodist church with Rev. Lloyd H. Jones officiating.

## Today's Market

Table listing market prices for various goods including hogs, corn, and wheat.

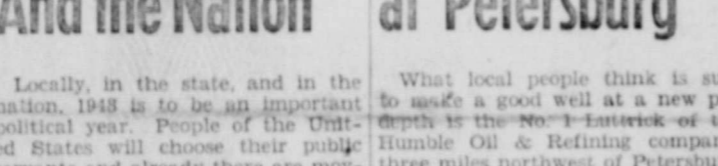


W. H. Greer shakes hands with his own shadow in the General Electric "House of Magic" science show.

This demonstration is performed with the aid of a stroboscopic light which, although it flashes off and on 60 times a second, appears to be steadily on.

## 4-Handers Win National Honors

Four of Texas' state winners in 1947 received national honors for superior records of achievement in their respective 4-H awards programs.



Jackie Jean Brock, Gayle West, Henry Neil Schacht, Howard Altenhof.

## PMA Approved 1948 Practices in Conservation

Floyd county farmers are offered assistance under the 1948 Agricultural Conservation program for carrying out, between January 1, 1948 and December 31, 1948, conservation practices which meet approved specifications and conditions of payment.

## New Pool Said to Be Opened at Petersburg

What local people think is sure to make a good well at a new pay spring is the "Mr. T" water of the Humble Oil & Refining Company.

## Jaycees Hone For Quintets To Compete

A ten-town league of independent basketball is the goal at which the Floyd Junior Chamber of Commerce is shooting at this time.

## D. S. Lloyd Dies at Topeka, Kansas

D. S. Lloyd, formerly of Floydada died in Topeka, Kansas, Santa Fe hospital on December 17, according to word relayed to Floydada by way of Amarillo this week.

# County Road Bond Issue Misfires Again

Second try in Floyd county in 40 days to get a favorable two-thirds vote for a farm-to-market road building program lost Tuesday by a margin of 15 votes.

Crowding time in order to take advantage of a promised three years of aid from the State Highway department, the second petition asking for a bond election, identical with the first, was filed on the fourth day after the first issue failed to carry on November 22 by about the same margin.

Not Enough Mileage Offered. Yesterday it appeared to those who worked for the bond issue that not enough territory was covered with a definite promise of hard-surfaced road building.

## Yule Lighting Awards to Mrs. G. V. Smith and Mrs. Lon M. Davis

Yule lighting awards to residents of the community in the holiday beautification contest, announced last week by Jewel Elza of the Junior Chamber of Commerce committee.

## Prodigious Amount of Work, Care in Production of Seed That Will Carry 'Registered' Tag

If you have wondered why registered seed of any variety call for a high price, all you have to do to find out why is to try your hand at a bit of producing it in a manner that will get the coveted "registered" tag applied to the sack.

## Coat of Snow and Ice Mark Year's Dawn

The year of 1948 was ushered in this morning with a light snow on the ground, probably an inch in depth with a hard coat of sleet under it, deposited yesterday and last night.

## Baylor Student Will Practice Law in Floyd County

A law student of Baylor university, who will have his degree this spring announced this week he is taking up residence in Floydada and will begin the practice of law here as soon as he passes the state examination.

## Cotton Bowl Calls Football Fans of Floyd

A score or more of Floyd county football fans are in Dallas this morning, where they have tickets for the Cotton bowl game between Penn state and SMU.

## ATTEND RITES OF RELATIVE HELD AT GOBER, TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Berry and daughter, Armita, left Sunday night for Gober, Texas, to attend the funeral of Ike Rogers, brother-in-law of Mrs. Berry.

Year's Day, Cotton Market not available.

# EDITORIALS

The Grand Old Party has worked out a plan for heading off continued upward flight of the costs of business and living, which they assure us will be sufficient to get the job done, and the president has signed the bill that went through the special session of congress—signed with much misgiving, he said. As serious as the matter is, it is certainly to be hoped that the plan will work and that the upward swirl will be brought to a halt quickly. Costs have advanced faster than the statisticians can figure. Men who have felt somewhat secure from most any possibility in their income from the work they are doing have begun to have misgivings and look askance at their jobs. What is our outfit going to be able to do about it, they are thinking. How long can we hold out without demanding that a larger slice goes into the pay envelope to meet the increasing costs? And while these are thinking along such lines there are a good many others a bit lower in the economic scale who have given up hope that they can make what they are getting and what they can hope to get equal what they think they need to maintain themselves.

Cattle population of Floyd county is considerably less this first of January than it was last first. This is due to two things principally: The high prices which have induced cattle from the farms and ranges prematurely; and the lack of early fall pasture coupled with high feed costs. The cattle people have been wanting the price of live stock to stay down within some reason. They assume there is going to be a bust, and while "everybody" is saying that meat prices are going to stay high for awhile longer, "everybody" is not making any guarantee. So that when a man puts a lot more into a few head of cows than he used to sell them for he gets worried—fact is a lot of them just don't do it.

One of the men who made history in Crosby county during the days when the pattern of transportation and centers of population was being made was Julian M. Bassett, a brief historical sketch of whose life is in this issue of The Hesperian. Mr. Bassett was a builder after the old school before the government and the public told a man what he had to do and how he had to do it. (There was such a time, you know.) He did a good job, made some first class friends and some enemies equally as good. This is always true of a man who does anything to amount to anything in this world.

The New Year has brought along its first political stirrings in both local and state-wide circles. Politics will be average warm to hot in the present forecast, with local politics hotter than state is our guess. A complete calendar of political happenings and the dates on which they occur are included in this week's potpourri as made up by The Hesperian.

It takes more than a thousand bees, working a lifetime, to make a pound of honey.

Good feeding equipment prevents waste of feed and labor.

Nineteen forty-seven has brought the realization to all of us that the school situation has changed for good and that there is no likelihood of the return of the little red school house so far as Floyd county is concerned. A good many people have seen this coming, some have seen it already here. Others, amongst which we include ourselves, have been deluded into thinking that the return of events would hold the change up until road conditions could be improved and a better technique worked out. We have an idea the policy makers among the school people know more about what should be done than we do, but we still have our doubts that the percentage of boys and girls who will be willing to ride a bus to school for 12 years of their life and take what the weather and this and that have to deal them out, is going to be as high as the educators think it will. That is just a thought by the way. Maybe not even a thought, just a vagrant fancy. Meanwhile we have what we have whether or not we want it, and the question now is how to meet the situation, principally the matter of regular attendance. One answer seems to be better roads.

Voting is going on today on whether or not Floyd county will embark on a county-wide road building plan that has been worked out. Questionable, of course, whether it will get over the two-thirds hump due to the fact that so much area is not served in the program that has been outlined. There are too many communities which do not see anything for them in the immediate future. Possibly they are right, too, although if enough of them can be induced to go along on the program and then be taken care of as developments permit our idea is the county will have been done a great service. We have quit (if we ever began) falling out with the neighbors for doing what they think is the best thing to do when they go to the polls. Whether the issue at stake today wins or loses we have no rancor, and so far as we know, nobody to be offended at us either.

Will Clayton on European relief: "This is a risky business. We have no alternative." Mr. Clayton is a smarter man than most of us.

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Legumes, pastures and succulent feeds aid production and profit and affords one of the best ways of saving high-priced grain.

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For the first time in two decades, cotton growers will probably realize over 2 billion dollars income from the 1947 crop.

There are nearly 600 people to the square mile in Puerto Rico and most of them live off the land.

## The Floyd Co. Hesperian

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### POLITICAL ★ ★ ★

Announcement for office, subject to the Democratic primary in July are authorized to be made by the following:

For County Judge: TOM W. DEEN

### Offer Tom W. Deen As Candidate for County Judge

TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS:

We, the friends of Tom W. Deen, feeling that we needed his service in the county judges office, went to him and asked him to make the race for county judge of Floyd county, Texas. He said that he was out of politics and was not a candidate for any office. We then asked him the question that if we drafted him and elected him if he would serve, and he said that he would be a poor sport if he didn't.

We feel that the office should seek the candidate and not the candidate the office, and having full confidence in Judge Deen, and knowing that if elected that he will be on the job, doing his best for the people of Floyd county, we will be able to find him in the county judges office, that the county built for their county judge, where he will listen to the troubles of the humblest citizen and give him wholesome advice.

We feel that he will give the county judges office his best thought and bend every effort to give the people equity and justice and that the county judge's office will not be a sideline with him.

We solicit your vote and influence for Tom W. Deen, the people's candidate for county judge of Floyd county, Texas.

This announcement is bought and paid for by the friends of Tom W. Deen.

(Political Advertisement)

### CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 7.164 miles of Gr., Strs., Flex. B. & Dbl. Asp. Surf. Treat from Hwy. 70 to Lakeview on Highway No. FM 151, covered by S 1051 (1), in Floyd County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 a. m. Jan. 15, 1948, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No

provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Act.

In accordance with provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained the wage rates prevailing in the locality in which this work is to be done. The Contractor shall pay not less than the prevailing wage rates shown in the proposal for Group 3 for each craft or type of "Laborer," "Workman," or "Mechanic" employed on this project.

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

Plans and specifications available at the office of James F. Potts Resident Engineer Floydada, Texas and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. 472te.

### HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

Vernon McNeely arrived in Floydada Christmas Eve by private plane from Springfield, Missouri, to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McNeely. He will return home tomorrow.

A daughter, Ethel, student of WTSC, Canyon, is also spending the holidays with her parents. She will leave Sunday to resume her studies.

## INSURANCE

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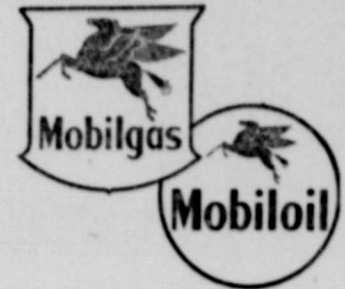
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## HEARTIEST WELCOME MR. NEW YEAR

Father time has brought up a new member of his famous family. He shall be known as 1948, and it's up to us to see that he thrives, prospers and lives peacefully. He is taking the place of a good year, 1947, and will have to go in a fast trot to even keep up. '47 offered many improvements and for our part we are going to see that '48 does even better. We intend to give your car more zip, power and fast cold weather starts. We can help you in high gear so you too may keep up with the fast pace that is to be 1948.

Happy New Year From —  
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### New Engine Turned On For Crosbyton Light, Power Plant

CROSBYTON, Dec.—At noon today, Dec. 22—12:08 o'clock, the new 440 horsepower Morse engine at the Crosbyton Municipal Light Plant was switched onto the line for the first time. Several times it was switched off as adjustments were made on the huge generator synchronizing with those of the two smaller 220 horsepower engines.

About three o'clock, workmen from Dallas declared the engine ready, and it was put into service of the local plant.

"Now I can go home and get a night's sleep," Hugh Nelson, utilities manager, said.

The big engine, purchased in 1946 and scheduled to be delivered in 1947, was just nine months behind schedule. The plant had been running at close capacity for several months, but sufficient power for present

### IS IT REALLY LOUIS?

Those of you who are fight fans heard the Louis-Wolcott fight have the opportunity to decide if you were right in your opinions on the fight.

Some of you say Louis won and some would have given the decision to Wolcott. At any rate your opinion has a chance to get the acid from yourself, when you will have an opportunity to see the official fight picture on the screen at the Palace theatre.

Friday and Monday, January 4 and 5, are the dates.

A regular feature will run in connection with the fight and there will be no increase in prices," Jack says.

Final fluids. Hesperian

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### South Plains News

**SOUTH PLAINS, Dec. 20**—Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marble and family returned Sunday from a Christmas visit with relatives in Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Horn were Christmas day guests of the J. B. Jarnagin family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stewart and Dean spent Christmas in Dickens.

Floyd Jaranagin and Charles Beedy were home from Texas tech college for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burgess spent the holidays with her father, Carl Daniel.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Deavenport of Truman, Arkansas, are visiting in the Wade Deavenport home.

We regret to report that G. Milton is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Edsell Hutsell are visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Guest.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hartman enjoyed having most of their children with them Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Nutt from Corpus Christi spent the holidays in the J. B. Smitherman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Reed from Dumas visited her mother, Mrs. Lena King.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Banks from Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jarrett.

The Jarrett families have had relatives from Indiana visiting with them during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Arby Mulder are the parents of a daughter born December 28 in Pitts hospital. The baby weighed three and a half pounds.

Visiting in the home of Lena King and Carrie Bostick Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Jarrett, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Jarrett and son, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Reed and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jarrett and children, Mrs. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jarrett and family and Mrs. Dan Jamison.

Mrs. Carrie Bostick and Mrs. Lena King, Charlie Jarrett and son, Carl Jarrett and Mrs. Dan Jamison left Monday morning for Indianapolis, Indiana to be at the bedside of an aged sister, Mrs. Howard Richardson.

Billie Jackson is keeping the Jarrett store in the absence of the Jarretts.

Mrs. J. R. Wiley is cooking at the school house in the absence of Mrs. Carrie Bostick.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Marble and children spent Sunday at Spearman with relatives.

Christmas dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marble were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McGhee and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Whitlock, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Cox, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jackson and girls

and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Johnson and children and Leon Marble.

Mrs. Johnnie Johnson and children visited last week in the F. L. Marble home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Smitherman had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smitherman and boys Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smitherman and son and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smitherman and children.

### DEAR DAD

(The following poem was written by Mrs. Pearl Childress, of Canyon in tribute to J. D. Childress, a Floyd County pioneer who died December 4.)

Dear Dad, since an angel took you away,  
We miss your dear face;  
Our hearts are filled with sadness  
For as a Dad, no one can fill your place.

The house is drear and lonely;  
Each day doesn't seem just right;  
Your chair sets by the fireside empty;  
And the fire doesn't glow half so bright.

You were just a dear old settler,  
That came here one pioneer day;  
When this land was just a wild prairie,  
Where the coyote roamed so free and gay.

All these years you worked and struggled;  
You made friends by the score;  
You gave help to the sick and needy,  
And welcomed the tired stranger to your door.

Dear Dad, old mercless time,  
Did not give you a fair deal;  
He left you sick and crippled,  
And many a pain your body had to feel.

But now your suffering is over;  
You have gone to that home above;  
Where there is no pain or sorrow,  
Just a perfect home of peace and love.

In my fancy, I see you smiling with our mother;  
For there, no one is sick or doth hath to die;  
Dad, your children will soon be with you,  
Never again to part or say good-by.

### CHRISTMAS GUESTS

Mrs. R. C. Watson, 211 West Crockett Street, had a number of her children and grandchildren as guests Christmas day. They were Mrs. Joe Evers, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Neil, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Betty, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Batten and daughters, Ila Marie and Charlene, O. M. Watson and son, Olin, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Orville Custer, all of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Anstead, Royce Anstead and son, of Altus, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nickless, of Crosbyton; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Culo, of Hamov; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Ammons and daughter, Sue Neil and Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Cook and daughters, Janice and Jedy, all of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Julian Edmondson and children Ronald and Gay Lynn, of Borger.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all who sent such beautiful flowers and for their friendship during our recent bereavement of wife, mother and grandmother, Mrs. Julia Ann Moore. We are especially grateful to Mrs. C. E. Neil, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Pyffe and Dr. Geo. V. Smith, L. A. Moore, Dr. W. R. Moore, Mrs. C. L. Snell, Mrs. O. L. Elliott, Mrs. Jim Armstrong, Mrs. C. L. Kester.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Chumbley and family, of Deport, Texas, and Miss Pauline Boothe, of Blossom, have been visiting with the Chumbley's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright and daughter, Charlene.

Mr. and Mrs. Noman Hamilton and daughter, Noma Lou, spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. Hamilton's mother, Mrs. Cora Hamilton, of Quitaque. Mrs. Hamilton returned to Floydada to spend a few days with her son and family.

### Lockney Locals

(Too Late for Last Week)

**LOCKNEY**—The Lockney schools were dismissed Friday for the holidays until Monday, December 29.

Word was received here last week of the death of M. Easterling, of San Bernardino, California by his brother-in-law, W. B. Sandefer. Mr. Easterling was in business in Floydada a number of years and was formerly a resident of this community before going to California.

Mrs. S. M. Moss was able to return home from Plainview hospital last Thursday after receiving medical treatment there several days ago.

Mrs. Roy Wood and daughter Mildred and Dorothy Sheffner, of Floydada, attended church here at the Baptist church and visited with friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harper have gone to the valley in South Texas to spend the winter.

Mrs. Josea Cooper, of Coleman was here last week looking after business and visiting with friends.

Mrs. W. M. Harris returned home last week after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Charlie Wilson, of Denison.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gentry and baby, of California are here to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Nora Gentry.

Mrs. Edwin Hammonds and children of Sand Hill, spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. A. C. Carthel and children.

Mrs. C. H. Brown, of South Plains spent Monday night and Tuesday with Mrs. F. S. Byars.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Chambles and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Chambles and son, of Iowa Park spent Christmas day in Floydada, guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Switzer. Mrs. Chambles and son remained for a longer visit with relatives.

Cpl. Wendell B. Daniel, stationed at Keesler Field, Mississippi, arrived home Christmas Eve night to spend a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Daniel. Wendell entered the Army Air corps in September, 1946.



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Group <b>CREPE DRESSES</b> <b>1/3 Off</b>	Group <b>CHENILLE ROBES and WOOL ROBES</b> Less Than 1/2 Price
Group <b>FELT HATS</b> <b>\$1.98 to \$3.49</b>	Group <b>Odd Lots Dresses, Suits and Coats</b> <b>\$9.95</b>
Group <b>WOOL SCARFS</b> <b>1/2 Price</b>	Group <b>SWEATERS</b> <b>\$1.49 - \$1.98</b>
Group <b>MATERNITY DRESSES</b> <b>1/2 Price</b>	Group <b>BLOUSES</b> Less Than 1/2 Price

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## Predicts Crop Prices to Stay Up During 1948

On the basis of present information, Texas farmers and ranchmen now planning their 1948 operations can look forward to their farm prices averaging about the same as 1947 but, with farm operating costs a little higher, the resulting net income will be moderately lower.

That's the word that Tyrus R. Timm, extension economist for Texas A. & M. college, brought back from the Outlook conference in Washington, D. C., where economists from the U. S. Department of Agriculture as well as representatives

from the state met recently to discuss the agricultural situation and outlook.

Continuing to the lower income will be the likelihood of smaller crop production in some areas and a slight reduction in livestock numbers. But price-wise on the things farmers sell, it looks pretty good.

Two major Texas farm groups will do well to exercise a little caution in the activities. The first is the fruit and vegetable growers. No sharp declines are expected for fruits and vegetables as a whole; however the foundation for the price structure in these commodities does not seem nearly as steady as it is in the livestock, grain and cotton enterprises. The second group is composed of those livestock and poultry producers who operate largely "out of the bag." Some of them may get caught by raising feed prices.

Of course, Timm says, uncertainty about prices of farm products is greater for the second half of 1948 than for the first. The size and condition of 1948 crops, not only in the United States but abroad as well, will affect prices later in the year.

Expenditures abroad under the Marshall Plan or its equivalent, plus full employment in this country constitutes the more important elements in the economic picture for next year and for several years to come. These two activities mean strong consumer demand.

The economists suggest that farmers and ranchmen not only observe supply and demand factors, but particular watch the hearings and actions of Congress as it goes back into session in January. It will also pay them to keep up with the developments on State Department policies in carrying out assistance programs to foreign countries. Gov-

INCREASES IN U. S. OIL USE	
USE FACTOR	INCREASE OVER 1941
AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLES	15%
GOVERNMENT USE	700%
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION	23%
FARM EQUIPMENT	100%
HOME HEATING	45%
DIESEL HORSEPOWER	300%
BOTTLED GAS	250%

ernment policy in 1948, he says, may dominate the agricultural outlook for a number of the basic agricultural commodities.

Timm says the agricultural outlook is not just guess-work. The fact that U. S. Department of Agriculture statisticians and economists worry with a lot of facts and figures seems to have paid off for the farmers. Since 1923, the USDA has published an agricultural outlook each year, largely so farmers would have an even break on knowing current conditions. A ten-year check before the war showed that the predictions made by the outlook averaged about 81 percent correct. The peak year on predictions was 1929, when the average was 87 percent.

Timm would like to give a word of warning. When prices do begin to settle, it is very likely that agricultural prices will settle first. When that happens, farmers will realize more than they do now that taxes and many other fixed costs have gone up. These costs, he says, will come down more slowly than prices. Fixed expenses, including the interest and repayment charges of indebtedness, will constitute a heavy burden when the income is not as high as it is now. Texas farmers and ranchmen will do well to remember that American farmers have yet to come out winners from an inflationary period.

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tribble were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fisher, of Plomot; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Saffell and children, of Meadow; Mrs. Pearalee Saffell, of Lubbock; Mrs. Edna Coward and Miss Mary Pearl Coward, of Denver City and Mr. and Mrs. John Ray Tribble, of Plainview.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Banks during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker and son, R. D. of Stockton; Mr. and Mrs. Dell Stalling, of Tullia; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lee Banks and son, of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Barbee and children and J. D. Hager, of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bond and son, of Amarillo, spent Christmas here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis R. Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. David E. Flowers and children, of Amarillo, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Cummings Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smithman and family, of Hart; Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Hale and family, of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cates and son, J. Mac, of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Elma Cummings and family, of Amarillo. Week-end guests in the Cummings home were Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cummings and children, Rose Ann and Neil, of Olney.

Carl Jarrett in company with C. L. Jarrett, Mrs. Lena King and Mrs. Carrie Bostick, of South Plains, and Mrs. Dan Jameson, of Baton, New Mexico, left Monday for Sheridan, Indiana, where they plan to be the remainder of this week and next visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Richardson and other relatives.

Holiday guests in the home of Mrs. E. R. Borum were Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Borum and family, of Earth; Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Borum and family, of Berger; Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Luper and children of Orange and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Borum, of Floydada.

Mrs. J. C. Parker and children and Mrs. Herbert Sparks, of Phoenix, Arizona, and Mr. and Mrs. Foxie White and family, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Dorrell.

Mrs. Carl Jarrett and children left Tuesday for Amarillo, where they will visit until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lee Banks.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Allen, of Longview, were here during the holidays visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Dorrell and Mrs. Addie Thagard.

## Baker Locals

BAKER, Dec. 29—Mr. and Mrs. Claud Fawver, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fawver, Mrs. W. C. Willis and girls, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Fawver and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bradford and son and Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith spent Sunday in the home of George L. Fawver.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Holmes and girls, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Colston, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Fawver and girls and J. B. Colston visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dowdy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Krizan and Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Riggles and son Danny, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Vickers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Allen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lee Emert, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hinkle and Mr. and Mrs. Lon Emert spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Graham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Graham and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wor.

E. E. Amburn and daughter, Edith

returned Sunday from Tulsa, Oklahoma, where they spent the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Amburn remained in Tulsa for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Pollard spent the Christmas holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Punch Cardinal and Myron.

Mrs. C. H. Brown spent the holidays in her home at South Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eaves, of Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whiteside and children, of Abilene; Roy Whiteside, of Childress; Mrs. H. J. Day and children and George, of Oklahoma City, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Eaves and children.

There will be a "42" party here Friday night. Everyone is invited.

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## EPILOGUE

(Equation of 1947-1948)

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Like lilies, they spread out to sea  
Like ferns, people enjoy the law  
And the things they think are done.

The year, our old year, good-by;  
The year, now's new year, we greet  
Our days, our old days dead lie  
Today's day is the one to treat.

With work and with rest we win  
With school and our best we grow  
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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Switzer and son, of Amarillo, spent the week-end here visiting with relatives.



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## Bassett Funeral Rites Sunday at Crosbyton

CROSBYTON, Dec. 26—Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. at the Crosbyton Methodist church for Julian M. Bassett, one of the founders of the City of Crosbyton and whose name was attached in many ways with the early development of the city. Burial was in the Crosbyton cemetery with the funeral home in charge.

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Rev. Claude Caterbury, Episcopal minister of Lubbock, officiated.  
Mr. Bassett, 74, died about 1:40 a. m. Friday morning at his home in San Antonio, where he had made his home most of the time since leaving Crosbyton in 1918.  
He is survived by his wife; three daughters, Mrs. W. W. Newton of Fort Stockton, Mrs. Ben Estes of Sweetwater, Mrs. R. E. Hamilton of Sherman, and a son, R. J. Bassett of Shreveport, La.

**Was C. B. Co. Manager**  
Mr. Bassett's father, R. M. Bassett, came to the plains country in 1883 from New York City, where at one time he was manager of the credit department of one of the largest firms in New York. Leaving his wife and small son there, he did not ask them to join him in the new country until 1884. Julian was only 11 years old at the time, and the family settled in the southwest part of Crosby county in what is known as Yellow House Canyon.

Mr. Bassett completed his education in the Quaker school at Estacado, which was then the county seat. After spending a few years in what is now Lamb county, he returned to Crosby and took over the job of managing the vast interests

of the C. B. Livestock Co. here.

At the turn of the century the old Kentucky Cattle Company owned about 200 sections of land in the eastern part of Crosby county known as the Two-Buckle ranch. Some time later the south half was sold and the north part, purchased by Coonsley Brothers and others, of Chicago, became known as the Bar-N-Bar Ranch. In 1908 the town of Crosbyton was laid out in this track and Mr. Bassett was selected as manager.

He organized the Bassett Land Company, which was the agent for C. B. Livestock company. When the Santa Fe refused to build into Crosbyton, he organized the Crosbyton-South Plains Railway, and with the financial support of the C. B. Company, completed the road into the Santa Fe. Nearly every major improvement in the city during the early days was instigated and supported by Mr. Bassett and the company which he represented.

Mr. Bassett moved to Dryden in Terrell county in 1918, buying business interests in both Dryden and San Antonio. He had lived alternately in both towns from that time until his death.

The C. B. Livestock Company decided the ground for the Crosbyton cemetery to the city, and the city immediately gave Mr. Bassett a burial plot to show their appreciation. It is on these lots that Mr. Bassett was buried.

**Tells of Early Life**  
From a speech Mr. Bassett made in June of 1903 and recorded in the Crosbyton Review, the following story of his early life was secured:

"I can remember back a good while—as much as 25 years. Twenty-six years ago I can remember in New York City my mother received a letter from my father who was at that time in Texas. We started west, and I can remember one of the first points at which we stopped down here in the Yellow House Canyon. It was known to us little fellows as Saze Grass Hill. At the time we left where Colorado City now is, the places or residence were nearly all tents, and the first night out was about 45 miles. It was in February, and we cut some broom weeds to make a mattress for my mother; then we came out into this country some 96 miles. We passed only one house and never went through a single barbed wire gate. At the point where we are now located (Crosbyton) was a sheep camp in 1884.

"Not long after that the fencing season came on, and the people began to fence small pastures and raise a little corn; farmers began to come in and the people here said they would starve out as it was no place for a farmer. Then section men came in, then the cattle and stock farmer and later on we expected to have here one of the finest farming countries in the State of Texas.

Pollbearers were Fred Robertson, Lovd Wicks, Clayton Carter, Price Smith, John McDermott, W. T. Dunn, B. Sherrod and Ernest Smith.

### NEPHEW AND COUSIN SPENDS CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS WITH THE MUNCY FAMILIES HERE

The Christmas holidays were lived for the Muncy families this year by the presence of Walter Overton, nephew of Rev. R. E. L. Muncy, and a cousin of Robt. A. B. and Ed, who ranches at Yeso, New Mexico. Mr. Overton was here from Christmas eve until Saturday, guest of Rev. Muncy at his home here. Christmas dinners among the Muncy families included gatherings of relatives and friends at the homes of Ed Muncy here and of A. B. Muncy at Muncy.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking all of our friends and neighbors who helped with their words of sympathy and deeds of kindness during the death of our wife and daughter. May God bless you is our prayer.

Clifford Bradberry, Floydada  
Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Bradberry, Crosbyton,  
Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wright, Crosbyton,  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ayres and family, Crosbyton.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking our friends for their kindness at the death of our son and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. McAda  
Cecil McAda  
Lajana Fay McAda  
Barbara Nell McAda  
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil L. Ray  
Mr. and Mrs. Truett Cargill

Mrs. E. B. Rimmer and son, Jerry, and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Travis and family, all of Stockton, California, left yesterday for Fort Worth and Dallas to visit with relatives after having spent the holidays in Floydada, guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rimmer. Other holiday guests in the Rimmer home were Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hanks, of Electra.

## Weekly SURPLUS NEWS

Next step in the steady parade of real property camp buildings disposals will be a venture into Oklahoma. The War Assets Administration will introduce its fast-action auction type selling of camp buildings at Camp Gruber, Muskogee, Oklahoma. Barracks, mess halls, and various types of GI structures will be offered in two days of informal bidding. There will be a total of 333 buildings sold without priority at Camp Gruber on January 6 and 7.

The biggest first of 1948 war surplus sale in North Texas will be a spot bid offering of \$300,000 worth of merchandise stored in the WAA's Grand Prairie sales warehouse. Goods encompass a wide variety including lumber, furniture, aluminum and metal stock, office equipment, cable, paint, chemicals, and a quantity of miscellany such as indirect heaters, auto parts and friction tape. Inspection and bidding on a non-priority basis will be held at the former North American Aviation B plant warehouse from 8:30 a. m. to 4 p. m. Wednesday and Thursday January 7 and 8, and also the following morning, Friday, until 11 a. m. Bid opening and awards will be made at the sales warehouse starting promptly at 1 p. m. Friday, January 9.

The first round of large scale building clearances at two more Texas wartime camps are already underway. A high bid sale of 700 Camp Swift buildings, held December 16 and 17, netted the government a cash return of \$463,496.05. A second cycle for Camp Swift, located near Bastrop, Texas, is planned during the latter part of January. Meanwhile approximately 500 buildings at Camp Maxey, Paris, Texas, were disposed of by means of a similar spot bid sale on December 30 and 31.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Bennett, of Davis, Oklahoma, who have been here with relatives during Christmas holidays and at Amarillo, report excellent range and farm conditions at Davis. After a leisurely stay here they plan to spend some time at Temple, where Mrs. Bennett will go through the clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Battey had as their guests through the Christmas holidays their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Cook, of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Julian Edmondson, of Borger.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Muncy and family made a brief visit during the holidays to Pulaski and Lakeview in Hall county, where they were guests of Mrs. Muncy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Crawford and her sister, Mrs. Doyle Hall and husband.

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## COPE'S DRIVE IN

## SOCIETY

Miss Dorothy Kenney and L. M. Powell, Jr., Wed Sunday Morning

LUBBOCK, Dec. 29—Miss Dorothy Kenney, daughter of Mr. G. A. Kenney, 602 Avenue N. and L. M. Powell, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Powell, Lubbock, Route 1, were married Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock in the home of Elder and Mrs. T. A. Dunn of Crosbyton, Texas, with Elder Dunn performing the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a light gray suit with brown accessories. Miss Gladys Powell, sister of the bridegroom was maid of honor, and Austin Heroman served as best man. Others attending, were Miss Kathleen Kenney, sister of the bride, and a niece, Miss Nell Kenney of Floydada.

After a short wedding trip to New Mexico, the couple will be at home in Lubbock. Mrs. Powell is employed in the office of Sherrod hardware and Mr. Powell is engaged in farming in Floyd county.

### DUNAVANT HOME GATHERING HAS 22 CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN FOR XMAS

Thirty-two children and grandchildren gathered in the home of G. I. Dunavant Christmas day to enjoy a beautiful Christmas dinner and spend the day visiting.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dunavant and children, of Ropesville; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rhodes and Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Rhodes, of Shallowater; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dunavant and Mrs. Phillips, of Plainview; Elwin Dunavant and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mosley, of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Turner and daughter, of Aiken and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dunavant and family, Myra Dunavant and Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Jones and daughters.

### GREER CHILDREN GATHER FOR RE-UNION CHRISTMAS

Children, grandchildren and great grandchildren of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Greer held their Christmas reunion in Lubbock this year.

They were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Davis and daughter, Sara Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Walker and children, Kay and Danny, of Roswell, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Mickey and daughter, Dimple, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Green and daughters, Dorothy and Peggy Ann, of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Blevins and daughter Shirley, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Greer McCleskey, of Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Roe McCleskey and daughter, Bonnie Roe and Mr. and Mrs. Wenton Butler of Lubbock.

### MRS. SHIPLEY HAS FRIENDS AND S. S. CLASS AS GUEST

Mrs. D. D. Shipley entertained friends and her Sunday school class Tuesday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Songs and games were used for entertainment and old-fashioned ambrosia and tea cakes were served to:

Mmes. Sarah Walker, R. M. McCaulley, Addie Thagard, O. B. Olson, R. H. Willis, Ella Johnson, A. R. Hanson, J. W. Gunn, I. C. Burdiger, W. H. Hilton, and Fanny Powell.

Mrs. J. E. Laughlin a week-end guest in the Shipley home helped with the serving.

### CHRISTMAS GUESTS

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McLain and son, Hobbs, Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams, of Dimmitt, and their sons and families, Vernon and Glenn; Miss Winnie McLain, of Dallas; Mrs. Roy N. Tyler and children, Betty Jean and Johnny and Mr. and Mrs. James Hagley and Pat of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. John E. Brown and daughter, Vicki, of Lubbock; Earl Brown, of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wells and Marvin of Cedar Hill; E. L. Cornelius and daughter Doris, of Floydada.

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SIX YOUNG PATIENTS at the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children at Dallas "turn tables" on the nurses and join in singing Christmas carols to their friends in white on the steps of the latter's home, the Alex A. Slaughter Memorial Nurses Home, unit of the Masonic institution which provides free treatment to crippled children of Texas. The nurses quarters were built and are maintained yearly by Mrs. Dorothy Slaughter in memory of her late husband.

Edwina Tooley, W. O. Martin Wed Dec. 25 at Camden, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tooley of Floydada, teachers in the Lakeview school, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Edwina Tooley, to W. O. Martin in Camden, Ark., Christmas Day at 4 o'clock in the home of Dr. Harris, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Dr. Harris performed the ring ceremony as the couple stood before a decorated silver Christmas tree. Other decorations included greenery, poinsettias and a manger scene. Camden is the home of the groom's father. Mrs. Tooley was a guest at the wedding.

Wearing a street length dress of winter white gabardine trimmed with gold buttons, the bride's accessories were black and her ears were gold. Her going away suit was dark brown wool with brown accessories.

### In College Who Who

Mrs. Martin holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from West Texas State College, Canyon. During her three years there she served as president of the 1944 senior class, assistant instructor of the girls physical education department and was listed as "Who's who in American Colleges and Universities" during her senior year. Mrs. Martin held various offices in the Baptist Student Union organization. She has been teaching girls physical education and Spanish in the Vernon High school since September, 1944.

Mr. Martin is a senior student in Louisiana State university and will receive his Bachelor of Science degree in petroleum engineering in August. He is a member of the Phi Mu Epsilon. Before the war Mr. Martin was employed by the Texas Oil Company in Columbia, South America, with headquarters at Bogota. He served three and one half years in the United States Army a year and one half being spent in the European Theatre, where he received a field commission in the infantry.

Five in Baton Rouge Mr. and Mrs. Martin will make their home in Baton Rouge, La., home of Louisiana State University after the end of the present school semester, ending January 23.

They are spending their honeymoon in New Orleans and on the Mississippi Gulf Coast and will make a trip from Vernon to Old Mexico, where they will spend a few days during the between semester holidays. They will also visit the bride's parents in Floydada.

### MANY GUESTS IN JACKSON HOME CHRISTMAS DAY

Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Jackson, 501 South Main Street, was enjoyed by all the children and grandchildren except one granddaughter and her husband, two sons and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tucker, of Pine Bluff, Missouri.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Traylor, of Whittier, California; Mr. and Mrs. Leeman Norman, Jr., of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Mickler and son, Ricky and Dr. and Mrs. Gean Pittman and son, Bob of Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Tarpley, of Clovis, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Jackson and daughter, Ann, of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McPhaul and children, Jacky and Linda, of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Goen and children Franklin and Bobby and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Clerk and daughter Mildred, all of Floydada.

### CHRISTMAS DINNER

Children of Mrs. R. C. Smith and of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harrison and their families had Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harrison on Christmas Day. Children of Mrs. Smith present were Foy, of Levelland; Roy and Floyd, of Morton; Bill and G. W. of Floydada; Mrs. M. T. Dunn, of Plainview; Mrs. Milton Harrison and Mrs. Don Harrison, of Floydada. Children of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison

Floyd County 14 Years Ago

(Issue of January 4, 1934)

James Alfred McNeely, 45, veteran of the World war, died at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday morning at his home.

Verne Elliott has been elected chief of the Floydada Volunteer Fire department.

La. Neil Harmon celebrated her tenth birthday Thursday, December 21, with a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hart of the Baker community returned home Saturday night from Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Miss Jean Bain left Tuesday for Waxahatchie, where she resumed her studies at Trinity university.

Rotary club had four 100 per cent meetings in month of December.

Winfred P. Newsome, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Newsome, will graduate from the law school of Baylor university in May of this year.

Mrs. A. B. Keim will be hostess to the 1929 Study club at the meeting to be held Thursday.

Floyd Dunavant, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Dunavant was married on Christmas day to Miss Vivian Phillips.

Bill Sisson of this city suffered painful injuries to his right hand Tuesday afternoon when it was caught in one of the stands at the Haynes gin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McBrien entertained the members of the Ace Bridge club with a dinner Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Barker and sons, B. K. Jr., and Addison returned Saturday from a ten day vacation trip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cates and their children enjoyed a reunion during the Christmas season.

Frances Wester returned the first of the week from Sulphur Springs where he spent the holidays with relatives.

Milton, of Floydada and Mrs. Blanton Hartsell, of Crosbyton.

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## Mrs. Selena Guthrie Killed on Holiday Trip to Visit Son

Mrs. Selena Guthrie, 66, of Lockney, was killed Tuesday of last week in a car-bus collision near Pueblo, Colorado.

Mrs. Guthrie in company with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Yates M. Keys, of Slaton, were on their way to Denver to spend the holidays with Mrs. Guthrie's son, Fay. The car skidded on the icy highway and ran head-on into a passenger bus. No passengers were on the bus at the time of the accident.

Mrs. Keys sustained several painful injuries including a large gash on the head. She is receiving treatment in a Floydada hospital. Mr. Keys received minor cuts and bruises.

Funeral services for Mrs. Guthrie were held Thursday at 3 o'clock in the Main Street Church of Christ in Lockney. J. W. Channell officiated. Interment was made in the Lockney cemetery.

Surviving, in addition to the son and daughter are the husband of the deceased, E. Guthrie, of Plains, Texas, and a grandson, Wynon Guthrie, junior quarterback of the Lockney Longhorn football squad who made his home with his grandmother.

The family has been prominent in business and social affairs of Lockney and Floyd county for 30 years. E. Guthrie at one time conducting one of the more important dry goods establishments in the county.

### THE SAN DIEGO WESTERS HAVE A SON BORN DEC. 30

Telegraphic news today to the J. C. Westers here yesterday brings the information that the Francis B. Westers of San Diego, California, have a son, which they have named Frank Michael.

Frank Michael was born on December 30. He weighed seven pounds and 11 ounces, according to the hospital scales. Mrs. Wester, the former Marcella Paulk, the new boy and Mr. Wester, the father, are reported doing nicely by the Westers here.

### MANY THANKS, EVERYONE

Following our misfortune last week the people of Floydada and Floyd county have been mighty good to us, with money and help in various ways. We are deeply grateful for all of this and want to express our appreciation in this way.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rucker and Family.

### CHRISTMAS DINNER

Guests of Mrs. Kate Collier and Margaret Friday for their Christmas dinner were Betty Lee Matney of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Shaw and V. Lee Matney, of Amarillo; Mrs. B. Y. Newman and children, of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cooper and children, of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Collier and family and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Collier and family, of Floydada.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Rafferty Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Callaway and family, of Silverton; Jim Lancaster, of Venus, Texas; Jim Bob Rafferty, of Odessa; Virginia Lindsey and son, of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Callaway and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Walding and family, of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hammonds left Sunday for their home in Dallas, after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Hammonds and Dr. and Mrs. Donald H. Pitts.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pitts, of Austin, spent the holidays with Mr. Pitts' parents, Dr. and Mrs. Donald H. Pitts. Mr. Pitts is a student at the University of Texas.

County Judge and Mrs. W. E. Grimes and their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Aylesworth, spent Christmas day in Vernon, guests of Judge Grimes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Grimes.



## HEARTY GREETINGS!

1948 CAN BE A GREAT YEAR FOR US ALL!

Our personal problems, our community problems, problems of the area, can be Solved.

But their solution calls for work and thinking. We pledge you our best efforts as the New Year dawns.

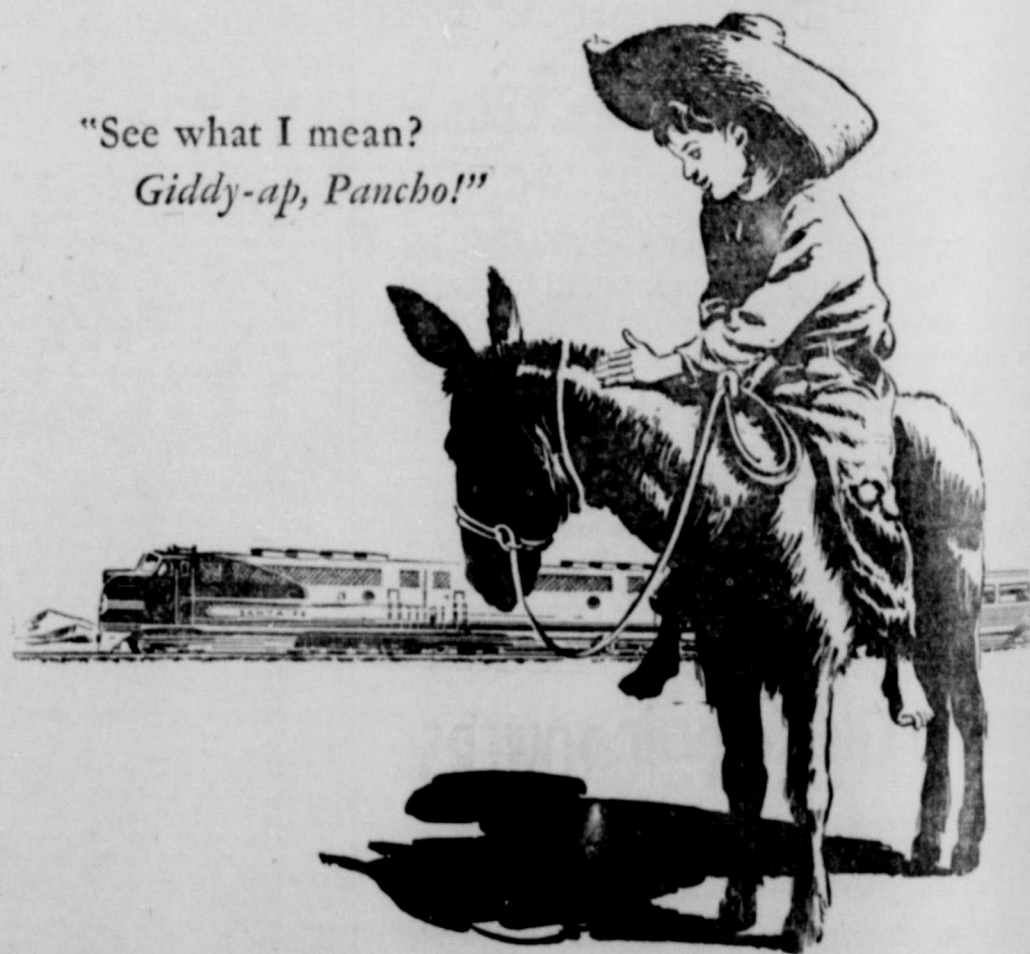
Happy New Year To All

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the more-to-enjoy route

"See what I mean? Giddy-up, Pancho!"



Our little friend has the right idea. No matter which one of our fleet of fine Santa Fe trains you ride, there's more to enjoy—more to see—more to write home about. A feast of fine Fred Harvey food and a feast for eyes whether you look for pepper-festooned villages, Indians in silver and turquoise, snow-capped mountains, or hell-for-leather cowboys. Yes, folks, that's traveling—Santa Fe style.

SANTA FE SYSTEM LINES Serving the West and Southwest

**HIGH PRICES**  
 Seem Bad  
 However  
  
**GROUND FEEDS** go Farther and make live stock and poultry produce more meat, milk and eggs.  
**McCARTY FEED MILL**

### Food Stores Plan Earlier Closing Hour

The time Floydada food stores are planning an earlier closing hour than they have been observing during the fall and winter months. Yesterday it was announced that food dealers will close at 6:30 in the evening for an indefinite period, whereas they have been observing an hour of 6:30 or 7:00.

### Irick News

IRICK, Dec. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell had as their Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Lockney and Carl Langford, of Panama City, Florida. Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes and family left Saturday for a visit to North Carolina. Mr. and Mrs. Pragan and Floyd Fragan have been here visiting, returning home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Branscum, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Battles, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Battles, Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Jones, of Grady, New Mexico. Gene Kinsard spent the holidays with his parents at Cisco, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hatchesett, of Lone Star, took Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Baxter and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Meek had as their guests Christmas day, her parents and other relatives of Floydada. Christmas day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Dollar and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rigley, were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Beavers and son, Duane, Jeanette Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Dollar and children and Mrs. J. P. Dollar.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taack had as their guests during the holidays, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Taack and boys, of Bedford; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace and children, of Kress; Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Street and Dan, of Amarillo and Miss Maggie Dieter, of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. A. Whitworth, of Marshall, Mrs. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gee of Floydada, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Holmes and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Dunn and his family spent Christmas day with relatives near Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Robertson attended a dinner for the McNeill's in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Johnson last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hall and family spent Christmas day with relatives at Abilene.

### Campbell News

CAMPBELL, Dec. 30.—A large crowd attended the program and Christmas tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Head and family and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Head Lewis and Gene visited relatives in Dallas Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Corder moved to Kerrville. We wish them much happiness.

Mrs. T. M. Carter is visiting Tink Carter and family, of Amarillo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Warren enjoyed having their children home Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gaitner from Hot Cheta, New Mexico visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baxter and other relatives during the Christmas holidays.

Guests in the W. W. Baxter home Christmas day were Ray Hopkins Cecil Baxter, Maurice Campbell Shorty Cline, J. L. Baxter, J. A. Baxter and T. J. Campbell.

Visiting with Mrs. T. M. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Warren Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ashton Mr. and Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Hicks and son, Mrs. Pratt and children and Mrs. Bratton.

We shall have a "42" social Friday night, January 2 at 7 o'clock.

### Mrs. M. A. Parrish Injured in Wreck

Mr. and Mrs. Creed Parrish went to Amarillo yesterday morning and had not returned early today, following receipt of news that their son, Marion, and wife, the former Geneva Marr, were in an automobile wreck Tuesday morning and had been hospitalized. Mrs. Parrish's injuries being critical.

Reporting the accident Tuesday morning in which Mrs. Marion Parrish was critically injured the Amarillo News said: "Only accident of a major nature yesterday was one near Pullman Switch on the north-south highway which connects 66 and 287, in which Mrs. Geneva Parrish, 24 years old, 3302 Ong, received critical injuries. The accident occurred about 7:45 o'clock."

"Her husband, Marion A. Parrish received slight cuts and bruises when the Parrish car figured in a collision with another car, driven by Mrs. James Lotar of Army Tech village. Mrs. Lotar was taken to the hospital for X-rays."

Holiday guests in the home of Mrs. C. P. McPherson in Lockney were Mr. and Mrs. Ruel McPherson and Wiley McPherson, of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Griffith, of San Marcos; J. P. McPherson, of Belton New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson and Billy, of Lockney, and Mary McPherson, of Floydada.

Holiday visitors in the Lee Burnett home were Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Cook and family, of Hooker, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burgett and family, of Shallowater; Mr. and Mrs. Travis Burgett and family, of Berzer; and Morris Mowyers, of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Cubert Gray and daughter, Sonya Kay, of Amarillo and Rev. and Mrs. Clifford Potts and family, of Matador, visited during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Hamilton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Martin Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Simpson will leave today for their home in Stockton, California after having spent the last week in the home of Mrs. Brown's and Simpson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Looper.

### DALE KING AT HOME

P. F. C. Dale King is spending a thirty day leave in the home of his mother Mrs. Ethel King. Mrs. King met Dale in Breckenridge where they spent the Christmas holidays in the home of Mrs. Rusty Russell, Mrs. King's daughter.

Dale and his mother returned to Floydada Monday and Dale intends to spend the remainder of his leave here before reporting back to his station, San Diego, California.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Looney and family returned Monday of this week from East Texas, where they had been guests of Mrs. Littrell of Anna, Texas, mother of Mrs. Looney. They also visited with Mr. Looney's mother at Commerce and made short stops in other towns to visit with friends and relatives they had not seen in some years.

Sgt. Ervin P. Looney, who is stationed at Fairfield-Suisun A. A. F., arrived in Floydada December 29 to spend a 20-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Looney. Sgt. Looney's job is the computing, auditing and briefing for the separation finance office.

Thelma Doyle and Howell Lacy of Albuquerque, New Mexico; and Rev. and Mrs. Lonnie Doyle, of Mineral Wells, left for their respective homes Sunday, after having spent the holidays here guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Doyle.

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### Elmer Rucker Hurt As Truck Crashes

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rucker have been at Stamford, Texas, since last week with their son, Elmer, who was badly hurt in a truck wreck on the highway between Anson and Hamlin on the night of December 22.

Injuries to the youth included a crushed jaw for which he has been having medical and surgical treatment.

A senior in high school, Elmer was helping his father during the holiday season on a wheat hauling job. Elmer was at the wheel when the truck jack-knifed and the trailer heavily loaded with wheat crushed the cab and power plant. W. E. Rucker escaped with bruises and minor injuries but the high school boy was pinned in the wreckage until help could be obtained.

Mrs. Rucker went to Stamford on the day following the wreck.

The truck has been returned to Floydada, practically a complete wreck.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baggett left Friday for their home in Ozona, Texas, after visiting in Floydada the past two weeks, guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Nelson.

Everett Price, of Clovis, New Mexico was in Floydada a short time during the week-end attending to business and visiting with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Colston and son, of Littlefield, spent Christmas day here, guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Carver.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Winfrey and daughter, Lisa, of Independence, Missouri, spent the holidays here with Mrs. Winfrey's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Muench.

### Deeds Recorded

Calvin Poteet to Curtis Poteet, part of block 8 in Price First addition to Floydada.

W. O. Speck to R. H. Ford, 209.97 acres out of the S½ of survey 60 of block D-2.

Adrian Crawford to W. L. Davis, 240 acres being all of the James H. Kropp Homestead survey and all of the M. W. Ferguson Homestead survey.

A. R. Blossom to Vernon Gross, part of the M. M. Day, Maj. Benjamin and G. W. Smith surveys in Floyd county.

Bernard Martin to Floyd County REA, all of lots 14, 15 and 16, block 85, original town of Floydada.

Lon Davis, Jr., of Wichita Falls spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Davis Sr. The family visited relatives in Canyon during Lon, Jr.'s stay here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Chapman spent the week-end in Vernon visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Reed.

Wilma Hamilton is in Amarillo this week, guest of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Cubert Gray.

Norma Jean Moore will return today from Dimmitt, where she has been since Monday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hill.

Mrs. A. L. Spence, of Colton, California, is here for an indefinite visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Huckabee.

### Happy New Year

Thank you friends for your loyal patronage during the year 1947. We have endeavored to serve you well and will continue to provide our customers with the finest service in 1948.

**SPUDS**  
No. 1 — 10 Lbs.  
**49c**

**Sausage Seasoning**

**Meat Salt Sugar Cure**

**APPLE JELLY**  
Quart  
**27c**

Eggs — My, the food value in a dozen.  
**Retail 45c**

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We will grind your Sausage Meat

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### Former Resident Dies at Comanche

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Green and their sons, Billie, Clyde and Johnnie, returned home last week from Comanche, Texas, where they went to attend the funeral rites of Mrs. R. C. Choat, 78, who died there on Saturday before Christmas. Mrs. Choat is Mrs. Green's mother.

The funeral was held at Comanche on Sunday afternoon and interment was made at Sydney cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. El Bishop and sons Jerry Ed and Donald, of Dalhart; Mrs. J. J. Hayes, of Gatesville and Tom Bishop, of Temple.

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Mrs. R. E. Fry has been guest of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McCullough, of Fort Worth, during the Christmas holidays, as has Mrs. Neil H. Wright, jr., of Lubbock, a sister of Mrs. McCullough. Mr. Fry went down to Fort Worth yesterday to spend New Year's and he and Mrs. Fry, with Mr. and Mrs. Wright will return during the week-end.

Robert Colville will leave today for Pullman, Washington to resume his studies at Washington State college, after having spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Colville.

### MARRIAGE RECORD

Marriage license were issued to: J. B. Ashburn and Wanda Nell Vener, December 22; Charles T. Finley and Martha E. Riddle, December 21; Ralph C. White and Dorothy June Cantrell, December 20; Jack Hough and Margaret Abbott, December 23; W. W. Oden and Barbara Morrison, December 20; Billy Joe Lander and Betty Alventene Ogden, December 19; W. A. Poe and Adaline Catlin, December 19; Edsel B. Martin and Marjorie Louise Cox, December 17; George W. Pigg and Johnnie Bell Baker, December 17; Alvis L. Chowning and Bettye Chowning, December 17.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hogue spent Monday night here with Mrs. Hogue's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McLain, enroute to their home in Albuquerque, New Mexico from a visit in Dallas and points in Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Alva Reed and family spent Christmas day in Plainview guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Leeman Norman, jr., of Lubbock, spent the holidays here visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Welborn spent Thursday and Friday in Amarillo with R. L. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Sparks and children, Don and Sue, spent the holidays in Waco visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Johnson and family, of Lamesa, visited during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Powell at Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Nichols, of Norman, Oklahoma, spent the holidays here visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bracher, of Amarillo, spent the holidays in Floydada, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reue.

Mrs. E. B. Rucker is spending several weeks in Amarillo with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Rucker.

Rowena Turney, of Tulla, visited friends in Floydada during the week-end.

Lindell Simmons, student at Howard-Payne college in Brownwood spent the holidays in Floydada with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Simmons.

## INVENTORY CLEARANCE

### 50 per Cent Mark Down on Women's and Girls' Dresses

Dozens to Select from in all sizes and colors.



A Large Group of Ladies' Purses formerly \$2.98 to \$4.95. During Clearance, will sell for — **50c -- \$1.00**

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In all heel sizes and wedges.  
**PATENT, CALF and SUEDE SHOES**  
200 Pair at **\$1.00** per Pair

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## ALFALFA GROWERS!

The New Sargent Side Delivery Rake will be on Display at Plains Equipment Company at 3:30 p. m., **Wednesday, January 7**

Gentlemen, if you are going to need a new Side Delivery Rake you must see this one before you buy.

## Plains Equipment Company

313 South Wall St. Floydada

## Mayo to Show Dodge Truck on January 7

DETROIT, Mich.—A completely new line of Dodge "Job-Rated" trucks comprising 248 basic chassis models ranging from 4250 to 23,000 pounds gross vehicle weight and up to 40,000 pounds gross train weight was announced today by Dodge Division, Chrysler corporation.

Some models of the new trucks will be displayed starting January 7 by Mayo Motor company in Floydada.

A combination of massive strength and smoothly flowing lines is the keynote of styling for the new trucks. They were designed to combine appearance with comfort, safety, performance, economy and ease of handling.

Front axles have been moved back and engines have been moved forward. The wheelbase for conventional models through the 2-ton has been reduced eight inches, while the 2½ and 3-ton models have been re-

## Dodge Introduces New Trucks



Among the 248 basic gross vehicle weight chassis models just announced in the new Dodge "Job-Rated" truck line is this 3-1/2-ton tractor of 128-inch wheelbase, 15,500 pounds gross vehicle weight (1½-ton nominal rating) and 28,000 pounds gross train weight. The trucks have many new features.

duced six inches. The new trucks have been engineered so that despite the shorter wheelbases, the cab-to-axle dimensions remain practically unchanged, making it possible to use the same length bodies as before.

New ease of handling and driving has been provided by the shorter wheelbases and wider tread front axle, together with cross steering, which is a new feature on all conventional cab models.

Standard, de luxe and custom cabs provide more room, more visibility, more safety, and more comfort for the driver.

Seat width has been increased to 37½ inches to permit three large men to ride without crowding.

The seat cushion utilizes air in combination with coil springs to provide comfort.

Comfort in any season or weather is provided by an all-weather heating and ventilating system.

De luxe and custom cabs have what is termed "360-degree vision"

through increased glass area and installation of rear quarter windows. Conventional models can be road serviced from the left side as the fuel tank, oil filler, radiator filler and battery are so located.

### THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: J. T. Bynum and wife, Mary Louise Bynum; T. E. Dawson, Henry Hobbs and wife, Teck Hobbs; Frank Archer and wife, Lizette Archer; T. F. Bynum and wife, Henry Bynum; E. M. Bynum; Mrs. E. M. Pairey; Henry Hobbs and wife, Teck Hobbs; Floyd Bynum and wife, Henrietta Bynum; A. J. Bynum and wife, Mettie Bynum; A. B. Henry and wife, Annie Henry; Will Belyne and wife, Maggie Belyne, together with the unknown spouses of each of said defendants who may be married and if any of the above named parties are deceased, then their respective unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, administrators, executors and other personal representatives, Defendants.

GREETING: You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Floyd County, Texas at the Court House thereof, in Floydada, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 26th day of January, 1948, in this cause, numbered 3718 on the docket of said court and styled Noble Hunsucker et al, Plaintiffs VS J. T. Bynum, et al, defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Trespass to try title suit by Noble Hunsucker and Penelope A. Dougherty, joined pro forma by her husband, F. M. Dougherty, as plaintiffs against the persons first named and described in this Writ, to whom this Writ is directed, as defendants Plaintiff, Noble Hunsucker alleges that on the 22nd day of October 1947, he was the owner in fee simple of all of the surface and one-half of the oil, gas and or other minerals in an under the hereinafter described land; Plaintiff, Penelope A. Dougherty alleges that on the 22nd day of October, 1947 she was the owner in fee simple of one-half of the oil, gas and or other minerals in and under the hereinafter described land, to-wit:

FIRST TRACT: 137.5 acres of land in Floyd and Crosby Counties, Texas, being the West part of Survey No. 377, T. E. Dawson, Original Grantee, known as School File No. 6412 and described by metes and bounds, as follows: BEGINNING at a stone and 3 pits in E. line of Survey No. 1, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co., Cert. No. 16-173, located by Surveyor Orend, for NW Corner of Franklin Archer Survey No. 4, Block 13, for the N. W. Corner this tract: THENCE East 1905.9 vrs to stone and pits in S. Line Survey No. 1, W. C. Ry. Co., for N. E. Corner this Tract: THENCE South 406.4 vrs to stone and pits in the N. Line of said Survey No. 4 for the S. E. Corner of this tract: THENCE S. 89° 58' W 19-05.9 vrs to place of beginning.

SECOND TRACT: 126.1 acres of land in Floyd and Crosby Counties, Texas, a part of Survey No. 4, Block 13, School File 2247, the land being described by metes and bounds as follows: BEGINNING at a stone and 3 pits in the E. Line of Susan Sallie Survey located by Surveyor Orend in 1911 for S. W. Corner Survey No. 4, and N. W. Corner Survey No. 4-½ A. B. & M., Block H; THENCE North 373.3 vrs to stone and 3 pits in E. line Survey No. 1, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co. for N. W.

## J. H. Baxter, Road Accident Victim, Is Buried at Lockney

Puneral services for John Henry Baxter, 65, who was killed instantly at Lockney, when struck by a car Friday evening, were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the West Side Church of Christ in Lockney. Interment was made in the Lockney cemetery with Crager Funeral home in charge of the arrangements.

Mr. Baxter was working along a road in the east edge of Lockney when he was struck by a car driven by Clove Childress, 24, of Lockney. Both Childress and Baxter were going east at the time of the accident. Childress was blinded by the headlights of oncoming cars. He stopped and gave aid and was exonerated of blame in what was termed an unavoidable accident by witnesses.

Mr. Baxter was born May 18, 1882 near Nashville, Tennessee, and came to Texas early in life. He had lived in the vicinity of Lockney for thirty years. He had been farming near Lone Star until recently when he retired and moved to Lockney.

Survivors include his wife and four sons: Clyde, Bascom, and Ernest, all of Lockney and Horace of Plainview; a daughter, Mrs. E. L. Brotherton, of Lockney; eleven grandchildren; four brothers, George Frank and Charlie, of Brashear and Joe, of Houston; two sisters, Mrs. Lena Harrison, of Brashear and Mrs. Denna Crane, of Lockney.

### Center News

CENTER, Jan. 1—A good crowd enjoyed the Christmas tree and program last Tuesday night.

The Travis Lightfoot family spent Christmas at Stamford.

Victor Green of Plainview spent Christmas with home folks here.

The J. R. Robertson family had all their children at home some time during the holidays.

The J. E. Green family spent the week-end with relatives in Phillips. Clyde Green left Sunday morning for Oklahoma City to visit friends.

Corner this tract: THENCE North 89° 58' E. 1905.9 vrs to stone in S. line Survey No. 377, T. E. Dawson, for N. E. Corner this tract: THENCE South 374.4 vrs to N. W. corner Survey No. 5-½ Block H, For S. E. Corner this tract: THENCE West 1905.9 vrs to place of beginning.

That on said date the hereinabove named defendants unlawfully entered upon and disposed the plaintiffs of such land. Plaintiffs further plead the five and ten year statute of limitations in bar to any defense the defendants may have, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas this 9th day of December A. D. 1947.

ATTEST:  
Mrs. J. O. Dudley, Clerk,  
District Court, Floyd County,  
Texas  
By Mrs. P. W. Bell, Deputy.  
(SEAL) 45 4tc.

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and may the New Year bless you with all the good things in life. May success, happiness and health be yours.

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and attend the basketball tournament there the first of this week. He then returned to Brownwood.

Mrs. Ida Welborn is recovering from an attack of influenza.

Eatrice and Donna Welborn underwent a tonsilectomy Tuesday of this week at Plainview.

Several from Center attended the Workers' conference at Ralls Tuesday.

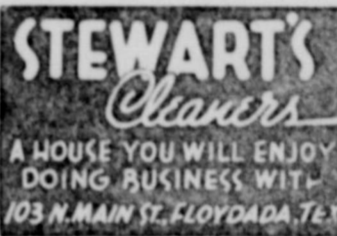
Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Hale have returned to home and school at Abilene, after spending the holidays here, guests of Mr. Hale's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sam Hale. Wayland is a student at McMurry college.

Granddaddy and Grandmother Blackmon, of Plainview, visited during the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. Sam Hale and with Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Blackmon and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rainer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Murry and daughter, Becky, spent last week-end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Murry and family in Perryton, Texas.



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## Turkey Numbers Down this Year

COLLEGE STATION, Sept.—U. S. farmers now have 34 million turkeys on the farm, and although that is a lot of meat, it's 16 percent less than last year's production. About 3,681,000 of these birds are in Texas, which is being ranked out of another first place by California where almost 4 million turkeys are being raised.

All but three states in the union have decreases in turkeys raised compared with a year ago, according to USDA's Bureau of Agricultural Economics. The decrease, says the bureau, is due to unfavorable relationships, unusually large storage stocks toward the end of the season, high feed costs and the uncertainty of 1947 turkey prices.

Texas turkey raisers have 13 percent less birds than in 1946, when at this time of year there were over 4,321,000 turkeys in the state.

## Call For Election Crosby County Road Bond Issue

CROSBYTON, Dec.—A road bond issue calling for the issuance of \$100,000 in bonds for the construction of 48 miles of farm-to-market roads in Crosby county, has been called for Saturday, January 31.

This action was taken at a call meeting of the Crosby County Commissioners' court here Monday, Dec. 22, at which time the commissioners received petitions containing the names of 178 tax-paying voters of the county.

Exact figures have not yet been set out, but a tax rate of approximately 30 cents per \$100 valuation, payable in 30 years, will be the issue if voted, County Judge Perry Pieratt said Monday.

The petitions call for 48 miles of road, 12 miles in each of the precincts of the county.

## Fairview News

FAIRVIEW, Dec. 29—This week started out not so good so far as weather is concerned. We have a dusty wind blowing from the west. The past two weeks have had ideal weather.

There was the usual visiting and company over the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozby and Mrs. Dee went to New Braunfels for Christmas and Mrs. Cozby returned for several more days visit with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Goodman.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Perry spent Christmas day in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill O'Dell spent their holidays visiting at Borger with their mother and at Spearman with their father.

Mr. R. Hobson, of San Francisco, California spent several days here with his niece, Mrs. E. W. Walls and family. Sunday Mrs. Walls and Mr. Hobson left for a few days visit with relatives at Electra, Oklahoma City and Lexington, Alabama.

Mr. E. W. Walls and Walton Wilson attended the funeral of Mr. Baxter Lockney, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Ritchey spent the holidays in Lubbock with their daughters and families.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Payne and Mrs. Kathryn and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell went to Lubbock Christmas day, where they spent the night and Christmas day with relatives. Mrs. Bagwell visited her folks, the Thackwell family, and the Paynes visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Durrett.

Mr. Clyde Bagwell returned home Sunday morning from Los Angeles, California, where he spent the holidays with his mother and other relatives.

Mrs. Mary Dee Cozby spent Sunday with Mary Ann Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Horton visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, of Harmony.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Knox, of Oxford, are here for a visit in the home of Mrs. Knox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Shultz. While here Mr. Knox will be salesman for the Sada bakery while Carl Jarrett, of the firm, is absent from town on a trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Finley and sons spent Christmas day in Lubbock where they were guests of Mrs. Finley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Finley.

## Department Takes Over Plainview to Petersburg Road

PLAINVIEW—With the taking over of 21 miles of the Plainview-Petersburg highway maintenance the State Highway department has in Hale County 66 miles of secondary highways, designated in Texas as farm-to-market roads, S. C. McCarty, district engineer for the Texas State Highway department, told Plainview Kiwanians Friday of last week.

The action in designating the Petersburg road for maintenance was taken two or three days ago, McCarty said.

At a prior meeting of the commission five and a half miles west from Petersburg was accepted for maintenance.

## CROSBY COUNTY TO HAVE MORE THAN 60 THOUSAND BALES IN 1947 SEASON

CROSBYTON, Dec.—Crosby county cotton ginnings from the 1947 crop had reached 54,896 bales on Dec. 1, according to a report issued this week by T. G. Lyle, special agent for the Bureau of the Census which has charge of tabulating the amount of cotton ginned.

At the same time last year only 12,886 bales were reported by Mr. Lyle for the 1946 crop.

With much cotton ginned since Dec. 1, and still considerable left yet to gin, the total for Crosby county will likely pass the 60,000 bale mark for the season.

## BOY NAMED JOHN DAVID

LOCKNEY—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Mitchell of the Pleasant Valley community are the parents of a baby son born December 18 at a Lubbock hospital. The young man, the first child of the Mitchells has been named John David. He weighed six pounds and ten ounces. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Mitchell, of Lockney and Mrs. John Haney, of Crosbyton.

## CARD OF APPRECIATION

We wish to express our deep gratitude and thanks to all our friends and neighbors and all others who assisted in any way during our recent bereavement. Your many acts of kindness have lightened our burdens in many ways, and we shall treasure their memories with lasting appreciation.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wood  
Lee Allen and family  
Jasper Allen and family

## CARD OF THANKS

Your kind expressions of sympathy are deeply appreciated.

Mrs. J. W. Reasoner and family

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Irby and children Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Martin, Elwyn Martin, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith, Jr. and son, Buzzy and Mrs. E. W. Gunn, Mrs. Pearl Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gunn, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Martin and son, Braney Joe, of Flomot.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Anderson and daughter, Mary Lynn, of Pampa, spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Medlen. Mrs. Anderson and baby remained for a longer visit and will return home Sunday. Another daughter, Roberta, of Dallas, spent last week with her parents, and Maurine Medlen, student at WTSC, Canyon, is here this week guest of her parents.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Wright last week were their daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Crawford, of Fort Worth; another daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. R. Y. Bradford of Colorado City; a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wright and daughter, Paula, of Amarillo and Rev. Clayton Hicks, of Plainview.

Holiday guests in the home of Mrs. Mable Foster were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Foster of Los Alamos, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Foster, of Houston and Miss June Foster, student at Hardin-Simmons university.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moore and children, of Christoval, Mr. and Mrs. James Burrus, of Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cavin and Mr. and Mrs. DeWinn Pyffe, of Lubbock, spent the holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Pyffe.

Jean Bain, home demonstration agent at Breckenridge, and Kenneth Bain, Jr., law student at the University of Texas in Austin, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bain, sr.

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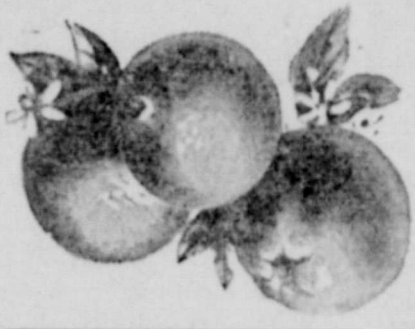
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Dorman <b>BLACK EYE PEAS</b> , No. 2 <b>.15</b>	<b>CHERRIES</b> , No. 2 <b>25c</b>	Hunt's <b>PEACHES</b> , No. 1 <b>.19</b>
<b>TOMATOES</b> , No. 2 <b>.14</b>	<b>PEERLESS KRAUT</b> , No. 2½ <b>10c</b>	Hunt's <b>APRICOTS</b> , No. 2½ <b>.25</b>
Happy Vale <b>PEAS</b> , 303 <b>.13</b>	<b>AMBASSADOR TISSUE</b> , 7c	Denton — <b>CRUSHED PINEAPPLE</b> , 8 Oz. <b>.15</b>
Van Camp <b>Pork &amp; Beans</b> , 300 <b>.15</b>	<b>PURE FRUIT FIG PRESERVES</b> , 15 Oz. <b>23c</b>	Libby's <b>PEARS</b> , No. 1 <b>.27</b>
Dorman <b>POTATOES</b> , No. 2 <b>.17</b>		Wolco <b>BLACKBERRIES</b> , No. 2 <b>.19</b>
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# Social Events, Clubs

## Marjorie Cox Bride of Edsel Martin in December Wedding

In an impressive double ring ceremony, Marjorie Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Cox, of Lockney, became the bride of Edsel (Pepp) Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Martin, of Lockney, Sunday, December 21 at 2 o'clock in the First Baptist church in Lockney. Rev. A. L. Shaw, pastor of the First Baptist church in Happy, performed the ceremony before an arch decorated with fern and chrysanthemums, flanked on either side by baskets of gladioli and candelabras. Miss O'Berla Brendal, of Plainview, acted as bridesmaid. "Always" preceding the ceremony, the traditional wedding march was played. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white satin bouffant-skirted bridal dress with a high neck and long pointed sleeves. She wore a tunic with fingerless gloves and carried a bouquet of red roses with red streamers. For something blue, the bride wore earrings, something borrowed and something old was an engagement ring belonging to the groom's mother. She wore a penny in her hair for good luck. Miss Nova Jean Cox, sister of the bride, attended as bridesmaid. She wore a powder blue taffeta dress adorned after the bride's and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Mr. B. Johnston, Jr., served the groom as best man. Ushers were Budage of Lockney, and Wilburn of Plainview. The bride's mother wore a blue dress with brown accessories and a carnation corsage. The groom's

mother wore a black dress with black accessories and a corsage of white carnations. Mrs. Martin graduated from Lockney high school with the class of 1946. She attended Draughon's Business college in Lubbock and has been employed in Lubbock and Plainview the past year. Mr. Martin graduated from Florent High school with the class of 1944. He has been engaged in farming.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. The lace covered table was centered with an arrangement of gladioli with candles on either side. The three tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom and the punch bowl were on either end of the table. After the bride and groom cut the first piece of the cake, Mrs. Clark Harris, Mrs. A. M. Dorsey, Mrs. Lee Bilberry and Mrs. Alton Noland served to about fifty relatives and friends. For going away, the bride chose a brown dress with brown accessories and wore a corsage of red roses. After the first of the year the couple will be at home on a farm one and a half miles west of Hart, Texas.

### ON ORIENTAL CRUISE

GREAT LAKES, Ill.—Billy D. Collier, seaman, first class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Collier of Route 1, Crosbyton, Texas, has returned to Tsingtao, China, aboard the destroyer USS Mason, after visiting many of the important ports in the Western Pacific. The Mason, the destroyer USS Rupertus, and the cruiser USS Atlanta, accompanied the USS Estes, flagship of Admiral C. M. Cooke, Commander Naval Forces, Western Pacific.

## Musical Interlude Feature of Holiday Party '34 Study Club

The 1934 Study club met for their annual Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw, 303 West California, with Mary Shaw as hostess. The group went from the Shaw home to the Methodist church, where they heard the dedication of the Hammond organ, the new Maas chimes and the offering of music by Rev. Joe Strother, of Okmulgee, Oklahoma. After the services at the church the group gathered again at the Shaw home and concluded the program with a Christmas story told by Mrs. I. T. Graves and accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Carl Muench, who was leader of the program.

After gifts were distributed, refreshments were served to Diana Gresham, Anne Swepton, Mary Frances Haden, Polly Cardinal, Jettie Moss, Elizabeth Armstrong, Frances Graves, Emma Louise Johnston, Avis Muench, Flora McNeill, Bernice Stapleton, Mary Penner, Thelma Hoffman, Lella Petty, Margaret Collier, Florence Crowell, Jewel Martin, Martin Shaw, Ruby Evans and Irene Sherill. Visitors present were Glee Thomas, Helen Patterson and Beverly Thomas.

## Mrs. Morrison and W. W. Goen Married on December 20

Mrs. Barbara Morrison and W. W. (Bud) Goen were united in marriage in a quiet single ring ceremony performed Saturday night, December 20 in the law office of Judge W. E. Grimes. Judge Grimes read the ceremony in the presence of Melvin Henry and Reba Debnam. Mrs. Goen came to the United States in April from York, England. She has been in Floydada since May and has been employed as secretary to Judge Grimes the past five months. Mrs. Goen and her parents moved to York from Coventry in November 1941, when it was bombed. Mr. Goen is employed at White Drug company. The couple are making their home at 110 West Kentucky street.

## Cantrell-White Vows Said December 21

Miss Dorothy June Cantrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cantrell, and Ralph C. White, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. White, of Petersburg, were united in marriage in a single ring ceremony performed December 21 at 4:30 p. m. in the home of Rev. G. K. Rogers in Plainview. The couple's only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Cantrell. Mrs. White graduated from Floydada High school with the class of 1947. Prior to her wedding, she was employed at McDonald Hardware store. The couple plan to make their home in Lubbock, where Mr. White is employed with a steel company.

### ATTEND FUNERAL RITES FOR FRIEND AT HENRIETTA

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton, of Dougherty, attended the funeral rites held on Christmas eve for an old friend, W. B. Powell, who died at the age of 62 on the Tuesday before. The rites were held at Henrietta, where interment was made. Mr. Powell is survived by his widow and four children.

### MAKES MILLIONTH VEHICLE

With the production today of its 1,000,000th vehicle in 1947, Chevrolet became the first single company in the automobile industry to manufacture a million cars and trucks a year since before the war.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Mayo returned Friday from Nevada, Texas, where they spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. John Mayo, and with Mrs. Mayo's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Watkins. They made the trip down-state on the day of Christmas eve.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bartley, of Amarillo, were here over Christmas guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McCauley and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Steen.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Jones and son, of Crowell, were in Floydada a short time Christmas day, guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cantrell.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Denison, Jr. and children, of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Denison and daughter, of Idalou, visited during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Denison, Sr., of Dougherty.

Mrs. Ethel Wells of Amarillo, Texas, spent last week visiting with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Tubbs.

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### Political Calendar

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certified poll list to election boards. In counties containing cities of more than 10,000 inhabitants, supplemental lists shall be furnished until four days prior to election.

May 1—Precinct conventions for

presidential nominations.  
 May 4—County Conventions for presidential nominations.  
 May 17—Last day to file for chief justice or associate justice of the court of civil appeals, representative in congress, state senator or representative, district judge or district attorney.  
 May 25—State convention to name delegates to presidential nominating convention; held where designated by state executive committees of political parties.  
 June 7—Last day to file for state offices with the executive committee.  
 June 14—State executive committee meets to select state convention site and to certify to county chairmen names of candidates for places on ballot.  
 June 19—Last day to file for county and precinct offices.  
 June 21—County executive committee determines the order of names on the ballot and assesses costs.  
 June 24—First day for filing first campaign expense report; state and district candidates' reports filed with the secretary of state; county candidates, with county clerk.  
 June 26—Last day for candidates

to pay ballot fees.  
 June 28—Primary committee makes up official ballot.  
 June 28—Last day for first campaign expense report.  
 July 4—Absentee voting begins.  
 July 12—First day for second campaign expense report.  
 July 15—Last day for second campaign expense report.  
 July 19—Last day for voters in cities of over 10,000 who have moved to new voting boxes, to appear before tax assessor-collector for corrected certificates; or for voter who has moved to new county or new precinct to present his certificate of residence in order to have his name added to list in precinct of his new residence.  
 July 20—Last day for absentee voting.  
 July 22—County clerk sends absentee votes to presiding judges of precincts.  
 July 24—First primary.  
 July 24—Precinct conventions held by all political parties.  
 July 24—Unofficial reports of returns shall be made to secretary of state by midnight.  
 July 27—Last day for election judges to make returns to county chairmen.

### SKYSTREAKS TO RECORD



The Navy captured the world's speed record in August, 1947, and, five days later, broke it with the jet-propelled "Skystreak," shown above. Piloted by Comdr. Turner E. Caldwell, Jr., USN, the plane flew 640.7 miles per hour in the first test at Muroc Field, Calif. Within a week Maj. Marion Carl, USMC, set a new mark of 659.6 miles per hour in the same plane. (Official U. S. Navy Photograph)

Oct. 2—Last day for county judge to have notices of General election posted.  
 Oct. 12—Last day for party state committees to certify names of candidates for president and vice president to the secretary of state.  
 Oct. 13—Absentee voting begins for general election.  
 Oct. 29—Last day for absentee voting.  
 Nov. 2—General election. Selection of presidential electors.  
 Nov. 2—Unofficial reports of returns shall be made to secretary of state by midnight.  
 Nov. 5—Presidential electors certified to county judges.  
 Nov. 5—Final date (within 72 hours from closing of polls) for presiding judges to report returns to county judge.  
 Nov. 8—Commissioners court shall examine returns and "estimate" the results as to presidential electors; county judge forwards returns to secretary of state.  
 Nov. 8—Commissioners court shall examine returns and "estimate" the results of general election. If court does not meet on this day, it shall meet "at the earliest day practicable thereafter."  
 Nov. 10—County judges shall, within 48 hours after commissioners court examine returns, forward returns to the secretary of state.  
 Nov. 12—Last day for filing final expense reports of candidates.  
 Nov. 7—Secretary of state, governor and attorney general canvass returns for state and district offices and the governor issues certificates of election.  
 Nov. 22—Secretary of state, governor and attorney general canvass returns for presidential electors and issue certificates of election.  
 1949: Jan. 11—Legislature convenes; Secretary of state delivers election returns for governor and lieutenant governor to speaker of house for canvass within first week of session. (Constitution, Art. Sec. 3)  
 Jan. 18—Governor and lieutenant governor inaugurated. (Constitution, Art. IV, Secs. 4, 6)

### Oil Reports

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ed wildcat to be drilled. The contract with the light company for furnishing 500 horse power of continuous 24-hour basis.  
 Drilling in Hard Formation Yesterday Leota M. Daniel, N. of the Standard of Texas was reported drilling in a hard formation at 6900 feet yesterday morning. After a run of more than a thousand feet of considerably porous formation is not thought to be granite which was hit in the Montgomery No. 1, several miles east at 10,000 feet.

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**Orange Juice, 2.89**  
 Case, 12 46-oz cans

Kellogg's  
**PEP, 14c**  
 Box.

Diamond  
**MATCHES, 31c**  
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<b>Blackberries</b> No. 2 Can <b>19c</b>	<b>KRAUT</b> 2 No. 2 Cans <b>23c</b>
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<b>PORK &amp; BEANS, 25c</b> 2 Cans	<b>Mince Meat</b> 15-Oz. Jar <b>15c</b>	<b>Pop Corn</b> Georgia Pop—2 Cans <b>29c</b>
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Large Can.

Surefine Red  
**Kidney Beans, 15c**  
No. 2 Can.

Fancy  
**PRUNES, 21c**  
No. 2 1/2 Can.

Hunt's Whole  
**APRICOTS, 27c**  
No. 2 1/2 Can.

Adam's  
**Orange Juice, 25c**  
46-Oz. Can.

Brook's  
**Butter Beans, 15c**  
Can.

Kellogg's  
**PEP, 14c**  
8-Oz. Package.

Diamond  
**MATCHES, 31c**  
Per Carton.

**RAISINS, 29c**  
2-Lb. Cello.

Crushed  
**Pineapple, 29c**  
No. 2 Can.

## STAR CASH VALUES

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### Country Spare Ribs & Backbones

<b>SLICED BACON</b> Lb. <b>79c</b>	<b>PICNIC HAM</b> <b>49c Lb.</b>
<b>PORK CHOPS</b> Pound <b>55c</b>	<b>BEEF SHORT RIBS</b> Lb. <b>39c</b>

July 29—First day for first expense report, second primary.  
 July 31—County executive committee canvasses returns.  
 July 31—County conventions.  
 Aug. 2—Last day for first expense report, second primary.  
 Aug. 3—Last day for final expense report, first primary.  
 Aug. 8—First day for absentee voting, second primary.  
 Aug. 9—State executive committee meets to canvass returns and certify first primary nominations to general election ballot.  
 Aug. 16—First day for second expense report, second primary.  
 Aug. 19—Last day for second expense report, second primary.  
 Aug. 23—Last day for independent and non-partisan candidates to file with secretary of state for place on general election ballot.  
 Aug. 24—Last day for absentee voting, second primary.  
 August 26—County clerk sends absentee ballots to presiding judges of precincts.  
 Aug. 28—Second primary.

Aug. 28—Unofficial reports of returns shall be made to secretary of state by midnight.  
 Aug. 29—First day for final expense report, second primary.  
 August 31—Last day for election judges to make returns to county chairmen.  
 Sept. 4—County executive committee canvasses returns.  
 Sept. 4—Precinct chairmen assume office.  
 Sept. 7—Last day for final expense report, second primary.  
 Sept. 7—Art. 3139 provides for state democratic convention on this date; due to conflict with Art. 3136, it is ignored. (See below.)  
 Sept. 13—State executive committee opens and canvasses returns of second primary and prepares delegate list for state convention.  
 Sept. 14—State party convention meets, declares nominees, adopts platform, elects new chairmen and state executive committee.  
 Oct. 1—Poll tax paying begins for following year.

## SPOTLIGHT VALUES

<b>SUGAR</b> 5 Lb. <b>48c</b>	<b>DEL MONTE COFFEE, 42c</b> Pound	<b>CIGARETTES</b> ANY BRAND CARTON <b>\$1.69</b>
<b>PECANS, .49</b> Pound	<b>RINSO, 37c</b> Box	<b>Sugar Cure, .75</b> 10-Lb. Buck
<b>BEETS, .13</b> No. 2 1/2 Can	<b>TAMALES, 25c</b> No. 2 Can	<b>Orange Juice, .25</b> 46-Oz. Can
<b>Honey Creme .39</b> 1-Lb. Box	<b>BABO, 25c</b> 2 For	<b>RAISINS, .33</b> 2-Lb. Pk
	<b>PEACHES, 29c</b> No. 2 1/2 Can	
	<b>APRICOTS, In Syrup, 33c</b> No. 2 1/2 Can	

## Resolve to Serve QUALITY MEATS

<b>STEAK, 65c</b> Per Lb.	<b>APPLES, 15c</b> Per Lb.
<b>FRANKS, 38c</b> Per Lb.	<b>CELERY, 23c</b> Per Lb.
<b>SAUSAGE, 53c</b> Per Lb.	<b>FROZEN FOODS</b> CONVENIENT-TASTY-ECONOMICAL
<b>PURE PORK SAUSAGE, 53c</b> Per Lb.	<b>STRAWBERRIES, 49c</b> Per Lb.
	<b>CORN, 23c</b> Per Lb.

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