

THE FLOYD COUNTY HESPERIAN

Sunrise Today — 6:56 a. m.
Sunset Today — 6:58 p. m.
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Jeremiah 3:4

FLOYDADA, FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 1948

NUMBER 6

Court Encouraged in Road Program

Support on Red Cross Campaign Completed

Members of the Floyd County Commissioners court were encouraged by District Engineer S. C. McCarty to hope for a three-year road construction set-up in this county to be followed by additional road building later, when they met with him to go over their \$500,000 program Saturday morning at his office in Lubbock.

The three-year construction program which Mr. McCarty suggested the commissioners seek immediate approval for would include the Lone Star road, the Sand Hill - Harmony road, the Cedar and the Center - Fairview roads. If they get approval they will go on the state farm-to-market approved list and will be built as fast as right-of-way and engineering matters can be worked out.

Furthermore, the commissioners were encouraged to hope that the Alken-Provident road would be in line soon and that this road might be connected up with Hale county construction now planned to make it an ideal set-up for marketing in that area.

The Commissioners are expected to go alone and adopt it for the three-year plan and urge it before the State Highway commission in that body's late March meeting. Scores of Floyd county people who want to see the program adopted and put over as fast as possible probably will journey with the Commissioners to Austin to show their interest.

Quitnote to Fairmount Road
The State Highway department's plans after awhile are going to be affected by the final disposition of farm-to-market road plans now in the making in congress. Federal help may be forthcoming by 1950 or thereabout and it is within the range of possibilities that this county may have a "free" road construction program for several miles by that time.

The Commissioners and the district engineer, in considering the over-all plan for Floyd county, discussed the north and south road from Quitnote to Fairmount in the vicinity of Plomot, where the state has a road joining up from the east. This road work had some encouragement and may get attention later. The commissioners indicated strong interest in this road, which people "under the hill" are vitally interested in. Eventually a connection from Cedar east to Fairmount is also in the picture, the Floyd county authorities hope. Something along this line is one of the things Floyd county authorities have got to convince the state about.

Sell The Bonds Now, They Say
The Commissioners court Monday of this week in their regular session were besieged by bond salesmen, engineers and others seeking to make something out of the bond issue voted by the taxpayers of the county. "Sell the bonds now" was the burden of arguments to the court by bond dealers, who said the market is getting more difficult every day. This whether or not the county plans to make use of all the money the bond issue brings. "They" say the court can re-invest their idle bond funds to advantage and make money by it. The court has yet to work out this problem. The court hopes the state school board will purchase part of the issue. The interest of the taxpayers in protecting the big bond issue against sharks and sharpers is generally in evidence over the county. They want the Commissioners court to make haste slowly and several have sharp eyes on procedure in this connection.

Builders Get Lakeview Job Crews Ready
Another leg of the farm-to-market road building program in Floyd county is to be built as soon as the weather breaks. Time began for Bryan & Hoffman, of Plainview, contractors on the Lakeview road south from Highway 70 on February 22 and three days have been charged up to them so far. The contractors have been trying to "move in" but weather has been against them.

The contractors have 7.1 miles of road to build, the road extending south from the highway to the Lakeview store.

Judge Grimes Has Tussle With Flu
Judge W. E. Grimes is having a battle with the influenza this mid-week, a recurrence of relapse from a siege he had earlier in the month and thought he had under control. Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Grimes serving as nurse, had the doctor with the patient for the second time in the day. She said the judge was "pretty sick" at the time a reporter for The Hesperian called.

The judge forced himself to spend last week on work of his office and spent Saturday in conference with district highway officials in company with other members of the Commissioners court.

Youth Who Paid With His Life, Buried Sunday

A Floyd county boy, born on November 10, 1923, gave his life for his country at Eniwetok, Marshall islands, 21 years later, on February 19, 1944.

Thus it is said in few words, the story of the burial here Sunday of Pfc. Herman Macy Roberts, USMC son of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon W. Roberts, 115 East Hallie Street.

Herman Macy joined up with the Marines in 1942. In 1944 it became the duty of the Marine corps to make an assault on Eniwetok. And it was there that he lost his life. A pill box, thoroughly defended, had to be taken. His life was one of those sacrificed to carry on the assault.

All the honors that could be bestowed by friends and neighbors and by the military forces were laid at his bier Sunday afternoon here. It was an anti-climax but the most that could be done.

Elders D. L. Handley of Lockney and C. L. Jarrett of South Plains, ministers of the faith of his fathers officiated at the funeral held at the First Baptist church. McDermott, American Legion, and J. W. Harrison post, VFW, gave all the military honors that could be bestowed.

Body of Herman Macy Roberts USMC, arrived Saturday afternoon at 1:15 over the Q & P railway company line and from the station was escorted to Harmon Funeral home to await the funeral and burial rites.

Ceremony Sunday Afternoon
Ceremony of the final rites were begun Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Pallbearers were Jim Wood, Carl Minor, Bud DuBois, N. E. Tyler, Joe Robertson, Earl Crow and Bryan Collins, former Marine corps men. Color bearers were W. H. Smith, Jr. and Edward Wester, the body guards being George Cardinal and Fred Cardinal. The state and national colors were used in the ceremony. Master Gun Sergeant Frank R. Gore representing the organized Marine corps, presented the U. S. flag to the family on behalf of the Marine corps and the U. S. government.

At the grave site the close of the simple ceremonies were marked by the sound of taps given by Clyde Haden and Dale Jackson.

Hundreds of the citizens of this county were present. (See Marine Funeral, back page)

Three County Trustee Terms Expire in April

The terms of three members of the Floyd county school board will expire in April, and their successors will be chosen by residents of the two precincts affected and of the voters of common school districts of the county. Terms which expire are those of:

C. W. Burton, trustee from Precinct No. 3;
R. M. Battley, trustee of Precinct No. 4; and
(See School Election, back page)

Ice, Damp Make Freak Accidents Driver 'Straightens out' Highway Plows Buick into Cafe Building; Fine Palomino Electrocutes Self

In addition to any more or less serious bumpings and whammings about of automobiles in last Thursday's slickest day of 1948, injuries from falls were common, and at least two quite expensive accidents were unusual.

In the first of these R. G. (Dick) Graves, of Electra and Post, zoomed out of the 5 o'clock morning fog at the curve on Highway 70 in south-east Floydada, "straightened out" the highway there and plowed his 1941 Buick eight sedan into the side of the First Stop cafe. He escaped without serious injury.

Valuable Horse Electrocuted
In the second believe it or not, a thousand dollar Palomino colt, a perfect quarter horse type, electrocuted himself while at play in the lot of Carl Smith in northeast Floydada. Mr. Smith turned the horse out of his stall at 1:30 to let him exercise in the runaround. When he returned at night-fall the horse lay with his legs folded under him, stiff in death with a 110-volt wire clamped between his teeth. He had been electrocuted when he bit a live low voltage service wire that was sagging due to a heavy coat of ice. The horse standing on wet ley ground had made a perfect "ground" for the voltage.

The horse was Jimmy Reed out of Rainy Day bought at a Seymour auction. The colt would have been two years old in August. Smith paid \$1,000 for the animal.

Car Extricated with Winch
Graves' accident at the Winch corner occurred shortly before 5 o'clock. Graves said he was confused by lights of traffic in the opposite direction and did not see the curve or slow signs. He missed a culvert on the side of the road by inches when he roared straight ahead. The front of the car up to the door handles dug through wall, two by sixes and cafe fixtures for some six feet. Cafe equipment was thrown wildly about the place. Graves made it to the hotel downtown under his own power and had minor cuts and bruises treated at the hospital later. His side and leg were hurt and he had cuts on his face, including a lip injury.

Graves had been to Electra to see his mother and was enroute back to his job here with Stanolind Pipeline company. His car was pulled from the wreckage with a winch.

C of C Meeting Tuesday Night at Legion Hall

What progress has been made in re-activating Floydada Chamber of Commerce on a new basis of aggressive work, will be revealed to members of the organization Tuesday night of next week when they gather at the American Legion hall to cast up results of their most recent membership campaign.

J. W. Reue, installed last week as the president of the organization to succeed E. L. Angus, yesterday expressed the hope that the membership would be represented in large numbers. The president is insisting on director attendance and cordially inviting membership to be represented as well. The date is Tuesday night, March 16, the place American Legion hall, the hour 7:30 o'clock.

"We ought to have some very interesting progress reports," said Mr. Reue, the new president of the Chamber of Commerce. "Not only will we have something from the membership campaign but from the other committees as well." Among the committees the president has in mind is that which will make some report on applicants for the managementship of the Chamber of Commerce.

Meanwhile the drive for members continues on a sporadic basis. Scores have made pledges and others are to be seen by a committee headed by O. M. Watson. The re-activation program is being set up on the basis of a sustaining membership on a yearly basis of \$500 or more per month. The "stand by" organization which has been functioning for several years was reported at the last meeting by J. C. Wester as having carried on their work as emergencies demanded and to have accumulated a small surplus which will be made available when it is needed.

Mrs. J. L. Guest Funeral Rites At Plainview Monday

Funeral services were held in Plainview Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the First Methodist Church for Mrs. J. L. Guest, 72, wife of a pioneer physician. She died at Jacksonville, Florida, early Friday morning of a heart attack.

Dr. G. K. Rogers pastor of the First Presbyterian church, conducted the funeral services, assisted by Rev. R. R. Gilbreath, assistant pastor of the First Methodist church of which she was a member.

The body arrived in Amarillo shortly after noon Sunday on the Rock Island's Rocket, and was accompanied to Plainview by her grandson, John Tull, and his wife and friends of the family. Accompanying Dr. Guest on his trip back home were their daughter, Mrs. Sam Harvey and family, with whom the Guests were visiting in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Guest was born in Fayetteville, Ark., but spent most of her life in Texas. She and Dr. Guest moved to Plainview from Lockney 11 years ago.

Survivors are her husband and two daughters, Mesdames Hugh V. Tull, Jr., of Plainview, and Mps. Sam Harvey of Jacksonville, six grandchildren, John, Martha, and Sally. (See Guest Rites, back page)

Cold Rides March Winds

Double Round Robin Baseball Schedule Made

Baseball is due to make a comeback in the schools of District 3-A, according to the plans of the coaches and superintendents, who made up a schedule last week for spring extra-curricular activities that will carry on up almost to the closing weeks of the school year.

Baseball as a sport has been out of the schools for so long in Floydada and other schools of the district that it will be like introducing a new sport and coaches have no idea what they may or may not have as talent in their respective student bodies.

Uppermost in the minds of the student body now are the track and field events scheduled for April 10 here. Coaches Graham and Baker have had their track teams working out as weather permits. Track and field events will be excellent conditions for baseball first games of which are scheduled for the week-end after the track meet is held.

Floydada, Lockney Tie Up
Floydada and Lockney boys will tie up in this first baseball game at Lockney. On the same day Abernathy will entertain the Rails Jack-rabbits. This is in the west half of the district.

In the three-team east half (Matador having elected not to play baseball) Crosbyton will go to Spur and Paducah Dragons will have an open date. Games will be played on successive Tuesdays and Fridays to finish the double round robin in each half on May 4.

This is to be followed by a Shau-chow play-off, the dates for which are May 7, May 11 and May 14.

Other Events of the Spring
But baseball and track are not all of the activities planned as reported last week. Other competitive events between the schools and their dates are as follows:

One-act play contest, Thursday, April 7, at Floydada High school;
Volleyball tournament for high school girls April 17 at Ralls;
Tennis, doubles and singles for both boys and girls, Tuesday, April 6, at Matador High school;
Choral contest for grade schools Tuesday night, April 20, Andrews Ward school, Floydada;

Playground softball tournament for ward school boys and girls May 1, beginning at 9:30 a. m., at Matador High school;
Interscholastic literary events at Floydada High for high school students, and at Andrews Ward school for students of elementary grades, May 8.

Santa Fe Engine Splits Frog And Sputters to Stop

Last night the Santa Fe Railway company was engaged in a 40 minute to six-hour job of putting an engine back on the track in Floydada. It was the engine of the train that runs into Floydada from Plainview on the track the Santa Fe calls the Floydada branch. It arrives in Floydada every day except Sunday sometime between 10:15 and 12:45. It carries freight in particular and if anybody wants to ride as a passenger they can do so.

The tracks were snowy and slick. When the engine started on a switch track it "split a frog." A wrecker came in from Slaton about 7 o'clock last night to fix things up.

'Family Party' Friday of Next Week at Palace

A free entertainment of high quality especially planned for farm people of this area is announced this week by Martin & Company, International dealers, for Friday of next week, March 19. The hour is 2 o'clock p. m., the place the Palace theatre.

"We are making it a two-hour entertainment party for all members of the family, with real, live entertainers in acrobatics, magic and singing and hope to make it a most pleasant event for our friends," said M. H. Martin. In addition to the live entertainers some 40 minutes of technical film depicting modern diversified farming methods will be shown, he indicated, and there will be some comedy for the children.

The entertainment on the stage will be handled by a master of ceremonies, whose comedy the audience will enjoy, Martin & company think.

Mid-winter cold rode the March winds yesterday and last night in Floyd county and the high plains of Texas. On March 10, 1948, put it down in your book, the temperature at 12 noon was two degrees colder than at daybreak when the thermometer registered 13 degrees above zero. Driven on a 20 mile wind light snow fell throughout yesterday afternoon and continued into the night and this morning March 11, a temperature approaching the zero mark was recorded.

Snow and Sleet Falls
Moisture Wednesday morning and during the day, including some heavy sleet, helped the state of mind of the wheat men and range cattle owners to some extent. Probably a RECORD FOR WINTER BROKEN

An all-winter record for cold was broken here last night, according to the marker at the city light plant, when the thermometer registered four degrees below zero for three and one-half hours -- 3 o'clock to 6:30.

The cold registered at zero at midnight, dropped to one below at 1 o'clock. At 8 o'clock this morning the mercury had risen to one-half degree below zero under the influence of a warm sun. It is the first time this winter that a zero mark has been registered, and breaks all March records of recent years.

third of an inch of moisture had fallen by Wednesday night. Some of it "blew away" but quite a bit lay on the ground and will be helpful.

Borne on a 20-mile wind the biting snow and cold made Wednesday a most disagreeably long day for men who had to be out to handle cattle and other livestock. The temperature began its downward drop Tuesday night and the 13-degree mark was reached at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning. There it rode until 11 o'clock when the pinch became more pronounced and 11 degrees above was recorded, a figure that still prevailed late in the afternoon. Last night's temperature was due to reach 4 degrees above zero, the weatherman reported.

Let Us Due This Afternoon
As the storm wave moves over there is due to be a let-up in the cold this afternoon. Tomorrow, says the weatherman, will be milder, but it will be colder again Saturday. March this breaks all records for nearly a quarter of a century. Similar period was recorded in the spring of 1925 when the ground was covered with snow in February only to be seen again in mid-March. At that time the moisture deposit was much heavier, however, than this year. So far as crop lands are concerned farm operators say the moisture has been insufficient to make a deep underground season, the kind that makes crops "without any rain in the spring."

January and February Record
This week's storm period is assumed to be the tapering off blast of Boreas in a series of cold and (See Record Weather, back page)

Funeral Service For Mrs. Sadler Friday Morning
Brief funeral services for Mrs. W. H. Sadler, 57, were held in Harmon Funeral chapel Friday morning preceding the removal of the body to Abilene, where the last rites were read in the Elliott Funeral home and interment made in the Abilene cemetery. Mrs. Sadler was admitted to Floydada hospital Wednesday and died the following day from apoplexy. Harmon Funeral home had charge of the arrangements in Floydada and Abilene.

Born Maude Leona Tidwell January 8, 1891, in Missouri, the family came to Texas in 1901. She was married to W. H. Sadler at Trenton, Texas, thirty-eight years ago. To this union was born one son, Clifford, who died in 1940 at the age of 26. The family lived in Trenton, Leonard, Abilene and Benham a number of years, moving to Floydada four years ago from Abilene.

Survivors include the husband one grandchild, Carol Jeanne Sadler, age 12; three sisters, Mrs. J. E. Hance, of Missouri, Mrs. George Paten and Mrs. R. L. Nichols, of Floydada; three brothers, R. L. Tidwell and Homer Tidwell, of Ector, Texas, W. A. Tidwell, of Little Rock, Arkansas and the late W. H. Tidwell who was buried at Bonham Monday.

Rural Electric Officials At Chicago Meet
L. W. Chapman, manager, Lee Trice secretary, Geo. L. Pavver, all of Floydada, W. H. Rathel of McAdoo, and T. E. Cowart of Providence, are in Chicago this week where they are attending the National Rural Electric association convention.

The party are representing Floyd County Rural Electric cooperative. They left Floydada Friday to be present for the opening of the convention Monday morning, and were due to remain there through Wed.

Roping Association Meeting Saturday
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Everybody is welcome who is interested, Johnson said, and all suggestions will be appreciated. Some correspondence to get roping and other events of interest lined up is being carried on by Calvin Steen, secretary of the club.

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Possibilities are that the first games of the season will be scheduled for May. The managers and directors will get together in the near future to discuss such matters. April 10 was set as the deadline for entering teams in the league. Gene Collins, chairman of the softball committee, said Friday night that any person or organization intending to sponsor a team in the league must have the entry in by Saturday night, April 10, with a roster of at least nine players signed. The player limit will be fifteen exclusive of the manager, but at least nine signed players are required at the time of the entry. Entries may be turned in to any of the members of the softball committee composed of Leonard Smith, J. A. Hutchinson, Bob Finley, A. H. Rainer or Mr. Collins.

Flying Farmers District Meet Here March 27

It was a delightful breakfast Floyd County Farmers association had Sunday morning at the Baker hotel in Lockney. So reports Fred Martin, the organization's treasurer, who said the farmer-flyers made some interesting plans for the next several weeks and chose their official family for the next year as follows:

Herman King was re-elected president. W. H. Tanner was chosen as secretary to succeed A. L. Hartzog, and Fred Martin was re-elected treasurer. Grady Walker was confirmed as first vice-president, Raymond Rucker as second vice-president, and Ivan Thompson as third vice-president. These with Ralph Brown are directors with M. W. Alford as director-at-large.

District Meeting March 27
The Floyd county organization, largest in the state, will host for the district meeting here on March 27. District meeting plans include an evening program at 10 o'clock to precede a barbecue dinner and an afternoon program that will be arranged by W. H. Tanner, A. L. Hartzog and Herman King. For the financial assistance that may be required Grady Walker, J. M. Daniel and Fred Martin are on a financial committee.

One of the more interesting features of the meeting here will be the display of new model airplanes at Floydada airport. At least two of them will be flown. It is expected that Mr. Martin will be shown. Mr. Martin will be shown.

Standing committees confirmed Sunday included the aerial legislation committee composed of Ralph Brown, Earnest Tannehill and M. H. Martin; the committee on airport and landing strips composed of Earnest Tannehill, Arch Crager, L. M. Readshimer, W. H. Tanner and Dr. D. H. Pitts.

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Hay's Market

4 pounds and up	21c
under 4 lbs.	16c
horns, lb.	8c
key hens, lb.	32c
hens, lb.	27c
Cream	
No. 1 lb.	70c
Eggs	
dozen, canded, No. 1	38c
Hides	
free from holes	12c
do, lb.	6c
do, lb.	6c
Grain	
shel.	\$2.13
do.	\$3.20
do.	\$3.50
Hogs	
do.	\$21.00
do.	\$18.00
do.	\$15.00
Alfalfa Hay	
at mill, ton	\$25.00

Healthy Growth Last Year for Southwestern

In 1947 the people of Texas increased their insurance in force with Southwestern Life Insurance Company to \$640,867,018.00. C. F. O'Donnell, Dallas, president, announced that the Company's 45th financial statement to policyholders showed an increase of \$10,014,000 over 1946. He reported that Southwestern Life Insurance Company increased \$18,776 during 1947, to a total of \$2,128,16.

More than 200,000 Texas citizens are numbered among the Company's policyholders. Trained employees number 800, including 400 agents serving all 254 counties of Texas.

Another notable feature of the report was the report of the new four-story annex to the Office building of the Company. Extensive improvements to the main building, including central-air-conditioning, also were

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Ralls Rodeo Assn. Opens Season Mar. 21, Matched Roping

RALLS, March—Ralls Rodeo association officially opens its season Sunday, March 21, with a program of matched roping, Jackpot and ribbon roping at the rodeo grounds in Ralls.

Matched roping is between Stud Griffith and Ray Barnett, both of Lamesa, and R. L. Martin, Jr., and Olin Bryant, both of Ralls. The contestants will rope six calves each.

Terms of Three Aldermen to Expire

Terms of three city aldermen at Lockney expire in April and their successors are to be chosen in the city election there on April 6.

J. D. Wood, F. L. Brown and J. D. Copeland are the aldermen now serving, whose terms expire. The Lockney Beacon quoted a report last week that all three would offer for re-election.

ATTEND JOHNSON FUNERAL HELD THURSDAY AT VERNON

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Fawver, Mrs. Nora Willis, L. B. and Jno. A. Fawver, R. H. Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fawver and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fawver, were among those who attended last rites Friday of last week for Eli F. Johnson, who died there on Wednesday of last week.

An early-day resident of Floyd county, Mr. Johnson had been ill for some months when he died.

Completed, Southwestern Life Insurance Company's Home Office property now fronts 177 feet on Main Street at Akard in Dallas. Southwestern Life Insurance Company is represented here by R. E. Fry.

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Deeds Recorded

W. B. Mitchell to W. L. McAda, lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, block 2, Day addition to town of Lockney.

Annetta S. Berry to O. T. Britton, all of section No. 91, block D-2 containing 640 acres.

S. W. Hughes et al to Collis Roland, all of lot 12, block 31, original town of Floydada.

F. M. Dougherty to L. M. Rauch 440.6 acres being the NW part of survey 391.

L. M. Rauch to Richard F. Stovall, 440.6 acres being the NW part of survey 391.

Richard F. Stovall to C. R. Woodard, 440.6 being NW part of survey 391.

W. C. Watson to Lowell G. Copeland, 8½ being the South 75 feet of lots 14, 15 and 16, block 31, original town of Floydada.

F. M. Dougherty to L. M. Rauch 305.3 acres of land out of survey 1 Washington County Ry. Co.

L. M. Rauch to R. F. Stovall, 305.2 acres out of survey 1, Washington County Ry. Co.

Richard F. Stovall to W. J. Ross 305.3 acres out of survey 1, Washington County Ry. Co.

J. A. Arwine to A. E. Guthrie, lot 1 and ½ of lot 2, block 110, original town of Floydada.

Tom J. Sparks to Alva Sparks lots 3, 4 and 5, block 48.

Eugene Greer Lawson to Hubert W. Griffith, N½ of the W½ of lot 2, block 1, Brewster addition No. 2 to town of Lockney.

Milton J. Weems to A. V. Stewart, all of block A, Price Second addition to the town of Floydada.

F. M. Dougherty to L. M. Rauch survey No. 392, R. M. Hand original grantee; SW part of survey 391, R. M. Hand original grantee.

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J. C. Wood to Art Washburn, lot 10, block 98.

C. D. Wright to Don Hall, all of undivided 29-100 interest in tract No. 2 containing 192.5 acres, said tract being a part of section 86, block G & M.

W. L. McAda to H. C. Burke, lots 3 and 4, block 2, Day addition to the town of Lockney.

Ross E. Smith to L. B. Smith, lots 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 block 3, Byars addition to the town of Lockney.

Fred L. Lam to A. C. Carthel, S½ of lots 11, 12 and 13, block 2, Brunson addition to the town of Lockney.

Mary A. Baggett to Mrs. J. W. Carter, lots 7, 8, 9, and 10, block 1 Day addition to the town of Lockney.

Clarence Goins to M. S. Robertson, lot 9, block 4, West Side Heights addition to Floydada.

C. A. Davis to M. O. Davis, SE¼ of survey 36, block D-1, G. C. & S. P.

Harold Wood to Glenn F. White, 159.46 acres out of the SE part of survey 53, block G, C. C. S. D. & R. G. N. G. Ry. Co.

J. D. Starnes to E. M. Collins, lot 4 and the E½ of lot 5, block 6, New Home addition to the town of Floydada.

Carl Titworth to Ray Aston, 92 acres out of the NW corner of survey 59, block G, C. C. S. D. & R. G. N. G. Ry. Co.

J. D. Starnes to Menard Field, W½ of lot 5 and all of lot 6, block 6, New Home addition to the town of Floydada.

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Noman Hamilton to Chas. V. Wright, lot 5 and the W½ of lot 4 block 117, original town of Floydada.

Chas. V. Wright to J. E. Tivis, lot 5 and W½ of lot 4, block 117, original town of Floydada.

J. E. Tivis to Beulah Jernigan lot 5 and the W½ of lot 4, block 117 original town of Floydada.

Dr. Romane New C-C President

CROSBYTON—Dr. Bill Romane was elected by acclamation Wednesday night as the new president of the Crosbyton Chamber of Commerce, taking the place of Tillman Reeves who has served for the past year. Dr. Romane takes over his duties immediately, to head up the new board of directors chosen at the annual banquet meeting of the membership recently.

Other officers include A. R. King first vice-president; Robert Work second vice-president, and F. M. Dunn, treasurer. Ernest Smith was re-elected as secretary-manager.

The new board is composed of Dr. Bill Romane, Bob Work, Virgil Chron, Griffin Odom, Grady Evans and D. A. Edwards, elected at the banquet meeting; Russell McCurdy, W. P. Walker, A. R. King, Jesse Bass, Hubert Curry and F. M. Dunn holdovers.

Retiring directors are Tillman Reeves, R. C. Wood, Jack Arthur, Bill Nickson, Cary Lodal and Jim Reed.

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may get wanted relief
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Cardui, many women say, has brought relief from the cramp-like aches and nervous strain of functional periodic distress. Taken like a tonic, it should stimulate appetite, aid digestion, thus help build resistance for the "time" to come. Started 3 days before "your time," it should help relieve pain due to purely functional periodic causes. Try it!

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Matador Votes Bond Issue for Street Paving

MATADOR, Mar.—First opportunity to vote for city improvement since the war brought out almost 200 Matador property-owners Tuesday who approved over 9 to 1, street improvement bond issue for \$60,000. Only 19 votes were cast in opposition. Unofficial tabulation showed 176 votes for the long-neglected improvement.

The street improvement election is the outgrowth of a mass meeting of property-owners held about two years ago, at which they asked that the voters be given an opportunity to approve or oppose bonds for street improvement.

It is expected the election returns will be canvassed tomorrow.

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Much legal work still remains to be done before money will be available for actual construction. City officials expressed hope when the election was called, that in event of approval construction could be completed during the summer, in time to facilitate travel to Matador schools when they open in the fall.

MRS. GULLION HURT IN FALL

Mrs. J. N. Gullion is in Plainview hospital, where she is being treated for a broken leg, and is doing nicely, according to Mr. Gullion who has been spending much of his time with his wife.

Mrs. Gullion fell on the slipper-ice of last Thursday morning when she went out into the yard to pick up a morning paper. She was taken to Plainview the same day.

Get the want ad habit

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Mrs. E. F. Williams and son, Billy Mrs. Ewa Fry, Mrs. Hill of Lubbock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Parks. Mrs. Fry and Mrs. Hill also visited Mrs. Ora Gough.

Writing fluids, Hesperian

Mrs. C. B. Smart left last Thursday for Houston to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Woody and her new grandson. Mrs. Smart plans to be gone about two weeks.

Clean, cotton rags wanted at The Hesperian office.



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ASSETS	
United States Government Bonds	\$ 71,309,491.96
Texas County and Municipal Bonds	7,995,907.59
Public Utility and Corporation Bonds	14,075,033.95
First Mortgage Loans on Texas Real Estate	23,968,532.01
Collateral Loans	608,451.99
Home Office Building and Annex	2,100,000.00
Preferred Stocks	8,305,493.40
Bank Stocks	2,156,146.81
Other Common Stocks	6,899,135.76
Cash	3,332,017.79
Loans Against Cash Value of Policies	13,526,946.98
Miscellaneous Assets	512,342.82
Net Premiums to Complete Policy Years	5,772,627.10
Total Assets	\$160,362,128.16
LIABILITIES	
Policy Reserves	\$137,089,433.21
Premiums and Interest Paid in Advance	4,492,674.70
Reserve for Taxes and Other Liabilities	2,231,020.65
Total Liabilities	\$143,813,128.56
Surplus Funds for Protection of Policyowners:	
Capital Stock	\$4,000,000.00
For Interest Fluctuation and Other Contingencies	6,098,999.60
Surplus	16,548,999.60
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$160,362,128.16

These are premiums either in process of collection or due to be paid during the current policy year. Proper offsetting liability is included in the policy reserves shown in the statement.

Several years ago, recognizing that interest rates were falling and that more than normal fluctuations of economic conditions might be expected, the Company began setting aside a portion of earnings to provide a fund to preserve the integrity of Southwestern Life's obligations under all conditions. Even though interest rates may rise somewhat in the future and economic conditions become less likely to produce adverse fluctuations, contingency funds will still be maintained to add a comforting measure of strength to the policy reserves required by law. During the year \$531,293.88 was added to the contingency funds, bringing the total to \$6,098,999.60.

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Assets \$160,362,128.16 — Increase in Assets \$18,776,753.17

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SOCIETY

Dramatics Program Followed by Social Hour for Study Club

The 1934 Study club met Tuesday evening of last week at 7:15 o'clock in the high school auditorium for a program on dramatics. Mrs. Francis Graves and a number of high school pupils presented the play "John Doe." Guest speaker for the meeting was W. A. Moore, head of the speech department at W. T. S.-C. Canyon. Mr. Moore spoke on dramatics.

Following the program, the group met at the home of Mrs. C. P. Looper, where Mrs. Dick Penner was hostess for the lovely social hour. A delicious refreshment plate was served to Elizabeth Armstrong, Margaret Collier, Florene Crowell, Francis Graves, Dianna Gresham, Mary Francis Haden, Thelma Hoffman, Emma Louise Johnston, Flora McNeill, Jewell Martin, Jettie Moss, Avis Muench, Lella Pettit, Mary Shaw, Irene Sherrill, Bernice Stapleton, Anne Willson, Jo Hal Wolford, the hostess and the following guests, Mrs. Hollis Bond, Mrs. Kinder Farris and Mrs. Leonard Mat-sler.

MRS. GREEN HOSTESS WHEN S. S. CLASS HAS MEETING

Mrs. J. H. Green was hostess to the meeting of the Pastors Helpers Sunday School class Tuesday when the members gathered at her home for a covered dish luncheon. The devotional was held at the regular hour.

Members of the class present were Mmes. Bob Henry, O. B. Olson, W. E. Walker, W. R. Jahnke, A. R. Hanna, Will Snell, P. M. Felton, W. H. Alexander, Lula Slaughter, Eula Thurmon, Pannie Power, Sarah Meek, Addie Thagard, J. E. Laughlin, E. C. Henry, D. D. Shibley, R. M. McCauley and J. J. McKinney.

Mrs. J. Ross Bell, of Childress spent the week-end with her mother Mrs. W. H. Alexander.

Blue Bonnet Needle Club Has Meeting

The Blue Bonnet Needle Club met Thursday, March 4, with Mrs. Bessie Wilson. The ladies sewed and played games. Mrs. Kay Murry and Mrs. Juanita Widener won prizes in the game contest.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Irene Durrell, Oleta Collier, Helen Perry, Kay Murry, Ruth Christian, Lela Kendricks, Mildred Fuqua, Ethie Allen, Juanita Widener and the hostess.

The club will meet March 18 with Mrs. Ruth Christian at 3 o'clock p. m.

P-T A MEETING

The Parent-Teachers Association will meet at 3:30 o'clock on March 19 at Andrews Ward gymnasium. "Health A Must" will be the subject of the program. Dr. John Kimble will be guest speaker. Rev. L. A. Doyle will give the invocation, and the Tonette band will furnish the music.

GOEN - CRUMPTON NUPTIALS

Margaret Goen and W. N. Crumpton were united in marriage in a quiet single ring ceremony performed Friday, February 27 at Clovis, New Mexico.

The couple's only attendant was Norman Goen, Jr., son of the bride. The couple is at home at 404 East Houston street. Mr. Crumpton operates Crumpton Radiator shop.

PITTS HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. W. F. Elkins was admitted March 8 after receiving medical treatment.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Butler, McCoy, a daughter on March 8.

Mrs. Milton Carmack was admitted March 8 for surgery.

David Lagrone's baby was admitted March 9 for medical treatment. Mrs. J. B. Wiginton was admitted March 9 for medical treatment.

Impressions of Latin American Trip Given by Mrs. Hammonds

The 1939 Study Club met in the home of Mrs. P. A. Denison, 403 West Kentucky street, March 4. Guest speaker for the meeting was Mrs. John I. Hammonds who was introduced by Mrs. S. W. Ross and gave a very interesting talk on Latin America.

Mrs. J. D. McBrien was in charge of the business and Mrs. A. T. Hull gave a report on the negro school needs.

Members present for the club meeting included Mesdames Hollis Bond, James Word, A. T. Hull, J. D. McBrien, S. W. Ross, John Kimble, Jr., Earl Hogg, Clement McDonald, Euren Cates, Jeff D. Welborn and guest, Mrs. John Hammonds, and the hostess, Mrs. Denison.

Fairview News

FAIRVIEW, March 9—We continue to have winter weather with a spring day thrown in now and then. It is getting time to be planting gardens but we don't feel much like it these cold bad days.

The wedding shower for Mr. and Mrs. Dean Wall at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Bill O'Dell last Friday night was well attended and they received many nice and useful gifts. The young couple are getting moved to their home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozby received word Monday of their new grandson born Sunday morning, March 7, to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Goodman of New Braunfels. Mrs. Goodman is the former Clara Cozby.

Mr. and Mrs. Chil McClure were supper guests Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Robertson of Center.

Mrs. Thurman Perry returned home last week from New Braunfels where she had spent several days with her sister, Mrs. T. C. Goodman.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozby and Mary Dee visited Sunday with Mrs. G. M. Bullard of Floydada.

Mrs. Walton Wilson spent Wednesday with Mrs. Jim Stewart of Floydada.

Mrs. Grady Reeves was hostess last Sunday for a joint birthday dinner honoring her husband, Grady and his brother, Lawrence. Other guests were H. K. Reeves and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Richardson of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reeves and family and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reeves and family of Floydada.

Mrs. J. R. Cozby and daughter, Alba, of Dickens visited while Monday with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozby and Mary Dee.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Perry visited Sunday at South Plains with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Brown.

Rev. and Mrs. Bill O'Dell and son accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Mary Wilcox of Spearman, visited in Plainview Monday night.

Monday night visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozby, Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Chil McClure and Grady Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Horton and Mrs. Benton Ritchey visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hartline and children visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Chil McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crabtree of Portales, New Mexico, were back one day last week on business and visiting with relatives.

FLOYDADA HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. C. D. Foote was admitted Thursday of last week for treatment for a broken wrist.

Mrs. J. N. Gollin was admitted Thursday for receive treatment for a broken hip received in a fall.

Pat Hemmeser was admitted Friday to receive treatment for a broken arm.

Dickie Atteberry was dismissed Friday following medical treatment.

Bob Garrett was admitted Saturday for treatment of injuries received in a fall.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Little, a daughter, Thursday.

Jo Ann Childs was admitted Monday to undergo an appendectomy.

Care of Landscape H. D. Club Study

Care of Landscape was the subject of the Dougherty Home Demonstration club meeting when the club met at the home of Mrs. Tate Jones on March 3, at 2 o'clock.

The house was called to order by the president, Mrs. Tate Jones. Mrs. C. A. Caffee gave the council report Recreation was led by Mrs. Sam Lide, and Mrs. C. A. Caffee and Mrs. H. A. Drysdale were the prize winners. Mrs. C. W. Denison won the prize for attendance. Mrs. Harlan Cage was enrolled as a new member.

It was decided that each club member carry the hostess each time a cup towel.

The Dougherty club will entertain the Friendship club in the near future. The date has not been set. Mrs. C. A. Caffee gave a report on how to prune shrubs and root cuttings.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Harlan Cage, C. W. Denison, J. T. Poole, C. A. Caffee, C. E. Bertlett, J. R. Tinnin, H. A. Drysdale, Orland Heward, Sam Lide, Ruth Daniel, the children present, and the hostess.

Drawing numbers for the contest was completed and the contest is well underway with No. 1 side having 21 points and No. 2 side having 22 points. The side having the highest number of points by May will be entertained by the losing side the club members and their families.

The club will meet March 17 at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Claud Rinz. Don't forget to bring your cup towel.

MUNCYS VISIT FLOYDADA GIRLS IN TEXAS SCHOOLS

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Muncy and daughter, Jo, left last Wednesday week for Waco where they visited with their daughter and sister, Edie Ruth, who is a student at Baylor University.

They stopped in Abilene Wednesday and visited with Joy Lambert student at Hardin Simmons, and on Saturday visited in Belton, Texas, with Hazel Patton, student at Mary Hardin Baylor, and with Beth Hinson, who was spending the weekend with Hazel from Denton, Texas, where she is attending TSCW.

The Muncys returned home Sunday.

CARD OF THANKS

Thanks to our friends and neighbors for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our wife, sister and grandmother. Your words of sympathy were greatly appreciated.

W. H. Sadler and Carol
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nichols

Mrs. Donald Cornelius and her mother, Mrs. A. W. Bushman, of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, and little Joyce Dunlap, of Lubbock, were in Floydada over the week-end for a brief visit with E. L. Cornelius.

Mrs. Cornelius and Mrs. Bushman are in Lubbock for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry H. Bell of Canyon, Texas, and Miss LaRue Graves of Baylor university in Waco, Texas, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hinson spent the first of the week in Amarillo.

Band Parents Club Thanks the People

Members of the Band Parents club want to thank the people who came and helped to make the Bingo Party Friday and Saturday night a success, also for the support of the merchants who loaned their merchandise to make it possible for the club to put the party on.

Mrs. A. J. Jackson won the electric mixer then donated the price to the band, which made a very nice start on payment of the bass horn.

We also want to thank Kinder Farris for the alto horn he gave the band. It will be very useful. There are several instruments needed very badly in the band.

Evening of Forty-Two

The Band Parents Club met Monday night, at high school for their second meeting. There were several new members added to the club. A very enjoyable evening was spent with games of 42 after the business sessions.

Refreshments were served to the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Lanham, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Muncy, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hart, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Maxey, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bunch, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Stansell, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jackson, C. T. Pope, Mrs. Pope Goen, Mrs. Bob Ross and Mrs. Paul Newberry.

All members are urged to attend meetings as we feel we are helping the band out. The next meeting will be April 12 at 7:30 p. m. at high school.

Half Minute Interviews

Jim Jones: "The lowest price I ever sold butterfat at was 9 cents a pound."

C. P. Huckabay: "In 1910 we lived out across the canyon. We had a bunch of horses that shedded off early. It came a snow on April 10 and nearly froze them to death."

SECOND SUNDAY SINGING

Second Sunday singing at the Church of the Nazarene Sunday afternoon will feature the new song books, said Earl Rainer this week. The singing will begin at 2 o'clock.

MARRIAGE RECORD

Marriage license was issued last week to: Milton J. Weems and Betty Corley, March 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Battey returned last Friday from Amarillo, where they had been for a week guest in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Shelby Cook, Mr. Cook and their family. The Batteys also visited with another daughter, Mrs. Julian Edmondson, Mr. Edmondson, and their family in Borger while absent from home.

Glen White, of Lakeview, who has been quite ill and underwent a tonsillectomy recently at Lubbock hospital, was recovering slowly the first of the week at the home of Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Biggs of Muncy.

LEDGER binders in some sizes indexes to match. Hesperian.

Too Late to Close
FOR SALE—320 acres close to good house on REA. 185 acres sowed wheat, rent goes to 1/16 minerals reserved. Price \$50. F. A. Faulkenberry, Bishop Bldg.
FOUND—Half a sack of grain. Owner claim at Hesperian office.
Money makers—Hesperian classified advertisements.

This Easter... BE SMART... SAVE AT PENNEY'S



New Easter HATS

Bonnets, cloches, sailors, all popular styles in fine straws with floral, bows.

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Gay as the Season! HANDBAGS

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Rich-looking, plastic patent, calf or suede in Spring's finest styles.



Fine Cynthia Shoes
Smooth leather, red or white
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NOTICE!
We are now operating 6 days a week, will close one day for cleaning up and to give our employees a day off.

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THIS EASTER—BE SMART—SAVE AT PENNEY'S

Mrs. Bond Guest Speaker at B & P Meeting Monday

Mrs. Hollis Bond was guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club Monday evening, speaking on "Today's Woman Ready For Her Tomorrow?" The meeting was held at the American Legion hall. The program was planned by the educational committee of which Mrs. I. T. Graves is chairman.

In Mrs. Bond's discussion, she brought out the fact that in the United States of today there are seventeen million women working. This number 35 per cent are bachelor girls, 19 percent are widows and 46 percent are married women. One of the best solutions for preparing ourselves for tomorrow is for the women to be able to do an old job a little better than any one else, may be a man's world, but women are finding a niche in it.

A skit, "A Midnight Fantasy," was presented by high school girls with Miss June French and Peggy Collier acting as portraits on a drawing room wall coming to life between midnight and morning. The girls were assisted by Dorothy Bishop and Grace Muncy.

Mrs. Lee Rushing was elected as new member to the club. Miss Ruth Collins, Mrs. I. T. Graves and Mrs. Virgle H. Shaw were elected to serve as a nomination committee of officers for the following year. Following the program, the drawing for the radio-phonograph was held and Mrs. Clifford Dunn, of Marillo, program coordination chairman for the state organization of the Business and Professional Women, held the winning ticket.

Members present for the evening were: Mrs. J. D. Cleveland, A. B. Kim, Harry N. Jones, Virgle H. Shaw, C. K. Arnold, P. W. Bell, Louis Herman, Russell King, O. C. Bailey, Edna Phillips, Kathleen Stewart, John Hutchinson, Misses Lella Petty, Ruth Collins, Vera Meredith and Miss Blankenship.

The next meeting of the club will be held on Monday evening, March 15, at 7 o'clock at the Hotel Coffee to celebrate the first birthday of the club. All club members who wish to attend are asked to call Mrs. Virgle H. Jones for reservations.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Reedy and Mrs. M. Matador, are in Floydada this week, guests of Mrs. Reedy's mother, Mrs. L. H. Lewis, and Miss Minnie Smart.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Alexander returned Wednesday of last week in the company of Mrs. W. H. Alexander.

The flag of the Confederate States of America during the Civil War was called the "Stars and Bars."

Conservation District News

It is getting time to plant Hubam clover in wheat or small grain. Hubam clover is a summer legume crop and is planted to improve fertility and is also used as a cash crop as the seed is harvested. During spring of 1947 several farmers including Raymond Rucker, Robin Byers, Lockview Farm, Herschel Carthel, Ernest Lee Thomas and W. S. Poole planted it with various degrees of success. Mr. Rucker and Mr. Byars harvested a seed crop.

Horton Howell has 100 acres of vetch overseeded in volunteer wheat that has ninety head of cattle on it and he expects to increase this number as grazing permits.

Lines were run for M. M. Julian to irrigate with.

The Soil Conservation Service technicians assigned to the Floyd County Soil Conservation district set high points for irrigation wells for A. O. Foster and J. M. Tye.

Entrance to Camp of Baptists Will Be from the South

Problem of finding the best entrance to the new Ninth District Baptist encampment site on Blanco canyon, south of Floydada six miles has been solved, said Rev. L. A. Doyle, pastor of the First Baptist church here yesterday.

Entrance to the site will be from the south side on a road to be made between the Kiker and Jones lands. Putting a good road down the canyon rim to the camp site will cost an estimated \$5,000. Work will begin on the road as quickly as possible. First sizable donation to the work to be made public is that of Col W. M. Massie, who is giving the sum of \$3,500.

One hundred eighty-five churches in eight associations of Baptists are interested in the encampment site and plan to use its facilities.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Poore of Purdy, Missouri and Miss Odessa Poore, of Lubbock, were here over the weekend, guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poore.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Stansell in company with Mrs. Ama Smalley, of Clovis, New Mexico, are in Tucson, Arizona, where they have been visiting the past two weeks.

Mrs. Ramond L. Haines visited last week for several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walton Hale returning home to Amarillo Monday.

Arizona Visitors Grounded by West Texas Overcast

A party of Arizona people last week found West Texas' reputed sunshine fail to materialize, and spent four days at Floydada, their plane grounded, which they planned to make furnish the time also for a visit down-state with other kindred.

Residents of Bisbee the party was composed of Donald Spears, a brother of W. M. Spears and Mrs. Gailen Holland, his cousin, Bill Hancock, Don Cornwell and George Serverson. They flew in Tuesday night, were to spend Wednesday in Red River county and return to Bisbee Wednesday night. The overcast closed in and when the clouds lifted it was Friday morning and over-time for them to be at home.

Donald Spears is manager of the airport at Bisbee. The other members of the party are in business or have jobs there.

Floydada Boy Gets Nod From Maestro Of Football Fame

Don F. Goen, son of Mrs. W. Fred Jones, may be on the road to football stardom. He has the nod from none other than Amos Alonzo Stagg, dean of American football coaches.

Don has a four-year football scholarship in the College of the Pacific at Stockton, California.

The scholarship is okayed by Mr. Stagg, who says that Don is to play quarterback in football and run as a 100-yard dash man in track.

The Quarterback club in San Francisco played Don up recently and the San Francisco Examiner told all about it.

PULL THE SWITCH

COLLEGE STATION—The first impulse, when fire breaks out in the home, is to pour on water. But that is not always the wisest move. Mrs. Bernice Claytor, extension home management specialist for Texas A. & M. College, says that when fire is in or around electrical equipment, water or other fire extinguishers should never be used until the electric current is cut off at the switch.

For that reason, she suggests that every member of the family know how to "throw" or "pull" the main switch to deaden the wiring system in case of a fire emergency.

After the electricity is turned off the fire can be treated by the proper extinguisher. But it is well to remember, Mrs. Claytor says, that wires inside motors and other electrical equipment are covered with tarry material which burns much like an oily rag.

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Church Vows Unite Virginia Bell Gamble and Carl Henry Casey

LUBBOCK—The First Methodist church was scene of the wedding of Miss Virginia Belle Gamble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Newton Gamble of 2402 Twentieth, and Carl Henry Casey of Fairbore, Ala. son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton E. Casey of Wolfarth, which was solemnized Wednesday at 7 o'clock in

the evening. A double ring ceremony was performed by Dr. Joe Z. Tower of Wichita Falls, assisted by Dr. H. I. Robinson, pastor.

On the altar, woodwardia fern and palms formed the background for baskets of white stock and numerous white tapers. Aisle candelabra adorned with satin bows held long tapers which marked the bridal path. Wedding music was by Dr. Nita Akin of Wichita Falls who played an organ prelude of Bach compositions. During the ceremony she offered "A Rose Softly Blooming"

by Brahms. Bill Harrod, violinist, played Arioso by Bach.

Gown Is Blue
The bride chose a gown of ice blue satin designed traditionally with a sweetheart neckline, long fitted sleeves which tapered to points over her hands, and a bodice accented at the waist by a wide fitted midriff of the satin. Her very full gathered skirt swept into a graceful train and her veil of imported ice blue bridal illusion fell in full circular tiers from a headpiece of ice blue feathers. She carried a shower bouquet of white hyacinth blossoms topped with a white orchid corsage; concealed in the bouquet were a prayer book and lace handkerchief, which belonged to the bride's grandmother.

Mr. Gamble gave his daughter in marriage. Mrs. Flavia McElvain of Laredo was matron of honor, Mrs. A. E. Gamble, sister-in-law of the bride Mrs. Fred Cardinal of Floydada, cousin of the bride, Mrs. John C. Bvers of San Angelo, Mrs. Ralph Cocanougher and Mrs. W. T. Bolt Jr., of Austin, sister of the bridegroom, were bridesmaids. Miss Ethel Clair Raney of Dallas was bridesmaid and Miss Edith Ann Holman of Slaton, cousin of the bride was junior bridesmaid.

Each was gowned in blue chiffon styled with a bouffant skirt, square neckline, and long, full bell sleeves fitted at the wrist. The bodice was made with tiers of folded chiffon. The attendants wore halos of blue flowers and carried colonial bouquets of two-toned delphinium tied with ice blue satin streamers.

Father Is Best Man
Mr. Casey served as his son's best man. Ushers were A. E. Gamble, brother of the bride, Jack Earl Creel, Jesse May, and J. A. McWhorter, Paul Haskins and L. M. Hargrave of Wolfarth.

Wedding guests were entertained at a reception given at the Hilton hotel ballroom following the ceremony. The bride's table was laid with white organdy and centered with bouquets of the bride and her attendants. Baskets of white stock were arranged around the ballroom. A four-tiered wedding cake of white, topped with confection blue morning glories, was served to the guests.

Among the out-of-town wedding guests were Mrs. G. R. May, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Smith and R. W. Fred Cardinal, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carter and Mrs. Mary Shaw of Florida.

To Live In South
For a wedding trip to New Orleans and Florida, the bride wore a green program suit with brown accessories and a white orchid corsage. The couple will be at home in Fairbore where Mr. Casey is a seismologist with the Standard of Ohio Oil company.



Mrs. Margaret Heiny of Amarillo will be presented by the Gamma Beta of Texas, a chapter of the National Council of Pi Mu, in a piano recital on March 15 at the Lockney Auditorium in Lockney, Texas. The recital will start at 8:00 p. m.

The National Council of Pi Mu has granted Lockney and Floydada a local charter which will be the Gamma Beta of Texas.

Pi Mu is a non-secret society for students who are eligible to attend the St. Louis Institute of Music Summer Sessions as scholarship students after they have finished high school. Full scholarships are also given upon recommendation of the teacher.

The Gamma Beta of Texas will present Mrs. Margaret Heiny in a piano recital on March 15 at the Lockney Auditorium in Lockney. The recital will start at 8:00 p. m. and the admission will be \$1.00 plus tax.

Proceeds from this concert will be used by the local chapter for

entertainment, educational programs, music scholarship (hardship cases) and the expense of maintaining this local chapter.

During the intermission Gamma Beta will be installed and several outstanding students from the Amarillo chapter, Beta Omega, will play. Mrs. Charles Record of Lockney and Mrs. Pearl Fagan of Floydada will be the advisors of Gamma Beta. They will be ably assisted by Miss Brunner of Lockney in planning a big program for 1948.

All members of Gamma Beta will be the guests of Harden College in Wichita Falls, Texas, on March 20, 1948. Miss Brunner, Mrs. Record, and Bobby Lou Casey of Lockney are going to study at the St. Louis Institute of Music this summer as scholarship students.

DAUGHTER BORN AT HEREFORD

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knox of Hereford, Texas, are the parents of a daughter born on March 4. The little black headed girl weighed six pounds and nine ounces and has been named Deborah Jo.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Shultz of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Knox of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Bishop and baby son, Ben, returned to their home in Wichita Falls, Texas, this week-end after a visit with Mrs. S. G. Bishop. Mrs. Beryl Bishop and son had been here for the past two weeks and Mr. Bishop came this week-end to take them home. The young son, Ben, is now going on three months old.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bishop had as their guests over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Caudle of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Caudle and children of Tahoka, Texas.

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Skaggs - Huggins Vows Taken Feb. 22

MATADOR—Miss Billie Frank Skaggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Skaggs and Fred Huggins, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Huggins of Lockney were married in a double ring ceremony Sunday, February 22, at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, with Rev. Clifford Potts, pastor of the First Baptist church of Matador reading the ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. The bride's sister, Mrs. Harold Allen, was matron of honor.

Johnny Huggins, of Lubbock, served his brother as best man. Elton Skaggs, of Lubbock, brother of the bride, served as groomsmen.

After a short wedding trip to points in Texas and New Mexico, the couple will be at home in Lockney.

ORGANIZE CHAPTER PI MU

Pupils of Mrs. Pearl Fagan who attended the organization of Pi Mu chapter which was held in Lockney on March 1 were Ruth Maxey, Joyce Myrick, Lafaun Hanna and Norma Lou Hamilton.

Joyce Myrick was elected president; Ruth Maxey, secretary; and Bobby Lou Casey of Lockney, historian.

The pupils were accompanied to Lockney by Mrs. Pike Hanna, Mrs. Myrick and Mrs. Fagan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bunch, Joy and Darrell, visited in Slaton Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cudd and Mary Ann.

Adventures of Alice In Wonderland at Plainview March 15

"Alice in Wonderland" will be presented Monday, March 15, at the City auditorium in Plainview, it has been announced by Elison Sigma Alpha sorority, which is sponsoring the production.

There will be two performances one at 3:30 and one at 8 o'clock p. m. Tickets will be on sale at the door at 50c and \$1. tax included.

VOCATIONAL AG JUDGING CONTEST APRIL 24th

LUBBOCK, March—Vocational agriculture students representing approximately 90 high schools will compete in the 21st annual vocational agriculture judging contest at Texas Technological college April 24, dean of Agriculture W. L. Stangel announces.

Approximately 650 boys are expected to compete. Judging is divided into six groups, including: cotton classing, poultry, dairy cattle, dairy products, livestock and crops.

TWO INCHES RAINFALL RECORDED AT CROSBYTON

CROSBYTON—Nearly two inches of rain fell in Crosbyton during the month of February, greatly enhancing the prospects for a wheat crop here this spring and giving badly needed sub-soil moisture for next summer's row crops. Total moisture for the month was 1.95 inches.

ON CUBAN CRUISE
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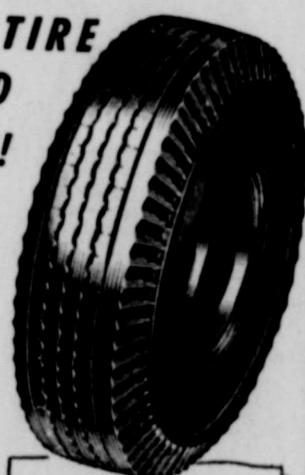
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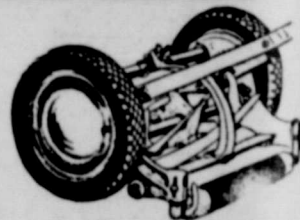
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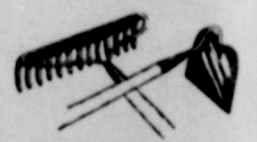
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- 1 12-foot Faulkner Cultivator;
- 1 Three-section Harrow;
- 1 Oliver Feed Mill and Belt, good condition;

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EDITORIAL

WHAT IS YOUR FAMILY NAME?

Last week the editorial gave the meanings of several given names. This week, we are going to illustrate how family names were formed from those given names.

Family names probably came into existence as a result of trying to distinguish the number of Johns and Susans from each other. The Scandinavians had a method of distinguishing people of the same name by adding the name of the father. For example, John Ericson and John Olson were the sons of Eric and Ola. During the time that the Scandinavians were in Great Britain, many of the names became permanent.

The Highlanders of Scotland and the Irish formed family names by prefixing Mr, Mac, or O to the given names of an ancestor. By this method, McDonald is the son of Donald, and O'Brien is the son of Brien. The corresponding Welsh prefix is Ap. The Norman-French prefix is Fitz as is seen in such names as Fitz-Simmons and Fitz-Patrick.

English surnames have a large variety of derivatives. Practically all the colors such as brown, green, black, grey, and white, are represented. Occupations also appear in family names. It is easy to name the occupation of families by the names of Farmer, Shepherd, Taylor, Miller, Baker, and Cook.

Places of residence also furnished many English names. Some of them are Brooks, Dale, Forest, Hill and Gates. Such names as King, Prince, Bishop, and Steward show the position of service in house of rank.

Names and their origins are very interesting. Ask your parents what your family name means. You might be surprised at the answer.

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What to Do With a Grilse; Several Answers are Given

If you had a Grilse, what would you do with it?
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 Wenona—Wear it around my neck.
 Claud—Probably take it to Alaska and bury it.
 Janet—Put it in the ice box for a week, then feed it to the chickens.
 Sammy—Throw it out the window.
 Margie Letta—Guess I'd eat it.
 Peggy—Wear it.
 Jennie—Play with it.
 Jane Fritzell—I'd give it to Garvin.
 Joy Jackson—Bury it and watch it grow.
 Jane Johnson—Be nice to it.
 Bobby McGuire—Cook on it.
 Billie Hopper—Sleep with it.
 Mrs. Graves—Make pan cakes.
 Mill Smith—Boll it.
 Miss Cline—Cook with it.
 Tye—Mistake it for a Roach.
 Pees—Give it to Ley Lee Trice to go in his car.
 Mr. O'Dell—Give it to Tye.
 Garvin—Take it to bed with me.
 Colline—Give it to Mr. Cogdill.
 Thada Luckey—Throw it away.
 Mr. Baker—Blow it up and kick it.
 Jo Anne Cline—Put it up 'till I found a dictionary.
 David Willson—Raise flowers in it.
 Mr. Cordill—Eat it.
 Gene Jackson—Roast weiners on it.

Mr. Cardinl—Stomp it.
 A grilse is a young salmon just returning from the sea.

Unusual Program Was given Monday

One of the most unusual assembly programs to be witnessed in F. H. S. this year was a scientific program presented by Kenneth Strickfaden, a student of science. Mr. Strickfaden, also known as Electro, is a representative of the Harry Byrd Kline branch of the Southern Assembly association of Dallas.

Mr. Strickfaden demonstrated audible and visible vibrations and the changing of colors under black and red ultra-violet lights. He also played a few tunes on the harmonica, a musical disk that produces perfect tones.

He was assisted in some of his experiments by Janet Lloyd, Meri Young, Ruth Smith, and Bobby Medien.

No School Friday; Teachers to Meet

There will be no school Friday, March 12, due to the annual meeting of the Texas State Teachers' Association. The teachers from both high school and grammar school will attend the meeting at Lubbock at the senior high school auditorium.

The program for Friday consists of four parts. The nominating committee meets at 10:00 a. m. At 11:00 a. m. the administration luncheon is held; the general session is held at 1:15 in the afternoon, and the second general session is held at 7:45 in the evening.

Principal speakers for the meeting are Dr. A. J. Stoddard, superintendent of schools, Philadelphia and Mr. Willard A. Goslin, superintendent of schools, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Guess Who??

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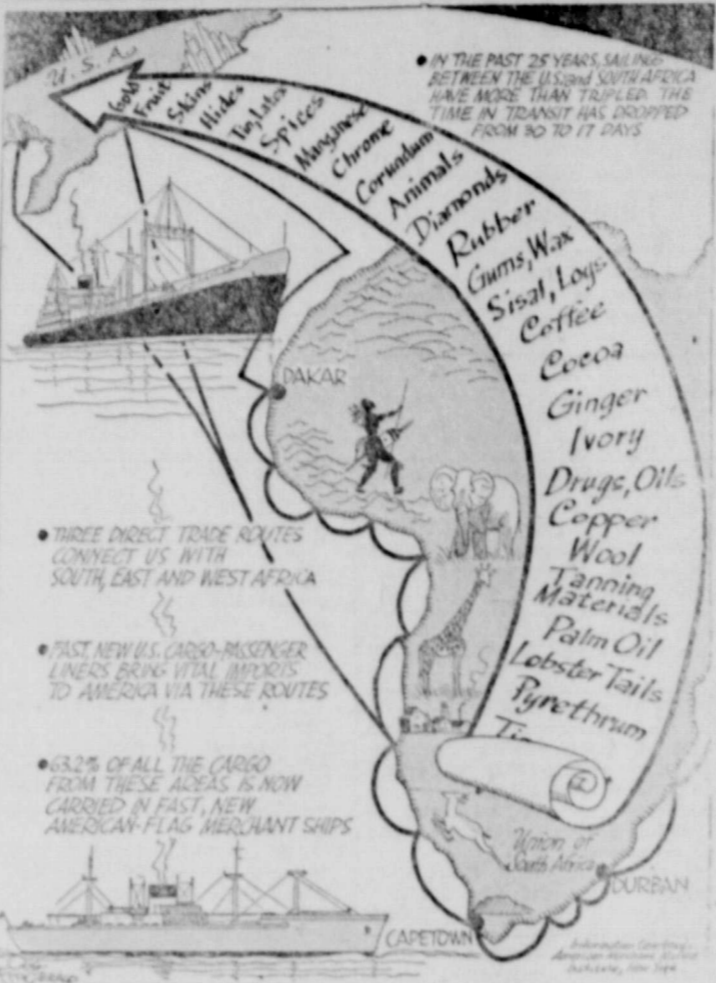
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I'm so glad to start today's news I will begin with—

Well, well, you should have seen what I saw at Hereford. From where I was it looked as if Mary Maxey and Blair Jenkins (from Lubbock) were doing okay. Mary

sure was sad after she got off the bus at Plainview. Come on, cheer up, Mary, after all there's Tom Bob.

June and Norman Bantz (from Lubbock) didn't seem to get along very well at Hereford. Seems Bobby Carnahan from Texas Tech caught her eye.

Bliff, what were you doing all this time???

Looks like Wenona Butler and Billy Mac Shipley are really having

Bingo Parties Big Success for Band

The monster bingo party was a big success. Everyone had a wonderful time. Happy Roberts and her orchestra were featured in a free stage show each night at ten o'clock. Several waltzes and jazz numbers were rendered by the orchestra both nights. Hope McIntosh and Claudian Goen were featured in a jitterbug act and Ruthie Harmon sang "The Whiffenpoof Song" as a solo on Friday night. Saturday night featured June Powell and her acrobatics and Billie Newberry in a tar dance. During intermission each night, Rev. Gibson, Mr. Lyles, Mr.

a time on the McCoy bus. Better watch them, Veva! Looks bad!

Ruth Rigles seems to be playing the field. First it's a guy from Lockney, then Tommy Assiter, then Jim Bob—my, I'm getting dizzy!

Emmie Welborn has been pretty well left out in the cold. Jerry Percy has been seen rushing La-Juana McAda, Peggy Jo Hand, and Jean Bybee, lately!

Do me eyes deceive me or did I see Jean Bybee and Billy Scott and Martin Peterson and Margaret Green together the other nite?? What happened to Ruth and Mava???

But still again I see Mava and Martin giving each other these melting stances in chemistry class!!

Something's fishy!! At last! Success!! Doris Dyer and Bobbie Plum've have, shall we say, gotten together!! She has his "less ring"! Sigh!!

Jeanita Jenkins and George Cardinl have been seen together a mighty lot! What do you have to say to this, Genele???

What was Evelyn doing in Lockney the other Sunday?? Duhhh! Katie Collier and W. T. Conner have been doing good lately, but what about his going with Rose the other nite???

This Buford that runs around with Bob Mooney seems to be taking Virginia away from him!! Friends will be friends!!

Who is B. Pat Hennessee and Betty Laminack have been going with??? They seem to like them mighty much!! And I don't mean "kinda"!

Rainer, and Mr. Burgett entertained with several enjoyable numbers. The highpoint of the bingo parties came when Mrs. A. J. Jackson received the very nice mix-master Mrs. Jackson was awarded this for having the most bingos for the two nights.

Mr. and Mrs. Haden and the Band Parents club wish to thank everyone who participated.

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ATTEND HEREFORD MEETING
 Six young people of the Christian Church in Floydada attended the World Fellowship meeting for the Panhandle district at Hereford last Friday and Saturday. They were June Powell, Billie Frances Sisson, Mary and Ruth Maxey, Billie Newberry and Bob White.

A metronome, used by students, marks time by the pendulum.

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Whirlwinds Work on Track and Field

The Whirlwinds, fifty boys strong trying to win their third straight district championship in the track and field events to be held here, will begin their work on the track and digging pits this morning.

Candid Camera

Born February 22, 1932, is one of our most brilliant and intelligent pupils in high school. He is one of those dignified seniors, who makes 99 on his report card in Algebra. This person can be pictured as five feet seven inches tall, and weighs 157 pounds which is evenly distributed; he has curly brown hair laughing blue eyes, beautiful white teeth, and a smooth olive complexion.

to make up his mind about what food he liked because he just loves to eat, but finally he decided he liked fried oysters and french fries better than anything. He loves banana ice cream, too.

CHEMICAL PRECAUTIONS

In experimenting with radioactive chemicals from the atomic piles at Oak Ridge, plant scientists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture have stopped using the familiar clay pots and jars in their greenhouse experiments. Instead they are using inexpensive tin cans coated with enamel.

the start of the experiment. This is possible by using fresh soil, a new container, and exactly measured quantities of radioactive chemicals.

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Band News

The Whirlwind Band journeyed over to Andrews Ward and gave the chapel program, Tuesday, March 9. A very snappy fan fare opened the program. The numbers consisted of numbers from the snappiest marches to the latest in jazz.

GLEE CLUB NEWS

The Glee Club plans to enlarge their repertoire of numbers with several new and beautiful songs "I'm Looking Over a Four Leaf Clover", and "How Soon" are two of the songs that are being arranged for the club.

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Printzess Suits

Table listing prices for Printzess Suits: Wore \$65.00, now \$43.33; Wore \$59.50, now \$39.67; Wore \$49.50, now \$33.00

Other Suits

Table listing prices for Other Suits: Wore \$39.50, now \$26.33; Wore \$25.00, now \$16.67; Wore \$19.00, now \$12.67; Wore \$17.00, now \$11.33; Wore \$11.00, now \$7.33

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Bad Weather, or Good, C-C for Live Stock

Weather may be "nice" later on but right now it is terribly un "nice", so Floydada Chamber of Commerce, taking no chances, is plugging for the youngsters who are planning to show their fat stock in the Junior Live Stock show here March 31.

Surely, since the weather has been so unfavorable for the boys for so long, it will be good by that time. Scores of these boys, all over Floyd county, are working in frigid temperatures this week, to make good marketable swine, sheep, steers ready for their show on March 31.

So says E. L. Angus, of Floydada Chamber of Commerce, who is the organization's choice for general chairman of the Fat Stock show. Mr. Angus is trying to get publicity in the newspapers over the state for the boys and locally he is having signs made for the stores which say:

"We invite you to visit the Floyd County Junior Live Stock Show and Auction sale Wednesday, March 31, 1948."

Mr. Angus and the Chamber of Commerce have been "for" the Junior livestockmen for a long time. They think that is the way the "county is going to get along" according to a viewpoint expressed by Mr. Angus one day this week.

School Election

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W. Earl Edwards, county trustee-at-large.

All qualified voters in the county, except those resident in Floydada Independent School district, will ballot on April 3 to choose a trustee-at-large.

In addition to the county trustees to be chosen the following common school districts are to select district trustees:

At Lockney the terms of Raymond Rucker and J. R. Belt, Jr., expire.

Other precincts, the number of trustees to be named and the present trustee are as follows:

No. 3, Muncy, one, vacancy to be filled;

No. 4, Pleasant Valley, one, O. G.

- Shearer;
No. 5, Fairview, one, W. B. Wilson;
No. 6, Starkey, one, Jim Jones;
No. 8, South Plains, three, J. K. West, Grigsby Milton, J. P. Taylor;
No. 9, Sand Hill, one, C. M. Perry;
No. 10, Harmony, one, C. A. Williams;
No. 11, Lakeview, one, Walter Hollums;
No. 12, Fairmount, one, Woodrow Cobb;
No. 13, Center, one, Roe Jones;
No. 14, Lone Star, one, Clyde Baxter;
No. 15, Cedar Hill, one, Carl P. Lemons;
No. 16, McCoy, one, L. A. Pate;
No. 18, Dougherty, two, Jim Morrison, Cecil Payne;
No. 19, Baker, one, Hershel Green;
No. 20, Antelope, one, R. H. Crawford;
No. 21, Providence, one, M. C. Scheele;
No. 22, Blanco, one, W. C. Cates;
No. 24, Liberty, one, Raymond Ford;
No. 26, Campbell, one, J. A. Baxter;
No. 28, Hillcrest, one, John P. Lewis;
No. 29, Edgin, one, Walter Kelley.

Guest Rites

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Tull, and Sam, Jr., Cynthia and Posey Harvey, and four sisters, Messdames Mae Gilbert, Floydada, Mark Hanah, Lubbock, Del Fowler, Plainview, and Texas Daniels, Levelland.

Floydada Relatives Attend
Attending the funeral for Mrs. J. L. Guest from Floydada were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Fry, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Britton, Mrs. Mae Gilbert, Mrs. Etta Hicks, Ethel Gilbert, Mrs. A. B. Blount, Sr., Opal Blount, Betty Perry, Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, Mrs. Lewis Norman, Mrs. Wallace King, Mrs. Bill Fowler, Mrs. Ernest Carter, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gilbert, of Amarillo, who were visiting in Floydada at the time of the death, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gilbert, of Lockney.

Mrs. Jess Brown returned home last Friday from a weeks visit in Sweetwater with an aunt, Mrs. Walter Townsend. Mrs. Brown stopped in Snyder enroute home and visited with Dr. and Mrs. R. D. English, Mrs. English is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Bearden, of Pampa, were in Floydada on business during the week-end.

Important Meeting Urged by Lloyd on Hospital Problem

A meeting on the cooperative hospital problem at which some important decisions are due to be reached, has been called by John A. Lloyd, president of the group for Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the court house.

Since building costs have gotten so thoroughly out of hand and state cooperation in a hospital building program is on a severely exacting basis the directors have been facing a practically insurmountable problem of meeting the situation.

"What we get done we are going to have to do ourselves and we had as well make up our minds to it," Mr. Lloyd declared yesterday. "Whether the stockholders and others interested want to go ahead and do like we can do now or await developments will be up to them to decide."

Everybody interested in addition to those who have taken stock in the hospital, are invited to be present at the meeting, the directors stated in making the call.

Stockholders are urged to attend the meeting to help arrive at a decision on what to do.

Marine Funeral

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and other communities paid silent tribute.

Master Sergeant Frank R. Gore USMC, who escorted the body of Herman Macel Roberts to Floydada for the final rites and burial in Floydada cemetery, has been in the service for 19 years and two months. San Diego is his home. At this time he is stationed at the Army Quartermaster depot in Fort Worth. The body of the Floydada boy reached the depot at Fort Worth on February 22.

West Tex. Teachers in Meeting Friday

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Floyd county teachers, among them teachers of Floydada Public schools, will attend practically 100 per cent, the sessions tomorrow of West Texas Teachers association, District IV, of the Texas State Teachers association, in Lubbock.

General sessions will be held Friday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock and again Friday night at 7:45 o'clock.

Committee and sectional meetings will make a full day for the teachers beginning at 10 o'clock Friday-morning.

Floyd County Superintendent Clarence Guffee is treasurer of the organization for the current year.

Miss Lovene Jones of Baylor University at Waco, Texas, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lovelle Jones.

All Officers Draw a Bye in Floydada

There will be no city election to choose officials in Floydada when election-time rolls around this year this being "off year" for all Floydada offices.

Officials in Floydada draw a bye on even years here, with the full slate to be chosen in the even-numbered years.

Quanah Ry. Heads In Day on Line

Chas. H. Sommer, of St. Louis, president of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific Railway company, in company with Quin Baker, of Quanah, vice-president and general manager of the line, were in Floydada Monday in Mr. Sommer's special car, making stops at Paducah and Roaring Springs enroute, while they viewed conditions and talked with local business people and customers.

Monday here Mr. Sommer expressed gratification over the business originating in the east and on the west coast that the Frisco and Quanah Route are handling through Floydada in the past several months.

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An estimated 50,000 members of the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are expected to attend the 108th annual state convention of the grand lodge, I. O. O. F., of Texas and the 84th meet of the Rebekah assembly of Texas to be held in Houston March 14 through March 16.

Dr. Arthur G. Tiemeyer, Baltimore, Md., grand master of the sovereign lodge, I. O. O. F., will attend the meet and will be one of the speakers on the convention program. Others scheduled to take part in ceremonies and deliver addresses during the meeting include Clarence E. Woods, Lubbock, grand master of the Grand Lodge of Texas.

Delegates elected to represent the Floydada lodges at the convention are Jack Burleson and Mrs. J. G. Pruitt. Alternates elected were E. L. Cornelius and Mrs. Andy Jackson. Others representing the local lodges at the meeting will be Fred Reeves and Dr. J. G. Pruitt. The group will leave from Lubbock Saturday morning on a charter bus.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Thornton, of Lubbock, were here Sunday afternoon. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Battey and other relatives and friends.

R. V. Bartlett made a business trip to Clovis, New Mexico, this week-end.

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Johnson Filly 2nd at Fat Stock Show

Floydada Fly, quarter horse filly raised by H. B. (Jack) Johnson, showed well in the American Quarter Horse association show at the Amarillo Exposition and Fat Stock show March 1 - 5, placing second in the reigning class and second also in the competition among mares of the 1945 class. Mr. Johnson handled the animal in the ring. There were 161 animals in the quarter horse show.

Floydada Fly was sired by Pat, a Guthrie, Texas, horse. Her dam is Sweetheart, a Billy Clegg bred mare.

The Johnsons were among many who were caught in Amarillo by the ice storm during the show and over-stayed their intended absence from home.

Another Floyd county quarter horse shown in the Amarillo competition was Chief Rainy Day, which was in the aged stallion class, belonging to Paul Kropp of Lockney. Chief Rainy Day placed fourth in hot competition.

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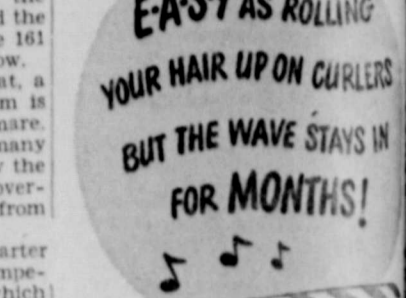
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here; I stay here. I'm in hearing what I've seen and heard, expected, attempted and hoped and prayed for two or more years ago. I'd like to hear a little more about you. I've longed for, and prayed these two years you'd directly from me. You dear friends and have written of your and each letter has read as: "Good news please 'Keep 'em coming you have sent packing for cold and shivering friends. These clothes their bodies and hearts have sent parcels of hungry Chinese friends. These eased their hunger strengthened their bodies. I have sent picture and money for Bibles and their minds and if you have sent morning used in the education of the war for a season. The mind and life of the Chinese Kingdom. Some of the friends, fellow missionaries. These prayers were gloriously, and been able to "keep on

Work you have sent from a need here. Every has brought a blessing. I bow, yes, bow times (as per Chinese express deep, deep you and breathe a Lord asking Him to reward you for and prayers. I work here during years, I have not bow my head and beg for any one person. I have prevented my 1947 my time was all supervising our new regular work, plus

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humbly and gratefully accepting their gracious offer and asking you to join me in expressing to our Heavenly Father our thanks and appreciation for this group of young people, who want to serve in every possible way. I want to say, also that I have never met a finer, more enthusiastic, more deeply spiritual group of young people anywhere than this group in Calvary Baptist Church of Corpus Christi, Texas. It was my joy and privilege to be with them and their zealous, spiritual pastor and wife in a School of Missions during my sojourn in America. Then later I was with them in a very unique camp, a Missionary Retreat it was. We scaled spiritual heights together during that week on that lovely bay.

So, this letter that comes to you now is being written by your humble servant, representative and friend here in Soochow, China. Then a copy with addresses, sent first to the young people of Calvary, Corpus Christi, and mimeographed there by loving hands -- hands dedicated to our Lord and His cause around the world. Then, sent out from that city to you and other dear friends of the Homeland. You will be understanding. I know, even though this is an indirect way of getting a letter to you. A letter which I mean to be a very personal one to you. If this reaches you and brings a reply you will be hearing from me again. When? Well! Yes, again, for I love you and treasure your friendship and want to keep touch.

Co-Workers Together
Now of my life and work here. Where shall I begin? There is no end. Volumes could be written and still the half not be told. The China I came back to, the China I live in today cannot be described. These two years have been so different to any other years of my life. Needs are different and greater than during previous years. The aftermath of war in a pagan land, in any land that was a battle field, is too horrible and difficult to try to describe. Even we, who have been here for a long time, do not understand the how's and why's of all these changes and conditions. But our unchanging Lord is still here. Yes, in the heart and midst of all the strange, and usual, and difficult the Holy Spirit quietly works, and Christ's presence is ever felt; there, our Lord and His cause marches triumphantly forward. A glorious privilege it is to be here and to realize, too, that you and I are co-laborers together with God, both here and there. I thank God for you, and pray for you there. I covet your daily prayers here.

A few of the many things I've thanked God for, wept over, prayed about, rejoiced with, and for have been: seeing steady progress in the work of physical, mental and spiritual re-habilitation here in Soochow, and throughout this section of China.

Come Over to See Me
My own home met the same fate as the majority of our homes did. It had been degraded to a dilapidated house during the "Occupation" of some. It was so filthy I felt I could never live in it again. But it is surprising, even astounding, what carpenters, masons, tanners, painters and coolies can do. They simply remade my lovely home. Come over and visit me. Will you? When? If Baptist World Alliance should meet in Shanghai in 1950 some of you doubtless can and will accept my invitation. The latch string of my door hangs on the outside always. Come on over. Executive committee of our mission is working out a schedule of furloughs for all of us who returned soon after the war ended. At present mine is scheduled for 1950. So I have great hopes of attending that one Baptist World Alliance meeting wherever it meets. If in Shanghai. I hope I can remain on the field until after it convenes. If in America, I hope I can go early enough to attend Alliance meeting. So I'll be looking forward to seeing some of you at the 1950 Baptist World Alliance meeting.

Now back to my subject again: Re-habilitation. We've spent time, energy, money, and then spent more of each in Relief and Re-habilitation work. God has blessed as He did the loaves and fishes and thousands have benefitted thereby. As a missionary who has seen so many needy ones helped in our own mission and in our own city. I want to express a word, yea, many words of appreciation of UNRRA, CNRRA, Red Cross and AAC for the great help they have given to us.

To Texas W. M. U., I want again to express deep, deep gratitude for the "over and above" gift that is being provided for Post-War work with children in Soochow. What with her population of 800,000 (plus or minus), one half at least of which are children, there have been thousands of ways and needs for this fund. It was decided to use it in establishing a student home we call "Home Away From Home." It was filled with girls and a few small boys who were war casualties. Students whose education had been discontinued during all or a part of the war period. Some had lost one or both parents. Others whose families were left destitute after the war. Most of them were suffering much from malnutrition.

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I've been "Hao boo" to all of these children. "Hao boo" means grandmother. Of course they have, and rightly so, a Chinese house-mother, matron, nurse and teachers, but it is quite alright and in keeping with the past and present trend of things to have a "foreign" grandmother. Any foreign lady who is closely associated with Chinese children can qualify for the cherished relationship of "Hao boo." My heart has been warmed by the smiles and gracious expressions of gratitude that come from these children as they've received from boys and girls of America hair ribbons, marbles, pencils, socks, toys, warm sweaters, etc. I've given out these that have come to me, for and in the name of precious little boys and girls as well as adults in Texas and other states who love Christ and love China. In the name of their Christ and of your Christ, they bow their thanks to you. I thank you for them and for many besides those who have been the recipients of your gifts.

What a Christmas they had last year! After all church and school services, programs and celebrations were over on the 24th, we gave each child a long red cause stocking to hang up for Santa to fill and sent them upstairs to bed and to sleep.

What fun "Hao boo" and the Chinese staff had filling those stockings and getting a Christmas tree decorated before midnight. Then more fun still as we saw them come down stairs early Christmas morning to a well-lit Christmas tree with gifts piled high underneath blankets and other gifts from Relief Agencies and, too, their red stockings filled to the top and running over. They laughed, they cried for joy they clapped their hands in glee, and then burst forth into singing -- "Jingle Bells" and into shining Christmas carols, "Joy to the World," "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," etc.

Contagious Christmas Joy
By that time my tears were flowing down inside and spilling over. I slipped out to call other missionaries of the compound to witness and absorb some of this very contagious Christmas joy. The fear and anxiety and sufferings of war for 8 long years vanished from those precious children's hearts and minds. I wish you could step into this Home any evening as they assemble in the living room for family prayers. Each Christian child eagerly awaits its turn to lead. I wish, also that you could step into some of the primary and Junior Sunday School classes of our church, or into a Sunbeam, G. A. or E. A. meeting and see and hear these older students of the "Home Away From Home" as they teach the S. S. lesson or direct the program of the various church organizations. This year we took a step forward and instead of

assigning the older students home work, we have given to each definite tasks and responsibilities in our church work and program. They all are a great help in our Good Will Center project. Of course this help comes after school hours and during weekends and vacations, for they themselves study in our Mission Academy each day. This experiment of student help in church work is proving beneficial both to the work and to these older students who are developing under responsibility. This practical experience will fit them for better workers after they graduate. Several of these older students have already heard and answered God's call to special Christian service. Pray for them.

The nutrition of milk feeding center protects we opened at most of our churches last year with CNRRA, UNRRA, and AAC help had a promotion as a project at our Bing Hwo Jao Church, where we have enlarged this project or rather have launched a Good Will Center project with milk feeding as one department of the work. All the students, even small children, of the "Home Away From Home" are helping in various ways in this Good Will Center work. So, for all that Texas W. M. U., CNRRA, AAC, etc. have done and are doing for the needy children of Soochow, China we bow in humble thanks and gratitude to you and our Heavenly Father for you.

The re-habilitation that has brought very great joy to my heart has been one unit of a much needed Religious Education building at our Bing Hwo Jao Church where I labor. Before the war even our buildings, except church and kindergarten buildings were almost beyond repair and we were on the list for new buildings. During those years of "Occupation" these buildings kept deteriorating to utter dilapidation. Upon our return, we immediately condemned two buildings, we hardly got our children out before parts of one building began tumbling down. Drs. Rankin and Cauthen, and Executive Secretary of Kiangsu Baptist Convention, and Messrs. Johnson and McMillan of building committee of the mission came, took a careful survey of conditions and needs. The executive committee of mission then made a careful study. Our Heavenly Father was looking down from above and saw the needs for His church. His "Dong sin huh" (a Chinese expression meaning all agreeing or all of one heart and mind) it was decided that this was one justifiable need or use of re-habilitation funds. So our building project was launched in May, 1947.

Beautiful Reverent Ceremony
A "ground breaking" service was held at which time we not only offered up the ground but all the materials and workers, as well as the proposed building were dedicated to the Lord's service. It was a simple but a beautiful and reverent ceremony. On the hillside stood the vested choir of young people. Below came Sunbeams, Junior and Inter-

mediate B. Y. P. M. O's to sing and dedicate in pantomime all the various materials to be used in the building. Pastors of our other Baptist churches of the city spoke. Pastor Y. C. Ching (whom some of you met in America) brought greetings from Shanghai Baptists. Dr. & Mrs. Andrew Potter of Oklahoma, enroute to the Baptist World Alliance, were here. They spoke of the love and faith of American Baptists for the co-workers in China. The spirit of the service was that of a complete dedication. As senior deacon, Yuan turned the first sod of dirt and asked God's blessings upon the grounds and building, those present repledged their lives to, "seek first the Kingdom of God" -- Bing Hwo Jao looks forward to progressing with Christ in enlarging her program of Christian service of preaching, teaching, clothing, feeding, loving, and winning.

Things often move slowly in China. Our building was not complete until autumn. Ningpo vernish (a Chinese paint) had to wait for rainy weather to be put on, as it will not dry properly in dry weather. Then it takes a minimum of two months for it to harden. It lasts for years and years and gives a beautiful finish to floors and wood work. By November it was all ready for use. We held a dedication service to which we invited all the pastors evangelists, and church officers of all the churches of different denominations in the city. This was a real Thanksgiving occasion and spiritual uplift for our church.

All For God's Cause
Our program like "All God was divided into three parts. First guests were invited into our church auditorium which seats from five to six hundred. Here our school and Good Will Center children rendered a program offering up in song, pantomime, music and speeches this new building to the Lord. The best number perhaps was a group representing the various workmen as carpenters, masons, coolies, plumbers, electricians, painters, etc. In pantomime and song they laid down the hammer and saw, empty paint buckets, etc. and all pointed to the last in the row who stepped forward with a miniature building. And in song offered their materials and labors and the new building into God's care and for His cause and use. We wended our children and young people to have a part in the dedication that they might have a deeper appreciation and greater respect and love for this long waited building.

Next we went to the chapel in the new building which is a beautifully finished attic -- a glorified attic -- all the pastors of the city were seated in a semicircle facing the congregation. The church choir stood in a semicircle just back of the pastors, and our children stood in well-balanced formation around the walls and down the central aisle while our guests were seated on the chapel benches. Choir and children sang some appropriate hymns which were followed

by Rev. Wu G. Tsao, Executive Secretary of our Kiangsu Baptist Convention, (many of you know Rev. Wu) who brought a very fitting message offered up this our new building to the Lord and His glorious cause. His message was followed by a season of prayer with each pastor having a part. It was all such a spiritual uplift. After the benediction, the choir sang softly as all passed out of the chapel down the stairs, and out of the building to take a look at the outside. Then all were invited into our 16 X 50 ft. Army hospital tent that we use in our Good Will Center project. The tent had been early decorated by the children. Here tea and all the "trimmings" was served in true Chinese style. Good tea, and fine fellowship.

It has been my desire and prayer all along that the Lord would press my own heart and the hearts of the people of our community spiritually to accept this material blessing and use it only for His glory. God is answering this prayer gloriously. I am witnessing a revival such as I've never seen in the hearts of our people. No evangelistic services have been held, no preacher has led in this. The Holy Spirit has descended upon us and is quietly working in our midst. Almost daily some one comes to the church asking for the privilege of following Christ in baptism. We had a glorious baptismal service recently when 17 followed our Lord in baptism. Of the seventeen, three were college professors, four primary school teachers, some neighbors and primary school children. While they were being baptized two ladies and a young man slipped into the seat behind me and whispered and asked if they too could be baptized. They were later examined for baptism.

My heart burned within me as I listened to both groups relate their experiences of grace and the salvation and keeping power of our Omnipotent Lord. Many of them have wandered around over China during the years of war and are now returning to their native city or former home. Many lost all their earthly possessions. But God has led them safely through hours and places of danger and suffering. They now want to renew their allegiance to Him as Lord of Lords in their lives. This is happening in a church that has been pastorless since the retirement of our aged pastor in April of 1945. His health was completely broken by the stress and strain of war.

Six Daughters Before One Son
We've been fortunate in getting seminary students who come for the week-ends. Now we have one of our very own, a teacher of Yates Academy, who has felt a call to the ministry for years. He is a college graduate and was a teacher in college for several years before coming to us. He and his family wandered here, there and yonder seeking places of safety during the 8 years of war. They had several very narrow escapes. God delivered them from danger and death and they

gave to Him all credit and glory for the preservation of their lives. He preaches with power, and is getting a strong hold upon our young people. I do thank God daily for him. He has six lovely daughters. Each time he has wished for a son as a fine little son. They have named "Pau Lou" (Paul). What proud parents. He preaches hallelujah sermons now. I believe greater things still are in store for us at Bing Hwo Jao (meaning Apple Blossom Bridge) Baptist Church. The church is situated on a canal near this bridge.

Evangelistic campaigns in all our churches of the convention have resulted in great numbers of conversions and additions to our churches. It is encouraging and uplifting to us as we see more and more of our Chinese co-workers getting under the load and burdens here in all the work. Our Young People's Camp last summer brought great spiritual blessings to thousands of hearts. Mission schools all filled to overflowing.

One-ness in Fellowship

Life is never monotonous on the mission field. During this one autumn season besides the daily joys in our regular work, it has been our happy privilege to attend the Centennial celebration of Old North Gate Baptist Church in Shanghai. The historical event was impressive and inspiring beyond words to describe. The programs and the fellowship with Baptist missionaries and Chinese leaders and workers from all over the Kiangsu province brought joy and renewed courage to each of us. Following that came our annual meeting of Kiangsu Baptist Convention held in Kunshan. Here again we had fellowship with and scaled spiritual heights together with our Baptist pastors and church leaders from all over this province and some from adjoining provinces had assembled in Soochow for their mission meeting. This gave us the chance of seeing some of our dear

friends in that group that we seldom meet up with. And just recently the Methodists of this province met in Soochow in Annual Conference and, also, to celebrate Centennial, so, again we met to meet dear, dear friends. (See China's Story, page 10)

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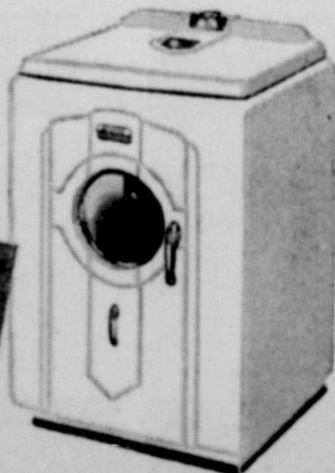
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group. We all are here in a common cause, and there is such a oneness of spirit and uplifting fellowship.

Well, I began this letter early in November. Here it is in the New Year and still unfinished. I'm determined to finish it and get a copy to you early in the year. As I reread it, it sounds like ancient and medieval history. I'll add some modern to it, and send it on its way.

Down With High Fever
The 3rd week in November, the night after our dedication service of the new building, I came down with a "bang." High fever uncontrollable. Our one missionary doctor of the city, Dr. Thoroughman (Methodist) came daily to see me. A week went by with my fever rising higher daily. I was taken to the hospital on a stretcher. (We have no ambulances here.) I felt alright along the way across this city as stretcher bearers jogged along on our cobble stone streets. I raised the side curtain and talked to Miss Sophie Lanneau, a fellow-missionary who rode along by my side in a Riksha. As soon as I was well-installed in my hospital room, I began to lose consciousness and became delirious and remained wholly or partially so for a few days. What beautiful dreams I had during those days. I think I lingered very near death's door. People not only of my church, but other churches and groups over the city were praying. Even when Dr. held out no hope of my recovery, my church and others kept on praying. God heard and we all felt that because of prayer my life was spared. Our Great Physician entered that hospital and gave of Himself, wisdom and guidance to some of China's best doctors and nurses. Oh! how faithfully they all did work and soon the cause of illness was found and my case diagnosed "Typhus fever." They located the germs and destroyed them. But didn't locate or destroy the arts that brought to me Typhus fever. The invaders took much from our homes and city, but they also left many things—many rats. We've all worked hard to exterminate the rats. I never had rats on my place before the "Occupation".

No Sling in Death
One of our Baptist nurses from Yangchow, Ruby Wheat, was called and she "operated" me 14 days. One of China's best nurses specialized me at night. I did not lack for care—the best of medical care. I lacked for nothing that doctors and nurses and kind loving friends could do—Chinese friends and missionary friends. To all these I owe much. To our Great Physician I owe even more. To Him be the honor and glory for my life being saved. Saved for what? My chief concern, desire and prayer is: Lord, help me to be faithful in whatever tasks you've spared me for.

During these quiet days along with the Lord I've learned and been reassured of much as: There is no sting in death, no fear. When we are completely helpless God is so near, holds us so close, and speaks so clearly. Oh, I feel that I have re-discovered myself and re-discovered God. He neither slumbers nor



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Daniel and Senator Tom Connally leave the White House. The Texans explained their state's annexation agreement with the US and the importance of submerged land revenues to the Texas Public School Fund. They asked Mr. Truman for another hearing before he takes action on pending legislation.

sleeps. His presence, His power, His love. His comfort sustains during darkest hours. How sad, how tragic that so many in the world do not know Him in full saving and keeping power. Pray for me as I continue with renewed zeal to tell others here of this wonderful Saviour.

This was my first Christmas ever to spend in a hospital. But I shall never look back upon it as one of the sweetest and most blessed Christmases of my life. Days before Christmas my fever had subsided. My special nurse returned home and I was pronounced "out of danger", but left very, very weak. Unless you've had typhus fever, you simply cannot realize how weak one can be and feel and still be alive. As my strength gradually returned, teachers, students and friends stood by, and by doing the shopping and wrapping and labelling of Christmas necklaces for me, mostly in my hospital room, none of my church constituency had to be disappointed because of my illness in having their happy Christmas.

Another Christmas Celebration
The church and school celebration was very good all said. Several hundred children of our schools went home afterwards with a red bag of nuts, candy and an orange each. Teachers of both our regular primary school and free school and workers of Good Will Center I invited to a Christmas dinner in our "Home Away From Home." We have an efficient cook there and he and the matron handled it well. The older students in the Home decorated

the tree and the house and even a red candle, march up and down the stairs of our hospital singing carols softly. My door was opened and they filed in until there was no standing room left. As I lay there I felt almost as if I was looking at the heavenly host of angels. This group that had been used of the Lord in saving my life—Well, I can't describe what my heart felt during those moments. Carols never sounded more beautiful, more heavenly. During the night I repeated that each time I awoke I would hear groups in the distance singing carols; A University, a Normal School and a Middle School near-by the hospital with various groups of carolers.

Flowers, Fruits, Gifts, Cards
Before the 25th, my hospital room was filled with flowers, fruit and gifts. My students hung lines across one wall of the room and on these my Christmas cards were hung. Drs. and nurses would linger in the room to look at and exclaim over these lovely American Christmas greetings from you and other friends. May I pause here to thank each one of you for your cherrymint and messages and ask you to consider this letter a special "thank you". Also, it is a "thank you" for "Get Well" cards, birthday greetings, etc. of 1947. Different groups came and sang carols. The climax of all in beauty and heavenliness was when the doctors and nurses, around 80 in number, all dressed in white with each carrying

and more friends came heavily laden with gifts. Most of them lingered to offer a prayer of thanksgiving for my recovery. Oh, how these dear Soochow friends, Chinese and missionary, have endeared themselves to me during this experience.

Hard, All - Day Toll Later
I came home on Dec. 29th. I had forgotten, during this month's absence, how bright and sunny and clean my own home and bed-room is. Oh, it is good to be at home again, even though with Drs. advice I'm resting for some weeks here in my room before getting out. My own lack of strength makes it quite easy for me to sit in bed as I am today and write or read. The time of my illness was well-planned it seems for it is now nearing the China New Year winter vacation which will end about Feb. 20th. So I do not plan to go back to hard all day toll work before that date. Some committees are meeting in my room and light work like that now but the thing sort of work is weeks ahead. So, I should have my full strength back by then.

Maybe by that time these letters will be reaching you. If I can get addresses copied and into Corpus Christi, I'm sure work there will be expedited.

Now, I know each of your letter during the past year deserves a personal reply. But since that is humanly impossible now, I'm asking you to accept this letter as a "send best" and keep on writing me loving me, and praying for me.
Devotedly yours,
BLANCHE GROVES

Lakeview News

LAKEVIEW, March 9—Rev. W. T. North, pastor of the Lakeview Baptist church, will be here Sunday to preach at both morning and evening hours.

There will be no school Friday since the teachers will be in Lubbock attending the West Texas State Teachers' association.

Walter Hollins is taking the scholastic census this week.

Floyd Smith, of Morton, visited relatives here the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lloyd, of Lubbock, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Smith Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Pierce and daughter, Nita Nell, of Clovis, New Mexico, spent Sunday night in the home of Mrs. Pierce's sister, Mrs. E. H. Tooley and family. Other visitors in the Tooley home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen, of Lockney.

Remember to see "Windy Willows" in the school auditorium beginning at 7:30 P. M. Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Breed and daughter, Dorothy, were business visitors in Lubbock Monday.

This community is in sympathy with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nichols and relatives in the passing of her sister, Mrs. W. H. Sadler, of Floydada. Mrs. Sadler was laid to rest in an Abilene cemetery. On Monday her brother, Walt Tidwell, of Bonham, was put to rest in the Bonham cemetery.

Center News

CENTER, March 9—More misty, foggy weather.
Rev. and Mrs. Clay Muncy filled their appointment here Sunday. As the gas at the church was exhausted, services both morning and night were held in the school house. We expect to have the butane tank filled by next Sunday.

The Muncy's took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Meredith.
Curtis Meredith spent Sunday after church with James David Wellborn. Nancy Carol Meredith was

a dinner guest of Norma June Ross. The Ashton family helped eat a birthday dinner Sunday with relatives in town.

If weather permits, Mrs. Walter Sims is expected to return home from the Plainview hospital this week.

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Play at Lakeview Tonight Has Many Funny Escapades

A lot of laughs are promised at the presentation of "Windy Willows" at the Lakeview schoolhouse tonight at 7:30 o'clock. The four act comedy is being put on by the Dougherty community and proceeds will go for playground and school supplies for the two communities.

The cast for the production is Hubbel Tibbs, by Bill Smith; Scarcely Nuff, by Dennis Smith; Donald McAdams, Hubert Ring; Glover McAdams, Harold Woodson; Billy Fortune, Henry Hinton; Gladys Wellington, Genelle Norman; Carrie Tibbs, Ruth Smith and Mrs. Llewellyn De Puyster, Ruth Daniel.

"Windy Willows" is the story of an orphan boy, Hubbel Tibbs, who invents a washer so that he and his sister, Carrie, may have money to go to school. The humorous escapades of the two, combined with the cheating McAdams and the tramp Billy Fortune, result in a surprise ending for the audience. The play is full of laughs, funny situations and exciting moments.

CHARLES CRAIG WOODY NEW SON OF THE BILLY WOODY'S

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Woody of Houston, Texas, are the proud parents of a son born February 23. The baby weighed seven pounds and has been named Charles Craig.

The young fellow is the grandson of Mrs. Roy Curry of Floydada and of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Smart of Lockney. Mrs. Woody will be remembered as Tella Jo Smart before her marriage.

Campbell News

CAMPBELL—March 8—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jones and family visited Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lyles and family Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Head and family attended church at Roaring Springs Sunday and visited in the Boiling home.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Warren and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Foster Amburn Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Warren and Dennis visited his father, C. T. Warren in Plainview hospital Saturday. Mr. Warren is doing fine.

Visitors in the J. A. Baxter home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Baxter and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Finley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jones and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lyles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Norvell and Geneva visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther (Spooks) Norvell and Dan at Hereford Sunday.

Carl and Judy Baxter spent Sunday with Mrs. Bratton.

Our Garden Club will meet after school hours this Friday if weather permits. We want to elect officers and organize two baseball teams.

All boys in grade schools of other communities are invited to be present.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for their acts of kindness at the death of our father.

The Cline Family.

D. I. Bolding, student at Baylor university, was at home over the week-end, on a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Bolding.

POLITICAL ★ ★ ★ ★ COLUMN

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

For Senator 39th Senatorial District: KILMER B. CORBIN of Dawson County
RALPH BROCK of Lubbock County
STERLING J. PARRISH of Lubbock County
DUDLEY K. BRUMMETT of Lubbock county.

For District Attorney: JOHN B. STAPLETON, Floyd County

For County Judge: TOM W. DEEN
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For Sheriff: LELAND A. HART

For County Attorney: ENOS T. JONES

For District Clerk: MRS. GLADYS B. HOWARD

For County Clerk: MARGARET COLLIER

For County Treasurer: MRS. JAMES L. ASHER

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For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: FRED N. CLARK

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 2: W. H. HUGHES COUNTS
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W. F. (CAP) CARTEL

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 3: W. C. PLUMLEE
RENE YEARY

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: P. L. (FAY) HART
CLAUD EAWWER

For Justice of the Peace Precincts 1 and 4: O. B. OLSON

For Public Weigher, Precincts 1 and 4: JOHN C. CUSTER

As A Farm Woman Thinks

(By Nellie Witt Spikes)

Looks as if the old saying is right this year as to living thru March one can live the rest of the year. It has been a hard month so far altho only a few days. Friday was cold, the gray clouds swept across the sky, leaving a faint trace of moisture which promptly froze over everything outside. The wind blew hard and now and then above its noise we heard the sad cry of the killdeer which had come too early. There was no place for him to rest. The ground was hard and icy and his faint cry blended with the creaking of the ice-laden trees.

Both cars froze in the gas lines so we to go if we really had to, until John thawed his out. I sat shivering, not with cold, but with fear of cattle dying, of someone falling and breaking a bone, borrowed trouble.

I could never ride a hobby in a slow walk. I want to go real fast. My rock-collecting hobby, for instance. I long for the mineral rocks I do not have and have found some places to buy a few. I can hardly wait for an order to come in. I almost envy Mr. and Mrs. Suits of Petersburg who are spending the winter in Precincts. Not that they are out of the cold, which would be very fine, but that there are many mineral rocks down there for collection.

I read of the beautiful Mexican opal formation found in the hills in the Big Bend. Somehow the rocks are not just rocks to me. They are beautiful tall mountains, old mines far under the ground, pebbles washed smooth and clean by the ocean waters. I see old weary prospectors and donkey with heavy packs on their backs. I see rocks that were formed when the earth was new, age-old petrified trees. In fact

family attended the funeral for Macy Roberts Sunday.

Miss B. Davis visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Ardy and family.

Don Vickers spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gilliland and family.

Mrs. Bratton and school children from Campbell visited Wednesday with Mrs. Brown and the primary grades.

The '42 party and the pie supper have been postponed until Friday March 19.

Twenty-two persons were present at Sunday school. Rev. Roberts preached at the morning service. His sermon was entitled "Thy Will Be Done."

How can you live sweetly amid the vexatious things, the irritating things, the multitude of little worries and frets, which lie all along your way, and which you cannot evade? You cannot at present change your surroundings. Whatever kind of life you are to live, must be lived amid precisely the experiences in which you are now moving. Here you must win your victories or suffer your defeats. No restlessness or discontent can change your lot. Others may have other circumstances surrounding them, but here are yours. You had better make up your mind to accept what you cannot alter. You can live a beautiful life in the midst of your present circumstances.

Marshall Departing Party Attended by Numerous Friends

At the basket dinner for Rev. and Mrs. Otto F. Marshall and their son David, sponsored by the First Christian church, a large number of members of the church and friends gathered and enjoyed a fine fellowship. The dinner was held at Fellowship hall of the church.

The Marshalls have gone to Crescent, Oklahoma, where Rev. Marshall has accepted the pastorate of a church and will study at Phillips University.

After dinner talks were made by J. C. Wester, chairman of the board and Mrs. L. B. Fawver, president of the Women's council in appreciation of the work done here by the Marshalls. A gift from the church and Sunday school and one from the council was presented to the family.

Those present for the fellowship dinner were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Baker; Mr. and Mrs. Ray S. McEntire, Larry and DeVona; Mr. and Mrs. George Van Wikel and daughter, Frances; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Fawver; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hagood and son Dan; Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Stewart; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wester; Mr. and Mrs. Kinder Farris; Mr. and Mrs. Fay Maxey and daughters Ruth, Mary, and Linda; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Newell and son, Louis; Mrs. Lora Farris; John Farris; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parrish and daughter Louise; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morckel; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jenkins;

S. L. Powell and daughter, June; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tribble; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Pyffe and children, Sherwen and Barry; Mr. and Mrs. W. Edd Brown and grandsons, James and David Baggett; Mr. and Mrs. Len Davis; Mrs. W. M. Houghton; Mrs. Victoria Asher and granddaughter, Mary Kay Asher; Mrs. Pearl Pagan and son, Larry; Lella Petty; Faye Newell, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Rutledge;

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Mrs. L. H. Newell; Mrs. J. H. Bechman; Mrs. J. W. Southard; Billie Newberry; Valerie Burke; Bob White; R. C. Scott; Johnny and

Lucinda Morehead of Plainview; Chas. Smith, Jean Barrow, Pete Campbell, Mrs. Elmo Smith of Lamessa and Mrs. Una Campbell of Seagraves, sisters of Mrs. Marshall; and the honoree, Rev. and Mrs. Marshall and David.

T. C. Root, assistant to the president of Texas Technological college, was in Floydada on business Monday.

Kelly Hagood and Bill Hale spent the week-end at home. They are students at Texas Tech in Lubbock.



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BAKER, March 8—Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dowdy, J. B. Colston visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Pawver and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Day and family and George and Charles Boyd of Oklahoma City spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Eaves and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Vickers and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gilliland and family.

Nelda Ann and Gene Jones spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lee Emert and Mrs. Ted Allen and family visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graham.

Tom Hopper, Gene Hopper and Bun Hopper are visiting in Corpus Christi with their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hopper.

Mrs. Gene Hopper and family. Mrs. Tom Hopper, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gilbreath and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hopper.

Sam, Windle and Morris visited with Shorty Cardinal Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith and R. W. visited Mrs. J. R. Gullion who is in the Plainview hospital with a broken hip.

Herschel Green and Mrs. W. H. Nelson returned Wednesday from their visit to Colorado.

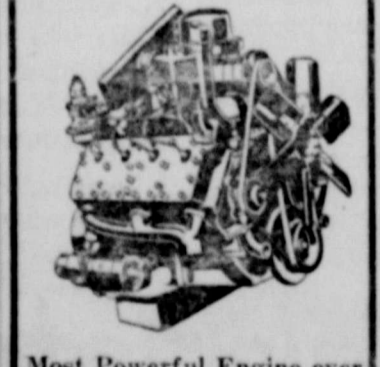
Ronnie Vickers spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Riggles and Donnie.

Billy Ray Smith visited Damon Dean Ardy Sunday afternoon.

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