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Rain and Sleet Bring Much Moisture

Floyd, Motley, Hale, Crosby and Dickens counties and their immediate neighbors on all sides have a fair to fine season lying in and on their fertile acres this Wednesday night, result of a good three-quarters of an inch of January rain Sunday followed by a sneak sleet that fell intermittently for more than 48 hours, to put tons of moisture on the ground ready to be soaked up as the earth can take it.

The sleet, so heavy and so glazed over with a bit of wetness that it can't blow, was dropping out of a cloud 20,000 feet in the air, from a warm layer that overlaid several states of the southwest. But this rain fell through a cold layer closer to the earth and froze before it reached the parched acres, to turn into sleet.

Jubilant is about the best word to describe the feelings of both dry land and irrigation farmers in Floyd county this week. The moisture undoubtedly will soak far down into the earth. It will make wheat that is in the ground do well. It will also make a good bottom season for row crop planting in the spring. It means less expense in irrigation operations in the spring.

Both man and beast have suffered somewhat during the period since Saturday. But there have been no casualties and the live stock was in good condition to take the punish-

Quitaque Road Gets Federal Program Okey

With the formal approval of the northeast Floyd county federal road job from the Briscoe county line south for 2.7 miles, officials of this county this week resumed their tranquility in relation to the program outlined months ago for Floyd county permanent road construction.

Imperiled by a lack of funds in the state and federal program for road building in the district, this construction, which includes two low water bridges, was urged by the Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, W. C. Plumlee, who had the backing of the county Commissioners court, in his plea that it be not cut out of the plans for 1949.

Aiken-Providence Road

Along with the approval of the northeast Floyd county construction is included the Aiken-Providence road concerning which there had been no question. This last-named job includes construction of a road north from Highway 70 to Providence school from Aiken, thence westward to the Hale county line. This Providence project will give people of that area two outlets to Plainview on an all-weather road or they can come south to Aiken or Lockney, or on south to Floydada with their merchandise or to do their shopping.

Both the northeast Floyd county job and the Aiken-Providence job will be in line for contract lettings on and after July 1 when the new federal appropriation becomes available. Both will have state highway designation, according to the understanding locally. They have approval of the state highway commission as well as the highway engineers.

The northeast Floyd county road (See **Quitaque Road**, back page)

Melts Out 1.9 Inches

Fire Chief Carl Rogers, who also qualifies as official weather record keeper, melted down the accumulation of sleet and ice in his gauge yesterday and reported the total at 9 o'clock at 1.9 inches of moisture.

All of that only adds up to better conditions later on. All areas in Floyd county have about the same story. A good rain that soaked into the ground, followed by a seal coat of sleet and ice. Little wind blew, few drifts were noted. Every man with a rain gauge has his own story of what the total moisture aggregated at his place.

District foreman Frank Webber and his crew of maintenance men got busy as early as Tuesday morning trying to clear the highway of excess sleet so that traffic could resume normal flow. Sleet missed no schedules but most all of them ran somewhat behind their usual time tables on Tuesday.

Sleet was Mighty Wet

Because January is an unusual month for any appreciable amount of moisture to fall there was considerable speculation on the question of whether there was really quite a bit of moisture of more a matter of imagination. To settle the matter in their own minds the Collins and O. L. Stansell at Stansell-Collins company Tuesday picked up two or three buckets of the sleet, trying to get it as nearly like nature laid it out on the prairies as possible. Melting it up they found that a slightly less than an eight inch bucket full made slightly less than six inches of water. Since the ground was covered from three to four or more inches deep in the (See **Rain and Sleet**, back page)

Local Petit Jurors

Serve in Federal

"Carry Over" Court

Two or three Floyd county men are getting a new experience this week in court. They are petit jurors in federal district court for the Northern District of Texas, Lubbock division for a two week period of "carry over" session in that court. Newly chosen federal Judge Joe B. Dooley is presiding in the court.

The Floyd county men include Leonard Matsler, C. D. Foote and Layton Durrell. In the regular session of the Lubbock division federal district court Mina Lee Solomon, Noman Hamilton and Wayne Bennett were included in the petit jury panel.

Mrs. Mallie Nichols

Funeral Rites Held

Yesterday Aft'no'n

Mrs. Mallie Nichols, 73 passed away at her home in Lockney early Tuesday morning. Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon at 2 p. m. in the Carter funeral home and interment was made in the Lockney cemetery. Rev. W. A. Record of Lockney officiated at the services.

Mrs. Nichols is survived by a brother, Billy Martin of Lockney, and a step son, Dr. Nichols of Plainview.

C. Of C. Meeting

On Tuesday Night

Meeting of the Chamber of Commerce and Floyd County Board of Development will be held on Tuesday night of next week, January 18, it was announced yesterday by Robert Crowell, secretary-manager. The office put 90,000 letters through the electric cancelling machine during the Christmas rush.

Name Two New Directors For First National

Stockholders of The First National Bank of Floydada in their annual meeting Tuesday added two new names to the list of directors. They are Glad Snodgrass of Floydada and J. V. Nelson of Amarillo.

Re-elected were R. M. Battey, Kinder Farris, E. L. Norman and O. M. Watson to make a board of six persons. Officials re-named by the board of directors include the same officers which have served the bank the past year. They are: O. M. Watson, president; E. L. Norman and C. H. Bedford, vice-presidents; Earl Crow, cashier; Lyda Walding, Olin M. Watson, Jr., and J. E. Elza, assistant cashiers.

Capital Investment \$215,000

The bank's total capital investment as of December 31, 1948, report shows at \$215,555.12. Of this \$50,000 is in capital stock, \$100,000 for surplus, and \$65,555.12 in undivided profits. The same report showed deposits of \$5,577,139.91, very little less than the high of last mid-summer.

Loans and discounts were reported at \$829,287.93. Cash and quickly convertible securities listed at \$4,960,240.22.

Meeting Is Postponed

Meeting of the stockholders of The First National Bank at Lockney was postponed on account of weather conditions. Cashier Chester E. Beardsley said the postponed meeting is set for February 15.

This bank showed loans at \$815,015.67 on the December 31 call, cash and quickly convertible securities at \$1,060,516.33, and total deposits of \$1,805,984.22. Total capital account at \$117,297.78 includes \$75,000 capital stock, \$26,000 surplus and \$14,535.68 undivided profits.

Rev. Durant Will

Preach here Sund'y

Rev. A. C. Durant, Garden City minister, will preach at the Cumberland Presbyterian church in Floydada at two services next Sunday, it was announced this week.

Rev. Durant will preach at 11 a. m. and again at 7 p. m., the announcement states.

Members of the local congregation, especially all others who would like to attend have their attention called to the Sunday services.

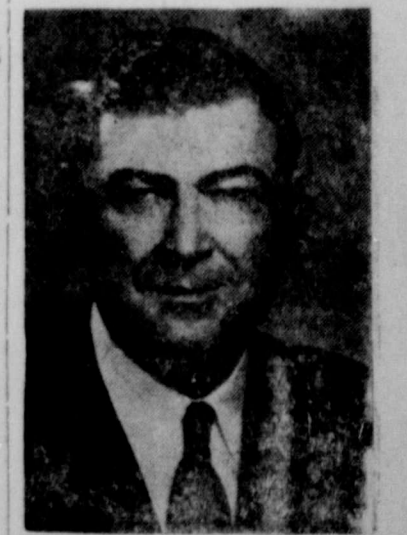
BILLY TERRELL TO EXHIBIT

LAMBS AT FORT WORTH

LOCKNEY—Billy Terrell of Lockney has entered two Southdown lambs in the Boys Lamb show at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show, to be held in Ft. Worth January 28 through February 6.

MARRIAGE RECORD

Marriage license were issued this week to Willie D. Cork and Annie Clark, January 8.



Bascom Giles

RE-INAUGURATED as Commissioner of the General Land Office in a simple ceremony January 3 was Bascom Giles, whose office reported record receipts of nearly \$50,000,000 during the fiscal year. Political observers have forecast that this will be the last term for land commissioner for Giles, who was first elected to the office in 1938.

HERE'S LINDA



HELLO, EVERYBODY! I'M LINDA BROWN, THE 1949 MARCH OF DIMES POSTER GIRL. ANY GUESSES WHAT I'VE GOT A WONDERFUL SURPRISE FOR YOU? YOU'RE GOING TO MEET SOME REALLY NICE FRIENDS OF MINE. AN I KNOW YOU'LL LOVE 'EM AS MUCH AS I DO!

Y'SEE, OLIVE—POLIO IS A BLAST! LOW-DOWN SWAB WHAT'S GO'ING TO BE LOCKED, AN MY BAG O' DIMES IS GONNA HELP LAND THE KNOCK-OUT WALLP! I BRIGIT YOU ARE POPEYE—IT'S EVERYBODY'S RIGHT AN EVERY DIME BRINGS A PUNCH!!

HERE YOU ARE, MISTER—THIS LITTLE PISKEY DON'T WANT TO GO TO MARKET AN HE DON'T WANT TO STAY AT HOME—HE WANTS TO JOIN THE MARCH OF DIMES AN FIGHT INFANTILE PARALYSIS.

Polio March of Dimes Begins Tomorrow

1949 March of Dimes campaign for raising funds to fight polio has been organized in Floyd county and will start January 14. Local and community chairman have been appointed and ready to

Hits All Time Peak

ST. JIN.—Polio hit an all-time peak in Texas last year. The State Health Department's report for 1948 showed a total of 1,274 cases and was far from the average of three for every year prior to 1948. The Department is pushing a clean-up campaign against polio-control measures program for 1949. There were 16 new polio cases in the first week of 1949, compared with the average of three for the same time last year.

in this drive for funds. Guy is general chairman for the county with Clarence Guffee rural chairman, Arlon L. Hartland chairman, Parnell Powdada chairman and Joe Parlockey chairman. Floyd County Chapter of the

National Foundation for infantile paralysis was able to meet all obligations to the children of the county to provide hospitalization and medical care for all polio cases. Approximately \$800.50 has been spent during 1948 for polio victims, and this leaves the local chapter with only \$86.34 as of January 10th. "Your support is needed to help fill this obligation to our children during the coming year. Your contribution to the current March of Dimes will help to continue the treatment of polio victims, and to carry on the fight to the finish against this crippling disease," said Mr. Ginn.

One half of the fund raised is forwarded to the National Chapter for an Epidemic Aid Reserve fund. This fund was exhausted during 1948. \$544,834.33 was sent back to Texas in 1948 to supplement the local chapters funds during the epidemic last summer.

Other Committeemen Named

Other committeemen in the county who have been named to help raise the funds for the polio foundation and the county chapter are:

Rural Community Chairmen

Barwise, Miss Dorothy Dooley;

Irick, Mrs. Melvin Potts; Pleasant Valley, Mrs. Clark Harris; Muncy and Ramsey, Malcolm McNeill; Pleasant Hill, P. J. Wilkes; Fairview, Carlton Fawver; Starkey, George E. Assiter; Aiken, Tommy Weathers; South Plains, Billy Stanforth, Jr.; Sand Hill, Mrs. Claude Jones; Carr's Chapel, Mrs. Charles B. Smith; Harmony, Roy Hale; Lakeview, Milton Harrison; Fairmont, Mrs. Raymond Cobb; Center, W. D. Miller; Lone Star, Hubert Frizzell; Cedar Hill, Mrs. Jack Stansell; McCoy, John Shipley; Baker, John Edwards Smith; Dougherty and Antelope, Orland Howard; Providence, Ewald Quebe; Blanco, J. B. Fowler; Allmon, Eddie M. Carmickle; Liberty, Rene Yeary; Prairie Chapel, Mrs. Hershel Carthel; Campbell, Mrs. Frank Pratt; Hillcrest, Mrs. Louis Blum; Edgin, Warren Merrell; Sterley, Horton Howell.

Rates Of Pay For Practices On Farms Set

This week the rates of payment for the 1949 practices under the Agricultural Conservation program were announced by Ray S. McEntire, Administrative Officer of the PMA. In announcing the program, he said: "In order for the farmer to take advantage of the offer of our Government to assist him to do additional conservation work needed on his farm in 1949, it is necessary for him to:

"1. Apply at the county office for the amount of assistance he will need for carrying out each practice. The farmer must get county committee approval of assistance before beginning the practice.

"2. Carry out the practice in accordance with specifications. The detailed specifications for each practice are available at the county office.

"3. Complete the practice and so inform the county committee or county office within the time fixed by the county committee.

The amount of assistance for each farmer will be determined by the county committee on the basis of conservation needs, the Congressional limit of \$750, and the amount of funds available to the county.

Requests for assistance may be made by contacting the county committee, or by writing, telephoning, or calling at the county office. The office is located in the Agricultural Building, Floydada, Texas. Telephone 306.

Written Approval Required Subject to written prior approval and the \$750 limitation to any per cent under the 1949 program, the following practices are eligible for payment:

Terrace construction: Large ridge terraces—1 1/2¢ per foot; Small ridge terraces—1¢ per foot; Divergence terraces—5¢ per cubic yard;

Subsoiling 12 inches or more for water penetration: 1.50 per acre; Deep plowing of sandy cropland at least 30 days prior to seeding: (See **Rates of Pay**, back page)

Mrs. D. F. Payne

Funeral Friday

At McCoy Church

Friday afternoon at the McCoy Baptist church, funeral services were conducted for Mrs. D. F. Payne, 77, who succumbed in the West Texas hospital, Lubbock, January 6.

Officiating at the services was Rev. A. C. Hamilton of Plainview, a former pastor of Mrs. Payne, assisted by Rev. J. B. Harion, present pastor at the McCoy church.

Pallbearers were Roy Horn, Bob Ratjen, George Smith, Cleo Fulton, Harvey Tardy, James Smith. Interment was in the Floydada cemetery under the direction of Harmon funeral home.

Mrs. Payne was born at Meridian, Texas, January 19, 1871, her name being Lula King. At Clarksville, Texas, she married D. F. Payne in 1892 and moved to McCoy in 1912. They were charter members of the Baptist church there and have been active members until recent ill health prevented their ardent church work. Mrs. Payne was a devout Christian and had an unmarred record as a friend and mother.

Surviving are her husband, D. F. Payne, five sons, W. L. and Otto of San Antonio, Charlie and Oscar of Lubbock, and Claude of McCoy. Two sons, Era and Orville, preceded their mother in death. A brother, T. L. King of Fabens, Texas, grand children and 10 great grand children also survive.

Since October Mr. and Mrs. Payne have been living at 518 South Main in Floydada.

Miss Petty Attends Rites For Kinsman

At Graham Sat'day

Miss Lella Petty, Floyd County Home Demonstration Agent attended the funeral of her brother-in-law, J. B. Hazelton, age 47, at Graham, Texas, last week-end.

Funeral rites were held at the First Christian church at 3:00 p. m. on January 8, with Rev. Peacock, pastor of the Church of Christ officiating. Interment was made in the Graham cemetery.

Mr. Hazelton was born May 7, 1901, and died January 6, 1949. He died at Graham where he had lived most of his life.

His death was caused by being overcome with gas where waste gasoline was draining from a gas well a short distance from his home. He was discovered by his son, Wayne. Mr. Hazelton was rushed to the hospital immediately, but was pronounced dead upon his arrival.

Immediate survivors are his widow, Mrs. J. B. Hazelton, a daughter, Mrs. Truman McAllister of Newport, two sons, Wayne and Melvin Lee of Graham, one granddaughter, Sharon McAllister, and his father, G. O. Hazelton, of Graham.

ZIMMERMANS AT HOME

The Fred Zimmermans reached home the first of this week from Europe, after a three-month sojourn in Norway, France and other countries there. They spent the Christmas holidays in Paris.

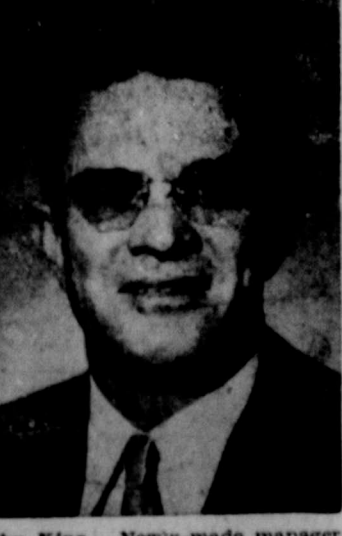
John King Abernathy Manager Southwestern Public Service Co.

John King, who has been with the Floydada office of Southwestern Public Service company for the past three years, is to be service manager for the company at Abernathy. Taking a newly-created job the popular utilities man and his family go to Abernathy at once.

King came to Floydada from the Plainview office where he was in a line crew. He and his wife and two children have been popular locally and he should prove an excellent man for the post at Abernathy. The move is looked upon as a promotion in the company, said George Caven, Floydada district manager. King's record here has been a good one.

New Man From Clovis

King's successor as service man in Floydada will be Ralph Glover, who comes from the Clovis office, where he has a wife and a small son and the family will settle down here as soon as they find living quarters. Glover was in a tank outfit during the war. He has a purple heart with three clusters stashed away. He has been with the company since



John King, newly-made manager of Southwestern Public Service company at Abernathy.

Drilling Up At New Location

Oil Test

Location has been staked by the American Oil company on quarter section owned by Fannie Featherston. It is the Fannie Featherston section. It is located 330 feet from east and south lines of this section.

Drilling equipment and the ground and spudding in the section lease was formerly by Stanolin Oil Co. but has been obtained by the General American Oil Co. for drilling.

May No. 1 well is drilling at about 4,000 feet and the well is running on a level over wells in this field. The direction of Donnell Co. which is the only company has brought in a producing well in this field.

Humble Pecking Away

Motley county, 16 miles west of town of Matador, Humble & Refining company No. 100, 660 feet from south line of section 128, block Matador. Cattle company survey is venturing ahead past west in brown lime.

O'NEAL HOSPITALIZED

O'Neal was reported ill late Wednesday afternoon. He has been receiving medical treatment for pneumonia in the Floyd hospital since Saturday. Dr. O'Neal is the manager of the company on north side of Matador.

Wednesday's Market

Wheat, 4 pounds and up	28c
Wheat, under 4 lbs.	26c
White Leghorns, lb.	20c
Broilers, 1 lb.	16c
Cream	60c
Eggs	60c
Per dozen, candled, No. 1	38c
Hides	
Free from holes	
Hides, lb.	10c
Hides, lb.	8c
Hides, lb.	6c
Hogs	
Per cwt.	\$19.50
Per cwt., \$17 to \$18	
Per cwt., \$14-\$15	
Grain	
Wheat, No. 1	\$2.02
Wheat, No. 2	\$2.15
Cotton (Government loan)	\$70.00

EDITORIALS

They Are Hot, Too. — Many taxpayers complain at the forms which the Internal Revenue department arrange to be filled out by income taxpayers. The Internal Revenue men get about as hot as the taxpayer does about the whole thing. The form is as simple as ABC, they say. Anybody who will sit down for a reasonable time and study the report form ought to be able to fill it out and get his report in the mail with no difficulty and quickly. Most of us go to a lawyer or an accountant, however. Perhaps the principle difficulty is in the understanding of the expressions used. The revenooers know what they mean when they use a certain expression as regards an item in a report. The average man, perhaps, thinks another thing when he sees the word. Sometimes the result is that he pulls his hair and begins to saying things about the government men. Fortunately for the men who make part of their living filling out forms and advising people, the next thing the taxpayer does is go hire somebody to fill out his report.

The Gilmer-Aiken committee report is destined to be an explosive document in Texas. This committee has made a study of Texas educational affairs for several months and has come up with suggestions for the legislature to consider the proposed revamping of the system. The ultimate goal is to have Texas stand first in the ranks of educational advantages. First explosion occasioned by the Gilmer-Aiken report came last week when the state superintendent of public instruction had a symposium at the meeting of executives of the schools of the state. In this "symposium" there wasn't any too free exchange of ideas. The subject was discussed but no opinions gathered pro and con. The opinions all were con.

For our part the Gilmer-Aiken committee and the educational men are wading out too deep for us to keep chin above the mental strangling point and, as we have said, we are not in position to express a decided opinion. It appears to point in the very direction Superintendent Wood has been directing educational administrative affairs in Texas ever since he has been in office but he seems to be much opposed to it, if we understand. Some of the superintendents at the conference in Austin appeared to think, from newspaper reports, that Mr. Wood had the discussion panel packed with men who opposed the Gilmer-Aiken committee ideas.

An interesting event at the capital city of Texas will be the inauguration of Governor Beauford H. Jester and Lieutenant Allen Shivers, who take their offices for the second term with ceremonies on January 28.

Austin is the only city in Texas which can put on an inauguration ceremony for the governor, of course, and they usually make as much to do about it as they can. Any city likes to have many visitors and especially those of the type who can take off from their affairs and go to an inaugural for the governor. None of this kind of thing is new to Mr. Jester, who recalls Austin from the days of his youth when his father was a lieutenant governor and a part of the events himself. Every inaugural year all the country newspaper people are invited to attend. None of them ever do, we should say few of them, perhaps. It would be a good joke on the Austin citizenry if every country newspaperman in Texas would take a notion to accept the invitation and descend on Austin some inaugural year. They might swamp the hotels, block the streets by their numbers, but none of the swanky stores would get undue wealth from their spending. The next inaugural committee would be a bit more cautious would they not?

We speak of what we would do to the payroll list of the Internal Revenue department and other federal bureaus as though we knew what we would do. The fact is we might hire another half as many, had we the responsibility and the authority. However, we do recall, and we think he was right, that Senator Taft said he thought most everybody knew you could cut off 10 per cent of the payroll of any department of the government and the work would be done just as well. There are a good many government folks that got on just for the ride. There are a good many who really earn their money, also, we should say in fairness. The government in this year of Our Lord is going to get more and more in your hair, not less and less. Mr. Truman says he has a mandate to do a lot of things and he is cracking the whip. We ought to have a sizable tax bill to pay by the time he gets through, and a good many more people on the federal payroll.

Same Fight Over Again. Texas' do-or-die battle now coming up over the tidelands, as described by State Land Commissioner Giles, is the same old fight the state had to make in 1849 when the stake was for much less. From the Texas point of view the federal government only has to comply with its covenant made when the state entered the union. That done and there would be no fight in congress, no dispute before the federal Supreme court. The stake is so much higher now than it was a century ago. It was probably \$10 million then, Mr. Giles estimates. The stake now could well be a billion dollars. The government was content, but is not any more.

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Floyd County 14 Years Ago

(Taken from the issue of January 10, 1935)

E. L. Angus, who has been manager of the Floydada Creamery since its establishment in 1929, will continue as manager under the ownership of Armour & Co., it was announced this week by G. L. Warner, district manager of Armour Creameries, of Wichita, Kansas.

Bringing the grand total to \$125,701.53, ninety-six wheat checks, totaling \$4,334 and representing payment on 66 contracts, were received at the office of the Floyd County Wheat production Control association, as announced by A. H. Kreis, secretary of the association.

Hester West circle of the First Methodist Church meets at the church January 14, at 7 O'clock to complete some business and select a new study.

Acc Bridge club meets with Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Guthrie as hosts on Wednesday evening, January 15 at 7:30 O'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wood were hosts to the 42 club Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Claiborne.

School reopens after a two weeks vacation with almost a full attendance in all rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wester returned home Sunday from Mt. Vernon, Texas, where they attended the funeral of J. D. Weatherford, whose sudden death occurred Friday morning from a heart ailment. Lovall Jones was in the Baker community this week looking over his wheat.

Visiting in the home of Dr. and Mrs. John Kimble have been Mrs. Kimble's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Koenen, and her grandmother, Mrs. Ada Hill, all of Oak Park, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adams and Mrs. Ernest Holligan and daughter of San Bernardino, California, left last week after spending the holidays with the A. C. Collins family.

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LIQUID ON TABLETS - SAME FAST RELIEF

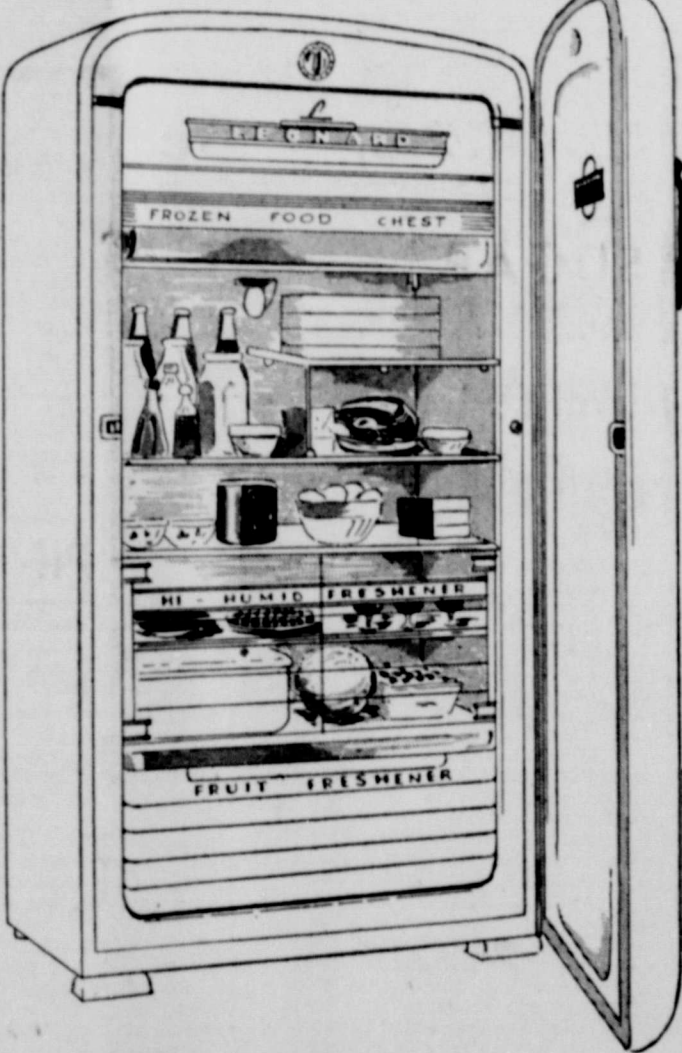
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ONLY \$5 DOWN for a 1949 LEONARD Refrigerator!



Yes, while everybody's talking about \$50—\$60—\$70 required down payments under Regulation W, White's announces a sensational January purchase plan for Spring delivery, requiring only \$5 down, guaranteeing May delivery of a new 1949 LR Model Leonard, and protecting you against rising prices.

ORDER NOW FOR MAY DELIVERY!

The plan is simple, easy on even the most modest budget, and timed perfectly to insure delivery of your beautiful new 1949 Leonard right at the season when you need it most.

1. PAY ONLY \$5 NOW
 2. PAY \$10 EACH MONTH—FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL, MAY
 3. HAVE YOUR NEW LEONARD DELIVERED AND INSTALLED IN MAY
- THEN...
TAKE 15 MONTHS STARTING IN JUNE TO PAY THE BALANCE!
- Above Terms on Model LR—Similar Terms on Other Models

NOW... Until August 1950 to Pay!

BEAT RISING PRICES! 20 MONTHS TO PAY!

Leonard's production facilities are being expanded now in anticipation of the great Spring demand. By placing your order now, White's can insure delivery of your new 1949 Leonard in May and take advantage of January's lower prices to protect you against rising steel and labor costs and seasonal increases. Why risk higher prices by waiting? Why put it off till Spring and then be faced with a big down payment and possible scarcity of the model you want? Place your order NOW.

You give yourself every advantage by ordering now. Only \$5 down payment instead of 10 to 15 times that amount, as required by the government—five additional months beyond federal limits, to make payments easy to meet—similar terms on your choice of any model in the Leonard line, with delivery guaranteed—assurance that you are safe against price changes—satisfaction of owning a finer refrigerator that will be yours to enjoy, right when you need and want it most!

LIMITED NUMBER OF NEW 1949 LEONARDS AVAILABLE NOW—OR USE WHITE'S PLAN FOR FEBRUARY, MARCH, OR APRIL DELIVERY!

DELIVERED IN YOUR KITCHEN WITH 5-YEAR PROTECTION PLAN



MANY MODELS TO CHOOSE FROM MODEL LR ONLY \$219.95

STATEMENT OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK Of Floydada, Texas

at the close of business December 31, 1948

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$ 829,287.93
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	4,500.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	26,000.00
Other Real Estate	1.00
Other Resources	550.00
United States Government Securities	\$1,834,000.00
Other Bonds and Warrants	180,564.03
Commodity Credit Corp. Loans	1,024,189.04
Cash	1,921,487.15
Total	\$5,820,579.15

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided Profits	65,555.12
Reserved for Contingencies	10,000.00
Other Liabilities	16,884.12
Deposits	5,578,139.91
Total	\$5,820,579.15

Officers

- O. M. Watson, President
- E. L. Norman, Vice-President
- C. H. Bedford, Vice-President
- Earl Crow, Cashier
- Lyda Walding, Assistant Cashier
- Olin M. Watson, Jr., Asst. Cashier
- J. E. Elza, Asst. Cashier

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EDITORIAL

Showers Of Blessings
 Have you had showers of blessings? Had you lost faith? Had you been up? But the blessings of moisture and moisture that had hoped for so long.

Days past we would complain we had had weather. We were because of the mud underfoot and the dampness in the air. We have come to realize the wisdom of these things. Although we are inconvenienced for a while, we are happy; this is our life. We are God from whom all blessings flow.

ing Reporter

Are you going to be doing...
 Pearl Simmons - celebrating my birthday.
 Swebston - celebrating my birthday.

Perry - Taking exams
 Mavey - Give a party in chemistry exemption.
 McIntosh - since my mother is going to have a great time.

Roberts - Oh just put...
 (but really she's making the next semester. Every night.)

Guthrie - Going to get...
 (He seemed to be talking to Epe McIntosh)

Powell - Don't know un...
 Wilson - Nothing I hope!
 Denis - Without (What, the...)

Finley - ha, ha, you couldn't...
 Jackson - Taking exams! (I...
 (that he'd really like to go to...)

Besson - Seeing that I'm...
 (in everything, I guess I'll...
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'Winds Win Over Ralls In Friday Night Game 32-25

Floydada's quintet traveled to Ralls Friday night and defeated a strong Ralls team, 32-25. The Ralls boys were led by Lynch who made only six points. Floydada led all the way but by a slim margin, in the first quarter 7-5 and then at the half 18-8. Floydada had a change this time with Bishop instead of Finley being high point man with 13 points. In the closing minutes of the game the 'Winds were 6 points ahead.

B Squad Wins Too
 The B boys who have been coming along well so far this season, won their game 30-21. Guthrie was the leader in this attack with 10 points. Floydada stayed ahead all the way. Guthrie was also high man.

Bulldogs in Upset Win Over 'Winds

The Spur Bulldogs gave the Floydada cadets their first conference defeat by coming back the last half and turning the score in their favor. Spur, which won every game this season, was led by Simpson and King with ten points each. Finley was the sparkplug for the 'Winds and was also high point man with 16 points. It was nip and tuck affair until the game was over. Floydada led at the half 18-22.

But B Squad Is Winner
 The B squad won their game 36-28. Guthrie and Perry were the leaders in this attack, Guthrie having 10 points and Perry 9. This was also a tight game; at the half the score stood in the 'Winds favor 20-7. Guthrie was high point man.

Candid Camera

With a click and a flash Bob White is on the job again. Bob White, one of the most dependable persons in high school, is the star of this week's column.

Bob was born in Abilene, around sixteen years ago, but has lived in Floydada all of his life.

Bob better known as "bubbles," has grey eyes, and light brown hair and in the summer it has a reddish tint, caused from being out in the sun so much. His familiar figure around F. H. S. consists of 172 pounds on not too tall five foot seven frame.

Bob is another person that has brightened the senior class with his presence for the past eleven years, beginning his education here in Floydada.

"Bubbles" would like to spend his vacation months just loafing around and maybe go to Mexico and see it and he would also like to do some fishing on one of the big mountain lakes.

When Bob was asked about his accomplishments in high school, he quickly answered "I passed." He has always made good grades, too.

"Bubbles" has also been in the band two years, is vice president of A. Y. Post, president of the Chemistry club, and last but not least he is one of the photographers for the annual. He can always be found on the job.

He likes to wear T-shirts of any kind khakis, loud socks, and a little brown taboggan with a khaki water proof top.

A list of Bob's favorites would begin with the color green, he also likes fried chicken, fried potatoes, lemon pie, chemistry, all four years of English literature, football and baseball.

"Bubbles" favorite pastime is sitting around with his feet cocked up reading something real exciting and fooling around with his chemistry set and maybe blowing the backend out of the house.

He uses all the slang expressions, but he uses "Dern" more than anything else.

"Show-outs" head the list of Bob's dislikes. Other pet peeves are okra, even fried, the color maroon because it is too dull, mushy and neurotic shows, and muddy weather.

"Bubbles" most pleasant vacation was spent in Michigan, Minnesota, and up around the Great Lakes, and up around the Chicago and got. He also visited in Chicago and got. During the trip he saw a flood.

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to see the Brooklyn Dodgers play which he said was the best part of the whole trip.

His most exciting moment occurred on that same trip. They were coming down a hill on wet pavement and almost had a wreck. The car in which they were riding turned around and slid down the hill back-wards.

A Serious Falling Out

Bob's most embarrassing moment happened last spring before school was out. He was playing baseball out in front of the school building and the seat of his pants fell out. He said he came in and found a needle and thread and quickly sewed it up.

Doak Walker is "Bubbles" ideal person. He said his ideal girl must have light brown to dark black hair, brown eyes, weigh 100 pounds, of luscious curves on a five foot six inch figure. She must have a peasant personality and should always be smiling (Suppose such a creature exists?)

Bob's greatest achievement was serving the Chemistry club as its president and passing English IV. His life's ambition is to be a surgeon.

Bob, it has been great having such a dependable character as a member of the senior class all these years. The student body of F. H. S. wants to wish you all of the luck such a fine person is capable of having.

How's my little victims this week-O. K. ? I don't want any of you chickadees to forget that I am always on the alert for nice, juicy gossip to put in my column and you all had better watch your step!

Cledella Morris has been pretty happy since Christmas, could it be because W. A. gave her a diamond? When's the wedding date-huh?

Looks like Billie C. wants to go with Don S. What's Mary and Deral going to say about this?

ATTENTION! The heart-breaker of Floydada High was elected this week and by a majority vote; it was none other than Bobby Cline. The question is who will be next on his list?

Seems like Junior and Chris have broken up. What's the matter, kids?

Jimmy S. seemed pretty anxious to sit by Mary Parrish in church Sunday night. What happened to Archie, Jimmy?

Bettye certainly had a good time with Doe's cousin before Pat got there the other night. You see, Pat was supposed to have a date with him.

Stanley Conner does have a good time flirting with La Juana McAda in the lunch line every day.

Chuck Holmes can't be satisfied with one girl, he wants three! He gave Peggy and Joy a box of candy for Christmas. I hear he wanted to give Sherwyn one but was a little afraid of Bill.

Bettye L. seems to like Pete McGee. At least she's been going with him ! ! !

Don Probasco seems to have a crush on Virginia Holmes. What about this Jenny? Don't you still like Jack Jones ? ?

What's this I hear about Sherwyn and Bill going to Dumas over the Christmas holidays, and they certainly seemed to have had a good time !

Billy Joe Hall sure was lonesome while Joyce and Dorothy Clayton were gone to Fort Worth. Could he have had a crush on one of them? ?

Who did I see Mary D. Cosby with the other night? ? It couldn't have been Dale Roberts, could it? ? Mr. My, what's coming of these seniors and sophomores!

From what I hear Deryle sure would like to go with Chris. Come on and give him a chance, Chris! !

Poor Roberta; She always gets mixed up when Eugene and Ted come home. My, it's a pity that she can't go with both of them at the same time.

Junior Johnson and Johnnie Rutherford seem to like to hold both hands in assembly! Won't one do Junior? ?

Joy Bunch and Hershall Nelson were discussing plans for a date Thursday morning in typing class. Did they work out right, kids? ?

Dale Roberts seems to have taken an interest in Barbara Landers. It seems he started to ask her for a date but lost his nerve. Come on, Barbara, give the boy a little encouragement.

Armita, could Lee Hutchinson have been beating your time Saturday night? She was with Rene C. from Wayland College and they seemed to have been enjoying themselves! !

Hubert Ring and Darlene Johnson were together Saturday night. They looked like they might have been having a good time.

Verna seems to be swooning over a boy with a white convertible that she went with Sunday. What's his name Verna, and is it serious? ?

Velma Briggs was with Corky Saturday night. Where was Ivy Pearl and Mary Parrish? They are usually along! !

Dat's all for now ! !

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Answers next week.

NEW YEAR FIRE DAMAGE

Crosbyton.—A fire which broke out about 3:00 a.m. New Year's morning, did considerable damage at the City Barber shop and City Tailor shop, owned by Griffin Odum and Ernest Roberson. The fire was discovered by the nightwatchman and the alarm turned in before the fire got out of hand.

The owners were still unable to determine the exact amount of damage last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Trowbridge spent Christmas day in Lubbock with Mrs. Trowbridge's brother and family, Albert Clubb. Mr. W. C. Clubb also had dinner with his son and family.

Conservation District News

The Soil Conservation Service technicians assigned to the Floyd County Soil Conservation District ran terrace lines for Ben Cogdill and Pete Clark in the Edgin community during the past week. These farms are being terraced together since runoff water from one farm affects the other. The terrace lines were run on the level, which will check the water erosion and will conserve the rainfall. Mr. John Downey will build the terraces with his elivating graider.

Well locations have been made for Raymond Rucker, J. H. Widener, Fred Dorman, two for Lockview Farm, Arnold Dietrich all of Lockney, and for Bruce Bishop, O. L. Lowrance, R. F. Day and R. E. Irby of Floydada.

The Work Unit Conservationist and District Engineer went over Mrs. U. C. Purcell's farm with Cecil Purcell, the operator, and worked out a conservation plan. Some

land will be planted to grass and the cropland will be terraced and contour farmed.

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Class A School Teams Play To Regional Level

The second year of revived baseball in Texas, it was last week that Class A schools will go to the regional conference to state championship and Class B to bi-district.

guished as a schoolboy sport so far as the official interscholastic recognition was concerned. This means there has been little or no competition between schools anywhere in the state for baseball honors as a result. The statement out of Austin on the official plans for this year is as follows:

The state executive committee has approved title races for the City Conference and Class AA schools while Class A schools will play to regional title and Class B schools to bi-district crowns.

There will be four districts in the City Conference — Dallas, Houston, Fort Worth and San Antonio. There will be 16 districts in Class AA. Tentative plans call for Class AA

state championship series to be played off in Austin among the eight bi-district winners on June 2, 3, and 4. The City Conference championship is tentatively assigned to Dallas for June 9, 10, and 11.

The regional playoffs of the Class A schools will follow the same general format as has been used in the past for playing off football championships.

The tentative date for deciding district baseball champions for Conferences AA, A and B will be May 14. And the respective state, regional and bi-district champions for all Conferences except the City must be completed by June 4. The tentative date for deciding the City Conference district winners will be May 21, and the state championship must be completed by June 11.



G. Ward Moody, department adjutant of the American Legion.

O. E. S. MEMBERS ATTEND SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTIONS

Following the visit of the Grand officers of The Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, January 3, to the Floydada Chapter No. 31-O. E. S., several members attended the school of instructions the next day, Tuesday, January 4, held in the Masonic hall of Plainview.

Glady Howard and Helen Patterson were chosen from this chapter to serve on the examining board. Worthy Matron Annie Green acted as associate conductress.

Those receiving certificates were Glady Howard, Herschel Green, Velma Berry, Lula Green, Alta Probasco, Bill and Lela McNeil, and Annie Green. Grace and Byron Robertsons were to receive their certificates at the school of instruction held in Lubbock on Thursday, January 6.

W. J. Wilkes visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Wilkes, in the Quemado Valley Christmas.

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Interscholastic District Meet On April 23

LUBBOCK, Jan.—Texas Technological college will be host to Region I high school interscholastic league meet April 23.

Sam Lefeste, director general, said Region I of Texas will include again this year competing high school classes B, A and AA. Wichita Falls forms the eastern boundary of the territory which extends 60 miles west of Lubbock. The southern extreme includes schools in the immediate vicinity of Lubbock, and reaches north to the Texas boundary.

Directors of the various events have been confirmed by the state interscholastic league board following nomination by Lefeste. The directors, all of whom are Texas tech faculty members, include Dr. J. W. Davis, debate; Morley Jennings, athletics; L. G. Kammerdener, extemporaneous speech; Dr. F. L. Mize, declamation; R. A. Mills, ready writers; Miss Annah Joé Pendleton, one-act play; Mrs. Ethel Terrell, typing and short hand; Dr. R. S. Underwood, number sense, and H. E. Woodward, slide rule.

Post Leaders Regional Meet

ABILENE, January.—American Legion commander, adjutants, service officers and membership chairmen from 197 Posts in the 16, 17, 18, 19 and 21 congressional districts will meet here Saturday and Sunday, January 15 and 16, in the second of five regional meetings called by State Commander William "Bill" McCraw.

The American Legion's 1949 post activity and membership program will be discussed. Department adjutant G. Ward Moody of Austin will lead in the discussions and Vern Boldgett, fifth Division Commander, will preside. Others who will participate will be William Sohl of Alpine, 16th District Commander; P. C. Stacy of Stephenville, 17th District Commander; Charles Gibson of Amarillo, 18th District Commander; T. A. Thigpen of Big Spring, 19th District Commander and George Sullivan of Kerrville, 21st District Commander.

The American Legion in Texas has already passed the 38,000 mark in 1949 members. Adjutant Moody reports. With that number already signed for the beginning of the New year, a record membership is the goal for 1949.

The Fifth Division, which is composed of the five Congressional Districts named above, is responsible for 16,000 of the state's present membership.

Louis F. Jordan of Abilene, 17th District Vice Commander, is in charge of arrangements.

LESSON ON LANDSCAPING AT DOUGHERTY CLUB MEET

The Dougherty Home Demonstration club met January 5, at the home of Mrs. Tate Jones. An interesting lesson on landscaping was given by the home demonstration agent, Miss Lella Petty.

The club voted to sponsor a food sale at Floydada January 22.

Games were directed by Mrs. Drysdale. Miss Petty won the prize.

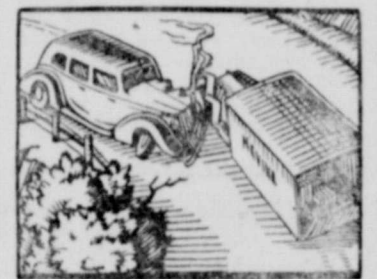
Mrs. Caffee won the attendance prize. Refreshment plates were served to Meses Ruth Daniel, Harlin Cage, Orland Howard, John R. Tinnin, Howard Drysdale, Maurice Campbell, Jim Harper, Sam Lide, C. E. Bartlett, Lewis Blum, and C. A. Caffee.

The club will meet January 19 at the home of Mrs. Blum.

Mrs. Maude Merrick of Petersburg, a former resident of Floydada, is here visiting friends.

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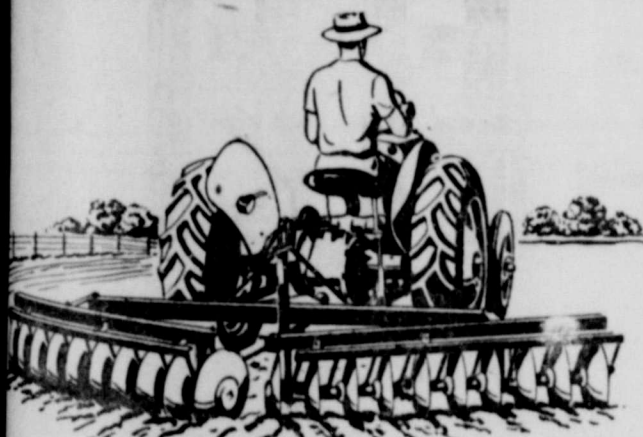
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Nineteen Thirty-Four Study Club Elects Officers For Year

The Nineteen Thirty Four Study Club met on January 4 at 7:15 p.m. at the home of Frances Graves.

The president, Bernice Stapleton, read a report from the committee on the accomplishments of the clubs for the needy families helped at Christmas time.

New officers were elected for the coming year. They include:

President, Ruby Cleveland; First vice president, Bernice Hartzo; second vice president, Diana Gresham; recording secretary, Mary Fenner; corresponding secretary, Elizabeth Armstrong; treasurer, Lella Petty; parliamentarian, Thelma Hoffman; reporter, Jewell Martin; and custodian, Margaret Collier.

The program, "Facing New Fronts in Education" was led by Jettie Moss.

Those present were Elizabeth Armstrong, Polly Cardinal, Margaret Collier, Florence Crowell, Frances Graves, Emma Louise Johnson, Flora McNeill, Jewell Martin, Jettie Moss, Avis Muench, Lella Petty, Mary Shaw, Gwen Cogdill, Bernice Stapleton, Anne Sweetpot, Anne Wilson, Mary Helen Lackey, and the hostess, Frances Graves.

Mrs. Dorrell Hostess Needle Club Meeting

The Bluebonnet Needle club met December 30 at the home of Mrs. L. H. Dorrell.

During the business session the members voted to give a linen service consisting of eight sheets and four pillow cases to the Peoples hospital.

Present were Meses: Everett Perry, Greer Christian, Oliver Allen, Woodrow Gohn, Everett Collier, Poyner Roberts, John E. Smith, Pete Kendrick, Floyd Paqua, and Layton Dorrell.

The next meeting will be January 30 at the home of Mrs. Layton Dorrell. The date set for this meeting was January 13, but due to bad weather it has been postponed.

JONES' PAY VISIT TO WACO KINSMEN LAST WEEK

Mrs. W. N. Jones and her son, Lovel Jones and his wife spent the past week-end with Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Mitchell of Waco, Texas. Mrs. Mitchell is the daughter of Mrs. W. N. Jones.

Dr. Mitchell returned recently from a short trip to New York City where he successfully passed an examination given by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology. The examination established Dr. Mitchell as a qualified specialist in psychiatry. Prior to taking the examination in New York City, Dr. Mitchell took a refresher course in Psychiatry at the University of California Medical school in San Francisco. He will continue his professional duties with the U. S. Veterans Administration hospital in Waco.

Mrs. S. J. Goss and Miss Nell Scoby of Waco, are here visiting their sister, Mrs. W. H. Hilton and Mrs. M. F. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Glad Snodgrass returned Monday from a business trip to Dallas and Henrietta.

Mrs. Hilton Hostess For Meeting of Club

The Sunnyside Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. W. H. Hilton, January 7, at 2:30 o'clock. Business was attended to; new officers presiding. Refreshments of sandwiches and hot chocolate was served to the following:

Mmes. W. C. Sims, C. B. Sims, Bob Calhoun, G. N. Shirey, S. J. Latta, Lon Blassingame, D. W. Burke, M. F. Williams, W. A. Lovell, and the hostess, Mrs. W. H. Hilton.

Miss Margaret Lovell and Miss Alice Latta visited the club meeting. The next club meeting will be January 21, at 2:30, in the home of Mrs. R. M. McCauley.

BISHOP HOME SCENE OF GATHERING ON XMAS DAY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Bishop, of Lockney, was the scene of a gathering of a number of relatives on Christmas day.

Those present to enjoy the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bishop of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Horace F. Bishop and children of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Graham and children of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Pollan and daughter of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Head and children of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Bishop and son of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Visage and children of Lockney, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lewis called during the afternoon.

MISS LEWZETTA MORGAN AND WALTER GLOYNA WED

LOCKNEY—Miss Lewzetta Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Morgan of Lockney became the bride of Walter Gloyna, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gloyna in a ceremony performed at Clovis, New Mexico on December 23. The couple was accompanied by Charlie and Bob Gloyna, brothers of the groom. Mrs. Gloyna is a popular student in Lockney High school. She and her parents have lived here for the past two years, moving here from Floydada.

MISS ARLENE TURNER IS BRIDE OF GLENN MITCHELL

LOCKNEY—In an impressive home ceremony December 31, at 3 p. m. Arlene Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Turner, sr., of Alken, became the bride of Glenn Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Mitchell, Lockney. Rev. N. S. Daniels, pastor of the First Methodist church, Lockney, read the vows as the couple stood before an altar banked with gladioli and branched candelabra.

MRS. JOHNSON HOME

Mrs. Ella Johnson returned home Sunday after a very enjoyable visit with her sister, Mrs. J. E. Tippitt of Teal, Texas, and her son, J. S. Johnson and family of Graham, and her daughter, Mrs. Clay Johnson, also of Graham. She has also been visiting in Frost, Texas with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Sam Jones. It had been 23 years since she had seen her sister-in-law.

Barbara Terry left Tuesday for a week-end visit with relatives at Rockwall and Dallas, Texas.

Miss Betty Thomas, Bill Charles Roach Wed at Plainview

Miss Betty Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Valca Thomas, route 1, Lockney, and Bill Charles Roach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Roach, Plainview, were united in marriage in a ceremony in the Plainview First Baptist church recently. Aaron Shaw officiated. Bridesmaids were Miss Beth Roach, Plainview, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Vera Jo Rogers of Lockney, cousin of the bride. They wore beige satin and carried bouquets of gladioli.

Ronnie Mac and Leora Lane, nieces of the bridegroom, were flower girls. Lavern Roach of Maplewood, N. J. served his brother as best man.

A reception in the church annex followed the ceremony. Guests were present from Fort Worth, Dallas, Austin, Amarillo, Seminole, Lubbock, Seagraves, Lockney and Denver, Colorado.

Both the bride and bridegroom are students of Texas Technological college, and are at home at 3115 Twenty-Ninth Street, Lubbock.

TED CRAGER'S BAND TO PLAY AT TECH SHOW

LOCKNEY—Ted Crager's band has been selected to play the 1949 Varsity show at Texas Technological college. It was announced recently by Miss Margaret Clark, chairman of the Varsity show committee. A number of bands were seeking the contract to play the show. Ted is a senior student at Tech and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Crager of Lockney.

HOUSE ON QUEBE FARM DESTROYED BY FIRE SUNDAY

A six-room house on the Ben Quebe farm about 12 miles northwest of Lockney, was destroyed by fire last Sunday afternoon. Origin of the fire was undetermined. The house was occupied by the A. W. Caly family, but they were away from home when the fire broke out.

LEAVING FOR BRAZIL

LOCKNEY—Mr. and Mrs. Olen C. Harris, their children, and their Brazilian nurse, Yolanda Martins, left Lockney Tuesday morning for Oklahoma City where they will visit Mrs. Harris' parents and then leave Tuesday of next week for New Orleans via Houston. They expect to sail from New Orleans January 20 for their home in Sao Paulo, Brazil. They have been in the states three months, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Harris here and relatives in Oklahoma.

CHRISTMAS AT DeLEON

MATADOR—Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Doss and daughter, Doris Ann, drove to Brownwood during the holidays, where they visited with relatives and were met by their son, George, student at Baylor University and spent Christmas at DeLeon with her father, George Mahon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass, and daughter, Doris, and Billie Newberry of Floydada, spent last week at Weslico in the valley visiting Mrs. G. L. Snodgrass' brother and other relatives.

Music to Men's Ears



Pure silks were the featured fabrics when Dr. Frank Black, Nick Kenny, Milton Berle and Arthur Schwartz "Male-Tested" Fashions for Cosmopolitan magazine. The jurors agreed that "silk can whisper, rustle, or sing," and then voted this Stafford's foulard with white polka dots on green, slate or navy as a fashion prima donna of the month. It has a high neckline and front peplum and is shown in the magazine's January issue.

Campbell News

CAMPBELL, January 10—We are indeed grateful for each drop of moisture that we have received this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hinkle and Bob went to Big Sandy Saturday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hinkle's step-mother, Mrs. Seago.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hinkle helped W. F. Hinkle celebrate his 65th birthday Sunday. We hope you many happy returns of the day, Mr. Hinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pratt visited his mother in the Ralls hospital Friday afternoon. Mrs. A. T. Pratt was not any better.

Miss Virginia Odam visited Frances Pratt and attended social, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stovall, Fern and Lawrence, and Carroll Womack returned from National City, California Monday night. All reported an enjoyable trip.

Mrs. J. J. Crandall from Bailey, Texas, arrived for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Bethel, and brother, Joe Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Powell and J. C. were supper guests Monday night of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bethel. Mrs. T. M. Carter spent two days in the Everett Warren home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stovall and family visited in the Leon Landers home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hopkins, Glenn and Donnie, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baxter, Gall, Judy, and Becky, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Baxter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Baxter visited in the J. A. Baxter home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Graham, Janice and Brinda, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Everett Warren this week. They are moving on a farm near Petersburg.

Mrs. Clarence Jones is getting along just fine. She had to go to the hospital Friday, January 7.

Randall and Ann Jones spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Barker. Janice Jones is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Chestnut while her mother is in the hospital. Doris Jones visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Lackey over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bratton visited his mother Sunday.

A large crowd attended "42" social Friday night. Players progressed 12 times, and went home around 10 o'clock, too. M. B. Johnston and Mrs. Billy Hinkle tied for high score. The young folks are getting interested, and are making excellent "42" players. Think Bob Hinkle and Freddie Nixon will soon be high players.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Baxter and Roy visited in the J. A. Baxter home Monday night.

Ann Jones is visiting Gall Baxter, while her mother is in the hospital.

Pupils on the honor roll this term are Lowell Nixon, sixth grade, Gall Baxter, third grade, and Denie Warren, first grade.

Center News

CENTER, January 10 — Some weather we are having! The ground white with snow and sleet, and the trees bending with their load of ice! The skies are a tattle-tale gray as if the two days spasmodic precipitation had just begun.

There have been some severe colds among the inhabitants of Center. A good time to be sick, if there is such. One can't work much in this weather anyhow.

Sunday School and B. T. U. were rained out Sunday.

Some Center people attended the funeral services for Bonnie Permenter in Floydada Thursday.

Mrs. J. D. Welborn, who, with Mr. Welborn, spent last week-end in Pampa, was detained there with her mother, who was hospitalized with a broken limb. Mr. Welborn returned home Sunday evening.

People are evidently staying home these last two days, judging from the cars that we don't see driving by.

The steam engine was invented in 1765.

Lakeview News

nice rain fell over this territory over the week-end, which was greatly needed. It was followed by a freeze and light snow which hindered the school bus from running Monday, hence school attendance was very light.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Nichols, and Billy Clyde returned Sunday from South Dakota where they have been looking for a location.

Several from here attended the Youth rally held in Floydada, Saturday night.

Rev. G. A. Rowell family and the Fred Jones family were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tooley Sunday.

Patsy Johnson, who has been very ill in the Crosbyton hospital, has returned home, and is improving.

Mrs. Wayne Carmickle of Abilene was visiting her parents, and Mrs. Leo Dunford, one day week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emert and some dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Battey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nichols, accompanied by their son, Claude Williams, Arizona, left Tuesday points in Florida and Alabama.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. A. Amburn over the week-end were Doris Elane and Kenneth Amburn of Plainview.

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Council Meets Afternoon

Floyd County Home Demonstration Council will have its regular meeting at 2:30 Saturday afternoon, January 15, in the County Home in Floydada. Business sessions will be held for the year's work.

The meeting will be headed this year by Mrs. C. L. King, Council president. Mrs. King has been president of the Lone Star club.

Council membership is made up of representatives from the county, demonstration club in each county, Council officers, and committee chairmen.

Members of the council include: Chairman, Mrs. C. L. King; Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Miller of Sand Hill; Secretary, Mrs. J. B. Smith of South Plains. The Recording Secretary is Mrs. J. D. Eaves; Assistant Secretary is Mrs. A. M. Dorsey; Treasurer is Mrs. C. A. ...

Representatives are as follows: First named as president is Mrs. J. D. Eaves; second as Club Delegate—Mrs. J. Roberts and Mrs. Bill Baker; Mrs. L. Heim and Mrs. Clyde ...

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Half Minute Interviews

J. Chas. Featherstone, Petersburg: "We went down to Wichita Falls to see the folks and when we got home the oil company had staked out a location on our farm for an oil test, an offset from the Byrd No. 3."

J. T. McLain: "I believe I am safe in saying I never saw as much sleet in one spell in Floyd county before this week's spell."

Glad Snodgrass: "We counted fifteen cars and trucks wrecked and overturned on the road home from Dallas Monday. The roads were pretty slick but we made it just fine."

South Plains News

SOUTH PLAINS, Jan. 10—My old man winter is certainly acting up. I sure hope we get moisture enough to do some good. We have already received nice rain, but not much snow. If the wind will just lay so the snow will lie on the fields it will do lots of good.

Mrs. Guest returned to her home in Brownfield Saturday after visiting with her son, Rev. R. C. Guest and Mrs. Guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Edsell Hutsell visited in the Guest home last week. There were no services at church Sunday on account of bad weather.

Our electricity went off Sunday morning about 9:10 and did not come on until Sunday evening at 7:30. My, but we were glad to blow out the old kerosene lamps after getting them out, cleaning them up and sending down town for kerosene and lamp globes. Anyway, we have them ready for the next emergency.

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"Remember Me"? This Cowboy Did—And so will crowds at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth January 28 through February 6. For this high-stepper, "Remember Me," will be among 50 new bucking horses on the rodeo card. The animal is ranked right along with the famous "Five Minutes to Midnight." Wayne Loucks is the cowboy. The picture was made at the recent Cheyenne Frontier Days festival.

Methodist church in Plainview December 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Calahan are moving to the Cummings place, where the Bryan Karrs have lived. Mr. Karr has not definitely decided what he will do yet.

Junior Perry, Bob and Charles Hartman and Don and Fred Marble spent Saturday night in the cantons.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marble and children, Keith and June, visited in the Shelby Calahan home Saturday night.

Geo. Holland Case Reversed

CROSBYTON—George Holland, Ralls negro convicted in the Lubbock county district court and sentenced to die in the slaying of J. J. Pierce, Crosby county sheriff, was given a new lease on life Wednesday by the Court of Criminal Appeals in Austin. The court reversed and remanded the conviction of the trial court.

Sheriff Pierce was found in a vacant lot in Ralls, August 2, 1947, the victim of five bullets. Witnesses testified that Holland, carrying a "shiny" object, came from the direction where they heard the night time shooting, court records show.

The appeal court overruled Holland's contention that the circumstantial evidence was not sufficient to support the conviction. Reversal was based, however, on refusal by the trial court judge to accept Holland's bill of exceptions because they were offered later than the time limit granted by statute.

The refusal, the appeal court said in its written opinion, was "unwarranted" and constituted reversible error. The opinion noted that the cause for delay in filing the exceptions was illness of Holland's attorney, who was in the hospital unconscious part of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cummings, of Lubbock were guests here Sunday of Mr. Cummings' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Cummings.

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Many Texans Buy Savings Bonds In 1948

The people of Floyd county bought \$316,133.75 worth of U. S. Savings bonds during 1948, according to a year-end report by Harry Owens of Dallas, state director for Savings bonds, to J. M. Wilson, County Savings bonds chairman.

During the same period, the people of Texas bought \$196,448,587.50 worth of these securities.

Mr. Owens said that Texans now own more than \$1.5 billion worth of Savings bonds which earned \$42,372,000 in interest during the year.

To illustrate the practical aspect of thrift, as represented by the Savings bonds program, Mr. Owens pointed out that the annual interest from bonds held by Texans, if converted into residential construction, would build 4237 homes costing \$10,000 each, or, if considered in terms of higher education or wages and salaries, would give a four-year college education to 14,124 students at the rate of \$750 per year, or provide an income of \$225 per month for a full year for 15,693 persons.

Mr. Owens said that of the state's total bond sales last year, Series E, the "People's bond," accounted for \$139,591,216.25, or 71 per cent.

"There are more Savings bonds in the hands of the people today than ever before," he said. "Almost 70 per cent of all bonds ever issued are still in the possession of their original owners. The sale of Series E bonds in Texas alone during 1948 was \$4,940,447.50 more than for 1947."

FLOYDADA HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. J. B. Turner was dismissed January 5 after medical treatment. Mildred Mitchell was admitted January 5 for an appendectomy. Floyd Lyles was admitted January 7 for medical treatment.

Mrs. Lewis Day was admitted January 7 for medical treatment. Mrs. Jerry Holmes was admitted January 7 for medical treatment. Hazel Newell was admitted January 8 for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Robertson are parents of a girl born January 9 weighing five pounds. The baby was named Sherry Deanne.

GOING TO SOUTH AMERICA

MATADOR — Glenn Brotherton, son of Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Brotherton, has accepted a place with Spot Cash Grocery, filling the vacancy resulting in the resignation of James White.

White has accepted a position with an oil company in Venezuela, South America. He is making plans to leave as soon as passport papers are received.

Major and Mrs. S. L. Powell, jr. and daughter, Jan, arrived Sunday for a visit with Major Powell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Powell, sr., of Floydada. The Powells are on their way to Hill Field, Utah, after being stationed at Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Alabama.

They are here for an indefinite period of time, due to the weather.

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Bring House Of Magic Here January 25

An electrical "House of magic" will come to Floydada at the High school auditorium, January 25, at 7:30 p. m. when Southwestern Public Service company brings the General Electric "House of Magic" show to town.

Created in the GE laboratories, this stage production, lasting about an hour, unveils many of the secrets behind the work being done in

laboratories that will result in the electrical wonders of tomorrow.

Those attending will see colorful demonstrations of "black light", "bouncing putty", floating metals, stroboscopic light, writing with light, gears turned by electric energy, and a score of other wonders.

The show will be supervised by Dan J. Castles, assisted by H. E. Laird, both of the Plainview office of Southwestern Public Service company, and local representatives of the company.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith and Mava, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jordan and Kathy, of Portales have been here visiting friends and relatives recently.

D. F. Payne left Sunday for San Antonio for a two week visit with his sons and families, W. L. and Otto.



These gears are turned by electronic impulse during the General Electric "House of Magic" show which Southwestern Public Service Company will present here soon. Two of the Public Service employees who help present the exhibit are shown. They are Miss Mary Howard, and H. E. Laird, both of the Plainview office of the Public Service Company.

New Chevrolet Being Shown To Southwest Dealers

Chevrolet dealers in this area are in Fort Worth, today to attend the Chevrolet regional dealers' convention, at which they will preview the new Chevrolet passenger cars for 1949, completely restyled and featuring the latest trends in automotive design.

The meeting, at the Will Rogers Memorial auditorium, Fort Worth, will be closed to all but Chevrolet dealers. The first public showing of the new passenger cars is January 22. On that date the local dealers' showrooms will hold an open house for all residents of this area, featuring the new car which marks a new era in transportation in the low cost field.

A study on "Personality Helps" for the new year, and a questionnaire on T. H. D. A. was conducted by Mrs. Rushing.

Mrs. M. B. Johnston and Mrs. W. E. Grimes were appointed as food and dairy demonstrators.

Mrs. A. H. Kreis and Mrs. W. H. Bethel are the landscape demonstrators for the new year.

Since there is "Power in a Group", the club has made a special visit

to the Peoples hospital to further needed facilities there need will be fulfilled by the project.

Members present were Mal Jarboe, F. O. Cooney, Adams, J. H. Poore, Geo. S. H. Bethel, E. L. Judy, M. B. Johnston, W. E. Grimes, Sam and Lee Rushing.

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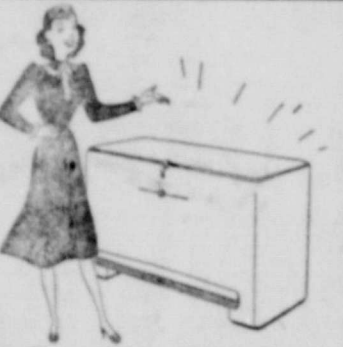
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Youth Meeting At Crosbyton On January 22

PLAINVIEW.—The Plainview District Methodist Youth fellowship is having its third meeting January 22 and 23 at Crosbyton.

Registration begins Saturday at 5:30 p. m. The worship program beginning at 8:00 o'clock concludes Saturday's program. Rev. Hubert Bratcher, pastor of St. John's Methodist Church of Lubbock, is the scheduled speaker.

Sunday's meeting begins at 9:45 a. m. with Sunday School and closes with a worship program at 2:00 p. m. The theme of the meeting is "Who is my neighbor?"

The officers of this organization are: Willy Green, Olton, president; Gwendolyn Fewell, Crosbyton, vice-president; Janet Huffman, Sterley, Secretary and treasurer; Catherine Beard, Rails, publicity superintendent; Clara Herrington, Anton, worship and evangelism chairman; Nita Miller, Olton, community service chairman; Carol Haynes, Plainview, recreation chairman; Paul Tullis, Anton, world friendship chairman.

requirements.

While there may be some uncertainties in the production of sheep and wool, such as the cost of good ewes, there would seem to be less uncertainties than in the production of most other forms of agricultural production, due to the extreme low supply condition. Also that this low supply condition presents a real opportunity to those farm units equipped from an acreage viewpoint to carry a flock of good ewes.

Conner Oden returned Friday from St. Louis, Missouri, where he visited his brother James, who is ill.

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Prior to the last war our sheep population was over 50 million head. Our population of shorn wool at that time was about 340 million pounds. This production supplied a large part of our consumption of much lower than at present. It supplied a little more than half of lamb and mutton when our consumption of meat per capita was our wool requirements, since our pre war use of wool was about 600 million pounds annually.

In 1948 we consumed much more meat per capita (about 150 pounds) yet we had 15 million less sheep with which to meet this consumption. Also in 1948, as for the 4 previous years, we consumed about 1 billion pounds of wool, as against current production of shorn wool of 237 million pounds. While it may be unlikely that consumption will remain at this high level, still Mr. Rice reports that those closest to the wool trade feel that our rate of consumption is likely to level off at somewhere between 700 million and 800 million pounds estimated annual



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Miscellaneous
Order of the Eastern Star will meet Thursday night January 13 at 7:30 o'clock. 501tc.

BOOK YOUR ORDERS now at Rice Hatchery for future delivery of Baby Chicks. Hatch comes off Jan. 24 and every Monday thereafter for several weeks. Flocks represented are Pollorum tested. 503tc.

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FOR SALE—Five year old Jersey cow. G. E. Fuller, on Rails highway just outside city limits. 492tp.

FOR SALE—Two year old black Angus bull pure bred but not registered. See Duncan Hollums. 504tc.

FOR SALE—Entire stock of Duroc hogs (200 head) Breeding stock and all. Several gilts and sows with pigs by side, 2 to 6 weeks old. Several gilts and sows bred for early spring farrowing. Several 80 to 90 lbs. Sow pigs and boar pigs. All of above subject to register and vaccination. Herd boar is a son of Tops. C. O. Roberts, Lockney, Texas. 504tp.

Male Help Wanted
RELIABLE MAN with car wanted to call on farmers in Floyd County. Wonderful opportunity. \$15 to \$20 in a day. No experience or capital required. Permanent. Write today. McNess Company, Dept. A, Freeport, Ill. 502tp.

Legal Notices
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To C. B. Adams, the unknown spouse of C. B. Adams, if he be married, and in the event either of said parties are deceased, then their respective unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, executors, administrators and other personal representatives Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Floyd County at the Court House thereof, in Floydada, Texas at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 31st day of January A. D. 1949, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 16th day of December A. D. 1948, in this cause, numbered 3787 on the docket of said court and styled J. M. Willson, Jr., plaintiff, vs. C. B. Adams, et al Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Trespass to try title suit. Plaintiff alleges that on December 1, 1948 he was the owner in fee simple of Lot Number Ten in Block Number Sixty of the original town of Floydada, Floyd County, Texas; that on said date the hereinabove named defendants entered upon and dispossessed the plaintiff of such premises and withholds from the plaintiff the possession thereof; Plaintiff specifically pleads the five, ten and twenty five year statute of limitation in bar to any defense the defendants may have, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my hand and Seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas this 16th day of December A. D. 1948.

Attest:
Mrs. J. O. Dudley Clerk,
District Court, Floyd County,

TEXAS
By Mrs. P. W. Bell, Deputy.
(SEAL) 474tc

Deeds Recorded

R. E. and Verdeana B. Franklin to Alfred Hughes, 1/2 interest in north one half of section one, block K, in Floyd and Hale counties.

I. D. and B. M. Holligan to James C. Pinner, 80 acres of land of section 40, Floyd county.

N. W. Ray, et al to Dorsey Baker, a tract of land from section 3, Floyd county.

Lots and Johnnie Mae Chatman to M. L. and Syble Bullocks, lot number 8, block 29, Floydada.

W. M. and Lela Massey to J. M. Willson, Jr. lots 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18, block 61, Floydada.

Mrs. Mary E. Wahl, et al, to J. R. and Vera Gale Vickers, lot 11, block 108, Floydada.

Joe C. and Ressie Mae Rigdon to Ella L. Jackson, lots 3, 4, and south one half of lots 15 and 16 in block 4, Brewster Addition three to Lockney.

L. B. and Clophas Smith to J. E. Watson, lots 6 and 7, block 3, Byars Addition to Lockney.

W. M. Dyer to Mable C. Dyer, lot 16, block 117, original Floydada.

Sarah Pauline Anderson to J. C. Anderson, lot 1, 2, 3, block 13, original Floydada.

I. R. and Lola K. Grundy to J. B. and Billy Grundy, lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16, block 27, Floydada.

J. B. and Grace Grundy to R. S. and Ella B. Harless, lot 15 block 48, Floydada.

B. P. and Maggie Sandefur to R. S. Harless, 160 acres of survey 120, Floyd county.

Mrs. Belle Byars to H. B. Macher,

lot 1 and part of lot 6, block 30, Lockney.

R. S. and Ella B. Harless to B. P. and Maggie Sandefur, 160 acres of J. W. Permlinter Preemption survey, Floyd county.

Foy D. Duncan and Irene to M. D. Arterburn and Lonnie M. Arterburn, lots 16, 17 and part of 18, block 1, Muncy Addition to Lockney.

NEW FARM SALE DATE
The Harvey Brock farm and dairy sale which was to have been held on Monday but was postponed due to inclement weather conditions, will be held on Wednesday, January 19, Mr. Brock announced this week. Sale beginning hour is 1:30 o'clock.

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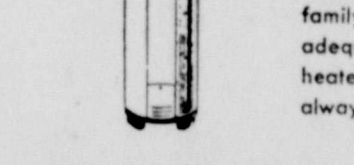
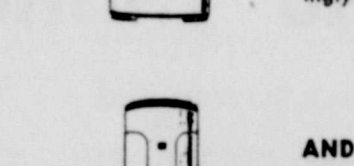
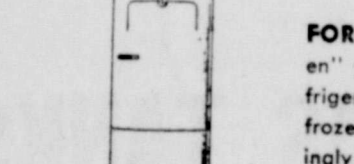
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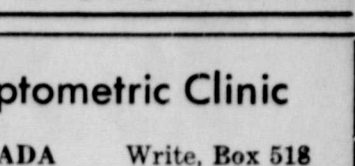
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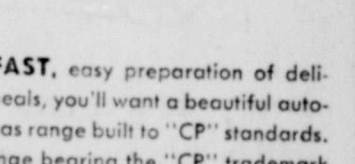
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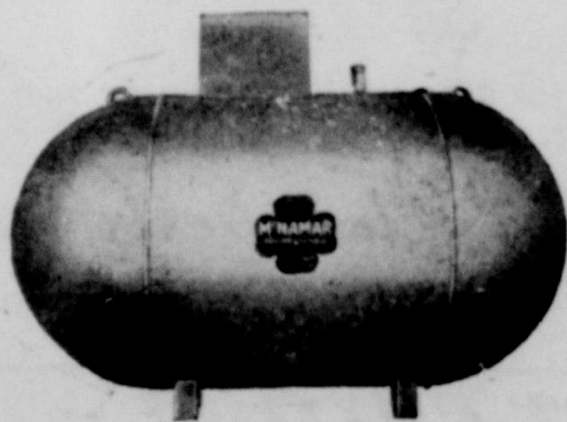
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Only Fill Gaps Enlistments

have volunteered for the U. S. Army and the Air Force from Floydada and since the Selective Act of 1948 was approved, Major Harold Fulghum, Recruiting Officer of the West recruiting district revealed

today. Calling attention to the increasingly important role that volunteer recruiting will have, Major Fulghum pointed out that the Air Force will continue to fill its ranks with volunteers. He added that the Army will use the draft only to fill the gap between voluntary enlistments and monthly quotas.

Major Fulghum explained why the Army desires volunteers: "From the men who enlist for from three to six years comes the experienced cadre of the Regular Army, soldiers who select military life because they want it as a career. From volunteers come the technicians and specialists, without which a modern military machine could not operate.

Economically, too, volunteers are the best investment for the taxpayer. It costs more than \$1,000 to equip and train a soldier. The average selectee leaves the army after 21 months of service, but the volunteer enlists for three years or more, and may reenlist. Thus, the initial investment carries on for many years.

As for the volunteer, Major Fulghum pointed out that the Army and the Air Force have created many special benefits and opportunities which make the military job compare favorably with the advantages offered by civilian employment.

Turn A Desert Into A Garden

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—In the ancient oil-rich kingdom of Saudi Arabia, two farm experts from the vicinity of Lubbock are demonstrating how American agricultural methods can turn a desert into a garden. One is Ken Edwards, former district county agent in the area; the other is 26-year-old Joseph Smith of Floydada.

Edwards and Smith belong to a group of 22 American technicians, most of them from Texas, who have been commissioned by King Ibn Saud to convert his land of the Old Testament into a modern, self-sufficient agricultural country, capable of producing all the food it needs instead of the trickling 20 per cent it now raises.

How the Americans have succeeded is told in the January issue of Country Gentleman in an article titled, "The King's County Agents." Photographs of Edwards who heads the group, conferring with the King, and some of the other Texans engaged in the project, illustrate the article.

Big Experiment Station
It is chiefly the story of Al Kharj, the 3000-acre experiment station in the desert, where the Americans are growing melons, fruits, vegetables, and wheat—all to a King's taste.

As the article points out, when King Ibn Saud saw Al Kharj he became so enthusiastic that he took steps immediately to spread the system throughout his land. Publicly he paid this tribute to Edwards and his group:

"The advancement and promotion of my country can best be maintained by the development of agriculture and adoption of modern agricultural methods, as far as the nature of our country permits. Mr. Edwards and his Americans are doing profitable and praiseworthy jobs, which I appreciate deeply."

John Strohm, who wrote the 3500-word article, interviewed Edwards and Smith and learned from them some of the strategy used by the Americans.

"Our first job in Arabia was to improve production immediately—to show the King what could be done," explained Edwards. "We did it through (1) better seed, (2) commercial fertilizer, (3) control of insects, and (4) better use of water. As a result we know it is possible to boost Arabian food production 50 per cent without adding an acre or using more water.

Arab Farmers Enthusiastic
"We have some plans for livestock improvements too. That's important in a country where half of the people are wandering Bedouins who depend upon their sheep, camels, and goats for a living."

The enthusiasm with which the Arab farmers are converting to American ways is indicated in the following comment supplied by Smith:

"We just can't move fast enough. We're swamped with requests for advice, requests to visit farms, requests for use of tractors. Why, the way they just come to see our tractors operating, we could charge admission fee and make a fortune!"

There is one other important phase to the work being performed by Edwards and his group in this land where American oil concessions are so vital, and the magazine explains it this way:

"The fine job these American farmers are doing, with King Ibn Saud footing all the bills, is earning prestige that dollars could not buy for Uncle Sam in the Middle East."

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crumpton are the proud parents of a daughter born Friday night in the Lubbock Memorial hospital. The little miss weighed 6 pounds 13 ounces.

Anti-Tubercular Fight Goes On

Austin—Returns are still coming in for the 1948 Christmas Seal Sale and it is not too late to acknowledge Christmas Seal letters that might have been overlooked, said Dr. Elliott Mendenhall, president of the Texas Tuberculosis Association.

closed on December 25, its affiliated associations is a year-round project," he added, "and funds received right now are just as welcome and helpful as if they were received during the holiday season."

"Many forget or overlook Seal Sale letters in the rush of other duties. There is still time to acknowledge them. Funds received will be used to support the association 1949 tuberculosis prevention and control program, which is already under way."

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Noble returned Wednesday night of last week from McKinney, where they spent the holiday season with relatives.

Mrs. J. H. Tribble returned home Friday from Denver City where she has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Coward, who is ill.

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Youth Rally Hears Rev. Ulman Moss In Story of Missions

The Floyd Associational youth rally at the First Baptist church here last Saturday night was well attended and an inspirational program was given. A buffet supper was served at 6:30 which was in charge of the local W. M. U. members. Main speaker for the evening was Rev. Ulman Moss, a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jordon, who is on furlough with his wife from a mission field in Columbia, South America. He showed some slide pictures of mission work being done in South America now. Royce Dowd and Evelyn Coe of Wayland college were in charge of the music. Special music was rendered by Misses Mollie June French, Gladys Roberts, and Dorothy Bishop. The next zone youth rally will be at the First Baptist church here February 12. Plans of it will be published at a later date but the youth of surrounding communities are urged to make their plans to attend.

Rates of Pay

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12-15 inches, 1.50 per acre; 15-18 inches, 2.00; 18-over, 3.00; Leaving on land at least until January 1, 1920, stalks, not grazed: 25c per acre;
Control of bindweed: Continuous cultivation—7.50 per acre; Chemicals—2, 4-D, 1.60 per pound; sodium chlorate or calcium chlorate, 3c per pound;
Leveling for irrigation: 8c per cubic yard where 50 cubic yards or more earth moved; 1.00 per acre (Routine floating will not qualify. Payment will not be made for leveling land that was leveled for payment under previous program.)
Reorganization of irrigation system: Permanent ditches—8c per cubic yard; Concrete construction—\$10 per cubic yard; Corrugated culverts 14" to 18"—\$1 per foot; Concrete culverts 14" to 18"—50c per foot; (Other sizes will be approved at a proportional rate.)
Drilling water wells for range: 4 to 6 inch casing—\$2 per foot; 6 inch or over casing—\$3 per foot;
Construction earthen dams and reservoirs: 10c per cubic yard for dams and 8c per cubic yard for damless tanks;
Elimination of destructive plants on range land: limited to \$5 per acre;
Mowing weeds in pastures: 50c per acre;
Deferred grazing: 12c per acre;
Constructing fireguards: 6c per 100 feet;
Seeding adapted pasture grasses or pasture legumes: (Inquire at office for rates.)
Growing a green manure or cover crop of summer legumes: (Inquire at office for rates.)
Application of superphosphate to alfalfa, other legumes, and pas-

Rubinoff Plans

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composer of note, the popular maestro has retained unanimous public approval through rendition of selections the public actually desires to hear.
Bringing His Stradivarius
The famed musician will bring here for his concert the fabulous Stradivarius violin which, insured for \$100,000, is reputed to possess the most beautiful tonal qualities in the entire world; and a brand new program of famous favorites loved by the American people, such as Warsaw Concerto, Chopin's Polonaise, DeBussy's Clair de Lune, and Gershwin's Rhapsody in Blue. These compositions will have their premier performance as violin solos arranged and played by the maestro. The Floydada concert was arranged by the local Jaycees through the national headquarters of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.
Tickets have been set at \$2.40 tax included, for all seats at the night performance, in the seven hundred and seventy-five seat Palace theater. No seats will be reserved. At the special student matinee at 2:30 on the afternoon of March 2 prices will be 75c for all students and faculty and \$1.80 tax included for adults.
An invitation is being sent to all Floyd county schools and schools of surrounding counties to encourage students to attend this special Rubinoff appearance.
Tickets will soon be on sale by all Jaycees, by mail, and from many down-town locations.
Rates: 20c—\$1.02 per 100 lbs. (Inquire at office for other rates.)
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Managing crop residues to protect summer fallowed acreage: 60c per acre;
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The amount earned on any one farm for a combination of practices is limited to such limits as the ACA Committee may find necessary for proper distribution of county funds and also limited to \$750 per individual within the United States.
For further information and detailed specifications of any practice contact the county office. Important! Written prior approval must be obtained for each practice before it is begun!

Mrs. Don Wallace and daughter, LaDonna, of Los Angeles, California, are visiting with Mrs. Wallace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McLain, and other relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown and children of Lubbock also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. McLain. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Wallace are sisters. Mr. Wallace is to follow later, and spend his vacation here. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, and daughter, will return home together.

The state of Nebraska was the first state in the U. S. to celebrate Arbor Day, where observance began in 1872.

SUGAR, 10 Lb. Bag, 90c

HUNT'S Cocktail, 2 1/2 Can, 39c

WOLCO Blackberries, No. 2 Can, 24c

Texsun, Grapefruit juice, 17c

Orange Juice, Adams, 25c

CATSUP, CHB, 14 Oz. Bottle, 17c

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR, 25 Lb. Bag, \$1.79

Pure LARD, 4 Lb. Carton, 93c

DUZ, Large Box, 33c

VEL, Large Box, 30c

CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP, 2 For, 19c

BLEACH, 1 Qt., 15c

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Rain And Sleet

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sleet they estimated the fall could have been considerably more than the official and the unofficial estimates around town.
Official said 1.9 inches of moisture. Unofficial went on up to three inches. The pay off will come when the sleet melts and tries to melt into the ground, already soaked with nearly an inch of rain that fell Sunday and Sunday night.
Cold Keeps Hanging On
The cold of the prolonged spell kept hanging on and on. Temperatures from Saturday night on through Wednesday did not rise above 23 and hovered around the 18 with a low of 15. Tuesday's low was 21 degrees, but the high was only slightly above that figure at 10:30 Tuesday morning the thermometer reading was 22 degrees.
Most stockmen and ranchers had an ample supply of feed for the emergency and unless the cold hangs on through the remainder of the month they will come through in fine shape.
Warned of the danger of the highways there was little damage done to automobiles in this section by accidents and to Wednesday morning there had been no fatalities on the roads. Side roads were impassable in a number of instances. Number of automobiles and pick-ups "stuck" in the sleet as of Tuesday night had run into the hundreds in this vicinity.
Wednesday as the temperatures began to moderate city crews were on the streets making travel paths through the accumulation of ice. State Highway maintenance crews, under the direction of Frank Weber, foreman, were also opening highways for faster and safer travel Tuesday and Wednesday.
Services Slowed Down
Southwestern Public Service company had a brief break in their high lines Wednesday morning as the heavy accumulation of ice sagged telephone and light lines, broke down numerous trees in the community and brought to a halt practically all travel by automobile. Only service trucks equipped for

rugged going could negotiate the streets and highways for two or three hours Wednesday morning. Rain that made a glassy top for the accumulated sleet fell for three hours before it began to thaw appreciably.
Southwestern Bell Telephone company has had little line trouble early Wednesday. Miss Ethel Gilbert, chief operator here, said long distance as well as local lines had begun to give trouble Wednesday afternoon. Cold and wet and freeze and thaw always make trouble for the operating and plant department of the telephone company.
New Semester Begins Monday
School attendance was low Monday and Tuesday. Wednesday the school was dismissed and Mr. Graves said that school work will be resumed on Monday, when new semester work will be started by all pupils and classes. Examinations scheduled for Wednesday and today will be re-scheduled later. All pupils are expected to report for work Monday morning, including exam exempts.
Basketball games among the eight schools of the district were not held Tuesday night and Wednesday night as arrangements for Friday night. Any games lost will have to be made up before the end of the double round robin in February. Scores and standings of the teams were not available at The Hesperian office this week. The Floydada-Loekney game is due to be played at Loekney Friday night unless the weatherman interferes.
Postman Still Making Rounds
Postmen of the Floydada post office made their rounds in spite of the odds on Monday and Tuesday, and both city and rural deliverymen made their starts Wednesday. Rural delivery men were due for a hard day of it and there is no relief in sight for them in the next two or three days.
West Texas Gas company has come through the spell in fine shape today, it was reported last yesterday at the Floydada office. Ample pressure and no line breaks are reported.
Slack dangerous roads-Wednesday and lack of connections all down the line had bus service at a dead halt through Floydada Wednesday

bridge a heavy handicap however, and officials are getting extensions southward as time goes on. Notice that these two contracts and would be in contract lettings in July and August last week by Com. G. C. Tubbs. The contracts will be in addition to any in the county covered by bond issue.
The Aiken-Providence extension westward to a farm to market road proved in Hale county by last year, which had the State Highway department

WEEK-END SPECIALS

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PRESERVES, 39c

morning, A. J. Cline said. He hoped weather conditions would permit resumption of service late Wednesday or by today.

will extend for 2.7 miles south from the Briscoe county line. (In Briscoe county there is an additional four miles or so that will give the northeast Floyd county people an all-weather outlet to market at Quitaque.) The distance into Floyd county will be short of a tie in with any other all-weather road. It does

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DREFT SOAP, BOX 30c

FLOYD CREAMERY BUTTER, lb. 69c

PALMOLIVE SOAP, Reg. Bar 10c

TIDE SOAP, BOX 33c

Quitaque Road

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