

Views and Comment

NEED UNDERSTANDING FIRST

Cattlemen are trying to tell the Office of Price administration they are going at the control of inflated cattle prices in the wrong way. Here is the point of view as expressed by Representative Robert Poage, of Waco, who takes the recent order establishing ceilings and rolling back the price of live cattle as an example of lack of knowledge of the most intricate business of getting cattle from calf-hood to the diner's table:

"This order will result in an immediate roll back of approximately 18 per cent in the price of Texas cattle (this is in excess of the national average because of the grade of our cattle.) It is admitted that this first roll back will not reduce the price paid by the housewife for meat by a single penny. It will only assure certain processors a larger profit at the expense of the producers. It is to be followed by two more roll backs next fall. These are supposed to help the housewife, but in the meantime how many cattle are going to be fed this summer with the feeders facing the certainty of getting less for their cattle next fall than they have to pay now? The same order exempts all veal (any carcass which weighs less than 275 pounds.) The sum effect of these regulations is certain to send most cattle to slaughter before they have put on the weight they should and in the long run to greatly reduce, not the price, but the amount of beef available to the American people. It will doubtless bring immature cattle to the market at once—in an effort to sell them before the various roll backs take effect, but it can only add to our food problem next year and the next. Our committee is doing its best to get the O. P. S. to understand the fundamental problems involved, but until the masses of the American people understand, there is little likelihood that this agency will change its position."

Our own reaction to the price ceiling and roll back order on beef is that it has grown out of desperation. About the only way the working man's strikes could be put an end to has been seen in the reduced cost of provisions for the family table. To get this important segment of the nation's manpower placated it was seen that something must be done. As an opposite those in authority know that the cattleman is an even-going sort, that he has been trying to keep cattle prices from getting out of hand for some years, that he knows it is not best for the cattle industry to continue along present price levels indefinitely, and the longer it goes the broker the cattle man will be when the big decline hits. Further, the authorities know that the cattleman is going to stay in business if he can and he is not going to strike. We feel that under these circumstances OPS decided to bow the neck and stand pat on some kind of an order and try to make it work. What we have is the result.

When the time comes for us to build a court house, some of these days, we are going to call in the different people who are familiar with the needs of the respective offices and we will make the architect who asks for the planning and supervision of construction, agree to listen to these officials and get their ideas and then see how near the money they have available to spend can be made to meet the needs something beyond the foreseeable future.

With the end of the legislative session near at hand the usual surprise changes in the laws of the state will become apparent during the next few months. The truck load limit and the unloading regulation for overloading and a number of the more publicised measures will not be surprises although each may be found to call for considerable changes and expense. It is the smaller laws and local laws that will bring the surprises. These will be taken in stride as in the past. A change in the oil and gas leasing laws to simplify matters for owners of lands whose underground titles are snarled is said to be in the batch, as well as laws increasing some taxes and retaining other "emergency" taxes from two years ago. People continue demanding more of the state and federal governments and continue to have to pay more to them.

Completion of the court house construction is foreseen within the next few weeks—meaning in our minds, sometime in July. The structure will be a good one, when finished, we are assured, although the interior arrangements are not going to be ideal for everybody. The building has gone up under most all kinds of obstacles including shortages of men and materials, orders for materials based on escape clauses and things of the kind. The contractor undertook the work with all of these things in mind as possibilities, of course. Better luck next time, is about all you can offer along that line. But the fact that the construction company is still in there building in spite of the discouragements speaks well for the firm.

People of Texas rave about not having or going to have a sales tax. They do not have such in the strict sense, but we are gaining (or losing) ground in that direction in pretty good fashion. It appears at this writing that another cent is going to be put on the gasoline tax, which is another cent on the sales tax that has been collected for a number of years. Only difference is that you pay it or have it charged as a part of the price of the gasoline instead of counting it out in pennies or mills or tokens. A big battle has been going on in the legislature about where the extra money would come from—the gasoline tax which home folks would have to pay or the natural gas tax on gas piped out of the state which people in other states would have to pay. It is not exactly that simple. It could or might or would hurt the man who owns the land from which the gas is piped. Senator Corbin of the 30th Senatorial district (including Floyd county) is quite definitely for the natural gas pipeline tax and against the gasoline sales tax increase. Since it is a choice between two evils, as we view it, we'd go along with the senator and let somebody else raise the money, if we could.

What to do about raising chickens? Apparently poultry should go up this fall on the market and a person make some money raising chickens, especially if he is in position to handle broilers. However, last year many thought there was no way for the chicken market to go but up, but it didn't follow beef and never got as high as the pork market. May be it is that the American taste is just too robust for the flesh of fowls and the working man, claimed to be the big meat eater, has to have his meat from a four-legged carcass, regardless of the price.

Cedar Hill News

(By Thada Lackey)
CEDAR HILL, May 15.—There is a new addition in the Cedar Hill community Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stansell are proud parents of a new daughter. The baby has been named Jill Ann. Mrs. Stansell and Jill Ann are at home.

Visitors in the Lindsey Lackey home were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Yearly and Jacqueline, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jarrett.

Thada Lackey went to Austin last week-end with Mrs. Nannie Fortenberry and Donald of Adrian. Donald Fortenberry was entered in the Ready Writers contest in the Interscholastic League. He placed first in his class. The group also placed first in his class. The group also placed first in his class. The group also placed first in his class.

Dayne Golightly of Lubbock spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lackey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pigg and children, of Houston, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kelly and Norma one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wigginton and children of Lone Star visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wigginton and Donald Ray Sunday.

Edward Lemons visited Sunday with Greer Lackey.

Marie and Dean Ginn of Lubbock visited in the Eber Ginn home Saturday night and Sunday. Marie and Dean attended Sunday school with the Ginn children.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Teal and children of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bishop and Mike of Lakeview, and Roy Brown of Silverton, visited in the Sid Brown home Sunday. Mrs. Teal attended church with Mrs. Brown Sunday morning.

Visitors in the M. H. Taylor home Sunday were Messrs. and Mrs. L. A. Keeter of Houston, Gus Wesley and son of Pandhandle, Frank Taylor of Hollis, Oklahoma, Dale Taylor and children of Hollis, Oklahoma, George Taylor and children of Lockney, Guy Davis of Friona and Junior Taylor.

Visitors in the J. C. Fortenberry home Sunday were Stanley Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Smith of Lockney, Mrs. Charles Steven and Mack, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Davis of Friona, Lajana Taylor of Lockney, Mrs. Carl V. Lemons, Carl F. Lemons, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown and Harold of Floydada.

Stanley Connor made the headlines twice last week. He was named valedictorian of the senior class of Lockney High school, also he placed second at Canyon in the essay writing. We are proud of Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vannoy and Mr. and Mrs. Don Hitt and children, all of Gilroy, California visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roach. The Vannoy and Hitt families are relatives of Mrs. Roach.

Linda Lackey spent Saturday

night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Love of Floydada. Mrs. Etta Massengale visited with the J. W. Leach family of Lockney last week.

Mrs. Carl F. Lemons and children visited in the W. E. Lackey home Sunday evening.

Ras Ware won the jack-pot roping at Silverton Sunday. Several from Cedar Hill attended the rodeo including Mrs. W. P. Ware and June, Miss Norma Kelly, Miss Thada Lackey and Clifton and Ras Ware.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill DuBois of Floydada were dinner guests of the W. E. Lackey family.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Beard were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Yearly and Jacqueline.

Mrs. Audie Noland and children attended church with Mrs. Mary L. Dillard Sunday.

The Robin Fortenberry family are driving a new Ford.

Robert Connor and Clarence Graham of Amarillo visited Sunday

with Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Conner and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Beard and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lackey attended the Santa Rosa rodeo and the open house of the Waggoner estate last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Beard visited Mrs. J. C. Lackey and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hart of Floydada Sunday. Visitors in the Beard home Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Gilly and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Lackey and Linda.

Ras and Clifton Ware visited in the Olin Bryant home Sunday night.

ON KRUPA BAND TOUR

George M. Atwood is now touring the United States, playing in the band of Gene Krupa. He has previously been attending Texas Tech, and was a member of the Red Raider band. He will complete the tour in June and be with his family in Lubbock.

TROIS MUNCY SPENDS END AT HOME FROM SEAS

Miss Trois Muncy, treasurer of Texas Tech college, visited week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Muncy of the Muncy community.

She is a member of the Tau-Beta-Raider band and a member of the honorary bandwomen's chapter of Kappa-Kappa-Pi. This year she won the L. G. Bellows award which are awards given to the outstanding chapter in the state.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Patton on Monday were their children and Mrs. Messrs. and Mrs. Lee of Amarillo, Roy Barber and son of Hobbs, New Mexico, and Thornton and children of Lubbock, and Lloyd Nelson and wife of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Patton were guests. Mrs. Lyle is the mother of Mrs. Patton.



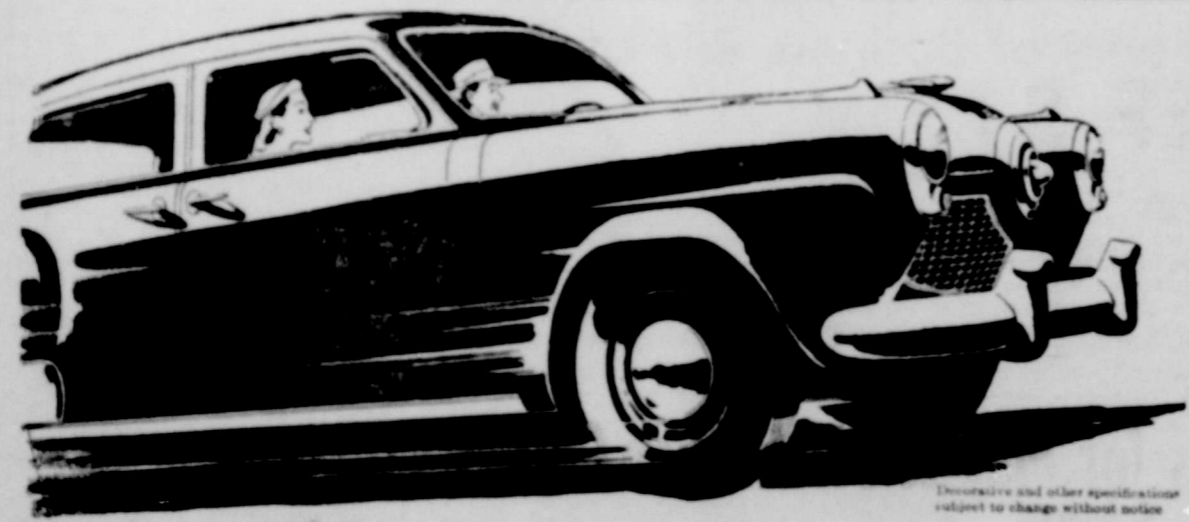
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- SWIFT, Can, **VIENNAS 19c**
- MARSHALL, No. 2 Can, **HOMINY 11c**
- GOLD TIP, No. 2 Can, **GREEN BEANS . . 15c**
- SUGARKIST, Pkg. **Marshmallows . . 15c**
- No. 303 Can, **Purple Hull Peas . . 13c**

WOLCO, No. 2 Can,
BLACKBERRIES 23c

HI-C, 46 oz. Can,
ORANGEADE 29c

- WOLFE, Can, **Tamales . . 27c**
- HOLLANDEALE, Pound, **OLEO 30c**
- 1 1/2 lb. White, **KARO 22c**
- TUXEDO, Can, **TUNA 25c**

DORMANS, Whole, No. 2 Can,
NEW POTATOES . 11c

- HI-HO, Large Box **CRACKERS . 32c**
- PUSS N BOOTS, Can, **CA T FOOD . 14c**
- SKINNERS, Box, **Raisin Brand 17c**
- CUT RITE, Roll, **Wax Paper 27c**
- RUFFY, Can, **DOG FOOD . 8c**
- LIPTON 1/4 lb., **TEA 33c**

BEEF ROAST CHUCK, POT, Pound, . . **72c**

- SLICED BACON** WILSONS, Corn King Pound **46c**
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- LUX, 2 Reg. Bars, **Toilet Soap . 19c**
- YELLOW, **SQUASH . Pound, 10c**
- CAMAY, 2 Reg. Bars, **TOILET SOAP 19c**
- LARGE BOX, **DUZ 33c**
- QUART BOTTLE, **CLOROX . . 17c**
- GOLDEN FRUIT **BANANAS 12 1/2 c**
- CALIFORNIA, **GREEN CELERY . 19c**
- STALK **FRESH RADISHES** LARGE BUNCH **5c**

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Wind Cuts Crowd at Season Opener Softball League

Monday night. Builders Mart had not a chance against Lunch Box in the opener. It was too much for Joy Ward in the pitchers box for them to score, and all errors that can be conjured up. Results: Lunch Box 24, Builders Mart 0.

Tuesday night the small crowd saw REA pour it on Rudy's Service station team, 17 to 8.

Next Monday night it will be Lunch Box vs. REA; Tuesday night Builders Mart vs. Rudy's.

KFLD NEWS

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LOCAL REPORTS.

A. M.

- 6:45—Early Morning News—Stansell-Collins, Lockney Implement Co. (7 days)
- 8:00—World News In Brief—Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Company Monday through Saturday
- 9:00—News—Parker Furniture Co., Lockney, Floydada; (7 days)
- 9:30—Womens News—Patterson Grocery (Monday thru Friday)
- 11:00—News In Brief—Star Cash Grocery

NOON

- 11:55—Local Grain Reports—Producers Cooperative Elevator (Monday thru Saturday)
- 12:00—Trading Post News—Floydada Implement Company (7 days)

P. M.

- 12:15—World News at Noon—Willson & Son Lbr. Co., Builders Mart (7 days)
- 6:00—Sports Parade (Monday thru Friday)
- 6:30—Texas in the News—Braselton Implement Company (7 days)
- 6:35—The Weather Story—Carthel Oil & Butane Co. (7 days)
- 6:46—World and Local News—K. Crouch Motor Co. (7 days)
- 7:40—Late Evening News—Plains Equipment Company (7 days)

Sundays Only

- 8:00 a. m.—News—Martin & Company
- 5:45 p. m.—The Hesperian Review of Events



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| HUNTS, 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans | PEACH HALVES, . . . | 59c |
| DOLES, No. 2 Can | Crushed Pineapple . . . | 27c |
| SURFINE, No. 2 1/2 Can | FRUIT COCKTAIL . . . | 34c |
| PILLSBURY, 25 lb. Bag | FLOUR | \$2.09 |
| CRYSTAL, 2 Pound Jar | Strawberry Preserves | 79c |
| HUNTS, All Green, Cut, No. 1 Can | ASPARAGUS | 29c |
| BAYERS, Box of 12 | ASPIRINS | 10c |
| | TUMS | 5c |
| SOFLIN, Package | NAPKINS | 15c |
| SOFLIN, Roll | TOWELS | 15c |
| CAMPBELL'S, 16 oz. Can | PORK & BEANS . . . | 15c |
| | KOOL AID | 25c |

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We Deliver

Rev. C. T. Warren Pastor at Slaton

Rev. C. T. Warren and family, who have been in Fort Worth the past year, will make their home in Slaton at once. Rev. Warren organized a congregation of the Fundamental Baptist church there Sunday of last week and will be its pastor.

The family has been in Fort Worth while he studied at the Baptist Theological seminary. Tom is a former pastor of the church here.

One of the early activities of the newly-organized congregation will be a revival meeting scheduled to begin on June 10 and last through June 24.

Rains Report

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at their place south of town.

At the R. J. Hinsley place, south of Dougherty, showers were reported.

Mrs. Milton Harrison in the Lakeview community reported about three fourths rain at their place, and at Wayne Batten's place one and one fourth inches rain fell. The wheat is looking better than was expected.

Mrs. Jess Shurbet, reported just a shower, south of Muncy.

James Martin at Blanco said just a shower.

Mrs. Sid Brown at Cedar Hill reported one inch and a little over fell at her place, the rain general in the locality.

Mrs. W. P. Sims at Center reported a good shower, said farmers needed several inches out there.

At the E. J. Huckabee place at South Plains only a shower fell.

Mrs. Oliver Holmes reported about one and half inches fell at Irick.

Mrs. Mal Jarboe, northeast of town, reported three fourths of an inch at their place on Tuesday.

At Dougherty the report from Powell's store was showers for both Tuesday and Wednesday.

At Leonard's elevator east eight miles a good rain fell and north of that point near Campbell Kinder Farris had a half inch at his farm. Near Pleasant Valley Farris said his farm had little moisture.

George Stiles on Matador highway east said about half an inch. At the L. H. Dorrell farm the estimate was over an inch and as close as the W. B. Jones place, east of Floydada two miles the row crop middles had considerable water in them.

Mrs. Reasoner

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and Edwin Pollan.

George Mae Reasoner, was born October 20, 1884 at Kerrville, Texas, daughter of A. H. and Mattie Briggs Mathews. She was married to John W. Reasoner in 1902 in Palo Pinto, County, Texas, and moved to Floyd county 25 years ago, from Fannin county, Texas. Mr. Reasoner passed away on December 21, 1947.

Mrs. Reasoner joined the Baptist church in early life.

Survivors of Mrs. Reasoner are four sons, Jarvis, Floydada, Sam, Dallas, Leeman and Elton, Slaton, and three daughters, Mmes. J. B. Terrell, Floydada; M. Page, Lubbock, and Clinton Brown, Amarillo; also 22 grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Two brothers, also survive Mrs. Reasoner. They are A. H. Mathews of Hamilton and Arthur Mathews of Burkburnett.

All the children and brothers of Mrs. Reasoner were present for the funeral.

Window Display

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Second—FFA Team composed of Class No. 2, headed by Lavon Shearer, displayed at Bishop Motor company, Floydada.

Third—FFA Chapter team composed of class No. 3, Lockney, displayed at Baker Hardware company, Lockney.

Fourth—FFA Chapter team composed of Victor Day, Malvin Peugh and Bill Sherman, displayed at Lockney Implement company, Lockney.

Fifth—FFA chapter team composed of Class No. 2, headed by A. C. Pratt, displayed at Martin & Company, Floydada.

Half Minute Interviews

James D. Colville: "My hybrid tomatoes are blooming. I paid 50 cents for 30 seed."

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Batten had for their guests on Sunday their children, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Cook and children and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Edmonson and children of Borgert. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ashton and children of Lockney called in the Batten home on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Warren announce the birth of a son, Edwin Lynn, born May 12, in the Peoples Hospital. The young fellow weighed 8 pounds and 5 ounces. His grandparents are Mrs. Ola Warren and Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Batten.

Mrs. Herbert Sims and father W. C. Fields spent last Friday in Amarillo visiting relatives.

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FOR RENT — Apartment. 230 W. Virginia. Phone 882-W. 161tc.

VFW District Meet Continues to Rally

The Veterans of Foreign Wars from J. W. Harrison post attended the district meeting in Paducah last Saturday and Sunday, May 12 and 13. A large crowd was present and a good time was had by all who attended.

The next district meeting will be at Hereford, the date to be announced later.

Attending at Paducah were Rex Brown, post commander, and Messrs. and Mmes. E. T. Williams, David Campbell, Joe Martin, L. B. Stewart, Jr., Thurman Batten, and W. R. Daniel.

Miss Joy Bunch and her roommate, Miss Connie Nicholson of Vickburg, Mississippi, were here over the week-end visiting Joy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bunch. The girls are students at Texas State College for Women at Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ethridge and little daughters, of Cashmere, Washington, were guests of the D. W. Burkes here Saturday. They were enroute to Conway, Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Huggins, of Lockney, spent Sunday here, guests in the home of their son, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Huggins.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Stanforth, Jr., are the parents of a baby daughter born in the West Texas hospital at Lubbock on Tuesday, May 15. As yet the young lady has not been named, but more than likely she will be named Sarah.

Mrs. Vera Nell Robinson of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Marshall and family of Lubbock spent Mothers day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Marshall.

NOTICE

Mrs. G. E. May announces the opening of her summer classes of piano on May 23, for the months of June and July. Phone 867R for information. 161tc

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Fuller, in company with their daughter and family, Mrs. Clyde Foster of Plainview, spent Sunday in Amarillo with another daughter, Mrs. Bill Galloway and Mr. Galloway. Mrs. Galloway has been very ill, but is improving.

Monroe Nelson, who was injured at the court house May 9, when he fell from a scaffold 30 feet to the ground and has been a patient in the Peoples hospital since, was reported Tuesday as continuing to rally. His condition was critical for several days.

Jack McGillivray, who fell with Nelson, and received a fractured wrist, was dismissed and has returned to Silverton, where his wife is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hill. The McGillivrays had been here about a month, coming from Spokane, Washington.

The Hartline family are still indoors with mumps.

Center women had a grand time on their trip to Dougherty last Wednesday, when our club was entertained by the Dougherty club.

Mrs. O. C. Vinson had, part of last week, as guests in her home, a sister, Mrs. Hulda Strout and son of O'Donnell, Mrs. Strout, also Mrs. J. T. Myrick, of South Plains, were guests at Mrs. Earl Huckaby last Friday when Center club entertained the Sterley club.

Center News

(By Mrs. J. E. Green)

CENTER, May 16.—It is cloudy and cool this morning. The floods of yesterday on the North Plains did not reach us, but there was enough rain at the church to cause cars to stick. And still the wind blows.

Sunday being Mothers' Day at our church we took a hospital offering which amounted to \$10.00 plus. We are not so big out here, but we like to have even a small part in every good cause. Also, being Mothers' day the oldest and youngest mothers left the church with a beautiful corsage they didn't come with.

Bro. and Mrs. R. C. Hodges and Jerry dined in the J. R. Robertson home Sunday.

The G. A.'s led by Mrs. Hodges met as usual in the church Sunday afternoon. The boys and Bro. Hodges met in the schoolhouse to organize the R. A. Melvin Robertson was chosen sponsor; there were five charter members and there are three or four others who would have been with them but for the mumps.

Pvt. and Mrs. Bobby Plumlee of White Sands, New Mexico, were in our church services Sunday morning. They are on furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Plumlee. Tuesday all left for Alabama to visit in the home of a sister and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Green of Plainview, Margaret Green of Wayland college, and Don Clark Green of Wellington, were all Sunday dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Green. Pvt. Clyde Green of Fort Hood, Texas, came in Sunday night for a two weeks furlough.

Visitors in the O. P. home for Mothers day were daughter and son-in-law, Mrs. Otis Campney of Amarillo. Visitors were Mr. and Mrs. McAteer and son, Earl and son, Rodney Edmonson, all of Floydada, and afternoons Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Batten family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Kay son Bobby Ned of Fort Worth Saturday and Sunday with parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Houn and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Houn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sims had children at home with them on day, Mothers day. They are Mrs. Buck Sims and family of nah, Mr. and Mrs. Haroldmonds and daughter, Linda, pa, and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. berry and sons of the community. A nephew of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Owens and ren of the McCoy community were guests in the Sims home.

Indoor Air Purifier

A new household air purifier which utilizes short wave violet rays to change oxygen into ozone, "nature's own air purifier," has been developed by Stove and Company, Chicago. The aluminum unit plugs into the outlet and is said to "destroy" pleasant odors with electrically produced ozone.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crabtree, of Tulla, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wright of Plainview and three sons, Douglas, Ralph and Dale, and Clyde Wright of Lubbock were guests of their mother, Mrs. Morgan Wright, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Greer and two sons of Athens, Louisiana, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Owens of the McCoy community. Mrs. Greer and Mrs. Owens are sisters.

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SHURFINE, No. 2 Can	HOMINY 10c	
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Floydada Garden club entered a home flower show in the home of Mrs. George V. Smith on Monday morning at 9:30 to 11. They are now on display at the home of Mrs. O. P. Rutledge, with Mrs. O. P. Rutledge, head and O. G. Glasscock, co-hostesses.

Miss Bond asked guests to bring a flower arrangement to the show. Mrs. H. L. Smith received the guest of honor, a beautiful flower arrangement placed throughout the show. Mrs. H. L. Smith presided over the show and the guests on tour the house and grounds.

Wed June 10

Mable Laminack announces the wedding of her daughter, Betty to Mr. Jarboe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jarboe of Floydada.

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Miss Willis, Bride Elect, is Honoree at Tea, Breakfast

Mrs. George Little of Lubbock gave a tea honoring brides-elect of May and June of 1951.

The color scheme carried out was white and yellow. The table was beautifully decorated with a large heart made of styrofoam tied with a large yellow ribbon with three yellow streamers attached to wedding bells with the name of each bride elect at each bell. At the top of the large heart were three candles held in the form of a heart which held the yellow candles. These were used for lighting of the room.

Those being honored were Betty Fulenigm of New Home, Gladys Wright of Lamesa and Nadine Willis of Floydada.

Others present were Glenna Lee, Billie Nichols, Dorothy Straton, Maurice Denton, Lillian Franklin and Alice Rowland.

Mrs. Newberry is Hostess

The home of Mrs. Orvel Newberry of 601 West Olive, Floydada, was the location of a breakfast honoring Miss Nadine Willis, bride-elect of Dewey Pierce of Grand Saline, Texas.

The dining table was covered with a lovely white linen cloth, with a miniature bride surrounded by snowballs and miniature carnations as the centerpiece. Plate favors were miniature carnations with pink and white heart shaped mints.

Those attending were Miss Willis and guests of Lubbock, Misses Glenna Lee, Jo Gervenka, Wanda Rhine, Patsy Hay, Rena Mae Willis and mother of the bride, Mrs. Henry Willis.

Miss Willis and Mr. Pierce will be married May 26 at college Avenue Baptist church in Lubbock.

Dorcas S. S. Class

The Dorcas Sunday school class of the First Baptist church met last Wednesday at noon for their monthly covered dish luncheon and business meeting in the dining room of the church.

Members present were Mesdames C. M. Meredith, W. U. Riggles, J. D. McBrine, E. J. Morehead, E. L. Angus, and Harry Stanley, A. J. Cline, Pearl Fagan and grandson, Kenneth, and Mesdames E. J. Womack, W. O. Nealey, and W. N. Garrett. A short business meeting was held after the luncheon.

MIGRAINE HEADACHES

Doctors believe that attacks of migraine headaches can be shortened by starting treatment as soon as trouble begins. About 5 per cent of the nation's population is effected by migraine headaches, although it ranks only about third as a cause of headaches. They occur two to three times more frequently in women than in men. Migraine headaches, which last anywhere from thirty minutes to three or four days, are restricted to one side of the head, and can occur on either half in an alternating manner. The headaches are described as causing pain often accompanied by nausea, exhaustion, depression, nervousness and blurring of vision. Migraines are associated with certain personality characteristics since "thinkers" rather than "doers" are generally affected by them. Typical victims of migraine attacks are meticulous housewives and overambitious, perfectionists men with an exaggerated sense of responsibility.

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Luncheon to Honor Mrs. E. A. Hopkins Saturday Noon

Mrs. Jack Henry and Mrs. John Herd of Post honored their mother, Mrs. E. A. Hopkins with a birthday luncheon at the Hotel Coffee shop Saturday.

The lovely luncheon was served from a long table arranged with cut flowers. Each guest received a corsage at her plate, the honor guest having a white gardenia corsage and the hostesses wearing red carnation corsages in keeping with mothers day tradition.

Mrs. Hopkins received many beautiful gifts and many happy returns of the day.

After the luncheon Mrs. Herd showed moving pictures of Old Settlers day made last year. She also showed moving pictures of her trip of six weeks to Canada and Alaska last summer. The pictures were beautiful and the ladies enjoyed them.

Attending the affair were old time friends of Mrs. Hopkins, Mrs. George Smith and mother, Mrs. E. C. Henry, Mesdames Dora Crain, J. E. Horton, Luther Fry, and mother Mrs.

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Sister is Honoree at Luncheon Given Friends on Friday

Mrs. J. Ray Diekey of Lubbock, honored her sister, Mrs. Eva Peax of Stockton, California, Friday noon with a luncheon at the Hotel Coffee shop in Floydada, having friends for a visit and luncheon before Mrs. Peax, who has been visiting relatives in Lubbock and other points in Texas, returns to her California home.

Enjoying the visit and luncheon were Mesdames E. C. Henry, Stella May, Maud Morris, Virgie Shaw, A. N. Gamble of Lubbock, E. C. King and Messrs and Mmes. Glad Snodgrass and G. L. Snodgrass.

Mr. and Mrs. Ott Glassmoyer and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Walker arrived home Saturday from a two week fishing trip to Louisiana and parts of Texas.

Lula Slaughter, and Mesdames Will Snell, Bob Willis, T. P. Collins and mother, Mrs. P. M. Felton, Mrs. Homer Steen and mother, Mrs. Floy Selsor, and Mesdames C. Surginer, E. J. Morehead, E. P. Nelson and daughter, Mrs. Otto Faulkner of Long Beach California, and Mesdames Clarence Guffee and Mollie Kinnard and little Miss Gayle Hopkins of Lubbock, grand-daughter of Mrs. Hop-kins, and Jack Henry.

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The Floyd County Mesperian, Floydada, Texas, Thursday, May 17, 1951

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Answer -----
5. T H S O N O U — Port City
Answer -----

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8. Limit — one entry per family.
9. If you would rather use a postcard than the official entry blank, then list your answers, write if you have a sewing machine, and if it is electric. Be sure to print your name and address, and mail the card to "MACHINE CONTEST", P. O. Box 1486, Dallas, Texas

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Name _____
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Andrews Ward Final Program Thursday Night

Commencement program at Andrews Ward school will be on the night of May 24-next Thursday, when a large class will graduate from the eighth grade to enter high school next year.

The honor girl of the class is Noma Lou Hamilton and the honor boy George Chapman. The program has been announced as follows:

Theme: A Flower Garden
 Processional ----- Ginger Tinnin
 Invocation ----- Gordon Joiner
 "As Welcome as Flowers" ---Noma Lou Hamilton, honor girl;
 "By the Campfire"----- Class song;
 "Daisies Will Tell"----- Jimmie Lou Stanford, class prophecy;
 "April Showers"---Russel Schmeekle, baritone solo;
 "For-get-me-nots"---Rodger Poage, class will;
 "Orchids to You"---George Chapman, honor boy;
 "Bouquets"-----Mr. Pultz
 "A New Garden"-----Mr. Graves
 Recessional -----Ginger Tinnin

A big party for the class, given by their sponsors, Mrs. Henry Barber, Robert Fisher and Mrs. J. M. Hollums, at the gymnasium last Friday night was one of the high lights of the class school year. Following are the members of the class:

Girls In Class

Freida Jarrett, Catherine Boling, Gloria Ann Adkins, Doris Jones, Darlene Bryant, LaFaun Ballard, Rose LaGrone, Ruthie Cantrell, Betty Blum, Barbara McNeill, Nettie Mae Derryberry, Christine Britts, Virginia Lou Miller, Delores Gee, Cail Brown, Be Dean Pate, Patsy Gilliland, Barbara Bullock, Joyce Poole, Charlotte Johnson, Sammie Copeland, Vera Dean Poteet, Marilyn Jones, Geraldine Graves, Alyne Reeves, Lou Smith, Jo Hall, Juanice Shearer, Jovonne Taylor, Noma Lou Hamilton, Moselle Smith, Audene Turner, Roy Nell Hammonds, Nancy Smith, Eileen Handley, Jamie Lou Stanford, Dorothy Hargis, Ginger Tinnin, Shirley Harper, and Barbara Jean Huckabee.

Boys In Class

Lt. T. R. Wright Reports at McCord

MCCORD AIR FORCE BASE, Washington--2nd. Lt. Thomas R. Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Wright, 226 East Tennessee street, Floydada, Texas, has reported for duty with the 325th Fighter Interceptor wing and assigned as a radar observer in the United States Air Force, it has been announced by Col. T. Alan Bennett, base commander.

Mrs. Wright, the former Norma Mae Harris and children, Tommy Jim age 6; Linda Marie, age 4, and Jerry Lewis, age 2, are residing at 1941 Thomas Avenue, San Diego 9, California.

Lt. Wright served 14 months during World War II, in the Asiatic Pacific theatre of operations, and was awarded the Air Medal.

Prior to recall, Lt. Wright was a radio repairman, employed with Driskill's 212 West Seventh street, Hanford, California.

PREPARES FOR SEA DUTY

Ems. Elmer L. Saul, USN, of 720 South Main, Floydada, Texas, has successfully completed an eight-week course of instruction in Naval Reserve officer indoctrination at the U.S. Naval General Line school, Monterey, Calif., during the first week in May, is the report from the Navy.

A member of the final class to undergo study at the California school, he and 267 classmates devoted the two months at the school to intensive training in preparation for duty at sea.

Barry Fyffe, Billy Chapman, Waldo Baxter, Bobby Green, Donald Cox, Benny Blankenship, Larry Glaszmoyer, D. L. McCravy, W. R. Cantrell, Doyle Grundy, Jackie Myrick, Bobby Carmack, Jackie Henry, Lowell Nixon, Gary Carthel, Donnie Holliday, Roger Poage, George Chapman, Jackie Don Jarrett, Aaron Renden, Jimmie Collins, Jackie Lee Johnson, Dale Smith, Russell Schmeekle, Gordon Joiner, R. W. Smith, Ronnie Evans, Lynn Looney, Harold Snell, Keith Marble, Bobby Ray Ferguson, Gene Cabie, Cloyd Stephens, Melvin Terrell, Gene Miller, Glad Norman, James Ralph Ferguson, Elton Turner, Stanley Vykere, Douglas Reeves, Walter Simmons, Kent Covington, Richard Smith, Johnny West, Johnnie Wilson, Billy Wade Warren, Johnny Lynn Warren, Cy Whitfill and Elwood Melton.

Floyd County 14 Years Ago

(Taken from the files of the Hesperian, issue dated May 29, 1937)

Hugh Jeff Ayers, a student at Texas Tech spent Mothers day with his parents, Judge and Mrs. Jeff D. Ayres.

Miss Bill Ballard of Lamesa came Saturday to spend two weeks with Misses Bernice and Lera Opal Patton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Walding and family left Wednesday for Colorado City to attend the funeral rites of Mr. Walding's father, who died on Tuesday night.

J. V. Daniel, president of the First National bank, is in San Antonio attending the Texas Bankers association. Mr. Daniel was accompanied by his family and they expect to be gone several days, probably going on a fishing trip before returning home.

Harry N. Jones, 31, of Lakeview died early Sunday morning after a brief illness.

Thirty-one graduates from Lockney high school will hear Mrs. Len Smith deliver the class address at the commencement on Friday night.

Ninety-five graduates of the Floydada high school will have the honor of hearing Dr. Bradford Knapp, president of Tech college deliver the commencement address on Friday night of this week.

Mrs. A. B. Duncan, president of the Old Settlers reunion, says everything is ready for a big day on May 28. Judge G. E. Hamilton of Matador will make the main address of the day.

District Judge A. J. Polley of the 110th Judicial district, this week assumed his duties as a member of the Court of Civil appeals for the Seventh Supreme Judicial district at Amarillo. He was sworn in Saturday in that city, as associate justice of that court. District Attorney Alton B. Chapman of Spur has been appointed to succeed Judge Polley.

Firemen of panhandle towns and cities, between 200 and 300 in number convened in Floydada Monday morning for a two day session. Chief Verne Elliott announced a barbecue and dance will be one of the main attractions. The formal sessions will be held in the Palace theatre.

Mrs. John Reagan spent the past week with her parents, Judge and Mrs. B. H. Howard of Crosbyton. Members of the 1929 Study club gave a farewell party at the home of Mrs. A. B. Keim honoring their president, Mrs. A. J. Polley, who is moving to Amarillo.

Miss Mary Looper entertained with a breakfast on Tuesday morning, honoring a group of her friends.

Mrs. Willie B. May of Colorado City is here this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cothurn.

Youngest member of the 1937 graduation class is Bobby Muncy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Muncy, who will be 15 years of age this week. Bobby is the youngest high school graduate in the panhandle area this year.

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Stanley Conner is '51 Valedictorian Of Lockney High

LOCKNEY.—Stanley Conner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Conner of Cedar Hill, has been named valedictorian of the 1951 graduating class of Lockney High school. It was announced this week by Principal F. M. Smith.

Stanley has a grade average of 96.5.

Wanda Kellison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Kellison, of Lone Star, is the salutatorian of the class with a grade average of 92.66.

Stanley Wins Essay Prize

An essay contest sponsored by the Panhandle-Plains Historical society brought \$50 to Stanley Conner when he was awarded second prize recently.

Stanley used as his subject Uncle "Ceph" Fortenberry of the Cedar Hill community, telling of his early life on the plains. The contest was conducted over a 32 county area. The first place winner was given \$100 prize.

One Man World

At the time of his death in 1927, Marcus Loew was president of nearly 100 stage and screen companies.

Used Baby Incubators

Incubators were first used in maternity hospitals in 1880.

Johnston to Craig AFB as a Student

CRAIG AIR FORCE BASE, Ala.—Major Ralph C. Johnson, 33 of Floydada, Texas, has been assigned to this base as a student in the pilot instructor school.

The PIS course offered here is the only one of its kind in the Air Force today.

Upon completion of this course, Major Johnson will be assigned to train Air force cadets at another base in the Air Training command. The course lasts six weeks.

Major Johnson served thirteen months with the Thirtieth Air force as a B-17 pilot in World War II. He has the Silver Star, The Distinguished Flying cross, and the Air medal.

The major's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Johnson, live in Mineral Wells, Texas, and his wife, Mrs. Emma Louise Johnson, lives at 370 B. St., Lubbock, Texas.

Persecute Christians

One aspect of the Korean war of particular concern to religious leaders is the manner in which the Communist armies are reported to have singled out Christians as special targets of persecution and relations. According to a report in the Pusan Christian Times, 23,000 Christians, including priests and pastors, have been slain by the North Korean Communists since the beginning of the war.

Flying backward is a stunt only one landbird can do—the hummingbird.

Thirteen Graduate at Roaring Springs

District Attorney John B. Stapleton of Floydada addressed the 13 graduates of Roaring Springs High school at the commencement exercise last Friday evening in the school auditorium.

J. W. Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Campbell, was honor boy, and Wanda Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Mitchell, was honor girl.

J. P. Cooper presented the awards and M. S. Thacker, presented the diplomas.

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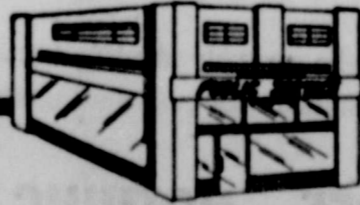


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position, one needs to catch all that is said in order to be able to consider from every angle. Perhaps you will say "neither is your mind very active and your judgement is poor." Mine never was too good and doubtless I have reached the stage that it is deteriorating. Even this be true, most of us do not like to admit it. I am sure that I made many mistakes during these 14 years, but can honestly say that I did what I thought was best under the present circumstances.

As most of you know, my schooling was very limited. Yet there is one lesson that I feel that I learned quite well and that in the hard way. My parents, from my earliest recollections tried to instill in me that I should be honest and truthful both in my word and deed. The best lesson that they presented to me was their own practice of these principles. Words are often very effective, but actions far more so. While in a certain school after I was grown, for a portion of four years, in which I received, by far the greater part of my literary training, the rule was that we take an examination on every subject every four weeks. This time rolled around very often, in fact usually before we were well prepared for it. Often I saw pupils seemingly helping each other to get the answers and not infrequently would ask me to help them. This I did to my best ability. This I do not say that I should have but simply saying what I did.

My home training and the exhortations of my teachers made me think that I should not ask help this way myself, but one special time four or five girls to my right asked help of me and said when you need help we will help you if we can. I saw a question to which two answers came to me. One I thought correct and the other I thought might be right. Partly as I thought to please those young ladies and partly to get a fair grade on my paper I said what about this question. They gave the answers that I least thought was correct. This I put down and when my test was graded and returned, I alone with those girls had a zero on that question. If I had put down what I really thought, it would have been O.K. This really opened my eyes. I saw that

my cheating was not hurting my teachers except that they did hate to know that we were not honest. I was the one who was cheated.

Perhaps the head teacher in this school did not know of my trying to cheat this time for after some 35 years of separation we met up. He told me on this occasion that of the many pupils he had during his many years of teaching that for "Rugged, honest and really getting down studying you were my best." I appreciated this statement although I didn't feel worthy of such a compliment. Had he said, you were the brightest, most intelligent pupil, I would have known that he was flattering, but knowin him as I did and he saying what he did, I could only know that it was just a case of judgment.

I have noticed as the years pass by that the trader who tries to beat the other fellow is always watched closely by his fellowman. The thief usually gets caught. The robber seldom gets by for long. Even if the crook gets by with his fellow man, he has a conscience that he must live with here on earth and a God to face at the judgement.

We humans make plenty of mistakes without knowingly and willingly doing wrong. If I never learned in school anything but that one lesson my efforts and time were well spent. Yes, I am truly interested in the education of our boys and girls of all ages and classes, that they receive the best possible. But while they learn the truthful, honest and live the moral life that we all know we should. These things will cause all classes of people to have confidence in us, help us to live at peace with ourselves and our neighbors are some of the things that all must have if we are to be at peace with God. The right kind of life here is very important for our own peace and happiness here and some thing that we must have if we are to be at peace with God. When we leave this world we are a lone time gone. No end to that whether it be heaven of hell and all depends on us to which it be. J. T. McLain.

MRS. STEWART GRATEFUL

To each and everyone who remembered me, and for the beautiful flowers, letters and cards of sympathy and encouragement, which I received during my illness in Baylor hospital, Dallas, I am truly grateful. When and if sickness and sorrow come to you, I trust you will be blessed with friends who are as thoughtful of you as you were of me. May God Bless you all.
Mrs. Ena Lee Stewart.

Mrs. E. F. Stovall arrived home Thursday from a ten day visit with her daughter, Mrs. Hart Shoemaker and family, in Abilene.

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Mr. and Mrs. Otto Faulkner arrived Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Nelson. The Faulkner's home is in Long Beach, California.
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Henry are visiting in San Antonio this week.
Get the want ad habit!

James M. Kimble Succumbed Friday

James M. Kimble, 77 of Plainview, formerly of Floydada, died at Plainview hospital last Friday afternoon after a long illness. Mr. Kimble lived in Floydada and Floyd County, before moving to Plainview in 1935. Mr. Kimble was born at Oxford, Mississippi on June 9, 1873, and was married in Floydada in 1904. Mrs. Kimble died in 1936. Mr. Kimble joined the Baptist church in Floydada in 1915. The funeral service for Mr. Kimble was on Sunday afternoon at the Lakeview cemetery, under the direction of Wood Funeral home of Plainview. Survivors are a son, James W. Kimble of Nape, California, two daughters Mrs. Ruby Waggoner of Plainview and Mrs. Mary Rodgers of Amarillo, five grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren, and two brothers and two sisters.

Matador Pioneer's Funeral Last Week

Mrs. John W. Miller, of Matador, who passed away in Dallas, Monday of last week was buried in the Matador cemetery on last Wednesday, beside the body of her husband, who died in 1933. Mrs. Miller had been in ill health for the past year.

Mrs. Annie Damron Miller was born March 22, 1876, and moved to Motley county with her parents in 1892. In December of the same year, she was married to John W. Miller. To the union six daughters and three sons were born, who survive their mother, together with nine grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren, two sisters and one brother, Chris Damron of Matador. A niece, Mrs. J. T. McLain, together with Mr. McLain attended the funeral of Mrs. Miller. Also Mrs. Bob Smith and Mrs. A. S. Mize attended from Floydada. The funeral services for Mrs. Miller was held in the First Methodist church with Reverend C. C. Wright of Spur and Reverend W. B. Vaughan of Matador, officiating.

Recorded Deeds

Annie Assister to Jim Jones, 35.88 acres out of G. W. Kropp survey, Fred Taylor to R. C. Clem, Lot No. 5, block "C", Bowers and Price addition, Floydada.
Leroy Burns et ux to J. C. Bullard, Lot No. 11, block 47.
O. H. Huckabee et ux to J. H. Mitchell 279 acres in Floyd County in three tracts.
T. J. Hones et ux to J. A. Davenport, Lots 1 and 2, Block 12 Lockney. John Baxter et al to H. F. Pratt, one acre out of E's of the NE 1/4 of survey 55, Block 1, A.B. and M.

AN APPRECIATION

May we take this means of expressing our appreciation to the friends and neighbors in Floydada of our sister, Mrs. O. R. Gougherty, for their help and many acts of kindness during the recent bereavement in her family, when her dear husband and our brother-in-law passed away. May God's richest blessings rest upon each of you.
Mr. and Mrs. Austin Robertson, Merkel
Mr. and Mrs. Houston Robertson, Merkel
Mr. and Mrs. Hobson Robertson, Merkel
Mrs. Alta Ingram, Merkel
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lyles, Floydada
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Patton, Floydada
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rainer, Floydada

HOSPITAL NAME CHANGED

LOCKNEY—Confirmation of the change in the name of the local hospital was received this week, Business Manager, J. D. Copeland said. By a vote of the membership the name was changed from Floyd County Co-operative Hospital to Lockney General Hospital. The change in the charter was confirmed by the Secretary of State.

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THE HESPERETTE

EDITED BY PUPILS OF FLOYDADA HIGH SCHOOL

HESPERETTE STAFF

Mary Ann Wilson Editor
 Janet Lloyd Assistant Editor
 Aubrey Guthrie, Don McGuire Sports Editors
 Ruth Maxey, Peggy Lanham, Nancy Buchanan, Eva Waller Reporters
 Anita Tooley, Edith Garrett, Pat Fralin Typists
 Mrs. W. Ray Johnson Sponsor

EDITORIAL

CO-OPERATION IS NECESSARY

To co-operate is to work together toward a definite end. In publishing a paper there must be co-operation, or it will not be successful. Without cooperation, some would not do their share of the work, and only two or three people would have the responsibility of an entire paper.

Using the Hesperette as an example, it has been found that in order for people to do anything worthwhile, they must co-operate. For people to get along in life they must co-operate with one another. No one enjoys being around someone who insists upon having his own way instead of being co-operative.

It can be said that everyone on the Hesperette staff has given full co-operation, or the paper could never have been published weekly.

THE EDITOR SPEAKS

This year has been very good for us who are on the "Hesperette" staff. It has been one of experience with people and with words. We have learned by doing, and we have profited very much by our experience, although our job has not been an easy one.

It was our desire to have a school paper that would be interesting and newsy and one that would be fair to everyone. We did not want one that would work against the authorities—the main one being the Inter-scholastic League. This authority was against gossip columns because they were slanderous and were not news.

In our paper we have tried to have variety. Each member of the staff has worked hard on different columns. We have swapped assignments in order to have a different style and so that different views might be presented.

We have done our best not to show partiality to any particular organization or group of people. We have tried to mention and honor those who have deserved it and have worked for the betterment of our school.

Throughout the year we have held weekly staff meetings and have discussed all phases of our co-operative enterprise—that of publishing representative school news. The suggestion box was a result of one of these "get-together" discussions. This was an attempt upon our part to get more perfectly the view point of the student body.

We hope that you have enjoyed our paper as much as we have enjoyed working together to put it out.

Pupils Win Awards

The following students have qualified for the Order of Artistic Typists' certificate: Dan Hagood, Jean Hollums, Don McGuire, Eva Nell Pratt, Dorman Turner, Teddy Earl Assiter.

The following students have qualified for the Order of Gregg Artist's certificate in shorthand for the month of April: Elyne Snodgrass, Joyce Myrick, Ima Nell Jones, Jenny Hennessee, Doris Jean Blair.



1951 Staff of The Hesperette.—Standing, left to right: Anita Tooley, Peggy Lanham, Don McGuire, Janet Lloyd, Marjorie Herring Langley, Mary Ann Wilson, editor, Aubrey Guthrie, Nancy Buchanan, Eva Waller, Mrs. W. R. Johnson, sponsor. Seated, left to right, Pat Fralin and Edith Garrett.

Hesperette Staff of 1951 has Been Co-operative One

The 1950-1951 "Hesperette" staff has been very fortunate this year in having a group of cooperative, industrious workers. They have smilingly borne the criticisms and have graciously accepted the complaints.

The editor, Mary Ann Wilson, has made one of the best editors that the paper has had through all the years of its publication. Besides writing many of the fine editorials, Mary Ann has had to think of new things for the paper, get people to do them, and do more than her share, herself.

She could not have gotten along so smoothly if it hadn't been for the assistant editor, Janet Lloyd. Janet has never shirked her responsibilities, but has done more than she was called upon to do.

The reporters, Peggy Lanham, Eva Waller, Nancy Buchanan, and Ruth Maxey have also been very loyal and prompt about doing what they were assigned.

Most people probably think of typists as doing only the typing, but Edith Garrett, Anita Tooley, and Pat Fralin have had assignments to get nearly every week, besides doing the typing. They have carried out this double duty well. Whenever it was necessary, Edith and Pat have stayed after school and cheerfully copied late news articles.

There are also two fine sports reporters on the staff, Aubrey Guthrie and Don McGuire. They have both written up the different sport events very faithfully. Aubrey has also been called upon to do other things, and he has done all the assignments willingly and well.

The staff hopes that the pupils and the parents have enjoyed reading the school paper.

The most we have ever weighed was 185 pounds; the least, six pounds, nine ounces.

CANDID CAMERA

As we focus our camera, we see a girl with light brown medium-long hair, green eyes, and a light complexion. She is five feet and four inches in height and 110 pounds in weight. We find that this description can fit only one very attractive, neat, and friendly senior, Ruth Maxey.

Ruth was born on April 4, 1934, in the little town of Clovis, New Mexico. Today Ruth is seventeen years old and doesn't like much being a high school graduate.

During her junior year, Ruth was chosen the all-around girl of the entire junior class. Ruth is a Thespian, and this year she was chosen as a co-editor of the "51" Whirlwind annual.

Ruth's most thrilling moment was when she heard her parents had bought a farm, and she says when she graduates from high school will be another of her thrilling moments.

Ruth has many favorites such as the foods—tomatoes, peaches, corn, and Baby Ruth candy. Her favorite pastimes are reading, sewing, and playing the piano. Pink and brown are her favorite colors. Robert Mitchell and Jennefer Jones rate as her favorite actor and actress. "Gone With the Wind" is her favorite movie. Ruth's favorite song is "Tennessee Waltz," and her favorite singers are Red Foley and Judy Garland.

Some of the things which Ruth likes in particular are clothes, jewelry, horseshoes, volley ball, and baseball.

Her few dislikes are spinach, cabbage, silly girls, and going to school. Ruth's ideal boy should have black hair, green eyes, and should be five feet nine inches in height. He should be smart, talkative, accomplished, and ambitious.

The most exciting trip that Ruth

has taken was when she went with her family through the Southern states.

Ruth's highest ambition is to get an education. She hasn't decided what her plans for the future will be, but whatever they may be, it is certain that Ruth can make a go of it because she is independent and capable of doing almost anything.

To you, Ruth, we wish the best of everything because you have earned it here in F. H. S.

Mother's Day Tea Enjoyed by FHA's

The enjoyable afternoon was started off by the mothers registering as they went to the auditorium; registering the mothers at the door was Valdonna Pierce.

Lorraine Fisher presented the club mothers, Mrs. Tom Porter and Mrs. B. V. Carver, with very pretty corsages of red roses.

The program was announced by Mary Ann Wilson, the club president. Donice Turner played soft music to open the program. Mary Ann introduced the club mothers, and the guests and each girl introduced her mother. Following came the sextet to sing "Voice in the Old Village Choir" and "Mother." After which Carolyn McDonald sang "That Wonderful Mother of Mine." A reading "Mother" was given by Barbara Perry. Last on the program Jean Porter sang "My Mom."

Mrs. McMillan was presented a very nice gift by Mrs. Porter. Aurie Belle Eubanks, Dovie Willis, and Margaret Lovell ushered the mothers to the auditorium and to the homemaking room.

The afternoon was enjoyed by all who attended. The girls are looking forward to this time next year and another tea.

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Aggies Had Father And Son Banquet

it has been, we wish, by saying "thank you," to express our gratitude and appreciation for every kindness you have shown us.

Want ads save money.

Hand Out to the Exes

Whirlwinds showed for the first time on defeating the rugged and Exes. The Futures, had a losing attack and won the Futures made four touch-down passes; however one was blocked.

Miss Swepton—Go home and let my mother feed me. Mrs. Thomas—Stay home, cook for my husband, and wash dishes. Mr. Foster—Get a Master's degree.

The Aggies held their annual father and son banquet Friday night May 11, in the high school cafeteria. The invocation was given by Troy McNeil. The meal was served and the opening ceremony given.

Colorado and Columbine Colorado selected the white and lavender columbine as the state's official flower in 1899. According to local authorities, the flower was chosen because the blue signifies the Western skies, the white represents the snowy ranges of Colorado mountains, and the yellow, the gold that first attracted people there in 1858.

UNCLE PETE SEZ

Ole Uncle Pete has just this last time to "sez" so he is going to "stick" his neck out a little and hope that you kids will be broadminded about it.

Mrs. McMillan—School till July, then I'm going on a vacation. Mrs. Sevlck—Work. Mr. Kattner—Work. Miss Bevil—Not a thing I can get out of.

FAMILIAR SCENES

June and Johnny going steady, again. Karen and Dale going steady. Jackie and Edith having a good week of not fussing. Gale and Joan E. going to Roaring Springs with Don Barber and Troy McNeil.

Shellac Use Wicker hampers present a problem to housewives who wish to keep them spick and span. The hundreds of little crevices are easily coated with a thin coat of fresh white shellac.

WONDER WHAT ANN THINKS ABOUT LAWRENCE'S LITTLE TRIP?

Nancy and Dan are going steady again!

WE THANK YOU

To all of those who have helped us this past year the Steen family at the "Hesperian" office, who were so willing to aid us; the teachers, who let us out of class when it was "absolutely necessary"; the students, who helped when we were in a "tight"; Mr. Baker and Mrs. Graves, who have been of assistance many times; the kids, who offered such good criticism; and last but not least, our sponsor, whose untiring enthusiasm and zeal we depended upon so much and could not have done without;—to all of these, who have helped to make our paper what

WONDERINGLY, TRAVIS YOUNG

Here any big men born here?

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URGENTLY, HELEN CALAHAN

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SMARTLY, NANCY

you have your money re-

LOCAL NEWS

The Aggies placed their soil conservation projects in the show windows last Friday. Teddy Assiter's Lonestar Farmer application was passed at Canyon. Dan Hagood was taken home from the hospital last week. Jimmy Powell is still in the Matador Hospital.

LOVINGLY, NANCY

sheer ... so perfect, flattering to you!

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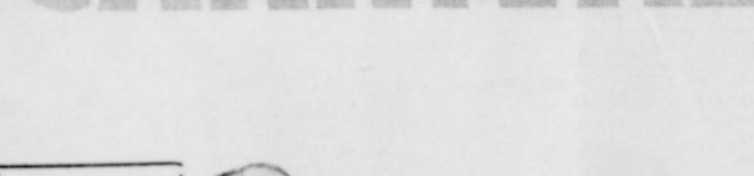
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SHORTY STAYS SO BUSY THESE DAYS I HAVE TO WAIT ON SOME OF THE CUSTOMERS MYSELF.

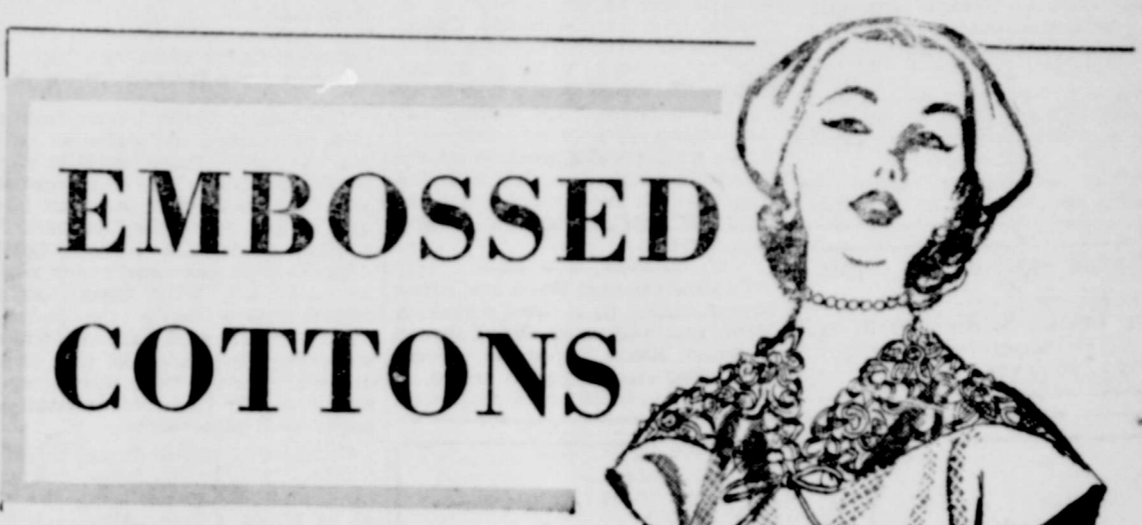
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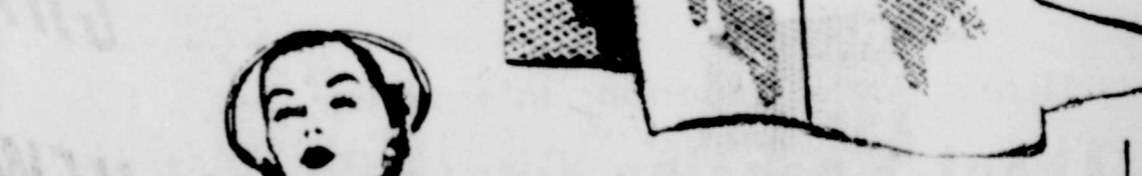
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County Board Classifies County Schools

County school board in its meeting following reorganization Monday classified the schools of the county as one of the following: This body has to personally classify both Floydada and the school for white and the school for colored and were classified for 12 schools of the county class- follows: Plains, seven grades; Sand Lake, eight grades; Lone Star, eight grades; Dougherty, seven grades; Providence, eight gra-

district in northeast Floyd has been consolidated with the school in Briscoe county, with Flomot in Motley, with Petersburg in Hale, and Campbell schools, have been dormant two years and of the school year, are attached to Floydada In- School district. Robert Smith President of organization of the board for this year, Robert Smith, trustee-at-large, was elected president of the board, other members being Earl Ed- Precinct 4, and Bill Precinct 3, Ben Quebe, in Precinct 2, and M. P. succeeds J. T. McLain Precinct 1, qualified for their offices.

Started Kindergarten National Kindergarten as- was founded by Miss Locke in 1909.

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TO THE GRADS OF 1951

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4-County Medics In Meeting Here

Sixteen doctors, members of the 4-county Medical association, comprising Hale, Swisher, Briscoe and Floyd, met at the American Legion hall here last Tuesday night for their monthly meeting. Dr. A. E. Guthrie made the arrangements for the meeting and acted as master of ceremonies.

A film, "Cancer of the intestinal tract" was shown. This film was from the State Medical association. The society voted to have the X-Ray unit from the state board of health visit the four counties, and do chest X-Rays for all who desire, above 15 years of age, without charge.

The next meeting of the group will be the second Tuesday night in June in Plainview.

Charles Rosenberg Dies at Brownwood

Charles Rosenberg, who merchandised in Floydada in 1937 and 1938, died at his home in Brownwood at the age of 86 last week.

A native of Lithuania, Rosenberg had large holdings in Dallas, Fort Worth, New York, Snyder and Brownwood. He returned to Snyder in 1938 from Floydada. His store here was a general mercantile establishment. At the time he lived here he said his sons were insisting that he retire and enjoy his wealth. He had two sons at Brownwood and one at Snyder at the time he made his home here.

Flomot Talent Show

Dixie Boy Jordan searched for talent for the radio station KWFT at Wichita Falls, last Tuesday night. The proceeds of the program were used by the Flomot Cemetery association to improve the burial grounds.

Talent form nearby communities were on the program. Fay Hart of Floydada received honorable mention. Mrs. Billy Huggins of Lockney, accordionist, also received honorable mention.

The contestants selected at the Flomot talent show will appear on the program Saturday, May 19 at 3:30 p.m.

C. of C. President

LOCKNEY—M. W. Wiley, president of the First National Bank, was elected president of the chamber of commerce and development association organized here Monday night at the grade school. A representative group of both farmers and businessmen attended the meeting.

CANDY CAME LONG WAY FROM SUGAR-COATED PILL

The little sugar-coated pill has come a long way.

A penny's worth of candy used to keep a youngster happy for quite a while. And an old-fashioned "taffy pull" was lots of work, but well worth it. It's a different story today. The national sweet tooth has come into its own, and Grandma's fudge kettle has turned into a \$365,-000,000 a year business.

It all really started some 500 years ago in the English apothecary shops, ancestors of our drugstores. About that time, apothecaries began using sugar to coat their pills. Before long, the sugar-coated medicine became so popular that the medicine was left out and the pills were manufactured with sugar only.

Descendants of the old English medicated sweetmeats can now be bought in more than two thousand different forms or varieties. Candy counters and sweetshops in the United States annually sell over two billion pounds of confections.

Be wise—Advertise.

Is This the 'Typical' U.S. Auto?



Dividing its registrations into equal North-South and East-West parts, Chevrolet spots this 1941 sedan as the country's "typical automobile." It is owned by Don Sobkowiak, shown above with his wife, in Watseka, Ill., the approximate center of all cars in use in the United States. Sobkowiak, an employe of the Iroquois Farm Bureau, bought the car third-hand. It has 17,000 miles on its speedometer. The 1941 model represents the average age of all Chevrolets in service.

Ordinary George and Booker T. enjoyed more leisurely pursuits. Today they were discussing their individual prowess.

"It's about the strongest man they is in this town," said George.

"Yo' ain't nothing of the kind," said Booker T. "and Ah'll prove it to you. Ah'll bet you fo' dollahs Ah can wheel something in that wheel barrow from here to the fence that you can't wheel back."

"Yo' has got a bet," said George darkly.

"All right, man," said Booker T., moving toward the wheel barrow, "get in."

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Jake B. Watson, Secretary-Treasurer

Mass Fly-Over of 18 Planes Next Saturday

Eighteen TB-25 Billy Mitchell training bombers will fly in mass formation over Floydada at 1:21 o'clock on Armed Forces day, Saturday, May 19.

The fly-over is being staged as part of an open house celebration to be held at Reese Air Force base, twelve miles west of Lubbock. The Reese-based planes are to be augmented in the afternoon showing by displays and exhibits from active and reserve components of the army, navy, and marine corps in this area. The main gate opens at 11:00 a.m.; the Open House program is slated for one to 5:00 p.m.

General Robert J. Smith, Dallas, president of Pioneer Air Lines, will be the principal speaker for the Open House ceremonies. He recently returned to his civilian post after serving in a defense capacity in Washington.

Latest U.S. aircraft, seldom seen in this area, will be brought to Reese and displayed to the public. A Navy PBV, from Memphis, Tenn.; jet fighter F-80's and F-84's, furnished by Nellis AFB, Nev.; a helicopter from San Marcos AFB, and a Kelly AFB C-97 will be part of the aircraft exhibit on the ground and in the air. Parts and equipment displays will be set up by Reese officials and shown in the hangers.

Use For Lignin
Proof that Lignin, the paper industry's most troublesome waste product, is an excellent reinforcing agent for natural, nitrile, and neoprene rubber, as well as for GR-S, the general purpose synthetic, was offered at the closing session of the spring meeting of the American Chemical Society's Division of Rubber Chemistry. Nitrile and neoprene are two of the major types of synthetic rubber. Added to natural rubber in proportions of 50 to 100 pounds per 100 pounds of rubber, lignin was found to give higher tensile strength than any other pigment at the same volumes, including carbon black.

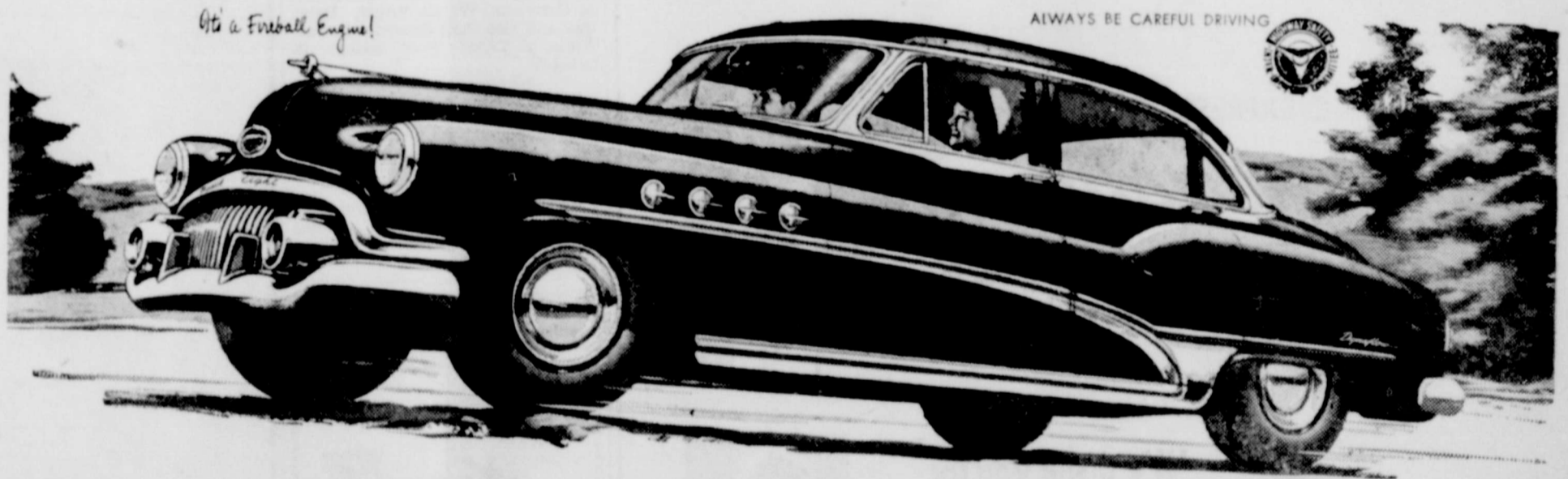


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FIRST thing that people notice when they take over a Buick is the sure-footed stance this fine automobile has on the road.

You head into a curve and hold firm and true. You travel a turnpike without sway or wander.

While your wheels may dance when you hit a stretch of washboard gravel—your car holds its level course.

A lot of things account for this beautifully poised performance, but it starts with stalwart structure and ample weight—plenty of pounds where pounds are needed.

Please don't get us wrong. This isn't "deadweight." Though a Buick like the one pictured here tips the scales at more

than two tons, it's as nimble as an antelope at play.

It has a generous hoodful of valve-in-head Fireball power—packing a powerful punch of velvet velocity.

It comes with the smooth magic of Dynaflo Drive*—a lightness of steering that's gently responsive to a lady's hand—a front-end geometry that's pure genius—the finest brakes ever put on a Buick.

And every wheel rides on shock-eating coil springs that are carefree and trouble-free for the life of your car.

You'll also find—by a few moments of simple arithmetic—that the pounds in

this bounteous beauty pay off in another way. On a cents-per-pound basis, it will cost less to buy than anything else near its weight and power and size.

Why not visit us real soon—like the first thing tomorrow—and let us show you why you and your budget will both be happy with this Buick?

*Equipment, accessories, trim and models are subject to change without notice.

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OPS Specialist Here Tomorrow

The Office of Price Stabilization is sending Alton Taylor, price specialist from the Lubbock district OPS office, to Floydada Friday morning, May 18, to assist business men of this area in complying with the federal pricing program, it was announced by the local chamber of commerce. He may be contacted at 110 West Missouri street on that day.

Mr. Taylor is a price specialist in the Foods and Restaurant branch of the Office stabilization. However, he will be able to give information to representatives of all types of businesses concerning the ceiling price regulations. He emphasized that practically all business men, excepting those specifically removed by the "tailored" regulations, are covered by the general ceiling price regulation.

The chamber of commerce says plans have been worked out for the O.P.S. office to have a price specialist

in Floydada every Friday morning to work with business men in the area. Specialist from different branches will rotate in order to cover completely the regulations within the shortest time possible.

All business men are urged to consult with OPS representatives in order to bring their firms into complete voluntary compliance as soon as possible.

AN APPRECIATION

We wish to thank our friends and everyone who helped in the caring of our loved one during her illness and death. We thank you for the words of comfort, the floral offerings and the food. May God bless each of you.

The Harrison family
Mr. and Mrs. Leland Woodward.

Those attending school at West Texas State College in Canyon who spent the week-end in Floydada were Travis Jones, Arminta Berry, Bobby Finley, Junior Perry, June Powell, Bruce Womack, Eugene Mayfield, Sharon Fyffe, Bettye Laminack, Tom Bob Jarboe, Joe Walker, and Nancy Cross.

As A Farm Woman Thinks

(Nellie Witt Spikes)
INFINITE ONE
By Frances Pond

Is anything hard for God?
Nay, surely not!
The One who made infinity
And filled it full of stars...
And sun... and moon...
And hung a rainbow in the sky
As promise of His love;
Who made the tiniest, weest flower,
Star-shaped and perfect in its almost unseen place;
Who sweeps great storms across the sea
And floods the land with golden sun;
Who knows the smallest birdling's fall
And every blade of grass that ripples in the wind;
Think you your problem is so deep,
So heavy, and so sore. He cannot help?
O you of little faith!
With outstretched hands He makes again the promise old.
"Ask and it shall be given you pressed down and running over."
Think you He would withhold your good?
But place your hand in His
And leave to Him soothing out,
The unsnarling of the tangled threads
That have made up your life.
His love surrounds you and He gives you peace.
Is anything hard for God?
The other day Wilda and children came to visit and when we were outside Dale looked all around and said with surprise, "Why grandmother, you isn't got any windmill."
We were all together in the old home where our children were born for Mother's day. Wilson, Wilma and Wilda. What a lot of memories are stored there? Everything around the place tells a story and it is sweet to remember. The years of disappointments and drought, of hard things to meet, are dimmed with the passing of the years, and we are glad that such things made us stronger and more mindful of God's goodness than we might have been. This is a hard spring to get annuals up. The wind blows the moisture off so quickly, the tiny seed just under the top of the ground cannot germinate. Zinnias, tho, are up. They come so easily one does not have to bother about them. Carrots have been very trying, but to my surprise okra, which is a hot weather plant, has come up well.

So many are horrified to see water running from fields. Look to them it is an utter waste. But on our farm, dry years when our neighbors was watering his cotton land which sloped at the ends, the water ran under the culvert, fanned out across a bit of our pasture and on to the lake, making green grass and water for the stock and for this reason I had so much more for my garden. When the lake was dry there was another spot of green grazing for the cattle. So when you see water running away, many times it is to the advantage of a lake pasture and for stock which is no small item when the years are dry.

And I am reminded of the story of a farmer's hired hand who was letting the water get away. "Why didn't you ditch and stop it? The farmer wanted to know. "Well, boss,"

the colored man answered. "That water is not wasted, it has been used."

Time to get out your pioneer outfits and get ready for the pioneer picnics. It is nice to be young again and live for a day, one's youth.

Pate Home Scene as Starkey Club

Entertains Harmony

Starkey Home Demonstration club met Wednesday, May 9, in the home of Mrs. L. A. Pate and entertained Harmony club.

The house was decorated with iris, sweet peas and snapdragons. The program consisted of two songs by Jean Porter, "Stormy Weather" and "Oh! You Beautiful Doll," and two xylophone selections by Carolyn Kiker, "Nola" and "So Long."

An interesting talk on China was given by Mrs. Robert F. Ricketon, a missionary from China.

Harmony club visitors present were Mmes. Ted Rutherford, Don Finkner, Bob Hopper, Glen Pool, Zant Scott, David Battery, R. B. Gary, Everett Miller, Carrick Snodgrass, C. A. Williams, and Bill Tucker.

Starkey club members were Mmes. J. K. Holmes, G. H. Day, D. W. Mount, J. R. Shipley, Wanda O'Neal, Wilson Edwards, J. W. Day, William Culppepper, E. M. Jackson, Turner Hunter, Owens, George Wilson, L. E. Kiker, W. F. Ferguson, Leon Ferguson, W. A. Blair, Annie Assiter, Paul Sparkman, O. F. Cummings, J. T. Myrick, E. J. Cooper, T. R. Assiter, Tom Porter, W. L. David, and the hostess, Mrs. L. A. Pate.

Sisters, Brother, Other Relatives at Harrison Funeral

Relatives here from out of Floyd county for the funeral of Mrs. J. H. Harrison, May 9, include the following four sisters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. John Koen and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Stiffelmire of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. West of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Crowley of Ralls; and one brother, Charlie Smith, of Evant. Other relatives include Mrs. Tom Smith of Hamilton, Mrs. Roy Karr and daughter of Lubbock, Mr. W. A. Prewitt of Temple and Messrs. and Mmes. Homer Hill, Jewell Buster, Arthur Jackson and family of Lubbock, Arville Smith of Tahoka, A. P. Brashear of Temple and Verdine Harrison of Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Bolding, jr., of Wittcha Falls, spent the week-end in Floydada visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Bolding, sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Muncy.

On Mothers Day Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hopper visited in the home of Mrs. Hopper's mother, Mrs. Mary A. Sparks, in Abilene, Texas. Other children that were there were Bertie Grisham of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sparks of Evant, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Autrey Sparks and children.

Out of town guests enjoying a week-end house party at the Henry Willis home were Misses Glenna Lee, Jo Cervenka, Wanda Rhine, Patsy Hay and also their daughter Nadine Willis, of Texas Tech college in Lubbock.

Bryan Collins who is attending school at North Texas State college in Denton spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Collins.

Weims Norman, who is attending school at NMMI at Roswell, New Mexico, spent the week-end in Floydada visiting friends.

George Reid May of Denton, Texas, spent the week-end visiting his mother Mrs. G. R. May.

Kenneth N. Powell Seaman, USN, Cited in Ship Ceremony

Kenneth E. Powell, seaman, USN, of Floydada, Texas, was recently presented a letter of commendation with ribbon and combat distinguish-

ed device by Rear Admiral R. H. Hillenkoetter, commander Cruiser Division 1, in ceremonies aboard the landing ship dock USS Comstock in the Korean area. The Comstock is the flagship for Commander Mine Sweeping group, far east.

Powell was cited for "his loyalty, competence and steadfast devotion to duty, contributing to the successful clearance of mine-infested channels and anchorages off Wonsan, Korea, during October and Nov-

ember, 1950." He entered the Navy in the last week-end were Mr. and Mrs. F. Tyler, jr., Nancy and Ed, Dallas, Tuff Hall, of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Simpson, Stephen of Floydada.

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