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R-CITY GREETING FOR PHIL HOYT IS NAMED AS REPUBLICAN CO. CHAIRMAN



PHILIP LOVEJOY

Lovejoy, immediate past president of the Rotary International, plans to return to an official position in the city of Floydada...

Holt Is Named As Republican Co. Chairman

Joseph H. Holt of Lockney is the new chairman of the Floyd county Republican party organization.

He has succeeded E. E. Wells whose formal resignation was signed on January 1, 1953...

Polio Chapter Names Lockney Man Chairman

Floyd county chapter, National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, has a new county chairman in the person of Edgar Hays...

Lockney Junior Show Saturday

The live stock show for boys of the FFA and 4-H clubs in the area around Lockney will be held Saturday...

Two-Day Show Arranged For Junior Live Stock Men

Open House and Program Friday Will Climax Public School Week

The observance of Public Schools week in Texas will come to a climax tomorrow as far as Floydada area patrons are concerned...

C-C Banquet Plans Progress

Plans are progressing this week for the Floydada Chamber of Commerce annual banquet which is set for Friday, March 27...

Rubber Welders Banquet, Hold Annual Election

The county committee this year will be Sid Thomas, Wendall Roberts, Guy Ginn, Barry Barker...

Shower Covers All of County

Showers that were general but somewhat too tight to fill the farm operators' bill fell over Floyd county Saturday night...



PRIVATE GEORGE DAN GROSS

Randolph Rutledge Call Is Deferred Until July Date

Dr. Randolph Rutledge, who was to have been included in a call this month for military service...

Case Dealer Seeds Terrell

Witkowski announced the purchase of the Terrell farm company on West 1st street...

Short Crop of Candidates For City Councilmen in Prospect as Deadline for Filing Names Nears

With the deadline for filing for places on the city ticket only two days away, it may be that the electorate of the municipality will have a ballot with several blank spaces to fill in when they go to vote April 7.

A full slate of elective officials—a mayor and five aldermen—are to be chosen, and, as has been the case for more than a quarter of a century...

neither had promised as late as yesterday to let his name be used for the post as a receptive candidate.

The job is going the rounds. But the talk isn't translated into action before the close of business Saturday noon-time the city ticket is due to have at least one, possibly two or three blank spaces for writing in voting.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Hens, Hides, Cream, Eggs, Grain, Hogs, and Light/Heavy Packer Sows.

Floyd County Junior Live Stock show this year will be a two-day affair, with the dates March 11 and 12—Wednesday and Thursday of next week—circled on the calendars of the 4-H club and FFA boys of Floyd county.

Another innovation is the addition of four classes in the beef cattle division open to adults, who will, however, show for ribbons only.

With two days in which to carry on the show the judging job also has been divided with hogs and swine judging to start at 1:30 Wednesday afternoon and cattle judging to begin at 9 o'clock Thursday.

The auction sale, in which will be included all show animals the junior exhibitors want to put on the block, will begin at 1:30 o'clock Thursday.

- Officials of Show: O. M. Watson, Jr. — Show Manager; General Superintendent — Roe Jones; Assistant superintendent — H. G. Barber, V. A. Teacher, Floydada H.S.; Assistant superintendent — M. L. Brewer, V. A. Teacher, Lockney, H. S.; Assistant superintendent & Secretary — Bill Rogers, county agent; Sheep co-superintendents — Harry Morckel, Ernest Lee Thomas, Bill Norman, and Walter Collins; Pig co-superintendents — Bill Hambright, R. C. Mitchell, Ray Johnson, R. G. Dunlap and Homer Bartram; Beef cattle co-superintendent — Olin Bryant, W. E. Burleson, Charles Hamilton, John Lewis; Finance committee — Pres. of Chamber of Commerce, C. B. McDonald, J. W. Reue, Roe Jones; Judges — Stanley Anderson and Tom Duffey; Public Address — Glenn Amburn; Auctioneer — Lloyd Otten; O. P. Rutledge, Oliver Holmes, Jake Watson, Fred W. Wiley; Sales Committee — Jimmy Willson, John Kimble, G. E. Mayo, Ed Wester, Bud Sparks, G. L. Fawver, Jr. of Floydada, Claude Hammond and John Billrey of Lockney; Stencil shifting committee — Jack Stansell, Billy Stanforth, Jr., Chester Mitchell, Charles Hamilton; Veterinarian — Dr. Early Joiner, and Dr. J. M. Floyd; Charge of bids — Charlie Spence, Fay Pinner, Olin Bryant; Floor bids — Jim Word, and M. W. Wiley; Traffic — Guy Ginn.

Good judges for the show have promised to be on hand. Tom Duffey, Plainview, vocational agriculture teacher in the schools there, will be judge of the hogs and sheep. He will start work Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. With more time than has been provided in prior years the judges will have time to enlarge on the scoring of the animals.

Stanley Anderson, animal husbandry specialist in the agriculture school of Texas Tech, will judge the cattle, beginning Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. Anderson coaches the live stock judging teams of Tech's agriculture classes.

Both Anderson and Duffey have been judged for junior live stock shows here before.

The auction sale, which begins promptly at 1:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon, will be conducted by Lloyd Otten. Clovis stockyards auctioneer. He will be assisted in the ring by C. O. Spence, Fay Pinner and Olin Bryant. Floor bids are expected to be obtained and Floyd county business men have indicated they are going to fatten up these prices with bids above the floor of prices.

Fewer Animals This Year: O. M. Watson, Jr., general manager of the show, said this week the vocational agriculture advisers and the county agent indicate the number of animals to be shown this year will be slightly fewer in number than last year, when there were 63 entries, with more than 100 boys competing. However, type, breed, and condition of the animals will be higher than in prior years, as has been indicated.

The general slump of the live stock market which had begun to make itself felt when the boys showed last year, coupled with high feed costs, caused losses to be taken by some of the junior exhibitors. This condition has served to reduce the number of livestock projects of 4-H club and FFA boys this year, the agriculture leaders say.

Another factor which may reduce the number of animals to go on the auction block is the fact that the steer sifting committee will more rigidly construe the rules as to fitness of the animals in the show, it has been indicated. "Times are not" (See Stock Show Plans, back page)

General Rules of Show: 1. Entries will be accepted from any regularly enrolled 4-H Club member, boy or girl, who is 9 years of age or older 60 days before the show, or F. F. A. member who lives in Floyd county or attends school in Floyd county, provided the animal is in acceptable show condition as determined by the sifting committee. 2. Each exhibitor must certify that he personally owns and has cared for the animal under the supervision of the county agent, home demonstration agent or V. A. teacher, not less than 60 days prior to the date of show. 3. Each exhibitor will be limited to only two entries in each of the breeding classes and two in each of the (See Rules of Show, back page)

New Firm Formed With Partnership

A partnership in the sheet metal and plumbing business, formed in February, was announced this week by E. M. Hammond of Hammond sheet metal company, and J. H. Workman, of Lockney, plumber. The new firm is known as H. & W. Sheet Metal company. Workman is continuing to make his residence in Lockney. The company expects to serve a wide area in this section of the plains.

Floydada Area Boys Entering Lubbock Show

LUBBOCK. — Several boys from the Floydada area were among the first to enter animals in the 1953 South Plains Junior Fair and Show. The Floydada area entries were among 20 calves, seven lambs and seven barrows entered by Crosby County Agent W. R. Kimbrough to be shown March 16, 17 and 18 at the Panhandle South Plains fair ground here. These were the first animals entered in the show which is expected to attract more than 1,000 entries from throughout the West Texas and Eastern New Mexico area.

Irvin Brewer and Harry Brewer of Floydada, Route 1, and John Taylor of Floydada, Route 2, will show six of the 20 calves entered. Among those entering lambs in the competition is John Taylor. The other boys entering animals are from Crosbytown, Ralls, Lorenzo and McAdoo. Again this year, only boys between the ages of 9 and 20 inclusive, who are members of 4-H clubs or FFA chapters, are eligible to enter animals.

As a special feature for girls of the area, two princesses will be selected to reign over all the show activities. One of these young ladies will represent the 4-H clubs and one will represent the FFA chapters. Each club or chapter which has a calf, lamb or barrow entered in the show is eligible to enter a girl in the princess contest.

The two princesses will be selected by presidents of 4-H clubs and FFA chapters chosen at random. The girls will be judged on beauty and appearance only. March 14, two days before the show officially opens. The show is sponsored annually by the Panhandle South Plains Fair association, the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development.

Red Cross Job to Get \$3,380

With a quota of \$3,380 assigned to be provided by Floyd county people in the voluntary fund-raising campaign during the month of March, Floyd county chapter, American Red Cross, has mobilized an effective campaign force on a county-wide basis.

E. C. Carter, fund raising chairman for 1953, this week expressed confidence that the month-end would see the entire assigned quota subscribed by the people of the county. His district chairmen are well-organized and will be able to present the cause to the people of the county in a fine way, he believes.

The campaign was due to begin Monday morning of this week, following the kick-off dinner last Thursday night at which plans were discussed and campaign material distributed.

1950 Study Club Members Make Plans for Style Show March 16

The 1950 Study Club has made a practice of keeping the theme for their annual style show a secret from the public until opening night. Mrs. Jack Coffman, president of the club and Mrs. Pollie McLain, general chairman of the style show, are hinting it will be just as attractive to the children in the audience as to the adults.

All club members are participating in the preparation and presentation of the style show. Committees are: Entertainment Mesdames Lane Decker, Bob Copeland and Johnny Collins; Print Mrs. Edward Webster; Advertising and ticket sales, Mes-

James Kenneth Ring and David Kirk; Stage decoration, Mesdames Geo. Mize, Watson Jones, N. E. Tyler, Jimmy Tye, Lyndell Roberts; Properties, Mesdames Arthur Wrenock, Jr. and Ham Smith, Jr.; Models, Mesdames Gene Collins, Bill Greer, Bill DuBois, W. H. Simpson, Jr., Claude Weathersbee, Gene Probasco and W. J. Adams, Jr. The style show will be presented Monday night, March 16, in the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock. Tickets will be fifty cents. In addition to providing an extensive local style review the event will provide some good entertainment.



## Farm Mortgage Loans Largest In Two Decades

Raymond Rucker of Lockney, president of the board of directors of the Floydada National Farm Loan Association, O. M. Watson, Floydada, and Jake B. Watson, Floydada, have recently returned from Houston, Texas. Mr. Rucker was the official representative of this association to the eighth annual stockholders' meeting of the Federal Land Bank of Houston.

He reported that the bank made the largest volume of farm mortgage loans to Texas farmers and ranchers in 1952 of any year since its organization in 1917, with one exception. This exception was in 1934 during the depression period.

Officers of the bank stated during the meeting that the 1953 volume of loans promises to exceed that of 1952 if the first six weeks of this year can be used as a guide. It is also anticipated that many loans will be made during the year for the purpose of financing the restocking of ranches and stock farms with live stock.

The increase demand for loans has been brought about, according to Mr. Rucker, for several reasons. The primary reason apparently is the fact that the average net cost of land bank loans is probably lower than that of any other mortgage lender in the state. Also many short term loans, created by reason of the drought throughout much of Texas, are now being refinanced on a long-term basis on account of the opportunity of reducing the rate of interest on these loans which can be repaid at any time without penalty.

The Federal Land Bank of Houston is completely owned by the 141 Texas national farm loan associations. The associations, which are owned by local farmers and ranchers, in turn own all of the capital stock of the bank. Mr. Rucker feels that in as much as the loan services of the bank are handled in the field by these associations, it is having a marked influence on this increase in volume of business. Under such a plan, local people do business with homefolks who understand local conditions and personally know the people with whom they are doing business.

The local association owns its own building, which is located at 319 South Main, Floydada, Texas.

The officers and directors of the association are as follows: Raymond Rucker, president; Menard Field, vice-president; Edell DuBois, director; O. M. Watson, director; Bill McNeill, director; Jake B. Watson, secretary-treasurer; Jo V. Bingham, assistant secretary-treasurer.

A curator of herpetology collects reptiles.



Waiting in Line . . . to register for the annual stockholders meeting of the Federal Land Bank in Houston, are Raymond Rucker, right, president of the Floydada National Farm Loan Association, and O. M. Watson, a director in the same organization. In the background is Jake B. Watson. The land bank is completely owned by the 141 Texas farm loan associations, and the associations by farmers and ranchers.

### Fairview News

(by Mrs. Clyde Bagwell)

FAIRVIEW, March 3. — The small rain of Saturday night gave our community from 1/2 to 1/3 of an inch in the area's that have been reported to me. This rain was followed Sunday by a very high wind that kept it from being as beneficial as it could have been.

Mrs. Lee Burrett left Sunday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson for Hutchinson, Kansas where the Nelsons remained and Mrs. Burrett took a bus from there to Kansas City, Missouri where she will spend a week visiting her sister, Mrs. Evie Anderson. All will return home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edell DuBois spent Saturday and Sunday at Lamesa with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud DuBois and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson went to Lubbock Friday on business and to visit their son and daughter, Leonard and Mary Ann, students at Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell were in Lubbock Friday, Saturday and Monday where Mrs. Bagwell had an

examination and check-up at the West Texas Hospital and at Barscho Clinic. They visited, while there, with Mrs. Bagwells cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rasco and Mr. and Mrs. Thurlan Thacker and Mrs. Ira Babo of Seminole, who came over to meet Mrs. Bagwell at Lubbock.

Mrs. W. B. Wilson visited Sunday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. A. S. Mize.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Perry and Jan were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Helms and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozby and Mrs. Don Branson went to Floydada Sunday where they were dinner guests and visitors for the afternoon in the home of Mrs. G. M. Bullard and J. C. Other guests in the Bullard home were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bullard of Lubbock.

Mrs. C. W. Payne spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Milton Wilson.

Mrs. W. B. Wilson and Mrs. Jim Stewart went to Plainview on Wednesday of last week to take Mrs. L. A. Horton home. Mrs. Horton had been here visiting in the community for several days. While in Plainview Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Stewart visited Mrs. Odell Stapleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson visited at South Plains Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy.

Mrs. G. M. Bullard of Floydada came out Monday to spend a week in the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Cozby.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Meek and daughter Martha were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hopper, Frances and Debbie.

Members of the Home Demonstration club will meet at the church Monday morning, March 9 at 10:00 o'clock with a covered dish and all will go from there to Matador to the home of Mrs. Galen Holland for an all day meeting. All members are urged to be sure and be at the church on time.

Gilda Lane and Keith Denison of Lubbock visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Denison from Wednesday until Sunday. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Denison came for them Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Elza also visited in the Denison home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Snell spent the week-end in Lubbock with their son, B. W. Snell and family and also visited other friends.

Presidential electors meet on the Monday following the second Wednesday in December.

The famous Mayflower weighed only 180 tons.

Ostriches have been known to go 19 months without water.

## U. N. Soldiers Aid Victims of War in Korea

SEOUL — United Nations soldiers in Korea—the products of varied cultures—have proved that compassion has no nationality. Their generosity has given new hope to many war-mutilated Korean children.

UN soldiers of at least 13 nations have chipped in with part of their pay to help provide medical treatment and rehabilitation for Korean youngsters who bear the marks of the fighting in their homeland.

The generosity of these fighting men has built up a fund of more than \$75,000 in a First Corps drive to aid the tragic young victims of Korea.

Thirteen-year-old Chang Myong Sik was one such victim. Badly burned by an exploding shell, he had to have both hands amputated. Lieutenant General Paul W. Kendall, Corps Commander, saw Chang while visiting a Norwegian Mobile Surgical Hospital, and the First Corps Amputee Fund Drive was born. Kendall's sympathy for the amputee victim was shared by soldiers, sailors, airmen and marines of all nations, as they proved by their ready response to the call for donations.

Korean members of two American companies unanimously donated their entire salaries for one month—118,700 won (approximately \$20).

The international flavor of the fund drive was reflected by the yield of a contribution box at the Seoul post exchange — \$189.88 in American military script, Korean won, and British pound notes.

Raffles, fairs and other stunts were used to stimulate interest. In one unit, a musical group auctioned requests, and plane rides were offered on regular air courier flights for other donors.

In one platoon, a donor of \$50 got a pledge from his pleased company commander to supply him with soft drinks as long as the generous soldier remained in his command.

In one Army tank company, contributions averaged \$10 per man. A 24-hour disc-jockey marathon over an American Forces Korean Network radio station pulled more than 1,100 phone calls — and \$7,791 in pledges.

Contributions even found their way over the ocean—the Statesville (N.C.) Kiwanis Club sent a check for \$25.

Among U. S. Army units, the Third Infantry Division led with \$17,306.59, while the Second Infantry Division was runner-up with \$10,991.55.

The First Corps Korean Children's Amputee Clinic is established in Severance Hospital in Seoul under supervision of a joint civilian-military committee. Trustee for the funds is the National Council of Churches of Christ in the United States.

## Hog Production in Texas Dips

COLLEGE STATION — The 1952 Texas pig crop totaled 1,666,000 head. This number, according to E. M. Regenbrecht, swine husbandman for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, was 28 percent below the figure for the previous year and the smallest since 1935.

He also points out that the numbers of sows farrowed during last fall was 44 percent below the ten year average and the smallest since the Bureau of Agricultural Economics started keeping records in 1930. It is evident, he continues, that the reduction in hog numbers will carry-over into 1953 because producers have indicated that only 84,000 sows have been bred to farrow during the spring season. This is a reduction of 40 percent below last year.

Regenbrecht says the severe drought which cut feed grain and hog pasture production to a low level and the high cost of feed and a decline market have been responsible for the drastic cut in hog numbers.

From the national viewpoint, the 1952 pig crop was 10 percent below 1951 and further reductions are indicated, says the specialist. The reduced supply is likely to be reflected in stronger prices for hogs during the last half of the year, he says.

A presumptive heir is one whose claim to inheritance may be voided by the birth of a nearer relative. More than 22,000 people Rockefeller Center City.

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## BUS SCHEDULES

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8:20 P. M.		9:55 P. M.	
To Childress		To Plainview	
1:25 P. M.		10:25 A. M.	4:20 P. M.
From Childress		From Plainview	
10:20 A. M.		8:20 A. M.	1:20 P. M.

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WHEREAS, there is a mounting need for whole blood and blood derivatives for military, civilian, and civil defense use, and

WHEREAS, the relentless war of the elements against mankind leaves in its wake destruction and suffering, and

WHEREAS, The American National Red Cross -- under its Congressional charter -- is serving the armed forces; is mobilizing for defense for the protection of the family, the community, and the nation and is aiding the victims of natural disaster; now

THEREFORE, I, J. A. Patterson, mayor, of the city of Floydada, proclaim the month of March as Red Cross Month and do hereby and now urge all citizens of this community to contribute without reservation to the 1953 Red Cross Fund through our chapter; and I further urge that all men and women of good will remember that in these critical times this great humanitarian organization must be maintained at full strength; that this symbol of man's humanity remain bright as a guide to those who turn to it in time of need.

Signed in the City of Floydada, Texas, this 28th day (SEAL) of February, A. D. 1953.

J. A. PATTERSON, Mayor.

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# Special Events, Clubs

## Mitchell for Class Costume Party

Proves class of the First day school held their business meeting with Mrs. Mitchell Thursday

tacky party, with refreshment (number eye peas, cornbread, and onions. The second refreshments included cakes and lemon punch. Refreshments were served by Mitchell. Slides from her trip to Mexico last

Smith is teacher of the Mrs. E. R. Rucker the class

## Celebrate Golden Wedding

Mrs. W. M. Price, who their golden wedding anniversary Thursday at their Sand Hill road, had the of having all their children with them for the occasion. These present Homer Price California, Monroe Price Texas, Buman Price of Fort Price of Santa Monica, Jim Price and Mrs. Edmonds, Floydada, Mrs. Yinsling of Palmdale, and Mrs. W. A. Minyard California.

Mrs. Fred Battey visited with their children and Mrs. J. D. Edmondson in Phillips, and Mr. and Mrs. Cook and family in they also were guests of Mrs. C. E. Neil in Amarillo. They returned condition as un-



A mixed group was arguing recently about a certain man's looks. To the women, he wasn't at all handsome. To the men was "not what you'd call pretty, but — by a man's standards — attractive." Try as they would, the women couldn't see it. "It's the same old story," one of the men shrugged: "To women, a man has to be pretty to be handsome."

It made us think of another conversation between two men. They were discussing a girl whom the older one described as "so sweet and pretty." True, the young man said, "but no personality." "Yet her mother, who isn't at all pretty," the first one observed, "has one of the best personalities I've ever known."

Funny thing, they agreed, but a woman with looks and none of this "Something" is about as interesting as a show window dummy.

Since then, we've observed women differently. And even a woman, once she's alerted, can detect the qualities that give another woman "personality".

She's likely to be equally easy with men and women. She has a quick answer but a pleasing tone and ready smile take the sting out of her wisecracks. Regardless of age, she treats each person as an individual. She's open and sincere without being blunt or unattractive. She doesn't try to fit her self a certain vogue, nor does she insist on other fitting her pattern. She's aware of people without being sensitive to them. Usually, she's not self-conscious. She acts her age, enjoys life tremendously.

She's got what you might call mental bounce, and makes an art of avoiding finality. She's probably discovered what all of us should have figured out long ago: that the one person in the world she's sure to spend the rest of her life with should be as nice as possible!

## BAKE SALE SATURDAY

The Rainbow Girls will hold a bake sale at Piggly Wiggly on Saturday, March 7, beginning at 9 o'clock.

The Unknown Soldier was buried in Washington on Nov. 11, 1921.

## Combined Meeting of S. S. Class and Fellowship Monday

The Willing Workers Sunday school class of the First Christian church and the Christian women fellowship had a combined meeting with a covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. John Parris on Monday.

A program from the World Call was given in the afternoon, with Mrs. Claud Price as leader, and Miss Myrtice Meador bringing the devotional. Several other members had parts on the program.

Present were Mesdames J. C. Wester, Cecil Hagood, L. H. Dorrell, Claud Price, Charlie Probasco, J. B. Jenkins, Fred Brown, D. W. Fyffe, W. D. Newell, Victoria Asher, and Mrs. J. W. Crump and Misses Myrtice and Alma Crump.

Guests for the luncheon were Reverend Tom Waters, and Kathy and Tommy, and Mrs. George Van Wickel and Francis.

## Plainview Couple Hold Open House On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fuller of Plainview celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in their home there on February 22, when 150 guests called and were registered.

Mrs. Joe H. Smith, of Silverton, and Mrs. Charles B. Smith, of Floydada, sisters-in-law of Mrs. Fuller assisted in the hospitalities.

Joe H. Smith and Charles B. Smith brothers of Mrs. Fuller along with the son-in-law of the couple Lee Kidd, greeted the guests.

A sister of Mrs. Fuller, Mrs. T. W. Collins of Canyon the honored couple and their daughter, Mrs. Lee Kidd and grandson, Joe Mitchell and wife made up the receiving line.

Guests registering were from Floydada, Hereford, Ft. Worth, Lorenzo, Idalou, Petersburg, Plainview, Whitesboro, Vernon, Amarillo, Stamford, Lubbock, Priona, Canyon and Grandfield, Oklahoma.

Several wedding gifts presented the couple at their wedding in 1903 were on display, along with the many anniversary gifts of gold linens, Richard china and other items.

## Gardens of Bible History Club Theme

Mrs. E. F. Stovall was hostess to the Floydada Garden club on Friday morning in her home at 519 West Missouri street. President of the club Mrs. Guy Ginn, presided during the business meeting. Mrs. Olin Watson, jr., was elected to membership in the club.

The program, "Gardens of the Bible," with Mrs. J. M. Willson, as leader, was enjoyed by the members. Mrs. Wilson Kimble gave an interesting paper on the bible gardens.

The flower arrangement was by Mrs. E. L. Norman.

The parliamentarian, Mrs. Hollis Bond, talked on the by-laws and the constitution of the club.

Next meeting of the club will be on March 13, at 10 o'clock in the court house, when the Lockney Garden club and other guests will be present to view a film and talk on rose culture, sponsored by the California Spray company, and D. W. Fyffe Seed company. The Park Florist will make the flower arrangement.

Present at the Friday meeting were Mesdames Hollis Bond, E. L. Angus, R. C. Henry, Guy Ginn, W. H. Henderson, C. A. Caffee, E. C. Henry, Wilson Kimble, D. T. Mayo, J. D. McBrien, G. V. Smith, O. M. Watson, J. M. Willson, L. J. Welborn, J. C. Keeling and Mrs. A. P. McKinnon.

The Baconian theory maintains that Francis Bacon wrote the plays attributed to Shakespeare.

The Supreme Court does not have power to alter the Constitution.

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## Tornado Victim



A Red Cross nurse tends a 2-year-old victim of the tornado that swept through Bald Knob, Ark., last year. Both of the youngster's legs were fractured. To help her and some 236,400 other victims of disaster in 1951-52, the Red Cross spent \$21,100,445.

## Officers of 1950 Study Club Named For Coming Year

Mrs. Bill DuBois was hostess to the members of the 1950 Study club Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Ring for the regular meeting.

Mrs. Jack Coffman, president, was in charge of the business meeting. New officers were elected at this time for the coming year. They are, president, Mrs. Gene Collins, jr. first vice-president, Mrs. Johnny Collins, second vice-president, Mrs. Bill Greer, recording secretary, Mrs. Lyndell Roberts, corresponding secretary, Mrs. A. V. Womack, jr. treasurer, Mrs. Bill DuBois, reporter, Mrs. W. H. Simpson, jr., custodian, Mrs. W. H. Smith, jr., and parliamentarian, Mrs. Gene Probasco.

A report on the Floyd county library was given and members were invited to attend the state library convention April 16 through 18 in Lubbock.

Mesdames Jack Kassahn and Jimmy Price were elected new members of the club.

Hear Style Show Reports  
Style show committee reports on publicity, stage decoration and entertainment of the show to be presented on March 16 at the high school auditorium.

Mrs. Johnny Collins gave an interesting program about the life of Lily Pons, noted singer.

A refreshment plate was served to Mesdames Jack Coffman, Gene Collins, Bob Copeland, Watson Jones, Johnny Collins, Hollis McLain, Lyndell Roberts, Jimmy Tye, Claude Weatherbee, W. H. Simpson, jr., N. E. Tyler, A. V. Womack, jr., Edward Wester, George Mize, Kenneth Ring and a guest, Mrs. G. W. Rodgers, wife of the new county agent, recently moved here from Littlefield.

The next meeting of the club will be March 17 with Mrs. Bill Greer as hostess.

MRS. SMITH GUEST FOR LUBBOCK CLASS MEETING

Mrs. Lon V. Smith attended a coffee in Lubbock on Tuesday morning when the Esther Sunday school class of the First Baptist church entertained.

Mrs. Ralph Johnston, daughter of Mrs. Smith gave a book review, "The Silver Chalice" at the meeting. The book is the bible story by Thomas B. Costain, of the cup used at the Last Supper.

Approximately 60 ladies were present at the coffee.

Development of atomic energy in from the atomic bomb costs approximately \$2,000,000,000.

Thomas Jefferson sold his private library to the government for \$23,950.

The word Rubaiyat means stanzas consisting of four lines.

## 1934 Study Club Meeting Tuesday

The 1934 study club met in the home of Mrs. Tilden B. Armstrong for their meeting on Tuesday evening, March 3, with the president, Miss Anne Swepton in charge of the business session.

Mrs. Robert Gibson spoke on "The Adventures of a Ballad Hunter" and the "The Singers in the Dawn."

The program was highlighted by the Blue Notes who sang several numbers for the group. Miss Ruby Lee Bevil is the director of this popular high school musical organization.

Club members present were Mesdames H. G. Barber, G. M. Armstrong, L. L. Clark Dennis Dempsey, Robert Gibson, I. T. Graves, Enos Jones, John Hoffman, Thomas Hutchins, Jack Lackey, J. P. Moss, Virgie Shaw, John Stapleton, J. M. Willson, Jr., A. L. Wylie, Al Galloway and Misses Swepton, Bevil and Leita Petty.

## CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank all my friends and neighbors for being so kind and helpful to me during my illness and stay at the Peoples hospital, also to the doctor and the nurses there, who were so nice to me.

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# Remarkable Mother who Educated Herself, Too, Survived by Nine

Mrs. Annie Taylor, teacher in the North Ward school, returned home Monday from Washington, Texas, where she attended the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Mattie Richardson, who died at the home of another daughter, Mrs. S. L. Jingle in Houston on Friday morning, February 27.

The funeral was held on Sunday at the St. Mathew church in Washington with burial in the Allen cemetery.

Mrs. Richardson was near 80 years old. She is survived by six daughters, Mrs. E. O. Laster, principal of the Washington school there, Mrs. Mattie Marshall, teacher in the Sanderson, Texas school, Mrs. Jingle, home economics teacher at Houston, Mrs. Annie Taylor Floydada, Mrs. Bertha Johnson, Good Will school at Brenham, Texas, and Miss Earnestine Franklin who resides at the family home in Washington, Texas, and three sons, Orange, of Los Angeles, California, Scott of Washington, and John, mortician at Houston, Orange and Scott are both mechanics.

Also surviving the deceased are 16 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren.

It is remarkable that this mother reared her children alone after the death of her husband in 1912 and more remarkable that she attended the same school that her children all attended and had the same teacher, L. R. Whiting.

Monte Cristo is in island about 40 miles west of Italy.

## L. P. Orsburn, Hospital Patient Enjoys Birthday

L. P. Orsburn, who has been a resident of Floyd county and Floydada since 1917, celebrated his 89th birthday on Wednesday, March 4, at Peoples hospital, where he has been a patient since April, 1952. Mr. Orsburn had been making his home with his daughter, Mrs. C. W. Burton and Mr. Burton for several years. The Burtons moved into their new home on Missouri street in Floydada from their farm the last of March, 1952.

On April 1st, Mr. Orsburn fell at the new home and broke his hip. He was carried to the Plainview hospital, where he remained for a short time and was then returned to Peoples hospital here, where he has since remained.

About 25 of his friends called Wednesday to wish Mr. Orsburn a happy birthday, and he had received about 35 or 40 birthday cards, along with beautiful bouquets of red roses, red carnations and huge yellow gladi, and other gifts.

Also a beautiful birthday cake, baked and decorated with red roses, by his granddaughter, Miss Maurice Burton of Lubbock, was in evidence. His special nurse, Miss Johnny Mae Lewis, who has been on duty since he has been in the hospital and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Burton, the daughter and husband were with him during the day and received his guests.

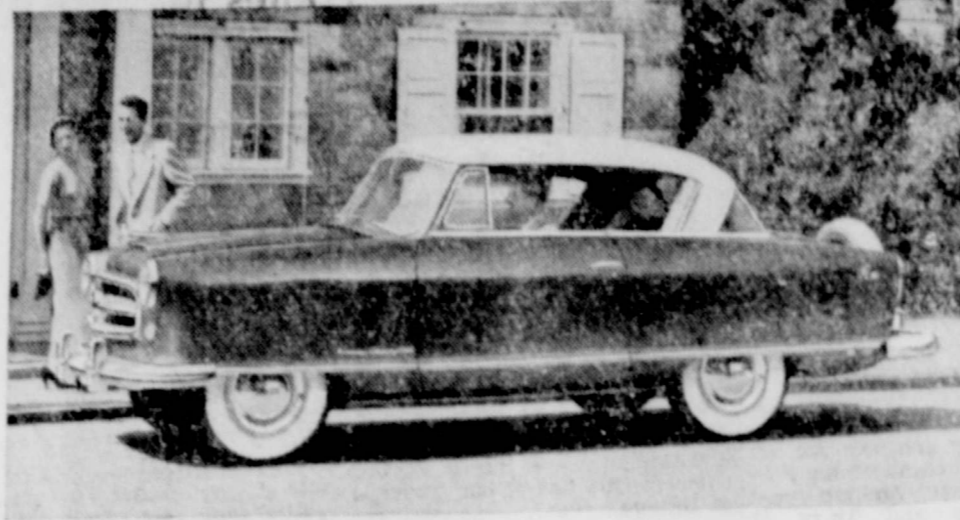
Mr. Orsburn expressed his appreciation of his friends and of the cards and flowers sent him on his birthday and thanked all who had a part in his big day.

### BOYS WANT TO HEAR FROM THE FOLKS BACK HOME

Mrs. Grady Freeman has recently had a letter from her son, James who is in training in Great Lakes, Illinois. He is pretty lonesome and wants to hear from his friends and pals back home. His address is: James Lee Freeman, SR 430-16-26, Co. 30-103 Bate, 19 Reg USMTC, Recruit Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois.

Mrs. Freeman says Dorman Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Turner, also of Floydada, is with James and both the boys would kinda like to hear from the folks back home.

Lightning without rain is likely to be more dangerous than with rain.



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## Boxes, Barrels Take Beating In Laboratory

PORT BELVOIR, Va. — "Kicking it around" is one of the mildest forms of abuse a container gets at the Army Engineers Packaging Laboratory here.

With all the gusto of a Missouri mule, a container is rolled, shoved, bounced, dropped, squeezed, dragged, pushed vibrated, compressed and dunked to determine whether it "can take it."

Containers of all types — boxes, crates, barrels, drums, kegs, or pails — are abused by specially designed testing devices.

One of the tests a container must pass to determine whether it will deliver its contents in usable condition at the point of delivery in the citation test.

The device used in this test provides vertical accelerations simulating the actual vibrations encountered during rail transportation caused by resonance, flat wheels, rail joints, rough roadbeds and car sidings. After the effects of the vibration are measured, the container either is accepted, corrected or rejected.

To learn whether a container can be dropped from the air, pushed by a tractor or manhandled in any other way and still come up intact, it is put through a test which simulates shock and impact stresses that may be expected in handling and shipment.

Another test the container must pass in the incline-impact test. Speeds up to eight (correct) miles per hour can be obtained at the point of contact in testing the ability of a container to withstand impact stresses.

A crate compression machine that can impose a compression load of up to 100 tons checks the ability of a container to resist excessive external pressure such as it might receive in ship's hold or in a warehouse.

Depending on the type of the container, it may be dunked in a 160-cubic-foot submersion tank. This tank is used to determine the effect of prolonged submersion at various depths and various pressures on protective wrappings, sealing materials and preservative coatings.

The facilities of two climatic laboratories also are available to test the ability of a container to withstand the wide variety of climatic conditions it may be subjected to in transit or storage.

The Packaging Development & Testing Program was adopted by the Army Engineers as a result of losses in material suffered during World War II. The container testing laboratory at Fort Belvoir has done much to reduce these losses.

As a result of the "kicking around" containers have received, the laboratory can take a minute industrial diamond or a tractor, a fragile incandescent light bulb, or a practically indestructible object like an anti-aircraft package and guarantee its arrival in good condition at the next town — or at the North Pole.

The Three Wise Men were Gaspar, Melchior and Balthasar.

The real name of George Sand, the writer, was Mme. Dudevant.

If you threaten to strike a person you are guilty of simple assault.

Manlaughter in the second degree is involuntary manslaughter.

Excusable homicide is that which occurs by accident or misfortune.

Chocolate and cocoa both come from the cacao bean.

### ANSWER THE CALL



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## Walls Shows Top Selling Female at Tri-State Sale

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Walls returned home this week from Buffalo, Oklahoma, where they attended the Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas Aberdeen-Angus show and sale on February 26.

Dean exhibited Lady Eline of D. W. which was named reserve champion and top selling female at the show.

Lady Eline who had Sunbeam breeding and was sired by BUD E. R. S. owned by E. R. Sorrenson of Tulsa, is 17 months of age.

## Right-of-Way Rights Vary at Intersections

Frequently, we hear people, especially women, talk about their fear of driving away from home. The following article is believed to be of interest and help in "getting our bearings a little better" when driving. — Editors note.

Misunderstanding of simple driving rules by numerous motorists is one factor which places Texas right at the top in number of traffic deaths. Possibly the most mystifying of all traffic rules to the average driver are those relating to "Right of Way" at an intersection.

In trying to understand the laws regular intersecting traffic, it is best to start off with the premise that all streets are of equal dignity, legally speaking. Traffic signs and signals may vary this rule somewhat, but when in doubt, it is safest to assume that all drivers crossing your path have a claim to the right of way equal to your own.

Obviously, however, in many cases one driver or the other will be legally entitled to the right of way. When it becomes necessary to determine right of way in a particular situation, the driver who reaches the intersection first, or who is going to get there first, is ordinarily favored. But when two automobiles are an equal distance from the intersection, that one approaching from the other driver's right normally has the right of way.

Some intersections are known as "courtesy corners" having a stop sign or a flashing red signal facing each direction of approach. The first driver reaching the corner and coming to a complete stop will normally have the right of way over other vehicles not already in the intersection. However, don't depend too much on the other fellow's courtesy, and be sure they keep a "proper lookout" and your car under "proper control," as explained in a preceding column.

At intersections involving one through street and another street having a stop sign, a driver approaches the stop sign and coming to a full stop is ordinarily said to have the right of way over vehicles approaching on the through street but not already in the intersection.

However, this last rule must be qualified by saying that you should not proceed, cross or turn onto the through street until you can do so without interfering with oncoming traffic. In other words, if an approaching car will arrive within the intersection before you are completely clear, wait just a little longer. The same rules apply to entering a highway from a side road containing a stop sign.

Many drivers violate the rules of right of way covering left-hand turns at intersections. When turning left, you should always be on the inside (or center) lane, displaying the proper hand signal. You must allow all cars coming from the opposite direction, already in the intersection, to pass through before completing your turn. Even when the intersection is cleared, do not proceed unless other oncoming traffic is far enough away to be able to see your signal and slow down to allow you to turn with safety to all concerned.

Stay in the inside lane until your left-hand turn is entirely completed, and only then move gradually over to the right-hand lane if you wish. When turning right, stay in the right-hand lane at all times. Do not swing wide into the center lane, as to do so is unnecessary, unlawful and dangerous.

Many detailed rules and suggestions for safe driving are included in the official "Texas Driving Handbook" which is available to any person requesting same from the Texas Department of Public Safety, Drivers License Division, Austin, Texas.

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)

## Battle-Wise ROKs Score High Marks at Army Schools

WASHINGTON — Republic of Korea Army officers are making outstanding records in training courses given at 13 Army schools in the United States.

Nearly 600 carefully selected ROK officers already have finished courses in a program designed to prepare South Koreans to fight in defense of their country. Many others now are taking courses at infantry, artillery and armor posts and at Signal, Quartermaster, Engineer, Medical and other technical service centers.

Although some South Korean troops are being trained by the U. S. Army in Korea, the more technical courses are given in this country because better facilities are available here.

In one group of ROK officers in the Artillery School at Fort Sill, Okla., the average grade was 92 and none scored less than 84.

Instructors at the Engineer School at Fort Belvoir, Va., praised their Korean students as "alert and eager to learn."

Second Lieutenant Franklin W. Edson of Pittsburgh, Penna., said: "My ROK students grasp difficult subjects very quickly. I can tell they have had a lot of combat experience by the way they approach some of the 'tough' problems we take up in class."

ROK trainees go back to their native country when they finish their courses, which last three months or more, and are assigned as instructors in their own training programs, in staff positions with the South Korean Army or as combat commanders.

Many Korean trainees understand and speak English. Interpreters are used in classes of non-Eng-

lish-speaking students. The students have at least a high school education and some have college degrees. Competition among South Korean officers for training in the United States is keen. Applications are picked by ROK Army officials. They must pass examinations and then are screened by the American Military Advisory Group in South Korea before being selected to train in this country. This policy provides special training for top officers of the Republic of Korea Army. They, in turn, can pass their training on to subordinates who will replace more Americans on the battlefield.

## PLEASE DON'T ALL HIT THE ST. AT ONCE

AKRON, O.—If every car and truck owner in the state of Texas tried to go for a ride on the same Sunday afternoon, there would be a vehicle every nine yards on every paved street and highway in the state.

Fortunately, the odds are against this happening, since the average motorist spends only about 25 "days" a year in his car, according to James J. Newman, vice president of the B. F. Goodrich company.

He points out that estimates of American automobile usage and driver habits show that the average motorist drove 9,000 miles last year. At his average pace of 30 miles an hour, this totals 300 hours, or 25 daylight driving days. This is only 6.8 per cent of the daylight hours in a year, he says.

Newman says that the state's motor vehicle registration today is at its highest mark in history and will probably reach an estimated 3,250,000 early this year. Hard-surfaced road mileage in both rural and urban areas of the state is 16,711, which is also a new high, he says.

He reports that drivers throughout the nation feel traffic jams are responsible for the loss of millions of dollars in wasted time alone. Newman says B. F. Goodrich estimates a national increase of 12,000,000 car and truck registrations to bring the nation's total to 65,500,000 motor

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"Last year a big wind came and blew down our house. My little brother was killed and all of us were hurt. It was a terrible time for our family."

"But then the Red Cross came and helped us and got doctors and medicine to make us well. They helped my daddy buy another house and the furniture to go in it. Then they helped my big brother William get home from the service to take care of us."

"My mommie and daddy say they don't know what we would have done without the Red Cross. And I'm glad to tell you my story, 'cause I can thank all of you who helped the Red Cross do so much for us."

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vehicles by 1960. The out, seems to leave an early let-up in highway Inter-Industry Highway Committee, says he believes the nation's traffic problem is solved if authorities now on an expanded highway program, improved unloading facilities, and outmoded traffic regulations.

## It's Still Money

The origin of some of our expressions for money is unusual, sometimes interesting. "Cabbage" and "buck" are very old English expressions being a Scottish variety of the German word "Kobbe". With the German influence growing importance of the English slang word for money in the 1860's meant to go on the barrelhead. "Change" theatrical — term meaning a lot of money. "Let's see the offspring of the older expression. "Mazuma" is from an old word meaning "ready money" probably came into use with the large Jewish immigration early 1900's. "Moolah" is a vaudeville version. "Greenbacks" first used Civil War currency paid in and not redeemable in silver. From this came "big" This may have been influenced particularly desirable type of coin.

The crescent of the moon always face the same way

AT THE PALACE THIS WEEK SATURDAY March 7 "THEY CALL ME 'DIRTY' but still they chase my women!" The RING SUNDAY - MONDAY March 8 - 9 "PLYMOUTH ADVENTURE" THE SCREEN'S GREATEST ADVENTURE TRACY-TIERNEY VAN JOHNSON-GENN TECHNICAL Tuesday - Wednesday March 10-11 "THEY WILL TALK TO GEORGE RAFT in ACTION!" LOAN SHAR co-starring DOROTHY HAY THURSDAY - FRIDAY March 12 - 13 "DORIS DAY'S RAY BOLGER April in Paris" CLAUDE DAUPHIN FREE PASS TO Mr. & Mrs. Melvin Tomison Mr. & Mrs. Myron Kattner



# Home Demonstration Clubs

Silver Builders Friday

... was hostess to the Homebuilders in the home of ... on South Main ... president, had ... session. ... with each ... table grace ... Evans exhibited ... settings. One ... table, using ... pottery with ... linen place mats ... for an infor- ... of medium ... plated flatware, ... for a formal din- ... sterling silver and ... was appropri- ... gation. ... gton gave the ... to tell" showing a ... spoons belong- ... Decker. One set of ... Decker had just re- ... friend stationed in ... of the spoons are ... lower with the end ... symbols usually ... belonging to Japan, ... the ricksha, a ... on the bottom and ... between the toes. ... sten gave a talk on ... ners at the dinner ... Catlin conducted a ... George Washing- ... Phillips, a visitor ... a perfect score. ... were Mrs. W. H. ... rtrand, W. R. Dan- ... Gregory, L. ... Mayfield, D. T. Mayo, ... D. Shipley, Mrs. W. ... Mrs. Roberts.

**CLUB IS PLANNING SAND HILL TALENT SHOW MARCH 20**

Mrs. Rafe Ferguson was hostess for the Sand Hill Home Demonstration club, February 25. All members attending answered the roll call with a table grace.

At the business session we voted to sell greeting cards and hangers. Mrs. H. F. Jackson was elected nominee from this club to District Texas Home Demonstration association meeting.

A chuck wagon supper followed by a talent show is being planned for March 20. Mrs. W. M. Knight, Mrs. C. B. Carmack and Mrs. Jim Holmes make up the supper committee. The committee for the talent show are Mrs. A. V. Womack, Mrs. Lynn Miller and Mrs. T. C. Hollums.

A glass of water is a must for each table setting said Mrs. C. B. Carmack as she demonstrated a table setting. A brown cloth, yellow napkins, yellow and brown pottery, lovely silver and crystal were used.

When you went visiting in the fourteenth century you carried your own silverware if you expected to use any. A combination fork, spoon and toothpick was used then. This information was from Mrs. Lynn Miller as she gave. Silver has a story to tell. Pieces of old, new, plain and elaborate silver were shown during her demonstration. Mrs. T. C. Hollums talked on table manners. Two good rules to follow at a go and come coffee or tea are first stay from fifteen to thirty minutes, second, the napkin is placed in your hand under the saucer to be used later. For a seated tea, a good rule to remember, the napkin is spread on your lap under the plate.

The hostess served coffee and A. & M. cake.

Members attending were Mesdames James Jeffress, C. B. Carmack, Albert Pricer, Lynn Miller, Eddie King, W. M. Knight, A. V. Womack, T. C. Hollums, Odie Elliott, W. H. Hollums, Wayne Billington, H. F. Jackson, J. D. Everett, Fred Jackson, Jim Holmes, Johnny Miller, M. B. Swanner, Arlon Miller and the hostess, Mrs. Rafe Ferguson.

**SAND HILL GIRLS MEET**

(Billie Holmes, reporter)

The Sand Hill 4-H club met February 23 in the school room, the president opening the meeting with the 4-H pledge.

Roll call was answered by Cynthia Durham, Nelda Rhea, Billie Gail Holmes, LaJuana and Elfa Womack, JoAnn Swanner, Thelma Ferguson, Joellen Jackson, Louise and Dorothy Robertson, Melba and Patsy Fowler, Sandra Harber, Sue Adams, Sara Sue Carer, Della White and Carolyn Ratley.

Miss Petty showed us some pictures on clothing taken at College Station.

**MRS. KASSAHN IMPROVED**

Mrs. Jack Kassahn, who had major surgery at Baylor hospital last week, is much improved and hopes to be able to return to her home this week-end, her husband has informed friends here from Dallas.

Mrs. Kassahn had an abscess removed from a lung. She withstood the operation well and her early recovery is anticipated.

Queen Christina of Sweden never married.

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# Floydada Families Attend Birthday Dinner at Canyon

An annual birthday party of members of her family is given every year by Mrs. B. C. Taylor, jr., of Canyon, when members gather to celebrate on March first in the Taylor home.



The following relatives attended a big dinner last Sunday: Mrs. B. C. Taylor, sr., Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Furlow and daughter Katie, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Barrett, Mmes. Florence Stevens and Mary Bailey and son, Joe, all of Canyon; Messrs and Mmes. Foster Amburn, Glen Amburn and children, Ronnie and Terry of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Amburn of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Ab Thompson of Hereford, Miss Trudy

Patton of Amarillo, a guest of Little Miss Lorraine Taylor, and B. A. Taylor, jr. and son, Larry.

The birthday celebrated was for Mmes. B. C. Taylor, jr., B. C. Taylor, sr., Larry Taylor of Canyon, Foster Amburn and Terry Amburn of Floydada.

Afternoon visitors in the Taylor home were Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Carter and daughter, Bernadine of Amarillo, Mrs. W. A. Amburn of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Bennett and Myrna Gay of Friona.

Mrs. B. C. Taylor, jr., is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Amburn.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank our friends for words of sympathy, cards, telegrams and flowers sent us during our bereavement, the loss of our father, J. C. Nations.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stiles The J. C. Nations family.

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# Rites for Father of Mrs. Stiles at Grand Saline, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stiles returned home Tuesday evening from Grand Saline, Texas, where they attended the burial service Monday afternoon for her father, James Calvin Nations.

Mr. Nations died at the home of his son, Oma Nations, at Wheeler, Texas, early Saturday morning after a long illness. Mrs. Stiles had been at her father's bedside for several days before he passed away.

Funeral service was held in Wheeler at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Church of Christ, with Reverend Joe Preston officiating, the body being then carried to Grand Saline for burial.

Officiating at the graveside ser-

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vice in Grand Saline were Reverend H. O. Lee, Dean Bullock and J. L. Mayhall. Interment was in the Sand Flat cemetery near Grand Saline.

Mr. Nations, who had made his home with his son for the past three years, had visited with his daughter and Mr. Stiles here at various times.

Survivors include daughters, Mrs. Stiles, Floydada, Mrs. F. M. Smith, of Port Arthur, Texas, and three sons, Oma of Wheeler, Irvin of De Ridder, Louisiana, and Cortez of Grand Saline; 12 grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren.

**MEXICO CITY TRIP**

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Walker and Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Glassmoyer left this morning on a vacation to Mexico City and other points in Mexico. The party plans a two week trip, motoring through the country.

Only two U. S. Presidents, Taylor and Roosevelt, died while congress was in session.

The Pacific Ocean was so named by Magellan because it is quiet and peaceful.

Magellan's ship was named The Victoria.

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- SYRUP, 5 lb. Jar . . . 49c**

- AMERICAN BEAUTY**
- Spanish Rice Dinner, 300 size can 15c**
- SILVER BRAND—½ GALLON BUCKET**
- Pure Apple and Currant Jelly . 89c**
- FIRST QUALITY**
- SPRING CLOTHES PINS, 3 Doz. 25c**
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- CHOCOLATE SYRUP, No. 1 Can 19c**
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**RECIPE OF THE WEEK**

*By Mary Lee Taylor*

**Tuna Biscuit Ring**

Broadcast: March 7, 1953

1½ cups biscuit mix 7-oz. can tuna, broken in pieces

½ cup Pet Milk ½ cup sliced, pitted ripe olives

2 teaspoons Pet Milk 1½ cups canned peas, drained

½ cup Pet Milk

Put biscuit mix into a bowl. Stir in with a fork a mixture of ½ cup milk and the water. Turn out on lightly floured board and knead lightly 10 times. Roll ½ inch thick. Cut into 12 rounds with floured 2-inch cutter. Place close together on greased baking sheet to form a ring. Brush tops with 2 teasp. milk. Bake 10 minutes on rack slightly above center of hot oven (425), or until brown. While biscuits bake, mix rest of ingredients. Put biscuit ring on warm platter and serve hot tuna mixture in center. Make 4 servings.

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**FOR SALE** — Close in 75 by 90 feet east front building site in Floydada. Harry Stanley. 6 2tc.

**FOR SALE** — Lockett Number One Cotton Seed first year from certified seed. Cleaned and treated. Will deliver to your farm for \$2.50 bushel. Clifford Jameson, Route 1, Kress, Texas. 6 3tc.

**PIANOS**  
Will have representative in this vicinity shortly to dispose of two spinets, one studio and two upright pianos. These pianos must be sold at once to retire present obligation against them. If you want a bargain, write or phone Credit Department, McBrayer Piano Co., 217 West 6th, Amarillo, Texas. 4 3tc.

1937 two-door Chevrolet. Good transportation. Ph. 196. 3tc.

**FOR SALE** — 1938 Ford V-8 3/4-ton pickup with later motor. Pretty fair condition. The Massey Wholesale Grocery, Phone No. 45 or No. 178-J. 3 ttc.



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1951 Chevrolet Delux 5 passenger Coupe Low Mileage. Extra clean.

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**PLENTY OF GOODYEAR TIRES**  
and tubes for passenger cars and tractors.  
S. J. Latta Implements

**FOR SALE** — Paymaster cotton seed, 1 year from certified, \$2 per bushel. Buy early and save. W. B. Eakin, 3 miles West McCoy. 2 ttc.

**VACANT LOTS**, residence or business, good and bad, all parts of town. W. Edd Brown, owner. Telephone 293. 52 ttc.

**TIMKIN BEARINGS** — Near complete stock. Spears Auto Co 44 ttc.

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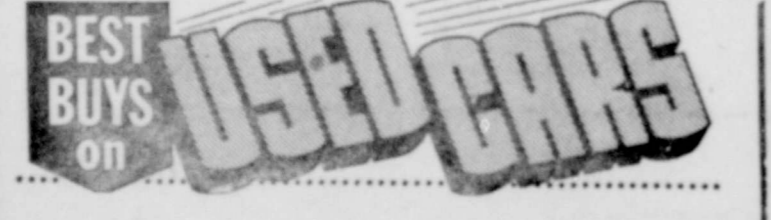
**FOR SALE** — Three registered Angus bulls, Sunbeam breeding. Ph. 898-J-2, or see Rene Yeary. 3 ttc.

**FOR SERVICE** — Young registered Duroc boar, medium size, purchased from National Duroc Congress, Indianapolis, Indiana. Choice type. E. L. Turner, Ph. 774-J4. 50 ttc.

**Lost and Found**

**LOST** — Narrow Brown wool belt. Phone 734-J-3. 6 ttc.

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1949 Ford station wagon, radio & heater.  
1947 Ford Plymouth.  
1941 Ford Tudor R and H.  
1941 Chevrolet, R and H.  
1952 New F-5 Ford Truck  
1952 New F-6 Ford Truck  
1948 Ford F-7, 158" w. b. 10:00 tires, heater.  
1945 Dodge 1/2-ton Pick-up

**BISHOP MOTOR CO.**  
PHONE 228 FLOYDADA

## Miscellaneous

**WARNING** — Work clothes stolen from Allen Laundry last week must be returned to avoid exposure and prosecution. Bill Queen. 6 ttc.

**PARTS and repairs** for all makes of electric razors. Goen Drug, "On the Corner." 2 ttc.

**SEE Mrs. Bob Smith** for your Avon Cosmetics 52 ttc.

**BRITTON Appliance Repair Shop**  
Phone 454 307 E. Houston

**FLOOR SANDING** — Call 227-J Earl Baker. 20 ttc.

**COME in and see our Royal Gas Range and Coolerator Home Freezers and Ranges.** All kinds of Purina Products, Chows and Chix supplies. Fuqua Farm Supply. 52 ttc.

**EXPERT repairing** on home and auto radios. Rice Radio Service at Rice Hatchery. 27 ttc.

**LOOK AT THE COST.** On the over all average, the cost to our members for the year was 3.25% after dividends. Why aren't you taking advantage of this?  
Floydada National Farm Loan Association. Jake B. Watson Secy-Treas. 41 ttc.

**FOR AMARILLO Daily News**, city delivery or mail, new or renewal call 460-J, nights, or see Poste: Amburn. 37 ttc.

**FOR portable disc grinding phone** 454 J. E. Sparks. 23 ttc.

**KEYS** — Duplicated while you wait. King's 5c, 10c and 2¢ Store. 1 ttc.

**JOHN BLUE Fertilizer distributors** for all makes of tractors. Morckel Farm Chemical Co. 11 ttc.

**WEATHER STRIPS** — Any one can install these strips and they will save many times their cost in fuel savings the first winter. FOWLER HDWE. CO. 46 ttc.

**MONUMENTS FOR SALE** — by Mrs. W. D. Newsel, successor to the late S. E. McCleskey, representing Southeast Granite and Marble Co. Redstones. Phone 455-W or visit 323 West Tennessee Street. 46 ttc.

**SEVERAL TOWN LOTS FOR SALE** Brown - Holmes Co. 24 ttc.

**HOUSE Wiring, electric motors repair, television sets, towers and antenna installation; no job too small.** Ph. 548, May Electric Co., 219 North Main. 4 ttc.

**TEST holes for irrigation.** Call Sam Haynes, Phone 1913, P. O. Box 306, Plainview, Texas. 4 3tp.

**Houses For Sale**

**FOR SALE, TO BE MOVED** 6 room house, and bath, in good condition, a bargain. Tom W. Deen, Real Estate Dealer, 203 North Main Street, Floydada, Texas. 63tp.

**FOR SALE.** Good 5 room house on South 3rd Street, No. 514. Vacant now. Price \$8500, it has \$3500 loan. Call or write J. M. Hamby, 208 East 3rd Street, phone 701, Hereford, Texas. 4 4tp.

**FOR SALE** — Some good houses in Floydada and good irrigated farms. J. Sam Hale. Phone 766-W. 46 ttc.

**HOUSES FOR SALE**  
Have several well located 2 bedroom homes for sale, all priced at less than cost of building. J. G. Wood, 126 West Mo. St. Phone 236-Rex. 797. 32 ttc.

**Wanted**

**WANTED** — Listing and planting; four-row outfit, new equipment. J. R. Yearwood. 6 4tp.

**WANTED** — Clean soft rags. Chise & Rainer. 6 3tc.

## Farm Machinery

**FOR BETTER BUYS** in any make, new or used tractors and farm equipment, Call or write Perry L. Bennett, Phone 3757, Anson, Texas. 6 7tp.

**FOR SALE.** 8 inch Winthor, irrigation pump, 140 ft. set, 1/4. Chevrolet motor, 1000-gal. on butane tank. Leonard Matlock. 5 2tc.

**FOR SALE.** — 22" 6 International with 4-row planter; P-30 International with 4-row planter and 4-row cultivator; Ford tractor with 4-row cultivator, 4 1/2 miles east. Glen Jarnagin. 5 2tc.

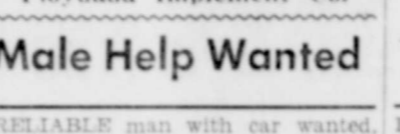
**FOR SALE** — John Deere Tractor, 1948 Model A. Phone 630-W-3. J. T. Myrick, Jr., 4 3tp.

**FOR SALE.** — 1952 Model International two bottom breaking plow. Rubber tires and power-lift. Phone 776-W-2. J. R. Turner. 2 ttc.

**IRRIGATION**  
dams, sticks, tubes,  
S. J. Latta Implement Co.

1946 Ford tractor and two-row cultivator \$675, three miles west of McCoy. W. B. Eakin. 50 ttc.

**FOR SALE** — 8-foot windmill wheel and motor. Phone 454 Sparks Auto Service. 46 ttc.



Floydada Implement Co.

**Male Help Wanted**

**RELIABLE** man with car wanted, part or full time, to call on farmers in Floyd County. Wonderful opportunity, \$19 to \$26 in a day. No experience or capital required. Permanent. Write today. McNess Company, Dept. A, Preoprest, Ill. 6 2tp.

**Salesman Wanted**

**SICKNESS** causes vacancy. Opportunity for man with car to succeed Summer Comer as a Rawleigh dealer in Lockney and Floydada. No capital needed. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. TXB-300-203, Memphis, Tenn. 3 7tp.

## For Rent

**FURNISHED APARTMENT** — Big enough to keep your wife from going back to her mother. Small enough to keep her folks from moving in on you. E. J. Morehead, Commercial Hotel. 6 ttc.

**AVAILABLE NOW** — Three-room furnished apartment with private bath. 102 East Houston. 6 ttc.

**FOR RENT** — Room or apartment, 625 West California Street. 6 ttc.

**FOR RENT** — Furnished apartment vacant Monday. Mrs. W. M. Dorsey, 220 S. 2nd. Phone 427-J. 5 ttc.

**ROOMS for rent.** 229 W. Mississippi street. Tel. 449-W. 5 ttc.

**FOR RENT** — 4 room house 7 1/2 mi. N. E. Floydada on pavement, lights, telephone. Phone 846. 4 ttc.

**FOR RENT** — 3 room house, 415 W. Virginia. Ph. 360-W. 51 ttc.

**HOUSES FOR SALE AND RENT** — Brown - Holmes Co. 24 ttc.

**OFFICE SPACE** for rent. Inquire at Bishop Motor company. 27 ttc.

**MODERN offices** for rent; brand new, air-conditioned, phone connection in each office. Plenty parking space. Phone 256. 23 ttc.

**FURNISHED apartments.** 102 East Houston. 30 ttc.

**For Lease**

210 Acres for cash lease — 150 irrigated — 60 dry. \$3,250.00. Presley Kennamer, Phone 999. 5 ttc.

**Land for Sale**

**FOR SALE** or trade, for nice residence in Floydada, our 63-room brick and 10 acres on Silvertown highway north. All conveniences, pressure pump, butane, electricity; young orchard. Ph. 688-W-3. Oliver Allen. 6 4tp.

**FOR SALE:**  
160 acres of land, well located, priced to sell.  
1 lot, 5 rooms and bath, on west Jackson Street, a bargain.  
If you want a home in Floydada, I would appreciate showing you what I have. I have homes listed with me in all parts of Floydada.  
TOM W. DEEN  
Real Estate Dealer  
203 North Main Street  
Floydada, Texas. 5 3tp.

**FOR SALE** — 200 acre dry land farm located 8 1/2 mi. SE Floydada. 1/2 mi. of pavement. Good irrigation wells all around. See Jim Hart, 1/2 mi. West Baker school house, or Phone 634-J-2. 5 2tp.

**FOR LEASE** — 90 acres row crop, 7 miles north South Plains. C. L. Whitehead. 5 2tc.

**FARMS, ranches, city property.** Ph. 854 Thagard Real Estate & Insurance. 34 ttc.

**Arthur B. Duncan Abstract Company**  
Oldest and most complete Abstract plant in Floyd County. Prepared to render prompt efficient service on everything in the line of land titles.  
S. E. Corner Public Square.  
Mrs. Maud E. Hollums, Manager. 28 ttc.

**SEE ME** for Homes, Farms and ranches in Texas, Arkansas, Colorado and South Dakota, also oil leases and Royalties in Floyd County. C. C. Tubbs, room 208 Bishop Bldg. Phone 418, and 894J. 12 ttc.

**FARMS, RANCHES, BUSINESS & RESIDENCE PROPERTY**  
IF YOU WOULD BUY, SEE WOOD. IF YOU WOULD SELL, SEE WOOD. J. G. Wood, 106 W. Missouri, Phone 236, residence No. 797. 32 ttc.

**Real Estate Loans**

**MONEY TO LOAN** — On Farms and Ranches — Low Interest Rate — Attractive prepayment options — See R. E. Fry. 43 ttc.

**LOW INTEREST RATE LOANS**  
See us for your farm loan. More money per acre, no commission charge, quick inspection, low interest rate, splendid pre-payment options. Goen & Goen. 49 ttc.

**FEDERAL LAND BANK LOANS**

- Low Cost
- Long Terms
- Prepayment Privileges
- Cooperative Ownership
- You deal with local folks Through Your Floydada National Farm Loan Association See us now 319 S. Main St. Telephone 256 Floydada, Texas 34 ttc.

**WANTED** — Soft white rags. The HESPERIAN.

Seventy-two, act of Congress have been held unconstitutional.

**Seismograph Explained**  
If you place a coin on a piece of paper and pull the paper away very quickly, the coin will not move. The property of the coin, or of any matter, that resists such movement is called "inertia." In a seismograph there is a heavy weight, delicately balanced so it can move freely when vibrations from an earthquake arrive, the ground moves but the heavy mass, like the coin, tends to remain fixed. Thus there is relative movement between the weight and the ground, which is detected by sensitive electrical equipment and recorded, greatly magnified, on a strip of photographic paper. By analyzing these records the distance, and even the direction, of the center of the quake may be determined.

**HOME FROM TEXAS**  
Mr. and Mrs. G. E. ... ada after an extended stay in Houston, Texas, Port Arthur, Texas, etc.

While visiting ... J. L. Lane at ... entered the ... a check up. They also ... children and ... as.

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## GOOD HEALTH



**I SHOULD BE PREGNANT WOMEN WORK?**

**Answer to Question No. 1**  
Almost all women must work during pregnancy — either at every-day household chores or in business. Work during pregnancy is advisable, if not too strenuous, since it helps keep the mother's mind occupied. Her physician will advise her on the kind and extent of work she can perform with safety.

**Answer to Question No. 2:**  
Scarlet fever was once the cause of thousands of childhood deaths in the United States, but has been brought under control to the extent that today the disease is responsible for fewer than 70 deaths annually. In fact, the number of deaths from scarlet fever has been sharply reduced since the other principal diseases of childhood — development and widespread modern drugs have produced the death rate.

**Answer to Question No. 3:**  
Everybody has a fever. In humans, normal body temperature is 98.6 degrees Fahrenheit. When a person has a fever, the body is working to fight some illness. High fever can be a sign of some medical advice should be prompt in such cases. (Copyright 1952 by the American Medical Association)

Mrs. Tuckers Shortening 3 lb. Can <b>79c</b>	KRE-MEL, Pie Filling, 4 Flavors, Box <b>5c</b>	VAL-VITA PEACHES No. 2 1/2 Can <b>25c</b>
TIDE Large Box <b>29c</b>	JERGENS 10 BARS <b>49c</b>	SUGAR COATED CEREAL
AJAX CLEANSER 2 Cans <b>25c</b>	BEAUTY SOAP <b>49c</b>	CORN FETTI 2 Large Boxes <b>39c</b>

**GOLD MEDAL FLOUR, 10 lb. Bag . . 93c**      **PURE CANE SUGAR, 10 lb. Bag . . 95c**

PASCO FROZEN Orange Juice 2-6 oz. CANS <b>29c</b>	LIBBY'S FROZEN Strawberries 10 1/2 oz. Can <b>29c</b>	JUNKET Fudge Mix CANDY DISH FREE Box <b>33c</b>	AUNT JEMIMA Pan Cake Mix LARGE BOX <b>35c</b>	VELVEETA CHEESE 2 lb. Box <b>89c</b>
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PUFFIN BISCUITS 2 CANS <b>19c</b>	CORN KING, Sliced Pound <b>53c</b>	NORTHERN TISSUE 3 ROLLS <b>25c</b>	BLACKBURN'S SORGHUM SYRUP 1/2 GALLON <b>49c</b>	SPUD NO. 1 RUSSETT 10 LB. MESH BAG <b>75c</b>
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All Sweet OLEO Pound <b>25c</b>	FRESH DRESSED FRYERS . . . <b>57c</b>	2 BOXES Kraft Dinners <b>29c</b>
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**POWELL CASH GROCERY & MARKET**  
HI-WAY 70 PHONE 871  
PLENTY OF FREE PARKING SPACE







## Elect Officers Sheriff's Posse

Organizing for the year the members of the Floyd County Sheriff's Posse have elected as their officers: Claude Pawver, president; Olin Bryant, vice-president, Dee Noyes, second vice-president, and Lee Trice, secretary.

The posse meets every first and third Monday nights in the commissioners court room of the court house. In their last meeting plans for the coming year were discussed preliminary to activities for 1953.

## Burglars Break Into Two Stores

Burglars broke in and entered two local stores Sunday night. Cantrell Fruit market and Kirk & Sons hardware both on the north side of the square were the victims.

The break-ins were discovered Monday morning when the local merchants opened up for business. At Cantrell's a wood panel was removed from the rear door to gain entry, and cash amounting to about \$26.80 in change as well as cigarettes, cigars, chewing tobacco were taken. Also a chewing gum machine was removed to the alley where the contents were taken.

At Kirk's a hail screen was cut and the glass in a rear door broken by the intruders. The management was still checking Monday evening to see what had been taken. Some knives, ammunition, and rifles had been moved around a bit, but a thorough check was needed to determine the loss if any.

Sheriff Earl Cooper was called to the scene and checked signs left by the visitors. Authorities are still working on the case. No arrests had been made Tuesday.

## Bureau Gains 457 Members in Drive

Floyd county Farm Bureau directors and committeemen checked up on the progress of their membership drive Thursday night last and found that the gain to date in the membership drive stands at 457.

There are several renewals coming up in the month of March and quite a bit of the territory in the county where committees have not had a chance to function. The total enrollment in the organization, when all the campaign work is completed, is expected to reach the goal set at 670 members.

The bureau is maintaining an office with full-time staff and is offering numerous services to the members.

Photograph by Hesperian.

## STAR CASH VALUES

SHURFINE PEACHES	2 Cans	59c
PURE CANE SUGAR	10 lbs	95c
SHURFINE FLOUR	10 lbs.	73c
MINUTE RICE	Large Box	37c
SWAN'S DOWN CAKE FLOUR	Lge. Box	43c
CHECK OUR STOCK OF Lawry's Dressings (Advertised in Life)		
HI-C	46 oz Can	25c
SHURFINE Orange Juice	46 oz. Can 3 for	1.00
HUNT'S, 300 size cans—8 for	SPINACH	1.00
2 BOXES SURF BARS LUX SOAP—FREE		
Bake-Rite	3 lb. Tin	69c
SALMON	Tall Can	39c
SLICED—Good-to-eat BACON	lb.	49c
SHURFRESH—Colored OLEO	lb.	23c

FRESH BULK GARDEN SEED Plants and Seed Potatoes

## Rules of Show

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fat single classes, except in the beef calf classes where a member is limited to a total of four calves in the fat single classes. He may show two light or two heavy calves in the fat classes, but not more than a total of four calves in the fat classes. He may show a group of three calves in the fat classes. He may show a group of three calves providing two of the calves have shown in the single classes.

4. All animals must be in place by 10:00 o'clock Wednesday, March 11, and remain until the show is completed. How judging will begin at 1:30 p.m. March 11.

5. Bedding will be furnished by the show management.

6. Lambs in the fat classes must still have their lamb teeth.

7. Hogs in the fat classes must weigh at least 170 pounds. Those in the breeding classes must weigh at least 160 pounds. Barrows and open gilts may be shown in the fat classes, but the same animal cannot be shown in the fat and breeding classes.

8. Both 1st. and 2nd. places in the light and heavy steers and barrows will compete for grand champion and reserve champion.

9. Animals exhibited may be fed in any manner suitable to the individual, but calves may not enter the dry lot classes that have had milk within 90 days of show date.

10. Animals will show on weight at time of entry. Weight tickets made at time of entry will be required on any animal in question. Scales at Producers Cooperative Elevator have been designated as official for beef cattle. Scales at show ground official for swine. This is for show purposes only.

11. The decision of judge shall be final.

## Stock Show Plans

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right for a big show," said Watson, indicating expected entries numbering 122 to 125.

### Boys Guests at Dinner

On Thursday the youthful exhibitors will be guests at a dinner at the regular meeting hour of the Floydada Lions club at the American Legion annex. The junior live stock men will be guests of the show. The guests list includes all FFA and 4-H club boys who have entries in the show.

### Prize List Is Generous

The prize list this year will be in about the same proportions as last year. The prize list runs about \$300. First prizes in all divisions are \$5 for first, \$3 for second, and \$2 each for third, fourth and fifth places, with an added \$5 for grand champions in the fat calf, swine and dairy divisions. The reserve champion in the fat calf division will also receive \$3 prize.

The special prize for showmanship will be a feature again this year. Judging will be done 50 per cent on condition of the animal, 50 per cent on the boy's showmanship.

An added special prize for each prize winner in the boys' classes this year will be \$2 put up by the Floyd County Farm Bureau. It was announced this week. The prize offer was authorized at a recent meeting of the bureau board of directors.

It took ten years, for the sculptor, Bartholdi, to complete the Statue of Liberty.

## GOOD HEALTH

1. CAN WORRY HARM YOU?



### Answer to Question No. 1:

1. Emotional distress, like worry, can affect the functioning of practically every organ of the body. Headaches, diarrhea, heart and blood pressure disorders, ulcers, skin rashes and other ailments can be the result of some emotion, stress or tension.

### Answer to Question No. 2:

2. A cataract is a cloudy condition of the lens of the eye, gradually dimming the eyesight until blindness results. The lens can be removed by an eye surgeon—after which eyesight re-

turns. This is usually a disease of older people.

### Answer to Question No. 3:

3. Very much so. The leading causes of death today are heart diseases, cancer, apoplexy, accidents, and nephritis. In 1900 the leading causes were tuberculosis, pneumonia, enteritis (diarrhea) and heart disease. The first three of the 1900 causes have been eliminated as primary causes of death, thanks to progress in medical science.

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## Langfeldt Funeral Rites Yesterday

C. L. (Fritz) Langfeldt, 88, a resident of Lockney and vicinity for the past 40 years, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Street in Lockney on Tuesday morning after a long illness.

Funeral service was held at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning in the Carter Funeral Home chapel with Reverend Leonard Hartley of Lorraine, Texas, and Reverend Pickens, pastor of the Aiken Baptist church, in charge.

The body was carried to Mena, Arkansas, for interment by the Carter Funeral ambulance.

Survivors include the daughter and two sons, Dutch, of Aiken and Bill Langfeldt of La Junta, Colorado.

## District Trustee Election April 4

Floydada Independent School district this year will name three trustees in the school election provided to be held on April 4.

Terms of trustees A. T. Hull, Aaron Carthel and Ernest Lee Thomas expire with the election of their successors.

No names as candidates for the places had been filed as late as yesterday.

A poltergeist is a spirit that makes its presence known by noises.

A masochist is one who likes to be tortured.

Sabots are wooden shoes worn by French and Belgian peasants.

## 'I Give You Texas' —Boyce House

The Texas Spring Palace, to display the State's resources opened in Fort Worth in the Spring of 1889—a large, two-story edifice with eight towers and dome. Captain Paddock was president of the association. More than 100,000 attended, so it was opened for a second season.

On the next to the last night, the band concert had ended and the grand ball was about to begin. A thousand Dallas representatives were just entering the palace when there was the cry of "Fire!" Shrieks rent the air and 7,000 persons rushed for the doors. The fire, starting on the second floor, advanced with breath-taking swiftness because of the easily consumed materials of the decorations.

There was no time to combat the flames but members of the fire department and others directed the panic-stricken to the 16 exits. Several firemen were scorched and others were injured by the rushing thousands. One of the most active in the rescue work was Al Hayne, a civil engineer, who remained so long in the doomed building that he was badly burned and died next day.

All Fort Worth sorrowed for the young man—and the ladies raised a fund for a monument, which stands as a reminder of his heroism and of the beautiful Texas Spring Palace which was destroyed on that May night in 1890.

Sir Walter Scott wrote many novels and poems but here is something which he wrote that I had never run across until a few days ago—it's a tribute to the Bible:

Within this awesome volume lies The mystery of mysteries; Happiest they of human race To whom their God has given grace To read, to fear, to hope, to pray, To lift the latch, to force the way; But better had they ne'er been born Who read to doubt or read to scorn.

## HARMONY COUPLE ANNOUNCE FOSTER SON BORN FEB. 20

The Loyce Turners of Harmony are the foster parents of a baby son born on February 20, 1953. They have named the baby Gary Ervin. The little lad weighed seven pounds and nine ounces at birth.

The new baby has foster paternal grandparents in the persons of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Turner and foster maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gary.

The model for the Statue of Liberty was the sculptor Bartholdi's mother.

Work on the Statue of Liberty was begun by the sculptor in 1874.

Over 500,000 people visit the Statue of Liberty every year.

## HAY REAL BRIGHT ALFALFA Large Bales. Buy at least 1 Bale for your poultry

### LAY MASH

27th YEAR FOR STANTON'S FEED — Same Location in Lubbock—Why try to introduce a new feed. There are dozens of good feeds already tested & used for years. We feed more poultry feed than any one near.

### Charley Berry DRIVE-IN

304 E. Georgia Street

Water is the most important of all chemical compounds... Mayan hieroglyphics have been deciphered. Use Hesperian wash... THEY ARE FIRST... THEY ARE THE... INTERNATIONAL TAILORING CO. NEW SPRING... For Spring You Cannot... Made to Measure... International Way. Glad Snodgrass "Smart wear for men"

we're ROARING about our... **MARCH VALUES!**

Gold Medal 10 lbs. **FLOUR . . . 95c**  
Bake-Rite 3 lbs. **SHORTENING . . . 75c**

**U. S. GOV. GRADED MEATS**  
Round Steak . . . lb. 79c  
LOIN STEAK . . . lb. 69c  
HAMBURGER, . . lb. 39c  
FRESH DRESSED FRYERS -- HENS

SHURFINE PEACHES HEAVY SYRUP NO 2 1/2 CAN **29c**  
SHURFINE HOMINY . . 10c  
CAMPFIRE VIENNAS . . 10c  
SHURFINE JUICE 46 oz. Grapefruit . 31c  
SHURFINE JUICE 46 oz. ORANGE . . 33c  
SHURFINE SALT . . . 9c

**Frozen Fruits & Vegetables**  
LIBBY'S SLICED PEACHES, 6 oz. 26c  
STRAWBERRIES, 10 1/2 oz. Can 33c  
CHOPPED BROCCOLI, 10 oz. 25c  
Whole Baby Okra, 10 oz. 29c  
CHOPPED SPINACH, 14 oz. 24c  
BLACK EYE PEAS, 12 oz. 32c  
PASCO ORANGE JUICE 15c  
LIQUID STARCH QUART 23c  
RINSO LARGE 29c

DRY PET MILK Glass Jar 4 Qt. Size **37c**  
LIBBY CRUSHED PINEAPPLE . . . 29c  
PY-O-MY BLUEBERRY MIX With 1 Can Blueberries 39c  
BAKER'S COCOANUT . . . 19c  
ONE JELLO PUDDING FREE

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122 W. Calif. Phone 27  
DOUBLE S & H GREEN STAMPS EVERY WEDNESDAY  
WE DELIVER

**Savings jamboree**  
CANE SUGAR 10 Pounds **95c**  
MEXICORN CAN **19c**  
HUNT'S PEAS GARDEN SWEET, 300 Can **15c**  
DOLE PINEAPPLE JUICE 46 oz. Can **32c**  
LONGHORN CHEESE Pound **49c**  
TUXEDO TUNA Can **23c**  
SUNSWEET PRUNES 2 lb. Box **49c**  
JELLO 3 Pkgs **25c**  
BETTY CROCKER SPICE CAKE MIX Pkg **37c**  
DELSEY TISSUE 2 Rolls **25c**  
FRANCO AMERICAN SPAGHETTI **15c**  
FOLGER'S COFFEE Pound **89c**  
**HULL & McBRIEN**  
PHONE 292 We Deliver



# Churches Make Plans to Open Revivals Soon

Missionary Baptist churches in Floyd County have announced plans for revivals that will run simultaneously through March 15.

The Calvary Baptist church on Second the congregation is making preparations for a revival that will open tomorrow.

Sidney Johnson, supply pastor of the church until a new pastor is called, will preach for this revival. Rev. V. M. Lollar, of Angelo, will direct the song service.

Revival at First Baptist church will feature Rev. Andrew Q. of Dallas, as the preaching man. This series of services will begin at 7:30 in the evening and at 7:30 also in the morning. The latter hour is to give office workers and store personnel an opportunity to attend in the forenoon without interruption to their routine of business affairs.



**REV. ANDREW Q. ALLEN** who is to preach for the revival at the First Baptist church, was reared at Petersburg. He has been active in the work of the Baptist Sunday school board.



**WELL-KNOWN PERSONALITY** in Floydada is Rev. Joe Trussell, who will direct song services in the revival at the First Baptist church beginning Sunday and continuing through March 15.

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## News of Harmony

(By Mrs. Mather Carr)  
**HARMONY, March 3.** — We had a nice little snow February 23 and a right nice little rain Saturday night, but the wind Sunday dried lots of it out and quite a lot of dust blew. There were 44 present at the mid-week services. Mrs. H. G. Krebs conducted the devotional taking the place of Rev. Krebs, who preached that night at the Methodist church,

at the beginning of their meeting at Petersburg. Mrs. Krebs brought a nice devotional.

Club met Thursday, February 19, at the club house with Mrs. Ted Rutherford as hostess. Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass called the house to order. Roll call was answered by table graces. After the business session the program was given by Mrs. Wesley Carr and Mrs. Don Finkner. The exhibit was a table setting, silver has a story to tell and courtesy and manners at the dining table. Recreation was directed by Mrs. Don Finkner. There were 15 members present.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pool left for Dallas Friday to visit Mrs. Pools parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor and celebrated their birthday. They plan to be away several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Rutherford left for Dallas Friday to attend the funeral of a friend. They will also visit in Abilene and Stamford with relatives before returning home.

Mrs. Bill Edwards' brother, Carl Gunn, who is in the hospital at Amarillo is no better. His condition is serious.

Mr. and Mrs. Chloma Williams have spent most of the past week in Amarillo at the bedside of Mr. Williams' mother, Mrs. L. A. Williams, who is seriously ill in a hospital. Mrs. Williams has been ill for little more than a week. Her condition at noon Sunday seemed a little better for a time.

Capt. Weldon Edwards, who had been visiting his parents, the past week left Saturday for Idaho, where he will be for awhile and then will be sent to Florida before going to

# Soil Fertility Meeting Draws Crowd of 200

Soil building, the best use to make of irrigation water, means of getting more production for the money and effort, keynoted Friday's meeting at Plains theatre in Lockney.

It was labeled a soil fertility meeting, at which nearly 200 men who work with the soil in Floyd county registered. Along with them also a good many business men of Lockney and Floydada.

Those who attended gave keen attention to the remarks of the speakers who paraded before them one after another, including:

A. K. Epperly, agricultural agent of the Burlington lines;

Lester Ewing, a Ft. Lupton, Colorado farmer, who operates in a high state of fertility an irrigation farm established by his grandfather in 1850;

Duke Thornton, agricultural chemist, Texas A. & M. college, who spoke of sick soils and commercial fertilizers;

E. M. True, associate agronomist, A. & M. college, whose subject was irrigated pastures and their use as soil builders.

**Talk on Water District**

During the afternoon Marvin Shurbet, a member of the High Plains Under-ground Water Conservation district county committee, outlined the aspirations of the local conservation unit to keep control of the waters under the land in local hands and out of the hands of Austin and Washington authorities, telling farm operators how they can help to this end.

Other subjects in the afternoon included a discussion of increasing cotton production by Walter Thaxton of the Lubbock experiment station, irrigation methods to save soil and water by E. V. Thurman, irrigation specialist of the Extension service; and the control of noxious weeds by Robt. H. Gibson, county agent of Floyd county.

Water conservation, its needs and value to the farmers of the southwest was discussed by Iven D. Wood, who is an irrigation specialist of the U. S. department of Agriculture. How to make most of the water and how necessary to take care of the soils was the burden of his talk.

At noon the crowd of farmers and business men were guests of Lockney Chamber of Commerce at a sumptuous feed service in the American Legion building on north Main street.

County Agent Robt. H. Gibson served as moderator of the meeting for the day.

Mrs. W. E. Walker left Monday for Fort Worth where she will attend the funeral of a nephew, J. M. Cole, who died early Monday morning after a long illness.

### LEFT ARM BROKEN

Miss Marlene Hollums, bookkeeper at Poote Butane Company, broke her left arm, between the wrist and elbow, while skating in Lubbock one evening last week.

Miss Hollums is back on her job, however after a day or two having x-rays and treatments at Lubbock Memorial hospital.

the Philippines. Sunday school was short of members Sunday. Some being gone and some ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Tipton moved back to the plains last Wednesday from Arkansas where they made their home the past year. They are the parents of Mrs. Sherwood Ramsey. We hope they can get located in our community.

Mrs. Bill Tucker intertained her daughter, Patricia on her birthday Saturday. Some of the girls spent the night with Patricia.

Verna Dell Pate and Grace Anne Potts of Floydada were visitors at Sunday school at the chapel Sunday.

Mrs. M. D. Ramsey is ill again with flu.

### CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 2.288 miles of Gr. Flex. Base & Three Crs. Surf. Treat. from North city lts. to East city lts. on Us 70: From US 70 East to 5th Street on SH 207; & From US 70 west to 1st. St. on Fm 784 in Floydada on Highway No. US 70, SH 207, & FM 784, covered by C 146-7-8, C 463-8-5 & C 112-8-12, in Floyd County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 a.m., March 17, 1953, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 64 of the legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provision herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set fourth in proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to ex-

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ecute the work on above named project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall pay not less than these wage rates as shown in the proposal for each craft or type of labor, workman or mechanic employed on this project.

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WHEREAS Money and your Blood is needed to combat the dread paralyzing effects of poliomyelitis and the procurement of blood for defense; and

WHEREAS the Red Cross is appealing for \$93,000,000 in voluntary contributions as the minimum amount required to help those in need of special assistance throughout the Nation in the year ahead:

NOW, I, W. E. Grimes, Special County Judge, do hereby designate March, 1953, as Red Cross Month in Floyd County, Texas, and I do hereby urge each citizen to respond as generously as possible for funds for this great cause.

**W. E. GRIMES**

Special County Judge, Floyd County, Texas



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## VIEWS AND COMMENT

We are proud this week to be able to speak out in a more happy tone about the weather. The past 20 months we have been unable to say anything that would make the farmer any too happy. Nobody likes to be the bearer of bad tidings. Not having anything good to report we just didn't. But now it is different. The period of hard dry with "skies like brass and the earth like iron under your feet" as Mr. Campbell, the dry land expert, used to say, is now turning the corner. Note the March 1 shower. Also note we have coming up in time for the planting season a moon change that hits exactly at the right hour in the morning. This could be taken to mean, and we do take it to mean, that the rain man will gradually get back into the groove and we'll have some moisture. We mean this spring.

Of course, we still have to hurdle that winter weather we have not had as yet. We don't know that it is coming, but we do know that the reported experience of the old-timers is that if winter doesn't get here during the winter it make a hard try at it later in the season. Which means do not get in too big a hurry for your wheat to run up a stem and joint out. Better get some grazing as late as your judgment will permit, and hold that little wheat down while it will let you do so. We've really had only two stabs at winter weather todate the whole season long and both of them were puny efforts as it were. What we mean, don't start taking spring blood purifiers or anything to thin down your blood yet. Instead keep you long handles on, get some bundles close to the fence for throwing over purposes and watch the well so it won't freeze and bust the sucker rod.

Whereas pre-session observers anticipated the school problem, highways and paved rural roads, along with taxes would highlight the current legislature's activities, the contacts which we have in Austin say that groups who want their business regulated by law got the jump and that a huge portion of the time of the law making body is being spent studying proposals to regulate various groups and professions. Much of the time of the legislature has already been spent for these purposes, says Senator A. J. Rogers. He wonders if the general public is aware of this. The argument is "we must protect the public," or "it is in the interest of the public welfare." From another source, illustrating the point, comes the information that a bill (No. 254) now in the House hopper, would "grant the Texas State Board of Medical Examiners" the power to revoke the license of any doctor whom the board feels is violating the medical code of ethics. Apparently intended as an amendment to the present law the section substitutes the "Texas state board of medical examiners" for the "District courts of this state." The change would take the power of enforcement out of the hands of the district court and put the power in the

hands of the board. One observer, reporting to the Hesperian said 70 per cent of the time of the legislative session todate has been consumed in considering such measures. Instance is the wrangle among opposing groups in the optometrists' profession. Some of these want a "strong law for the protection of the public," the others want the business left alone. He asks "how much have you benefited from all the protection the professions, the learned and skilled men have thrown around you in the past 15 years?" He snorts that the general public wouldn't stand for it a minute if they could help themselves.

Nearly the deadline for report and payment of your income tax if you are an employee of a person who makes his living from a trade or profession. Most of the farm operators have long since finalized their reports and dismissed the matter from their minds for another year. March 15 is the dead-line, if you have forgotten. And if you have not assembled your information, hoping you've got it all stashed away, the days are reeling off fast now. Better look see to be sure.

We like the idea of the president of the country whipping out of the atmosphere of the national capital and getting a breath of fresh air as often as he can. We note that Mr. Eisenhower did it the other day and that his predecessors, since Hoover, did much of the same. Some felt that Mr. Truman spent too much time on his luxury ship cruising on the Potomac. They said un-nice things about him and his alleged poker parties. However, quite noticeably, he was "out for a brisk early-morning walk." before most of his critics got up. He couldn't have absorbed as much poison on his cruises as if he had stuck around Washington. Nor could the new president do worse than to get away as often as possible. His critics likely will have him playing golf for a dollar a hole or something else terrible. Mr. Hoover is a shining example of a president who "stuck with the job." Generally speaking, getting away from noise and clamor occasionally gives a person a chance to maintain his balance. The president carries a "terrible load." He simply has to come up for breath as often as he can in order to maintain his balance, his own sense of being captain of his soul.

The number of home gardens in the state dropped to 442,155 last year as compared with 581,000 in 1951.

The first nutrition specialist was employed by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in 1924. Last year county home demonstration agents conducted 750 leader training meetings in foods and these leaders in turn gave more than 4,000 demonstrations.

You can take a day off, but you cant put it back.

To err is human, but it feels divine.

## Links Floydada In World-Wide Organization

Floydada was linked last week with more than 7,600 other cities and towns in 84 countries of the world as the Rotary club of Floydada commemorated the 48th anniversary of the founding of the international Rotary organization. The birthday of this world wide fellowship of business and professional men was celebrated by the local Rotary Club at its meeting in the Legion hall Wednesday noon.

In commenting on the program of Rotary, Clinton Fyffe of the Floydada Rotary Club said: "Rotary activities throughout the world are based on the same general objectives — the development of fellowship among business and professional men, the betterment of communities, leading boys and girls into good citizenship, the promotion of high standards in business and professions, and the advancement of international understanding, good will and peace."

In tracing the growth of Rotary, Mr. Fyffe said: "The first Rotary club was organized in Chicago on February 23, 1906, by Paul P. Harris, a young lawyer, who suggested the idea to a group of his friends. It was called the Rotary club, because the first meetings were held in rotation, in the offices of its members."

"For nearly half a century, Rotary has continued to grow in numbers and strength. In the past twelve months, for example, nearly 300 new Rotary clubs have been organized in 36 countries of Europe, Africa, Asia, the Americas and the islands of the Pacific. Today, Rotary is a world wide organization of some 365,000 business and professional executives who are members of more than 7,600 Rotary clubs. There are

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The suit, Travis L. Morrison and E. P. Lewis vs. Bert Hawkins et al, asked \$18,500.00 for damages alleged to growing crops.

Representing defendants were John Fullington of Amarillo and Robert Hamilton of Jayton. Attorneys for the plaintiffs were lawyers Traweck and Fish, both of Matador.

J. V. Greer, of Dumas, was a business visitor in Floydada last mid-week.

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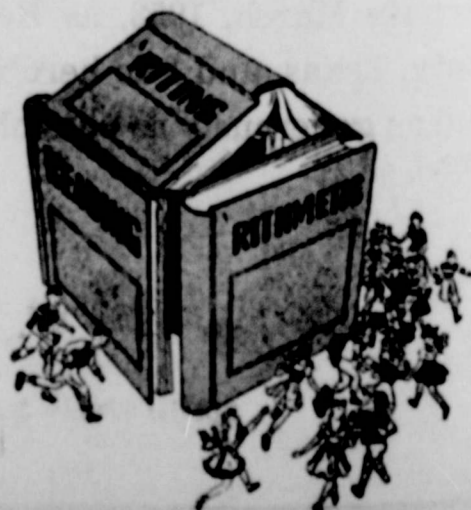
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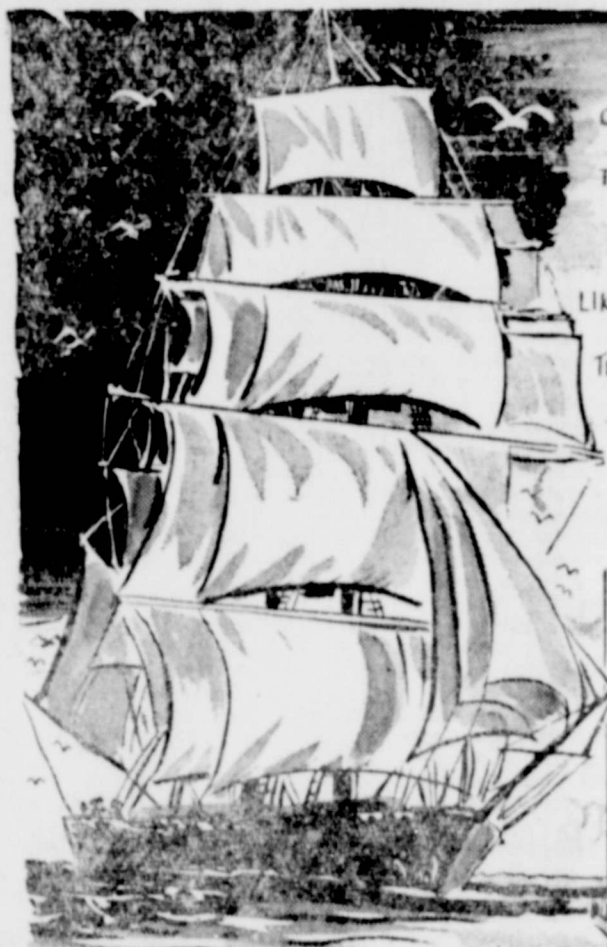
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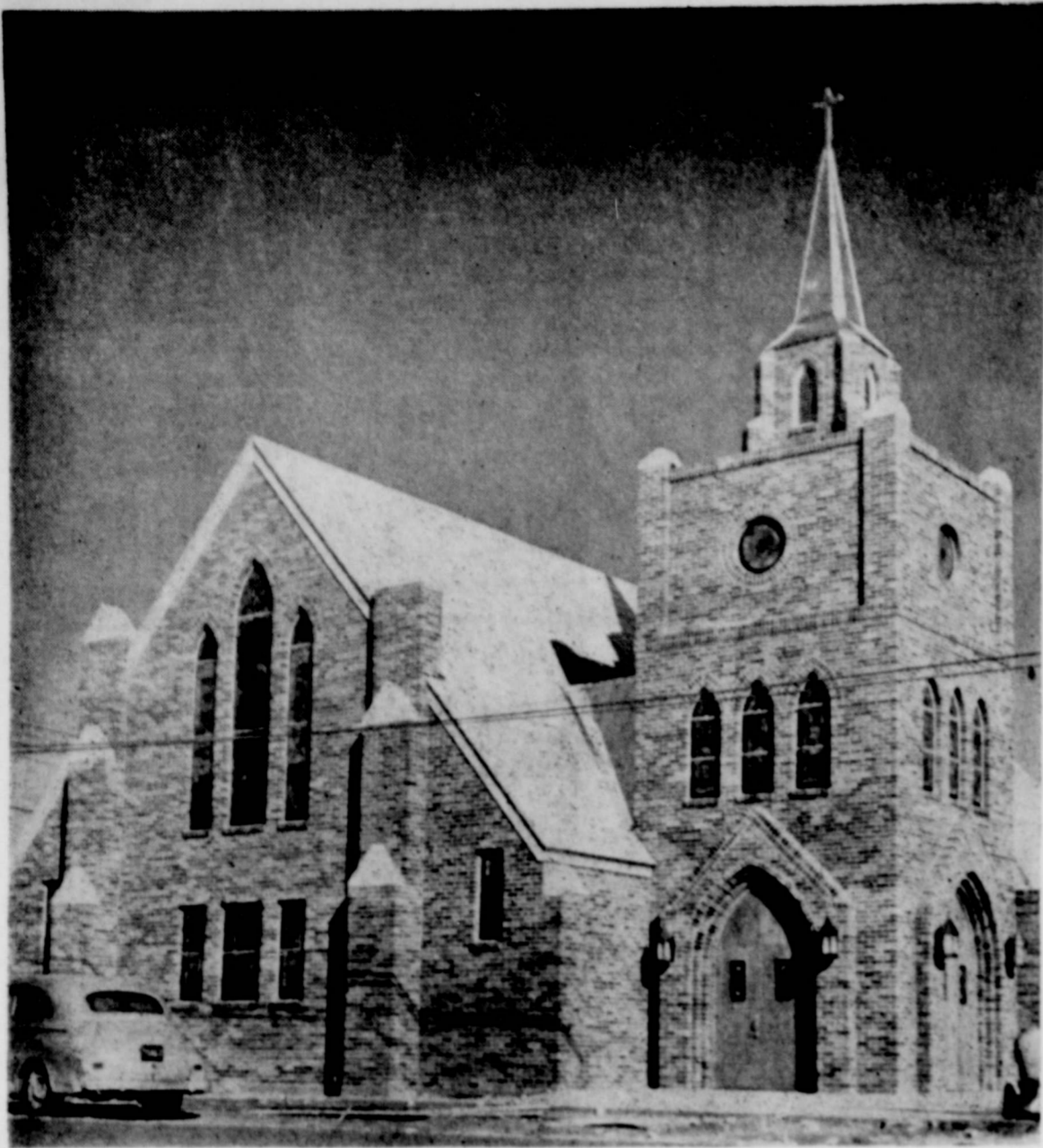
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## New Methodist Church Graces Lockney Scene

Lockney citizens and Floyd county are proud of the imposing new sanctuary, recently completed by the membership of the First Methodist church in Lockney.

The first service was held Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, designated as membership day in the beautiful new white brick and Gothic type structure. Friends of the church were invited to call and inspect the new edifice in the afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock, and many persons viewed this modern building.

Special music was held at the

This is the new Methodist church at Lockney, sanctuary of which the congregation there used for the first time Sunday. Workmen finished their job Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock and the pastor's first official service to the community in the new edifice was to join a young couple in matrimony Saturday evening.

morning service by the Methodist quartet and the morning sermon was delivered by the pastor, Reverend N. S. Daniel. The building was started about six months ago and finished Saturday at 5 o'clock in time for the formal wedding of Miss Velma Seale and Harry Reeves.

The new building which contains 5600 square feet of floor space including the balcony and the choir, will seat 450 persons.

Stained glass windows at the north and south ends of the auditorium add beauty to the building. The pulpit is at the north end of the church with choir loft to right of the audience and communion rail and table at the back of the pulpit.

The balcony is on the south end of the edifice and affords extra seating space.

The pastor's study and the parlor are on the left and right of the north end with connecting rooms and hall ways to the old building.

The pews are modern with foam rubber cushions. And there is a bell tower which matches the modern lines of the building.

The roof of the Gothic type structure slopes sharply to low walls and the interior is of open beam construction. The windows of the building are of various themes and are attractive. The beauty of the interior adds to an atmosphere of reverence.

Reverend Daniel, who has been pastor of the Methodist church in Lockney for the past six years, has spent much of his time on the grounds during the building of the church. He and the members are proud of their new church.

Reverend Daniel said of his building committee that they were very cooperative and everything came off as scheduled.

### Blanco News

(By Mrs. Weldon McClure)

MT BLANCO, March 3.—The singing school taught by Odie Echols of Lubbock closed Monday night. There was good attendance each night and everyone enjoyed it.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lamb and children visited in Lubbock Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

Thursday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Pierce were some of their children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Prost and family of Edinburg, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Pierce of Monahans, J. M. Pierce and family of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Pierce and family of Kalgary, Mrs. J. J. Pierce and sons of Crosbyton and Mrs. John Irvin and Shirlyene of Crosbyton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Spurgin visited the Payne and Dean families in Lubbock Monday.

Mrs. Brice Allen and Nancy visited in Spur Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Powell visited Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Mosley Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Spurgin visited in Paducah Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McGowan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Jones of Crosbyton were Friday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph McCurdy and Larry. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McClure and Margaret visited for awhile also.

Bro. and Mrs. Watkins and Carolyn were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Watson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McClure and Margaret were Lockney and Floydada visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dean and baby of Lubbock visited in the R. E. Spurgin home Sunday.

Joe and Catherine Appling and Allene Brown visited in Canyon Sunday with Shirley Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Taylor and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tilford Taylor in Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dean and baby of Lubbock visited in the R. E. Spurgin home Sunday.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the Weldon McClure home were Mrs. Hoyt McClure and Duane and Bro. and Mrs. Watkins and Carolyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Rathel spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore.

Frankie Watkins and Dale Hill were Sunday guests of Frank Knox and Charles Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph McCurdy and Larry were Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hill and sons.

Larry Hartsell spent Friday night with Larry McCurdy.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Halcomb and family visited in Roaring Springs Sunday.

We were saddened to hear last Thursday of the death of our good friend, E. R. Robertson of Bloomington, Illinois. Mr. Robertson owned land worked by C. A. and J. W. McClure.

The Home Demonstration club ladies will entertain their families next Thursday night, March 12, with a dinner and program at the community house. The time is 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Appling were Floydada visitors Monday.

**HALES ON CALIFORNIA JAUNT**  
**GUESTS OF CHILDREN THERE**

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sam Hale returned home Friday from a stay with their children in California.

In San Diego they visited with a daughter, Mrs. A. H. Rainer, Mr. Rainer and the boys, and with Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Hale and their new son, Sammy Hale, born February 20 in San Diego.

In Montrose California they were guests of another son, Ralph Hale and family.

They report a wonderful trip and all the family in California are doing well.

Mrs. Maud Hollums is a patient in Pitts hospital suffering with a stubborn case of flu. Her sister, Mrs. J. Sam Hale, is also a patient across the hall in the hospital with the flu contracted on her return from California.

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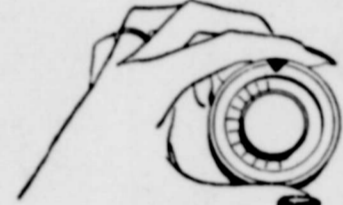
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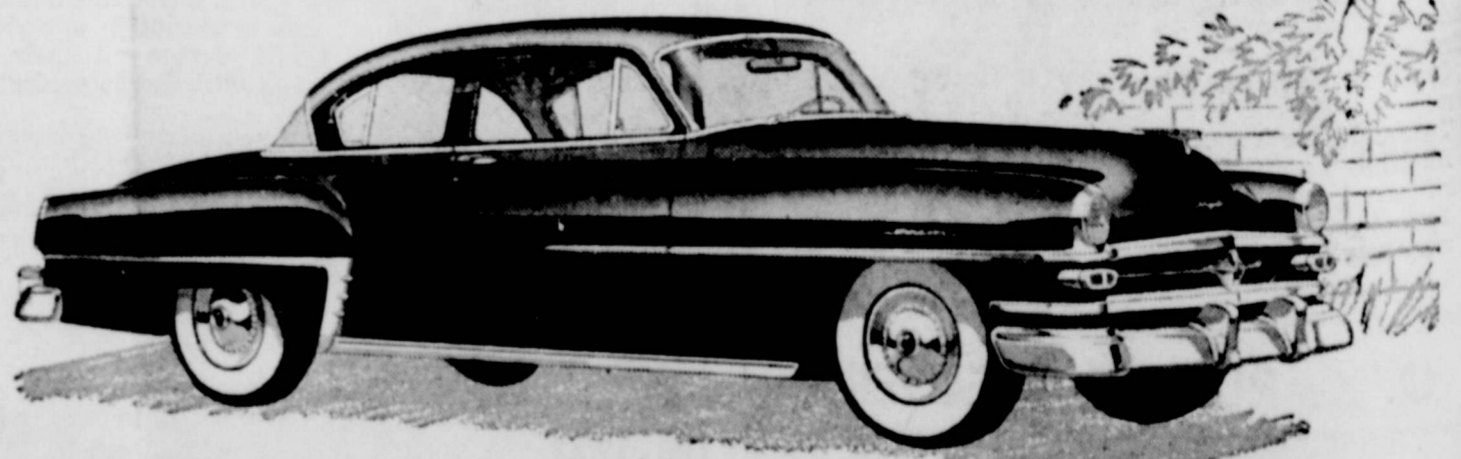
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Demons won the regional tournament for class and with it the right to play at Austin. In the state meet at Lubbock on Saturday at Lubbock defeated Hereford 57 to 42.

Demons were representing the regional meet, which was held at Lubbock on Friday night. Demons were victorious in the first game but were defeated by Hereford 7-0 before the second half. Demons led the basket, and led the first half.

Streu and Wilson were the all regional team. Fletcher and Beilue of Hereford, Harold Black and Max Childress, Max Brownfield and Joe Bell.

## Plains News

PLAINS, March 2.—Rev. C. Guest, from Friendland, near Levelland, where this vicinity from Thursday afternoon. They were Mr. and Mrs. Edsel children, in Silverton, Dick Guest at the South, Mrs. Zach Cummings re-

turned home the first part of the week from Parnersville, Texas, where they had been called by the severe illness of Mr. Cummings' father. On Wednesday they were called back there by the death of the father. Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Cummings and Zach also went to the funeral on Thursday.

Mrs. Maggie Hunt, of Albuquerque New Mexico was a guest in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smitherman, Phillip and Larry, last week.

On Friday night Mr. and Mrs. G. P. West and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marble went to Lone Star to visit Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Teeple at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Marble were called home the early part of the evening by the illness of her father, J. L. King.

Rev. and Mrs. Clay Guest, from Levelland, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smitherman Friday night.

A wedding of interest to those in our community was that of Miss Hester West, of Abilene, and Ian Moore, which took place Saturday, February 28, at 1:30 p.m. at St. Pauls Methodist Chapel, in Abilene. Mrs. Moore had been living in Abilene for some time, and Mr. Moore is affiliated with stores in this vicinity. The couple will make their home in Lubbock. Guests who attended the wedding and reception from here were Mr. and Mrs. John Key West, Dale Winfred and Johnny Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bean and Sue Diane, John L. West and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murff, the latter two families from Floydada.

H. R. Hartman and W. M. Stanforth, sr., have been working this week on the Farm Bureau Program in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. West visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smitherman on Friday evening, and enjoyed television while visiting with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Karr and children were callers on Sunday afternoon at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Upton and children.

J. L. King, of Floydada, is staying with his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marble and family at present. He

had a bad spell on Friday, but is able to be up in a wheel chair at present.

Mr. and Mrs. George West were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Davis, of Floydada, on Thursday evening, and with other friends they enjoyed an evening of canasta and television.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders, Richard, Roger, and Curtis, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Barnett attended the funeral services of Mrs. Sanders' uncle, A. G. Barnett, of Crosbyton, on Thursday, February 26, at the First Methodist church in Crosbyton. Mr. Barnett had been ill for the past two years. He took a turn for the worse, and passed away on Tuesday, February 24. All his seven children were able to be at the funeral service.

Mrs. Bryant Higginbotham is the chairman in our community for the Red Cross Drive. The Floyd County quota is for \$3300, and much good is done here and everywhere by this organization. Please help your chairman when she comes to your house.

Supper guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. West, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Smith and children from Sterley, enjoyed a pleasant evening on Monday night.

Everyone come to the prayer meeting services held each Wednesday evening at 7:30 at the Baptist church in South Plains. Teachers' church meeting will be held after the prayer meeting this Wednesday night.

Mrs. Frank Brown is recuperating in the Lockney Hospital after undergoing dental surgery on Wednesday of last week in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. George West were testing television in their home on Monday night and visitors enjoying the evening with them were Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Thornton.

The South Plains Community was fortunate in receiving over half an inch moisture in the form of rain on Saturday night. The high winds of Sunday quickly evaporated the wet ground and everyone is hoping for more such good rain. Electricity was off Saturday and most of Sunday due to trouble with a transformer.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Upton and family were hosts Sunday at their home for a Sunday dinner. Those who came after church and spent the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton, Barbara Sue and Donita.

Robert Wayne Jones has been quite ill this past week with the flu, and Katherine Mulder has had the intestinal flu. Dale West has been out of school with hepatitis. Little Kathy Thornton was ill with a cold, and Barbara Sue Milton suffered ear ache over the week-end. Beth Calahan has the chicken pox. So many children have been ill in our community.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Jones on Sunday afternoon in South Plains were her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Nance and Mike, of the Lone Star community.

Over night guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thames and children were her sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Morrow, and children who came from Lubbock Saturday and spent the night with them.

The Womens Missionary Society of the Baptist church will meet at the church at 2 o'clock on Wednesday of this week for bible study, and the subject will be "Sarah," from Women in the Bible. Mrs. Bryan Karr will have charge of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smitherman arrived home on Friday evening after an enjoyable visit spent in southern Texas. In Portland they were with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. K. McKenzie, and a family reunion was held during their visit. They went on to Galveston to see her sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Nutt. They also spent some time in Texas City, visiting the John McLendons, former residents of South Plains. In Mt. Pleasant they stopped for a short while with her cousin, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Ferguson. They report rains down that way, and they saw some beautiful country as their trip took them over a great part of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. George West had as house guests over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans and children from Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Lee Smith and children.

from Sterley. On Saturday they celebrated the birthday of Mrs. Evans, with a big family dinner. Little Gary Lee Evans is spending this week with his grandparents. The Weasts will take him home to Amarillo on Wednesday, when they plan to attend the Pat Stock Show up there.

### Home Demonstration Club Celebrates 50th Anniversary

The South Plains Home Demonstration club met Wednesday, February 25, at the home of Mrs. Murray Julian, with Mrs. Otho Sanders as co-hostess. Our House, was the topic for the day, and roll call was answered with "Something I Have Learned at a Club Meeting." The answers were interesting and varied, for although the first club members learned to can fruits and vegetables, they now learn everything pertaining to the home and its management, such as menu planning, food preparation of all descriptions, basket making, every possible kind of sewing, painting of all kinds, leather work, and so many things it is impossible to enumerate them. Miss Petty was guest at this meeting, and gave an interesting, detailed demonstration on selection of furniture and its arrangement. She showed slides on storage planning, which was enjoyed by all. "We Celebrate a 50th Anniversary" was given by Mrs. L. T. Wood, in the absence of Mrs. John Smitherman, and she told how the club grew from a meeting on February 26, 1903, at the Porter Farms at Terrill, Texas, where Dr. S. A. Knapp gave a talk on the boll weevil. That was the beginning of the service, out of which has grown our Home Demonstration Clubs of today. The first club in West Texas was at Shallowater, and the first club members, Mrs. George West and Mrs. Una Deavenport still belong to the club, and Mrs. Walter

Wood and Mrs. West told of the first club meeting in our community. Mrs. Grigsby Milton gave the council report, and told that Lois Ritchie of Garza County will be the scholarship girl to attend Texas Tech at Lubbock. Mrs. J. P. Taylor was selected to be our living room demonstrator, and will attend those meetings at Miss Petty's office. Carrying out the 50th anniversary motif, Mrs. Sanders had decorated a beautiful cake for the occasion, and the table was laid with a lace cloth over gold, with crystal punch bowl and other crystal appointments. In the glowing light of the candles the hostesses served golden punch,

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white cake squares, and golden squares of ice cream, made especially for the anniversary. Gold table service was used, and guests at the meeting were Miss Leila Petty, and Mrs. Early Joiner, from Floydada, Mrs. W. S. Spearman from South Plains, and members of the club who attended were Mmes. Raymon Upton, Bryan Karr, J. B. Thames, J. P. Taylor, L. T. Wood, Fred Fortenberry, Walter Wood, Bill Beedy, Frank McClure, George West, Grigsby Milton, Horace Marble, Sylvian Kinnibrugh, J. K. West, I. H. Parks, and hostesses Otho San-

ders and Murray Julian. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Sylvian Kinnibrugh, with Mrs. John K. West as co-hostess, and March 11 is the date.

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## Red Cross Workers at Kick Off Dinner Hear Great Need for Blood

"Why not give a pint of blood? You may get it back," was the slogan given by Sgt. Howard Rogers of the Reese Air Base, Lubbock when he spoke Thursday evening at a Red Cross dinner. Using the theme of the Red Cross at work, Sgt. Rogers cited instances within his own experiences of seeing the Red Cross at work following disasters. He reminded that the Red Cross was noted as being first to aid in time of disaster.

The dinner, courtesy of the First National Bank, Floydada, was held at the American Legion hall. E. C. Carter, 1953 fund campaign chairman was master of ceremonies. He introduced Rev. Tilden B. Armstrong, pastor of the Floydada Methodist church who gave the invocation. Following an introduction from committeemen and officials of Red Cross, Carter introduced Master Sgt. John Andrews, also of Lubbock who accompanied the speaker.

Sgt. Andrews gave a short brief of Red Cross, its origin and its needs. Conceived by one Henri Dunant, a Swiss philanthropist, who witnessed the carnage at the battle of Solferino in 1859, he was shocked by the lack of care given to the wounded left helpless on the battlefield, and the Red Cross movement started. In 1881 the American Association of the Red Cross was incorporated and the following year was signed at the Red Cross Treaty of Geneva.

Andrews introduced Sgt. Rogers who compared blood in the body with oil in machinery. Blood, he said, has no religion. In explaining further he said blood from a Methodist transfused into a Baptist would not make another Methodist. Blood from a horse has substance and color of human blood but contains no RH factor. Only human blood contains RH factor, he said.

A person may lose as much as two pints of blood with no harm resulting to his body, the speaker said.

At the present time the Red Cross needs blood more than ever before. First, for tests that must be made to perfect gamma globulin, the powerful new weapon against the paralyzing effect of poliomyelitis. Next for the constant demand from blood centers of the forces and last for a stockpile in the event of an attack against warring enemies.

Sgt. Rogers pointed out that blood collected in Floydada can be flown to the Korean battlefield in from three to six days.

N. W. Williams, local Red Cross chairman, expressed appreciation to the First National bank for the dinner and to those who attended. Mrs. Winnie Angus, home service secretary gave a brief resume of the local Red Cross at work during the past year.

Those present for the program were Speakers Andrews and Rogers, Mr. Carter, Mr. Williams, Rev. Armstrong, Mrs. Angus, Carl Minor, Mrs. Mary Shaw, Jess Wood, Clarence Guffee, Mrs. S. W. Ross, Mrs. L. P. Martin, Mrs. W. D. Newell, and Parnell Powell.

Gerald Lackey, Mrs. Howard Drysdale, Ned Bradley, Ted Boedeker, Mrs. Herschel Carthel, R. G. Dunlap, Raymond Rucker, Kenneth Woodford, Mrs. R. L. Nichols, Mrs. Bennie Teaff, Charlie Andrews, Hubert Frizzell, Mrs. Hillery Shurbet and Mrs. Everett Miller.

## As A Farm Woman Thinks

(by Nellie Witt Spikes.)

I remember, I remember  
The house where I was born,  
The little window where the sun  
Came peeping in at morn.  
In early American history we find that many of the settlers did not have windows, that is of glass as we have. Holes were cut in the log houses and board windows that could open and shut were used. Greased paper was sometimes placed in the openings. Old histories tell of the sights of the "big towns" that had windows of glass. I think I have read that at one time it was against the law to have over a certain number of windows and they were not to be curtained up.  
The window panes when I grew

up were very small and at that time it seems folks had more pillows than money to buy new panes of glass and stuffed a pillow in to keep out the wind. Or a board was nailed across the hole. Windows were small and not too many. They let in the cold. Even after I began housekeeping, on many a cold day, I hung heavy quilts over the windows and even the doors, to help keep the heat from the one stove in and the cold wind out.

Women have always loved to curtain their windows. Men have never liked them. The curtains are washed and ironed, stiff and crisp. Men take them and tie knots in them or roll them behind a chair, a bed or anything they have. They jerk a window shade and it either flies to the top or comes off the roller. They simply do not like curtains. Or at least I have found this to be so.

No one likes to wash windows. And if they do, that very same day, a few drops of rain mixed with a bunch of sand will undo their work. Or the children will make letters and draw pictures on them if there is a little steam.

Last Friday we sat by the picture window and while Mr. Spikes read his paper, I looked out the window at the outside world. The kitchen table was piled high with papers, unanswered letters, columns to be written but I just forgot about them. The Arizona cypress were shaking, bowing to and fro, all the world was just shades of brown, even the blue of the sky was blurred by brown dust. Bits of newspaper clung to the rose thorns, candy papers went by in a hurry. Tar paper and pasteboard boxes were picked up by the high wind and sailed like kites on the ground. Soup simmers on the stove.

I hear Wayne Robison of KPLD give the weather report and when the weather looks bad, he can really "go to town." The trees at Delmar Parrish's wave their gray branches, like fans handled by the wind.  
Today it is warm inside but when I have to go to the garage for anything, the cold blows right through me. Dark clouds pile in the south and west, a deep blue sky is almost covered. I recall the old weather forecast, dark gray clouds, deep blue sky, rain or snow in twenty four hours.

But back to the windows. Seems that when folks get big picture windows to sit and look at the world as it goes by, they draw the drapes, let down the blinds, settle back to look at television. We have lights everywhere, on the ceiling, floor lamps, table lamps. We turn them all out and use a small television lamp. We look across to our neighbors, not a gleam of light. They are at home for even the porch light is not on.

We could be living in a log house, with a tallow candle and a window of wood that closed the open space for a light in the day. Kinda funny, I think. Do you?

The eyes are said to be the "windows of the soul." Education, like an opening window, Daniel knelt and prayed as "the windows being open in his chamber towards Jerusalem." The hidden room in a man's house where God sits all the year. The secret windows whence the world looks small and very dear.

Another way to look at stealing: Chesteron says: "Thieves respect property. They merely wish the property to become their property that they may more perfectly respect it."

### RECURRENCE OF HEART TROUBLE FOR HARRY STANLEY

Harry Stanley, who has been ill for the past few weeks, with a recurrence of an old heart trouble, was able to be at his barber shop for a short time Monday.

Mr. Stanley was confined to his hospital room for several months last year but has been working rather steadily at the shop for the past few months. Doctor's orders now are rest and more rest for awhile.

Mrs. Delbert Groves and son, of Pampa, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Love and daughter, Joy, of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Lackey and daughter, Linda, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Love.



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## Ralls Gin Manager Brother of W. M. Goode, Succumbs

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Mr. Goode was a native of Hill county. He had been a resident of Ralls for the past three years. Mr. Goode had been a ginner for the past twenty-five years.

Funeral service for Mr. Goode was conducted on Monday afternoon at the Ralls Baptist church with the pastor, Reverend James S. Abernathy officiating. Burial was in the Ralls cemetery under the direction of the Marr-Carter funeral home.

Survivors include the wife, Mrs. Eunice Goode, two sons, David Don and Robby Goode, a daughter, Linda Mae Goode, and six brothers, Lloyd and Carl of Lubbock, Bill of Floydada, Luther of Hale Center, Andy of Houston, and Jess Goode of Earth, and one sister, Mrs. Oscar Allen of Colledge, Texas, all were present at the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goode and daughter and Mrs. Clyde Henderson, sister of Mrs. Bill Goode, attended the funeral service on Monday.

Friends from Floydada attending the funeral were: Messrs and Mesdames Henry Edwards, B. A. Robertson and Albert Pricer and Mrs. W. W. Emeritt.

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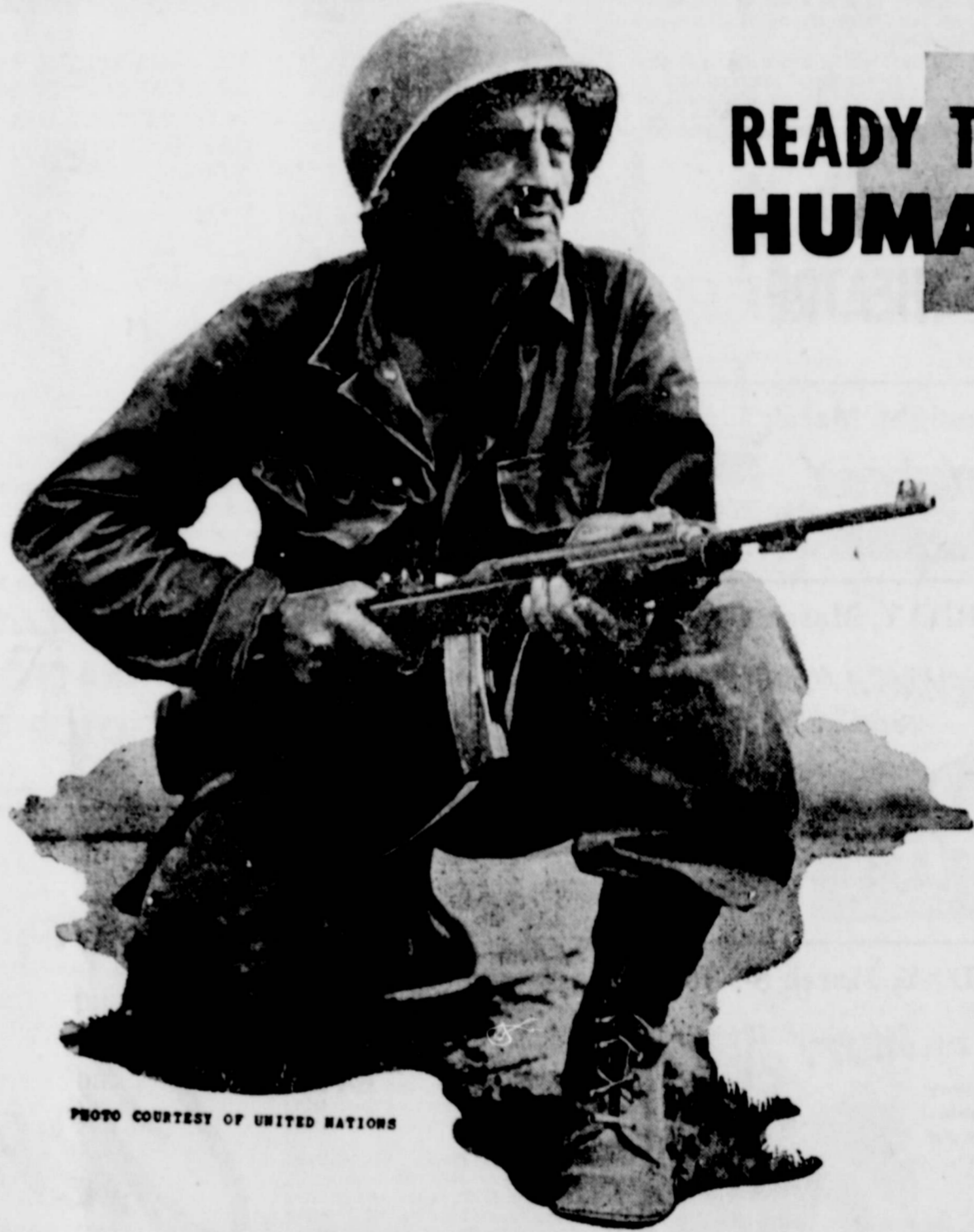


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**CHERRIES . . . . 25c**  
LIBBY'S, No. 1/4 Can  
**POTTED MEAT . . 10c**  
WHITE HOUSE, 28 oz. Jar  
**Apple Butter . . . 28c**  
DINTY MOORE, Can  
**BEEF STEW . . . . 50c**  
CAMPBELL, Can  
**TOMATO SOUP . 12c**

GEBHARDT'S, No. 300 Can  
**CHILI BEANS . 14c**  
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**SARDINES . . . . 9c**  
BAKER'S, Box  
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**Rabbits, 1.49**  
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**CHEESE, 2 lb. . . . 85c**  
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# G. W. Rodgers, New Co. Agent Takes Up Work

Wm. G. Rodgers, announced in mid-February as the successor of Robt. H. Gibson, resigned, as county agent of Floyd county, took up his work here Monday. He and Mrs. Rodgers finished their moving from Littlefield Monday and set up their household at 528 West Lee street in the home vacated by the Gibsons.

The Gibsons Saturday finished moving from Floydada to their new home at Paymaster farm, near Aiken, where living quarters had been prepared for them. Gibson began work as farm superintendent of the highly-developed 885-acre tract there and a 160-acre tract in Lubbock county. Gibson resigned the county agent's place four years to a day after he took over. One of his last official acts was to preside at a meeting of Floyd county farmers interested in irrigation and soil fertility problems at Lockney on Friday.

**Comes From Littlefield**  
Rodgers, now county agent, comes from Lamb county where he had been assistant county agent since November of 1950. Lamb is a county of widely varied farming conditions, similar to Floyd in numerous respects. He takes over here with an organization of 4-H club boys numbering some 300 in 13 clubs, in addition to the other routine duties of his job. One of his first activities will be as assistant superintendent of the two-day junior live stock show to be held Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

Rodgers was reared on the Texas tech farms, Lubbock where his father was and is superintendent of the Tech farms. The new agent's background includes work on the farms there, with beef cattle production and horses as his principal assignment. He graduated from Tech with an agriculture degree, animal husbandry major, in the spring of 1950, and worked from July to November as assistant district entomologist in the Extension service.

Mrs. Rodgers is also a Lubbock girl. She was Doris Scarborough before her marriage. She graduated from Texas Tech also in the class of 1950 with a home economics degree.

## Center News

(by Mrs. J. E. Green)  
**CENTERS**, March 31. — It is calm and cool this morning. The expected snow storm did not come yesterday. The sun is shining, but there is a dark streak around. Time will tell if we are to have a bad spell. The birds are singing and it is time to study seed catalogs and plan gardens. For this is the best time to plan.

There are still some solids and flu. J. E. Green has been "under the weather" for the past week.

Bro. and Mrs. Hodges and Jerry, also June Hartline, were Sunday dinner guests in the Green home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Robertson of Stanton visited over the week-end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Robertson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Claude of Amarillo visited Sunday in the Robertson home.

Mrs. J. B. Massingill and children, Sue and Jimmy, of Phillips, visited in the Green home Sunday night. Monday morning they and her mother, Mrs. Matthews, accompanied by Mrs. Green visited with Mrs. R. C. Watson in Floydada. Afterward the Massingills and mother returned to their home in Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Prizzell visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Meredith of Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Welborn and family of Tucuman, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sparks, visited Saturday evening in the J. D. Welborn home.

Mrs. J. E. Green and Margaret visited Saturday afternoon in the Victor Green home in Plainview where they could see and love grand son Jimmy at close range.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunn and

## Red Cross Fund Campaign Poster for 1953



The "marching flags" poster of the late N. C. Wyeth, first used by the Red Cross in 1933 and repeated in 1947, will be used again as the poster of the 1953 Fund Campaign because of its great popularity. Repeated also is last year's slogan, "Answer the Call."

family visited in Alva, Oklahoma, over the week-end with relatives. They were accompanied by James David Welborn, Mr. Dunn's brother there who has been ill is much improved.

The Home Demonstration club women enjoyed the good meeting at Mrs. Woodrow Wilson's last Friday. But were sorry the president, Mrs. McNeill could not be present on account of a recent stay in the hospital.

As this Wednesday night, 1st. in the month) is supper night at prayer meeting, next Wednesday night will be song night. All are invited to share in these services.

And come to Church Sunday.

## Negro Woman, 73 Long a Resident Died on Monday

Mrs. Ruth Nichols, 73, wife of John Nichols, a colored resident of Floydada for the past 30 years, died Monday morning of apoplexy at Peoples hospital after a long illness.

Funeral service for Mrs. Nichols was held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at the colored Baptist church, with the Reverend Douglas of Hamlin officiating. The body was carried by Harmon Funeral Home ambulance to Ardmore, Oklahoma, her former home for burial, immediately after the service here.

Mrs. Nichols was born Ruth Mason in Van Zandt county, Texas, on May 5, 1880, and moved to Floydada 30 years ago. She was a member of the Baptist church.

Survivors include her husband, John and a sister, Ella Cooper, who lived with Mr. and Mrs. Nichols.

### CARD OF THANKS

These words cannot express my appreciation for all the kindnesses my friends have done for me during my illness. The beautiful flowers and gifts, the lovely cards and letters, the good food, and the visits will never be forgotten. Thank you for everything.

Mrs. P. A. Denison

### CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank Dr. Bess and the wonderful nurses at Peoples hospital for their good care of me during my illness.

Judy Lou Martin

## News of Dougherty

(By Mrs. W. J. Ross)  
**DOUGHERTY**, March 3. — All patrons of the Dougherty school are invited to visit school this week. They are welcome to eat at the school lunchroom at same price as the school children.

On Thursday evening, everyone is invited to a program which will include several numbers by the pupils, an exhibit of school work and a speaker. Afterwards a social hour and refreshments.

Despite the blustery weather 61 attended Sunday school Sunday.

Sunday afternoon Mrs. C. R. Woodson and J. T. and W. S. Poole were notified of the death of an aunt, Mrs. A. J. Stone, of Burleson. The elderly lady perished in a fire which destroyed her home Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Corby Lee Marshall of Roaring Springs are the proud parents of a son who arrived March 2 at the Stanley Clinic at Matador. The baby has been named Kenneth Ivan. He weighed in at nine pounds and three ounces. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Marshall of Roaring Springs and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Scott of Dougherty.

Friends who attended the funeral of A. G. Barnett at Crosbyton Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Poole, C. A. Caffee, Mrs. J. T. Poole, Mrs. Joy Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Ward, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ross, Bill Ross and Messrs. C. R. Waadson Harold Woodson, Wayne Ward and Mac Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Kincheloe were Sunday dinner guests in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Bill Smith.

Mrs. R. H. Crawford and Beth visited relatives in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Scott were business visitors to Lubbock Monday. Dorothy, Doris and Frances Foster who are employed at Floydada visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Foster several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Bradley visited relatives at Girard during the week end.

Mrs. L. B. Campbell as a delegate from the El Progreso Study club of Matador attended the Workshop of the Federation of Clubs at Plainview Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Smith, Freida and Dale were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Sewell of Floydada.

### ORDER AND NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF FLOYD  
CITY OF FLOYDADA  
ELECTION ORDER

I, J. A. Patterson, Mayor of the City of Floydada, Texas, by virtue of the power held vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of Floydada, on April 7th 1953, being the first Tuesday thereof, for the purpose of electing the following officers of said City:

Mayor  
Five (5) Aldermen  
and, that said election shall be held at the City Hall in said City, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers thereof, to-wit:  
R. M. (Fred) Battery, Judge  
James H. Word, Asst. Judge  
Mrs. Jeffie Smith, Clerk  
Mrs. Mary Ross, Clerk

**ELECTION NOTICE**  
The City hereby has directed and instructed the Chief of Police to post a properly executed copy of this order and notice of election at the City Hall and two other public places. Said notice shall be posted thirty days before the date of said election. Signed and executed this the 9th day of February, 1953.

**ATTEST:**  
B. K. Barker City Secretary  
J. A. Patterson  
Mayor, City of Floydada, Texas  
6 4tc.

### AN APPLICATION

We wish to express our most sincere thanks to the boys of the Floydada Fire Department, our neighbors and friends who so ably assisted us in the fire at the Shipley home last week. Your kindness and help will ever be appreciated.

Mrs. D. D. Shipley  
Frank and John Shipley.

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## Army and Navy Men in Service

**FORT WORTH**. — Airman First Class John G. Mason, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Mason, Rt. 2, Floydada, Texas, was recently promoted from airman second class according to an announcement by Colonel Louis W. Rohr, commanding officer of the 11th Bombardment Wing, Heavy, at Carswell Air Force base, Fort Worth.

Airman First Class Mason has two years of service with the Air Force. He graduated from Floydada high school in 1946 and was employed by Long-Bell Lumber company, Amarillo, Texas, prior to entering the service.

Mason's present duty assignment is aircraft engine mechanic on B-36 type aircraft in the 11th periodic maintenance squadron and resides with his wife at Fort Worth, Texas.

**FAR EAST (PHTNC)**. — It's back to Korean waters for John T. D. Wilson, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Wilson and husband of Mrs. Betty P. Wilson all of Route 1, Ralls, Texas, after a good will cruise abroad the heavy cruiser USS Rochester to the Southeast Asia ports of Saigon, Viet-Nam, and Manila, Republic of the Philippines.

**WITH THE 25th INFANTRY DIV IN KOREA**. — The second award of the Combat Infantryman badge for excellent performance of duty under enemy fire in Korea was recently presented to 1st Lt. Clinton W. Keeter, whose wife, Helen, lives at 460 Madison st., Vallejo, Calif. He is a member of the 25th infantry division, which now is the senior American division on the

peninsula. It arrived in July, 1950, shortly after the Communists attacked the Republic of Korea.

Lieutenant Keeter arrived in November of last year and is assigned to headquarters company, 1st battalion of the division's 27th Regiment as a supply officer.

A veteran of World War II, he has also been awarded the silver star, the bronze star and the purple heart for wounds received in action.

Before entering the army in September, 1935, the lieutenant attended the Mayfield, Okla., high school.

Keeter is the son of Claude S. Keeter of Lockney, Texas.

Kenneth Karl King, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. King, is another Floydada boy who has joined up with the navy for a tour of service with the armed forces.

Kenneth formerly was employed with Plegly Wiggly in their Floydada store. He entrained at Lubbock on February 23 and enlisted at Albuquerque, New Mexico, on February 24.

**INDIAN OCEAN (PHTNC)**. — While serving aboard the heavy cruiser USS Pittsburgh, Charles E. Boyd, fireman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Eaves of Floydada, Texas, visited Karachi, the capital of Pakistan, last month.

The Pittsburgh will also visit Madras, India, and Colombo, Ceylon. In early March she will return to the Mediterranean and operate with the U.S. Sixth Fleet.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the flowers, gifts, cards and food that were sent us during the illness of our loved one.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Foster  
Mrs. W. D. Martin and Ann  
and Judy Lou Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rodgers of Lubbock spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McKinney.

## Burleson Woman, Victim of Flames, Has Sister Here

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Summerlin and their daughter, Mrs. Scott McCormick, with Mr. McCormick, left Monday for Burleson to attend the funeral service of Mrs. Summerlin's sister, Mrs. A. J. Stone. Mrs. Stone, 76, who died in flames that engulfed her home north of Burleson Sunday morning.

Mrs. Stone and her son, Ray, 40, were preparing Sunday dinner in the home where she had lived for 40 years, when an oil stove exploded in the kitchen. Another son, Preston, 50, who also lived with his mother, was attending church, and did not learn of his mother's death until the church service was over.

The son, Ray, tried to drag his mother from the burning building, but she broke from him and ran back into the flames. Overcome by the flames, Ray fled from the house after he lost sight of his mother in the dense smoke.

The woman's body was recovered from the ruins after the house burned to the ground.

The Stones are long-time residents of Burleson.

Funeral services for Mrs. Stone were held on Tuesday at the First Baptist church there with burial in the Burleson cemetery.

Mrs. Stone was an aunt of Mrs. C. R. Woodson and a cousin of Mesdames C. A. Caffee and W. S. Poole, of Dougherty, who were unable to attend the funeral.

The regular Second Sunday singing will be held at the Nazarene church, March 8 at 2:00 o'clock p.m. Everyone is invited to attend. Announced by Earl Rainer.

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can bring your crop yields up to standard. Or a change in rotation plan, plus making good use of fertilizers might mean the difference. Your county agent has a wealth of material available for study, upon request.

While striving to get more meat or other production per animal, it's a wise practice to keep track of what's new in feeds and feeding practices. Rid your herd of low producers and show weight gainers. Sires should be used which have proved their ability to produce quickgaining offspring of the type best suited to your needs. By controlling diseases, parasites, injuries and death losses, you can cut your animal production costs a great deal.

Getting more out of the hour just involves doing some straight thinking. Doing the job "the hard way" gets it done—but the time and labor costs are high. Efficiency studies show that even a simple re-arrangement of chore routes may save you hundreds of miles of walking in a year. There are new profitable and practical ways of using power and improved machinery, of cutting and storing hay and silage — of feeding livestock — of doing practically all types of farm work better.

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bulletins are available from Texas A & M College. Whatever plans you follow, the proof of their value is measured in terms of whether or not you end up with more per acre, per animal and per hour. Lower production costs, achieved through efficient operation, has the same effect on net profits as an equal rise in price of products sold. There isn't too much the farmer can do about the selling price, but he can do something about lowering his own production costs.

**Conservation District News**

C. T. Hammonds, who is a Floyd county soil conservation district co-operator southeast of Floydada, is shaping and seeding a waterway with the help of soil conservation service technicians. The waterway is 150 feet wide and will take care of a 270-acre watershed. It will intercept water from a diversion terrace and transport it to a grass area around a lake.

Mr. Hammonds plans to seed the waterway to alfalfa and mow the alfalfa for hay.

By establishing this waterway, Mr. Hammonds provided an outlet for a diversion terrace so that he could level the area below for more efficient irrigation.

Now is the time of year to shape and establish vegetation in waterways. Waterways are broad, shallow, vegetated strips used to transport runoff water from the outlets of terraces to a grass area. They are especially valuable in cases where diversion terraces cannot dump water directly on a grass area in these cases, a vegetated waterway can be designed to safely carry the runoff water across land that has been in cultivation without causing severe gully erosion. The width of the waterway will depend upon the drainage area contributing runoff water and slope of the waterway.

Vegetation should be established in the waterway before runoff water is turned into it in order to prevent erosion in the waterway channel. Weeping lovegrass is very good and has been successful in establishing vegetation in waterways where irrigation water cannot be applied. Alfalfa is good vegetation in waterways where irrigation water can be applied on flat slopes.

By the way, farmers in the Dimmitt area are reporting good results from interplanting legumes (principally Chinese Red cowpeas, New Era cowpeas, and Mung beans) in grain sorghums. The growth of the legumes caused no trouble in harvesting grain.

Farmers reported the following results:

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2. Less water needed to produce crop as evaporation was reduced by cover given by the peas;
3. Land that was in sorghum and peas was flat-broke in third gear while land that was in sorghum alone had to be flat-broke in second gear.

It may be profitable to interplant a few acres of sorghums with cowpeas this coming season on a trial basis.

**KITCHEN AND ★★**

**★★★ FIELD NEWS**

(from Floyd County Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc.)

by Nancy Morckel and Claude Weatherbee Electrification Advisers

The Co-op area is divided into seven voting districts; the board of directors is composed of seven members, a member from each district.

Each member named a couple from his district to serve on the annual meeting planning committee. This committee met Friday afternoon, February 27th, to begin making plans for the annual meeting. The date for the meeting was set for April 18. So right now circle this date on your calendar — Saturday, April 18 — and start making plans to attend the annual meeting of your cooperative. The place of the meeting and other details will be announced in the very near future.

Attending the annual meeting planning committee last Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Jarboe.

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The group elected Earnest Lee Thomas chairman of the committee; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Stanforth were chosen as chairman of the program committee;

Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Jarboe and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele, chairman of the food committee; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thomas the Gift committee and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gordon the publicity committee.

Wiley Rogers and Carl Lewis attended Regional IA and AA basketball tournament held in Lubbock Friday and Saturday nights. Dumas won the AA; and Denver City won the IA.

Pete Hickerson is still in the hospital, but Wanda reports this morning that he is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Hickerson, of Grand Prairie, are visiting their son Pete and family and other relatives in Floydada. Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Cobb of Grand Prairie also are visiting their cousin, Pete Hickerson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rainer, Marilyn and Jane of Wichita Falls; and Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Rogers of Plainview, visited Opal Rogers and other relatives over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Medley, of Oklahoma City visited Bud and Kathryn Turner over the week-end.

Kathryn says Mrs. Turner is home from the hospital and improving nicely; but Mrs. R. F. Medley, Mrs. Turners mother is quite seriously ill at the Turner home.

Mrs. Bill Ford of Agra, Oklahoma is visiting her sister, Mrs. V. D. Turner and family.

Mrs. Julia Baker is a new employee at the co-op this week.

R. D. Galbreath, of REA, will visit us this week.

Reamer and Mabel Rainer want to say thanks to those giving the puppies nice homes — they said they didn't have near enough puppies to go around.

Washday is no longer the dreaded.

back-breaking "Blue-Monday" of the past. Fundamental changes in washing machines, laundering supplies, improved fabrics and finishes have made today's washday much more enjoyable than the washday in grandmother's time. In many homes the old once-a-week laundry grind is rapidly being replaced by two or three small washings through out the week. A perfect companion for the automatic washer is the automatic dryer — that eliminates hanging the clothes out in the open on these windy, sand stormy days.

**OBESITY SHORTENS LIFE**

Of the many forms of malnutrition common in the United States, obesity or over-weight is unquestionable the most common and the most serious cause of total years of life lost. It has been reported that some 28 to 30 per cent of the total population is over-weight. Nutrition experts estimate 15 million persons in the U. S. are 20 per cent over weight and another 15 million are 10 per cent over-weight. Although normal weight and over-weight differ with time, countries and society, true obesity is quite different from slight over-weight. And after years of study it is accepted that obesity is truly a sickness or chronic disorder. The term obese is applied to those more than 20 per cent above the ideal weight.

Studies show that mortality rates are higher among obese individuals than those of ideal body weights. Death rates for persons over 45 years who are from 10 to 90 pounds over-weight range from 8 to 116 per cent greater than for persons of normal weight.

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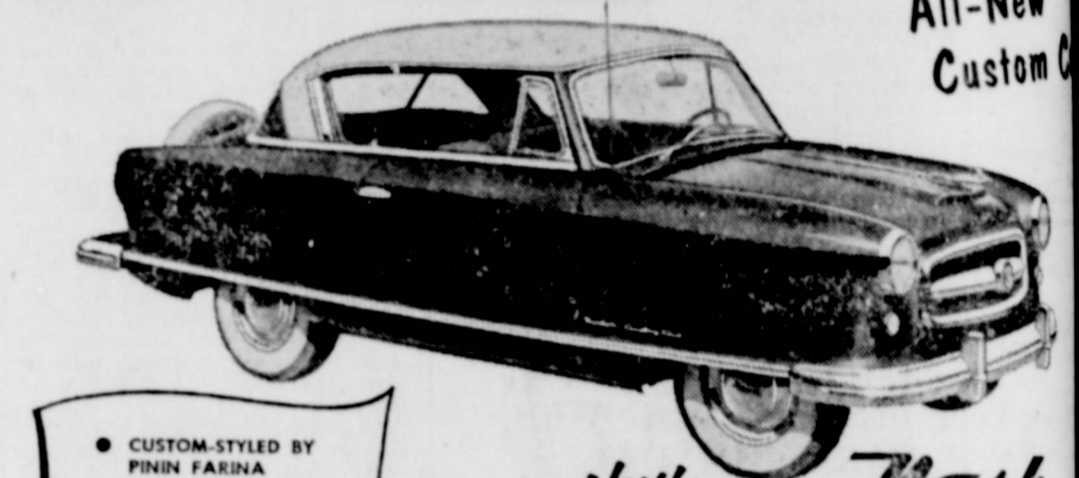
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PICKLES QUART		27c
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POTTED MEAT 4 Cans		25c
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CHEESE FOOD 6 OZ.		29c
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BACON LB.		49c
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- ★ Field Service by Experienced Personnel
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Plan to attend one of our growers' meetings:

PLAINVIEW, MARCH 9 -- 8:00 p. m.. District Court Room  
FLOYDADA, MARCH 10, 7:30 p. m.. District Court Room