

Open Cotton Pulls for Help

weather have conspired to mature the grown bolls fast. Many fields have a half bale open of the bottom crop.

At Floydada the four gins had turned out about 50 bales or so. Strong bid for help from south and east is being made by the gins as their customers strain to get their harvest under way.

This week-end is due to see the vanguard of the cotton pulling crews show up in the county. One raiser said yesterday he had a crew of more than 20 promised for the week-end. Another has a big crew of 70 or more due to hit his fields by Monday.

Early cotton has continued to show up good but late cotton may be disappointing this year. "It just hasn't been the year for late cotton," was the belief, expressed by one veteran in the cotton trade.

PEPPED UP WHIRLWINDS BATTLE LONGHORNS ON FRIDAY NIGHT

The football game of the year, as far as Floyd county fans are concerned, will be reeled off at Lockney Friday night when the Floydada Whirlwinds invade the range of the Longhorns of Lockney. The traditional battle comes early this season and many of the fans will have to hurry to get into the spirit of the thing by game time. Starting whistle will blow at 8 p.m. and Mitchell-Zimmerman field will be the site.

Lockney's coach, Johnny Truelove, is in his first year with the Longhorns. Truelove has a fine reputation as a coach in the Texas panhandle having been head coach at Panhandle for two years and before that he coached at the Kress school. Elvin Lyons is assistant to Truelove. Lyons stayed on with the Longhorns having served in the

Adams Offset, Step-Out Are Pledged

RECALLS RUDE WIND

Days in Early History of Town Recalled by Visiting Physician

Dr. Carl T. Steen, a former publisher of The Hesperian, here last week for a short stay to get re-acquainted with the old home town, recalled an interesting incident in connection with his printer's devil days as an employee of Claud V. Hall, founder of the newspaper.

He states it as a fact that one morning in the spring of 1901 his hat blew off while he was working, blew out the door and the last he saw of it was sailing over the court house yard fence.



This likeness of Omer L. Anderson is thought by the family to have been made in Japan. It was sent home by the army with Anderson's personal belongings nearly a year after he was reported missing in action on July 5, 1950.

Sgt. Anderson Still on Army List of Missing

The name of Sergeant Omer L. Anderson, son of W. W. Anderson of Floydada, was included by the army in a second group of 247 Americans believed captured in Korea but never accounted for by the Communists. The father, W. W. Anderson was in Kermit visiting his only brother and sister at the time the telegram was received here by the daughter, Mrs. Baker.

Sgt. Anderson, who is a brother of Mrs. Earl Baker, enlisted in the army in 1945, shortly after World War II ended, and was in Japan at the outbreak of the Korean conflict. As a member of the 24th Division he was one of the 1,000 soldiers to enter the war.

Sgt. Anderson, according to Mrs. Baker, was reported by the Defense department as missing in action on July 5, 1950. The family had not heard from Sgt. Anderson since that date.

County Exhibit at Lubbock Fair

Floyd county will have an exhibit at the Panhandle-South Plains fair this year.

County Agent Bill Rodgers will be assisted by Jake Watson and Olin Watson Jr., of Floydada Chamber of Commerce in placing the exhibit at the agriculture building at the fair grounds.

The fair will be open Monday, September 28, lasting through October 3.

Oil interest in Floyd county got a double shot in the arm this week with:

(1) Announcement that two tests, one an Adams offset and one a stepout are due for the near future at Lakeview; and

(2) A showing of oil and gas from the Wolfcamp lime in the drilling mud at Sinclair's J. M. Massie No. 1, 10,000-foot test four miles north of Floydada on the Silverton highway.

Talk of allowable cuts and over-production in Texas fields had been having a depressing effect on the hopes for early developments in this area, until the Sinclair test was started three weeks ago and the announcement this week that two new holes are going to be drilled at Lakeview.

Sinclair Test Gets Some Oil

Sinclair Oil & Gas Company's J. M. Massie No. 1 four miles north of Floydada, gave a good account of itself this week, showing the oil fraternity and the local people a considerable bit of oil and gas from the Wolfcamp lime at 6625 feet on a drill stem test Monday afternoon.

The drill had penetrated the formation several feet when the test was called for by the management. When the coring was brought out of the hole Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock it had 600 feet of oil and gas cut mud, with 300 feet of salt water below it. It was labeled the Wolfcamp formation immediately by the Sinclair representative. There was no live oil but the gas and the oil slicked up the derrick considerably when the last thousand feet of drill stem was unloaded.

Drilling was resumed Monday night and yesterday morning was below 6,800 feet and still rotating.

Lions Continue Sale of Cans

Sale of garbage cans by Floydada Lions club continues this week with the present pace of selling out rapidly. After conferring with city officials the club ordered 500 more cans in order to supply the city's need.

Last week the city council passed a new garbage ordinance and as soon as the new truck arrives the new plan for garbage disposal will go into effect.

Backers of the move toward better health and sanitation in Floydada say that the old barrels that are presently used for burning trash and for dumping cans and refuse can be disposed of and the new covered cans used.

The new cans can be emptied with more ease and at regular intervals to do away with the need of burning trash in the alleys.

When the volume of trash and waste becomes more than the cans will hold, bulbar bags may be hung nearby or cardboard boxes can be placed in the alley to hold the excess. Of course extra cans can be used if the individual desires.

Removal of the large barrels from the alleys will allow the city street maintenance men to work the alleys into a better condition and keep them clean.

Floydada Lions club took on the sale of the cans as a public service project and are offering the cans to the public at \$2.99 each.

News that two tests for oil will be made in the vicinity of the Minnie Adams discovery well at Lakeview was made public by J. M. Willson here the first of the week. One of the tests will be made on his land.

Of the two tests one will be sunk on the R. L. Nichols farm across the road north of the Adams tract as an offset. This is the M. F. Hagar preemption survey No. A-1521. Standard of Texas has this lease.

The Willson test will be a step out west northwest of the Adams discovery. The Adams and Willson tracts are about one mile apart at their nearest corners. The Willson lease is held by Magnolia Petroleum. This lease covers three quarter section pre-emption surveys—

the C. A. Neilson survey No. A-1068, the A. L. Anderson survey No. A-983, and the J. C. Bolding survey No. A-1003. All of the three tracts, aggregating 480 acres, were owned by J. C. Bolding at the time of his death and were acquired by J. M. Willson from his estate.

Parties to the three-way contract covering the two tests are the Magnolia Petroleum Company, the Standard Oil Company of Texas, and the Burdell Oil Company. The last-named company will drill the tests.

The first of the week no permit had been issued for either of the wells, but the fact that the contract has been entered into by the three oil companies indicates that early activity may be safely forecast.

Burdell Oil company is the firm which recently contracted for the lease of the B. L. Breed tract, the L. C. Garrison survey No. A-1324, paying \$50 cash and \$100 in oil as a bonus for a five-year term at \$1 per year rental.

Possible activity to hold leases on the Willson tracts has been watched for with interest this year, in view of the fact that the term of the lease, held by Magnolia, expires in November of 1954. Most of the other leases in the vicinity have 1955 to 1957 expiration dates.

Burdell Leases Two More Tracts Burdell Oil Company, which entered the local oil picture within the last 60 days, asks to manage (See Two Oil Tests, back page)

Officials View Need of 2-Way Communication

Officials of Floyd county and of the cities of Floydada and Lockney are eyeing the possibility of installing two-way radio communication for their peace officers.

Tuesday night they met over a steak dinner at the B&M Cafe and discussed the matter. Represented were: The City of Floydada by Mayor J. A. Patterson, chief of police Bob Smith, and concilman Parnell Powell and Leonard Matsler;

The city of Lockney by Mayor Jess Cox and members of his council and the county of Floyd by Commissioners W. C. Plumlee, Keller Holmes and Hugh Counts, and by Deputies sheriff Ray Hardin and Horace Cage.

Sergeant Stroud of the State Highway patrol and Chief of Police Hoyt Curry, of Plainview, met with the group. Both encouraged the idea of the inter-communication system and helped to demonstrate the use of the same.

An adequate two-way hook-up for three car units and a station complete is expected to cost about \$3,000. Mayor Patterson estimated following the meeting.

Apparently all present viewed the idea in a favorable light. Floyd county is in a vulnerable position and peace officers view the improved methods of communication as highly desirable, reports from the meeting indicated.

POTTS DUE TO REMAIN IN VETERANS HOSPITAL While Mrs. James Potts visited in Amarillo Wednesday with her husband, who is a patient at Veterans hospital.

Mrs. Potts reports James as better, but still suffering with spinal arthritis and will probably be some time yet before he can return home.

YTWELVE FARMS LEFT Bob Logan of the PMA office said Wednesday morning that only 12 farms are left to be measured for 1953 cotton acreage.

The crew hopes to finish the job in time to give the exact number of acres measured next week, stated Mr. Logan.

Car Inspection Under New Law

AUSTIN, Sept. 15 — Texas motorists found the doors of 3,120 official auto inspections open Tuesday morning ready to check their vehicles under the provision of the modified motor vehicle inspection law which was enacted by the last Texas legislature.

George Busby, chief of the Texas Department of Public Safety's motor vehicle inspection division, announced that that number of stations have already been licensed to operate and that another two hundred applications are now on file from operators, desiring to conduct inspections. Busby estimated that the total number of inspection stations will reach 3,500 within the next few months.

The new period, during which motorists must have their cars inspected, opened today and will run through next April 15th.

Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the State Safety Department, has issued an appeal to car owners to take their vehicles to one of the convenient stations early and avoid a last-minute rush similar to that which resulted under the old law that expired August 25th.

Garrison pointed out that all of the station operators have been fully versed in the provisions of the new act which calls for inspection only of brakes, lighting equipment, horns, rear-view mirrors and windshield wipers.

COUNTY TAX VALUATIONS CLOSE TO \$15 MILLION AS COLLECTION PERIOD LOOMS TO OPEN OCT. 1

Ad valorem tax valuations for Floyd county this year total a re-estimated \$14,866,850, an increase of \$2,451,886 over the year of 1952 when the tax rolls showed \$12,413,964.

The tax rendition rolls for the year of 1953 were completed last week by county tax assessor-collector T. T. Hamilton, ready for the approval of the Commissioners court and the state comptroller.

Collections will begin on October 1. Deadline for payment without penalty comes on January 31, 1954. The new tax roll values reflect the one-third increase in land value ordered by the Commissioners court. They also reflect a considerable increase in rolling stock and intangible values of railroads in the county, nearly half a million dollars in gas and oil leases and the like, and a value put on irrigation wells which heretofore have gone untaxed.

The values put on land are arbitrary and do not reflect the market value of the land nor particularly a per centage thereof. The highest priced land for taxes in the county is \$12 per acre, a jump from \$9. This graduates down to a figure below \$5 on the rough land suitable for grazing only. Incidentally improvements on farm lands are not taken into consideration, other than the irrigation wells. Successive commissioners courts have followed this precedent set a quarter of a century ago, calculated to encourage the improvement and occupancy of good homes on the farms.

The rolls show that 984,776.78 acres of land are rendered at \$7-

417,860, city property at \$2,051,006, personal property \$3,756,840. Under personal property values the gas and oil renditions are indicated at \$486,630. Utilities values carry a total of \$800,890.

Railroads with 99.33 miles of railroad in the county are assessed for roadbed, rolling stock and intangibles a grand total of \$1,156,560.

Banks are assessed at \$15,000 for city property and \$74,000 for 1,750 shares of stock.

Only 154.13 acres of land in the county is indicated as not rendered for taxes. Its value \$2,110.

There is a difference of \$2,747,840 between the "county" value and the "state" value for taxation purposes. This comes about by the application of the homestead exemption law. This law exempts homesteads from state taxation.

The grand total of tax money which 100 per cent collections would result in is \$318,389.72. This is divided up:

State tax \$50,895.03, county tax \$118,926.75, road bonds \$52,030.29, special road tax and court house bonds \$40,138.81, Water District \$6,944.46, and county schools \$49,556.38.

The grand total of all taxes assessed on the rolls this year exceeds \$267,428.47, the total for last year, by \$50,926.25.

LEAVING ON OVERSEAS DUTY

Pvt. E2 Don Shurbet in company with Pvt. E2 Fred McCullis of Coleman, Texas, left Monday for Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, where they will get their overseas orders.

Pvt. Shurbet is an M. P. and has been stationed at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, for several months.

Mrs. Shurbet plans to remain here.

Wednesday's Markets

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Hens, Eggs, Butterfat, Wheat, Milo, Hogs, and Light Packer Sows.

Mrs. C. W. Biller Died on Saturday at Amarillo Home

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Biller, 85, of Amarillo, former Floyd county resident, was held in the First Baptist church there on Monday afternoon.

The pastor of the church, Dr. Carl Bates, officiated, assisted by Reverend Bill Newsom. Burial was in the Llano cemetery, under the direction of the N. D. Griggs funeral home.

Mrs. Biller died at her home, 1621 Fillmore, Saturday evening, after a long illness. She suffered a broken hip about five weeks ago from a fall at her home, from which she never quite recovered.

Mrs. Biller was born June 4, 1868, in Texas county, Missouri and was married to Charles W. Biller on October 10, 1886, in Grayson county, Texas.

The family moved to Floyd county from Grayson in 1906, settling in Pleasant Valley community where they lived until 1918, moving then to Amarillo, where they made their home for 35 years. Mr. Biller died in Amarillo on May 23, 1931.

Mrs. Biller was a member of the First Baptist church for many years and was active in her church affairs until ill health caused her to be confined to her home.

Survivors include four daughters: Miss Ruby Biller and Mesdames Charlie Hart, Elizabeth Rigdon, all of Amarillo, and Mrs. R. I. Bennett of Lockney. Also, one son survives, Clyde D. Biller of Amarillo.

Also surviving are six grandchildren, L. W. McCord, Orville Rigdon and Mrs. H. B. Morehead of Amarillo, Mrs. Travis Gibson of New London, Texas, Mrs. Paul Kropp of Lockney and Clyde Rigdon of Denver; 11 great grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Four sisters survive Mrs. Biller: Mrs. W. C. Watson and Mrs. H. P. Coleman of Lockney, Mrs. J. S. Barnett of Tulla and Mrs. W. M. Collins of Amarillo.

One sister, Mrs. J. A. Carruth of Amarillo, formerly of Floydada, preceded the deceased in death several years ago.

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of the 1953-1954 school year. "The Whirl" has the following members of the staff:

- Editor: George Chapman; Business Manager: Joyce Whitfill; Editor: Sue Baker; Editor: Mona Williams; Editor: Delaine Bryant; Editor: Donald Smith; Editor: Ann Perry and Editor: Winnie Carthel and Editor: J. E. Dyer.

The paper was ranked 10th in the state in circulation, according to the directory of journals of Texas last year.

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VIEWS AND COMMENT

Oil in the news again in Floyd county. It makes interesting reading. In June of last year we made a bad guess. We said that the rush and the boom would be on long before this date. We assumed that the numerous isolated tracts on which there had been no leases would get action at once. We also assumed that the Minnie Adams No. 1 was a go-getter sort of discovery. Our guess now is that the Adams discovery was badly managed and that subsequent events will prove it. No charge for guessing.

County tax valuations, we take it, have reached a new high in Floyd county. Nearly up to the \$15 million mark. Two years ago Views and Comments said that at one time valuations in the county were almost \$20 million. We have been unable to verify this statement. In fact search of the records indubitably disclose that this was a mis-statement. However stubborn one's beliefs may be the records as writ are more stubborn still.

First autumn chill Sunday night, with a temperature well into the heating zone below 65 degrees is another reminder that frost date is important in this year's farming and business circles. Important to top crop of cotton and to late feed, and to the pocket-book of the man who has his money spent on them. Likewise important to the man who hopes to sell the cotton and feed man after the harvest is over.

As regards cotton and the imminent harvest the fleecy staple has jumped the gun in Floyd county. Hot, dry weather has opened matured bolls so fast that the cry for help has gone up all around the county. The cotton men realized what had happened to them last week-end. Probably half of them are looking for harvesters who are several days away yet, still busy in central and south Texas. Later the situation may be different. A difference of opinion on the right price to pay for pulling may have something to do with the shortage. Farmers we have heard talk are sure they are not going to pay the prices they paid last year. On the other hand many cotton raisers who had expected to gather their cotton with machinery now see their early crop ready to gather and they'd like to get into it with hands.

How did the droughts end up in 1918 and in 1893? Plenty of people still resident here who saw the end of the 1916-18 dry spell. They say it came along in November-December with lots of moisture. Result was a tremendous crop in 1919 that saved many a piece of land from the auction block. How the 1891-3 drought came to an end it happens we have never heard any of the old-timers relate. Some of them say that our current dry spell is the worst to come along since

that equalled it. It is just about as dry now as it was in those days. The county records indicate it must have been a dilly, that one in the early nineties. It ran a lot of people out of the county in those raw days and they didn't start drifting back until 1895 or 1896.

We should know, but we do not know, the inside story of the blow up of the federal department of agriculture's relief program that secretary Benson initiated with tearful earnestness. It was related in part to a terrific uproar within the ranks of the grain dealers. It was related, also, to the fact that what the cattle people needed was roughness in large part. What they got was concentrates from the far north, principally. Late and slow, the program was tagged "rush" but got lost on a siding. To say that the fine rains and good fall season made disaster relief unnecessary is a fallacy, of course. That was not the real reason.

Political pot boiling. Texas' governor continues to be in the limelight as the political pot boils, particularly as regards relations between Texans and the hierarchy in the national Democratic organization. It can be taken for granted, we think, that the governor and those who think the way he does, are not going to be happy in their relations with the national group until it becomes apparent that Mr. Truman is not running the show. Texas' leading political figure simply cannot go along with the Truman philosophy. Which is a democrat and which is not, according to the idea of the majority of Texans, will be the question decided when the smoke of the battles has cleared away.

We can't go along with Mr. Truman. We've had ample proof, so far as our reasoning goes, that Mr. Truman leads off in the wrong direction for Texans. We may be just kicking against the pricks, like we were against these big school consolidations and hauling the kids around over the county in a bouncy bus. We can't help being that way about it. We don't want a general for a president, and the Old Guard running the show, either so we are political orphans, sure enough, if the Truman wing controls the democratic party.

Commissioner of agriculture John C. White, attempting to carry out duties as laid down in Texas law as regards certain operations in south Texas has run into a hassel with the federal department of agriculture and with growers there. The Texas department of agriculture, in most of its functions, has been atrophied so long that the effort to restore it to vigidity, in people's minds will be a hard task. Especially since many of the police functions have been assigned to other agencies, principally where federal law has stepped in and taken over.

New Directors Named by C. of C.

Three new directors of the Floydada chamber of commerce were recently appointed by president Clement McDonald and the board of directors to bring the board to its full authorized number. The new directors are judge Ralph Johnston, J. R. King, and Bill Rodgers. They met with the board for the first time at the September board meeting.

The chamber has also added seven new members during the last month. They are L. D. Britton, appliance repair shop, Lorin Leibfried, Starks Green, Jack Henry, McCoy Gin, Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, and Smith Department Store.

This brings the total membership of the Chamber of Commerce to 175.

Brother of W. J. Ross Succumbs

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ross and family of Dougherty attended the funeral service of Virgil C. Ross of Houston, brother of W. J. Ross, at Cone in the Methodist church, Wednesday of last week.

Virgil C. (Buck) Ross, a former Cone resident died at his home in Houston early Monday morning.

Before moving to Houston, Mr. Ross was engaged in farming near Cone. Survivors include his wife and two sons, Glenn and Gary Ross, one brother, W. J. Ross of Dougherty, and two sisters, Mrs. Willis Adams of Phoenix, Arizona and Mrs. R. L. McElhown of Winslow, Arizona. Reverend Horace G. Krebs, pastor of the Methodist church in Cone, had charge of the service. Burial was in the Cone cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Gary left Friday for an extended visit with relatives in Arkansas and Tennessee. They will visit sisters of Mr. Gary in Little Rock and Memphis and will return home in about three weeks.

Mrs. John W. Vance of Goleman, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Charles Smith and Mr. Smith. Mrs. Vance is the former Christine Trowbridge, of the Harmony community.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my gratitude and appreciation to all my friends who through visits, cards, gifts and kind deeds brightened my stay in the hospital and my convalescence. Also, I want to thank the "strangers" who became my friends through their offers of assistance in time of need. May God's richest blessings be with you.

Mrs. Bonita Payne Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart Shoemaker and daughters, of Abilene, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Shoemaker's mother, Mrs. E. P. Stovall and other relatives.

About 29 per cent of all deaths from fires in the U. S. occur in rural areas.

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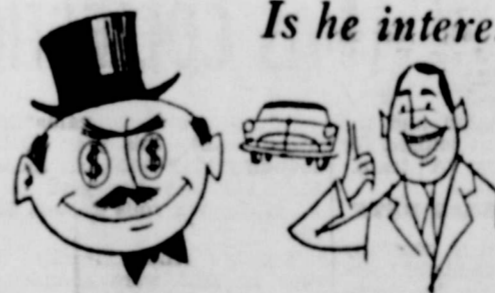
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Schoolboy Football Review

Winds Take Tullia Hornets in Opening Home Game

Floydada 27 yard marker. A fumble on the 31 cost the Winds the ball when Jan Tucker of Tullia recovered. Floydada then dug in on the defense and soon took over after Tullia failed to gain on the Winds 30.

First Score On Pass
The Floydada attack worked for almost a first down but the Winds were forced to kick and Glad Norman booted from his own 40 to the Tullia 24. The Hornets were soon in hot water again and the Winds had possession on the Hornet 47. From this point the Whirlwinds advanced the ball for a first down and had moved to the 32 before Jerry Bob Harrison hit Jack Womack with a perfect strike which was good for 32 yards and a TD. Barber's kick with Harrison holding was good and the score 7-0.

Stanley Vickers' kick was fumbled by Tullia's Harold Caraway on



Marvin Rucker — Sophomore Whirlwind Tackle Weight 200



Jackie Jarrett — Junior Whirlwind Fullback Weight 170.

Norman Muncy scored from the four. The kick was missed, and the final count FHS 40, Tullia 0.

The entire squad saw service in the game, many of them playing in all four quarters of the contest. Standouts in the line were Marvin Rucker, Don Barber and Gordon Joiner. Big guns on offense were Cloyd Stephens with 53 yds from scrimmage and Laron Fulton with 43 yds in 6 carries for the highest average. Fulton also had 21 yds on a punt runback. J. E. Waller and Glad Norman saw more than usual service playing defense and a lot of offense as well. Norman did well with the punting chores having a 33 yd. average on 4 kicks.

Jackie Henry turned in a fine performance and played some at several positions during the game. Jackie played center and offensive end.

Ronnie Upton got in the game for the first time this season having been out with injuries. Upton turned in a fine performance on defense.

Statistics of Game
First downs — F 15 T 2
Yds. Rushing — F 188 T 26
Passing ydg. — F 52 T 13
Punt avg. — F 33 T 14
Penalty ydg. — F 55 T 20

SCORES LAST WEEK
Floydada 40 — Tullia 0;
Spur 32 — Ralls 6;
Tahoka 20 — Denver City 14;

The next score came after Ronnie Upton recovered a fumble on the Tullia 40. The Winds then drove in to the 4 where Stephens knifed through a narrow split in the line for the counter. The kick failed and the score to half time 28 to 0.

The third quarter found many reserves in the offensive and defensive line-ups of the Winds. J. E. Waller, Glad Norman, Laron Fulton, and Bill Walker turned in some fine ball toting for the entire period. They failed to score in the third stanza but not from a lack of yardage. Twice they knocked at the door once being stopped by a penalty on the one, and again when Waller intercepted and was driven out on the goal line the play was called back because of a penalty.

Just before the period ended Barber intercepted a Hornet pass on the Tullia 25. Norman was jarred loose from the ball a few plays later but heads up work by Marvin Rucker saved the situation and the Winds rolled on to the 2 with Laron Fulton turning in much of the yardage. From this point Waller rode through behind the center of the line for the counter. Waller holding for Barber on the kick failed and the score 34-0.

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Phillips 33 — Brownfield 7;
Dimmitt 25 — Lockney 12;
Slaton 40 — Seagraves 6;
Abernathy 13 — Sundown 12;
Crowell 27 — Matador 6;
Meadow 20 — Crosbyton 0;
Childress 21 — Diamond Hill (Ft. Worth) 0;
Paducah 18 — Memphis 0.

6th Grade Game
Floydada 6 — Tullia 6

7th Grade Game
Floydada 0 — Tullia 14
Floydada "B" 7 — Friendship 20.

DISTRICT 5AA STANDING

(no district games played)
District 5AA is proving this season to be a strong one. Last week they won three and lost two in inter-sectional games. This week it was a clean sweep with six victories against no losses.

TEAM	W	L	TP	OP
Spur	2	0	45	18
Post	2	0	32	19
Tahoka	1	0	20	14
Floydada	2	0	59	7
Slaton	1	1	53	25
Abernathy	1	1	25	39

(TP showing total points of team named, OP showing total of all opponents to date)

SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

Floydada at Lockney;
Abernathy — Open Date;
Seagraves at Crosbyton;
Lockett at Slaton;
Ralls at Tullia;
Hereford at Tullia;
Spur — Open Date;
Tahoka at O'Donnell;
Post at Sundown;
Paducah — Open Date.

Bus Drivers Hold Annual Institute

Floyd county was well represented at the annual school bus drivers institute, dedicated to the promotion of safety in schools, held in Lubbock Saturday.

More than 100 drivers and guests were present.

Roy Boyd, Lubbock county school superintendent, opened the program with an address.

Another institute will be held in September of 1954.

The following registered from Floyd county:
G. A. McCada, W. A. Glibreath, Wilbur Miller, Mr. Hawkins, Carrol Bradford, R. C. Rogers, and J. D. Orr, all of Lockney; Robert Allredge, Maurice Steen, Bob Copeland, Grady Freeman, J. B. Thames, H. E. Smithee, M. H. Roddam, Stanley Killian, G. C. Foster, Ira Colley, Clarence Foster, J. J. Hendrix, W. C. Holt, A. D. Colharp, and Mrs. Ruth Daniels of Floydada, and Mrs. Virginia Cage of Dougretty.

CAPADA TO OBSERVE SECOND ANNIVERSARY

Doyle Mount announced this week that plans are underway for observing the second anniversary of the Capada Drive-In Theatre on October 2.

The management is planning a party for their customers on that date and will have gifts and flowers for those present. Announcement of show and definite details will be forthcoming next week.

Dr. E. E. Joiner spent the weekend with his family. He returned to the ranch in Colorado on Tuesday. Dr. Joiner reports that rain is needed in Colorado also the same as in Floyd county.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Todd and daughter, Mary, of Arkansas City, Kansas, visited friends briefly in Floydada on Saturday. Mrs. Todd is the former Donna Beth Nichols of Floydada.

Mrs. Shirley Williams of Llano and Mrs. John Goble of Burnet, Texas, are here visiting their sister, Mrs. Hallie Johnson and other relatives.

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This Weeks Attractions

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FRIDAY & SATURDAY Sept. 25 & 26

HENRY LINDA FONDA-BARNELL **MY DARLING CLEMENTINE**

SUN., MON., & TUESDAY Sept. 27, 28 & 29

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Premier Showing 'I Give You Texas' —Boyce House Here Oct. 4 and 5

Palace theatre of Floydada is included in a list of southwestern film houses which will have an all-world premiere of "Blowing Wild," Warner Brothers production, October 4 and 5.

Advance publicity on the show has created a big interest and the show people anticipate they have a natural for big box office success. The show features Gary Cooper, Barbara Stanwyck, Ruth Roman, and Anthony Quinn in a story about wildcatting for oil in Old Mexico, with a villain, a love triangle and everything.

Franklin Lane sings "Blowing Wild" the ballad that is featured in the musical background.



Gary Cooper has a starring role in "Blowing Wild," the new show which will be presented for the first time by southwestern cinema houses, among them the Palace at Floydada.

I am such an old timer that I can actually remember when all that a man expected to get free from Washington was garden seed.

Dwight L. Moody was rejected as a Sunday School teacher so he went out and gathered a group of underprivileged boys and taught them. Young Moody went to a Sunday School convention with a friend. The expected speakers failed to show up or else ran out of ideas, so the friend spoke and then Moody spoke and he enthralled the audience, converting 60.

Such was the beginning of the career of the greatest evangelist of his generation. Moody was never ordained as a minister but he traveled over a million miles and preached to more than 100,000,000 persons.

Someone criticized his imperfect knowledge of grammar and of English. He admitted the charge and expressed regret, then said, "But I am doing all I can for God with the gifts I have. Are you?" Moody declared, "I want a man to tell me what he believes, not what he does not believe. I like to meet a positive man."

The War between the States has been described as "brother against brother, father against son." When the forces of the great Confederate raider, Morgan, were captured, one man surrendered to his own brother. John J. Crittenden of Kentucky was staunchly for the Union; he had a son who was a Northern general and another son who was a Southern general.

But Dr. Robert J. Breckenridge could surpass that. Breckenridge, who presided over the 1864 convention which nominated Lincoln and Andrew Johnson, had four sons in the war, two Union officers and two Confederate officers.

Marble Falls has a grocery store built of pink granite, the same material of which the State Capitol is constructed. It is odd to see a granite building with signs in the window, "Picnic hams, 29c lb." and "Sour Pickles, 25c qt." There is, of course, a vast amount of granite in the Marble Falls country.

"I Remember" by Paul P. Bates

in the Ochiltree County Hearld of Perryton catches much of the romance of a Southwestern community:

"I remember when Ochiltree was born.

"I remember her older pioneers.

"I remember her big white courthouse and big empty schoolhouse.

"I remember when Ochiltree had no fences or fields and when her lakes stayed full of water during the summer—the millions of ducks, geese, curlew, plover, cranes and snipe. The buffalo bones and horns, two bear hides my father had tanned from bears he killed in Canadian breaks. The antelope, lobes, coyotes, swifts, badgers, skunks and rabbits.

"I remember Ed Klapp of Creswell and his grocery store with a big plow swung to the ceiling.

"I remember the first postoffice Ochiltree had. It was in a dug-out sod-house and the mail came one time a week and mother had an apple box for a post-office cabinet and a picket fence in the front room to keep Raymond and me out. Mother even gave people their dinner just to come get their mail. She got all the postal business in the whole country.

"I remember Uncle Ed Whippo used to talk about losing money. I used to go out and look for it, and hunt and hunt and hunt. I remember he had a talking machine and I put on earphones and listened and Mr. Cutter had a little ditty you wound up and it played the most beautiful music I ever heard. I remember mother had a Mason and Hamlin melodion. We folded it up and took it to Ochiltree courthouse to have Sunday School. Mr. Cutter was Superintendent. Mr. Bentley preached once a month and we all took our dinners. We had lots to eat and the food was so good.

"We did not have much Christmas in those days like kids do now but we had popcorn balls, one orange apiece and candy, and generally one stick of California fruit gum, and it was a great occasion. Yes, we had Santa Clause in those days.

"I remember Del Talferro as a fine square dancer and Milo Blodgett and Guy Widmer as the finest fiddlers in the world. I remember Tom, Obe and Will Glasgow—the three Cutter boys—the two Holiday boys and Anna. I remember what nice saddles they had and some had nickle-plated horns.

"I remember Long Heel Bill Wright when he was in Long Division and I was in Addition. I walked four miles to school and the last two I walked with Bill. One evening after school, I asked Bill for a few drags off his big Wellington pipe as we walked toward home. A few minutes later, I got deathly sick and Bill pulled out a chunk of Star and said chewing counteracted smoking and, if I felt that I might get sick, to take a chew. I promptly did. I got down alongside the road and laid there for three hours. When I got home, Mother was frantic and she was glad to see me! About that time, she smelled tobacco and she changed her mind completely."

"There was a time when travelers sought for the universal standard of gratuity. Rockefeller used to do it with brand new dimes, "Diamond Jim" Brady with twenty dollar gold pieces, and King Farouk with jewelry. The impression that Europeans "just love shiny new silver dollars" is wrong. Whether you're dealing with the Scotch caddy on the St. Andrews green, a French towel vendor on Eileen Roe or a Swiss yodeler on Mt. Pilatus, tip in the currency of the country. Flaunting Uncle Sam's legal tender in place of the local shilling, franc, escudo or mark is much resented.

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Because the confusion over tipping has bad taste and bad luck for those who come after you. On the other hand, under-tipping is embarrassing, and often results in bad service.

To save the traveler who may skim too near the high or the low of these extremes many a difficult moment, Pan American World Airways' permanent representatives in Europe have collected some helpful general information on the subject of tipping.

In Europe, tips are considered a fair return for service rendered. Unlike America, where a waiter has a weekly take-home pay besides his tips, the majority of European tippees make ends meet according to the whims of day-by-day tipping. Perhaps this is one reason why European waiters claim ex-waiters are the best tipppers. Clergymen and gamblers are next.

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much of the problem. A charge of between 10 and 20 per cent for service is added to the bill. If this is done, it is only necessary to tip for special services such as the delivery of message, the carrying of bags and the calling of taxis.

For such small personal services the equivalent of 10 and 20 cents is adequate. In England it's a shilling, in Italy it's a 100 lire note, in France 100 francs is certainly plenty, in Belgium it's 100 francs, in Spain it's five pesetas and in Portugal five escudos.

Restaurants are not so consistent about adding "service" to the bill although many are adopting the custom. If all is "compris" and the service has been specially good, leave a little extra. If not, the safest is the standard 15 per cent. Yugoslavia, by the way, is the only country where waiters do not expect a tip.

Failure to spend a little time mastering the not-too-difficult problem of tipping means that many an American this summer will be tipped unwittingly as a show-off or a penny pincher. Abroad a man is more readily judged by the tips he leaves than by the company he keeps. The judgement may be snap, for vacations are short, but the impression lingers on. —World Airways.

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FOSTERS PIE MIX Pkg. 25c	Sandwich Needs
DEL MONTE CATSUP Bottle 18c	CEREALS
PRODUCE	PETER PAN 20 oz. Jar 59c
CARROTS CELLO BAG 13c	DEL VALLE VIENNAS Can 10c
HOT PEPPERS	SUPREME CRACKERS 2 lbs 49c
TOMATOES Vine Ripe	SPAM Can 50c
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BANANAS	Post Tens 35c
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Petition Asks for Cancellation Sterley Industrial Subdivision

A petition to the Commissioners court of Floyd county, filed last week would, if granted, cancel all of the subdivision of the unincorporated town of Sterley lying north of the Lubbock-Esteline line and west of the Lubbock-Silverton line of the Fort Worth & Denver Railway company.

The Commissioners court set October 12 as the date for the hearing on the petition. That is the date for the next regular term of the court.

Formal notice of the hearing is being published for three weeks. In the notice any person interested in such lands who wishes to make protest is required to do so at that time.

R. E. Patterson, Lockney grain and gin man, who has extensive facilities at Sterley, is the petitioner. The petition recites that he expects to be able to show the court that throwing the lands back into acreage tracts as it existed before such subdivision was made will not interfere with the established rights of any purchaser owning any

portion of such subdivision. The portion of the platted land where streets and avenues would be abolished is described formally as follows:

All of Block No. 13; all of Industrial avenue lying west of the Lubbock-Silverton Line of the Fort Worth and Denver South Plains Railway Company; all of Jefferson street lying north of the Plainview-Esteline Line of said railway company; and all of highway road lying north of said Plainview-Esteline Line of said railway company—all as shown by the plat of said unincorporated town of Sterley recorded in Volume 57, page 194, Deed Records of Floyd County, Texas. The property the plat of which is hereby sought to be cancelled being a part of Section No. 37, Block D-2, Certificate No. 637, T. T. R. Co., described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at the hub set in west right-of-way line of said F. W. & D. S. P. Ry. Co. Lubbock-Silverton line from whence 1/4 inch pipe set in east line of said section No. 37, Block D-2, 1396 feet south of the northeast corner of said Section No. 37, bears north 80 degrees 8 minutes east a distance of 77 feet, for the northeast corner of this tract;

Thence south 80 degrees 8 minutes west a distance of 1041 feet to 1/4 inch pipe set in ground for northwest corner of said town of Sterley, for the northwest corner of this tract;

Thence south 231.3 feet to North right-of-way line of said Plainview-Esteline Line of said F. W. & D. S. P. Ry. Co., for the southwest corner of this tract;

Thence North 80 degrees 8 minutes east with said right-of-way a distance of approximately 854.5 feet to west right-of-way line of said Lubbock-Silverton Line, of said F. W. & D. S. P. Ry. Co., for the southeast corner of this tract;

Thence in a northeasterly direction with said west right-of-way line of said Lubbock-Silverton line of said railway company a distance of 266.7 feet to the place of beginning;

said tract of land being all that portion of said unincorporated town of Sterley lying north of said Plainview-Esteline line of said F. W. & D. S. P. Ry. Co. and west of said Lubbock-Silverton line of said F. W. & D. S. P. Ry. Co.

JERROLD VINSON'S PARENTS OF SON BORN SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Jerrold Vinson are the parents of a baby son born Saturday morning in Plainview hospital. The son has been named Michael Neal. He weighed eight pounds at birth. Paternal grandparents of the baby are Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Vinson of Floydada and the maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Rommie Pultz of Slaton.

Mrs. Vinson is the former Bonnie Pultz of Slaton. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McMurry and son, Pat of Tucumcari, New Mexico, spent the week-end here visiting Mrs. McMurry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patton and other relatives.

MARRIED AT CLOVIS

Miss Lizzie Morrow Harrison and Edward Childs were married in Clovis New Mexico on Sunday September 8 1953.

U. S. Woolen mills used almost a fifth more apparel wool the first few months of this year than for same period of 1952. Use of carpet wool was up 27 per cent.

Men in Service

OKINAWA — Pvt. Walter Harris, son of Luther Harris, (mother deceased) Floydada, Texas, recently arrived on Okinawa for duty with the 29th regimental combat team.

A strong U. S. outpost in the Far East, Okinawa is located off the coast of China between Formosa and the southern tip of Japan. The island is the home of the Ryukyuu command headquarters.

Harris, whose wife, Carol, lives in Floydada, is a rifleman in the team's Company G. A graduate of Northwood high school, he entered the army in December, 1952.

Private Bryan M. Smitherman is now continuing his army career as a paratrooper in the famed "All American" 82nd airborne division at Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

As a member of the 82nd Pvt. Smitherman will make periodic parachute jumps, receive advance training in military tactics, and participate in the training exercises and maneuvers held by the division throughout the year.

Pvt. Smitherman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smitherman who lives in South Plains, Texas.

One-Time Resident Has Fatal Stroke At Albuquerque

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith attended the funeral service for an uncle of Mrs. Smith's, A. J. Drace of Albuquerque, New Mexico, on September 8.

Mr. Drace died of a heart attack after an illness of ten days. Survivors include one son, Gilbert Drace of Albuquerque, and one daughter, Mrs. Russell Fallon of Sacramento, California.

A. J. Drace was a former pioneer Floydada resident. He moved to New Mexico from Floyd county in 1906.

Jack Johnson accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Smith to Albuquerque.

FRYS AND HENRYS ON WEST COAST FOR CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Fry and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Henry of Lubbock left Saturday for San Francisco, California, where they will attend the national convention of Southwestern Life Insurance company.

The Frys and the Henrys will have several side trips from San Francisco and will probably be on tour for two or three weeks.

Put time on your fields at any time they will hold equipment, says a University of Illinois agronomist, except that it's a good idea to put it on at least six months ahead of legume crops on land that has not been limed before.

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Mrs. I. C. Houston Rites Held Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. I. C. Houston of Abernathy was held Monday in the Methodist church in Abernathy, with the pastor, Rev. Ed Bryant officiating.

Burial was in the Abernathy cemetery.

Mrs. Houston, 71, died of a heart attack about 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon as she was returning from the funeral service of a friend and neighbor, Mrs. W. H. Raglin, in Abernathy.

Mrs. Houston was born December 9, 1881 in Burnet, and was married to I. C. Houston on November 29, 1899.

The couple moved to the Plains county in 1909 from Bell county and lived in Swisher county near Tullis. They then moved to Hale county

near Abernathy, two years later, making their home there since that time. Mr. Houston died in December, 1952.

Mrs. Houston is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Hoyt Curry of Plainview, Mrs. Bess Moore of Hereford, Mrs. O. F. Rea of Abernathy, and Mrs. Margaret Gunn of Clovis, New Mexico, and two sons, Claud Houston of Plainview and E. A. Houston of Abernathy, also 14 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Mrs. Houston was a sister-in-law of C. R. Houston of Hamilton and Jim Houston of San Antonio, former Floydada citizens.

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Mrs. Ella Durham Passes at Quanah

Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Durham and family were called to Quanah Sunday afternoon to the bedside of Mrs. Durham's mother, Mrs. Ella Durham, who had been critically ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Durham died before her son reached Quanah, Sunday, at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Fred Jones.

The funeral service for Mrs. Durham was held at the First Baptist church in Quanah on Monday with the pastor, Rev. Bailey, officiating, assisted by Rev. Norman, pastor of the First Christian church. Interment was made in the Quanah cemetery.

Mrs. Ella Durham 82, was a pioneer resident of Hardeman county and was a member of the Baptist church for many years.

Survivors include the one son, E. I. Durham of Floydada, and four daughters, Mrs. Will Toliver of Plainview, Mrs. B. P. Simon of Espanola, New Mexico, Mrs. Dick Carroll of Crowell and Mrs. Jones also surviving are 13 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Attending the funeral service at Quanah were the Durham family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Birdwell and children of Floydada, C. L. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Marble, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Weathers, Mrs. Orbie Lee and daughter and R. H. Ford, all of Lockney.

Magic Entertains Harmony Guests

Over 100 guests attended the "Back to Harmony" dinner and program held Tuesday evening in the Harmony Community center, and sponsored by the Harmony home demonstration club.

After a dinner (Harmony style) Mrs. Loyce Turner, mistress of ceremony, introduced Johnny Lee who presented his "House of Magic."

The magician was ably assisted by Mrs. Don Finker, Aldine Williams, Mrs. Williams and Sue, and G. L. Snodgrass.

Johnny Lee is a student at West Texas state college in Canyon, his home being in Pampa. He is a talented young magician.

Mrs. G. L. Snodgrass was introduced by Mrs. Turner as being the best ticket seller in the community. She sold 53 tickets to the party.

SNELL ADOPTED DAUGHTER IS NAMED CYNTHIA SUE

Friends and relatives here have received an announcement reading, "We have adopted a daughter who has been named Cynthia Sue, and is three weeks old". Signed by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Snell of Lubbock.

Cynthia Sue has a brother, Steve, age two and a half years.

Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Will Snell and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McKinney, both of Floydada.

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Plains Chester White Breeders Organize Assn.

The Texas Chester White Swine Breeders association was formed in Plainview, during a meeting of several breeders on September 19, held in the Hale county courthouse.

The meeting was called by R. C. Mitchell, Texas fieldman for the Chester White Journal and The Chester White Swine Record association of Rochester, Indiana. His home in Lockney, Texas.

After a general discussion of the possibilities of such an organization an election of officers and board of directors was held with the following men elected:

President, Ware Eakins, Tahoka, Texas; vice-president, V. L. Gregg, Rt. 2, Plainview; secretary-treasurer, R. C. Mitchell, Lockney. Board of directors elected were Joe Jones, county agent, Farwell, Texas; Gene Gaston, vocational agricultural teacher, White Deer; Marvin Shurbet, Petersburg; and Sturt Griffin, Lamesa, Texas.

The purposes of the association are to encourage and promote the breeding of purebred Chester White swine. Definite plans were made to hold the first registered bred sow and gilt sale in Plainview, early in

Early Resident, John Griffith, Called by Death

John Griffith, 73 years of age, retired farmer and a long time resident of Floyd county, died at his home in Lockney on Monday morning.

Funeral service for Mr. Griffith are being held today at the West Side church of Christ in Lockney at 3 o'clock.

Burial will be in Lockney cemetery under the direction of the Carter funeral home.

Mr. Griffith has lived in Floyd county for the past 68 years. His father, J. D. Griffith, was one of the citizens here when Floyd county was organized.

Survivors include his widow and two sons, L. J. and H. D., both of Lockney, three daughters, Mrs. Hazel McKay, Bandera, Texas, Mrs. Pauline Reagen, Cokedale, Colorado, and Mrs. Elsie Kunkel, Amarillo.

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1954. Detailed plans are to be made and announced at a later date.

Present for the meeting besides R. C. Mitchell, breeder of Lockney; V. L. Gregg, breeder of Rt. 2 Plainview; Ward Eakin, breeder of Tahoka; Tom Duffey, vocational agricultural teacher of Plainview; Mack Shurbet breeder of Petersburg, Texas; Ollie Limer, county agent of Hale county and Plainview; Olan Rice, teacher of vocational agriculture at Cooper high school Rt. 6, Lubbock, Texas.

CALIFORNIA GUESTS HERE

Sheriff and Mrs. Earl Cooper have their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wayne Cooper and son, Marvin Earl of Eureka, California visiting in their home this week.

This is the first trip to Texas for the grandson.

Also guests in the Cooper home this week were Mr. and Mrs. Grant Pinley and son, Ronnie of San Benito, Texas, who are also visiting Mr. Pinley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pinley.

MURFFS ON TRIP EAST

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murff are away from home this week and plan to be gone four or five weeks, while they spend some time in Mississippi and South Carolina.

Mr. Murff is working up a history of his family and hopes to obtain considerable data while in the eastern states.

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Bobby Bishop is home on leave from AMA school in Memphis, Tennessee, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bishop and other relatives. He will report to a new base on September 30 at Corpus Christi.

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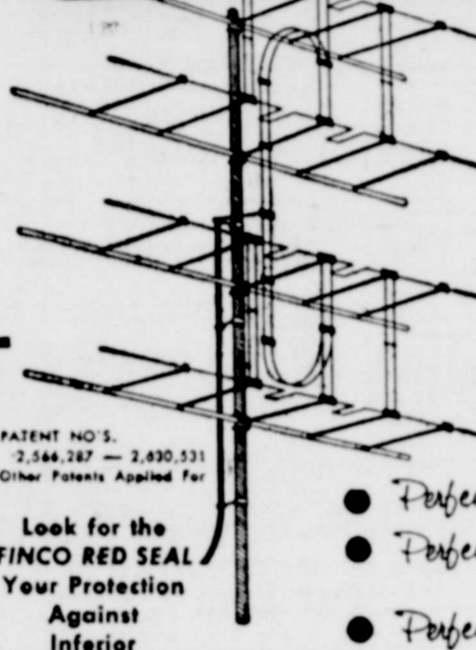
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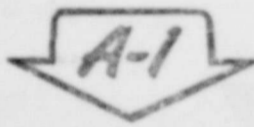
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NOTICE

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For months he tried to get a job with an auto factory. The boss said, "No!" So Eddie showed up early one morning and began sweeping — pay or no pay! He was hired.

Eddie took to the race track driving with a "heavy foot." He earned \$40,000 his first year on the track. Known as a daredevil driver, Eddie was assigned to be General Pershing's chauffeur as soon as he en-

listed. Later, assigned to the A.E.F. flight school, he agreed to boss the machine shops provided he be given a chance to fly.

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Eddie came back a hero and America lavished praise, honors, medals, and \$1-million worth of jobs to choose from. Eddie borrowed a pke, bought a second-hand Model T, a rifle and disappeared into the Arizona mountains. He needed time to think, to adjust. He emerged a businessman — with lessons yet to be learned.

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(Taken from the files of The Hesperian, issue dated September 28, 1939).

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Loyce Turner and son spent Sunday in Lubbock with their daughter and family, the L. G. Pierces.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Snodgrass spent Sunday in MacKenzie park in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Cobb of Petersburg were guests Sunday evening in the Bill Edwards home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Rutherford visited Sunday in Kress with friends Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bostic. Mr. Bostic has been very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Smith had as their weekend guests, their daughter, Miss Iva Elmore Smith of Stamford and their two sons and wives, Joe and Jack Smith of Lubbock, and a sister of Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. John Will Vance of Coleman.

HAS EXPERT SKATING AWARD

A granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Leckie of Floydada, Miss Cheryl Leckie of Seattle, Washington, has been awarded a silver medal, presented by the United States figure skating association to skaters passing four difficult tests.

Miss Leckie, 18, was one of the five ice skaters of Seattle to receive the award, as noted from a clipping of the Seattle paper. The five will have featured roles in the forthcoming "Icecapades" skating show to be held in Seattle in November.

The young skating star is a niece of Mrs. Shirley Race of the Pleasant Valley community.

HENDERSON RE-UNION

The second annual reunion of former residents of Henderson county, Texas, will be held Sunday, September 27, at MacKenzie state park in Lubbock. Each family is to bring a basket lunch. It will be an all day meeting with lunch served at 1:00 p.m.

First unit of the Floydada municipal power and light plant is due to reach Floydada some time next week, between Wednesday and Saturday, it was indicated by W. R. Pender, superintendent of construction.

Crosby and Briscoe county farm owners will join in the petition for a conservation district in this area, when the soil conservation board of the state holds its hearing in Floydada on October 5, W. H. Nelson, Floyd county soil conservation chairman, said yesterday.

Eighty-six miles of extension will be made within a short time to the present system of the Floyd county rural electric co-op, superintendent L. W. Chapman was informed Wednesday afternoon in a telegram from the examining division of the Rural Electrification administration in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Martin of Rails are here visiting relatives this week.

Piggly-Wiggly store on the south side of the square is celebrating its sixth anniversary this week. J. B. Claiborne is manager of the store.

A residence on the H. R. Patterson farm, five miles northwest of Floydada was destroyed by fire on Thursday afternoon. The N. L. Jones family occupied the residence and lost heavily in household effects, on which there was some coverage.

Mr. and Mrs. Layton Dorrell and Miss Florene Dorrell attended the Tri-State fair in Amarillo Wednesday and Thursday.



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Showering rains which have recently not only given some respite to farmers but also saved the clanking federal relief that was about to be sent to the seams. The program was even before was nullified by range-owners. Disatisfaction concerning mismanagement of the small-like pace of every phase of the program is still being heard. But the real scandal is that the program is being run in a haphazard manner. The program is being run in a haphazard manner. The program is being run in a haphazard manner.

Warranty Deeds

R. E. Patterson et ux to Patterson Grain company, 65/100 acre, out of east part of the north one-half of section 57, Block D-2.

R. E. Patterson et ux to Patterson Grain company, Lots 1 through 31, Block 13, Sterley.

J. N. Richardson et ux to C. A. Breeding, lots "B" 2-4-6 and 8, Block "A", Andrews Addition, Floydada.

Lucille Redd et ux to Una B. Clark, undivided interest in lot 8, Block 143, Floydada.

A. N. Redd et ux to Una B. Clark, lots 5 and 6, Block 4, New Home addition, Floydada.

National Alfalfa Dehydrating and Milling Company to J. D. Wood, lots 7-8 Block 32, South Side addition Lockney.

News of Harmony

(By Mrs. Mather Carr)

HARMONY, September 22—The Mather Carrs went on their first honeymoon starting last Tuesday. Horace accompanied them. They went to Coryell county to Levita, Texas, where Mather was raised and Mrs. Carr was born. Things had changed but they enjoyed themselves visiting what few old friends were left. It had been almost fifty years since Mrs. Carr was there.

On Thursday morning they drove to Washita county, Oklahoma, to the old home of Mrs. Mather Carr. Then they went to Granite and Mangum, Oklahoma. They found very few old friends left. They returned home Friday night after driving a little over 1,000 miles.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Ramsey left Wednesday for Beatrice, Nebraska, for a home-coming. They will return to Oklahoma and visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gary left Thursday for Tennessee for a visit with relatives for two or three weeks.

There was a nice crowd at prayer meeting Wednesday night. R. G. Morris brought the devotional.

The community center met Thursday night in their regular monthly meeting. There were several speakers and refreshments were served.

There have been some new concrete tables built at the center. It will make a nice place for picnics.

Several of the community attended the football game between Tulla and Floydada, last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Miller attended church at Cone Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Mather Carr and Horace attended church at Cone Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bailey of Dumont and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Bailey of Paducah spent Sunday in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Wesley Carr and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mather Carr and Horace had dinner in the Chloma Williams home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mather Carr visited Mrs. Maggie Mayhew in Floydada Sunday afternoon.

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Conservation Saves Soil And Adds to Profit

Around forty soil conservation district supervisors, businessmen, and Chamber of Commerce officials attended the area soil conservation conference held in Plainview on Friday. The conference was one of a series sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Soil Conservation committee and area soil conservation districts.

E. L. Norman, Bert Bobbitt, O. M. Watson, sr., R. G. Dunlap and Chamber of Commerce manager, O. M. Watson, jr., attended the meeting from Floyd county.

J. C. Porter of Wichita Falls, chairman of the WTCC Soil Conservation committee, introduced James R. Coover, Soil Scientist of the Soil Conservation Service who gave some basic information on the need for soil conservation.

Howard B. Boswell, assistant state conservationist from Temple, spoke on the benefits of conservation not only to the farmer but to the businessman.

Boswell pointed out that a good conservation program could produce an extra income of from \$5.00 to \$10.00 per acre and that this increase was important to the man on the farm and to the local merchant at the same time.

K. K. Moore of Wilson, vice-president of area I association of Texas soil conservation district supervisors, spoke on the need for soil conservation districts.

The meeting ended with suggestions on how the local Chamber of Commerce and the Soil Conservation could work together.

BAKER PARTY AND PIE SUPPER IS BIG SUCCESS

The Baker community game party and pie supper was a big success on Saturday evening at Baker community house.

A cake sale proved very successful and it was decided to have the cake sale at every party.

A large crowd from the community was present.

The next party will be held on Saturday evening, October 3, it being the regular meeting night.

ON TRIP DOWN-STATE

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Covington, in company with Mrs. R. C. Henry, jr., and daughter, Charlotte, and Miss Myrtle Meador left this morning for a visit in Fort Worth.

Miss Meador will visit in New-castle with Mrs. J. N. Johnston and the rest of the party will visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Beedy in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Mayo were Dallas visitors this week on business and were guests of Mrs. Mayo's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hogge and other relatives.

Nickel Deposit Found in Cuba

NEW YORK—What is believed to be the world's most important proven source of nickel outside Canada has been discovered at Moa Bay on the northeast coast of Cuba.

The 40,000,000-ton nickel orebody also contains cobalt, another scarce and urgently needed metal.

Nickel is used to strengthen steel and iron alloys and increase the resistance of these metals to corrosion and high temperatures. It is also used as a binder in electroplating and as a catalyst in the production of soap and hydrogenated vegetable oils.

The shortage of nickel is the gravest materials problem facing the U. S. Ninety-two per cent of the nation's supply, almost all of which is obtained from other countries, is allocated to defense and defense-supporting industries. The remainder goes to maintain the civilian economy.

The use of nickel is now prohibited for a wide range of products. Nickel-bearing stainless steels, for example, have been ruled out for such farm equipment as barn cleaners, ensilage cutters, feeding troughs, fertilizer and other spreaders, grain bins and cribs, implements and hand tools, and sties. Home appliances have little nickel in them and none at all for trim. Cutlery, meters, hardware and other useful products are limited to negligible amounts of nickel.

Two Oil Tests

(Continued from First Page) the two tests at Lakeview is the same which obtained the lease on the Breed half section.

An additional section and a quarter, considerably north of the Lakeview area has been taken by Burdell, according to the records this week. The John B. Baker lands east of Floydada four miles were leased by them at \$15 per acre on a 10-year term with \$1 per acre rental.

The two tracts are all of Section 39, Block 1, A. B. & M., and the northwest quarter of Section 40, the same block. The heirs who signed are J. L. Baker, Mrs. Ella Blair, Miss Virgie Baker and Mrs. Gettie Baker Helm.

A lease also contracted for in the past 10 days by Burdell is the south one-half of Section 59, Block 1, A. B. & M., survey, from C. W. Jones, also at \$15 per acre. The south west corner of this tract is two miles east of the northeast corner of the original Floydada townsite.

Neither the Baker nor the Jones tract had been previously under lease recently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Love and Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Lackey and daughter spent the week-end in Fort Worth, the guests of a son and brother, James A. Love and family.

J. H. Tribble who has been a patient in Veterans hospital at Amarillo for the past two weeks, returned home Tuesday. Mr. Tribble has been suffering from arthritis.



IT'S IN THE BAG!—"Save your money," Jack Allmon tells W. T. Fain as Harry Morris, Lubbock mayor protem, slips a bag over a parking meter. The Lubbock city fathers agreed to forego a potential income of \$490.50 from 1090 parking meters on opening day of the Panhandle South Plains fair, Monday, September, 28. All parking meters will be "in the bag" all day for the benefit of out-of-town visitors in Lubbock to watch the opening day fair parade at 2. p. m. Featured in the parade will be giant balloons and bands competing in the fair's first annual band contest.

Farm Bureau Meeting Tonight

Chester Carthel, president of the Floyd county Farm Bureau announces that the bureau will have the annual county convention at Lockney, this (Thursday) evening, September 24, beginning at 8 o'clock in the Mesa Theatre building.

Every Farm Bureau member and his wife is urged to be present.

There will be six principal resolutions to be considered as follows:

- 1—County school system;
- 2—Farmers relations to the county administration;
- 3—Penalties on light and heavy bales of cotton;
- 4—Cotton Classing;
- 5—New Farm program;
- 6—Weed Control.

Mrs. A. B. Blount, who has been in failing health for several months is a patient in Peoples hospital for special treatments. Mrs. Blount has been in the hospital since Sunday.

N. A. Armstrong continues to improve, at Peoples hospital having company and lots of cards and flowers.

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Elberta Tree Ripe 3 Cans PEACHES **\$1.00**

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Australia Shows Pilotless Plane

MELBOURNE — Australia recently showed its new pilotless aircraft to the world. Named Jindivik, it will serve as a target for secret aerial weapons being developed at Woomera for operations against supersonic planes and is believed capable of carrying an atomic bomb.

The Jindivik is about half the size of such fighters as the Vam plane and the Mustang. It has a wing span of 19 feet and a length of about 23 feet. Its speed and rate of climb are comparable with those of the high-performance jet aircraft coming into service through the world.

The recent flight market the loss leaf ledgers, ledger sheets. Hesperian.

Tragic Losses Continue High In Texas Fires

AUSTIN, Texas. — Six out of every 100,000 Texans will die in fires during the twelve months ending December 31, Norris W. Parker, manager of the Texas Insurance Advisory Association, said today.

Based on figures kept for the last twenty years on Texas fire losses, about 580 Texans will lose their lives in fires in 1953. Last year, the figure was 542, and it will be at least that this year, insurance company statisticians predict.

Unless Texans become more fire-prevention conscious and quickly, the property loss this year also is expected to exceed 1952. Last year, \$33,172,559 worth of Texas' property went up in smoke — the highest in the state's history, excluding the Texas City disaster in 1947. By the end of this year, property loss may approach \$40,000,000, Mr. Parker said.

The figures were announced by the fire insurance trade association to help encourage Texans to participate in national Fire Prevention Week, October 4-10.

gining of a program of advanced tests of such aircraft at the Woomera rocket range in South Australia. The experiments at Woomera, which is named after the throwing-stick with which the Australian aborigines launch their spears, began early in 1947 under joint control of the United Kingdom and Australia governments. Since then trials of ground-to-ground, ground-to-air and air-to-ground missiles have been continuous.

The Jindivik is the latest development and one of the most advanced pilotless planes to be developed thus far.

Old Ace Flies Under 15 Spans

LONDON — Maj. Christopher Draper, 61, a World War I ace, had half of London thrilled and scared recently. The major hired a small plane and flew it under fifteen bridges that span the winding river Thames between Blackfriars and Kent.

Major Draper explained his exploits: "Can you think of a better climax to forty-one years of flying. Then he telephoned the police and told them he was the pilot who had thrilled thousands. "It was my last-ever flight," he added, "I meant this to be a spectacular swan song."

London's bridges have been a magnet for aviators since the early days of flying. In 1912, Sir Francis Maclean flew a plane under Blackfriars, Waterloo and Hungerford bridges. In January, 1952, Frank Miller flew between the Road Bridge and upper platform of Tower Bridge. He was fined \$280 for breaking the regulations about low-flying over populated areas.

But until recently no one had flown under fifteen bridges.

The major used a single engine plane with a thirty-six-foot wingspan. He waited until the afternoon low tide to make his try. Even at low water he had no more than 50 foot clearance under the bridges; at Westminster Bridge it was forty feet.

Flying with a verve that brought screams from people sunning themselves along the embankment, the Major used the center arch of each bridge. Several times he was seen to swoop within inches of the water.

SUSANNAH WESLEY CIRCLE

The Susannah Wesley circle of the First Methodist church met Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 in the church to continue their study on "The Life and Task of the Church." There were fifteen members present.

Mrs. C. B. Lyles is leader of the study. Others on the program were

Mrs. J. M. Wilson, sr., Mrs. W. Trapp, Mrs. Lyle, Mrs. Wilson, Kimble, meeting with a prayer.

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Social Events, Clubs

Two Club Year at Meeting

Meeting of the 1922 club for the year 1953-1954 at the hotel coffee shop in the room Thursday a breakfast.

Course for the year, "Head" was emphasized. The members decorated. The members decorated a long table with paper highway extenders. Miniature autographs were placed on the centerpiece was of pyramids and fall fruit.

Smith, leader of the club, led the invocation and members in reading of the year.

Small of the year were given a prelude of music. Caffee, president, gave a message to the members. A play we hit the road.

Short business session followed an invitation from the study club to the club to attend a tea on November 25, honoring member of Vienna, Austria.

Also named committee to act with other clubs for the year. The social and program committee was W. S. Poole, R. E. Fry, E. P. Bell and Noel Trout.

Meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Edd present at the breakfast.

Present at the breakfast were C. A. Caffee, W. I. W. Bell, E. L. Angus, R. E. Fry, W. H. B. Jenkins, Edd Johnson, Lon V. Smith, E. P. Stovall and Wilton.

Komen, who has returned to Floydada to make a guest at the breakfast.



LIPSTICK LOGIC
BY LOUISE ALLEN

Folks who love to recall walking six miles to a one-room country school should get up some morning early and take a jaunt over the county. It won't take them long to realize that times may change but people don't.

Dotted along the wide highways every hundred yards or so is young America, patiently waiting for the school bus which takes it to the consolidated rural school.

We made an early morning drive last week and it was like speeding by a series of animated cartoons to watch these youngsters being themselves. Soaped and scrubbed, they literally glistened in the morning sun. A few moments ago, they had been the center of cheerful morning disorder in their homes. In a little while, they would be pegs in an education system. Still too fresh from parental grooming to have come unbuckled and too far from the school to seem a part of that squirming population, they actually looked like small human beings on their own.

Here a little brother, with pasted down hair (except for the cowlick), plagued Sis by putting one foot out on the pavement. Next, a small urchin tied his pretty sister's gingham sash. Finally, an overgrown boy draped himself like a lazy S around a rural mailbox, his admirers seated on stacks of books at his feet.

They don't walk six miles, but they may ride fifty before all the riders are collected from their spots along the highway. They aren't going to a one-room, frame schoolhouse heated by a wood stove, but to a well-equipped brick building with an up-to-date teaching staff. But now as then, they're still just kids — some smart, some dull, some handsome, some plain. And going back to the good old days probably wouldn't change them one wit.

Wedding Planned For October Third

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eubanks announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Aurie Belle to A. C. Burwin Steve Compton of Reese Air Force base, Lubbock.

The wedding date has been set for Saturday, October 3, at the Eubanks home with the Reverend Johnnie Allen officiating.

Miss Eubanks is a graduate of the Floydada high school, class of 1953. A 3/c Compton is a graduate of the high school at Manhote, Minnesota, with the class of 1949. He also attended the University of Minnesota, until his induction into the air force.

Charles Holmes, Miss Betty Lackey Married at Clovis

Miss Betty Lackey of Lubbock and Charles (Chuck) Holmes were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony on August 28, at Clovis, New Mexico, in the home of Reverend Hunton.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Lackey of Lubbock. She is a graduate of the Roosevelt high school and later attended Draughon's business college. She was employed before her marriage as a secretary at the Texas A. & M. Experiment station in Lubbock.

Charles Holmes is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Holmes, Floydada, and is a graduate of the Floydada high school with the class of 1950. He is engaged in farming near Floydada.

The couple will be at home at 725 West Grover street after October first.

Attendants at the wedding were Miss Suzy Hettler of Lubbock and Cliff Ware of Floydada.

Immediately after the ceremony, the couple spent two weeks on a honeymoon at Ruidoso, El Paso, and Corpus Christi.

The bride has many friends in Floydada having visited with Mrs. Jerrold Vinson and Mrs. Bruce Bishop and others at various times.

Blue Bonnet Club Chooses Officers

The Bluebonnet Needle club had an all-day meeting with Mrs. Greer Christian Thursday.

Officers for the new year were elected. They are:

President Mrs. Ernie Widener, vice-president Mrs. Duncan Hollums, secretary-treasurer Mrs. Everett Collier; the sunshine committee Mrs. W. L. Orman, Mrs. Greer Christian and Mrs. Everett Collier.

During the recreation hour Mrs. Woodrow Goen and Mrs. Everett Collier won the awards.

Members present were Mesdames Oliver Allen, Luther Dorrell, Layton Dorrell, Starks Green, Ernie Widener, Wayne Finley, Pete Kendrick, Duncan Hollums, also Mesdames Everett Collier, W. L. Orman, Poyner Roberts, Dennis Dempsey, Olin Bryant, Floyd Fuqua, W. B. Eakin, Woodrow Goen and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.

Guests present were Mrs. Everett Perry and Mrs. Bill Baker. The next meeting will be October 1 at 3:00 o'clock p.m.

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Gift Shower For Mrs. Billy Hart

Mrs. Billy Hart, nee Joyce Pool, was honored Friday evening at a bridal gift shower in the home of Mrs. R. L. Kendrick.

Mrs. G. W. Smith presided at the bride's book and Mrs. Bill Smith and Miss Donna Pierce were at refreshment table.

The table laid with ecru linen cloth and crystal appointments, had as a centerpiece a reflector holding the crystal punch bowl which was circled with pyranantha berries.

Angel squares iced in gold and brown were served with golden punch to the guests.

Guests were invited to call at 7 o'clock until 8.

Co-hostesses with Mrs. Kendrick were Mesdames Wayne Finley, Sam Lide, Edd Dunavant, Cecil Baxter, Bill Smith, C. E. Bartlett, Arlon Miller, Mesdames Jim Hart, G. W. Smith, Johnny Baxter, Mal Jarboe, Lewis Blum, R. F. Finley, and Misses Nell Jones, Donna Pierce, and Melba Smith.

Picnic Compliment To House Guests

Honoring Mrs. Shirley Williams of Llano and Mrs. John Goble of Burnet, Texas, a group of relatives met at the city park at noon on Sunday, where they enjoyed a basket picnic dinner.

Mesdames Williams and Goble are here visiting a sister, Mrs. Hallie Johnson.

A bountiful dinner was followed by visiting and conversation during the afternoon.

Relatives and friends present were Mrs. Johnson and her guests; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Goble of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Merrill of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Pope and children and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Adams all of Floydada; and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pearson of South Plains.

The Army, in co-operation with the other services, arranged for the Universities of Maryland, California, and Louisiana State to offer college undergraduate instruction in three overseas areas.

U. S. Cotton mills are consuming more cotton than a year ago, but exports continue at about half the 1951-1952 level.

Floyd County Hesperian, Floydada, Texas, Thursday, September 24, 1953

Mental Hygiene Study Club Theme

The 1929 Study club met Thursday at 3:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. P. A. Denison.

The leader, Mrs. L. J. Welborn, introduced the speaker, Garland Foster of the Floydada high school faculty, who spoke on "Mental Hygiene" as a phase of topic, "Managing your mind."

"Every normal person," said Mr. Foster, "is slightly insane at times. If he were not he would be very dull and uninteresting."

The business meeting was conducted by the club president, Mrs. E. E. Joiner.

Those present were Mesdames Hollis Bond, Alton Chapman, C. W. Denison, P. A. Denison, Gordon Downing, Clyde Harmon, Ross Henry, E. E. Joiner, S. J. Latta, J. D. McBrien, E. L. Norman, Ray Smith, R. M. Stovall, W. W. Trapp, J. C.

Veach, L. J. Welborn, Q. D. Williams and the guest speaker, Mr. Foster.

Spraying tomatoes for blight is a preventive measure, not a cure. Growers should not wait until disease symptoms are prevalent to begin spraying.

For the first time fluid milk delivered to the Chicago market topped 400 million pounds for one month when the April production reached 402 million pounds.

To control nose bots in sheep, smear the noses of sheep with pine tar. This recommendation comes from Earle Raun, extension entomologist at Iowa State College.

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- BEEF
Boullion Cubes, 15 Cubes 23c
- QUICK FROZEN
Cod Fish Fillets lb. 49c
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PERCH FILLETTS lb. 49c
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BABY MAGIC . . 47c

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D. M. Moore had a last Thursday Mr. Mrs. Lester Esrey and Commerce, Texas.

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of Lovington, went the week-end in Floydada.

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D. M. Moore are these days since around in a new

Woodward and Ka- Mr. and Mrs. E. C. and Mr. and Mrs. Gary and Mac of Floydada family near Floydada with Pete, Wan- mer with Pete, Wan- Hickerson and L. A.

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The height and placing of your lamps has a direct bearing on the amount of light they give. Glare is one of the worst enemies of good seeing.

So we must have enough light, of good quality, to insure comfort and safety and satisfaction for every member of the household where ever it is needed, and one of the main characteristics of good quality light is the extent of its freedom from glare and harsh shadows.

Now that school has started and there is so much home-work to be done let's check our lights and see if they are adequate for all our family's needs.

Remember—"Few of us get dizzy from doing good turns."

WRITES FOR J. M. HUGHES HELD AT EDMOND, OKLA.

Mr. and Mrs. Collis Roland in company with T. M. Noland, Mrs. Paul Williams of Plainview, Tom Noland and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Audie Noland and son, returned home Monday night from Edmond, Oklahoma.

They attended the funeral service for an uncle of the Noland family, J. M. Hughes.

Mr. Hughes died of a heart attack on Friday at his home there.

Mr. Hughes was a brother-in-law of the late Mrs. T. M. Noland.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Irby of Plainview and Mrs. Edwin Meachem of Pecos, spent the week-end in Wichita Falls with Pete Irby who is seriously ill. Pete is a brother of Raymond and Mrs. Meachem.

LIBRARY NEWS

(by Mrs. Rosita Hollar)

We are pleased to report a goodly group of high school visitors in the Central Library. Their tastes vary but are typically democratic. This portion of library service has been an enjoyable opportunity to know the young people of the area and to cooperate with the schools.

Our borrowers are urged to observe the date due stamped in the books and return them promptly, as many people as we may.

This week we are reporting two memorial books. Papa Was a Preacher, was given by Mrs. Paul Murff in memory of her mother, Mrs. John L. West. Mrs. West was the wife of a pioneer preacher and so Papa Was a Preacher is an excellent choice.

Our other memorial is Huribut's Story of The Bible. This classic among Bible books is the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Copeland of Lockney in memory of Mrs. A. E. Frizzell. This families of long standing in our county have books marked with plates bearing their names and the names of the donors.

The story hour sponsored by the 1929 Study club has a variety of happenings this week. Carl Minor, Jr. and Glenn Amburn of KPLD came over on Saturday and made a second tape recording as another public service for the club and the library. You probably heard the tape and the voices of very young Floydada last Sunday at 3 p.m. Our choice of the two tapes made is to be sent to the Texas State Library to be loaned to other counties! Congratulations to Story Hour and its sponsors.

Keith Armstrong showed the film

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taken by David Kirk as a preview for the 1929 Study club committee last Thursday. The preview assured us that it will be enjoyed by all who have the chance to see it. Barbara Perry and Sammie Copeland told the stories which were recorded on Saturday. Mrs. C. W. Denison assisted with the refreshment period.

The September meeting of the Floyd County Library Board had all but one member in attendance and a study was made of the summer's progress. Judge Johnston attended a portion of the business meeting and give his help with the major problems, such as insurance, the budget and additional book shelves.

Circulation improves! Seventy books checked out last Saturday and fifty-eight on Monday. School whets our reading appetite!

NEW TECHNICIAN ASSUMES DUTIES AT PEOPLES HOSPITAL

Miss Catherine Headstream of Lubbock arrived in Floydada on Monday and began her work as technician at Peoples hospital.

Miss Headstream, for the past seven years has been technician at the Ragland Clinic hospital in Gilmer, Texas.

McCarty Resigns Church at Lubbock

The Reverend C. J. McCarty, who has been pastor of the Calvary Baptist church in Lubbock for the past 25 years, tendered his resignation Sunday evening at the worship hour to take effect immediately.

Rev. McCarty stated he was planning to rest and relax and would still continue to make Lubbock his home.

Last Wednesday evening the church congregation had a special program and open house, honoring Rev. McCarty's 25th anniversary as pastor of the church. During Rev. McCarty's pastorate the church membership had grown from 150 to 1,496 members.

Churchmen Attend Crosbyton Event

Several Floydada members of the First Baptist church and the Calvary Baptist church were in attend-

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ance at the annual meeting of the Floyd county Baptist association in Crosbyton, Monday.

the birthdays of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Nelson.

Fred Battey, treasurer for the association, gave the financial report for the year at the meeting and the associational budget for 1953-1954 was adopted.

Reverend H. T. Harris of Whiteflat was the speaker at the 11 o'clock hour.

Matador will be church host to the annual meeting held on September 20, 1954.

Guests for dinner and an afternoon of visiting in the H. H. Nelson home Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. Smithee and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Nelson and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Queen and sons, Mr. and Mrs. George Wexler and Velva and Robert Smith. The occasion was a joint celebration of

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How Good Are U. S. Weapons? Veterans of Korea Give Answer

FLOYD COUNTY, Ga. — U. S. Army infantrymen—who fought the Communist armies in Korea to a standstill and stopped all six of the Red's major offensives short of their goal—are convinced that their weapons are the best in the world.

A study by the Infantry School here disclosed that veterans of the war in Korea were unanimous in their praise of all basic infantry weapons with exception of the 30-caliber carbine.

Out-numbered and out-gunned from the moment the first shot was

fired in the three-year-old war, United Nations and the Republic of Korea soldiers killed or wounded approximately 1,347,000 (M) North Korean and Chinese Communist troops. Approximately 125,000 surrendered.

At the same time, 320,117 UN and ROK soldiers were killed or wounded while 86,425 were listed as captured or missing.

The Red's therefore, suffered more than three and one-half times as many casualties as United Nations and ROK troops. A large percentage of the casualties inflicted by the Communists occurred in the early stages of the war, when they twice had the aggressors' advantage of launching mass attacks without warning—first when the North Koreans invaded South Korea and, later, when the Chinese Reds slipped across the Yalu River to start a new war.

From Korea have come reports that some of our weapons were ineffective. This was true during the early days of the war when most of the weapons were re-conditioned World War II guns. But this situation was corrected quickly as new weapons were sped to combat forces.

Most criticized was the 30-caliber carbine. It was sensitive to heat, cold and dirt. Originally, it had been designed as a semi-automatic weapon to replace the 45-caliber pistol. After World War II, it was converted to a fully-automatic weapon. Typical comments by soldiers questioned about the carbine were, "It doesn't pack the wallop you need," "It fails to fire more than it fires," and "We now carry M-1's (Garand rifles) instead of carbines."

Despite its weaknesses, however, the carbine still was considered superior to the pistol because of its greater range and accuracy.

Virtually every rifleman questioned agreed that the Garand rifle was the most dependable and accurate individual weapon ever brought into play on a battlefield.

"I've never seen an M-1 fail in any kind of weather," said a veteran rifle squad leader. "It can be fired as fast as it can be aimed—and that's what counts."

The 45-caliber semi-automatic Army service pistol, little used in World War II, became a popular weapon in Korea.

"It's particularly good at close range—20 to 35 yards—and the Commies are always at close range," said one soldier.

The Browning Automatic Rifle, a mainstay in World War II, again proved its value in Korea. It found so much favor in rifle squads that Army planners authorized two BAR's instead of one for these small units. Instances of failure of BAR's to fire were rare. Effectiveness of the Army's 30-caliber light machine-guns was reflected in the atten-

tion shown them by enemy mortars. "They're always after us," said a light machine-gunner, "because we really knock hell out of them. We really punched holes in those mad rushes."

Some American soldiers, however, would like to replace the light machine-gun with the heavy, water-cooled 30-caliber machinegun.

"The biggest headache I had," said a heavy machine-gunner, "was trying to keep some rifle company from stealing my heavies."

The Army's 60-millimeter mortar—designed to give close-in support up to 600 yards—"fills the bill completely," according to infantrymen who fought in Korea. The 81-millimeter mortar also had an overwhelming vote of confidence.

But the biggest of the high-angle fire weapons—the 42-inch mortar—was acclaimed the most deadly of the infantry's family of mortars. O heavy mortar company commander said "Most of our regiments want to double the number of 4.2's."

Hip pocket artillery—57, 75 and 105-millimeter recoilless rifles—got their big test in Korea, and they are here to stay. They were ideal for destroying enemy bunkers, armor, and infantry. Tankbusting 3.5-inch rocket-launchers—better-known as super-bazookas—were, in the words of one infantryman, "the answer to a prayer."

Hand grenades and rifle grenades left little to be desired. They were effective both as offensive and defensive weapons.

These infantry weapons, in the hands of men trained to use them, combined with the world's most accurate artillery and hardest-hitting tanks to force the Communists to abandon their favorite method of offense—the human sea attack.

Not even their sea with their vast reserve of manpower, could stand the inevitable losses.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Payne and C. J. made a business trip to Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Reeves and Mrs. E. C. Austin of South Plains visited in the Walton Wilson home Wednesday.

Mrs. Lee Burgett, Mrs. Delphia Cook, Don and Glenda and Shirley Nelson spent from Friday until Sunday afternoon late visiting relatives in Canyon, Skellytown and Pampa. In Canyon they visited Mrs. C. E. Steen. In Skellytown they visited Mr. and Mrs. Merie Mercer and daughter, Vicki, and in Pampa they visited Mr. and Mrs. Owen Long and family.

Sherman Irwin came up over the week-end from Sheppard field, Wichita Falls to visit home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart went to Lubbock Monday where Jim had a checkup at Dr. Barsh's clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bullard of Dell City, Texas, spent Friday and Friday night with his aunt and family, Mrs. Walton Wilson.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart and Jim Dan were Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson, Leonard Wilson and Jimmy Tye. Afternoon visitors in the Stewart home were Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cannon of Slaton and Mrs. J. W. Cannon and son, Douglas, of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Ellison and children of Crosbyton visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Tackett.

Cotton is the crop with the biggest cash value for the country as a whole. According to USDA economists, cotton accounts for one-twelfth of total U. S. cash farm receipts.

A good fence is high enough so livestock will not reach over it and is compact enough to keep them from reaching through the wire. Good fences are, in the long run, cheap fences.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Cheeves of Amarillo were dinner guests Wednesday of her brother, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Helms and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell attended the Floyd county Baptist association held at the First Baptist church in Crosbyton Monday. They were accompanied by Clifford's mother, Mrs. P. D. Helms of McCoy.

The community weiner roast and 84 party Thursday night was enjoyed by all. Those attending were Messrs. and Mesdames C. W. Payne, Jim Stewart, Clyde Bagwell, Chil McClure, Clifford Helms and Bonnie, T. L. Perry and Jan, Walton Wilson and Judy, E. W. Walls, Shirley W. Irwin and daughters, and Leonard Wilson and Jim Dan Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Foster, Jackie and Tony, Jr., of Oklahoma City spent Saturday and Sunday here with Mrs. W. B. Wilson. Mr. Foster and Jackie returned home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Foster and Tony, Jr. remained for a week's visit with Mrs. Wilson.

Fairview News

(by Mrs. Clyde Bagwell)

FAIRVIEW, September 22 — We have had some real fall weather the last few days. The early feed that survived the dry weather is about ready to be combined. Harvesting of crops in our community this fall will be light except for a few irrigated fields and some portions of the community where rainfall was more plentiful.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Helms and daughters, Bonnie and Judy, spent the week-end at Clovis, New Mexico, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Giles and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozby left last Friday for Wichita Falls after receiving word of the birth of a new grandson on Wednesday. This new grandson of the Cozby's is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Branson. Mrs. Branson is the former Mary Dee Cozby. Mr. Cozby returned home Sunday night but Mrs. Cozby remained in Wichita Falls to be with Mrs. Branson and son for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walls went to Oklahoma City Saturday to attend the funeral on Sunday of the mother of Mrs. Walls' brother-in-law. They returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Cheeves of

How to Figure Worth of Slain Dog In Court

A distinguished judge once remarked "There are high and low degrees among dogs as well as among men, and while the common dog has his value, it is not the same as that of the trained bird dog or the trained bloodhound." Now if someone should kill your dog do you know how to figure his worth and how to collect damages?

Renzo Dee Bowers, an attorney who frequently writes about sportsmen and the law for Sports Afield magazine, explains that you are saddled by law with the burden of proving two things and until you have proved them your antagonist is not required to open his mouth: first, that he killed or injured your dog; and second, that the animal was of a specified money value.

The defendant must then prove that the conditions confronting him when he shot or otherwise killed your dog justified the act; or that the animal was either without value, or of much less value than you

claim. A man who takes his chances on deliberately killing a hunting dog finds comfort in knowing that statutes exist in nearly all states upon which he can rely for legal justification of his act. That of New Jersey is typical. It reads: "A person may humanely destroy a dog in self-defense, or which is found chasing, worrying, wounding or destroying any sheep, lamb, poultry or domestic animal."

This defense is used in 95 per cent of suits prosecuted for wrongfully killing hunting dogs. There are a few, but only a few, other conditions and circumstances recognized by the courts as justification.

The defendant is bound to prove that the animal was actually doing one of the prohibited acts at the moment he was killed. It is not enough for him to say he thought the dog was chasing, worrying, wounding or destroying sheep, lamb, poultry or domestic animal.

Killers of hunting dogs have been judicially declared liable for the value of the animal killed under these circumstances: a dog killed through malice or evil intent; killed through some act of negligence or carelessness; by inexcusable mistake in identity or failure to perceive the exact character of the act the suspected dog is committing at the moment; or merely because the animal is trespassing.

Standards of determining worth are simple. If the dog has a market

value in the neighborhood, that value is ordinarily measure of damage due to the owner but showing its quality, pedigree, and other qualities.

Mrs. Fred Bowers Is Club Hostess

The Sunnyside Recreation club met on Friday, Sept. 18, with Mrs. Fred Bowers as hostess.

Fourteen members and D. W. Burke presided. The meeting was answered with "The Sportsman" which member brought the afternoon with Mrs. Bowers as auctioneer.

Mrs. Will Small gave "Aprons fill her purse" J. McKinney and Mrs. C. J. told of aprons pretty sold from the sale of the aprons. The club voted to bring colored family.

Mrs. Herschel Hammon hosts at the next meeting will be on Friday, October 17.

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Verlon Wright)
 September 22.—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fawver and family returned on business.
 Maxine Hatley, Edna and Patsy Johnson visited with Dorothy.
 Charlie Wright and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Friday night.
 W. C. Wright, Mrs. and Mrs. Verlon visited Mrs. Verlon Friday evening.
 Edwards, sr., under surgery at West Texas today morning.
 L. D. Gollightly and Sunday night with Carlton Fawver and
 George Hamor and Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Friday Saturday.
 Neely Richardson and Mrs. Verlon visited Mrs. Verlon Friday evening.
 Joe Thurston visited George Hamor and Friday afternoon.
 P. J. Wilkes enjoying grandchildren, Lin- Friday, visiting them over.
 Mrs. Verlon entertained her Sunday afternoon. Cake and ice for her birthday. Those who visited were: Patsy Nellie Neff, Mr. and Mrs. Ashon, Mr. and Mrs. Pyle and daughters, Mrs. Oran Hatley and Mr. and Mrs. Harve.
 Charlie Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Friday night.
 Gene Johnson and Friday night visited Opal Baron in Fort visited the Warner Novis in Baylor hospital on Saturday and Mrs. Johnson returned.
 Roy Fawver visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Gollightly were of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leslie Fawver and Mr. and Mrs. Roy

Fawver Thursday night.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lanell Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fawver Saturday night.
 Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Fawver and children visited the Roy Fawvers all day Tuesday.
 Visiting the R. H. Peels last week were Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Riggles on Thursday and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones and Jean on Friday night.
 Mr. and Mrs. Tom Orbin and children of Priona visited over the weekend. Mrs. Peel is Mrs. Obrins mother. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Battey and Mrs. Roy Fawver visited on Monday.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Peel attended church in Crosbyton Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stuber of Lorenzo.
 Mrs. W. U. Riggles was surprised with a birthday supper last Tuesday night by friends and relatives. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dunken and children, Nita and Carrie Beads, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Pope and children and Mr. and Mrs. George Cardinal and family.
 Mrs. Verlon Wright and children spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wright in Floydada. Buel Neff was also a dinner guest.
 Mr. and Mrs. Howard Genie Bishop and son visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Brown at Cedar Hill Sunday.
 Mrs. J. C. Custer has been visiting in the home of her son, O. K. Custer and family. They took her back to her home in Slaton on Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Custer and son spent Sunday afternoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Harrison in Floydada.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tooley of Plainview spent Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fowler Estep and son.
 Elmer Baker of Olton and Ray Baxter of Cambell were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harve Thomas Tuesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Houston Adkins and Randie and Roxie of Crowell visited her brother and family, the Lou- Pyles on Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bob Allredge and Steve and Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Battey spent Sunday with the William Bertrand family.
 There will be a ball game at Cone Friday between the Lakeview school and Cone. Lakeview will leave the school about 1:30 p.m.
 Wayland Jones of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Polasek of Claude visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones over the weekend.
 Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Wheelless and children of Crosbyton and his bro-



The Missing Purse

Lorenzo Dow was an eccentric itinerant preacher who, during the early years of the nineteenth century, traveled on horseback all over the United States from Georgia to Canada, preaching to the people in the scattered settlements.
 He is said to have been a very able and effective speaker, and was highly esteemed by the people, who came many miles to the meetings he had appointed to address. Although he made his appointments as much as a year ahead, he never failed to meet his engagements, speaking sometimes in barns, or in the open fields, or in the woods. Many interesting and some amusing stories are told of him.
 Weary with a long day's journey, Dow had put up one night at a country tavern, and gone to bed. It happened that a dozen or so men were gambling in the barroom, and along about midnight one of them exclaimed that his purse had been stolen, and declared that someone in the crowd had taken it. He was about to create a disturbance when the proprietor announced that Lorenzo Dow was in the house. The men hit upon the happy expedient of arousing the preacher and asking him to find the thief.
 The keeper, candle in hand, went to the preacher's room, aroused him, and explained the situation.
 "I shall gladly get up," replied Dow, "and as soon as I can get into my clothes I shall be with you."
 Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tohl of Matador and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lightfoot and children of Floydada.
 Mr. Dunn left Sunday morning for points in Oklahoma where he will visit a few days with relatives. His brother who has been so ill is improving and hopes to be dismissed from the hospital the last of the week.
 Tom Noland, Imogene and Joe Richard and T. M. Noland went to Edmond, Oklahoma, Sunday to attend the funeral of a kinsman, John Hughes. Mr. Hughes was a former resident of this community.
 Mr. and Mrs. Green attended the Baptist association at Crosbyton Monday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Welborn Miller visited in Plainview Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Miller. They brought Julia Ann home with them. She had spent the week-end with her parents.
 The Center H. D. club is to meet September 25 in the AAA kitchen.

Center News

(by Mrs. J. E. Green)
 CENTER, September 22.—The usual weather for October — when it is dry. Harvest time — crops late, and threaten to premature. We hope feed crops will be tall enough to bind. About the best dry land hay is in the bar pits by the road side. Some are taking 'time or hay by the fore lock' and are harvesting this with a binder. A good sensible thing to do we think. It makes the highway look better.
 We had a good crowd Sunday and held morning services in the church. We enjoyed having a roof over our heads this time. Sunday night services were held in the Leo Frizzell home.
 Visitors at church Sunday were two Wayland students, Miss Margaret Vaughn from Brazil and Elma McVay from El Paso. Both young ladies and June Hartline were Sunday dinner guests in the Green home.
 Bro. and Mrs. Hodges dined Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mankins. Jerry had dinner with Jimmy Dunn.
 Mr. and Mrs. Green and Margaret visited Saturday evening in Plainview with the Victor Greens.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ross attended church Sunday at Halfway. They were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Ross' brother, Bob Guffee and family.
 Visitors in the Frank Dunn home

Meanwhile let all the doors and windows be closed, and let no one of the company depart."
 On entering the barroom, Dow inquired if anyone had gone away since the money was stolen. He was assured on this point. Then he requested the proprietor to bring in a big black kettle one on the place. This was quickly done. Then he requested the proprietor to go and bring the biggest rooster he had on the place. Soon the rooster arrived. Dow told the men to turn the kettle upside down in the middle of the floor and place the rooster under it which was also done.
 "Now," said the preacher to the crowd of men about him, who were filled with curiosity at these strange proceedings, "now we will form a line, single file. All the lights will be put out, and as we march around the kettle every man is to place his right hand on the top of the kettle. When the man who has the purse places his hand there, the rooster will crow. Hold that man fast, for he is the thief. Now put out the lights and take up the line of march."

It was almost totally dark, and the men started on their strange march. They had all gone around the kettle, but the rooster did not crow. Then all the men began to make fun of the preacher, exclaiming the folly of such an experiment.
 "Wait, gentlemen," exclaimed Dow; "we are not quite through. Let the candles be lighted."
 The men waited in silence until the keeper had lighted the candles. The preacher then asked that all the men come forward and raise their right hands. Every man except one had a black hand!
 "There!" said Dow, "that man took the pocketbook!" And they found the missing article concealed in his pocket. —From It is to Laugh

ROSES OF FREDICAMENT
 The young man's sweetheart told him that the next day was her birthday. He smilingly said that he would send her a bouquet of roses, one for each year of her life.
 He ordered two dozen roses to be delivered the next morning. The florist knowing the young man's father was one of his best customers, kindly put in an extra dozen. And the young man never knew why his girl was sore at him.
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lam returned last week from Gray and Carroll counties, Missouri, where they spent several weeks as the guests of relatives.
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Council Meeting Held Saturday

Twenty-four members, representing 15 clubs answered roll call at the meeting of the Floyd county council of home demonstration clubs Saturday afternoon. The meeting was held in the council room at the court house, with Mrs. W. R. Daniel, chairman, presiding.

Three visitors, Mrs. D. T. Mayo, Mrs. C. L. King and Mrs. C. A. Caffee, and Miss Petty, Home Demonstration agent for Floyd county, were present.

The clubs reported on entertainments for the summer and accomplishments of past meetings.

The council accepted an offer to enter a contest to sell subscriptions to Holland's magazine. The contest begins September 28 and ends October 17.

Mrs. Grigsby Milton, Jr., gave an interesting report on 4-H club achievement day.

Mrs. C. A. Caffee reported the T.H.D.A. business.

Mrs. Raymond Teeple, Mrs. D. S. Battye and Mrs. Ruth Daniels were elected by acclamation to be on the nominating committee to name officers for the incoming year.

New officers for the council will be elected at the next council meeting.

Officers Chosen by Lakeview Club

The Lakeview 4-H club met September 16 for election of officers for the year.

Elected were president, Anella Thurston, vice-president Ruth Asebedo secretary, Charlene Wright and Linda Thurston was elected reporter.

Stella Hernandez was appointed game leader for the next meeting. Miss Lella Petty, Home Demonstration agent, was present and discussed exhibits for the fair at Lubbock.

Other members at the meeting were Jean Jones, Patricia Neff, Beverly Wilkes and Linda Asebedo.

Scrub your dairy calf with soap, water and a stiff brush to start getting her ready for show.

Community Party Planned by Club

Mrs. Fred Jackson was hostess to the Sand Hill home demonstration club on September 8 in the club room.

Roll call was answered with, "I bet you didn't know." The answer that drew the most interest was from Mrs. W. M. Knight who said: "Add two tablespoons of meal and one-half cup milk to one pound hamburger meat and there will be no shrinkage in the amount of meat when cooked."

Mrs. Lynn Miller gave a report from the education committee, and Mrs. James Jeffress read the financial report.

Mrs. Lynn Miller was elected secretary and treasurer to finish the year, since Mrs. John Hollums has answered the call of the classroom.

A community party was planned for the evening of September 29 at the school house. Each family is to bring a pie.

"Pity the poor chairman," was read by Mrs. C. B. Carmack.

"Your child needs good feet," by Dr. Herman N. Bundesen was discussed by Mrs. Lynn Miller.

"Do you know your blood?" by Dr. John Fitch Landon, was discussed by Mrs. James Jeffress.

The hostess served delicious refreshments to Mesdames H. F. Jackson, James Jeffress, M. B. Swanner, Eddie King, Rafe Ferguson, W. M. Knight, C. B. Carmack, Lynn Miller, Jim Holmes, A. V. Womack and Mrs. Arion Miller.

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Everyone is urged to be present for the purpose of electing a secretary to serve the remaining part of the year. Mrs. Milton Harrison resigned at this meeting.

Refreshments of punch, cake and mints were served. Those present were Mesdames Harold Bertrand and children, R. C. Smith, P. L. Hart and her mother, Mrs. T. K. Stephens, Haine Thomas, Elvis Howell, Milton Harrison and Rex, Louis Pyle, B. P. Neff, Verlon Wright and Charlotte, Curtis Williams and children, Weldon Hammonds, and Mrs. William Bertrand and children.

Dougherty News

(by Mrs. W. J. Ross)

DOUGHERTY, September 22. — The cotton harvest has begun. R. J. Hinsley had a bale ginned Saturday. This season Mr. Newton is being assisted at the gin by Mr. and Mrs. Holly as manager and bookkeeper, respectively. They are from Glen.

Sunday school was well attended Sunday with 57 present. September 27 is promotion day. All who are eligible for promotion are requested to be present.

The Mary Molly class decided to sponsor a drive to collect clothing, sheets and cup towels for Buckner's orphan home. Clothing should be for both sex with ages from infancy thru 16 years. Anyone having articles to donate please bring to the church on September 27 or October 4 or contact Mesdames Hines, Cates or Ross.

Rev. H. T. Harris, pastor of the local church delivered the annual sermon Monday at the Floyd Baptist association at Crosbyton.

Those attending from Dougherty Baptist church were Rev. Harris, H. Woodson, Mesdames Harris, Woodson, Caffee, Morrison, Craw-

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returning to their homes were Mrs. Loleta Ross and sons, Glen and Gary of Houston and Mrs. Bob McElhannon of Winslow, Arizona.

James W. Ross is spending his furlough visiting his parents and friends at Lubbock. He is a member of the 634th A.I.B. football squad. He also is the holder of the Sharpshooter medal.

Approximately 100 attended the first meeting of the community club Friday evening. The children played games in the play room under the supervision of Mrs. G. W. Smith. The adults played 42 or canasta. Refreshments of punch and cookies were served by Mrs. Bill Smith. The next meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. October 31. It will be a Halloween carnival.

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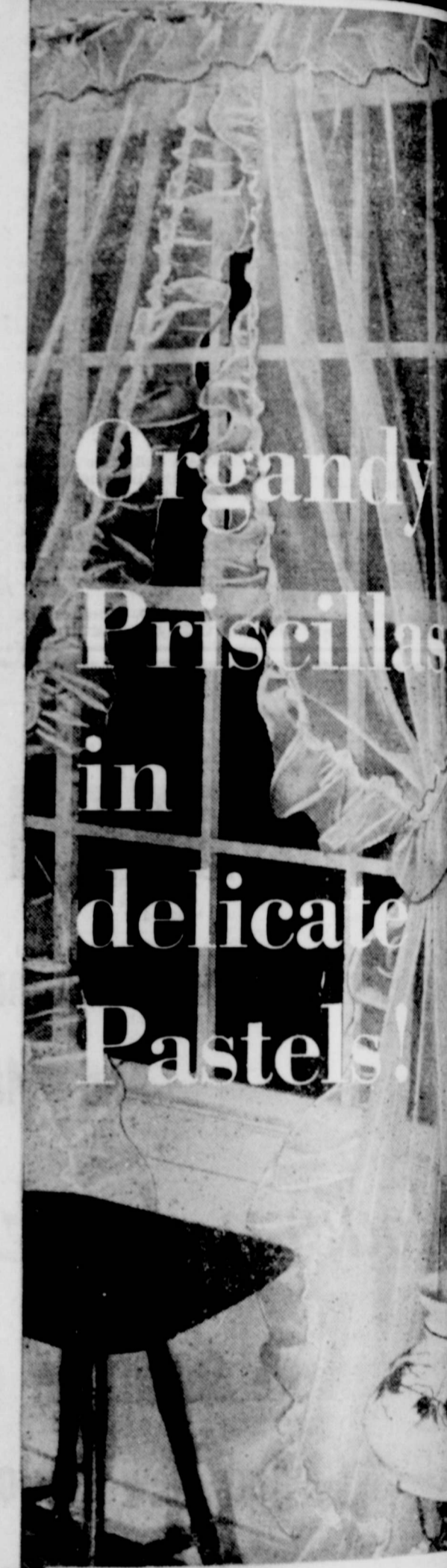
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(Witt Spikes)

As the water heats for the canning of tomatoes, I will snatch a few minutes here and there and try to get the column this week. It is this very nice, cool, more in the northeast I want to go to a windmill to go to a delicious yellow of waiting me, also, a of the last ones, as they have not been found. The worms found in drawing to a where will be chow-minceat.

minceat makes I made last week when me by my good Floydada. Mrs. Troy brought over some we ever ate one day

meat, or Summer called it and I will as she gave it to small can of crushed and apple juice, and and peaches and not as we do not like

peeled and cored, 1 or 2 apples, 1 cup of is not too sweet, and allspice (the a tablespoon of seedless raisins, 3 or six cups; 1 cup spoon salt,

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the washing is spread on a bed. I am snatching a few minutes again as I watch after Johnny Jeff as he plays.

Folks may not see the same as Ernest Joiner on every viewpoint but I think he really "went to town" in telling about the pies Mrs. Buran House takes out of her stove.

Ralls is a fine place to buy your needs. So is Floydada, Crosbyton, Lockney and Lorenzo. Of course the Big Town over the way has many many allures, but for things I need and can find at home, the friendly stores the salespeople who ask about my family and have time to talk a little, are more in my line.

At the farm yesterday we visited Wilda and John and the children. We went around the field. So many changes have been made to take care of the irrigation. I was lost in the same field where I had labored long and hard hours, days and months and even years.

The one thing that came the clearest to my mind was one afternoon when I was first married and on the farm, I looked out to see where Jeff was and to take him a drink of fresh well water when he was near the house.

Imagine to my horror to see him standing before his three horse team, two mules, Callie and Fidy, to be exact and one horse named Jack, waving his hands in vain as the team started out.

Jeff's shirt looked like the blood had streamed over it. I was in agony my husband was badly injured. I started in a run. Old Jack looked terribly funny, why he had a blue jumper tied over his head, then I saw that Jeff had on his red wool shirt that looked like blood at a distance.

The team took off across the field and I got a little scolding as my husband said they might have run over me plow and all.

South Plains News

(by Mrs. Murray Julian)

SOUTH PLAINS, Sept. 21. — Mr. and Mrs. Robbnet and children are getting settled in their new home in South Plains and the three children are in school. Mr. Robbnet is manager of the new gin here and operations will soon be in full scale.

Mrs. Lena King returned this week-end from Dumas where she has been visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Reed and son the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Snodgrass enjoyed a visit from her cousin, Mrs. Mable Laughlin, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jack Welch, both of Bonham, on Sunday. Mrs. Welch went on to Spring Lake where she is a third grade teacher in the schools there. Mrs. Laughlin was also returning to Spring Lake from Bonham, where she attended the funeral of her brother-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Weast visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders and family on Wednesday night. They enjoyed games of "42" together.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Karr and children were hosts at dinner Sunday to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan, sr., from Lockney and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McLeod from near Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders and daughter, Martha Lee, left Sunday morning for Denton, Texas, where Martha Lee enrolled as a senior in college at North Texas State. Later the Sanders went to Fort Worth where they spent Monday with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bartlett. They planned to return home on Tuesday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure who are still at the hospital in Grand Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Higginbotham went to Plainview Sunday afternoon to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Lanham and Peggy Don. Peggy Don is recuperating in the hospital at Plainview.

Early Joiner came home to Floydada for a brief visit with his family Thursday. He expects to return to the ranch in Rye, Colorado, Tuesday of the week. Saturday he and Mrs. Joiner visited with the Murray Julian family.

A good many from here attended the Floyd County Soil Conservation fall tour last Tuesday, and enjoyed the speaker, W. L. Stangel, from Tech college. Among those who went from here were Mr. and Mrs. Sylvian Kinnibrugh, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. West, Grigsby Milton, Murray Julian and Mr. and Mrs. Early Ritchett.

P. M. Smitherman has been spending the past two weeks in Truth or Consequences, New Mexico, with Mr. and Mrs. Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McCain and sons were week-end visitors at the home of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry. The McCains live in Amarillo and were returning from a vacation trip to Colorado.

Mrs. Grigsby Milton gave a Stanley party at her home on Wednesday morning of last week. Mrs. W. H. McClung of Floydada was in charge of the entertainment. Mrs. Milton served coffee and doughnuts to the following ladies: Mesdames Alvin Nichols, Glen Whitfill, Fred Fortenberry, John Smitherman, Gerald Lacey, Bill Beedy, J. K. West, Sylvian Kinnibrugh, Owen Thornton, Rex Smitherman, Murray Julian, I. H. Parks and Carl Lemons.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mulder spent Thursday and Friday with his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Arby Mulder and children. They were enroute home after a months vacation trip up into Canada and many of the states.

Rev. and Mrs. Spearman and Charlotte attended the all day associational meeting which was held this Monday in Crosbyton.

Thursday of last week the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders was the scene for a family get together in honor of Martha Lee, who left for college on Sunday. Her grand-

parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bartlett, and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sanders from Floydada, an aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Liebried and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morkel all of Floydada were guests at the Sanders home. Mrs. Sanders served ice cream and cake at the close of the party.

W. M. S. Meets

The WMS of the Baptist church met Wednesday, September 16, at 2:30 p.m. for bible study under the direction of Mrs. W. S. Spearman. Chapters 9, 10 and 11, were concluded in the book, "Women of Destiny in the Old Testament."

A business meeting followed and election of officers was held. Mrs. Dock Jones, president; Mrs. Murray Julian, vice-president; secretary, Mrs. W. S. Spearman; benevolence, Mrs. G. Milton; bible study, Mrs. H. S. Calahan, jr.; missionary study, Mrs. John Smitherman; stewardship Mrs. H. L. Marble; community missions, Mrs. Shelby Calahan; and program chairman, Mrs. Bryan Karr. Mrs. Spearman will conduct the bible study for next year.

The WMS will meet on Thursday of this week, September 24, for a program, "Week of Prayer," and everyone is invited to attend. The meeting begins at 2 p.m.

Those who were present at WMS were Mesdames W. S. Spearman, Grigsby Milton, H. S. Calahan, Murray Julian, Dock Jones, and Bryan Karr.

The next WMS meeting will be on Wednesday, September 30. Everyone come for Royal Service.

Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Spearman and Charlotte left on Wednesday night after prayer service for Decatur, Texas, where they spent the night as guests of Rev. Brooks and his family. On Thursday they went to Grand Prairie where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. Zach Cummings and family have been enjoying their daughter, and husband Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Rose of Denver, Colorado. Mrs. Rose was formerly Jean Cummings and has lived in Denver for the past few years.

Mrs. Murray Julian was hostess at her home last Thursday to a small group of friends who spent the afternoon in games of canasta. Mrs. Julian served refreshments at the close of the party to Mesdames George Weast, Ernest Smitherman, L. T. Wood, John Smitherman and Bill Beedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Smitherman have their new home near completion and they hope to be moved in this week. They have been staying with his parents since their marriage. The new home is right east of the Ernest Smitherman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Zach Cummings

Floyd County Hesperian, Floydada, Texas, Thursday, September 24, 1953

and son, Zach left last Saturday for Oklahoma, Missouri, and Arkansas. They visited relatives and friends and saw much country. While in Siloam Springs, Arkansas, they spent an enjoyable night with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Norman formerly of Lockney. They also spent some time in Texarkana and Farmersville on the way home.

Mrs. B. Taylor visited Mrs. Gene Edmonds and her mother, Mrs. Robinson, on Wednesday of last week.

Jimmy and Tommy McCown of

Powell, Wyoming, have been enrolled for the sophomore year at Texas Tech, at Lubbock. They spent several days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood, before they left for their college studies last Sunday.

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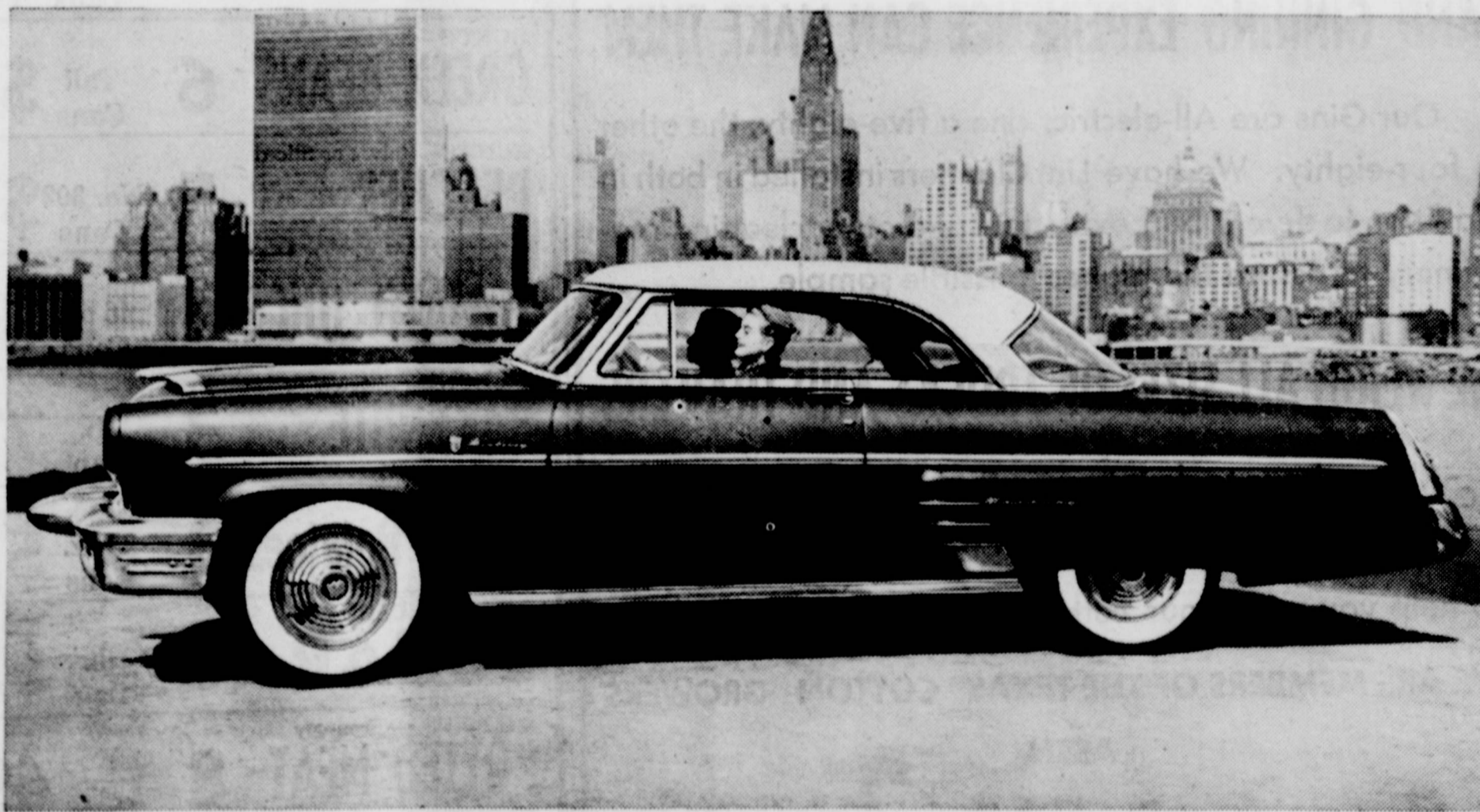
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A series of special services will be held at the First Methodist church beginning October 4 and lasting through October 11.

Reverend Wayne Cook, pastor of Asbury Methodist church in Lubbock will be the speaker and the song service will be in charge of Rev. C. W. Williams of Darrouzett.

The services will be held daily at 10 o'clock in the morning and 7:30 o'clock in the evening.

Sand Hill News

(By Mrs. James Jeffress)

SAND HILL, September 22.—Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hollums and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Swanner were in Lubbock Wednesday shopping and on business.

Latest report on Jim Carey is that he is now in Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Turner were in Lubbock Thursday on business and shopping. They also visited in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Peevie.

Jim Jeffress of Silverton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Jeffress and family Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. James Jeffress and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jeffress and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Alford Thursday night in Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Turner spent Saturday in Muleshoe where they visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. Odell Press and grandmother, Mrs. Ingram.

W. M. S. Meeting

The WMS of the Baptist church met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. M. B. Swanner. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. M. B. Swanner. The minutes were read and approved. Each member brought sheets and cup towels to be sent to Wayland college.

The program was in observance of the week of prayer. These members took part, Mesdames Olen Baird, James Jeffress, Eloise Pennington, J. R. Turner, M. B. Swanner, Will Hollums, and Mrs. Mattie Baird.

Those enjoying a picnic supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Jeffress Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Schulz and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Turner and family.

Among those enjoying the football game Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jackson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rafe Ferguson and family, and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Carmack.

Farewell Gathering

The Baptist church had dinner at the school house Sunday with everyone bringing a basket lunch. It was the last Sunday here for Rev. and Mrs. Dave Chamblin.

In the afternoon the congregation again met in the church and after service special numbers by various members, presented the

couple with two pieces of luggage. Those present were Mattie Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baird, Mrs. Eloise Pennington and children, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Horton and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Turner and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams and Judy, Mrs. McKibben, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hollums and Katie, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hollums and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cates, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts and family, Neida Rhea, Barbara Huckabay, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Swanner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Stringer and Billie Dale, Mr. and Mrs. James Jeffress and family, KoKo Maedes from Wayland college and Rev. and Mrs. Dave Chamblin.

Rev. and Mrs. Dave Chamblin spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hollums. They left Monday morning for California where they will make their home.

Mrs. Fred Jackson and Mrs. James Jeffress attended council Saturday afternoon.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rafe Ferguson Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Day from Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Schulz and family visited in Abernathy Sunday with Mrs. Schulz's sister.

Mrs. Monroe Schulz and Mrs. J. R. Turner were visitors Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. James Jeffress.

Bro. Beckley held services in the Church of Christ Sunday. There was a good attendance.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knight Sunday were her mother, Mrs. Cora Pace from Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Jack

Hollingsworth from Lockney. Mrs. Hollingsworth and Mrs. Knight are sisters.

The Miller reunion was held in the home of W. E. Miller and Miss Pearl Miller Sunday. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Orbra Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Orton Miller and family from Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Jack and family from Freona. Calling in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Spears had as their guests Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Spears, Billie Bollman and Mrs. K. O. Krum and Mike all of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bollman from Lockney visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Spears Sunday night.

Walter Knight had a minor operation on his eye and is now doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gross returned home from Dallas Friday. His condition is reported as much improved.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Billington Sunday was Mrs. Billington's nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jack Martin and family from Lorenzo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knight and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Billington attended church in Petersburg Sunday night.

Mrs. Tom Thomas has returned home from California where she had a very enjoyable time.

Sand Hill 4-H Meeting

The Sand Hill 4-H club met at the school house Friday September 18.

The new officers were elected for the coming year. They were La Juana Womack president, Billie Jo Hood vice-president, Thelma Ferguson secretary and Billie Gail Holmes reporter.

Miss Petty gave each girl a card to fill out. She also discussed the fair. The next meeting will be Monday afternoon, October 19.

Those attending were LaJuana Womack, Billie Gail Holmes, Carolyn Raley, Sandra Harber, Janie Bradley, Dorothy Roberson, Sara Carey, Joellen Jackson, Margaret

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Their debts have increased from \$3,400,000,000 to \$9,200,000,000 since 1940.

Colvin told a meeting of the Federation of National Farm Loan Associations that farming conditions generally are good, but he advised caution in the use of credit.

He attributed the increase in non-real estate indebtedness to the progress of mechanization, great need for fertilizers and the higher cost of farm labor.

He reported farmers' debts on real estate, totaled \$6,600,000,000 in 1940 and \$6,700,000,000 in 1952.

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BAKE RITE 3 lb. 77c
Can

DURAND
Sweet Potatoes 3 23 oz. \$1.
Cans

IMPERIAL CANE
SUGAR 10 lb. \$1.
Bag

WILSON'S—Economy
POTTED MEAT 8 49c
Cans

ARMOUR STAR CLOVERBLOOM
2 lb. CHEESE 89c Box

FRESH FRYERS
WILSON
BOLOGNA 39c lb.

Fresh Pork Ribs

HUNT'S—Save 20 cents
Tomato Sauce 12 Cans

HONT'S—None Better
Tomato Juice 10 No. 303 Cans

HUNT'S
SWEET PICKLES 3 12 oz. Jars

HUNT'S
CATSUP 6 14 oz. Bottles

HUNT'S
Cucumber Chips 5 12 oz. Bottles

SUN SPUN—High Quality
TOMATOES 6 No. 303 Cans

MAYFIELD—Golden Cream Style
CORN 7 No. 303 Cans

SUN SPUN
Pork & Beans 10 No. 303 Cans

RED & WHITE—Asparagus Pack
GREEN BEANS 4 No. 303 Cans

HUNT'S—Preserves
STRAWBERRIES 3 Pound Jars

SUGAR CURED Wilson Certified All Meat, C
PICNIC HAMS

6-8 Pounds
49c lb.

FRANK 51c

RED & WHITE

WESTER & SON

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