

SHETLAND PONY SHOW AND SANTA CLAUS PARADE SET

The 1954 Shetland Pony Show and Santa Claus Parade sponsored by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce has been set for November 26 according to George Bickly, chairman of the Chamber's Retail Trades Committee.

At a breakfast meeting on Tuesday Bickly and his committee of W. O. Baker, John Reue, Walton Hale and Wallace King definitely set the day after Thanksgiving as the date for the show which will open the Christmas season in Floydada.

This year's show, following a pattern set in 1953, will award trophies and ribbons to Shetland pony winners in at least five divisions. A Santa Claus Parade and special events are planned to make a full day of entertainment. Other important announcements about the show will be made in the near future, Bickly said.

Last year's Shetland Pony show drew seventy-five Shetland entries from over a wide area of West Texas.

Twenty-Two Leave For Army Service

The four counties constituting the area of Local Board No. 45 of Selective Service will send 22 men to the armed forces the first of next week - 11 of them Monday, 11 Tuesday.

The registrants for Monday report at the court house in Plainview at 5 a. m., the Tuesday contingent reporting at 6 a. m.

To report Monday are Wayburn Dale Mitchell, Lubbock, Clovis Rae McGee, Oklahoma City, William Zearl Hawkins, Flomot, Russell Aubrey Stark, Jr., and Joe Don Geringer, Tulsa, Clem Eugene Pope, Abert, Theodore Roosevelt, James Willie Toney and Jimmy Maurice Green, Floydada, Nathan Junior Williams, Kansas City, Kansas, Allen Carroll Stanford, Plainview, and Buddy Chandler, the latter transferred and to report from Cooldidge, Arizona.

To report Tuesday are Harold Lee Burch, Donald Ray Tyler, Billy Ross Hardin, James Walter Maxwell, Glen Oliver Harding, Otis Vernon Mickey and Roy Weldon Parrish, all of Plainview; J. T. Campbell, Jr., Perryton, William Dee Allen, Floydada, Gary Warren Sandlin, Lockney, and Abel Jackson, Oakwood, Texas.

Also on the twelfth of the month, Tuesday, the board will have up for pre-induction examination for armed forces a contingent of 30 registrants. They are listed by Mrs. Hedwig S. Kennon, assistant clerk, as follows:

Robbie Lynn Drake, Twenty-Nine Palms, California, Albert Carol Jones, Floydada, Alton Everett Wylly, Plainview, Howard Wayne Attebury, Petersburg, Lawrence Clarence Curman, Matador, Donald Carl Ebeling, Plainview, Ray Gene Carthel, Lockney, Donald Garth Caylor, Odessa, James Whitte Pennington, Plainview, Troy Sid Williams, Happy Beal Lee Thompson, Tulsa, Jerry Tommie Edwards, Hereford, Charles Martin Abbott, Plainview, Stanley Gene Hostetler, Plainview, J. C. Mabry, Tulsa, Jack Rhine, Jr., Lubbock, Gerald Duane Allore, Oilton, Eugene Lanier Rodgers, Tulsa, William Nathan Allen, Floydada.

Elevators Have Retired Debts

The official reports to be given stockholders of Producers Cooperative Elevators at Floydada and Dougherty next Tuesday night will reveal that all indebtedness against their properties at the two points has been retired, Roe Jones, manager, said this week. The indebtedness was retired in August.

The reports will be made as a part of the program for the annual meeting called to be held at the VFW hall the evening of October 12. The two elevators have a combined concrete and steel storage capacity of 500,000 bushels.

The formal business session will be preceded by a John Snider barbecue for members and their families according to plans announced by the directors.

Members will be called upon at the meeting to name successors to A. H. Kreis and Tom Porter as directors. Hold-over members of the board are Henry Willis, Fred Battey and R. G. Dunlap.

Frank Triplett, manager of Plains Cooperative at Amarillo, will be the featured speaker at the meeting.

of the Nazarene church for many years and was a devoted christian. She was a long time resident of Tahoka before moving to Hobbs about six years ago.

She was a frequent visitor in Floydada and will be remembered here.

William Elkins Sessions, Plainview, Tim Rosburgh, Plainview, Troy Eugene Smith, Floydada, Billy Wayne Ragan, Plainview, Bobby Jerrel Ramsey, Plainview, Edgar Earle McDonough, Petersburg, James Alford Arnold, Sumner, Charlie Clarence Holster, Gainesville, D. Hortie Engle, Hale Center, Robert Kenneth Savage, Plainview, Gregorio Santana, Plainview.

Schools Can Be Emptied Quickly

A. W. Coltharp, principal at grade school, said this week at Andrews Ward, heavy teaching is going on in each room to ready pupils in case of fire.

Blocked drill is being practiced every day, Mr. Coltharp said. This, he stated, is when children are starting down stairs and find the way blocked or find a door in flames. A safety program is given each day for 20 minutes to teach each child the best way to leave a burning building.

Fire drill was held last week, the principal said, and another will be held this week. New bulletins have been distributed to each student titled "Fire Prevention and Safety". Mr. Coltharp stressed that each child should know the "stop, drop and roll" rule.

Some rooms are making posters and putting them on display to remind each youngster of his duties in case of fire.

At high school two drills held the past week indicate that Floydada high school can be evacuated in one minute flat, in an orderly manner. On the first fire drill it required one minute and 25 seconds to clear the house of all students, but on the second try the drill was completed in one minute.

Front Brings Cool Weather, Showers

Weather for the week started out hot and dry, but with a cool front moving in Tuesday, by Wednesday most residents were digging out their winter clothing.

With the front came showers early Wednesday morning. Blowing rain began falling about 5 o'clock with fog. Measurable amount by noon Wednesday in the city, was one-tenth of an inch with heavier fog moving in by late afternoon.

The four communities which received from two to three inches in late August, were also the receivers this time. Fairview, one of the four, received the most which measured seven-tenths. Center, four-tenths, and south of Muncy, about two-tenths.

Dougherty received eight-tenths, Pleasant Hill nine-tenths, with other area communities reporting only a trace, so rain was spotted.

With the dampness still hanging on, most farmers are looking for more showers this week-end.



High School Senior . . . Glad Lyn Norman is junior Rotarian of the Floydada club for the month of October.

Three Elections Called

Highway Bonds, Re-Allocation, 11 Amendments

Three elections in one will be held in Floyd county on Tuesday, November 2, general election day. They are:

(1) To pass on the road bond issue of \$325,000 proposed to provide high-way right-of-way on cardinal roads;

(2) To adopt or reject a re-allocation tax plan for a period of six years; and

(3) To vote on state and county officers of Texas, and adopt or reject 11 constitutional amendments.

The first of these, the highway right-of-way road fund bond issue is due to create the most interest because it will have an effect on the tax rate, will meet objections from property owners directly affected. Additionally it will require a two-thirds majority to carry.

The proposal was voted on September 30 by the Commissioners to be put up to the taxpayers to pass on. The amount is a huge one, far too big for the Commissioners court to attempt to provide out of the usual tax sources.

The right-of-way for a four-lane highway from the Hale to the Motley county line would be provided if the issue carries, also right-of-way for widening highway 207 from Floydada to the Crosby county line, and providing right-of-way on two other projects, namely:

On the highway from a mile east of Cedar to the Motley county line, and on the four-mile project from the Cedar road to a connection with the Quitaque highway leading on to the high plains by way of Goodnight or Edgin.

All seen as important links in the county's highway pattern, provision for them is favored unanimously by the Commissioners court.

Only property taxing voters - properly either real or personal - will be entitled to vote on this proposal, and on the proposal for re-allocation of taxes.

The re-allocation vote is seen as most likely to carry. It does not increase the tax load but it does give the Commissioners court more "elbow room" in handling the county's affairs. It had been in effect for six years prior to 1953. It requires a simple majority of the votes cast in the election.

The proposal for the four-lane right-of-way through the county handed to the commissioners by the State Highway Department last summer caught the commissioners by surprise. They had anticipated that such a program might be offered sometime in the future. The highway department proposes to spend more than a million and a half dollars building and re-building roads in the county beginning next year if the county commissioners will go along with them.

The work will be done in three projects, the first of which, it is stated, will be the four-lane highway from Hale county line to Floydada.

The second will be the four-lane project to the Motley county line and the third widening of 207 (U. S. No. 62) from Floydada to the Crosby county line.

The department already has done several weeks of preliminary engineering on the route from the Hale county line to Lockney. Estimates are based on the probability that the total acreage needed, together with improvements that will have to be moved or damaged, will total about 294 acres.

11 Amendments Proposed

The road bond election and the tax allocation vote will be on the same ballot, the general election and the 11 proposed amendments on another ballot. Although all 11 of the amendments have been publicized in every county of the state there still appears to be much lack of understanding among the electorate and little sentiment has been crystallized for or against any of them.

The court fight for places on the ballot in the 79th judicial district does not affect this area. The form and wording of the ballot was received by Judge Ralph C. Johnston from the state secretary the first of the week. However, he has mighty short time to have the ballots printed, ready for absentee voting to start on October 13, which is 20 days before the date of the election.

MOVING TO WYOMING

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Hamilton had their daughter and her husband from Tucuman, New Mexico with them Tuesday night. Rev. and Mrs. Clifford Potts. Mr. Potts has accepted a call to pastor in the First Southern Baptist Church at Sheridan, Wyoming. They will move to Wyoming next week.

NEW NUTRENA DEALER

C. L. Berry of the Berry Drive-N poultry house, has been named Nutrena dealer in Floydada, it was announced last week by the makers of the popular line of feeds.



Ground Breaking Ceremony. Pictured left to right, Herbert Brasher, architect, H. G. Barber, chairman of the deacons, Mrs. Mary Surginer, Dr. Allen, and Dr. Otis Strickland, president of Decatur College.

The first spadeful of dirt for the \$130,000 educational unit of the First Baptist church, was turned Sunday at high noon in ceremonies at the site by Mrs. Mary Surginer, a widow, the only member of the small band which organized the Baptist Sunday school in 1898, now residing in Floydada. Mrs. Surginer was assisted by Henry G. Barber, chairman of the church deacons. The other living member of the Sunday school organizers is Mrs. C. Snodgrass, who now lives in Amarillo. She could not be present.

Dr. R. Earl Allen, pastor of the church, was master of ceremonies at the ground breaking, on the 56th anniversary of the organization of the Sunday school. Others who spaded dirt at the ceremony were A. T. Hull and Parnell Powell, chairmen respectively of the planning and finance committees, and E. P. Nelson who has served on successive building committees since the church erected its first structure.

Rev. Joe Wilson, retired, read scripture from a bible donated in memory of Mrs. A. D. White by her daughter, Mrs. Pearl Fagan.

The service at the building site was preceded by the morning worship in the church auditorium. Dr. Otis Strickland, president of Decatur Baptist College, preached.

Gifts for the day, all ear-marked for the building fund, surpassed the \$5,000 goal to put one half of the cost of the unit in the treasury. \$5,200, including special gifts, was paid in. Sunday school attendance was 704.

Hopefully Await Return of Exes

Organizations and classes will gather tomorrow and tomorrow night to celebrate the first Floydada high school homecoming in nine years.

The main feature of the event will be the football clash between the Whirlwinds and the Abernathy Antelopes at 8 o'clock on Western field.

At halftime, Maurice Jones, band director, will be in charge of ceremonies. The homecoming queen will be crowned by captains of the football team, Jackie Jarrett, Cloyd Stephens and Jack Womack. Queen nominees chosen are Betty Blum, Christine Brints, Darlene Bryant and Gerry Graves. Qualifications of the queen are that she must be

an attractive senior, a student in FHS for at least two years, lots of school spirit and friendly. Results will be revealed tomorrow night.

Following the pep squad rally, the Quarterback club leads off with a meeting at 3 o'clock in the school cafeteria with Gayle Mayo, president, as host. All lettermen and ex-coaches have been invited to this ball session. Mr. Mayo said. Refreshments of doughnuts and coffee will be served and all quarterback members are cordially invited.

The class reunions will begin at 4 o'clock, in charge of Sammy Copeland.

The Thespian club will meet at 4:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. I. T. Graves. Mrs. Graves said that she hoped all ex-Thespians could

attend the informal gathering. Sponsors and school paper staff members will gather at 5:30 o'clock in the cafeteria. B. J. Eudy will be in charge.

Ginger Tinnin will play hostess to the Annual staff in the home of her parents at 326 West Ollie Avenue at 5 o'clock.

Cheer leaders and pep squad sponsors are to meet at the Witkowski home, 619 West California street. D'Ann Witkowski will be hostess for the 30-minute session of practice.

FFA will meet in Room 106 at 3:30 o'clock with H. G. Barber and James Carroll as hosts.

Mrs. Ethel Emmons will be hostess to the FFA members in Rooms 102 and 104 at 3:30 o'clock.

Expect Huge Football Crowd

Highlight of homecoming activities at FHS this weekend will be the Floydada Whirlwind - Abernathy Antelope football game scheduled for 8 p. m. Friday October 8. Western field in Floydada will be the site of this important inter-sectional game.

Coaches Preston Watson and DeWayne Cleveland hope to make a good showing before the Whirlwind eyes, but things were far from rosy Monday when the bruised and battered Winds showed up for practice. Robert Stovall, Marvin Rucker, and Jackie Jarrett were named as definitely out for this week. Laron Fulton was still sick with a stomach ailment and Cloyd Stephens had not recovered from injuries of the Pa-deucah game.

Depth of the Wind reserves has filled these positions however and it is hoped time will heal the wounds of several of those ailing before the game. The coaches were shuffling their roster some in order to field the best possible team and no starting team for the Winds had been named. Some fans are guessing they will see more of Stanley Vickers at the fullback slot at least until the regular backfield is fully recovered.

Joe Smith, Victim Of Encephalitis, Is Buried on Friday

Joe Martin Smith, 75, pioneer Floyd county farmer of Campbell community, died Wednesday night, September 29, in Plainview hospital and clinic.

Mr. Smith never completely recovered from a hip injury, broken in a fall at his home last month. He had been transferred to Peoples hospital from the Plainview clinic when his condition became worse. Mr. Smith was taken back to Plainview where it was discovered he had encephalitis.

Funeral service was conducted last Friday morning at 10 o'clock in the First Methodist church. Rev. Tilden B. Armstrong, pastor, officiated, with burial in the Floydada cemetery.

Born in Romance, Arkansas, he came to Floyd county in 1910 and farmed until his retirement. Mrs. Smith passed away December 31, 1947.

Survivors include one son, Ray Smith of Floydada; two daughters, Mrs. Roy Horn of Bovina and Mrs. James Mangum of Littlefield; a sister, Mrs. W. H. Bethel of Floydada; one brother, Charlie Smith of Weatherford and four grandchildren.

Palbearers were John Farmer, Malvin Jarboe, C. O. Lyles, Jack McIntosh, Byron Robertson and Homer Guffee.

Antelopes Have Speed

Coaches Royal James and Earl Carter will bring to town an Antelope team that is a little higher than those of the past years. The Lopes have ample speed however and can play a fine brand of ball. This season Abernathy has won two games and lost two. They defeated Tulsa 33 to 19 and Dimmitt 6 to 0. The losses were to Oilton 0 - 21 and Sundown 14 - 34.

The Abernathy - Floydada series of football games have been colorful and almost always close in score. Though the series only dates

NEW FAMILIES IN FLOYDADA

(As shown by the records of the City of Floydada since September 1, 1954)

- C. R. Scott, 614 W. Lee St.; Marion Barton, 211 E. Crockett St.; Orville Hager, 229 1/2 E. Houston St.; Mrs. W. P. Wall, 118 W. Crockett St.; Sidney West, 223 W. Calif.; Bob Resinger, 715 W. California St.; Bennie Teaff, 226 W. Kentucky St.; James T. Owens, 406 W. Miss.; Nicholas Trevino, S. 3rd St.; M. L. Walding, S. 4th St.; L. A. Thompson, 528 E. Grover St.

One Of... ad's Oldest... institutions... American First Tax... for '54... American couple, Mr. and Mrs. of Lockney, were... at the window of the... tax collector on Octo-... their taxes and get... T. T. Hamilton said... many checks also lay... ready to open and... when the first pay-... All October taxpayers... ment discount from the... tax bill... a day has been com-... the first. Hamilton... at a slower rate than... bill for state and county... year is considerably lower... by nearly \$30,000... aggregate \$297,097-... the valuations are \$54-... last year, due princi-... fact that a good many... are not renewed. Princi-... represent a lower... because the tax... by 14 cents. The... is lower as is also... bonds rate... have until January... pay their taxes with-... On the other hand... discount is smaller as... from month to... discount in November... member, and none in... Chest... ng Called... of Aiken, newly-... of Floyd County... yesterday called an... meeting of the organi-... tonight (Thursday) at... office in Lockney... was elected president of... wide organization last... United Chest will attempt... the welfare campaigns... into one annual drive... across national and local... represented, the one... taking the place of num-... eral campaigns... elected at the or-... meeting last Thursday... with Andrews in Fay... J. M. Wilson, Jr.,... is secretary. Co-trea-... East Crow, Floydada, and... Lockney. The election... was held at the Chamber... office in Floydada... a "volunteer" com-... mittee for a drive plan-... for the fall are yet to be... Mrs. Dorris Jones... Robinson, Floydada, and... Lockney, are members... publicity committee... Every Slow... Rex Brown... Brown of the Brown-Hol-... agency, badly broken... highway crash last March... yesterday he hopes his hon-... be knitted together ag-... gency for him to get back... management of the... agency. Hospitalized... weeks he has been con-... home since September... himself too hard Brown... to carry an office load... hours and farm at... a period of wind ero-... in at midnight from... east of town at a... highway 70 in east Floyd-... with a Miller & Mil-... He was taken to the... with internal injuries... bones... Ed Holmes, his part-... carrying on with the... last week's tragedy... down. Mr. Brown hop-... to the office this week... he is still unable to na-... vating the business... the telephone from his... at 113 South Main street... carry on the agency and... to dissolve the part-... Mr. Brown said. His spirit is... in voice strong. He is... bones knit as fast as... Bryan Collins, who... with the agency for two... generalizing at the office... Jane Strong, ... of Jas. H. ... Succumbs... services were held Sun-... in the chapel of... Mrs. Mary Strong, 67... away at the home of a... Mrs. Strong... in ill health for several... at the rites was the... Nazarene church in... by the pastors of... churches in Tahoka... had been a member

Officer Election Scheduled Later

Election of officers of the Floyd County Fair will be held at a dinner date to be set later; it was announced at the meeting of the fair directors last Thursday night. The meeting was held at the Chamber of Commerce office and it had been planned to have a final report on the finances and the election of officers. All figures were not in hand so a financial statement is yet to be made.

The tone of the meeting was good, with general talk of the fair plans for next year, attendance figures for 1954 and other matters. Seven of the 11 directors were present, with E. L. Turner, president, presiding. Several others interested in the fair were present.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE RE-ALLOCATION OF COUNTY TAXES

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF FLOYD

To the Resident Qualified Property Taxpaying Voters of Floyd County, Texas:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 2nd day of November, 1954, in said County, in obedience to an order duly entered by the Commissioners Court on the 24 day of September, 1954, which is as follows:

On this the 24 day of September, 1954, the Commissioners Court of Floyd County, Texas, convened in Special session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the Courthouse at Floydada, Texas, with the following members of the Court, to-wit:

Ralph C. Johnston, County Judge, J. K. Holmes, Commissioner Precinct No. 1, W. H. Counts, Commissioner Precinct No. 2, W. C. Plumlee, Commissioner Precinct No. 3, P. L. Hart, Commissioner Precinct No. 4, being present, and among other proceedings had by the Court were the following:

Commissioner W. H. Counts introduced an order and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner P. L. Hart. The motion, carrying with it the adoption of the order, prevailed by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners J. K. Holmes, W. H. Counts, W. C. Plumlee, P. L. Hart;

NOES: Commissioners None;

The order is as follows:

WHEREAS, at the general election held throughout the State of Texas on November 7, 1944, the qualified electors of the State, voting on the proposition, approved the amendment to Section 9, of Article 8, of the Texas Constitution, which amendment provides that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said Section 9 of Article 8, by changing the rates provided for any purposes authorized in said Section by either increasing or decreasing the same but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed Eighty (80c) Cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year, provided that before the Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies the same shall be submitted to the qualified property taxpaying voters of such county at a general or special election; and in event such re-

ed by a majority of the qualified property taxpaying voters of any such county, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall have been approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority of the qualified property taxpaying voters of such county, voting on the proposition; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of Floyd County, Texas, deems it advisable and to the best interest of said County to re-allocate the county taxes authorized to be levied annually by Section 9, Article 8, of the Constitution, by changing the rates in respect to certain county taxes as herein provided;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS:

That a special election be held in said County on the 2 day of November, 1954, which is not less than thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted to the qualified property taxpaying voters, who own taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, for their action thereupon:

"Shall the Commissioners Court of Floyd County, Texas, be authorized to levy and collect in each year for a period of six (6) years from the date of said election, county taxes as follows:

Not exceeding thirty-five Cents (35c) on the \$100.00 valuation, in any one year, for County purposes;

Not exceeding twenty Cents (20c) on the \$100.00 valuation, in any one year, for roads and bridges;

Not exceeding five Cents (5c) on the \$100.00 valuation, in any one year, to supplement the jury fund of the County; and

Not exceeding twenty Cents (20c) on the \$100.00 valuation, in any one year, for the erection of public buildings and other permanent improvements."

In the event that the annual levy of a tax not exceeding fifteen (15c) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for the further maintenance of the public roads of said County has heretofore been, or shall hereafter be, authorized by a majority of the qualified property taxpaying voters of the County voting at an election held for that purpose, nothing herein shall be construed as rescinding or in any manner affecting the power and authority of the Commissioners Court to levy and to continue to levy said tax.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, particularly amended Section 9, Article 8, of the Constitution, and Section 3a, Article 6, of the Constitution, and all persons who are legally qualified voters of said County, and who are resident property taxpaying voters who own taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election.

The ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"FOR RE-ALLOCATION OF COUNTY TAXES"

"AGAINST RE-ALLOCATION OF COUNTY TAXES"

Each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his or her vote.

The polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

Precinct No. 1, Southwest Floydada, Voting Place, Lighthouse Electric, Presiding Officer, Lon M. Davis;

Precinct No. 2, Starkey, Voting Place, Starkey School House, Presiding Officer, W. L. Davis;

Precinct No. 3, Allmon, Voting Place, Allmon School, Presiding Officer, Marvin Shurbet;

Precinct No. 4, Sandhill, Voting Place, Sandhill School, Presiding Officer, Tom J. Thomas;

Precinct No. 5, East Lockney, Voting Place, City Auditorium, Presiding Officer, Ed Durham;

Precinct No. 7, Providence, Voting Place, Providence School, Presiding Officer, Charlie Boedeker;

Precinct No. 8, Lone Star, Voting Place, Lone Star School, Presiding Officer, G. B. Johnston;

Precinct No. 9, South Plains, Voting Place, South Plains School, Presiding Officer, E. P. Smitherman;

Precinct No. 11, Cedar Hill, Voting Place, T. F. Love Garage, Presiding Officer, Jack Stansell;

Precinct No. 12, Fairview, Voting



Sparks trains his hose on fire losses. The graph shows that, when inflation of the dollar is taken into account, the loss is not so great as it otherwise seems. The National Fire Protection Association, sponsor of Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 3-9, estimates that the 1954 loss will hit \$1,190,000,000, but this amount would be more than cut in half in terms of the 1940 value of the dollar.

Fire prevention really works. While the dollar fire loss today is three-and-a-half times as great as in 1940, the real loss is far less. In terms of 1940 dollars, as shown in the graph, the U.S. Census loss in 1953 would have been only about \$550,000,000, instead of \$1,160,000,000.

The National Fire Protection Association, sponsor of Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 3-9, says: "Current inflated dollar loss figures are misleading. The amount of actual property destroyed by fire is not far above the fire waste of many years ago. This is in the

face of a huge increase in combustible property—thousands of new homes, new factories, new schools, and untold amounts of combustible manufactured goods that cram buildings, highways, and storage facilities.

The trend of losses in relation to the total amount of combustible property has been decreased through measures of fire prevention and protection. This means that people are learning and applying the simple elements of fire safety and that the intensive program of fire prevention which is being carried on by many organizations is paying off."

Place, Baptist Parsonage, Presiding Officer, E. W. Walls;

Precinct No. 13, Baker, Voting Place, Baker School, Presiding Officer, C. M. Lyles;

Precinct No. 15, Lakeview, Voting Place, Lakeview School, Presiding Officer, E. H. Spears;

Precinct No. 16, Harmony, Voting Place, Harmony Club House, Presiding Officer, Zant Scott;

Precinct No. 17, Goodnight, Voting Place, Fairmount Bap. Church, Presiding Officer, Webb Taylor;

Precinct No. 18, West Lockney, Voting Place, Basement Meth. Church, Presiding Officer, T. B. Mitchell;

Precinct No. 19, Northwest Floydada, Voting Place, Floydada City Hall, Presiding Officer, J. G. Wood;

Precinct No. 20, Dougherty, Voting Place, Dougherty School, Presiding Officer, Roy Crawford;

Precinct No. 21, Sterley, Voting Place, Sterley School, Presiding Officer, Bert Bobbitt;

Precinct No. 22, McCoy, Voting Place, McCoy School, Presiding Officer, O. L. Bearden;

Precinct No. 23, South East Floydada, Voting Place, County Court Room, Presiding Officer, John Hopper;

the 24 day of September, 1954.

Ralph C. Johnston, County Judge, J. K. Holmes, Commissioner Precinct No. 1, W. H. Counts, Commissioner Precinct No. 2, W. C. Plumlee, Commissioner Precinct No. 3, P. L. Hart, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF FLOYD

I, the undersigned authority, Clerk of the County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court of said County, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an order passed by said Commissioners Court on the 24 day of September, 1954, and of the minutes pertaining to its adoption, as said order appears of record in Vol. 9, Page 303, of the Minutes of said Court.

WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of the Commissioners Court this the 29 day of September, 1954.

Margaret Collier, Clerk of the County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court of Floyd County, Texas, 373tc.

MRS. ARWINE CONVALESCING AFTER SURGERY AT TEMPLE

J. A. Arwine said this week that Mrs. Arwine is convalescing satisfactorily at Temple this week following surgery at Scott & White sanitarium early last week. He was with Mrs. Arwine several days at the central Texas city.

Yesterday he thought Mrs. Arwine would be strong enough for the trip home within the next day or two.

FOUR BROTHERS MEET HERE AFTER 49 YEARS APART

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poore this past weekend were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Poore, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Poore and children of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Hollomon, W. P. Poore, and J. L. Poore all of Wichita Falls, and Miss Odessa Poore of Lubbock. On Sunday, Mrs. C. E. Bartlett of Floydada, was a visitor in the home. This was the first time the four Poore brothers had been together in 49 years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Odam spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Medien and sons, and Mrs. Callie Shelton at Tahoka. The Odams, Mediens and Mrs. Shelton are old friends.

Douglas Pitts, of Waco, spent two days this week here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Pitts on a brief visit.

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Ann of Floydada, Mrs. C. E. Bartlett, a niece of Mrs. Strong. Mrs. Carter West, who was in the hospital for a week that her husband, Walter West, has been home in Whitehouse, Texas, after suffering a heart attack two weeks ago.



IF YOU HAD A FIRE would have enough insurance to cover the price we pay for negligence in matters of fire prevention. It is everybody's duty to practice precaution care... DON'T NEGLECT YOUR FIRE INSURANCE COVERAGE! Help prevent fires — and help keep insurance rates down. Be sure your insurance is up-to-date!

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Takers Work In Region

STATION, October 7— Ranger walks up to your month, act kindly, sir, he census taker.

of Census this month 1944 Census of Agriculture Texas farmer will answer questions regarding their live stock, farming methods, labor and equipment.

Burgess, bureau director will require 30,000 check the more than also and ranches in the And it will all be done October and November.

enumeration is complete, will total the figures them. It keeps individual farmer's secrets by releasing totals for a county or

us taking commenced the High Plains county the citrus belt of ex- Texas. Enumerators ask questions on the 18 and on the Plains October 25 of east, central and far farms will start Novem-

ensus will collect in- every farmer in the es, make it available as the public—and keep se- ridical farms and farm- same time," Burgess says. an agricultural census ken every five years.

Low News

Mrs. Clyde Bagwell)

W, Oct. 4—As I write it is raining, only a enough to stop cotton harvest.

er from here attended of Ed Holmes and Joe week. Mr. Smith was in-law of Mrs. Dean

Mrs. Clifford Helms and Bonnie and Judy spent in Clovis, New Mexico. parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.

Reeves of South Plains today morning with her Walton Wilson. Mrs. an afternoon.

Mrs. Jim Stewart and spent the day Sunday in with her parents Mr. and Horton.

Mrs. Grady Reeves and view attended church day morning and were ests of Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozby Den Branson and son dinner guests in the

B. Wilson went to South afternoon where she Monday morning with Mr. Bill Beedy and

Mrs. Dean Walls made a trip to Nocona, leaving day and returning home

Mrs. Lee Rushing went Friday night to the

Mrs. Lee W. Burton and lunch Sunday with Mr. Ed Huckabee at Center.

Mrs. Winfred Payne and Mr. and Mrs. Gene family all of Floydada, day in the home of their Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Payne C. J. Payne.

B. Wilson went to Floyd- day afternoon where she Mrs. Maggie Wimberly New Mexico. The a guest in the home of Mrs. R. A. Garrett at that Mrs. Wimberly has been in the home of her Mr. Joe Wilson and Mrs.

Reeves of Plainview today with her parents Mrs. L. B. Cozby and her Don Branson.

Mrs. DuBois and Mrs. W. visited Tuesday after- Mrs. E. W. Walls.

Mrs. L. B. Cozby, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Shir- and children Satur-

Sparks Prevention

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grow up—not burn up"

on the official poster Prevention Week, pro- President Eisenhower 1-3. The idea is that all must—for their own common sense pre- eliminate fire hazards.

In conference Sunday morning the time for mid-week service was changed to 7:30 and the time for Sunday night service was changed to 7:00 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley W. Irwin and children went to Tullia Sunday to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Waller, where they met to celebrate Mrs. Waller's birthday.

E. W. Walls, Walton Wilson and daughter Judy attended the ball game at Paducah Friday night.

Hesperian Want Ad pays.

Center News

(By Mrs. J. E. Green)

CENTER, October 5—It is cloudy today with some local showers. They cool things off a bit.

Farmers are busy gathering the maize and cotton crops, and the towns are full of Latin-Americans on Saturdays. It makes us dry land farmers a little sad, and we wonder if we'll ever get enough rain again to make an average crop. Three dry years!

Melvin Ross of Spearman made

a business trip to Floydada last Thursday and spent the night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Walls and children, who have been here visiting her parents, the J. R. Robertsons, while Mrs. Walls has been recovering from a broken arm, left last Tuesday for their home in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dunn were Sunday dinner guests in the home of her parents, the J. R. Robertsons.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ross visited part of Sunday afternoon at the

home of her parents, the S. A. Guffees of Campbell community.

Don Clark Green of Big Spring spent Sunday with homefolks, the J. E. Greens. Also visitors from Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Green and Jimmy spent Sunday afternoon with them. The Victor Greens and J. E. Greens visited an aunt of Mrs. Green, Mrs. R. C. Watson in Floydada Sunday after the baptizing of Center candidates at the church. Mrs. Watson celebrated her 93rd birthday Sunday with all of her children there except one son, W. C. Watson of San Angelo. Grandchildren and great-

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grandchildren and other relatives besides the ones previously mentioned, were present to help her celebrate the occasion.

Margaret Dunn and Patricia Robertson visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dunn after baptizing Sunday.

Brother and Mrs. Hodges were Sunday dinner guests of the J. D. Welborns. Bro. Hodges preached at South Plains Sunday.

The community sympathizes with W. L. Hartline in the loss of his father, who passed away Sunday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Cox, in Levelland. The W. L. Hartlines left immediately to return after the funeral services.

The Center Lion's Demonstration club is to meet in the REA kitchen Friday, October 9. Let us all try to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Denison visited Sunday afternoon in Hart in the Frank Sutton home. The Suttons have two-month-old triplets, named Don, Lon and John.

Saint David is the patron saint of Wales.

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- TOKAY Pound
GRAPES . . . 15c
- Cello Pkg.
CARROTS . . . 15c
- WHITE 10 lb. Bag
POTATOES . . . 45c
- Pound
ORANGES . . . 15c

PATTERSON'S

RECIPE OF THE WEEK
By Mary Lee Taylor

All-Star Cling Peach Whip

1 cup Per Evaporated Milk
12 marshmallows, finely cut
2 Tablespoons finely cut maraschino cherries
1/2 cup finely cut, unsalted nuts

1/2 cup sugar
No. 2 1/2 can cling peach slices
1 teaspoon unflavored gelatin
1/4 cup orange juice
2 Tablespoons lemon juice

Chill milk in ice cube tray of refrigerator until ice crystals begin to form around edges. Put into a large bowl the marshmallows, cherries, nuts and sugar. Drain peaches well and save juice. Save 10 peach slices. Dice rest of peaches into marshmallow mixture. Soften gelatin in orange juice in a measuring cup. Heat 1/2 cup peach juice to boiling. Remove from heat. Add softened gelatin and stir until gelatin dissolves. Then stir into peach mixture in bowl. Chill. Put ice cold milk into a cold quart bowl. Whip with cold rotary beater by hand or with electric beater at high speed, until fluffy. Add lemon juice and whip until stiff. Fold whipped milk into cold peach mixture. Garnish top with peach slices. Keep chilled. Makes 6 servings.



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Social Events, Clubs

Afternoon Tea Given to Observe Anniversary of 1929 Study Club

In the home of Mrs. Alton Chapman, September 30, at 3 o'clock, the 1929 Study club celebrated their Silver Anniversary with an afternoon tea.

Guests were received by Mrs. Chapman and Mrs. E. E. Joiner club president.

As soft organ music was played by Mrs. Caves of Jenkins studio, O. of Plainview, Mrs. R. C. Henry registered the guests.

The serving table was decorated with a silver and crystal service. Flower arrangements of white mums were accentuated by the 25th anniversary motif. Place favors were miniature club books. Mrs. E. L. Norman and Mrs. L. J. Welborn, charter members, were alternately in charge of serving, assisted by Mrs. S. J. Latta, Mrs. A. H. Kreis and Mrs. W. W. Trapp.

The welcome was extended by Mrs. Norman, who also was program chairman. The club collect was read, and Mrs. J. B. Jenkins responded for the 1929 Study club.

Mrs. Jenkins introduced Mrs. Lon V. Smith, who spoke on the organization of the 1929 club. In her talk, Mrs. Smith recalled when the club was organized in 1929, the first meeting was held in the home of the late Mrs. R. E. Fry. At that time Mrs. Troy Jones, now a resident of Gatesville, Texas, was president of the Mother club. Presiding at the meeting was the first president of the 1929 club, Mrs. George Linder, now of Amarillo.

Past presidents of the club spoke briefly on things that happened during their terms of office. Mrs. E. E. Joiner, present president, viewed the 1929-34 ambitions of the club.

Mrs. L. J. Welborn gave the club's appreciation of the "Mother club". Mrs. Welborn expressed the love and devotion to the 1929 club for the help given in achieving a county library and contributions given to local churches.

In a salute to the Mother club from the Daughter club, Mrs. Welborn stated that in the years ahead, she hoped the 1929 club would grow in wisdom and in love as they feel the 1929 club has.

The Methodist ladies met at the church for their regular monthly program October 4. Mrs. George Stiles was leader of the program and also gave the devotional. Mrs. C. B. Lyles, president, presided at the business meeting.

Mrs. Sam Mason of Petersburg, district president of the Plainview district, who was a delegate at the Assembly of Society of Christian Service, held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin in May, was guest speaker.

In the business session, the money taken at the church bazaar during the fair was voted to be placed in the building fund.

The meeting adjourned following prayer led by Mrs. Mason.

Twenty-three members and three visitors were present.

FRIENDS MAKE MERRY AS BIG, NEW CELLAR IS COMPLETED.

A "get-together" honoring Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Medley was held Thursday night in their newly completed concrete cellar. Games of Canasta were enjoyed in the snug underground shelter which is like an extra living room complete with electricity, easy chairs and knick-knacks.

Refreshments of cold drinks, coffee and cookies were served to Mr. and Mrs. Bud Queen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Turner and son, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Turner, Danny Medley, Margenie Nelson, F. E. Medley, Mrs. Bill Queen, Mrs. Edna Patton, and the honorees.

DORM VICE-PRESIDENT

NORMAN, Okla., Sept. 7—Dorothy Holmes, University of Oklahoma student from Floydada, was recently elected vice-president of Davis House, women's dormitory at the University.

Miss Holmes is the daughter of Mrs. Ed Holmes, 312 S. 2nd St.

H. C. Leibfried of Post, is here visiting his son, Lorin Leibfried and Mrs. Leibfried.

Honor guests present for the occasion were Mmes. E. F. Stovall, Lon V. Smith, P. W. Bell, Kenneth Bain, E. J. Morehead, O. P. Rutledge, Wilson Kimble, J. B. Jenkins, W. I. Cammaday, Buren Cates, Edd Johnson, Glad Snodgrass and Mrs. J. M. Willson.

Past presidents attending included Mrs. A. J. Foley, Amarillo, Mrs. Leroy McDonald, Tulsa, Mrs. Kinder Farris and Mrs. R. F. Stovall of Floydada.

Club members present were Mmes. S. J. Latta, A. H. Kreis, John H. Hoffman, R. C. Henry, E. L. Norman, E. E. Joiner, A. W. Coltharp, Hollis Bond, C. W. Denison, R. M. Stovall, Lee Rushing, J. D. McBrien, Alton Chapman and Mrs. W. W. Trapp.

Young Couple Wed In September Are Making Home Here

Miss Eddie Lynn Hammonds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hammonds of Lockney, became the bride of Charles Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson of Floydada, on the 24th of September at 5 o'clock.

The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. Harlan Harris in the First Baptist chapel, in Plainview. The bride was dressed in an orchid tulle dress. Attendants of the couple were John Mitchell and Raul Vera.

After a wedding trip to parts of Colorado, the bride and groom are at their home in the Lakeview community.

The bride is a junior in the Lockney high school. She was a majorette for two years, was in the National Honor Society and a member of the Rainbow Girls. She plans to finish her schooling by correspondence course.

The bridegroom was a student at Loper's Business college in Plainview.

Wesleyans Study Program of 1934 Study Club Given Tuesday Evening

The 1934 Study club met Tuesday, October 5, at 7:30 p. m. with Mrs. J. P. Mass as hostess.

Roll call was answered by each member giving a basic duty of citizenship.

Subject of the program was "The American Way is Good Citizenship." Mrs. Robert Gibson gave a talk on displaced persons.

What the states are doing about segregation was given by Mrs. John Stapleton.

The president, Mrs. H. G. Barber, conducted the business session.

The club had one visitor, Mrs. Edna J. Gregory. The following members were present: Mmes. G. M. Armstrong, Tilden Armstrong, R. G. Barber, Ralph Cogdell, Willis Comyer, Dennis Dempsey, Robert Gibson, I. T. Graves, J. S. Hale, Jr., John Hoffman, Thomas Hutchins, Jack Lackey, M. J. McNeill, Virgie Shaw, John Stapleton, J. M. Willson, Jr., A. L. Wylie, Jr., and the hostess, Mrs. Mass; also Miss Leila Petty, Miss Francis Mitchell, and Miss Ann Swepton.

The next meeting will be October 19 at the regular time, with Mrs. G. M. Armstrong as hostess.

STITCH AND CHATTER CLUB

The Stitch and Chatter club met September 23 with Mrs. J. C. Keeling. Roll call was answered with members giving the first name of the mother of a famous son.

Mrs. Edna Hammonds directed the recreation and Mrs. W. A. Campbell won the prize.

Members present included Mmes. W. C. Mooney, Jack Jackson, W. A. Campbell, Edna Hammonds, J. B. Turner and Mrs. Keeling.

Next club meeting will be with Mrs. L. G. Norrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Andrews of Pomona, California, are here visiting her parents, Col. and Mrs. W. H. Seale and Mr. Andrew's sister, Mrs. Clarence Goins.

Advertise for it in Hesperian.



Whoever thought up the current hit, "You-All-Come," must be either very young or very old.

If he's very young, he doesn't remember when folks really came on such a slender invitation as that. They didn't wait to be urged, simply wrote the groom those unexpected visitations threw the household into. He recalls the days when food was mostly home-grown, and another batch of folks for dinner meant killing another chicken, bringing more potatoes from the cellar, going to the garden for fresh turnip greens. It also doubled the dish-washing and the demand on the women folks, but he's forgotten that. Or that there weren't enough beds for the family. He only remembers what a lark it was for the kids when pallets were put on the attic room floor.

We regret the passing of old-fashioned hospitality, the unselfish courtesy that ignored cost and inconvenience. We're neither very old nor very young, but we've tried both recipes, and not for a truckload of buffalo nickels would we share the song-writer's longing for the days when the fellow with the most grub absorbed our time and spent money, instead of the friends we choose.

Wesleyans Study 'Under 3 Flags'

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church met in fellowship hall to continue the study of "Under Three Flags."

Mrs. Tilden Armstrong led the study program. Those taking a part on the program were:

Mrs. Bill Baker who described the three flags, Mrs. Lorin Leibfried who described the politics and Mrs. Elizabeth Armstrong who told about the religions. Mrs. Tilden Armstrong gave the devotional.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Newell Parker, and Mrs. Johnny McKinney.

Those present were Mmes. Bill Baker, Elizabeth Armstrong, Wanda Hickerson, Henry Bloodworth, Lora Liebfried, Jeffie Smith, Tilden Armstrong, W. E. Grimes, P. A. Denney, S. W. Ross, Harry Morckel and the hostess, Mrs. Newell Parker and Mrs. Johnny McKinney.

TOWELL MILLERS MAKING THEIR HOME AT FLOYDADA

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Miller and sons Richard Dwight, 14, and Larry Thomas, 11, are new-comers to Floydada. The Millers at present are making their home east of town on the Matador highway.

Miller is in charge of shop service at Eley Motor Service in Floydada. He comes to Floydada from Lubbock where he was with Plains White Truck Co.

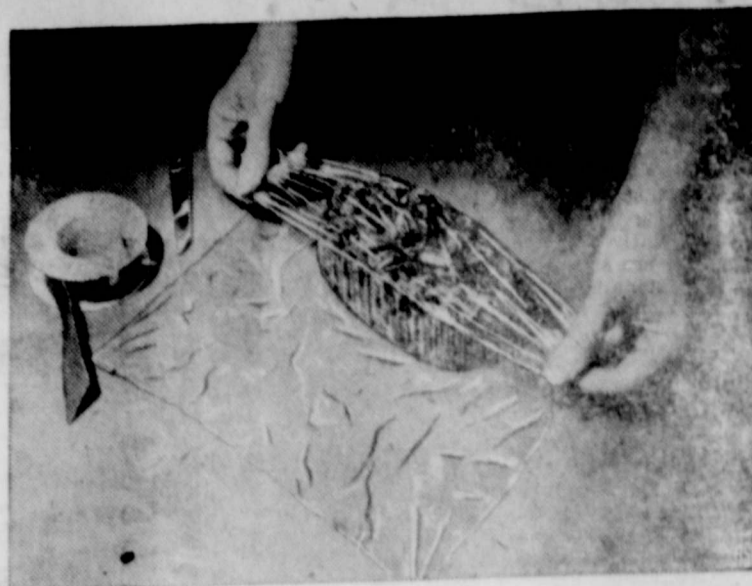
Besides the usual line of automobile repair work, Miller specializes in diesel motor and irrigation motor work.

Mrs. James H. Holmes of Sandhill community received a telegram Monday in Plainview hospital. Mr. Holmes said his wife was doing as well as could be expected.

Bill Rodgers, county agent, and Miss Leila Petty, Home Demonstration agent, attended an agents conference in College Station from Monday until Friday of last week.

Mrs. Herschell Hinson and children, Stanley and Ken of Dallas are here this week visiting in the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hinson.

Merry Christmas



Too early? Not at all; now is exactly the time to be baking the individual fruit cakes you love to make for those special holiday gifts.

Wise homemakers know fruit cake improves with age and always allow at least a month for the cakes to "ripen." However, keeping cakes as fresh and moist as when they came from the oven can be troublesome.

Now you can solve this problem by using a new saran plastic food wrap. This sparkling clear moisture-proof film provides perfect protection; cakes can be wrapped for storage in a jiffy because the film clings to itself, needs no rubber bands or string. If cake must be handled considerably, a transparent tape will insure a neat package.

When minutes are precious during the holiday rush, simply bring out the cakes, add a gay satin ribbon, and your glamorous gift is ready. See how easy? Just use your own favorite recipe or try this one which makes five one-pound cakes or, if you prefer, one large ring mold:

Christmas Fruit Cake

6 ounces butter (1 1/2 sticks) 1 tsp. cinnamon
1 cup light brown sugar 1 tsp. mace
1 tsp. vanilla 1/2 tsp. nutmeg
3 large eggs (1/2 cup) 1/2 tsp. allspice
2 1/2 cups cake flour 1 lb. raisins
1 tsp. baking powder 1 lb. candied pineapple, cubed
1 tsp. salt 1 lb. candied cherries, whole
6 ounces pecan halves

Cream together the butter, sugar and vanilla. Add the eggs, one at a time, beating after each. Sift together the dry ingredients. Sift about half over the fruit in a large bowl and stir to coat well. Add remainder to creamed mixture. Combine the two, stirring to blend evenly. Bake in moderate oven (300° F.) two hours for small cakes or 3 hours for large. Cool; decorate with Christmas motif; wrap in saran, leaving top clear to show decoration; and store in freezer or cool place until time for giving. For best flavor allow at least one month for "ripening."

You'll find these little fruit cakes in their glamorous holiday costumes perfect for all those extra remembrances on your gift list.

Lakeview News

(By Mrs. E. H. Spears)

LAKEVIEW, Oct. 4—Mr. and Mrs. Homer Newberry and girls spent Sunday with Mrs. J. L. Newberry of Floydada.

Nellie Ruth Neff spent Friday night with Jerry Ann Owens and attended the ball game. Jerry Ann spent Saturday night and Sunday with Neulle.

Earl Spears and Larry and Donald Neff visited Friday afternoon with Pat Spears in Lubbock and attended the fair that night.

Don and Melton Lloyd spent the weekend with their grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Breed, Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lloyd and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Watson of Whiteburg.

Saturday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Rigle were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Peel, Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Brien and daughter of Friona and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Spence of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pyle and children visited the Lubbock fair last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wright and family visited Sunday afternoon with the Joe Thurston family. Mr. and Mrs. William Bertrand and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Battey attended the ball game in Lubbock Saturday night.

Ray Smith of Morton visited Sunday with the Milton Harrison family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Appling and family were shopping in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Rogers Conner enjoyed a picnic at Silver Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wilkes and Mrs. W. W. Sullivant were in Lubbock Monday.

Weldon Hammonds was in Lubbock Thursday on business. Congratulations to Charles Johnson and Eddie Lynn Hammonds who were married in Plainview September 24. They will make their home here in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wefer and grandsons, Donnie and Willie Joe Doffey, of Ranger, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Verlon Wright and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson visited Sunday afternoon in Crosbyton and were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Neff and Patricia Ann visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wright and girls Friday night.

Mrs. Leon Saucier of Crandall and Mrs. Wallace Williams and Garry of Dallas visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Spears.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Duncan visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Riggle.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Johnson and children were Saturday dinner

HOPING FOR A SOFT SPOT



When a convict cowboy gets tossed for a loss like this one he needs a soft spot in the arena to land on for the wild Brahama bulls and on high. Bull riding is one of the most dangerous events scheduled for the five big shows of this year's 22nd Annual Texas Rodeo, October 8, 10, 17, 24 and 31.

guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hambricht visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. F. A. Dickert of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Brien and children of Friona visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Peel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wefer visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wright and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Queen and boys of Floydada visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson.

Wayland Jones of El Paso is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones this week.

Mrs. W. W. Sullivant of Gainesville is visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wilkes.

Mrs. Weldon Hammonds and Gay visited Mrs. Albert Buck of Crosbyton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pite of Abilene visited recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Earl Edwards and to Mr. Pite's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Porterfield of Tucumcari, New Mexico, home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pyle and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Thomas visited Mrs. John Wimberly in the Crosbyton hospital Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Tilford Taylor visited Sunday in the Joe Thurston home.

Floyd Wilkes and family and D. B. Wilkes and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wilkes.

Mrs. V. D. Wheelless and boys of Crosbyton were Sunday afternoon visitors in the R. L. Johnson home, also Mr. and Mrs. Warner Johnson, and family.

Louis Wesley and Novis Johnson visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Estep.

T. M. and Arvona West spent Thursday and Friday night with their grandmother, Mrs. L. E. McCravy.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hammonds and girls attended the fair last Thursday.

Mrs. Albert Buck and sons of Crosbyton spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Porterfield of Tucumcari, New Mexico, are visiting in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. Earl Edwards. Other guests of the Edwards' this week-end are Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hardin of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Maxey McKnight and Dell of Wellington, and the Rev. Bob Porterfield of Petersburg and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edwards, Jr., and daughter.

Warner Johnson and family, Mrs. V. D. Wheelless and boys, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnson all were Saturday dinner guests of the R. L. Johnsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bishop of Floydada visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Pegram of Quail visited relatives here for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Holt Bishop carried them home Sunday.

Rex and Clyde Wimberly spent Saturday night in Crosbyton with their brother, Jack Wimberly and family.

Mrs. John Wimberly who was operated on in Crosbyton hospital last Friday is doing nicely and expects to get to come home in a few days.

Mrs. W. O. Jones suffered a light stroke Saturday morning at her home, 812 south Wall street in Floydada, but is reported to be much improved early this week. Relatives say she is resting well and use of limbs on the right side only slightly affected. Mrs. Jones was moved to Pitts hospital for treatment.

Cecil Richardson said he plans to be working again at Hales in about two weeks. He is steadily gaining strength after a second operation, September 17 at Scott & White clinic. Mr. Richardson returned home on Monday, September 27 and has to return to the clinic sometime in January for a check-up.

Ledgers, binders, bound records, work sheets. Hesperian.

Truck Comes Second Blow It Hits Train

No one was injured this morning about 5:15 when a T-truck, owned and rear end of a Q. A. & P. on the Matador highway of heavy service.

Investigating officer Cooper, said just before the train as it was of the highway. The caboose caught the rear of the truck causing the hundred dollar damage.

The train was stopped and the truck was loaded. The train had almost left.

Cooper stated that the driver of the truck was not at fault. The truck was loaded, probably help of the driver.

Mr. Brown said that the driver of the truck was not at fault. This was the first accident ever involved in.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Austin in Austin this week visiting Mrs. Word's mother, R. B. Cousins. They return home on Thursday.

Judge Alton Chapman funeral rites for V. M. year-old pioneer Cattie, 81, held Monday at 2 p. m. at the funeral home.

Enos Jones, assistant General of Texas, was at Austin last week attending to business.

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WHAT WOULD YOU DO?

Panic The First Minute Could Spell Disaster, Says Expert

SAN ANTONIO, Texas.—(Special)—If you suddenly wake up and smell smoke, do you know what to do until the firemen come?

Few people do. Southwest Research Center fire technologists have discovered. And knowing what to do—and what not to do—might save your life.

Put your hand on the bedroom door. "Put your hand on the bedroom door," advises Calvin Yuill, director of fire technology at Southwest Research Center, who has prepared a "check list" of what to do in case of home fires. "If the door is warm, don't open it."

"The draft might fan the blaze, or hot gasses and smoke could overcome you. Get out a window as soon as possible. Jump if you have to. A few broken bones are better than being burned to death."

Crawl Across the Floor
However, if you must go out the door, Yuill advises you to wrap a wet blanket or towel around your head and crawl across the floor.

Heat rises and it is coolest near the floor. The wet towel will also absorb some of the gases.

Yuill has a word of advice for home fire fighters trying to put out

a small blaze: "Call the fire department first. Then try to put it out. Don't wait to see if you can handle it. It may spread badly before the firemen can get there."

Frying Pan Fires

If a frying pan of grease catches fire, don't throw water on it, said Yuill. Grab a cover that fits and smother the flame or throw baking soda on it. Baking soda is a good homemade fire extinguisher and is used in many commercial extinguishers.

If a curtain catches fire,—pull it down and stomp on it or douse it with water. Curtains will not burn easily if you rinse them in a boric acid solution when you wash them. You make it by using nine ounces of Borax and four ounces of Boric Acid to a gallon of water.

"Fire prevention is the major part of cure," Yuill said. "Every home should have a good garden hose permanently connected, preferably to an inside water supply, and periodic home fire drills."

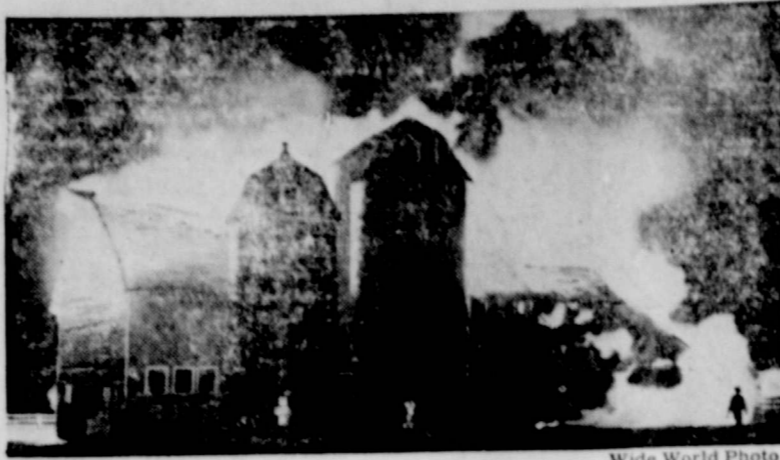
Don't leave a rug over a floor furnace. It holds the heat in so that it builds up.

Don't put pennies or tin foil behind fuses or use 30 amp fuses in place of 15 or 20 amp fuses. You are throwing out the protection you had and are liable to cause a fire.

Prayed lamp and appliance cords are dangerous. Replace them.

Never have a fire in the fireplace without a screen in front of it. Don't use flammable cleaning fluids. They

Farmers Burn Dollars



The labor and production of many months went up in flame as fire destroyed this Indiana barn and its contents, including 700 bushels of corn and 100 tons of newly harvested hay. If the moisture content of hay is too high when it is stored, fire by spontaneous ignition often results.

American farmers squandered more than \$380,000 a day last year on the poorest investment of all. That was the daily loss in farm fires in 1953, a total of more than \$139,000,000 for the year.

The National Fire Protection Association estimates that most, if not all, of these fires would not have happened if farmers had taken a little time to eliminate common fire hazards from their property. Both the NFPA and the United States Department of Agriculture urge all farmers to begin taking these elementary precautions during Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 3-9:

- 1—Be careful with cigarettes and matches, and get your family and employees to follow your example.
- 2—Keep the space around stoves and furnaces clear of combustibles. Never attempt to build "home-made" heating equipment; have it set up and serviced by a qualified heating man. Take extra care with an oil heater: keep it

clean, turn it off and let it cool before refilling it, and use a funnel and metal container with a pour spout when pouring oil.

- 3—Don't let trash collect in corners, closets, along building walls. Keep oily rags in closed metal containers.
- 4—Replace flammable wood shingle roofing with asphalt shingles, asbestos, metal, or other fire-resistant material. Flammable roofs invite the spread of fire.
- 5—Protect all main buildings with approved lightning rod systems and frequently check their grounding.
- 6—Before refueling equipment, shut it off and let it cool. Refuel out-of-doors and away from flames.
- 7—Periodically check all wiring, and have an electrician replace any that is worn or defective. Keep a supply of extra fuses of proper amperage (15-ampere fuses for house circuits).
- 8—Don't let grain-drying equipment overheat and don't place dried grain where it can be ignited by sparks from machinery.

Eddie and J. Frank, and Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and Barbara Sue.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood had as dinner guests on Sunday, their son, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wood and Juan-el. Mrs. Wood prepared Sunday dinner for Rev. and Mrs. Hodges also, but they had a previous engagement in Center.

Mrs. Bobby Kinnbrugh has announced that the Home Demonstration Club will have the meeting at the recreation room of the school house, on October 13, at 3 o'clock for the frozen food demonstration. Mrs. John Key West is co-hostess. This is an important meeting as there will be election of officers for the next year.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weast left last Monday for their cabin in Ruidoso, New Mexico, and enjoyed the week over there. Mr. and Mrs. Robt Smith and children were guests there with the Weasts. On Saturday of next week they are looking forward to going about 60 miles up in the mountains from Ruidoso where they will attend the "Aspenade" with entertainment during the day, and a chuck wagon dinner served at noon. Last Friday they attended a barbecue dinner at Ruidoso and the governor and many other officials of New Mexico spoke at this meeting. They arrived home Saturday evening and Sunday they had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith in Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Thornton and children moved to Lockney to make their home on Monday of this week. The children have been going back and forth to school, and Mrs. Thornton is getting along fine since her car accident a while back. Pete Thornton is convalescing from his foot accident, also.

TOM BOB JARBOE AND VAN COLLINS ARE HOME AGAIN

Tom Bob Jarboe and Van Collins have finished their two year tour of duty with the armed forces and are back home once more.

The two boys reached Fort Bliss from the west coast over the weekend and were separated from service yesterday.

Mrs. Betty Jarboe, wife of Tom Bob accompanied by her father-in-law, Mal Jarboe and his brother, Malvin, went to El Paso to visit Tom Bob. The men returned home Sunday and Betty remained with her husband. They were due to arrive home last night.

Bryan Collins visited last weekend with his brother, Van. He returned home Sunday night. Van was to accompany the Jarboes home.

Sunday visitors in the F. W. Webb home were Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Shirey of Azle and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Gilbert and children from Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pole, Mrs. Florence Medley and Mrs. Homer Sullivan and daughter, LaDonna, were Sunday dinner guests in the V. D. Turner home.

Tanya Redd, a student at Drough-hons Business college, was home last week-end visiting her mother, Mrs. Lucille Redd and her grandmother, Mrs. L. L. Clark, sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Stanforth, sr., returned home last Wednesday from Temple where Mrs. Stanforth had surgery. Her condition was reported good, but she has to take it easy for a while, relatives said.

S/A Navyman Rhonal M. Teaff is home on a 21-day leave from Pensacola, Florida, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Teaff and his sister, Benita. Rhonal has been stationed in Pensacola for nearly two years, going there from his boot training.

Ott Glassmoyer said Tuesday that he had hopes of bringing Mrs. Glassmoyer home from Lubbock hospital soon. She was in good condition this week and was resting comfortably relatives said.

South Plains News

(By Mrs. Murray Julian)

SOUTH PLAINS, October 4. — J. L. King is back at home again with his daughter, Mrs. H. L. Marble and family. He has been spending several weeks visiting other daughters, who reside at Bowie and Weatherford.

We extend sympathy to Mrs. Ray Smith in the passing of her husband's father last week. School was closed on Friday in order that services could be attended in Floydada. Mr. Joe Smith had suffered a broken hip, then he contracted encephalitis, and succumbed to that disease. Services were held at the Methodist Church in Floydada on Friday morning at 10 o'clock on October 1.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Karr, from Fort Worth have been visiting their son, Bryan and family over the week end. Mr. Karr was a visitor at the South Plains church on Sunday morning and they were both at church on Sunday evening. They came to South Plains last Tuesday, and will leave this week for their home in Fort Worth.

Rev. R. C. Hodges, from Plainview was the speaker at the South Plains church Sunday morning and night. With Mrs. Hodges they had dinner with friends at Center, and the supper meal was enjoyed with Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Calahan and family here. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the sermons by Rev. Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McClure and Donna, from Crosbyton, had supper and spent the evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure on Friday night of last week. Mrs. Lord Deavenport were in Boulder, Colorado, last week where they were spending a few days with her father, who has been very ill. He is still on the critical list. She will leave again on October 11, to go to Boulder to help care for him.

The South Plains P-TA met at the recreation room of the school house at 2:30 on Friday afternoon with Mrs. Grigsby Milton presiding. Twelve members were present and a business meeting was held in which a Halloween party was planned for October 30. The new floor which the club women furnished for the recreation room is beautiful, and everyone will get a lot of enjoyment from the use of the room. The next meeting will be on October 22 to plan further for the festival.

Mrs. Lottie Wiseman, from Cleburne, Texas, who has been visiting her brother, F. L. Marble while he is ill, left for her home on Tuesday. She was a guest over night on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marble and family.

Mrs. Faye Taylor and Jones Tay-

lor were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bean went to Lubbock on Monday to spend the day attending to some business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvian Kinnbrugh and girls went to Brownfield on Sunday morning where they spent the day with Sylvian's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Kevill Coffman.

Mrs. Murray Julian went to the home of Mrs. W. A. Lovell on Friday afternoon at three, where the Sunnyside Home Demonstration club had their regular meeting. Mrs. C. W. Denison presided at the meeting, and after the club meeting Mrs. Julian gave a report of the T. H. D. A. meeting in Dallas.

Truman Merrell arrived on the west coast Friday and is now stationed at El Paso, waiting for his discharge from the army. He has been on Okinawa during the past year. His family is very happy to have him home again. Mrs. J. P. Taylor is the sister of Truman Merrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Higginbotham and boys went to Lubbock on Wednesday after school to attend the Lubbock South Plains Fair. They report a wonderful fair and good exhibits.

The South Plains Community Club met at the recreation room at the school house for its first meeting of the fall with several couples present. They met early and spread bountiful a supper which they all enjoyed. Games of "84" and "42" were played during the evening. Present were Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Parks.

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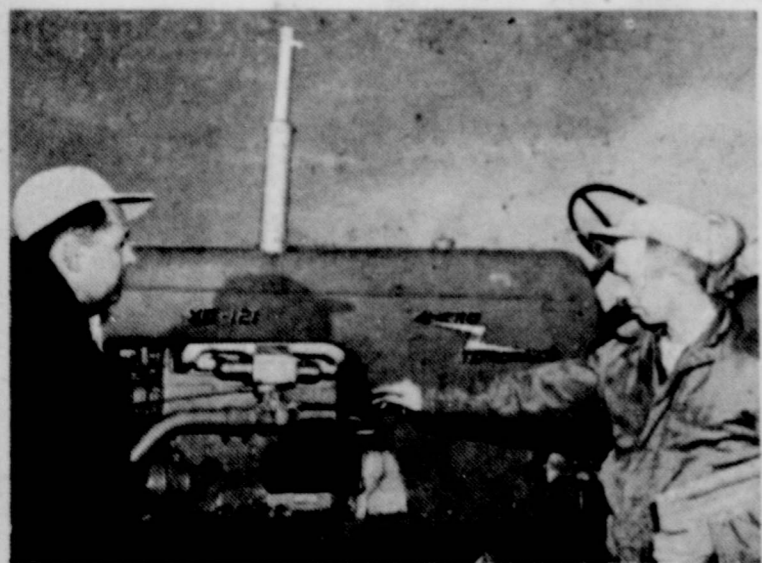
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An experimental farm tractor gasoline engine described as the most efficient ever built has been developed by The Oliver Corporation, which has a dealership in this community.

The revolutionary new power plant of 12 to 1 compression ratio was unveiled at the annual meeting of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers in Minneapolis. It is, Oliver said, a "research tool" only and will never be put into production. Company engineers reported however, that it already has proved that "the principle of high-compression as a means of gaining power and economy in farm tractor engines is practical and sound." They added that "much work still remains to be done even before we can consider how improvements found might be passed on to the farmer in the future."

Called the XO-121, the engine was

designed to be "functional and practical, and is not a hot-rod." Oliver announced. "Its basic construction is quite conventional and the materials and components used are quite ordinary."

Oliver said that tests in comparison with the Oliver Model "70" tractor, introduced in 1935, and the company's current Model "77" demonstrate that the XO-121 is the most efficient gasoline engine ever built. In horsepower output per cubic inch of displacement, for instance, the experimental model was 92% and 44% better, respectively, and in fuel economy was 36% and 39% better.

In emphasizing that the engine is purely experimental and not intended for commercial production, Oliver said that it is likely that further research studies and engine modifications "may produce even better results than already shown."

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Grandchildren present included Mr. and Mrs. Orville Custer and Kenny, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Watson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Warren, Elaine and Edwin, Mr. and Mrs. Bob

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It Costs Plenty When You Don't Detect Fire at Once

Ten million dollars was the approximate price large stores paid last year for failure to call the firemen on time.

Of the 29 major store fires in 1953, with an average loss of more than \$400,000, National Fire Protection Association records show 27 were cases of delayed detection. With adequate watchman service and automatic fire protection equipment, the fire department could have been summoned in time to keep the fire loss low, the NFPA says.

Five classes of hazards account for more than 80 percent of store fires:



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- 1—Careless smoking habits by both store personnel and customers.
- 2—Electrical defects, including inferior wiring, loading circuits beyond intended safe limits, and overheated or defective appliances.
- 3—Faulty operation of heating units, including inadequate clearances around heaters, burning trash in furnaces, and speeding up ignition by adding flammable liquids.

- 4—Kitchen hazards, including greasy vents and ducts, unattended burners, combustibles too near stoves.
- 5—Spontaneous ignition of oily rags, oily floor-sweeping compounds. Keep them in closed metal containers.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rainer and Mrs. W. B. Jones were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hopper and in the afternoon they went to Paducah to a singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivo Duckworth of Fort Worth, visited last week with Mrs. Duckworth's sister, Mrs. L. L. Clark, sr., and her mother, Mrs. J. V. Hamm. Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Hamm returned to Fort Worth with the Duckworths for a visit. Mrs. Clark returned home Sunday. Her mother will remain for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Johnson of Graham visited last week-end with his mother, Mrs. Ella Johnson. Last week, Mrs. Johnson had as her guest, her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Clay Johnson of Graham. Mrs. Johnson also visited her mother, Mrs. P. M. Felton and a sister, Mrs. Travis Collins and Mr. Collins.

Mrs. Eddie Gregg, of Oklahoma City, was here for two days last week renewing acquaintances of her girlhood days in Floydada. Bred here she is the daughter of Mrs. Frank Hodge and her late husband, who moved to Oklahoma in 1928 from this county. Mr. Gregg, who is with an oil company, was spending some time in the panhandle. Mrs. Gregg made the trip with him, spending her time in Floydada while he gave business affairs his attention.

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3:55 P. M.	
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GOOD HEALTH



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2. WHEN DO BABIES NEED EXTRA VITAMINS?

3. HOW MUCH SCHOOL TIME IS LOST BY COLDS?

Answer to Question No. 1:
The term is applied to that method by which a hospital and physician receive payment for hospital services not from the patient himself but from an organization such as non-profit health insurance groups (Blue Cross), commercial insurance companies, industrial plans, cooperatives, or government agencies.

Answer to Question No. 2:
Before babies are a month old, they are often given, on the advice of a doctor, some form of vitamin D, the sunshine vitamin. Premature babies especially need extra vitamin D since they may not have inherited much from their mothers and because they grow so fast. Many doctors give babies vitamin C in the form of orange juice before they are a month old. Medical science's discovery of the importance of vitamins is one of the outstanding health contributions of the 20th century.

Answer to Question No. 3:
In a study of 7700 pupils it was discovered that the common cold was the cause of one-third of all absences. Most persons have one or two colds a year, but some average four or more. In case of frequent colds, it is advisable to consult your physician.

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Epidemic Past in Encephalitis

AUSTIN, October 7—The epidemic of encephalitis which struck some 400 persons in the Rio Grande Valley during August and September has been declared at an end, but exhaustive studies by state and federal laboratory experts still have failed to show the specific agent which caused it.

"We are still conducting tests here and at the U. S. Public Health Service Laboratory in Montgomery, Alabama," State Health Officer Henry A. Holle said.

"But the possibility persists that this is something new or at least highly unusual."

Dr. J. V. Irons, director of the State Health Department's laboratory activities, said the epidemic "may have been due to an entirely new type of virus or to a known virus appearing in epidemic form for the first time in this country."

"The epidemic began in August in Hidalgo County. Two deaths were definitely attributed to the disease, and three others 'probably' were.

"When it first took shape, county, state and federal public health officials took immediate steps to curb it. Insect control experts reduced mosquito populations to practically zero.

"But investigators were confronted with many confusing factors. For example:

"Most known types of primary encephalitis are transmitted by mosquitoes. But Hidalgo County's mosquito populations were below normal due to intensive spraying operations after heavy rains last April.

"The reservoir of the three most common types of encephalitis in the United States is in wild birds, and the host of these same types are man and horses. Thus, if a mosquito feeds on an infected wild bird, and later feeds on a horse or human, the infection is passed on.

"But Valley veterinarians say they haven't seen any horse involvement which ordinarily would be concurrent with the human epidemic.

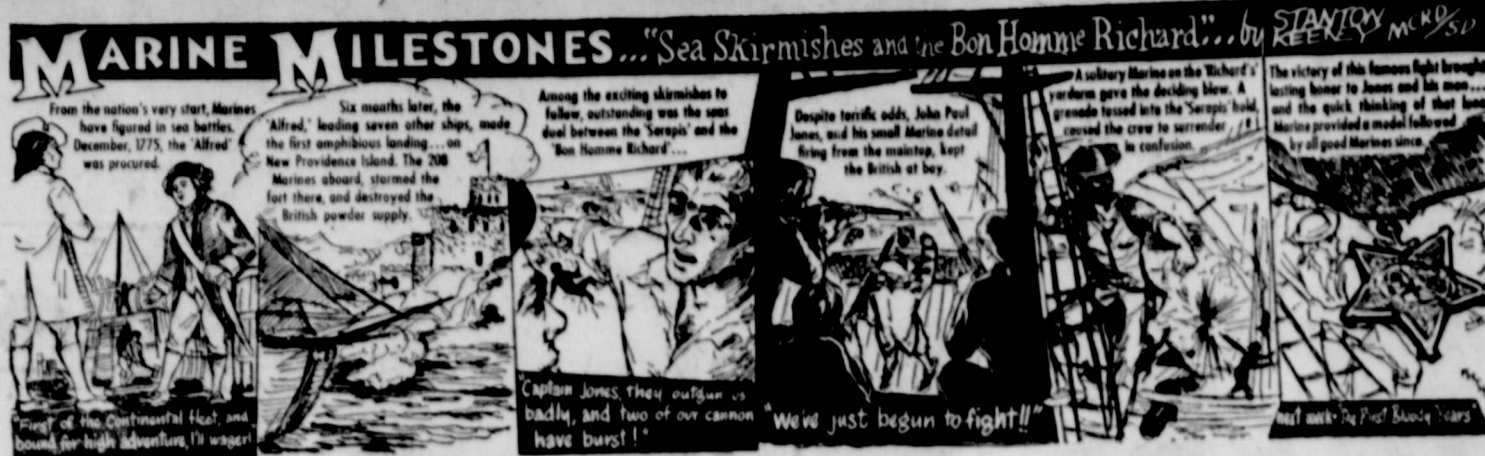
"The distinction between non-paralytic polio and mild encephalitis is a difficult one to make, which adds to the uncertainty.

"Dr. Irons said laboratory attempts to identify the causative agent would be continued indefinitely.

Mrs. W. O. Jones was admitted to Pitts hospital last Friday. Her condition was reported good by hospital attendants.

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Mrs. Jones' Uncle Succumbed Friday

Oliver A. Burke, uncle of Mrs. Dorris Jones, died of a heart attack at Littlefield Friday morning. Funeral services were conducted at Highway Church of Christ in Littlefield Saturday, October 2, with John R. Freeman, brother-in-law of the deceased, officiating.

Burk was well-known over the state having served on the faculty of the old Ounter college and also taught school for 15 years at Anton, Texas, before retiring and moving to Littlefield. He died at the age of 62.

Survivors include his wife, one son, Dr. Glenn S. Burke, of Littlefield; one daughter, Mrs. Charlene Mahaffey of Hartcamp; one brother, B. O. Burk of Kress; and three sisters, Mrs. Martha Holleman of Hollis Oklahoma, Mrs. Wesley Jones of Amarillo, and Mrs. Bessie Gambill of Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorris Jones and Linda attended the last rites.

Floydada Friends Attend Rites For Mrs. Bill Romane

Relatives attending funeral rites for Mrs. W. M. Romane Jr., September 23, in Crosbyton, from Floydada included Mrs. Victoria Asher, Mrs. Leona Bell and Mrs. S. J. Latta.

Friends from Floydada attending included Mr. and Mrs. Edd Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, Gale Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith Sr., Mrs. Bob Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Green, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McNeill, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lyles, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Chesnut, Mr. and Mrs. Ryburn Neil, W. W. Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Watson Jones, L. L. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Russell, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Handley, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wright, Mrs. Tilford Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Tubbs, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Cates;

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton, Mrs. Harry N. Jones, Mrs. Minnie Smartt, Mrs. Harry Stanley, Mrs. Carl Denison, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lackey, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dorsey, Mrs. Bob Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Audie Noland, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stansell, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McNeill, Mrs. Clarence Goins, Miss Aliene Warren, Miss Maurice Burton, Mrs. Oscar Warren, Mrs. C. L. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cardinal, Mrs. T. L. Gilley, Mrs. M. F. Dillard, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Keim, Mrs. Florence McReynolds and son, Johnny, Mrs. M. A. Barton, Mrs. Sam Lide, Judge and Mrs. Alton Chapman, Mrs. Myrtle Ellis and Fred Lambert.

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As A Farm Woman Thinks

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QUILTS

By Flora Smith Dean

I have a lot of lovely quilts stored in a cedar chest. A wedding-ring an Indian Crown. And others of the best. They are all very lovely. And quilted close and fine. A box of precious heirlooms—I'm proud that they are mine. But I've another quilt box. It stands out in the hall. The quilts it holds are not so fine. But I think them best of all. They're made of scraps of calico and flannel so nice and warm. With cotton that's pulled by my own hand. And raised here on the farm. They're lined with sturdy cotton. And quilted plain and stout. And good for lots of service. Before they're quite worn out. I love these homely covers. They've served me long and well; How long on beds and pallets, too. I can't begin to tell. And while those lovely heirlooms. Are not without their charm, These faded, patched and much used quilts Have kept my family warm.

Now isn't the above a nice poem? I like the poems Flora Dean writes. They tell a story in few words of rhyme. And speaking of quilts, I am piecing a Flower Garden. It has been many years since I pieced a quilt other than just sitting down at the machine and running up squares for a cover. Mother must have sensed the need. I have for quiet thinking and remembering for last week she gave me a box of cut-out blocks. Now for many years I have passed my spare time with a crochet hook and ball of thread. Yards of filmy old-time spider-web lace, bedspreads and tablecloths, dollies and what-have-you's. Now crocheting gives me a peaceful feeling and quiets my nerves but it does not begin to do for me what piecing a quilt does.

The box she gave me is an old candy box and inside are the hexagons for the quilt. A needle with thread rather short as if the piecer had left for a short time. A spool of thread almost gone. This tells a story as I thread my needle to take over the unfinished work. I see my cousin, Mary Lee Waddell and her two little sons, my mother, Mrs. J. M. Witt, sitting under tall pine trees in New Mexico and as the two women talked and pieced and cut blocks the little boys played happily near. The candy box grew fuller and fuller, two quilts for the two little boys were to be made. The scissors caught a gleam of sun as did the moving needles, plans were made for the future of the two boys, a happy future. The vacation came to an end, years went by, one quilt was pieced. The other gay scraps lay in the candy box that was fading and getting torn here and there. The boys went to school, busy years for Cotton and Mary Lee. They became young men, Christian men with a plan in life of usefulness. Time was going too fast for the quilts to be made. There was a war, Red Cross work to be done. Mary Lee was very, very busy and when she looked at the candy box she sighed and planned some day to finish the work.

The war ended, the Second World War as history has it. But one of the boys went to Germany in the Army of Occupation. The unfinished quilt would not have to be made for him. He came home under the flag of the country he loved and served to be placed under the quilt of Heaven, the blue stars and the white clouds of summer, the soft white snow of winter, the purple-black of nights with the stars and moon for embroidery. Mother is quilting the quilt for

the one boy who will love it. The other scraps in the box I am making up as tears come to my eyes flow and then.

LIBRARY NEWS

(Mrs. Ivy Pearl Reber, acting librarian)

We have a book which was placed in the box outside the library door, and we do not know where it came from. Is it yours? Or is it ours? This book is "The Story of America in Pictures" by Alan C. Collins.

Many friends continue to give memorial gifts to the library. We are very grateful. Recent gifts are: Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Welborn in memory of H. E. Cannaday; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Heatly, Jr. of Paducah in memory of Fred Zimmerman; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Morehead, Mr. and Mrs. George McAllister, and Mrs. R. C. Henry in memory of E. M. Deakins; the Library Board, Lorin and Bennie Leibfried, Jiggs and LaJuana Jackson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Patterson, and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Gilly in memory of Mrs. Marguerite Romane; Dr. and Mrs. George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Davis, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. W. May, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Orman, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barnard in memory of Ed Holmes; and Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Orman in memory of Joe Smith.

Several new books have gone to shelf this week. Two of these are best-sellers: "Love is Eternal" by Stone and "A Fable" by Faulkner.

"Rebel Rose" is a new biography, the life of Rose O'Neal Greenhow, a Confederate spy. New children's books include a Mother Goose illustrated in beautiful colors, and a little book called "Who Likes the Dark?" For the young mystery fans we have "The Secret of the Rosewood box", "Mystery of the Winding Stair", "Mystery up the Chimney", and "Mystery of the Secret Drawer".

According to a recent clipping from the Wichita Falls Record-News, "The comic book industry except for three publishers appointed a New York magistrate to administer a stiff new code of ethics to offset criticism that the books contribute to youthful crime." This is a move that has long been needed. Here in the library we have a copy of the book, "Seduction of the Innocent", by Frederic Wertham. This is a study made by a psychiatrist of the influence of comic books on today's youth. It is thoroughly documented by facts and cases. It is a shocking book, but one that parents can well afford to read.

The Lockney Branch Library is continuing to serve a large portion of the county. Approximately 1000 books are shelved there. The school children especially are making good use of the library during these fall days.

Slaughtering and meat packing is the most important industry of Illinois.

The Floyd County Hesperian, Floydada, Texas, Thursday, October 7, 1954

THIRD SON OF JUDGE AND MRS. JOHNSTON BORN OCT. 3

The first legislative body in America assembled at Jamestown, Va., in 1619.

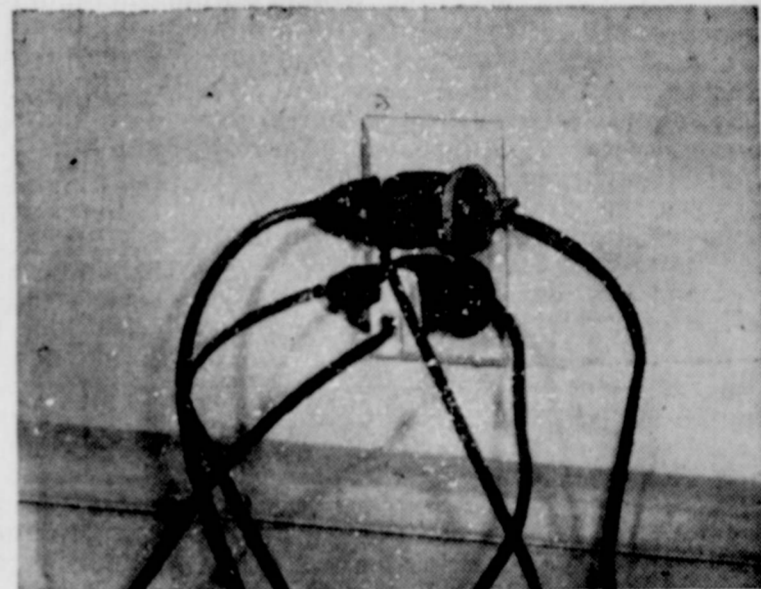
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnston are parents of a son born Sunday morning, October 3, at Plainview hospital. The boy, named George Harvey, weighed eight pounds and four ounces. He has two brothers, Ralph and Lon. Grandparents are Mrs. Lon V. Smith, Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Johnston, Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Anderson of Spur are parents of a son, born Saturday morning, October 2. The boy weighed seven pounds, two ounces and was named Gary Steven. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stovall and Mrs. A. W. Anderson of Floydada.

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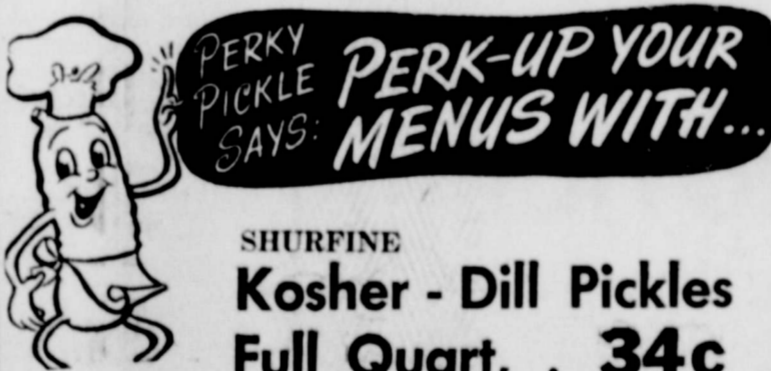
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VIEWES AND COMMENT

School Home-Coming. This week-end comes home-coming day in Floydada high school. Friday is the day. The school folk anticipate a considerable attendance. The event is the first in recent history of the school. Like the "first" Floyd county fair last month the home-coming may be the first only because nobody recalls any of those others which may have transpired. So far as we are informed it will be actually the first home-coming in the school history save and except for an occasional gathering of a class. The youngsters at high school would be surprised at some of the faces which would put in an appearance if all the exes made it.

Set-Up Is Wrong. Texas Secretary of Agriculture John C. White and many others find something wrong with the drouth relief measures—at least the way the relief is administered. We agree. But we doubt that government will do better. Something about the government, especially the federal government, keeps it from functioning normally, going directly to the root of a situation. For one thing there'll be no way of keeping the line of applicants from sitting around in the lobby waiting for their "papers" while in the inner sanctum the administrators gravely discuss the proper procedure to carry out the rules and regulations.

Fire Prevention Week. Except for acts of God there are no fires that are not preventable. That's one reason for Fire Prevention week, a campaign against our own carelessness. Another good reason for supporting fire prevention week is that by that means the fire insurance rate can be reduced. When one has a fire the others help pay for it—through the insurance companies, which make a profit from the job of stewardship for fire insurance funds. The waste from fire is terrific in Texas. Like this: A school burns every three days in Texas, a church every six days, a hotel every two and a half days, and a hospital every three weeks. From this October until the next statisticians tell us, 8,000 Texas homes will burn and 475 Texans will lose their lives in the fires. There are some things, as you gather from Holy Writ, that you cannot do anything about by taking thought. Texans can do something about the loss and tragedy of fires by simply taking thought. Not thought about somebody else's premises but about our own.

Each Texas farmer this fall will answer about 100 questions about his land, crops, live stock, farming methods, expense, labor and equipment. The questions will be asked by a federal census taker. The job begins in October and presumably lasts until it is finished. The farm census has been taken every five years since 1920. There is a good reason, we are sure but we can't think now what the reason is. Naturally it doesn't hurt to know about things. One thing the census takers will learn is that the farm machinery manufacturers are trying to price themselves out of the market. It will take 30,000 enumerators to check more than five million farms and ranches in the nation. A good Republican from Randall county will supervise the census in this area. A good many Democrats will help because there are not enough Republicans to claim all the jobs in the first place, and census-taking calls for a lot of hard work that doesn't pay too well in the second place.

Annual Prison Rodeo. First of five was held Sunday afternoon. The show is given by the inmates but in order to keep on drawing the crowds and make the events more interesting and thrilling to all Texas they are beginning to draw on "outside" entertainers of one kind and another. The inmates vie for places in the show. When wild beasts and wild men get together, in a struggle there is bound to be something interesting come of it. This year they will have a parachute jump every October Sunday afternoon. A prisoner will make the leap. A former air man he had 137 jumps to his credit when his career was cut short by a term in durance vile. To show you that the printer's trade is a virile one, the printing industry points with pride to the fact that the old boy who is so adept at parachuting is one of the major cogs in the prison print shop. He helps put out The Echo, the prison weekly. A lusty hurray for our side and a yah, yah to you others.

Compulsory jury service for women is provided for in one of the constitutional amendments that will be passed on general election day, November 2. In Floyd county the high probability that woman jury service will be adopted in Texas was recognized when the court house was built. It has a woman's jury dormitory as well as a man's. For the sake of the women who feel that women on the juries, like women in politics, have just got to get in there and "straighten things out," we'd be glad to see the amendment carry. For those others who feel that their jobs are counterparts of their men's work we'd like to see jury service made permissive rather than mandatory. And we'd be glad not to be on the first jury commission that adds women's names to the panels.

The steady decline during the past several years in the consumption of milk and milk products is the core of the dairy marketing problem. Of prime importance has been the loss of markets to competitive products.

The Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act passed by the last session of Congress should make for harmonious cooperation between local watershed groups and federal government in solving water management and flood prevention problems.

When planting time for the fall and winter grazing crops rolls around, plant the crop even if it must be dusted in. The time saved after the rains come will add days to the grazing period.

Red Cross chapters participating in program activities of the Junior Red Cross in the 1952-53 fiscal year numbered 2,272.

In an effort to give their young people a better understanding of people all over the world, last year 52 nations and territories participated in the international school correspondence program, including the American Junior Red Cross.

Vitamin A deficiency in farm animals is caused by the lack of green feed. Present range and pasture conditions over much of Texas favor the development of this deficiency and livestockmen are advised to head off its effects by supplementing their live-stock feed with green leafy alfalfa hay.

Floyd County 14 Years Ago

(Taken from the files of the Floyd County Hesperian, issue dated September 29, 1940.)

Mrs. Minnie Smart entertained her daughter, Hughetta, with a lawn party September 17, in honor of her 11th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stovall were in Amarillo over the week-end visiting with Judge and Mrs. A. J. Foley.

Mrs. Pearl Fagan entertained the Floydada Music club Thursday in her home.

Three sisters, Mrs. A. G. Barnett, Mrs. J. H. Poore and Mrs. C. E. Bartlett and their families, spent Sunday, September 15, in a reunion at the city park.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Fry moved to Amarillo last week for the winter. Their daughter, Miss Fern, is teaching school at Sunray.

Rev. and Mrs. Sidney Johnson attended a homecoming at Lela Sunday.

Sidney and Jennie Lou Harper, who are attending Tech, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Harper.

Pat Stansell, who is employed at Las Cruces, New Mexico, and Wayne Collins, a student of A & M college there, visited from Sunday until Tuesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Stansell and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Norman and Buddy spent Sunday in Big Spring visiting Mr. Norman's mother, Mrs. W. I. Norman and his sister, Mrs. Wayne Gound.

Mrs. David E. Flowers of Amarillo, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross Wednesday.

Mrs. Grady Dunavant is improving nicely from a broken collar bone received several weeks ago.

Olin Watson, Jr., a Tech student was ill the first part of the week from a small-pox shot. Mr. and Mrs. Watson visited their son on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. H. M. Poff of Arcata, California, is a visitor this week in the home of her brother, V. D. Turner and family.

ATTEND DEDICATION OF NEW LOCKNEY CHURCH EDIFICE

Several members of the local Methodist church attended the dedication services at the new Lockney Methodist church Sunday of last week.

They were Rev. and Mrs. Tilden B. Armstrong, Judge and Mrs. W. E. Grimes, Dane Clark, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Parr, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Bertrand, Mr. and Mrs. Will Snell, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Robertson.

Mmes. W. E. Sims, C. E. Bartlett, Roy Curry, E. S. Randerson and Mrs. Eula Thurman.

V. D. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Turner and son, Joe, of Dove Creek, Colorado, and Purvis Miller of Clovis, New Mexico, returned Friday from Paragould, Arkansas where they had been called to the bedside of Mr. Miller's father. Reports said that his condition was improved.

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MEETING NOTICE

The stockholders of Producers Cooperative Elevator, of Floydada and Dougherty, Texas are called to hold their annual meeting on Tuesday, October 12, 1954, at 7 o'clock in the VFW hall in Floydada, Texas.

Two directors are to be elected and any other business transacted that may properly be brought before the meeting.

JOHN SNIDER BAR-B-Q SUPPER
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Schoolboy Football Review

Dragon Dragons Down 'Winds' 12 In Bruising Battle

High geared Dragons Floydada Whirlwinds at Floyd Friday night at 8:00 p.m. The Dragons entered the game with a vengeance and were determined to get the best of the 'Winds' in a bruising battle. The Dragons were led by Gene Swanner who scored two touchdowns and kicked the extra points. The 'Winds' were led by Jackie Jarrett who scored two touchdowns and kicked the extra points. The game was a hard fought battle and the Dragons emerged victorious by a score of 12 to 0.

Jackie Jarrett on the 20 yard line. Jarrett ran it back to the 30 where the 'Winds' had first and 10.

Scampers Sixty-Five Yards

The Floydada attack lost yardage and they were forced to punt from their own 25. Waldo Baxter's kick was a beauty going 40 yards to the Dragon 35. From this point nothing was beautiful from the 'Winds' point of view as Jack Powell tucked the ball away and behind blocking that left not a single defender on his feet scampered 65 yards for the first score. Hal Sandefur converted the first of his seven kicks and the score Paducah 7 - Floydada 0.

Paducah then kicked to the 'Winds' and attempted an on-sides kick they hoped to recover. Their strategy backfired however and the 'Winds' had possession at midfield. A fumbled ball gave the Dragons possession shortly thereafter and they began a march which was clipped when Thaxton pushed over from the one for the score. Sandefur then made it 14 - 0.

The Whirlwinds never threatened in the first period but did stand off the Dragons on one deep drive to take over on their own 10.

Opening the second period Cloyd Stephens electrified the crowd when he scampered 73 yards to make a first down on the Dragon 17 yard line. A timely penalty and a stout Paducah defense stopped the threat however and the Dragons took over on their own 9.

From scrimmage the 'Winds' gained a net of 212 yards rushing and 25 yards passing to 281 rushing and 153 passing for Paducah. Floydada made 11 first downs and the Dragons 16. FHS was penalized a total of 21 yards and the Dragons drew 70 yards in penalties.

Sandefur of Paducah was high man in yards gained from scrimmage with 102 in 10 carries. David Morris of the Dragons was second with 99 net in 8 runs. Cloyd Stephens made 81 yards net for the 'Winds' in 4 tries (playing less than half the game); Vickers banged out 65 yards in 9 attempts mostly in the third period, and Laron Fulton had 32 yards on 3 nice runs.

The entire Whirlwind team took a mauling on defense but never quit fighting throughout the game. Blocking of the Dragon team was probably one of the biggest factors of the game. Gene Swanner filled in at quarterback for the 'Winds' part of the game and did a fine job. Coaches Watson and Cleveland played most of the boys who were suited out for the Dragon tilt.

Dragon Offense Really Good

Immediately after the halftime intermission the 'Winds' came back with a somewhat changed backfield due to the many injuries in that department and put on one of their most thrilling drives which ripped the Dragon defense to shreds as Stanley Vickers banged down the middle for long gains. The spirited play was doomed to failure however as the 'Winds' no longer had a serious running threat on the outside (with their halfbacks out) and the Dragon defense pulled in tight to stop the drive short of pay dirt.

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Paducah was unable to go and punted from the 10 to out-of-bounds on the 38. The 'Winds' put on their first scoring drive from this point and it was climaxed by a play covering 17 yards and featured a pitchout from Stephens to Jarrett who went over for the score. Jarrett's kick was no good and he score 14 - 6 favoring Paducah.

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The 'Winds' covered another short kick at midfield to give them possession of the pigskin at that point. After only short gains they found their pass intercepted by Jack Powell on the Dragon 20 yard line. Immediately following the interception the Dragons tried a pass of their own and Sandefur hit Powell with a long one. He outran the defenders to score on a play covering some 80 yards. Sandefur converted and the score until half-time was 28 - 6.

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GENE SWANNER
Whirlwind End - Wt. 160

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BOBBY CARMACK
Whirlwind Guard - Wt. 156

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District 2 Teams Have Dismal Week

District 2AA had a black Friday October 1 as far as the won lost columns go. Olton alone came through for a victory, barely edging Dumas 6 - 0. Tulla was defeated by LAA Canyon and Lockney, Muleshoe and Floydada fell before single A teams.

The first good week of comparative scores will come this weekend when the two leading teams square off against opponents which have been common to both. Floydada will be host to Abernathy, a team Olton defeated 21 - 0 in their season opener. Olton will be host to the Spur Bulldogs, a team Floydada defeated 27 - 6.

Friday's games find the other three members of the district meeting Childress, Littlefield and New Deal with little chance of adding anything to the district's sagging prestige.

GAMES THIS WEEK

Abernathy at Floydada; Spur at Olton; Childress at Tulla; Muleshoe at New Deal; Lockney at Littlefield; Phillips at Perryton; Slaton - Open Date; Stamford at Quanah; Paducah at Henrietta; Ralls at Petersburg; Kress at Happy; Hale Center at Crosbyton; Matador at Wheeler; Plainview B and 8th grade at Floydada (Oct. 7); Stanton at O'Donnell.

DISTRICT 2AA STANDINGS

(No district games played)

Team	W	L	Pts.	Op.
Olton	4	0	72	6
Floydada	3	1	87	55
Tulla	0	4	45	117
Muleshoe	0	4	13	122
Lockney	0	4	12	176

HUBERT RING IS NAMED A MEMBER OF PHI DELTA THETA

LUBBOCK, TEXAS—The Texas Epsilon chapter of Phi Delta Theta, first national social fraternity established on the campus at Texas Tech, announces the initiation of 17 new members, including C. Hubert Ring, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ring of Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub May were here from Plainview this past week-end visiting in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Boling and Mr. and Mrs. Alton May.

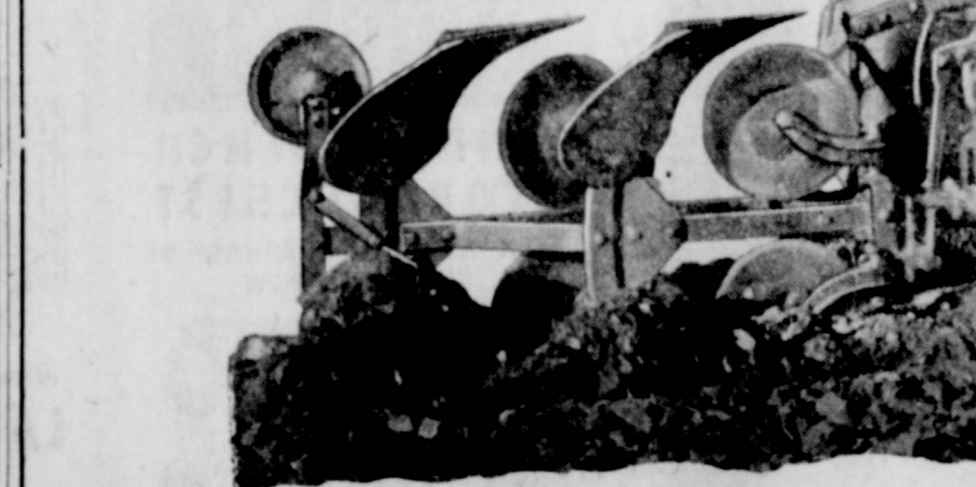
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Soil Tour Reveals Experiments, New Practices on County Farms

Marion Tucker, of Harmony, was presented as the 1954 master conservation farmer of Floyd county at the district soil tour barbeque held at high noon September 24 at Paymaster farm headquarters. A plaque proclaiming Tucker's accomplishments was presented by Aldine Williams, president of Floydada Lions club. Nearly 400 senior and junior farmers of the county witnessed the presentation.

Besides the inspection of various new types of farm operations designed to build soil and conserve water the crowd who made the tour heard a discussion of recent legislation that has taken place in Texas which affects farming. Leroy Saul, state representative, of Kress, told of water legislation in particular. Upstream water saving, the building of small dams to keep the water out on the land where it falls has had serious consideration in the legislature, Mr. Saul said. He was presented to his audience by Richard F. Stovall.

Floydada Chamber of Commerce and Paymaster farms were host-travelers saw a 36-acre bench lev-

ing job; the use of cowpeas in sorghum; crops growing on ground where alfalfa had been turned under; and cotton on vetch ground where the green crop had been mould-boarded and the ground later tamped.

An experimental plot of ground at Tucker's also has been used this year to make a variety test of grain sorghums, planted on July 1, in cooperation with Extension service. Four varieties were used. The stages of maturity, as well as production, are among the results to be judged.

At Raymond Rucker's Pleasant Valley farm a 50-acre irrigated pasture of perennial rye, Kentucky 31 and yellowblossom clover was studied. To date the results have been good, the crowd was told.

Fifty Acres of Guay

Three miles north of Lockney, where Paul Cooper has been operating an irrigated farm for many years the tourists saw experiments with vetch in cotton middles, cowpeas in sorghums, solid planting of cowpeas for seed, and 90 acres of guay, a legume Guay does well on small amounts of water and may be useful to increase production of cotton the following year.

Other operations and experiments were viewed at the Ivan J. Thompson place north of Paymaster Farm where Hubam clover is being grazed by sheep; at three stops on Paymaster farm to see cotton varieties that are being worked on now; cotton and feed fertilizer plots, also the effects of second year cotton burrs on grain sorghum production; and at Oscar Golden's farm, also at Aiken, alfalfa established in the spring, seeded into wheat, where the operator harvested the wheat, apparently a good way to go to alfalfa with a minimum of blowing and weeds.

Fred Jackson and Gilbert Fawcett were members of the soil district's board of supervisors who made the tour.

TEN FORMER SCHOOLMATES ENJOY EVENING TOGETHER

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Club Women See Demonstration of Electric Cookery

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The 1950 Study club enjoyed an electric range demonstration Tuesday night given by Kirk and Son and Southwestern Public Service Co. It was held at Kirk and Son Hardware and Furniture.

The demonstration was given by Mrs. Elenor Woodson, Home Economist for Southwestern Public Service Co. in Lubbock, and Miss Agnes Braly of Plainview.

Everyone thought the demonstration was most interesting and educational.

Mrs. Woodson prepared a deep well meal, a broiler meal and a cake cooked on a service unit. Coffee and cakes were also served.

Those present besides Mrs. Woodson and Miss Braly were Sylvie Price, Margie Collins, Peggy Roberts, Emma Collins, Nina Copeland, Dorothy Biggers, Margaret Greer, Jill Kirk, Janice Lloyd, Martha Allen, Jean Jones, Vel Simpson, Audrey Spence, Francis Weathersbee, David Kirk, Brac Biggers and Marvin Sandefur of Plainview.

Gilford Cox of Lubbock was a Friday night supper guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Medley. Mr. Cox and Mrs. Medley are cousins.

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Dry Everywhere, Says Pueblo Man

Weaver Howard, who with Mrs. Howard was here for a few days last week-end and this week, says the southwest is not the only dry country there is. He was enroute home to Pueblo, Colorado, after journeying westward on a wide swing to the coast thence south and east and into Texas to see their relatives in this area.

"Water above Coolidge dam is green and stagnant, Lake Meade is down 70 feet, Mirror Lake is as dry as a street," he said. "It's sort of

disturbing," reporting that numerous resort places where people had been attracted by water and fishing have these attractions no more.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard were guests while here of his mother, Mrs. J. W. Howard, and other relatives.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ELECTION
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF FLOYD.

TO THE RESIDENT, QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE COUNTY OF FLOYD, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID COUNTY AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in Floyd County, Texas, on the 2 day of November, 1934, on the proposition and at the places more particularly set forth in the election order passed by the Commissioners' Court on the 30 day of Sept., 1934, which is as follows:

"AN ORDER
CALLING AN ELECTION ON THE PROPOSITION OF THE ISSUANCE OF \$325,000.00 OF ROAD BONDS AND THE LEVY OF A TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF.

WHEREAS, there has been presented for the consideration of the Court a petition signed by Parnell

Powell and 89 other persons praying that an election be held in Floyd County on the proposition of the issuance of Road Bonds of said County in the amount of \$325,000.00 and the levy of a tax in payment thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Court has found that said petition is signed by more than fifty (50) of the resident, qualified property taxpaying electors of Floyd County owning taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation; and

WHEREAS, the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Floyd County;

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS:

1. That an election be held in said County on the 2 day of November, 1934, which is not less than thirty (30) days from the date of this order, to determine:

Whether or not the bonds of Floyd County, Texas, shall be issued under Article III, Section 52 of the Constitution in the amount of \$325,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 2 1/2% per annum, and maturing at such time as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, in not to exceed thirty (30) years from the date thereof, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout Floyd County, Texas; and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in said County sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at their maturity.

The proceeds from the bond issue will be used for the purchase of right-of-way in the following projects:

- For the purchase of right-of-way for widening U. S. Highway No. 70 in Floyd County, Texas, from the Motley County Line to the Hale County Line.
- For the purchase of right-of-way for widening U. S. Highway No. 62 in Floyd County, Texas, from the city of Floydada to the Crosby County Line.
- For the purchase of right-of-way in Floyd County, Texas, for Farm-to-Market Road No. 97 from a point one mile east of the Cedar Hill School east to the Motley County Line.
- For the purchase of 4 miles of right-of-way on Farm-to-Market Road No. 1065 in Floyd County, Texas.

2. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 3, Title 22, Revised Statutes of 1925, as amended by Chapter 16, Acts of the First Called Session of the 39th Legislature.

3. All persons who are legally qualified electors of this State and of this County, and who are resi-

dent, qualified property taxpaying electors of this County, owning taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence.

4. The ballots of said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF ROAD BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF AN AD VALOREM TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF ROAD BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF AN AD VALOREM TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

Each voter shall draw a line through one of the above expressions thus leaving the other as indicating his vote.

5. The said election shall be held at the several polling places in Floyd County, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed as officers of said election at the several voting precincts as follows:

In Precinct No. 1 at Southwest Floydada, with the following election officers:

Lon M. Davis, Presiding Judge, J. M. Willson, Sr., Judge, Mrs. A. B. Keim, Clerk, Mrs. J. D. McBrien, Clerk, Mrs. Hollis Bond, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 2 at Starkey, with the following election officers:

W. L. Davis, Presiding Judge, Elmer Cooper, Judge, O. L. Lowrance, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 3 at Almon, with the following election officers:

Marvin Shurbet, Presiding Judge, Bill Almon, Judge, Emmett Foster, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 4 at Sandhill, with the following election officers:

Tom J. Thomas, Presiding Judge, W. M. Knight, Judge, W. R. Billington, Clerk, Jim Holmes, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 5 at East Lockney, with the following election officers:

Ed Durham, Presiding Judge, H. P. Coleman, Judge, Mrs. Lloyd Wolford, Clerk, Mrs. Dee Copeland, Clerk, Mrs. C. H. Rose, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 7 at Providence, with the following election officers:

Charlie Boedeker, Presiding Judge, Wyatt McLaughlin, Judge, Mrs. Ewald Quebe, Clerk, Mrs. Ted Boedeker, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 8 at Lone Star, with the following election officers:

G. B. Johnston, Presiding Judge, H. E. Frizzell, Judge, Mrs. Clyde Farris, Clerk, Mrs. Floyd Jackson, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 9 at South Plains, with the following election officers:

E. P. Smitherman, Presiding Judge, Bill Beedy, Judge, Mrs. L. T. Wood, Clerk, Mrs. I. H. Parks, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 11 at Cedar Hill, with the following election officers:

Jack Stansell, Presiding Judge, E. E. Wells, Judge, Eugene Gilley, Clerk, C. V. Lemons, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 12 at Fairview, with the following election officers:

E. W. Walls, Presiding Judge, Lee Rushing, Judge, A. T. Swepton, Clerk, Edell DuBois, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 13 at Baker, with the following election officers:

C. M. Lyles, Presiding Judge, Mrs. Sam Green, Judge, Mrs. Ham Smith, Clerk, Mrs. Raymond Colston, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 15 at Lakeview, with the following election officers:

E. H. Spears, Presiding Judge, Earl Edwards, Judge, Mrs. H. M. Thomas, Clerk, William Bertrand, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 16 at Harmony, with the following election officers:

Zant Scott, Presiding Judge, Roy Hale, Judge, Riley Holmes, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 17 at Goodnight, with the following election officers:

Webb Taylor, Presiding Judge, Ford Johnson, Judge, Mrs. Webb Taylor, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 18 at West Lockney, with the following election officers:

T. B. Mitchell, Presiding Judge, L. M. Honea, Judge, Frank Dodson, Clerk, Mrs. J. Marvin Cox, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 19 at Northwest Floydada, with the following election officers:

J. G. Wood, Presiding Judge, R. M. Batten, Judge, J. W. Lanier, Clerk, Mrs. J. G. Wood, Clerk, Mrs. E. P. Nelson, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 20 at Dougherty, with the following election officers:

Roy Crawford, Presiding Judge, Mrs. C. A. Caffee, Judge, Maurice Campbell, Clerk, Mrs. Bill Graham, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 21 at Sterley, with the following election officers:

Bert Bobbitt, Presiding Judge, Robert Lee Smith, Judge, Horton Howell, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 22 at McCoy, with the following election officers:

O. L. Bearden, Presiding Judge, C. S. Payne, Judge, John Shipley, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 23 at Southeast Floydada, with the following election officers:

John Hopper, Presiding Judge, Mrs. S. J. Latta, Judge, Mrs. C. C. Huckabee, Clerk, Mrs. J. N. Scrivner, Clerk, L. A. Marshall, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 24 at Northeast Floydada, with the following election officers:

Ernie Widener, Presiding Judge, Joe Robertson, Judge, Mrs. Mal Jarboe, Clerk, Mrs. Ethel Graham, Clerk.

6. The following are hereby appointed Special Canvassing Board to canvass the Absentee votes to be cast at said election:

Ben P. Ayres, Floydada, Mal Jarboe, Floydada, W. G. Collins, Floydada, Arthur Barker, Jr., Lockney, Bob Miller, Lockney.

7. The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the Statutes hereinabove cited.

8. Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in the "Floyd County Hesperian", a newspaper published in said County, for three (3) successive weeks before the date fixed for holding said election. In addition thereto, there shall be posted other copies of this order at four public places in the County, one of which shall be at the Courthouse door for three (3) weeks prior to said election.

9. The County Clerk is hereby


directed to publish and post the same as hereinabove directed, and further orders are reserved until the returns of said election are made by the duly authorized election officers and received by the Court.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 30 day of September, 1934.

Ralph C. Johnston,
County Judge, Floyd County, Texas.

Margaret Collier,
County Clerk and Ex-officio of the Commissioners' Court, Floyd County, Texas.

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When Camp Haynes improvements have been completed, this is the artist's vision of a Boy Scout camp site on the 80-acre tract of natural beauty northeast of Silvertown 10 miles. Improvement of the site is awaiting the finish of the annual membership drive of the South Plains Boy Scout Council. A Floydada Scouter, J. M. Willson, jr., is vice-president of the council.

FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS should never be stored in the house. Do not use kerosene, gasoline or any flammable liquid to start or boost fires in stoves, ranges or fireplaces.

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Oct. 19, 1954, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the work on the above named project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall pay not less than these wage rates as shown in the proposal for each craft or type of laborer, workman or mechanic employed on this project.

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates. Plans and specifications available at the office of James F. Potts, Resident Engineer Floydada, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved.

Center News

(By Mrs. J. E. Green) (Late last week)

CENTER, Sept. 28—What nice cool nights and mornings we are having. A fall tang is in the air, and the sky is hazy with—shall we say? dry weather clouds. They do keep the hot sun off some in the afternoon.

Cotton is opening. Fields that were irrigated are dotted with pickers. A best time of the year - when there is rain and a good harvest, but when one toils all the year and makes almost nothing, it looks like he may need to "cast his net on the other side of the ship".

Visitors in church Sunday morning were Jolene Robertson, visiting her grandparents over the weekend and Thurman, jr., and Alta Lee Walls visiting the same grandparents, the J. R. Robertsons'. Visitors in Sunday night services were Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Walls and the children of Houston.

Mrs. Earl Huckabee visited Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Myrick of South Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Frizzell and Mrs. W. M. Jackson spent over the weekend in Altus, Oklahoma, where they attended the Carpenter reunion. Accompanying them from Floydada were Mr. and Mrs. Marion Carpenter and Mrs. Don Carpenter. They report a good time with about 40 present, including all the brothers and sisters and most of their children and grandchildren. Those from here reached home Sunday night.

Rev. and Mrs. Dallas Denison of Abilene spent Wednesday night with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Denison.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Denison attended the Lubbock fair Monday. They saw the largest crowd ever, and the exhibits were of the best.

Mrs. B. L. Sandifur is very ill at her home on Crockett street, Floydada. The Sandifurs moved to Floydada from Center several months ago. We hope to hear soon she is improved.

Canning is the order of the day among the women. Did you ever see so many women and tomatoes

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together as at the cannery Tuesday?

Mrs. E. R. Mankins and her son Gaylon Mankins and family, all of Lubbock were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mankins. The baby of Gaylon, the one who had polio awhile back was present and is recovering satisfactorily from the attack.

Monday, Mrs. Mankins cousin Claude Proctor of Dallas, visited in the Mankins home. It was their

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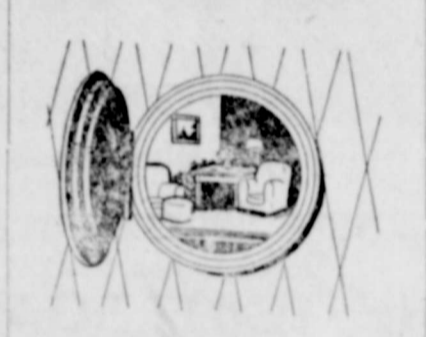
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Advertisement for Sanitone Dry Cleaning. Includes text: 'ALL SET FOR FALL WITH COATS THAT LOOK LIKE NEW—THANKS TO SANITONE DRY CLEANING!... More Dirt Removed... Spots Gone... Colors, Patterns, Texture Restored... Odorless... CLARK'S "TOPS IN DRY CLEANING"'

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Advertisement for Hagood's hats. Includes text: 'Hagood's... You're so Lucky to Find... NEW FALL HATS... like these for only \$2.98... Ship'n Shore blouse... everybody (but everybody) loves this action shirt... 2.98'

Advertisement for Hagood's shoes. Includes text: 'The Sashay Slipper... Style 434... Square dance a pretty reel in these slender slippers, low little pumps with a sashay belt and back-bow of black and white braid... Ship'n Shore blouse... everybody (but everybody) loves this action shirt... 2.98'

Advertisement for Dewey Beauty shoes. Includes text: 'Shoes of Dewey Beauty... Style 591... What could be prettier than wearing dew-drops at your toes all day long? You can when you choose for your own these pixie vamped pumps with a pointed heel and soft-stepping ways... 3.98'

Advertisement for fire prevention. Includes text: 'FIRE PREVENTION WEEK --- October 3-9... this will... BURN YOU UP!... MATCHES HAVE FATAL CHARMS FOR KIDS... DON'T LET FIRE WIPE YOU OUT! FLOYDADA REAL ESTATE & INSURANCE AGENCY... 108 W. Missouri Phone 440'

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