

Move to New High School Started This Morning

Elaborate New Building OK'd

History will be made this week-end when 315 Floydada High School students bid farewell to the old high school building and move into their elaborate new school home after waiting a year and a half.

The new Floydada half million dollar high school was inspected yesterday afternoon by the board of education, Herbert Brashier, architect, the contractors, the Harry Miller Co., and Supt. I. T. Graves. The big move will be made this week-end so classes can begin Monday, Jan. 21.

The new building features several more rooms than in the present building. These include extra rooms for the "Whirl" staff, annual staff, the student council, bookkeeping students and a lecture room with an adjoining for the science department.

Vocational agriculture students will have two rooms and the band coach has several individual practice rooms and an office for Maurice Jones, band director.

The Floydada Whirlwind football team will have a dressing room and practice field at the new building. ONLY things that will be moved from the present high school are tables in the study hall, the office furniture, homemaker equipment, typewriters and the library books.

Faculty members for Floydada High School are I. T. Graves, superintendent, A. E. Baker, principal, Mrs. A. E. Baker, H. G. Barber, Ira L. Colley, Lloyd B. Cook Jr., Wendell B. Daniel, Billy Jack Eudy, Garland C. Foster, Mrs. I. T. Graves, Joseph J. Hendricks, Paul O. Huntington, Maurice Jones, Mrs. Mitchell Parrish, Mrs. J. A. Patterson Miss Anne Swenson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tye, Preston Watson, Henry E. Young and Mrs. Bob Copeland, secretary for High School.

The old high school building will become the new Junior High School when 269 students from Andrews Ward begin studies Monday morning.

The Junior High is composed of the sixth, seventh and eighth grades. New chair type desks have been purchased for the study hall and other rooms vacated by the out-going upper classmen.

A. W. COLTHARP will be principal of the Junior High and Bob Copeland will be assistant principal. Mrs. Bobby Durham will be secretary for Junior High and Andrews Ward.

Faculty members for Floydada Junior High include Mrs. L. F. Greenham, Myron Kattner, Mrs. Willis Cooper, Mrs. Ted Bell, Mrs. H. G. Barber, Mrs. Maurice Jones, Bill Curry and Mrs. L. H. Christensen, who will also teach one period each day at high school.

Mrs. Myron Kattner, speech correction teacher, will teach two days a week at Junior High and three days a week at Andrews Ward. Mrs. Wesley Carr, school nurse, will spend two out of three days a week at Junior High.

Andrews Ward school will have 480 students after the changes are made. W. P. Nicholson Jr. will be principal of the school.

The following statement is written by W. P. Nicholson, to clarify a situation, about which there appears to be some misunderstanding in the Andrews Ward Library:

"WHEN the Junior High School moves to the present High School building, only the library books used by the Junior High School will be moved. The Elementary library books, maintained on an individual classroom basis, will remain at Andrews Ward School.

"However, since a room will be available for a central library, we feel that through consolidating our books into a central library we can build better library facilities for our children."

"It is in this enterprise we solicit your cooperation and would like to give any one an opportunity to donate or dedicate books, magazines, or funds toward building better library facilities for our children."

As a solution for traffic congestion expected to develop in the new high school area, the city council at their Monday night session instructed Police Officer Horace Cagle to put up signs making Tree Street a one-way street during school hours for a distance of two blocks from the school grounds at Crockett north to Georgia.

The idea of making the one-way street was presented to the city fathers by the Student Council of Floydada High School, with Keith Armstrong as their spokesman. The students had prepared a map which showed the travel routes for school buses in the area during school hours and also the flow of other traffic likely to develop in the area.

Ray Will Address Farm Group Here

Walter Ray, field representative of Farmers Union, of Denton, Tex., will be speaker here tomorrow night for a local farm group. Ray will discuss price supports and other farm problems of the day.

The meeting has been set for the county court room in the court house at Floydada. Seven o'clock p. m. is the time.

W. G. Collins will introduce the speaker and has assured an invitation to all interested persons to be present for the meeting.

Giant Farm Auction Ends Callahan Partnership

About the biggest farm sale ever held on the high plains was staged Tuesday by Les Stringer and Johnny Miller to close out their partnership farming operations on the Callahans in west Floyd County.

The partnership, known as Callahan Wheat Company, carried on all kinds of farm and live stock operations on 3,500 acres or more on a part of the Callahan County school lands acquired in 1905 by

the father of Mr. Stringer. Highly developed the land is practically all under irrigation.

Stringer and Miller had been partners in the Floyd County venture since 1951. They have been since 1935 and still are partners in a Swisher County operation not affected by the re-alignment in this county.

Their farm sale was to get all their large assortment of power farming

equipment turned into money so they could divide up.

Stringer is getting out of the farming business in this county and Miller said he is cutting down on his operations. He will farm 1,200 acres of the land this year on rental basis.

The remainder of the land belonging to members of the Stringer family, which Stringer and Miller had been farming, Hubert Stringer,

a brother of Les, with Doyle Mount, takes over 1,000 acres to farm this year. C. A. Perry is getting 500 acres and Dale Stringer 320 acres.

"The sale was run off smoothly, the Sand Hill club women handled the dinner nicely, and we were well pleased with the crowds and the bidding," said Mr. Miller the day after the sale.

Miller himself was the biggest single buyer, bidding in approximately \$10,000 worth of the machinery, which he will need to supplement another \$5,000 worth that he acquired from the partnership before the sale was held.

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Clark's Adding Steam Laundry To Local Plant

Clark's Cleaners in Floydada has added a new power steam laundry department to their cleaning plant. The new equipment is already in operation says Pete Clark, owner of the firm, and he is expecting to be going at full capacity soon.

Clark says the addition of the laundry to their plant will bring a new service to Floydada. In the past steam laundry service has not been offered here and all of this business has had to be sent elsewhere.

IN THE expansion move Clark's has taken in the building adjoining them on the south and installed much new equipment. A complete shirt unit consisting of six power steam presses, a wearing apparel unit of three presses, washer, extractor, drying tumbler, water softener, heater and tank, and a 25 horsepower boiler are among the installations made.

The steam laundry will offer finished work on family bundles or rough dry and will specialize in finishing shirts and work suits. Connected with their present dry cleaning establishment they will feature one-stop service for all types of cleaning.

Clark's has in the past employed an average of from five to six persons regularly and the new department is expected to add four or five more workers.

THOUGH there is still a little tuning up to be done the management has extended an invitation to their friends and customers to come in and look over the latest additions and to visit with them.

Induct Fifteen On January 21

Texas Selective Service Local Board No. 45 has ordered for induction a total of 15 young men from Floyd, Hale, Swisher and Motley Counties on Monday, Jan. 21.

The following young men will meet at 5:00 a. m. at the court house in Plainview:

Robert Wayne Hambricht, Floydada; Rikky Joe Carter, Richard Enoch Latta, William Elkins Sessions, Arlen Ray Wesley, Warren Rudolph Hingst, all of Plainview; L. Douglas Rambo, Henderson; Charles LeRoy Ivey, Barthol Ray Jones, both of Amarillo; Kenneth Wayne McDowell, Ronald Harvey Lacey, both of Tulla; Van Earl Bradford, Roaring Springs; Barney Elbert shuey, Abernathy; Ross Alton Rasco, Lorenzo and Isabel Raissez of Ploमत.

Those going for physical examinations on the 21st are:

Billy Ervin McAnnelly, Kenneth Merle Billington, Joe Early Pyle, all of Tulla; Billy Sullivan Smith, Dallas; Haskell Douglas Harrington of Bakersfield, Calif.; Billy Ray Cartwright, Alpine; Z. D. Alexander, San Francisco, Calif.; Rex Dale Redies, Jimmie Ray Shearer, Buddy Charles Brown, James Earl Holt, all of Plainview; Martiniano Navarro, Petaluma; Jimmy Gurule Byrnes of Austin; Glen Preston Steen and a special Registrant, Dr. William Matthew Featherston, Elk City, Okla.

Minimum Land Damage Done By Wind Erosion Today In County

Floyd County has had very little and damage this season from wind erosion, but the most dangerous part of the season is upon us, says a warning statement from the Soil Conservation District Office this week.

Where stubble or other residue are inadequate to control wind erosion they should be supplemented with chiseling or listing to roughen the soil. If indications are that present residues will be effective in controlling wind erosion they should be left undisturbed as long as possible.

If blowing starts use one or two light chisels between the rows to supplement the residues. A second chiseling later in the season using a larger chisel with greater depth will provide control over a longer period. This will also provide for one more effective operation with a lister if



Seek Drouth Answer. Floyd County Farm Bureau officials joined representatives of 24 other plains counties at Lamesa Thursday where they sought to come up with concrete suggestions to submit to the president on his southwestern inspection tour. Here shown at the meeting are, front row, L. B. Brandes and Ewald Quebe, Lockney; S. J. McIntosh, Dougherty; back row, Sam Puckett, office representative, Floydada; Joe Foster, Lone Star, Dorris Jones, newly-elected vice president, filling the unexpired term of Glen White, Floydada.

Farm Groups Offer Drouth Relief Ideas To President

Last week and over the week-end the visit of the president of the United States to the drouth area in the southwest had major interest of people, and most of their number struggled manfully for common sense suggestions to present to the chief executive to alleviate an increasingly serious situation.

Regional meetings sprang up all over a five-state area. Recommendations from various sections were presented to the president at his stops in San Angelo, Woodward, Clovis, Tucson and Pueblo.

At two stops Tuesday in Kansas the president also viewed farm conditions on the ground and talked with farmers in the search for ideas.

Floyd County farmers attended a regional meeting in Lamesa where a 24-county gathering was held. For the most part those who attended this meeting were Farm Bureau members, the Floyd County representatives being active in the organization.

Jack McIntosh, Dougherty farmer, was spokesman for the Floyd County group at the Lamesa meeting. This week he said that the Lamesa session had no new formula for the situation but did agree on representations to the president for:

Continuance of liberalized FHA support for drouth area farmers; for low rates of interest on government loans; for continued freight rate relief until the emergency was passed.

Similarly the Lamesa convention pointed up the need in particular for grain and roughage at more equitable prices. The help which the government vouchsafes for the maintenance of foundation herds is generally absorbed by middlemen between the feed ever reaches the farm operator's hands, it was claimed at this meeting.

The Floyd County Farm Bureau members participating in the Lamesa meeting were L. B. Brandes and Ewald Quebe, Lockney; S. J. McIntosh, Dougherty; Joe Foster, Lone Star; Dorris Jones, Floydada and Sam Puckett, office representative, Floydada.

The president, on his flying trip to the southwest, was accompanied by Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson, and Secretary of the Interior Fred Seaton.

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Burton Thornton Sells Sterley Gin, Plans To Retire

Burton Thornton has sold the South Plains Gin at Sterley and is planning to retire after 44 years in business in north Floyd County, according to report from Lockney last week.

New owners of the gin, to be given possession in February, are Frank Adams and J. E. Patterson of Lubbock.

Thornton and his sons have operated the gin at Sterley since 1951. Prior to that he was in the gin business at South Plains from 1922 to 1950. He also was in the grain business at Lockney for several years. His present home is on the gin lot and he will vacate it soon.

Thornton plans to continue to live in the area after his retirement, he told newsmen.

Mississippi Mishap Injures Aiken Men

Former County Agent Bob Gibson, manager of Paymaster Farm at Aiken, was in an automobile accident in the vicinity of Greenville, Miss., on Jan. 3, in which a companion, John Powell, manager of Paymaster Aiken Gin, suffered a broken hip.

Gibson drove the station wagon involved in the wreck back home, while Powell was returned by plane. The two were enroute to Greenville when they were hurt in a four-car accident.

Both walked away from the wreckage but Powell was put to bed when it was found he had the hip fracture. He is due to remain in bed for a month.

A station wagon belonging to Paymaster Farm, driven by the men, was damaged about \$600, it was reported out of Aiken.

TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR IS IN LOCKNEY TODAY

County Assessor-Collector T. F. Hamilton is spending today in Lockney on an annual collection visit, made for the convenience of ad valorem and poll taxes.

Deadline for tax payments without penalty on the 1956 rolls and polls is Jan. 31.

The office in the court house is open today for payment of poll taxes and for the transaction of automobile business.

Floydada, Slaton Boys And Spur, Abernathy Girls 2AA Cage Leaders

With another two weeks to go in the first round of play district 2AA basketball is beginning to shape up as a dog fight.

Though all scores of games played have not been reported it appears that Floydada, Slaton and Lockney are at present leading in the boys division, with Abernathy, Spur and Post atop the girls standings.

No team is definitely eliminated as yet though there appears very little chance for the Tahoka girls team to emerge with the championship.

Floydada will play at Spur Friday, Jan. 18 (tomorrow night) and then will be idle until the 25th when Abernathy comes here to play.

District scores reported in the daily press today have not been completed, but include the following:

Boys Scores: Lockney 63 - Post 53; Tahoka 52 - Spur 41; Floydada 78 - Tahoka 48; Slaton 64 - Abernathy 56; Post 55 - Spur 54; Floydada 77 - Post 61; Lockney 53 - Spur 46; Tahoka 66 - Abernathy 53.

Girls Scores: Post 59 - Lockney 46; Spur 24 - Tahoka 12; Floydada 49 - Tahoka 39; Abernathy 75 - Slaton 69; Spur 32 - Post 30; Post 50 - Floydada 39; Spur 46 - Lockney 29; Abernathy 43 - Tahoka 34.

Based on these incomplete scores

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Floydada Businessmen Appear for TNM&O

Opposition to a move to divert the parcel service now being maintained in the area by Texas, New Mexico & Oklahoma bus lines, to the truck lines, was expressed by Floydada representatives at a hearing conducted last Friday in Lubbock by the Texas Railroad Commission.

Several other communities of the plains and panhandle were represented at the meeting, including Matador, Lockney, Plainview and Abenathy.

TNM&O has served Floydada with efficiency and continuance of this service is desirable for the convenience and necessity of the public, the Floydada representatives testified.

Among those attending the hearing from Floydada were Mayor Lewis Norman, Joe Giddens, George Spears, H. O. Cline, Elmer Norrell, J. D. Parks, W. F. Wiley and Jodie Jameson.

Charles D. Mathews, of Austin, represented the bus company at the hearing.

Floydada GG Entries Do Well at Plainview

Three Floydada boys were entered in the Golden Gloves boxing meet at Plainview last week and all showed up well. Two returned with championship trophies for their efforts.

The winners were Dale Brown who won with a TKO in 58 seconds of the third round as he defeated Jimmy Sparks of Lubbock. Brown took the novice high school championship in the 135-pound weight.

Other winner was Johnny Fred Brown who also won with a TKO over Royce Teague of Plainview. Johnny Fred ended his match in 33 seconds of the first round, and received the championship trophy for the 147 pound weight in the novice high school class.

Jay Johnson lost a three round decision in the high school open division when he was defeated by the champion of that class, Johnson reportedly made a very good showing in his fight and lost to a fine fighter.

Carlton Fawer served as trainer for the boys and also acted as their second in the ring.

Floydada boxers have been working out at the American Legion Hall and are sponsored by the Legion. They are expecting to enter a meet tonight at Wellington. The three named above plus Grant Cooper and some lighter weight boys were planning to make the trip to Wellington.

Christmas Accident Victim Reaches Home

W. A. Lovell of this city returned his wife home last Thursday afternoon from Roswell, N. M., where she had been a patient for 23 days suffering from injuries received Dec. 18 in an automobile accident near Enochs, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovell were enroute to California to spend Christmas with their children when the accident occurred. Mr. Lovell told a Hesperian reporter the accident happened around 7:30 a. m. when they failed to see a highway "dip" sign and hit the dip at too high speed causing them to come to a dead stop.

Mrs. Lovell received two broken vertebrae in her back and other complications. She was taken to St. Mary's Hospital in Roswell, N. M., for treatment.

The Lovell's children, Mrs. Dick Fitch and daughter, Mrs. Frances Wallace and daughter, Mrs. Gerald Nixon and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovell and family, all of California, spent Christmas in Roswell with their mother and father.

Mrs. Lovell is reported to have made the trip home alright but will be in bed for an indefinite period.

NEWSMEN WILL HEAR PRICE DANIEL TALK SATURDAY

Gov. Price Daniel will deliver his first public address, following his inauguration, at the 10th Annual Mid-Winter Meeting of the Texas Press Association on Jan. 19, in Austin.

His talk will be heard by Texas editors and publishers at a luncheon in the TPA at the Commodore Perry Hotel.

Governor Daniel will head a list of outstanding public officials nationally known newspapermen, and prominent persons who will address the convention.

MRS. SANDERS SUCCEEDS MALONE AT BRADFORD'S

C. H. Bradford announced this week that Mrs. Bill Sanders has recently accepted a position with Bradford Jewelry in the watch repair department.

Mrs. Sanders was recently employed at Thomas Jewelry in Lubbock before moving to Floydada with her family last September.

Kenneth Malone, who was employed at Bradford's, moved to Lockney recently and opened a watch repair shop at Byrd's Drug.

AT QUITAQUE AND TURKEY

Mr. and Mrs. John Pope, of Hale Center, moved to Quitaque last week and are the new publishers of the Quitaque Post.

Pope has been associated with Hale Center and Abernathy newspapers for some time. Mrs. W. J. Scott, of Plainview, former publisher of the Quitaque newspaper, commends the new couple to the Quitaque and Turkey people, and expressed confidence they would greatly improve the news service and readability of the publication.



March Fund Raising Called Ewald Quebe

The new governor of Texas, inaugurated Tuesday at his 14-minute inaugural ceremony because of the cold weather outside.

Ewald Quebe, chairman of the 1957-58 Texas State Fair, has announced that the 14-minute inaugural ceremony will be held at 7:30 p. m. tonight, Jan. 17, for Floyd County's part in the agricultural revenue conducted at the High Plains Foundation at Halfway.

Mr. Quebe will be chairman of the advisory committee. County: Joe Foster, Lockney; J. and B. A. Roby, Floydada.

B. F. Jarvis Claimed At 80

Funeral services for B. F. Jarvis, 80, pioneer power farming equipment dealer of Plainview is tentatively set for 10 o'clock this morning at the First Presbyterian Church in Plainview.

Death came to the retired business man and farmer Tuesday morning around 7:30 o'clock. Jarvis was in the kitchen at his Plainview home preparing a pot of coffee when stricken with a heart attack which brought almost instant death.

B. F. Jarvis was in business in Plainview for a third of a century. He came to the plains for International Harvester Co. by whom he had been employed for many years in the experimental engineering department.

He liked the Plains and decided to settle here in 1918.

In recent years Mr. Jarvis gradually eased out of active duty with Jarvis-Tull & Co. and about six months ago was succeeded as president by his son, Harold Jarvis, himself a resident of Plainview.

B. F. Jarvis came from English stock, his parents settling in Minnesota as homesteaders in the early

seventies. He was born at Fisher, Minn., Oct. 2, 1876.

Two children were born to him and his first wife. They are Harold Jarvis and Mrs. Anita Larson, both of Plainview. There are two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

He married Miss Sarah Ross, pioneer plains nurse, April 17, 1923, in Plainview. They have since been active in community life until their retirement.

Mr. Jarvis is an uncle of Mrs. Geo. V. Smith of Floydada and Mrs. A. P. Barker of Lockney.

Those who plan to attend the final rites from Floydada are Dr. and Mrs. Geo. V. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ginn and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Fry and Mrs. E. J. Morehead.

Chest Drive Hung On Holiday Snag

The Floyd County United Chest fund drive has been dragging somewhat following the holidays with still about one-third of the goal to be collected.

Rural areas seemed to have taken care of their part of the drive for the most part, but there was still much to be done in Lockney, and in parts of Floydada. Aiken also has not reported results of their community drive.

CHECK at the banks showed Floydada and the south half of the county with funds totaling \$5,071.57 and Lockney and the north half with \$1,806.50. This brings the county's total to \$6,878.07 and with a goal of \$11,000.00 leaves a balance of some \$4,121.93 still to go.

Workers have reported some difficulty in getting going again following the holidays and with business pertaining to the start of the new year.

Drive chairmen and officers of the chest are urging all workers to wind up the job quickly. Persons not contacted should send funds to one of the county's banks earmarked for the chest.

FAILURE to reach the goal might result in the participating agencies going back to their individual drives and would add much work for the volunteers who conduct these drives.

Roaring Springs Oil Test Starts

No reports are locally available on the progress at the Plomot oil test, the Alimon oil test, nor the Swisher County test, north and west of Plainview.

The hole in southwest Crosby County on the John Wheeler land was being tested the first of the week in a Glorietta formation at 4,803 feet. It is 19 miles south of Rails.

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company's No. 1 Fred E. Brandon, 5 1/2 miles east of Roaring Springs was being rigged up to drill. It is projected to 8,000 feet. The official location is 960 feet from the south and east lines of Section 7, Block O-4, WT Survey, Motley County.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank everyone for the many nice cards, visits, food and other kind deeds expressed during my recent illness.

Mrs. Omer Parrish, Mrs. Parrish fell at her home, south of Floydada on Nov. 27 and received a broken ankle.

Mrs. Ray Cook was returned home Sunday evening by her husband from John Sealy Hospital in Galveston. Mrs. Cook was at John Sealy about one month receiving medical treatment and is reported by her family to be improving.

Treason is the only crime defined in the Constitution of the United States.

At a traffic intersection, the U. S. Mail Truck has the right of way over all other vehicles, at all times.



FIRST BLUE CRUTCH SOLD—Governor Allan Shivers became the first Texas purchaser of a March of Dimes Blue Crutch in Austin this week. Making the sale was Major General K. L. Berry, Adjutant General of the State of Texas and 1956-57 March of Dimes Campaign Chairman, above left fastening the Blue Crutch to Governor Shivers' tie clasp. Blue Crutches will go on sale all over Texas on Saturday, January 5. January has been officially proclaimed March of Dimes Month in Texas by Governor Shivers.

SPEAKERS DILEMMA

It is well to bear in mind, in making a public speech, that what may be enjoyed by one audience may not be appropriate to another. A story is told regarding a former governor of one of our states, who had been invited to address the inmates of a penitentiary.

He began his speech with the customary remark, "Fellow Citizens." A few of the audience sensed the absurdity, and there was a laugh here and there. The speaker stopped short, and began again. "Fellow Convicts," he said. This produced a roar of laughter, for the joke was at his expense. Again he paused. "Well, I don't know what to call you," he explained, "but, anyway, I'm glad to see so many of you here."

The speech was a grand success.

POINT OF VIEW

A tourist was enjoying the wonders of California. As they passed through a grove of citrus trees, the tourist remarked: "What beautiful grapefruit!"

A native jokerster replied, "Oh, those lemons are a bit small, owing to a comparatively bad season."

"And what are those enormous blossoms?" asked the tourist.

"Just a patch of buttercups," said the Californian.

The tourist said no more until they reached the Sacramento River. "Ah," he exclaimed, grasping the idea, "somebody's radiator is leaking!"

SOUNDS IN THE NIGHT

A lady appeared before a judge and complained angrily against the people next door.

"What's the trouble?" asked the judge.

"Every night this week they have been pounding on the wall and yelling at me until two o'clock in the morning!"

"Dear, dear!" exclaimed the judge. "And does the noise keep you awake?"

"No," explained the lady, "but I can't enjoy my piano playing with all that noise going on."

LOGIC

The timid little man rose to leave. "Do you have to go home early—as usual?" exclaimed an irritated associate; "what are you—a man or a mouse?"

"A man, of course," replied the little man with dignity.

"What makes you so sure?" asked the antagonist.

"Because," explained the little man meekly, "my wife is afraid of a mouse."

TAKES THE CAKE

The church was jammed for the wedding and after the ceremony there was a rush to kiss the bride. Finally she looked at one man and said:

"I don't know you. Why are you kissing me?"

"I dunno, lady," he answered. "When I joined the line outside I thought it was for hamburger."

THE POSTMAN COMETH

The postman plods his dauntless way through rain and snow and hail; there's nothing in this whole wide world can stop the U. S. mail. But all this robust energy we view without a thrill, when he plows through piles and piles of snow and hands us just a bill.—The Ashlar.

"The basic natural wealth is the soil. Man is the final crop of any soil. He comes from the soil and returns to it at death. He lives on the soil or returns to it frequently. He is sustained by the soil. Therefore as the soil is so is the man. The wise use of our resources mean nothing except as they are used in relation to human welfare and the progress of society."—"Better Land for Better Living"

"Soil erosion in the United States is at least as old as the nation. Washington, Jefferson and other early leaders recognized the danger. Patrick Henry said: 'He is the greatest patriot, who stops the most gullies.'—Southwestern Crop And Stock

A dead person may vote, legally, if he mails an absentee ballot and then dies before election day.

Training Important In Selection of Good Fishing Equipment

This is the time of year when most major items of fishing tackle are bought. There's plenty of time to consider what to get, and to wait, if necessary, while your dealer orders it for you.

Buying just before a fishing trip, says Jason Lucas, angling editor of Sports Afield magazine, is pretty sure to result in getting ill-considered things that won't be used.

Since preferences in tackle are highly individualized, it would be wise to discuss what tackle to get to suit the type of fishing you'll do, and that will be most suitable for you.

Spinning tackle is perhaps the easiest to select without much knowledge of fishing, and about 20 minutes of practice will have anyone using it well enough to get by. Too, the slipping clutch prevents a beginner from breaking his line when he hooks a large fish. The present popularity of spinning, in fact, can be attributed to its simplicity.

The chief weakness of spinning tackle is that the light line can't hold larger fish from running into dense weeds, snags, brush or such, to tangle up. Wet flies, used chiefly for trout and sunfish, can be cast with spinning gear, by using either a "bubble" or a "spinning fly line." Both of these are rather makeshift devices, for spinning tackle is designed to cast lures. As to the recommended line, six-pound monofilament seems to be the most popular.

Fishing with fly tackle requires some good coaching beforehand. Once this has been accomplished, your fly set, Jason suggests a moderately powerful trout dry-fly rod between 7 1/2 and 8 feet, weighing between 3 1/2 and 4 ounces, for small trout, bluegills, bass, tarpon or steelhead.

An HCH dry-fly line of the modern, light, long-floating type is the best to use on fly tackle, for either dry or wet flies, but not for bass bugs. A C-level line, inexpensive, of the same long-floating type, will do for wet flies and bugs.

With casting tackle, you don't need the careful coaching that you do with fly tackle, although it does call for more practice than spinning tackle.

A light casting rod of six feet or even slightly longer is best for the beginner. A rod of split bamboo or hollow glass has the nicest feel and action, but one of solid glass certainly casts well enough for practical purposes and is less likely to be broken by the inexperienced angler. A 12-pound line services well for most purposes.

Chaplain Of Alaska Guard Spins Tales Of Whale Hunting

FORT RICHARDSON, Alaska—Possibly the only whale-hunting chaplain in U. S. military annals went through training here recently with the First Scout Platoon, Alaska National Guard.

Captain Percy Ipalook, former Presbyterian missionary who now works for the Bureau of Indian Affairs Native School in Kotzebue, can vividly recall whale hunts over the past four decades. Kotzebue is 180 miles north of Point Barrow, one of the principal whaling ports in Alaska and the chaplain's birthplace some 50-odd years ago.

"In late April, May and early June crews of from eight to ten men harness up their dog sled teams and head for the ice flow fields five or six miles from shore," Ipalook explains.

"Out in the flow fields the waterways separate the ice flows and it is here where the whale can best be killed from skin boats called 'oom-jaks.' The headman has to maneuver the boat to a position parallel with the whale. Then the harpoon goes into action, assisted by a time bomb attachment."

Sixteen black whales were killed in this perilous fashion last year in the four Alaskan ports of Point Barrow, Wainwright, Wales and St. Lawrence.

"That's enough to supply the natives of these villages with meat for almost a year," says the padre, who has served in both the Territorial House of Representatives and Senate and is a graduate of Dubuque (Iowa) University.

Ninety-six per cent of Army Reservists polled in a recent survey said military service had increased or maintained their faith in God.

Louisiana is the only state whose laws are not based on English common law.

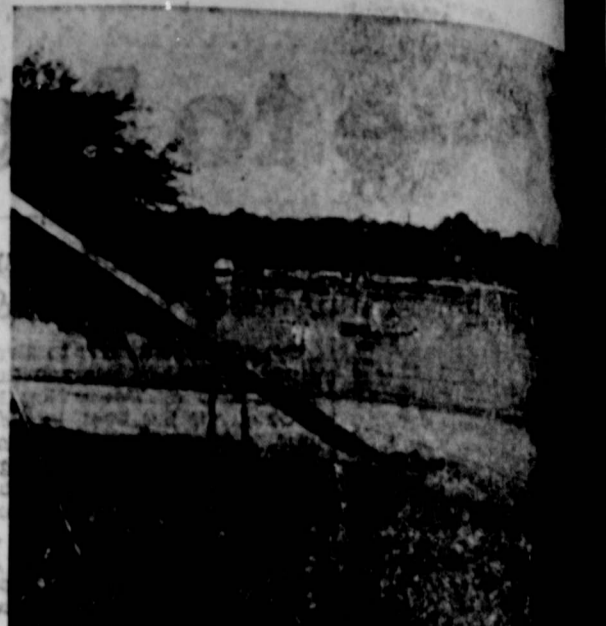
Generals Lee and Grant fought on the same side in the Mexican war.

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LAKE CORPUS CHRISTI STATE PARK on U. S. 90 near Mathis has a fine sandy swimming beach and motor boats by a barrier. There is a playground between the beach and the bath houses.



East Texas tall trees growing right down to the lake at Dingfield State Park one of Texas beauty spots, here inviting shade for picnics, large or small.



CONTACT!—A 12-foot RCAT (Radio Controlled Artillery Target) gets its engine started preparatory to taking off as a "play pigeon" for the Army's antiaircraft artillerymen at range near Grafenwohr, Germany. It can simulate all the action of an airplane by radio direction from the ground.



EYES OF THE ARMY—As part of the Aerial Observation course at Fort Lewis, Wash., Second Lieutenant Harold E. sea (left) of Whitinsville, Mass., and First Lieutenant E. of Horton, Ky., check the map before taking off on a reconnaissance flight in an Army L-19 light aircraft.

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Society

Virgle Shaw Hosts For Club Meeting

Virgle Shaw was hostess of the Study Club Tuesday evening at her home, 715 West Mississippi. Mrs. Tom Snead, president, presided over the meeting. Plans for the club's annual style show were discussed. Roll call was answered with "How I Feel About Segregation." Mrs. Gene T. Arwine and Mrs. Kelly Hagood gave the program for the evening on "Christian Faiths." Mrs. Arwine spoke on the Methodist Faith and Mrs. Hagood spoke on the Episcopalian Faith. Coffee and cake were served to Mesdames Geo. Allen, Gene T. Arwine, Howard G. Bishop, Gene Collins, Johnny Collins, Bob Copeland, Lon Davis Jr., Lane Decker, Earl Edwards Jr., Dale Goen, Kelly Hagood, Bill Hale, Watson James, David Kirk, Doyle Moore, John C. Moss, Jimmy Price, Gene Probasco, Tom Snead, Jimmy Tye, Claud Weatherbee, Ed Wester, Charles Craig, one guest, Mrs. Travis Jones and the hostess, Mrs. Simpson. The next meeting will be Feb. 5 with Mrs. Jill Kirk and Mrs. Sue Moore as hostesses.

Christian Faiths Fifty Club Topic

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PEOPLES HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients in Peoples Hospital reported in good condition are Mrs. M. B. Holmes, V. C. Hagood, Mrs. J. M. Daniel, Wayne Appling, N. A. Armstrong, T. M. Noland, Master Bennie Edmonds, H. A. Krause, Mrs. W. T. Branson, Mac Ward and Richard Loughmiller.



PALO DURO CANYON was famous for its massive rock formation at its edge long before the canyon became a 15,000-acre state park. It is known as "The Lighthouse," so named by the Spanish Explorer Francisco de Coronado. It is one of many strange formations. Entrance to the park is at the end of Texas Highway 217 which originates at Canyon, Texas.

No Salary Change Made This Session

No change is being made in the salary schedules for Floyd County officials and employees at this time. Judge O. P. Rutledge said Wednesday morning that the court wanted to give more study to the situation. He said he in particular did not want to make a decision if it became his duty to unite a vote on salary increases until he had had time to study the matter further. "I want to let the matter soak a little," he said. Salary increases, if made, would come out of a "salary fund" which is not based on direct taxes. There is a surplus in this fund. However, there is nothing to keep the court from taking this surplus and applying it on current interest-bearing debt. The question is which to do: Give overdue salary raises to officials and employees; or take the money and reduce the county debt.

WEATHER REPORT

High temperature in Floydada for the week was recorded on Sunday with a reading of 75. Low temperature Tuesday morning was 18 degrees. Yesterday's reading at 1:20 p. m. was 18 degrees dropping two degrees within five minutes, being 20 at 1:15 p. m. Low for the day and the winter season today was 10 degrees. Wednesday morning a flurry of snow fell from light clouds borne on a northeast wind.

FARM BUREAU SCHOOL

L. B. Brandes, Robert Lee Smith, David Battey, Tate Jones, W. R. Puckett, and probably other officials and committeemen of the Floyd County Farm Bureau spent Wednesday at a one-day conference or institute of the Bureau. The gathering was held in Lubbock Hotel.

MILADIES CLUB MEETING

Miladies Club met in the home of Mrs. E. L. Judy on Thursday afternoon, Jan. 10 for their regular club meeting and also a Stanley party. Our Stanley demonstrator, Esther Freeman, furnished the recreation. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be Thursday, Feb. 14, in the home of Mrs. H. F. Pratt.

Larry Glassmoyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ott Glassmoyer, arrived home last Monday from Ft. Eustis, Va., after receiving his discharge from the United States Army.

Silver and gold coins have a rough edge because if they were smooth it would be easy to file off some of the valuable metal without changing the coin's appearance.

Forty-eight guns, one for each state, constitutes a national salute.

The extended right arm of the Statue of Liberty is forty-two feet long.

Sir Francis Drake was the first Englishman to sail around the world.

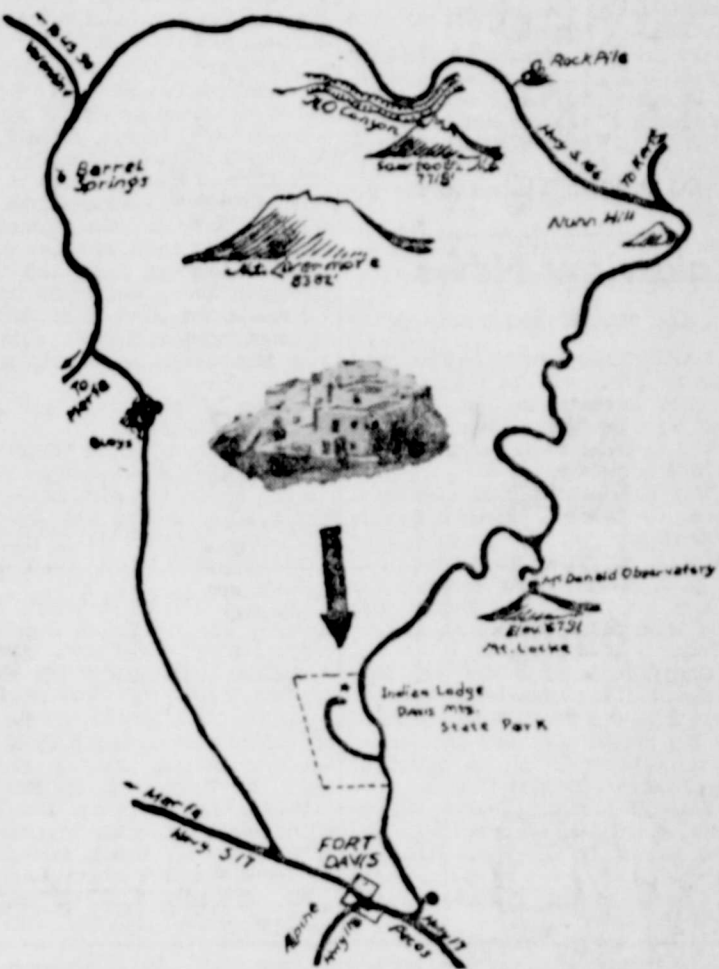


TO ALLOW THE US BLACER, THE NAVY'S WEST ICEBREAKER TO GET THROUGH ON LONG RANGE COMMUNICATIONS FROM REMOTE POLAR AREAS, A 100-FT. RADIO ANTENNA SUPPORTED BY BALLOONS IS USED.

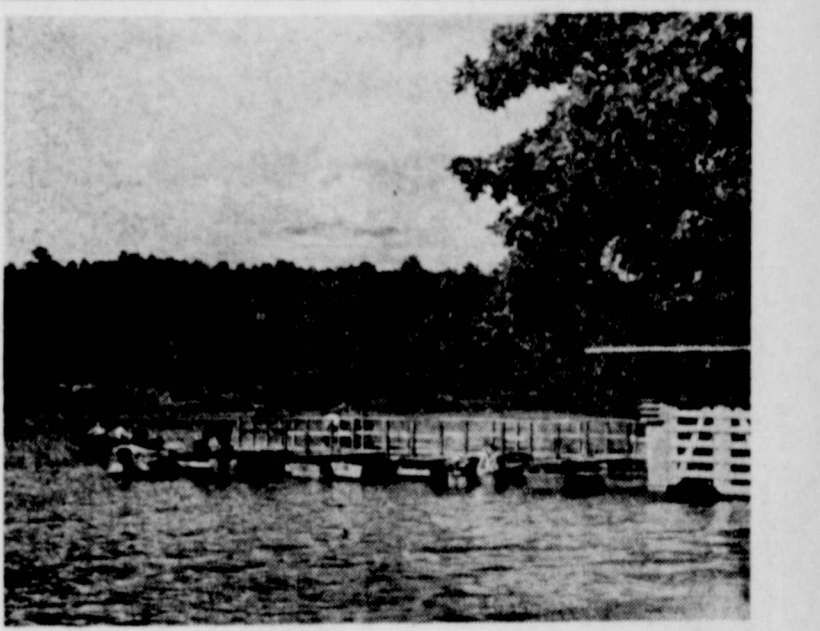
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The Texas Longhorn, a cross between Spanish aristocracy and American mongrel milking stock, was never recognized as a definite breed?



INDIAN LODGE on the Scenic Loop in Davis Mountains State Park is in the heart of a sky-brushing part of Texas where the peaks and colorful canyons are reached by mile-high paved roads.



Attractive natural scenery like that around boat docks at Tyler State Park has been preserved in skilled placing of the park facilities. Unusual are the park's 18-hole miniature golf course and a terrace dance floor to supplement the fishing, boating and swimming.

Texan Donates Savings Bonds Flags to Nation



WASHINGTON, D. C. — E. B. Germany (right) of Dallas was so pleased by the new flag of the Treasury's Savings Bonds Division when it was unfurled at the 15th anniversary bond conference here that he pledged enough to provide one or two for each state. Admiring the division's first flag are Jesse L. Adams, Jr. (left) of Dallas, Texas state director, and John R. Buckley, national director.

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Coffee Courtesy Honors Faculty

The Andrews Ward Parent-Teacher Association and the Junior High Parent Student Association co-sponsored a coffee break last Friday afternoon for the teachers of Andrews Ward and teachers of the new Junior High School. Coffee and pie were served in the cafeteria by various members of the associations. Parents substituted for the teachers in the various classrooms during the coffee-break.

Center News

CENTER, Jan. 15 — We are in the grip of a real cold spell, tho' not near so cold as it has been, and is, in the northern states. Temperature today was 19 degrees to 33 above. Would have been more disagreeable had it been accompanied by wind and snow. Incidentally, we'd welcome a big snow, wouldn't we? Sunday dinner guests of the Leo Frizzells were the preacher's family, Bro. and Mrs. Ken Coffee and baby Reba. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Warrens Sunday dinner guests were his mother, Mrs. R. E. Warren and Dorsey and Martha Kay Warren of Floydada, and Mr. Warren's sister, Mrs. Oma McBee of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Green were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Latta of Mt. Blanco. They went after attending church. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Victor Green and Jimmy of Plainview, Mrs. K. J. Matthews of Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Will Latta, Mt. Blanco. Visiting the T. R. Noland last Thursday were Mrs. J. O. Warren of Floydada and Mrs. Paul Williams of Plainview. Mrs. Noland visited Friday with Mrs. Alton Noland. Mr. and Mrs. James David Welborn spent Tuesday night in his parents home, the J. D. Welborns. Among those in our community, with colds, etc., are Mrs. Frank Dunn, Mrs. R. C. Ross, Mrs. C. W. Denison and Mrs. Welborn. Donna Welborn spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Arney and Stevie. Jo Anne Welborn spent the weekend with Wayne Mankins. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Welborn visited Mr. and Mrs. Welborn Miller Saturday evening. The Center congregation enjoyed going to Fairview Sunday evening for the last service of their weekend revival. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Huckabee and Sandra spent the weekend in Yukon visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Smith, formerly of Plainview. Mr. Smith recently had a major operation and has been very sick. Elaine Warren spent Monday night with Sandra Huckabee. Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Noland were supper guests of the Earl Huckabee's Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Denison spent last Tuesday night with their son, Gilmer and family of Lubbock; and spent Thursday night with another son and family, the C. W. Jr.'s of Brownfield. Letters from the Clyde Greens in

Sitka, Alaska, say that though their shortest day was only 6 hours long, and they have had some sub-zero weather - 12 or 15 degrees below zero - they are having an unusually mild winter. Some days temperature is 35 or 40 degrees above. That is good news to home folks at Center, of course. Come to church Sunday. Another Wayland student will speak though the pastor and family will also be present.

ATTEND RITES FOR KINSMAN HELD SUNDAY AT HOBBS

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Odum and daughter, Mary Ann, attended the funeral service at Hobbs, N. M., Sunday for Virgie L. Hodge, age 50, at the Griffin Funeral Home. Hodge died Friday after a 23-foot fall from a cooling tower being constructed at the Southwestern Public Service Co.'s Cunningham plant 12 miles west of Hobbs. Survivors include his wife; one son, Virgie Jr.; two sisters and four brothers. He is a nephew of Mrs. J. H. Poore and of Mrs. C. E. Bartlett of this city, and a cousin of Mrs. J. C. Odum.

VEGETABLE FORECAST

USDA is reporting the South Texas vegetable crop at 38 per cent less than last year. Mrs. D. G. Hatley spent last week in Ft. Worth visiting her mother and sister.



TANK DESTROYER—Private David E. Gillam of Philadelphia taps the helmet of Private James R. Daly of Pittsburgh as a "ready and safe to fire" signal during training exercises of the Third Armored Division in Germany. The 3.5 rocket launcher proved its worth as a defensive weapon against Russian-built tanks in Korea.

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- Starkey—Mrs. Bill Ferguson
- Campbell—Mrs. Billy Hinkle
- Pleasant Hill—Mrs. Otis Anderson
- Floydada—Bud (S. E.) Sparks, John Reue, Jim Word, Rush Wheeler, Troy Cranford, Fred Martin, George Bickly, Ed Wester, Billy Henry, Jimmy Willson, Frank P. Sharman.
- Mothers March on Polio in Floydada—Mrs. Bob Collier.
- Workers in these Communities are yet to be named: Baker, Cedar Hill, McCoy, Harmony, Center, Liberty

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Amend Bracero Housing Rules

LUBBOCK, Jan. 15 — More specific minimum standards for housing Mexican National Workers, effective immediately, have been issued by the U. S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Employment Security under the authority provided by Public Law 78 and the Migrant Labor Agreement of 1951, as amended.

Charles E. Johnson, Field Representative for the Bureau here, received a copy of the amended standards yesterday.

"Employers who do not meet these amended standards will get no more braceros," he said, "and those who now employ braceros must meet the revised standards within a reasonable time or lose their braceros."

The amended minimum housing standards include some 50 items dealing with six aspects of bracero housing including living and sleeping quarters, cooking and eating facilities, sanitary facilities, lighting, laundry, and general standards.

Regional Director Ed McDonald of the Bureau of Employment Security in Dallas is mailing a copy of the amended standards to all approved employers and associations of employers of Mexican National workers. They are advised that they are responsible for seeing that the housing standards are met by all user-members to whom Mexican workers are assigned.

On-the-spot housing inspections by Field Representatives of the U. S. Department of Labor will be made to determine whether employers may keep the Mexican workers they now have, or be eligible for the contracting of Mexican workers in the future.

Lakeview News
(By Mrs. Warner Johnson)

LAKEVIEW, Jan. 15 — The community party will be Friday night at 7:00 at the schoolhouse. There will be a program. Each family is asked to bring a cake or a pie. Everyone is invited.

The Lakeview Baptist Church is giving a farewell party honoring Bob Hambricht. The party will be Saturday night, Jan. 19 at the church at 6:30. Bring cookies and a drink. All of his friends are invited. Bob will leave Monday, Jan. 21, for the Army.

Congratulations to Bro. and Mrs. Norman Blake who were married Jan. 3 at the First Baptist Church in Big Spring. She was the former Beverly Edwards. He is pastor of the Lakeview Baptist Church.

Cecil B. Jones, of Dove Creek, Colo., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Estep and Bill, and his dad, J. F. Jones of Floydada. J. F. Jones visited Saturday night with the Esteps.

Bro. and Mrs. Norman Blake and John Starnes of Plainview and Mrs. T. P. Anderson from Floydada were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fawver. Mr. and Mrs. Burt Daniels and family visited with them in the afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Fawver received a message that her friend, Mrs. Hayden Pierce, of Abernathy, passed away in a Lubbock hospital Monday morning at 10:00 o'clock. The burial was Tuesday at Abernathy.

Mrs. L. D. Goughly and Mrs. Warner Johnson visited Mrs. Roy Fawver Monday afternoon.

Betty Sue Harrison spent Sunday with Judy Newberry.

Mary Newberry spent Sunday with Winola Neff.

Novis Johnson spent Sunday and Sunday night with Lynda Thurston. She helped Lynda celebrate her 13th birthday.

Carolyn Hartsell spent Sunday with Anella Thurston.

Anella Thurston, 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thurston, was named "Citizen of the month" for the month of December at Floydada High by the Student Council. Anella will receive a certificate of merit. She will compete with other pupils holding the title of the "student of the year." Congratulations, Anella, we are really proud of you!

Bro. and Mrs. Norman Blake visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Estep and Bill.

Mrs. Warner Johnson, Lourie and Novis went to Lubbock Saturday. They visited with Mrs. Nettie Brazz.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bradshaw and Virginia from Lorenzo visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Warner Johnson and children.

Mrs. Warner Johnson entertained Wednesday afternoon with a Stanley party. Mrs. Pauline Wright was the demonstrator. Others present were Mrs. R. L. Johnson, Mrs. Fay Hart, Mrs. Clifford Helms, Mrs. B. P. Neff, Mrs. Curtis Williams, Curtis and Jeanne, Mrs. Weidner, Hammonds, Ann and Gay Lynn, Mrs. Lewis Pyle, Robert Lewis and Janie and Charlotte, Joe Wayne and Paula Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hamilton from Lubbock visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hamilton and boys.

Verlon Wright was a patient in Pitts Hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Verlon Wright and children were Sunday night supper visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Williams after Verlon was dismissed from the hospital. Mrs. Williams' aunt and uncle from Tulsa visited Sunday too.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wright spent Monday with the Verlon Wrights.

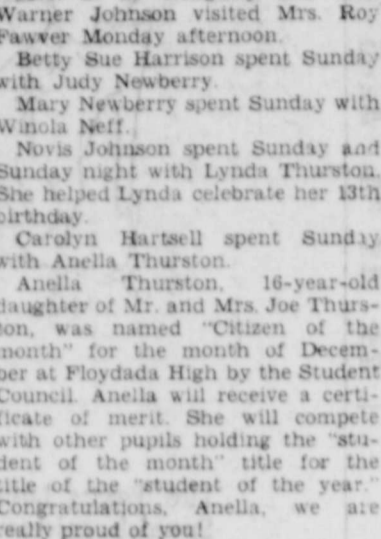
Mrs. Bird Oats from Lubbock spent the weekend with her daughter and family, the Fluke Smiths.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harrison are the proud parents of a baby daughter born Sunday, Jan. 13, at Lubbock. Her name is Sherry Kim.

Walter Spurlin from Oklahoma spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Peck. Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Goughly visited the Pecks Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Nichols and children visited Sunday with her

POLIO: UNFINISHED BUSINESS



By mid-October, 1956, fewer than half of the 97,000,000 Americans who should be protected against polio by the Salk vaccine had started the prescribed course of three inoculations. The vulnerable age group is from six months to 35 years. You can help bring about the final victory over this crippling disease by getting vaccinated and by giving to the March of Dimes to help those for whom the vaccine is too late.

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oden in Floydada.

James Williams visited Saturday with Ronnie Stroud.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Pittcock from Aspermont visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Q. D. Williams and family. Judy Jamison spent the day with Nancy Williams.

Mrs. Roy Fawver received word Tuesday morning of the death of her brother-in-law, George Vidler at Cleburne. He passed away Tuesday morning at 6 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edwards visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fawver Monday night.

Don Harrison entered the hospital at Lubbock Monday for treatment on his leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones and Jean visited Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jones in Floydada Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones visited at Roaring Springs Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King.

Mahon Reports On Aspects of Farm Supports

In an open letter to ASC committee members, county agents, farmers, and Congressmen George Mahon of the 19th district gives a briefing on some aspects of the agricultural support outlook for this year that will be of general interest. Says Mr. Mahon:

No important decisions have been made in Washington on the farm front since the new Congress convened on Jan. 3. I listened to Secretary Benson testify before the House Committee on Agriculture in regard to the status of the soil bank program. Nothing unusual developed.

Mr. Benson did say that he would soon recommend a change in the program for corn and that he felt it was impractical to disregard other feed grains in working out a program for corn. This may prove significant in connection with the grain sorghum program for 1957.

In 1956 we tried to tie grain sorghum to corn in the farm bill, but Secretary Benson then opposed the proposal and it was defeated.

Under the present law, the Secretary in 1957 can decline to provide a support price program for grain sorghum or he can support it at any level between zero and 90 per cent. In 1956 the law required that it be supported at 76 per cent of parity.

I think there will be a support program on grain sorghum this year, but I doubt that it will be announced prior to a decision on what is to be done about corn. The new legislation will, no doubt, affect both crops. The House Committee on Agriculture will soon conduct hearings on new proposals as to corn, and grain sorghum will be a very definite part of this picture.

Representatives of the Plains Cotton Growers Association have been in town for several days. (The group had been empowered to represent all farm groups in the area on certain projects.) I have joined them in various conferences with Agriculture officials in regard to cotton classing improvement programs in West Texas, a special loan on light spot cotton, etc.

Members of the group are George Pfeifferberger, Lubbock, Executive Vice President; John I. Boling, Hale Center; Curtis Boyd, Lubbock; and Kenneth Purcell, Brownfield.

On yesterday I joined Congressman Poage, Vice-Chairman of the House Agriculture Committee, and a number of other Representatives and Senators in introducing a bill for some relief for the drought-stricken Southwest. The plan would provide payments for deferred grazing on range land, feed assistance, etc. We are hopeful that we will receive early and strong support for the proposal.

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110th District Court

Cases filed:

G. E. Patterson vs. A. M. Hanks, suit for foreclosure of chattel mortgage lien;

Jord Hollingsworth vs. Continental Casualty Co., suit for damages;

Pauline S. Clark and others vs. Bailey Henderson, suit for possession of land.

In Probate Court

Estate of Robt. A. Garrett, application filed for probate of will;

Estate of Nell Krause, application filed for probate of will;

Estate of Ralph J. Thayer, application filed for probate of will;

Estate of Mary A. Willis, application filed for probate of will.

In County Court

State vs. James Leadon, plea of guilty entered to charge of aggravated assault. Bond set at \$500.

State vs. Omar J. Handley, plea of guilty entered to DWI charge. Fine of \$50 and costs assessed.

Warranty Deeds

R. N. Payne et al to J. C. Payne et al, the west one-half of Section No. 126, Block D-2, Floyd County, Texas. \$120.75 revenue stamps.

Claude Tatum to Joe E. Webb et al, a 213 1/3 acre tract of land, situated about six and one-half miles southwest from the town of Lockney. \$41.70 revenue stamps.

Marriage Record

James Gail Wilson and Carolyn Faye Jones, Jan. 7.

Cleora Wylie and Betty June Jackson, Jan. 10.

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Workers are still to be named for Baker, Cedar Hill, McCoy, Harmony, Center and Liberty.

SOPHOMORES AT FHS PLAN PARTY SATURDAY NIGHT

The sophomore class of Floydada High School had a class meeting Tuesday with Johnny Fred Brown, president, presiding.

The sophomore class is looking forward to a senior trip and a report was made that \$34 has been turned

RARE CAUSES OF DEATH

The stings of wasps and ants killed as many Texans last year as did rattlesnake bites, a summary of deaths from rare causes shows.

Two persons fell victim to wasp stings, two died of ant stings, and two succumbed after being bitten by rattlesnakes. A scorpion sting proved fatal to one person.

Other rare causes of death during 1955 in Texas were: coccioidomy-

cosis; erysipelas; actinomycosis; histoplasmosis; and rabies.

The deaths from toxemia caused by a variety of insects were the most frequent, with no effect on the total number of deaths at the rate of one in 100,000.

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DR SALE — Pilets and fryers 10 weeks old. White Rocks \$1.00 each. 8411 Bishop, East Virginia, Floydada. 52 2tp.

DR SALE — Plenty of fresh eggs. Price 45c per dozen. Call Mrs. Dave Willis at YU 3-2875 or come by 510 West Grover. 52 4tp.

DR SALE — Several hundred bushels clean oats. One dollar per bushel. Milton Evans, Rt. 4, Floydada, Phone YU 3-3830. 52 2tp.

DR SALE — Used kitchen gas range, cheap. 820 W. Miss. Ph. YU 3-3289. 52 2tp.

DR SALE — Wes-Tex barley seed, winter variety, free of bindweed, \$1.50 bu. C. T. Justus, 6 mi. north, 1/2 mi. west of Crosbyton. 51 4tc.

DR SALE — Two 12-ft Husmann meat cases pulled by 3 1/4 hp compressor; one Toledo meat tenderizer machine, cash register, meat scales, one-minute steak machine. Priced to sell, at \$595.00. Write G. E. Gafford, Box 326, Turkey, Tex., or call Day 2151, Night 3491. 51 2tc.

DR SALE — Vacuum cleaner, electric mixer, see A. W. Coltharp, 329 W. Missouri, Phone YU 3-2873. 51 1tc.

DR SALE — Used Philco Refrigerator. Tom Daniel, Daniel Automotive. 50 1tc.

DR SALE — Original share in Floydada Country Club, \$200 plus tax. See Kenneth Rimmer or call YU 3-2177 at night. 46 dh.

DRIVE SHAFTS For Irrigation Wells Any Size See **TYE & SONS** 606 E. Houston, Floydada 47 1tc.

DR SALE — Blue fertilizer distributors for all makes of tractors. Morkel Farm Chemical Co. 11tc.

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WANTED — Complete issues of The Hesperian dated January 10. At The Hesperian office. 52 1tc.

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WANTED — Men and Women of all ages who want to feel better, have more energy and Pen. Try Bishop's High Potency Vitamin and Mineral Formula Capsules. If you do not feel better and are well satisfied by time you have taken a half bottle your money will be cheerfully refunded by Bishop's Pharmacy. 49 1tc.

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FOR SALE — Equity in FHA 3 bedroom house on pavement, carpet and central heating. 820 W. Miss. Ph. YU 3-3289. 52 2tp.

FOR SALE — Three bedroom house built in garage. FHA loan, one year old. 815 West Ross St., Ph. YU 3-2800 or see Ross Alexander. 52 3tp.

FOR SALE — House to be moved. 4 rooms and bath, recently redecorated. Call Wagon Wheel. 46 1tc.

FOR SALE — My equity in house at 738 West Grover, Floydada. Has FHA loan. Howard W. Bishop, 1509 Valley View St., Mesquite, Texas. Ph. AT5-4459. 17 1tc.

MY EQUITY in 2 bedroom house. 729 West Grover Street. Call Kenneth Tate Ph. 2851, Silverton, Texas. 40 1tc.

FOR SALE — My equity in a G. I. Home. See T. M. Whitley at Wylie Butane or phone YU3-2597. 35 1tc.

HOUSE for sale or trade. See Tom Daniel at Daniel Automotive.

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South Plains News

(By Mrs. Murray Julian)

SOUTH PLAINS, Jan. 14 — Fred Marble left for the army base in Aberdeen, Md., on Thursday night after spending the holidays here with relatives. Mrs. Marble who has been staying with her folks in Floydada, accompanied Fred. They were taken to Amarillo to catch the plane to Maryland, by the Marbles.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Givens of Lubbock were all day visitors in the home of Mrs. Given's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Karr, Yvonne and Elton were guests on Sunday after church in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and girls, having dinner with them.

Mrs. Fred Fortenberry was hostess at a stately party in her home on Friday afternoon at 2 Mrs. Merle McGinnis of Plainview showed the merchandise and led the games. Mrs. Fortenberry served refreshments of sandwiches, cakes, coffee and cookies to Mrs. Calvin Poteet, Mrs. Grigsby Milton, Mrs. Andrew Sanders, Mrs. Murray Julian and Mrs. McGinnis after the game time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Dunlap and John spent last Monday, and Monday of this week in Lubbock where they were shopping and attending to some business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Deavenport visited on Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian. They are expecting their son, Stevie, home from Boulder, Colo., on Jan. 21. He has been attending school at Boulder the past semester.

Mrs. L. T. Wood, Mrs. Bill Beedy and Mrs. John Smitherman were hostesses on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 8, when they honored Mrs. Walter Wood with a surprise birthday party in her home. Members of the Ladies Aid of Sunday School Class of which Mrs. Wood has been a faithful teacher for years, gathered with gifts and other tokens of good wishes to surprise Mrs. Wood on her birthday. Refreshments of angel food cake and ice cream were served to fifteen members of her class and a guest from Fairview, Mrs. W. B. Wilson. Several class members were unable to attend. Present for the party were Mrs. J. P. Taylor, Grigsby Milton, Bryant Higginbotham, Loyd Deavenport, H. L. Marble, H. Adams, Bryan Karr, Truman Bradshaw, Roy Biedsoe, Arby Mulder, Raymond Upton, guest, Mrs. W. B. Wilson, hostesses, Mrs. Walter Wood, and hostesses, Mrs. L. T. Wood, Bill Beedy and John Smitherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Snodgrass spent Tuesday in Amarillo attending to some business matters, and doing some shopping while there. Mrs. Snodgrass was confined to her home with influenza all during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian and Bruce spent Saturday in Amarillo where they saw a showing of the Giant, and visited with Mrs. Walter Brown and children. They also visited in Canyon with Terry Julian in school there.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan Jr., entertained in their home on Friday night with a 42 party given in

honor of their neighbors. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hidalgo and boys. Present were the Hidaigos, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Cummings and children, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Johnson, Carlton and Sheri, and the hosts, the Calahans. Mrs. Calahan served refreshments of hot coffee and doughnuts at the close of the evening.

Glen Wood arrived here with his family from Camp Pendleton, Calif., on Monday morning at 5 o'clock with his discharge from the Marines.

Cherry Mullins was host in his home north of South Plains at the fish fry which he gave for members of the Royal Ambassador boys of the church, on Wednesday night at 7 o'clock. His mother and Cherry prepared the fish dinner with all the accompaniments for the group of boys. Including Barry Kinslow, Jimmie and Price Pritchett, Jimmie Upton, J. Ronald Taylor, Larry and Wayne Adams, Nathan Mulder, Eddie Parks and Frank D. Jones.

On Monday, Jan. 14 through Jan. 16, Rev. Larry Faus will go to Fort Worth where he will attend the Evangelistic Conference held at Ft. Worth. He plans to be home on Wednesday night.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Johnson, Carlton and Sheri were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Johnson of Childress, Mrs. Jerry Davis and Ruth Ann and Mrs. Gwyn Hulsey and Judy Beth of Pampa, relatives of L. N.

Training Union on Sunday night at the South Plains Baptist Church was changed to 7 o'clock, beginning Jan. 13. WMU members have also changed their meeting time to the first and third Mondays, beginning at 2:30 p. m. with Jan. 21 the meeting time for Royal Service.

Events scheduled for our area this week as a meeting of the Panhandle Gas Ass'n. at the school house on Tuesday night, Friday a farm sale at the Dalton Thompson farm, and a smaiy night on Friday at the church.

A farewell party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Thompson was held at the parsonage on Tuesday night with Rev. and Mrs. Larry Faus as hosts to members of the Young Married Couples Sunday School Class of which the Thompsons were members. They moved to Henrietta, Tex., on Thursday morning.

Games of 42 were played at several tables during the evening and refreshments of sandwiches, cakes, coffee, potato chips and cookies were served by Mrs. Faus to guests, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Thompson and Pam, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smitherman, Kelly and Bryn, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Johnson, Carlton and Sheri, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pierce, Stanley, Steve and Beverly, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvain Kinnibrugh, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bean, and the Rev. and Mrs. Larry Faus and children. The Thompsons were presented a beautiful picture from the class as a going away gift.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hodges of Silverton were Monday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. West. Over the weekend Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Evans and children

from Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Lee Smith and children of Sterley spent the week end here with their parents. They all attended the funeral service for Ralph Thayer in Floydada on Saturday afternoon.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Biedsoe and Bill on Saturday night at their home in South Plains were Mr. and Mrs. George West and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Thornton. Games of canasta were played during the evening after which Pecan pie, whipped cream and hot coffee were enjoyed by the group.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Kinnibrugh, Marilyn and Beth, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Heims, Bonnie and Judy, went down to Odessa on Saturday morning to spend the week-end with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith and family. They returned here on Sunday night. They reported that it was very warm down there, with the temperature staying high even during the night.

Regular Wednesday family night at the South Plains Baptist Church will be held this Friday night at 7, Jan. 18, with Dr. Freeman from Plainview the guest speaker and entertainer. Each family is asked to bring sandwiches and cookies for his family. Drinks of coffee and cakes, with potato chips will be served by the church.

PTA of South Plains held the January meeting at the school auditorium on Friday afternoon at 3, with Rene Yeary in charge of the program. Several musical numbers were presented by her pupils at the piano, after which Mrs. Biedsoe presided at the business meeting where 12 teachers and parents were present. Sandwiches and pies will be sold at the farm sale of Dalton Thompson on Friday, Jan. 18, with proceeds going to the PTA fund.

February PIA meeting will be held at the school house on Feb. 1 at 3 p. m. with Mrs. Oscar Hewitt's room of 1st and 2nd graders and Mrs. Fay Smith's room of 3rd, 4th and 5th graders giving the program. J. M. Williams' room won the room count at this meeting. Parents remember there is a prize for the room with the most parents present at PTA each time.

Virginia Taylor was confined to her home with illness last week end. Others still bad here are Mrs. Thomas, who lies gravely ill the past weeks, Mrs. P. M. McClure, who is better, but still not able to be out, and Mrs. John Wilson who came home from the hospital on Friday after being taken with a virus on Monday.

Mrs. John Smitherman was hostess on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 8 at 2:30 to Home Demonstrating Club members in their first 1937 meeting. Mrs. Smitherman as new club president took office and called the meeting to order. Mrs. Fortenberry will serve as secretary for the year.

Yearbooks were given out, with committees, hostesses and chairmen named for the year's work.

"Tips to Speed Daily Tasks" is the roll call, brought many hints for labor saving and time saving de-

vice. Midget Menus was the theme of the meeting. Leaflets were given out on How to Use Spices and Methods of Making Snacks, Di Spreads, Sandwiches and Beverages were discussed.

Refreshments of sandwiches, coffee and cake were served to 12 following members, Mrs. Bill Beedy, Sylvain Kinnibrugh, Roy Biedsoe, Larry Faus, Bryant Higginbotham, Loyd Deavenport, Bryan Karr, John Kinslow, Murray Julian, John K. West, Grigsby Milton, J. D. West, I. H. Parks, L. T. Wood, Oscar West, Ernest Smitherman, Fortenberry, S. A. Thornton and Calvin Poteet.

Council will meet on Jan. 19, the court house in Floydada. Next meeting for the club will be Jan. 21 at the home of Mrs. L. T. Wood with Mrs. Walter Wood as co-hostess. Remember to bring a Brae! New recipe that you have tried that you may answer roll call.

'COWBOYS AND INDIANS' PARTY FOR NINE-YEAR OLD

"Cowboys and Indians" was the theme of the birthday party honor of Wesley Phillips, on his 9 birthday, Saturday, Jan. 5, at home.

Refreshments of cake, ice cream and cokes were served and cowboy and Indian comic books were favorites.

Those present for the occasion were Marc King, Michael Parrish, Tex. Morren, Danny Medley, L. Johnston, David Holland, Rex Phillips, the honoree, Wesley at the hostess, Mrs. Orvis Phillips.

WEEK-END GUESTS

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry include their son, Jackie, of Texas Tech College, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Brown Kendrick of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Reest and son, Richard, Amarillo, and Mrs. Ethel Lewis and children of Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick also visit with her mother, Mrs. E. A. Hopkins of this city.

WITCH-WARE

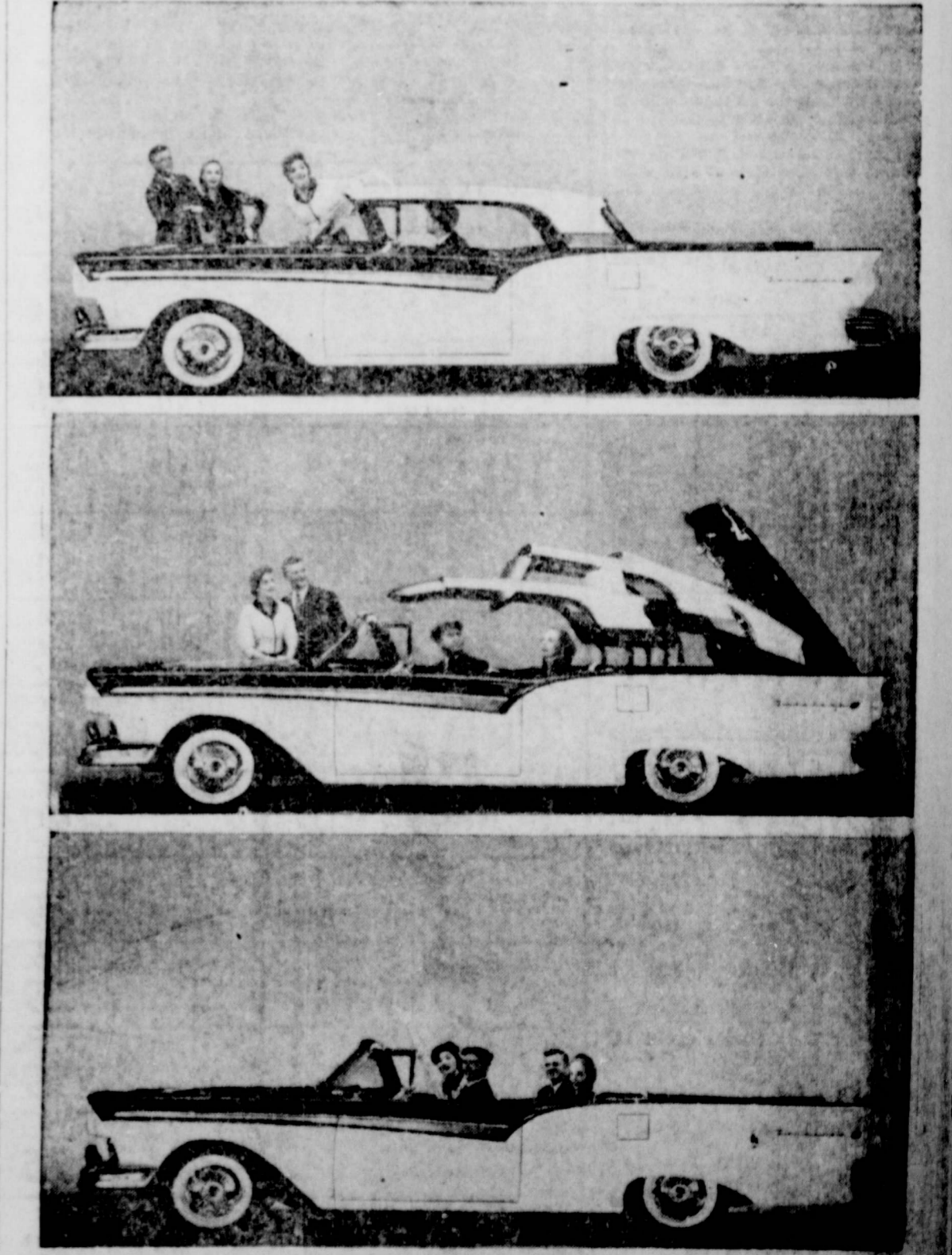
The sour-faced, oddly dressed lady was poking among the broom in the hardware store when a clerk asked if he could help her.

"Nothing here is worth buying, she snapped. "Flimsy, cheap straw poor handle, shoddy material! Seizing the last broom in the stock she shook it under the nose of the bewildered clerk and said angrily "Not like the brooms they used to make! Give the floor one good sweep and it would fall apart! What's a good broom?"

"Well," the clerk said after a thoughtful pause, "you may find that it flies wonderfully."

Edward Everett, famous orator delivered an address two hours long at the Gettysburg dedication.

Henry Wadsworth Longfellow is the only American whose bust is in Westminster Abbey in England.



A 1937 FORD CAR offering the advantages of both the hardtop and the convertible represents the first revolutionary new idea in automotive design since the development of the closed car years ago. To change the hardtop into a convertible, the driver simply presses a button and the steel top automatically slides into the trunk where it is completely concealed. It's equally simple to raise the top. The center picture shows the top in operation. Production of the car, a Ford 800, start in January.

You Bet Your LIFE

WHEN YOU STEP ON THE GAS

Illness Proved Fatal To Thayer Last Thursday

Funeral service for Ralph James Thayer, 38, was conducted Saturday morning at 11 o'clock in the First Methodist Church of this city with Rev. Tilden B. Armstrong, pastor, officiating, assisted by Rev. Phil H. Gates, assistant pastor. Burial was made in Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Harmon Funeral Home.

Mr. Thayer passed Thursday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock at Peoples Hospital following an illness of two months.

Ralph James Thayer was born March 19, 1918, in Carlsbad, N. M. He was married to Miss Alice V. Evans in 1939 in Carlsbad. The couple moved to Floyd County in 1946 from Carlsbad. She preceded him in death in September of 1953.

On Feb. 28, 1954, Mr. Thayer was married to Mrs. Nita Doris Cox Dees in Floydada. At the time of his death the couple resided at 739 West Grover.

A widely known farmer, Thayer was a member of the Methodist Church. He was active until his death in various public activities.

Survivors include his wife, Nita Doris; one son, Fred Ralph; age 12, one daughter, Veda Alice, age 9, and one adopted daughter, Carrie, age 4, all of the home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thayer of Carlsbad, N. M.; and two sisters, Mrs. W. O. Foster and Mrs. Joe Weatherley, both of Carlsbad, N. M.

Funeral services were held at the home of Mrs. Thayer, 739 West Grover, on Saturday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock.

Panhandle Baptists Meet January 28-29

Wayland Baptist College at Plainview will be hosts Jan. 28-29 for the 35th session of the Panhandle Pastors' and Laymen's Conference, which will have three outstanding Southern Baptist personalities: Dr. James L. Sullivan, Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. Harold K. Graves, Berkeley, Calif.; and Dr. Porter M. Bailey, Sr., Tyler, as principal speakers, according to Dr. F. E. Swanner, district missions secretary.

Dr. Earl Allen of Fort Worth is president of the Conference.

For the six sessions, which begin each day at 10 a. m., 2 and 7 p. m., Rev. Joe Wilson, Floydada, Rev. H. T. Harris, Whiteflat, Rev. Joe Long, Spur, and Rev. L. A. Doyle, Portales, N. M., along with several others will appear on the program.

2-AA Basketball

(Continued from Page One)

Post 75 - Abernathy 61;
Slaton 36 - Tahoka 49.
Girls:
Floydada 49 - Lockney 44;
Abernathy 68 - Post 28;
Slaton 64 - Tahoka 29.

Freshman Tournament
Floyd County teams fared well in the first round of play in the Floydada invitation basketball tournament for boys. In the opener Monday night Lockney downed Matador 54 to 30 with Ray Owens chunking in 18 points for the winners and Crenshaw sinking 19 for the Matadors.

In the second game Floydada defeated Rails 36 - 18. Billy Gilliland was high man for Floydada with 12 points while Vaughn scored all 16 of the Rails' points.

Play in the tournament will be resumed this afternoon at 5:30 when Post meets Spur. Following this game will be one at 6:45 between Petersburg and Happy then at 8:00 Floydada and Tulia will meet in a second round match in the winners bracket.

Friday play will begin at 5:30 in the afternoon and continue into the night. Saturday the journey will start at 12:30 noon and wind up that night with the championship contest scheduled to begin at 8:30.

COUNCIL MEETS SATURDAY

The Floyd County Home Demonstration Council will meet Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the council room at the court house.

Mrs. J. T. Spears, reporter, urges all council delegates to be present for the first meeting of the new year.

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Mrs. Mary Husky, One-Time Resident Buried Saturday

Mrs. Mary Husky, 54, died at a Dallas Hospital Jan. 10 at 8 o'clock a. m. and was buried beside her husband in Amarillo Saturday at 4 o'clock p. m.

A former resident of Floyd County, who came here in 1911 with her parents, she was married in 1919 to John Alvin Husky.

To this union was born three children, a son, Fred, and twin daughters, one of which died at birth.

Surviving Mrs. Husky leaves the son, Fred, of Lubbock, a daughter, Mrs. E. V. McDowell of Phoenix, Ariz., four grandchildren, three brothers, Carl Russell, Floydada, Alford Russell, Fort Worth, and Earl Russell, Lubbock; and five sisters, Mrs. Vivia Martin, Oklahoma City, Mrs. Carrie Tedford, Plainview, Mrs. Ada Reeves, Phoenix, Ariz., Mrs. Celia Durrett, Weatherford, and Mrs. May Fair, Springer, N. M.

Attending the last rites from Floydada and Lockney were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Russell, Mrs. Henry Russell and son Mike, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Caldwell and family, and Mrs. Clarence Messemmer and daughter Ronda.

Floydada Native Dies in Ft. Worth

Funeral service for Clarence Snodgrass, 56, of Ft. Worth and half-brother of Glad Snodgrass of this city, will be conducted this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the First Presbyterian Church at Ft. Worth. Burial will be made in Greenwood Cemetery under the direction of Owens-Brunley Funeral Home.

Mr. Snodgrass passed Tuesday at 1:30 a. m. following a heart attack. A native of Floydada, Mr. Snodgrass was making his home at 3257 Sonders Drive in Ft. Worth, at the time of his death.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Mary Lou Snodgrass; two daughters, Mrs. Wise Hollingsworth of Grand Junction, Colo., and Mrs. Dan Toal of Ft. Worth; two sons, Clarence Snodgrass Jr., of Abilene, and Don Snodgrass, serving in the United States Air Force; six grandchildren; his mother, Mrs. C. Snodgrass of Amarillo; two sisters, Mrs. W. A. Savage and Mrs. Kathleen Hill, both of Amarillo; and a brother, G. A. Snodgrass of Wichita Falls.

Floydada Men Attend Baptist Conference

Three Floydada men attended the evangelistic conference of Texas laymen and preachers at Ft. Worth this week. The big Baptist meeting was held in the Will Rogers Coliseum and had up to 15,000 in attendance at the Tuesday night sessions.

Present from Floydada were Parnell Powell, Spec Brian and E. D. Morgan who made the trip down Monday morning and returned home early Wednesday.

Some of the noted speakers on the three day program included Evangelist Billy Graham, Dr. R. G. Lee of Memphis, Tenn., H. E. Butt of Corpus Christi, E. S. James, editor of the Baptist Standard, and Buckner Fanning of Dallas.

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| PORK & BEANS | 14c |
| WELCH'S | 24-oz. |
| GRAPE JUICE | 29c |
| JELL-O | 2 Pkgs. 15c |
| WILSON'S CERTIFIED | 2-lb. Pkg. |
| SLICED BACON | 98c |
| CLOVERLAKE | 1/2 Gallon |
| MELLORINE | 39c |
| WOLF BRAND | No 1 Can |
| CHILLI | 29c |
| HIG TOP, Crystal Sherbet | 7-oz. |
| PEANUT BUTTER | 39c |
| SHURFINE | 3-lbs. |
| SHORTENING | 79c |
| BAYERS | Bottle, 100's |
| ASPIRIN | 59c |
| CUT-RITE | Roll |
| WAX PAPER | 29c |
| NORTHERN | 3 Rolls |
| TISSUE | 25c |

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MARCH OF DIMES PROCLAMATION — Governor Allan Shivers is shown center, above, signing the official proclamation designating January as March of Dimes Month in Texas. Looking on is Major General K. L. Barry, Adjutant General of Texas and 1955-57 State March of Dimes Campaign Chairman, and Kaye LaGrone, 10-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory LaGrone, 1507 Presion Avenue, Austin. Kaye has been a polio victim since September, 1955.

Olin Harris Pays Visit to Homeland

The Olin Harris family, who have been on an extended visit here from their home at Sao Paulo, Brazil, are returning today from New Orleans, returning to their adopted home.

Sunday visitors in Lockney with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cook and boys were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bradford, Conley and Danney.

Friday night and Saturday Conley Bradford visited in Floydada with Alden Caribell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Pawver and Doris visited Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pawver. They have also spent some time in Oklahoma, where Mrs. Harris' family resides.

Harris, who went to Brazil with Anderson-Clayton Company, after spending several years service with the company in this area, has seen the tremendous growth of the cotton industry in Brazil and has played an important role in development of the Anderson-Clayton interests there.

Early after he began work with Arco he began putting his savings into Floyd County land and has continued since. At this time he owns 2,300 acres of farm land in this county.

V. D. Harris last week said the family here greatly enjoyed the visit of their son and his family.

Baker News

(By Mrs. Otis Anderson)

BAKER, Jan. 13 — Jan. 18 is our next meeting night at the Baker Center. Everyone is asked to be present and help in the fun that is planned. So come and bring some one with you.

Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Jarboe and Vickie were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Willis, Karen and Brenda.

Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Willis and girls visited in

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| "Rich Flavor" Elberta | | |
| Large Cans | 3 for | 1.00 |
| PEACHES | | |
| Tree Ripened | | |
| Prune | Gallon | 55c |
| PLUMS | | |
| Shurfine, Large | 2 1/2 Can | 25c |
| Y A M S | | |
| In Syrup | | |
| Shurfine, 8-oz. Glass, | 5 for | 1.00 |
| JELLY | | |
| Asst. Flavors | | |
| Hunt's | 303 Can | 10c |
| Tomato Juice | | |
| Karo White | Pint Bottle | 25c |
| SYRUP | | |
| OXYDOL | Large Box | 31c |
| Liquid, 12-oz Can | 2 for | 59c |
| TREND | | |
| SCOTT | Giant Roll | 39c |
| TOWELS | | |
| MACKEREL | Tall Can | 19c |
| Shurfine | 3-lb. Tin | 79c |
| Shortening | | |
| Fresh, Fat | lb. | 39c |
| FRYERS | | |
| Fancy Sliced | lb. | 49c |
| BACON | | |
| The good-to-eat-kind | | |
| Texas Red | 5-lb. Bag | 33c |
| Grapefruit | | |
| Large Size | | |

Bill Proposes New Approach To Drouth Aid

WASHINGTON, Jan. — Rep. George Mahon of the 19th District has joined with several other Texas Congressmen and senators in introducing legislation in the new session of Congress designed to bring early assistance to the drought-stricken areas of Texas and the Southwest.

The proposal as worked out and presented was termed a "two-fold approach to the drought problem."

The bill was described on the floor of the House by Rep. Bob Poage of Waco, chairman of the House Committee on agriculture, as calling for immediate assistance to farmers and ranchers in the wide area of Texas and the Southwest who are in desperate need of help.

Mahon and Poage pointed out that the prime purpose of the bill would require the Department of Agriculture to make payments to land owners who will agree to defer the use of their depleted pasture lands for periods of not less than 12 months. The program would become effective immediately and would continue over a period of three years after the drought is broken.

The Congressman explained that the present crisis "could well become a permanent condition unless steps were taken to give the parched pasture land a chance to recover."

Another feature of the bill would instruct the Secretary of Agriculture to assist in providing protein feed concentrates such as cottonseed cake. Members of the group said they felt the cake was needed immediately to maintain the range herds of the Southwest and that type program would be cheaper and more effective than the hay or grain feeding program now being carried out.

"This bill would enable the stricken areas to take the steps which they know to be sound from a conservation standpoint but which they cannot afford to take in the absence of some Government program," the lawmakers explained.

MOTHERS' MAGIC. Men solve complicated problems after their women, it is said. But did a man ever keep the faces of three chocolate-eating kids clean with a six-inch handkerchief?—Times-Herald, Middletown, N. Y.

'New World' Prophets



NEW YORK, N. Y. — Author Aldous Huxley, right, who foretold the coming of the tranquilizing drugs more than 25 years ago in his book "Brave New World," chats with Dr. Frank M. Berger, center, Medical Director of Wallace Laboratories, New Brunswick, N. J., who headed the group that developed the tranquilizer, "Miltown," (meprobamate), at left is Mr. Huxley's brother, Julian, a noted biologist. The occasion is a conference on "Miltown" held by the New York Academy of Sciences. 600 doctors and guests, one of the largest groups to attend an Academy conference, heard Aldous Huxley discuss the historical and philosophical aspects of tension.

Brian Resigns As Assistant Pastor

Elton Brian, who has resigned as associate pastor of the First Baptist Church of Floydada, will be associated with the First Baptist Church of Tahoka in a similar capacity beginning this week.

Brian is in Fort Worth this mid-week attending the Texas Baptist Evangelistic Conference, having left Monday in company with Parnell Fossell, from the local church.

Brian, who is finishing his scholastic work at Wayland College, has been assistant pastor of the church here for several months. He is a son of the late Rev. A. A. Brian and a brother of Al Brian, formerly associated with the Floydada church.

Conservation is the informed, conscientious management of resources. It is development as well as protection. It is use as well as saving. —Anonymous

Alexander the Great was born in Macedonia, died in Babylon, and was buried in Egypt.

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 Carr's plea to give top
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 Said Speaker Carr, as
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 is pushing for attention
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 of Dallas, chairman of the
 Resources Committee, is as-
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 additional amendments were
 by the committee.
 school integration. Rep. Joe
 of Sulphur Springs circu-
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 to support legislation to
 reserve school segregation.
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 of Dallas proposes a law
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 cos, now in his seventh term, drew
 the important House appropriations
 committee chairmanship. Other key
 chairmen in the House are Prates
 S. Seeligson of San Antonio, reve-
 nue and taxation; W. S. (Bill)
 Healy of Paducah, state affairs.
 Other returning lawmakers hold
 remaining House chairmanships.
 They are: aeronautics, Vernon J.
 Stewart of Wichita Falls; agricul-
 ture, Harold B. Parish of Taft;
 banking, Thomas R. Joseph of Wa-
 co; claims and accounts, W. A. Stro-
 man of San Angelo; commerce and
 manufacturers, W. W. Glass of
 Jacksonville; common carriers, J. B.
 Walling of Wichita Falls; control-
 ler's accounts, Louis H. Anderson of
 Midland; congressional and legis-
 lative districts, Malcolm McGreer of
 El Paso; conservation and reclama-
 tion, Leroy Saul of Kress; consti-
 tutional amendments, Jack Wel-
 den of Marlin; contingent expense, Louis
 Dugas of Orange.
 Also, counties, Menton J. Mur-
 ray of Harlingen; criminal jurisp-
 udence, J. E. Wintfree of Houston;
 education, James A. Turman of
 Groer; engrossed bills, Herman Ye-
 zak of Bremond; enrolled bills, Wal-
 ter C. Schwartz of Brenham; fed-
 eral relations, Eligio de la Garza of
 Mission; game and fish, Cecil Storey
 of Longview; highways, Jim Moore
 of Fort Worth; hospitals and special
 schools, Moyne L. Kelly of Atton;
 insurance, Marshall O. Bell of San
 Antonio; interstate commerce, Tru-
 ett Latimer of Abilene; judiciary,
 Wade F. Spilman; judicial, Richard
 C. White of El Paso.
 Also, labor, Scott McDonald of
 Fort Worth; liquor regulation, De-
 Witt Hale of Corpus Christi; live-
 stock, A. J. Bishop Jr. of Winters;
 local uncontested bills, Robert W.
 Baker of Houston; military veter-
 ans, Paul Brashear of Cisco; motor
 traffic, Joe Pool of Dallas; munic-
 ipal and private corporations, R. L.
 Strickland of San Antonio; oil, gas
 and mining, Richard C. Slack of
 Pecos; penitentiaries, Warren C.
 Cowen of Fort Worth; elections,
 Carlton Moore of Houston; public
 health, J. Edgar Wilson of Amarillo;
 public lands and buildings, Bob
 Wheeler of Tilden; public printing,
 Charlie Heitman Jr. of Nacogdochs-
 es; representation before legislature,
 Reagan R. Huffman of Marshall;
 rules, R. H. Cory of Victoria; school
 districts, Alonzo Jamison of Denton.
NEW ERA — Secretaries will be
 heard, but not seen, this session.
 This and a number of other innova-

tions are being tried out by the 55th
 Legislators.
 Formerly the lawmakers' secre-
 taries, usually including many Uni-
 versity coeds, were on and off the
 floor all during sessions. House
 members' secretaries had no desks of
 their own.
 Now the house secretaries have
 basement offices. Their employes
 have new private telephones to call
 their secretaries, other lawmakers'
 desks and outside.
 But banished secretaries can con-
 sole themselves with pay raises —
 up from \$9 to \$10 a day in the House,
 from \$12 to \$14 in the Senate. Both
 are paid seven days a week.
 Even so, many observers deplored
 the passing of the secretarial
 "beauty parade."
 House members also voted to per-
 mit radio and television broadcast-
 ings of their sessions.
FOUR SEEK SPEAKERSHIP —
 Campaigning for Speaker of the
 House in 1959 already has begun.
 Candidates are Rep. Joe Burkett
 Jr. of Kerrville, Ben A. Glusing of
 Kingsville, Barefoot Sanders of Dal-
 las and Will Smith of Beaumont.
 Decision will not be definite until
 after the 1958 elections.
CITIZEN SHIVERS — Gov. Allan
 Shivers steps out of the Capitol into
 multiple private business activities.
 He will continue to live in Austin
 where he will serve as chairman of
 the board of Western Pipe-Line,
 Inc. He also will oversee his farm
 and ranch property at Woodville and
 the Shary estate in the Valley.
 His family moves from the man-
 sion to a large rented home while
 remodeling of their next home, the
 100-year-old Pease Mansion, is com-
 pleted.
 In his farewell address to the Leg-
 islature, Governor Shivers urged an
 unemotional approach to segrega-
 tion problems. He gave his backing
 to a primary in the special senator-
 ial election.
 His departure closes a spectacular
 public career begun 22 years ago as
 a state senator from an East Texas
 district.
SHORT SNOOTS — Dan Moody
 Jr., son of the former governor, now
 is parliamentary officer of the Texas
 Senate. — John Davenport, former
 executive assistant attorney general,
 now is general counsel to the Texas
 Independent Producers and Royalty
 Owners Association.
News of Harmony
 (By Mrs. Mather Carr)
HARMONY, Jan. 14 — The wom-
 en's Society of Christian Service
 met Tuesday evening at one o'clock
 with Mrs. R. G. Morris with Mrs.
 Morris as hostess. Mrs. Chloa Wil-
 liams was in charge of the program
 assisted by Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Smith
 and Mrs. Sherwood Ramsey.
 The subject under discussion was
 the study of Islands, referring to
 human society. We found we have
 many such islands in our own com-
 munity and hope to adjust this to
 some extent.
 Mrs. Smith conducted the business
 session. It was decided we would
 not furnish the dinner for the Lions
 Club of Petersburg this year as we

Mrs. Robertson Is Club Hostess

The home of Mrs. Bryon Robert-
 son, south of city, was the scene
 Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for
 the meeting of the Homebuilders
 Home Demonstration Club.
 The meeting was called to order
 by Mrs. W. W. Trapp, newly elected
 president for the year. Mrs. Trapp
 was elected by the members as club
 delegate to the district T.H.D.A.
 meeting scheduled for this spring.
 Mrs. Robertson gave a short dem-
 onstration on Table Settings and
 Mrs. Harriette Brummett, home
 demonstration agent, gave a dem-
 onstration on Special Occasion
 Foods.
 Refreshments were served to Mes-
 dames Raymond Williams, O. G.
 Mayfield, D. T. Mayo, Raymond Ev-
 ans, H. W. Roberts, John Walker,
 Elmer Norrell, visitors, Mrs. Tilden
 B. Armstrong, Mrs. A. V. Stewart
 and Mrs. Wilbur Trapp of Lubbock.
 have been doing for the past two
 or three years. The hostess served
 refreshments to Mrs. Marvin Smith,
 Mrs. Sherwood Ramsey, Mrs. Chloa
 Williams, Mrs. Mather Carr,
 Roger and Vonoka Morris.
 Zant Scott is feeling better and
 was able to be out to the services
 at the chapel Sunday.
 M. D. Ramsey was not feeling
 up to par this week, but was able
 to be out to the services Sunday at
 the chapel.
 We were sorry to learn of the
 death of our long time friend, Clar-
 ence Luce of Lubbock. We had
 known Clarence since early child-
 hood, almost 54 years, as he resided
 here then and was in our Sunday
 School class. Our sympathy goes out
 to his mother, Mrs. Stella Baird of
 Petersburg.
 We were sorry to learn of Phil
 Krebs accident. Phil was taking
 hot water from the stove when he
 spilled some on his foot and hand.
 The burns were not serious but were
 painful. He was home on furlough
 and is to report back to his camp
 in California, Jan. 15. At the pre-
 sent time he is in a Lubbock hospi-
 tal where he is being treated for
 the burns.
 Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Ramsey
 were business visitors in Amarillo
 Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Everett Miller visit-
 ed Mrs. Harry Miller Saturday night
 who is in West Texas Hospital, Lub-
 bock. Mrs. Miller was not feeling
 well.
 Bro. Gates preached two good ser-
 mons at the chapel Sunday. The
 Gates had dinner in the R. B. Gary
 home. Also a dinner guest in the
 Gary home was Mrs. Ernest Gary
 of Petersburg. She also attended
 services at the chapel Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Mather Carr were
 hosts to dinner Sunday honoring
 Mrs. G. L. Snodgrass and Mrs. Wes-
 ley Carr on their birthdays. Mrs.
 Carr's was Saturday and Mrs. Snod-
 grass' Monday.
 Mrs. Elmer Williams was ill Sun-
 day. We hope for her a fast recovery.



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VIEWS AND COMMENT

Fat Stock Shows. Despite the long drawn out drouths the fat stock shows continue to carry on bravely—and successfully. Nearest shows to us are at Amarillo beginning this weekend, and Fort Worth beginning next weekend. Cattle and horse people even those whose ranges have been depleted, will go and bask in the delight of viewing good cattle and horses—and dream and talk of the day when they'll again be in business with lush grass and sleek cattle on their hills.

Farmers have done about all they can do toward cutting the cost of producing cotton on the high plains. The introduction of power farming several years ago and refinement of planting and cultivating operations have reduced cotton culture to a pretty precise science. Something better may come up but it is not in sight at the time. The research foundation started at Halfway may lead the way, however, in other types of refinement of cotton and forage crop farming, processing or marketing, in types of planting seed or in feeding the soil for higher production results.

The president's trip to the southwest is, we assume, principally to dramatize the plight of the southwestern land operators as the drouth continues to put the bite on formerly highly profitable farm and ranching operations. Farmers themselves have not come up with anything new, apparently. When a man is down he's down and all he needs is help. When whole states full of them get in that shape it calls for long range thinking, past the immediate need for food and clothing, and preservation of property holdings. A drouth can become dramatic the same as a flood or storm, but it takes much longer to do so.

The flight from the farm has become almost a rout in the past six months. Resolution to make a change in the way of living on the part of a man whose roots are deep in the soil is much harder than for those engaged in other occupations. At least we have thought so. But when one comes to the end of the rope he must do something else. That's what thousands are doing over the southwest. Most of these are leaving their old hopes and aspirations for themselves and their families behind them, with unspeakable sadness.

Return To Grass. In the old days the cowmen and stockfarmers came most nearly to sadness when they saw virgin soil being turned over to make way for crop planting. Many acres, we now realize, should have been left in its virgin state. How with the damage to all concerned to get this land into grass poses a problem of first magnitude. But even the grass doesn't grow unless it rains. Maybe we need to raise another Elijah. After we did that, however, the problem of the land not suited to cultivation that has been plowed under remains to be solved.

When Rains Come, there'll be many local problems, like in Floydada, when enough moisture falls to soak up the void made by many street excavations to place pipe for water and sewer lines, et cetera, et cetera. Dry fill-ins that have been made and forgotten will be yawning caverns for unwary motorists who try to hit out in their usual manner the morning after. City Hall will

have to put in extra help to answer the wails and "wreckers" will have a land office business. Reminder of this eventuality was noted last weekend when one chasm swallowed up motorists who disregarded the barricades and flarepots.

We like drouth as a way to spell it rather than drought. We note that the New York newspaper men like it the other way round. Drouth it is to us, not drought.

The word earnings is not synonymous with profits, says Fred G. Gurley, president of the Santa Fe Railway Company. He was discussing the inflationary forces now in effect as related in particular to a business which is on its own with no government subsidies to take up the slack in financial needs. There is no profit in a business enterprise until all expenses have been paid, including the expense of staying in business. Part of this "expense of staying in business" in the case of the railway is illustrated by Mr. Gurley thus-wise: "A standard box car purchased in 1930 cost about \$2,500. A comparable car at today's prices costs about \$7,500. When today we retire a 1930 freight car and purchase a replacement unit, we have available from our depreciation accrual fund only \$2,500 with which to buy a car that costs an additional \$5,000." Where does the \$5,000 come from is the question. And all are asking it. Where is the Hesperian, the groceryman, the farmer, the baker and candlestick maker going to get that extra \$5,000? They've earned it but they haven't got it. They lack that much of having made the "expense of staying in business."

Post Office Department must be getting a loud howl these days from all quarters about the glue on the stamps. It doesn't stick. Especially when you are trying to mail hurriedly. One of the modern ideas that didn't jell before it was put into use.

Is Nobody concerned? It appears that Texans are not really interested in polio vaccinations after all. Over 20 years of campaigning and billions of research money finally comes up with a successful antidote for the cripple. Perhaps people are just that way. To make a big whoop-de-do about the current rave or reform then settle back into complacency to await the next turn of the merry-go-round may be one of the blind spots in the make-up of Americans. At any rate Texans are reacting in that matter at the moment. Now that there is plenty of polio vaccine for everybody, it is a fact, health authorities say, that just slightly over 10 per cent of the Texas population under 20 years of age has received the full course of three shots. Ten years ago who would have been foolhardy enough to predict that in this year of Our Lord 1957 people would have been apathetic toward a positive vaccine against infantile paralysis.

Another Freight Hike. Common carriers have another freight hike coming soon, five to seven per cent. The ICC decided that equity called for it. Next will be something else, then something else again, until "they", meaning us all, run out of string. Then we'll be back where we were, everybody on a mass decision that we're "not going to do business with them" until "they" can be fair. And it all will come about while the tycoons rave about how good business is going to be next year. You can't do anything with people!

Amarillo Stock Show Boosters Visit Floydada

On a tour to publicize and invite persons in this area to the annual Amarillo Stock Show and All Professional Indoor Rodeo, beginning Jan. 19 and continuing through Jan. 25, a group of Amarillo businessmen were in Floydada on Monday.

Heading the delegation, which also visited other cities in this area were Porter Oakes, Amarillo public relations man, Don Schomburg, Braniff Airways and Tol Ware, vice president, Amarillo National Bank.

All world champion rodeo performers and many other top money winners plan to participate in the seven performances at Amarillo, according to Oakes. He said that numerous feature acts, including Swede Fuller and his Golden Retrievers, will appear at all rodeo performances to further entertain all age groups. Fuller's animals are hunting dogs as well as show dogs and do retrieving both on land and in water with live ducks.

Spotlighting the fun department will be the world renowned rodeo clowns, Gene and Bobby Clark, whose daring and mirth provoking stunts keep the rodeo programs moving rapidly.

The stock show and rodeo boosters reported a record number of entries had been received for the 1957 exposition, which has become the area's greatest winter event.

This year's stock show and rodeo will hold added luster, for it will mark the 50th anniversary of the Panhandle Hereford Breeders Association.

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First of seven rodeo performances will be given Saturday night, Jan. 19. The second performance is slated for Sunday afternoon, Jan. 20. There will be performances each night thereafter through Friday, Jan. 25.

The world's top ten rodeo hands will come to Amarillo from Denver. After competing in Amarillo they will proceed to Fort Worth for the annual event in that city.

Annual conventions, style shows, dances, banquets are scheduled throughout stock show week for the men and women of the region's livestock industry.

Amarillo businessmen, according to Oakes, are employing a professional decorator to dress up the old cowtown as a form of welcome to the thousands of visitors expected at the stock show and rodeo.

Dougherty News

(By Mrs. W. J. Ross)

DOUGHERTY, Jan. 14 — There were 56 present for church and Sunday School, Jan. 13. The Rev. Harris brought a message on the heartless characters of the Bible. He plans to attend the Ministers and Laymen's conference at Wayland College later this month.

John Cage and son Harlan were business visitors to Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Upton and Christy of Canyon were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis

Blum Sunday Ronnie plans to enroll at West Texas College at the beginning of the new semester.

Ethel Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Scott, is recovering nicely from a broken arm received while playing in a basketball game at Crosbyton Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Bradley were guests of his mother, Mrs. Maude Bradley at Lubbock on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Damon Thomas and family of Lubbock were guests of his sister, Mrs. Howe Hines and family on Thursday.

Cindy Carpenter of Lubbock is the house guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howe Hines, while her infant brother, Carlton, is hospitalized with a bronchial infection. At this date the baby is improving nicely.

Mrs. W. J. Ross and Bob visited in Ralls Thursday afternoon.

Noble Hunsucker was a business visitor to Plainview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Poole are visiting relatives at Ft. Worth, Dallas and Burleson.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Poole and grandson Lance visited in the Bill Goldston home at Aber-

nathy. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gene Warren and sons have moved to Plainview.

The Macon family who lived in our community two years have moved to Lubbock.

Dr. and Mrs. McIntosh of Floydada were guests of his sister, Mrs. Weins Norman and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Norman spent the weekend with their daughter and

family at Ardmore. The grand- grandson, Laird Kinzie, is im-

proving nicely after being operated on with bronchitis.

Mrs. Beulah Jameson returned home from the hospital Monday having been a patient since Wednesday. She is recovering nicely.

H. N. Powell has returned from the hospital and is reported as improving nicely.

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CHEN AND ★★ FIELD NEWS

Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, by Nancy Morckel and Weatherbee Electrification

Following is a News Release by the United States Department of Agriculture, just recently published, of interest to anyone in our schools, particularly parents who have children in school regarding the school lunch program for the year 1956.

The National School Lunch Program and the Special Milk Program administered by the U. S. Department of Agriculture set new records in 1956. These programs also obtained most effective utilization of funds in abundant supply.

The Special Milk Program, after accumulating its potential for increasing milk consumption, was extended by the President's Congress for two more years. Authorization of funds for the program was increased 50 percent to a maximum of \$75 million and many more children benefited by extension of the program to nursery schools, settlements, summer camps, and nonprofit child-care institutions.

During the school year ending in 1956 more than 62,000 schools participated in the program, a gain of 50 percent over the previous year. A total of 1.4 billion half pints of milk was consumed in

schools under the program for that school year.

Latest reports available for the month of September 1956 show that schools participating in the program have increased 33 percent over the number in September 1955. And consumption of milk increased about 40 percent for the same period.

With start of the school year in September, the National School Lunch Program moved into its second decade of operation. After the June 4 celebration of its tenth anniversary of service to school children and to farmers. During that tenth year, the program reached new records of accomplishment.

The number of children participating in the National School Lunch Program exceeded 10.5 million and the number eating complete lunches with milk climbed to about 9.6 million, a 10 percent gain over the previous year. Latest reports on operation of the program in the new school year (for the month of September 1956) show that participation continues its steady increase, with the number of schools taking part up nearly 5 percent over September 1955.

Funds available for this program were increased from \$45 million in 1955-56 to \$100 million for the current fiscal year. With the States and local communities contributing about \$4 in funds and services to each \$1 provided by the Federal Government, local purchases of farm and food products under this program have climbed to over \$400 million a year.

Foods made available for school lunches under surplus-removal programs of USDA in the past 12 months have included hamburger,

eggs, turkey, pork, lard, sweet potatoes, cabbage and fresh plums. Special Section 6 purchases of the following canned fruits and vegetables also were made exclusively for use in the school lunch program: green beans, tomatoes, tomato paste, corn, concentrated orange juice, peaches, purple plums and grapefruit sections.

Lucille Ramm and Betty Miller of Levelland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Duke and Lana.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Nichols and Billy spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Arney and Steve spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kincheole and children.

Troy Watson, Lubbock Job Training and Safety Instructor with A. & M. College Extension Service, was here on Monday morning to conduct his regular monthly class with the inmates.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morris of Amarillo spent Sunday with the Melvin Henrys.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Anderson and children of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. Corkey Guffee and children on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hutchins and sons visited in Ralls on Sunday afternoon with his mother, Mrs. J. H. Hutchins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ward of Lubbock were guests Sunday afternoon in the Ed Pollan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Pollan and children of Dalhart visited in Floydada over the week-end with relatives and friends. They came by the co-op for a visit early Saturday morning. Willard is a former employee of the Lighthouse and he is now Line foreman at Rite Banca Cooperative in Dalhart.

John Nay left Sunday morning for Livingston, Tex. where he will be employed as bookkeeper for the Sam Houston Electric Cooperative, Inc. Wanda Hickerson assumed the duties of bookkeeper at the Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc. on Monday morning.

The little 8 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moeller underwent surgery at the John Sealy Hospital in Galveston last Monday morning.

Cotton John Smith and Wayne Kenyon of KONG Radio Station, Amarillo, and J. W. Hill Jr., a farmer from near Bushland and President of the Potter County Farm Bureau, were visitors at the Lighthouse one afternoon last week. They were on their way home from Lamesa, where they met with the committee on drought resolutions to be submitted to President Eisenhower.

Nothing can dampen your spirits these cold dreary winter days when you have an automatic laundry. Those days of trying to outguess the weatherman will be gone forever - no more frost bitten fingers - no more worries about your clothes getting



WATER FOR THE THIRSTY SOIL. Irrigation ditches carry precious water to a cotton crop outside Navasota. In the 1956 growing season, during the worst Texas drought on record, irrigation on the Brazos River bottoms between Hearne and Navasota made 2½ bales to the acre, while dry cotton in Central Texas did well to make a bale to six acres. The long-range plan of the Brazos River Authority calls for thirteen more dams on the Brazos and its tributaries, to save water when it rains and create an assured supply for agriculture, cities and industries. Power will be an incidental by-product of some of the dams.

Tillison in the Crosbyton hospital and Mrs. Russell, mother of Mrs. Tillison.

Mr. and Mrs. Farris Pennick and children of Crosbyton were Friday night callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ratheal visited in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Moore of McAdoo Friday night. We are happy to report Mrs. Moore is much improved. She is able to be home again following her stay in the hospital.

Mrs. Clara Dean is also on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Priscilla Morris of Crosbyton visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bennett Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Thornhill and Tommy and Mary Ann Starrett were Thursday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Thornhill.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sudduth and Dianna were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sudduth, Jim and Kim.

Mrs. Hoyt McClure left Tuesday for San Antonio to be with Mr. and

Floyd County Hesperian, Floydada, Texas, Thursday, January 17, 1957

Mrs. James Brannon McClure and children. The James B. McClure's lost their infant baby who was born Monday. The baby was placed in an incubator but it only lived until Friday. We extend our sympathy to the family. At the last report, Mrs. J. B. McClure was getting along nicely.


Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Beckham and Barbara Kay of Lubbock were Sunday visitors with the Ben Beckhams. D. D. Thornhill made a business trip to Lubbock on Tuesday of last

week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sudduth and Mrs. J. C. McCracken were among those attending funeral service at Crosbyton on Monday of last week for Riley Wooten. We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Mr. Wooten.

According to law, a minimum of three persons can create a riot.

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| Principal | 505,862.80 | |
| Interest | 311,458.79 | |
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News of Broadway
(By Mrs. T. E. Thornhill)

BROADWAY, Jan. 14 - We were indeed happy to have the A. L. Ratheal family back in church Sunday. The Ratheals recently moved to Lorenzo, but we are always happy to have our church folks back in church and invite them back everytime they can come.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill of Tahoka, sister of Grady Howard, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Howard. We were very glad to have Mrs. Hill visit not only in our church services but also in our Sunday School class.

Mrs. Lois Ratheal of Crosbyton spent Friday night of last week with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bennett. Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Thornhill were callers awhile Friday night.

Rodney, baby son of Mrs. Colene Thompson was ill most of last week but we are happy to report he is going fine now.

Cheryl Starrett of Crosbyton spent Wednesday night of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Conda Starrett and Mary Ann.

M. R. Givens, Clyde Starrett and J. M. Bennett attended the cattle sale in Lubbock on Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Howard visited on Wednesday night of last week with her mother, Mrs. Henry in Ralls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Winegar were Tuesday evening callers in the Ben Beckham and T. E. Thornhill homes.

Mrs. Homer Smith and Bessie and Mrs. Ernest Smith of Crosbyton were Tuesday callers in the M. R. Givens home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Thornhill were Saturday night visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Beckham, Mrs. Colene Thompson, Monica and Rodney, but we didn't learn who were the better 42 players.

M. L. Tillison of Crosbyton, father of Mrs. Arvis Moore, was confined to the Crosbyton Hospital on Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Thornhill were Thursday morning callers with Mrs. Iva Edwards, Billy Don and Tressia Sue of Dickens.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Givens and Mickey were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Thornhill on Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Morris and Joyce were Sunday evening callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Whalen and Elsie. Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Whalen and the girls went to Crosbyton where the ladies visited with Mrs. Jim Robinson.

We were sorry to learn, Mrs. Martha Berry, mother of Cecil Berry, is very ill in a Hillsboro Hospital. Mrs. Berry suffered a heart attack. We sincerely hope she will soon be much improved.

Rev. Audye Wiley will attend the Evangelistic conference in Ft. Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Joplin were surprised Sunday when their three daughters and families came to help celebrate Mrs. Joplin's birthday. They are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thornton and children of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ratheal and children of Lorenzo and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Truell and children. Mrs. Joplin, we wish for you many more happy birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Fleming were

Sunday evening callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kendrick and children of Mt. Blanco.

Mr. and Mrs. Ola Moore and Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Ratheal were Sunday evening visitors with their mother, Mrs. C. H. Moore in Crosbyton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Whalen were Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sudduth and Dianna.

Rev. and Mrs. Audye Wiley and boys were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Seliger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Beckham, Mrs. Colene Thompson, Monica and Rodney were Friday night callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Thornhill and Tommy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ratheal were Sunday evening callers with M. L.

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SAUSAGE . . .
Cheese, Kraft's, 2-lb. Box
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Fresh Pact, 10 oz. Pkg. Frozen
STRAWBERRIES 17c
Cut, Polar, 9-oz. Pkg. Frozen
BROCCOLI . . . 15c
Frozen-Rite, 24-Count Bag
FROZEN ROLLS . . . 45c
CUT OKRA
Beef, Chicken, of Turkey, Frozen, 8-oz. Pkg.
PIES, Libby's 2 for 45c
Underwood's 16-oz. Pkg. Frozen
BARBECUE . . . 79c
Frozen Hills-O-Home 10-oz. Pkg. 15c

U.S. Gov't. Graded Standard Baby Beef
STEAK
Loin Pinbone lb.
CLUB STEAK, . . . lb. 49c
ARM ROAST, . . . lb. 43c
CHUCK ROAST, . . .
Fresh Ground, lb.
HAMBURGER . . .

California, Firm Heads, lb.
LETTUCE . . . 17c
Texas, Seedless, White, 5-lb Bag
GRAPEFRUIT 29c
Texas Seedless, 5-lb. Bag
ORANGES . . . 39c
Colorado, U.S. No. 1. Red, 10-lb. 49c
California, Sunkist, lb. 15c
And Tops, Fresh, Large Bunch
POTATOES . . . 49c ORANGES . 15c TURNIPS . . 10c

Gillette Blue Blades, 10 blades
RAZOR BLADES . . . 49c
Fruit, Hunts, No. 300 Tall Can
Super Speed, Heavy, Med. or Light
RAZORS . . .

COCKTAIL . . .
Realemon, 46-oz. Can
Orange Drink
Lucky Strike, Chunk Style, No. 1/2 Can
TUNA . . . 25c
Macaroni, 7 oz. Box
SKINNER'S . . . 2 for 25c
Curtis, White or Colored, 10-oz. Cello
MARSHMALLOWS . 19c
Green Giant, No. 303 Can
PEAS . . . 19c
Brookdale, Chum, No. 1 Tall Can
Libby's, 24-oz. Can
BEEF STEW . . .
Wilson's Certified, No. 1/2 Can
VIENNA SAUSAGE
Del Monte, No. 303 Can
SPINACH . . .
Marshall, No. 300 Can
PORK & BEANS . . .

Gladiola, 5-lb. Bag
FLOUR . . . 49c
County Kist, 12-oz. Vac. Pack, Whole Kernel
CORN, . . . 2 Cans 25c
Sunnyhill, 12 oz. Bottle
CATSUP . . . 17c
Dromedary, White, Yellow or Devils Food
CAKE MIX . . . 25c
Dreher's Colorado
22-oz. Jar., Sour or Dill . . . 25c

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