

Role of C Banquet Tickets Begins Monday

Dynamic Guest Speaker Named

Tickets go on sale Monday for the 1958 Floydada Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet.

The banquet which is set for February 7, at the high school cafeteria will feature Jack Lacy, executive vice president of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, as speaker.

"Jack Lacy is new to West Texas but not to the mid west," Mitchell Parrish, president of the Chamber of Commerce, said in announcing the banquet. "He is a man with ideas who knows where this great plains country is going and he can tell us how to get there. We are expecting a fine banquet address filled with information and inspiration."

Lacy moved to Amarillo as the executive of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce from Pueblo, Colo., in early 1957. Since then he and his organization have been making national head lines with their plans for the future of Amarillo. The proposal for turning the downtown Amarillo business area into a modernistic shoppers' paradise are included in those plans.

Lacy was born in Rocky Ford, Colo. A graduate of the School of Journalism of Colorado University, he worked for a time as a newspaper reporter and editor of a Walsenburg, Colo. newspaper. He has been manager of Chambers of Commerce in La Junta, Colo., St. Joseph, Mo., and Pueblo. He spent five years in public relations work for the Colorado Fuel and Iron Corporation.

For nine years he was a member of the faculty of Southwestern Institute for Chamber of Commerce executives, on the Board of Directors of the Texas Chamber of Commerce managers' association, and presently serves the United States Chamber of Commerce as a member of the Government Expenditures Committee.

J. M. Willson Jr., will be toastmaster for the February 7 event. Frank Shorman will introduce the speaker. Guests will be introduced by T. L. Holland Jr. Rev. Ed B. Bowles will give the invocation.

Banquet committees announced by Parrish this week include: Program—J. M. Willson, O. M. Watson, Mitchell Parrish; Decorations—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wester, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Arvine; Banquet tables and chairs—Fred Martin, Wayne Bennett and Bill Hale; Food—Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hagood, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Minor; Tickets and reception—Joe Gidden, Gene Collins Jr., W. W. Trapp, W. E. Garrett, E. C. Carter, J. D. McBrien.

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Peoples Hospital Faces Foreclosure Of Lien

Peoples Hospital in Floydada faces a dilemma this week, following suit filed in 11th District Court by National Farmers Union Property & Casualty Company asking foreclosure of a lien on real property of the hospital under deed of trust and a chattel mortgage on furniture, fixtures and equipment.

The mortgage and deed of trust cover all of Block 6 in Baker Heights addition to the City of Floydada, together with all improvements, furniture, fixtures and equipment.

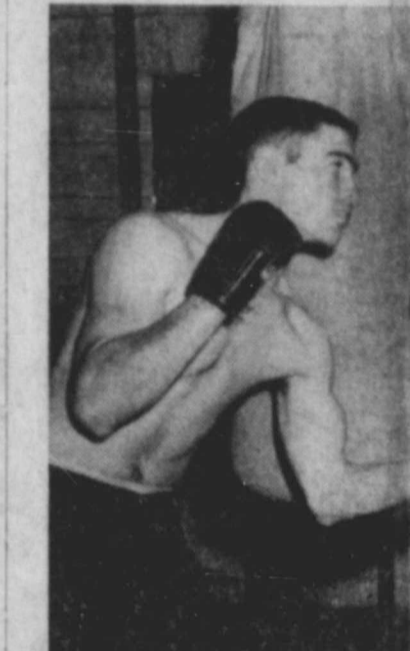
taxes as are charged against the hospital the petition recites "all are invalid and enforcement of the same should be enjoined."

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'Wasty' Cotton Meets Refusal For Govt. Loan

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Six New Directors Named To C-C Board

Yesterday afternoon it was anticipated that a meeting of the new board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce would name officers for the year, to take over on February 7, date of the annual meeting of the members.

Gins Report 72,481 Bales Cotton Ginned

Floyd County gins had turned out a total of 72,481 aies of cotton from 1957 crop up to Tuesday, County Agent Cecil Lewis reports this week.

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Andy Jackson Is J. P. Candidate

This is to announce my candidacy for the office of Justice of the Peace, Precincts 1 and 4, subject to the Democratic Primary.

KFLD To Stage Musical Event, 'Pull For Polio'

Entertainment for KFLD's "pull for Polio" program Monday night will feature musical organizations and individuals from a dozen plains cities and towns.

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Methodist Men Seek To Establish Another Scout Explorer Unit

A group of Methodist men met last Friday morning to try and establish a new Explorer Scout unit for Floydada which will make it possible for more boys to take part in the scouting program.

Champion Boxers — Johnny Fred Brown, left and Grant Cooper are shown here as they work out together in Floydada.

Both are well known over the Texas Panhandle for their ring activities during the past two seasons. This week they are entered at the regional Golden Gloves Tournament in Amarillo.

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Weather Report

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300 Baptist Men Are Expected At Monday Night Meeting Here

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Fleniken Sells Floydada Stock Show

Fleniken, daughter of Mr. Mrs. T. W. Flunken of Lakeview, has been invited to take part in the barrel races, the Flat Stock Show and Exposition in Fort Worth this year which will leave this week for that city to be in town-down parts and the first entry Friday morning.

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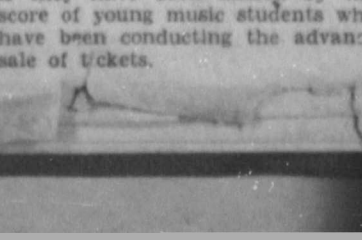
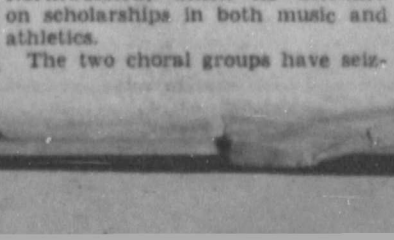
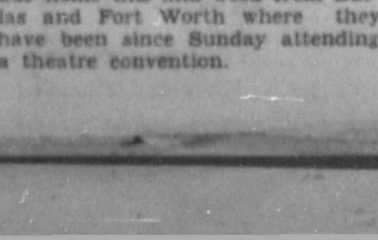
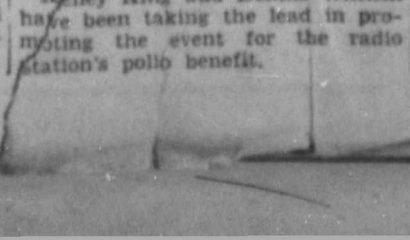
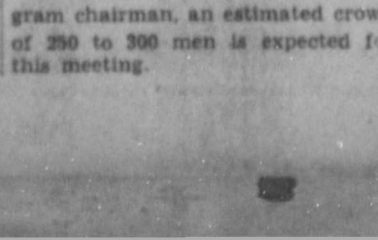
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VIEWS AND COMMENT

So many people squawk about having to pay poll taxes and so many do not pay any attention to elections we had about determined not to mention polltax payment again. However, there probably are some who think they automatically paid poll taxes when they paid their county and state ad valorem tax bill, like it used to be. They might learn too late they had not. If a taxpayer did not specifically ask for his poll tax receipt when he paid his other taxes it was not collected. Might check up if in doubt. The collector has no authority these days to collect a poll tax without your permission. Come July a person could wish he had been certain in January.

Study To Help. If you live in the immediate environs of Floydada you are interested, and your welfare is tremendously involved in the success of local industry. Two of the newer small, but fast building employers of labor which set up shop in Floydada during the year of 1957 are a laundry and a machine shop. Help them along. What others should you also help? Any concern which has a payroll that is helping to make your town a better town is entitled to your thoughtful consideration for patronage and a good word. Seeing a new industry through the first months of a new year might assure a bigger and better concern later of considerable magnitude. A little tree can't be a big one until it grows. It needs to be nurtured. Study to help.

What other new budding industry is entitled to your help this year in Floydada? What established businesses should you be more loyal to? In the latter class we think of the automobile sales agencies. The circus type of advertising and the attitude of the manufacturers in supporting TV advertising that has a tendency to lure buyers away from their home institutions and support their metropolitan counterparts, have been most injurious to good, substantial dealers. A person who will stop and think must know that for the long pull the metropolitan dealer is at a disadvantage in giving year-round value in sales and service. But hearing him whoop and holler and noticing the support the manufacturer is giving him over the country dealer, could make you forget to think.

We've often said (possibly too often?) that one of the services which has come to stay and that will increase in beneficial need to the business public is the accountant. At this time Floydada business people are supporting a dozen or more such firms and concerns all over the southwest. A good accounting firm that the business people could move into Floydada, if they would, would be of great value in increased payroll and convenience. Little businesses, many of them, need better accounting practices than they now have and would enjoy if a capable accountant were around the corner and available for their employment. Little business, to stay in business, has got to have better accounting practices. Their big brothers, if only they would, could be of great help in this respect.

Towns that bet on themselves do better, and their citizens have a more secure way of life, than do those which do not. No doubt in our minds there are people now who are considering Floydada along with other up and coming communities to choose for their future homes. What has your town to offer that will make them want to make your com-

munity theirs? Better take this thought seriously, and be up and doing. We have in mind distributorships and district agencies which are looking about. When they see Floydada will their desire be whetted by what we are getting done individually and collectively?

We have wanted to see more local taxes collected (instead of letting them go to Washington and elsewhere) to make more local betterments possible. Better support for the parks system for instance. Also we have wanted to see electric energy sell at a higher price in this town. Both of these should be adjusted to a higher level. Electricity is now being sold at 1940 prices and local taxes collected at levels even pre-dating that. You can't move forward negatively. The doer, not the don't doer, is the long haul winner.

Successive City councils, most of them composed of better men than we can be rated, have seen it otherwise. They have worked on the theory that to "hold the line" on taxes and rates is the wise policy. We think they are wrong. We like to be on record that way once in a while. Holding the line is all right if holding the line is all that you want to do.

Good Year Ahead. Our belief is that the drought is definitely broken and that we will see more nearly normal conditions for a while. For Floyd County farmers we foresee a good planting season, with little pre-planting irrigation needed, an accompanying reduction in power and water expense. We see, also, wheat and barley going into the spring months under the most nearly ideal conditions one can imagine. People can plan with reasonable certainty. One lesson learned from 1957 is to have less expense to deduct when fall accounting time comes. A good many farmers who set up shop in 1940 and later did not begin to learn until 1955 that things can be tough on the farm. A good many, no doubt, wish they had some of that money back they goofed away in the lush years. (That's a mean thing to say.)

One of the ways to make jobs in Floydada this summer would be to have a big paving program going on when early summer hits. Streets and alleys need attention, retail stores need business, laboring men need jobs. If we don't spend it on something we can look at, on a worthwhile project here at home, it is going to go down the federal maw. What we make will be gone whether or not we have paving. This is especially true for the working man, who will have no "capital gains" nor other legal gimmick, nothing but a W-2 with no deductions. Just as well have paving and a good-looking town as not to have it. The bill, either way, will be just the same.

Dry Weather. The like of which no one presently living can recall, prevailed for five years over Texas, and seven years in some sections. The soil had a chance to dry out "plum to China." Accordingly, we still may need to know for sure that the rains and snows have actually put moisture back into the ground as deep as it should be. Recent unofficial tests we have heard of, have indicated the rains and snows wet the ground three feet on slopes and four on level range land. Rains have been "normal" for only nine months, and there is a "pull" on this ground moisture both up and down.

County Council Has First 1958 Group Meeting

The Floyd County Home Demonstration Council met on Saturday afternoon January 18, at 2:30 in the council room of the courthouse with 22 present for the first meeting of 1958, including two officers and two visitors. Mrs. J. T. Spears presided as chairman, with Mrs. Johnnie Cates as secretary.

Mrs. Orlin Miller, County THDA chairman, with Mrs. Sherwood Ramsey, adult 4-H leader, met with the council and 10 clubs of the county were represented, with reports given from each club of their meetings.

Mmes. G. W. Smith, Lynn Miller, E. L. Barrett, W. W. Trapp, R. L. Bullock, Paul Sparkman, Sherwood Ramsey, Monroe Shultz, O. G. Mayfield, all committee chairmen, gave reports and recommendations.

Mrs. Ramsey reported an important 4-H Record Training Meeting to be held on Feb. 10, at 10 a. m. in the court house.

Sand Hill Club with Mrs. Noel exhibiting, gave a Dresden Painting table display. South Plains will have the next exhibit on Feb. 15.

Mrs. Orlin Miller reports the District THDA meeting will be held at Big Springs on April 17, and nominees are to be elected from each club so council delegates can bring them to the next council meeting on Feb. 15, when delegates to the District meeting will be elected.

Attending the meeting from Dougherty were Mrs. Johnnie Cates and Mrs. G. W. Smith; Harmony, Mrs. Monroe Shultz, Mrs. Glenn Pool and Mrs. Sherwood Ramsey; Henshild, Mrs. W. W. Trapp, and Mrs. O. G. Mayfield; Lakeview, Mrs. Edil Edwards; Lakeview, Mrs. Henry Bullman; Lone Star, Mrs. E. O. Barrett, and Mrs. W. D. Nance; Sand Hill, Mrs. Lynn Miller, Mrs. Noel, Mrs. R. L. Bullock, and Mrs. J. T. Spears; South Plains, Mrs. John Key West and Mrs. Murray Julian; Starkey, Mrs. John Fowler and Mrs. Paul Sparkman; Starkey, Mrs. Vergin Adams and Mrs. R. H. Tinsley; and Mrs. Orlin Miller of Floydada.

Mt. Blanco News

(By Mrs. J. R. Williams)

MT. BLANCO, Jan. 20 — We had another wet week-end. There was no church services Sunday because of muddy roads.

Rev. and Mrs. Ben Vera, pastor of the Mexican Mission at Fairview, spoke to the W. M. U. ladies Tuesday afternoon on their work among their people. This was a special focus week program meeting in the home of Mrs. S. G. Appling. Ladies present were Mmes. J. R. Williams, Brice Allen, Anthony Latta, and S. G. Appling.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams and children were Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Latta and children.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McClure were Mr. and Mrs. Brice Allen and daughters. Mr. and Mrs. Kay Don Spurgin and Sherry were Sunday supper guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Spurgin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fletcher and Edna visited Mr. and Mrs. Everette Raburn and family in Lubbock Sunday.

Judy Kay Smithes of Crosbyton, was a Sunday dinner guest of Frank Knox Moore.

Richard Wheelless spent the weekend with Butch Johnson in Crosbyton.

Sheryl Tillson was a Friday night guest of Sherry Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams and children were Friday night and Saturday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Horton and Gerald and Mrs. Dora Williams, in Spur.

Mrs. Brice Allen attended the W. M. U. Executive Board meeting in Lockney Thursday morning. Susan rode the school bus to town and spent the day with her grandmother, Mrs. C. A. McClure in Crosbyton.

J. R. Williams and his mother, Mrs. Dora Williams of Spur, attended the Evangelistic Conference in Dallas Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. They spent Wednesday night with a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Brooks and family in China. Also they visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jim O'Kelly Thursday morning before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Watson and children visited Thursday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brewer and sons.

Garrett Boyd spent Monday and Tuesday nights with Charles and Frank Knox Moore, while his parents attended the Evangelistic Conference in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Brice Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McClure attended a meeting Thursday night in Halls to plan the Crosby County Style Show.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore spent Tuesday with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Dick in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Watson and children.

Sandra Kindrick spent Friday night with Pat Hodges in Crosbyton. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clover of Port Stockton were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Denson and Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Flemms, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wells of Ralls and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haynes of Ralls had supper in Lubbock Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Denson and Bruce spent last week in East Texas visiting relatives and attending to

business. At Houston they visited a son, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Denson and family. A daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Perkins and Durenda of Edna visited with them there. Bruce and Mrs. Denson visited San Jacinto Battle grounds and went aboard the Battleship Texas. The family visited in Dayton with Mrs. Denson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Lowe and two brothers, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Lowe and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lowe and family. Mr. Denson attended to business in Baytown. On the return trip they visited Mr. Denson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Denson in Palestine. Mrs. Anthony Latta and child-

ren, Mrs. W. A. Latta, Mrs. S. R. Wright and daughter, Mrs. Foster James of Plainview left Friday morning to visit relatives in East Texas. The group had lunch Friday with Mrs. James' daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rainer in Abilene. Mrs. W. A. Latta visited with a niece, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vick in Meridian and a brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lee in Whitney.

Mrs. S. R. Wright, Mrs. Anthony Latta and Mrs. Foster James visited a sister of Mrs. Latta, Mr. and Mrs. Doek Bennett at Hasca, Saturday the children of the Bennetts were home to visit with the group. They were Mr. and Mrs.

Derrell Jean and family, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ray Jean and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson all of Fort Worth, and Ophie Bennett of Denton.

Sunday the Doek Bennetts, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. James and Mrs. Latta and children visited in McGregor with Mrs. Latta's uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jobe Wright and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Slim Rich.

The group returns day.

Mrs. Jack Kauschke Sunday from Baylor she had been for thruing medical attention said Tuesday feeling much better. She probably return later for more treatments.

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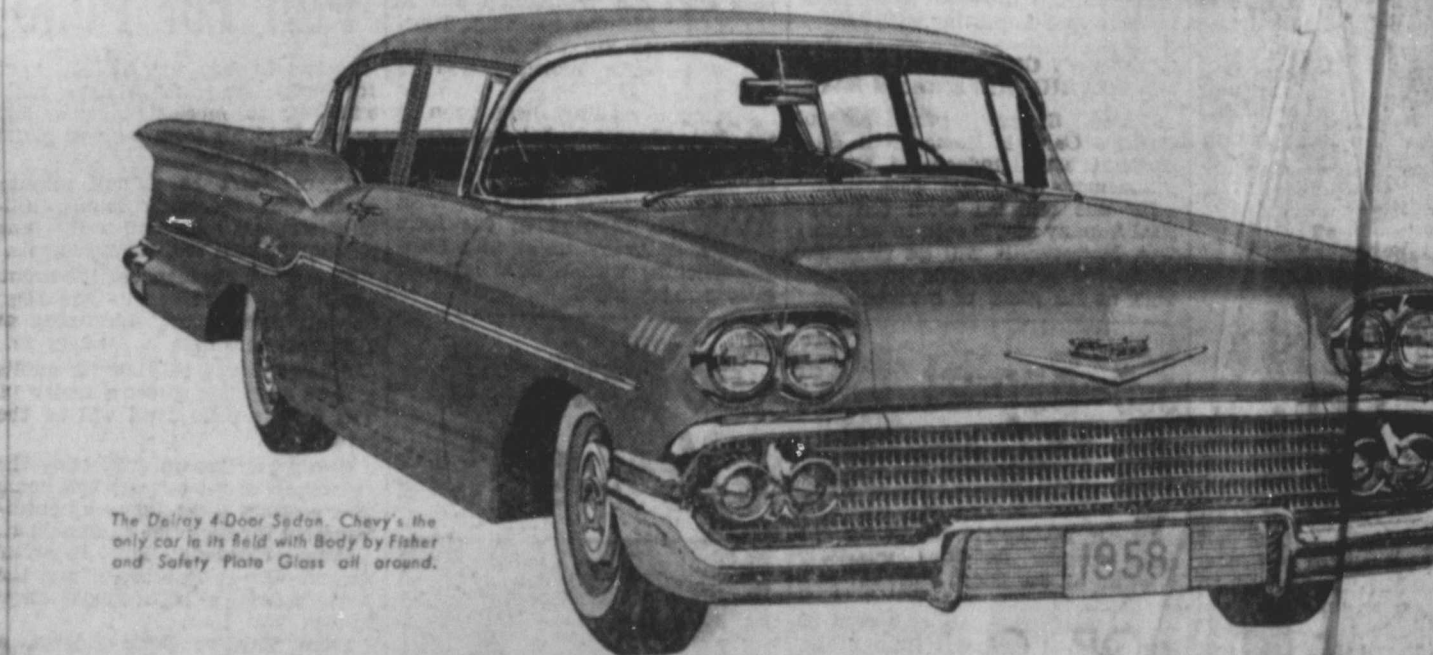
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IN LOCKNEY - JANUARY 23

to make this banquet a big success. What is that awful noise? Don't be alarmed it's only the play cast practicing on the 3 act comedy, "A Date with Judy". Mrs. Graves plans to present it sometime in the near future.

Rain, snow or shine these couples had dates, Gaynell Bouting and Elwyn Pierce, Shirley Gregory and Donnie Taylor, Myrna Hays and Sammy Morren, June Marble and Marvin Wells, Sue Williams and Leon Williams, Martha Smith and Elmer Williams, Judy Wilson and Harvey Allen, Sally Redd and Bill Day, Mary Cogdell and Cloyd Stevens, Kay Robertson and Larry Smithman, Judy Jackson and Bill Orman, Jane Tye and Weldon Pruitt.

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De Anne Newberry and Rex Jones, Carol Lawson and Gary Huskay, Glenda Morgan and Dale Lawson, Pat Allen and Jerry Battey, Aidie Adkins and Norman Ferguson, Joe Ellen Jackson and Jackie Myrick, Thelma Ferguson and Spense Jolley, Kay Robertson and Keathy Edmiston, Sharon Edmiston and Johnny Witkowski, Addie Adkins and Kearney Edmiston, Mary Cogdell and Keith Hollums, Sally Parks and James Hale.

HALF-MINUTE INTERVIEWS
Marvin Rape: "This ginning season has been rough, from the first bale to the last."

Mrs. W. Y. Bagwell Mother of Clyde, Passed Last Week

Mrs. Mary Bagwell, 85, wife of the late W. Y. Bagwell, former residents of Floyd County, died in Costa Mesa, California, Monday morning of last week. She had only recently moved there from near Los Angeles where she had lived since 1933.

Funeral rites were read on Friday of last week. Clyde Bagwell of Floydada, a son of the deceased, was unable to attend.

The Bagwell family made their home here from 1917 until 1923. They went to California for a while and then moved back permanently in 1923. Mr. Bagwell was a farmer.

Other survivors include Wayland Bagwell, a son, of Los Angeles, and three daughters, Mrs. T. L. Joiner, Eugene, Ore., Mrs. Ora Wade, who made her home with her mother at Costa Mesa and Mrs. Dick Mulvaney of Albuquerque, N. Mex.

South Plains News

(By Mrs. Murray Julian)

SOUTH PLAINS, Jan. 20 - The past week-end was blustery with slow rain Saturday night and Sunday. Then a small amount of snow fell Sunday night, making about half an inch moisture over most of our vicinity. Frozen ground helped the buses as they made their rounds on Monday morning.

There was no church services either at night or morning Sunday at the Baptist Church in South Plains. WMU and other organizations were postponed on Monday on account of the weather, and the shower for Mrs. Don Probst that was to have been held in her home of Mrs. Garvin Beedy, scheduled to be at the home of Mr. John Key West on the Silverton Highway.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Kinniburgh and girls, and Mrs. Edith Os left Friday for Truscott and where they stayed until Sunday evening with his and her. Other guests there over the week-end were Mrs. Kinniburgh's mother, Mrs. Naylor Veneil and family from Petersburg, Va., who are

ing to Charles, La.

Mrs. Patsy Huckabay had her small party Friday where he and her were doing fine.

Mrs. Elmo Fortenberry went to Lubbock on Sunday to see her father, John Fortenberry, who is recuperating there from illness. They went on then to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Harston, who lives in Tahoka. Elmo had a long absence from the home the last of February, so they can work the farm while he is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Upton went to their store on Tuesday to find it had been looted since after closing hours on Monday night. The burglars got a haul of groceries, meats, and clothing, cigaretes and other things. We are all hoping the parties are soon found. I think Mrs. Harston has the Oil Station in South Plains also discovered the loss of many batteries from his store. S. Calahan spoke to a good group at prayer meeting on Wednesday night, as he gave his message in the absence of Rev. L. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Early Pritchett, Jimmie and Price, left Friday after school to spend the week-end with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Kinniburgh. They all returned on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Fortenberry left Thursday afternoon to go to Tulsa where they had supper with Mrs. Fortenberry's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hutson and children.

Mrs. I. H. Parks from here was one of those named to work with a group of 24 Floyd County people who will work with a State School Committee. They study school problems of all kinds, with all phases of education, to make a report around May, to the State School Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Menard Field went to Grand Prairie on Wednesday where Mrs. Field remained at the Millings Sanatorium for this week, and possibly all next week. Menard came home Saturday and left for Benkelman, Neb., on business, and then went to Woodland Park, near Colorado Springs, Colo., where he will visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure will return this Tuesday from Stephenville, Texas, where they visited relatives last Wednesday and Thursday, and then went on to Bridgeport, to visit old friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams, before their return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Calahan had as dinner guests at noon on Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Kinniburgh.

Mrs. John Key West and Mrs. Murray Julian went to Floydada on Saturday afternoon to attend the THDA council meeting which was held at the courthouse.

Mrs. Elmo Fortenberry, formerly Miss Patsy Harson of Lockney, was honored with a miscellaneous wedding shower on Wednesday afternoon, January 15, in the lovely home of Mrs. Early Pritchett on the Silverton Highway.

Mrs. Pritchett greeted the guests and presented them to the guest of honor, her mother, Mrs. Louis Harston, and the groom's mother, Mrs. Fred Fortenberry. They were presented beautiful corsages of pink and white carnations.

From a table laid with a lace cloth over pink, Mrs. John Smitherman and Mrs. John Wilson served hot spiced tea, nuts and individual cakes, iced with white and decorated with pink and beige, the bride's chosen colors. White napkins bearing the names, Patsy and Elmo, were used. The table was centered with a beautiful arrangement of pink carnations.

These presents and sending gifts were Mmes. Leighton Teeple, Louis Harston, Durrell Fortenberry, V. Lemons, J. B. Wington, Fred Fortenberry, Bill Beedy, I. H. Parks, Edna Lackey, Walter Merrell, Roy Bledsoe, Bryant Higginbotham, E. L. Morrison, Kenneth Bean, J. P. Taylor, Gene Gilly, E. W. Newton, Don Marble, L. T. Wood, Walter Wood, Joe Fortenberry, O. R. Beard, J. A. Welch, W. E. Lackey, Jack Yeary, Carl Gilly, John Fortenberry, Harry Hartman, Eddie Jo Fortenberry, Fred Marble, Mae Taylor, Dock Jones, Bryan Karr, Raymond Upton, Jack Stansell, Hershel Harston, Johnnie Wilson, Calvin Potett, Cecil McCain, Zach Cummings, John McCain, Elvin Hutson, Hostess for the occasion were Mmes. E. P. Pritchett, H. L. Marble, Frank McClure, Elmo Reeves, Charles Wright, George Weast, Murray Julian, Grigsby Milton, John Smitherman, John Wilson, R. G. Dunlap, John Key West and Sylvan Kinniburgh.

Their gift to the bride was a set of steel cookware.

HAS MAJOR SURGERY
Mrs. Bessie Sparks of Floydada, mother of Mrs. Newell Parker, was brought home Monday from the Plainview Hospital and Clinic, following major surgery there Wednesday of last week. She is reported by members of her family to be resting comfortably.

Among those visiting her while in the hospital were Mrs. O. W. Sparks and Mrs. H. C. Parker. A daughter, Mrs. Charles Mason of Phoenix, Ariz., is here helping to care for her mother during her convalescence.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boerner of Phoenix, Ariz., left Floydada Friday to return home after visiting here with his sisters, Mrs. S. W. Ross and Mrs. E. P. Nelson. They also visited awhile with a sister-in-law, Mrs. Mary Stanley.

J. E. Chambers, who suffered a stroke some two weeks ago, was said to be improving at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Willard L. Hall. Another daughter, Mrs. Shorty Wellmaker and her husband of Bunsville, Ark., visited in the Hall home during the week-end, enroute to pointing in Colorado. The Wellmakers will return by Floydada to visit with her ill father before going back to Bunsville.

Peoples Hospital

(Continued from Page One)
Capital board of directors said Tuesday that the holders of the deed of trust and mortgage could not be expected to do anything other than what they thought best to protect their own interests and there is no reason why there should be any ill feeling against the insurance company.

"It will be an expensive procedure so far as the hospital is concerned, of course," Harmon said. He did not know what the attitude of the board would be, he pointed out, but he assumed that since they cannot make any payments at this time, there is not anything that can be done other than to let the company have their judgment by default.

He was due to get the board together this week to consider the matter.

Harmon pointed out the likelihood that the insurance company will not have much use for a hospital and that after the smoke of the foreclosure has cleared away something could possibly be worked out with the officials of the company.

MRS. PARKS RETURNS HOME IS GRATEFUL TO FRIENDS

I would like to thank our friends and good neighbors for their help when I had my misfortune on December 22. I wish I could thank each of you individually but it is impossible. I want to thank you for the lovely flowers, cards, visits, and telephone calls. Everything was appreciated and made it much easier.

I don't want to forget to thank Edell Moore, Mr. Koker, Mr. Harmon, and his wonderful son-in-law. They were so kind and thoughtful of me.

For my good neighbors who have helped so much and brought us good things to eat and beautiful gifts.

I'm home now and it's so good to be here. I'm doing fine I think and my husband joins me in expressing thanks again for everything. We have a wonderful lady staying with us, Mrs. Williams.

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State Capital NEWS

By Vern Stanford

AUSTIN — Pay your poll tax? Pay your poll tax! Pay your poll tax!

That's the cry from all corners as individuals and groups begin their campaigns for support in the upcoming 1958 elections.

AFL-CIO and strong labor committees are making a vigorous drive to get union members to pay the \$1.75 right-to-vote tax, and become eligible to put labor in the saddle in Texas government.

Gov. Price Daniel is urging all Texans to get that poll tax receipt now, before the Jan. 31 deadline.

Says the Governor, "Bad public officials are elected by good citizens who do not vote. I urge every Texan who loves this State and believes in majority rule to pay his poll tax and take an active part this year in the fight for constitutional government of, by and for the people." He emphasized that "minority groups should not be allowed to take over Texas."

Also busy contacting eligible voters are the State Democratic Executive Committee, headed by Jim Lindsey of Texasians and Jake Pickle of Austin.

Equally active is the DOT, whose chief spokesman is Mrs. Frankie Randolph of Houston, Aiding her are Alex Dickie of Denton, Creekmore Path of Austin, AFL-CIO heads and NAACP leaders.

"It looks like a country folks-big city battle," said one observer. "With labor determined to swing the big cities, the final decision may rest in the hands of the multitude of smaller Texas towns and the rural folks. Usually they can be depended upon to vote, rain or shine."

Politicking is on — By tradition, the opening of the red bud in East Texas is a sort of starting gun for politicking.

Some seasoned campaigners regard an announcement before red bud time as a farmer would look on planting before the last frost. But for politicking or farming, there has to be some fence mending, tool sharpening, seed buying and ground ploughing before planting time.

Hence, this January, though the air is still frosty, Texas politics are preparing the ground for a hoped-for harvest of votes next summer. In Austin every move by a person in public life is interpreted as tool sharpening.

These events in the news are regarded as part of the pre-campaign cultivation.

Integrity and Economy in state departments will be emphasized in 1958, said Gov. Price Daniel in a speech kicking off his second year as chief executive — and the year in which he is expected to seek reelection.

Speaking to some 200 state officials, Daniel asked them to be re-

sponsible in their departments for strict compliance with reform laws passed last year. He said two types of people can undermine public confidence in Texas' \$6,000 officials and employees — a "very few" wrongdoers and "self-seeking demagogues" who capitalize on the scandals.

He's not ready to sing bankruptcy blues, said the governor, referring to predictions that the state treasury would be in the red by 1959. Nor is he yet convinced, he said, that new taxes will be necessary next year.

But he urged department heads to keep a sharp eye on expenses and offered services of his budget staff to officials needing help in dollar stretching.

Democratic Party Control is expected to be a hotter issue this year than most campaigns for Capitol posts.

Stage is set for the first round of customary shoo-kicking and name-calling at the State Democratic Executive Committee meeting here Feb. 1. SDEEC is largely made up of conservatives favorable to Governor Daniel. Their critics and opponents are the Democrats of Texas, a liberal group which contends its partisans were in the majority at the last state convention, but were unfairly squeezed out of party posts.

DOT has drawn up a proposed "code of ethics" which, it says, will prevent any last shuffles at future conventions. At the Feb. 1 meeting DOT representatives will urge the Executive Committee to adopt the code.

Battling the Buns — More housing units are being built in Austin, but are recommended by the Board of Corrections to relieve "a potentially explosive situation" in Texas prisons.

Board said it will probably ask next Legislature for \$7,000,000 housing appropriation. Mgr. O. B. Ellis' report to the board on prison "bumbling" said that with the inmate population at 10,500, at least 75 per cent have to be crammed into "bunks" (one room barracks) with 400 sleeping on the floor.

Board also urged speed in getting into operation the paid parole supervisor program, authorized by last Legislature. Supervision system is designed to permit more paroles. About one-third the required number of supervisors has been hired so far.

Federal government threw a monkey wrench into prison operations by cutting back on the prison farms' cotton acreage, said the governing board. It said more work opportunities for prisoners must be developed.

Golden Age Aids — Ways to improve the outlook for Texas' older citizens are being sought by a 13-member committee of legislators and private citizens.

Sen. Crawford Martin of Hillsboro was named chairman at the first meeting of the panel.

"It's not just an old age pension committee," said Martin. "It'll consider such sticky problems as the

TURN ON THE BUTTON

What is an electrician? He is a man who understands the production, transmission and expression of electrical currents. He understands that transmission of the current from place of production to place of expression allows expression. Short out this current or throw a button to break circuit, production still occurs, transmission is either stopped or reduced, expression does not occur at all or if it does occur, will be abnormal occurrence.

What is Chiropractor? He is a man who understands the production, transmission and expression of impulses coming from and going to the brain. He understands that transmission of brain impulses flowing over nerves to all parts of body means expression of health. He also understands that short cut or complete break in circuit of nerves means lack of transmission or abnormal transmission to body which expresses itself as disease (lack of ease). Tissues and organs of the body which are not at ease cannot work properly no matter how hard the brain tries to send messages. The messages cannot get thru. Lack of ease in tissues set up perfect feeding ground for bacteria which are associated with diseased condition. Resulting factor is breakdown of tissues begins, symptoms develops, patient realizes something is wrong.

What is patient? Patient is man, woman, or child who SHOULD understand above principles. Patient is human who is SICK, (not at complete ease). For patient to get well, ALL patient has to do is contact doctor who has ability to detect button that is interrupting circuit between brain and body. This BUTTON is a spinal bone in the spinal column that is slightly misaligned sufficiently to produce pressure on the spinal nerves, which in turn reduces or cuts off flow of current from brain to body. Realign bone (turn on the button) and the current again flows freely from production place, (brain); is transmitted (over the nerves); and is expressed (body or organ function).

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number of aged persons in mental institutions because no one knows what else to do with them. Also the difficulty of oldsters having finding employment even with valuable training and experience.

Percentage of "over 65's" in Texas population has doubled in past 50 years.

Everybody Can Appoint — Who has the right to appoint the attorney to handle affairs of an insurance company in receivership probably will continue to be a source of controversy.

But Renne Allred Jr., whose right to that post has been contested, can keep his job as the result of a Supreme Court ruling.

At issue was whether the Board of Insurance or court handling the receivership should name the attorney.

Allred was appointed by the local district court.

High court said, in effect, the board has first appointive power, but the court can step in where necessary.

Lakeview News

(By Mrs. Verlon Wright)

LAKEVIEW, Jan. 20 — Lourie, Wesley and Nova Johnson spent from Monday to Wednesday of last week with their aunt, Mrs. Vernon Wheeler and family in Crosbyton, while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Johnson, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson to Arkansas. The family of R. L. Johnson received word last Sunday of the death of his sister, Mrs. Charlie Raehel in Van Buren, Ark. Funeral services were held in Ozark. Another brother, H. B. Johnson of Crosbyton accompanied the R. L. Johnsons to Arkansas, also.

All returned home Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Johnson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rister and family in Dardanelle, Ark., while there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bunch and Rodney visited Friday night with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Finley and Kristy, and their son Darrell Bunch in Big Spring.

Mrs. W. H. Bunch entered Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Tuesday for minor surgery.

Linda, six year old daughter of James Jones of Rule, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones of our community, has been dismissed from the hospital in Haskell. Linda will be back in school next Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Pienniken and family left today (Thursday) for the Fort Worth, to attend the Fat Stock Show from the 24th to Feb. 2. Their daughter Sue, has entered the barrel races, and will ride in the rodeo.

Mrs. Lee Goughly and Nita Fay, and Mrs. Garland Foster and children visited Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Goughly and family Friday.

Mrs. R. C. Smith and Mrs. Don Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bob Harrison, Mrs. Floyd and Karen visited Mr. and Mrs. Travis Dunn and family Saturday in Plainview.

Mr. R. C. Smith and Mrs. Fred Harrison visited Mrs. Mona Trice in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Trice one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Johnson and family visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wheeler and family in Crosbyton and watched home movies.

Lourie Johnson was Saturday dinner guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gene Bishop and the new baby in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Holt Bishop during the week were Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Hammarlight and baby, Mrs. W. H. Bunch and Mrs. Sid Brown of Cedar Hill community, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bishop and Mrs. L. L. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Johnson and Nova; Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wilkes, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Brown and Rex, Mrs. Dee Adams, Mrs. Q. D. Williams, Mrs. Earl Edwards Jr. and Mrs. Weldon McClure and Mrs. Brice Allen of the Mt. Blanco community.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Breed and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bertrand and family Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Daniel and family have been victims of the flu during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edwards Jr. and Cynthia went to Lubbock Monday. It was time for Cynthia's check up.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fawcett left Saturday for Temple where Mrs. Fawcett will have a check up.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Newberry and daughters, and Judy and Jean Appaling met Mrs. Newberry's sister, Mrs. Joe Sherburne and her husband in Crosbyton, at the home of their mother, Mrs. M. J. Moeley, for dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Sherburne live in Fruitland, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Newberry and daughters, Betty Sue Harrison and Clarence Richardson, attended the basketball game Friday night in Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and Billy Doyle of Crowell spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pyle and family.

Mrs. L. H. Hammonds and Mrs. Leroy Henry of Crowell stopped by on Wednesday for a short visit with Mrs. Louis Pyle before continuing to Amherst to visit Mrs. J. K. Langley, mother of Mrs. Hammonds, who is in the hospital with the flu. She is recovering satisfactorily.

Mrs. Gafford and Mrs. George Davis of Crowell visited Wednesday with Mrs. Weldon Hammonds and family.

D. E. Smith of Crosbyton spent from Friday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wright and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wright and

daughters visited Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Veril Spence in Crosbyton.

The Lakeview Home Demonstration Club meets Jan. 30 with Mrs. Earl Edwards Jr.

Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Cassie Wright and family visited with Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Martin and family.

Mrs. Raymond Hammon entertained her sons with a birthday party Saturday. Billy was nine on Thursday, and Larry was six on Monday. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to:

Mike Breed; Nancy, Jimmy, Billy and Jackie Nichols, Joe Bob and Sandie Thurston, Coleta Sue Wright, Donna Gene Bertrand, Kay Ann, and Gay Lynn Hammonds, and Kenny Custer, Mary Elizabeth and Charlene Wright, Mrs. Harold Bertrand, Mrs. Joe Thurston, Mrs. James Lee Nichols, Mrs. Weldon Hammonds, Mrs. O. K. Custer, and the guest of honor, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Spears and Larry sent gifts.

Mrs. L. D. Goughly had a birthday Saturday. Patricia Neff had one Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buell Neff and family spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson in Lubbock.

Buell Neff suffered a severely sprung wrist (or maybe a little fracture) recently while hauling and stacking bundles.

Patricia Neff visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Prescott and family.

Clarence Richardson spent Tuesday night with the Buell Neff family.

Mrs. Verlon Wright, and four children, Betty, Charlotte, Joe Wayne and Paula left home Friday to visit her brother Joe Bunch in

Tatum, N. Mex. At five thirty, and within thirty miles of Tatum, the back right tire blew out.

The car skidded across the road and, turned over on its top in the ditch. No one was injured. No other car involved. Joe Bunch was contacted, and he came out to the scene of the accident and took his sister and the children home with him.

Mrs. Wright phoned her husband to report the accident and assure him that all was safe. He told her to enjoy the rest of the week-end. So within a few hours of the accident Mrs. Wright and the children attended the Tatum-Jal High School basketball games, Saturday afternoon they attended the Jal-Tatum Jr. High school basketball games, and Saturday night they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hammonds and sons in Lovington, N. Mex.

Joe Bunch brought Mrs. Wright and the children home Sunday morning and returned to Tatum the same afternoon. (The Wright's wagon, being left in Plains.)

A son, Leon had remained at home with his daddy, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Taylor of Quanah visited Verlon Wright Saturday night after hearing of the accident.

CARD OF THANKS
I would like to thank each and everyone who were so nice to me during my stay in Peoples Hospital with bronchitis. Thanks to all the staff and to Dr. Guthrie, and for all the lovely cards and letters wishing me well.
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known in this area. The Bradleys returned from Temple Friday. Mrs. Tom Boyd went to Temple Friday to stay a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McNeill and Mr. and Mrs. Tate Jones were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill McNeill Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Coge and children were visitors in the Jim Morrison home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith of Silverton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Caffee Friday.

Bill Norman will be in Amarillo for the livestock show Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Holly attended church at Sand Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt Holly of Dickens spent Tuesday night in the home of their son, R. D.

Mrs. Bob Covington, president of the Community Club, announced that the club will sponsor a chili supper at the school lunch room on Thursday, January 23. Serving will begin at 6:30. The menu will consist of chili, beans, crackers and milk for children. Prices are 50c for adults and 25c for children.

Following supper Bingo will be played free of charge and prizes that have accumulated through the years will be awarded to the winners.

Each lady of the club is requested to bring a pie and bowls. Everyone is invited.

Dr. Warren Poole and family, of Lubbock, visited his parents Saturday afternoon.

Dougherty News

(By Mrs. W. J. Ross)

DOUGHERTY, Jan. 20—This area received slight moisture and snow during the weekend.

Because of the inclement weather only 16 were present for Sunday School. This group met at one class and the Rev. G. G. Tiner taught the lesson.

Although the harvest is practically complete cotton strippers and combine picker-uppers are still seen in a few fields. Most fields were too wet for plowing before the latest moisture.

V. V. Scott, student at Clarendon Junior College, visited his parents over the week-end.

Dorothy Jones is acting Postmaster while Mrs. H. N. Powell is visiting at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith and son, Stanley, of Roaring Springs were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Poole Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Crawford visited their daughter, Mrs. Marion Brooks and family at Lubbock Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Meredith visited relatives in Amarillo over the week-end.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Bradley were her nephew, Mike Stephens, and a friend, Miss Lee Shuman of Lubbock.

R. L. McKinney is critically ill at Temple. Because of the gravity of his condition his nieces and nephews are alternating their visits to him so that someone is at his bedside daily. Mr. McKinney is the uncle of Ned Bradley and is well.

News of Broadway

(By Mrs. T. E. Thornhill)

BROADWAY, Jan. 20 — The church adopted a new budget of Sunday of last week. Church attendance was not so good this past Sunday due to the muddy roads.

We are thankful for the rain, always think we need a lot of rain at this time of year.

Mrs. J. C. McCracken and Mrs. J. B. Marley were Monday afternoon callers in the D. D. Thornhill and J. M. Bennett homes.

Chester Campbell of Muleshoe spent Tuesday night of last week with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Marley and Eyronda.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Whalen visited the Richard Sudduths Wednesday night after prayer meeting.

Miss Betty Berry visited with Miss Sandra Cyert Monday night of last week while Tommy Thornhill and Marshall Berry attended Scout meeting.

Well, I'll bet all the school kids are glad mid-term exams are over. Hope all of them passed.

Ronnie Wiley was quite ill with flu and high fever last week.

Monday afternoon Mrs. H. H. Leatherwood and Mrs. Billy Cornelius were callers in the home of Mrs. J. W. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Rainbolt, Doug and Jan, were Monday night callers in the Elvis Marley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Beckham attended to business and visited relatives and friends in and around Hobart, Okla., last week.

Mrs. Clara Dean is home again or was when we wrote this item.

Mrs. J. C. McCracken and Mrs. D. D. Thornhill met her at the bus station in Lubbock Saturday afternoon. She had been visiting her sons and families near San Antonio since before Christmas.

Mrs. D. D. Thornhill and Mrs. J. C. McCracken visited the Homer Smith in Dennett from Friday morning until Saturday afternoon. Mr. Smith has been ill with the flu and still wasn't feeling at all well. We surely hope he will soon be feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Rainbolt and children moved to the Chester Campbell farm last week. Those helping them with the re-decorating of the house and the moves were Mrs. J. B. Marley, the A. L. Winegars, T. E. Thornhill's Kelson Winegars, Ellis Marley, Richard Sudduth and D. D. Thornhill. We hope for the Rainbolts much success and happiness in their new place.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Beckham were the Calvin Beckhams of Lubbock. Afternoon callers were the D. D. and T. E. Thornhills.

Tommy Thornhill visited overnight Wednesday with Marshall Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Andrews and Sherrill of San Antonio, came up Saturday night and visited until Sunday afternoon with her sister and family the L. R. Rainbolts. Other Sunday visitors, with the Rainbolts were the T. E. Thornhills, Kelton and A. L. Winegars.

Mrs. M. R. Givens and Mickey were Thursday morning callers of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wooten and daughter in Crosbyton.

Billy Don Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Edwards of Dickens, had his tonsils removed in the Crosbyton Hospital Saturday morning. Billy Don is a great nephew of the Thornhills.

Mr. and Mrs. Conda Starrett were over in our part of the community Friday afternoon but it seems they could not find anyone at home. That was the day everyone decided to gad.

Duane McClure and Miss Roberta Reed and Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt McClure were Sunday dinner guests of Hoyt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McClure in Crosbyton.

Mrs. Hoyt McClure reports the Evangelistic Conference they attended in Dallas last week was truly a wonderful inspiration.

Claude Sudduth has been staying in the house and being as still as possible since he jerked a kink in his back last week. We surely hope he will soon be up and about again.

Springfield Death Calls Floydada Families To Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morekel, Mr. and Mrs. John Buchanan and Mrs. J. H. Buchanan left Sunday at noon for Springfield, Missouri, where they were called due to the death of a member of the family, Mrs. Paul Buchanan, who died early Sunday morning.

Relatives here said Mrs. Buchanan suffered a stroke about 11 p. m. Saturday and died in a hospital there about 3 a. m. Sunday. She had not been ill before her seizure.

She was an active member of the Methodist Church at Springfield and was a member of the Eastern Star and several other social clubs.

The funeral was expected to be held at the Methodist Church at Springfield Wednesday.

Survivors include the husband, her parents, one brother and a sister, all of Springfield. She was the daughter-in-law of Mrs. J. H. Buchanan.

The Floydada relatives are expected home today.

DALLAS DAUGHTER OF JOHN FORTENBERRY VISITS FATHER


Mrs. R. A. Breckenridge of Dallas arrived here Sunday to visit with relatives and to spend some time in Lubbock with her father, John Fortenberry, of Floydada, who is ill.

Mr. Fortenberry had major surgery in the Methodist Hospital Tuesday of last week and is convalescing at the Seven Acres Hotel in Lubbock following his dismissal from the hospital on Saturday. He is to receive treatments daily at the hospital for the next three weeks at least, his son, Fred Fortenberry said.

Frank Jordan, of Oklahoma City, was a supper guest Saturday night of a brother-in-law, Leroy Burns and family. Mr. Jordan drives a truck for an Oklahoma firm and was enroute to California to deliver a load of perishable foods.

Mrs. J. N. Richardson, who received major surgery week before last in Taylor Clinic at Lubbock, is home now and is doing fine, reports from the family said this week.

Mrs. Aubrey Davee of Brady is here visiting a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Paul Huntington and family.



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COFFEE	Maryland Club 1 lb. Can	88c
JUICE	Pineapple Orange Dole, 6 oz. Can	15c

Rath's 8 oz. Can PORK LINKS	43c	Rath's 24 oz. Can BEEF STEW	45c	Pillsbury, Large Box PANCAKE FLOUR	36c
Rath's No. 1/2 Can, Vienna SAUSAGE	19c	Rath's 12 oz. Can CHOPPED HAM	59c	Jiffy's 40 oz. Box BISCUIT MIX	29c
Rath's 16 oz. Can Corn Beef HASH	37c	Country Kitchen, 24 oz. Bottle SYRUP	39c	Dash, 5c off Can, Net Price DOG FOOD 2 Cans	28c
Lunch Meat		Rath's Black Hawk 12 oz. Can	39c	Supreme, 16 oz. Bag PECAN SANDIES	49c
Cake Mix		Chocolate Pound Dromedary 10 1/2 oz. Box	25c	Quarts AERO WAX	59c
Kraft's Quarts SALAD OIL	69c	Dromedary, Ginger Bread MIX 5c off Pkg.	24c	Par, Pure, 18 oz. Jar GRAPE JELLY	29c
Pioneer 10 oz. Bag, Vanilla WAFERS	25c	PEACHES		Treripe Elberta, Freestooner in heavy Syrup, No. 2 1/2 Can	27c
Quaker State, Stems & Pieces MUSHROOMS 2 oz.	16c	CORN		Rose Dale, Cream Style, Golden, 303 Can 2 for	25c
Aluminum Foil 25 ft. REYNOLDS WRAP	31c	JUICE		Pineapple Orange Dole Frozen 6 oz. Can	15c
Raisin Bran, Large Box SKINNERS	19c	WAFFLES		Downy Flake Frozen 6 count	10c
Tabby 16 oz. CAT FOOD 2 for	25c	CHUNKS		Dole, 13 oz. Frozen Pineapple	25c
White Swan No. 300 Size with Bacon BLACKEYE PEAS	12c	Lotion		Jergen's Hand 50 Size Plus tax	35c
Blue Bonnet, 1 lb. Carton MARGARINE	30c	Aspirin		Bayer 15c Tin	10c
		Kleenex		400 Count Box	25c
		RAPID SHAVE		Palmolive, Giant Can	69c

BACON	Armour's Star Sliced Pound	73
Sausage	Hormels All Pork 2 lb. Bag	1
Cutlets	Tender Lean Veal Pound	98

Kraft Cacker Barrel, Mild CHEESE 8 oz. Pkg.	39c	Fresh Frosted, Pork SPARE RIBS Pound	
Tender Swissless FRANKS Pound	45c	U. S. D. A. Choice Beef SHORT RIBS Pound	
Swift Premium, Full Cooked PICNIC Half or Whole, lb.	49c	U. S. D. A. Choice Beef GROUND BEEF lb.	
		U. S. D. A. Choice Beef PinBone Loin STEAK Pound	

APPLES	Washington Delicious	Pound 15c
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GRAPE FRUIT	Tex. Seedless, Red or White	Pound 10c
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Fresh Large Bunch, ea. GREEN ONIONS	7 1/2c	Large Bunch Collard GREENS Ea.	
Texas Sweet & Juicy ORANGES 5 lb. Bag	39c	LETTUCE	Large Firm Heads Pound 12 1/2

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Lotion	Jergen's Hand 50 Size Plus tax	35c
Aspirin	Bayer 15c Tin	10c
Kleenex	400 Count Box	25c

RAPID SHAVE

Palmolive, Giant Can 69c

Winds Tops at Halfway Mark

Whirlwinds Get Week-End Rest

District 2AA basketball comes to its halfway mark this week with the completion of the first round of the double round robin play.

Abernathy girls still look like the team to beat in their division while several boys teams are in pretty close contention.

At the close of play last week the boys were the only undefeated team in their bracket and all had Floydada and Abernathy to play before they reach the halfway mark.

This week-end the Whirlwinds have an open date and will be enjoying their football banquet while the members of the loop are doing battle.

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- Libby's Yellow Cling 303 Can Peaches 21c
- Shurline SALVES 303 Can PEARS 23c
- Kimbell's No. 1 Can CHILLI 27c
- Our Value No. 303 Can Bl'kberries 19c
- Kimbell's, 2 No. 300 Cans Spaghetti 23c
- Fort Howard Ass't Colors 3 Rolls TISSUE 25c
- Linkney 1 lb. Cellofranks 43c
- Shurline, U.S. Good 1 lb. ROAST 65c
- Linkney 1 lb. Sausage 35c
- Old Crown 1 lb. HAMCON 55c

Score reported since last week include:

Tahoka 60 - Spur 45;
Spur 35 - Tahoka 11 (girls);
Tahoka 52 - Slaton 41;
Slaton 27 - Tahoka 11 (girls);
Abernathy 44 - Post 38;
Abernathy 77 - Post 40 (girls);
Slaton 64 - Lockney 50;
Slaton 52 - Lockney 30 (girls);
Floydada 63 - Spur 38;
Spur 34 - Floydada 35 (girls);
Through games played last Friday night the district standings looked like this:

Boys District Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Tahoka	4	0	1000
Floydada	4	1	.800
Abernathy	3	1	.750
Spur	2	2	.500
Post	1	3	.250
Slaton	1	3	.250
Lockney	0	5	.000

Girls District Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Abernathy	4	0	1000
Spur	4	0	1000
Slaton	3	1	.750
Post	2	2	.500
Tahoka	1	3	.250
Floydada	1	3	.250
Lockney	0	5	.000

The Floydada boys blasted their way back into first place Tuesday night when they downed the visiting Tahoka Bulldogs 53 - 44. This left the locals with a 5 - 1 record for the first round with Tahoka and Abernathy close behind with 4 - 1 marks. These two teams meet Friday night and the winner will be tied with Floydada for the lead.

James Teague paced the Winds in their victory hitting for 21 points. Bill Patterson came in second with 17. Jerry Brown led Tahoka drilling the nets for 19, mostly from the outside.

The Floydada girls blew an early lead of as much as nine points as they fell before Tahoka 24 - 21 in a defensive duel. Jan Thomas led Tahoka with 11 points. Lajuana Womack was high scorer of the game with 12.

Tuesday Night Scores

Floydada 53 - Tahoka 44;
Tahoka 24 - Floydada 21 (girls);
Post 53 - Slaton 42;
Slaton 42 - Post 34 (girls);
Abernathy 55 - Spur 46;
Abernathy 54 - Spur 27 (girls).

JUNIOR HIGH TEAMS ENTER MATADOR BASKET TOURNAY

Floydada Junior High Basketball teams will be playing this week-end in the tournament in Matador. Eighth grade boys and girls teams both are entered.

In their last outings Monday night the boys fell before Abernathy playing there. In the 8th grade boys game the score was 44-32 with the locals on the short end. Charles Christian chunked in 10 points and Van Stovall and Jay Dycus had 6 each for the losers.

In the 7th grade game it was Abernathy 23-Floydada 22. Denny King led the locals with 10 points and Darrell Lindsey added 7 more to be runner.

FRESHMEN AND B TEAMS PLAY HOME GAME JAN. 27

The Floydada boys freshman and B teams play their next home basketball games here Tuesday night when they entertain the teams from Ralls.

Tonight they go to Abernathy to take on the tough Antelopes. Scores from their last games with Post Monday night were:

Post 50 - Floydada 48 (B squad);
Post 45 - Floydada 22 (freshman);

ROADKINGS DRAW GOOD CROWD FOR ATHLETIC FUND

The Harlem Roadkings drew a good crowd when they played in Floydada and there were few empty seats in Graves Gym. Coach Preston Watson reported the total gate receipts at \$696 and a net above expenses of \$278 for the athletic fund.

It was a good show for basketball fans with the Roadkings coming out on top in the score 48 - 24. The locals proved no match for the professionals but it was an interesting exhibition.

SAND HILL CLUB PROGRAM DEALS WITH MEAL PLANNING

The Sand Hill Home Demonstration Club met January 18, at 2 p.m. in the club room with Mrs. James Jeffress as hostess.

Program on meal planning magic was given and a demonstration on the use of the electric skillet was given by Mrs. Walter Knight.

A new kind of fried chicken was served by the hostess to Mrs. Hollis McLain, Mrs. Johnnie Miller, Mrs. H. F. Jackson, Mrs. Wayne Billington, Mrs. Arlin Miller, Mrs. Lynn Miller, Mrs. Orba Miller, Mrs. Walter Knight and the hostess Mrs. Jeffress.

The next meeting will be February 5, Mrs. Roy Teague as hostess.

POLITICAL COLUMN

The following have authorized the Hesperian to announce their candidacies for the offices indicated, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 26, 1958.

For District Judge: L. D. RATLIFF

For County Judge: J. D. MCBRIEN

For District Clerk: MARY L. McPHERSON

For County Clerk: MARGARET COLLIER

For County Treasurer: TROYE W. STANSELL

For Justice of the Peace, Precincts 1 and 4: P. O. (PAT) STERLING ANDY JACKSON

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2: ELMER L. BURLESON BUCK SAMS RAYMOND MARTIN HUGH COUNTS BOB JARRETT

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 1: BILL McNEILL

News of Harmony

(By Mrs. Mather Carr)

HARMONY, Jan. 20 - We were so sorry to learn of the death of Annie Reeves Tuesday, Annie was a cousin of Mr. Everett Miller and Carrick Snodgrass. She had visited with them many times. Her home was in Jericho, Texas, until the death of her mother. Then she moved to Clarendon. At the time of her death she was making her home in Big Spring where she had gone to work. She passed away January 14, in a Big Spring hospital. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday in Clarendon Baptist Church and burial was in Clarendon Cemetery. Mr. Everett Miller and Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass attended the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass had supper Tuesday night with the Everitt Millers', this being Mrs. G. L. Snodgrass' birthday. Other guests visiting in the Miller home that night were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards, and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Carr. An open house had been planned for Mrs. Snodgrass, but owing to the passing of Annie Reeves it was not held.

Mrs. Marvin Smith was hostess Wednesday for a Stanley party, given by Mrs. McGinnis of Plainview. Those who attended were Mrs. J. B. Shannon and daughter, Mat Shannon and children, Mrs. Walter Strader and son, Jack Strader all of Petersburg; Mrs. J. T. Huckleberry of Sand Hill; R. G. Morris, Allmon, M. D. Ramsey, Sherwood Ramsey, Milton Shaw, Mather Carr, and the hostess Mrs. Marvin Smith. This was a very nice party and a very good sale.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Williams of Amarillo visited in the Chelena Williams home Tuesday and Wednesday. They also visited with their other sons, Raymond and Jdine of Floydada.

The Harmony Community Center meeting was held Thursday night on their regular third Thursday night date with Mrs. Don Finkner as committee as hostess. This was Mrs. Finkner, Mrs. Truman Dunavant, and Walter Hanna. After the business directed by the chairman, Glenn Pool, games of dominoes and other games were played. Refreshments of cookies and coffee were served to 29 people and all enjoyed themselves very much. Donald Finkner was elected trustee.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Akin went to Tahoka Wednesday to visit with their children and grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass received a telegram Thursday from Germany that they were grandpa and grandma. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Reed have a son born Jan. 18 or 17, Joe Carrick, named for his two grandfathers. He weighed six pounds and 14 ounces.

Everett Miller and Carrick Snodgrass took advantage of the last hunting day for birds. This was Thursday. They drove to Dumont and hunted on Charlie Bailey's place. Walter Hanna and Roy Hale also went hunting Wednesday.

Mrs. Everett Miller and Mrs. Ruth Snodgrass spent the day Thursday in the Carrick Snodgrass home.

Those still on our list include Mrs. Chelma Williams and Ronnie Hopper.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass left Sunday for Duncan Okla. for a few days visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stanton were visiting in Lubbock Sunday. There were no services at the Chapel Sunday owing to the rain which made the dirt roads very muddy.

OLSON'S BROTHER MAKES TRIP FROM SPOKANE, WASH.

Jim Olson, of Spokane, Wash., spent several days here the past week, guest in the home of his brother, O. B. Olson. He left Tuesday afternoon for Hunt and Kaufman Counties where he will spend some time with relatives.

Of these one is a brother, Bud Olson, of Prairieville, and where later the three brothers, Jim, Bud and O. B. will be together for a brief reunion, if plans work out.

Mrs. Herman Wright, Don, Dean, Tommy and Becky of Amarillo Grady Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wright were visitors Sunday with Mrs. Morgan Wright of this city.

Judge and Mrs. J. I. Goins of Ardmore, Okla., visited the weekend here with his father, J. A. Goins, and other relatives.

VOY COUNTY AGENT

Below is listed some outlook statements 1958 as developed by the Texas Extension Service.

Beef cattle are one of the bright spots in the economy for 1958. Prices will probably be a little higher in 1958 than were received in 1957.

Here a three reason given for the bright outlook for beef cattle: Improve range conditions have made a strong demand for cattle to rest, ranges. The big feed crop of 1957 has created a strong demand for feeders. Consumers still have a strong demand for beef steaks.

The outlook for hogs will depend on the number of pigs farrowed in the spring of 1958. The estimate for a 7% increase in spring farrowings. This will probably mean lower prices in the fall of 1958. For comparison an increase of spring farrowings in 1955 brought about a 29 percent decrease in the price in the fall of that year.

The outlook for grain sorghum, corn, oats and barley is not too strong. Tremendous yields of 1957 will have a large carryover. Look for prices to be about the same as the sport price.

The carry over of cotton will be the smallest since 1953. The total acreage of cotton may be smaller than in 1957. Domestic mill consumption will be low, and export of cotton is expected to be down. The total allotment of cotton for the United States is 37,000 acres smaller than in 1957 with a total acreage of 17,837,814.

These figures show trends in production for 1958 and might be of more benefit in planning this year's crop and livestock production. Diseases in cotton caused an average of 10% decrease in yield to the state of Texas. Some of the most common cotton diseases found in Floyd County are seedling disease, angular leaf spot (bacterial blight) and verticillium wilt.

To prevent seedling disease the use of treated planting seed, proper soil temperature at planting time can prevent this disease which makes for poor stands.

The planting of resistant varieties, rotation and seed treatment can prevent losses from angular leaf spot.

A program of soil sanitation, including rotation of infected land and seed treatment are about the only ways at the present to prevent losses from verticillium wilt.

All of these steps used in controlling cotton diseases are ones that cannot be done after planting. Planning ahead can mean more production and a higher quality of cotton for this year's crop.

Be sure and place on your calendar a vegetable meeting January 31, 1958 at 2:00 P. M. in the District Court Room in Floydada.

Write to you who are not interested in vegetables there will be a Farm Program Development Conference at Lubbock January 31, 1958 in the City Auditorium at 9:30 a. m. Honorable Charley F. Rannan, former Secretary of Agriculture is featured speaker. The afternoon program is divided into commodity groups to arrive at a suggested farm program. Everyone is invited to attend and participate.

Wake News

(By Ann Barnett)

WAKE, Jan. 21 - Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Havens and Shelly Wuan of Dimmitt spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ratheal.

Rev. and Mrs. Lee Griffin and children, of San Angelo, spent Friday and Saturday night with Mrs. Jack Griffin.

Jenavol Miller spent Friday night with Cathy Brakebill of Crosbyton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffin and girls visited with Mr. and Mrs. Will Griffin of Crosbyton Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gardin and boys were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Weidon Seigler and Dale.

Doris Rond and Donnie Siegler of Wayland College visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Weidon Seigler and Dale.

Sandra Fewell spent Thursday night with Cathy Brakebill of Crosbyton.

Mrs. Truman Barnett, Ann and Sue spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pierce and Cherry of Lubbock.

Mrs. R. C. Ratheal and Mrs. Harold Trull attended an all day W. M. U. meeting at Lockney last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Griffin and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bradshaw, Virginia Lee and Ed of Lott, Mrs. Wayne Donathon and Lyke and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Griffin and family were Friday night supper guests of Mrs. Viva Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Weidon Seigler and Dale visited Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mayes.

Mrs. W. T. Barnett, Ann and Sue, visited Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brown and Mrs. Edmund Brown and Rex and also with Mrs. Jimmy Pegram and daughter Wednesday evening.

Cheryl Tillson spent Friday night and Saturday with Sherry Watson.

H. B. Barnett of Lubbock and Mrs. A. G. Barnett of Crosbyton visited awhile Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Dendy, Tina and Ricky.

Mrs. R. C. Ratheal visited awhile Thursday afternoon with Aunt Dode Starrett.

Dan Odum and family, of Lubbock, were in Floydada Sunday morning to near their former pastor, Rev. DeWitt Seago, preach at the Methodist Church, and in the afternoon called on Mr. Odum's cousin, J. C. Odum and family.

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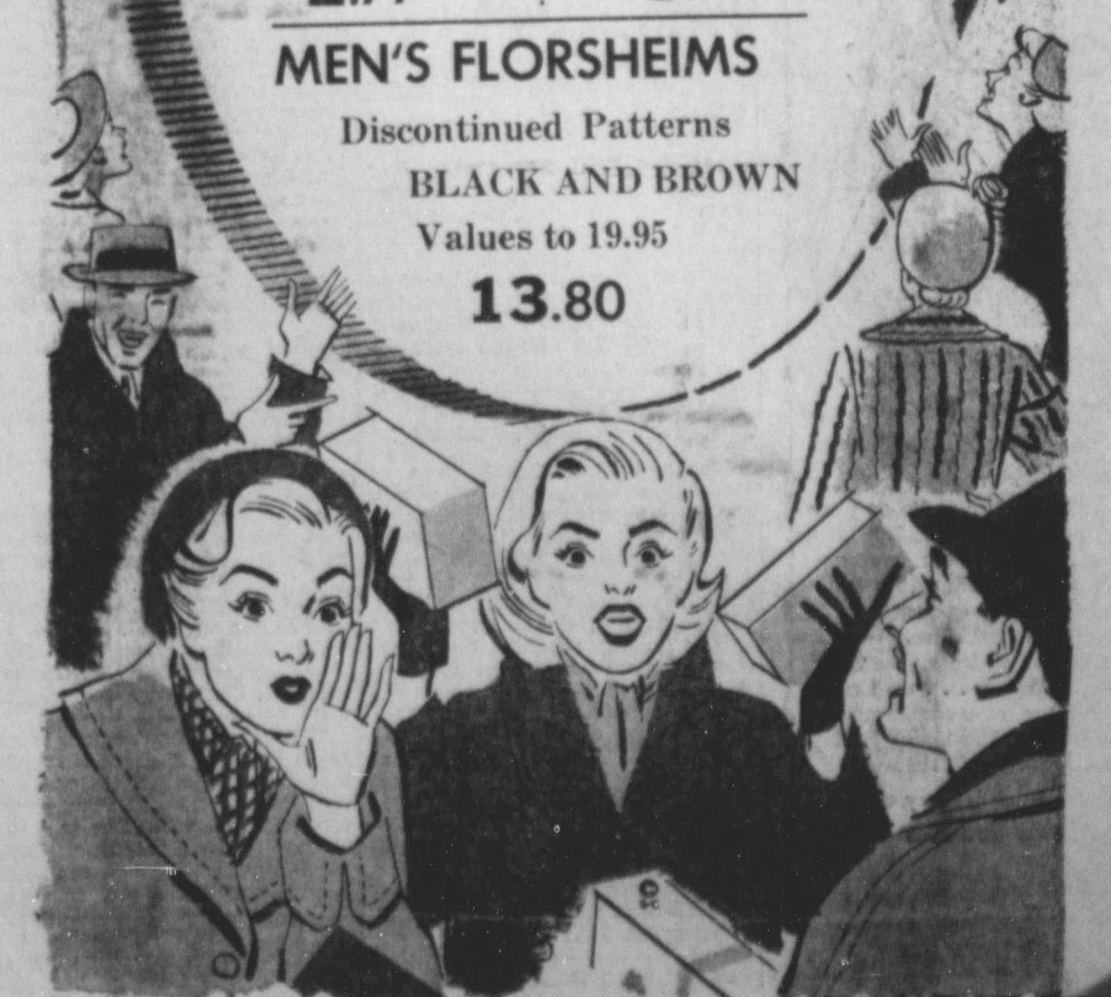
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Mrs. Jimmy Wilson Reviews Narrative of Modern Japan

Thursday afternoon's meeting of the 1925 Study club was held in the home of Mrs. J. B. Jenkins with Mrs. H. J. Koenen presiding. The creed for the year was read in English by the members.

Following a brief business session, Mrs. E. J. Morehead brought the devotional reading from the book "More Than We Are," by Marguerite Harmon, bringing out the thought that we need a time and place for prayer and meditation. Closing the devotional Mrs. J. M. Wilson gave a short prayer.

Shower Courtesy For Mrs. Duke

The Lighthouse Electric Co-op kitchen was the scene Friday night for a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Jackie Duke.

Mrs. Chas Tyer Is Complimented

Mrs. Charles Tyer was honored Thursday night with a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. Maurice Jones.



Mrs. J. G. Martin Is Club Hostess

Mrs. Tate Jones presided at the meeting of the 1925 Study club Thursday January 16, in the absence of the president, Mrs. O. G. Glassmoyer. Mrs. J. G. Martin was hostess for the occasion.

Eaves-Walker Vows Are Repeated In Evening Ceremony

Miss Ella Q. Eaves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Eaves of Petersburg, and William Grady Walker Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Walker of Floydada, exchanged double ring wedding vows at 8 p. m. Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stewart at Tulsa.

Grace Parkey Hostess At Fifty-Six Study Club Meeting Tuesday

The home of Mrs. Ed Muncy was the setting for the meeting of the 1926 Study club on January 14, with Grace Parkey as hostess. Betty Holmes, president called the meeting to order with roll call being answered by a New Years "Resolution."



RUN AWAY HOME—Introductory film to interpret the children's program of the Methodist Television Ministry was premiered at First Methodist church, Fort Worth, on Tuesday, Jan. 21 at 7:30 p. m. with Methodist leaders from three Methodist conferences, Southwest Texas, North Texas and Central Texas, in attendance.

This film will also be shown on television stations throughout the geographical area of the three conferences. In the picture, Tommy, who felt unloved and unloved after a new baby was born into his household, runs away from home, but later decides to call the searchers to care for his sick dog so he can run away alone.

Missionary Is To Be Speaker At Conference

Rev. Bob Montgomery, a missionary to the Arabs in Palestine for five years until last spring when he was flown out of the Near East, will be the speaker at a three-day missionary conference at the Bible Baptist Church this week-end and Sunday.

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LIPSTICK LOGIC... We had planned to avoid the topic of current fashions... But the West Texas girl who posed impudently for photographs last week wearing a gunny sack slip-on she made for 90 cents gives courage to face up.

Sculpture Is Fifty Club Meeting Topic

1950 Study Club met Tuesday night with Mrs. Gene Collins Jr. A round table discussion was held on "Sculpture," and thoroughly enjoyed.

'Society of Friends' Is Study Club Topic

Mrs. Virgie Shaw was hostess to the 1934 Study Club Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. W. A. Shaw. The president, Mrs. L. L. Clark Jr. called the meeting to order and a short business session was held.

Miladies Club Meets With Mrs. Amburn

Mrs. Foster Amburn was hostess last Thursday afternoon to members of Miladies Club. Mrs. E. L. Judy presided in the absence of Mrs. E. M. Stovall.

Reveal Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Warren are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Neida June Barbee, to Alvin Batley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Batley of the Lakeview Community.

Reveal Wedding Plans For Jo Beth Mooney

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Mooney of Floydada announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Jo Beth, to Billy J. Walker, son of Mrs. Ruby Walker of Lubbock.

Danny Medley, 10, Is Given Birthday Party

A party honoring Danny Medley on his 10th birthday was given Thursday afternoon in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Medley.

HOSTS AT BRIDGE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Beedy were hosts Saturday night for a bridge party at their home.

HILTON HOUSE GUESTS HELP CELEBRATE SISTERS BIRTHDAY

House guests in the W. H. Hilton home during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Goss of Waco, Mrs. Ted Jordan, Mrs. M. F. Williams and Miss Nell Scooby, all of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Grundy, Lubbock, and the Billy Grundys of Floydada.

YOUNG MISS IS GIVEN PARTY ON TENTH BIRTHDAY

Linda Jeanne Rucker was honored with a party Saturday January 18 to celebrate her tenth birthday.

Mrs. Clay Anderson of Hart Visited Her Mother

Mrs. Clay Anderson of Hart visited her mother with her mother, Mrs. Lillie Luttrell, Mrs. Luttrell's sister, Mrs. Minnie Martin of Lubbock was a guest in the home Sunday and Mrs. J. W. Smith of Lockney, a niece, visited with her Tuesday.

POLL TAX PAYMENTS

Approximately 300 Floyd County citizens paid poll taxes in the week since Wednesday morning of last week.

Hesperian ads Pay

Mrs. Leroy Burns was hostess Wednesday morning at her home for a Tupperware party. Mrs. Ruby Long of Petersburg was demonstrator. Games were enjoyed and prizes won by those attending.

Two Floydada Girls Pledge Social Clubs

Rush Week at Baylor University, Waco, Texas, ended recently with the issuing of long-awaited bids. Alpha Omeca social club pledged thirty, among them Cheryl Crawford of Floydada.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE GROUP IS IN ABILENE CONFERENCE

O. M. Watson Jr., secretary of Floydada Chamber of Commerce, together with Mitchell Parrish, president, Rayn Garrett and Glen Amburn, are representing Floydada today in an industrial development conference in Abilene.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING HOSTESS

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NEW CITY OFFICER

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Outdoors

In Texas

(By Vern Sanford)

Right now most of us are putting our rifles away for a long time. We've been through a successful big game season, with more deer, antelope and javelinas killed in Texas than for many years. All have been in good condition.

Chances are you have a big bore rifle. It may be an ordinary lever action, a converted military model or a new model bolt or semiautomatic. Whatever it is, it deserves the best treatment you can give it. If you've already sacked it away without a good cleaning job, then for your guns sake, stop reading right now and clean that fowling piece.

While it is true that today's ammunition is loaded with non-corrosive primers, there still is residue in the barrel and sweat marks on the outside. All must be removed. Run a good oil patch through the barrel, then give the gun a rub-down with a good gun oil, like Hoppe's, or with a silicon cloth.

If you store your gun in a case, be sure there is no moisture in the case, or that no sweating is possible. Otherwise you may come up with a ruined gun. Finding rust flecks on a favorite gun isn't a comfortable feeling.

Store for Safety

Storage of your gun is just as important. Every man would like to have a good metal or even a knotty pine gun cabinet. But not every man can. Some keep their guns behind the bedroom door. Others keep them sitting in the corner. But mostly they are stored in closets.

All this is dangerous, especially where there are children.

If you are one who keeps a gun in your closet, then be sure it is cased, and that no ammunition is left around. A child simply cannot resist the temptation of playing with a gun, or trying to insert

cartridges in one.

For safety's sake, it is best to give your child a good gun education. Take him (or her) out into the hills or onto the target range and let him learn just exactly what a gun is for and what it can do. Explain that children must not handle a gun themselves until they have had enough experience. Most children, taken into your confidence, will respect your wishes.

There are thousands of homes where guns sit around the house or are thrown around in automobiles, and children pay little or no attention to them. Generally speaking, however, a little gun education for the child is very wise.

Game Warden Can Help You

Incidentally, the game warden is a good friend of the outdoorsman. He can be of great help to you in finding good places to hunt and fish. Usually he and your county agent will know landowners who don't object to reasonable shooting. They'll even let you fish on their places if you ask them the right way.

These game wardens are very human persons. They are good citizens of your community and will be glad to help you every way they can.

You can help them, too. If you know someone who is killing game illegally, tip off the warden. If you have a question about the game laws, talk with him about it. That way there will be a much better understanding all around.

Time for Trotlines

If you are a catfisherman, now's the time to begin getting your line ready.

If your line was used much during the last season, it may be pretty rotten by now. More than likely most of your stagoons have become rust rotted. Perhaps your hooks also are dull or rusted. Clean them up, and put on new stagoons.

There are now many new ways of attaching hooks to your trotlines. You may want to check on some of these. Anyway, get the lines ready. There should be good catfishing this spring.

REMINDER - Don't forget the

suggestion made in this column a few weeks ago. Take out a package or two of flower seeds and scatter them on the banks of the creek. We can have a beautiful countryside this year, with millions of beautiful flowers in the great outdoors.

Mrs. Leona McNeill was returned home from the hospital at Lubbock the latter part of last week and is said to be doing fine at her home. Mrs. McNeill had been in Methodist Hospital receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. A. E. Frizzell, who recently returned from Memorial Hospital at Lubbock following medical treatment, is doing nicely and is said to be improving. Mrs. Frizzell has been in ill health most of the winter.

Be Wise And Save Use Want Ads

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Warren and children returned home Sunday from visiting down state with relatives. They were guests of the O. H. Huckabee family at Dublin and Hico. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Watson of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rallings of Hamilton.

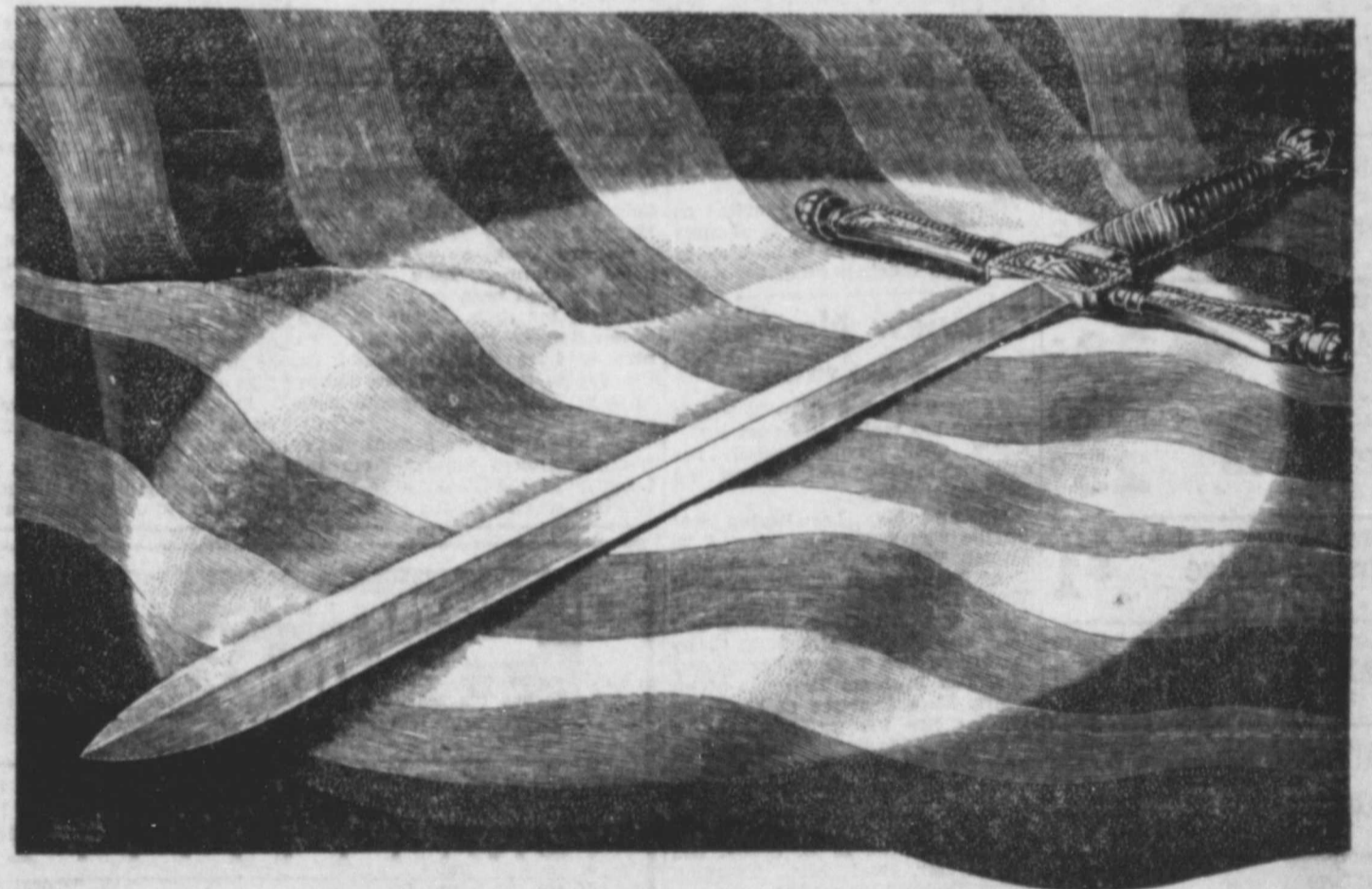
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