

# Street Paving Election Called April Seventh

## THE FLOYD COUNTY HESPERIAN

Whirlwind Relays  
Set For Saturday

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City Council, in its Monday night session, called the election on the bond issue for the same day on which the voters of the municipality will choose a mayor and two councilmen.

The date is Tuesday, April 7.

Adoption of the resolution and the formal call for the election were made in quick sequence.

Call for the election has been preceded by an engineering study of the paving needs of the community and the drainage problems. The two go hand in hand, the council is agreed.

While there has been apathy in some quarters councilmen have been besieged for two years by insistent requests from several areas of the community.

The question as stated in the call for the election is put this way:

"Shall the city council of the City of Floydada, Texas, be authorized to issue \$150,000 general obligation bonds of said city for the purpose of constructing street improvements in and for said city, said bonds to mature serially over a period of years not to exceed 30 from their date, and to bear interest at a rate not to exceed five per cent per annum, payable annually or semi-annually, and to provide for the payment of principal and interest on said bonds by levying a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest and to redeem said bonds as they become due."

In other action the council named to the Low Rent Housing Authority W. Dale Goss, Bill Hale, Fred Conner, Gene C. Jones Jr., and Edward H. Wester.

## SPELLING BEE DATE

The correct day, date and hour of the Floyd County Championship Spelling Bee is Friday, March 20, 7:30 p. m., County Superintendent Clarence A. Guffee reports.

Last week The Hesperian in a story erroneously gave another date. The place is the county court room. Four schools had entries qualified for the bee at last report.

## ELD. CHAMBERS TO PREACH FOR LOCAL CHURCH TONIGHT

Elder Jasper Chambers, who preached Wednesday night at New Salem Church on West Court Street will also preach again tonight at the congregation.

Service this evening will begin at 8 o'clock.

## STUDYING ATOMIC-AGE PHYSICS

Early each week day morning is J. L. McKinze, chemistry and physics teacher at Floydada High School, he gives lectures on "Continental Classroom" shown by television from 6:30 to 7 a. m. each week day morning, then attends a special physics lab session each Saturday at Texas Tech. The special TV-college course is designed to keep science teachers and students up-to-date on principles of physics.—(Tech Photo).



May Have Something Here — L. L. Clark (left) is shown here demonstrating his hot starch dispenser to W. J. Wilks, local laundry operator. Clark is inventor of the coin operated starch machine. Wilks Laundry in Floydada is his first customer. Clark has 10 more modified versions of the above pictured automatics in production at Darden Machine Shop in Floydada. A big laundry equipment company is interested and may take over marketing of the invention in an eight state area. Patent has been applied for by Clark.

# 'Have Land Will Sell' -- County

Floyd County Commissioners Court this week commissioned Fred Conner to sell an acre of land the county owns at Fairmount, the tentative buyer is Neoma Smith. The county acquired title to the acre when the court was getting right-of-way for the Farm to Market Road to Quitaque. The then owner of the acre didn't want to sell a part of it the county needed. Neoma Smith owns the land adjacent.

The Commissioners Court also has title to some lots in Floydada which the present set of county fathers found out about the other day. They

can think of no reason for the county to own them if somebody else needs them. Which means they are for sale. The court has not indicated what price they want for the lots.

The lots, eight in number, are in 30-foot parcels - every odd numbered lot in Block 11, the extreme northeast corner block of the original city platted before there was a sign of human habitation in miles.

Record of the county's ownership dates back to June of 1890. On June 20 of that year J. K. Gwynn, attorney-in-fact of James B. and Caroline V. Price, signed a deed to the lots naming the county judge of Floyd County and his successors in office as grantees. The deed was signed only 22 days after the town was organized and named the county seat of the county.

Mr. Gwynn signed the deed and acknowledged it before W. J. Westmoreland, first justice of the peace of the precinct and ex-officio notary public. In June that will be 70 years ago.

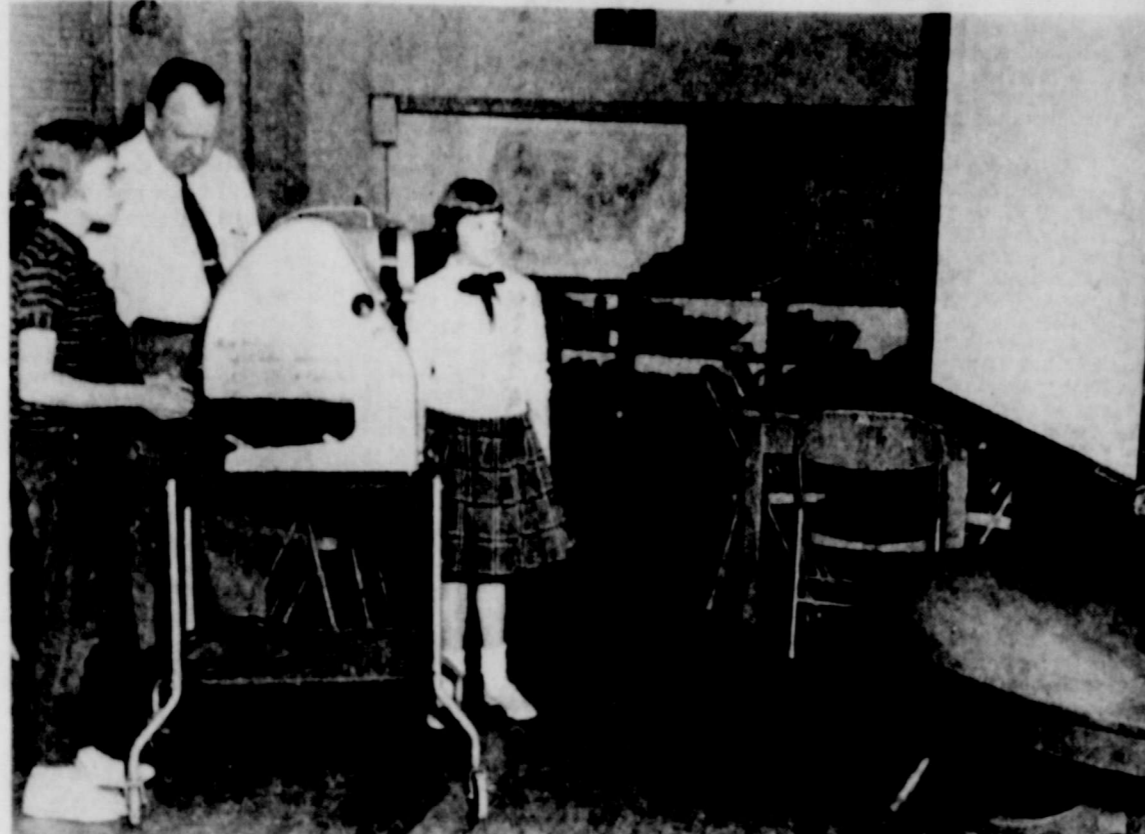
Why the promoter of the town (Mr. Gwynn) gave the lots to the county for a dollar was probably generally known at the time, but it is one of the possibilities that no living person knows.

Road Prospects Dim  
Prospects for the new road connecting Highway 207 about a mile north of South Plains and the Providence FM road seven miles to the west dimmed considerably this week when the jury of view named by the Commissioners Court in February reported unfavorably on the road. They recommended that the road be not granted.

The petition asked for a 60-foot road, taking 30 feet off of the land on each side, from a point beginning in the west right-of-way line of Highway 207 on the north line of Section 16, Block D-1. Thence west on the north line of 16, 15, 5 and 6, Block D-1 to the northwest corner of Section 6, Block D-1. Thence 150 yards north to the northeast corner of Section 11 in Block C-9. Thence west with the north line of Surveys 11 and 12 in Block C-9 to the public road at the northwest corner of Survey 12, Block C-9.

No Fire Fighting Contract  
Probability that the City of Floydada will have to cease to answer fire alarms outside of the corporate limits of the city is indicated this week. The city answered calls in February but the county did not issue the city a warrant in February and again in March. The lack of a contract for the fire fighting service was named by Judge J. D. McBrien as the reason the commissioners did not issue a warrant in these

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New Visual Aid — Fifth grade students Becky Dunlap (left) and Jancy Ginn are shown here receiving instructions on the operation of an opaque projector at Andrews Ward School. Instructor is W. P. Nicholson, principal of the school. The projector was a gift of the Parent-Teacher Assn. of the school and is seeing use in all departments as a visual aid to students. Becky is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Dunlap and Jancy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ginn. The picture was taken in the school library where the PTA now is purchasing a project for sectional metal shelving that will take care of a larger number of books.

# George Willis, Allmon, Shows Champion Steer

George Willis, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Willis of Allmon, showed his heavyweight milked Herford calf to first place and the grand champion of the fat steer show in the Junior Live Stock Show here Tuesday afternoon, and Larry Golden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Golden of Aiken took reserve champion honors with his light weight dry lot Black Angus steer.

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In the sheep division the champion fine wool lamb was exhibited by David Mitchell, who also showed the champion medium wool lamb.

Top honors in the Southdown lamb class went to Mike Shurbet of Allmon.

Showmanship awards and trophies went to Dwight Teeple of South Plains in the cattle division, to Byron Brock of Lockney, in the sheep division, and to James Ashley of Lockney in the swine division.

Awards were made at a gala banquet at Floydada High School cafeteria where the 300 and more boys and girls of the agricultural clubs, their parents and numerous friends gathered Tuesday night.

They were guests at the banquet of the Floyd County Farm Bureau and the First National Bank of Floydada and the First National Bank of Lockney.

Raymond Akin, featured speaker of the evening, spoke of the worthwhileness of the enterprise. "A good many people have done a lot of work, to make it possible, some of them at more than a little sacrifice," he said. "But in all of these good things for our communities it will be found that somebody made sacrifices to make them possible - good churches, good schools, and all." He praised the boys and girls for their efforts in fitting and showing their animals.

He was presented by L. B. Brandes, president of the Floyd County Farm Bureau, who presided at the banquet. Introductions were made of numerous visitors and recognition was given to officers and directors of the fat stock show and to numerous persons who aided in the show and in planning the banquet. County Agent Cecil Lewis, Assistant Agent Harold Ellison, and Sam Puckett, service officer of the Farm Bureau, in particular, came in for recognition of their outstanding efforts.

The show, Brandes said, was far

and away the best in the long series of junior stock shows in the county.

Bill Beady, president of the Floyd County Fat Stock Show Association, presented the trophies to the winners in the swine, lamb and fat steer divisions respectively, as well as for showmanship.

The Moon Discs, a combo from Floydada High School Band, entertained with instrumental music and songs opening the program.

Following are the awards announced by the Stock Show officials, below grand and reserve champions:

**Hampshire Lightweight Barrows**  
1st - Billy Rivers - FFA;  
2nd - Duane Webb - 4H;  
3rd - Max Bradley - FFA;  
4th - Linda Abbott - 4H;  
5th - Larry Orman - FFA;  
6th - Teddy Porter - 4H;  
7th - Phil Lemmons - 4H;  
8th - Steve Bell - 4H;  
9th - Keith Thomas - FFA;  
10th - Danny Shipley - FFA.

**Hampshire Heavy Weight Barrows**  
1st - Stanley Abbott - 4H;  
2nd - Keith Thomas - FFA;  
3rd - Stanley Abbott - 4H;  
4th - Bill Daniels - FFA;  
5th - Robert Holland - FFA;  
6th - Vernie Moore - 4H;  
7th - Keith Thomas - FFA.

**Duroc Lightweight Barrows**  
1st - Claburn Stewart - FFA;  
2nd - Max Bradley - FFA;  
3rd - Randy Hollans - FFA;  
4th - Duane Webb - 4H;  
5th - Bill Daniels - FFA;  
6th - Mark Merrill - 4H;  
7th - Darrell Phillips - 4H;  
8th - Ricky Hodges - 4H;  
9th - Claburn Stewart;  
10th - Ben King - 4H.

**Chester White Lightweight Barrows**  
1st - Randy Laceywell - 4H - 204;  
2nd - David Mitchell - 4H;  
3rd - Lauretta Laceywell - 4H;  
4th - Warren Mitchell - 4H;  
5th - Ronnie Thornton - FFA;  
6th - Ricky Holland - FFA;  
7th - Larry Stapp - FFA;  
8th - Wayman Cooley - FFA;  
9th - Ray Gant - FFA;  
10th - Lauretta Laceywell.

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1st - David Mitchell - 4H;  
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4th - Lauretta Laceywell - 4H;  
5th - Randy Laceywell - 4H;  
6th - Ronald Bertrand - 4H;  
7th - Ricky Holland - FFA;  
8th - Rick Collis - FFA;  
9th - Ronald Bertrand - 4H;  
10th - Joe Neil Rexrode - FFA.

**Poland China Light Weight Barrows**  
1st - Johnny Lewis - 4H;

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1st - Neil Mitchell - 4H;  
2nd - Billy Colston - 4H;  
3rd - Dan Smith - FFA;  
4th - Billy Colston - 4H;  
5th - Van Stovall - FFA;  
6th - Van Stovall - FFA;  
7th - Rayland Brotherton - FFA;  
8th - Gary Matisler - 4H;  
9th - Neil Mitchell - 4H;  
10th - James Cage - FFA.

**Bershire Light Weight Barrows**  
1st - Wayne Cage - FFA;  
2nd - Larry Golden - 4H;  
3rd - James Cage - FFA;  
4th - Rodney Teague - FFA;  
5th - Billy Don Colston - FFA;  
6th - Van Stovall - FFA;  
7th - Rayland Brotherton - FFA;  
8th - Gary Matisler - 4H;  
9th - Neil Mitchell - 4H;  
10th - James Cage - FFA.

**Spotted Poland China L. W. Barrows**  
1st - D. K. Jackson - FFA;  
2nd - D. K. Jackson - FFA;  
3rd - Jake Wofford - FFA;  
4th - Jake Wofford - FFA.

**Other Breeds Heavy Weight**  
1st - Mark Merrell - 4H;  
2nd - Darrell Phillips - 4H;  
3rd - Ben King - 4H;  
4th - Van Stovall - FFA;  
5th - Bud Higginbotham - 4H;  
6th - Mark Merrell - 4H;  
7th - Danny Shipley - FFA;  
8th - Jimmy Huckababy - FFA;  
9th - Joe Neil Rexrode - FFA;  
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**Pen Of 3 Barrows**  
1st - David Mitchell - 4H;  
2nd - Randy Laceywell - 4H;  
3rd - Billy Colston - 4H;  
4th - Byron Brock - FFA;  
5th - Lauretta Laceywell - 4H.

# Alfred A. Brian Passed Sunday In Fort Worth

Alfred Aaron Brian, 27, resident of Fort Worth for the past three years and former music director of the First Baptist Church of Floydada, passed Sunday afternoon in a Fort Worth Hospital, where he had been gravely ill for a week with uremic poisoning and high blood pressure.

Funeral rites were conducted Tuesday morning in Rosen Heights Baptist Church at Fort Worth, where he was educational director. Interment was in Sunset Memorial Park in San Antonio.

As he was known to Floydada friends, was born in Brownwood, and was married in August, 1952, to his surviving wife, Barbara, in California. The couple came to Floydada following the wedding, and Al remained as music director here until 1954.

Survivors other than his wife are his mother, Mrs. Alfred A. Brian Sr., a sister, Mrs. Rand Dyer, both of San Antonio, and a brother, Elton (Speck) Brian of Lubbock.

Those attending the rites from Floydada included Rev. Ed B. Bowles, Farnell Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boren, Mrs. Garland Foster, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hackabee.

# Cotton Option Deadline March 16, Monday, Growers Advised

Deadline for making a choice between "A" and "B" plans of cotton planting is Monday, March 16, called the Office Manager of the Texas Cotton Producers Association, J. Hutchins of the Floyd County Assn. office.

Those farmers who have not returned the form MQ 24(CN-A) making a choice of allotment will be considered as having "A" cotton farm. The certification is important to cotton men who operate another cotton farm in another county or counties.

**Pre-measured Cotton**  
Cotton growers who may wish to have their cotton ground pre-measured may do so by making application and paying a fee of \$10 per farm plus \$4 per plot over one.

Other dates that may be important to farm operators in connection with the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation committee in the first half of the year include:

March 31 - Maturity Date For Wheat And Grain Sorghum Loans.  
Deadline Date To Make Application For Cotton Pre-Measurement Service.

April 30 - Maturity Date For Barley and Oat Loans.  
Final Date To File An Application For Incentive Payment On Wool Or Unshored Lambs Marketed During Cotton 1958 Marketing Year.

Final Date To Put Cotton In The Loan.  
May 10 - Deadline Date For Disposing Of Excess Wheat.  
May 31 - Maturity Date For Soybean Loans.  
July 31 - Maturity Date For Cotton Loans.

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# SOCIETY

## Texiana Is Topic At Meeting of 1922 Study Club

"I love my state of Texas, her dusty idle plains; the winds that kiss the cotton, the wild territorial rains. I love her friendly highways, her cities tall and clean. It is a place to live and love and know what a real handshaker means."

These were thoughts in the minds of members of the 1922 Study Club when they met Thursday for a program on Texas Day in the home of Mrs. P. W. Bell.

Refreshments were served those present prior to the opening of the meeting at which Mrs. W. H. Henderson was leader for the afternoon and gave the devotional.

Roll call was answered with something about Texas. Mrs. J. H. Barnard gave an interesting roll call telling of her recent trip through parts of Texas accompanied by her three sisters.

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## BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

THIS WE BELIEVE (NO. 5; READ NO. 4)

1. God DID NOT promise to stand by the association, the convention, or the fellowship. He did not give to these organizations His commission to go make disciples, baptize, and teach all nations. This was given to His Church. Not only was it given ONLY to His Church, but ONLY the Churches that strive by His help to carry out this commission have HIS PROMISE. "Low, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world" (Matt. 28:20) Some would ask whether a Local New Testament Church can FULFILL SO GREAT A COMMISSION. Friend Christ is Head over all things unto the Church. (Eph. 1:22) Would you dare question HIS POWER? Jesus said unto His Church in Matthew 28:18, "All Power is given unto me in Heaven and in earth." Let us Ourselves in Church, not convention. (Eph. 3:21.)

A. The Only headquarters of a New Testament Baptist Church is in Heaven. Christ is the head of it, and as head of it HE CALLS His missionaries then has His Church to send them out. (Acts 13:1, 4) Any so-called Mission board that operates OUTSIDE the control of the Local New Testament Church is WITHOUT DIVINE AUTHORITY, and ALL ITS WORKS WILL BE BURNED. (1 Cor. 3:11, 15 also 2 Tim. 2:5)

B. The story of a lady who went to work in a garment factory demonstrates our point. Her boss instructed her that ALL WORK would be inspected at the END OF THE LINE and that she would be paid ONLY for the pieces that PASSED INSPECTION. SHE LABORED HARD and to her amazement she had completed more pieces at the end of the day than any two of her friends. She BEGAN TO BOAST AND BELITTLE THE OTHERS because of her outstanding achievement, but at the end of the day her boss called her aside and showed her an enormous stack of her work and said "I am sure you are honest and worked hard. But as I told you in the beginning, we pay only for garments, properly sewn. All these have been REJECTED because of your FAILURE TO FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS." (2 Tim. 2:5.) Gilbert H. Rhine, Pastor



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Mrs. David Battey Sr. replaced Mrs. W. O. Tye, who is on vacation, for her part on historical landmarks. She told of landmarks, old Missions, the Battleship Texas, San Jacinto, and stories of the Alamo, and of its care given by the daughters of the Texas Revolution.

Mrs. Wilson Kimble gave an informative account of Texas today, and its main industries, grains, and lumber. She related the population growth and altitudes of various points in Texas.

Mrs. Kimble mentioned that 12 cities in Texas which now have over a hundred thousand population, and touched upon the meaning of the word Texas.

After a short business meeting at which the president, Mrs. J. H. Barnard, presided, club was adjourned to meet again on March 19 at the Colonial house for Guest Day. Mrs. Kenneth Bain and Mrs. Joe Wilson will be hostesses on that date.

Present for Thursday's meeting were Mrs. Bain, Barnard, J. V. Daniel, W. H. Henderson, Edd Johnson, Wilson Kimble, Harry Koenen, W. S. Poole, Lon V. Smith, E. F. Stovall, J. M. Willson, Joe E. Wilson, and the hostess, Mrs. P. W. Bell.

## Old-Fashioned Box Supper Friday Night

The Sand Hill Club is sponsoring an old-fashioned Box Supper, Friday night, Mar. 13, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Everyone is extended an invitation to attend. Each lady is asked to bring a box.

Don Shurbet will be the auctioneer. Those who attend may dress in old time clothes, if they desire.

"All come and have a big time with us at the Old-Fashioned Box Supper Friday night," urges the club members.

## Former Classmates Compliment Newly Wed Saturday P.M.

Mrs. Edward Whitehead, the former Mary Cogdell, was honored Saturday afternoon with a bridal shower by former classmates of Floydada High School. The affair took place in the home of Miss Kay Robertson, who received guests and presented them to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Ralph Cogdell, and the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. J. B. Whitehead.

Misses Judy Jackson and Glea Adams presided at the register, with Leora King and Shirley Gregory alternating at a crystal service.

A bride doll in all her finery, standing in an archway of spring flowers centered the honoree's table which was laid with a lace cloth over pink. Tall pink tapers completed the arrangement.

Mrs. Whitehead received selections of her chosen cookware and a portable mixer from hostesses. Approximately 60 guests called during the afternoon.

Assisting Miss Robertson in hospitalities were Misses Leora King, Judy Jackson, Glea Adams, Jane Tye, Linda Welborn, Tommy Copeland, Edwina Overstreet, Gaynelle Booth, June Shirley Gregory, Joy Sparks, Mrs. Gwynne Zahn, Mrs. Sallye Jo Day.

## Double Ring Wedding Unites Miss Bolander And Glen E. King

Double-ring wedding vows were exchanged Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock between Glen E. King and Miss Glenda Kay Bolander of Ralls. The ceremony was performed in the parlor of the First Baptist Church by Rev. Ed B. Bowles, pastor.

Bob Heath, stepfather of the bride, gave her in marriage. The couple's attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jones.

Mrs. King was attired in a street length light blue tweed suit, white accessories, and a shoulder corsage of white carnations.

A reception for the couple was given in the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. King in Floydada, following the wedding.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Heath of Ralls, is a graduate of Ralls high school. Her husband, a former employee at Piggly Wiggly store in Floydada, served two years in the army, and is presently employed at Morton Potato Chip Co., in Lubbock, where the couple are making their home.

Attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. King, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Heath, Bill Bolander of Oklahoma, and Claud Bolander of Ralls, brothers of the bride, Kenneth and Joyce King of Lubbock, brother and sister of the bridegroom, and Mr. and Mrs. John Brandon of Plainview.

## Women of the Bible Portrayed in Meeting

Members of the Floydada Rebekah Lodge portrayed women of the Bible in a ceremony known as the "Bell of Fraternity" at a District 4 Rebekah Lodge School of Instruction in IOOF with the Lockney Lodge as host on the night of Feb. 23.

District Deputy President Dimple McGavock, of Lockney presided at the meeting. Jo Ann Holliday of Petersburg presented the Bible as Mrs. Lona Sparks of Floydada sang "Blessed Book," accompanied by Mrs. Ethel Swayer, also of Floydada. Mrs. Ora Shipley, oldest member of the district, gave the invocation and benediction.

## Mrs. Pete Kendrick Blue Bonnet Hostess

Mrs. Pete Kendrick was hostess Thursday for a regular meeting of the Blue Bonnet Needle Club. Winning game prizes were Mrs. Charles Denning, Mrs. Burl Huckabee, Mrs. Greer Christian, Mrs. Everett Perry, Mrs. W. W. Goen and Mrs. Carl Jarrett.

Members present in addition to those mentioned were Mrs. Dennis Dempsey, Kerney Edmiston, Wayne Raley, Floyd Fuqua and Mrs. W. B. Eakin.

The next meeting will be on March 19, with Mrs. Greer Christian.

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## Bridal Shower Is Given To Honor Mrs. Whitehead

Mrs. Edward Whitehead, the former Mary Cogdell, was honored with a bridal shower Friday evening in the home of Mrs. Guy Ginn. Some 75 guests called or sent gifts between the hours of 5 until 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Ginn received and presented those present to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Ralph Cogdell, and the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. J. B. Whitehead.

Miss Glea Adams presided at the register and Misses Jane Tye and Kay Robertson served from a silver service.

The honoree's table was covered with a white Mexico hand made cloth with a center arrangement of spring flowers, flanked by two tall pink tapers in crystal holders.

Assisting Mrs. Ginn in the house parts were Mrs. Aaron Carthel, Al Gallosky, Dennis Dempsey, A. H. Robertson, Pierre King, E. M. Jackson, Orville Newberry, Allen Bingham, W. M. Tye, Jake Watson, J. S. Hale Jr., Duncan Hollums, M. J. McNeill.

S. V. Adams, W. L. Orman, Sid Brown, Pete Hickerson, Tom Hutchins, Carl Jarrett, J. T. Graves, W. T. Censer, C. V. Lemons, Alvin Nichols, Carl F. Lemons, M. S. Robertson and C. T. Hammonds.

Mrs. Whitehead received a pink Queen Elizabeth bedspread and pieces of her pottery from the hostesses.

## Miladies Club Met Thursday Afternoon

Miladies Club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. H. F. Pratt with Mrs. Burl Ferguson as hostess. Mrs. W. A. Lovell, president, presided, roll call being answered with Easter fashions.

Recreation period was led by Mrs. E. J. Wornack, followed by the members placing their gifts into the Sunshine box, to be delivered to Ida Copperell, this month's shut-in.

Cake and coffee was served to Mrs. W. A. Lovell, Ed Dunavant, Foster Ambrun, Carl Nelson, E. L. Judy, Burl Ferguson, A. C. Pratt and son, and Debra Jones, visitors, and Mrs. E. J. Wornack.

The next meeting will be on April 2, with Mrs. Lawrence Stovall.

## NEW BRIDE IS HONORED IN PLAINVIEW COURTESY

Mrs. Joe Anthony Martin, nee Reta Hefflin, was named honoree at a bridal shower given in the home of Mrs. J. H. Reece in Plainview last week. Mrs. Martin is the daughter-in-law of a former Floydada couple, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin. Her husband is engaged in farming with his father near Kress.

Red and white were the colors used in home decorations for the shower carrying out the Valentine theme in keeping with their marriage on Valentine.

Approximately 50 guests called or sent gifts.

## SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

A surprise birthday party honoring Mrs. Bill Tye and Mrs. Floyd Lawson was given Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. T. L. Holland. Assisting Mrs. Holland were Mrs. M. J. McNeill, Mrs. John Stapleton, Mrs. W. H. Simpson Jr., and Mrs. Tom Sneed.

The afternoon was spent enjoying refreshments and visiting.

## KINSMAN PASSES AT COOPER

Mrs. Tom Phillips, 49, cousin of Mrs. Aaron Carthel and Mrs. A. C. Carthel, passed away last week at Cooper from a heart ailment. Funeral rites for the deceased were held on Saturday in that City. Mrs. Phillips, who had been in ill health for a number of years, is survived by her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carthel attended the funeral.

## PRE-NUPITAL COURTESY

Mrs. Glenn E. King, the former Glenda Kay Bolander, was honored before her marriage with a bridal shower on Feb. 27, in the home of Mrs. U. K. Grant in Ralls.

Misses Grant, Haverd Garner, Bill Allison, and J. E. Langdon served cake and punch to approximately 30 guests including the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. J. A. King of Floydada, and his sister, Mrs. Jimmie Joyce King of Lubbock.

## MEETING PLACE CHANGED

It is announced by Mrs. Ralph Cogdell, reporter of the 1934 Study Club, that the club meeting on March 17, will be in the home of Mrs. H. G. Barber, instead of Mrs. I. T. Graves. Mrs. Graves will be hostess at a future date.

## Traffic Safety Program Planned By '29 Study Club

A program on Traffic Safety is in the making and the date for the event will be March 19, it was disclosed at a meeting of the 1929 Study Club Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. G. Martin. The program is being arranged by Bob Copeland, who is a member of the Traffic Safety Committee of Floydada.

The program is a special project of Federated Clubs. It will be of importance to men, women and children of all ages, and the public will be invited to attend.

Sponsored by the 1929 Study Club, the affair will take place in the high school auditorium, and a speaker from Dallas will be on hand, his name to be announced at a later date.

Mrs. Tate Jones, presided at Thursday's meeting in absence of the president, Mrs. O. G. Glassmeyer. Mrs. J. D. McBrien had charge of the program, and introduced Mrs. E. J. Morehead, who is chairman of the Council of Federated Clubs.

In addition to talking on Federated clubs, Mrs. Morehead showed color slides of her trip to the East Coast last summer with her son, Richard, who is with the Dallas News. Their trip took them along the coast from New York to Nova Scotia.

Roll call was answered by club members of Federated club news, followed by the announcement of the Golden Jubilee, coming up in Floydada in May.

Those present included Mrs. Hollis R. Bond, C. W. Denison, Paul Huntington, Tate Jones, A. H. Kries, S. J. Latta, J. G. Martin, J. D. McBrien, and one guest, Mrs. Huntington's mother, of Brady.

## Layette Shower Given Mrs. Gross

The home of Mrs. Wanda Terry was the scene Thursday afternoon for the layette shower honoring Mrs. Dan Gross. Assisting Mrs. Terry were Mrs. Allen Gross and Mrs. Bob Welborn.

Mrs. Terry and Mrs. Gross served from a table centered with a white flocked tree holding an assortment of flowers entwined, from which hung miniature dolls. A cake was decorated with icing forming a tiny baby, with the words "Rock O'by Days."

Plate favors were pacifiers made from life savers and gum drops. Punch was served from a crystal bowl surrounded by baby buggies and bassinets made from marshmallows.

Many useful and lovely gifts were sent the honoree. Bringing gifts and remaining at the shower were Mrs. Harold Ellison, Cecil Lewis, W. W. Trapp, Everett Miller, Kent Covington, Troy McNeill, Robert Ward, Mac Ward, Ronald Evans, B. A. Robertson, Elmer Norrell, John Walker, R. C. Bullock, and Mrs. Tomany Assister.

Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dunavant were Mr. and Mrs. Truman Dunavant of Harmony community, and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hall of Lubbock.

Mrs. G. R. Strickland is in Amarillo this week, guest of her son, Reid and family, and will go through the clinic while there for a medical check-up, according to her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolin Cope of Lamesa were in Floydada over the week-end to visit Mrs. Cope's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fowler.

Miss Bernice Bishop returned home Saturday from Lockney General Hospital where she was for several days receiving medical attention. She is said to be doing nicely at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Tye returned home Tuesday from an extended vacation at Truth or Consequences, N. Mex. The couple greatly enjoyed their three weeks stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rushing are visiting in Houston with their daughter, Mrs. Juanita Bridges, and her family, and are expected home sometime this week.

Mrs. A. W. Chowning and Dee Noyes are in Denton this week, where they are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Billy Chowning, who are parents of a new son, born last week.

Mrs. W. B. Wilson visited in Matar Tuesday and Wednesday of last week with Ada Ford and Mr. and Mrs. Vance Gilbreath.

## Kitchen and Field News

Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc. by NANCY MORCKEL Home Economist

The annual meeting of the Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc. will be held again this year at the Baptist Encampment near Floydada, where it was held last year and the year before. The date has been set for Saturday, April 18. The program committee is working hard to make it one of the best - so be watching for announcements concerning this big event.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bob Harrison and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Floyd in Idalou on Sunday. Larry and Harry Hulsey spent Friday with their grandfather, W. H. Hulsey, in Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Corkey Guffee and children spent the week-end in Memphis with her grandfather D. Leach, who is in the hospital following a car wreck there last week. The Leach's home is in Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Latham and boys of Dumas spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Bessie Marris, and Mr. Marris and their wife. On Sunday the group spent the day in Ralls with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fewell and family. Mrs. Fewell is also a daughter of the Lathams.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Duke and children took Sunday dinner with his sister and her family. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baird, and children, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Mayo were Sunday afternoon visitors in our home.

The Wake Club met last Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Arnold Hodges for their regular meeting. The demonstration was "Patty Shells and Party Foods."

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Richardson, Pam and Kay of Crosbyton, Mrs. C. M. Thacker, Mrs. A. B. Keim and Mrs. J. E. Laughlin were Saturday evening visitors in our home.

We enjoyed a salad supper and "4" games with the Wake Club at the Pioneer House in Crosbyton last Friday night.

Mrs. Leslie Fawver was back at work on Monday after several days of sick leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bob Harrison and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Duke and children were Sunday evening visitors in our home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Baker spent the week-end in Odessa visiting relatives.

## MRS. BAKER IS HOSTESS FOR WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD

The Wesleyan Service Guild met Monday evening March 9, in the home of Mrs. W. O. Baker.

The program was begun with a devotional by Mrs. P. A. Denison. Mrs. Loren Leibfried discussed the first and second chapters of the study, "Isaiah Speaks."

The worship center, arranged by Mrs. J. B. Bishop was a picture of Isaiah in the book, "In Our Image", with a white candle and calla lilies.

Those present were Mesdames, G. L. Bryant, T. J. Hutchins, George Stiles, P. A. Denison, E. E. Hinson, Loren Leibfried, L. F. Gresham, G. M. Armstrong and the hostess, Mrs. Baker.

Mrs. Loren Leibfried will be the hostess March 23.

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# STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights by Vern Sanford TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

**AUSTIN.** — If you can't beat it, don't knock it. That sentiment, in varying forms, is being often expressed by legislators struggling to write tax bills to fill the yawning holes in the state's money supply.

People who come before the Legislature to oppose a money-raising proposal usually get a tart invitation to come up with a better one.

Opponents of a tobacco tax plan got short shift before the House Committee. "If you come criticizing, don't you think you should come up with some solution to the tax problem?" asked Rep. H. J. Blanchard of Lubbock.

Similarly, anyone who comes to push a money-spending bill is challenged to produce a money-making bill to match it.

Rep. Don Gladden of Fort Worth drew cheers from fellow House members when he criticized the approach of a teachers' letter writing campaign. Gladden said the teachers had been instructed to ask for higher pay but make no statement on what taxes they would favor.

**ROCKY ROAD.** — Overall, the tax picture is still "all shook up."

Rep. Jamie Clements' bill to remove the tax exemption on cigarettes sold on military bases was sent by the House Taxation Committee to Atty. Gen. Will Wilson. Question to Wilson is whether the state can collect a tax from a federal agency.

A proposed liquor tax hike suddenly gained redoubled potency when the sponsor, Rep. Pete LaValle tackled an amendment that would legalize liquor-by-the-drink sales. Gov. Daniel, who had urged the original bill, promptly protested. Bill was sent to subcommittee for study.

House Appropriations Committee apparently is taking note of the Tax Committee's rocky road. It is reportedly doing some painful paring of spending requests.

**WIDE OPEN FIELD.** — Meanwhile, many more "little tax" ideas are swirling about. Most apparently are aimed at avoiding a bitter deadlock over a new "big tax."

Rep. Rufus Kilpatrick of Beaumont introduced a bill to tax gross receipts of scrap metal sales, and Rep. W. T. Oliver, Port Neches, a five per cent gross receipts tax on advertising sold by newspapers, radio and TV stations and billboards. Oliver also is said to be considering taxes on phonograph records and parking lots.

Other possibilities being discussed are (1) a 1.5 per cent general sales tax, exempting food, feed and fertilizer, by Rep. Frates Seeligson of San Antonio, (2) and across-the-board increase in the omnibus tax system which includes almost all present levies, (3) a registration fee for airplanes, similar to auto licensing.

Rep. Homer Koliba of Columbus said he would prefer to raise money through legalized liquor-by-the-drink and horse racing, heavily taxed, than by a general sales tax.

**HIGH-VOLTAGE ISSUE.** — House State Affairs Committee will take on a supercharged issue March 16 — the long struggle between private utilities and REA co-ops.

REAs are seeking a law that would assure their being able to continue to operate in a once-rural area after it is annexed by a city. Under the measure sponsored by Rep. Alonzo Jamison of Denton, the co-ops could serve old customers and recruit new ones for a period of 10 years. After this, a municipal franchise would be required.

Spreading power companies, offering stiff opposition, say the non-tax-paying co-ops want to spread through the cities, socialize the power industry. Co-ops retort they are the ones being swallowed up — by spreading cities.

**RE-ORGANIZATION ASKED.** — A bill has been introduced to reorganize the State Insurance Department, which was reorganized by the Legislature two years ago.

Rep. George Cook's measure would set up a part-time board of nine members familiar with the insurance field.

Cook indicated the proposal was in answer to complaints that the present three-member board (1) does not represent industry and (2) serves full-time, contrary to "legislative intent."

**KEEPING THE SABBATH.** — Sunday beer buying seems likely to continue, but not Sunday auto buying.

A bill to ban beer sales on Sunday and after 10 p. m. on weekdays has been sent to an unfriendly House subcommittee. A spokesman for "dry" irritated committee members from beer-drinking areas by implying use of beer "separated the saved from the unsaved."

Senate Transportation Committee approved the ban of Sunday auto sales, after dealers presented a solid front of support. Only opponents were representatives of Seventh Day Adventists, who observe Saturday as their day of worship.

**COLLEGE EXPANSION OKAYED.** — Elevation of two junior colleges — Arlington State and John Tarleton — to full four-year status has been approved by the House.

Economy advocates protested that "we have 16 full supported state four-year colleges now — more than any other state."

But supporters replied that no additional appropriation would be needed immediately.

**"LITTLE HOOVER" BILL.** — Creation of a state commission to conduct an efficiency study — similar to the Hoover Commission for federal government — has gained House approval.

Rep. Dick Cory of Victoria, sponsor, pointed out that the Hoover Commission resulted in a seven billion dollar savings in its first year.

Opponents protested the Cory commission would be just another money-spending state agency. Cory countered the \$100,000 it would cost would be regained many times.

Commission would be made up of one senator, one representative and ten persons from private life.

Siamese cats were bred as pets for the King of Siam and a few noble families of that country.

Catgut is obtained from numerous animals, particularly sheep, but never from cats.

## Report From WASHINGTON

(By George Mahon)

**AGRICULTURE.** — On March 6, I joined a number of other Members of Congress in urging the Secretary of Agriculture to reconsider his action in slashing milo supports. We pointed out that the 31 cents per 100 pounds cut in milo for 1959 was all out of proportion to the support price for corn and that the heavy reduction would be disastrous to many grain sorghum growers.

We called Mr. Benson's attention to the fact that milo was about the same feed value as corn and that the law requires that relative feed values should be considered in fixing feed grain supports. Mr. Benson pointed out that under the law he has the authority to consider other factors. He gave the group no encouragement. The next move will be a hearing on the problem by the House Agriculture Committee on March 13.

**NATIONAL DEFENSE.** — We are in the seventh week of hearings on the President's defense budget. Scores of witnesses have testified. From the facts presented, it is clear the U. S. in the over-all, is militarily stronger than Russia. It is also clear that we are behind in the vital field of long-range ballistic missiles. In the intercontinental ballistic missile race it is estimated that we will lag behind Russia through 1963. When we consider that the ICBM is, no doubt, to become the major weapon of the future, we cannot regard this second place role without concern. We are now giving much consideration to the problem of how to close the missile gap. The situation is disturbing, but we must bear in mind that our bomber striking power is still quite capable of destroying Russia. In fact, each side is becoming increasingly more capable of destroying the other. This points up the urgent necessity for a genuine settlement of major international problems.

**FOREIGN AFFAIRS.** — Most Democrats and Republicans alike view the illness of Secretary Dulles as a serious blow to the country at this critical point in our foreign relations. No one is equipped to step immediately into Mr. Dulles' shoes. There is full agreement that we must stand firm in the presence of danger in the Berlin crisis. But more is required than determination. There must be day-to-day planning and decisions. The President is doing the best he can to meet a difficult situation. It is certain that he will be fully supported by Congress.

The Berlin controversy has become increasingly more serious in recent weeks as a result of Khrushchev's further demands and maneuvers. He appears determined to try to kick the Western powers out of Berlin. It is thought that he will stop short of war, but miscalculations in an atmosphere of threat and bluster constitute a real danger of a shooting war.

**SPENDING.** — The President recently submitted a balanced budget for the coming fiscal year, but the balance hinges on some important "ifs." For example, the budget as presented would be thrown off balance if Congress, as now appears likely, refuses to raise the gasoline tax by 1 and one-half cents per gallon or rejects the increase in the first-class postage rate from 4 cents to 5 cents. Also, there are indications that the President's revenue estimates are unduly optimistic.

The controversy between the President and Congress over who is the chief culprit in big spending focuses

public attention on a very vital issue. The unassailable truth, based on official Executive figures, is that the President has requested considerably more spending authority since he has been in office than Congress has provided. Had Congress followed the recommendations of the President, the Executive branch would have spent, or had on hand to spend, large additional sums.

I believe that Congress will moderately increase the President's defense budget, but I hope the overall budget can be kept in balance. The government departments may spend money as a result of direct appropriations by Congress, or as a result of authority granted by Congress to withdraw funds from the Treasury without consideration by the Appropriations Committees, a system known as the "back-door" method. I am supporting legislation to block the back-door method. During the last two years, Congress cut the President's requested spending authority in appropriation bills by about \$5 billion, but increased sums requested through the so-called back-door method by about \$2 billion. If all spending authority were channeled through the Appropriation Committees of Congress, the Congress and the country could more easily keep tab on government spending and the pressures for economy would be greater.

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RESOLUTION AND ORDER FOR CITY BOND ELECTION - ON THIS, the 10th day of March, 1959...

ON THIS, the 10th day of March, 1959, the City Council of the City of Floydada...

AYES: Aldermen Martin, Jones, Goen, Willis

NOES: None

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Floydada, Texas...

SECTION 1: That an election be held on the 7th day of April, 1959...

SECTION 2: That said election shall be held at the CITY HALL...

SECTION 3: That the following named persons are hereby appointed officers of the election...

SECTION 4: That said election shall be held under the provisions of the laws...

SECTION 5: That the ballots for said election shall be prepared in sufficient number...

SECTION 6: THAT A COPY of this resolution and order...

SECTION 7: THAT NOTICE of said election shall be given by posting and publication...

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Plain or Almond 6 for Hershey Bars 25

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Hot and Spicy Pound Block CHILI 49c

For Boiling lb. Ham Hocks 29c

Gold Crown lb. BACON 43c

3 lb. Cello Bag FRANKS 1.39

## TSTA District Is Divided By Area Teachers

The Texas State Teacher's Association of District IV, was divided into two units Thursday night following a banquet at the Caprock Hotel in Lubbock.

Unit XIII, as one was numbered, lies north of the Dawson-Lynn County line. The southern unit remains District IV, with Scurry County being added to the roll.

District XIII will hold their 1960 convention in Lubbock and District IV has chosen Big Spring. The date will be decided on by district officers of the association.

Vincent W. Miller, Pasadena, State president of TSTA, was speaker at the banquet for delegates Thursday night at which I. T. Graves, superintendent of Floydada schools, presided. Graves is District IV president.

Dr. John L. Buford, superintendent of schools at Mt. Vernon, Ill., president elect of the Illinois Council of Education Administration and past president of the National Education Association, was main speaker at the general session which convened Friday.

Afternoon speaker was Dr. Stewart Harrah, director of public relations studies at the University of Oklahoma.

At an election held at a business meeting following the banquet Mr. LaRue Hutchinson of Andrews, was elected new TSTA District IV president. Floyd McCrury, Odessa, vice president. To head District XIII will be Charles Mathews, Plainview, and Mrs. Ethel Terrel, Lubbock, vice president.

### Commissioners

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two months. A warrant was issued in January.

Agreement between the city and the county was effective during the year 1958 for fire fighting service at \$75 per month. City authorities said they assumed the arrangement would be continued, but the county

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WILSON'S, 2 lbs. Thick Sliced	
<b>BACON</b>	<b>\$1.19</b>
SALAD WAFER, 1 lb. Box	
<b>CRACKERS</b>	<b>27c</b>
WHITE, 400 Count	
<b>KLEENEX</b>	<b>25c</b>
SKINNERS, 2 Boxes	
<b>Spaghetti or Macaroni</b>	<b>25c</b>
TENDERCRUST, 1 1/2 lb. Loaf	
<b>BREAD</b>	<b>23c</b>
FIRM HEADS, Pound	
<b>LETTUCE</b>	<b>10c</b>
ASSORTED FLAVORS	
<b>JELL-O</b> , 3 Pkgs.	<b>25c</b>

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said they could not go on the assumption and would have to have the contract.

Over at the city hall the minutes disclose that the resolution to renew the contract with the county was adopted on Feb. 13.

Question of who is going to make out the contract and take it to whom appeared to be part of the mildly amusing hassle.

Cities of the state ceased to serve property outside of their corporate limits without an agreement with the counties two years ago when it developed in a disaster at Dumas that members of the council were liable for injury to members of the fire department outside of the corporate limits.

**Hospital Delinquent Taxes**  
Query at the office of Judge J. D. McBrien this week revealed that there is no early prospect of getting cancellation of county and state taxes levied against the property of Peoples Hospital.

In case the hospital management is able to get the institution re-financed the court has indicated it would go along and cancel out the taxes levied against it for successive years. However, if there is to be a foreclosure the commissioners will make an effort to collect delinquent taxes alleged against the property.

Directors of the hospital maintain that since the hospital was chartered as a nonprofit institution the property should be released from liability.

City of Floydada and Floydada Independent School District, which also have delinquent taxes levied against the property, are waiting to relinquish their claims until the county and state take the step.

### Livestock Show

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**Fine Wool Lambs**  
1st — Grand Champion — David Mitchell — 4H.  
2nd — Billy Colston — 4H.  
3rd — Dan Smith — FFA.  
4th — Larry Adams — 4H.  
5th — Mark Montandon — 4H.  
6th — Ricky Kellison — 4H.  
7th — Wayne Taack — 4H.  
8th — Duane Griffith — FFA.  
9th — Dennis Griffith — 4H.  
10th — Tim Word — 4H.

**Medium Wool Lambs**  
1st — Grand Champion — David Mitchell — 4H.  
2nd — George Willis — FFA.  
3rd — James Ansel — FFA.  
4th — Larry Elam — FFA.  
5th — Larry Adams — 4H.  
6th — Joe Allard — FFA.  
7th — Allen Adams — 4H.  
8th — Clarence Ansel — FFA.  
9th — Pat O'Brien — 4H.  
10th — Jimmy Whitfill — FFA.

**Southdown Lambs**  
1st — Grand Champion — Mike Shurbet.  
2nd — George Willis — FFA.  
3rd — David Mitchell — 4H.  
4th — David Mitchell — 4H.  
5th — Mike Shurbet — FFA.  
6th — James McNeill — 4H.  
7th — Pat O'Brien — 4H.

8th — Danny Shipley — FFA.  
9th — Larry Elam — FFA.  
10th — Billy Colston — 4H.

**Lambs Pen Of 3**  
1st — David Mitchell — 4H.  
2nd — Clarence Ansel — FFA.  
3rd — Danny Shipley — FFA.  
4th — Pat O'Brien — 4H.  
5th — Keith Carthel.

**Steers Drylot, 900 Lbs. And Under**  
1st — Larry Golden — 4H.  
2nd — Warren Mitchell — 4H.  
3rd — Melvin Lloyd.  
4th — Don Lloyd.  
5th — Francis Montandon.  
6th — David Scheele.  
7th — Ronnie Harris.  
8th — Carolyn Harris.  
9th — Ronnie Harris.  
10th — Joyce Noland.

**Drylot Steers 901 Lbs. And Over**  
1st — Dwight Teeple — 4H.  
2nd — Ricky Nelson — 4H.  
3rd — Marisue Burleson — FFA.  
4th — Johnny Lackey.  
5th — Mickey Hammonds.  
6th — Bobby Holt.  
7th — Billy Colston.  
8th — Ricky Collins.  
9th — Melvin Lloyd.  
10th — Keith Teague.

**Milked Steer 900 Lbs. And Under**  
1st — Warren Mitchell.  
2nd — Billy Don Colston.  
3rd — James McNeill.

**Milked Steers 901 Lbs. And Over**  
1st — George Willis.  
2nd — Neil Mitchell.  
3rd — Stan Castleberry.  
4th — Billy Don Colston.  
5th — James McNeill.  
6th — Darlene Mount.  
7th — Darlene Mount.

**Complete list of sales at the Jr. Livestock show will be given in The Hesperian next week.**

## Lockney Junior Show Saturday

One-hundred and ninety-two animals were entered in the Junior Livestock Show held at Lockney Saturday. Entries were brought in by 4H and FFA boys and girls of the Lockney and Providence districts. Gene Barnett of Plainview was judge.

The show, sponsored by the Lockney Chamber of Commerce, included the awarding of \$600 in prizes from \$15 for Grand Champions down.

Grand champions were shown by Neil Mitchell, Angus steer, David Mitchell, Chester White barrow, Neil Mitchell, Poland China barrow, and Larry Golden, Angus Steer.

Other results include the swine division with lightweight barrow, Byron Brock, first; heavy barrow, David Mitchell, Chester White, first; Warren Mitchell, Chester White, second; and Tim Hartman, Poland China, third.

Medium weight barrow: David Mitchell, Chester White, first; Randy Laceywell, Chester White, second; and Loretta Laceywell, third.

Heavy weight barrow: David Mitchell, Chester White, first; Neil Mitchell, Poland China, first; Stanley Abbott, Poland China, second; and Audrey McCormick, Chester White, third.

**Lamb Show**  
Fine wool: Wayne Taack, Rambouillet, first; Margaret Schacht, Rambouillet, second; and Don Schacht, Rambouillet, third.

Medium wool: James Ansel, Shropshire, first; David Mitchell, Shropshire, second; and Larry Elam, Shropshire, third.

Southdown and Crossbred: David Mitchell, Shropshire, first; Clarence Ansel, Southdown, second; and David Mitchell, third.

Pen of three: Keith Carthel, Shropshire, first; David Mitchell, Shropshire, second; and James Ansel, Shropshire, third.

**Fat Steer Show**  
Light drylot: Ronnie Harris, Angus, first; Warren Mitchell, Hereford, second; and Rickie Kellison, Angus, third.

Heavy drylot: Larry Golden, first and second, both Angus, third; Ronnie Harris, Angus, fourth.

Light milk: Ted: Neil Mitchell, Angus, first; and Warren Mitchell, Angus, second.

Special showmanship awards went to Ronnie Harris, calves; James Ansel, sheep; and Byron Brock, swine.

**Shop With A List, Suggests Speaker**  
The Dougherty Home Demonstration Club met Mar. 4 in the home of Mrs. A. H. Kreis with Mrs. G. W. Smith, presiding, the hostess read the devotional from Ruth 2:14.

Council report was given by Mrs. Robert Ward.

A committee of Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Ring was appointed to select the outstanding club member of the year.

Miss Phyllis Roggenдорff had charge of the program for the afternoon. The lesson was on "Meal Planning," "The Texas Food Standard" and "How to Save on Your Food Dollar."

Since the cost of food has gone up four times as high as it was in 1946 it is well to shop for bargains of the week. Taking into consideration the quality impulse buys are not always bargains.

Shop with a list after making menus out a week in advance. Check the Texas food standard with your menus for a day to see that the required foods are.

From 25 to 27 percent of the income of each family is spent on food.

Miss Roggenдорff concluded by passing out bulletins in connection with the program.

Two guests were present for the meeting, Mrs. Haword Drysdale, who explained the operation of the Bookmobile and Mrs. Tate Jones, who is working with the old settlers, making arrangements for the Golden Jubilee to be held May 26 through 30. The meeting adjourned to meet Mar. 18, in the home of Mrs. Robert Ward.

A lovely refreshment plate was served to the following members: Mmes. Robert Ward, C. A. Caffee, Gus Hammonds, Claude Ring, Ned Bradley, Russell Crawford, G. W. Smith, Jack Roes, Bill Smith and the visitors Mrs. Drysdale, Mrs. Jones and Miss Roggenдорff and the hostess, Mrs. Kreis.

## Style Show Is Gay Event For Fashion-Wise

Saturday afternoon even the weather was in accord with the brightness and colors of the annual Spring Review of the Floydada Style Show sponsored by the 1950 Study Club, and held in the High School cafeteria.

Mrs. Charles Craig, president of the club, said approximately \$200 was received in ticket sales from the afternoon show. Guests were greeted by members of the club and escorted to tables, where they were served hot spiced tea and cookies.

Yellow was used throughout the room for decorations, and background for the stage where models appeared was an array of yellow petals, carnations, and the words "Shop Floydada First" in the same colors.

After making their first appearance models walked through the aisles near the tables, where spectators could get a closer look at the latest fashions in children's wearing apparel, sports ensembles, casual wear, street clothes and formal.

Mrs. Sam Puckett did a splendid job of narrating through hampered by a severe case of laryngitis.

Mrs. Bob Copeland furnished piano selections during the parade of fashions and accompanied Mrs. J. D. Webb and Mrs. David Battay Jr. Each sang a solo.

Firms represented in the afternoon's show and their models were: Beal Brothers, Mrs. Calvin Pott, Miss Rilla Sue Duncan, Miss Nelda Mary, Sandra Igoe, Tony Goen, Joe Jones, and Pam Lewis, who replaced Susan Hagood.

Miladies, Mrs. Tate Jones, Mrs. Kinder Farris, Miss Francis Ashton, Miss Sue McClung, Miss Francis VanWickel, and Miss Pat Hickerson.

"R" R Fashions, Mrs. Fred Cardinal, Mrs. Ed Bowles, Miss Jo Ellen Rene, Miss Sue Ann Rene, Miss Marisue Burleson, Miss Kay Bullock, Miss Judy Shurbet, and Jan Kassahn.

Hale's, Mrs. Nell Polvadare, Hale's, Mrs. Ray Ainsworth, Mrs. Marvin Shurbet, Mrs. Billy Stanforth Jr., Mrs. A. W. Coltharp, Miss Carolyn Cates, Miss Edwina Overstreet, Pam Breed and Del McClure.

**MRS. HOLLUMS IN HOSPITAL**  
Reports Tuesday from members of the family said that Mrs. Maud Hollums was doing better and resting fairly comfortable in Lockney General Hospital.

Mrs. Hollums has been in ill health for two weeks and was taken to the hospital last Tuesday night after her condition apparently became more serious.

She is still going through a series of medical tests.

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## Noxious Weed Talks Slated For March 23

A meeting slated for 7:30 o'clock the night of March 23 will be held in the district court room in Floydada for the discussion of the control of noxious weeds. It was announced this week by Harry Morckel of Morckel Farm Chemical Co.

A Du Pont representative, Dave Stabler, and two representatives of Taylor-Evans, Inc., Bob Callaway and Bob Vail, will present the discussions.

A 10-minute film presentation of "Bindweed Control with the Benzoc Acid" will be run at the meeting also.

**JOINS TECH SORORITY**  
LUBBOCK — Phi Beta Phi social sorority at Texas Tech has initiated 23 new members. Among these is Cheryl Crawford of Floydada, a sophomore secretarial administration major.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Bruner, of Amarillo, were in Floydada Sunday, guests of Mr. Bruner's uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Glad Snodgrass.

J. M. Massie is in Methodist Hospital this week. He became ill Friday and went to the hospital for clinical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Levis Gilliland and children spent the week-end in Fort Worth, where they visited with his brother, Earlene Gilliland and family. They returned home Sunday night.

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**GROCERY & MARKET**

J. C. ODAM III.  
J. C. Odam was admitted to Peoples Hospital Sunday and brought home Tuesday after suffering a heart attack. Mrs. Odam said her husband had just finished lunch when he became ill. His condition was reported good yesterday. Visiting with the ill man and his family during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Don Cage and son and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Odam and family, all of Lubbock.

Sandra Dunavant, month and one-half old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Dunavant and the grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dunavant, is home now after a long stay in Lockney General Hospital with intestinal flu. Little Sandra has been having to be fed intravenously while ill and is only now able to take nourishment.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Robertson and daughters, Linda and Deanne, spent the week-end in Littlefield, and on Sunday enjoyed a family re-union of Mrs. Robertson's family, in honor of her brother, W. O. Hampton, who was celebrating his birthday.

W. T. Robertson, 81, is said to be resting some better this week after being ill for the past month. Mr. Robertson contracted a severe cold then had a flare-up of asthma, causing his condition to weaken somewhat. He is able to be up a part of the time.

Pvt. Rannie G. Vickers, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Vickers, and a former Floydada football star, will leave from Fort Hood on March 23, for an overseas assignment in Germany for 30 months. Vickers is a graduate of Floydada High School and is with Co., A, 2nd Med. Tank Battalion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Welborn returned home Sunday after being gone a week visiting in Waco, with Mr. Welborn's daughter, Mrs. Adrain Helms and family. The couple also enjoyed a few days fishing at Falcon Dam.

J. E. Gatlin will leave today for his home in Howland, after visiting here this week with his brother-in-law, Will Snedd and Mrs. Snell. Mr. Gatlin had been spending sometime previous to his Floydada visit at Ralls with a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McKinnon and Mrs. Bill Tye spent a part of their vacation at the hospital where Mr. McKinnon is recovering from a back operation at school Monday.

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### County Problems

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McKinnon spent a part of the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. James McKinnon at the hospital where he is recovering from a back operation Monday.

Alma Holmes was named to check further on the idea. Good prize money will be offered contestants if the idea jells. Sam Puckett, secretary-treasurer of the association, said something different for the fair also may be Indian displays from Oklahoma.

Knotty problem is locating a carnival again this year. The carnival operator on whom the fair association has been depending, is booked up in other events, so at the moment the local organization is out in the cold again; so far as getting this kind of entertainment for the youngsters is concerned.

The group is going to make a strong effort to create more interest in the community exhibits, so more will join in the competition.

Effort to pare the expense bill of the annual fair was discussed. An expense budget of \$4,000 to \$5,000 could be reduced greatly if the building and equipment did not need so much attention each fall. If a caretaker could be found, so that booths, pens to house stock, and other facilities, could be left intact from one fair to the next, the saving would be considerable.

Mr. Puckett and Shirley Irwin gave a report on their trip to the State Fair Association convention earlier

in the year. Irwin read a report on new ideas and new attractions that might be usable at the local fair.

Attending the meeting were the above named and Gerald Lackey, Mrs. Joe Reeves, Mrs. I. H. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Tinsley, Mrs. Lena White, Raymond Rucker, Chelonia Williams, Tate Jones, Lewis Anderson, Howard Gregory and Elmer Biggs.

Next meeting date of the directors is the evening of the second Monday in April.

### Wake News

(By Ann Barnett)

WAKE, Mar. 9 — The Brownie Troup helped Donna Griffin celebrate her birthday Monday afternoon in the Crosbyton Girl Scout house. Games were played and a birthday cake was served to about twenty-two Brownies.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fewell, Sandra, Katy and Bill Jr. spent the weekend with the Ross and Moody Fewell families in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Joplin were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fewell and children. Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Fine and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rathel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Marley, Brenda and Debrah and Mrs. Lizzy Crausby were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Marley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Joplin and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fewell and Kathy shopped and visited in Lubbock with the Freeman Joplins on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Barnett and Jim Jr. visited while last Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ray in Crosbyton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fewell, Sandra and Jenalou visited last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Moody Fewell in Lubbock.

Lennie and David Reddell stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fewell and children Monday night while Mr. and Mrs. Leo Reddell, Gregg and Linda attended the show "The Ten Commandments" at Ralls.

Mrs. C. B. Leatherwood spent Thursday with Mrs. A. G. Barnett in Crosbyton.

Debrah Brewer spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. McDougle, Sharron and Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Fewell visited Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Jones.

Noble Jr. and Bill Hunsucker and Erwin Brewer of Tech spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Noble Hunsucker and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brewer.

Elmer Havens spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Havens, Shelly and Timmy. Jenna Miller spent last Friday night with Sandra Fewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Maize spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McCray and children of Tulsa.

Vivian Fewell spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Fewell.

Mrs. Kenneth Havens, Shelly and Timmy spent Friday with Mrs. Meb Givens.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Marley, Brenda and Debrah visited Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Forest Dendy and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnice McMillian and Patti of Lubbock, visited while Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McMillian and Wynn Nona.

Katy Fewell spent last week-end with Carolyn Shipman of Crosbyton. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Barnett, Ann and Sue were Sunday night guests

of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Leatherwood, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Havens, Shelly and Timmy visited on Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rathel.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffin and daughters were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Griffin in Crosbyton.

Mrs. Bill Fewell and Mrs. June Bybee, Marty and Toni made a trip to Vernon on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Jones visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Bingham in Monahans over the week-end.

Charles and Sharron McDougle spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Webster, Elaine and Bryn.

Mrs. Gene Hardin and Ronald were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rathel.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Fewell of Slaton were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fewell and family.

Mrs. W. T. Barnett, Ann and Sae and Jenalou Miller spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pierce in Lubbock.

### Floyd County 14 Years Ago

(From the Hesperian, March 15, 1945)

PFC Harold Berry reported to his wife and to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Berry, that his wounds sustained in the Luzon battle, were not too bad and he was already back in the fighting. Berry received a shrapnel in his back.

Pvt. First Class Bemous Carver, 28, of Floydada, recently was awarded the Bronze Star for heroic action on the Fifth Army front in Italy, cooperating with an Infantry Division. He and two other men maintained wire communication between their company and the command post under heavy German shelling.

M. Sgt. Euell E. (Bill) Norris writes his wife of visiting Mr. Sgt. Truman E. Dunn Jan. 23. He also had visited his brother-in-law, PFC Weldon Seigler in a hospital in England. Bill and Truman entered the service three years ago and saw each other for the first time since then in September.

The tension of grave concern over the fate of a brother, Jack Neil Jennings of Amarillo, reported on January 5, by the War Department as missing in action, was considerably relieved last week. Mrs. Cecil Hagood received information that he had been found to be a prisoner of war in the hands of the Germans.

Lt. James Riley Burrus, who has been in the Southwest Pacific War theatre for the past 20 months, is back in the states and is being sent to San Antonio hospitalized, according to his wife, the former Arlene Fyffe, and his mother, Mrs. Maud Burrus. Burrus became ill in New Guinea.

Robert McGuire, shoe manager of Hagood's Department Store, is said to be doing just fine in the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo where he is recuperating from a recent operation.

Mrs. H. G. Stinnett Jr., entertained with a buffet supper at her Plainview home and announced the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Joyce to Kenneth Baird Bishop of Amarillo, son of Mrs. Baird Bishop of Floydada. The wedding will take place March 30.

Notice that their son, Pvt. W. T. Anderson had been seriously wounded in Germany, was received by Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Anderson last week from the War Department. His wound were received on February 24.

Lt. Joe D. Montgomery is now in a hospital at Camp Beale, Calif., where he has been the past three months. Lt. Montgomery returned from England four weeks ago after completing his missions. He was enroute to Alaska to visit his wife when he became ill. Montgomery is the son of Mrs. W. M. Dorsey of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cantrell received word from their son, Pvt. Billy Joe Cantrell recently that he is now out of the hospital and back on duty. Billy Joe has been having throat trouble and was hospitalized a month. When he returned to his base all his Christmas packages and 75 letters were waiting for him.

Mrs. Harry Koenen received a newsy letter last week from Mrs. Phil Gates, saying she and Mr. Gates are feeling wonderful and enjoying delightful weather at Port Aransas where they have been since before Christmas. The Gates related that there had been plenty of rain down their way. The Floydada couple have plans of returning home about mid-April.

### Red Lake Pasture Bought By Moss

E. E. Moss and sons, of Lubbock, are new owners of a 19,000-acre ranch out of the 54,000-acre Red Lake Pasture of the old Matador Land and Cattle Company spread.

The original Matador 400,000-acre empire was cut up eight years ago. The Red Lake Pasture was one of the units into which it was carved.

Red Lake lies southeast of Roaring Springs. It touches Tounge River on the north and lies southeast toward the Crotons.

Several other owners also have bought out of the 54,000 acres, which C. C. (Con) Davis of Spur, recently obtained from the original Matador purchasers.

Included in the acreage the Moss family bought is the old Red Lake low camp on Sanders Hollow. Lumber for the house there was hauled from Quanah in 1888. C. C. Davis was born there. It was homesteaded by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis. They sold the place to the Matadors when they left in 1916.

### JAN STANSELL IMPROVING DAILY, LATEST REPORT

Jan Stansell, 12 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stansell, was brought home last Thursday from Lockney General Hospital where she had been receiving treatment for hepatitis. The young lady is said to be improving fairly but it will be some time before she is able to return to school. At present she is still confined to bed and will be for some time.

### BABY'S LEG IS BROKEN

Paula, 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Verlon Wright, jumped off of a bed and broke her leg one evening last week. The baby is doing nicely, the parents report.

Mrs. Nettie Briggs is convalescing in the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. Marquis this week. She has a broken arm and shoulder. Mrs. Briggs who makes her home in Lubbock, fell recently and sustained the injury.

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She is able to be up now but still is not able to do for herself. Mrs. Marquis went for her mother Saturday.

Mrs. Harold Haynie and children of Waco have returned home after spending the past month in Floydada with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Puckett and her brother, Sam Puckett and family. Mrs. Haynie's husband was away on business during her absence from their Waco home.

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## News about the New Rockets!



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## EDITORIAL VIEWS AND COMMENT

**Figure of Speech.** The most demanding chore the present legislature has to do is to raise money. A \$65 million deficit must be wiped out. Other money spending projects must be undertaken. Other money-demanding bills already have been passed. How much will be needed to do all the pressing things the state is called upon to do, principally as to eleemosynary and educational institutions—how much will be needed is still a matter of conjecture. But with the session half gone nothing has jelled so far as surface indications reveal. Legislators hate to get up against the time when they must vote. The AP dispatch speaks of the chore that faces them as "a dive into cold disapproval."

**Common Sense** members of the state legislature must be embarrassed by some of the wacky bills that drop in the legislative hopper. An instance we have in mind is that one the other day which would require a school teacher, before he takes up his duties in the school room, to swear that he believes in a supreme being. That kind of wasted time makes the average person glad he voted against a raise for legislators. Like the communist oath one must take. What would delight a communist more than to have a perjured oath to hide behind to do his dirty work?

**State Health Department** is one of the state agencies which needs to unbuckle or be unbuckled. This is one of the state agencies which quickly indicated its unwillingness for its affairs to be aired in the public prints. It acknowledges that many of its decisions are arrived at behind closed doors and it is unwilling for the newspapers and the public to look in on its inner councils. Although it asks for public support and has a public relations department that "releases" pap, the real news of its activities is shrouded in secrecy.

**How Much April Rain?** Is it safe to predict some April rain? Usually the elements afford some moisture around April 5, just some thing in the way of a teaser in most years. This may be another one of those years. The latter part of the month also may be a period when moisture falls in sufficient quantity to get row crops started. If so, it would leave the irrigation farmer with his cotton and maize beds all wet in an unhappy frame of mind, but help the dry land farmer tremendously. One can never predict the weather in West Texas but Floyd County farmers who have begun to raise chicks again for the first time in several years should not go off and leave them out in the weather, beginning about April 22, for a few days. Just in case.

**No More Sore Shank?** Cotton growers are having their cottonseed delinted so it will germinate quickly in the early spring and put its tender little possum ears above the ground in fewer hours. And while farmers are at it they are dousing the seed with a preparation that will keep them from rotting for several days should the ground grow cold and the seed have to wait for a warming sun. The same treatment, it is now claimed, will keep the tender cotton stalk from developing sore shank for some time if the weather man dishes out unfavorable growing weather. Experiments along this line, it is claimed, have been pretty well tested.

**More Durable Paints.** A paint that will stay longer and keep its pattern has been sought by city traffic people for a good while. Some manufacturer or other claims he has found the formula. Let us hope. Nothing more forlorn than a traffic stripe which has lost its lustre.

**Hike in Bank Rates.** Some lay minds do not comprehend the mysteries of finance. Most of us barely know enough about money to meet the payroll and pay off the installments as they come due. Thus, we react to higher interest rates by thinking it would cost more to do business paying higher interest than paying low interest. Not so, say federal reserve officials, raising the bank rate last week and calling it a blow at inflation. Next will follow an increase in the prime rate, which is what commercial banks will charge on short term loans to big borrowers with top ratings. Then will come higher rates to smaller fry. Money that is harder to come by will be less likely to be borrowed. This, they say, will be deterrent to inflation. Not ours to argue.

### ON CHURCH ATTENDANCE

(A contributed Editorial)

When St. Augustine landed on the Island of Britain, he went straight to one of the chiefs. The chief, surrounded by his principal warriors in their dark and smoky council hall, listened to St. Augustine's request that he preach to the warriors assembled.

The chief replied, "A bird has flown through the council hall. He has come from the darkness. We know not where he has flown into the darkness, we know not where. So with our lives. Oh stranger, if you can tell whence we come and where we go, speak and we will listen."

Things of the moment are often too much with us. But there come times when golf clubs, business, television and decks of cards do not entirely satisfy a man. We realize that

"For a cap and bell our lives we pay, Bubbles we buy for a whole soul's tasking."

Every Sabbath is a time to stop to choose what is most important in life, to give the eternal essentials due thought. As the nationwide Religion in American Life observance urges, "Find the strength for your life . . . worship together this week." Attend and support the Church or Synagogue of your choice.

### 'SINS' AGAINST CITIZENSHIP

A Boston preacher has listed ten "sins against citizenship" which the good gentleman points out are far too prevalent in this day and time. None of these are "sins" in the strictly moral sense, but constitute serious defects in behavior.

Here is his list:

1. Indifference. "I'm not interested in politics."
2. Laziness. "I'm too busy."
3. "I don't want my character assailed."
4. Greed. "I'm O. K. as things are."
5. Prejudice. "I'll vote for him because he's one of our kind."
6. False Pride. "I'm not going to get mixed up in dirty politics."
7. Cynicism. "My vote won't make any difference."
8. Hapless. "Pressure groups run the show."
9. Ineligible. "I didn't register." (Or "I didn't pay my poll tax.")
10. Why bother? "Politicians are all alike."

In considering these faults, one should always bear in mind that established here on this North American continent is a republic. This means that its people must conduct its affairs. If they are indifferent, if they allow their government to be directed by second and third raters, that's the kind of government they will get.

Neglect of duty is never excusable, and these "sins" stand on a firm foundation. Now read them again.

—Ochiltree County Herald

## As A Farm Woman Thinks

(By Nellie Witt Spikes)

### THE LITTLE PASTURE

The other day we went out to the farm and if we had not seen the old house we would not have known the place altho we lived there some forty five years.

The fences on the south and west of the house are removed, the little pasture broken up and plowed ready to grow cotton. The tears were in my eyes as I looked for one familiar place. What memories, sweet and happy memories mixed with some not so pleasant but made more understanding by the passing of the years.

I was a young woman again with my first baby held close in my arms in the gathering dusk. The house was only two big rooms on the prairie. White daises came right up to the door and the little twenty-acre pasture was our front lawn, so to speak.

Newly broken out land held growing crops of kafir corn and maize and tall, tall can. White-face baby calves lay on the green grass in the big pasture while the mothers mooed to them and licked their red sides into curls.

The roof of the new house, which had looked so much like a huge cheese, was now turning a soft gray. I sang "Nora Darling" as the windmill creaked in the summer breeze and the water pouring into the barrel was my accompaniment.

I heard my tall blue-eyed husband singing as he fed his tired work mules, Callie and Fidy.

The clock ticked on the shelf and said to me, "You are young, do not fret and hurry, there is lots of time for you to have and love your baby. It will be a long time before he is grown."

So I sat and rocked and planned for the sweet baby boy my arms held so lovingly that warm summer night in the new little home on the prairie.

The little pasture was one of our main places on the farm. A horse could feed out there and be caught quickly as needed, the milk cow could graze and not be too far from me or the children to drive in. I drove the old turkey hen out there for her to feed her young on bugs and grass seed. Callie and Fidy spent many a holiday in the pasture. Callie always standing in the southwest corner when she got tired of grazing and she kept her head held high as she watched the country for miles around. We could always tell when she saw some one coming. Her big ears reached forward and she got restless.

The blue wild larkspur liked this little pasture. The rabbit grass was a soft green color here and there in the spring nestling among the myriads of yellow buttercups which opened their exquisite satin beauty just before night.

It was the children's big play house, after big rains. Little grass pools made fine wading places for Lare brown feet. It was a place to run, to play ball and croquet, to get on Gold Dust and Nugget and Red and run races to the south end and back.

It was also a hospital for the sick animals. The horses that were struck with sleeping sickness were turned there to lie down and die. The yearlings that took the black leg, this was also their place to draw their last breath in agonizing pain. Cows with milk fever, too swollen from the infection to walk or to notice their bleating hungry calves, these too, were there until well or dead.

So you see it was an integral part of our daily living. The little pasture as such is now no more. The barbed fence that we had to staple up no grass is now rolled up, the posts gone. The rabbit grass, the mesquite grass and the daisies and the flowers are turned over and bare earth is on top. Now cotton will grow, water from the big well will run down the rows.

That time was a deceiver as the clock ticked and to'd me there was lots and lots of time. I did not have my little boy long, school took many precious hours as it did for the little twin girls who also rocked in my lap and played in the little pasture. They have children of their own and have their own sweet memories and in my grandchildren I find that time has given me a recompense for taking away what I once had.

The little pasture was as I said the animal hospital. Jeff could turn a mare in there for the night and the next morning or day we would see a purple, black shadow on the grass near the mare. We would hurry and get to see the little colt. Oftimes it was a male and we would see the fuzzy black ears and the funny trembling legs rise as the new baby bruted his first breakfast from his mother who fondly stood so still. There in the pasture were some of the new baby calves who would have to get up and run as the playful little mate colts ran them here and there.

The little pasture was a hatchery also. Killdeers put a few little stones in a depression and mad their nest and soon baby Killdeers would run around on their long legs and cry, chee, chee, chee. Bullbats would make their nests on the ground perhaps near a broomweed for shade and lay there their big speckled eggs. Wheat birds made a nice grass nest near weeds and it was always fun for the children to hunt up the nests and go each day to see them never tearing them or hating the eggs for fear mother bird would desert her nest.

It seemed I had so many years ahead — now I look back and the time has passed so swiftly—but the little pasture will still be the same in my memories and we will still enjoy it as it was and as it is now.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman returned to Floydada the first part of the week after visiting in Corpus Christi since last mid-week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. K. McKenzie.

## Vocational Nurses Graduate Friday

Mrs. Pauline (Verlon) Wright, of Lakeview, is a member of a graduating class of three who will graduate in the school of vocational nurses of Lockney General Hospital Friday night.

The other members of the class are Mrs. Gertrude Hammitt and Mrs. Olive Bilbrey.

The graduating exercises will be held in the educational unit of the First Baptist Church at Lockney, March 13, 8 p. m.

David Hendricks, a former resident of Floydada, is seriously ill at his home in Merkel, according to his daughter, Mrs. Charlie Hargis, who with Mr. Hargis was at her father's bedside over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hargis and their son, Marvin also visited with the sick man and his family Mr. Hendricks' address is 212 Oak St., Merkel.

## W. F. VAN CLEVE JR., IS HOME AFTER LONG CRUISE

ALAMEDA, Calif. (FHTNC) — W. F. Van Cleve Jr., personnelman first class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Van Cleve of Afton, Tex., and husband of the former Miss Dolores E. Morrison of Great Falls, Mont., is scheduled to arrive in Alameda, Calif., March 12, aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Midway after a tour of duty in the Western Pacific.

Since the beginning of the cruise in August, the Midway took part in the Formosan Patrol and was engaged in operations with the U. S. Seventh Fleet.

EMC James F. Marquis, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Marquis, sailed on Feb. 13 for the Mediterranean Sea aboard the USS Franklin Roosevelt for a six months tour of duty. The ship embarked from Mayport, Florida. Marquis' address is 489235, E. Division, USS Franklin Roosevelt.

## COMPLETES BASIC ENGINEER TRAINING AT FT. BELVOIR

FORT BELVOIR, VA. (AHTNC) — Army Pvt. Tryon T. Lewis, son of James T. Lewis, Route F, Lockney, Tex., completed basic engineer training Feb. 27 at Fort Belvoir, Va.

Lewis received instruction in map reading, bridge, road and airfield construction, and mine warfare.

The 20-year-old soldier entered the Army in November 1938. He attended Abilene High School and the Hardin-Simmons University.

## PAST NOBLE GRAND

The Friendship Past Club met Friday night. Mrs. Thelma Jones, Mrs. D. president, presided over business meeting after-ments were enjoyed by sent.

Attending the session Shipley, Artie Webb, Jewel Reeves, Ethel S. O'Neal, Bell Berry, and Mrs. Jones.

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## Science Editor Makes Report 'Cancer Breakthrough' Not Yet

(Editor's Note: This is the first of a series of five articles on the question: "Cancer breakthrough" — now or never? This article deals with the present status of cancer control.)

By Pat McGrady  
Science Editor  
American Cancer Society

Is the long-awaited "cancer breakthrough" near?  
A few recognized authorities have suggested that it may be. Put the word, "breakthrough," is left undefined. And few, if any, will hazard a guess as to just when this blessing may come to pass. They don't say how near is near.

Unhappily, it must be said at the outset, nothing in the published accounts or in confidential reports of thousands of scientists working on the cancer problem now suggests that a new cure is at hand. As things stand, the 260,000 Americans doomed to die of cancer in 1959 will die on schedule — unless something unforeseen happens.

That a "breakthrough" will come to pass eventually few now will

deny. This is a strange and encouraging contrast to the attitude of scientists and informed doctors of only a decade ago, when the consensus seemed to be that cancer, by and large, never would be controlled. In this series, we will try to outline where we now stand, prospects for the immediate future, the course of future progress and the possibilities of a sudden and surprising development which would drive cancer from its grim eminence as the second most prolific killer of this century.

### What Is A Breakthrough

For our purposes, a cancer breakthrough would be any development which would (a) prevent a substantial percentage of cancers which now occur, or (b) bring about the cure of advanced cancers — the kind against which medicine today is completely helpless.

In a sense, and within the framework of this definition, the last twenty or so years have seen a cancer breakthrough — or, more exactly, a "sneakthrough." Just recently we have found that one in three cancer patients is saved; the figure used to be one in four.

This salvage of human life has not been due to research advances so much as to the application of common sense by patients and of good medical practices by doctors. The patients became suspicious of their symptoms and brought them to the

attention of the physicians in time — and the doctors cut out the cancers or burned them out with radiation before they could seed distant parts of the body and foreclose on the patient's lives.

## FB President Talked To Farm Group Friday

More than 40 farmers and a sprinkling of Floyd County business men heard J. H. West, a Bishop, Texas, coastal plain farmer, talk informally on the problems of farming and allied industries at the high noon Friday meeting called to honor the visitor.

Mr. West is president of the Texas Farm Bureau. It was his first visit to Floyd County. He was on a tour of the plains, making talks to one to five groups a day while touring this section of the state.

Mr. West told the members the three leading problems of the country at the moment are inflation, the monopoly power of labor, and government aid to education.

He discussed the plight of the grain sorghum grower, controls and free markets, the position of the cotton grower and his customer the spinner. One of the business and legislative problems of the farmer at this

## Fairmount Man Died Last Week

MATADOR — Funeral services for Rollie Smith, long-time resident of the Fairmount and Flomot communities, were held Tuesday of last week at the Flomot Methodist Church. Mr. Smith passed Sunday at 2:55 p. m. at Stanley Hospital, Matador, after suffering a stroke at his home on Tuesday night, Feb. 26.

Rev. Gus Elrod of Silverton assisted Rev. L. W. Baker of Halfway in conducting the funeral service. Burial was in the Smith Family cemetery in the Fairmount community.

Rollie Smith was born November 8, 1881, at McKinney, Texas. He moved with his parents to Mathey County in 1891. He died March 1, 1959, at the age of 77 years, 3 months and 23 days.

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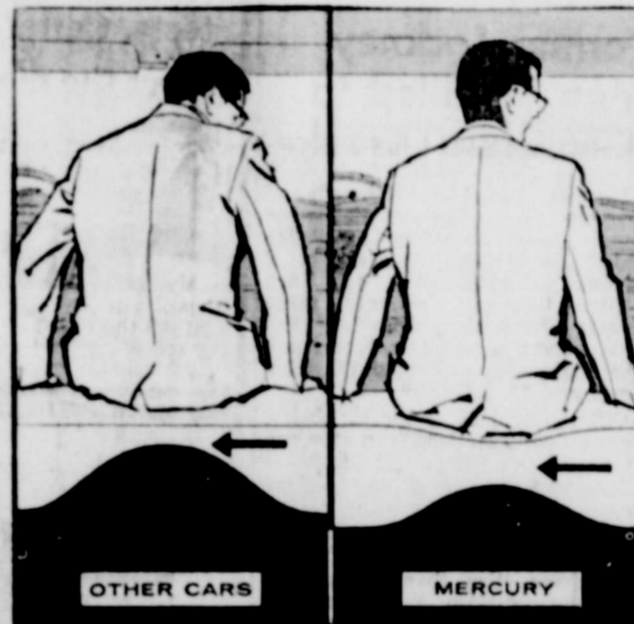
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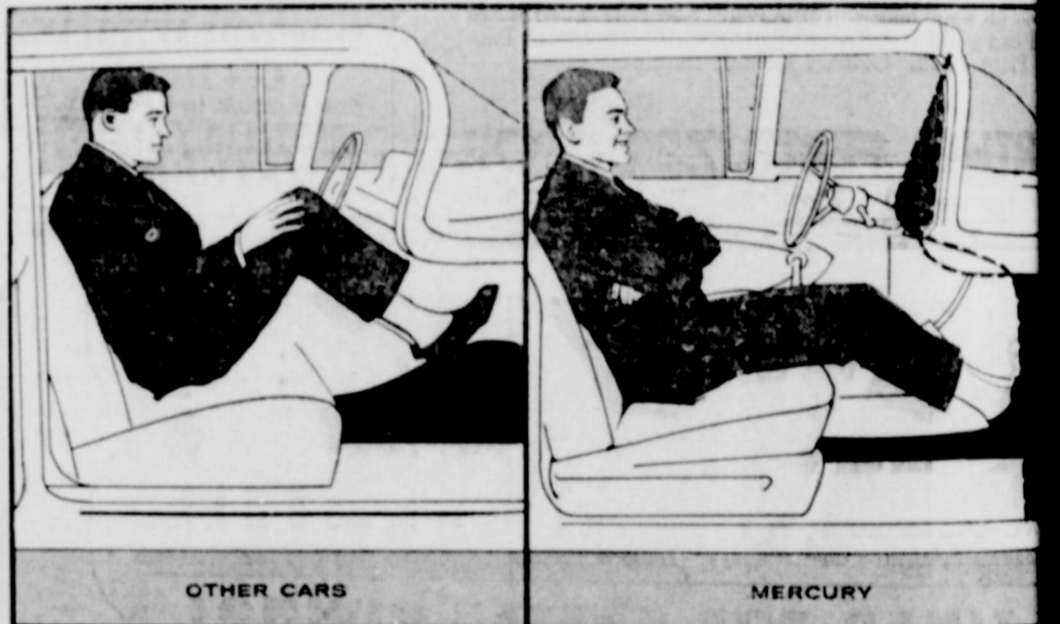


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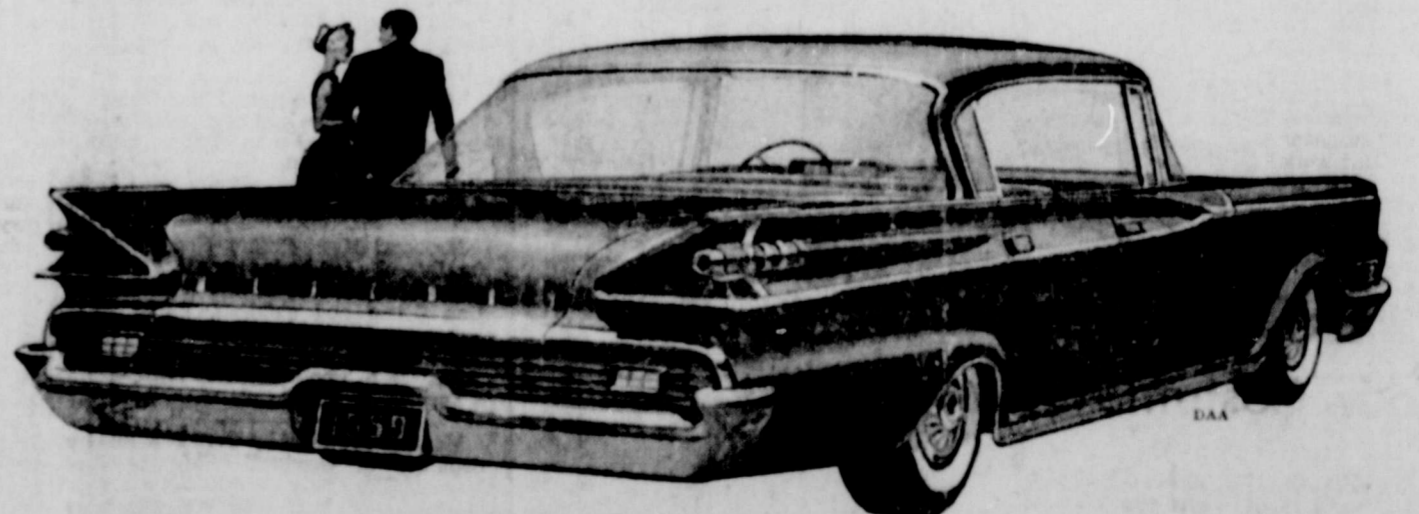
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