

Rev. Aly Resigns As Pastor Local Baptist Church

At the prayer service Wednesday night, Rev. C. T. Aly announced his intention to leave Tahoka and tendered his resignation as pastor of the First Baptist Church. He has accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Baptist Church at Phillips, situated within a few miles of Borger in the Panhandle.

Phillips is a town of about 5,000 population, has two oil refineries and other industries connected with the oil business. The church there has a membership of almost 900 and a church building almost completed, which will cost about \$200,000. It is already being used for church services but quite a bit of interior work is yet to be done.

Brother Aly came to the Tahoka Church as pastor on July 12, 1948, from Park Heights Church in San Angelo. He will have been here 19 months and one week when he holds his last service here on Sunday, February 19. However, he expressed to a representative of The News his intention of remaining over for the local Brotherhood meeting on Monday night, February 20.

During his pastorate here much progress has been made. There (Continued on back page)

Tahoka Splits Slaton Games

Tahoka Bulldogs A and B basketball teams will meet the O'Donnell Eagles in the O'Donnell gym next Tuesday night, and on Friday night they will close the regular conference season with the Post Antelopes here.

Tuesday night, the Bulldog A team lost to Slaton 21 to 19 in a rough and tumble battle. Slaton got away to an early lead, which it maintained throughout the game. At one point in the third quarter, the visitors led 11 points. The home boys could do nothing right, it seemed, but in the third quarter they "caught fire." However, it was too little too late with the visitors battling to protect their two point lead in the fading minute. The last minute was played with only eight boys on the floor. Three Slaton boys fouled off, and Coach Clarence Tillery had only two reserves. Coach Jacobs, rather than take undue advantage of the occasion, called one of his players to the sideline.

The B game which preceded was a different story. Tahoka had a 6-0 lead at the quarter, allowed Slaton to catch up at 8-8 at the half, but won the game going away 25 to 16, with Coach Jake Jacobs using nearly all his second string boys.

The A team had previously beat Slaton in conference play at Slaton, but they couldn't find the basket Tuesday night.

Vehicle License Tags Available Over County

Motor vehicle licenses are now available at the Lynn County tax assessor and collector's office; also at Clayton Insurance Agency in O'Donnell, Farmers Co-op in New Home, and Farmers Co-op in Wilson.

This year's plates have orange lettering on black background, the exact opposite of last year's. The plates may be attached as soon as purchased.

State law requires that before any vehicle can be registered the Texas Title and the 1949 registration receipt must be presented.

Passenger licenses for Lynn county are BD10 to BD 2299 and BC9800 to BC9999, commercial licenses, ME1750 to ME 2299; farm licenses, RD2350 to RD3099, inclusive.

Mike Lankford, 14 month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Lankford, is a patient in Tahoka Hospital with pneumonia.

Two Fined For Drunk Driving

Two men charged with driving while intoxicated were fined \$75 and costs in county court here Monday.

One of the men, who lived in Levelland, was picked up in Tahoka Saturday afternoon by Sheriff "Slick" Clem. The other, a Mexican, was arrested at O'Donnell Sunday by Deputy Cleve Bairrington.

Four Indicted By Grand Jury

Four indictments were returned by the Lynn County grand jury in session here Monday of this week. One is for murder, two for forgery, and one for drunken driving.

The murder indictment is against Victor Rodriguez, who is alleged to have beaten Mike Sandoval to death with a plank on January 7 a few miles east of Tahoka. The case has been set for trial February 13.

Ted Bowlick, alias Ted Noll, was indicted for forgery. He is alleged to have given a Roswell, New Mexico, taxi driver a forged check on F. L. Nolas of Tahoka for \$50.45 on December 15. Bowlick is in jail in South Bend, Indiana, and refuses to waive extradition, according to Sheriff Roland Clem, who expects to ask Governor Shivers to sign out extradition papers for the man.

Another man is under indictment for forgery here, but he has not been apprehended yet.

Homer Durham, O'Donnell, was indicted for driving a vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor. This being a second offense, his case comes under the jurisdiction of the district court.

New Topping For U. S. 380 Planned

U. S. Highway 380 from Tahoka to Post will receive new seal coat topping this spring or summer, according to announcement made last week end by Fred A. Wemple of Midland, chairman of the Texas Highway Commission. The project is a part of the program scheduled for 1950, which involves 3,000 miles of roads and will cost about \$6,000,000.

The seal coating is expected to fill the cracks, eliminate the "corduroys", and otherwise preserve the existing paving.

The seal-coating in Lynn and Garza counties is expected to cost \$23,500. This involves 14 miles of highway in Lynn county at a cost of \$14,000 and 10.5 miles in Garza county at a cost of \$9,500.

Burglars Enter Shamburger-Gee

Some person or persons broke a glass out of a south door of the Shamburger-Gee Lumber Company office Monday night and stole more than a hundred pocket knives and a couple of small stapling machines. It is believed to have been the work of local talent, perhaps boys whose parents permit them to ramble about on the streets at night.

The culprits undertook to cut the woodwork away so that the glass could be removed without breaking it but supposedly they unintentionally broke the glass in removing it.

They left numerous tracks on the ground near the door. The sheriff and his deputies are investigating the case.

Congratulations:

Mr. and Mrs. James Huey on the birth of a son weighing 5 pounds and 8 ounces at 10:41 p. m. Monday at Tahoka Hospital. He has been named James Wilburn Huey, Jr. Mr. Huey is employed at Bray Chevrolet.



BENCH LEVELLING SPREADS—Some 25 to 30 farmers of Lynn county have gotten assistance from the Lynn County Soil Conservation district to establish bench levelling irrigation during 1950. This movement was inspired by observation of a demonstration in bench level irrigation put on by Pat Hines, Tahoka city water superintendent, assisted by Pete Ware, SCS agriculture engineer. The demonstration was on 23 acres of crop land owned by the city. Sewage disposal water was utilized for the purpose. The plot produced 625 bushels of wheat last year and will be planted to alfalfa this year—Amarillo Times.

Wilson And New Home Will Enter District Girls Basketball Tournament

Wilson and New Home will represent Lynn county in the District 15 girls' basketball tournament which will be held in Lamesa February 14, 16, 17, and 18.

The two teams are co-champions of Lynn county. As expected, Tahoka girls, playing their first year of basketball, were eliminated in the tournament held last week end.

Last week end, New Home defeated Wilson 33 to 25 in the first game, but in the second Wilson scored an upset in winning over New Home by a score of 21 to 18. Each team won by lopsided scores over the Tahoka girls.

Wilson drew the No. 1 spot for the district tournament and will play its opening game against the No. 2 Howard county team. New Home, as No. 2 team, drew a bye in the opening round, and will meet the winner of the Wilson-Howard county game in the second round.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miller are building a beautiful new home on Petty Street of Austin stone. The house will consist of six rooms, bath and double garage.

T. I. Tippit Was Winner On Guess Of Jan. 1 Ginnings

T. I. Tippit of Tahoka won the \$50.00 Stetson hat given away by Rutherford & Co. for the person who guessed the nearest amount of 1949 cotton ginned in Lynn county up until January 1, 1950.

Tippit's guess was 165,250 bales. Actually, 165,400 bales were ginned at that time. Next to Tippit was the guess of David Williams at 156,000, and J. L. Proctor at 175,000.

Announcement of the winner was made this week by Randolph Rutherford, owner of the store.

LOCAL CAFE CHANGE OWNERS

Mrs. C. A. Marlin and Mrs. L. N. Bentley of Tahoka have bought the Highway Cafe, located on the Post highway. They opened for business February 1. Mrs. Marlin and Mrs. Bentley welcome the folks to come in and get acquainted.

The cafe will go under the name of The Steak House.

Strange Is New Red Cross Head, Drive Planned

Plans are being made by the Lynn County Chapter of the American National Red Cross for the annual membership roll call which is held annually in March. Bill Strage, Sr., has been appointed county chairman, succeeding Tom Garrard, who has held the post for about sixteen years, and who asked to be relieved of this duty.

Bill Griffin is the new membership drive chairman. He and Mr. Strange will soon announce their committees from over the county, and they ask that they be given co-operation in this important work.

Other officers include: Wynne Collier, treasurer; Terry Thompson, disaster chairman; Eldon Gattis, home service chairman; and Mrs. George Reid, chairman of the Junior Red Cross.

Directors of the organization are: Strage, Collier, Thompson, Gattis, L. C. Haney, W. B. Slaton, Bruce Reid, Charley Verner and W. O. Thomas.

The organization has spent much money in Lynn county helping the unfortunate and destitute, the families of service men, and especially the victims of the tornado which struck in the Draw and Redwine communities about fifteen years ago. No other national or local organization is set-up to take immediate care in catastrophes and emergencies.

March of Dimes Drive Extended

The annual March of Dimes for aid of victims of infantile paralysis is being extended until February 13, according to Terry Thompson, Lynn county chairman.

Up through Monday, only about \$700 had been reported in contributions to the fund. The county's quota is \$3,500.00.

Only four Lynn county churches thus far have reported contributions to the fund. Church pastors have been asked to take special collections at their services. Also containers have been placed in stores of the county into which citizens may drop their contributions.

This plan of raising the fund was adopted a few years ago in lieu of the President's Birthday Ball recommended by the national organization.

Emily Slover, 16 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Slover, is a patient in Tahoka Hospital, suffering from asthma.

3,000 Citizens Of County Qualify To Vote In 1950

Poll tax payments in Lynn county as the deadline was reached Tuesday night, totaled 2934, according to Frank McGlaun, Jr., county assessor and collector.

In addition, there were 61 exemption receipts issued. He stated that there would possibly be a few poll tax payments received in the mail which were mailed before the deadline.

He also revealed that, though no definite figures are available as yet, the payment of state and county taxes has been good, and will possibly reach about 96 percent.

Tahoka Band Plans Concert

Tahoka High School band will appear in its first formal public concert Thursday, February 16, at 8:00 p. m. in the high school auditorium. Small admission fees of 25 and 15 cents will be charged.

Marches, concert numbers, and a few specialty numbers will be presented, according to Bill Trejo, director.

Though band instruction was reinstated in the local school only last fall, Mr. Trejo states that the organization has been making remarkable progress.

Another beginners class in band was started this week with about twenty-five students enrolled. This brings the total taking band music to 75. About forty of this number are capable of playing in the senior organization.

The band will enter the band contests in the spring, and except for uniforms Mr. Trejo expects them to make a good showing by contest time. At present the band is wearing some of the old moth-eaten 1942 uniforms, but school authorities are hoping that some civic organization will take the lead to secure presentable uniforms for the organization before too long.

County Ginnings Nearing 180,000

Lynn county had ginned 175,930 bales up to January 16, 1950, from the 1949 crop, the Bureau of Census announced Monday through James C. Womack, local special agent.

Thursday morning of this week, the five Tahoka gins reported to The News that they had ginned a total of 31,081 bales.

Since the Tahoka gins had turned out 30,247 bales on January 18, this would indicate that up to date, the county has ginned approximately 180,000 bales. There is some cotton yet to be ginned, one ginner estimating this to be about 5,000 bales in the county.

This is by far a record total crop for the county, the previous big crop being 1937, when 154,000 bales were ginned.

Mrs. Cox's Mother Dies At Roanoke

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cox and children were called down to Roanoke, Denton county, recently by the illness of Mrs. Cox's mother, Mrs. Tom Parish, 71, who had suffered a stroke.

Mrs. Parish died on Tuesday, January 24. Funeral services were held Wednesday of last week at the Roanoke Baptist Church, and burial followed in the cemetery at Azle. Five sons and four daughters survive.

The Cox family returned to Tahoka last Sunday.

MOVES TO CALIFORNIA

H. J. Marsh, who has been farming in Lynn county since 1920, has sold his farm north of Tahoka and all his farming equipment. He is moving to Modesto, California, and if he likes that country he expects to make that his permanent home.

Plans Are Made For Taking 1950 Census In Lynn

Steps are being taken to set up the organization for taking the 1950 decennial census, according to Luther D. Whiteley, of Lubbock, who was recently appointed Supervisor for the 19th Congressional District.

Mr. Whiteley is seeking a Crew Leader to supervise the taking of the census in Lynn and Garza counties. He will be in Tahoka Thursday, February 9, from 10:30 a. m. until 5:00 p. m., at the Lynn County AAA Building to interview those interested in this supervisory work.

He says this crew leader, or supervisor, will be responsible for interviewing, hiring, training and directly supervising the enumerators of Lynn and Garza counties. To qualify for the position, the person needs to be a capable, civic-minded person who will exert every energy to give these two counties fine representation in the 1950 census. Because of the responsibility of this position, the Bureau of Census requires that the applicant have college training, supervisory experience and an automobile. Qualified veterans will receive preference.

The crew leader will start work March 7, at which time he will go to Lubbock for a two weeks training period in the district office. Upon completion of his training, he will return to Tahoka and commence recruiting enumerators. Lynn county has been allotted 14 enumerators and Garza county 7 enumerators.

Prospective crew leaders are requested to meet Mr. Whiteley in Tahoka next Thursday for an interview. Persons interested in the actual enumeration will be interviewed and hired by the crew leader of Lynn county at a later date, which he will announce. The enumerators will receive a four-day training period beginning March 28, which will be conducted in Tahoka. The enumeration or field work will commence April 1st, and will be completed about May 1st.

The Bureau of Census has opened an office in Lubbock at 307 Federal Building, with Mr. Whiteley in charge.

Lenore Tunnell Seeks Re-election

Mrs. Lenore M. Tunnell this week authorizes The News to announce that she is asking re-election to the office of County School Superintendent of Lynn County.

Mrs. Tunnell states she appreciates the fact that the voters have seen fit to retain her in this office. She has done her best to advance the interest of public education during her tenure of office to the satisfaction of all concerned. If re-elected, she promises to continue working for better educational interests which are getting more complicated as the Gilmer-Alken Act is put into effect.

Every home should be protected by home fire fighting equipment. Keep it in good operating shape and ready for instant use. The first few minutes are the most vital so far as fire fighting is concerned.

JOIN THE MARCH OF DIMES

WILL SING HERE—Pictured above is the Sacred Songsters, a male quartet from Seminole, which will present a program at the Tahoka First Baptist Church at 7:30 p. m., Sunday, February 5. Members are, left to right: Wilford Pruitt, first tenor; Darby Downey, second tenor; Wayne White, baritone; and Larry Phillips, bass.

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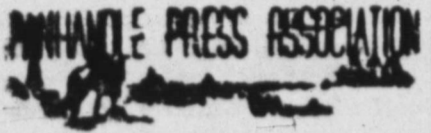
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Is President Truman just stubbornly set on pushing through if possible his so-called "civil rights" program because he sincerely favors it, or is he advocating it merely as a matter of political expediency? We don't know, but we do know that his chief spokesman in the House of Representatives, Speaker Sam Rayburn, very deliberately and effectively side-tracked consideration of the "civil rights" program the other day. He either did it with the secret consent of the President or he dared to run the risk of breaking with the President whom he has so loyally and consistently supported heretofore. We can hardly believe that President Truman is wholly sincere in this matter, but we can believe that Sam Rayburn has decided that he has followed the President far enough on that score. We are sure that he does not favor the FEPC bill and other radical race legislation proposed by the President and radical northern labor unions. He knows that the people of his state and particularly of his congressional district do not favor these radical measures, and we believe that he has finally determined to represent the sentiment of his home people and his own personal sentiments in these matters even if it should bring down upon his

head the wrath of the President. At any rate, the action of Sam Rayburn in blocking consideration of this proposed legislation in the House the other day seems to be most significant.

The Texas legislature convened in special session Tuesday upon the call of Governor Allen Shivers. The purpose of the session primarily is to provide funds for making repairs and building additions to our state hospitals and other eleemosynary institutions, some of which are said to be in badly run-down condition and some of them mere fire-traps. It is estimated that about \$25,000,000 or more will be needed to put them in tip-top shape, and additional taxes from various sources are being suggested. One of the most popular proposals seems to be a raise of one cent per package on cigarettes. Others have suggested a state income tax and a general sales tax. Personally we think the Federal Government has sufficiently exploited the income tax field, and we have never liked the idea of a general sales tax. The proposed cigarette tax raise ought to turn the trick.

Although we read a great deal about the March of Dimes and the nation-wide publicity for the polio fund, the real threat of polio is not very real to many of us. Even the figures that show that 8,575 Texans have been stricken by polio in the last 11 years have only a passing impact. The fact that there were 232 cases of polio in Texas in 1939—and more than ten times as many, 2,355, in 1949, brings the figures closer to home. —Gaines County News.

Odds & Ends

(By E. I. The Elder)

As this is being written early in the week, it looks as if the United States will proceed very soon with the building of the Hydrogen Bomb (H-Bomb). The decision seems to be largely up to President Truman. If he gives Congress the green light signal, Congress will doubtless give its approval quickly. Many of the leaders in Congress have already expressed themselves in favor of

Political Announcements

The Lynn County News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the Democratic primaries:

- For District Judge: Louis B. Reed (re-election)
- For Tax Assessor-Collector: Frank McGlaun Jr. (re-election)
- For County Clerk: Beulah Priamore (re-election)
- For Sheriff: Roland W. "Slick" Clem, (re-election)
- For County Superintendent: Mrs. Lenore M. Tunnell, (re-election)
- For County Treasurer: Thomas (Tom) Reid.
- For Commissioner, Prec't. 4: G. W. (Dick) Turner, (re-election).

it, and there seems to be very little dissent.

Practically all of them believe that Russia has the "know-how" and will herself proceed soon to build one or more of these bombs. Congressmen feel that our security as a nation lies in our ability to build one first. So, although the cost will be tremendous, wisdom would seem to dictate that we proceed without delay.

The cost of developing and building the hydrogen bomb, it is said, might reach a billion dollars, but that would be cheaper than having one city like New York, or Washington, or Detroit, or Chicago wiped off the map almost within the twinkling of an eye with a single bomb. And the probabilities are that a single bomb would destroy not one such city but many of them.

The H (hydrogen) bomb, it is said, is a thousand times more powerful than the atomic bomb, and the atomic bomb of today is itself many times more powerful than was the bomb which destroyed Hiroshima.

In fact, scientists claim that a war between two nations using the H-Bomb would not only wipe out each nation involved but might destroy the entire world as a habitable globe.

If Russia should have such a weapon and we had none, we would be at Russia's mercy, for if we defied her, she could quickly wipe us off the map.

Scientists tell us that one of the elements of which the sun mass consists is hydrogen and that a cloak of flaming hydrogen constitutes the shining surface. Vast clouds of hydrogen extend out from the so-called surface many thousands of miles. It is this flaming mass of hydrogen that gives the sun its brilliance and creates the heat that is felt so distinctly by us human beings on earth 93 million miles away.

This should give us some idea of the power that is latent in the potential hydrogen bomb that man has learned how to develop and explode.

One scientist has undertaken to describe its potential destructiveness by stating that its effect on the earth would be somewhat like that which would be produced if the edge of the sun should sweep the earth. If the sun, 93 million miles away, can on many a day heat the atmosphere surrounding the earth's surface to a temperature of more than 100 degrees Fahrenheit, how hot would it be if the edge of the sun swept the earth? It would destroy all life on this earth, human, animal, and vegetable, quicker than you could bat your eye.

Some how or other, we feel that God would intervene. We do not know in what way, but we do not believe that God would per-

mit any group of wicked or fool-hardy men, or any nation, to utterly destroy a world which He had created and set in motion and had populated with human beings which He had created in His own image. We seriously doubt if He would permit man thus to usurp his own authority and functions and bring to an abrupt end a God-created world and the God-created human race.

We believe that we should do all in our power to protect ourselves and the world against any such possible course of destruction, but we believe that our greatest security lies in God Himself. If the people of our nation will trust Him and serve Him and seek honestly to help humanity, we believe that our security as a nation will be complete.

According to the Holy Scriptures, God once made this promise to His people: If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land. Jesus Himself promised on different occasions that he was coming back to earth again. There would be little point to his coming to an earth that had been desolated and depopulated. We can see nothing even in Revelation that even hints at the destruction of this world by atomic or hydrogen bombs. Such destruction would seem to discount the Biblical promises and prophecies.

Are we a nation of believers or infidels? Do we have faith in God or not?

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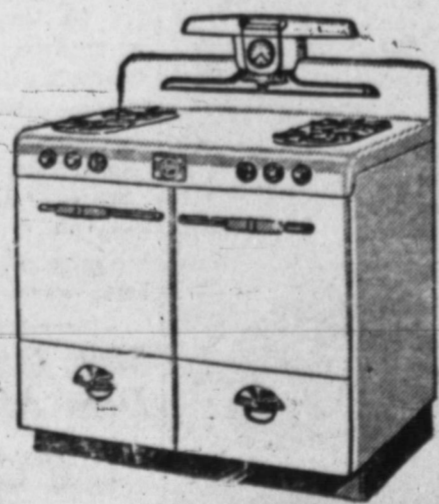
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paid to an employee in a year, according to John G. Hutton, manager of the Lubbock office of the Social Security Administration.

"The law that only the first \$3,000 in wages paid by an employer to each employee is still in effect," Hutton said, "and only an Act of Congress will change the law pertaining to the maximum wages to be taxed." Hutton pointed out that all inquiries regarding social security tax matters should be referred to the Collector of Internal Revenue, and that all questions about old-age and survivors insurance benefits should be directed to the social security office, located at 1311 Texas Avenue, Lubbock.

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Lamesa Installing New White-Way

Lamesa will have a new white way. The Lamesa City Council, in regular session Tuesday night, authorized the Texas Electric Service Co. to install a new white way lighting system in downtown Lamesa, according to H. C. Madock, manager of Texas Electric's local office.

The old lighting standard units will be replaced with new modern mercury vapor units which are estimated to produce three times the intensity of light on the streets and as many times the visibility of the old units. The new lights will be installed on steel poles and will add to the modernization of the city.

Orders for the lighting equipment have been placed, and erection is expected to begin within seven to 10 weeks. —Lamesa Reporter.

DUNAGANS AT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dunagan returned home a few days ago from Hillsboro, where Mrs. Dunagan visited her aged mother, Mrs. Willie Climer. Mr. Dunagan visited relatives at Frost, Ennis and Corsicana.

Mrs. Dunagan went down to Hillsboro by bus late in December, but after cooking for himself for about a week, A. L. could stand it no longer and went down there too.

A protein-rich breakfast can do more to stave off fatigue hours longer than a morning meal with less protein. It is an advantage to provide about one third of the day's protein allowance in the breakfast. Some of it should come from such top-quality protein foods as milk, eggs and lean meats.

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SMITHWICK GIVEN LIFE SENTENCE

The trial of Sam Smithwick last week in the district court of Bell county for the murder of W. H. (Bill) Mason, a radio broadcaster and former newspaper man in Alice, Jim Wells county, alleged to have been committed on July 29, 1949, attracted statewide attention because of the prominence of the parties and the circumstances leading up to the homicide. Smithwick was a deputy sheriff of Jim Wells county when he committed the homicide. The jury at Belton, where the case was tried on a charge of venue, found the defendant guilty and assessed his punishment at life imprisonment in the penitentiary.

The trial itself was attended with several sensational episodes. One of these sensational sidelights was the attempt to murder J. K. Everts, district attorney at Belton, who was conducting the prosecution. Some would-be assassin hid in the shadows near his garage on Monday night of last week and fired two shots at Everts after he had driven into his garage and alighted from the car and was about to leave it to go into his home. Both shots missed but officers found the bullets and are working on the case.

Many of our readers might be interested in knowing that Everts is a first cousin of Frank P. Hill of the The Lynn County News and of the other children of the senior editor. He was district attorney at Belton before going into service in our armed forces and was re-elected to the position soon after his return from overseas. He was severely wounded in action while in service in western Europe.

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The Wells Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Misses Myrtle and Ina Ledbetter on January 17, with four members and two visitors in attendance. Miss Hard, Home Demonstration Agent, gave a demonstration on "Master Mix," which will be a time-saver for preparing hot biscuits, muffins, etc.

Mrs. Buster Phipps, February 7. The program will be on "Adequate Lighting For The Home." All members and any one interested are urged to attend this meeting. —Reporter.

If farm profits are to be maintained during the years immediately ahead, better and more efficient management practices must be made a part of each farm or ranch operator's plans.

Fryers and broilers are now in plentiful supply and recent price drops make them one of the best food buys. The lower prices will help the homemaker balance the family food budget and the increased consumption will help the producer.

A small paintbrush is an excellent gadget to use for cleaning crumbs from an electric toaster or waffle-iron.

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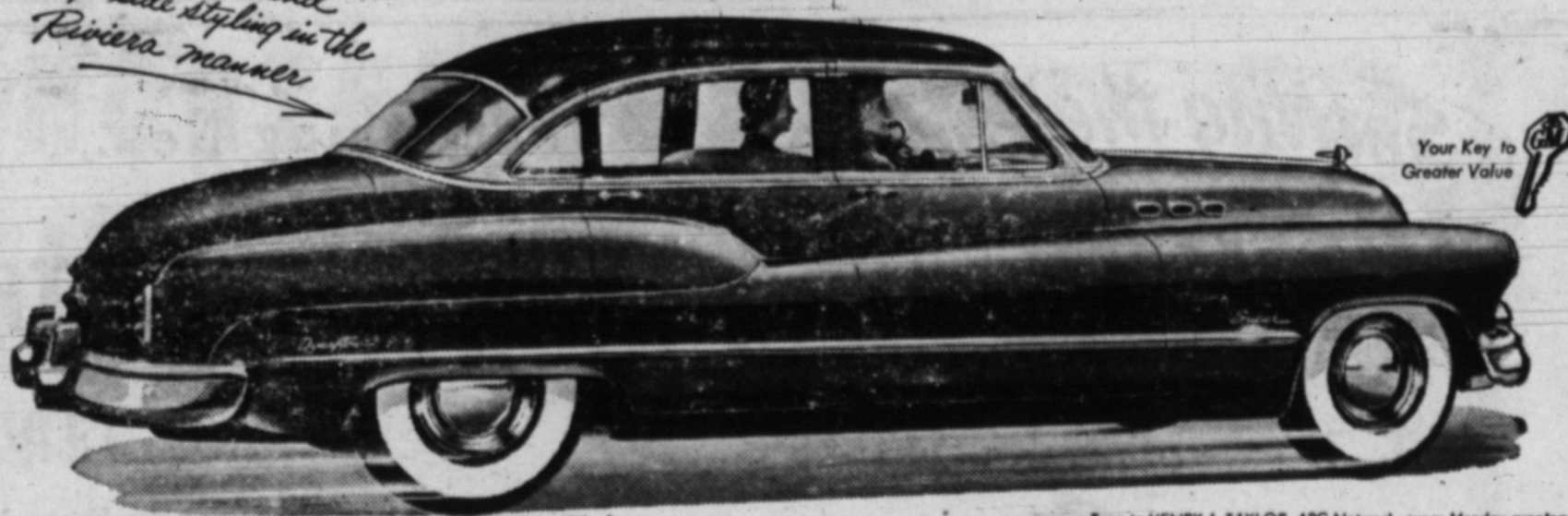
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HERE'S THE NEW 1950 BUICK SUPER 126, companion body-type to the equally new ROADMASTER 130. Both are shorter than last year's 4-door Sedans—yet 4 inches longer in wheelbase. In both, the difference is used to give you real stretch-out room in the rear seat.

What the boys did here really calls for some medals.

We gave them the job of coming up with something that was bigger inside—for room and comfort—longer in wheelbase—always important to good riding qualities—yet unbulky and easy-handling in over-all dimensions.

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Item three—wheelbases are the longest of our 1950 line. On the SUPER, it is 125 1/4" instead of 121 1/4"—on the ROADMASTER 130, it's 126 1/4" instead of 126 1/4".

Yet—and here's where the magic comes in—the whole car is shorter over-all. Actually less from bumper to bumper than previous Buicks in these series.

That means easier parking, easier tucking away in family garages, easier maneuvering in crowded traffic.

There are some other things too. An extra rear-quarter window not found in standard 4-door Sedans. A different upperstructure styling that makes this body-type stand out as something pretty special.

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Yes, we think we hit on a happy idea in the "Longfellows," as they're coming to be known. They are not longer, on the outside, but there's a two-way stretch—in width and length—in the rear compartment.

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Gilbert Newton New Police Chief City Of Lubbock

Gilbert Newton, 41, former Lynn county citizen, Tuesday night was named "temporary acting" chief of the Lubbock Police Department. He replaces Lewis Kithrell, chief since 1947, who will resume his former duties as a captain.

Newton has been on the Lubbock police force for five and a half years, and was the only man considered for the job after it was found that John B. Wilkinson, present Pampa chief who had been named to the post earlier, could not meet the city civil service requirements.

Newton was informed that the "temporary acting" part of his title would be removed if he was able to reorganize and operate the department more efficiently and secure better enforcement of the laws.

Though born in Clay county, Gilbert Newton came to Lynn

county with his parents in 1916, and has resided here most of the time since. He attended school at Grassland, farmed a few years, and lived in Tahoka some time while with the maintenance division of the State Highway department.

He moved to Lubbock in 1944 while with the Highway department, but soon quit that job to join the police force. He was promoted to sergeant nine months later and to captain about two and one-half years ago.

He is a brother of Elmer Newton of Draw and of Bill Newton, former Tahoka barber, now of Raton, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wheeler and boys and Mr. John Link, visited the Jack Link family at Presidio, Texas over the week end.

Put your portable sewing machine on rubber or a typewriter pad to protect the table-top finish, reduce vibration and to keep the machine from slipping.

Try Our Classified Columns.

Golf in England

It was King William IV of Britain who graciously re-named the St. Andrews golf club the "Royal and Ancient," thus giving royal approval to a game that had had its ups and downs since the 15th century. This was in 1834. But way back in the hush of history you can hear the click of the royal mallet. Many Queens of Scots found an escape from court intrigue in the gentle game and Charles I was an ardent golfer right up to the time he lost his head. Small wonder therefore that the present-day visitor to Britain, wherever he goes, finds himself surrounded by golf courses of unusual quality.

Panacea in Rabbits

When a rabbit can't run, it's really in trouble. This is what happened to a group of 18 Finnish giant rabbits whose owners had fed them only poor-quality hay and water for several weeks. They had no appetite, lost weight steadily, and became paralyzed. The trouble was diagnosed as a nutritional deficiency. All but three of the rabbits regained health after treatment with vitamins and minerals, followed by a change to better rations.

The First Cones

About the time grandmother and grandfather were going to the "ice cream parlor" for a gala evening, ice cream began taking on new forms. First a soda-water manufacturer introduced ice cream soda. Then the ice cream cone caused a great fad at the St. Louis World's Fair in 1904. Remember the Eskimo pie? It started about 20 years after the cone.

Alcoholic Patients

New York hospitals treat nearly twice as many alcoholic patients as do those of any other state, a nation-wide survey of 6,276 American Medical Association registered hospitals show. The survey was completed by the A.M.A. council on medical education and hospitals as an initial step in the study of the problem of alcoholism. An estimated 3,000,000 persons in the United States are excessive drinkers, and nearly one fourth this number are said to be chronically alcoholic, the report points out. Statistics for 1947 of the 1,718 hospitals which reported that alcoholic patients are accepted for treatment that hospitals in the state of New York admitted 12,175 such patients. California ranked second with 8,101 such admissions, Illinois third with 4,938, Michigan fourth with 3,225, and Pennsylvania fifth with 3,658.

Most of the Carbon Dioxide gas used in the war is extracted from coke oven gases.

Red Blood Cell Count Made Of Hiroshima's Survivors

Blood of survivors of the atomic bombing of Hiroshima now shows little difference from the blood of persons in a nearby Japanese city who were not exposed to the bomb.

Studies were conducted on a group of 904 Hiroshima residents who had suffered radiation (less of heat) at the time of the bombing, an indication of exposure to relatively large doses of radioactive waves. For comparison, studies were also made of 935 residents of the city of Kure, 18 miles away.

"These studies have revealed only a very slight reduction of the red blood cell count in the Hiroshima residents," investigators report. "This could be an effect of the atomic bombing, but nutritional differences between the two groups could have been a factor."

Studies conducted immediately after the bombing had revealed that many of the persons who had lost their hair were also anemic. "It may be presumed that many of the people included in the later study had low blood counts following the bombing," the report added, "but had made an almost complete recovery from anemia in the interval between the two studies."

Once an individual was selected for observation, a detailed history with emphasis on the individual's position at the time of the explosion, signs and symptoms of radiation sickness, and associated shock, was obtained by a trained interpreter.

Subjects were examined for red and white cell count, hemoglobin, plasma protein levels, and as many other determinations as circumstances permitted.

L-P Gas Serves Millions

Taming the "wild gases" that were once a major headache and waste product at the nation's oil fields and refineries and putting them to work, the liquefied petroleum gas industry has made a formidable contribution to the conservation of natural resources and brought city comfort and convenience to millions in rural and suburban America, in areas beyond the gas mains. The L-P Gas business achieved its greatest growth during and since World War II. Its spectacular progress is largely attributed to a band of "little fellows"—inventors, chemists and engineers whose ingenuity resulted in a series of discoveries and patented inventions that made the new fuel commercially practical.

Most of the Hopis still cling to the old style homemade cotton clothing and gaily colored shirts.

Singing At Wilson Sunday, February 5

There will be a community singing at Wilson in the Methodist Church Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, Clarence Church announces.

The group has received the new 1950 Stamps song books, and some of these songs, as well as many others, will be sung.

All people who sing or like to hear good singing are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Garland Pennington was a patient two or three days this week in Seale Clinic.

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Supt. and Mrs. Vernon Brewer have been ill with the flu this week.

Boyd Barnes moved to Idalou, where he will farm this year.

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Song Program At Baptist Church

A special program will be presented Sunday night, February 5, at the First Baptist Church by the Sacred Songsters, a male quartet from the First Baptist Church, Seminole, Texas.

The quartet is composed of Wilford Pruitt, first tenor; Dee Wayne White, baritone; Larry Phillips, bass; all of Seminole; and Darby Downey, second tenor, who recently moved to Tahoka.

The program Sunday night will be at the regular worship hour, 7:30 o'clock. It will include a number of favorite hymns with the reading of appropriate passages of Scriptures between the members. Rev. C. T. Aly, pastor of the local Baptist Church will narrate.

OPERATING STATION

Tom Chandler has taken over the management of the Southside Service Station, located at the southwest corner of the square in Tahoka.

Cub Scouts Have Special Program

Tahoka Cub Scouts held their regular meeting at the WOW Hall on Thursday, January 28.

The Scouts were registered for the year 1950, after which a nice program on chivalry with the theme of King Arthur's Knights of the Round Table being carried out. The uniforms and horses were made by the Scouts. Gordon Smith, Den Chief for Den 4, was the leading Knight; John Ed Redwine, Torchbearer; and John Draper, Sir Kay.

New members joined the Scouts Order of Line.

Graduation ceremonies were held in honor of Donald Renfro, who received the Webelo Pin.

Mrs. Fred Heck made several old and new announcements, after which refreshments were served to approximately 85 people.

Mrs. Otis DeVault, who has been living at Perryton, was here Wednesday visiting her sister, Mrs. Landon Smith, and brother, Jackie Weathers. She and her husband have moved to Brownfield.

Memorial Fund Grows Rapidly

Since last week's issue of The News, \$1,231.50 have been contributed to the VFW's fund for the erection of a memorial to the World Wars I and II dead on the square triangle. This brings the total to \$1899.50, with the \$668.00 contributed last week, according to C. W. Conway, Post Quartermaster.

The following committees have been appointed to receive contributions in other communities of Lynn county: Wilson, Pat Campbell, Howard Cook, J. B. Smith, and Floyd Heck;

New Home, Boswell Edwards, Durwood Unfred, and Billy Hancock;

Grassland, E. L. Short, Dick King, A. L. Norman, and Lee Roy Davis.

Gordon, Howton Halre and Bunyan Corbell;

O'Donnell, Ernie Booth and Harley Jolly.

Since last week, contributions have been made by the following: A. N. Norman, Jr., Oscar Roberts, Ivan McWhirter, Walter Mathis, A. C. Aycox, Helen Ellis, Arley McNeely, Jim Banister, C. E. Ford, Noel Hayes, A. B. Henry, Paul Pittman, Terry Noble, Terry Thompson, Brian Ramsey, Tom Hale, Buddy Thomas, Newt Barham, L. R. Knight, W. A. Fulford, Rollin McCord, J. A. Biggerstaff;

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NORTH BORDEN ROAD PAVING EXPECTED TO BE LET FOR BIDS IN FEBRUARY

According to Borden County Commissioner Hubert Walker, the State Highway Department is expected to advertise for bids for building of the 10.5 miles of Farm to Market road in the Berry Flat and Mesquite districts. The road will join the Lynn county paving. Judge Harris of Gall was a recent Index visitor, and he said he had high hopes that the pavement would be continued on into Gall. Fences and highlines are being moved back preparing for the new road. — O'Donnell Index-Press.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank from the depths of our hearts those who donated blood, those who offered their blood, the ladies who brought lunch, Dr. Seal and his staff, and those who sent flowers and otherwise made our grief easier to bear during the illness and death of our mother. May God bless each of you. — The Children of Mrs. Ida Cook.

Mike Gurley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gurley, was in Seale Clinic this week for treatment of a severe cold.

Farm records are a mighty important part of farm business operations and a close study of these records may reveal leaks in the farmers profit barrel.

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Boyd Tells Of Blueridge Area

To the Editor of The Lynn County News:
After we had seen the Delta Queen and fared sumptuously on a Tennessee lunch, we turned off the main highway to make a skyline drive over a Blueridge Mountain which was one of the most interesting stretches on our trip. The roads were paved, filling stations were plentiful, orchards everywhere, a packing plant for all kinds of fruit and vegetables nestled away in the timber near roadside and many other things to add to the wonderful scenery. We came to an old house that especially attracted our attention and stopped to take some pictures, but Marlene and Clyde had already taken several and Mrs. Tamplin took some more of it. The only place that I know that is comparable to it is the old seven-gabled house away out on Avenue H just after you pass the circle going into Lubbock. Just after we passed a highway circle, we began ascending a hog-back mountain which was one of the Blueridge group and only a high-powered camera could tell the story or give a description of what we saw. In some places the mountain was narrow and we could see into the valley on either side, but in other places it was wide and covered with trees which prevented us from seeing anything except what was on top of it. Of course, there were open spaces occasionally—with inspiration points that had been especially prepared for the pleasure of tourists by the State of Virginia. The joy that we experienced from looking down upon this vast underlying valley was worth the expense of the entire trip. The immensity of it was staggering because we were in a position to get a panoramic view of the whole valley for fifty miles but our eyes could not see that far on account of the apparent smoke at the foot of the mountain in the distance. I wish that I were able to paint your a word picture that would let you see this scenic mountain wonderland. In many places there was nothing to mar our view and we stood just like we were glued to the ground with no desire to leave this indescribable fairyland. Remember, we were above the valley looking down upon hundreds of farms with modern homes with every convenience, because the REA completely covered all of this territory. The farms ranged in size from tiny spots to several acres, and just how many of these separate patches went with each of these houses we could not tell because the whole valley was rough, uneven, unlevel and cut into small patches by rolling hills and ravines. The whole thing reminded us of a patch-worked quilt, as the patches were all unequal in size and turned in different directions to present us with many different colors to add to its beauty. The land was dark, red or chalky, the rocks were red or white, and the trees that seemed to form a boundary like of each patch, of course, were green. If you could imagine yourself standing on the rim of a great basin that stretches for miles and miles in every direction with beautiful, picturesque valley scenery you would have in mind what we saw. I never saw so many rail fences and it was interesting to try to follow their course over the hills and down into the valleys. I also saw many old houses built of logs and having rock chimneys. I noticed that these ancient relics of the past were located very near many modern homes, and I was unable to figure it all out until a man who lived there told me that this land was originally occupied by ignorant settlers that had no title to the land and about all they knew was to make moon shine whiskey; so, the Government burned their homes, took their land away from them, sold it to the present owners, and settled the squatters in the Carolinas under some kind of a National set-up. After we left this fairyland, we ascended a little higher and there we found an old water-wheel that had been built by Elias Mabry many years ago and had fallen into ruin but was restored in 1942 by the State. This old wheel pulled grist and saw-mills, wheelwright and blacksmith shops. You will find a picture of this mill on page 242 of the August issue of The National Geographic Magazine. More next time.
W. G. Boyd.

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Young Peoples Study 6:30 p. m.
Preaching 7:00 p. m.
Mid-week Service
Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

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Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Communion 11:50 a. m.
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Ladies' Bible Study
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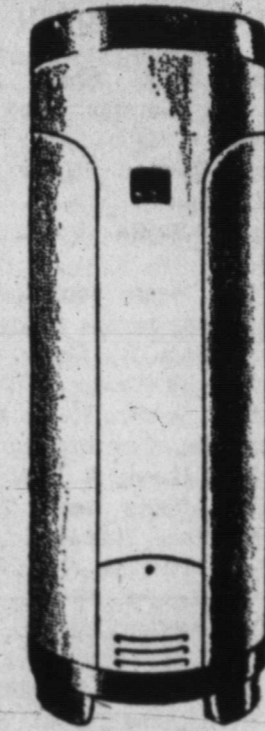
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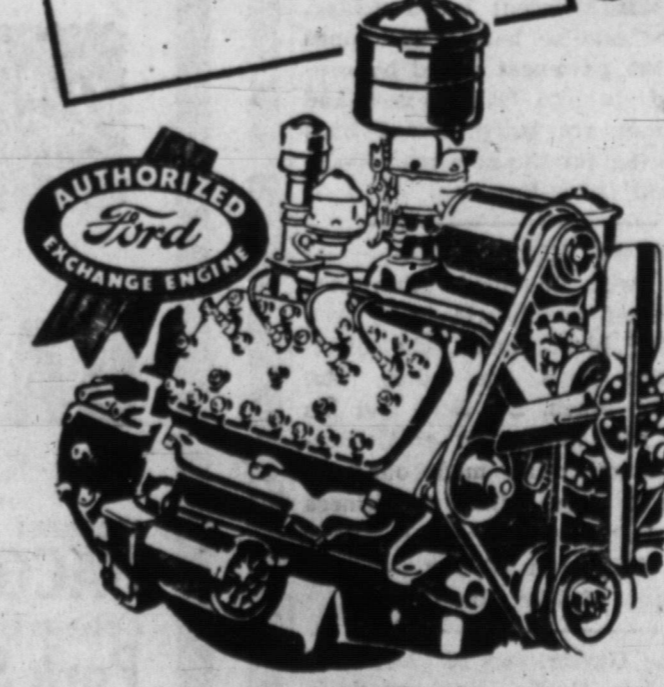
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Durham Speaks On City Affairs

Dr. K. R. Durham, mayor of the City of Tahoka, brought one of the most informative talks Thursday the Rotary Club has had in a long time.

He discussed the City's extensive improvement program and cited facts and figures to show the almost imperative need for the improvements as well as the long-range economy of the same. As a background, he outlined the major improvements in the way of water and sewer systems and paving in the past, and then described the present program in detail.

The News expects to carry a detailed story on the work next week, but he emphasized that the water and sewer plants were designed for a town of 1600 people, whereas the town now has nearly 4,000 people.

Charles Townes acted a program chairman this week.

Otis Spears introduced the Junior Rotarians for the month, Carl Henry McMillan and Bobby Hammonds, Tahoka High School Seniors.

Maurice Bray announced that the annual Boy Scout financial drive had gone over the top and that Tahoka was one of the first five towns in the Council to reach its quota.

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FFA Boys Visit Fat Stock Show

Twenty-eight FFA boys from Tahoka High School last week end attended the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show. They were accompanied by V. P. Carter, their teacher; Vernon Brewer, superintendent; and Lawrence Harvick, bus driver.

The group visited the Swift & Co. packing plant and stockyards Friday, the rodeo Friday night, and the exposition, exhibits, and calf judging Saturday morning. That afternoon and night, the boys saw the sights of Fort Worth.

The party returned home Sunday.

TONSILLECTOMY CASES AT TAHOKA HOSPITAL

The following were patients in Tahoka Hospital Tuesday for tonsillectomies:

Jean Ann Downey, five, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darby Downey.

Charlote, seven, and Beverly Bland, ten, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bland of Justiceburg.

Roger Collier, six, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Collier.

Also, Margie Miller, two, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Miller, had her tonsils removed Wednesday.

Mrs. D. V. Smith left Monday for San Angelo for a few days visit there with her sister, Miss Mary Seyroy.

Aly Resigns . . .

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have been 249 additions to the church, of which number 95 were by baptism.

The church budget in 1948 was \$25,253; the budget last year plus expenditures for building and other local purposes amounted to \$38,938, he reports. A new parsonage was constructed, one of the best to be found in the Plains, a residence of four bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, bath-room, and numerous closets. A part of the funds were derived from the sale of the old parsonage, a part from cash contributed by members of the church, and a part of the funds being borrowed money. The total cost of the structure and furnishings was a little less than \$17,000.

In addition to this a small church building was purchased and moved onto a lot situated on South Sweet Street, repaired and reconstructed on the inside, and is being used by the Church as a mission. The Mexican mission work has been maintained also.

In tendering his resignation Wednesday night, Brother Aly was generous in his praise of the Church here, stating that it is the best Church he ever pastored and expressing his appreciation of the cooperation that had generally been accorded him. He stated to the News that he leaves with many regrets and with no ill will toward any one. He believes that a greater opportunity is afforded at Phillips for effective religious work.

Several other pastors in this area are leaving soon also. Rev. A. A. Brian, who has been pastor of the First Baptist Church at Brownfield for a number of years, has accepted a position as vice-president of Howard Payne College at Brownwood and will close out his work at Brownfield on March 1.

Rev. E. V. Brooks, who has been the Baptist pastor at Wilson for the past two years and three months, has resigned the pastorate there, his resignation to take effect next Sunday. During his pastorate, the beautiful and commodious superstructure has been erected upon the old basement in which the Church had been worshipping for years.

Rev. R. S. Sparkman has resigned the pastorate at Wells to go into evangelistic work.

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'Beating about the Bush' Traced to 15th Century

Many a parent has bristled to cautious attention when Junior casually asks, "By the way, are you going to use the car tonight?" Junior's objective is only too obvious—he wants to use the car, but instead of asking point blank he's "beating about the bush."

Research experts claim that this "beating about the bush" harks back many moons before the arrival of the souped-up model "A" with the raccoon tail tied to the radiator cap.

In fact, the first "bush-beaters" sallied forth in Old England during the 1400's.

Next to sleeping, one of the most popular old English nocturnal pastimes was batfowling. The batfowlers armed with a light, and a weapon resembling a baseball bat, cautiously surrounded a large bush. Then one hunter would beat the other small bushes nearby to frighten the birds in the large bush. Any bird unfortunate enough to be snoozing in the surrounded foliage promptly became the victim of a series of events which should happen only to a baseball.

Dazzled by the light, the birds floundered about while the hunters swung heartily with their clubs trying to render their feathered friends senseless with a blow on the noggin. All this was accompanied by much shouting, confusion, and many near "misses."

A certain amount of risk was involved because often a swift moving bird would suddenly change direction, causing one batfowler to strike another batfowler — which was sometimes fatal.

It was from this "sport" that the expression "beating about the bush" wormed its way into our language. So today, when Junior starts asking coy questions about the family car, we recognize this as a perfect example of beating about the bush, because, like the batfowlers of old, he's approaching the subject he has in mind by a devious method.

Exploding Salt Blasts Scale from Steel Slabs

The casual visitor to a plate mill might be astonished and a little dismayed by a sound similar to periodic cannonading. He would soon locate the sound as coming from the vicinity of the first "roughing" stand of rolls.

If he investigated, the visitor would discover a man throwing on each white-hot slab of steel, just before it enters the rolls, a large shovelful of what closely resembles ordinary rock salt. As a matter of fact, it is rock salt, which, on passing between the rolls, explodes with a reverberating bang.

The explosion takes place because the salt contains a relatively large quantity of water. When thrown upon the hot steel slab, the water in the salt is immediately converted into steam, and this transformation results in an actual explosion, or "deceppitation" as it is termed.

This Fourth-of-July demonstration has a practical purpose. It blasts off the "scale" which has formed on the slab while it is held in the reheating furnace before being rolled into plates. While there are several other processes used in steel plants for "scale breaking," including high pressure jets of water, the use of salt remains one of the most practical, all around methods for most plate mills.

If the rough surfaces were, not smoothed out, the irregularities might be rolled into the finished product.

Care of Kitchen Floor

Highly polished linoleum and floors made slippery by spilled grease cause serious falls which are fairly common in the kitchen. Usually, carelessness rather than poor equipment causes kitchen accidents. Care should be taken to lift kettle lids so that steam escapes away from, rather than toward the worker; turn pot handles so they do not extend over edges of the stove; use thick and dry pot holders; keep children out of the kitchen or out of harm's way; use little wax on kitchen floors and immediately wipe up spilled liquids; use safe kitchen ladders; keep knives and matches out of reach of children.

Paging Mr. Merlin!

In the past, strange ingredients were used in the concoction of wood stains. Names such as nutgall, logwood chips, pearlsh, powdered dragon's blood, alkanet root and powdered gall apples appeared in the ancient formulas. Anyone would think that the magicians of the dark ages had first brewed these strange liquids. But if such mysterious figures started it, the modern wizards of chemistry are the ones today who formulate the fine stains that beautify our floors, woodwork, and furniture.

Luminous Coatings

There are two types of luminous coatings that glow and give off light. The fluorescent type glows only during the time it is being activated by artificial illumination and is generally used under ultraviolet (black) light. The phosphorescent type continues to glow for several hours after the sunlight or activating artificial light is gone. There are many household and industrial uses for these paints.

Early Eskimo Whale Hunt Depleted on Whale Bone

A pictograph on whale bone of an ancient Eskimo whale hunt was among the choice relics of a long-vanished culture of migrating Eskimos obtained by Dr. Henry B. Collins, Jr., of the Smithsonian Institution and his assistant, J. P. Miches of the National Museum of Canada, in stone ruins on far northern Cornwallis Island in the Canadian Arctic archipelago last summer.

This site, lying near the 70th parallel, is one of four old villages with well-preserved remains of stone-and-whale-bone houses. With in historic times the region has been entirely uninhabited.

Collins' excavations, the first to be made in the northern part of the Canadian archipelago, showed that the villages were built, perhaps about 500 years ago, by whale and walrus hunters who were doubtless ancestral to some of the present-day Eskimos. They represent what is known to Eskimo ethnologists as the "Thule culture," which had its origin in northern Alaska.

They were primarily whale hunters. They lived in excellently constructed stone-floored, stone-walled houses with roof supports and beams of whale bone. Collins found one house in which four large whale skulls had been incorporated in the walls. They took the place of large stones.

Any precise dating of the ruins is impossible at present, Collins says, but the culture must have been flourishing at a time when conditions in this part of the far North were better suited to human habitation than is the case today. Apparently there was an abundance of bow head whales. Now there are none. Considerable use was made of driftwood. Now it is unknown on Cornwallis Island. This indicates that ice or current conditions must have been different some centuries ago.

Old Theory Upset

Lightning struck the antenna atop the Empire State building 24 times during storms the past summer, according to Julius H. Hagen-guth, head of the engineers who conducted lightning research atop the building, upsetting the old theory that lightning never strikes in the same place twice. Hagen-guth said that last summer's mark may yet reach the record number of 48. This is the ninth year that the company's "lightning scientists" have conducted the Empire State building lightning studies. Complete photographic records and electrical measurements are obtained on all lightning strokes hitting the National Broadcasting Company's FM and television antenna on the building.

Tahokans Complete Work At Tech

Claude Slover last week completed his work in Texas Tech for the B. S. degree in Mechanical Engineering. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Slover and a graduate of Tahoka High School. He served in the Army in the European Theatre.

Johnny McKaughan completed work for the B. S. degree in Commercial Arts. He is likewise a local high school graduate, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McKaughan.

Mrs. Tom Gill, who has undergone two major operations recently, was carried back to Seale Clinic Sunday night for treatment. She is reported to be improving.

J. W. Garner, Jr., left Wednesday for Fort Worth to attend the Fat Stock Show.

Paper towels can be used for skimming small amounts of fat off the top of soup.

Mrs. Jeanette Browning and two little daughters of Ruidoso, New Mexico, are here visiting for a few days with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ray. Mrs. Browning, the former Miss Jeanette Coe, lived here for a number of years with her uncle and aunt, and attended the Tahoka Schools.

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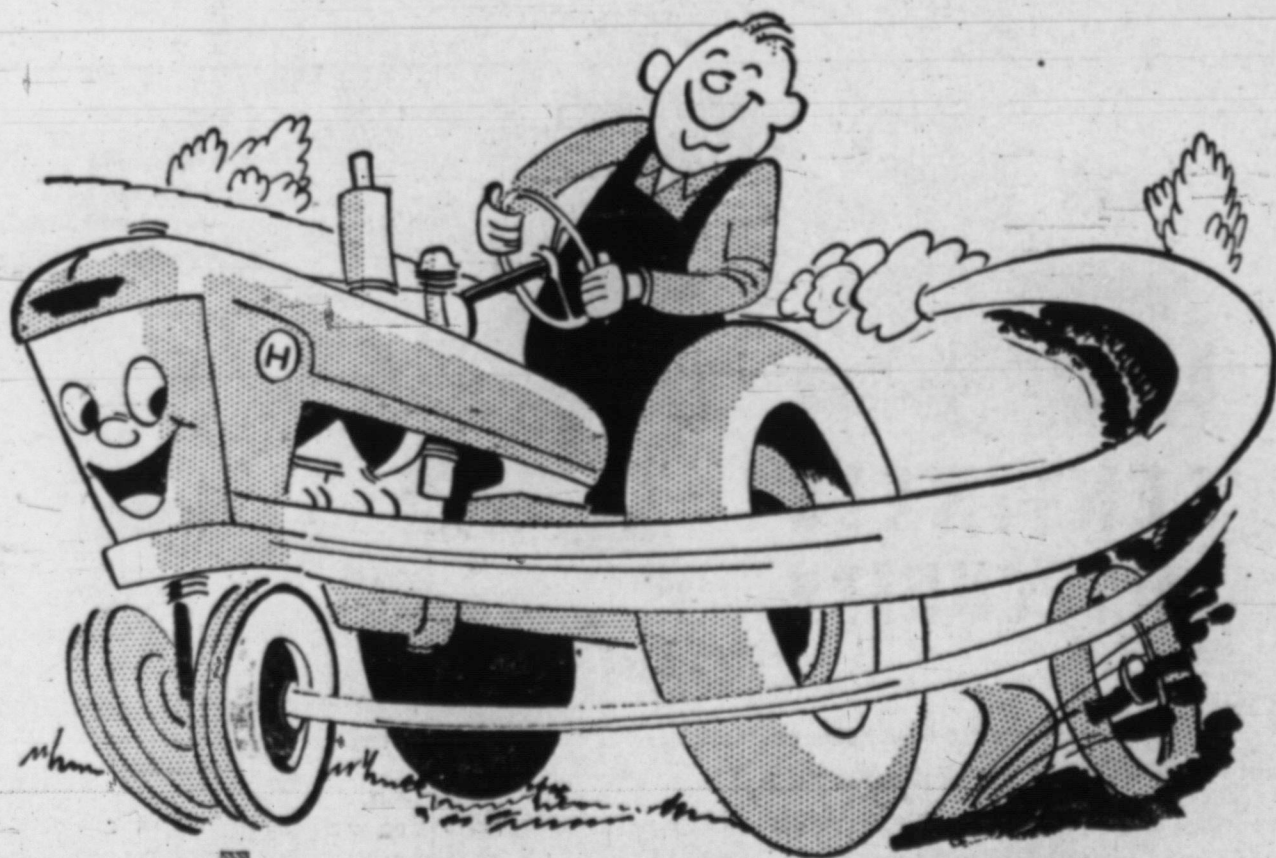
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MI 31	Heating Pads . . \$6.29 - \$7.29 - \$9.95
SOLUTION	\$1.50 NEW PERUNA \$1.29
(FULL PINT)	HADACOL \$1.25 - \$3.50
69c	DEVIL BISS ELECTRIC STEAM—
4 Ounces	VAPORIZERS \$3.50
Citrocarbonate	K. A. Z. ELECTRIC—
69c	VAPORIZERS \$2.00
75c	KNAPP-MONARCH—
RHINALL	VAPORIZERS \$5.00
69c	ELECTRE-STEEM, 3 to 24 Hour—
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