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Bank Deposits For County \$16 Million

Deposits in the three Lynn county banks reached the almost-record total of \$16,275,234.76 as revealed by the call made last week for condition of banks at the close of business on December 31, 1961.

Tahoka's First National Bank on Dec. 31 had deposits totaling \$9,222,028.32, a near record for the bank and almost exactly a million dollars more than the deposits at the same time a year ago.

Many farmers held over deposits until after January 1, states President A. C. Verner, and on January 2 and 3 new funds were deposited at a rate of \$1 million a day. However, withdrawals were being made at the same time, but still on Tuesday of this week total deposits were \$10,846,211.29.

Deposits at Wilson State Bank totaled \$4,148,649.51 on December 31, and Dan Cook of that institution reported that the \$5 million mark was passed on Monday of this week.

First National Bank of O'Donnell on December 31 had deposits totaling \$2,894,556.93, according to President J. T. Forbes. Following January 1, deposits also jumped considerably in the O'Donnell bank.

Thus, deposits this week in the three banks totaled almost \$20 million. Deposits from sale of the late crop are still coming in at a rapid rate, but one banker said the total on hand is not expected to go much higher as farmers and business men are now paying taxes, notes, and other bills coming due at this time of the year.

The 1961 crop, second biggest in the history of the county, has brought farmers at least \$30 million, enabling most people to get in sound financial condition.

Population-wise, few counties anywhere are in better condition financially at the opening of 1962 than is Lynn county, as nearly \$2,000 per capita in bank deposits is far above the national average.

The record for deposits at the First National of Tahoka at time of call being made from the Comptroller of Currency was on Dec. 3, 1950, when deposits totaled \$9,698,482.03; next was Dec. 31, 1958, when deposits were \$9,249,792.30, both only slightly higher than at the present time. On both occasions, deposits after the first of January also went over the \$10 million mark.

Peggy Powell's Rites Are Today

Miss Peggy Powell, 38, sister of Mrs. H. B. McCord, Jr. of Tahoka, died at noon Tuesday in St. Anthony's Hospital in Oklahoma City, where she was hospitalized Thursday of last week. Her death was attributed to aplastic anemia.

Funeral services will be held in Tahoka today, Friday, at 2:00 p. m. in the First Baptist Church with Rev. T. James Efrid officiating. Burial will follow in Tahoka Cemetery under direction of Stanley Funeral Home.

Miss Powell was born Oct. 22, 1923 in Walnut Ridge, Ark. She spent most of her life in St. Louis, Mo., but moved to Lubbock with her mother, Mrs. C. A. Powell, about six years ago. They had lived at Norman, Okla., and Oklahoma City for about two or three years. She was a member of the Baptist Church and was the grand daughter of Rev. R. L. Powell, Baptist minister of Success, Ark. Miss Powell had visited the McCord family here many times and was known by a number of residents.

Survivors include her mother, Mrs. C. A. Powell; one sister, Mrs. H. B. McCord, Jr.; two brothers, Don Powell of Amarillo, and Frank Powell of Great Lakes, Ill.; and her grand father, Rev. R. L. Powell.

C. of C. Planning Annual Banquet

Preliminary plans for the annual banquet in March were made Wednesday night at a meeting of Tahoka Chamber of Commerce directors, headed by E. L. Short, president. An outstanding speaker will be secured for the occasion.

Mrs. Eloise Carroll, secretary, reported 15 new members have recently joined the C. of C. and there are now 82 dues-paying members.

An extensive report was made in a letter from General Telephone of the Southwest on steps taken for improvement of service in the Tahoka area, and suggestions were made to telephone users on telephone usage. The News hopes to print a digest of the report soon.

There was considerable discussion of a diaper manufacturing company interested in locating in Tahoka which needs some financing, but no definite action was taken.

The C. of C. agreed again to furnish most of the prize money and expenses for the annual Junior Livestock Show early in March.

H. B. McCord Jr. reported that the Tahoka brochure is nearly ready for printing.

Several other items pertaining to improvement of the town and county were on the agenda of the meeting.

Directors whose term expire this year are: Wilton Payne, H. B. McCord Jr., Clint Walker, E. R. Edwards, Harold Green, Ray Adams, Jack Jaquess, C. W. Roberts, and Herman Renfro.

Holdover directors are: W. T. Kidwell, A. C. Verner, Frank Hill, Charles Townes, E. L. Short, A. M. Bray, and Mitchell Williams. Johnny Reasonover, a director has moved away.

Hard Luck Terry Family Looks To Better Year 1962

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Terry are looking forward to a bright 1962 with a lot of hope for a happy year.

Last year, 1961, held a great deal of trouble for the family, although they say they have lived through more tragic times.

Things went pretty good for the Terrys until September. During that month their home burned and was a total loss. Then, while moving to another house Mrs. Terry fell from the back door and broke her hand.

A short time following that accident, she was a victim of a heart attack and was sent to bed for a month.

All this just proves that any number of things can happen to people, but there's still some good pioneer stock left in most of them. They always seem to bounce right back.

Bartley Rescues Stranded Family

A Lubbock highway patrolman Earl Bartley, a former Tahoka resident and graduate of Tahoka High School, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Frank (Josie) Henderson, long time resident of Lynn county, were in the news this week when Bartley discovered a family of seven huddled in their car in freezing 10 degree weather Tuesday morning and befriended them.

The Oregon family's car had broken down and lacking funds for a night's lodging had wrapped themselves, including five children from 10 months to seven years old, in blankets.

Bartley took them to his home, where Mrs. Henderson cooked them a good breakfast.

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Poll Taxes Are Due In January

With a big election year coming up, residents are reminded that poll taxes must be paid this month, January 31 being the deadline.

Citizens who became 60 years of age prior to Jan. 1, 1961, do not have to have a poll tax receipt or an exemption to vote in Lynn county, since 60 is the age limit and Lynn county has no city of 10,000 population or more. However, citizens should note that he must have been 60 prior to Jan. 1, 1961.

Persons who became 21 years of age after Jan. 1, 1961, or one who moved into Texas after Jan. 1, 1961, may obtain without charge an exemption certificate not later than 30 days prior to any election in which he wishes to vote.

There are a number of state contests this year, as well as district and local, including most of the more important offices.

The first primary is set for Saturday, May 5; the second primary for Saturday, June 2; and the general election for Tuesday, November 6.

Estimate Due On Farm Income

Farmers and ranchers were reminded today that Monday, January 15, is the last day for filing their estimated federal income tax return for 1961, unless they plan filing their final return on or before February 15.

John J. Sloan, Administrative Officer, Internal Revenue Service, Lubbock, explained that those farmers and ranchers who file an estimated return on January 15 and pay the tax due thereon have until April 16 to file their final return and pay any balance of tax due. Otherwise, the law requires that they file their final return and pay the full amount of the tax due by February 15.

Property Taxes Due In January

In order to avoid paying penalty and interest, property owners must pay their 1961 taxes during the month of January, warns George McCracken, county tax assessor and collector.

By state law, taxes become delinquent after January 31, he says, and all property owners who possibly can are urged to pay their taxes now.

Mrs. J. L. Tomlinson, who has been in Tahoka Hospital since Dec. 22 recuperating from a heart attack, is showing improvement.

New Oil Test Near O'Donnell

A new wildcat oil test has been announced by Texas Gulf Producing Co. of Midland to be located on the Saleh land two miles northwest of O'Donnell. Contract calls for a 9,500-foot hole to test the Dean and Wolfcamp formations.

The site is one and three-fourths miles northwest of a 5,014-foot failure, two miles west-northwest of a 10,777-foot failure, and seven miles north of the nearest production in the Adcock Siluro-Devonian field.

Drill site is 1,980 feet from west and 2,400 feet from south lines of Section 49, Block 8, EL&RR survey.

Being A Fireman Is Fun (?) During Severe Weather

Tahoka Volunteer Firemen have had a lot of fun (?) the past few days.

They've been out four times with the big red fire wagons.

Friday, during a high north wind, lint that had collected on the ground east of Farmers Coop. Gin caught fire and threatened much damage. Before the fire could be contained from spreading further, two or three cotton trailers were damaged.

But, Wednesday, a day when the highest temperature registered was 11 degrees, Tahoka's firemen were called out three times.

In the morning, they made a cold, cold run to Wilson, where a small house occupied by a Latin American family just north of Wilson Co-op. Gin was burning and too far gone to save by the time the Tahoka firemen got there.

Even then, en route to the sister city, the supply line from the tank to the pump on the fire truck froze and rendered the truck useless.

At noon, the fire boys were called to the Peyton Perkins home a mile and a half east of town, where a frozen line caused a motor to get hot and set fire to a well house.

A little past mid-afternoon, the boys were called out again, this time to the Buster Phipps farm home, six miles west and five miles south of Tahoka, where another well house was burning.

The firemen give their services free of charge, and the City of Tahoka furnishes most of the expense.

Mrs. Ed Davis was dismissed Tuesday from Tahoka Hospital, where she had been a medical patient since Dec. 31.

Have News? Phone 963-4888.

Thermometer Hits Five Below In Worst Cold Spell In Years



DR. ALBERT E. IVERSON

Temperature dropped to five degrees below zero in Tahoka Thursday morning to climax one of the coldest spells recorded here in many years.

In fact, on Wednesday the highest temperature recorded was 11 degrees above, the lowest high reading ever recorded by the local U. S. Weather Bureau cooperative stations since records were started in 1913. Low temperature Wednesday morning here was three degrees above zero. The low on Tuesday morning was 10 degrees.

Weather Bureau reports indicated a slight warming trend for the rest of the week. Thursday morning, the sun came out again.

Light dry snow fell Tuesday and Wednesday, making the highways slick in places, but totaled possibly no more than a half inch and brought little moisture.

So far The News could determine there has been surprising little damage from the hard freeze except for frozen pipes, suffering to some livestock, and inconvenience to some people.

Many homes had frozen water pipes, many farm homes had pressure pumps and lines to freeze up, and livestock were without water. Some farmers with livestock were having difficulty getting water for them.

Local service station men say a relatively small percent of cars froze up, but there may be more damage to cars and tractors not in operation than had yet come to light Thursday.

Tahoka Fire Department made three runs Wednesday, two of them directly caused by freezing temperatures.

City of Tahoka reported two burst water mains Thursday morning, one on North Fifth and one on North First street, and City workers were fearful that other breaks may show up.

Building Permits Pass Half Million

A tabulation of building permits issued during 1961 by City Secretary J. M. Uzzle reveals that construction in Tahoka during the year totaled \$71,188.00, including the \$33,000 county livestock exhibition building.

In mid-December, The News reported a slightly larger amount, or \$83,388, a mistake having been made somewhere in tabulations.

The final figure for last year includes several other permits not previously reported.

Largest was for a new home on North Fifth north of the High School, \$11,500.00, taken out by Henley Construction Co., the firm which erected the new Echo 87 motel.

Jim Sessums, \$1,000.00, moving and remodeling house.

Dan Garcia, \$950.00, small house on South Fifth.

Pat Hines, well house, \$300.00.

Several substantial new homes, for which permits were taken out in December of 1961, are now under construction in Tahoka. Builders expect to erect a number of other homes during 1962.

Scouter Banquet Next Tuesday

Friends of Boy Scouting in the South Plains Council will attend an annual banquet next Tuesday in the Texas Tech Student Union building, President Cliff Cummings announces.

Speaker will be Dr. Albert E. Iverson, national director of Protestant Relationships for the Boy Scouts of America, who has held this office since 1946.

Dr. Iverson has had wide experience as a church leader and Scouter.

Tickets are \$3.00 each and are available through Council Service Center and Scouters in each of the seven districts.

Highway Officials Give Road Reports

In the interest of better service to the traveling public, District Highway Engineer O. L. Crain of Lubbock announces that reports will be issued daily on highway conditions in the area, especially during inclement weather.

Travel conditions in the 17-county area may be had by contacting the local maintenance foreman in Tahoka, Eugene Munselle, telephone 998-4004, through the daily press, radio and TV stations.

This information, he says, is being collected daily for the Highway Department maintenance men, which is supported by 65 mobile radio units operating throughout the area.

Stock Show Will Open County's New Building

Plans are being completed for the annual Lynn County Fat Stock Show to be held March 1, 2 and 3 in the new \$45,000 county livestock exhibition building on a block in south Tahoka just east from the southeast part of the City Park.

County Agent Bill Griffin says he expects more than 500 entries for this year's show, including 400 hogs, 80 lambs, and 40 steers, which should fill the hall just about to capacity.

This year three new classes of swine are being added, middleweight Durocs, Hampshires, and Poland Chinas. Also, there will be three new classes of sheep, and there will be two weights, heavy and light, in each of the three lamb classes.

Premiums totaling about \$600.00 are furnished by Tahoka Chamber of Commerce and Tahoka Rotary Club.

Instead of selling the animals at auction, as some counties do, a bonus fund of close to \$2,000 is

usually raised by Tahoka, O'Donnell, Wilson, and New Home business and professional people and others interested. At end of the local show, each animal entered brings the boy or girl a bonus from this fund. In this manner, all the entries, instead of just a few, get something for their effort in carrying out a livestock project.

Since the old County Fair building burned a few years ago, the show has been held on a makeshift basis.

Last year, Lynn county voters approved a \$35,000 bond issue for the new exhibition hall, which will be one of the finest in West Texas for such a show.

The building proper cost \$35,000, not including land and other expenses. It is being furnished from a fund of nearly \$10,000 from the fund of the old Lynn County Fair Association.

Although of steel construction, the building has a varicolored front and other features that add

to the appearance and have been unusual in steel building construction until the present time.

The structure is 110 feet by 200 feet in size, has rest rooms, and has a livestock wash rack.

The Fair Association has let a contract for the electrical installations, and has bought the bleachers for the judging pavilion, the latter due to be shipped on January 25. Pens are yet to be built for the livestock, but this will be completed next month.

Judges will be Calvin Holcomb, baby beef; Euell Liner, fat barrows. Judge for the fat lambs has not been named.

Show superintendents are Jerry Church, baby beef division; Ward Akin, Ray Steen, Walton Terry, and I. V. J. Melton, fat barrow division; Charlie Lacy and Wendell Edwards, fat lamb division.

Assisting Griffin in staging the annual show, as usual, will be the Vocational Agriculture teachers of the county.

Negro Is Found Dead In Bed

Jim Weeks, 80 or 81, Negro living in the Hackberry community of northeast Lynn county, was found dead in his bed Tuesday afternoon on the R. L. Camden farm a mile north and a mile west of the gin. He had apparently been dead several days.

Deputy Joe Raindl of Wilson, other officers of the Sheriff's Department, and Justice of the Peace C. A. Clem went to the scene, and the Judge ruled at an inquest the death was probably from natural causes.

The body was brought to Stanley Funeral Home and later transferred to Post, where services were pending Wednesday.

Weeks had been living in a small house near the Camden home while working in the Southland Cemetery. His wife lives in Post and a daughter and brother live in Dallas. He was a World War I veteran and was drawing a pension.

Mr. Camden told officers he had not seen any activity around the Negro's living quarters recently, and went to the small house to investigate. The man was found in bed, well covered and there were no signs of violence. Judge Clem said \$101.00 was found in his pockets and other money in a trunk.

His wife is reported to have seen him last on Saturday night in Post.

Good Year Reported By Credit Union

LynnCo Federal Credit Union, an organization of school employees, declared a four percent dividend at its meeting Monday night, according to Lois Montgomery, president.

Organized in October, 1960, the credit organization has made 53 loans totaling \$17,405.00, has not had a single delinquent loan, and has had net earnings of \$608.08. The body has 66 members at the present time. Any school employee is eligible to membership.

At the meeting Monday night, J. P. Hewlett of Wilson and I. G. Sherrill of O'Donnell were re-elected to the board.

Officers in addition to the president are Mr. Sherrill, vice president; Mr. Hewlett, treasurer; Mrs. Pearl Davidson, Wilson, secretary; and J. P. Miller, New Home, board member.

Burton Edwards Is Buried Here

W. B. (Burton) Edwards, 81, of Lubbock, 3217 33rd street, a pioneer settler of Lynn county, passed away Sunday at 11:40 p. m. in Poplar Grove Convalescent Home in that city following a long illness.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2:00 p. m. in the First Baptist Church of Tahoka with the pastor, Rev. T. James Efrid, officiating, assisted by a former pastor, Rev. George A. Dale of Lubbock, and Rev. J. Wayland Edwards, also formerly of this county and now pastor of Souther Baptist Church in Lubbock, the deceased's pastor at the time of his death. Burial followed in Tahoka Cemetery.

Mr. Edwards was born and grew up at Crawford, near Waco, and was married there to Miss Belle Wainley. The couple came to Lynn county in 1906, buying a farm in the Three Lakes community, and lived there until 1924, when they moved to Tahoka. All his children grew up here.

He moved to Lubbock in 1944, and two years later Mrs. Edwards passed away.

In 1947, he was married to Mrs. Maude Renfro of Lubbock and they lived in Mineral Wells and Stephenville until returning to Lubbock about two and a half years ago.

The day he returned to Lubbock, Mr. Edwards suffered a stroke, and had been in poor condition up to the time of his death.

Mr. Edwards was regarded as one of Lynn county's outstanding citizens, served on the school board, and was a deacon and loyal worker in the First Baptist Church here.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Carlisle of Denver City, J. Boswell of New Home, and Wilson

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Society & Club News

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Linda Applewhite Will Marry Gary Watson January 28

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Applewhite, Jr., 2305 North 3rd, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lynda, to Gary Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Watson, route 2, Tahoka.

Miss Applewhite is a graduate of Tahoka High School and attended North Texas State University. The prospective bridegroom is also a graduate of Tahoka High School as well as San Angelo College. He is now employed by Lyntegar Electric Cooperative.

The wedding date has been set for Jan. 28.

Mrs. Pearl Holloway of Arkansas is here visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Williams and sons.

District MYF Will Have Banquet In Tahoka Saturday

About 200 members of the Brownfield District Methodist Youth Fellowship will attend their annual banquet to be held in the school cafeteria here Saturday, Jan. 13, when the theme will be "Race Relations."

Dr. Leon Hertzell of the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock, and formerly of Cuba will be the principal speaker. He will be introduced to the gathering by Andy Bray of Tahoka, Sub-District MYF president.

Others appearing on the program will be Fred Hegi of Tahoka, president of the local MYF, who will give the welcome address; Sue Wescott, District MYF president of Seminole who will introduce the Pleasant Grove Youth Choir and guests; Sylvia Bailey, Sub-District president from Spade, who will give the invocation; and Roger Ward, Sub-District president of Seagraves, who will pronounce the benediction.

Also expecting to attend the event are Dr. Dallas D. Denison, District Superintendent of Brownfield, and Rev. Harold B. Rucker, District Director of Youth Work.

Brownies Hear Of Scouts in England

Brownie Troop No. 306 had 15 girls present at their meeting on Jan. 3. Mrs. Connie Hale talked to the group about school and the Brownie and Girl Scout troops in England. The girls also made plans for learning to knit, which Mrs. Hale will teach, and each girl is to bring 50 cents to buy knitting needles and thread if she does not already have them.

Each girl in the troop was given a daffodil bulb to plant in her yard to commemorate the Golden Anniversary of the Girl Scouts in 1962—Jane Ann Moore, reporter.

Judge C. A. Clem Married Recently

Judge C. A. Clem of Tahoka and Mrs. Esther Bird of Post were united in marriage at Snyder on Tuesday of last week. They are making their home in Tahoka.

Mr. Clem has been a citizen of this county 38 years, retired from farming several years ago, and for several years has been Justice of the Peace of Precinct 1, the Tahoka precinct.

Mrs. Bird has lived in Garza county since 1916, when her folks came to the Close City community.

Sunny Sue Gibson Sets Wedding Date

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gibson of Tahoka announce the engagement of their daughter, Sunny Sue, to Homer Dan Vaughn, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Vaughn of O'Donnell.

The wedding will take place in the First Methodist Church of Tahoka on March 24.

Miss Gibson is a graduate of Tahoka High School and is a student in Texas Tech. Vaughn is a graduate of O'Donnell High School, and also attends Texas Tech.

Miss Henderson Will Wed Don Basinger

Mr. and Mrs. J. Coleman Henderson, who live out northeast of New Lynn on Post, route 2, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Donna, to Don Allen Basinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Basinger.

They have set the date for Friday, Jan. 26, at 7:00 p. m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Basinger, route 2, Post.

The prospective bridegroom is a last year's graduate of Southland High School, and Donna has been attending the same school. The couple expect to farm south of Southland.

GS Neighborhood Meeting Planned

A neighborhood meeting will be held for all registered Girl Scout committee women and leaders Monday at 11:00 a. m. in the WOW Hall, according to Mrs. Charles McClellan, neighborhood leader.

A salad luncheon will be held and any mother or others interested are also invited to attend.

The record of the speech given by Dr. John Furbay at the Regional Girl Scout Conference held in Dallas this fall will be played. It is entitled "Four Dreams of Man" and is a dramatic story of the shape of things to come. Any organization may borrow this record for any club program by contacting Mrs. McClellan.

In addition to a business meeting, Mately Flowers, district director of Caprock Council Girl Scouts of Lubbock, will attend and confer with local leaders.

Bridge Club Plays At Mrs. Gaignats

T-Bar Duplicate Bridge Club met Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. D. W. Gaignat on account of the bad weather.

Winners were: Mrs. Jess Gurley and Mrs. Johnny Wells, first; Mrs. Meldon Leslie and Mrs. A. N. Norman, second; Mrs. J. T. Whorton and Miss Echo Milliken, third.

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Grassland News

(By Mrs. O. H. Hoover)

A few friends of Mrs. Myrtle Mathis surprised her Friday with a birthday luncheon. Each lady brought a salad, had lunch, and then cut the decorated birthday cake and sang "Happy Birthday" to her. Attending were Reba Turner, Vesta Appling, Zella Thomas, Gladys Fox, Lura King, Lena Short, Mittie Walker, Letha Porterfield and Myrtle Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. Coe Smith of Yuma, Ariz., visited recently with the E. A. Thomases and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Fox and Gladys.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Terry of Lamasa had supper New Years day with the C. A. Walker family.

The Thursday sewing club met Thursday, Jan. 4, in the home of Mrs. J. A. Propst and elected officers for the coming year. Refreshments were served to Viva Davis, Tris McMahon, Minnie Wright, Ada Oden, Myrtle Hoover and a visitor, Lelia Gilly of Post.

Mr. Ward and Mr. Moore from Seagraves spent New Years day with Mr. and Mrs. Fox and Gladys. Huston Hoover of Littlefield stopped by on his way to see his new grandson and visited in the O. H. Hoover home.

Mrs. L. S. Turner, Mrs. Roy Appling and Mrs. Hoover went to Lubbock Wednesday of last week. It was Mrs. Turner's birthday so Mrs. Appling and Mrs. Hoover took her out for lunch.

One of Miss Gladys Fox's former students came by for a visit recently.

Mrs. Lucian Walker is in the Garza Hospital at Post with the flu. We are glad to report she is improving.

Mrs. L. B. Burk is also on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted McDonald and children of Post had lunch and spent the day with the W. G. McCleskeys.

Mrs. Tom Murray visited awhile with Mrs. McCleskey Thursday. They decided to go to Tahoka and later came back by Mrs. Moore's and helped her paper a room. The Moores have all been sick with the flu.

Visitors in the Kelly Laws home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Jones of Ropesville, Rev. and Mrs. Joe Webb and family and Mrs. Eubanks of Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bosworth of Harrison, Ark. spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. McCleskey.

Frank and Joyce Taylor of Floydada spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gribble. Joyce is a niece of the late John R. Fergerson, a former pastor of the Nazarene Church here.

Mr. Odie Campbell, Mrs. Murray and the W. G. McCleskeys visited Mr. Ritchey Sunday afternoon. Mr. Ritchey is a shut-in.

Dean Laws, brother of Kelly Laws, was a guest in the latter's home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. McCleskey had lunch in Post Saturday with the

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Wednesday
Mid-Week Service 8:00 p. m.
Blanche Groves Circle 9:00 a. m.
Sunbeams; G. A.'s; R. A.'s;
Y. W. A. (at church) 4:00 p. m.

Pastor Presenting Study Course

The First Methodist Church will hold its annual winter Bible study during the next few weeks on Wednesday nights at 7:30 p. m. in the Youth Fellowship room.

The study was begun last Wednesday night. Entitled "Beliefs that Count," it is being presented by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Thompson. Everyone is urged to attend every session.

Winners Named At Party Bridge

Winners at party bridge Thursday night of last week were Mrs. Elnora Curry, first, and Jack Fenton, second.

Host and hostess were Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Williams.

This Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. Wade Holland were to host the event.

The 34 forest tree nurseries operated by the nation's forest industries produced 258,810,000 seedlings in 1960, enough to reforest about 258,000 acres.

Ted McDonalds, then all went down to Spur to visit the new furniture store of Earl Rogers.

Mrs. C. B. King and little grandson, Gary Don, visited with Mrs. C. C. Jones Friday evening.

Mrs. McCleskey visited Mrs. Inklebarger Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore of Seagraves spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Walker. They came for their daughter, Crysta Lynn. She spent last week with her grandmother.

Mrs. Carl Greer spent the afternoon Thursday with Mrs. C. C. Jones.



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Methodist WSCS Continues Study

The Womans Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon in the Methodist Church here when Mrs. Margaret Carter continued the mission study, "Land of Eldorado" by Sante Uberto Barbieri.

Mrs. Lucille Stewart brought the devotional.

There were 13 ladies present. The next meeting will be held at 3:15 p. m. Monday, Jan. 15. All ladies of the church are urged to attend.

VISITING BEAUMONT

Mrs. Roscoe Treadaway and daughters, Kelly and Kim will leave Tuesday by train to spend about a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Frost, in Beaumont. Mr. Frost is vice president of the Beaumont Enterprise and Journal.

Mrs. Earl Wrestler had as guests Sunday night and Monday her sister, Mrs. Stella Adams of Humboldt, Kans. and her niece, Mrs. Fred Lawson of Hobbs, N. M.

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(Articles of faith adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1925.)

II. GOD

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Gen. 1:1; 1 Cor. 8:4-6; Deut. 6:4; Jer. 10:10; Isa. 48:12; Deut. 5:7; Ex. 3:14; Heb. 11:6; John 5:26; 1 Tim. 1:17; John 1:14-18; John 15:26; Gal. 4:6; Matt. 28:19.

Pastor T. James Efrid of First Baptist Church will discuss this subject in radio messages each day next week at 9:00 A. M. on the church's local station broadcasting at 11:00 KC.

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Some History of Early Postmasters At New Home Told By Wayman Smith

Some more facts about early New Home postoffices were given The News this week by Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Smith, who say the office had at least six different postmasters during its existence. They say the first postmaster was Mrs. Fred Thomas, whose husband ran a small grocery store, was located a mile north and a mile east of the present community, and was established in about 1913.

A Mr. Stewart, living in that community, frequently walked all the way to Tahoka and back to New Home in one day to carry the mail to New Home. Others, at times, picked up the mail when in Tahoka.

Probably the postoffice was discontinued a brief time, but soon later Jim S. Beard became postmaster at his store established at the present site of New Home.

Grady O'Rear, now of Lorenzo, became postmaster when he bought the store in about 1917, and he was followed by Will Anderson.

A route was established out of Wilson, and the postoffice was discontinued for a time, and then John Miller, also a store operator, was postmaster, and he was followed by Jim Izard.

In the mid-1920's, routes were established from both Tahoka and Wilson to serve the growing farm community, and the postoffice was discontinued.

The Stith Gin was erected in 1922 or 1923, the first gin in the area owned by Bill Ely and George McDonald. Mr. Ely died just recently at Snyder. This gin was sold to the Cooperative in about 1930.

Another gin was built by Jack Edwards of Tahoka in 1926, and he and brother, Wilson, operated it for some years. This gin is now managed by a nephew, J. B. Edwards.

Wayman, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith, came to New Home in 1906. Mrs. Smith, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gray, came in 1916.

Anyone knowing the history of other early day postoffices in Lynn county is invited to contact The News.

Tunnell Recalls Early Mail Line
H. L. (Howard) Tunnell of Lubbock, 3410 24th, member of a pioneering Lynn county family, writes The News some more information about early day mail service, as follows:

"I learned some things about early day postoffices that I did not know. We came to Lynn county in the fall of 1906. At that time, Jim and John Parker were driving the mail from Gail to Tahoka. They changed teams at Bob Majors' place and once more between there and Gail. As I remember, they usually drove in a loop. I don't know if these men are living or not. Their homes were south of Draw five or six miles.

"Good luck to The News! We very often get it on Monday, but it is news, mostly about people we like to hear about."

Each eye of a moose commands a separate field of vision. This makes difficult their judgment of distance and detection of a stationary object.

Farm Program Objectives Told

The Wall Street Journal in a recent edition said Agriculture Secretary Freeman has received from his planning staff an 84-page book detailing grand strategy for altering both policy and law to reshape America's entire agricultural economy during this decade and beyond.

The document is labeled "Administratively Confidential." It is designed to accomplish several years of shock treatment for such key commodities as wheat and feed grains. Plans call for washing surplus production to deficit production so that by 1967 existing excess stocks will have been sold off.

Beginning soon but progressing more massively and permanently, says The Journal, would come basic reconstruction aimed at speeding the flow of rural manpower to factory jobs, at eliminating hundreds and thousands of small and inefficient farms, at converting 34 million acres of poor cropland into forests, grasslands, parks and wildlife refuges by 1969, and 68 million acres by 1985.

The Journal says plans call for new federal programs which would finance education of farm lads and their leaders for non-farming employment.

The Journal says big spending is involved. The plan for permanent diversion of cropland to other uses, for example, would begin with a pilot phase costing 23.2 billion dollars in the approaching 1963 fiscal year, climb to \$488 million two years later and hit \$707 million by 1969.

New and rigorous controls, far more rigid than any experienced by farmers to date, would be required to implement the new program. Not only their planting but their marketing would be policed. When they sold their harvests they would find themselves sometimes required to give back some of the money as "fees" or "penalties." On other occasions they would be handed extra money in exchange for "certificates" representing their share of a particular market.

The program would affect not only the producer but the processors of farm goods as well as the consumer.

CARD OF THANKS
We want to take this opportunity to thank each who contributed in any way due to the loss of our home by fire and illness in our family.—The Charlie Terry family. Itc

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Marital Split-Ups Are Less Frequent In Lynn County Than Other Areas

(Special to the News)
New York, Jan. 11—In Lynn County, fewer marriages result in divorce or separation than is the case elsewhere in the United States.

According to figures gathered in the national census last year and released recently, the proportion of broken homes is, consequently, below average.

The findings come to the fore at a time when a hard look is being taken by governmental and private agencies at family breakdowns which, they believe, are the chief cause of delinquency and mental illness among children.

The Family Service Association of America states flatly that the nation's biggest social problem right now is family split-ups. An intensive educational and preventive program that would lead to their reduction is vital to the stability of the country, it maintains.

As things stand now, the records show one divorce for every four new marriages in the United States, a delinquency rate that has tripled since 1940 and an admission rate to mental hospitals of more than 200,000 a year.

The figures for Lynn County, issued by the Census Bureau, show that 18 out of every 1,000 local residents, age 14 or over, are divorced or separated.

Compared with the rate in the United States, 43 per 1,000, the local proportion is low. It is also below the 46 per 1,000 reported for the West South Central States.

The specific figures for the county are 37 divorced women, 43 divorced men, 25 separated women and 24 separated men. Divorced people who have remarried are not included.

The terrible result of these split-ups is family demoralization, with children the chief victims, declares the Family Service Association.

It calls for vigorous work in the fields of preventive family counseling, social planning, family-life education and the like.

The University of Michigan reports, on the basis of a large number of personal interviews, that only a small percentage of couples are chronically unable to settle their disagreements.

The chief problems that arise, it finds, are financial ones and those involving child rearing. Less prominent are recreational issues, personality clashes and in-law situations.

LOCAL BUSINESS PEOPLE ATTEND WHOLESALE MARKET
Several Tahoka business institutions were represented at the 1962 Western Wholesale Market held in Lubbock Jan. 7 and 8 and sponsored by the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development.

Attending from Tahoka were Grady Lankford, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Urban Brown, Stella Throckmorton, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Lehman, Mrs. J. T. Whorton, and James T. Whorton.

CARD OF THANKS
Words cannot express our gratitude for the endless kindnesses and the comfort extended the family in our hours of sorrow at the loss of our dear beloved.—The family of W. B. Edwards. 1tp

Charlie Dean Stone, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stone, was released from Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Friday, where he had been a patient for a week with pneumonia and a kidney infection.

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Local People Go To New Orleans

The manager, W. D. Harmon, and directors and wives of Poka-Lambro Rural Telephone Cooperative, will attend the National Telephone Cooperative Association convention to be held in New Orleans, La. Jan. 16 and 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon will leave Saturday by car, if weather permits, so that Mr. Harmon may attend committee meetings on Monday. The directors and wives will travel by train on Monday to the event.

These include Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Lafred, Mr. and Mrs. George Sealy of New Home, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Roberts of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bartlett of Meadow, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wheatley of Terry county, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Green of Lamesa, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Snell of Patricia.

A. G. Freeman is showing improvement in Tahoka Hospital, where he has been a medical patient since Dec. 30.

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Burton Edwards . .

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of Floydada; four daughters, Mrs. Herbert C. Lewis of Tahoka, Mrs. Velma Godwin of Lubbock, Mrs. Lola Belle Boles of Taos, N. M., and Mrs. Emma Faye Buck of Lubbock; four brothers, A. W. Edwards of Waco, J. H. Edwards of Austin, Summer Edwards of Long Beach, Calif.; and M. H. Edwards of Tahoka; one sister, Mrs. John Burleson of Lubbock; 17 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren; and a host of more distant relatives here and over the South Plains.

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QUESTIONS, PLEASE

QUESTION: DO SOULS OF THE DEPARTED KNOW WHAT THE LIVING ARE DOING ON EARTH?
ANSWER: Our previous studies have indicated that souls, disembodied at death, do not sleep, but are conscious in some "intermediate" state. Also, there seems to be no communications between departed spirits and the living here on earth. We must now determine whether the souls of the departed saints observe, and are therefore conscious of our activities here on earth.
In Luke 16 we read the story of Larus and the Rich man. The rich man knew of the condition of his brothers on earth. But most scholars attribute this knowledge to remembrance of their condition before he entered the "intermediate" state. But Abraham stated in reply to the rich man's request: "They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them." Let us note that Abraham died some five hundred years before Moses was born. The first of the writing prophets was Samuel, who came along almost a thousand years after Abraham had left this earth. The last of the writing prophets was Malachi, in whose day Abraham had been but a memory for some fifteen hundred years. How, then, did Abraham know of books that were written centuries after his death? The conclusion seems not only simple but plain. When Moses arrived in paradise and met Abraham, we can readily understand that with great interest, Moses might perhaps say, "I wrote a book about you. I named that book Genesis and it is a part of what is called the Pentateuch."
Luke 16 tells us, then, if the above observations are correct that souls in the "intermediate" state have remembrance of the activities on the earth that they have just left and that they are able to communicate this knowledge to others who occupy the "intermediate" state. There seems to be no evidence in this context that departed souls are observing what the living are doing on earth.
You are invited to send your questions to: Don Browning Box 812, Tahoka, Texas. You are also invited to attend the services of the Church of Christ.
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Yes. But they do not believe that they are the only ones who have it.

Someone has aptly defined "true religion" as, "Accepting what God wants to give you." And Lutherans know that no one denomination has a monopoly on those who "accept what God wants to give."

But Lutherans also realize that again and again throughout history, men have tried to dilute that which God most wants to give: The Gospel of Christ.

And because the Gospel is the power through which God works in man, Lutherans know that any "watering down" of the Gospel is a blasphemy against God and a danger to human souls.

That is why Lutherans are not among those who say, "One church is the same as the next!" or, "It doesn't make much difference what you believe, just so you believe!"

If you drink strychnine, believing it to be cough syrup, it makes a great deal of difference.

And if you trust your own goodness, believing God to be satisfied with it — or, if you belittle God-on-a-cross, believing Him to be merely a fine moral example — that makes a great deal of difference, too. An eternal difference!

That is why both children and adults are thoroughly instructed in the faith before being received as Lutheran communicants. It does make a difference what you believe! If you have no church affiliation, you are cordially invited to learn more of the Lutheran Church as a guest at our worship services 10:30 each Sunday, or at our SPECIAL BIBLE CLASS in TAHOKA each Thursday at 7:30 p. m. in the W. O. W. Hall.

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PICNICS

Hams Whole Lb.

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ARE WE BECOMING A GODLESS COUNTRY HEADED TOWARD—?

(Muenster Enterprise)
The signs of danger are evident in all parts of the world, including our own country. America is gradually drifting from the Christian principles on which the nation was founded.

A public school decides to ban Christ from Christmas songs in the misguided idea that separation of church and state requires elimination of all religion.

The Supreme Court decrees that "so help me, God" can be dropped from a public oath to please people who deny belief in God.

In the UN our leaders agree to ban prayer in their miserable willingness to offend Christ rather than anti-Christ.

Reds have wormed their way in-

to labor and social organizations, schools, government—even into churches.

At the same time American morality has been slipping. Robbery, larceny, murder, sex crimes have all been increasing at shocking rates.

This nation under God is becoming more and more a nation without God. It's becoming conditioned for a take-over by communism.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jodie L. Nevill during the recent holidays were their three daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Russell (Faye) Fleming and son and Mr. and Mrs. Milton (Jennie Reba) Flowers and son and daughter, all of Flagstaff, Ariz.; and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. (Jodie Bob) Jones of Sanger, Calif.

Buy, build, live in Tahoka.

State Bank No. 1220 Federal Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF CONDITION OF WILSON STATE BANK OF WILSON, LYNN COUNTY, TEXAS
At the close of business on December 30, 1961.

ASSETS	
1. Cash, balances with other banks, cash items in process of collection (Schedule D, item 7)	\$1,489,399.93
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed (Schedule B, item 10)	1,125,667.60
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions (Schedule A, item 10)	26,265.45
6. Loans and discounts (including \$859.68 overdrafts) (Schedule A, item 10)	1,734,549.80
7. Bank premises owned	\$21,300.00
furniture and fixtures	5,531.96
26,831.96	
11. Other assets (Item 6 of "Other Assets schedule")	3,234.77
12. TOTAL ASSETS	\$4,405,949.51
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (Schedule E, item 3)	\$3,650,887.38
14. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (Schedule F, item 5)	352,902.66
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) (Schedule E, item 4, and Schedule F, item 6)	7,846.42
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions (Schedule E, item 5, and Schedule F, item 7)	140,013.05
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS (items 13 to 18)	\$4,158,649.51
(a) Total demand deposits (Item 9 of Schedule E)	3,778,746.85
(b) Total time and savings deposits (item 10 of Schedule F)	379,902.66
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$4,158,649.51
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital: (a) Common stock, total par value \$100.00	\$ 75,000.00
26. Surplus certified \$75,000.00	75,000.00
27. Undivided profits	97,300.00
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$ 247,300.00
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$4,403,949.51
MEMORANDA	
31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold with agreement to repurchase)	\$ 191,000.00

I, Victor Steinhauser, Vice President of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that this report of condition (including the information below and on the reverse side hereof) is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

VICTOR STEINHAUSER

CORRECT—ATTEST:

H. G. Cook, Dan H. Cook, A. L. Holder, Directors.

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF LYNN ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day January, 1962, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. My commission expires 6-1-63.

CHARLES S. BERRY, Notary Public.

Gordon-Southland

(By Mrs. Jesse A. Ward)
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myers and daughter, Kelly Joe, were hosts to a family get-together in their home Sunday. Those present were Jack's parents, all his brothers and sisters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Myers, Crosbyton; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Myers, Guthrie; Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Myers, Spur; Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Myers and daughter Karen, Girard; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Palmer, Garden City; Mr. and Mrs. Mel Swartz, Sherry, Donna and Wesley, Guthrie; Mr. and Mrs. Ned Myers, Nedra Sue, Garden City; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Myers and Stephen J., Post.

L. A. Dunn entered Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Martin and daughter, Susan of Littlefield spent Friday night and Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Martin. Saturday they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dabbs, Brenda and David.

Sp. 4 Jerry Pennell, who has been on leave from the service two weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pennell, returned to Huntsville, Ala.

The five night Bible study of Jeremiah was well attended at the Southland Baptist Church last week. A different preacher was the speaker each night.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davies and family moved last week two miles southwest of Slaton.

Mrs. Fred Davis of Weatherford and Mrs. Grady King of Muleshoe visited their father, A. F. Davies last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kercheval and Beverly of Slaton visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pennell Friday night.

New Years week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lancaster and Jimmy were their two sons and daughter and families, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lancaster and two children of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lancaster and children of Temple, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Perkins and sons of Slaton.

S. D. Martin is making slow improvement. His and Mrs. Martin's visitors the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Denton, R. M. Turner, Riley Wood and F. E. Weaver. Sunday evening visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Mosley, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hagler, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Smallwood and Terry Scott. Mr. and Mrs. Harley Martin and children of Slaton and Mrs. Herman Dabbs visited Saturday night.

Mrs. F. E. Weaver has been reported on sick list recently. She is up again at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Taylor and Mrs. Alpha Taylor were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lancaster.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Barnes New Years day were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hargrove, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Davis, Johnny, Richard and Kathy of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Seals were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Milliken Sunday evening.

Mrs. Grace Kane of Amarillo spent Wednesday through Friday with her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Barnes and Mrs. Agnes Rucker.

Mrs. Ed Cummings visited with Mrs. Joe Harrison Thursday afternoon.

Ned Myers of Garden City, who had spent the week end with his parents, reported back to Methodist Hospital Monday for a check up. He is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Myers and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Myers attended the rodeo in Odessa Saturday night.

Linda Roper spent New Years week end with a friend, Lana Garner, at Artesia, N. M.

Miss Nelda Roper spent her Christmas and New Years vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roper.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mrs. J. F. Rackler were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roper, Linda, and Lana Garner of Artesia, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rackler, J. B., Jr., and Beverly.

Sunday of last week Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roper, their daughter Nelda of Lubbock were dinner guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roper.

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Morning Worship 10:55 a. m.
Training Union 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday
Teachers and Officers meeting 7:30 p. m.
Prayer service 8:00 p. m.
Choir Practice 8:30 p. m.
Junior and Intermediate G. A.'s 7:30 p. m.
R. A.'s 7:30 p. m.
Y. W. A. Tuesday 8:00 p. m.
Sunbeams Monday 2:00 p. m.



There is None So Blind as He Who Will Not See

Recently, Mrs. J. F. Rackler was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Warren and Miss Ora Mining in Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rackler, J. B., Jr. and Beverly spent a Sunday recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rackler and family at Wolfforth.

Those attending the Southland and Post O.E.S. past matrons club meeting at Post Monday night were Mmes. Opal Pennell, Karen Calloway, Alice Martin, Tinnie Smallwood, Doll Haire, Gloss Davies and Maggie Denton.

Mrs. Arthur Smallwood honored her son, Ronnie on his third birthday with a party in their home.

Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Fagan Ross, Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pinkert, Steve and Janyce, Wolfforth; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Smallwood and Terry Scott; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ross, Demetra, Slaton, Tracy and Tanya, Lorenzo; Mrs. Jerry Don Ross and baby, Wilson; Mrs. G. N. Smallwood; Arthur Smallwood and Duggie.

MCCORMICKS THANK FRIENDS

We are sincerely thankful to everyone who thought of us during the illness and death of brother Tom McCormick in Altus, Okla., on December 31, 1961, especially to our New Home friends for the beautiful flowers. We thank you and appreciate you so very much.

—Lloyd McCormick and family.

Sheriff Norvell (Booger) Redwine spent several days in the hospital recently receiving medical treatment.

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By J. B. Thompson



We all need religion—a religious faith—not because nothing else is left, but because there is nothing better.

There is too much confusion; too much insecurity. The church, that was born to bless and save, stands too often with empty hands. Too many little "churchmen" think more of building their own sect or denomination than of building real Christian faith and strength. Some even insist that salvation is available only at their hands and through their denomination, and boast with glee when they "catch" some poor lost soul from some other denomination.

No wonder many spurn the faith as they see it displayed through many present-day "churchmen."

They wonder if its claim is not garnish for a poisoned platter. Maybe they have come to suspect that the main dish is bitter and fatal, and that religious trimmings are only a disguise for the true facts.

Our age is "fed up" with this threadbare approach and spews it out as a deceit.

The heartening thing about this otherwise bleak picture is the fact that those who consider themselves as the sole custodians of true Christianity are few in number. The vast bulk of Christianity is warm hearted and cooperative. The future of the faith belongs to them and not to the narrow spiritual bigots.

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butter cookies.
Wednesday: Meat loaf, tossed
salad, green beans, buttered hom-
iny, rolls, butter, applesauce and
milk.
Thursday: Toasted weiners with
cheese, creamed peas, cottage
cheese, salad, honey, butter, rolls
and milk.
Friday: Baker ham, glazed yams,
buttered broccoli, cranberry sauce,
rolls, lemon pudding and milk.

RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 11

**REPORT OF CONDITION OF
THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK**

TAHOKA, TEXAS

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on December 30th, 1961
published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency,
under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
1. Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	\$2,981,909.47
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,625,256.58
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	713,995.00
5. Corporate stocks (including \$12,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	12,000.00
6. Loans and discounts (including \$580.65 overdrafts)	4,423,538.18
7. Bank premises owned \$46,500.00, furniture and fixtures \$3,500.00	50,000.00
12. TOTAL ASSETS	\$9,806,699.23
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	8,370,499.73
14. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	494,776.40
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	38,091.74
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	318,117.91
17. Deposits of banks	542.54
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$9,222,028.32
(a) Total demand deposits	8,727,251.92
(b) Total time and savings deposits	494,776.40
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$9,222,028.32
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital Stock: (a) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	\$ 50,000.00
26. Surplus	350,000.00
27. Undivided profits	164,670.91
28. Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	20,000.00
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$ 584,670.91
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$9,806,699.23
MEMORANDA	
31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	\$ 447,968.75
32. (a) Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of	77,775.48
33. (e) Guaranteed portions of Regulation V loans and other loans guaranteed by the Federal Reserve banks or agencies of the United States Government	4,484.51
33. (g) Total Amount of Loans, Certificates of Interest and Obligations, or Portions Thereof (listed above), which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed")	4,484.51

I, F. B. Hegi, Executive Vice-President and Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
F. B. HEGI

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.
(SEAL) A. C. Verner, W. H. Eudy, W. R. Slaton, Directors

**CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF
THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK**

TAHOKA, TEXAS

As Made to the Comptroller of the Currency at the Close of Business
December 30, 1961

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$2,701,589.17
Bonds and Warrants	713,995.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	12,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	50,000.00
Cash and Exchange	\$2,981,909.47
Commodity Credit Corporation	
Certificates of Interest	1,771,533.05
United States Bonds	1,625,256.58
Bills of Exchange Cotton	28,191.42
TOTAL	\$9,884,474.69

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	350,000.00
Undivided Profits	164,670.91
Reserves	97,775.46
Deposits	9,222,028.32
TOTAL	\$9,884,474.69

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Farm Facts

According to Francis E. Clark, U. S. Department of Agriculture microbiologist, earthworms are to be considered an indication of good soil fertility rather than its cause.

Sharp differences of opinion exist, he says, concerning the relationship of earthworms to soil fertility. Some people insist that earthworms almost singlehandedly are responsible for good fertility. Clark notes in the USDA's Yearbook of Agriculture that such a viewpoint has little basis in fact. He says organic residues ejected by earthworms are poorer in nutrients than the original residues ingested.

The beneficial effects of earthworms on plant growth are largely those associated with improved aeration and improved tilth. They are important in mixing surface organic residues with the underlying soil.

Earthworms in an acre can bring 20 tons of soil a year to the surface. Their burrowing activity is most intense



Earthworms indicate soil fertility but don't cause it.

In the top 6 inches, although some tunnels extend to depths of 6 feet.

Earthworms flourish best in well drained soils that contain abundant organic matter and a continuous supply of available calcium. They may number millions per acre.

Waggoner Carr Announces Objectives As Candidate For Attorney General

Waggoner Carr, former Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, Thursday announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Attorney General.

The announcement from his Lubbock law offices stressed the importance of the Attorney General's office in law enforcement, crime prevention and the creation of a healthy economic climate in Texas.

Carr recalled that in 1960, after two terms as Speaker, more than a half million Texans approved his record of public service by their votes in this race for Attorney General and said he believes his previous training and experience qualify him to do a good job. Carr was identified in a recent state-wide poll as the leading contender for the Attorney General's post.

"My platform basically has but one plank—strengthening our legal framework where needed, and more vigorous enforcement of those laws, once enacted," Carr declared.

The 42-year-old former lawmaker and law enforcement official revealed plans for an intensive campaign leading up to the Democratic primary. He promised detailed discussion of the issues as the campaign develops.

"Much of the character and quality of Texas life for our families, our children, our businessmen, workingmen and farmers will depend upon the example of alert and responsible conduct of the Attorney General's office," Carr said. "We cannot build or long maintain an attractive climate for economic growth unless we first preserve a health climate of respect for law and order."

"I feel that it is of the utmost importance that the office of Attorney General be used effectively to control and eradicate the inroads of crime in our state. The office must be used to support and assist honest and conscientious local law enforcement officers rather than to override or overpower them. We must, likewise, use that office intelligently to add new strength to all the laws enacted by our Legislature, and the holder of that office must work cooperatively with our lawmakers to evolve the new laws required by changing times in this state."

Carr served five terms as a member of the House from Lubbock County, the last two as speaker. He is one of only three men in the history of Texas to be elected Speaker two consecutive terms. As Speaker, Carr played a key role in setting up the Texas Law Enforcement Study Commission in 1957, chairmanned by Houston attorney John H. Crooker, Sr., which recommended sweeping revision of Texas criminal laws. Born in Fairlie, Hunt County, Texas, Carr moved with his family to Lubbock County in 1932. He graduated from Lubbock High School and Texas Technological College. He received his law degree from the University of Texas and was admitted to the State Bar in 1947. Wartime service in the Army interrupted his legal studies. Before going to the Legislature, Carr served as County Attorney of Lubbock County and Assistant District Attorney of the 72nd Judicial District. Carr and his wife, the former Ernestine Story, have one son, 12-year-old David. He is a lay leader and Sunday School Teacher at the First Methodist Church of Lubbock, and is a member of the Board of the South Plains Council, Boy Scouts of America, and is a member of the Lions Club, Amer-

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(The News welcomes letters from its readers on any current subject, not libelous, of course. All communications must be of reasonable length and must be signed. On request, the signature will not be printed. The Editor.)

Editor, The News:
Hope this finds you and yours well. We all are.

This fog is a problem here. It's as bad or worse than our sandstorms. To see the fog over El Cajon from this high mountain drive is really beautiful.

The weather is warm and pleasant. It rained before we came, so everything is green and pretty. I see roadside stands with tomatoes for sale, a green patch of tomatoes close by, oranges everywhere.

This is all for now. Will write about trip to Portland in February. Sincerely,

R. O. Townsen (visiting sons in El Cajon, Calif.)

Say Frank:

The sheriff of Tombstone from 1888 to 1892 was John Horton Slaughter, born Oct. 2, 1841, in Louisiana, and died in or on his Cochise county ranch about 1921 or 1922.

His pictures do not show him with a flared-back hat, and reviewing El Fagio Baca and these names Charles Slaughter, Willie, and all Baptists and style of hat and other incidents, I am convinced the script on TV is borrowed from the other Slaughters.

He was a killer with a mean streak, but he followed up Wyatt Earp's killing of Curley Joe and his and Doc Holliday's killing before they left, and made a good sheriff. We do not condone any of them, but Earp was beneficial.

Fred Mathews, Ontario, Oregon (formerly of Grassland).

DRYLAND RECORD

Byron Beckman, Route 3, Texarkana, set a new dryland record in 1961 in the Texas Hybrid Corn Production Program—224 bushels an acre. He planted Texas 30 and used plenty of fertilizer to set the new record. The State's corn producers also set a new record for average yields an acre—30 bushels. About 88 percent of the State's 1961 corn acreage was planted to corn hybrids.

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Girls Win Slaton Tournament Title, Boys Victors In Consolation Play

Tahoka girls won the championship trophy in the Slaton Invitational basketball tournament and the local boys brought home the consolation trophy.

Coach J. D. Atwell's girls defeated Olton in the finals Saturday night 68-54 and the boys won over Olton in the consolation finals 52-37.

McAdoo won the boys' championship title over Slaton in an overtime 49-45. Slaton's Tigerettes won the consolation trophy in an overtime against Floydada by a score of 33-31. Spur Bulldogs won third place over Floydada 38-36 and McAdoo girls won third over Shallowater 43-15.

In the girls championship game Tahoka held a 17-14 lead at the end of the first quarter and led 34-27 at halftime. Third period score was 53-34. Kay Halameick made 18 points and Judy Thomas 13 for the winners, but Olton's Gail Nicholas took game honors with 41 points.

The Bulldogs had difficulty handling the ball but were able

to outscore Olton to win after leading 8-3, 22-14, and 36-25 at the end of the first three quarters. Craig Leslie hit the basket for 19 points while Johnny Schenk made 17 for the losers.

In the first round of tournament play the Tahoka girls defeated Floydada 41-27 with Kay Halameick scoring 16 and Judy Thomas 10, while Jan Alexander made 16 for Floydada.

The Bulldogs lost their opener to McAdoo 45-27 when Jack Morris lead the Owls with 16 points and Leslie scored eight for Tahoka.

In the second round the girls gained the finals by downing McAdoo early Saturday morning 36-29. Judy Thomas was high point with 15 and Gail Hardy had 14 for the losers.

The Bulldogs won their second round game to get a chance at the consolation finals by defeating Post 45-33.

Seventh, Eighth Win Over Post

The seventh and eighth grade boys won games over Post here Thursday night of last week, but the girls teams from those grades lost.

Seventh grade boys won 35-26 behind the shooting of Mitchell Williams, who made 16 points, Jerry Jolly eight, Milton Miller six, Raymond Chapa four, and Tommie Kidwell one. All boys on the team saw action and the team played a good defensive game.

With a score of 25-11, the eighth graders edged by Post with Frankie Stanley scoring 11, Stanley Renfro and Larry Jolly seven each. Harlan Curry, James Brown and Clarence Long were impressive with their rebounding.

The Post seventh grade girls took a 25-7 victory. Sue Woodall made three points and Teresa Mason and Chloe Jan Huffaker two each. Marla Bray and Leah Beth Holloway, both guards, played well on defense.

The eighth grade girls lost 29-11. Making the scores for Tahoka were Joy Thomas with six, Brenda Riddle and Christine Novian two each, and Linda Hale one. Guards who played a good defensive game were Nancy Parker, Linda Hale and Charlotte Warren.

Studies made in Germany and the United States indicate that bicycle riding reduces respiratory disorders.

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TAHOKA, TEXAS

"Heart of the South Plains" FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 1962

Harlem Stars Will Play Here Monday



HOWARD RAND, the player-coach of the Harlem Stars, who will appear in Tahoka Monday at 7:30 p. m. in the high school gymnasium against the Lynn County All-Stars, is a legendary figure in touring basketball in the Western U. S., Canada and Hawaii. He is reputedly not only a clown, but the best all-around player in the Harlem Stars organization.

Tickets will be \$1.25 for adults, 75 cents for high school students and 25 cents for elementary students and will be sold on a first come, first serve basis.

ED CROOKS FARMING IN TERRY THIS YEAR

J. Ed Crooks, who now lives at 1311 East Harris in Brownfield, is farming his Terry county place northwest of Brownfield this year and the son is farming the place out at New Home.

Ed and wife didn't make their usual hunting trip to Wyoming this year, but he did go up to Pagosa Springs, Colo., and got his deer. He also had a successful antelope hunt this year. He gave the News man a couple of "messes" of venison that were very delicious.

Bulldogs Open Conference Play

Tahoka opens its conference season Friday night against an outstanding Slaton basketball quintet here with games beginning at 5:30 p. m.

Three games will be played, varsity boys and girls and "B" girls.

With Slaton or Denver City picked to win this district, the Bulldogs will have a fight on their hands. However, the local girls have proved to have a stronger team than Slaton.

On Tuesday, Jan. 16, the Bulldogs "A" and "B" boys go to Denver City to meet the other giant in the district.

Junior games scheduled to be played here on Thursday night with Slaton were postponed until Jan. 29 because of mid-term examinations. Junior teams will go to Post next Thursday night to play seventh and eighth girls and boys games.

Baby Born Today Owes \$1,603 Debt

Washington—Resolution for the New Year: Balance the federal budget.

Reasons: The first child born in 1962 will owe \$1,603. So will every other child born during the year. That figure is the per capita share of the public debt. Let's not make it bigger.

The dollar, 100 cents purchasing power at the beginning of this century, has 28 cents today (the two-bit dollar is almost at hand). If inflation continues at the rate since the Korean War, the dollar will rot to 16.2 cents at the end of this century.

The federal debt and guaranteed obligations of the federal government, \$295 billion, surpass by \$42 billion all the debts of all the other countries in the world. Uncle Sam's load is really our load.

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Alton Cain Makes Predictions For '62

"There's going to be a big to-do in '62," declared Alton Cain in his annual talk opening the new year last Thursday at Tahoka Rotary Club.

His talk, as usual, was filled with humor, philosophy, and predictions of things to come to the delight of his audience. Alton's annual talk has become an institution with the local club.

Among other things, he predicted men will be taller in 1962 than ever before, the 1961 cotton crop will finally go to 175,000 bales, bank deposits near \$10 million in Tahoka and expected to go far past that mark this week, and business will be better this year than last.

In fact, he said business will be good across the nation. Last year, the Lazy Boy Chair Co. had the biggest increase in business of any firm in the nation.

In citing good conditions in Lynn county, he said the farmer has to have an investment of \$21,300 for each employee, while in industry the investment is \$15,000 per employee.

West Texas is well represented in State politics this year with three candidates for state office. More people will pay their poll taxes, and last week 902 had already paid them as compared to 809 the year before at the same time.

"We are not going to get near as much government as we are paying for—and we can be thankful for that," he said.

Other declarations included "Only one thing is more expensive than education—ignorance," and "Complacency is our biggest enemy."

Harold Green, in charge of the program, introduced the speaker. Dr. Skiles Thomas, club president, announced a club assembly will be held in the near future with Dr. Emil Prohl in charge.

Guests included Dr. Ralph Wells of Vermont and other Rotarians from O'Donnell, Lamesa and Lubbock.

Student guests for the month, Jim Dulin and Charley Mack Holland, were introduced, respectively, by Ross Smith and Fred McGinty.

Garza's Oldest Resident Dies

(Post Dispatch)

With the death of L. T. (Uncle Tom) Askins Saturday, there passed from the scene another of the few remaining oldtime cowboys in West Texas.

As 94, Uncle Tom was believed to have been Garza County's oldest living resident. He had lived in Garza County since 1906 and in West Texas since 1885, having moved to this area in that year from his native Missouri.

Uncle Tom was descended from pioneer stock. His father for many years owned much of the land now comprising neighboring Dickens County. Uncle Tom, himself, worked for many of the pioneer ranches in this area, and made numerous cattle drives.

During Post's Golden Jubilee, in 1957, Uncle Tom received a plaque as one of the oldest pioneers present, but no doubt the greatest honor Uncle Tom received during a lifetime that far

exceeded the "allotted span" of three-score-and-ten, was the high esteem in which he was held by his hundreds of friends and acquaintances.

Mike Gurley Gets Army Assignment

Private Michael L. Gurley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gurley of Box 464, Tahoka has been assigned to Company A, 1st Battalion, 4th Training Regiment, Fort Carson, Colorado. During the eight weeks with this unit he will receive highly skilled and specialized training in the field of Administration.

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By F. P. H.

Nowhere in West Texas is there a town so big that offers more or better recreational facilities than does Tahoka—that is, for everyone but the aged people.

There's a definite need, we believe, for some kind of recreational and social program for retired people—a Golden Age club, Good Neighbors club, or some such organization. A lot of people living in our town are retired, their children are gone from home or have other interests, and many of these "old folks" are lonesome and have time on their hands. They would live longer and get more enjoyment out of the "sun-down" years if they could meet and mingle, play games, and stay "young." We understand several retired people are interested in such a club, but no one has taken the initiative to start one. Here's a good project for some Tahoka civic club. Such might induce other elderly people to settle in our town.

Several elderly people from Tahoka frequently attend the Good Neighbors Club at Post and include the folks at these meetings "have a ball." The club gathers each Thursday morning, the ladies bring in covered dishes for a big dinner, and several hours are enjoyed eating, visiting, and playing games. J. D. Polk, one who has attended at Post, says dues are only 10 cents a month, or a dollar a year, although collection boxes are left on the table into which anyone who cares and is able to do so can make contributions.

Tahoka's City- Legion building would be a perfect place for such a club to meet, and we'll bet the City Council could be prevailed upon to figure out some way for its use if some one would take care of the cleaning chores and other expenses.

When one quits work and has nothing to do he soon withers on the vine. The Printer's uncle, Dr. J. A. Hill of Canyon, who was president of West Texas State many years, at the age of 83 just recently started writing a column for the paper. And it's one of the most interesting and informative columns in any paper that comes to our desk. But, then, Uncle Joe has ever been quite a man in our book, and we're probably a little prejudiced. Anyway, even in retirement, he keeps very busy all the time at something.

Okay! Okay! We pulled another boner. Yes, we've been told about it—by at least 20 farmers. In regard to skip-row planting, two rows in and two rows out do not require 150 acres of cotton allotment land, but instead require 200 acres for a 100-acre allotment. What we meant to say was two-in and one-out require 150 acres under Sec'y. Freeman's new ruling. Boy, when you make a mistake you find out people are reading the paper!

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Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas
Frank P. Hill, Editor-Manager

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In spite of many advertisements, last year's crop turned out to be a great one. The year started with a good season in the ground. Rain and rain caused much re-planting and re-planting (the latter word cannot be found in Webster's). Then it turned dry. When the cotton did begin to open, damp and unfavorable weather delayed the harvest much of the fall. Finally the late cotton is all in. Most farmers had a good year, the bank is full of money, just waiting for Uncle Sam to take his big cut. Measure for listing is only four there's not usually too much rain in January, February, and March—and we people in the farming country may be in for another period of anxiety about the prospects for a crop in 1962.

We hope a certain fine gentleman won't mind us telling this story. A few weeks ago, this elderly man blew into The News office. We knew he was mad, the minute he opened the door. "Frank," he blurted out, "Why can't you join the blanket-bank Republican party and get elected to be a Democrat?" Well, we laughed, looked him a bit, and told him we—in this return—are only advocating a return to American principles of government, we weren't going to have some of this socialistic stuff crammed down our throat without listening, and that we believe the only way to keep the ultra-liberal, no-godless, college professors with half-baked ideas, Northern Democrats, Union bosses, AD's, NAA, CP's and socialists from taking over was to speak out against what we thought was wrong—be they from Democrats or Republicans—and that we are primarily concerned with keeping the Democratic party the party of our kind of folks. Before he left, he had spoken out against our present farm program, foreign aid, high taxes and deficit spending, and to Communists, the handling of the Cuban affair, Bobby Kennedy, and a few other things. Before he left, Mr. So-and-So declared he agreed with The Printer 90 percent of the time but thought we hit at the Democrats too much. We'd still like to know, which is most important, the party or our principles?

The eventual solution of the farm problem will have to come from the farm level, the only place it is understood. Politicians and college professors and bureaucrats are never going to write a successful farm program.

Henry A. Wallace, secretary of agriculture under President Franklin D. Roosevelt, recently said, in effect, no artificial farm program will work as a permanent thing since the law of supply and demand must be considered. Governments have been trying the "planned economy" idea without permanent success since 6,000 B. C.

With a new farm program almost every year or so, or threats of new programs, how is the farmer to make any kind of long range planning for the use of his land?

An exchange woman's column comes up with this new fashion note: "Little change in men's pockets in '62."

We receive a trade publication, "The Gilcraft," which has a column in it each month entitled "Doc Anklam Used To Say—" and here are his sayings last month: The anatomy of some men is extremely sensitive. Put them on the

back and their head would want to be cut above the other eye and come to the conclusion that modern paintings are the worst. If you try to understand 'em you'll never enjoy 'em. You haven't really appreciated, at least as long as you take off their aprons before answering the journal. Starting is a lady trying to get big toes in his mouth, life is a continual struggle to get both ends to meet. While you are waiting for something to turn up you might begin with your shirt sleeves. An ambitious wife is the power behind the throne.

The Canyon News says: There's low hope of our foreign aid program lines up so far. The Communist War 2.4 billion dollars with more earmarked for the man who murdered Tupac Katari and shot down American planes right after World War II. For Indonesia's Sukarno: 70 million dollars already for the man who murders our NATO ally, the Netherlands. For India's Nehru: 2.8 billion dollars and another slice to come for the man who made war on our NATO ally, Portugal. For Ghana's Communist Nkrumah: millions for the man who consistently votes with Khrushchev in the United Nations. Mrs. Sue A. Cain writes from

Traverse City, Mich.: "Michigan is having real winter, lots of snow. I always enjoy my paper and look forward for it each Monday. Best wishes for a good year for all Lynn County friends." Mrs. Cain is a pioneer of Lynn county and widow of the late Judge C. E. Cain.

A lady called a newspaper editor and inquired how in the kitchen children could be taught good English when the paper has in a story right on the front page, "He had went on his way." "The editor gave the only explanation he could give: 'One of the proofreaders hadn't come in yet and the other had just went out.'"

Yesterday is a cancelled check tomorrow is a promissory note today is the only cash you have. Spend it wisely.

WASHINGTON PLANNERS
The Washington planners have launched a new drive to use the force of government to force farmers to come to some kind of a system of supply management. The basic issue confronting farmers and ranchers today is whether he will operate as a free man or a slave of the state. The method being used by the planners is to get Congress to delegate broad powers that will permit

them to manage the farmer's business. There seems to be very little argument among the planners as to whether or not the farmer or will be planned. The question is—how is the planning to be done?

The fine thin thread that separates the American farmer and rancher from being classed as a slave of a group of government planners is the constitutional guarantee separating Congress, the Administration and the Supreme Court.

The Supreme Court has gone a long way toward integrating the Court with the Administration and if equal progress can be made in integrating Congress and the Administration, the Constitution of the United States will be reduced to a scrap of paper.—Farm Bureau Facts.

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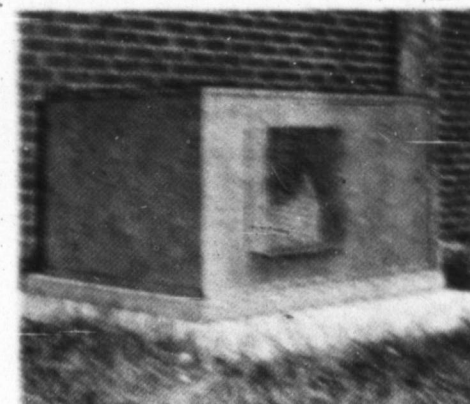
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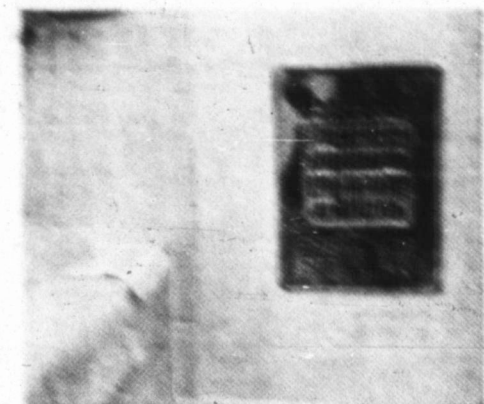
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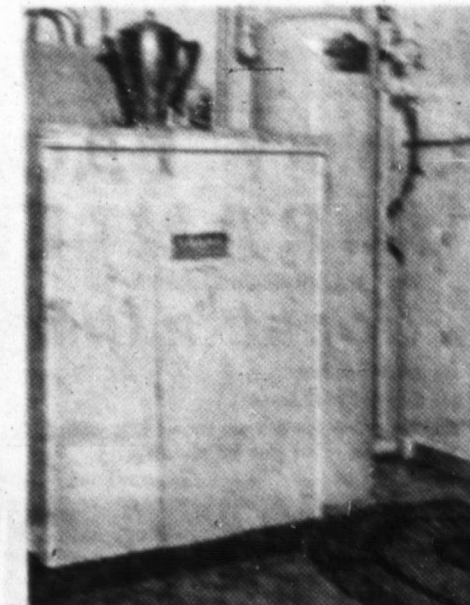
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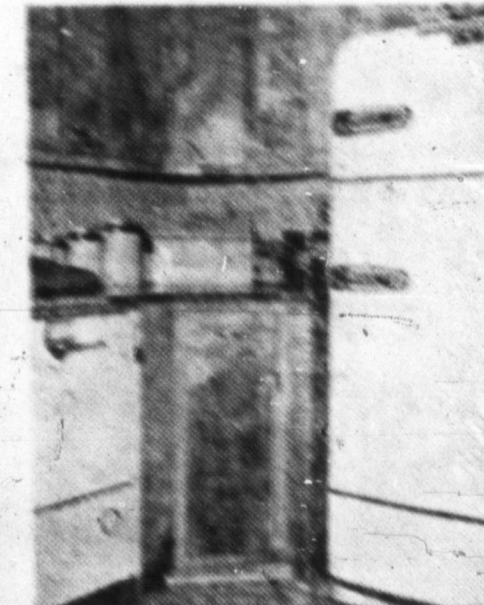
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This electric oven, built in, to harmonize with the kitchen decor is a feature of Mrs. Coleman's kitchen remodeled to Medallion standards.



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