

# Brownfield Post Office To Remain In First Class

Postmaster James H. Dallas stated this week that the local post office has an excellent chance of staying in the first class position, into which it came some three years ago. As we understand it, to remain as a first class office, stamp sales must run \$40,000 or better. Below we wish to give the comparison of the 1946 and 1947 receipts, as well as a comparison of the 1947 receipts for the first two months of 1947 and 1948:

Quarter	1946	1947
March	10,992.76	9552.22
June	8,985.85	9731.84
Sept.	8,744.51	9066.10
Dec.	12,632.41	13,348.57
Totals	40,508.68	41,698.73

Increase of 1947 over 1946, 2.9 per cent. Receipts to March 2, 1948, \$8,078.26. Receipts to March 2, 1947, 6,473.56.

Increase of 1948 over same period 1947, \$1,604.70; per cent increase, 24.7.

It was feared by many that after the war was over and most of the boys came home, lessening stamp sales domestic and foreign, that Brownfield might fall back to second class. But it seems that the growth of population and business has more than taken care of the difference. All the above is just stamp sales, and sale of stamps alone determine the classification. The postal money order sales for 1946 were \$259,325.48. Sales for 1947 were \$416,734.70. A gain of \$159,409.22. Postal saving deposits to the end of year 1947 were \$146,173.00.

Postmaster Dallas announced a new mail service for Brownfield that is going to help a whale of a lot. A pouch of mail is to leave here each A. M. at 10:10, for which mail should be deposited by 9:30 A. M. This mail makes many earlier air line connections.

## March Opens As A Roaring Lion

Unless all traditions are smashed to smithereens, March will end its career as a mild, meek little lamb. But you can't sometimes tell in this neck of the woods. It might then be mought'n't. The weatherman of this particular region has various and sundry ways of fooling people—it sometimes even fools that staid old prophet who heads the Floydada Hesperian over in Floyd county.

Suffice to say that the wind at an early hour Monday roared in from the south-west, slipping up the sand and dust as it rolled along. And we of the west once again felt at home. We almost began singing "Home On The Range or Bloom Is On The Sage." The worst seemed to be over by mid-afternoon, and folks began to dig out, then the radio began to blare that a cold front was on the way.

It did during the night, and it pretty nippy early Tuesday, but an abated wind and warm sunshine warmed up during the day. West Texas Gas station reported 29 degrees Tuesday morning. Wednesday morning, a cool damp wind was coming in from the east that probably means more rain.

We had 85 last week, which will be a great help to the wheat and plowing operations. However, Monday's sandy surely eliminated a lot of moisture.

## Terry County Has Mink Farm

Though the little mink, who wears expensive clothing, is a habitat of the creeks and rivers of the older states, seem to survive here on the high and dry Plains.

By Moorman obtained a half dozen grown ones a year ago, and now has 41 in his cages, near the Jessie Randal school building. He is expecting 75 little ones before summer. He has some of the famous silver blues and black yukons, whose pelts are very valuable. He is raising them for the market.

J. F. Winston has been for several days at the bedside if his only sister, age 78, who is very ill at her home in Houston.

## African Hunt Show Really Pays Off

Mrs. Bill McKinney and Mrs. Lee Brownfield called in this week to give the Herald a few items on the McMillan African hunts, shown here last week. These ladies said Brownfield and vicinity really went to town putting the reason of funds. And they, as representatives of the Alpha Omega club, were really thrilled. The total attendance or ticket sales were 2852, with adults taking 727 and school children 2125. Net proceeds after all expenses was \$772.71. Now here is especially the reason the ladies are tickled. This money is to be used jointly with the Maids and Matrons club in the erection of a club house on east Broadway. And \$772 is a long step toward realization of their share of funds.

High praise of the ladies went to the schools of Terry, Yoakum counties, other than Brownfield, for their share in making the show a huge success. They stated that the Union, Wellman, Plains and Meadow school came through in a big way. Practically every student in those four schools, large enough to appreciate the pictures, attended.

There were three matinees and two night programs of these African hunt pictures. And the best part was that not a customer they heard of was not well pleased and felt they got their money's worth.

You can have your own idea of women folks. You may consider them the weaker sex, fickle or bad car drivers. But one thing all of us are agreed on, they are not as easily discouraged as men. And when they set their heart on something, their man, a club house or whatsit, they go after it with a will and determination, and get it.

It is this will power and determination of the home makers of America that has given us a race of men and women unequalled in the whole world.

## "A Call To Arms" From Highway Patrol

A call to arms was issued today by W. J. Elliott, Chief of the Texas Highway Patrol.

The arms referred to are the kind you stick through car windows to signal your intentions to other drivers.

"Hand signals are a means of self-preservation when you are driving an automobile, as well as a courtesy to the other fellow," Chief Elliott said.

He emphasized hand signals as one of the important laws designed to make motoring safer, and appealed for better voluntary observance of the regulation in co-operation with a nation-wide "Learn and Obey Traffic Laws" program.

Captain E. L. Posey of the Lubbock District offered these hand signaling tips:

1. Give signals far enough in advance to allow the other driver to adjust himself—at least 100 feet.
2. Hand signals do not justify you in making an unexpected or illegal maneuver. For example, to make a left turn, be in the left lane before you reach the corner.
3. Get both hands back on the wheel before starting to turn.

Hand signals are not uniform throughout the country. A safe rule is to be prepared for anything when another driver holds out his hand.

## BROWNFIELD HAS A NEW CAFE

W. H. Coulter has announced that he will open a new cafe Monday the first of March. The Cafe will be just beyond the Checker-board feed house on West Main. He invites all his friends to drop in to see him at that location.

Rev. J. Preston Murphy, J. M. Teague and Al Muldrow attended a meeting at the First Presbyterian church in Amarillo Thursday night of last week.

## Hinchey Succeeds Wertz As WT Gas President



R. F. Hinchey of Lubbock, for the past twenty years Vice President and General Manager of West Texas Gas Company, is now President and General Manager of the company. As President he succeeds R. E. Wertz of Amarillo who relinquished the post to become chairman of the board of Amarillo Oil Company, an administrative affiliate. The change, designed to enable Mr. Wertz to devote more time to special work for all affiliated companies, was announced following a meeting of the board of directors of the company held in Kansas City on Tuesday.

Mr. Hinchey came to West Texas from Okmulgee, Oklahoma, on June 1, 1927 to be in charge of the construction of a gas transmission line from the Panhandle Gas Field down into the South Plains, and of distributing plants in the various cities and town which were to be served. First offices of the company were in Amarillo, but early in 1930 after the initial construction work was complete, the general offices of the company were moved to Lubbock, where they have remained.

Mr. Hinchey has spent his entire working life in the natural gas business. His father and grandfather had likewise been employed in the natural gas industry. He started in his teens as water boy for a construction crew building a natural gas pipe line from Bradford, Pennsylvania, to Buffalo, New York. He has stayed with the gas industry ever since with the exception of about one year spent serving in the armed forces during World War I. His work led him from New York and Pennsylvania to Ohio, West Virginia, Oklahoma and finally to Texas. Known as "Ray" to many friends throughout West Texas, he has been actively identified with the progress of this area.

Starting with the company as its first employee, Mr. Hinchey has seen it grow until now it serves approximately 45,000 accounts and has more than 1500 miles of pipe in its transmission and distributing systems. The company serves 44 cities and towns from Canyon on the north to Odessa on the south and from Muleshoe and Seminole on the West to Crosbyton, Floydada and Turkey on the East.

## Dr. Finley Opens Office This Week

Dr. James E. Finley, dentist, opened his offices at 308 West Main, Monday. He comes here from Dallas where he was resident dentist in the Parkland hospital. Before moving to Dallas he practiced in Cushing, Okla. His home is McLean, Texas.

He and his wife and four year old son are now residing on the Lubbock highway and have been here for some time.

Dr. Finley's office hours are from 9 to 5.

Mmes. Walter Hord, O. L. Peterman, Frank Szydoski, Chas. Wilson, Gay Price and Mr. Arthur Nunn accompanied the band students to the band clinic in Canyon last Friday.

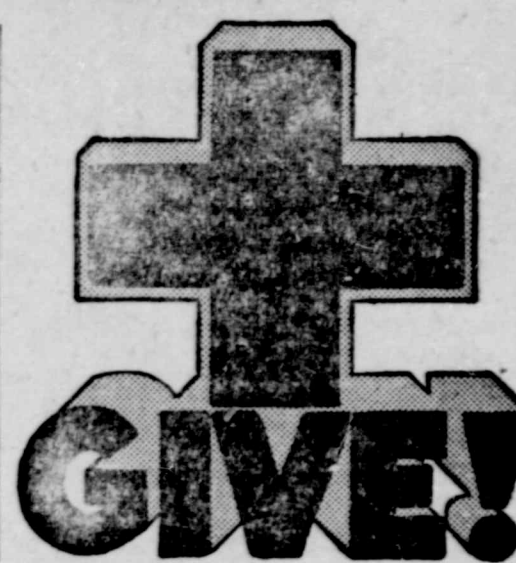
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# West Texas Gas Co. To Start Improvements

## Legion Making Drive For Members

At a meeting of the Howard-Henson Post of the American Legion at their hall last Thursday evening instituted a drive for greater membership. The drive is to continue all through March. Teams were formed to compete for the grand prize in which the winning team gets a steak dinner, the loser will get hamburgers.

Team No. 1, is composed of C. L. Lincoln, Joe E. Brown, B. W. Williams, J. B. Huckabee, Lonnie Clay.

Team No. 2 is Cecil Hill, Jiggs Tankersley, Pat McMillan, Jeff Farley and Dale Brown.

The American Legion formed soon after War I, aside from rendering immeasurable aid to veterans have been a strong force in moulding sentiment and legislation in military affairs, and upholding the patriotic ideals of America. They are indeed loyal to the colors.

They estimate 1300 eligibles in the county and expect to procure their goal of at least 1100.

They will have tables, with attendants and information on the north and west side of the square, every Saturday afternoon through March. All veterans of War I and II are urged to join.

## West Texas Teachers To Meet At Lubbock

The West Texas Teachers Association will meet next Friday, March 12, at the Lubbock senior high school auditorium, for an all day session. Floyd Haneey of Lubbock schools is the president. The district is composed of 27 west Texas counties of which Terry is a part.

Some noted national educators will be on hand to address the meeting. In the forenoon, Dr. A. J. Stoddard of the Philadelphia schools, his address will be on the convention theme, "Education is a Joint Enterprise." Willard E. Goslin of Minneapolis, in the afternoon will address the convention on "The Responsibilities of American Education."

At the noon luncheon at 11:30 the Hilton Hotel of administrators, the speakers will be Robt. A. Manire, State Vocational Education and Miss Ruth Huey, State Supervisor of Homemaking education.

Supt. S. P. Cowan of Brownfield, is a member of the resolutions committee.

## School Census Being Taken This Month

The annual scholastic census is being taken throughout the county this month. To save expense they will depend on patrons turning in the names of children, instead of hiring a person to go around.

All children becoming six years of age by Sept. 1, 1948 and not over 18 by Sept. 1 are to be taken. Forms are being sent out by school children and parents are urged to complete and return to their respective school.

It is very important to get every child enumerated because each one draws \$55 from the State into the local school fund.

## PRIMM DRUG TEAM LOSES IN FINALS

The basket ball team sponsored by Primm Drug of this city which were tops all season lost the district finals Wednesday night to the Thomas Tinklers team of Lubbock 36 to 27.

The Tinklers now go to the State meet.

## C. R. Paden To Speak At Church Lecture



The Crescent Hill Church of Christ of this city, is to sponsor the Italian Work for the Churches of Christ. And next week they are to have a lecture program on Mission Work, with the emphasis being placed upon the Italian Work. There are to be 18 speakers on this program, and it will feature speakers from 10 different cities and 16 different churches in this area.

The feature of the entire program will be Bro. Paden's lectures on Thursday and Friday nights. As most of you know, Bro. Paden recently went over on a survey trip to Italy, and spent some two months looking over conditions there, and evaluating the prospects of work to be done there. While there they took some 1200 feet of moving picture film, which will be shown on both Thursday and Friday nights after the lecture program.

Bro. Wood tells us that they are expecting several speakers and visitors from out of town. All in all there will probably be several hundred out of town visitors during the course of the program. The program will begin Sunday morning March 7, with Bro. Wood speaking on the subject, "The Vision of the Church," at the 11 o'clock hour. There is to be singing and fellowship meeting at 2:30 p. m.

There will be three sessions daily throughout the lecture program. At 10:00 a. m.; 2:30 p. m. and at 8:00 p. m.

The Crescent Hill Church extends a cordial invitation to all of the people in and around Brownfield, to attend any and all of the services of the lecture program.

## Meadow Principal Dies Suddenly

Charles Volney Hill, 40, principal in the Meadow High School died in a hospital at Seminole Tuesday night from a heart attack. He was stricken earlier that day while teaching and was taken to Seminole for special treatment.

He was an early graduate from Tech. Mrs. George Arnett of Lubbock, his mother-in-law, is a pioneer settler of the South Plains.

## Kendrick Attends State Party Meet

R. M. Kendrick, a State Executive Committeeman of the Democratic party attended a meeting of the committee at Dallas, last Saturday.

Being a democratic meeting, naturally much discussion was indulged over the Truman Civil rights program, but the consensus of opinions was as he puts it, "we are going to spank Truman and McGrath, but will do it in our own party woodshed."

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cruce, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McBurnett and Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Pounds attended funeral services for Mr. J. F. Myatt Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist church in Slaton.

# Citywide Baseball Meeting To Be Held Tuesday Night

Clyde Bond, jr. publicity man for the Brownfield team of the Oil Belt League, stated this week that a citywide meeting is to be held by baseball fans Tuesday night the 9th, in the District Court room. All fans and lovers of good sports are invited.

At this time discussion of ways and means of putting a real good team in the field wearing Brownfield uniforms will be under discussion. The Wilgus Drug Store is sponsoring the Brownfield team and Paul Bish is to be the manager, but it takes more than a sponsor, manager, etc., to put a good team in the field and support them through the season.

Anyway, you are expected to show up at the meeting Tuesday night.

Brownfield, so far, is the largest city in the league and surely if some of the smaller places can support a team, it can be done here. There are lots of people here who go to nearby cities in the Texas-New Mexico league and even down to Dallas and Fort Worth to see the Texas League games. They'll go to see games here, too.

Bond also stated that there is to be an Oil Belt league meeting at Levelland Sunday afternoon at 12:30. He had forgotten the place designated, but you can easily find it if you will go. At this meeting schedule of games to be played and dates will be worked out.

Teams so far assigned to the Oil Belt league are: Brownfield, Levelland, Littlefield, Post, Seagraves, Slaton, Sundown. An effort is being made to fill the other berth with a possible team from Lubbock or Hobbs, N. M.

## The New Dodge Is A Honey

Have you been over to the Brownfield Motor Co., place, corner Broadway at 7th to see the new Dodge car. Well, they have one over there, and Sammy Teague will obligingly show you this beautiful as well as well built bit of automotive engineering. Like the writer, we know you're going to like the new Dodge.

Sammy has just west of his show and parts department, a well equipped repair and wash department that is a credit to the town. And it does not have to be a Dodge or Plymouth that you wish to have repaired. They will take on any make, and please you.

The most recent addition to Sammy's establishment is a body and fender and paint department, housed under its own roof. Earl Cook, a man of outstanding ability and experience has charge of this department. Not only do they straighten out busted or dented bodies, but they have a paint room enclosed and well near dust proof. Their paint is mixed by machinery, and they are prepared to give you the identical color the car of any make originally had.

This mixmaster is not only superior to human sight and still in mixing, it is perfection itself.

CITY LAYING NEW WATER LINE

The city this week began laying an 8-inch water main from the reservoir on south 4th street east on Tate to B street thence north to Hill, thence east into the Bruton addition. They will also install seven new fire plugs.

## Mexican Slayer Gets Suspended Sentence

Santos Alonzo, 18 year old Mexican, tried here late last week for the murder of Joe Merritt in Dawson county, was given a five year suspended sentence by the jury. The evidence revealed a bloody fight between the victim and the accused's father, following a long card game in the Patriotic community of Dawson county. Fists, knife, pop bottle and guns being used.

It was shown that a nine year old son of the elder Mexican seeing the fight ran several yards to the home of the defendant, informing him, who then took a small rifle, rushed to the scene and shot Merritt. "The father," stated one witness, "stabbed Merritt while he was down, when another white man, then shot the elder Mexican, who fell almost on Merritt. The man was later no-billed by the grand jury.

After excusing several jurors of the 60-man panel, a jury was selected by taking the last man on the 52 remaining list.

## Red Cross Drive Taking Shape

Rodger Lindsey is getting his forces for the Red Cross drive well organized, and a fair crowd was at the kickoff breakfast at the Esquire Tuesday morning at 6:30, which is admittedly an early hour for most of us townsmen. Hub King was added to the planning force at the breakfast in view of the fact that one of the committeemen stated it would not be possible for him to serve efficiently.

There were also some changes in the city drive committee. As it now stands, Mrs. Al Muldrow is the chairman, and assisting her will be Mrs. Homer Winston, Mrs. Clovis Kendrick and Mrs. Phil Gansch. These ladies with help they may obtain, are expected to thoroughly comb the city for Red Cross funds.

## Much Advertising Matter

Four huge Red Crosses at each of the courthouse square corners, with the word GIVE only on them, are very attractive and good reminders of the drive each time a person drives around or about the city. The newspapers of the town as well as the theatres, are also lending their assistance in the drive.

Mr. Lindsey stated this week that several of the community chairmen had failed to call for their supplies, but urged them to do so at the first opportunity.

## BRUMBLEY'S LOSE 14 MONTHS OLD BABY

Harlan J. Brumley, the 14 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brumley, of Route 3, this city, passed away at the local hospital Thursday morning following serious illness.

Funeral at 2 p. m. today at the Nazarene church. Burial to follow in Memorial cemetery, under direction of Farley Funeral home.

Besides the parents, the baby is survived by five brothers and three sisters.

## COURT CONVENES AGAIN NEXT MONDAY

The District Court is to convene here again March 8th to try a civil suit with jury.

All jurors of the regular panel, are being summoned to report for service.

While most people here on the South Plains have a faint but unhappy recollection of the week ends of January 31 and February 14, they are trying to forget the matter, especially those who had to shut down for a short period, including the public schools. Not so with the West Texas Gas Co. That experience was a real one with them, and they are letting nothing hold up or hinder their efforts to do something about the matter before another winter rolls around.

All employees and managers, including Mr. Hafer of this city, have received formal statements from the officials of the company one of which is before us at this time. One of the things brought out in the form letter was that even had not the unfortunate things mentioned above transpired, the company had plans for the expenditure of three million dollars during the years 1948-49-50, in expansions and added facilities, and have promise of several more compressors by June 1, this year.

As set out by this letter, the lack of gas is not the trouble. They have their own extensive fields of near 275,000 acres in the north Panhandle. Aside from this they are prepared to tie in with the City Service Co., and Empire Southern Gas Co., in the north Cowden fields.

So, the fact remains that the crying need is transmission lines, and if we understand the language, the WTGC is going all out after the steel piping for these transmission lines. Their greatest plague seemed to be the laterals to Levelland and Odessa, during the recent frigid weather.

Mr. Hafer stated that they had another headache here coming up. When the company built into Brownfield in 1929, and on the Seagraves and Seminole a year or two later, they cut across from the line running east to Tahoka, just skirting the southeast side of the city, and down the highway to Seagraves and Seminole.

Now, the city has overgrown their lines by several blocks. They must build another line further east, southeast, and skirt the city again, as they cannot have high pressure lines running under streets and residences.

But we look for some extensive movement this good year 1948 to take care of their customers even with weeks or arctic weather.

## Band Concert Nets \$400 Tuesday Night

A large crowd of band enthusiasts, as well as parents of the pupils, were on hand at the high school auditorium Tuesday night of this week to hear the concert arranged by their leader, Mr. Richard Young. Total receipts were stated to be over \$400.

We consider this a real step toward getting the general public behind the school bands, as they have not been for quite some time. Those who attended have stated that it was a real good concert, and everyone enjoyed it.

The first part of the concert was given by the Senior high band, followed by the Junior band. Both are said to be making rapid strides under the direction of Mr. Young.

Mrs. Young, wife of the band leader, gave the audience a real good piano selection, as well as accompanist in several band numbers.

## VFW TO ORGANIZE AT DENVER CITY

Headed by C. L. Lincoln and Cecil Hill, a large number of Veterans of Foreign Wars of the local Hand Bros. post went to Denver City last Wednesday night.

They assisted in organizing a VFW post there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walls and Doris spent the week end in Andrews visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McCarver.

# Give Your Part To The Red Cross

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"We hold these truths to be self evident, that all men are created equal." Maybe we didn't just exactly quote the above right, just as stated in one of our previous documents, the Declaration of Independence. Yet everyone with medium horse sense knows that all men are not created equal. Some are wealthy, prominent, influential; some are poverty stricken, lowly, meek and even no-bodies. It is a well known fact that many of the men that composed the signers of the above mentioned document were slave holders or had bond servants. It is a well known fact that no two finger prints are alike, and so-called identical twins are wide apart in their ways, dispositions and ambitions. Nor is there a recorded history of any people at any time in the world on an exact level. As far back as history goes, we find the master and slave, or the squire and peasant; the senator and the peon, and perhaps always will. Since the carpetbaggers either left the south in a hurry or voluntarily in the 1870's, no people have come further together or made more strides to understand one another, than southern white and black people. But we know that in all cases the predominant race in the south has not always done all it should for his black neighbor. But the south has come a long way. Last year there was only one lynching in the entire south—only too many, we'll have to admit. There were many more than this killed by hoodlums, or for crossing picket lines.

Senator Robert Taft is considered to be one of the most standpat of the conservative side of the GOP, yet in reality in many ways he is a better Democrat than President Truman. Taft goes along with both Jefferson and Jackson, as well as Woodrow Wilson on state rights. He believes that each state should have its own election laws; its own race relations, and its own laws as regards whom and when a person wishes to hire someone. Truman's stand on these basic laws are more Hamiltonian than Democratic.

Firemen must have a remarkable plan of resuscitating the drowned or strangled than even hospitals it seems. And we don't mean railway or stationary engine firemen, but firefighters. The dailies of the past few days tell us of an incidence in the north where a mother, whose child had strangled, after efforts of her own

carried the seemingly dead child to a hospital. No better luck was had there. Two of the local firemen were called in and in half an hour had the child back to normal, picked up their accouterments and waving a bye bye to the child went back to their hose and reels. In most of the towns the size of Brownfield and larger, we understand the firemen are trained in a course of this kind, and are usually called into Red Cross schools of instruction. Therefore, in case of strangulation, it would not be amiss to call the fire department at the same time patients are rushed to the hospital.

Our own Senator Tom Connally while making an address at Raleigh, N. C. recently stated, "that H. Wallace's campaign on a third party ticket would end in disaster." Whose disaster, Senator? Henry's, Harry's or both?

Little has been said about the matter, and therefore few Texans realize the vast strides their own state is making toward becoming a manufacturing state. But the fact remains and statistics show that in 1947, Texas doubled the increase proportionally in the United States as a whole. Along with its vast oil refining interests, Texas is soon to become dotted with thousands of additional industrial smokestacks.

Lynching is a crime against both God and man. But to any clear thinking person not looking for additional votes, lynching cannot be stopped by federal law no more than any other murder. Public sentiment and education is the only remedy against lynchings. So fast is the sentiment in the south advancing against this form of mass murder, that there was only one person last year (1947). Lynchings cannot be erased by law any more than prohibition was enforced in Chicago during the domination of Al Capone. And a machine gun murder by racketeers, or the stoning or beating to death of persons by strikers are just as cruel and heartless.

And March, came in like a lion. It was a rip-roaring hill-billy shorter that reminded the West Texan that this is still West Texas. Usually when we have a bad one, it follows on the heels of a series of cyclones down in central and east Texas. We hope there were none this time, but that was the case while we were having a driving rain here last week.

**WWW CLUB HOLDS REGULAR MEET**  
The WWW (Wellman Willing Workers) 4-H club held its regular meeting in the Home Economics room last period Tuesday, February 17.

Miss Patsy Seales told of her experiences at the training school in Lubbock which she attended a few weeks ago.

The demonstration was given by Mrs. Roy Moore, one of the club sponsors, and was on Making the Sports Dress. She demonstrated putting in the hem and stressed the fact that the Terry County 4-H club girls are very weak in their blind stitching. She also demonstrated finishing the neck and putting on the collar.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Roberson were guests at an elk dinner Saturday evening in the Hilton Hotel in Lubbock with Dr. Turner of Lubbock as host. All dentists in the Panhandle area were invited.

## Behind the Scenes in American Business

The big town has the country's largest concentration of small businesses.

About 90 per cent of the 209,273 business establishments in New York are owner-operated, with less than 20 employees, according to a tabulation by the Commerce and Industry Association of New York. The survey does a factual job of erasing the fiction that New York is populated entirely by bankers, brokers, actors and night club owners. Figures show, for example, that manufacturing and service industries rank first and second as New York's principal enterprises, with finance, insurance and real estate establishments in third place. The survey shows, in short, that in New York, as well as Cactus Center, small businesses are the backbone of the community's economy.

**GOOD NEWS**—Farmers and other shippers who have watched with interest the efforts of car-builders to reach peak production in the construction of freight equipment, despite postwar material shortages, were encouraged recently by the announcement of Pullman-Standard Car Manufacturing Company that two of the company's plants are now turning out each day enough new cars to equip two complete freight trains. Pullman-Standard plants hitting this production rate are those at Michigan City, Ind., and Bessemer, Ala., each rolling out 54 cars a day. The average length of freight trains operated in the U. S. is 53 cars. Sparking Michigan City production is Pullman-Standard's "package" all-welded box car, the P-S-1, built largely of component parts engineered and manufactured by the company. The Bessemer plant is scheduled to begin production of P-S-1 cars soon.

**THINGS TO COME**—New 16-foot plastic "sportabout" boat is said to be so light in weight that it requires only one-third the normal engine horsepower necessary for given motorboat speeds—The Western Pine Association has developed a new plastic-resin sealer which makes possible the use of lower cost lumber for outdoor siding—A 10-cent cough-drop chewing gum is being tested in eastern retail stores—Good news for southpaw savers, a left-handed checkbook specially designed for the convenience of fork-handed depositors.

At that. Says Jack: "They couldn't have touched it during summer vacation season, but it is practically vacant in winter and an offer to lease for one week for around 25 grand was some inducement to open 'er up. And it was really comfortable in that building."

## Benton Enjoys His Colorado Visit

Even though it was winter, Jack Benton, local agent of National Life Insurance Co., seems to have really enjoyed his recent trip to and stay at the Broadmore Hotel at Colorado Springs, Colo., at the expense of the company, who had hundreds of other agents in the southwest as their guests.

This company not only has one of the largest insurance businesses in the south and southwest, but are owners of radio station WSM, over which you get your Grand Ol' Opry Saturday nights. Jack stated that most of the higher officials on hand were from Nashville, and a fine bunch of guys.

Asked why they chose a place like the Broadmore which cost millions to build, and in winter

## Have You Seen Our Red Bird Visitor?

In January, we had spent 39 years as one of the citizens of our fair little city and during all that time we had never seen a red bird, more generally known to birdologists as the cardinal here. This one was, when first seen perched in our hedge trees in the rear of our lot. He soon flew over toward the Hayden Griffin premises, and was the last we saw of the little red topnot singer.

Suffice to say, our old robin was back with us a week or so ago, but he must have moved on. Feed was put out during the last cold spell, which was the last we saw of him, and probably will until frost this fall.

Speaking of birds, we always liked to watch them. A barefoot lad hoeing corn or cotton back in the old states, it was hard to keep us busy. We liked to lean our hoe handle against our shoulder, throw one rusty foot over the handle and watch the blue jays, red birds, peckerwoods, flickers and what have you pass over and about us in search of food for their young.

## Gasoline Scarcity Calls For Engine Adjustment

While the nation is faced with a possible shortage of oil and gasoline, motorists should take every precaution to see that their engines are properly adjusted to give maximum mileage on the least amount of fuel. E. L. Harrig, manager of the service and mechanical department, Chevrolet Motor Division, said today.

"Carburetor adjustment, proper timing and an engine tune-up are the most important points to have checked in order to save fuel," Harrig said. "Chevrolet owners should let their dealers' service departments check these points. Not only will it help save valuable fuel, but it will save the motorist money."

Harrig estimated that as much as 20 per cent might be saved in fuel consumption if an improperly adjusted engine is tuned and adjusted correctly for the spring season. Owners should see to it that their carburetor is adjusted for leaner mixtures in warm-weather driving, and that the idling adjustment is set for slower engine idling speed in spring and summer.

## Tuberculosis Spread Through Carelessness

"Carelessness and ignorance represent two of the most powerful factors in spreading communicable disease from man to man. No more emphatic example of this fact exists than the continued ravages of tuberculosis. In spite of the knowledge of its causes and spread, and of curative methods, tuberculosis is still a very serious problem not only in Texas, but throughout the United States," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health officer.

"It is true that tuberculosis no longer is first on the list of killing disease as it was formerly," Dr. Cox said, "but despite having been reduced to fifth place in Texas, it still is responsible for more deaths between the ages of fifteen and forty-five than any other disease. And this fact exists even though the majority of tuberculosis patients could have their condition arrested if it were recognized early and proper treatment applied."

"Treatment of the early recognized case is essential. It is of equal importance, from a public health standpoint, that the spread of this devastating infection be prevented. A more intelligent appreciation of this fact would result in the saving of thousands of lives."

"When a diagnosis of active tuberculosis has been made, examination of all of the other members of the immediate family should follow as a matter of

## Many News Items Left Out Last Week

The general public will probably will not understand the matter, but there comes a time during the week that the size of the paper must be determined, or you will be late for the mails, and thus complaints from some of the advertisers with price quotations for the week end or other sales days.

At the last minute last week we had a last minute request for space in the Herald, and we like to accommodate our advertisers if humanly possible. As a consequence, some live news items had to be left over for this week, which always kills a publisher's soul, as he wants all the late news while it's new. Even some ads had to be left out, and that too, is quite depressing around a print shop.

Pardon us for mentioning the fact again, but try to get your news items to us as soon in the week as possible. It is just as well with you, and at the same time, saves tired printers hours and minutes of night work, when they'd far rather be abed and asleep.

If some of these news items don't sound right as to date, you course. Tuberculosis runs in families, not because of any special susceptibility to the disease, but because it is communicable, being usually transmitted through close and prolonged contact with the active case."

To reduce the number of deaths caused by tuberculosis, Dr. Cox suggests periodic examination of all adults, a check-up by physicians of the known active cases and contacts, regular examinations of high school children, isolation or hospitalization of the active tuberculosis case, and a more intelligent application of hygienic living principles.

## The March of Dimes Brought To Successful Conclusion,

Milton Bell, who headed the March of Dimes this year, closed his books this week on what is considered a successful campaign, when everything is considered. And that consideration was one of the rawest deals from the weatherman in years. As a result of ice, sleet, snow and frigid weather, workers were hindered from contacting many people who would have gladly contributed.

Then there was a big item of the movie show put on by Mr. Parks with all proceeds donated. Last year this item ran into hundreds of dollars; this year less than \$50 for the reason that gas was shut off during most of the playing time, and even had the show been open, the attendance would have been greatly cut.

All in all, Mr. Bell is pleased with the efforts and the amount collected, \$1853.96. Of this amount Yoakum county contributed \$330.63, which was better than they did last year, but probably much less than they would have collected if they'd had decent weather.

Mr. Bell was profuse in his compliments of the school kids. Come rain or shine, sleet or snow, the school children really got their part and more of the job done, according to Milton.

Herald Want Ads Get Results! can bet it was carried over to this week.

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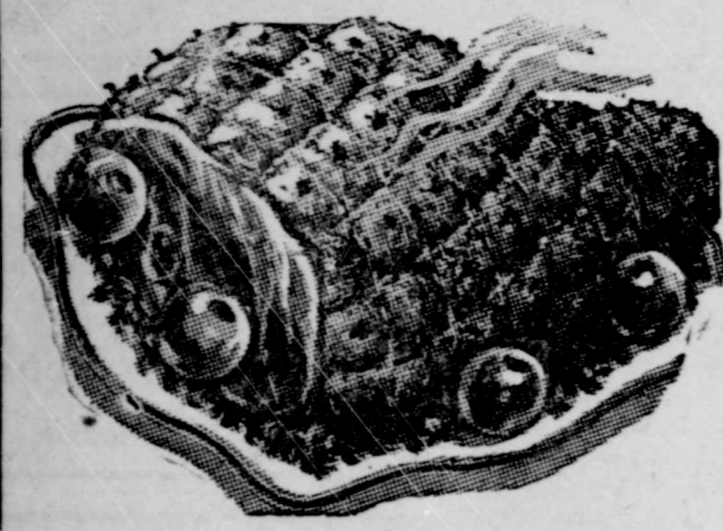


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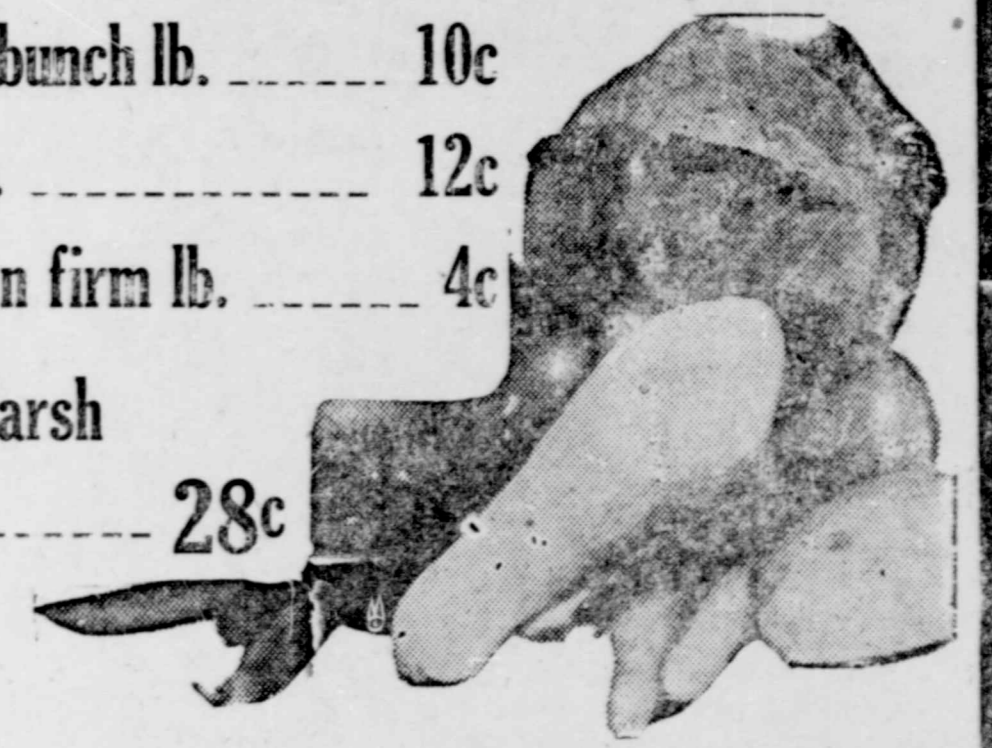
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**Celery** California Crisp. Lb. **15c**

RADISHES Fresh, large bunches 4½c  
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CATSUP CHB 14 oz. bottle 19c  
 PEAS Libby's no. 2 can 23c  
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 SYRUP Nectar Crystal 5 lb. jar 55c

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**Peaches** Hunt's Halves In Heavy Syrup no. 2½ can **25c**

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**SHASTA SHAMPOO**  
 Personal 25c  
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 Large 79c

**CANDY**

PEANUT BRITTLE lb. 33c  
 Marble Top Fudge lb. 31c  
 OLD TIME Peanut Square lb. 33c  
 HEINZ Baby Food 2 cans 15c  
 HEINZ SOUP, cream of tomato, can 12c  
 FLOUR Lightcrust 10 lb. bag 90c

# Why the Marshall Plan For European Recovery?

By ROBERT F. PATTERSON  
(Former Secretary of War)

The Committee for the Marshall Plan to Aid European Recovery feels that the success of the European recovery program will mean the difference between peace in a world of free nations and war in a world dominated by dictatorships.

We believe that the European Recovery Program is the front line of American security. In the past quarter of a century we have learned that vital as is the role of our military establishments, our security and freedom depend in the first instance upon the actions of other nations and other peoples.

nations participating in the plan. Additionally it recommends that we authorize the European Recovery Program for the full four years required to achieve economic stability.

America has learned through the painful lessons of two world wars that it cannot isolate itself



Robert F. Patterson, former Secretary of War.

from economic and social disruption in other parts of the world. We share in its prosperity or ruin. Our peak level of production is only possible because we have access to goods from every other country.

President Truman has asked that this program be approved by April 1. Every week the European Recovery Program is delayed means a further cut in Europe's dwindling gold and dollar reserves.

Mr. and Mrs. Money Price were in Hope, N. M. this week attending to business.

What will Congress do? That rests with the American people. Weigh the evidence, make up your mind, then write to your Senators and Congressmen. It is up to you, Citizens of the U.S.A.

Homers Winston was guest speaker at a Farm Bureau meeting in Anton Monday evening.

Crisp bacon is as good served with grits as ham.

Mrs. Ed Thompson of the Harmony community underwent a major operation Monday at the local hospital. She was doing as well as could be expected Wed.

Meat production in 1948 is expected to drop around two billion pounds or nearly 10 per cent below the 1947 output.

Personal incomes for the first 11 months of 1947 averaged at an annual rate of 196.4 billion dollars, about 20 per cent above a year earlier.

Dairymen may obtain copies of the 1947 proved-sire list from the Bureau of Dairy Industry, USDA, Washington 25, D. C.

Mrs. L. E. Hamilton spent last week end in Evant visiting relatives. Her mother, Mrs. J. C. Fields returned home with her for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wright of Route 5, visited their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Carter in Slaton, Sunday evening.

USDA cotton specialists say cotton will face increased competition from synthetic fibers and paper.

### ELECTION ORDER

Be it ordered by the Board of Trustees of Brownfield Con. Independent School District that an election be held at Courthouse, in the Town of Brownfield in said Brownfield Con. Independent School District on the 3 day of April, 1948, for the purpose of electing 2 School Trustees for said Brownfield Con. Independent School District.

The following three persons, T. C. Hogue, W. A. Tittle, Mrs. Leo Holmes are appointed and ordered to hold said election in accordance with the general election laws of Texas.

The returns of said election shall be made to the Board of Trustees of said district in accordance with law.

A copy of this order signed by the president and attested by the secretary of this board shall serve as proper notice of said election, and the president shall cause notice of said election to be given in accordance with law by posting notices at three public places within the district for at least 10 days before the date of the election.

In Testimony Whereof, witness the signatures of the President and Secretary of said Brownfield Consolidated Independent School District and the seal thereof hereunto affixed, this 1 day of March, 1948. A. M. MULDRUP, President Brownfield Con. Independent School District.

ATTEST: E. G. BROWNLEE, Secretary.

Over \$1600 damages were done to the passenger automobiles of P. R. Cates and P. W. Sellman, when they collided Tuesday afternoon at the intersection of Buckley and B Street. The persons escaped injuries.

Lee Fulton, County Superintendent attended a regular meeting of the District County Superintendents Association at Lubbock this week.

Save Little Fat Too Many women think of saving used kitchen fat only when they have lots of it, frying bacon, for instance. But all meats have some fat, and bones and table scraps will yield a surprising amount when they are heated, and every drop is scraped into your fat salvage container.

last week with his discharge papers from the navy. He has been in the service for the past two years and has been in the band.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. DeBusk spent the week end in Slaton visiting with relatives.

Inez Chandler was called to Plainview Sunday due to the illness of her father.

Mrs. Donald Moore and Mrs. Charles Wayne Bandy left Friday for a week visit with Mrs. Moore's mother in Colorado.

Mrs. J. K. Applewhite and Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Kemp of Tahoka and Mr. and Mrs. Sparks Skaggs, of Oklahoma City visited Mrs. Prentice Walker and Mrs. Sam Privitt Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Falls were in Dallas the latter part of last week for Mr. Falls to receive medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kirschner returned Saturday from New York City where they have been at market.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wright are visiting relatives in Fort Worth for two weeks.

Look for the word "enriched" on the label when buying corn meal or grits.

Servie liver often. Give it a lift with tomato sauce.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Sears had as Sunday visitors Calvin McLeroy, Jacqueline Small, Patsy Akers and Ernest Sears, all of Lubbock.

Howard Wayne McLroy arrived home from Port Huene, Calif., and Mrs. Frank Ratliff Monday.

Mrs. Wallace Randolph and two daughters from Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Priest and son, of Abilene were week end guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Daniel.

### Killing Chestnuts

The Asiatic blight which struck down native chestnut orchards in the United States, estimated at sums up to a hundred million dollars some 25 years ago, is still active, and doubt that it will pass over and let this luscious crop come back usually is accepted by well informed agriculturists.



Forest Fire Commissioner W. L. Shaddix inspecting chestnut buds for asiatic blight.

James Rambo and Logan Heron entertained a group of friends with a dance Friday night at the country club. Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rambo and Mrs. Edna Blankenship. Twenty couples enjoyed the affair.

Vernon Lincoln who is attending Sul Ross Teachers college at Alpine spent last week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lincoln here.

Jay Barrett well known resident of Brownfield underwent an appendectomy Monday at the local hospital. He is reported recovering.

Advertisement for 'The COPY CUB' newspaper. Includes a cartoon character and text: 'DON'T MISS AN ISSUE OF YOUR HOMETOWN NEWSPAPER - KEEP YOUR SUBSCRIPTION PAID UP!'.

Advertisement for Brownfield Motor Co. featuring a truck and text: 'Whether it's new rings, a new engine or a complete overhaul, come to... "/>

Advertisement for Navy training pay. Text: 'TRAINING TRAVEL... PAY The NAVY Offers You a Real Business Proposition'.

Advertisement for Esquire Restaurant. Includes a cartoon of a man eating and text: 'WHERE'S KILROY ??? At the ESQUIRE... where the generous meals would satisfy a crying hunger in any man. Bring the whole family for Sunday dinner!'.

Advertisement for Baby Chix chicks. Text: 'Baby Chix Also 2 and 3 Week old chicks for immediate delivery. We have hatches each Monday and Thursday. We are custom hatching this season. EVERLAY FEEDS CHISHOLM HATCHERY'.

Advertisement for 'The COPY CUB' newspaper. Includes a cartoon character and text: 'I GUESS WE ALL SLIP - AND NONE OF US LIKES TO - SO, WHEN WE SLIP IN THE SPELLING OF A NAME - OR MAKE UNINTENTIONAL MISTAKES - PLEASE EXCUSE IT!'.

Advertisement for Majestic Art Studio. Text: 'ATTENTION COUPON HOLDERS The Majestic Art Studio cordially invites all those holding coupons, who were unable to have their pictures made last month, due to weather conditions and sickness. Be at the Brownfield Hotel Saturday, March 6, between the hours of 12 noon and 8 p. m. and have pictures made. Full credit on all picture coupons will be given regardless of date. THANK YOU, MAJESTIC ART STUDIO'.

Large advertisement for West Texas Gas Company. Features the slogan 'Better Heating' and images of various gas furnaces. Text: 'A forced-air central furnace gives you all the advantages of low-cost natural gas heating. It provides clean, constant, automatic heat, evenly distributed throughout the rooms by means of a blower. With it there is no stratification of heat, no cold floors, no cold corners. This excellent type of equipment is always vented. A basement is not necessary. The floor furnace, while not as desirable as the forced-air central furnace, is a splendid piece of equipment, very popular in West Texas. It is always vented. When thermostatically controlled it provides fully automatic heating, clean and healthful. Suspended beneath the floor, it occupies no "in-the-room" space. Naturally it can be used only in ground-floor rooms. Similar in operation to a floor furnace, but built into the wall rather than beneath the floor. Although relatively new, a number of these units have been installed in West Texas homes. The panel wall heater is always vented, and may be thermostatically controlled. May be used either in ground-floor rooms or second-story rooms. Dual units are available for heating adjacent rooms with one installation. SEE YOUR GAS EQUIPMENT DEALER West Texas Gas Company'.

Large advertisement for Southworth Willys Co. featuring a Jeep. Text: 'It's "Made to Order" for the Ranch Country. The 4-Wheel-Drive UNIVERSAL Jeep. Here is a two-fisted machine that's doing a thousand and one jobs for ranchers everywhere. It's the Universal "Jeep" - a "do anything" vehicle that takes you there, in any weather. It goes up and down steep grades, crosses rough country, travels through mud, sand and snow. You can ride fences with it, and take tools and repair parts right with you. You can carry salt and feed wherever your herds are ranging. You can cut across roadless open country in search of strays or injured animals, and to help out at calving and branding time. The "Jeep" pulls the chuck wagon, hauls supplies, does work that saves time and money the year around. HAULING CATTLE is just one of the many jobs you can do with the Universal "Jeep". It pulls a load of 5500 lbs. at highway speeds... carries 1200 lbs. on or off the road. With its power take-off, the "Jeep" operates a buzz saw, digs ditches and post holes, runs all types of belt and shaft driven equipment. SOUTHWORTH WILLYS CO. 10 & Fillmore Amarillo, Texas'.

Advertisement for Frigidaire Fully Automatic Washer. Text: 'NEW Frigidaire Fully Automatic Washer with "LIVE-WATER" ACTION! and ALL THESE FEATURES! • Fills and empties automatically. • Washes 8 lbs. of clothes in less than a half-hour: cleaner, whiter. • Gives two "Live-Water" rinses. • Spins clothes damp dry... some ready for ironing immediately. • Self-balancing - no bolting down. • Self-cleaning - porcelain inside and out. • Can be hand controlled for special jobs. Come In! See a Demonstration! Place order now for earliest delivery! ALSO SEE THE NEW - Frigidaire Electric IRONER for better, faster, easier ironing. Frigidaire Electric CLOTHES DRYER for quick, automatic drying indoors. Place order NOW for earliest delivery. FARLI & HOME APPLIANCE CO. 611 WEST MAIN Phone 255-J'.

SUNSHINE HI-HO CRACKERS large box ..... 28c	SUNSHINE CHOCOLATE MINTS 1 lb. box ..... 65c	ENGLISH PEAS Smart Shopper No. 2 ..... 12 1/2c	LIBBY'S BEETS No. 2 CAN ..... 15c	COLUMBUS KRAUT No. 2 1/2 Can ..... 13c	PHILIPS BEANS AND FRANKS can ..... 15c
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**FLOUR** EVERLITE 25 LB. ..... **\$1.70**

POTTED MEAT Red Crown ..... 6 1/2c	APRICOTS Hunt's No. 2 1/2 ..... 29c
COCOA Mother's 2 lb. can ..... 37c	TURNIP GREENS no. 2 1/2 ..... 10c
APPLES Comstock no. 2 ..... 23c	ORANGE JUICE 46 oz. can ..... 25c
SPINACH All Gold no. 2 ..... 15c	TOMATOES No. 1 can ..... 10c

**Cherries** RED PITTED NO. 2 CAN ..... **25c**

SALMON Pink Pound can ..... 49c	STEEL WOOL large package ..... 10c
RAISIN BRAN Skinners pkg. .... 15c	JELL-O PUDDING pkg. .... 8c
YEAST Fleischmann's pkg. .... 4c	NAPKINS embossed, 60 count ..... 13c
TAPIOCA Minute, package ..... 18c	WAX PAPER 125 foot roll ..... 23c

**Pure Lard** ARMOUR'S 3 LB. CTN. .... **70c**

OLEO, colored lb. .... 54c	LUX FLAKES large ..... 37c
MARVENE pkg. .... 27c	CATSUP, Brooks 14 oz. .... 19c
LIFEBUOY SOAP cake ..... 10c	TREET Armour's 12 oz. can ..... 53c

**Facial Tissue** 400 COUNT ..... **27c**

ASPARAGUS  
Rosedale  
No. 2 can ..... 35c



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PICNIC HAMS lb. .... 49c	DEEF SHORT RIBS lb. .... 39c
SLICED	Rath's Hawkeye lb. .... 59c
<b>Bacon</b>	Wilson Delicious, lb. .... 49c
	Wilson Corn King lb. .... 69c

BACON SUGAR  
SQUARES CURED lb. **49c**

DRESSED HENS AND FRYERS — COTTAGE CHEESE

**VEGETABLES**

LETTUCE Ice Berg lb. .... 12c  
California

CARROTS California Large Bunch ..... 10c

TURNIP GREENS Texas bunch ..... 10c

TEXAS Hard Heads lb. ....

**Cabbage** **3c**

QUALITY GREEN  
CELERY  
Pound ..... 15c

RADISHES 2 bunches ..... 15c

FRESH ONIONS, bunch ..... 10c



**Apples** Delicious lb. **12 1/2c**

# Young Promises A-1 Band For High School

Bandmaster Richard Young of the high school, we believe has the "what it takes" to put the band over in fine shape. He is the kind of guy that will get out and mix with the business and professional elements of the city, and after all, to make a real good band with a 100 per cent following in a town, that is just what it takes.

We have no criticism of the school officials, we know just what they have been up against since Clifford Horn left. But we and they have learned that a fellow that plays "dummy" around town and has little or nothing to say to anyone, cannot put the band where it should be.

Neither can a man like Dr. Roberson, no matter how capable, who has his own thriving business to look after, step in to the shoes of one who is supposed to devote his entire time to the band. Dr. Roberson was a fine pinch hitter, but that was all he was supposed to be, and the school was lucky he lived here when the former leader quit.

Let's all get behind Mr. Young and help him put the band where it should be as soon as possible. There is not much time till the end of this term, and we hope it may be arranged that his time may be employed to carry on with the band through the summer, in order to make it as efficient as possible by fall.

Elsewhere in this issue is the first of a series of band concerts to be put on by the band. Attend this concert if humanly possible, and help encourage Mr. Young and the band boys and girls to go forward.

## New Mexico Man Dies Here

Robert L. Spears, 66, pioneer resident of Lovington, N. M. died in a local hospital last Sunday. The body was carried to Lovington Monday for burial and services by a Farley Funeral home transport.

He is survived by two sons and two daughters, all of Lovington.

Mrs. Everett Latham plans to leave today to visit her sisters in Bowie and Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. McCain spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McCain.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Joyner have moved to Brownfield from Abilene. Mr. Joyner has purchased an interest in the new Standard station on the Lubbock highway near the Rainbow courts.

Mr. and Mrs. Shafe Weaver and daughter, Sharon, of Silverton were overnight guests of Mrs. Madison Weaver Sunday.

## COTTON QUIZ

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## GI Question And Answer Department

Q. I am a World War II veteran and would like to know if I have the right to choose the hospital I prefer in case of service-connected ailment?

A. The VA probably will offer such treatment in the Veterans Administration hospital nearest your home, or in the nearest VA hospital equipped and staffed to take care of your particular case.

Q. I am now drawing 10 per cent compensation for a service-connected knee condition. Will Veterans Administration pay for a knee-brace which my doctor advises me to wear?

A. Veterans Administration will pay for the knee brace is VA doctors approve the recommendation of your physician.

Q. May my private physician be called in as a consultant while I am hospitalized in a Veterans Administration hospital?

A. No, except in the event your physician happens to be a regular consultant on the hospital staff and the staff agrees to call him in to study your case.

Q. Can veterans of the Spanish-American War get Government Insurance because of his service in the armed forces?

A. No. Government Insurance was first made available to veterans of World War I.



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## Meadow Musings

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Walker and boys visited Freda Walker at Rankin, Texas over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Ashburn and son, Tommy, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ashburn visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ashburn last Sunday. R. L. McNutt and son, Marvin, and Mrs. Lynch Johnson visited Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sharp and family at Vernon over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hinson and girls visited relatives at Meadow over the week end.

Mrs. W. T. Arnett visited at Lubbock last week. While there, she visited W. R. Duckett, who was ill in Lubbock General Hospital. He is getting along fine, and went home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cadenhead and son, Wayne, and Earl Cadenhead of Brownfield visited relatives at Stephenville over the week end.

Miss Jean Pendergrass is seriously ill in the Mayo hospital at Rochester, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Leldon Miller and little daughter visited relatives at Meadow the past week end.

Miss Jean Finley and her roommate at Texas Tech visited Jean's parents over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Van Winkle of Lubbock visited Mrs. Van Winkle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Verner last Sunday.

Mrs. H. Gober and boys were shopping at Lubbock last Saturday.

Mrs. J. B. Ashburn visited her mother, Mrs. T. E. Verner, on Monday of this week.

Doris Joplin was ill last week, but is getting along fine now.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hicks visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniel and Mrs. Daniel's mother, Mrs. Leeth, at Brownfield last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Clemmer and Rowena visited Jim Clemmer at Silverton last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Buford Clemmer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Noble Luman also visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clemmer.

Mrs. Homer Barron has been ill with sore throat, but is better.

Jimmy Walker spent the week end in Tahoka with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Applewhite.

Pfc. Bobby Hinkle, who has been stationed at Lackland Field in San Antonio came in Thursday of last week on a furlough to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hinkle.

Pfc. Freddie Huckabee who has finished his basic training at Lackland Field in San Antonio came in this week to visit his mother before going on to Larry Airbase in Colorado where he will be stationed.

Mrs. Arthur Nunn left Sunday for Dallas to attend a five day beauty school of Helena Rubinstein.

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## The Low Down From Hickory Grove

Are Corporations people—that is the subject I will expound on, in today's lecture—the topic needs airing.

Corporations have been more or less polite and gentlemanly-like and with a disposition to stay out of brawls and arguments. And talkative, political gents noting such a disposition, have made it open season on abuse. And some voters seeming to figure that silence means they are guilty, causes me to waltz out the corporation subject.

Corporations are made up of people who have saved up a few shekels and put 'em in a pot with some other folks and hoping to earn interest on their money by forming an outfit to drill an oil well, start an ice cream factory, build a sawmill, etc.

If you have an insurance policy—life or fire—and care to see your insurance company remain strong, you are the person to take the spellbinder and his harangue, with a grain of salt. Every policy depends for its backing upon the investments of the insurance company in bonds and stocks of companies in all kinds of businesses.

Corporations are not a demon to eat us alive—they are YOU and ME. But if you don't give a hoot about the safety of your insurance, then go ahead, cut loose and abuse the corporations, put 'em out of business, and maybe feel better or worse.

Yours with the low down, JO SERRA.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McLean, of Bayard, N. M. were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frank Krizek.

Mrs. W. B. Scudday has replaced Miss Wanda McCrary in the city office. Miss McCrary resigned and Mrs. Scudday took over her duties February 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holt, Mrs. Graham Smith and Charlotte visited the Jim Graves in Seminole Sunday.

## Prominent Lumber Man Claimed

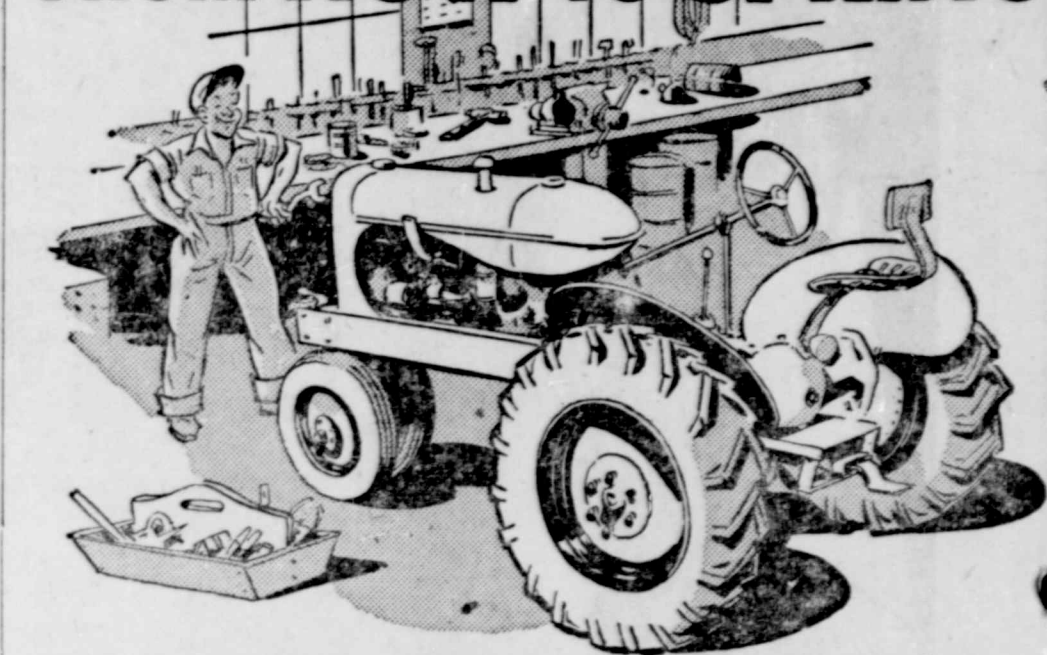
Funeral services were held Monday at 3 o'clock in Lubbock for S. Lamar Forrest, nationally known lumberman and former resident of Lamesa, who died unexpectedly early Saturday morning in Gallup, N. M. while on a business trip with his son, S. S. Forrest, jr.

Last rites were held at the First

Methodist church of Lubbock with Dr. H. I. Robinson, pastor, officiating. He was to be assisted by Dr. W. H. Wallace of Oklahoma City and Rev. E. H. Crandall of Lubbock.

Mr. Forrest was president of the Forrest Lumber Co. with yards located in Lubbock, Lamesa, Morton, Seminole, Snyder, Whiteface, Andrews and Anson. He was well known as a civic leader, churchman and philanthropist throughout West Texas.

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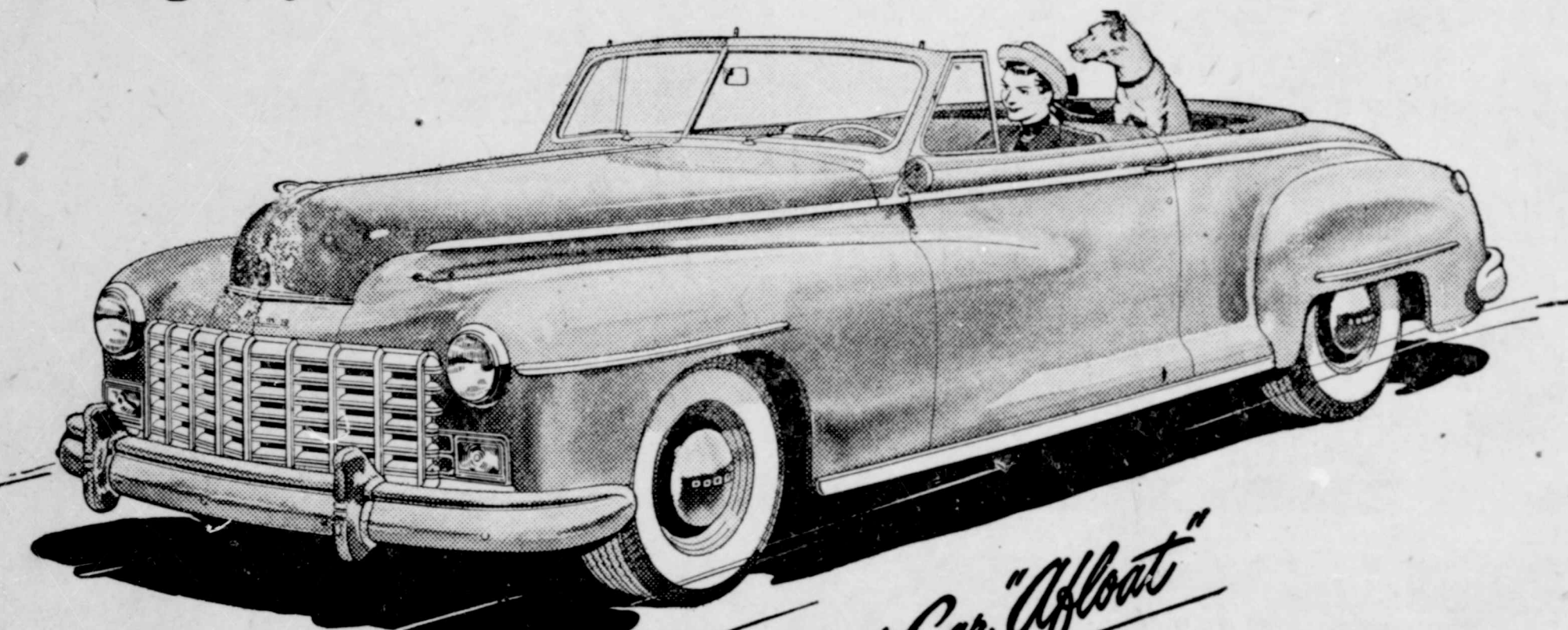
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Amid the charges of discrimination, recrimination, intimidation and many other nations and notions, the tail-spinners are blabbing through the press and radio, much of which is becoming disgusting to a docile public, it is well to take note of tolerance in action among our common peers.

A young Mexican was tried in District Court here last week, charged with murder of a white man in an adjoining county last October. Being indicted in regular order, the defendant employed competent counsel of that county. At their request the trial was transferred to this county, to

avoid undue prejudice or sentiment, if any, existing there. The trial was set for Jan. 19, when because of absence of a defense witness, postponed till Feb. 23rd. On that day a defense attorney being unable to attend, postponed a few days more, when all parties were ready. All witnesses the Defense asked for were summoned, and paid by the State. All of the 12 Jurors, out of a venire of 60 were chosen with full consent of Defense counsel. The entire trial followed, strictly, the legal procedure in all other cases, including legal cloaks usually thrown around a defendant.

The Jury after sincerely hearing all evidence, promptly returned a verdict of guilty, assessing a penalty of five years, but recommended suspension of sentence, which was done. He certainly has no just complaint.

Believing in tolerance and humane justice to all, regardless of race, creed or color, we commend the Court for its fairness, the at-

taches for their diligence, and the Jury for the justness of their verdict.

Although there are many with a waning strain of southern aristocracy, and a few who through greed would exploit their fellow-man, regardless of race, creed or color, yet by and large, old John Q's common folks are gradually embracing a spirit of tolerance, a spirit that should survive.

Insect pests that destroy food in the pantry can be controlled by these steps: Clean the shelves thoroughly, spray with 5 per cent DDT and store food in tight containers. Food that is lightly infested may be sterilized by heating to 140 deg. F. for one-half hour.

O. L. Peterman, Clovis Kendrick, Harmon Howze, Burton Hackney and Dr. Gordon Richardson were at Phantom Lake in Abilene for fishing from Saturday until Tuesday.

### Calendar of Lectures For Church of Christ

Sunday morning 9:45 Bible Study.

Sunday morning 11:00, Worship Services.

Sermon by Bro. Wood "The Vision of the Church."

Sunday afternoon 2:30 Fellowship Meeting of the Churches in this area.

Sunday night 7:30, Worship Services. Sermon by Bro. Olan Hicks, "Publicity and Missionary Work."

Editor of Christian Chronicle, Abilene, Texas.

Monday morning, "Missionary Program in United States" by Andy Burk, Seagraves, Texas.

Monday afternoon "Problems of Missionary in Field" by Loyd Moyer, Slaton, Texas.

Monday night 8:00 p. m. "The Field and Congregational Responsibility" by Dean Brookshire,

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dugger visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Dugger in Lamesa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baker and daughter, Johanna spent Sunday afternoon in Lubbock visiting.

### Herald Want Ads Get Results!

Plainview, Texas.

Tuesday morning 10:00 a. m. "Missionary Work in Holland" by Cecil N. Wright, Lubbock, Texas.

Tuesday afternoon 2:30 p. m. "Problems of Sponsoring Church" by Paul Sherrod, Lubbock, Texas.

Tuesday night "Missionary Work in Germany" by Norval Young, Lubbock, Texas.

Wednesday morning "Our Work in Comparison to Others." by Alvis Bryan, Lubbock, Texas.

Wednesday afternoon "Why We Have Failed Before" by J. R. Chisholm, Brownfield.

Wednesday night "Field and Individual Responsibility, by Ernest West, Levelland, Texas.

Thursday morning "Mission Work in First Century" by A. C. Melroy, Meadow.

Thursday afternoon "How Can We Succeed Now?" by Luther Norman, Tahoka.

Thursday night "Opportunities in Italy, 45 minutes of movie film taken in Italy."

Friday morning "Support of Missionary in Field" by Joe Banks Hale Center, Texas.

Friday afternoon "Some Special Problems of Italian Work" by Bro. Oscar Galimberti, San Antonio, (converted Catholic priest). Also pictures will be shown again, by Cline Paden, Brownfield.

All are cordially invited to attend this program and to take part in it. Bro. Cline Paden has just recently returned from a two month survey trip in Italy, for the Crescent Hill Church of Christ and will be able to tell you many things of interest about that country.

Also you will enjoy the moving pictures that he took while over there.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: J. A. PARRISH AND WIFE, Madeline Parrish, their heirs and legal representatives, W. C. Parrish and wife, Francis Parrish, their heirs and legal representatives GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 5th day of April, A. D., 1948, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Terry County, at the Court House in Brownfield, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 21 day of February, 1948.

The file number of said suit being No. 3438

The names of the parties in said suit are:

Beryl Crossland as Plaintiff, and J. A. PARRISH AND WIFE, Madeline Parrish, their heirs and legal representatives, W. C. Parrish and his wife, Francis Parrish, their heirs and legal representa-

### NOTICE OF ELECTION STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF TERRY CITY OF BROWNFIELD

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held, in the City Hall, in the City of Brownfield, Texas, on the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1948, the same being the 6th day of said month for the purpose of electing:

A MAYOR

as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit:

Suit in trespass to try title of the southeast quarter of section 82 in Block 4X, ELARR Ry Co. survey in Terry County, Texas, for damages, rents, title and possession; plaintiff pleading the five and ten years statutes of limitation.

Issued this the 21st day of February, 1948.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Brownfield, Texas, this the 21st day of February, A. D., 1948.

ELDORA A. WHITE, Clerk District Court, Terry County, Texas.

(seal)

### TWO ALDERMEN CITY MARSHALL CITY SECRETARY

Said election shall be held in accordance with the general laws of the State of Texas governing elections of cities operating under the general laws of the State of Texas. The polls shall be open from 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.

J. D. MILLER is presiding officer of said election, L. C. HEATH and J. W. FITZGERALD, Judges, and DARRELL P. MOORHEAD and W. GRAHAM SMITH, Clerks.

None but qualified voters residing within the city limits of the City of Brownfield, Texas shall be permitted to vote at said election.

THIS NOTICE is given in compliance with election order passed by the city council of the City of Brownfield, Texas, at its regular meeting held on the 27th day of February A. D. 1948.

DATED this the 2nd day of March A. D. 1948.

FRANK JORDAN, Mayor, city of Brownfield, Texas.

ATTEST: E. D. JONES, City Secretary

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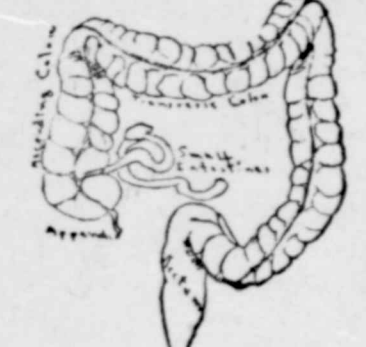
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**Social Events of the Week**

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**Country Club Ladies Organize**

Ladies of the Brownfield Country Club met Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 at the club house for the purpose of organizing a "Get-together club."

Mesdames Leo Holmes, Jack Bailey, Walter Hord, Jerry Kirschner, and Lee Brownfield were appointed as a nominating committee. Mesdames Roy Wingerd, John Portwood, C. C. Primm, Al Muldrow and R. N. McClain were selected to serve as a By-Laws Committee.

The second Wednesday of each month was chosen as a regular meeting day for social and business activities. The first such meeting is scheduled for 1:00 p. m. Wednesday, March 9, at the club house. All lady members are urged to attend and bring a covered dish.

Hostesses for the next meeting are Mesdames Bill Hefflin, Jerry Kirschner, Jack Bailey, Buddy Teague and Glen Akers. These ladies will contact all ladies and advise what to bring for the luncheon.

All members are urged to donate any odd pieces furniture, lamps, dishes, cooking utensils, etc., to furnish the club house needs. The ladies will recover and paint the furniture, so do not hesitate to bring any old "white elephants you may have on hand. All donations of this nature will be deeply appreciated.

**YOAKUM COUNTY HD REORGANIZED**

The Yoakum H D Council met Feb. 20 at 2:30 P. M., in Miss Hunt's office to reorganize. The following officers were elected:

Mrs. Amos Smith, chairman; Mrs. L. D. Garrett, vice-chairman; Mrs. G. B. Smith, sec.-treasurer; Mrs. Clay Henson, parliamentarian. The Council will meet the second Monday of each month at 10. Bulletins and printed materials for officers and delegates were handed out by Miss Hunt.

Standing rules were adopted. Voted to enter Bewley Mills baking contest.

**HARMONY HD CLUB HOLDS ALL DAY MEET**

The Harmony Home Demonstration club met in an all day meeting in the home of Mrs. J. A. Bell, Feb. 19th, with a covered dish luncheon at noon. After a brief business meeting at 2:30, Miss Helen Dunlap, County HD Agent, gave an interesting and helpful demonstration on refinishing furniture.

The members quilted a quilt for the hostess, for which blocks were made by club women in 1947. Eleven members and three visitors attended the meeting. Visitors and new members are urged to attend the next meeting in the home of Mrs. T. M. Ellis, March 4.

**WCS HAS COVERED DISH LUNCHEON**

The Women's Society of Christian Service met in Fellowship Hall for a covered dish luncheon Monday with Mesdames G. S. Wotter and A. E. Proctor as hostesses. The George Washington theme was carried out on the table with flowers and hatchets as plate favors. Following the luncheon the ladies quilted.

Attending were Mesdames B. L. Thompson, Sam Park, Fannie Maupin, J. W. Hogue, B. J. Hill, D. S. Sampson, Annie M. Hare, Jim Jackson, Glen Harris, W. G. McDonald, Tobe Powers, U. D. Gorton, C. L. Williams, W. B. Downing, Miss Maude Bailey, Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Thurston, Frank Gorton and Archie Proctor.

**COFFEE GIVEN FOR MRS. BOWNS**

Mrs. R. L. Bowers and Mrs. Tommy Hicks entertained with a coffee Wednesday morning for Mrs. L. W. Bowns in the Bowers home. Mrs. Bowns is a niece of Mrs. Bowers and has just recently moved here.

Coffee and cinnamon rolls were served to Mesdames Phil Gansch, W. A. Roberson, T. C. Williams, Sam Teague, Jack Stricklin, jr., Kelton Miller, C. L. Truly and Ted White.

Mrs. Theo Smith of Wichita Falls, the former Miss Ila Holt, is here visiting her mother, Mrs. C. F. Holt, and sister, Mrs. Jewell Bell. Mrs. Smith married the son of an early day merchant in Brownfield, who was here from about 1918 to 1920.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Taylor, of Denison, were here for a few days last week and this visiting their daughter, Mrs. Jack Stricklin, jr., and family. They also visited Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. A. C. Crowe, of Seagraves. Mr. Taylor is store man for the M. K. & T. shops in Denison.

Mrs. Nora Clanhahan, of Tokio, was in town shopping Tuesday.

**Coffee Given For Mrs. Holder**

A coffee, honoring Mrs. Boyce Holder who is leaving Brownfield, was given in the home of Mrs. C. F. Simes Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock. Assisting Mrs. Simes as hostess was Mrs. P. N. Figley. Gifts were presented the honoree as a farewell gesture.

Coffee, cake squares, tea sandwiches and salted pecans were served from a refreshment table laid with a white maderia cloth and centered with an arrangement of spring flowers.

The guest list included Mmes. L. L. Bechtel, C. E. Wilson, Sam Sayers, M. L. Mook, Corbell, Phil Gaasch, Bill Richmond and mother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Richmond who are visiting from Muldrow, Okla.

**BROWNS HOSTS TO 44 CLUB**

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown were hosts to the 44 Club Thursday of last week with supper and bridge. High and second high scores went to the Martin Lines and Crawford Burrows.

Attending were Messrs. and Mesdames Mike Blain, Lawrence Dean, Tom Crawford, Line, Burrow, Burl Hahn and Mrs. Jack Benton.

**MRS. GAASCH BRIDGE CLUB HOSTESS**

Mrs. Phil Gaasch entertained the Friday afternoon club with two tables of bridge last week. Bridge scores went to Mrs. Roberson and Mrs. Truly and Mrs. McGowan won in bingo.

Present were Mesdames T. C. Williams, C. L. Truly, Sam Teague, George O'Neal, Dick Chambers, Bill McGowan, W. A. Roberson and L. F. Brown.

Dinner guests in the H. P. French home Sunday were their son, Harold P. French of El Paso; her mother, Mrs. J. J. Atkinson, of Tahoka; her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barnes; Mrs. W. E. Pierce, Jiggs King and Becky Cottrell, all of Post. Friends were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Foote, of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Wade and Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Thomason of Brownfield.

**CRAWFORD BURROWS HOSTS TO SUPPER**

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Burrow were hosts Friday evening when members of the Crusaders Class of the Christian church met for a covered dish supper. After supper games of 42 were enjoyed.

Present were Dr. and Mrs. P. C. McCord, Messrs. and Mesdames John Venable and daughter, Tom Crawford and children, Coor, J. O. Burnett, R. N. McClain, Sam Sayers and daughter, E. L. Moore, Herbert Chesshir, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Roberson, Mmes. Tess Fuller and children, Irvin Wood, Paul Bish and Miss Billye Lackey.

**BIRTHDAY DINNER HELD IN DILL HOME**

A birthday dinner was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Dill Sunday honoring Mrs. L. A. Brown and Mr. Dallas Ruark. Gifts were presented the honorees.

Places were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ruark, Misses Sue Ruark and Erma Brown, Patsy Ruark, Ladene Jordan, Bennie Brown, Dee Ruark, Jackie Dill, Lynn Dill, Mr. Louis Brown, Mrs. Dallas Ruark and the honorees and hosts.

**LEAP YEAR CHILD OBSERVES FIRST BIRTHDAY**

Little Linda Lee Brownfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brownfield, although four years old, celebrated her first real birthday Sunday, Feb. 29, as she is a leap year baby. Her mother entertained for her with a party Sunday afternoon. The Easter theme was used in table decorations and plate favors. The cake was baked in the shape of a lamb and placed on a musical box that played Happy Birthday.

Guests were Lee and Lynn Melroy, Delana Bish, Barbara Kirschner, Tommy Hicks, Tommy Harris, Stephen Lynn Brownfield, Pat Hamilton and Ann Copeland.

**MRS. TELFORD HONORED ON BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. Roy Wingerd and Mrs. Money Price were hostesses Sunday evening with a dinner in the Wingerd home honoring Mrs. Mon Telford on her birthday.

An arrangement of spring flowers and yellow tapers were used for the table decorations and the birthday cake was iced in yellow and white.

Guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Leo Holmes, Kyle Graves, Ike Bailey, Dube Pyeatt, Joe Price of Lovington, Looie Miller, Mmes. M. L. Copeland, Eldora White, Douglas Jones and Messrs. Wingerd, Price and Telford.

**G-A Service Held At Baptist Church**

The annual recognition service of the Girls' Auxiliary of the Baptist church was held Monday evening at the church. In the semi-formal service girls were recognized for their achievements and goals reached in the organization and Patsy Lewis was crowned a queen, the highest goal that can be reached. As the service included all churches in this association two girls from Tahoka were also crowned queens. Mrs. Lee Price, of Tahoka, young people secretary of the organization, presided during the service. Special music was furnished by Jean Marie Wright.

The organizations colors of green, white and gold were used to decorate the church.

During the social hour the women of the local church served refreshments to two hundred.

**WCS MEETS FOR BIBLE STUDY**

The Women's Society of Christian Service met at the Methodist church for Bible study Monday.

Mrs. A. E. Proctor led the devotional taking her scripture reading from Proverbs. Mrs. G. S. Webber conducted the lesson which was the third chapter in the study book, Great Prayers of the Bible. Assisting her were Mmes. H. L. Thurston, Tobe Power and W. B. Downing. Mrs. J. H. Carpenter and Mrs. Webber gave reports of the zone meeting held in Denver City recently.

Others present were Mmes. Chas. Wilson, B. L. Thompson, Glen Harris, Cleve Williams, J. W. Hogue and W. G. McDonald.

Mrs. J. W. Woodward, of Willpoint, Texas, is here this week visiting her old friend, Mrs. John B. King and other friends. The Woodwards were early day settlers in the Willow Wells community of this county, and we understand still owns her land down there.

**SERIES OF PARTIES FOR MR. AND MRS. JONES**

A series of parties given over the week end complimented Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones who left Monday to make their home in Ft. Stockton. Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hord and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey were hosts with a dance at the country club honoring the couple.

Yellow and white snapdragons in a silver urn flanked by blue tapers formed the centerpiece for the refreshment table. Twilla Graham and Ruth Huckabee presided at the punch bowl. Fifty couples enjoyed the affair.

Sunday noon Mr. and Mrs. Buell Price entertained with a luncheon naming the Jones honorees. Places were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hord, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Haynes, of Plainview, the honorees and hosts.

Mrs. Rebecca Ballard entertained for the couple Sunday evening with an informal supper. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Murphy May, of Seagraves, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hord, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Zorns, Bill Linder and the Jones.

**BRIDE-ELECT COMPLIMENTED WITH BREAKFAST**

Miss Trucene Lindsey, bride-elect of Dale George, was complimented with a breakfast and kitchen shower February 22 in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Purte. Mrs. Les Newberry assisted as co-hostess.

Breakfast was served at small tables centered with sweetpeas and the menu consisted of fruit juices, bacon, scrambled eggs, hot biscuits, jelly and coffee. Gifts were placed in a large decorated dishpan and presented the honoree.

Guests were Bennie Ruth Warters, Mrs. Clyde Green, Elsie Welborn, Mrs. Helen Norris, Helen Duncan, Alta Mae Steen, Patsy Murry, Guinette Doss, Mrs. Bob Campbell, Jerry Lindsey, Mrs. N. A. Lindsey and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Dowling, of Dallas stopped in Brownfield Thursday afternoon to visit Miss Jerry Lindsey enroute home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Marchbanks and Mr. and Mrs. Coy Maroney and Jerry spent the week end in Ruidoso.

**Gomez Gossip**

Mr. and Mrs. Duclie Carroll, of Meadow visited in the Tres Key home Wednesday.

Among the new folks in the community are the John Roach family and Denver Bolwars.

W. M. U. met Monday in the home of Mrs. M. C. Wade. Bible study was in charge of Mrs. A. B. Buchanan. Those attending were Mesdames Wes Key, Arron Fox, H. Wooly, Blake, L. Guest, Jinks Key, Nellie Carter, T. Martin, Akin, Bill Swain, R. Whitley, F. Lambert, C. Key and Harris.

C. J. McLeroy has purchased a new herd sire to head his herd of milking shorthorns. He comes from the L. J. Meyers herd of Cresco, Iowa and is sired by the noted "Notic Roan Duke."

Gordon Newsom recently sold his entire registered Black Angus cattle to Crede Gore of Brownfield.

Mrs. Wes Key spent last week in Brownfield with her daughter, Mrs. Otis Kelly who was ill with pneumonia.

NOTICE—because of conflicting dates with the teachers meeting, the Gomez PTA date has been changed to the third Friday night in March.

Good crowds are attending the Sunday school study course being held at the Gomez Baptist church this week. Rev. H. H. Hinkle, pastor of the East Side Baptist church in Lubbock is in charge and will preach at the church Saturday and Sunday.

**Union Utterings**

A good crowd attended Sunday school and BTU Sunday morning and evening. Next Sunday is regular church day and everyone is given a special invitation to attend.

Rev. Corey, of Amberst is teaching a study course at the local church this week. The name of the book being taught is, "Personal Factors in Character Building."

Mr. and Mrs. Hap Warren took Mr. Warren's intermediate Sunday school class to Post to spend the day Sunday. They heard Rev. Polnac preach and enjoyed lunch in the Polnac home. Rev. Polnac stayed in the Warren home last spring during the simultaneous revival, so Mr. Warren said, "I had to take my entire SS class to get even on the groceries."

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Key and Gary Ross of Hobbs visited her parents of this community over the week end.

The young people of the community are taking a religious census this week. The school census is also being enumerated this week.

The school children and teachers enjoyed the McMillan show at Brownfield last Friday.

**THURMANS ENTERTAINED FRIDAY NIGHT**

Mr. and Mrs. James Thurman entertained with a 42 party for their friends and neighbors Friday night, February 27 in their home on Rt. 5.

Prizes were awarded Mrs. Irene Austin and Mr. Jack Wagner for high scores.

Refreshments were served to 58 guests.

**SORORITY MEETS TUESDAY**

The Beta Theta Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha met Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the party room of the Esquire Restaurant with Mrs. Buna Alexander as hostess.

Miss Elva Gillham, vice-president, was in charge of the meeting which included a talk on "Public Speaking" by Miss Twilla Graham and a round-table discussion of various topics pertaining to speaking, led by Mrs. Ruth Huckabee.

Refreshments of Texas cream pie and coffee were served to Mesdames Ann Williams, Shirley Ellis, Huckabee, Alexander, and Misses Evalyn Evans, Bobbie

**Plains Paragraphs**

Mr. and Mrs. Sherm Tingle were visiting friends in Levelland Saturday night and Sunday.

Little Caroline Banta is in the Brownfield hospital recovering from bronchial pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson and family of Goldthwaite were visiting relatives in Plains over the week end.

Mrs. J. M. Harris returned home Saturday after a three months visit in Carlsbad, N. M. and Midland.

Mrs. Roy Elliott spent the week end with her parents in Sylvester. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gibson and son were week end guests in Abilene and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Riddle and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Levelland.

Gracie Mae Chambliss spent the week end with Anna Beth Anderson.

Plains Chapter No. 862 Order of the Eastern Star met in regular session Monday night March 1st. Ten members and one visitor were present. Refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey McKee and Mrs. Eloise McLaren.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tommie McDonnell Saturday night Feb. 28th a baby girl.

**TEXAS PROGRAM GIVEN AT CLUB**

Mrs. Homer Newman was hostess to the Cen-Tex Harmony club Tuesday evening at her home, 903 E. Broadway. A Texas program was given and roll call answered with the name of a Texas composer.

Beginning of Music in the Southwest, was given by Mrs. H. L. Thurston. "Hills of Home," a solo was sung by Mrs. Wayne C. Hill accompanied by Mrs. Grace Wood. Mr. Fallon gave a violin solo, "Turkey in the Straw" and Mrs. Grace Wood played, "Sheep and Goats." The program closed with the group singing songs by Texas composers.

**ERNEST BURNETT, SR. HONORED ON BIRTHDAY**

Mr. Ernest R. Burnett, sr., was surprised on his birthday Monday evening when his wife entertained with an open house naming him honoree. Birthday cake and coffee were served from a refreshment table.

Twenty-two relatives and close friends enjoyed the occasion with Mr. Burnett.

**"NATIONAL MEMORIALS" TOPIC OF DELPHIAN CLUB**

The Delphian Study Club met at the La Mecca Cafe Monday afternoon with Mrs. L. D. Spradling as hostess. The topic for the program was National Memorials and Mmes. W. A. Roberson, Joe Hardin and Herbert Chesshir discussed Rushmore Memorial in South Dakota, Will Rogers Memorial in Colorado and Rockefeller Center in New York.

A sandwich plate and cokes were served to Mmes. J. O. Burnett, Les Short, Lewis Simmonds, K. D. Sneider, Wayne Brown, Leonard Chesshir, Ted Hardy, Hardin, Roberson and Chesshir.

Mrs. Ruth Lowe and Ed Durkee visited Mrs. Lowe's sister in Hobbs, N. M., Thursday evening.

**MRS. TEAGUE REVIEWS BOOK FOR MAIDS AND MATRONS**

A review of the outstanding personalities from the book, Inside U. S. A., by John Gunther was given by Mrs. J. M. Teague Tuesday afternoon at the Maids and Matrons club meeting. Mrs. Mon Telford was hostess for the afternoon.

Present were Mesdames M. G. Tarpley, O. L. Peterman, Leo Holmes, Jessie G. Randal, Looie Miller, Redford Smith, C. F. Simes, Ralph Ferguson, W. M. Adams, Teague, Roy Wingerd, W. B. Brown and Miss Olga Fitzgerald.

Newsom, Margaret Goza, Gillham, Patricia Steen, Graham, Sue Jones and Bernadine Grabber.

**Girl Scout Activities In February**

During the past months Girl Scouts have included in their activities helping fold and stuff envelopes with TB seals, working on the National Scout project of sending clothing kits to children overseas and a trip through the Textile dept. at Texas Tech. The girls going to Tech were working on their clothing badge and saw the development of the cotton from the compressed stage up through the completed process of bolts of material ready for sewing.

The Scout Leaders Club met Thursday afternoon of last week with Mrs. Graham Smith for a discussion of the Scout program that will be carried out in the next few months. Present were Mesdames Ed Garnett, Pete Crump, Dennis Lilly, Herman Chesshir, Johnny Venable, Jack Griggs, R. D. Meyers, Ken Sadler, Gene Gunn and Marshall Drennan.

The Girl Scout Council met Monday evening with Mrs. Gunn at which time building plans for the Scout Little House were discussed. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Griggs, Lewis Simmonds, Dr. McIlroy and Mmes. Lilly, Garnett Meyers and Ferguson.

**RANDAL PTA TO MEET MARCH 9**

The Jessie G. Randal PTA was scheduled to meet March 11 but due to the teachers meeting in Lubbock the date has been changed to March 9 at 8 p. m. in the auditorium.

Fathers are to be special guests during the social hour and the third grade children are to give the program.

**SOUTH PLAINS OPTOMETRIC SOCIETY MEETS HERE**

Dr. Gordon E. Richardson was host to members of the South Plains Optometric Society Thursday night. The meeting was in the form of a study group.

Cities represented were Lubbock, Plainview, Littlefield and Lamesa.

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# Do Best Negroes Want Social Equality?

Present the fact that the entire South, through the instrumentality of a president that wishes to rule the lives and condition of people from birth to the grave; who wants to be the big "pappy" and regimentator and eventually the dictator of the entire nation, morally and politically, it is becoming necessary for people who love liberty and their own way of life to have some say.

And first, we want to say that the management of the Herald wants to set all right on what we think of the race question. Let us say at the very outset that we hate no one. In fact, we wish it were possible to eliminate all ag-

gents, so that all races, creeds and colors could be happy and contented each with the other. We do not hate anyone, negro, Mexican, Jew, Catholic or any of the several hundred Protestant denominations. There are lovable people among all of them.

We have traveled some in States that are supposed to have no segregation laws, notably California, Arizona and New Mexico. Let us state right here that in all these States, we saw many signs which read: "We do not serve colored people." These signs were on the outside in all cases, in large letters in front of the best cafes, bars and swanky night clubs. We

did not go into any of these night clubs, but supposed the sign meant just what it said. We did eat a meal at the famous "Berry Farm," where 1500 other diners were eating at the same time, and we saw no one eating except white people. There may have been other races in the kitchen or washing dishes, but they were conspicuous by their absence in that huge dining room.

We have never traveled below the border. We have dined in a few cafes along the border in Old Mexico. Those eating were white people, or almost pure Spanish. It would not be hard to mix and mingle with most of the Spanish speaking people who actually make their homes here, but those transients who come in to help gather the crops are something yet again. People who have traveled as far south as Monterrey or Mexico City, tell us that the lower class or as they call them, peons, do NOT eat at the best places, and are not even allowed to hang around. Yet that government is brazen enough to try to force Texans to do something they themselves do not put up with. They are not, as a rule, people you'd want to entertain in your parlor.

As for the negro, he, as a race, if not misguided and urged on by some renegade white person with an axe to grind, are generally fine citizens, who really want to attend to their own business. Yes, some are shiftless, so are some white people. As a race, they have a native wit that would class with that of the Irish. They are musical, devout in religion, true to their families, and never let an orphan suffer in their midst.

Their peculiar way of expressing themselves, or spoofing one of their friends, is something for the books. As a young man, we used to go down town Sunday afternoons, in the good old days when merchants emptied their "goods boxes" (wooden) and set them out on the sidewalk. We would spot a bunch of young negroes talking, laughing and joking. You must not get too close to them, or even let on like you were listening. If you did, they shut up like clams. If you had to laugh, look the other way. Well, you'd get a lot to laugh about all the next week.

In their churches, schools, clubs and lodges, they'd rather run their own affairs without the "put-in" of white people. They want to run their own affairs and let white people do the same. Of course back in the old South where we were born, if there was a picnic or barbecue, both races were invited, and both furnished some of the meat, and the negroes usually had charge of barbecuing the meat. But at noon, the whites had a table and the negroes had their table. It suited both. There was no finicky white man to suggest some breach of manners, or murder of the Kings English by a happy, hungry negro youth. They got the same

food—same service.

Let us briefly relate a little incident that came in our own knowledge, that illustrates that negroes do not respect whites who try to socialize with them. It was the fall of 1899. As a lad we were working for one of the old county seat weeklies, and to keep us busy and out of mischief, the old editor, who also happened to be local manager of the telephone exchange, gave us the night job as operator. It was not as tough as it sounds, for in those days, the public was supposed to go to bed at nine, unless they needed a doctor or got a long distance call. We had a cot beside the switchboard.

About that time, the company was building a "copper circuit" from Memphis to Nashville, via Bolivar. A manager to build the lines was sent down from Evansville, Ind. He was a nice guy, but tried to pal with the negro line-men. In a week's time they were cursing him to his face. Construction was at a standstill. A call to the district manager at Memphis reported the trouble, and he said: "I'll send you another man tomorrow. Tell that Yankee to come in and report."

Next afternoon, about sundown, a 225-pound, nicely dressed and polite negro man walked into the office and asked for the manager. Needless to say this Joe Louis-looking individual was the new line building manager, nor need we tell you he got the job done.



**Controversial Issue**

ONE of the most bitterly contested issues likely to come before the regular session of congress in January is that of universal military training, and it appears to your Home Town Reporter that the folks along the main streets and the farm-to-market roads throughout the country must stand up and be counted to let congress know how they feel about this question which will affect almost every home in the nation.

Paradoxically, all polls show as high as 73 per cent of the people are in favor of UMT, but the leadership of such organizations as the Farm Bureau federation, the National Grange, the Farmers union, the CIO, the AFL, and such churches as Methodists, Baptists, Presbyterians, Unitarians, Catholics, Friends and others are opposed. It would appear that would cover almost everyone as opposed—but look at the polls.

Then there are such organizations as the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Amvets, Kiwanis, Rotary, Chambers of Commerce, Elks, DeMolay, National Council of Women, Moose, Daughters of American Revolution and a score of other organizations, including the American Council of Christian Churches, which are on record in favor of UMT.

Somewhere along the line memberships in the organizations opposed and those favoring the military training program duplicate. So it would appear to be a question of how the rank and file of individual citizens and members of these organizations feel and not how the leadership is recorded.

One thing definite, the American Legion with more than three million members is spearheading the attack with a tight organization favoring UMT. Those opposed are not organized and, generally speaking, are more interested in other legislation than universal military training.

## Texas Gas Now Used In One-Time Greatest Gas Field

Twenty years ago the gas field at Monroe, Louisiana, was believed to be the largest in the world, with reserves of 22 trillion cubic feet. Since then larger fields have been discovered, including the Panhandle and Hugoton fields and the reserves in the Rio Grande field, but recently it was learned that Monroe's gas needs are now being met by gas coming from the Carthage field in Texas.

In the meanwhile the consumption of gas from the Panhandle and from Hugoton has increased so rapidly that a representative of the Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America, appearing before the Federal Power Commission,

stated that in his opinion the remaining reserves of those vast gas fields would not support another large diameter pipe line.

The Hugoton gas fields of Oklahoma and Kansas are related or connected with the Texas Panhandle field, so that it is possible for the Federal Power Commission to authorize withdrawals in Kansas and Oklahoma that will deplete the Texas supply.

The area covered by these fields was once the home of the vast and inexhaustible herds of Buffalo that became extinct in a few years. There should be a lesson to be drawn from this experience.

—W. H. Kittrell.

Homer Winston was guest speaker at a Farm Bureau meeting in Anton Monday evening.

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Seagraves

Guests in Mrs. Maudie Romans home for dinner Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Romans, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Romans, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Farris and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Romans and Mr. and Mrs. Oral Hewitt of Tokio. The dinner was in honor of the J. T. Romans who are moving to Morton.

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When the last session of congress cut appropriations of the internal revenue bureau, 5,000 employees were dismissed. Now the bureau reports that there are several billions in taxes going uncollected for lack of personnel to check 73 million income tax returns. The budget cut was 20 million dollars—the loss in revenue "several billions." Where was the economy in that appropriation cut?

Can it be possible that the special session of the 80th congress will see history repeat itself with Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio playing the role of the late Sen. Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts, who led the attack in killing the League of Nations and the Versailles treaty in the U. S. senate more than 25 years ago? Senator Lodge's "reservations" killed the league. Senator Taft's "reservations" could kill effectiveness of the Marshall plan equally as well.

By the way, Senator Taft is the only avowed candidate for President opposed to universal military training. Governor Dewey, ex-Governor Stassen, Governor Warren of California and President Truman favor UMT. In addition, Generals Eisenhower and MacArthur are on record favoring the program.

Efficiency on the Farm

An interesting comparison between farming the American way and the communistic Russian way is contained in a report compiled by Herrell DeGraff, professor of agricultural economics at Cornell university for a national steel publication.

Russia has about the same harvested crop acreage as the U. S. but, based on prewar figures, this country harvested one and a half times as much agricultural production.

It takes a Russian farmer 330 hours to raise and harvest an acre of cotton. Americans do the same in 91 hours. Russian farmers harvest an acre of wheat in 47 hours, Americans in 9 hours. Soviet farmers work 265 hours to raise and harvest an acre of potatoes, Americans 68 hours; it takes a Russian 63 hours to produce an acre of corn. Americans 16 hours with double the yield.

Challenges Loans

David A. Olsen, contracting engineer, has sued President Truman and congress in court charging gifts or loans to foreign nations are illegal. He contends the constitution gives congress authority to regulate and borrow money but not to give or loan money belonging to the taxpayers. The same man filed suit in 1933 against Secretary of Treasury Mellon seeking 220 million dollars, claiming tax rebates had been illegally paid foreign steamship lines.

Mr. and Mrs. Price were in Hope, N. M. this week attending to business.

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Stassen's Status
DESPITE the fact that GOP party bosses here completely ignore Minnesota's Harold Stassen and his Republican presidential aspirations, there is little question in the minds of objective observers that the young ex-governor is gaining ground with the masses of the voters.

So the word has gone out from the bosses to beat down any rising Stassen sentiment and for this reason many Republicans who believe in the Minnesotaan likely will go some place else for the reason that no one likes to back a loser.

Indications are, however, that under certain circumstances probably even if Stassen can get some of his liberal planks in the GOP platform, he might accept the second spot on the ticket.

Congressman Fred Hartley of New Jersey, co-author of the Taft-Hartley labor law, says he is going to retire. So national attention is focused on Indiana's seventh district where Congressman Gerald Landon now is serving his fifth term.

Landon and are planning a major effort to take the district with the help of a large number of coal miners. Landon was elected by only a one vote margin in 1946. Both sides agree the outcome is doubtful.

Battle for Senate
One third of the members of the senate are elected this year. Your Home Town Reporter believes that regardless of which way the presidential goes, the Democrats may capture control of the senate.

The St. Lawrence seaway is up again in congress. It has been before congress every session for 10 years. The same arguments for and against it are being used today that were used 40 years ago.

Who's Speaking Now
Senator Taft of Ohio literally tripped to shreds President Truman's program of social reform. Taft says: "Taken together they would lead up to national bankruptcy."

Not Self-Important
Sen. Arthur Vandenberg (Rep., Mich.) is one of the most important men in the senate, but he was not too self-important to give an exclusive one-man committee hearing to a young man in search of world peace.

Borser, Texas is celebrating its 22nd birthday Monday, 8th with a real blow out. This city was a real whooping, howling oil field town 21 years ago.

Cpl. Harold Gosdin, who is located at Fort Lewis, Washington, was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Gosdin for two weeks. He returned to Ft. Lewis last Thursday. His father is manager of Alexander-Gosdin Drug store.

RIO
FRI.—SAT. Eddie Dean and his horse Flash!
SUN.—MON. THE HURRICANE Dorothy Lamour
Jon Hall

RIALTO THEATRE
FRI.—SAT. THE TENDER YEARS WITH Joe E. Brown
SUN.—MON. IF WINTER COMES Walter Pidgeon Deborah Kerr
Tues.—Wed.—Thurs. THE UNSUSPECTED Joan Caulfield Claude Rains

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MRS MOSS HOSTESS TO MEADOW H D CLUB
Mrs. W. J. Moss was hostess Tuesday afternoon March 2 at 2:30 o'clock to the Meadow Home Demonstration Club.

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CANARIES—Choppers and German Rollers, male and female. Mrs. James Bowen at Country Club. 33p

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Mr. and Mrs. David Holden and little daughter, Christine, of Colorado, were by this week spending Monday and Monday night here with his sister, Mrs. Stricklin. After a visit in the caverns at Carlsbad Tuesday, they were heading home. David will probably purchase a winter home in San Antonio.

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Prof. B. B. Robb of Cornell university demonstrates a mow and weed gadget for applying 2,4-D to lawns.

Midwest Barley Growers To Compete in Contest
A \$30,000 contest which stresses the importance of certified seed, early planting, seed treatment, use of commercial fertilizer and timely and careful harvesting in growing barley as a cash grain crop that under proved methods of production commands a premium price is announced by the Midwest Barley Improvement association, Milwaukee.

Women of Country Club Organize
There will be a covered dish luncheon at 1 p. m. followed by a business meeting at the Country Club Wednesday, March 10 to continue with the organization of the women's society of the Country Club.

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WELLMAN 4-H CLUB HOLDS MEETING
On March 2 the WCW 4-H Club met in the Home Economics room for a demonstration on Up to Date Clothing which was given by Miss Dunlap.

Johnny Portwood and Clyde Truly were in Fort Worth the latter part of last week on business.

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