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**LOCAL NEWS**

Mrs. Emmitt Bomar underwent a serious operation recently in the Ft. Sumner Hospital. Her condition is reported improved.

Marline Yates, who is attending Business School in Lubbock, spent Wednesday night with her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Yates.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGuire left Monday to move to Cimmaron, New Mexico.

Mrs. Clifford Allard spent a few days in Lockney last week visiting her mother, Mrs. J. E. Jackson.

**BUBBLES SEZ —**



• Know what character is? Cleaning the corners nobody sees! And say, cleaning's extra tough now, with soap so short. You can help by turning in USED FATS to help make it. Keep saving, wuntcha?

Bettye Einell Tillery and William W. Curby were married at the First Baptist Parsonage Friday, December 7. Rev. G. A. Elrod performed the ceremony. The couple left immediately for Oklahoma.

Mrs. W. L. Jewett of Dallas visited friends here over the week-end.

Jack Dixon of Bronte visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCracken and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Byrd over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Young spent Sunday in Plainview visiting Mr. and Mrs. McClellan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Butler and Daron Keith spent the week-end in Quanah.

**Presbyterian Bazaar Saturday.** Food — Gifts — White Elephant Sale. Also food counter with eggs, butter, dressed hens, and cream.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dickerson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McMurtry.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mason, Jett and Jo Beth spent Sunday in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Menzinger.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt visited in the A. L. McMurtry home Sunday.

Mrs. Kenneth Davis and children from Jal, New Mexico visited Mr. and Mrs. Vern Bearden over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coffee and family of Amarillo visited friends and relatives over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bain left Sunday for Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Harrison and Mesdames R. C. Hutsell and Pearl Simpson were in Lubbock Thursday on business.

Mrs. Chester Burnett and Ellen and Mrs. J. L. Bice went to San Jacinto Friday.

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Mr. Chester Burnett made a business trip to Ft. Worth Thursday and returned Friday.

Grady Wimberly returned Saturday night from Waco where he attended the Grand Lodge.

Mrs. N. A. Lyde was confined to her bed with the flu over the week-end.

Noble Lyde who is employed at Lubbock was home over the week-end. They plan to move to Lubbock Thursday to make their future home.

Mrs. Carrol Garrison and Miss Lois Arnold were shopping in Plainview Monday.

Mrs. Nash Blasengame visited in Clarendon over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wimberly had as their dinner guests Sunday: Mrs. J. L. Bice, Miss Clynnell Hutsell and Mrs. Harold Seefeldt and Mrs. Pearl Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Elize Teague and family of Dimmitt spent the week-end in the George Jones home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bomar, Mary Tom and Mann Melton were in Amarillo on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bomar and children were in Plainview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodson Coffee went to Amarillo Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Langston and family of Vigo visited his sister and family Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wesley.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dickenson went to Amarillo Tuesday to meet their son Albert who has spent most of two years in the Pacific. He has his discharge.

Mrs. Durward Schmidt and Miss Blanche Thompson spent the week-end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Thompson.

**Eat a Chicken Dinner at the Presbyterian Bazaar Saturday.** Fifty Cents per plate.

Mesdames Campbell and Blasengame spent Tuesday in Amarillo.

**Sgt and Mrs. Bill Godwin** of Topeka, Kansas visited Mr. and Mrs. Leo Comer a few days last week.

Mrs. Mazie Allen left Sunday for San Diego to meet her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold were in Amarillo last Sunday attending service at Polk Street Methodist Church to hear the choir, directed by Mrs. Otis Trulove, sing "The Coming of the Christ Child", by Gertrude JoDon Arnold. The anthem was arranged by a well known composer, R. Deane Shure of Washington, D. C.

A guest preacher, Dr. Hazen G. Werner, of Drew Theological Seminary, Madison, New Jersey, preached an excellent sermon. Cordial welcome was extended to members of the Hanson Post No. 54 American Legion who were attending the Service in memory of those who gave their lives at Pearl Harbor.

Mrs. A. C. Hamilton went to Tulia Thursday of last week to be at the Hospital with her mother Mrs. John Adams.

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Mrs. Vinson Smith and Mr. and Mrs. John Montague visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Selby in Amarillo Thursday.

Mrs. Jes Brannon has been confined to his bed with the flu for several days.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davis had all their children home over the week-end: Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis and children, Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Jaragin, who is just out of the service; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stanford of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. James Davis who has just received his discharge from the Navy; and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rampley who expects to have his discharge soon.

Miss Gibson and Mrs. J. Noble

of San Jacinto were shopping here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nance visited with his parents Sunday afternoon.

Wayne Naylor of Clarendon spent the week-end with his uncles Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Arnold and Arthur Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones and Mrs. Albert Rowland were in Amarillo Monday shopping.

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**CHAPTER II The Gas Is "Squeezed"**

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A small meter house is built near the well and connected to it with a short pipe line. Then a gathering line is installed and connected, and the well is ready to yield up the wonderful fuel which means so much to us all.

The natural gas comes up through the well casing to the surface of the ground and thence to the meter house where it is measured, so that proper accounting may be made to the owner of the land. Measurement of the gas consists of installing an orifice in the gas line and making calculations from the resulting pressures on each side of the orifice. These pressures are recorded in ink on circular, clock-revolved charts. From the meter house the gas passes into the gathering line which leads it to a field compressor station.

From the well to the field compressor station, the gas travels on its own power—that is, it is forced along by the natural pressure in its underground reservoir. The gas could travel a considerable distance in this manner, but due to the loss in pressure through pipe line friction, the delivery of large quantities of gas would require a pipe line of such large size that the cost would be prohibitive. Therefore the pressure of the gas must be increased, this being the function of the compressor station.

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**DR. ROYCE D. DENNIS TO ESTABLISH PRACTICE HERE**

Dr. Royce D. Dennis, doctor of naturopathic medicine, has moved to Silverton and will establish a practice here. He and Mrs. Dennis, who is a medical technician, will have their office in the building which has been being used for a recreation by the fire boys.

Dr. Dennis has only recently received a discharge from the Army after three years service. During that time he spent several months in the South Pacific.

He is a graduate of the College of Naturopathic Medicine of Nashville, Tenn.

**1925 STUDY CLUB MEETS**

December 5, eleven members of the Woman's 1925 Study Club met in the Red Cross room. Mrs. Grady Wimberly, first vice-president, acted as chairman in the absence of the president. Plans were made and names drawn for the Christmas program on December 19.

Mrs. Obra Watson was leader of a program on "Home", and substituted for Mrs. Elrod's subject, "The Home, Civilization's First Line of Defense". Mrs. C. D. Wright talked on "To Re-establish

Home-Making as a Career". "Are the American Homes Meeting Their Needs" was discussed by Mrs. R. E. Dickerson.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To: T. J. Braidfoot, Gertrude Arnold, J. E. Arnold, Gaudalope Reeves, her heirs and assigns, Harry Braidfoot, hid heirs and assigns, Fred Braidfoot his heirs and assigns, and all other heirs or assigns of the said T. J. Braidfoot, now deceased. Defendants, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable Special Commissioners here-in-after designated of Briscoe County at the Court House thereof, in Silverton, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 7th day of January A. D. 1946, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in the County Court of Briscoe County Texas, on the 21 day of November A. D. 1945, in this cause, numbered 423 on the docket of said court and styled State of Texas Plaintiff, vs. T. J. Braidfoot, his heirs and assigns Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

This is a suit under the Statute of Eminent Domain wherein the State seeks to secure title to all of Lot No. 5, in Block No. 56 in the town of Silverton, Briscoe County, Texas, for the purpose of constructing a State Highway thereon as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under our hands at office in Silverton, Texas this the 21st day of November A. D. 1945.

T. R. Whiteside  
W. Coffee, Jr.  
Roy Teeter  
Special Commissioners duly appointed by the Court to Assess the damages done to said property.

**VICTORY CLOTHING RELIEF DRIVE TO START SOON**

The President's War Relief Control Board called upon all overseas war relief agencies in America to support the Victory Clothing Collection on behalf of UNRRA in one united nation-wide endeavor to collect clothing that is desperately needed in bombed-out lands, it was announced today by Henry J. Kaiser, national chairman of the Victory Clothing Collection, scheduled for Jan. 7-31.

Joseph E. Davis is chairman of the President's War Relief Control Board which was set up by an Executive Order to authorize and regulate the collection by voluntary agencies of funds and goods for overseas relief. Other Board members are Charles P. Taft and Charles Warren.

In making public the Board's directive, Mr. Kaiser stated that it was in line with a recommendation of President Truman who called the January clothing drive

imperative and who declared, "The universal response last spring when all groups concerned with problems of war relief joined with the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration in one great national clothing appeal has proven beyond any doubt the value and efficiency of the united endeavor."

Mr. Kaiser also made public a strong endorsement of the Victory Clothing Collection by the American Council of Voluntary Agencies for Foreign Service, of which Dr. Joseph P. Chamberlain is chairman. This endorsement urged its 58 member agencies to make the Victory Collection a truly consolidated effort, and to abstain from any competing collection from December 15, 1945 to February 15, 1946.

The statement issued by the President's War Relief Control Board approved the plans for the Victory Clothing Collection and recommended full use of all community facilities throughout the nation in support of the collection. It directed the more than 75 war relief agencies registered with the board or subject to its jurisdiction not to "initiate or carry out any national or local public campaign to collect clothing for war relief purposes between the dates of December 15 and February 15, except in collaboration with and for the benefit of the Victory Clothing Collection."

Mr. Kaiser reported that 7,797 communities throughout America are already organizing local clothing drives under the direction of the 3,514 men and women who have so far accepted appointment as local chairmen.

"I have an awful time catching people's names when I'm introduced," said one.  
"So do I," said the other, "but I

found a clever way to get around the awkwardness of asking to have the name repeated. I just ask 'Do you spell your name with an 'e' or an 'i'? It usually works splendidly."

"I know, I heard about that before. It worked with me, too, until once I met a girl I wanted to know better. Now she won't even look at me."

"How is that?"

"Well, when I was introduced to her, I didn't catch her name, so I asked whether she spelled it with an 'e' or an 'i.'"

"What was her name?"

"Hill!"



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**VIGO PARK NEWS**

Visitors in the W. T. May home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rogers and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rogers and Mrs. Hattie Mc-

Pvt. R. M. Spradling visited his wife and sons here over the week end.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rogers and Mrs. Hattie McNabb of Ft. Worth were visiting in the C. H. Rogers home Friday.

Miss Gibson's brother Charlie Gibson visited her and his two children this week end. He was recently discharged from the army and has been in the veterans hospital in Amarillo, resulting in an accident.  
Vigo will have a Christmas Tree and program at the Church house on Christmas Eve night. Bring a gift and receive one.

Singing will be held at Red Hill Friday night December 14th.

Mrs. Castleberry and daughter and Mrs. Leo Gardner went to Lubbock last Friday Christmas shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Allen and daughters of Clarendon visited her mother and Mrs. J. H. Burson and other relatives over the week end.

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Tulia, Texas

### NEW 1946 OLDSMOBILE NOW ON DISPLAY AT CRASS MOTOR COMPANY

The distinctive new Oldsmobile for 1946, attractively styled and modern to the minute, is now being displayed for the first time at the Crass Motor Company.

When peak production has been reached, an even dozen smart new body styles will complete the 1946 offerings. These will offer a wide selection in three series--the "66", "76-78" and "98", on 119-inch, 125 inch and 127-inch wheelbases respectively.

The "66" Series, in the low-price field, will include the Club Sedan, Four-Door Sedan, Club Coupe and Station Wagon. All are powered with six-cylinder engines. The "76-78" Series in the medium price range, will offer the Club Sedan, DeLuxe Club sedan, Four-Door Sedan and DeLuxe Four-Door Sedan. Both six and eight cylinder motors are available in this series. The "98" Series in the medium-price field will offer 3 body types--the Club Sedan, Four-Door Sedan and Convertible Coupe--each of which will be powered with Oldsmobile's eight cylinder 110-horsepower engine.

General Motors Hydra-Matic Drive, which affords fully automatic shifting through all four speeds and eliminates the clutch pedal, has been extensively improved during the war years and remains one of the most important features of the new cars.

Of all the cars produced by Oldsmobile in its 48-year history, the 1946 models are the most colorful. With production at the factory constantly increasing, many body styles and options are scheduled to become available at an early date in a wide range of color choices. Options in solid hues include black, greens, reds, ivory, blues, grays and beige.

Exterior beauty of the new Oldsmobile is enhanced by a number of intriguing developments. The radiator grille, for example, is entirely different from any previous design. It combines beauty and sturdiness with utility. It is made up of five different die-cast sections--the four horizontal bars and the base--all in gleaming chrome.

The chassis, too, has been developed to give the 1946 Oldsmobile offerings greater durability. Frames are heavy and strong and contribute to long car life. A sturdy cross member at the front of the frame serves to give stiffness to the frame and additional stability. Oldsmobile's super-hydraulic brakes provide ample stopping power and increased braking area adds to the life of brake lining. Widely spaced "sealed beam" headlamps are recessed in the front fenders of the 1946 Oldsmobiles and give maximum road illumination.

Bumpers of the new Oldsmobile are the "wrap-around" type, curving gracefully and sturdily around

the fenders and affording maximum protection against damage. The new hood ornament adds a definite touch to the beauty of the new Oldsmobiles. The new ornament spearheads a new hood moulding and together, they provide a strip of chrome which extends from just above the hood emblem to the cowl. A new type of ornament also is located on the side of the front fenders, serving the dual purpose of accentuating the low appearance of the car and affording protection from doors of other cars.

Production of the new Oldsmobile began officially on October 15. Since that date output has been increased as rapidly as availability of materials permitted. It is predicted that by March, 1946, the production rate will reach the 1941 level--273,000 cars annually. As quickly thereafter as possible, a peak production of 450,000 sixes and eights per year--the greatest in the company's 48-year history.

Those calling on Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davis Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. George West and daughters, Mrs. E. L. Evans and Sheron, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ragan.

The WMU of the First Baptist Church will hold their annual Christmas social at the home of Mrs. H. C. Hutsell December 17 and all ladies of the Church are urged to attend.

### PALACE THEATRE



SILVERTON, TEXAS

P. P. Rumph

Friday Night only, December 14

"FLAME OF BARBARY COAST"

Joseph Schildkraut

Saturday . . . December 15

"THE UNSEEN"

Gail Russell  
Joel McCrea  
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ADMISSION  
Adults 30c  
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### AMERICAN LEGION AND AUXILIARY MEET

The American Legion and Auxiliary met Tuesday night, December 11.

The Post discussed plans for the veteran's building which will be built here in the near future. A committee consisting of Orlee Mills, Ben. O. King, Conrad Alexander, George Martin and Harley Redin was appointed to study building plans to be put before the meeting tomorrow night (Friday).

The Auxiliary read and approved a constitution and by-laws. A membership committee was appointed. A nominating committee was chosen to prepare a list of candidates for officers which will be elected at the meeting tomorrow night.

After the meetings the groups went to a coffee shop for refreshments.

Buy your Christmas gifts at the Presbyterian Bazaar Saturday, Perry Thomas building.

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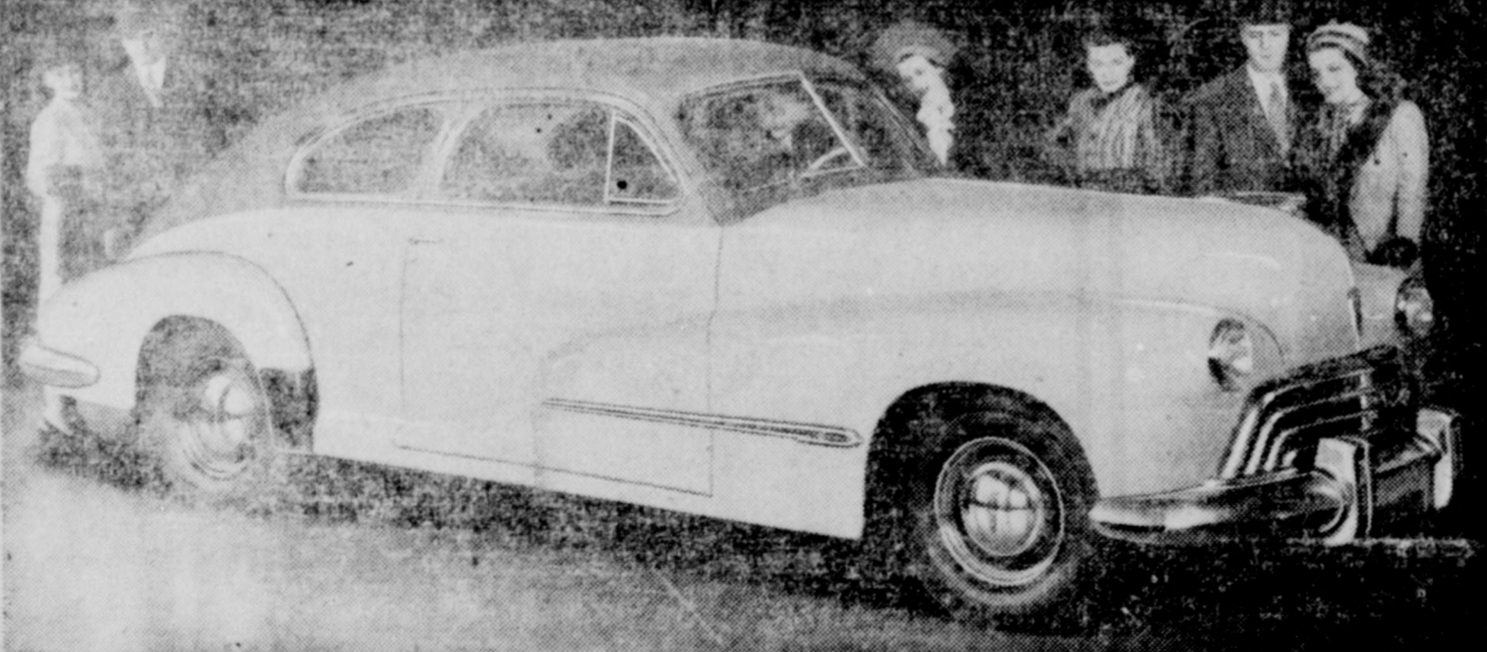
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Hydra-Matic Drive is a combination of a fluid coupling and a fully automatic transmission. Gears shift automatically through all four forward speeds, and there's not even a clutch pedal in the car!

### WITH MANY NEW ADVANCEMENTS

"Look to Olds For All That's New!" Look to America's oldest motor car manufacturer for the newest, smartest thing in 1946 models--and the newest, simplest way to drive. The 1946 Oldsmobile, with General Motors' new and finer Hydra-Matic Drive, is here now--for all to come and see!

And it's truly NEW in every sense of the word. The appearance is different from any previous Oldsmobile--with newly tailored lines, smart new front-end design, and newly appointed bodies by Fisher. The performance is new, due to smoother and livelier "Fire-Power" engines. There are many new advancements throughout

the chassis to provide greater ruggedness and reliability.

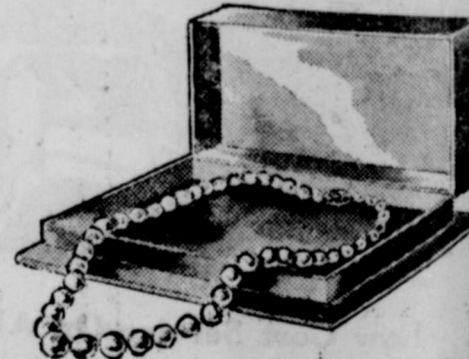
Hydra-Matic Drive is new, too. First introduced by Oldsmobile in 1939, and thoroughly battle-proved in fast Army tanks during the war, this great General Motors development has now been made even finer, smoother, and longer lasting than ever . . . for the new 1946 Oldsmobile.

You are invited to come in, see and inspect this great new General Motors car. Oldsmobile has been building quality automobiles for nearly fifty years. This newest Oldsmobile is by far the finest--the best-built Oldsmobile of all time.



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