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THURSDAY, FEB. 27, 1947

## County Donors Give Over \$1800 in Drive

According to an announcement issued by the Briscoe County Board of Health, the donors for this week, Briscoe county donors contributed a total of \$1,826 in the recent March of Dimes campaign which was conducted here. Fifty percent of this amount, or \$913.13, will remain in Briscoe county for use by the local chapter.

Disclosing the final tabulation of funds raised, the Executive Committee of the National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis, of this county, said, "We wish to express our appreciation to the community for their splendid efforts in making this drive a successful one. Several of those afflicted were unable to work because of illness in their families, despite this, the proceeds more than went 'over the top'."

The following is the financial report by chairmen of the various committees:

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In conclusion, the Executive Committee said, "We would like to thank the following especially, every individual contributor: F. W. and American Legion, James Charles Cowart, Glen Williams, Mae Bomar, Roy A. D. T. Northcutt, Roy Al-Printz Brown and Miss Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Newt Bedwell, Grady W. H. Fitzgerald, Arthur W. H. Fitzgerald, Edwin Mart Self, Johnnie Burson, Chandler, Ellis Currie, C. R. and assistants and our county chairman, "Jake"

### Good Attendance at V. F. W. Auxiliary Benefit Party

In spite of the inclement weather on Thursday night, February 20, there was a good attendance at the benefit "42" party sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Lloyd Sherman Post No. 7839.

Several out of town visitors were present at this gathering. Among them were Mr. McCartney, District V; F. W. Commander from Borger; Vada Lee Humphrey, District Auxiliary President from Borger; Ernest Dean, Deputy Chief-of-Staff from Tullia; Mr. Humphrey, District V. F. W. Chaplain from Borger; and Leo Elkins, Buddy Poppy Chairman from Tullia.

The Auxiliary members appreciate the fine cooperation they were given at this party, and they plan to sponsor another in the near future.

All women, who are eligible for membership in this organization, are invited to attend the next regular meeting and become a member.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Loving of Quitaque are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. K. N. Tiffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Henderson of Lockney were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughan Tuesday.

### LOCAL MAN'S SISTER DIES IN ALANREED WEDNESDAY

Walter Allard, Sr., received a message Wednesday stating that his sister, Mrs. Frances Cox, had passed away at her daughter's home in Alanreed after a two month's illness.

The body was sent to Stephenville where funeral services are being held this afternoon. Burial is to be in the "Allard Cemetery" there.

Mrs. W. Allard, Sr., left Wednesday afternoon to attend the funeral. Mr. Allard was unable to attend.

Funeral services for Sharon Diann, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Butcher, were held at 12:30 Wednesday at the Silvertown Funeral Home with Rev. G. A. Elrod officiating.

Sharon Diann was born February 17 at the Northwest Texas hospital, Amarillo. She passed away in the hospital Monday, February 24.

Immediate survivors are her parents.

Interment was in the Silvertown cemetery.

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THELMA GEAN MERCER

### Local Girl In Banquet Program Honoring Coaches

Miss Thelma Gean Mercer, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Mercer, of this city, was featured recently with the West Texas State Collegians, the college orchestra, on the musical portion of a banquet program honoring Frank Kimbrough and Clark Jarnagin, West Texas State's new grid mentors, at the Crystal Ballroom of the Herring Hotel in Amarillo.

Gean, as Miss Mercer is better known to her friends of this community, is the star vocalist of the West Texas State Varsity Show, which can be heard every Saturday over radio station KGNC, Amarillo, at 1:45 p.m.

## Water Proration Bill Killed Tuesday Night

### SWING OF THE SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS

Leading farm commodities registered sharp gains last week, according to Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture. Cotton, grain, and hogs highlighted the advance, but most other products sold at steady to higher prices.

Wheat led the upward trend in cash grains with a dime advance per bushel. Corn was up a penny or two and sorghums held fully steady with late increases of the previous period. Oats closed at a net advance despite late-period weakness. Rice held firm, but buyers could obtain supplies with slightly less difficulty. Early planting was indicated with continued good weather. Feed markets seemed little influenced by the upward trend in grain. Most prices held relatively steady, but gluten feed dropped \$4 per ton. Hay marketings slackened at unchanged prices.

All classes of hogs went up sharply during the week, averaging a dollar or more higher at some markets. Butcher hogs topped at \$24.50 at San Antonio and \$26 at Fort Worth. Friday's bulk of Good and Choice grades went at \$26.50 to \$27 in Oklahoma City; \$26.75 to \$27 at Wichita; and \$27 to \$27.50 at Denver.

Steady prices were paid for most sheep, but lambs at Wichita lost 25 cents for the week. Medium and good fat lambs sold at San Antonio for \$15 to \$19.50; and at Fort Worth for \$18 to \$21.50. Friday's sales of good and choice lots at Oklahoma City netted \$21; and at Wichita \$21.50 to \$22.35.

Calves and yearlings weakened at Texas markets, but mostly steady to higher prices were paid for other cattle at southwest terminals. Houston paid \$12 to \$17 for the week's bulk of common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings; while Fort Worth moved medium and good kinds at \$18 to \$21.50. Low to average medium grass fat steers at San Antonio brought \$17.25 to \$18.50, and yearlings \$18 to \$19.50. At Denver medium to high good steers ranged from \$17.50 to \$23.35 for the week. On Friday's market at Oklahoma City good and choice weaners and calves realized \$18 to \$20.

Seasonally increasing receipts of fresh eggs were fairly well absorbed at mostly unchanged prices of around 36 cents per dozen at most central points. Live poultry marketings slowed, but prices held generally steady at 24 to 26 cents per pound for heavy

### Funeral Services for Mrs. A. H. Phillips Held Sunday

Funeral services for Mrs. A. H. Phillips were held Sunday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock from the First Baptist church. Rev. G. A. Elrod, pastor, officiated with Rev. H. W. Barnett and Earl Cantwell assisting.

Mrs. Phillips, nee Dell D. McKenney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McKenney, was born October 23, 1923, at Silvertown. She attended school here and was graduated from the local high school in 1941. March 15, 1942, she was married to Arthur Hutson Phillips; to this union two children were born. One preceded her in death.

Mrs. Phillips had been living in Richmond, Calif., until a short time ago. She returned to Silvertown about two weeks before entering the Northwest Texas hospital at Amarillo. She passed away in this hospital February 22. She was suffering from a heart ailment.

Survivors include the husband and infant daughter, Peggy Lois; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McKenney; and one brother, Roy Lee McKenney.

Pallbearers were Carl Dean Bomar, Dee McWilliams, Willie Amel Smithee, Joe McWaters, Ware Fogerson and Mike Mason.

Interment was in the Silvertown cemetery.

Out of town relatives who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Mac McKenney and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Roberts and Muriel Dean, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Bray and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McMurtry, and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Gaston, all of Amarillo; Mrs. E. D. Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Phillips and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Franks, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Landry, all of Tullia; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Salmon of Brice; Mrs. Pearl Robertson of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Maddox, Mrs. W. L. McKay and Mrs. Ada Smith, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McKay and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McKay, all of Turkey; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reid of Groesbeck; Mr. and Mrs. Alf James and son and Mrs. Hurley Workman, all of Quitaque.

At a public meeting held by the State Affairs Committee in Austin Tuesday night of this week the bill to allocate irrigation water in the state of Texas was officially killed.

A large delegation of farmers from all over the state were there to publicly oppose the bill. Among those present were Joe Mercer and Earl Cantwell of Silvertown and about fifty men from other counties on the High Plains.

The bill, House bill No. 89, was written to help conserve irrigation water in five counties in the Winter Garden area but it carried some drastic laws which declared the underground water supply to be the property of the state and it effected the entire state rather than the five counties that were wanting control.

Even the Winter Garden area had a delegation there to oppose the bill.

### Too Many Deaths From Pneumonia Says Health Officer

According to Dr. George W. Cox, State health officer, pneumonia caused approximately 2,460 deaths during the past year in Texas, a total which is entirely too high. This disease is most prevalent during the winter and spring months.

Pneumonia is caused by a germ called the pneumococcus, which many of us have lurking in our throats ready to start trouble, when our resistance to it is lowered. We can keep up our resistance by avoiding undue fatigue and unnecessary exposure to extreme weather conditions. When we go outside in cold weather sufficient wraps should be worn to protect us. Keeping the temperature of our homes as low as is consistent with comfort will greatly lessen the difficulties encountered in adjusting ourselves to the cold when we leave the house.

Another method of prevention in pneumonia is not to neglect a cold, for the common cold often results in pneumonia when neglected. A person with a severe cold should stay at home, and call his physician for advice if temperature persists or the cold lingers on. He should follow his physician's advice until the cold has disappeared.

The successful treatment of a pneumonia case often depends upon starting treatment very early. That is why a physician should be called at once when pneumonia is suspected. A patient may really have beginning pneumonia when he thinks it is only a cold. If the physician's advice is sought, he will have an opportunity to start treatment early if pneumonia is present, or develops in such cases.

### More Snow Falls Here this Week

Old man winter returned to Briscoe county again this week leaving another blanket of snow measuring approximately two inches and amounting to .08 of an inch of moisture, Ray C. Bomar of the Federal Weather Bureau station, reported this week.

Coming only six days after a two-inch snow which fell on Wednesday of last week, this week's snow and cold weather will be of great benefit to the wheat crops of this county-it is believed. Under usual conditions with moderate weather in the month of February, wheat starts its growing cycle a little too early to offer the best yields at harvest time. With these two snows and cold weather it is believed, by prominent farmers, that the growth of wheat will be slowed down for awhile thus offering better prospects for a bumper crop in 1947.

Temperatures accompanying this week's snow, which fell Monday night, have ranged from a minimum of 18 degrees to a maximum (to date) of 27 degrees.

### Mrs. Shafe Tipton Receives Ankle Injury Saturday

Mrs. Shafe Tipton received a serious ankle injury last Saturday afternoon when she was thrown from a horse she was riding. She was helping poison prairie dogs on their farm east of town. Apparently, the horse became frightened at a bucket Mrs. Tipton had in her hand. The horse ran up to a mesquite bush and wheeled throwing her off.

She was carried to the Plainview hospital for treatment. When the doctor made an examination, he found that the ligaments were torn loose in her ankle. She was dismissed from the hospital but has to go every other day for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes and Robert were Plainview visitors Tuesday.

### Widows of 65 May Be Eligible For Monthly Checks

Most widows attaining the age of 65 whose husbands had died after December 31, 1939, and were fully insured under the Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance system and who received a lump-sum payment may be eligible for monthly benefit checks for the rest of their lives, unless they have remarried, Mr. J. R. Sanderson, manager of the Social Security Administration field office at Amarillo, Texas, said. These widows must file claims, however, to receive payments and should contact the nearest Social Security Administration office for correct information.

Despite information furnished at the time of husband's death, many widows do not understand they may receive monthly benefits when they reach 65.

Although efforts have been made to contact the widow in these cases, very often she has moved and cannot be located. "Only recently a widow came into our office," Mr. Sanderson said, "and learned that she had lost several months' payments because she had delayed filing."

Mrs. Hugh Sanders and children are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stodghill.

### Congratulations to:

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Thomas on birth of a son, Allen Joe, in the Tullia hospital February 22. He weighed 8 pounds. Mrs. Thomas is the former Violet Ruth Ziegler.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burleson on birth of a son, Roger Joe, in the Tullia hospital. He weighed 7 pounds and arrived February 22.

### City Councilmen to Be Object of Mass Meeting Friday

A mass meeting is to be held tomorrow night, February 28th, in the County Courtroom according to an announcement made this week by M. K. Summers, City secretary.

The object of the meeting is to nominate four city councilmen who are to be elected Tuesday, April 1st, 1947.

The meeting time has been set at 7:30 p.m. and all voters are requested and urged to be present at this meeting.

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## PERSONAL ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith were Lubbock visitors Monday.

Dorothy Bailey, who is attending a beauty school in Lubbock, spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hill, Mrs. Jess Brannon and Mrs. Hoyt Hill of Childress went to Amarillo Monday, where Mrs. Richard Hill entered the clinic at the Northwest Texas hospital.

Mrs. Ora Mills was a guest of Mrs. J. W. Brannon, Sr., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ledbetter and children spent the weekend in Lubbock visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Ledbetter.

Lt. Loney V. "Ted" Winn, who has been stationed at a New Jersey field, will leave Tuesday for Germany. Mrs. Winn and son will join him after a several weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Silvertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Hill were in Hale Center Sunday visiting with their daughter, Mrs. O'Dell Wall, and Mr. Wall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Montague of Tullia were Silvertown visitors Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bingham, Mrs. Claude Loudermilk, and Mr. and Mrs. Ashel McDaniel and Elain were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bingham.

Claude Loudermilk took his son, Jack, to the Veterans hospital at Amarillo Sunday. He is reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Chitty and Mrs. J. D. Tuttle were Tullia visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Morris and children of Amarillo visited with relatives and friends in Silvertown Saturday. They went on to Crosbyton to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blocker over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Coffee, Jr., were Lubbock visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Haley visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Bob McDaniel Thursday.

Jammie Allison visited with Gwinn Fitzgerald Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunt, who have been living in Tullia, moved back to Silvertown Tuesday. They moved to Mother Patton's residence.

Mesdames Earl Brock and G. R. Dowdy were Tullia visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Bertie McDonnell of Amarillo and Mrs. J. R. Cianahan and Kay of Lubbock are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Clay Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nance and son visited with friends in the Tullia hospital Sunday afternoon.

Joe Mercer and Earl Cantwell were in Austin Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allard of Brice were Silvertown visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollis Chitty and children took Mrs. Chitty's mother, Mrs. Edith Morgan, to Kress Sunday. They visited with Steve Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Estes of spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Summers.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Haynes had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Burston and Guy Whitticker of Plainview.

Heleen Braley of Plainview was a Silvertown visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Scott were business visitors in Childress Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Newberry and Mrs. Carl Rogers, all of Floydada, were in Silvertown Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Scott.

R. E. Hazelwood of Ukiyah, Calif. is visiting his niece, Mrs. Gene Long, and Mr. Long this week.

Melvin Crawford of Spearman, George Long of Canyon, R. E. Hazelwood of Ukiyah, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lightsey, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Long and Henry Long were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Long.

Jet Mason was a guest of Jimmie and Stanley Price Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond and Victor and Jane Adell of South Plains were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haverly Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Anderson of Amarillo were in Silvertown on business Friday.

### WELCOME, NEW SUBSCRIBERS

We welcome the following new and renewal subscribers to The News this week. No restrictions are placed on weekly newspapers concerning the acceptance of new subscriptions; so if you are not now a subscriber, we hereby invite you to become one:

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### The Public Health . . .

Within the near future, Congress will begin considering a number of proposed measures designed to improve the public health. When that time comes, certain definite principles should be kept firmly in mind.

First, nothing must be done that will prevent people from choosing their own doctor. This is basic in sound medical practice.

Second, medicine must not be regimented. The doctor must never be dominated by a government official—required to look to some bureau for his livelihood.

Third, we must avoid the mistake of forcing people to pay for a specific medical service whether they wish it or not. Voluntary prepaid medicine is one thing—compulsory tax payments for a service individuals may not desire is something very different.

Fourth, we must confine Federally-financed medicine to care for the needy, so far as treatment of the individual is concerned. It is a proper public service for the taxpayers to underwrite medical care for those who honestly cannot pay for it themselves. It is not a proper service to finance it for those who are perfectly able to pay for it.

Fifth, administration must be accomplished at the local, community level—not at the Washington level, with its inevitable wasteful and inefficient bureaucracies.

The goal should be to preserve private medicine—and at the same time to help the indigent. This can be done with a minimum of expense—and without creating still another ever-expanding Federal bureau with an enormous payroll.

Rev. G. A. Elrod, Doug Arnold, Mesdames A. H. Jackson, Ray C. Bomar, and Miss Luree Burson attended the Baptist Workers' Conference at South Plains Tuesday.

Paul Reid and J. J. Vardell left Wednesday morning for Savannah, Mo., for several days visit.

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### Soil Conservation District News

Mr. R. W. Bull, a cooperator with the Soil Conservation District, who lives one mile south of Quitaque, established contour lines on 180 acres of his row crop land last Friday. Mr. Bull stated to technicians from the Soil Conservation Service that, "I don't mind a few short rows if I can hold more of the water where it falls."

Henry Hamilton, a cooperator of the Kent Conservation Group, established permanent contour guide lines on 300 acres of crop land last Monday. Three to four rounds will be made with a disc type terracer on each line so that it may be permanently marked and can be followed from year to year, according to Mr. Hamilton.

Preston Woods, operator, and Orin Stark, owner, cooperators of the Gasoline Conservation Group, are completing the system of terraces on their farm this week. Terraces are being constructed by a Public Contractor with patrol type graders. The ends of terraces constructed last year, as well as the new terraces, will be fully closed to prevent the loss of water and washing in this area, according to Mr. Stark.

W. E. Helms, Conservation Group Leader of the County Line Conservation Group, is planning to overseed approximately 10 acres of depleted pasture land to Weeping Love Grass this spring. One pound of seed per acre is the recommended seeding rate per acre, according to Mr. Helms.

Miss Mona McMaster of Hereford and Lalla Brown of Amarillo were guests of Miss Anna Lee Anderson over the weekend.

Dr. O. T. Bundy has moved his office to the balcony of the Ballard Drug store.

### FARM MARKET—

hens and 27 to 30 for fryers and broilers.

Potatoes gained strength at Colorado shipping points last week and sold mostly at \$2.30 per hundred pounds. Sweet potatoes remained about steady in Louisiana but demand was light. Trading slowed in the Lower Rio Grande Valley toward the end of the period. Cabbage weakened to the season's lowest level of 75 to 85 cents per 50 pound sack in straight cars. Carrots and beets were a little lower in dull trading. Broccoli held about steady and greens were scarce. Citrus fruits went down, as Valencia oranges lost last week's gains in heavy shipping.

Southwest markets for shelled peanuts strengthened. Dealers report the supply limited because of seed holdings and exports.

Cotton climbed steadily again last week, gaining around \$3 to \$4 per bale. Higher spot prices brought fairly active selling.

Some twelve-month wools sold in Texas at \$1.03 to \$1.06 per pound, clean basis. More active contracting of mohair was reported at 62 cents for adult and 82 for kid hair of the better clips.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our sincere thanks and appreciation for your many kind deeds during the illness and death of our wife, mother and sister. Your many kind words have been a means of lightening our sorrow. May God's richest blessings be with you all.

A. H. Phillips and Peggy Lois The Phillips Family  
The McKenney Family  
The Reid Family

Mrs. Lilly Wolford of Quitaque is visiting friends in Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Wanser spent the weekend in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. John Mollett.

Mrs. Lewis Gilkeyson and Mr. and Mrs. Woodroe Grimland took Mrs. Leldon Gilkeyson and Doris to Amarillo Monday for a medical check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Haynes and Shirley, Clyde Hutsell and Joe Dell, and Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allard.

### PALACE THEATRE SILVERTON, TEXAS

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### FRIDAY

SUNSET CARSON and PEGGY STEWART in "Alias Billy The Kid"

—Serial—

### SATURDAY

CARMEN MIRANDA VIVIAN BLAINE HARRY JAMES

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A man bought a cigar and started to light it. "Didn't you notice the sign?" asked the salesgirl. "What!" exploded the customer. "You sell cigars in here but you prohibit smoking?" The salesgirl smiled sweetly: "We also sell bath towels."

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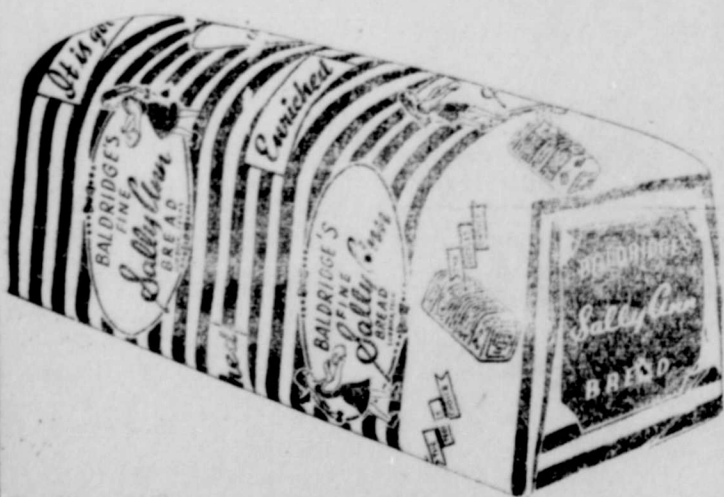
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(see Luke 19:39, 40) nor did the city, not even knowing who he was (Matt. 21:10, 11). So it is today; some love and praise him, some hate him, others just ignore him. Of which class are you?

He gave Jerusalem and the nation a final opportunity to receive him. It was not yet too late, but it was their last chance. Such a time comes in the life of every one of us. They rejected him. Do we?

But even though some did reject, let us not forget that there were those who shouted, "Hosanna"; who cast their garments down before him and waved palms of victory and joy. Thank God for their holy enthusiasm. Pray God that we may have a little more of it.

**II. God Honors Men Who Serve Christ (vv. 20-26).**

It is good to note that whatever prompted the coming of the Greeks, they wanted to see Jesus. A man has progressed far on the road to blessing when he makes known his desire to see Jesus. Coming to him means coming to the One who has the words of eternal life.

Note that the disciples were wise enough to bring the men to Jesus. The true function of every Christian worker is to bring men to him.

The reply of our Lord to the Greeks, and to the disciples who brought them to him, seems a bit singular at first glance. Did he not wish to receive them? They had probably come to see the great religious leader, the King of the Jews—why did he talk about death?

The words of our Lord are clear. Men do not need an example, a leader, a teacher; they need a Saviour. It is a sacrifice for sin that Christ will draw all men unto himself.

**III. The Father Glorifies the Son (vv. 27-30).**

The awful blackness of the burden of the world's sins which he was to bear pressed down upon our Lord in an agony of soul beyond our ability to understand. But even his troubled soul did not turn from the hour of death for us.

The question of verse 27 is essentially this: "Should I ask the Father to deliver me from this hour? No, I came to be man's Saviour." He did not look away, nor wish to turn back. He knew why he had come, and he was faithful even to death (Phil. 2:8; Heb. 2:9).

He had only one desire—that the name of God the Father should be glorified (v. 28). Do we who bear his holy name follow in his footsteps? Do we have an eye single to his glory—or do we seek our own?

Then came the voice from heaven; the Father had glorified his own name in the Son, and would do it again—yes, again and again.

Jesus knew the Father would do it, he did not need any assurance (v. 30), but for the sake of the people the witness was given. Notice the reaction of the listeners—some recognized that a heavenly message had been given; others had only heard some thunder.

May God give us grace to hear his voice when he speaks, and not consider it merely the rolling of some deep voice of thunder!

**IV. The Son Draws All Men to Himself (vv. 31, 32).**

Because Christ was lifted up on the cross and died, there is victory over sin and death, declared by his resurrection and ascension to the Father.

Satan is still at liberty in the world, but he is defeated (John 16: 11). Death still comes, but the sting is gone for the Christian (I Cor. 15: 55-57). The world is still fighting our Lord, but he is drawing men to himself here and there throughout the world.

One day he came as King of kings and Lord of lords, to declare in its finality the victory which has already been won.

We should be reminded anew that it is Christ the Saviour who will draw men if we will only exalt him in our preaching and teaching. Let us do it!

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**JESUS SUMS UP HIS CLAIMS**

LESSON TEXT—John 12:12-16, 20-32.  
 MEMORY SELECTION—And I, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all men unto me.—John 12:32.

The last week of our Lord's ministry on earth comes before us today as we consider two events—one of which occurred on Sunday and the other on Tuesday. One sees here the attitude of men toward Christ, of God toward men, of the Father toward the son, and the majestic drawing power of the Saviour.

**I. Believing Men Honor Christ (vv. 12-16).**

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TO: Robert N. Kaneen Defendant,  
Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court 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 April, A. D. 1947, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1946, in this cause, numbered 1307 on the docket of said court and styled Violet Marie Kaneen Plaintiff, vs. Robert N. Kaneen Defendant.

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

A Suit for divorce, and for the custody of the minor child of Plaintiff and Defendant, wherein Plaintiff seeks a divorce from Defendant by reason of the cruel treatment and tyrannical conduct by Defendant toward Plaintiff; Plaintiff also seeks the custody of their minor child, Teddy Bob Kaneen; there are no property rights involved, and Plaintiff

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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 my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Silverton, Texas this the 19th day of February, A. D. 1947.

Attest:  
Dee McWilliams Clerk,  
District Court, Briscoe  
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(SEAL)

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Nona Wyatt Defendant,  
Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court 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 April, A. D. 1947, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 6th day of February, A. D. 1947, in this cause, numbered 1326 on the docket of said court and styled Alfred Wyatt Plaintiff, vs. Nona Wyatt Defendant.

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

A Suit for divorce, wherein Plaintiff seeks a divorce from Defendant by reason of cruel treatment and tyrannical conduct by Defendant toward Plaintiff; there are no property rights involved, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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(SEAL)

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Long and R. E. Hazelwood visited with Jim Hazelwood in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daniels of Friona and Otis Hardin of Lubbock visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stodghill and Mother Hardin Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Sanders of Brice visited with Mother Hardin, who is ill, Saturday.

Rev. G. A. Elrod was called to Terrell, Okla., Tuesday to attend the funeral of a friend, Austin Smith.

Office Supplies at the News.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Price were Plainview visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Don Garrison, who has been in the Tulia hospital suffering from pneumonia, was able to return home Saturday.

Mrs. Leroy Saul and children of Kress spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Garrison, recently.

Mrs. G. Edmonds and Sue of South Plains were Silverton visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Haynes of Lubbock were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anderson.

Sgt. and Mrs. A. G. Tadlock and children left last week for their home at Fort Worth, where he will be stationed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Dickerson and Dana Kay of Lubbock spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Billy Dickerson and D. L. Gardner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo White and daughter visited with his parents at Spring Lake Sunday.

Mrs. Edd Davis and children visited with her sister, Mrs. Loyd McCoy, at Tulia over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall and daughter of Memphis were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes.

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There will be a mass meeting of the voters of the Silverton School District held in the Courthouse on Monday night, March 10th, for the purpose of selecting candidates for school trustees at an election to be held on Saturday, April 5th.

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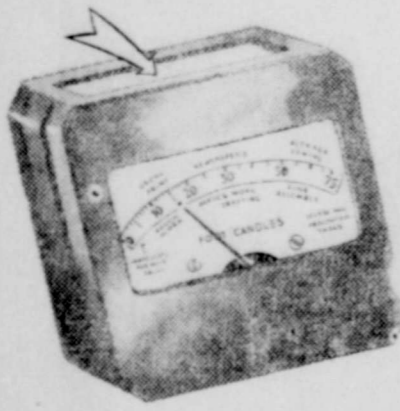
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Mrs. John N. Merriman, Frances Dolfin of Amarillo, Miss Florence Merriman were visitors in Silverton after-noon.

Dr. O. T. Bundy has purchased the H. R. Brown lot located on the square between the King and Havran buildings. The doctor will erect a modern business building, 25 x 100 feet. It will be of tile and native stone.

**Mrs. J. E. Meadows, Recent Bride, is Honored with Shower**

Mrs. J. E. Meadows, a recent bride, was named honoree at a miscellaneous shower given in the home of Mrs. Seymour Brannon recently. Other hostesses were Mesdames J. W. Brannon, Sr., Walter Brannon, and Richard Hill. Refreshments were served from a table laid with a lace cloth and centered with flowers in crystal bowl. Mrs. Walter Brannon presided at the punch bowl and was assisted by Mrs. J. W. Brannon, Sr. Mrs. Seymour Brannon presided at the bride's book. Mrs. Richard Hill presented the large array of gifts to the honoree. Fifty guests attended.

**Frances Perkins, Edward Edwards, Marry Wednesday**

Miss Frances Perkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Perkins, became the bride of Edward Edwards, son of Mrs. M. M. Edwards, at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, February 26. Earl Cantwell, minister of the Rock Creek Church of Christ, read the single ring ceremony in the home of the groom's mother. The bride wore a light blue street-length dress with black patent accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds. Her hat was a huge pink rose. For something old and borrowed she wore a strand of pearls belonging to Mrs. Gladys Nix.

**1925 Study Club Has Regular Meeting February 19th**

Mrs. Gordon Alexander presided at the meeting of the 1925 Study Club February 19th in the absence of the chairman, Mrs. Grady Wimberly. After the business session, the lesson on "The Philippine Islands" was led by Mrs. Woodson Coffee. She was assisted by Mrs. Gordon Alexander and Mrs. Clyde Wright. Mrs. S. F. Wanser was greeted as a new member of the club. Those attending the meeting were Mesdames Gordon Alexander, T. C. Bomar, O. T. Bundy, Woodson Coffee, R. E. Dickerson, T. R. Whiteside, Clyde Wright and S. F. Wanser. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Cleat Miller. Mrs. Bland Burson of Channing, a former member of the club, will be a guest and give several piano selections of Texas music.

Durward Brown and Bob Hill were business visitors in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holt and Peggy visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. Seay Sunday.

Fred Garrison and Billy Ellis of Plainview were visiting with friends in Silverton Sunday afternoon.

Glenn and C. L. McWilliams visited with Dean and Deral McWilliams in Graham recently.



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**Presbyterian Ladies Hold All-Day Meet February 24th**

Monday morning at 10 o'clock, members of the Presbyterian Auxiliary met in the home of Mrs. Clyde Wright for their all-day mission study, "India at the Threshold" by Winifred Bryce. Mrs. Kemp Thompson led the devotional of song, Scripture and prayer.

Mrs. O. T. Bundy was program leader. She was assisted by Mrs. Gordon Alexander.

In the afternoon the devotional was "A Skit on India", given by Mesdames Wright, Tony Burson, Kemp Thompson and Sid Richards.

Mrs. Wright served a turkey dinner with "all the trimmings" to the following ladies: Mesdames Kemp Thompson, Sid Richards, Bob Dickerson, Gordon Alexander, Tony Burson, O. T. Bundy, Monroe Lowrey and Mother Northcutt.

Mrs. Olga Phillips, District Deputy Grand Matron of District 2, O. E. S., State of Texas, made an official visit to the Chapter here Tuesday night.

Mrs. W. J. Dunn and daughter of Fort Worth are visiting with their husband and father, W. J. Dunn, here this week. Dunn is teaching here.

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**Thelma Calcote Becomes Bride of L. R. Blackshear**

Miss Thelma Calcote, of Wellington, became the bride of L. R. Blackshear, also of Wellington, Wednesday morning at 11:00 o'clock. Rev. G. A. Elrod, pastor of the local Baptist church, read the double ring ceremony in his home.

Those present for the wedding were Mrs. M. M. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Jackson.

**Waynell McCutchen Honored with Party On 7th Birthday**

Mrs. Wayne McCutchen entertained with a party Tuesday, February 25, from 3 to 5 o'clock, honoring her daughter, Waynell, on her seventh birthday.

Candy and gum were used for favors.

Angel food cake and punch were served to Betty Brown, Myrna Sue Bingham, Frankie Lou Hunt, Glenda Ray McWilliams, Wilma and Barbara Shipman, Leah Dare Kelham, Jerry Dee McWilliams, James Roy Brown, Charles Edwin and Beckie Cowart, Susan Anderson, Robert Haley Hill, Ginger Scott, Janice Donnell, Peggy Davis, J. E. and Jerry Patton, Joy Ann McCutchen, the honoree and Mesdames J. W. McCracken, Dee McWilliams and baby, Glen McWilliams, Charles Cowart, Patton and the hostess.

Mrs. George Lee and daughter, Wynona, of Lubbock were business visitors in Silverton Tuesday.

**Wiley Bomar Named Honoree at Recent Birthday Dinner**

Mrs. Leo Comer of Amarillo entertained with a dinner Sunday honoring her father, Wiley Bomar, Sr., on his 51st birthday.

Those present were Mrs. Wiley Bomar, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Bomar, Jr., and Robert Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Lyde and Dee Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bomar and Roy Beth, of Lubbock, Leo Comer, the honoree and hostess.

**Legion Auxiliary to Meet March 4th**

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**300,000 Girls To Take Part in 4-H Food Preparation**

Roundly 300,000 rural girls throughout the nation will participate in the National 4-H Food Preparation activity this year. Based on state club leaders' reports, 4-H girls participating in that program last year planned, prepared and served 20 million family meals!

Typical achievements of participants in 1946 were: An 18-year-old 4-H girl in a western state prepared and served 550 family meals, including 1,750 dishes and bakings, and helped prepare hot school lunches for 23 children. She has had complete charge of buying and preparing food for her family for the last two of her eight years in club work, due to her mother's illness. . . . A central state girl of 20 prepared and served 3,163 meals, including 13,619 dishes and bakings, during four years as a 4-H'er. . . . A 17-year-old girl in an eastern state prepared and served 1,840 meals, including 200 dishes and bakings, and put up 448 lunches during 6½ years in club work. . . . A club girl of 18 in a southern state prepared and served 4,425 meals, including 13,505 dishes and bakings, and put up 218 lunches during six years as a 4-H'er.

Merit awards for outstanding records in 4-H Food Preparation are provided by Servel. County winners will receive medals of honor. State winners will be guest-delegates at the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago next November. National winners will receive \$200.00 college scholarships.

This is the 13th year of the activity, which is conducted under the direction of the Extension Service. County extension agents will furnish full information.

**Wemple Is Appointed to Highway Commission**

Last week West Texans were expressing approval of Governor Jester's appointment of Fred A. Wemple, Midland business man, to membership of the State Highway Commission.

Taking oath of office last Thursday, Wemple became the first West Texan to serve on the Commission since 1944, when Commissioner Reuben Williams moved from Fort Worth over to Dallas.

Wemple succeeded Williams, whose term expired February 15 after six years of outstanding service on behalf of better roads for all of Texas.

Mr. Wemple is 53 years old. While he was born in Bonham, Texas, he has been a resident of Midland since 1923 and is now a typical West Texan.

Mr. Wemple spent his early childhood in Blossom, Texas.

Rusty Arnold was a business visitor in Fort Worth recently.

Office Supplies at the News.

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**WANT ADS**

HERE AT LAST—The new 1947 SERVEL ELECTROLUX. See it at Seaney's. 8-1tc

FOR SALE—320 acres with good 5-room house. Good sheds and lots. Fenced and cross fenced. 165 acres in wheat. All goes at \$50.00 per acre. In irrigation district. See H. Roy Brown. 4-1tc

FOR SALE—800 acres. 160 in cultivation—all in wheat. 640 acres in grass. Good large barn and lots. 9-room house, needs some repair. 2 wells and windmills. Good fences. A dandy little ranch. See H. Roy Brown. 4-1tc

FOR SALE—4-room house with bath. Priced at \$2700. Party will take good used car in on this deal. See H. Roy Brown. 4-1tc

FOR SALE—40 acres, joins town. Fenced hog proof, crossed fenced. Good improvements, plenty of sheds and granary room. See H. Roy Brown. 4-1tc

FOR SALE—Several town lots. Also a 1,000-gallon butane tank. See H. Roy Brown. 4-1tc

FOR SALE—7-room house on pavement and a 6-room house on pavement. See Roy Teeter. 5-1tc

FOR SALE—320 acres, 5-room house, fenced and cross fenced. 160 acres in wheat. Irrigated Belt. \$49.00 per acre. See Roy Teeter. 5-1tc

FOR SALE—Section grass. Well watered. See Roy Teeter. 5-1tc

FOR SALE—1940 Chevrolet coupe. Good condition mechanically, good tires. Reasonable. Ware Fogerson. 6-3tc

FOR SALE—Plenty of new and used articles such as— Elec. motors ½, 1-3, 3½ and 3 H.P., new and used switch boxes, G. I. service shoes fully repaired, all types of new flood lights, new and used tool boxes, all types garden tools, one-half size mattress covers, laundry bags, hand axes, trailers, trailer axels and wheels, foot lockers, plenty tarps and tents, bench vises, swivel type, stationary type wash tubs, chevrolet car radio fits 1941 and up, pontiac car radio suitable for truck or pickup, filing cabinets, desk, large natural gas or butane heaters, 3½ cubic ft. cement mixers, army cots, steel & canvas, maple top work benches, pipe fittings, elec. wiring, used elec. and battery radios, oak floor dollies, two large size air compressors perfect shape, mud chains, re-bullt jeep motor, chain hoist 1½ ton to 5 ton capacity, and a hundred other items too numerous to mention.

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FOR SALE—1941 1-ton, dual-tired, International pickup, completely overhauled, good tires. See H. R. Stephens, 9 mi. S. Silvertown. 7-2tp

FOR SALE—810 acres. All in wheat. Close in on pavement. See Roy Teeter. 7-1tc

FOR SALE—640 acres. 400 acres in wheat, all wheat goes. Irrigation well. \$58.00 per acre. See Roy Teeter. 7-1tc

HERE AT LAST—The new 1947 SERVEL ELECTROLUX. See it at Seaney's. 8-1tc

FOR SALE—Model M Farmall. Good condition. All attachments. Ed S. Nelson, Shallowater, Texas. 8-2tp

FOR SALE—My residence, 3 rooms and bath, with basement. Well. Roy Morris. 8-1tp

FOR SALE—300 bales of Alfalfa hay. L. W. Francis. 8-2tp

FOR SALE—7½ ft. Krause one-way. Gerald Smith, Caprock Station. 8-2tp

FOR SALE—1941 Chevrolet Tudor, 1940 Chevrolet Coupe, 1941 Chevrolet Club Coupe and 1938 Chevrolet Coupe. All in excellent condition. Call at Silvertown Chevrolet Company. 8-1tc

FOR SALE—1940 Ford Tudor also a 1938 Ford Tudor. See Mike Mason at White Auto Store. 8-1tp

FOR SALE—Small electric washing machine. See Mrs. L. E. Davis. 8-2tp

LOST—22 rifle. Automatic. Finder return to Briscoe County News and receive reward. 8-2tp

**Weekly SURPLUS NEWS WAA**

Sales of surplus war property to veterans will be simplified March 1 when WAA introduces a national network of regional 'set-aside lists and makes Army or Navy discharge papers the only instrument necessary for veterans to purchase items especially set aside for their personal use. Veterans are advised to consult Veterans' divisions of their regional WAA offices for further details and the correct procedure in order to avoid later misunderstandings.

A fixed-price, mail order sale of general industrial machinery and equipment has been announced by the Fort Worth regional office of WAA. The sale closes March 6. Among the items offered are arc welders, high pressure pumps, platform trucks, button sewing machines, darning machines, lock stitch type sewing machines, overedge sewing machines, shoe sanding machines, hoist chains, platform scales, laundry trucks, pressure paint tanks, heel trimmers and one electric bank saw. The property is being offered to priority claimants, including Veterans of World War II, and commercial channels concurrently.

A large sale of valves, fittings and metals will be held on a sealed-bid basis by WAA, Fort Worth, with bid opening date being March 6. Included in the sale are various types of valves, flanges, reducers, pipe fittings and couplings, unions, stainless steel rounds, cold roll bars, shim stock, wire rope and one water tank. The items are being sold to all levels of trade concurrently. For further information inquire of WAA, Metals Division, North American Plant "B", 3rd floor, Grand Prairie, Texas.

In the four years of its existence, the Fort Worth WAA regional office showed an overall recovery to the treasury of 34 per-

cent in the disposal of surplus property originally costing \$166,215,076. As of January 31, the Fort Worth organization collected a total of \$56,883,854 in sales in the four-year period. It had sold everything in its inventory except goods with an acquisition cost of \$7,249,154, which it expects to dispose of soon.

Mrs. Wm. F. Talley has been confined to her bed with the flu this week.

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Claude Witherspoon's view was a Silverton Thursday.

Alvin Redin and Al were business visitors here Thursday.

Glen Lindsey of Plainview here visiting with his wife Leavie Lindsey, and Miss Brenda Tillery, small of Mrs. Theo Tillery, sick list this week.

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15-25-40 and 60-watt quality, long life, inside frosted.

We also have the following listed items necessary to proper chick raising:

**BROODERS**  
Check Our Prices  
Cardboard Chick Feeders  
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One New General Electric WASHING MACHINE  
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