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#### **1949 CHEVROLET** COMPLETELY RESTYLED

Chevrolet's 1949 passenger cars, completely restyled and possessing Mrs. Grady Adcock, passed away more mechanical improvements Wednesday morning about six than any model within recent o'clock at the home of her son, years, go on display at Simpson Earl Livengood in Abernathy, Chevrolet Company showrooms Texas. Mrs. Livengood had been here Saturday, January 22.

of three years of engineering re- from her home at Haskell, Texas, search and design development. to visit her son at Abernathy and Begun immediately after V-J Day, later planned to visit her daughtexperimental work has included er, Mrs. Adcock at Silverton. Rev. 1.068.000 miles of test driving over and Mrs. Adcock and children left the roads of the General Motors Wednesday morning to attend the Proving Ground and arid high- funeral which will be held this ways of the southwest.

simultaneously with displays in kell, conducted by Rev. E. A. other cities and is expected to Barber, pastor of the Paint Creek draw one of the biggest crowds in Baptist Church. Interment will

and dealer showrooms, we know her in death April 19, 1947. that literally millions are waiting wide interest.

"We do not believe the public will be disappointed. While the children are expected to arrive car carries numerous comfort and home Friday afternoon or Satconvenience advances, it main- urday morning. tains our tradition of rugged, reliable transportation at the lowest possible cost."

#### Miss McMurtry Engaged to Carl D. Bomar

have announced the approaching vited to attend the dedication sermarriage of their daughter, Doro- vices. The church expects several thy Roy to Carl D. Bomar, son of of the former pastors, former Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bomar of Sil- members, and friends from out of verton.

Rev. Joel Aldridge will officiate at the wedding at 5:00 p.m. February 12, in the Silverton Methodist Church. Mrs. L. D. Griffin,

### Mrs. R. L. Livengood Dies at Abernathy Wednesday Morning Mrs. R. L. Livengood, mother of

in ill health for several months, The automobile is the product and during the holidays had come afternoon (Thursday) at 3:00 at The local showing will be held the First Baptist Church of Hasteh history of events of its kind. be made in Haskell cemetery be-"From inquiries at our offices side her husband who preceded

Survivors include two sons and to see the car," said T. H. Keating, three daughters, they are: Earl general sales manager. "Chev- Livengood, of Abernathy; Homer rolet's solid reputation for value Livengood, Haskell; Mrs. Rayand reports of impressive new mond Adcock, Brownfield; Mrs. features have kindled a nation- Carl Medford, Rule; and Mrs. Grady Adcock, Silverton, Texas. Rev. and Mrs. Adcock and

#### **REV. MARVIN BROTHERTON** TO PREACH AT SILVERTON METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Marvin Brotherton, of Matador, former pastor of the Silverton Methodist Church is to preach at the 11 o'clock hour Mr. and Mrs. Roy McMurtry next Sunday. The public is in-

> town to be present. "We want the people of Silverton to feel that this building is theirs," Rev. Grady Adcock

The Silverton Methodist Church

Join the MARCH DIMES **JANUARY 14-31** INFANTILE PARALYSIS

THURSDAY, JAN. 20, 1949

#### Pvt Horace M. Pitts **Completes Basic** Airborne Course

Fort Benning, Ga.-Pvt. Horace M. Pitts, 26, husband of Lauram Pitts, of Silverton, has completed the basic airborne course with the Airborne Battalion, Student Training Regiment, at the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga.

He was presented with the coveted silver wings of a qualified paratrooper at the impressive graduation ceremony of Basic Class No. 10, December 17, 1948. During his five weeks of strenuous training at Fort Benning he learned the techniques and principles of parachute jumping and landing. In this period he also made five supervised jumps from a plane in flight at altitudes of 100 and 1200 feet, one of which was with complete combat equipment.

A large part of his training covered safety procedures in and around airplanes both before and during actual flight. It is this training which has helped so materially to reduce accidents among America's paratroopers. Another interesting part of the training was a glider flight he took during his training period.

It was at Fort Benning that the late Major General William C. Lee founded and organized the first airborne unit in the United States Army, a force that grew and expanded so rapidly during the war years that it became a major factor in the victories in Europe and the Pacific. Today, two of the greatest of these airborne divisions, the 82nd and the 11th, are on active duty; the former in the United States and the 11th in Japan. Others are being reactivated and the troopers graduated from Fort Benning will swell their strength.

While at Fort Benning, considered by many to be "America's most complete military post," he enjoyed the same facilities that

have made assignment to this post

one of the most coveted in the

army. It was at Benning that so

many of America's war leaders,

such as General Marshall, Eisen-

hower, Clark, Bradley and Patton

studied and taught. Many of the

present faculty members of the

schools at Benning studied and

served under these distinguished

Southwestern Public

Service Company

soldiers.

sister of the bride, will be matron of honor, and Mrs. David Kellam of Torrington, Wyoming, Mrs. Miss Jo Ann Cunningham of Austin bridesmaids.

The nuptial plans were revealed at a luncheon given recently by the bride-elect's mother. Tele- where the present building stands, grams revealing the wedding mes- It was valued at \$1,800.00. From sage and miniature bridesmaids 1891 to 1902 the Methodist had were presented to each guest, Ap- their services in the Presbyterian pointments on the mantel bore the inscription of the bridal attend- and furniture is valued at \$50,000. ants.

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The bride-elect is a graduate of Silverton high school and Stephens College and attended the University of Texas.

Mr. Bomar attended A and M College and West Texas State College. During the war he served in the navy.

#### Mrs. Henry Sweek Critically Ill at **Mineral Wells**

day night, January 27, at 7:30 at the High School Auditorium. The picture will be of especial interest to the high school students of Briscoe County, and is given for the special benefit of Vocational Classes of the county.

"The Other Side of the Fence," Mrs. Henry Sweek, of Mineral Wells, Texas, daughter of Mr. deals with vocational training and Mrs. L. C. Yates, of Silverton, and students of the county who underwent an operation January attend will be graded on their 13, in Zazareth Hospital at Min- report in connection with their eral Wells, and is reported to be school work.

in a very serious condition. Mrs. | "Practice Makes Perfect," is a Sweek will be remembered by her | basket ball picture for high school friends as Modine Yates. Her par- students, and is offered as enterents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Yates tainment as well as its educationand sister, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle al features.

Stephens, have been with her the The general public is invited past week. Mr. and Mrs. Steph- and Mr. Redin, local representens returned home Tuesday late ative of the Phillips "66" Comand her parents remained with pany will be pleased to have every her. Mrs. Sweek's address is one come out for the occasion. oute 1

Texas.

was organized in 1891 with about Darcell Young of Lubbock and 20 members. Mr. T. L. Anderson is the only present member that was a charter member. The first church building was

completed in 1902 on the site Church. The present building

#### Show Thursday Night January 27, Given by "66" Company

The Phillips "66" Oil Company will show a free picture Thurs-

> perhaps never even knew existed. That resolution is simply to: "Join the March of Dimes, January 14-31." The dimes and

> dollars given to the 1949 appeal of the Nation al Foundation for Infantile Paralysis will enable that organization to rebuild chapter funds exhausted during last year's polio epidemics-which were comparable to those of 1916, worst in history.

> You will never miss the dime or dollar you contribute. Resolve now to give generously to the March of Dimes. You may be sure you will share in the prayers of thousands of little ones. You will write the score for a song of a brighter future. Yes, these poliostricken children may even be able to dance again-because you helped.

1, Box 197, Mineral Wells,			A CONTRACTOR OF		Carlos and a second second second	CARLES AND
Providence in the second of	BRUCE WOMACK BUILDS	W. S. C. S. MET MONDAY	NO SERVICES AT PRESBYTE-		BIRTH	
BIRTH	WIDE DOORS TO HIS WORK SHOP		AFTERNOON	EMPLOYED AT HOSPITAL Miss Louise Stroud, of Erick,	Mr, and Mrs. Bundy Camp- bell, of Matador, are the parents	
and Mrs." Joe Powell of	Bruce Womack has just recently	afternoon, January 17, with eight	On account of the dedication	Oklahoma, has been added to the	of a daughter, Olivia Anna, born	and the second states and the second states
ock are the parents of a	built wide doors at the front ent-	members present	services at the Silverton Methodist	hospital staff at the Briscoe Coun-	at the Stanley Clinic at Matation	Mary Street Trans Prove Street Bar
ter, born Tuesday, January	rance to his garage. This open-	A new study was started "The	Church Sunday afternoon, there	ty Hospital and Clinic, according	on January 6, 1949. She weighed	
the West Texas Hospital of	ing will enable him to drive the	Newness of Life." Mrs. Grady	will be no services held at the	to announcement made by Dr.	8 pounds and four ounces. Mrs.	Children and the second second
		Adcock and Mrs. W. A. Dicker-		Shy. Miss Stroud has had 14	Campbell will be remembered as	the board of the states
		son had charge of the program.		years nursing experience in hos-	Miss Vivian Burleson, and the	
they sold the paper last	alley during muddy weather.	The meeting closed with prayer	Mrs. Dutch Tidwell was admit-	pital and doctors offices, and is	grandmother is Mrs. Annie Bur-	Mrs. C. May Cohea, 213 West
and moved to Lubbock.		by Mrs. R. M. Hill.	ted to the Tulia hospital Friday			and other bureet, innumber, i ching,
	Mrs. W. A. Dickerson spent		for treatment.		dents of Silverton.	announces the engagement of her
		Karen and Jerry Walls, of Hale		Miss Gladys Hyatt and friend,		daughter, Billie, to John H. Crow,
		Center, spent the week end with		Johnny Harrison, of Plainview,		son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Crow of
					family were dinner guests of her	
n <b>n</b>	daughter, Joe Ann Morfton.	J. C. Hill.	Mr. and Mrs. Ollis Chitty.	ents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hyatt.	parents, Durward O'Neals.	the wedding has not been set.
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RANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, FOUNDER

## A Good Resolution

A few weeks ago the New Year was greeted throughout the nation with prayer and song and dance. We said goodbye to 1948, extended a welcoming hand to the Newcomer, and exchanged mutual expressions of hope with our friends that the New Year would prove happy and prosperous.

At the same time, the great majority of A mericans gave some thought to New Year resolutions. Most of us might even have kept some of them, right up to this "late" date. But if we did not, there still is a chance to redeem ourselves right now.

There is one resolution every man, woman and child should make and keep. It is an Pencils and "Ready Kilowatt' buteasy one. It entails little or no sacrifice. It will give you a grand feeling-but more important, it will help bring back to health youngsters you may know, or have heard of, or

Hold Open House Earl Brock, local manager of Southwestern Public Service Company completed moving his office to their new location on the west side of the square last Thursday, and Friday they held open house to their many friends and customers. Coffee and donuts were served to approximately 400 visitors.





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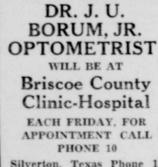
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Weast visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Jones at Slaton over the week end

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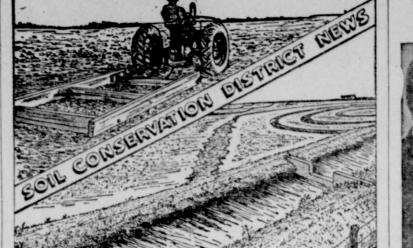
**TESTED HERD** 

per soil conservation district than planning and action. the year before brought to 571,-**BOMAR DAIRY** GOVERNMENT

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y on private lands.



Supervisors for Cap Rock District-Earl I. Cantwell, Chairman; Obra Watson, Bray H. Cook, L. A. McJimsey and R. L. Brunson

H. H. Bennett, chief of the Soil foundation, there can be no real Conservation Service, said in his hope for a continuously success-1948 fiscal year report today the ful agriculture anywhere. And, margin between land deterioration too, without this foundation there and land conservation in the Unit- can be no assurance of economic ed States has been so narrow that stability and social progress: there the goal of a permanent agricul- ; can be no assurance of adequate ture is in sight "if we but speed nutrition, prosperity, happiness, or peace anywhere on earth. The up our efforts."

Contributing to the progress of solution of our land problem can the service's work he reviewed be stated simply: Use each acre of luring the past 15 years in his land adequate safeguards from report to Secretary of Agriculture erosion and other improverishing Charles F. Brannan was still an- forces for the type of production other record year of farm and to which it is best suited by narange land conservation treatment | ture."

in farmers' soil conservation dis- By sharply increasing present That was 21 1-2 million conservation operations on the acres on which soil conservation land, he said, the United States measures were applied to meet the can overcome and control erosion needs of the land, or about 7 per | within 20 to 30 years. To this end, cent more than in the previous he advanced seven recommendarecord year of 1947. tions for getting the conservation

The report pointed out that dur- job done on time: ing each of the 15 years of the 1. Set up a timetable for the life of the Soil Conservation Ser- establishment of those basic measvice, more conservation work was ures needed for the conservation done per employee than during of our soil and water resources, the preceding year. according to capability of the land "Moreover," the soil conserva- and availability and need of water.

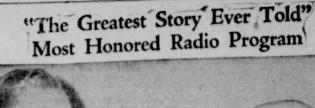
tion chief observed, "increased 2. Adjust research in conservaexperience on the part of service tion to specific problems encountechnicians, together with increas- ered in field work and intensify ed experience and efficiency of research on those problems.

3. Encourage and promote a the soil conservation districts and cooperating farmers, collectively comprehensive program of conhave made it possible for the ser- servation education through all vice to increase the work load per available educational agencies and man each year without sacrific- institutions.

ing quality or thoroughness of the 4. Complete land capability surveys of the country and an-The 1948 accomplishments with alyze the information to provide staff reported at 17 percent less land facts needed for future farm

5. Recognize and use land ca-163 the number of active conser- pabilities in making production vation plans made in the districts adjustments and in developing since August, 1937, covering 157,- other agricultural programs.

751,642 acres. The 1948 year's 6. Encourage continued orga-109,673 plans covered 31,484.947 nization of soil conservation disacres. The 21,576,654 acres treat- tricts, in order to develop conserd in the last fiscal year brought vation districts, op conservation programs with the total acreage treated in districts since the first ones were local leadership and direction. organized to 82,824,431. The fig-7. Improve the conservation ures do not include other work credit structure.



BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS



Probably the most honored radio program ever aired is "The Greatest Story Ever Told", the dramatic presentation of the teachings of Christ heard every Sunday evening, 6:30 p.m., EST, over the ABC This program, though sponsored by The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, carries no commercial announcements, and is offered purely as a public service program.

purely as a public service program. Now in its third season, the program has received plaques, awards and honors in all categories, with many special awards in addition. Among the outstanding ones are awards by the National Association of Public Relations Counsel; Brotherhood of Christians and Jews; Na-tional Radio Conference; National Family Week; Special Award from Variety; and others. Most recent award, given the program by Maga-zine Digest, is being accepted by John K. Hough, director of advertis-ing of Goodyear (right), from M. Simmons, publisher of Magazine Digest, which selected the program as best in the religious category. In making the presentation, Mr. Simmons said: "Magazine Digest is particulary pleased to give the first of its Good Radio Awards to 'The Greatest Story Ever Told,' which remains unexcelled in the field of religious programs."

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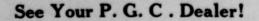
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#### phases of service activities, main- CAP ROCK SOIL CONSER-VATION DISTRICT

The report showed there were Legumes such as hairy vetch, 2.033 conservation districts in the Austrian winter peas, alfalfa, 48 states, Hawaii, Porto Rico, and clover, beans and peas possess the Virgin Islands as of June 30, great value other than being used comprising 1,114,003,200 acres, for feed, food, oils, seed, etc. They and including about three fourths have specific soil building qualiof all the farms and two thirds of ties. The soil building is accomthe farmland of the country. plished in two ways: (1) by ad-Chief Bennett also reported a ding organic matter to the soil and considerable spread of soil conser-(2) increasing the nitrogen convation to other countries, with 49 tent of the soil. now carrying on some work pat-Organic matter increases the

terned after that of the Soil Conwater holding capacity of soils, inservation Service, and with 378 creases granulation which increasscientists or officials of 67 coun- es granulation which makes for tries having come to the United easier plowing, aide in drainage States since 1942 to study soil conand aeration in heavy soils and makes plant nutrients more available.

When legume crops are turned adequate supply of productive back to the soil and not harvested they will increase the nitrogen contents of the soil. Most soils nently productive," the report emare deficient in nitrogen and especially those that have been phasized. "Without this soil under irrigation for two or three

> years. The District encourages all farmers to use a legume in rotation. Winter legumes serve as a cover crop and protect the soil from blowing.

All legume seed should be inoculated with proper inoculant before planting. When they (legume seed) are inoculated with the right kind of bacteria (inoculant) it enables the plant to secure large amounts of nitrogen from the air. Many farmers make the mistake of using just any inoculant on their legume seed. Different legumes require different inoculant (bacteria.) Alfalfa bacteria are a different bacteria, than say, hairy vetch bacteria. Always name the kind of seed you intend to plant and insist upon the proper inoculant when buying.

Mr. and Mrs. Ware Fogerson nd children, visited Mrs. Fogerson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Day, and an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Birchfield, Sunlay in Matador.

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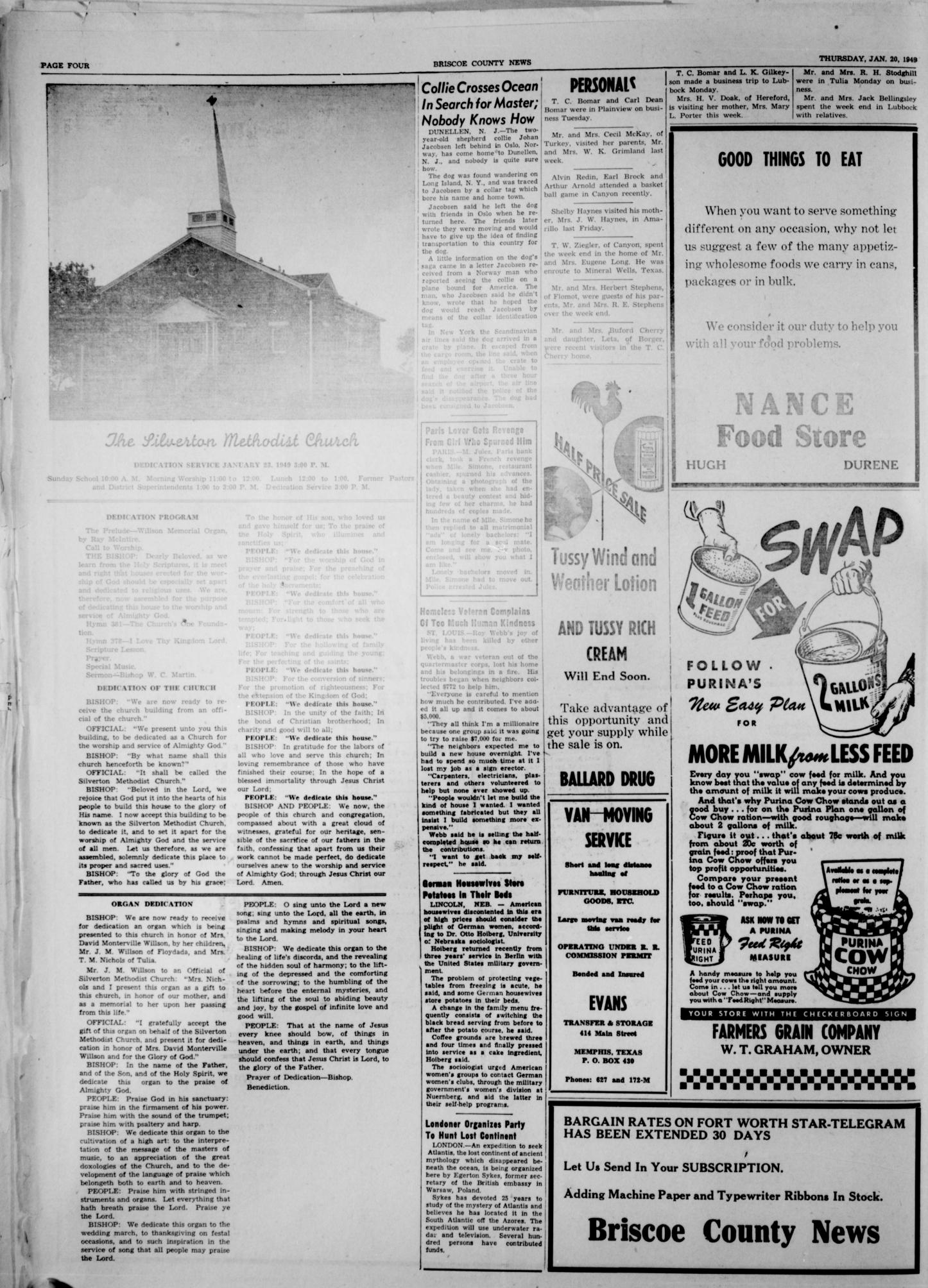
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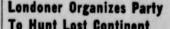
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**THURSDAY, JAN. 20, 1949** 

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#### BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

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Three of 25 Volumes

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department volume which ran 362

Official German documents will

be published intact to show ste

by-step the secret intrigues which

Poland. The papers will then trace

a new outburst from Moscow.

A government official working on

under preparation.

PAGE FIVE



in this view of the Styleline De Luxe four-n against a new Martin 202 passenger air-as well as smart appearance.

#### CHEVROLET GOES senger business coupe, convert- mensions. The entire passenger **ON DISPLAY HERE** SATURDAY

A product of three years' devel- deck at the body belt line. ent work and more than a miles of engineering re- In both styling and perform-

uty to the lowest-priced ranks, inder, valve-in-head engine reoroven and owner satisfaction. salety and convenience.

increa The lineup shows: "We did not make changes simply as much as 30 per cent. -Two and four-door for the sake of change. Every ns. This design is distinguish- innovation throughout the chassis in an unbroken sweep to the and approved. We exercised great Beavers Monday. vn to the trade as a care to assure ourselves that each the form achieved departure met Chevrolet standpopularity on the 1948 two- ards."

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ible, wood and all-steel station compartment has been moved forwagons. Styleline sedans carry ward, lengthened, broadened and the "notch back". Here the cur- lowered, affording a pleasing balvature of the roof meets the rear ance in proportions. Rearwardly -

miles of engineering re-the 1949 Chevrolet goes ance, the 1949 series continues the file the transformation of the fenders have built flush with the doors. Crowns of the fenders have general Nazi foreign policy prior ay in dealer showrooms "big car" aspect that have always also been raised to fit more snug- to the outbreak of war in Septer display in dealer showrooms big car" aspect that have always been traditional with Chevrolet. The design is fresh and substan-tial-looking without approaching wious series. Not only does design introduce superior the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme. Greater comfort is deported demonstrable by "ruler and by ride." The rugged six-cyl-induce superior the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme. Greater comfort is deported demonstrable by "ruler and by ride." The rugged six-cyl-the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model has been com-tial-looking without approaching the extreme is the latest model

numerous body and chassis mains fundamentally the same, perhaps the chief improvement in Nazi documents. ents promise to add to but refinements will increase ap- in bodies is the immense increase evrolet's reputation for com- preciably the car's handling ease in glass area. All windows have been deepened and widened. The the project said, however, the two es of cars, the Fleetline "In the engineering of our most windshield takes full advantage new volumes being edited now will ine, are included with important model in several years, of broader bodies, curving inward contain "twice as much detail" on Luxe treatment an option in we considered first the qualities at the narrowed pillars to improve types. De Luxe cars that have consistently given Chev- sideway as well as forward vision. ed emphasis on the rolet the leadership in the indus- On comparable models the gain pages. This fact alone may evoke ng of fabrics, trim and ap- try," said a company statement. in visibility over 1948 has been

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Tate led to the 1939 Russian-German by the extension of the roof and body was exhaustively tested were dinner guests of Mrs. Dewey non-aggression pact which doomed in detail the growing distrust between the two nations resulting

Riley Zeigler, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Zeigler, was taken to spheres of influence despite lengthy The first impression of the new Lubbock General Hospital Sun- negotiation.

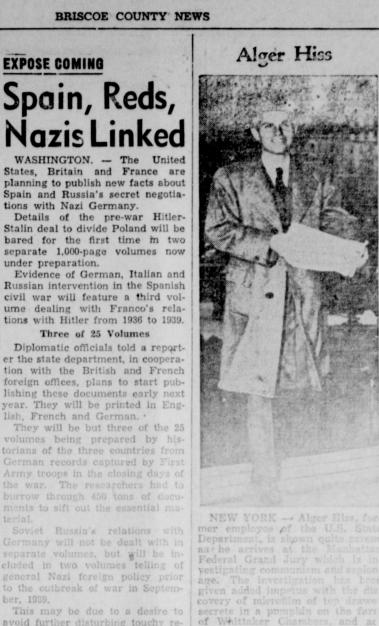
-Two and four-door cars is one of smart styling, struc- day critically ill with symptoms One point that stands out, this official said, is that Hitler and the Nazi foreign office had no spies in Russia-unlike the situation elsewhere-and were forced to rely

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Mrs. R. E. Brookshier and Mrs. From the passenger's standpoint German negotiations as revealed A. L. McMurtry were in Tulia Saturday on business.

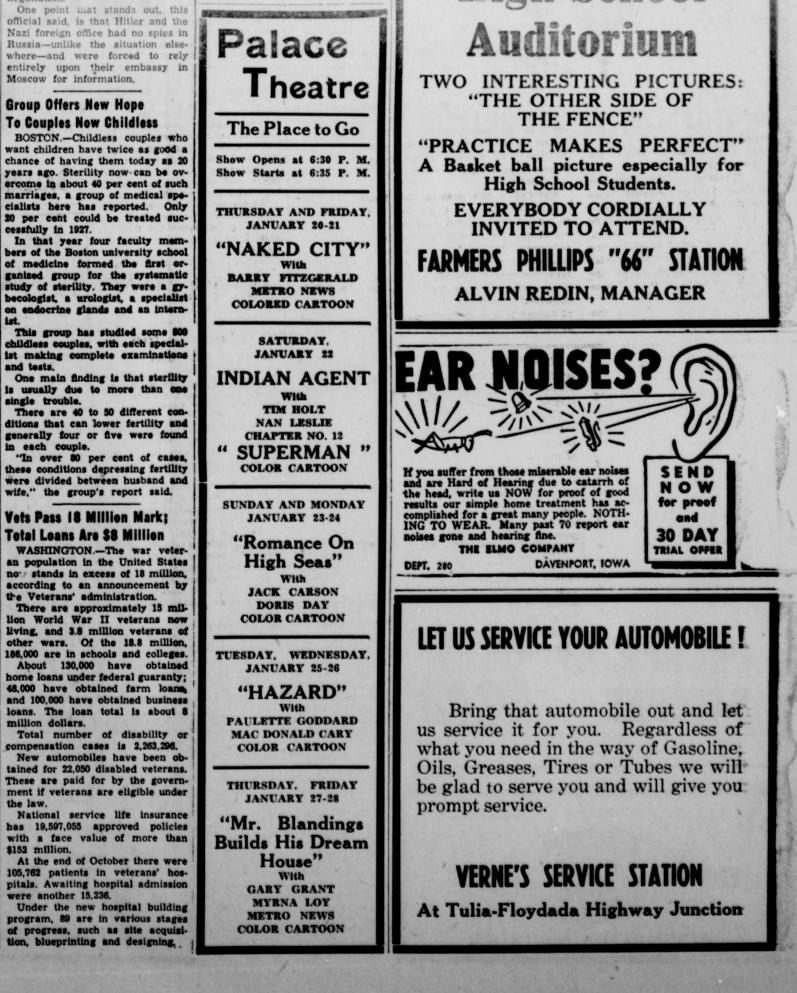
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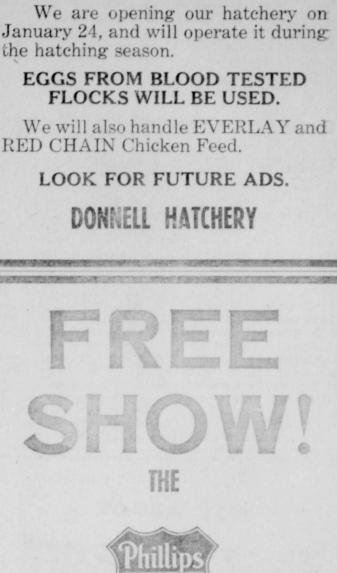
Mr. and Mrs. Durward Brown and family, of Plainview, spent the week end with his parenta Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy Brown.

Mrs. Florence Fogerson and Mrs. R. E. Brookshier were guests of Mrs. Pearl Simpson Sunday.

Mrs. Bland Burson, of Chanlast week.

Miss Dorothy McMurtry and from their failure to agree on Mrs. L. D. Griffin were in Amarillo on business Saturday.





**Announcement** 



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#### \*BOUGHT AND PAID FOR BUT NOT RECEIVED"

Those were the words used by monthly benefit checks. John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo office of the Social fits of social security, while your cribe what happens when a work- of keeping the records, paying the er fails to show his social secu- tax and making the reports, "Mr.

gaarter rolls around," Mr. Sander- first day you report on a new some continued, "the company has job. By doing this, you not only to make its report of social secu- help him, but you will protect my numbers. names, wages, and your own social security account. tianes. If you have shown your

sectial security card to your boss, your name and number will be visited Mr. and Mrs. Wayne shown correctly, and you will Gerdes in Tulia Sunday. have that much more to your medit in your old-age and surwivors insurance account."

on what the records show. Wages that are not credited can't be used in determining whether a worker is insured. And wages that were not credited won't fatten the

"Since employees reap the bene-Security Administration, to des- employer gets nothing but the job

city card to each new employer. Sanderson concluded, "I urge you "When the end of a calendar to show your card to him the

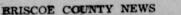
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lemons

Miss Dorothy McMurtry and Mrs. L. D. Griffin were in Ama-

Social security claims are based rillo on business Saturday.

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know at once.

### **Native Floridians** Make Money With Lowly Earthworms

BLOUNTSTOWN, FLA .- Florida is not all sunny beaches, sparkling ocean and wealthy merchants with hand outstretched for the tourist dollar.

In north Florida, far from the lucrative tourist marts to the south, hundreds of families depend upon the earthworm for a livelihood. These crackers call their enter-

prise "grunting" and some worm brokers are coining up to \$6,000 annually. Contrary to popular belief, good

fishing worms can't be found in an old back-yard.

Anglers have given up the early morning search for worms. They stop at a gas station on the way to the fishing place and stock up with bait already packaged in cardboard containers

Blountstown is the center of the worm industry. Most of the "grunting" is done by children, who get 15 cents to 25 cents per hundred worms for their labor.

The method is simple. The crews rub old automobile spring leaves over hardwood pegs driven into the ground. The vibration brings the crawlers scurrying out of their holes.

Andrew Coxwell, veteran grubber, sells on an average of 20,000 worms a week, collecting anywhere from 50 cents to 65 cents per hundred wholesale and 75 cents to \$1 retail.

He has the "worm rights" on 900 acres of land, for which he pays the owner 10 cent for every 100 worms dug up. The owner's not complaining. He paid \$3,500 for the acreage and in the first year his take was \$1,500 just from worm operations.

#### Missouri River Plays Hide And Seek With Home Owner

OMAHA, NEB. - Missouri river played a "now you see it, now you don't" trick on Rex Elwood of Omaha.

Elwood owned a two-story house on the west bank of Swenson island in the Missouri river opposite Fort Calhoun. It was there one day; the next day it wasn't.

A tenant, Mike Lamb, told Elwood he moved out when churning waters of the "Big Muddy" began nibbling at a corner of the foundation. Six months ago the river was

200 yards from Elwood's property

"Now," he said sadly, "I own a good section of river bottom." He attributed the loss to the diversion of the main channel near the head of the island.

Joe Cannon's 'Bargain' Coat **Brings Very Little Profit** 



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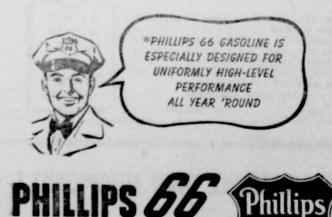
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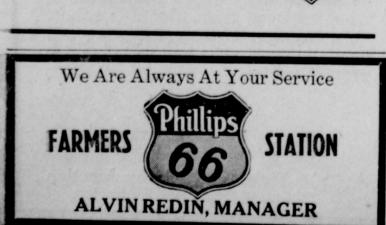
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GASOLINE



WASHINGTON, D. C.-Uncle Joe Cannon, former speaker of the house, was a notoriously shabby dresser.

Thinking that he should dress up to his position, his sister tried to persuade him to buy a new overcoat so, finally, one day on his way to the capitol, he stopped in a clothing store, priced garments and found overcoats for \$35 each. Indignantly he marched out, announcing he

could not be that extravagant. When the late Senator Watson, who was present, reported this to Cannon's sister that evening, she secretly handed him \$15 with the request that he visit the store and slip it surreptitiously to the overcoat man, thereby automatically reducing the price to \$20. She then persuaded Uncle Joe to stop again and price the garment, which he did. Discovering the cost was now \$20 instead of \$35, he bought one and wore it to his office on the hill. One of his confreres, impressed, saw it and remarked:

"You have a new overcoat, Uncle Joe. I would like to try it on." Finding it fitted, he turned to his friend and said:

"I'll give you \$25 for it, spot cash."

Speaker Cannon, thinking that he was making a shrewd bargain and a quick profit, accepted, put on his old coat and went home, reporting the developments to his sister, much to her dismay.

#### Sniff Expert Galled to Help Police Solve Perfume Puzzle

ATLANTA. - Samples of a perfume cache believed to be worth \$30,000 to \$50,000 were on the way to New York for evaluation by a 'professional sniffer."

Detective Sgt. Bill Lyle said the police hope an expert can determine the actual value of the perfume and perhaps tell where it was manufactured.

The perfume-300 41/2-ounce bottles-was found in an Atlanta hotel room. Lyle said local perfume dealers believe the unlabeled bottles contain an expensive perfume made in France. They estimated its value at from \$17.50 to \$22 an ounce, but referred police to a New York expert.

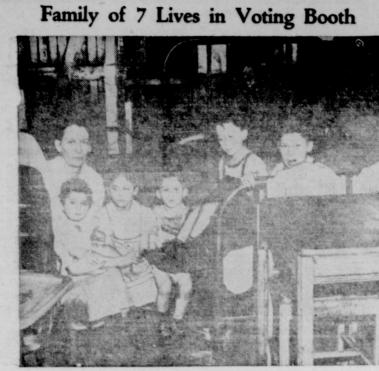
The detective said the perfume was found in a room rented to a man who paid his hotel bill but left town owing other bills totaling \$90. Lyle theorized that the perfume was smuggled into this country since no tax stamps were on the bottles.





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GE EIGHT



DETROIT. MICH.—(Soundphoto)—Mrs. Raymond Olle pictured with her five children living in a discarded voting booth which is, and has been their home since last July, although Mr. Olle is a \$60.00 a week factory worker and could pay good rent. The Olle family is one of three families living in the discarded voting booths because they are unable to find anything, at any price.

#### Hoover Asks Raise for President



WASHINGTON, D.C. - (Soundphoto) - Ex-President Herbert Hoover, left, urged Congress to increase the pay of the President by Government absorption of White House expenses and to "study" in-come tax exemptions for the Chief Executive. Hoover made his pro-posals to a Senate civil service committee headed by Sen. Ralph E. Flanders, (R) of Vt., right.



BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

#### THREE INCHES OF SNOW FELL MON-**Cantwell Wed to** DAY NIGHT

Miss Nina Zell Cantwell and A three inch snow fell Mon-Mr. Max H. Evans were married day night resulting in .14 of an last Sunday morning in the Rock inch of moisture which brought Creek Church of Christ. The the over-all total moisture for ceremony was held immediately Briscoe County to 3.30 for Janufollowing regular church services. ary. The brides father officiated at the A considerable amount of last

The bride is the daughter of three inches this week. The Mr. and Mrs. Earl I. Cantwell of weather forecast is for rain on the the Francis community and a south plains today and Friday. granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Montague of Silverton. She is attending West Texas State Attend Meeting in College in Canyon, this being her senior year.

Miss Nina Zell

Max H. Evans

The groom is also attending The bride was dressed in royal son, G. R. Dowdy, Jewel Lyon, continue their studies. blue velvet gown and blue hat Grady Wimberly and Ray C.

with black and gold accessories. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Tate, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bomar and Gaylia, spent Sunday with Mrs. Amarillo returned home Friday Ann Wood in Tulia. Mrs. Bomar night. is spending the week with her sister who is still confined to her

Floydada Tuesday Among those who attended the Floyd County Workers Meeting in make their home in Canyon and Floydada Tuesday were: Rev. G. A. Elrod, Mesdames Alvin Jack-

week's snow and sleet was still on the ground when we received the

Mrs. Mattie Perry who has been

visiting Mrs. Ruth Calvary in Mrs. Ware Fogerson, Mrs. Florence Fogerson, Stanley Ware Forgerson, Mrs. Pearl Simpson made

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Garrison urday. and daughters were dinner guests of the Don Garrison's Sunday.

bed.

a business trip to Plainview Sat-

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### ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. Shy wishes to announce the association of Miss Louise Stroud with the hospital staff.

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