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# BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

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THURSDAY, MAY 31, 1951

## Duff-Chism of Greenville-Dallas Doing Line Work

Construction crew of men representing Duff-Chism Construction Company of Greenville-Dallas, are here this week employed on new line construction for the Southwestern Associated Telephone Company who have plans under way which when finally carried out will result in a new and more modern Dial Phone System for Silvertton. Line post, and much other material has been stored and placed along the right-of-way in Silvertton during the past several days and this week men and line section equipment is here working the lines of the local phone company.

A more modern office building in the blue print stages and as soon as the proper arrangements can be worked out, Silvertton will have a new building to house the local telephone system which has been under consideration by the company.

## FARM NEWS

From the County PMA Committee

Practice No. 10 — Protecting summer fallowed acreage by managing crop residues, 60 cents per acre.

Applicable only to land from which no crop is harvested in 1951. This practice consists of leaving on surface or partially incorporating a heavy growth of stubble, straw, or other vegetation into the surface soil. The first tillage operation must be carried out not later than June 15, 1951.

Secure a written approval of the county committee before June 5, 1951 in order to be eligible for payment for the practice.

For the convenience of the farmers in Briscoe County the P. M. A. office will remain open from 9:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. from Monday through Friday, and from 9:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon Saturdays. We still have approximately \$45,000.00 available to pay for approved ACP practices for Briscoe County. Below are listed the approved practices for the county.

Practice 1, construction of terraces.

Practice 2, diversion terraces.

Practice 5, Subsoiling 8 inches and 12 inches.

Practice 9, Leaving on the land a protection against wind erosion, stalks or sorghums or ruidan until January 1, 1952—stalks must not be grazed.

Practice 10, Summer fallow acreage.

Practice 11, Contour listing or chiseling.

Practice 13, Deep plowing sandy cropland.

Practice 14, Controlle of bind-weeds.

Practice 18, Reorganization of irrigation systems.

Practice 19, Drilling well for live stock water on pasture land.

Practice 22, Constructing earthen dams.

Practice 25, Apply superphosphate to applicable crops.

Practice 29, Leaving on land or turning a good stand and growth of summer legumes.

Practice 30, Establishing a good cover of winter legumes.

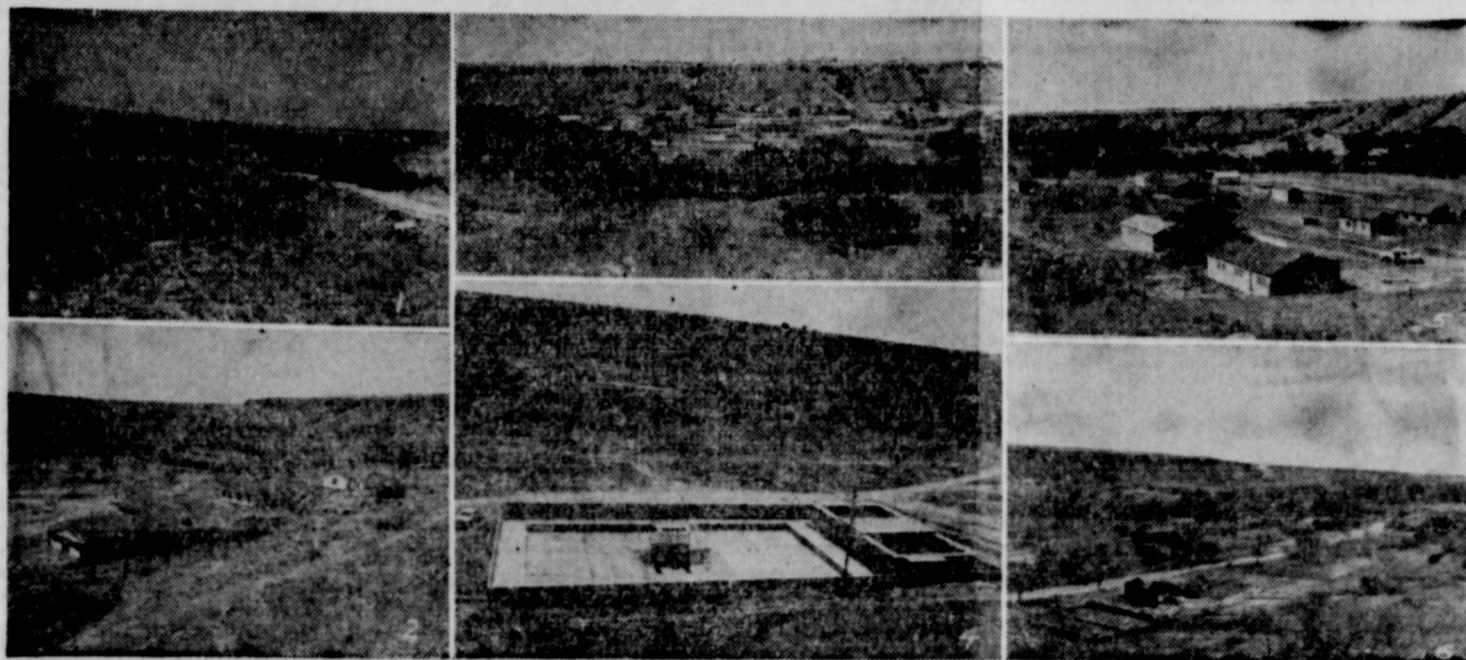
Practice 34, Eliminating mesquite or cedar.

Practice 42, Establishing permanent pasture.

We also have a practice approved for this county for spraying mesquite by airplane. If interested we will be glad to explain the practice if you will call at the P. M. A. office in Silvertton, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smylie, of Uvalde, Texas, spent part of last week with his sister, Mrs. O. T. Sunday.

Miss Marie Overstreet, of Clinton, Oklahoma, came Thursday to visit her brother, Billy Jones, and to attend his graduation exercises. Miss Overstreet returned to her home Saturday.



## July Is Camp Month for The Plains Baptist Assembly...Check the Dates

A new "city" for the south plains has emerged in Blanco Canyon five miles south of Floydada during the past three years. The newly created village is not the usual type of boom town, but rather one which has a population which changes from about 1,500 persons in the summer to only four permanent residents in the winter months.

The official name of this unique city of the area is the Plains Baptist Assembly. It is a camp which is being built by a cooperative program of the 170 Baptist Churches in 20 counties of West Texas. Permanent improvements include 42 cabins, a large tabernacle, a dining hall, and according to camp officials, one of the finest outdoor swimming pools in West Texas. The phenomenal thing about the camp is that construction of additional facilities continues at a rapid pace each year. Camp manager E. D. Morgan points out that there are nine cabins under construction at the present time.

The name—"cabin" is a misnomer in so far as the buildings which are owned by some of the churches is concerned. The First Baptist Church of Lockney, in Floyd County, is completing a building which will comfortably house 50 persons. As does most of the other cabins, the Lockney building has modern facilities.

Typical of most of the other church owned buildings, the labor is being furnished by volunteer workers. In addition to the large room which is to be used for sleeping quarters, the building will have a snack bar, a study for the pastor or counsellor, and a large indoor fireplace.

During the 1950 camping season, officials boast that the enrollment was the largest of any similar camp in the entire south. The youth sessions were attended by 3,554 children last year with an additional number of adult meetings being held. Judson Barnett of Levelland, president of the District Nine Brotherhood anticipates an attendance of about 1,000 men at the annual meeting of his group in July.

The location of the camp is said to be excellent because of the good cover of foliage of large cottonwood and hackberry and the rugged terrain of the canyon. The canyon also has some historical significance.

At the height of the summer camping season, as many as 1,500 boys or girls have participated in the activities of the Plains Baptist Assembly. Separate periods are provided for boys and girls of three day encampments at which an evangelistic and missionary theme is carried out along with swimming, hiking and other outdoor activities.

The large outdoor tabernacle, shown in the background of picture number 2, was the first building to be constructed on the 70 acre site. The directors have

made plans to enlarge the building with a 30 by 86 foot addition. The present building will seat a maximum of 1,200 persons.

During the height of the youth encampment season, the dining hall, which is shown in the left foreground of photo 2, uses about 12 full time employees, and has managed to feed up to 1,200 persons in an hour.

The 100' by 60' swimming pool, pictured in the lower center is an improvement to which officials of the camp point with pride. It is supplied with water from a 6 inch turbine pump only a few feet from the pool and may be filled in about 5 hours. A guest dormitory has just been completed this year for visiting ministers and camp personnel. It has, in addition to several bedrooms, a large lobby and 2 bathrooms. The building is shown in the lower left picture, just to the right of the dining hall. In the extreme right corner of the picture is the women's dormitory.

One of the greatest problems of the camp has been in securing a suitable road. District officials are now completing arrangements for a hard surface, all-weather road to the camp from highway 207, on the south side of Blanco Canyon. The present road into the camp is pictured in the upper left photograph, with the camp manager's home in the background.

Rev. L. A. Doyle, former pastor of the First Baptist Church of Floydada for a number of years, was one of the pioneers in getting the camp started. Rev. Doyle did much of the physical work on the camp in the early days, as well as many others of the assembly.

The assembly now has a full time manager and custodian, E. D. Morgan, who lives on the site of the camp all during the year. Morgan is a gracious host to the numerous visitors who come by at all times during the year to inspect this newest addition to the family of south plains communities.

Rev. J. H. Wright pastor of the First Baptist Church of Levelland is president of the Plains Baptist Assembly, and Rev. Hal Verner First Baptist Church, Petersburg, is camp business manager. Rev. F. E. Swanner, District Missionary has been active in the area in promoting all phases of the camp.

OWNED BY CO-OPERATIVE BAPTIST OF DISTRICT NINE

The Plains Baptist Assembly is owned by the Cooperative Baptist of District Nine. There are 20 counties in district nine. These counties are divided in the following associations: Brownfield Association 23 churches; Dickens Association, 11 churches; Floyd Association, 28 churches; Hockley-Cochran Association, 14 churches; Lubbock Association, 33 churches; Staked Plains Association, 22 churches; Terra Blanca Association,

18 churches; and West Plains Association, 23 churches.

There are approximately 15,291 members of the churches in district nine, and 172 churches.

July is the camp month for this year. General Camp, July 3-4; Mexican Camp, July 4-6; Intermediate Boys, July 9-11; Junior Boys, July 11-13; Junior Girls, July 16,18; Intermediate Girls, 18-20; Brotherhood Encampment, July 30-31.

## Cemetery Will Be Worked Memorial Day

George Seaney announced that most of the business firms would close Wednesday, Memorial Day, which has been the custom in Silvertton for many years, the day will be spent by many of the local people at the cemetery cleaning off the grounds. Others will spend the day in various ways enjoying a vacation.

## SAN JACINTO NEWS

Friday was the last day of school for this term. Patricia Culwell, James Anderson and Edwin Bice received diplomas from grammar school.

Mr. and Mrs. Forman are returning to their home at Pilot Point, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Heim visited in the Bullock home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Driskill, of Rush Springs, Oklahoma, visited her daughter, Mrs. Eugene Malone, the past two weeks.

Little Roland Flowers is recovering from the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dormon, Bobbie and Jimmy Bivens visited in the Woodrow Bice home Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Robert Knight are moving this week to their farm near Newlin, Texas.

## WYLIE BOMAR QUITS DAIRY BUSINESS AFTER 24 YEARS

Wylie Bomar, after having served Silvertton for 24 years and five months in the dairy business has announced that he is quitting business. Mr. Bomar said that due to labor shortage that he was unable to carry on, and had decided to quit.

After May 31, he will not serve any more customers, he stated.

## YOUNGS MOVE TO TURKEY TO MAKE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Young moved Monday to Turkey where they will make their home. Mr. Young has been employed at Turkey for sometime as carpenter, and he will continue to work at this trade. C. G. McEwen, Mrs. Young's son, has secured work in Plainview and moved this week to his job.

TRY A NEWS WANT AD

## Lions Club Will Hold Auction Sale Saturday, June 9

### Construction Work on Simpson Chevrolet Co Progressing

Construction work on Simpson Chevrolet Company's building has reached a stage which shows much progress on that nice large business home of the local automobile company.

The walls, roof and floor of the main building, has been finished and this week work is being done on the show room which faces the highway. The show room, when completed is to extend across the entire width of the building and will be of plate glass and steel frame. Several cars can be placed in this room at a time and have advantage of complete daylight for inspection of customers and automobile admirers.

### Texas Rural Roads Association Enriched By \$82,500.00

County and state highway funds were enriched by more than \$82,500.00 during the month of April, according to the monthly activities report just released by Kent Odum, Chief of the Department of Public Safety's License and Weight Division.

The report shows 2,147 truck owners paid fines during the month for overloading, operating under-registered vehicles, using unsafe and faulty equipment on the highways and for miscellaneous offenses. There were 1,973 arrests during the month of March 1951.

Since September, 1950, the beginning of this fiscal year, 16,086 arrests have been made by the Public Safety Department's 33 license and weight inspectors and more than \$668,000.00 in fines and additional registration fees have been collected. Over \$228,000.00 of this amount was collected from truck operators for carrying more weight than the truck had been licensed to haul.

D. C. Greer, State Highway Engineer, recently told the South Texas County Judges and Commissioners in convention at Laredo, that the State and Counties of Texas were losing approximately six million dollars a year because truck operators would not pay the registration fees on their equipment for the full carrying capacity up to the ten 48,000 pound gross weight limit.

The Legislature recently increased the gross weight trucks can haul upon Texas highways to 58,420 pounds, which could produce approximately \$90.00 more per vehicle in license fees each year, if truck operators could be compelled to register for the full amount of the weight they carry.

As a means of raising badly needed state and county revenue, the county judges and commissioners unanimously adopted a resolution asking the Legislature to look into this practice of truckers evading the payment of full registration fees.

Ross Wayne Dowdy, of Amarillo, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Dowdy.

Mrs. Guy Laney and daughter, of Happy, are visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Turnler.

Mrs. Catherine Skeen and daughter Miss Maud Dee Skeen, of Lubbock, attended the graduation exercises here Thursday night.

Mrs. Ruth Watley, of Amarillo, visited friends here Thursday and Friday night.

For the purpose of making money to be used by the Silvertton Lions Club to help improve the city of park of Silvertton and other civic improvements in the city, the Lions Club has announced that they will hold an auction sale on Saturday, June 9, on the courthouse square beginning at 10:30 a. m. Auctioneer will be Clarence (Hank) Matthews, of Anton, Texas, who will cry the sale for the club.

Anyone having anything they would like to sell at this auction is invited to bring it in and have it here for the sale. If you want to bring anything in before the date set for the sale, you are requested to see Leo White or Carl S. Crow.

There will be a 5% commission on everything above \$100.00 and 10% on anything below \$100.00. One-half commission on pass outs above \$25.00, full commission below \$25.00. Anything brought in, if you desire, should have a price set on it and if it doesn't bring as much as this price, it will be passed out.

The club already have a number of pieces of machinery promised that will be put in the sale, such as tractors, cultivators and other farm implements listed.

Seventy-five percent of the proceeds of this sale will be used on the city park in Silvertton, and the other 25% will go into the clubs funds for other civic improvements. Anything you have which you would like to donate for this sale will be appreciated by the Lions Club. Keep June 9, in mind and be on hand for the big auction sale.

## "At War With the Army" Playing June 3-4

At any army training camp, Dean Martin is the 1st Sergeant while Jerry Lewis, his pal and partner in a night club act in civilian life, is a private first class. Lewis is always getting into trouble and being assigned distasteful tasks. Martin takes advantage of his rank instead of making it easier for Lewis. Jean Ruth, one of Martin's many girl friends, comes to see him, but he ducks out.

In the confusion, Lewis ends up with an emergency furlough. Martin, who has been asking unsuccessfully for overseas duty, finally has himself broken to a private so he can go. But just then Lewis returns, his furlough cancelled, because the entire outfit has been alerted for overseas shipment. Pfc. Lewis makes Pvt. Martin carry his luggage.

Next week's program appears on page two.

## News Printed Early This Week

The Briscoe County News comes to you early this week due to the holiday Wednesday, Memorial Day. Most all the stores will be closed in commemoration of the day. The bank and postoffice will also be closed.

Warrant Officer Sid Christopher, wife and two children, of Camp Roberts, California, visited last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl S. Crow. They also visited his sister, Mrs. Fay Childress at Tulia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burleson and son, Joe, of Amarillo, visited her mother, Mrs. Avis Cowart from Sunday until Tuesday.

Esdel Hutsell made a business trip to Amarillo Thursday afternoon.



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## AGRICULTURAL POLICY STRESSED

The economics of agriculture is an increasingly recognized factor in the thinking and planning of operators of Texas farms and ranches. As never before they are conscious of the determining influence of such forces as international trade relations and price and income policies upon agricultural production and marketing.

Dr. Tyrus R. Timm, economist for the A. and M. College Extension Service, in 1950 conducted a series of group meetings, with county agricultural agent personnel represented, to study the extension work being done in agricultural policy. At the same time opportunity for more work in this field was considered.

The importance of American agriculture having a delicately balanced system of efficient farming, public relations farming, and political farming was emphasized at another group of meetings for farm and business leaders and county agricultural agents. Along with this discussion, expected changes in agriculture during the next 25 years was pointed out.

The most intensive program for tying public policy work with other phases in economics was in the case of the cotton "outlook" meetings. In addition to participating in fove disicret discussions, the economist spoke upon the place of cotton in public policies before the State Cotton Production Committee. Instead of following the usual practice of considering only the supply and demand factors directly associated with cotton, the discussions were placed in a broad context. Other topics considered included: The fact that farmers and ranchmen

do well during wartime but as an important economic group suffer sooner and more severely than other major groups afterward; the dollar shortage abroad; the government support mechanism.

Other discussions with county agricultural agents involved how farm families fared since the end of the office of price administration and since the war in Korea commenced. The Agricultural Act of 1949 and the Defense Production Act of 1950 also were considered.

The economist considers the inauguration of the first in-service training graduate course for county agricultural agents called "Government and Agriculture" as perhaps the most important development in the Extension Service's year program in agricultural policy. Fourteen agents and four Extension staff members enrolled.

During the year the Extension economist prepare dan outlook statement periodically called "Economic Facts and Opinions." This was primarily for the information of county extension agents. He served as a member of the National Agricultural Policy Committee sponsored by the Farm Foundation and as a member of the subcommittee for the Southern region. He also appeared before the economic section of the Southwestern Social Science Association of Chambers of Commerce Executives, as well as civic bodies and agricultural organizations within the state.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Estes, of Amarillo, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Summer last week.

Donald Rhea, of San Angelo, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rhea.

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## PERSONALS

Mrs. Cleo Bean underwent surgery in the Tullia hospital last week. She is reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chapman and family, of Farmersville, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar.

Herbert Davis of Amarillo, spent Friday and Saturday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis.

Arthur and J. C. Eurson, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, visited relatives and friends here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dickerson, Jr. and sons, of Blue Springs, Mo., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Dickerson.

Larue Gilkeyson, Stanley Price and Beffie Garvin are home for the summer after attending school at Tech College.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Martin and baby, of Lorenzo, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin and other relatives.

Forty-five farmer cooperatives were organized in 1950, not including health centers, cooperative hospitals and R. E. A. associations.

Farmers who have submitted soil samples to the Texas A. and M. Soil Testing Laboratory are finding that the results of the tests and the recommendations that go back to them from the lab are very useful.

Farmers should review their insurance needs in light of present day building costs and make needed adjustments.

Sit-down ironing saves effort, fatigue and time, yet many homemakers continue to stand while they do one of their most tiring jobs.

The total number of sheep in Texas in 1950 was about 2,800,000 fewer than the 1939-48 ten-year average.

Prompt cooling is absolutely necessary in producing milk with a low bacteria count.

A delicately balanced system of efficient farming, public relations farming and political farming is very important to American agriculture.

At the end of 1950, 19 cooperative health centers and nursing staffs along with necessary equipment were in operation in Texas.

**Irrigation Belt**  
**Baseball 1951**  
**Contest Schedules**

JUNE 3  
Tullia at Nazareth  
Silverton at Umbarger  
Hart at Vigo

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TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY,  
JUNE 5 and 6

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Dana Andrews, Susan Hayward in

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## Auction Sale

June 9, 1951

SILVERTON, TEXAS,

Starting at 10:30 a. m. under auspices of the Silverton Lions Club

SALE WILL BE HELD ON COURTHOUSE SQUARE.

Anyone having anything they would like to sell at this auction is asked to bring it in and have it here for the sale. There will be a 5% commission on everything sold above \$100 and 10% on anything below \$100. Full commission on pass-outs below \$25. One-half commission on pass outs above \$25.

TERMS, CASH.

Anything brought in, if you desire, should have a price set on it and if it doesn't bring as much as this price, it will be passed out. If you want to bring anything in before the 9th see Carl Crow or Leo White.

75% of the proceeds of this sale will be used on the city park and other 25% will go into the club funds for other civic improvements. Anything you have which you would like to donate for this sale will be appreciated by the lions club.

Col. Clarence "Hank" Matthews  
Auctioneer, Phone 4301, Anton, Texas  
Clerk to be Supplied.

## TULLIA DEFEATED SILVERTON 10-2 IN GAME SUNDAY

Tullia played Silverton here Sunday and the score was 10-2, in favor of Tullia. They reported a nice crowd out and the pitching was good, fielding poor.

Dick May, of Santa Barbara, California, visited part of last week with his mother, Mrs. J. H. May and other relatives.

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## VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER EMPLOYED BY BRISCOE COUNTY

To assist veterans and their dependents in all matters pertaining to their rights and benefits: Pensions, compensation, education and training, insurance, hospital care, and social security.

In courthouse at Silverton each Friday from 9:30 to 5 p. m. At American Legion Hall at Quitaque each Saturday from 9:30 to 5 p. m. Other days write or phone Paul Miller, Box 596, Tullia, Texas. Phone 348 or 53-J

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**PERSONALS**

Dinner guests Sunday in the McMinn home were: Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod, Mr. and Mrs. Al Ledbetter, Don and Ronald, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins, Amarillo.

R. C. Hutsell and son, Esdell, made a business trip to Lubbock Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Allison and Mrs. Sam Fields, of Flomot, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy S. Brown underwent major surgery in the Lubbock Memorial hospital Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Henry Heckman and Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Friel and son, Larry, of Umbarger, visited relatives and attended the graduation here Thursday night.

Mrs. T. A. McCutcheon, of Lubbock, attended the graduation exercises here last Thursday night. Her grandsons, Darrell and Dean Williams, were among the graduates.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy Brown and Mrs. Bruce Womack, made a business trip to Floydada and Cedar Hill Thursday.

Mrs. H. A. Simmons, Charles Ross and Karen, of Creswell, Oregon, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dickerson Thursday. They were on their way home after attending Charles graduation at Kingsville College, Kingsville, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Summers visited relative sin Crosbyton and Plainview recently.

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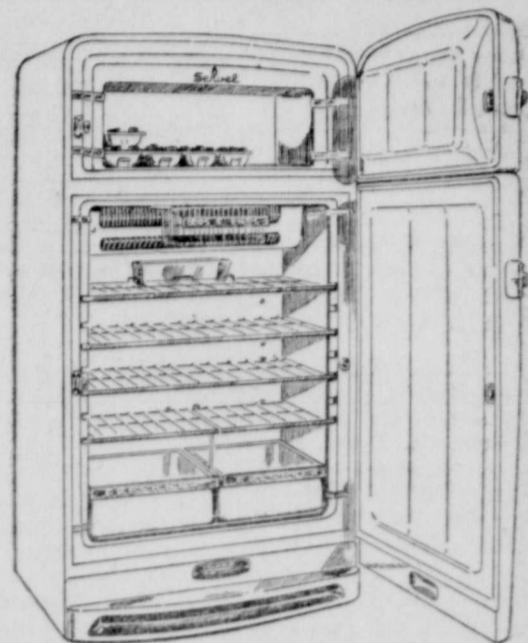
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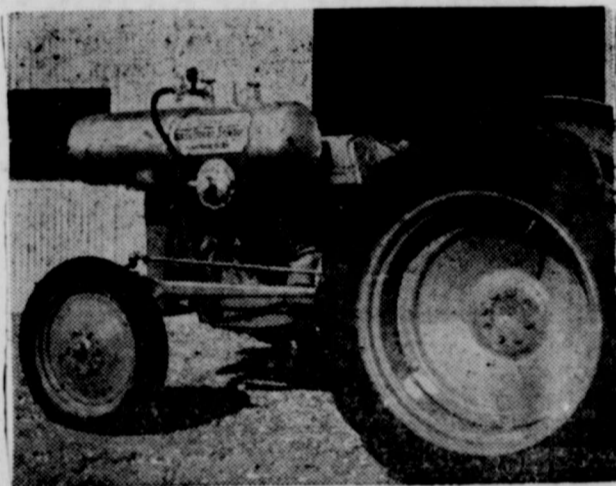
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**CARD OF THANKS**

We just want to tell you all how happy I am to be back home with my good neighbors and many friends. Who would like to live without friends—it would be sad indeed.

I don't have words to express how much I have enjoyed the many cards, letters and the beautiful flowers. It is such a wonderful place to live where people are so thoughtful of each other. May the Lord Bless you all. With all our love,  
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McMinn.

**Operation Marine Recruit Being formed at Lubbock Office**

Friday, June 1st will see the kick-off of "Operation Marine Recruit," by the Lubbock Marine Recruiting Office.

"Operation Marine Recruit" is another way of putting the enlistment of between fifty and seventy five south plains men to form the "South Plains Marine Recruit Platoon."

Master Sergeant Burnette the Lubbock Marine Recruiter, announced his intention to enlist the platoon today, with the following remark: "The inquiries received by my office about the possibilities of enlistment with another group like the 'North Texas Marine Recruit Company' from young men in this area, prompted me to request permission from our main office in Dallas."

In response to Burnette's request, Major E. L. Bale, Jr. Officer in charge of the Dallas Marine Recruiting District which includes Lubbock, said, "The interest shown in such a platoon as indicated by your report, is sufficient to warrant approval. Therefore the enlistment of a platoon to be known as the South Plains Marine Recruit Platoon, is approved."

TRY A NEWS WANT AD.

**Fogerson Lumber Co. Install New Foley Automatic Saw Filer**

Fogerson Lumber Company announce the installation of a new Foley Automatic Saw Filer at their yard this week. The new machine is built to sharpen both regular hand saws and circular saws, and at unbelievable speed.

In this issue of the News their ad appears telling of the new automatic filer. In construction the machine is worth your time for a first-hand inspection—see it in operation.

Roy S. Brown and son, Sam, Mrs. L. K. Gilkeyson, Mrs. C. C. Garrison, visited Mrs. Ray S. Brown at Lubbock Friday. She is a patient in a Lubbock hospital. Mrs. Garrison remained to visit her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bruce.

Mrs. Alice Dameran, of Lubbock, returned home Thursday after visiting with her sister, Mrs. T. D. Wallace and other relatives last week.

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**WANT ADS**

**FOR SALE; PIGS.** See Snooks 21-2tp  
**FOR SALE**—1939 Farmall 20 with the rollers and planters, good condition, \$600.00. See H. G. Hunter at Farmers Co-Op at Quitaque, Texas. 22-2tp  
**WANTED**—Real estate listings, farms, ranches and city property. Carl S. Crow, Phone 109-R. 20-tfc  
**FOR SALE**—Sweet Sudan Seed, cleaned and sacked. See Wylie 19-2tp  
**FOR SALE**—Sweet Sudan Seed, cleaned and sacked, \$10.00 for one hundred pounds. See R. E. Young 12 miles south of Silverton. 19-3tp  
**SEE ME** for Hospital Insurance; have some lots and houses for sale. Carl Crow. 20-tfc  
**FOR SALE**—Alfalfa Hay, real good stuff. See me at my farm. L. W. Francis, Phone 908-F-21. 21-2tp  
**WANTED**—Listings on irrigated and dry land farms and ranches. H. Roy Brown, office phone 46, residence 85. 45-tfc

**HAIL INSURANCE** on wheat and growing crops. Roy Teeter. 21-tfc  
**FOR SALE**—Two-bedroom house, modern, on pavement. See Roy Teeter. 16-1tc  
**GOOD FARM LOANS** — ROY TEETER, Phone No. 72. 5-tfc  
**FOR RENT**—Two Room House. See H. Roy Brown. 18-tfc  
**WATCH** — Blackboard at office for bargains. H. Roy Brown. 5-tfc  
**AUTOMOBILE** Insurance. See Roy Teeter. 7-tfc  
**FIRE INSURANCE** on City and farm properties. See Roy Teeter.  
 Money to loan on Farms and Ranches at 4½ Interest. See H. Roy Brown. 23-tfc

**Turkey Dry Cleaners!**  
 Leave clothes at City Shoe Shop for Turkey Dry Cleaners. Pick-up Tuesday and delivered Saturday afternoon. 3-tfc  
 If you want to sell a farm, see Roy Teeter. Phone 87-R  
 If you want to buy a farm, see Roy Teeter, Phone 87-R. 44-tfc

**PERSONALS**

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Martin were her sister, Mrs. G. L. Wilson, of Pampa, and her niece, Miss Capitola Wilson, of New Orleans, Louisiana, and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. McElroy, of Roaring Springs.  
 Mrs. Minnie Bell Montague, of Amarillo, and sister, Mrs. McEwin, visited here Sunday with relatives.  
 Mrs. Leroy Saul and children, of Kress, and Mrs. Vernon Garrison, of Tulia, visited in the Gabe Garrison home Sunday afternoon.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jones and daughters and Mrs. Le Perkins left Saturday night to visit relatives in Oklahoma for a week.  
 Mrs. Claudia Welch and baby of Estelline, visited relatives here last week.

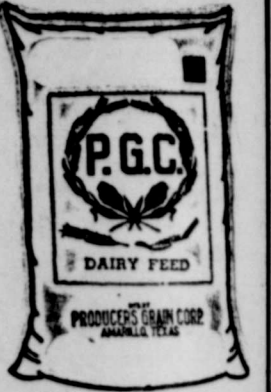
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sweek carried their little daughter, Vanita, to Memphis Saturday for a tonsilectomy.  
 Mrs. Rosie Kirkland, of Quitaque, is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Messimer.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Claggett Anderson, of Dallas, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. T. L. Anderson and sister, Miss Anna Lee, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Anderson, and Mrs. Ruby Elliston.  
 Mrs. Cner Cornett went to Plainview Monday to meet her son, Mickey, who has been attending school at the University of Texas at Austin.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Geo Seaney visited in Plainview with Mrs. S. A. Shearer who had the misfortune of breaking her hip. Mrs. Shearer formerly lived in Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porter are visiting relatives in Dalhart this week.  
 Mrs. Leo White returned from Lubbock Sunday where she had been with her father, E. S. Nelson, who underwent surgery last week. He is doing fine.  
 Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Austin, of Robert Lee, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Byrd.  
 Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod visited recently in Abilene with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lindsey.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Teeter spent the week end in Lubbock with her son an dfamily.  
 S. H. Brown, of Indian Gap, Texas, came Sunday afternoon to visit this week with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis and other relatives.

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**PERSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Byrd, of Happy, visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Byrd.  
 Mrs. Jim Bomar is in Lubbock with her daughter, Mrs. Roy S. Brown, who is a patient in the Memorial hospital.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edwards, of Happy, spent the week end with Mrs. A. G. Stevenson and Mrs. J. W. Bragg.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Alga Turner, of Turkey, visited her father, Mr. T. D. Wallace and Mrs. Jeff Simpson Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Martin and Mrs. Charlie Glover, of Clovis, New Mexico, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Glover. Little Darrel Glover returned home with his grandmother for a weeks visit.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Price and baby, of Lubbock, are here for a while and Jimmie is working at the lumber yard at the present.

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