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Five Dead In Plane Crash Near Here

The bodies of five air force officers were recovered from the wreckage of an L-20 plane found on the side of a rocky hill Friday morning about fifteen miles northeast of Silvertown. The plane, missing since Wednesday on a flight from Fort Oklahoma, to Clovis Air Base, was found Friday morning by Clayton Campbell, of the Civil Air Patrol. Campbell said the bodies of the officers were so badly burned that individual identification would have to be made by dental records. The pilots and observers who were in the search for the plane crashed into a portion of the hills known as the Caprocks. According to Capt. O. W. Kinney, an observer for the CAP, the plane would have cleared the rocks had it been 200 feet higher. She expressed the belief that heavy dust or a low altitude obstructed the pilot's vision.

The dead were: Major Harold Lehman, Major James T. O'Connell, Capt. Steve Obranovich, Lt. John J. Small, Second Paul R. Buckley.

Funeral services for John T. Neese, 78, at 2:30 p. m. Silvertown Methodist Church, officiated by Rev. G. A. Elrod and J. Cantwell. Interment was in the Silvertown cemetery under direction of Douglas Funeral Home.

Mr. Neese had been in ill health for some time. Recently he moved to a Lubbock hospital, and passed away there on Monday, March 15, 1956. He was born March 8, 1876, in Marshall County, Tennessee. In 1901 he came to Paris, Texas, where he was a cabinet maker for 17 years and later a finish carpenter. He was united in marriage July 1908 to Miss Daisy Bell Smith. This union five sons were born. He had been a member of the Methodist Church since 1906. In 1937 he and his family moved from Paris to near Memphis, Texas, where he farmed until 1954, when he moved to Silvertown where he lived until his death.

Survivors are his wife, and two sons, John T. Neese, Jr., and James, of Amarillo; Hollis Neese, Corpus Christi; George Neese, of Strathmore, California; and Paul Neese, of El Paso, Texas. Also surviving are sixteen grandchildren and six great grandchildren, and a host of other relatives.

Methodist Mens Club Organized at Local Church

M. G. Moreland, Lay Leader of the Silvertown Methodist church, called the men of the church together at seven o'clock for a regular meeting on Tuesday of this week to organize a Methodist Mens Club. Fifteen men were present to make the decision to meet the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month for breakfast.

The primary purpose of the club is to deepen the fellowship among the men and to increase their interest and knowledge of the program of the church.

Junior Class Sponsoring Pancake Eating Contest Friday, March 23 at Lunchroom

The Junior Class of Silvertown High School is sponsoring a Pancake Eating Contest Friday, March 23, at the school lunchroom. We want to officially settle the dispute of who is the pancake eating champion of Silvertown.

New 1956 Official Highway Travel Map Now Available

The new 1956 edition of the Official Highway Travel Map is now available. D. C. Greer, State Highway Engineer, announced in Austin today. The map has many new features and contains a wealth of information on Texas, Greer said. Most of the topographical relief was removed from the map last year so that more essential information can be read easily and quickly. The growth of the Texas Highway System at the rate of about 3,000 miles a year has made it necessary to gradually remove some of the less important information to make room for the increased mileage, he said.

In addition to the highways and the mileages between various points, the Travel Map shows state parks with recreational facilities, historical state parks, roadside parks, altitudes, and the Highway Travel Information Bureaus. The pictorial side of the map features scenes of general interest, both to Texans and out of state tourists, with every section of the state represented.

The Austin office of the Highway Department, the 25 district offices, and the seven Travel Information Bureaus near the state's borders all have maps available for distribution. Special map cards for requesting a map may be obtained at the tax collector's office when license plates are purchased.

Mrs. George Long Honored With Party On Birthday

Mrs. George Long was honored with a surprise birthday party Monday afternoon, March 12, at the First Baptist Church given by the Intermediate Girls Auxiliary following their regular meeting. She was presented with a piece of pottery as a gift. Angel food cake and lime sherbert were served to the following G. A. girls: Melba Loyd, Marjorie Autry, LaWanda Reid, Wilma Shipman and the honoree, Mrs. Long.

HOME FROM GERMANY
 Walter Bean, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bean, arrived home last Friday after having spent the past two years in service. Nineteen months of that time was in Germany. Mr. and Mrs. Bean enjoyed having all their family together Sunday for the first time in quite awhile.

UNDERWENT SURGERY
 Mrs. D. G. Shelton underwent brain surgery at the Baylor hospital, in Dallas, early last week. Her brother, Mr. John Turner, went to Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. Shelton. He called here by telephone later and said she was doing pretty well and if she continued to improve he planned to come home in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arnold and Lannie Arnold, spent the week end in El Paso, with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hamilton. They also visited Mrs. A. C. Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall at Forest, New Mexico.

Local Teacher And Students Attend Lecture

Twenty high school seniors and their sponsor attended a lecture in Plainview last Tuesday evening. The lecturer, Dr. George Schweitzer, is a science teacher in the University of Tennessee. He is also a radio-chemist for the Atomic Energy Commission at Oak Ridge, Tennessee. He gave five lectures in Plainview last week under the sponsorship of the Willson Lecture Series. This service has been provided by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Willson, of Floydada, for many Texas colleges. Dr. Schweitzer was at Texas Tech the week of March 11, and he is at West Texas State, Canyon, this week.

The group of local seniors had dinner in the Wayland dining hall and then visited student dormitories until lecture time. The following persons enjoyed the occasion: Sharon Gilkeyson, Mary Ann Martin, Evelyn Crowell, Ina Lou Grabbe, Mike Reid, June Rigby, Patsy Brannon, Helen McJemsey, Joy Strange, Helen Thompson, Pat Redin, Don Cornett, Buzz Bailey, Harold Edwards, Keith Whitfield, W. D. Rowell, Alton Riddell, Gene Minter, Doc Simpson and Mrs. A. L. Redin.

Donkey Basketball Game
 The Junior Class is also sponsoring a Donkey Basketball Game to be played in the gym. It will begin at 7:30 p. m., immediately following the close of the Pancake Eating Contest. The admission prices will be: 25c for children in the first six grades of school, 35c for Jr. High and High School students, and 50c for adults. We have several feature attractions in connection with the game, so be on hand for an evening of fun.

Annual Sweetheart Banquet Held Last Thursday Evening

About 120 Future Homemakers of America and their guests attended the annual Sweetheart Banquet Thursday evening in the high school study hall. Hawaii was the theme used for the banquet. Decorations of flowers, tropical fruits, stars, moon and water were in keeping with the Hawaii theme. FHA president, Mike Redin, was master of the Isles. FFA president, Bill Stephens, gave the response to the welcome.

Chorus, under the direction of Mrs. Fred Mercer, sang songs of old Hawaii, Pagan Love Song, Aloha De, and Lovely Hula Hands. Tina Weaver, Joni Self and Marsha Alexander entertained with Hawaiian dances. Mrs. Lem Weaver directed and Mrs. Fred Mercer accompanied them.

Mrs. Esther Sorenson, of Plainview, who is director of homemaking education, was the speaker of the evening. The banquet was prepared by the FHA members and their mothers. Eighth grade girls served. The chapter mothers, Mrs. Warner Reid, Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald and Mrs. Tony Burson, assisted by the homemaking teacher, Mrs. N. D. Nettleton, were advisors and helpers in all the details of the banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Biggs and Jim Biggs, of Plainview were visiting friends here Sunday afternoon. They came over especially to see the wreckage of the government airplane east of town. They called on R. L. Johnson.

Mrs. Lottie Hill and son and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hill and granddaughter, of Frisco, visited their daughter and sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gatewood and Joy, over the week end.

Mrs. J. E. Minyard and daughters were in Talia Monday afternoon; Mrs. Minyard went over to get her new glasses.

Soil-Water Loans Total \$19,800,000 During First Year

More than \$19,800,000 has been borrowed by farmers for soil and water conservation since this type of credit was made available a little more than a year ago, Walter T. McCay, Farmers Home Administration State Director for Texas said today.

Farmers used the loans to improve their farms and increase the efficiency of their operations. A report recently made by Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson shows that about 79 percent of the funds were used for irrigation, including the purchase of pumps and piping, the drilling of wells and the construction and repair of irrigation ditches and laterals. Irrigation systems were developed or improved for about 282,000 acres.

In Texas, through December 31, 1955, 85 percent of the \$2,280,000 loaned was used for irrigation. Irrigation systems were developed or improved for more than 34,603 acres. The remainder of the funds was used for such soil conservation measures as terracing and pasture improvement, and developing water systems for household use and farm livestock.

"We expect that during the coming months, and particularly in the Great Plains Area, farmers will use a larger portion of the funds they borrow to finance soil conservation measures," McCay said. "We have held a number of meetings in cooperation with Extension Service, Soil Conservation Service and other agricultural agencies to make certain that all farmers know that funds are available for soil and water conservation loans."

Private lenders provide most of the funds from which these loans are made. The Farmers Home Administration makes and services the loans and insures repayment of funds advanced. Farmers pay 41-2 percent in interest or in interest and insurance charges for the loans. The loans are scheduled for repayment within the shortest period of time consistent with the ability of the borrower to repay. The maximum repayment period on loans to individuals is 20 years.

To be eligible for a soil and water conservation loan, a farmer must have reasonable prospects of conducting successful farming operation. He must also be unable to obtain the necessary credit on reasonable terms from private lending sources.

Applications for soil and water conservation loans may be made at the county offices of the Farmers Home Administration. The local County Farmers Home Administration committee determines eligibility for these loans.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lowrey and Faye, of Canyon, were Sunday guests of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt. Mrs. Pat Northcutt, of Lubbock, was also a Sunday dinner guest. Mrs. Dave Kellum and daughters, of Torrington, Wyoming, have been house guests of her parents, the Northcutts, the past couple of weeks.

Mrs. Della Wallace and grandson, Billy Jones, were in Lubbock on Sunday. Mrs. Wallace visited her brothers and families, Messrs. and Mesdames B. T. Medlock and J. D. Medlock; Billy visited friends with whom he attended college.

Miss Lella Brown, of Amarillo, and Mrs. P. L. Brown were transacting business in Floydada on Tuesday off last week.



"Tim's Choice" Is John Deere Day Feature Picture on Program Friday by Local Firm

A full-length, all-color film will feature the John Deere Day Program to be held at the Palace Theatre on Friday, March 23. Ray Thompson Implement Company are to be hosts for the event.

Sharecroppers Come Under New Social Security Rules

Under new Social Security regulations, sharecroppers are considered self-employed individuals for Federal tax purposes according to John R. Sanderson, manager of the local Social Security District Office. A sharecropper is any person who works a crop for a share of that crop, if his share depends upon the amount of crops or livestock produced. This includes such persons known as half-hands, half-tenants, and half-croppers, providing their income also depends upon the amount they produce. Such self-employed persons must pay their own social security tax when they file their income tax return, even if no income tax is due. This tax amounts to three percent of their \$400 or more of net income.

Mr. Sanderson pointed out that the landowner's share of the crop is considered rental income and should not be included by the landlord in figuring his earnings for social security purposes.

Attend National Farmers Convention In Denver, Colorado

Edwin Crass and Scott Smithee left the early part of this week for Denver, Colorado, where they will attend the National Farmers Union Convention in that city. A number of outstanding speakers will appear on the program.

Mrs. Susie Wallace returned home last Friday after a weeks trip to Tucumcari, New Mexico, where she visited relatives and transacted business.

FHA Annual Dress Revue at High School Auditorium Tonight

The Future Homemakers of America annual dress revue will be held tonight (Thursday) at the high school auditorium beginning promptly at 7:30. According to Mrs. Nettleton, instructor, there will be 100 garments modeled on this night. Mrs. Fred Mercer will furnish music for the occasion.

All the FHA students will model their garments, and there will also be a revue of small children's garments. Following the annual dress revue, the Silvertown Lions Club will hold a contest to select a club sweetheart. This contest is open to unmarried girls.

Five Additional Films
 Among the five additional films that are to be shown, according to Ray Thompson, is a new Gordon family picture, "A Lease for the Future." The Gordon family, headed by stubborn old Tom Gordon, has long delighted John Deere Day audiences everywhere. Again this year Tom extends himself in creating exasperating situations to the despair of his family and friends, only to let his crusted but tender heart show through at last. The audience will again want to shake Tom till he rattles, even as it laughs at his dour comedy.

"Oddities in Farming" is the title of another film to be shown John Deere Day guests. It is the latest edition of a series which began six years ago and has proved increasingly popular. This year, the roving cameraman will take the audience to the wild ricefields of Minnesota, where it will witness the ancient Indian custom of harvesting wild rice. Included also in this film is the winter rhubarb harvest and mushroom farming—both unusual but important agricultural pursuits.

Still another film to be shown on John Deere Day is "What's New for 1956", a presentation of all the new farm machinery which John Deere will make available for the coming year. Highlighting this line-up of modern equipment will be the new John Deere "80" Diesel Tractor, a new anhydrous ammonia applicator, a new hay conditioner, the new No. 30 Combine, the new 21-foot Double Action Disk Harrow and, of course, many other machines designed to cut farm operating costs and to permit greater leisure time for the modern farmer. In addition, several other interesting and educational films round out the program.

Siy Scott, of Groom, who lived here several years ago with his nephew and family, the Dillard Scotts, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. King Sunday afternoon.

USE THE CLASSIFIED FOR RESULTS

Professor Believes Too Much Leisure Time Poses Problem

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.—Leisure time can be a liability and for the first time in the history of America, or any other nation, the average U.S. worker has more leisure time than working time.

"And this," says Fred M. Coombs, professor of physical education at the Pennsylvania State University, "can lead to a degeneration such as has befallen nations of the past which have achieved great amounts of leisure time for their peoples."

Pointing to a great need for increased recreational facilities, Coombs explains that the creation of such facilities can have lasting benefits, not only for individuals, but for communities and the people as a whole.

Citing the example of Lake Wallenpaupack, an artificial lake developed in Northeastern Pennsylvania, Coombs says that it not only provides recreational benefits, but has increased real estate values of the area 300 times. Vacationists spend \$4,000,000 annually there and now 1,100 cottages are found where there had been 100 houses.

Individuals can do much about their own recreation by interesting themselves in hobbies. He suggests hobbies in which the individual is a participant rather than a spectator, one in which he can be successful since it's no fun to be a dud, and one that the individual can afford.

Family hobbies and activities are important, Coombs believes, since "the family that plays together, stays together."

Blushing Fashion In 16th Century

LOS ANGELES—A lady had to be a lady in the 16th century.

In the eyes of Barnaby Rich, a soldier turned author who earned fame in Queen Elizabeth's day as an expert on the fair sex, any woman who "powders her periwig, paints her face . . . and deformeth her selfe every day with new fashions" was anything but a lady.

Rich first achieved fame in 1581 with a best-selling collection of stories dedicated to "the right courteous Gentlewomen, bothe of Englande and Irelande." One of his firmest convictions was that any woman who couldn't blush was not an honest woman.

In fact, wrote Rich, it should be enough to make an honest woman blush merely to image that she cannot blush.

He maintained in his books that his criticisms of women were based on scientific investigations. According to Dr. Paul A. Jorgenson, associate professor of English on the Los Angeles campus of the University of California, and author of an article on Rich, the early authority on women was soundly beaten on at least two occasions in Ireland by angry husbands.

Scientist to Rescue Of 'Batty' House

COVINGTON, Ky.—The household of Mrs. Royal Atkinson was in a constant uproar for more than a week. The place was batty, with bats all over the place. They flitted into the living room at uncomfortable times, causing embarrassment.

Then she read in a newspaper about a woman scientist at the University of Cincinnati who was crazy about bats—even kept them in her refrigerator, for scientific purposes.

Mrs. Atkinson got in touch with Dr. Elizabeth Smith. Dr. Smith's arm was in a cast, but nevertheless she had easy pickings gathering up the bats. She found 22 of them, 11 of them babies, in two clusters at one end of the attic wall. She plucked them off with ease, weighed them, tagged them and then turned them loose in a barn that was already a bat hang-out.

Crows Won't Bother Stringy Melon Patch

CROWS WON'T BOTHER—guide WINNSBORO, La.—Crows are smart, but they're also superstitious, says Hub Dear.

This, he points out, makes them a cinch to keep out of watermelon patches. Just drive stakes at intervals through the patch and stretch string from stake to stake.

"Thinking the string is some kind of trap, he will not light in the patch where the string is placed," said Dear. "The crow is a smart bird but he is also very superstitious."

SEWING MACHINE DEMONSTRATION

We will give a demonstration at Tiffin's Variety Store of the Necchi and Elna Sewing Machine, Friday, March 23. Come in and see demonstration. 12-1tc

NEW HOME FOR SALE

Contact W. A. Amburn, Box 775, Lovington, New Mexico, if you would like to own a new two bedroom, den, home with plenty of built-ins. 1260 square ft. floor space, carport and outside storage, plus shrubs, fence and concrete drive. You can't replace for price asked. With or without drapes and airconditioning. Located two blocks from downtown Silverton. 10-1tc

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Goodyear Tires, Dayton Belts, Perfect Circle Rings, Antifreeze, Fram Oil Filters, Automobile and Tractor Supplies. Silverton Auto Parts, Phone 2121. 4tc

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Your cattle will do better on less feed if you keep them sprayed for lice, grubs and ticks. See me for all kinds of spraying. Snooks Baird. 9-tfc

I HAVE a W. W. Branding chute on wheels that I lease or hire. It makes doctoring or working cattle easy. Snooks Baird. 9-tfc

FOR SALE—Milk Cows. See J. F. Bingham, Phone 3666, Silverton, Texas. 10-tfc

CARD OF THANKS To all the many kind and thoughtful friends who have been so helpful to us during our recent bereavement, we express our most sincere and heartfelt thanks. Words are not adequate to state our full appreciation. Your thoughtfulness has brought us consolation in our hour of grief. Mrs. John T. Neese and sons.

Mrs. Clarence Anderson and Susan spent Sunday and Monday in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Miller spent Sunday afternoon with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Dickerson, in Canyon; their daughter, Jackie, returned home with them after having spent the week with her grandparents.

Mrs. T. L. Anderson and Miss Anna Lee Anderson visited relatives in Kress Sunday. Mrs. Anderson's sister, Mrs. Emma Waller, returned home with them for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. Flora Dickerson, who has been ill for sometime, is not recuperating satisfactorily; she is staying in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Barney Anthony, and Mr. Anthony, near Canyon.

Misses Pat Patton and Ruby Underwood, of Plainview, spent the week end here with home folks. Pat was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Patton; Ruby visited her mother, Mrs. John Bean, and Mr. Bean.

Mesdames Leo Comer, Buddy and Wiley, Jr., Robert and Lavinia were in Lubbock Saturday on business.

L. E. Paige and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Paige were week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Paige.

Mrs. M. L. Porter is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Hancock, in Lubbock. Mrs. Hancock came for her mother the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Montague and Ted Hancock were in Lubbock on Sunday. They attended the stock show where Ted Hancock had a 4-H Club calf showing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brooks and children, of Borger, spent the week end here with his mother, Mrs. Bud Brooks, and other relatives. Mr. and Glen Lindsey were also Sunday dinner guests of her mother, Mrs. Brooks.

Rev. and Mrs. James P. Patterson and Wendell were in Lubbock visiting last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Vaughan, of Adrian, are the parents of a baby son, Rondie, who was born February 29, in a Hereford hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Veral Vaughan are the baby's grandparents; Mrs. John Vaughan is his great grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Smith, of Lockney, visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roy H. Brown, Sunday afternoon.

A family dinner was enjoyed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Eddleman Sunday. Guests were: Messrs. and Mesdames Elbert Dickerson, Winston Hamilton and Freddie and Edwin Dickerson and children. The dinner was in honor of two birthday anniversaries of members of the family which occur in March.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gray and son, of Frederick, Oklahoma, were Sunday guests of her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams.

Mrs. Alton Steele returned home from a Lubbock hospital on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Joe Ziegler, San Diego, California, arrived home last Wednesday night. Riley has just completed his time in the navy. They plan to farm here. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Zeigler, met them in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Moore and daughters, of Dill Oklahoma, were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams and family last Friday.

Jimmy Lyn and Rodney Mills, of Amarillo, spent most of the last two weeks here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Gatlin and family.

Mrs. Ed McMurtry and Herle, of Vigo, were Sunday afternoon visitors with her sister and husband, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Sedgwick.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hyatt, Sr., were in Tulsa Sunday afternoon where they visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Hyatt, and his uncle, Claude Hyatt, at the hospital; Mr. Claude Hyatt has been critically ill in the hospital for nine weeks and there seems to be no improvement in his condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunt were in Amarillo on Monday where they transacted business and visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hunt and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Lea, of Roswell, New Mexico, visited her mother, Mrs. J. B. Lanham, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mallow on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vaughn and Roy Wayne at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hester, of South Plains are moving back to Silverton; Mr. Hester has been advised by his doctor that he should leave the farm because of his health.

SCOTCH TAP DISPENSERS and tape at Briscoe County News office.

SCRIPTO PENS \$1.00, at The Briscoe County News office.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Long were in Tulsa on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Middleton, of Amarillo, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Badgett on Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. Neese is visiting with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neese in El Paso.

Mrs. Glenn McWilliams transacted business in Quitaque Monday.

Mrs. John Vaughan is spending a visit with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herschal Vaughan, in Hollis, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn spent the week end in Amarillo with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Cocanower, of Byers, were week end guests of his niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Fleming.

Mrs. John F. Furby has been here several days. She is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Mercer.

Miss Ann Weaver and Doug Coleman, students at Texas Tech, Lubbock, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver and family Sunday.

Messrs. O. C. Maples and B. A. Thomas and Allen were in Plainview and Floydada on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Zeigler and Mrs. B. A. Thomas were in Tulsa Sunday afternoon to visit Mrs. Roy Vaughn and Roy Wayne at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry D'Sp McLean, were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams and family on Monday.

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Dr. Lynn McCann OPTOMETRIST Phone 5-2262 Tulsa, Okla. 212 North Maxwell

Mrs. Lenna Nettles, recently injured in a accident in New Mexico is at Albuquerque hospital reported as doing as well as expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlan and family, of Amarillo, Sunday dinner guests brother and family, Mr. Obra Watson. They Mr. and Mrs. J. S. W. Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Turner afternoon.

Larkin Vardell has been in the Santa Fe Hospital, Topeka, Kansas for some time with a back injury. Larkin son of Mr. and Mrs. J. dell.

H. Roy Brown went to view on Monday and back six gallons of lady turn loose on his wheat of town. He hopes they the green bugs. It is that Mr. Brown wants

Rusty Arnold and Mrs. Melvin Yancy, and of Tulsa, were in Amarillo Saturday. Rusty went had new glasses fitted. Yancy returned home grandfather and is spending week here.

Billy Don Stevenson left rillo by plane on Sunday port to the Navy in West D. C. He has been here two weeks leave with his Mr. and Mrs. James S. and other relatives and

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mrs. Roy Morris were rillo on Wednesday of last where Mr. Morris had treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. George spent Sunday in Amarillo their son and family, Mrs. Cecil Seaney.

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THANKS... We wish to thank each and everyone who came and made our WHIRLPOOL WASHER AND DRYER DEMONSTRATION A Success. There were 68 Registered. We especially want to thank the Haylake Club ladies who sponsored the show. SEANEY HARDWARE AND APPLIANCES, INC. DR. O. R. McINTOSH OPTOMETRIST 211 South Main Street. Phone 157 FLOYDADA, TEXAS

LECTURESHIP PROGRAM Church Of Christ Silverton, Texas March 26---30 8:00 P. M. THEME Obligations And Opportunities Subjects Speakers Date Attending Every Service - - - - Gordon Downing, Floydada - - - - March 26 Teaching God's Word - - - - Thomas McDonald, Lockney - - - - March 27 Giving Bountifully and Cheerfully - - - R. M. Williams, Silverton - - - March 28 Worshipping In Spirit And In Truth - - - Paul Epps, Tulsa - - - - March 29 Developing Leaders (Elders, Deacons & etc.) D. C. Lawrence, Dimmitt, March 30 WE COVET YOUR PRESENCE AND PRAYERS IN THIS GOSPEL EFFORT

Picture of a Man with Troubles

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- Nobody asked him if he wanted to come here to live
- Somebody signed his name to a note for \$1700 worth of National Debt
- He isn't big enough to enforce his rights
- And a lot of people in his community have

The City-Shopping Habit

... a disease which, if let to gain too much headway, can short-change him on schools, churches, friends, neighbors, and his old man's pay check.

And he's helpless to do anything about it - until, when he grows up, he has to take off and try to find opportunity somewhere else . . . in the far places where his neighbors have scattered the community substance which Providence entrusted to their care.

We often hear folks around here complaining that our young people nearly always have to hunt their fortunes in other places because we don't have opportunities for them.

Home-spent dollars create those opportunities . . . help to keep our sons and daughters content and prosperous in our own midst.

Let's Give Our Junior Citizens a Better Break

Small communities . . . like this one of ours . . . are the finest places in the world for youngsters to grow up. They are the strongholds of the real American way of life and our country's greatest source of leadership.

Away from the regimented bee-hive life of the cities, a child has a better chance to develop the broad and independent viewpoint that makes useful leaders.

But . . . if we keep our small communities intact, with good schools and churches and comfortable living standards, we're going to have to slow down on the Great Give-Away . . . small town people giving away their community assets to Big-City business.

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Old Ledgers Give Peek Into 1776 Army Medical Kit

WASHINGTON—Epsom salt, glauber's salt, castor oil, mercurial ointment, adhesive plaster, and cinchona bark were among the drugs used most during the American Revolutionary War, according to information confirmed through the examination of some 1776 account records of a Philadelphia apothecary shop.

The story of how the American Revolutionary Army was crippled by lack of medical supplies and by internal feuds within the medical department has been previously reported, but information about the all-important regimental medicine chests used by the Continental Army has been sketchy. The complete inventory of some 20 medical chests that were furnished the Continental Congress for the newly organized regiments from New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virginia and North Carolina have been revealed through the study of the Waste Book of the Marshall Apothecary Shop, which is preserved in the Historical Society of Pennsylvania.

The records show that cathartics were the leading medicine employed by the American forces of 1776. The regimental chest included 10 pounds of epsom salt; 10 pounds of glauber's salt; 1 1/2 pounds of castor oil; 1 1/2 pounds of aloes; 2 pounds of jalap; and 1 pound of rhubarb. Sedatives were few, including only 8 ounces of opium and 12 ounces of tincture of opium for an entire regiment. Cinchona bark, from which quinine was later discovered, was in wide use, 4 pounds being contained in the Continental chest.

Surgical dressings included 10 pounds of tow (a type of cloth wrung out of hot water and applied as a stupe); 3 pounds of lint (a dressing made by scraping old linen cloth); and 6 pounds of adhesive plaster.

Caterpillar Not Immature Butterfly

WASHINGTON—Few phenomena in nature have stirred more general interest than the transformation of the somewhat repulsive "worm" into the beautifully colored winged insect, but the real marvel is the previous transformation of insect into "worm," which, since it takes place inside the egg, nobody ever sees to wonder about.

It often has been assumed that the wormlike form represents some earlier rung in the evolutionary ladder through which the insect race progressed in the ancient days of life on earth and which each individual must repeat in a somewhat telescoped fashion before birth. Thus man and higher mammals are supposed to pass through stages of their vertebrate ancestry before birth. In the case of the insects, it is speculated, part of this embryonic development takes place outside the egg.

This is contrary to fact, says Dr. R. E. Snodgrass of the Smithsonian Institution. He says the caterpillar is not an immature butterfly. In some way not understood the insect egg becomes two animals, each independent of the other and each of which is born, leads its own life and perishes. The various body cells which are to become a young butterfly are contained, in an inactive, non-developing form, in the body of the caterpillar.

Road-Wear Students Earn College Degree

PITTSFIELD, Mass.—Would you travel 86,000 miles for a college degree?

Two Pittsfield men have commuted that distance between here and Troy, N.Y., during the past 10 years to study at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute. They received bachelor degrees in mechanical engineering during recent commencement exercises.

The men, Leonard R. Spencer and William E. Fessender, both 38, attended evening classes at R.P.I. three nights a week since 1945. That's the time required under the evening program to complete the regular four-year academic course in mechanical engineering.

New Guinea Tribesmen See First White Man

CANBERRA, Australia—A patrol into the interior of Papua has found a tribe of wig-wearing warriors who had never before seen a white man.

A report issued by the New Guinea Administration said the tribesmen, known as the Duna, wear wigs and long beards which give them a Biblical appearance.

Missing Million

CHICAGO—City Treasurer Morris B. Sachs says he found \$1,000,000 the City of Chicago didn't know it had.

He said the money was found in one of the City's bank accounts during a routine examination of records. It had been there between five and eight years, he said.

Footloose Folks Still Following Greeley's Advice

NEW YORK—"Go West, young man," Horace Greeley advised his contemporaries of the 19th century. With the 20th century more than half over, the mass westward migration Greeley helped promote is still going strong.

Over the past 15 years there has been a marked shift of population to the Far West, principally from the South and Midwest, with California gaining more people through migration than any other state.

From 1940 through June 1945, when defense production was booming in California, the net migration of civilians to that state averaged 385,000 a year, but even in recent years the average has been 284,000 a year. As a result of this movement and a sustained high birth rate, California gained 1,988,000 in population from April 1950 through June 1954—almost one fifth of the increase in the entire country for those years.

During the same period a number of other states have had substantial gains in population through migration. Florida averaged 130,000 annually during those years; Michigan averaged 52,000; New Jersey 44,000; and Arizona and Ohio 38,000 each.

By contrast, Pennsylvania and seven southern states—West Virginia, North Carolina, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, and Arkansas have been losing 30,000 or more persons annually by migration since 1950.

The principal cause of migration is job opportunities, although in recent years there has been an increase for older, retired people to settle permanently in milder climates, particularly in Florida and Southern California.

First Deathless Congress in Years

WASHINGTON—For the first time in more than 20 years, no members of the Senate or House died during the session which ended last August 3.

The year before there were nine deaths among senators and representatives.

One member-elect of the 84th Congress, Dwight Rogers of Florida, died in December before Congress convened in January. His son, Paul G. Rogers, was elected to succeed him.

Not since the house membership was increased to 435 more than two decades ago had there been a session of Congress during which no senator or representative died.

Since 1929, when the practice of conducting annual memorial services for deceased members started, an average of 10 members have died each session.

As reflected by the memorial services, the peak number of deaths was 21 Senators and House members in 1937. The lowest was previously 3, in 1943.

Drive-In Movies Try Gimmicks for Crowds

PITTSBURGH—The popcorn machines that have kept millions of Americans contented at the movies are giving way to more spectacular gimmicks in the campaign to lure customers into drive-in theaters.

Drive-ins along the shores of Lake Erie have gone in for complete restaurants where you can get pizza, shrimp rolls, chicken in a basket, along with the usual popcorn and candy.

Even baby sitters are provided to watch over children while their parents relax in their automobile to watch the giant outdoor screens. Some theaters have playgrounds with merry-go-rounds, swings and scenic railways.

One enterprising outdoor-theater owner near Pittsburgh went the limit—by stocking a pond with trout and building a swimming pool for overheated patrons.

Animal Reaction to High Flight Recorded

MINNEAPOLIS—Mice and guinea pigs which soared almost 25 miles above the earth in a free balloon ride landed safely in North Dakota after a 26-hour flight.

The flight was conducted by Winzen Research, Inc., for the Air Force to determine the animals' reaction to high altitude.

The plastic balloon, tall as a 25-story building, landed near Crosby, N.D. 26 hours after leaving International Falls, Minn.

The balloon attained an altitude of 125,000 feet. Defense sources in Washington said monkeys and mice were rocketed to 400,000 feet in March, 1952.

Sneak in Sink

ST. LOUIS—Mrs. Richard Godier went to her kitchen sink to wash the dishes.

The sink was clogged. As she poked around, up popped a snake. Mrs. Godier did the natural thing—she screamed. Her husband came running and captured the 10-inch garter snake.

Earlier-Than-65 Retirement Plans Held Unlikely

MINNEAPOLIS—An industrial pension plan which provides an average worker with a life income of \$100 a month if he desires at 65, would only yield him \$70 a month if he retired at age 60. But the same program, if based on retirement at age 70, would yield him \$148 a month, reports the family economics bureau of a National life insurance company.

Agitation for programs of retirement at younger ages such as 60 run into two main objections, says the report: The heavy added cost of providing a given income beginning at 60 instead of 65, and the vast loss in output of goods and services.

Present trends are in the opposite direction. When the figures in a recent U.S. Department of Labor study of 300 industrial pension plans are analyzed, they reveal that of the nearly 6,000,000 workers covered, 42 per cent are under plans which have no compulsory retirement age, and 46 per cent who do come under fixed-retirement-age provisions nevertheless can be retained on the job beyond the specified age under certain conditions.

Of the remaining 12 per cent, 4 1/2 per cent must retire automatically at 65, 5 per cent must retire at 68, and the remaining small fraction at various other ages from 66 to 72. None of the plans calls for retirement prior to age 65.

To provide a male worker with a life income of \$100 a month starting at age 60 requires a pension fund of \$17,700. If the income begins at 65 the fund must contain \$15,150. If not until 70, a fund of \$12,700 will do it, the insurance company's report says.

More Ball Players Wearing Eyeglasses

CHICAGO—White Sox outfielder Bob Nieman thinks almost 50 per cent of the major league players could play better baseball with the help of eyeglasses. It's pride that makes them go without, but they'll change when they learn that spectacles can raise their earning power.

"When you need them," says Nieman, "glasses certainly help you pick up a line drive quicker and add 10 or 20 points to that batting average."

Among the players now wearing specs is Del Ennis of the Phillies, who took them up after his batting average slumped, is well satisfied with their effectiveness. He and Nieman agree that the only drawback is a little fogging up when it's necessary to flip sun glasses over the corrective lenses. Catcher Stan Lopata, first baseman Earl Torgeson, and infielder Bob Niece-lotta also use spectacles.

Other well-known eyeglass-wearers are pitchers Bob Rush and Jim Brosnan, catcher Clint Courtney, outfielders Harry Elliot and Bill Virdon, Yankee shortstop Phil Rizzuto and pitcher Jim Konstanty.

Catching Snakes Fun For This 16-Year-Old

FRANKLIN, Va.—Snakes are fascinating to most small boys, but Joe Chase, a 16-year-old schoolboy finds them both interesting and profitable.

The female members of Joe's family naturally dislike the hobby he has pursued since the age of 9, when he began catching snakes. He has since caught thousands of them, both harmless and dangerous, and sold them from 50 cents to \$10 each to zoos and private snake farms.

Joe has been bitten by some non-poisonous snakes. His only encounter with a dangerous snake came when a big cottonmouth moccasin struck his hand once—but the fangs hit his fingernails and didn't puncture the skin.

More Than Verse on New Greeting Cards

BOSTON—They're jazzing up greeting cards these days with more than a cheery or sympathetic verse.

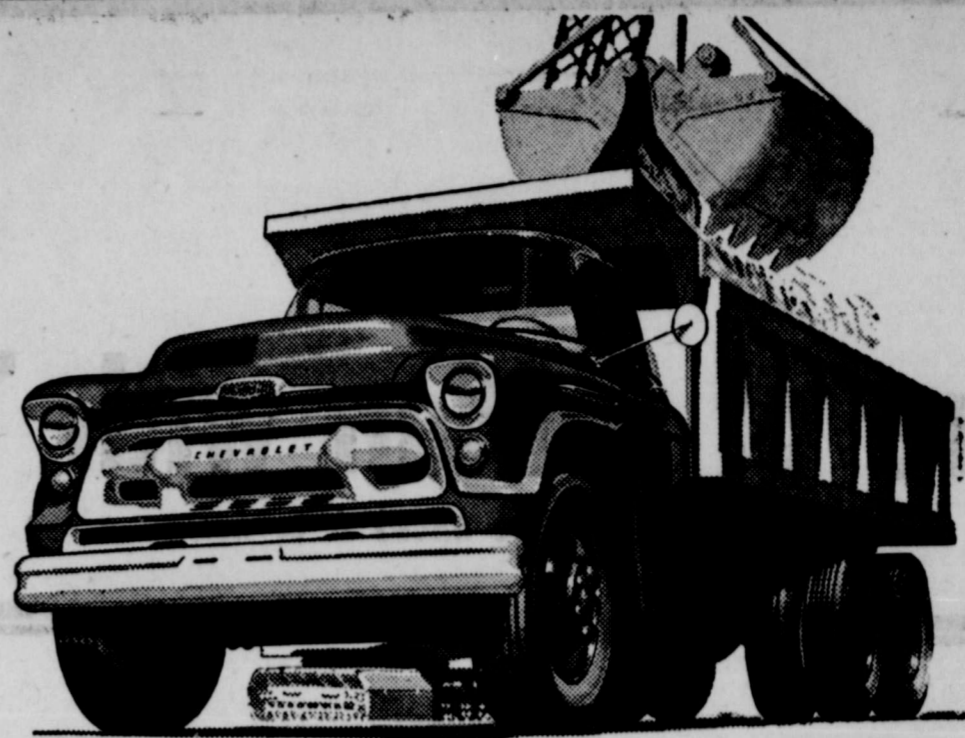
For example, one firm plans to use on its cards this year: 1,500,000 wedding rings, miniature water and whiskey bottles, and similar trinkets.

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Atoms for Peace

CHICAGO—The Armed Forces are seeking ways to harness the atom in small ways for peace and defense as well, says a report from the Illinois Institute of Technology.

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F. F. A. NEWS

Local FFA Boys attending the Lubbock Fat Stock Show are: Don Cornett, Robert Hill, and Harold Edwards.

Doit has entered two lambs and one calf. He sold two calves in the sifted sale. He did not place.

Robert has two medium Hereford steers placed in the show. He placed 15th and 20th in a class of 47. Harold went along to help.

These boys certainly enjoyed their stay at the show.

Deleath Peugh, Chapter Reporter.

Mrs. J. B. Sweek left for her home in Mineral Wells on Sunday after having visited relatives here for sometime. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sweek and Ronda took his mother to Rotan to catch the bus.

The personnel from the lunch room at the local school recently attended the annual luncheon at the Palo Duro high school in Amarillo. Over three hundred women of this district attended. Local women attending were Mrs. Opal Dickenson, Mrs. Georgia Thornton and Mrs. Beulah Baird; Mrs. Marguerite Reynolds was unable to attend because of illness in her family.

C. F. Terrell is quite ill in the Tulsa hospital; he became ill at his home about 5 a. m. on Thursday of last week. It has been determined that he is suffering from kidney stones and a heart condition. Mrs. Terrell is there with him.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Riddle, Roy and Joy Morrison, of Lockney, visited their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McWilliams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hill and Susie were in Lubbock on Sunday. They attended the stock show where Robert Haley had a calf on display. He had been there since Friday.

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Century of Progress Study Club Met With Mrs. Hall

The Century of Progress Study Club observed "Guest Friendship Day" March 14. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. J. J. Hall.

Mrs. Jack Strange opened the meeting with prayer after which the president, Mrs. James Davis, welcomed the guests and conducted a short business session.

Mrs. L. D. Griffin reported on the tour of Northwest Texas Nurses Home in Amarillo.

A very interesting program on "Friendship" was presented. Friendship of the Bible was given by Mrs. J. W. Brannon, Jr.; Friendship of history, was presented by Mrs. James Davis, followed by a pageant with Mrs. Robert Ledbetter, leader. Others taking part were: Mrs. Grady Martin, Mrs. E. A. Birdwell, Mrs. Edwin Dickerson, Mrs. George Long, Mrs. Garland Francis, and Mrs. Jean Grundy.

Delicious refreshments of cake and coffee were served to the following guests: Mrs. Elizabeth Farr, Mrs. Dave Kellum, Mrs. Roy Mac Walker, Mrs. Edwin Davis, Mrs. Bryant Eddleman, Mrs. John Gill, Mrs. Rob Simmons, Mrs. Clarence Anderson, Mrs. Gatewood Lusk, Mrs. Donald Paige, Mrs. Betty Penn, Mrs. Marvin Montague, and Mrs. Ruf Jordan.

Members attending were: Mrs. E. A. Birdwell, Mrs. Carl D. Bomar, Mrs. J. W. Brannon, Jr., Mrs. James Davis, Mrs. Edwin Dickerson, Mrs. Garland Francis, Mrs. L. D. Griffin, Mrs. Jean Grundy, Mrs. J. J. Hall, Mrs. Bob Ledbetter, Mrs. George Long, Mrs. Grady Martin, Mrs. O. C. Rampley, Mrs. Jack Strange and Mrs. Wayne McMurtry. The next meeting will be March 28, with the meeting in the home of Mrs. Grady Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan were in Amarillo on Tuesday of last week. Their son in law, Roy Adams, of Tucumcari, New Mexico, is critically ill in the Veterans' hospital. Their son, Rex Vaughan, of Adrian, was dismissed as a patient from the Veterans' hospital. Their son, Rex who lived here before going to Adrian to work on a ranch, is recuperating from a broken jaw bone which he sustained when a horse kicked him in the face several weeks ago.

Mrs. W. H. Graham and sons, of Farwell, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley, from Wednesday through Friday of last week. Mr. Graham spent Thursday night here and took his family home.

Rev. B. P. Harrison, of Masterson, is critically ill in a Dumas hospital. He was formerly pastor of the Calvary Baptist church here. This was his second heart attack and was much more severe than the first one.

F. C. Gatewood spent Friday and Saturday in the Lockney hospital where he went for a checkup.

Miss Virginia May, Mrs. Carl Crow and Mrs. Elmer May and Mike were in Plainview last Thursday.

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Hy-Lands Study Club Met March 13th With Mrs. Lanham

The Hy-Lands Study Club had a very interesting program on "Musical Heritage" Tuesday, March 13. Roll call was answered by my favorite song.

The club is sponsoring Miss Ina Lou Grabbey in the art talent contest, and she came Tuesday and showed the group her painting she will send to the contest. Mrs. C. L. Wilson is entering some of her poetry in the poetry contest. After the business meeting, Mrs. Robert Lanham, hostess, introduced the speakers for the program. The group sang "The Star Spangled Banner."

"Famous American Songs" was given by Mrs. Hugh Nance. Mrs. Bill Edwards gave a talk on "America, a Treasure House of Folk Music," and Mrs. H. R. Stephens read a paper on Stephen Foster, Master of Folk Songs.

Those present were: Mesdames Arthur Arnold, J. K. Bean, Onar Cornett, Milton Dudley, Bryant Eddleman, Bill Edwards, Berton Hughes, Robert London, G. Mayfield, J. E. Minyard, Hugh Nance, E. Posey, H. R. Stephens, Arnold Turner and C. L. Wilson.

Open House Held at Northwest Texas Nurses Home

On March 9, open house was held at the Northwest Texas Nurses Home in Amarillo. Since the Century of Progress Study Club is planning to offer a nursing scholarship to a senior girl this year, a committee composed of Mrs. L. D. Griffin, Mrs. George Long and Mrs. Grady Martin, attended the open house. Also several senior girls from Silverton interested in nursing attended. The entire group enjoyed a program presented by the nurses. A tour of the Nurses Home and the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vaughan, of Tullia, are the parents of a baby son, Roy Wayne, born at the Tullia hospital Saturday, March 17; he weighed 6 pounds and eleven ounces. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ziegler, Silverton, are the grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith, Sr., were Sunday guests of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fuller, and other relatives, in Plainview. Mrs. Smith remained there for a longer visit.

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