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LOCAL BRIEFS

Mrs. Lucille Tucker of Plainview is here this week visiting her cousins J. C. Rhoderick and family and Mrs. J. W. Lyon and family.

FOR SALE—Ford tractor and equipment; good shape, good rubber.—John King, Gasoline. 2.1

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Love visited over the week end in Childress, the bad weather delaying their return home until Monday evening.

FOR SALE—Milch cows, fresh now. Onar Cornett, 7 miles east of Silvertown. 1.3

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Beck and family have moved into the place vacated by the Jinks Taylors.

FOR SALE—Business lot on Main street in Quitaque, Lot No 7 in Block 3, original town of Quitaque.—C. A. Russell, Turkey. 1.3c

Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Taylor moved last week to their home which they have bought west of Flomot, the former Mrs. Sophia Tibbetts place.

TRAILER HOUSE TO RENT—See Mrs. D. M. Miller. 2.1c

Duncan Chandler brought his family home Sunday from Turkey where they had been staying since bringing small Judy home from the Memphis hospital where she was treated for pneumonia.

FOR SALE—disc terracer, fits model A John Deere tractor.—Wade Martin, Flomot. 2.2

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gillespie and Linda Kay went home last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. George Estes and boys, friends from Wellington who were visiting here. The Gillespies returned home that night.

FOR SALE—90 bales of peanut hay and a brood sow.—Mrs. Jess Purdy. 1.2

Bill Middleton and Mrs. E. Middleton made a trip last Thursday to Tulsa, where Mrs. Middleton

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had an impacted wisdom tooth removed.

FOR SALE—Good four room house, to be moved; also some out buildings, including garage and barn. Located 2 miles east of Flomot.—See Wade Martin. 2.2

L. D. Payne of Hobbs, NM., was here over the week end on business and visiting his father Lockett Payne and his sisters, Mmes. Frank and Mort Hawkins and other relatives here.

FOR SALE—Ford tractor terracing machine, \$125; good as new. Also used radiator core for 20 or Regular Farmall, in good shape, \$10; one SC Case tractor, 1947 model.—Vaughn Hall, Quitaque. 2.2c

Miss Edna Murray Tiffin was home from Amarillo over the week end for a visit with her parents, returning to her studies at beauty school there Monday. She was accompanied by Am Rorie of Turkey.

FOR SALE—Regular International tractor, lister and cultivator, had overhaul job last spring \$350; also 3 row tool bar lister, \$100.—N. V. Hamilton, phone 903.F5, Quitaque. 2.2

A daughter was born January 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Taylor of Lockney. The baby weighed six pounds and was named Linda Jean. Her mother is the former Miss Jean Keeter.

FOR SALE—Regular Farmall tractor with planter, lister and knife attachment. See Shorty Woods 1 1/2 miles east of Quitaque. 1.2

Visitors in the Walter Kelly home over the week end were Misses Billie Kelly and Barbara Dwight of Amarillo, and their daughter Miss Christina Apperson, here for a visit from her studies at Weatherford, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hardberger and children were here the first of the week visiting her mother Mrs. Willie Smylie. They are living at Beaver, Okla., where he is doing construction work.

THE TIME has come to list again and we are lucky to have Crescent Lister Shares for Case, International and John Deere; also genuine John Deere shares. We have a few 32-inch disc and hubs for terracing. John Deere feed mills and farm scrapers.—Hicks Hdw. & Imp., Turkey 1.2c

Jerry King, 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John King was taken to

the Plainview sanitarium about 9 o'clock Monday evening, Dr. J. M. Shy making the drive through the inclement weather, without incident, to get the boy to the hospital for an emergency appendectomy. He was reported getting along well.

The RA group of boys met at the Baptist Church Monday afternoon. Two new members Harold Tant and Donald Payne, were welcomed. The counselor Mrs. Dunavant was present and we studied the pledge. We will meet next Monday afternoon at 3:45 at the church, and all boys from 9 to 12 years of age are urged to come. We need new members. Roy Graham, reporter

THANKS
I wish to express my appreciation to those who made pleasant my recent stay at the Plainview Sanitarium.
Thank you very much.
Mildred Wilson

TO OUR MANY FRIENDS
As we think over each deed of kindness that was shown us during Othella's illness, we find that it would be impossible to thank each one personally, so we take this way to say thank you for the lovely cards, cheerful letters and beautiful flowers that brightened our days. The kind words, each visitor who encouraged and cheered us, each dollar that made our burden lighter, the men who served as blood donors, to each of you we are deeply grateful. May God bless each one of you, and help you in your need. We love each of you.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Woodruff and Othella

RICHARD TIBBETTS RECEIVES SPECIAL RECOGNITION AT TECH
Lubbock.—Richard R. Tibbetts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer W. Tibbetts of Quitaque, is one of seven

ROTC members at Texas Technological College to be listed as a distinguished military student, it has been announced by Lt. Col. L. C. Adams, head of the military science and tactics department.
Tibbetts is a senior business administration student.

This special recognition is based on a number of requirements including membership in the upper one-third scholastically of the ROTC graduating class, outstanding qualities of military leadership, high moral character, definite aptitude for military service, and leadership either academically or in extra-curricular activities. The student must be scheduled to com-

plete the advanced course, senior division, ROTC, within one year.

The designation, distinguished military student, is a necessary step toward being designated distinguished military graduate, Col. Adams explained. Distinguished military graduates are eligible for consideration for appointment as second lieutenant in the regular army.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH CLOSSES GOOD REVIVAL
We have just closed a 10-night

revival and feel that God wonderfully blessed us and that we have a greater determination to go on for Him. Bro. Bert Lane of Vernon did the preaching and brought soul-stirring messages each evening. We are going to organize a Christ Ambassador band for young people Friday night, try to see all the young people of the town and community who do not go to any other church, and invite them to come and be with us. God has a work for young people as well as old. Pray that God will lead us into wider fields of service. —Reporter

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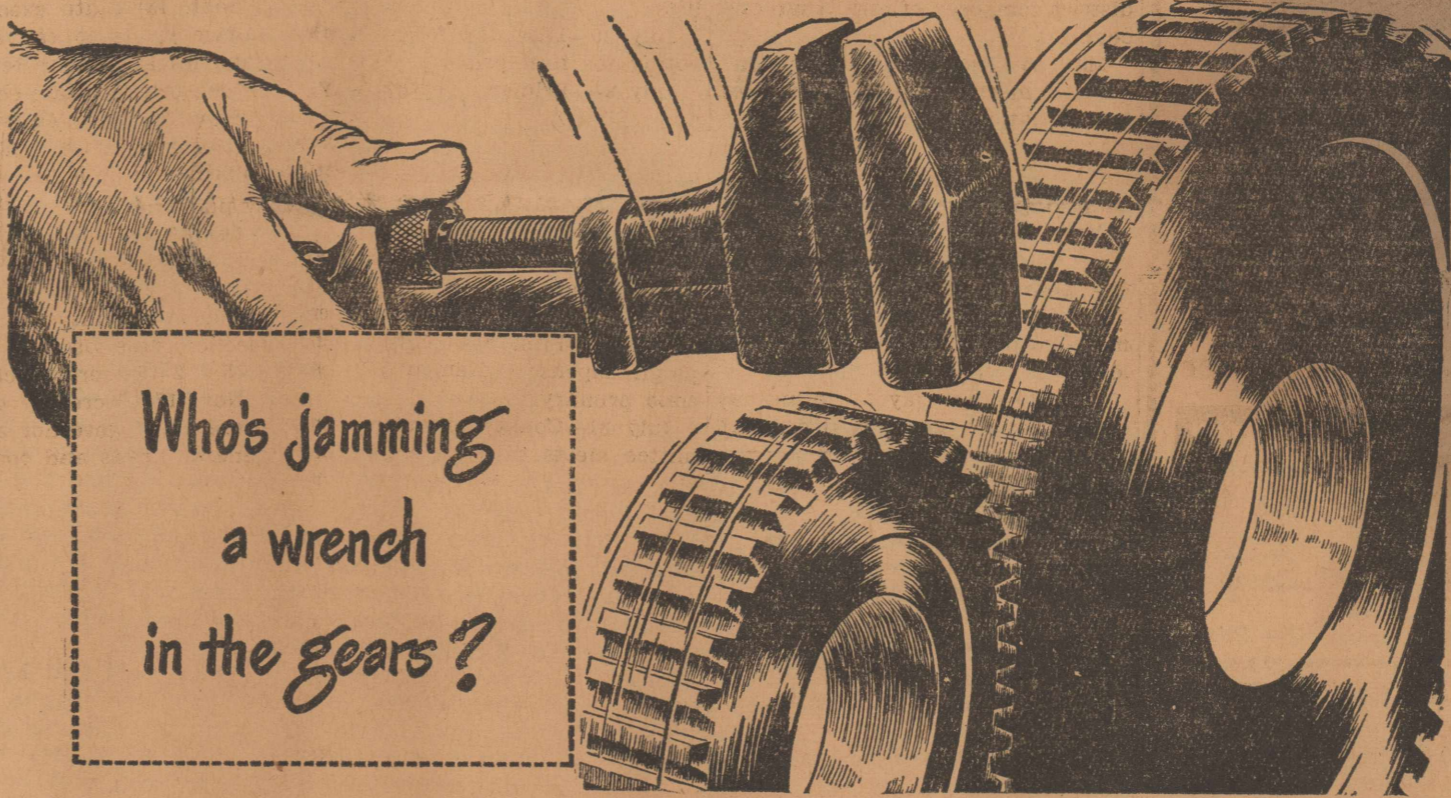
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3 Unions Block Labor Peace—Refuse Wage Boost Already Accepted by 19 Other Railroad Unions!

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen and the Switchmen's Union of North America, representing 125,000 railroad employees, have refused to accept the offer of the Railroads of a wage increase of 15 1/2 cents an hour.
This is the same increase awarded 1,000,000 non-operating employees by an arbitration board in September, 1947.
This is the same increase accepted by 175,000 conductors, trainmen and switchmen by agreement on November 14, 1947.
Agreements have been made with 1,175,000 employees, represented by nineteen unions. But these three unions, representing only 125,000 men, are trying to get more. They are demanding also many new working rules not embraced in the settlement with the conductors and trainmen.

Strike Threat
Incidentally, the Switchmen's Union of North America represents only about 7% of all railroad switchmen, the other 93% being represented by the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and covered by the settlement with that union.

The leaders of these three unions spread a strike ballot while negotiations were still in progress. This is not a secret vote but is taken by union leaders and votes are signed by the employees in the presence of union representatives.
When direct negotiations failed, the leaders of these three unions refused to join the railroads in asking the National Mediation Board to attempt to settle the dispute, but the Board took jurisdiction at the request of the carriers and has been earnestly attempting since November 24, 1947, to bring about a settlement. The Board on January 15, 1948, announced its inability to reach a mediation settlement. The leaders of the unions rejected the request of the Mediation Board to arbitrate. The railroads accepted.

What Now?
The Unions having refused to arbitrate, the Railway Labor Act provides for the appointment of a fact-finding board by the President.

The railroads feel it is due shippers, passengers, employees, stockholders, and the general public to know that throughout these negotiations and in mediation, they have not only exerted every effort to reach a fair and reasonable settlement, but they have also met every requirement of the Railway Labor Act respecting the negotiation, mediation, and arbitration of labor disputes.
It seems unthinkable that these three unions, representing less than 10 per cent of railroad

employees, and those among the highest paid, can successfully maintain the threat of a paralyzing strike against the interest of the entire country—and against 90 per cent of their fellow employees.

The threat of a strike cannot justify granting more favorable conditions to 125,000 employees than have already been put in effect for 1,175,000, nor will it alter the opposition of the railroads to unwarranted wage increases or to changes in working rules which are not justified.

A glance at the box shows what employees represented by the Engineers and Firemen make. They are among the highest paid in the ranks of labor in the United States, if not the highest.

Compare these wages with what you make!

Here is a comparison of average annual earnings of engineers and firemen for 1939 (pre-war) and 1947. Also shown is what 1947 earnings would have been if the 15 1/2 cents per hour increase, offered by the railroads and rejected by the union leaders, had been in effect throughout the entire year 1947.	Type of Employee	1947 Average Annual Earnings		
		1939 Average Annual Earnings	1947 Actual Annual Earnings	1947 Average Annual Earnings with 15 1/2 Cents per Hour Added
ENGINEERS	Road Freight (Local and Way)	\$3,906	\$6,126	\$6,767
	Road Passenger	3,632	5,399	6,025
	Road Freight (Through)	3,147	4,684	5,169
	Yard	2,749	4,081	4,539
FIREMEN	Road Freight (Local and Way)	2,738	4,683	5,268
	Road Passenger	2,732	4,544	5,165
	Road Freight (Through)	2,069	3,460	3,891
	Yard	1,962	3,136	3,563

Railroad wages computed from Interstate Commerce Commission Statement M-300. Full year 1947 estimated on basis of actual figures for first eight months.

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Basketball News

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Tied, the time out, and with Poss having his free toss. Could he make it? Every nerve in the gym was tense. He bends to the shot. The ball sails into the air above the 18 inch circle which looked to Quita- que about the size of a dime, but to the Turkey rooters as big as a wagon wheel. Would it miss? Ah, no, it falls in and through with a small whish of the nets, and all was over 35 to 36. Barbee, Lob Hamilton and Patrick played clean, efficient ball all through.

Now—something happened! A squad of milling humans crowded the playing floor. Soon they seemed to pair off, a group under each ring. Was there to be a game of some sort? From the reporter's point of observation, it seemed as if it were an informal undress affair. Directly Venus Gillespie blew a whistle and it registered with us that another ball game was taking place between Turkey independ- ents and Quitaque of like brand, but the participants acted funny to us. It seemed that every time the Panthers got the ball that man with the whistle had an overpow- ering impulse to blow it.

Another thing looked funny. Ev- ery time a Turk sat down he put shirt and every time he went he took it off. And there was a playing who seemed to have in chest or something. At was mighty fat around the We noticed running ar- re two of our bus drivers, that is whom we took them there was a little fellow to the name of Joe who

seemed to be doing some good work for one side or the other. There were two boys with No. 9 suits on. We found out one was C. E. Ander- son. He sure could put that sphere through the horizontal hoop, and that other 9 man we learned is our new townsman Bingham. He seem- ed to do yeoman work for his side. But that other outfit and the man with the whistle was too much for them, and they wound up on the short end of the score, which was a good one for both sides. Had Quita- que not gotten so far behind at the start, and could not catch up, the score would beyond a doubt, have been different. Both teams showed some real basketball skill.

Business Men Need

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present are equal to meet the minimum needs until plans are completed to buy more equipment. At present there is no great need for equipment with the exception of a few pieces of medium and heavy equipment.
The purchase of seed materials at Tulia and Plainview causes a need for a local supply as well as developing local production of the seeds of legumes and grasses in this area.

In technical research more in- formation is needed on fertility of the soil, use of fertilizers and leg- umes, proper grades and slopes for the application of water, and new and improved varieties of legumes and grasses.

Assisting the district as cooper- ating agencies are the Soil Conser- vation Service, which furnishes the personnel, the extension service,

the production marketing admin- istration and the Farmer's Home Administration.

MRS. RUSSELL ATTENDS DALLAS FASHION SHOW

Mrs. C. A. Russell was in Dallas last week where she attended the National Fashion Exhibitors show. Attendance at the Fashion Show enables Mrs. Russell, buying in the interest of her store at Turkey, Norma's Shop, to select the newest styles that leading lines are show- ing for Spring and Summer wear.
She attended the First Annual Merchants Conference in the Cen- tury Room at the Adolphus Hotel where a complimentary banquet was served to about 1500 guests.
Mr. Kaufman, vice president of Gimbels, New York, spoke on "Sell- ing 1948" and he proved to be a very entertaining as well as educa- tional speaker. He was introduced by Justin McCarty of Dallas.

After the banquet Mrs. Russell attended a work shop program under the direction of Stanley Marcus, vice president of Neiman- Marcus, Dallas, who gave many interesting views on fashions for spring and also showed a movie showing spring fashion sketches by noted designers, materials and new accessories. The fashion theme "It's New To Look Old-Fashioned" was cleverly portrayed during the work shop hour. About 500 people at- tended this session.

Mrs. Russell reports an interest- ing trip, despite the inclement weather. She feels better qualified now, she says, to help her patrons fulfill that desire of every woman, to look smart and be "Eternally Feminine."

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Sunday-Monday Feb. 1-2
Bells Of San Angelo
Trucolor
Roy Rogers, Dale Evans,
Andy Devine, Bob Nolan
Short: STORK CRAZY

Tuesday-Wednesday Feb. 3-4
Calendar Girl
Gail Patrick, William Marshall,
Jane Frazee, Kenny Baker
Short: HABIT TRANSIT
Paramount News

Thursday-Friday Feb. 5-6
Killer McCoy
Mickey Rooney, Brian Donlevy
Ann Blyth, James Dunn
Short: BOWLING TRICKS

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Thursday-Friday Jan 29-30
Ivy
Joan Fontaine, Patrick Knowles
Short: WILD WEST CHIMP

Saturday Mat. & Night Jan. 31
Dangerous Venture
Andy Clyde, William Boyd
Also Selected Short Subjects
Chapter 4 of SERIAL

Sunday-Monday Feb. 1-2
"I Wonder Who's Kissing Her Now"
(In Color)
June Haver, Mark Stevens
Also Selected Short Subjects

Tuesday-Wednesday Feb. 3-4
Carnival In Costa Rica
Dick Haymes, Celeste Holm,
Caesar Romero
Also Selected Short Subjects

Thursday-Friday Feb. 5-6
Boomerang
Dana Andrews, Jane Wyatt
Also Selected Short Subjects
Pathe News

know how to 'throw' or 'pull' the main switch to deaden the wiring system in case of a fire emergency. After the electricity is turned off, the fire can be treated by the pro- per extinguisher. But it is well to remember, Mrs. Clayton says, that wires inside motors and other el- ectrical equipment are covered with tarry material which burns like an oily rag.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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Wasn't long before they were working side by side on Ed's bench, sharing a common interest. Instead of keeping them apart, Ed's hobby brought them more together.

From where I sit, a husband's hobby can often be a wife's as well. In fact, I've got the missus interested in tying trout flies—and, along with that mellow glass of beer, it makes the evenings go by mighty pleasantly.

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