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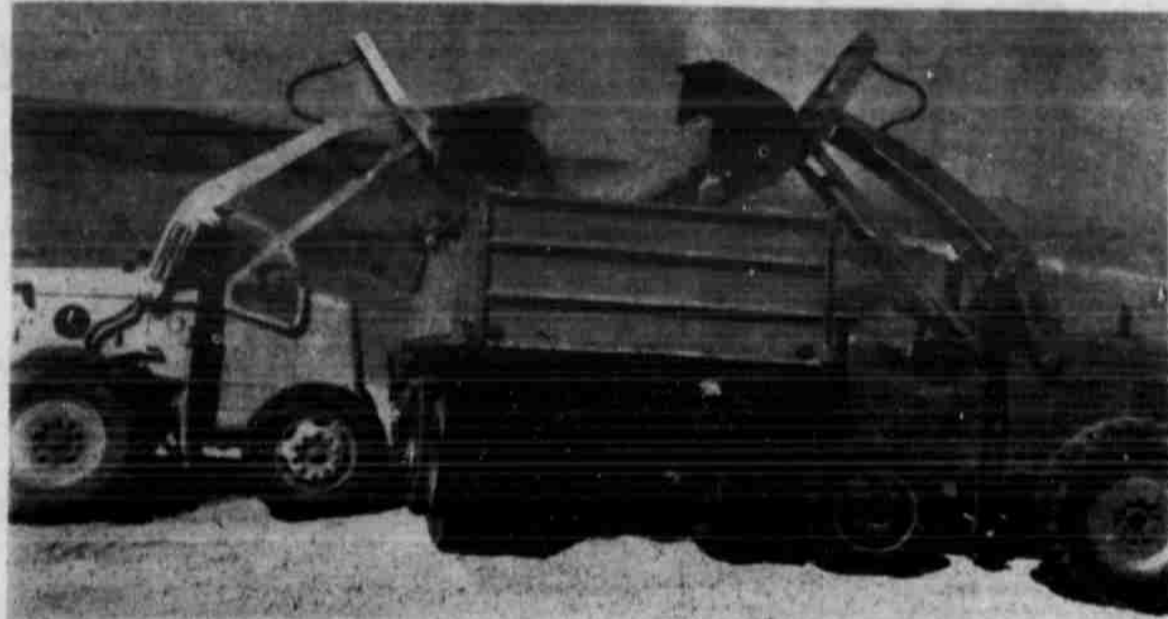
Twenty-Sixth Year

Post, Texas

"The Gateway To The Plains"

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DOUBLE DIP FOR THE "SUNSET"—Heavy equipment of J. C. Strange and R. P. Phillips is pictured "doubling up" on the gravel truck hauling to the new Sunset Drive-in theatre. By hitting the work at a nice clip, which loaded a 10-yard truck in less than 2 1-2 minutes, the workers completed a \$5,000 hauling job in one day. The gravel is being used as base for the drives at the Sunset which opens Easter Sunday, April 13. Operating the loaders are Pete Cullar and Maurice Anderson. (Photo by Dispatch Photographer.)

Indian Legend Predicts An Average Crop For County

Garza county farmers can look forward to slightly better than average crops this year—according to the winds. This forecast was made after a test was conducted on the Bryan J. Williams ranch last Saturday morning at sunrise. The test followed the old Indian legend method begun in Garza county in 1906 by J. I. Wilborn. Since that time there have been only three forecasting flops on March 22.

erage crop for the year. Noah Stone usually conducts the test each year, too, but Saturday he was out of town. According to the old Indian legend direction of the wind at sunrise, will indicate; from the east or northeast, a bumper crop; from the west or southwest, a parched crop; from the north or northwest, an average crop; from the southeast, a poor crop. Wilborn was said to have received the crop predicting formula from an aged Indian who claimed his people believed and had proved that the direction of the wind at sunrise on March 22

Monta Moore Elected As President Of Rotarians

Monta Moore, manager of the Double U company and recently elected director of the Rotary, will serve as president of the Rotary club next year, Bill DeWalt, president, announced Tuesday.

parent each day that we must do something," Bingham said. "We must interest boys and girls from 6 to 15 years of age in things they should be interested in at that age, and take their minds off the things they shouldn't be interested in. That is the aim of this program." Citing examples of why the children's interest must be changed, Bingham pointed out that of the 32 students who were juniors last year and are seniors this year 12 have dropped out of school; 32 of the 74 juniors have dropped out; and 18 of the 81 sophomores have dropped out.

Arthur Appeals For Help In Census Report

Superintendent D. C. Arthur made a final appeal to parents in the Post Independent School district for help in the 1952 school census. Arthur said the school has completed about as much of the census as possible through the office. "We are urging everyone who has any children of any age—regardless of how young they are—to contact the office of the Superintendent at telephone 53. We need the birthday and name of your children if you have not already complied with the census. "Or if you have some neighbor who has any children too young to go to school, would you call or ask them to call," Arthur appealed. "To keep any child off the census roll who is between 6-18 costs the school district \$62 in State money. And if your child is too young to enter school next year, we need to know when they will enter school so we can do some planning for them in the future. "This is a small thing you can do, so we urge your cooperation in getting every child in Post Independent school district on the census rolls," the superintendent concluded.

Members for the various committees which will help stage the 11th annual Post Stampede Rodeo on May 28, 29, 30 and 31 have been announced. They include: Advertisement: Ed Warren, chairman, Ralph Kirkpatrick, and George Sartain; Concessions: W. S. Duckworth, chairman, Monta Moore. T. L. Jones comprises the parking committee. Parade: O. D. Cardwell, chairman, and George Samson. Ticket sales: Ira Greenfield, chairman, and Harold Voss. Publicity: George Samson, chairman, and Burnis Lawrence. Dance: Mike Custer, chairman, Wade Terry, Clifford Murphy and Walter R. Holland; Sponsors: O. D. Cardwell, chairman, and Mrs. Pearl Nance. Grounds: Jack Meeke, chairman, Bill Long and Glen Davis. Committee to arrange for refreshments and arena: W. S. Duckworth, chairman, Bobby Pierce and Donald Windham. W. S. Duckworth will also secure the loud speaker. James Minor heads the ambulance committee. Committee to arrange for livestock: Duckworth, chairman, Earl Hodges and Bill Long. Earl Hodges will arrange to have feed and water at the rodeo grounds. Committee to arrange for western atmosphere before rodeo begins: Ralph Kirkpatrick, chairman, Powell Shytle, L. E. Webb, Jim Hundley, Clint Herring and Cy Thaxton.

JP COURT

Nine persons were picked up and charged with gambling during the past week, according to the records at the courthouse. Fines and cost of court were assessed in each case.

"Rainmaking" Expert To Meet With Farmers And Ranchers Friday Night

A meeting designed to acquaint Garza farmers and ranchers with the possibility of "rainmaking" and to also give them hope on alleviating the extensive drought in the county has been announced for 8 p.m. Friday night in the courthouse here. County Agent Lewis Herron said at that time a representative of the Dr. Irving P. Krick Water Resources Development Corporation of Denver will be on hand to explain the operation of the company.

Mrs. Newbury Dies At Her Home Friday

Last rites for Mrs. Rinda Newbury were conducted Sunday afternoon, three weeks after her husband's funeral, in the Graham Church of Christ. Cline B. Drake, of Lorenzo, and S. D. Lofton officiated for the service which was held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Glen Davis sang "How Beautiful Heaven Must Be" and a choir sang "Shall We Gather At The River" and "In The Sweet By and By."

Holiday Observances Decided By C. Of C. Ballot Survey Announced

Holidays which Post will observe during this year have been decided, according to the results of a survey conducted by the Chamber of Commerce. The days receiving the most votes on the ballots mailed in by business places include: Memorial Day (Friday, May 30); Independence Day (Friday, July 4); Thanksgiving Day (Thursday, Nov. 27); Christmas (Thursday, Dec. 25); and New Year's Day (Thursday, Jan. 1).

Commissioner's Court To Lease Post Landing Strip

Garza county Commissioner's Court voted recently to take up the lease on the Post Airfield, Commissioner Buck Gossett announced at the Monday meeting of the Chamber of Commerce directors. The county will pay the \$25 a year lease rentals to the Double U company so that the county and town may have the use of the CAA approved landing strip. Gossett also said the county will move the fence from its present position nearer to the landing strip. Contract for the lease will be signed sometime this week.

Mrs. M. J. White Is Buried Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Jane White, 91, were conducted in Mason Funeral chapel, Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Quenten Fanning, minister of the Church of Christ, officiated. Burial was in Terrace cemetery under the direction of Mason's.

One Well Staked In County During Week

Grisham-Hunter Corporation of Abilene has staked location for the No. 2 K. Stoker, six miles southeast of Post. Operations on the 2,900 foot test were begun this week.

Red Cross Drive Goes Over \$1,000

Red Cross Fund Chairman Rev. J. C. Holman reported Wednesday that the 1952 Garza county fund drive has netted more than \$1,000. The goal for the entire drive was set at approximately \$1,250. Rev. Holman said that several of the outlying communities have not reported in yet and he expects their contributions to run the total over the goal.

Pierce Elected

In a recent story carried by the Dispatch on re-election of teachers by the Post Independent School District board the name of Ernest Pierce, lunchroom manager and visiting teacher, was omitted. Mr. Pierce was re-elected by the board members.

Garza Rural School One-Act Play Competition Slated Here Tonight

Garza county rural school one-act play competition will present the curtain raising play of its 1952 contest at the Post Grade school auditorium at 7:30 p.m. today. Bryan J. Williams, principal at the Garnolia school and in charge of this year's contest, said admission prices for the four plays have been set at 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students. The four schools participating in the event, listed in the order they will perform, are Graham, Garnolia, Close City and Justiceburg. Graham students, under the direction of Mrs. Icie Reed, will present "THE OPENING OF A DOOR." A play of the supernatural, the presentation occurs at midnight and includes a cast of six students. They include: Sandra McFadin (as Esther Fraser); Auvy McBride (as Martin Fraser); Gwen Hodges (as Mrs. Parrish); Orabeth Maxey (as Ruth Parrish); Damon Ethridge (as Owen Bennett) and Jackie Mason (as Lotie).

The cast includes: Jimmie Redman (as Warren Young); Anita Stone (as Elsie Young); Jennie Lou Redman (as Marian Young); Gay Nell Lewis (as Shirley Young); Harry Smith (as Dave Benton); and Ernie Popham (as Max Elliott). This play is being presented by special arrangement with Samuel French. The final play of the night will be presented by the Justiceburg students. Their play is "THE DEAR DEPARTED," and is directed by Mrs. V. A. Lobban. The cast includes: Jean Winkler (as Amelia Slater); Fernie Reed (as Henry Slater); Sandy Cross (as Elizabeth Jordan); Mike Ray (as Ben Jordan); Shirley Masters (as Victoria); and Joe McCowan (as Mr. Meerrweather).

Read The Classified Ads In Today's Dispatch

Wayne Bondley and son, parents and grandparents, Mr. of Kermit, visited their and Mrs. Clyde Jones, last week.



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"Free Ride" On Rainmaking Desired By Farmers In Scurry County Area

By Burnis Lawrence
It's news to me!
It never dawned on me that the farmers in Garza county are the type of people who have the power (and would use it) to keep another county from getting much needed rain. But they are doing just that—according to an article in the Scurry County News.

Yep. Garza farmers are to blame for Scurry county being so dry—the paper says. And it goes on to draw a map to prove it, with a big Garza question mark hovering forebodingly over the pathetically wilted desert plants of Scurry county.

Man we must be inhuman in Garza county to commit such a dastardly act.
However, there is definitely another side to the question.

The article drastically points out the glaring fallacy of American thinking today. Scurry county is wanting a free ride. It wants to benefit from the money, time and effort of others without ever having lifted a finger in its own behalf. A common idea now a-days.

For the article explains the newly formed West Texas Weather Improvement district which Garza county has not joined yet. And starts off saying, "Except for holdout Garza county, the arid area of Scurry county would

be completely surrounded by counties which either have joined "rainmaking" districts or are considering doing so.

"The unco-operative attitude displayed in Garza leaves some 60 miles of Scurry's northern border exposed, with no hope of rain coming into the county from that direction."
A just accusation, providing. Providing of course that Garza county was the only one that had not signed up for the "rainmaking" deal with Dr. Irving P. Krick and his Water Resources Development Corporation.

But now to the other side of the story. Scurry county has not shown as much interest in the project as has Garza farmers. The article points out that the total cost to Garza county would be approximately \$6,800, which it says, "Scurry county will have to pay if forced to participate by the failure of Garza to do so."

Stating further that Scurry farmers have not been interested in the project and actually don't believe in "rainmaking," the article concludes:

"But whether Scurry farmers believe in it or not, if pressure can be brought on our northern and eastern neighbors to join, we might get a free ride on anything, no matter what the cause that does bring rain."
Personally, I think that with

an attitude like the Scurry people have, it's definitely an insult to have them call us neighbors.

But confidentially, let's be better neighbors. If the farmers of our county join the water district and we do get rain, let us hope and pray that Scurry county gets the "free ride" rain they seem to be seeking.

Movie of the Week

SOMETHING NEW HAS BEEN ADDED TO THIS COLUMN!

Beginning this week, this column will contain a weekly quiz section in which readers may win passes to the shows scheduled at the TOWER theatre.

For the past several weeks, we have included in the column the year by year accounts of the best picture, actor and actress of the years. They began in 1928 and ran through last year.

Now the quiz section will consist of a question concerning these pictures and people. For the first three correct answers received in the Dispatch office, by mail or phone, three passes to the Movie of the Week will be given. The names of those persons winning the tickets will be listed in the paper.

Now for this week's question: **WHAT PICTURE WAS NAMED PICTURE OF THE YEAR IN 1940?**

Whew! What a dilemma this week's schedule at the TOWER leaves you in when it comes to picking the best picture.

But as usual a stab will be made. So here goes! Number one will be "RED BADGE OF COURAGE" starring Audie Murphy and showing Friday and Saturday; number two, "SCANDAL SHEET" starring Brodric Crawford and showing Wednesday and Thursday; and number three, "TEN TALL MEN", starring Burt Lancaster and showing Sunday and Monday.

The main reason for choosing "RED BADGE OF COURAGE" as the outstanding picture is because it is a historical movie of the Civil War. The picture is the story of a raw farm boy who loses his courage in the heat of battle then regains it in a bitter conflict the following day.

Audie Murphy in the starring role portrays the farm boy as only a real soldier could. In "RED BADGE OF COURAGE" Murphy plays his most outstanding role of his movie career. And he knows about wars, for you remember that he emerged from World War II as the most decorated soldier. And the picture is the most authentic story of the Civil War since "Gone With The Wind."

Another veteran in "RED BADGE OF COURAGE" is Bill Mauldin, cartoonist who created Willie and Joe in "Up Front."

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Davis might like to see "RED BADGE OF COURAGE." Two tickets, good for any performance, are awaiting them at the boxoffice.

In "SCANDAL SHEET", the man from "The Mob" is making another killing! Brod Crawford plays the part of an editor of a paper whose circulation has been built on headlines selling murder, sex and scandal. Rough and lusty, Crawford gives the movie fan an outstanding portrayal. "SCANDAL SHEET" is a picture the fan should see from the beginning to the end, not break in the middle. Its surprising climax is sure to bring accolades from you. See it Wednesday and Thursday.

Number three of the week: "TEN TALL MEN." The story of the Foreign Legion! Seldom does Hollywood present such an authentic story of these devil-may-care soldiers of fortune. But in "TEN TALL MEN" Burt Lancaster ably presents an authentic and thrilling study of this famous corps. The picture gives all the running battles, sand storms, a wild desert romance and other thrilling episodes always taled in the legend of the Legion. Shows Sunday and Monday.

Send in the answer to the question and win show passes!

Air Parcel Post Change Announced

Changes in the mailing of Air Parcel Post for delivery to military addresses overseas have been announced by Postmaster Harold Voss.

Whereas persons could mail packages weighing up to 70 pounds, they can now only send packages not exceeding two pounds.

New limit of size is: 30 inches in length and girth combined. This change was caused by the amount of mail exceeding the available aircraft space.

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Motorists Urged To Inspect Cars

AUSTIN — Motorists are urged to have their motor vehicles safety inspected while there is a lull before the expected rush to inspection stations.

G. W. Busby, chief of the Motor Vehicle Inspection Division of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said 2,400 inspection stations have been certified to aid motorists in complying with the new state law. September 6 is the final deadline for having all motor vehicles certified for safe driving.

Busby said the movement of vehicles to inspection stations is lagging, with only about 40,000 being inspected weekly. If a bottleneck is to be avoided before the deadline, he said, at least 100,000 vehicles a week will have to flow through the stations.

Requirements under the new safety law have been modified considerably following an anticipated rush to inspection stations when the law became effective a few months ago. Safety Department officials said many new inspection stations are being certified weekly to aid in avoiding another bottleneck.

"We earnestly hope that motorists will take advantage of the lull we are now having and avoid a last-minute rush in order to comply with the September 6 deadline," Busby said.

Court Fines Pick Up Considerably

Business picked up considerably in the Garza county court last week according to figures released by Judge H. M. Snowden.

Fines and court costs last week brought the county a total of \$606.90.

Broken down the fines and costs read: Jasper Fields, transporting liquor, \$524.10; L. F. Brant, drunk in public place, \$27.60; Crawford Russell, overweight truck, \$27.60; and Donna Cannon, worthless check, \$27.60.

Dew Davis, of the Verbena community, returned home from Lubbock Memorial hospital Monday where he had been for several days undergoing treatment.

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Mrs. W. J. Shepherd and Gertrude and Linda Ward accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Payne of Tahoka, to Floydada Saturday, where they spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Day.

Post Student To Seek Tech Office

LUBBOCK—A Texas Tech student from Post has taken out a petition for a Student council office.

Charles Bowen, a sophomore in the division of arts and sciences, will run for representative of his division. He is the only student seeking the post to date. Petitions must be signed by 200 students and returned by March 25.

Election of officers and representatives is scheduled for April 8 when 21 students will be named to positions on the Student council. Four students will be chosen arts and sciences representatives.

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Ban On Returning Cotton Burrs To Land Lifted By State Ag Department

AUSTIN — The State Department of Agriculture has lifted the ban on returning cotton burrs to the land in 42 counties of West Texas. Garza county has been under a temporary ban for at least three years.

In revoking the regulation under which burrs have been burned as "gin trash", Agricultural Commissioner John C. White stated: "These counties in West Texas are only lightly infested with the cotton pink bollworm, and we feel that the cotton burr can be returned to the land without danger of spreading pink bollworm infestation."

"The pink bollworm is one of the most serious threats the cotton farmer of Texas has ever faced. We have to maintain rigid controls wherever there is evidence that infestation is spreading to the point where there is a chance of damage to the grower. There are now 193 counties of Texas under pink bollworm quarantine measures, and this year planting and plow-up deadlines, with penalties under the law for non-compliance, have been extended to include 59 counties."

"Lifting the ban on return of the cotton burr to the land in West Texas does not mean, of course, that the quarantine itself is lifted. Other quarantine regulations will remain in effect. It does mean, however, that since there is little likelihood that it will cause pink bollworm infestation to spread at this time, the grower can put the burr to profitable use on his land."

Photo Contest Is Announced In Post

Two weeks on an African safari with the famed Commander Attilio Gatti Expedition, including a 15,000 mile air trip, or two glamour-filled weeks by air in New York or Hollywood, wait for the lucky winner of the 1952 "Pets Are Fun" flash photo contest. The contest, sponsored by Sylvania Electric Products Inc., manufacturers of Sylvania Superflash bulbs, is now open, according to Ruth Lavelle McMillon of the Lavelle Shop, Post.

The "Pets Are Fun" contest is open to boys and girls nineteen years old or under. If a boy wins, he has a choice of the African safari or all-expense trip to New York or Hollywood with a chaperone. A girl winner has her choice of trips to New York or Hollywood with a chaperone. The winner will travel in a luxurious TWA Trans World Constellation. Fifty other prizes include a Stereo Realist Camera with flash attachment and viewer, Sylvania clock radio and photo supplies.

Prints may be 2 1/4" by 2 1/4" or larger, in black-and-white, illustrating the theme "Pets Are Fun." Subject need not be owned by the contestant, and zoos, game preserves and farms are all fair province for contestants.

All pictures must be taken with flashbulbs and mailed with an official entry blank and the display panel from the outer wrapper of a sleeve of Superflash bulbs to Sylvania "Pets Are Fun" contest, P. O. Box 167, New York 46, N. Y. They must be postmarked not later than midnight, April 26, 1952. Official entry blanks and details may be obtained from Lavelle Shop at Post.

MASON PROMOTED

Sgt. Marshall C. Mason, son of Mrs. Florence Mason of Tahoka and formerly of Post, recently was promoted to the grade of staff sergeant in the United States Air Force. This announcement was made from an air base in Japan where Mason is stationed. He attended Post High School prior to his enlistment. Mason is serving with the 56th Strategic Reconnaissance Squadron, Medium Weather as a radio operator on the giant "B-29 Superforts."

Commissioner White made his announcement after conferring in Lubbock for two days with cotton growers, ginners and oil millers of West Texas.

Counties released include Gray, Hall, Childress, Hardeman, Foard, Wilbarger, Wichita, Motley, Cottle, Floyd, Hale, Lamb, Bailey, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Dickens, Kent, King, Knox, Baylor, Archer, Yoakum, and Terry.

Also Lynn, Garza, Stonewall, Haskell, Throckmorton, Young, Gaines, Dawson, Borden, Scurry, Fisher, Jones, Shackelford, Stephens, Donley, Collingsworth and Wheeler.

Post Cowboys Give Horse To Girlstown

Members of the Post Stampede Cowboys continue to perform the neighborly work they organized for.

Sometime last year the group donated money with which to buy a heifer to give to Girlstown at Whiteface, O. D. Cardwell and Hinton Fluitt delivered the animal and when they came back they said the place needed a horse.

POST MAN INDUCTED

Marion M. Mullings, of Post, was recently inducted into the Army through the Selective Service board in Lubbock. Mullings was among 31 area men who were sent to Amarillo for final processing and shipment.

T-Sgt. Clovis Tucker has re- and daughters, Janice and Debbie months with their parents, Ann, accompanied him to Wash- grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace. ington after spending several

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Air Force Demands For 10,000 More Aviation Cadets Cuts Requirements

REES AIR FORCE BASE, Tex.—Ten thousand men are needed immediately to undergo pilot and aircraft observation training. To increase the amount of applications, an experimental plan lowering the requirements for entrance into aviation cadet training has been released by Headquarters, Flying Training Air Force, Waco.

from USAF headquarters in Washington. It marks the third major change in the cadet application requirements during the past three months. Late last year the two years college requirement for personnel in the Air Force was abolished, thus allowing high school graduates to apply for pilot and observer training.

Training Command to also enlarge the number and size of classes, requiring a larger intake, say ATRC. The elimination of the personal interview by an Aviation Cadet Examining Board and discontinuance of the written Aviation Cadet Qualifying Test, is expected to shorten the examining period by almost three months.

BITS-OF-NEWS

Pfc. Gene Rylant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Priddy, recently sailed for Europe where he will be stationed in a Field Artillery battalion.

Mrs. Boyd Smith, of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams and son, James, of Tahoka, were visitors in the home of Mrs. Lorene Benson during the weekend. Miss Betty Mills, a Texas Tech student, spent the weekend here.

Cpl. James E. Babb left Lubbock Saturday night for Fort Huachuca, Ariz., after spending 20 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Babb, and his brother, Ronald Joe. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Moore and daughter, Natha Jo, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Payne, of Snyder, and Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Kennedy, Jr., spent Sunday in Littlefield with Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Young.

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Might As Well "Get In Key"

Last Tuesday Judge Cunningham wanted to go fishing. "Why aren't you working?" I asked. Judge explained how his wife had gone on a trip, taken his keys and now he couldn't get in the office. So he went fishing. Next day, he wanted me to go in. I was surprised those keys hadn't shown up yet. "The little man phoned to say she mailed them," the Judge explained. They're now in the office, under a small slot. I'd get 'em if I could open that door." He grinned and picked up his fishing rod.

"Great little woman, the wife. You can always count on her. Let's go!" From where I sit, we can use tolerance like the Judge shows for his wife's absent-mindedness... and she shows for his habit of lighting out for the fishing hole at every opportunity. He can't see why she likes tea, and she doesn't share his taste for a glass of beer. But they get along fine! Learning to respect other people's ways will "open the door" to happier living.

Joe Marsh

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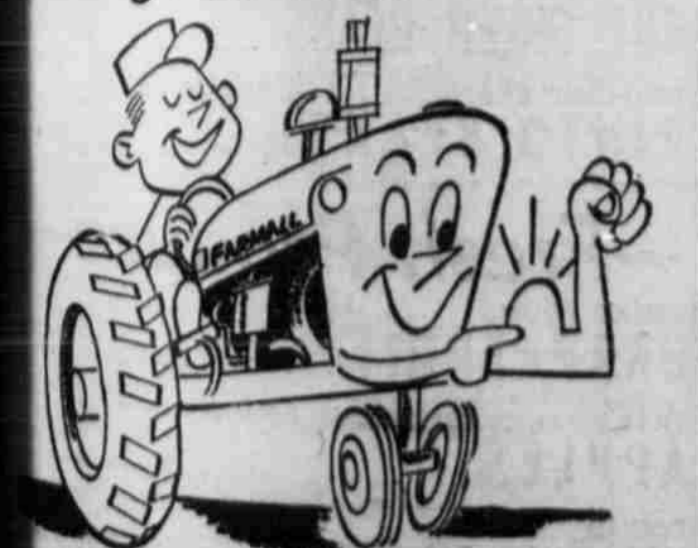
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Charles Buxton
Burdens become light when cheerfully borne.
Ovid
The spiritual sense of life and its grand pursuits is of itself a bliss, health, giving and joy-inspiring.
Mary Baker Eddy
You find yourself refreshed by the presence of cheerful people. Why not make earnest effort to confer that pleasure to others.
Mrs. Lydia M. Child
God is glorified, not by our groans but by our thanksgiving; and all good thought and good action claim a natural alliance with good cheer.
Edwin Percy Whipple

And at the same time it was announced that flying training graduates will be given reserve commissions regardless of age. Men with two years of college are reminded that they need not take the qualifying test or go before the cadet board. Applicants need only to take their college credit transcripts and birth certificates to the U. S. Army and U. S. Air Force Recruiting Office, Room 203, Post Office, Lubbock. Those who meet other requirements as to age and are unmarried citizens, will be given their physical examination at Reese Air Force Base. If accepted, early assignments to training will be made and the recruits will become cadets with pay of \$105 per month, uniforms, housing, food and medical care. Graduates will be appointed second lieutenants in the Air Force Reserve. The recent reduction of the minimum age limit to 19 for cadet training will result in commissions for some officers at the age of 20. Current policy generally had been not to commission (in the reserve) persons under 21, although there are no legal obstacles to reserve officer status for minors, recruiters say. Examining procedure for Aviation Cadet applicants with two years of college are being streamlined to meet the greatly increased need for pilots and aircraft observers. Availability of additional training bases for Aviation Cadet courses has enabled the Air

Training Command to also enlarge the number and size of classes, requiring a larger intake, say ATRC. The elimination of the personal interview by an Aviation Cadet Examining Board and discontinuance of the written Aviation Cadet Qualifying Test, is expected to shorten the examining period by almost three months. Men with two years or more of college work can now take their medical examination for flying training, and complete the aircrew classification test battery over the period of one month, as compared to the four months formerly required to complete the tests. At the direction of the Surgeon General of the Air Force, the physical examination of Aviation Cadet applicants will receive a high priority from base flight surgeons. Civilian applicants with two or more years of college may continue to enlist in the Air Force for a two-year period if they have been accepted for Aviation Cadet training. For complete details on how to apply for aviation cadet training, contact the Recruiting office in Lubbock.

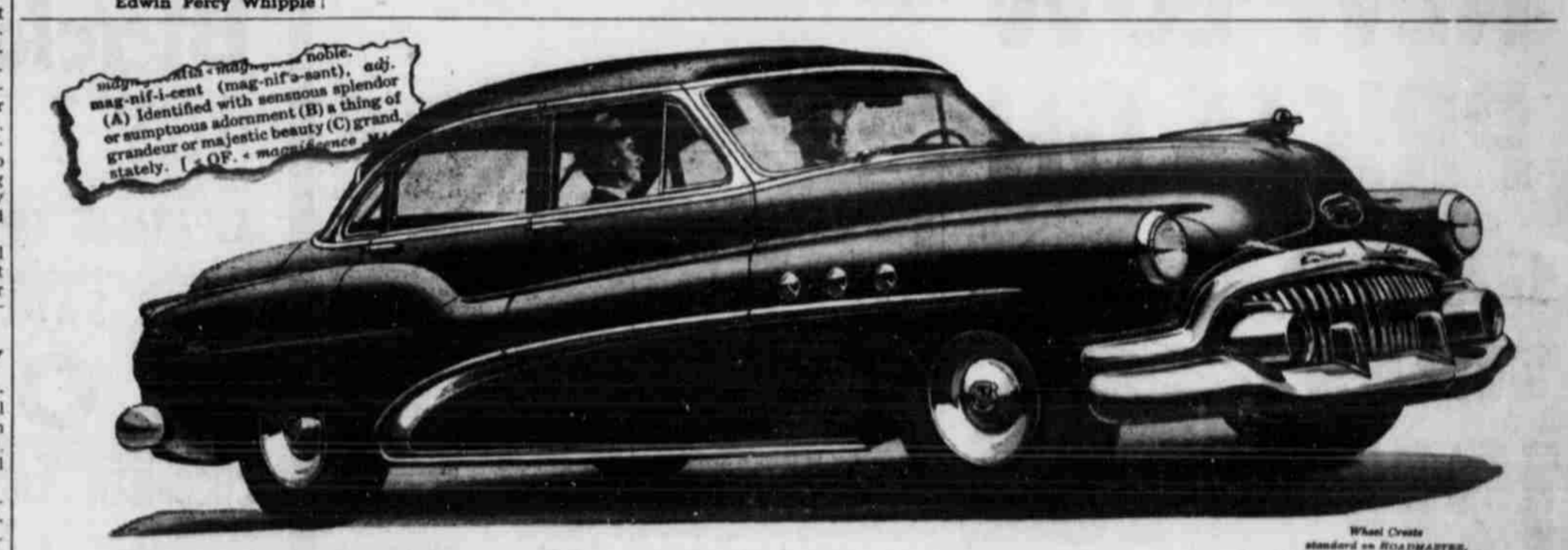


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Soil Technicians Discuss Methods Of Building And Stocking Ponds

A rancher may have plenty of grass but if the livestock using it don't have all the water they need they will not do good. Inadequate water prevents use of badly needed grazing areas and encourages destructive overgrazing near water sources.

An acre capable of supplying an abundance of grass cannot be fully used if the water is not accessible to livestock grazing any part of the area. On the other hand if you have plenty of water for the number of cattle that the grazing areas will support, additional water development may encourage overgrazing which will result in unnecessary expense.

Two important factors to consider in developing water supplies that will furnish water during the driest part of the year, are the size of the drainage area and the depth of the reservoir. Ponds built on too small drainage area or too shallow may dry up from evaporation during dry years.

Ponds are surveyed by Post S. C. S. personnel. Factors checked by S. C. S. technicians in determining pond locations are (1) drainage area, (2) soils for water holding ability, (3) sitation problems, (4) natural

location for storage, (5) suitable spillway and (6) need for water. Farmers and ranchers interested in building farm ponds must get a prior approval from P. M. A. before work can be started.

POND MANAGEMENT
All of the fish needed by the average family can be grown in a pond of 1/4 to 1 acre area. It is better to manage one pond well than to stock several and not care for them. It is desirable to have the pond fenced and to use a trough for livestock watering.

Bass and Blue Gills provide the most satisfactory kinds of fish. After they have been in the pond a year you may want to add a few channel cats. Fertilizing the pond increases production. If you don't plan to do a lot of fishing, there is not much use of fertilizing, say SCS technicians.

Commercial fertilizers such as 16-20-0 plus 20 pounds of nitrate at the rate of 50 to 100 pounds per acre. Start fertilizing in April with two applications at two intervals. Whenever you can see your hand held 12 inches under water, put in another application of fertilizer. Scatter the fertilizer in water less than three feet deep. Do not fertilize after October.

Barnyard manure or other organic fertilizer can be used at a rate of one half to one ton per surface acre per month supplemented by 25 pounds of superphosphate per acre. This application is particularly good for muddy ponds.

Heavy fishing is important if you want to keep your pond in good shape. Don't worry about over fishing—it you can hardly ever do that.

You should be able to catch 25 to 200 pounds of fish for each acre of unfertilized ponds. Fertilized ponds should produce 200 to 500 pounds of edible size fish each year. The Soil Conservation Service will help farmers interested in stocking ponds make an application for fish.

The teacher, patrons and student body of the Post Colored school have expressed their gratefulness to the Lions club for purchasing glasses for two of the students in the Colored school.

Mr. and Mrs. "Blackie" Wright purchased the home of the late Mrs. W. P. Martin this week, they moved into the house Saturday. Mrs. Georgia Sargee was a Sunday visitor in Odessa.

J. T. Curb Asks For JP Office

J. T. Curb has authorized the Dispatch to publish the following announcement of his candidacy for the office of Justice of the Peace in Precinct one: "I have lived in Garza county 37 years. I have never held a public office although I have acted as Deputy Sheriff and Tax Collector of Garza county under three different administrations of sheriffs in office. I believe in full enforcement of the laws of our county and state. I think I

BITS-OF-NEWS

Mrs. Louise Beattie, of Amarillo, visited Sunday with her son-in-law and daughter, the Rev. and Mrs. Gerald N. Blackburn.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Daniels and daughter, of Greenbrier, Ark., left Wednesday for their home after a visit in the Willie Daniels home here and with other relatives in Lubbock.
am qualified to fill the office elected and ask the voters of precinct one for their support in the July Democratic primary. Respectfully, J. T. Curb."

W. C. Kiker Seeks Commissioner Job

W. C. (Charlie) Kiker has authorized the Dispatch to publish the following announcement:

Mr. and Mrs. Tax Payer: Being a resident of Garza county 12 years, most of that time in Precinct one, and six and one-half years of this time operating road machines building and maintaining roads I feel like I am qualified to fill the road needs of this precinct and discharge other duties of the commissioner's office. Being thoroughly familiar with and understanding the road conditions and needs of this precinct I believe I am fully qualified for the commissioner of precinct one. Asking for and appreciating your influence and support, I assure you an honest service will be given. Very sincerely, W. C. (Charlie) Kiker, candidate for commissioner of precinct one.

Mike Beauchamp and Mrs. J. R. Davis went to Roby Sunday and visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Beauchamp. Mrs. Beauchamp was carried to a Boston hospital Sunday; the Postites visited her again Tuesday.



NUMBER 1 FOR THE GOVERNOR—Four Jefferson County employees add a new light to the traditional picture Governor's license plate. Number 1 was issued to Joan Shivers by the tax office, but meanwhile Joan Burbara Matta, Jerry Woodward and Faye Primrose hold right.

Company Included In Large Utility System's Setup

At meetings of the Development Commission's subsidiaries, most of the several were rejected for. It has been announced by Thos. F. Cartwright, Jr., Mr. Cartwright is of Amarillo Oil Company Gas Company and Gas Company. H. R. president of Amarillo Co., C. I. Wall of Lubbock, president of West Texas Co., and A. F. Cox of Red Company, P. C. Sperry of New York is president of company.

Southwestern will give consideration at a later date to the advisability of listing its stock on either the New York Curb or the New York Stock Exchange. The stock is being traded in now over the counter through brokerage houses on a "when delivered" basis and is available to any interested investor. No public stock selling solicitation will be done by Southwestern, its subsidiaries, or Sinclair.

As a part of the overall plan, Southwestern Development Company has already divested itself of its former stock holdings in Canadian River Gas Company and Colorado Interstate Gas Company. These two companies were merged on December 28, 1951, the surviving company being Colorado Interstate Gas Company. Southwestern retained full ownership of Amarillo Gas Company, Amarillo Oil Company, Clayton (New Mexico) Gas Company, Dalhart Gas Company, Red River Gas Company (a natural gas producing company with offices in Amarillo); and West Texas Gas Company, whose headquarters office is in Lubbock. Southwestern, upon completion of the simplification process, will own no other interests, and its retained subsidiaries will constitute an integrated public utility system serving natural gas to more than 100,000 homes, businesses and industries in west and northwest Texas and northeastern New Mexico.

Each of the companies in the Southwestern Development Company group is a separate and distinct corporation and operates under the guidance of its own officers. However, Amarillo Oil Company maintains a group of specialists trained and experienced in all phases of natural gas production, transmission and distribution, as well as in the problems of management, financing, engineering, auditing and personnel, which group correlates general policies for all the companies.

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Southland News

Please Send News Not Later Than Monday to **MRS. EDGAR MOSELEY** Southland Correspondent

Norbert Sokall visited his sister, Mrs. F. Z. Yeager at Dallas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hambricht, of Norton, visited his brother, L. E. Hambricht, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bloxom, of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cooper and children spent Sunday in the Jack Hargrove home.

Mrs. A. M. Carroll and grandson, of Dallas, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Barkley. Mrs. Barkley's niece of Carlsbad, N. M. was also a guest in the home during the weekend.

Sue Kasinger, of Anson, visited her grandmother Mathis over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Klaus and Mr. and Mrs. Warner Klaus and children attended the golden wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Michaelis in Austin and visited relatives in Bay City and Houston recently.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hambricht, of Midland, spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Bobby Jack Trimble.

Charles Taylor, of Crosbyton, visited his wife, a teacher here, Sunday.

Cliff Johnson is still in Lubbock Memorial hospital after suffering a severe heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Martin, of Spade, spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Donies.

Betty Gary, of Wilson, was a guest of Sue Lancaster Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lancaster, of Seminole, visited their aunt, Mrs. A. W. West and Leland Martin at Crane Friday and Saturday.

Sunday guests in the G. W. Basinger home were Mrs. Oscar Couell, of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Johnson, of Ralls, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Boyd, of Crosbyton, and Mr. and Mrs. John Spikes, of Lubbock.

Vada Mae Frazier visited in Cisco over the weekend.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Carl Wartes were her mother, Mrs. W. W. Whittsett, of Tulla, her daughter, Libbie Hill, and Mrs. Glen Hill.

Mrs. Eva Bailey and Mrs. Gladys Hyde were in Lubbock yesterday.

Close City News

Please Send News Not Later Than Monday to **MRS. WILL TEAFF** Close City Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Furr and children LaVerne and No-vice, and Mary Ann Shults were visiting in Plainview over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Z. Jones, of Seagraves, and Mrs. A. Jones and children, of Post, visited in the Barrie Jones home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lewis and family have moved to Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bayer and children, of Lubbock, were weekend visitors in the Will Teaff home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Foster and children, of Snyder, spent Saturday night in the A. O. Rosenbaum home. Sunday they took their youngest daughter to Lubbock Memorial hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Roberts attended the lecture given by Robert H. Nutt at the O. L. Slaton Junior high school in Lubbock, Monday night.

Mrs. A. M. Smith and daughters, Mrs. Will Heaff, Mrs. Barrie Jones and Mrs. Jim Barron and James went to Central Baptist church Friday night for a mission program.

Janet Blacklock spent the

Rural Schools Have Volleyball Tourney

Garnolia boys and girls romped away with the first place ribbons in the Garza Rural volleyball tournament held Friday. Close City copped the first place honors in the mixed team.

Places in the seventh and eighth grade boys and girls teams went: Garnolia, first; Graham, second; and Close City, third.

The mixed teams, comprised of boys and girls sixth grade and below, rated: Close City, first; Garnolia, second; and Graham, third.

weekend in Big Spring.

The WMU met Monday at the church with Mrs. L. R. Mason directing a program on stewardship. Those present were Mrs. A. M. Smith, Mrs. Jim Barron, Mrs. Walter Brown, Mrs. Will Teaff, Mrs. Barrie Jones and Mrs. Mason.

A large crowd attended the Red Cross benefit party at the school Wednesday night. The school children presented a short program before a movie was shown by A. M. Smith. Hot chocolate, coffee and cake were served. A donation of \$104.50 was received for the Red Cross.

Mrs. Howard Teaff's father, J. W. Norman, returned to his home at Grassland Sunday after being a patient in the West Texas hospital in Lubbock for a week.



SEEKS RE-ELECTION—John C. White, Texas Agriculture Commissioner, has recently announced that he will seek re-election to the post he has held during the past four years.

Grassburr News

Please Send News Not Later Than Monday To **MRS. H. J. TAYLOR** Grassburr Correspondent

More than 40 people attended the 42 and Canasta party Wednesday night at the school house. Contributions to the Red Cross amounted to \$52.10.

Mrs. Dale Cravy returned home Sunday after visiting at Sherman for a week with her grandfather, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Justice, of Slaton, were Thursday night visitors in the Ozell Williams home. Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Siewert and daughter, Sharon, went to Lubbock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cravy visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Q. Smelser at Spur Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wren Cross and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Cross and son, Terry, attended the funeral of Wren Cross' brother at Abilene Sunday.

Cecil Bland, of Verbena, is assisting Ozell Williams in building a new dwelling. The house will have four rooms and a bath. Mr. and Mrs. H. Martinez, of

Weekend guests in the J. T. Peddy home were Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Young, of Lamesa.

Southland, spent Sunday with the B. Castro family. Mrs. Castro and Carmen accompanied the Martinez family to Shallowater Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton York and children, Sedora, Darrell and Judy, visited Mrs. York's parents in Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. G. T. Pierce and Linda Joyce visited Thursday and Friday with Mrs. Wren Parsons in Lubbock.

Albert Castro went to New Home Monday.

HAWAIIAN HORSE CHANT

MIAMI, Fla. — Dr. G. E. Woolard, Florida horse breeder, has a penchant for giving his horses Hawaiian names. And race track announcers are getting tongue-tied as a result. Last year Dr. Woolard named one of his horses Mama Na Wawae. This season Erwiwi, Hekill and Makani Ikaika are racing in his colors. In Hawaiian, the names of the last mentioned horses mean "be quick", "thunder", and "hurricane". But pity the poor announcers.

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Graham News

Please Send News Not Later Than Monday To MRS. W. O. FLUITT Graham Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin are spending the week at their ranch at Graham.

Mrs. Glen Hill, of Tulsa, is visiting relatives and friends here. Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn, of Midland, were weekend guests of the J. C. Howards.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Ramage, of Gordon, were weekend guests in the Buck Gossett home. Rea Peel spent Sunday afternoon at Close City with Ann Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kendley were recent visitors of the Roy Penningtons.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lusk took Mrs. S. E. Boothe to Lorenzo Tuesday night where Mr. Boothe met her and they returned to their home in Paducah. They were dinner guests in the Z. P. Lusk home at Lorenzo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. King and son, Rex, Mrs. Charles King and daughter, Ray McClellan, and Mrs. Charlie Lee, of Post, visited Pfc. Charles King in Fort Sill, Okla., over the weekend.

The Rev. Mr. Ross, of Lubbock, was a Sunday dinner guest in the Arthur Crockett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen McWhirter and children, of Lubbock, were weekend guests of the Walter Stevens family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stewart and children are in Houston this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gandy, of Tahoka, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fluitt.

The Roy Penningtons have a new Ford car.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Hill and daughter, of Lubbock, were Sunday visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hill.

Mrs. M. M. Bishop, sister of the late J. F. Maxey, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cowdrey, Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Cowdrey, Glen Davis and Lonnie Peel visited their uncle, Joe Cowdrey, who is ill in an Abilene hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hodges and children were supper guests in worth visited their daughter, Mrs. R. A. McLaurin, and family from Saturday until Monday in Pecos. Their grandson, George Knox, returned home with them for a visit.

Miss Nell Strother, formerly with the Levelland First National bank, is now employed in the office of Postex Mills, Inc.

The J. A. Johnson home at Close City Friday night. Jean Barkley, of Slaton, spent the weekend with the Buck Gossett.

Mrs. Elgie Stewart is in Wichita Falls with her daughter, Mrs. Howard Adams, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Parrish and baby, of Abernathy, visited in the E. C. Hill home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bush and son, Jerry, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mock and daughter, of Post, fished at Possum Kingdom during the weekend.

Charlotte Taylor had her tonsils removed last weekend.

County Records

Courts and Marriage Licenses Real Estate Transfers Oil and Gas Leases Deaths and Births

George Edwin Parks, et ux to Martin Allen Parks, State School Sections 682, 684, 672, and 674, Block 97, H & T C; Sections 681, 683, 683, North Half 673, 671, Block 97, H & T C; and Fractional Section 737, Block 97, H & T C Ry. Co. Consideration \$10.00; \$21.45 Revenue stamps.

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BITS-OF-NEWS

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Sunday guests in the Lee Bowen home were Mrs. John Sutton and two daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Ward, of Hobbs, N. M.

half Lot 23, Block 82, Post. Consideration \$5,000.00; \$5.50 Revenue stamps.

J. T. Herd, et ux to J. P. Manly, Lot 14, Block 96, Post. Consideration \$350.00; \$55 Revenue stamps.

Hilbert Askins, et ux to L. R. Mason, North 28' of West 67 1/2' of Lot 6 and South 26' of West 67 1/2' of Lot 5, Block 157, Post. Consideration \$1,500.00; \$1.65 Revenue stamps. Loyd Anthony, et ux to Dalton Anthony, Lot 3, Block 129,

Mrs. Raymond Redman and son, Dan, transacted business in Lubbock Monday afternoon.

Ray Thomas visited his daughter and family in Odessa Sunday.

Post. Consideration \$10.00; \$1.65 Revenue stamps. OIL, Gas and Mineral Leases R. P. Coats, et al to Philip R. Jonsson, Northeast Quarter and Southwest Quarter Section 2, Block 4, K. Aycock. Eight year lease. \$12.50 Rentals. \$55 Revenue stamps.

John C. Jester to Philip R. Jonsson, Northeast Quarter and Southwest Quarter Section 2, Block 4, K. Aycock. One year lease.

WACKERED OUT—After a busy day of romping together, Harold Palmer returned Monday after a short visit to Slaton Mercy hospital. Edlin will be dismissed from the hospital Friday.

Justiceburg News Please Send News Not Later Than Monday to MRS. GEORGE EVANS Justiceburg Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Woodard returned from Temple Saturday where she underwent observation at Scott and White clinic.

Mrs. Elmer Pettigrew was called to Post Sunday afternoon because of the serious illness of her father, S. T. Bright. Mr. Bright was improved Monday.

Sunday night guests of Mrs. Doyle Justice were her sister, Mrs. Ella Simpson, of Lubbock, and her son, Lewis Howard, of Mineral Wells. The Joe Griffith family of Lubbock spent the weekend in the Justice home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith are in Temple this week where Mrs. Smith entered Scott and White clinic.

Mrs. George Evans visited her children, the Lawrence Evans family, in Lubbock Wednesday.

Mrs. George Greer and children and Mrs. Maurice Wright and children visited in Snyder Saturday with the J. W. Patterson family.

Guests in the Cameron Justice home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Buster McNabb and sons, Mrs. Zelma Cesari and sons, John and Charles, Mrs. Velma Fletcher and daughter, Marilyn, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Howard, Lonnie Fulford and Miss Myana Clark, all of Ropesville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Duck- *We are very happy to have Miss Strother as an addition to our office force at Postex. We are also very glad to have T. S. Harris visiting us from Sherman this week.

WHAT WHEN WHERE Dunlap's MARCH END OF MONTH Ladies' SUITS Ladies' HANDBAGS Men's SHORTS Ladies' BLOUSES Ladies' SLACKS Men's White and Colored Dress SHIRTS Ladies' SKIRTS Nylon HOSE Ladies' SLIPPER

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| BALLARDS BISCUITS | 2 FOR 25c | FRESH GROUND, LB. HAMBURGER | 65c |
| WILSON'S, CERT. 1/2 OR WHOLE, LB. HAMS | 63c | FRESH, LB. PORK LIVER | 39c |
| LOIN OR T-BONE, LB. STEAK | 99c | FRESH, LB. SPARE RIBS | 49c |

BACON 59¢

ARMOUR'S STAR LB.

FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES

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| FIRM HEADS, LB. LETTUCE | 12 1/2c |
| CALIFORNIA, LARGE BUNCH CARROTS | 10c |
| FRESH, BUNCH RADISHES | 7 1/2c |
| FRESH, BUNCH GREEN ONIONS | 7 1/2c |

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CABBAGE 2 1/2c

FIRM HEADS LB.

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| LARGE BOX CHEER | 31c | COLGATES, GIANT TUBE TOOTH PASTE | 34c |
| LARGE BOX DUZ | 30c | NORTHERN, TOILET TISSUE 3 ROLLS | 25c |
| LARGE BOX IVORY FLAKES | 30c | HUNTS, NEW, No. 300 CAN POTATOES | 10c |
| LARGE BOX IVORY SNOW | 30c | DEL-MONTE, No. 2 CAN SPINACH | 14c |
| KRAFTS, QUART BOTTLE SALAD OIL | 57c | | |

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Cinch CAKE MIX
per pkg. **39¢**
ADD ONLY WATER

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| LIBBYS CUT, 303 CAN BEETS | 12c |
| ASSORTED, PER PKG. JELL-O | 9c |
| SNOW CROP, 12 OZ. PKG. PEACHES | 25c |
| SALAD, EVERLITE, PT. JAR DRESSING | 30c |
| BABY, GERBERS, 8 OZ. BOX CEREAL | 17c |
| HAWAIIAN, PT. BOTTLE PUNCH | 53c |
| LIBBYS, 16 OZ. CAN TAMALES | 28c |
| BEEF, LIBBYS, 16 OZ. CAN STEW | 47c |
| HEINZ, WHITE, QT. VINEGAR | 23c |



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| COMPLETE DECORATING KIT | 39c |
| RAISIN WHEAT, BOX SKINNERS | 17c |



SPRING CLEANING VALUES

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| BOTTLE AIRWICK | 59c | LARGE BOX TIDE | 29c |
| SHASTA DEAL SHAMPOO | 89c | LARGE BOX DREFT | 31c |
| WE STOCK MONARCH DIETETIC FOODS | | LARGE BOX OXYDOL | 30c |
| | | IVORY, LARGE BAR SOAP | 15c |
| | | LIQUID SOAP JOY | 31c |
| | | QUART BOTTLE CLOROX | 19c |
| | | BABO, 2 CANS CLEANSER | 25c |
| | | LARGE BOX SPICK and SPAN | 25c |

CRISCO 85¢

3 LB. Can

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| 8 OZ. CAN BORAXO | 18c | ORANGE, SNOW CROP, 6 OZ. CAN JUICE | 19c |
| MENNENS, 50c SIZE BABY POWDER | 43c | SUNSHINE, 1 LB. PKG. CRACKERS | 25c |
| SCHICK INJECTOR, PKG. RAZOR BLADES | 69c | GERBERS, 3 CANS BABY FOOD | 27c |
| HEINZ, LARGE BOTTLE KETCHUP | 25c | ARGO, BOX GLOSS STARCH | 11c |

COFFEE 79¢

CHASE AND SANBORNS 1 LB.

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| MEADOWLAKE, IN QUARTERS, LB. MARGARINE | 25c |
| SUNSHINE, 8 OZ. PKG. MARSHMELLOWS | 17c |
| SUNSHINE, 8 OZ. PKG. FIG BARS | 23c |
| PLANTERS, 12 OZ. JAR PEANUT BUTTER | 33c |
| NESTLES, 6 OZ. PKG. CHOCOLATE MORSELS | 23c |
| 6 BOXES CRACKER JACKS | 25c |

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