

City To Furnish Trucks To Haul Off Rubbish

Property owners, warned last week by the city council to burn all trash, tree trimmings and rubbish during the recent Clean-up drive, met with some results but the job was halted by the heavy rain.

Co. Equalization Board Will Meet On June Third

Bill paying and other routine claimed the time of the commissioners court in their meeting Monday, with two members of the court absent during the last half-day of the day.

Firemen Planning Dance On County Anniversary

Floydada Volunteer Fire department has announced plans for a dance on May 28, night of the county's fifty-third anniversary.

Honor Graduates FHS Dined By Rotary Club

Mary Helen Mickey, valedictorian, LaJuana Leibfried, salutatorian, James Robertson, honor boy, and Milton Wiley, high boy student for the 1942-43 school term of Floydada High school together with Dorothy Sims Battey, valedictorian and Kelley Hagood, honor boy, of Andrews

HATLEY'S VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. B. Hatley who recently moved to San Antonio, were in Floydada Sunday and Monday packing their household effects ready for shipment to their new home.

LeRoy Cates And His B-17 Salute Home

The Flying Fortress which Wednesday shortly after noon saluted Floydada and the environs was that of LeRoy Cates and his crew of nine men, on a cross-country flight to Big Spring from their base at Smoky Hill base, Salina, Kansas.

Pioneers Make Ready For Get-Together On May 28; Events For Horsemen To Be Featured

Eighth Grade To Graduate Thurs. May 20

Eighth grade commencement program will be held Thursday evening May 20 at 8:45 o'clock at the Andrews Ward school. The diplomas will be presented by W. B. Harris, principal of the school and Supt. Walter Travis will welcome the graduates to high school.

Lockney Pioneer Resident Buried Tuesday Afternoon

Funeral services for Mrs. Mattie Viola Downs, 84, were held Tuesday afternoon at the First Methodist church at Lockney, conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. B. Vaughn. She died Monday morning at 3 o'clock.

ROY L. HAYNES MAKES BRIEF VISIT HOME; NOW WITH WMC AT DALLAS

Roy L. Haynes, for several years with the U. S. Employment service; located at Austin and San Antonio principally, with traveling assignments that have carried him to various parts of the southwest, is now located in Dallas, where he is with the War Manpower commission. His job now is a continuation of duties similar to those which he has done heretofore under the new labor setup.

CLOSING EXERCISES TO BE HELD MONDAY, MAY 17-20 LAKEVIEW SCHOOL

Closing exercises for the Lakeview school are scheduled to be held next week. On Monday, May 17 the primary and intermediate grades will present a program at 9 p. m. o'clock.

HEREFORD BUSINESS VISITOR REPORTS NO RAIN

Ralph Wilson of Hereford and W. C. Sledge of Lubbock, were business visitors in Floydada Wednesday morning. Mr. Wilson said they were still needing rain in the Hereford vicinity and that the rains of the past week-end failed to reach that far on the north plains.

NEW GRANDDAUGHTER

Born May 10, to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Zerwer of Albuquerque, New Mexico, a daughter that has been named Lonnie Kress.

CIRCUS IN TOWN TODAY FIRST FOR THE SEASON

First circus of the season—and possibly the last for the duration—is in town today. It is Daily Bros. motorized circus, busy this morning getting ready for the first performance at 2 o'clock this afternoon, up on the OCC camp grounds on Highway 70 north.

Floyd county pioneers and their friends of former years from the broad expanses of the southwest will see more good horse flesh of the saddle type at their annual get-together on May 28 than they have seen before assembled here in many a moon.

Because horsemen and women are going to be counted upon to make the parade in the forenoon a big success, other events that will interest them are being planned. This is reflected in the list of prizes being offered, and events being planned.

Horses and horsemanship are not to take the place of any of the regular features of the day, be it said, but they are to be an added feature. Pony races, flag races, cigar races, hurdle jumping and events of that kind that call for good horseflesh well trained are among the things being arranged for.

Planning Is All Done Save and except for the actual program of speech-making following the noon-day luncheon, the committees reported all set and ready at Saturday afternoon's meeting.

All prizes offered will be quite modest as in former years—the old settlers make it a point not to spend a lot of money on their get-together—and the biggest expense will be the dinner for the eligibles at noon, eligible by length of residence or former residence in the county.

J. T. McLain reported that relics and pictures of pioneer scenes will be displayed in windows around the business section which will be loaned for the purpose, instead of having the relics on display at some room.

B. B. Gully reported the loud-speaker for the program arranged for, and that the women's home demonstration clubs again will serve the special noon-day meal for the pioneers.

Geo. L. Fawver, chairman of the finance committee, reported ample finances in hand for all probable expenses. The old-time dance will be held as usual beginning in the late evening. Following is the prize list arranged for the parade and later.

- Best and prettiest float, first \$2.50, second \$2; Best dressed pioneer couple in parade, first \$2, second \$1.50; Best old-time cowboy in parade, first \$1.50, second \$1; Oldest pioneer man in parade, \$1; Oldest pioneer woman in parade, \$1; Largest family in the parade, \$2; Oldest married couple in parade, \$2; Cracker eating contest, for children 12 or under, first \$1, second 50 cents; Best and prettiest wild flower bouquet, first \$1.50, second \$1 (bouquets to be made available for use as table decorations at pioneer dinner); Old relics: First prize \$2, second \$1.50.

ENSIGN IVEY RECEIVES PROMOTION; ASSIGNMENT FOR OVERSEAS DUTY

Ensign Denny C. Ivey, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ivey of Big Spring, was recently promoted to the rank of First Lieutenant, Junior, and assigned to overseas duty. He and his mother and his fiancée Miss B. Gentry of Columbia, Missouri, visited in Floydada the first of the week with his grandmother, Mrs. C. F. Sarginer, and his uncle, Carr Sarginer and Mrs. Sarginer.

He left Tuesday from Plainview for an unannounced destination. Miss Gentry, returning to her home accompanied him as far as Jefferson City.

Following the completion of a Naval Officer's Engineering course at Notre Dame university at South Bend, Indiana, in August of last year, Ensign Ivey was sent to Columbia, Missouri, to assist in the organization of a Diesel Engine school and served as instructor there for several months, later being appointed engineering officer in which capacity he served until May 1 when he received his promotion and new assignment.

Today's Market

Table with market prices for various goods including Colored Hens, Cream, Eggs, Hides, Grain, and Hogs.

Heavy Rainfall Hits JackPot For Wide Area

Twelve hours of rainfall, driving in from the northeast and continuing as skies poured out a northwest downpour, late Sunday afternoon until Monday morning, gave Floyd county and neighboring plains and panhandle counties a soaking that practically hits the jackpot on grain and row crop farm lands and on live stock ranges.

Putting much water in lakes and turning lanes into quagmires of mud, the rains soaked deep into the ground with assurance of good planting season for all types of farm operations. On irrigation farms, where wellhead been on 24-hour schedules, the pumps were stopped and will not be put back into operation again for sometime while dry land crop planting now only awaits sufficient firmness for all types of work to push forward with all speed.

Three Inches Or Better From all areas if the county the report is about the same, two and a half to four and a half inches of rain. At Floydada 3.5 inches was recorded. In the area where rainfall has been met generous this spring—immediately north and northwest of Floydada—the lakes have swelled out of all proportion once more. Not the least consideration of many is that fish in the "dry" lakes have another considerable season of ample water supply to grow and multiply. Many lakes were getting so low that the fish planted in them last year were having to be seined and the surplus moved to lakes not so low.

For a dry year Floyd county—and neighboring counts as well—is over-stocked with live stock, swine and poultry. Plenty of moisture means plenty of grass and other pasture for these herds and flocks and a good start toward an ample feed supply this summer and fall. Many live stock owners who were hoarding bundles an other feed will now feel more free to go ahead with their feeding operations.

The rain fell hard at times and it is questionable whether all the cotton and feed planted in the two weeks before the rain will make it through the crust that is expected to form in fields. This week end will tell the story in that respect. No hail or wind damage is reported.

The rains gradually grew lighter west and northwest. At Hereford the rainfall was said to be about three-fourths of an inch and at Amarillo a half inch. At Petersburg a fine rain fell but the total was (See BIG RAINS, back page)

Visiting Pastor To Preach Sunday At Campbell

Announcement is made this week by Mrs. Jack McNeill, teacher of the Campbell school of church services to be held at Campbell Sunday, Rev. O. N. Baucom, former pastor of the Floydada Cumberland Presbyterian church, who now resides at Denton, will conduct services in the morning and evening.

SEAMAN SANFORD SHAW HERE VISITING PARENTS

Seaman Sanford Shaw, who has recently been serving as a trainer in the Gunnery school and Mrs. Shaw of Dumas arrived in Floydada Tuesday to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw.

SON SENDS GIFTS FROM NORTH AFRICA TO MRS. W. F. DANIEL

Mrs. W. F. Daniel was in Floydada Wednesday displaying a box of gifts sent her from her son Pvt. W. F. Daniel, jr., who is with the signal corps located in North Africa.

The box contained two pairs native shoes, of tan leather with colored leather trimmings and a billfold that contained a french coin. The Daniel's have another son W. R. Daniel who is with the coast artillery somewhere in North Africa. Both sons sailed in the same convoy February 20 although neither of the boys know the other's address.

Football Game Ends In Dead Lock Friday

Their crowd to see the scrimmage between exes and ineligible and next year's whirlwind team not so large but quite enthusiastic, the retiring football stars of the past year and those who qualify for next year's team played to a nothing-nothing tie last Friday night under the floodlights at Wester field.

Not only was the score nothing-nothing, but penetrations were tied with two each. Melvin Ross, playing for the ineligible of last year's team, sustained a broken forearm in the last minute of play, a compound fracture which Supt. Travis said yesterday was mending as well as could be expected.

Johnny Cardinal, also of the last year team, got a cut above the eye in the final game and was hospitalized. The wound seems to be doing all right this week. Mr. Travis said.

Ceiling Prices Set By OPA On Food Over The Counter To Public In 12-County Area

Baccalaureate Sermon Sunday M. E. Church

Rev. Hallie G. Gantz, pastor of the First Christian church of Lubbock, will preach the baccalaureate sermon for the graduates of Floydada High school, Sunday evening at 8:45 o'clock, at the First Methodist church. The commencement program will be held the following Friday evening, May 21, at 8:45 o'clock at the high school building. The class is composed of 80 members. Services for Sunday evening will be observed as follows: Processional, Aveline Moss. Invocation, Rev. P. H. Gates, pastor First Methodist church. Song, "Jesus Savior Pilot me", audience. Vocal solo, Gwen Fleming. Baccalaureate sermon, Rev. Hallie G. Gantz, pastor First Christian church, Lubbock. Song, "Onward Christian Soldiers", audience. Benediction, Rev. L. A. Doyle, pastor First Baptist church. Recessional, Aveline Moss.

Lucile Weast U. Of T. Graduate This Spring

AUSTIN, Texas, May 10.—Here's some relief for the serious teacher shortage in Texas public schools—the University of Texas will graduate 53 men and women with the degree of bachelor of science in education at the May 31 commencement, according to a tentative list of candidates announced by Dr. B. F. Pittenger, dean of the School of Education.

The list of candidates includes Lucile Alpha Weast, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Weast, South Plains, bachelor of science degree in education.

HOMER JEAN HOWARD ENLISTS AS NAVAL AVIATION CADET

Homer Jean Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Howard of Lockney has been enlisted as an apprentice seaman, class V-5, for future training as a naval aviation cadet. He will remain home on inactive duty until he is either admitted to the new college training program or is called to active duty as a cadet after reaching his eighteenth birthday.

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CPL. HOLLIS R. BOND MAKES BRIEF VISIT HOME FROM FT. SILL

Cpl. Hollis R. Bond, who has been stationed at Fort Sill since his induction into the army early last fall, was in Floydada for a brief visit Sunday and Monday.

ROBERT MCGUIRE ATTENDS SHOE SHOW MARKET FROM HAGOOD'S DEPT. STORE

Robert McGuire, manager of the shoe department at Hagood's Department store, is in Dallas this week attending a convention of The Southwestern Shoe Travelers association.

MRS. GENE GILLEY TO JOIN SOLDIER-HUSBAND

Mrs. Gene Gilley will leave today from Amarillo for Santa Ana, California, where she plans to spend several months with her husband, Aviation Cadet Emory E. Gilley.

Effective Monday of this week the district Office of Price administration released set prices on more than 200 foods, according to District OPA Director Howard R. Gholson, of Lubbock.

The new ceiling prices will go in to effect Monday and will make it possible for the housewife to know, in the simplest terms possible, the highest price a food store may charge her for a pound, package or dozen of any of the food items included in the price list, the district director said.

Additional items are to be added to the list of commodities covered in the plan each week until virtually all essential food is included, it was announced. Counties in this food pricing area are Floyd, Hale, Bailey, Lamb, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Yoakum, Terry, Lynn and Garza.

Items included in the list are bread, fluid milk, sugar, eggs, butter, cereals, coffee, flour, shortening cooking and salad oils, poultry, evaporated and condensed milk, fruit juices, dried and dehydrated fruits, macaroni and spaghetti, peanut butter, honey, lard, canned fish and bananas.

Already under cents-per-pound ceilings is pork. Similar specific maximums are to go into effect May 17 for beef, veal, mutton and lamb.

The new dollars and cents ceilings do not apply to route sellers, such as persons delivering bread and pastries from an established route or milkmen delivering at retail from trucks.

Wayland College Home-Coming Will Be Held May 22

The annual home-coming for all Wayland college exes will be held Saturday, May 22, at the college. Special services have been planned to honor G. W. McDonald, president who has served the college for the past twenty-five years.

LESLIE RAY COPELAND AT SHEPPARD FIELD

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ewing received a letter recently from their grandson, Leslie Ray Copeland, who is stationed at Sheppard Field, saying he was enjoying Army life. Leslie Ray was reared in Floydada and attended school here.

WILL GRADUATE MISS MARGIE MOREHEAD, DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. E. J. MOREHEAD, WILL GRADUATE FROM JOHN TARLETON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE AT STEVENSVILLE, MAY 21, ACCORDING TO AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT RECEIVED THIS WEEK FROM THE COLLEGE.

CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS

After using the district's terracing machine for two days and rebuilding several old terraces and a number of new ones, Claude Ring of the Antelope community lows as how "that rig is the dirt-movingest outfit I ever saw."

"Since the Soil Conservation District assisted me in getting my section of land terraced it hasn't blown or washed a bit and held a two inch fall, watering men sure know how to do the job right and I really appreciate their work," C. J. McClure, Floydada, Texas.

"My farm would have been washed away in 1942 if I had not terraced it. Kafir corn on terraced land thrashed better than 3000 pounds to the acre as compared to 2000 pounds of unterraced land," Noman Hamilton, Floydada.

NATIVE SON OF FLOYD COUNTY BELIEVES TOKYO WILL RETALIATE IN LIKE MANNER

A recent letter written to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tubbs of Los Angeles, California by their son Seaman Harold Tubbs, discloses the fact that he was aboard the aircraft carrier that was Jimmie Dolittle's "Shangri-la" when Tokyo was bombed. The letter was sent here to Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Tubbs, grandparents of Seaman Tubbs and a portion of the letter is as follows: "Since you now know where the plane came from that bombed Tokyo, you know that we were pretty close to Old Tojo's back door. "I think the Japs will retaliate by

County Is Called To Join In State Wide Tin Salvage

Governor Coke R. Stevenson has called upon Floyd county to join the ranks of those counties which are collecting and salvaging tin cans, Judge G. C. Tubbs announced this week. The campaign, that was at first limited to only thickly populated counties, has been enlarged to a state-wide drive, according to the letter from the governor.

The drastic need for copper throughout the nation is cited as the need for the campaign. Slightly rusted tin cans or those that have been slightly burned will be included in the accumulation and sold in either one or two ways in the county.

Tin sold in car-load lots will be paid for on the basis of \$6 per long ton. Tin sold in truck loads will be paid for on a different price basis.

The order received by the county judge has been passed to Jason O. Gordon and Edith L. Wilson county scrap salvage committee. To date no committees have been appointed, nor has a date for the campaign to begin been announced, Gordon said.

M. L. Solomon Will Re-Open Jewelry Business Here

M. L. Solomon is in a Lubbock hospital this week recuperating from a minor operation he underwent Tuesday. As soon as his health will permit, Mr. Solomon plans to return to Floydada to re-open his jewelry and watch repair business.

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon and little son have been making their home at San Antonio for the past six months. They returned to Floydada Sunday and are at home at 511 West Missouri street.

Campbell School Closes Thursday, With Picnic

The 1942-43 term of school will close at Campbell on May 21. The pupils of the school will render a program at the school house on Thursday night, May 20. The program is scheduled to start promptly at 9 o'clock.

Community To Celebrate

The community also announces a picnic on Friday, the last day of school, when patrons and pupils will take their lunch and go to the Baxter lake for a fish fry. Shade and chairs will be provided according to Mrs. Jack McNeill, teacher of the school, who announced that the public is cordially invited to attend both the programs.

W. ELTON GOEN ASSIGNED TO NEW SHIP AS YEOMAN

W. Elton Goen, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Goen, who has been in the navy for more than a year, has been assigned to a new ship which has just been commissioned, he writes in a brief note to The Hesperian this week, ordering the newspaper sent to his address care Fleet Post Office, San Francisco.

"The ship, being new, is just like moving into a new home and everything has to begin from the start," Elton writes. "I am assigned to the engineering division and am yeoman for about 100 engineers and believe you me I have a lot more than I ever planned on bargaining for."

"Everything is just about ready to go on this new ship and I will soon be moving away from these home shores again. I have been here so long that I have just about lost my sea legs" and hate to think about starting all over again."

Had Part In Tokyo Bombing

trying the same thing on us one of these days and there will be lots of people that don't really realize what this war is, who are due for an awakening." Harold, a native son of Floyd county, has been in service better than two years. He was at one time reported missing and later located in a hospital where he was reported to have been captured when his ship was bombed and sunk. He was later sent to the home of his parents where he recuperated from his injuries and at present is located at McCord Field, Washington.

EDITORIALS

The great potential value to all the counties it would traverse of a north and south highway connecting the Borger oil fields and the Big Spring oil fields is so patent that we wonder why business men and officials all along the line do not work harder at getting such a road built. To Floyd county taxpayers, for instance, the road would be worth almost a year's taxes every year in reduced mileage oil trucks would have to travel to get petroleum products to this farming section. Such a road through Briscoe county, to give another illustration of its value, would put that portion of the county north of the Tule in touch with the county seat of Silverton in a way that will never be possible otherwise. But the Tule on the north and other things to the south of Floyd make bugaboos that seem insurmountable. However, good highways across the Yellowhouse overcame obstacles as severe as any that would be faced crossing the Tule. All the route lacks of final consummation is some push and continued push. One morning the war will be over and there will be road building done for those who want it. The others will continue to find obstacles.

Do you use coal and are you the type that is inclined to hoard? Then follow your inclination, buy your coal now and put it away against winter's demands. For Uncle Sam needs for the coal mines to operate continuously and for the railroads to operate most efficiently. Next fall everybody will want coal and all the dealers will be asking the coal company to ship their cars of fuel. The fuel administrator passes the word along to those who want to be helpful and forehanded and warm next winter to get into the buying mood right now. Contact your coal dealer, give him your order. Don't wait until fall and buy it sack at a time, or possibly not at all.

Peculiar about how the wind has blown the past several days. Most people haven't noticed it so much, but us fishermen and hunters really have. Any sizable body of water has been so disturbed, except for two or three hours a day, that point savers even with their high boots on have come in empty-handed. And the two or three hours a day that the wind would be still just happened at most any hour so that you couldn't schedule yourself to be fishing when the calm arrived. Those who plowed or planted, either early or late, or had to grind feed know what us fishermen have been up against. Of course, this means more days when the wife and the children will have to be without the company of their strong, manly provider. He will be out again with fishing tackle hoping for contrary winds to calm. However, his mind will be clear for the task before him. He will have set the plows for the little wife before he left home.

Some complaint noted about interference of government with the natural progress of prices, which in war time is none other than upward. The fact is that whatever emergency measures can be taken by government to hold prices down and head off that continued upward spiral, will be a great thing for the country. Even should the executive department exceed its authority and get results the damage to our "liberty" will be far outweighed by the advantages. Right now we do not know for sure whether there is going to be any "liberty" until we find out whether we can whip Mr. Hitler and Mr. Togo. Prices that rage upward like a conflagration can be ruinous to the economic welfare of the country,—not only can be but will be. Even the expedient of holding retail prices down while permitting a certain range of prices upward for the raw products, the government taking up the slack with money out of the taxpayers' pockets, is better than not doing anything about it. Twenty-seven dollar sugar and 40-cent cotton with other things in proportion cost too much following the last war to let it happen again.

Fourteen pieces of mail per soldier per week for every man across the waters is the present rate at which the Post Office department is handling mails for the army, an unprecedented movement of letters and packages, taking up cargo space on many ships every month. This information is given by the Office of War Information, which says that about 20 per cent of the mail is V-mail. The packages and letters sent to the boys overseas in the last war did not any way approach the record of the present war. Since word from home is so important to the morale of the men nobody in authority at this time is suggesting any let-up in the mail that goes through but they are wishing people would use V-mail more. Speed of V-mail is practically twice as fast. The air is used to a considerable extent to handle this type of mailing, but folks do not like this "canned" mail service, it seems.

Any doubt of an ample season for early wheat to finish maturing and for planting and replanting season for cotton and other row crops is dispelled by the rains of the first of the week. The fact that the rain was a cold one and that several days of coolness preceded the moisture is not good news for cotton seed in the ground nor for a fast start for cotton planted 10 days or two weeks ago. It was cold enough Saturday night that frost would have shown up in numerous places if overhanging clouds had not prevented. As it was tender vegetation escaped without injury and early planted gardens, too.

What it would mean to our own high plains country, with its hundreds of thousands of swine, chickens and cattle, if prices keep going higher and we should hit one of the dry years to which the middle west is oft-times subjected,—what it would mean to us to have prices somewhat under control in saving foundation herds and flocks can only be imagined. Let it come a dry year while we have double our normal population of live stock and poultry. The howl that would go up to Washington would burn the wires up asking for some kind of relief. It all depends on whether one is on the receiving or the paying end whether you like high prices.

Instances like the Cactus plant closing at Dumas, where thousands are suddenly out of work and all the rush of emergency building is apparently being wasted as crews begin dismantling and storing the huge war plant, have a tendency to cool the ardor of citizens who are putting their big and little money into war bonds. Especially does it appear wasteful to the \$25 bond buyer to see the country pour millions into a plant that is closed up before a wheel is ever turned. It is not revealing military information, if we understand it, to say that the plant at Dumas was being rushed in the hope of having it in operation sometime in June. All of this is now out and what workmen stay on the job will be doing a dismantling job. War reasons, not wholly revealed, probably compelling ones, are behind the about-face in plans for the Dumas project. War is waste, you know, and the closer you get to it, the more horrible it appears.

According to the theory of aerodynamics and as may be readily demonstrated through wind and tunnel experiments, the bumblebee is unable to fly. The size, weight and shape of his body in relation to the total wing-spread make flying impossible. But the bumblebee, being ignorant of these scientific truths, goes ahead and flies anyway!—Boycé House.

Uncle Sam says: Your country first, your family second, yourself last.

The time to make friends is before you need them.

Nothing that can happen to you is quite as bad as you think it is.

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Floyd County 14 Years Ago

News Items from the Files of The Hesperian (Issue of May 16, 1929)

L. C. McDonald, local dealer for the Oliver Farm Equipment company implement, announced this week that he is opening a machinery and supply house in the new Read-himer building a West California street.

Representatives of a hundred or more business firms of Wichita Falls are scheduled to visit Floydada on Wednesday of next week, May 22, in the afternoon for a thirty-five minute stay and Ed Ishop, secretary of the local Chamber of Commerce, has asked that residents of Floydada keep the date in mind and be on hand with efficient cars to transport the trippers through the city.

Roe McCleskey returned home Thursday of last week from Dallas where he purchased a Lummas Air Blast gin at Fielcon. He plans to continue to make Floydada his home but will operate the gin through the ginning season.

E. L. Angus is to be the new manager of Floydada Creamery and will take charge of the business as soon as the plant is completed.

Frank Boener and Flynn Thagard took charge this Thursday of the Scoggin-Bleeker Motor company, Oakland-Pontiac dealership, which they purchased from Kight Dickey, Ray Dickey and A. L. Scoggin. Mr. Scoggin and the Dickey brothers bought the district Oakland-Pontiac dealership at Lubbock and took charge there May 11.

Mrs. Lon V. Smith of this city, will deliver the class address for the graduating class of the 1928-29 of Baylor College for Women at Belton. She was chosen recently for this assignment by the school and has accepted the invitation.

The graduating class of the Floydada High school is composed of forty-one members, twenty girls and twenty-one boys. Bernice Gresham is valedictorian and Margie Norton is salutatorian.

Tuesday night the members of the senior class presented their class play, entitled "The Arrival of Kitty." Nine seniors composed the cast of characters. They were Mildred Strickland, N. E. Stansell, Troye Willis, Herma Lea Norman, R. V. Huskey, Robbie Archer, Vela Blasingame, Winfred Newsome and John Key West.

Seventh grade graduates of the Andrews Ward school will give their commencement program this evening at 8:30 o'clock. Rev. G. B. Schmid will deliver the address. Mary Ann Kimble is class valedictorian and Louise Conner salutatorian. Both will give addresses. About 48 boys and girls will graduate.

Miss Marie Bagwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bagwell, of the Harmony community and Mr. Seaborn Teague, of Floydada, were married Saturday evening at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Elza Gulion. Elder Joe M. Day performed the ring ceremony.

Andrews Ward Parent-Teachers association met in called session Friday afternoon at 1:30 at the school building. Mrs. James Colville, incoming president, was in charge. Plans were made for the Summer Round Up.

Every man starts life as a baby—and the smart ones outgrow it.

As A Farm Woman Thinks

By Nellie Witt Spikes

Emerson says, "The rain comes when the wind calls." All last week a hot scorching wind called. It sucked the moisture from the listed beds in the fields as tho they were sponges. It burnt our faces, tender from the winter's stay in the house, dirt was whipped in the houses and sifted over everything, chickens sat in the shade with open mouths. It was extra warm weather for the first of May. But this morning all the dryness has gone, the rain came when the wind called. All night I heard it whispering as it fell softly from the eaves above my window, whispering of food, food in plenty for the boys at war, for the starving when they can be fed, and for the cows to have plenty of green grass, and for all the living on the farm to be fed. The lake mirrors the clouds which are only ragged gray tatters this morning; the chickens look white as snow in their warm dry coops, the cows which shivered in the drizzling rain yesterday are sunning themselves on the wet warm ground. We find work long neglected in the house. Thank you, dear Father, for the rain that comes when the wind calls.



Do you remember column: How bits of new dresses with tiny snips of trimming were enclosed in letters home, and oftentimes curls of the baby's hair so our mothers could compare it with our own? We were babies then, carefully then were letters opened, there might be a pressed rose from the bush we loved. How well we know the ways those letters started, dear mother, I take my pen in hand (but of course it was almost always a pencil short at that) to tell you that we are all well with the exception of bad colds in winter, or if summer, bowel complaints. We told our troubles right at the start and never thought to mention them in the letter again, the reader oftentimes wondering just who was sick or only puny I wish there were more of those old letters tied with strings in old trunks, so that we might read and get courage and fun from them.

The other day Paul came in and poured all the hot water from the teakettle to wash his hands. Joe Ellis grievously told his mother that daddy had used up all the cooked water and he did not have any to wash his hands. Mother says when you have tall tomato plants, not to try to dig a deep hole to stick them in, but to lay them lengthwise in the row, covering all up but about three inches of the top. She says they will take root all along and make much sturdier plants. I have been neglecting my garden to start off the chickens, but I will give it more time now. The potatoes are looking fine, the beans are up. Every day if we want them, we can have poke greens or salad as it was called when I was a child, tender asparagus and onions. The weed greens will come on now, lamb's quarter and evening primrose, when caught young and tender will make good greens. I never think of greens in the spring but that I recall that Pink Parrish ate up the roses at a banquet or so "they" said. When I asked him the truth of this, he answered that in the spring a man might eat anything green.

Thanks to Mrs. Bob Willis, Mrs. Lela Stayley of Missouri and Aunt Mirt of Odessa for lovely cards for my birthday. It was such a happy day, so nice that I forgot to grieve over the passing of all the years. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dunn of Cone, with Mrs. Roxie Travis and Mrs. T. J. Davis came by and I went with them to the conference at Abernathy. As we entered the lovely new church after being welcomed on the outside by J. P. Nystel, we felt the welcome carried on in and in friendly words the Baptist preacher told us, "Abernathy welcomes you, we want you." As Rev. Nix continued with, "such as we have, give we you," the beauty of the building and the peace of God present stole into our hearts, and when Reverend Caldwell sang in his golden voice, "For I've started to Jesus and I'm going through," Mrs. Jake Griffith of Lockney accompanying him on the baby grand piano, we were all on the mountain top and were all ready for the glowing message of the Presiding Elder. "He hath made everything beautiful in His time. He hath set sternly in the heart the changelessness of love, the imperishable sense of God, and the deathlessness of Hope."

So filled were we with the loveliness of the building, built by the people of Abernathy with such courage and loving giving of their time, money and work of their hands not in a sacrificial way but as a wonderful privilege the messages of hope and strength, it seemed that the war was crowded out, or rather that we would go on to victory. We knew that the songs, "Come Thou fount of Every Blessing" that poured from the very hearts of these men of God drawn out the repulsive songs of war that have been sung in guttural voices to the destruction of the world. And what a supper we found in the basement! What conveniences the women have to serve such meals! We loaded our plate, unashamed, it was there in such plenty, and I would hesitate to guess how many fryers lost their lives to appease the appetites of Methodist preachers. We sighed with pleasure as we shook hands with Mr. Nystel, who had been so attentive to see to the comfort and pleasure of everyone and said some day we will go back to Abernathy. When I got home, Paul, Wilma and Herschel had the cows milked and on the table was a cake with

candles burning. And when I saw the sweet, lovely statue of Mary, Wilma had left on the mantle, tears came to my eyes and it was the end of a perfect day.

Best poem of the week sent by Aunt Mirt:

German Bride's Lament
By Bert Brecht

And what did he send you my bonny lass,
From the old, old town of Prague?
From Prague he sent me ribboned shoes,
Ribboned shoes for my dancing toes.
From the old, old town of Prague.
And what did he send you my bonny lass,
From Oslo over the sea?
From Oslo he sent me a fur lined hood,
A fur lined hood, so soft and so good.
From Oslo over the sea.
And what did he send you, my bonny lass,

From Paris, the city of light?
From Paris he sent me a silken dress,
A dream caress of a silken dress,
And what did he send you, my bonny lass,
From Russia he sent me my widow's weeds,
From the funeral feast my widow's weeds,
From the deep, deep Russian snows

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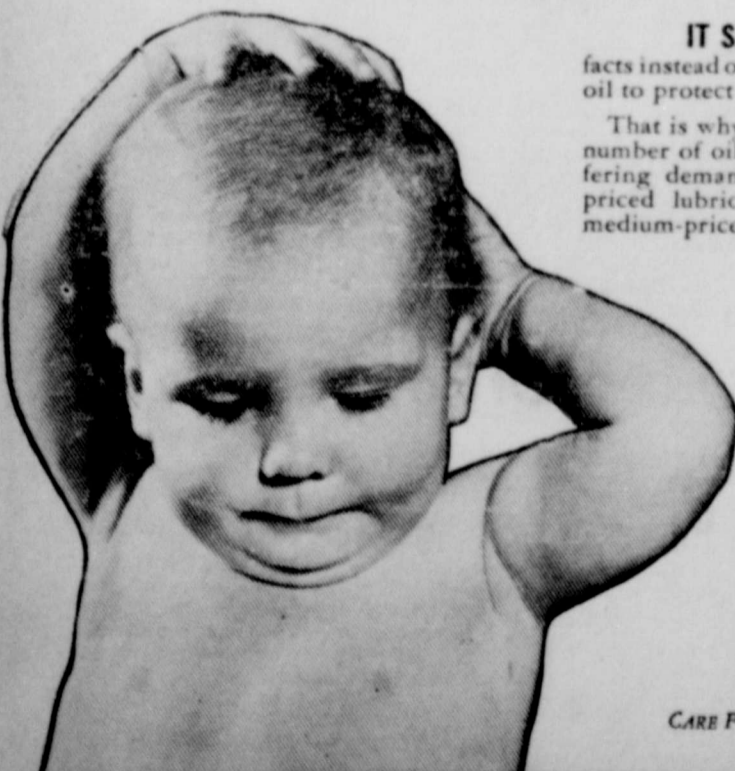
Due to the rather high price of planting seed and the fact that we are having to buy for cash the seed that we have . . .

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IT'S PHILLIPS FINEST QUALITY

Lewis' Conduct Treasonable, Says Mahon

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—Congressman George Mahon, in condemning John L. Lewis and the coal strike recently, said that Lewis was guilty of treasonable conduct and should have been shown months ago that he is not greater than the U. S. Government. The people are roused, and they have every right to be, he said.

In a speech in Congress Mahon said that Lewis had in effect repudiated our government and joined our enemies and that this latest act against the government by Lewis had fully vindicated all those who had been fighting for legislation to prevent strikes in war time and for a firm policy by the President against our enemies within the U. S. Mahon and many other members from the South have been demanding for months that strikes should be outlawed for the duration. The President had secured a pledge from Lewis and other national labor leaders that there would be no strikes and had not favored legislation. A firmer policy against strikes is now thought probable.

Floydada Church Will Be Host At Next Conference

Floydada was selected as the meeting place for the mid-year conference of Methodist churches of the Plainview district at the close of the two-day conference held Tuesday and Wednesday of last week at Abernathy. Plainview and Muleshoe also asked for the conference.

Dr. L. N. Lipscomb, district superintendent, gave the opening address Tuesday afternoon and presided throughout the conference.

Reports were made by the pastors and other church leaders concerning every phase of church work in the district—spiritual, financial and physical. A total of 282 additions to the church was reported and the financial conditions of the churches was reported as excellent.

Guest speaker Wednesday morning was Dr. Harold G. Cook, president of McMurry college, Abilene, who also gave a report on the college.

Other reports given during the conference were made by Mrs. O. B. Jackson of Plainview, district secretary of women's work; Mrs. P. H. Gates of Floydada, children's work; Rev. P. E. Yarborough of Tullia, adult activities; J. M. Willson of Floydada, district lay leader and Miss Trula Maud Jetton of Hale Center, district young people's director.

Those from Floydada attending the meeting included Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Willson, L. C. McDonald, Noel Troutman, C. D. Foote, W. E. Grimes, Rev. and Mrs. Phil H. Gates and Mrs. D. D. Shipley.

Those from Floydada circuit were Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Hartley, Mrs. M. J. McNeill and Mrs. W. H. Bethel.

Miller Field Man For Welfare Dept. At Clarendon

Olin S. Miller, who reported last week at Pampa for assignment as a field worker of the State Department of Public Welfare, has been assigned to Donley county and the family already have taken up their residence there.

People of Donley are very friendly, writes Mrs. Miller and the family has nice living quarters.

Their post office address is P. O. Box 569, Clarendon and the Millers would be glad to hear from any of their Floyd county friends at that address.

So. Side Baptist Church News

(R. N. Power, pastor)

Our revival will start June 7 and last through June 18. Rev. J. T. Power will do the preaching. We ask all our friends to pray for this meeting. Bro. Jack blessed our hearts when he was here before and we are looking forward to having a great meeting this time.

The pastor will start a meeting at San Antonio on the 18th of this month. If there ever was a time God's people should go and tell the story of Christ, with the leadership of the spirit, that time is now.

Visit a going church for the coming Lord.

MEMBER PHI BETA KAPPA

Miss Ruth Evelyn Kreis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kreis, a student of the University of Texas, was recently initiated as a member of the University chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, an honor society.

Pvt. J. S. Hale, Jr., stationed at Will Rogers Field, Oklahoma City, and Mrs. Hale, employed at the office of the U. S. Engineers, also of Oklahoma City visited here from Thursday until Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Daniel, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hale of the Harmony community.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Matiser and little son spent Sunday at Plainview with his sister, Mrs. Robert Brooks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Matiser of Plainview were guests of their son, Leonard Matiser and family Tuesday.

Motorists Urged To Pre-Endorse Gas Coupons

Motorists in Floyd county were urged by W. Edd Brown, Chairman of the Floyd County War Price and Rationing Board to endorse their gasoline coupons in advance and thus avoid the inconvenience and delay, both to them and to their dealers, of having to do so at the filling station when they buy gasoline.

Failure to make the proper notations on the back of coupons before gasoline is delivered constitutes a violation of the mileage rationing regulations, Mr. Brown pointed out.

"License numbers and the abbreviation of the state should be written on the backs of all coupons before going to the station, or when the book is issued. This will save the time of the motorist and the attendant who must otherwise take the time to do this for each transaction. Without this endorsement, the filling stations are not to accept coupons," the War Price and Rationing Board chairman explained.

"While this write-in requirement may seem burdensome, it is a valuable weapon in the hands of the Office of Price Administration in combating black market gasoline transactions. The endorsement is our only check on dealer practices. It is our main check on dealer practices."

"We must remember the reason for gasoline rationing—to conserve our tires by controlling mileage, to make them last until new ones can be produced," added Mr. Brown. "We must not overlook any means of safeguarding the miles available in our tires for those who need car transportation in doing essential war jobs."

Cpl. Norman W. Davenport, stationed at Lubbock, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Davenport of South Plains.

Miss Mozelle Edwards, employed at White Drug company, is spending this week at Dallas visiting her sister.

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Week End Rain At Center Is Ample Moisture

CENTER, May 11.—Another fine rain came our way, not less than three inches and some say their rain gauge says nearer four inches. Anyway it came so that not much of it ran off our plowed ground and put things in fine shape to continue cotton and feed planting as soon as it is dry enough and wheat is made so far as the season goes, according to our idea.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Austin and their daughter, Mrs. Jack Chandler and three children of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Austin and children Sunday until the late afternoon when the rain rushed them off home.

Our roads are holding good with the exception of a short space just east of the Roe Jones mail box where it needs a few more loads of dirt.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin S. Miller have been stationed at Clarendon for their work.

School Closed Friday

We are informed Miss Frances Mitchell is soon to take up work as official at the Consumer's Fuel association station.

We had Sunday school Sunday even if less than a dozen were present.

Clyde Green was a week end visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Green.

Keep in mind our preaching services for next Sunday and lend your presence at that hour is the wish of the pastor.

Those from Center attending the Workers Conference at Pansy last Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Anderson and Leah, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Gambrell and Joy, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jordan, J. B. Jordan and Mrs. W. L. Montgomery.

Club members have received notices from Miss Wilson that the meeting date of the club has been changed from May 10 to Monday May 17 with Mrs. J. R. Austin as hostess.

Center school closed last Friday without any special exercises since some of the children were out because of whooping cough and others have had chicken pox.

Given Farewell Party

Last Wednesday evening the community met at the teacherage to enjoy a farewell party with Mrs. C. L. Mitchell and Miss Frances. We have enjoyed having them in our midst these two years and are glad they have chosen to remain near by even though we understand that Miss Frances will not teach here next year.

Hostesses were Misses Helen Jones, Modena Caldwell, Betty Jo Sims and Mrs. Merl Mayfield.

Cookies and lemonade were served to Mr. and Mrs. Roe Jones, Helen Christine, Clara Mae and Wanda Lee, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Mayfield and Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Green, Don and Margaret, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. W. P. Sims and Betty Jo, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jordan, Mrs. C. J. McClure and Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Gambrell, Buddy, Bobby and Joy, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jordan, Miss Luzell Bryan, Modena Caldwell, Weldon Cumbie, Miss Betty Jean Spence, Joe, James and Melvin Robertson, E. R. Milton, Dave Willis, Delbert Morris, Melvin Ross, Donald C. Green, James Norvell and the honorees, Mrs. Mitchell and Miss Frances.

Mrs. G. C. Bailey attended the Missionary Society meeting at Rushing Chapel last Wednesday.

None of the milk transportation trucks were able to make the route today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jordan attended the Midway show in Floydada Friday night.

OLD FIRE TRUCK HAS NEW COAT RED PAINT

The old model Graham Bros. fire truck, belonging to the City Fire department is all dressed up this week in a new coat of red paint, trimmed in silver.

Carl Rodgers, assistant fire chief of F. F. D. is the master artist, and will tell you he is really proud of the job.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cantrell of Vernon were guests in the home of his mother, Mrs. Will Cantrell the past week-end.

Mrs. L. H. Dorrell returned home this mid-week from Wichita Falls where she visited her daughter and husband, Sgt. and Mrs. Glenn Jar-nagin.

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Automobile tires, gasoline, trucks and materials must be used to keep GAS flowing to war production plants and to your home. With so many trained men in the armed services, we must conserve man hours, too.

YOU can help us conserve vital materials by making minor adjustments to your appliances and calling for service only when absolutely necessary. If you need service, please give us as much time as possible, so we can group calls in your neighborhood.

West Texas Gas Co.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McDonald and children visited in Plainview Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Tatum. Mr. and Mrs. Tatum recently moved to Plainview from Lubbock.

Mrs. Buck Sims and children Barbara, Marcie D. and Rebecca Ann of Vernon visited from Saturday until Monday in the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Rodgers and daughter, Peggy of Littlefield visited in Floydada Friday with his brother Carl Rodgers and Mrs. Rodgers.

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FOR SALE—Two thousand bundles of well graded hegar. See W. C. Cates at Farmers Elevator. 133tc

FOR SALE—Two new 10-gallon cream cans and One De Laval separator. F. J. Gaston, Cone, Texas. 142tp

FOR SALE—1 Myers Ejecto water pump, complete with tank and pipe for 40 to 60 ft. well. Bridles, Saddles, belting from 1 1/2 inch to 8 inches; 60 ft. feedmill belts, Plow Sweeps, all sizes. H. M. McDonald, Hardware. 132tc

FOR SALE—Model D Oliver 16-foot combine, ready to go, 4 mi. west, 3 mi. north Olton. Geo. R. Smith. 134tp

INTERNATIONAL 4-row cultivator equipped for power lift. Fits P-30 good shape. R. W. Smith, one mile north Sterley. 132tp

FOR SALE 60 or 70 bushels of pure D. P. & L. Cotton Seed at \$1.50 per bushel. L. H. Blum, Rt. 5, Floydada. 114tp

NINE thrifty, weaner pigs at W. B. Jordan farm. 141dn

TWO BABY BEDS for sale. Call 176. 131tc

ON ACCOUNT of my health I want to sell two good milk cows at my residence in south Floydada, both giving milk now. J. A. Goins. 141tc

OLIVER combine 15 ft. cut. A-1 condition. W. T. Hamilton, 3 miles North of Santa Fe stock pens. 114tp

YOUNG MILK COW for sale. Roe McCleskey. 141tc

HORSE-POWER Hay Press, Mower, Dump-Rake and Buck-Rake. Charles Bollman, Rt. 4, Floydada. 133tp

FOR SALE—3 row P & O lister, in good shape. C. T. Warren, Route 4, Four miles N. W. Sand Hill. 141tp

JOHN DEERE Model D, good condition, on rubber, also standard Farm-all with equipment, good condition, on rubber. W. Edd Brown. 111tc

FOR SALE—Oliver combine. Model D, new motor and canvas. 1 1/4 miles S. W. of Aiken. J. C. Thomas. 132tp

FOR SALE—1936 Pontiac, good tires \$325. Phone 58, Floydada, Texas. 142tc

FOR SALE—One W-40 International tractor A-1 condition, new rubber. See Ralph Wilson, 202 East 10th st., Hereford, Texas. 142tp

FOR SALE 1931 Chevrolet coupe, New rubber. N. B. Stansell. 91tc

FRESH Milch cows for sale. N. B. Stansell. 91tc

For Sale Or Trade

PLYMOUTH Pick-up, new 6-ply tires, for sale or trade for car. Richard McCary, Matador Texas. 132tp

Poultry and Eggs

HATCHING eggs, chicks and cockerels from high record layers. Chicks, 17c and up, eggs 9c up to Kirk's Barred Rock Farm, Floydada, Phone 178J. 61tc

RHODE ISLAND Setting Eggs. R. O. P. stock. Dr. Purcell. 21tc

Lost and Found

LOST—In Floydada May 6, five \$20 bills wrapped in brown paper. Finder please notify J. R. Teague or Swinson shop for reward. 142tp

Houses For Sale

HOUSES for sale and rent. W. Edd Brown, owner. 291tc

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FLOYD CO. IRRIGATED FARM 186-acres improved, 193 acres cultivation, 5-room house, plenty out buildings, house wired for electricity, good irrigation well, this farm located 3 miles of shipping point. Priced \$55 acre. J. G. Wood, Bank building. 111tc

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Service Station Operators Urge Summarizing

Declaring that the arrival of Spring this year brings with it a critical stage in the preservation of the nation's automotive transportation system, Ed Hedner, national director of service for Chevrolet, urges the individual car and truck owners of America to accept as their patriotic duty the responsibility of making sure their vehicles are thoroughly and properly "Spring conditioned."

"There are many reasons why it is tremendously important for owners to accept this responsibility this year," he said. "Subnormal driving at low speed, plus the attendant inclination of many owners to neglect proper service and the rigors of severe winter conditions in many sections of the country have exacted heavy toll of the nation's cars and trucks.

"Whether or not our motor vehicles will continue to function effectively in getting war workers to and from their jobs and in transporting an increasing volume of war materials depends to a large extent on how well the individual owners respond right now to appeals from the government as well as the industry to put their equipment in the best possible operating condition."

Vital statistics of the nation's car and truck "population" were offered to point up the urgency of the situation and to impress upon owners their responsibility in maintaining transportation vital to the war effort. The statistics show that prior to Pearl Harbor more than 5,000 passenger cars and 1,500 trucks, consigned to the scrap heaps, left the highways every sundown, never to return to service.

Today with the birth rate "zero" as the result of the cessation of production of cars and trucks for civilian use, it is pointedly plain, according to service station operators, that we must take good care of every vehicle now in operation, to assure its enduring usefulness in helping to win the war.

Conservation Plan

Points included in the approved Spring conditioning check-up offered by local dealers are as follows: Drain permanent anti-freeze solution into a container for use again next Fall. At the same time, tighten radiator hose connections and flush radiator of sediment; Cross-switch or rotate tires according to recommended procedure of previous rotation diagram, thus spreading the wear on all tires; Adjust bearings, repack front wheels with grease, if necessary. Check wheel drums and brake lining for wear.

Lubricate chassis complete; drain crank-case oil and replace with fresh lubricant; check transmission and rear axle housing and use correct lubricant if necessary; remove all corrosion from battery cables terminals and metal encasement and cover terminals with grease. See that battery is fully charged.

Thoroughly inspect sheet metal, including fenders and body for dents and rust. After rust has been removed touch up paint to preserve sheet metal.

FOR SALE—Modern 6 room house, 6 lots, block of high school. See me for price. Edgar Jones. 141tc

For Rent

3-ROOM Apartment with private bath. 621 West Va. Street. 101tc

FOR RENT—2-room furnished apartment. 321 W. Virginia St. Telephone 19J. 132tc

FOR RENT—2 furnished apartments on West California Street. See Mrs. A. J. Welch at Miladies Shoppe. 111tc

FOR RENT—Modern four room house near high school. C. M. Meredith. 131tc

TWO room furnished apartment. Mrs. S. D. Greer, 419 W. Ky. Street. Telephone 288. W. 141tc

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WANTED 3000,000 Rats to kill with Ray's Rat Killer. Harmless to anything but rats and mice. Prepared baits and liquids. Guaranteed at White Pharmacy. 1124tp

WANTED—Woman or girl as bookkeeper and for general office work. Apply at The Hesperian office.

WANTED—2 row cultivator for P20 Farmall. O. C. Vinson, Route 3. 142tp

WANTED—Quilting \$1.00 per 100 yard spool; sewing. Mrs. Lucille Cox, 722 W. Ross street. 41tc

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED—Experience not necessary. Commercial Hotel. 131tc

For Lease

FOR STOCK FARM LEASE, 120 A. improved on Highway. Few miles North Floydada. W. M. Masie & Bro. 131tc

Program Friday Night Concludes Fairview School

FAIRVIEW, May 11.—Our community received another big rain over the week end. Four and one-half inches was reported.

A community party was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crabtree Tuesday night. A large crowd attended.

Those attending the Baptist Workers Conference at Pansy Tuesday from the Center community were Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Gambrell and daughter Joy and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell.

Mrs. Arthur Graham and baby daughter returned home last week from Silverton where they visited during the past two weeks.

Mrs. B. D. Jones and daughters Nell and Marilyn and Miss Myra Dunavant visited Mrs. Clyde Bagwell Saturday afternoon.

There was only a small crowd out at church Sunday morning at the Baptist church and as it rained again Sunday afternoon there was no night service.

Fairview school will close Friday of this week and a program will be given Friday night, beginning at 9 o'clock.

Henry Price of Plainview spent the week end here with his family. There was not any school Monday on account of muddy roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson and children spent Sunday in Plainview visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jordan Monday night.

Blue Bonnet Club Met Thursday With Mrs. Fuqua

The Blue Bonnet Needle club met Thursday with Mrs. Floyd Fuqua as hostess. A farewell shower was given honoring Mrs. Elvin Rainer who is moving away.

Those present were Mrs. Beamus Carver, Mrs. Everett Collier, Mrs. Shorty Price, Mrs. Bill Baker, Mrs. Pete Kendrick, Mrs. Everett Perry, Mrs. Ernie Widner and Mrs. Tip Kendrick.

The club will meet Thursday afternoon, May 20, at 3 o'clock with Mrs. D. Johnson.

MARRIAGE RECORD

Licenses to marry were issued by County Clerk Margaret Collier to Paul L. Banks and Thelma Jarrett May 4; N. H. Hillburn and Georgia Fay Holder, May 6; Thomas J. Smith and Minnie Mae Brown, May 8; James R. Burrus and Arlene Pyffe, May 8; and Nello Carson and Mildred Massey, May 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Edith Harper visited at Wilson last week with her sister, Mrs. Jasper Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hughes, who have been making their home at Dallas for several months, have returned to Floydada to spend the next several weeks while Mr. Hughes gives his attention to farming interests here. His physical condition is greatly improved, his physicians have advised Mr. Hughes.

Miss Wilda Ruth Finley left Thursday for Breckenridge, where she will spend a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. Ebb Galther.

Miss Beatrice Davis spent Mother's Day Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davis at Hale Center.

W. H. Simpson, Jr., and Jimmie Simpson, students of Tech college and Miss Ruth Simpson who is employed at the Lubbock Air Field, spent Sunday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herwin Strickland and daughters Barbara Sue and Diana of Dallas came Monday to visit his mother, Mrs. G. R. Strickland and family. They plan to return home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carter spent the week-end in Dallas, where Mr. Carter attended a business meeting of the Great American Reserve Insurance company.

Pvt. and Mrs. Billy Henry will return to Bryan Friday following a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Henry and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Harper. Before coming to Floydada they accompanied his parents to Houston on a vacation trip and enroute home they visited the San Jacinto battle ground.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Patton of Lubbock were guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patton and Mrs. S. G. McRoberts, Sunday.

Mrs. C. L. McMurray of Tucuman, New Mexico came Monday and visited until Wednesday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patton.

Mrs. Don Harris left Monday for her home at Jacksonville, Texas after a two weeks visit here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Wilson Kimble.

James Frank Bishop of Abilene came Saturday to spend a week in the home of his grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Grigsby.

H. O. Pope left this mid-week for Dallas where he will undergo treatment for his eyes. He will be a guest in the home of his son, Troy Pope, while in Dallas.

Mrs. A. J. Welch spent the week end in Lubbock with her son Billy Jo Welch and Mrs. W. M. Cauley and family.

Mrs. J. U. Borum visited Sunday at Lubbock in the home of her son Urnon Borum.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Graham and Mrs. Mrs. Jewel Teague made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Kirchner of Dallas came Thursday to spend the summer with Mrs. Kirchner's mother, Mrs. A. P. McKinnon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Norman and sons Glad Lynn and Don Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Johnson spent the week end at Mineral Wells with Mrs. Norman's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, who are there for an indefinite stay for the benefit of Mr. Snodgrass' health.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Standerfer and son and daughter of Plainview spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. E. C. Nelson.

G. T. Sims of Lubbock was a weekend guest in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sims of this city.

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Double Ring Ceremony Sunday Evening Unites Miss Arlene Fyffe And Lieutenant Burrus

In a double ring ceremony Miss Arlene Fyffe of Amarillo, became the bride of Lieut. James R. Burrus, son of Mrs. J. A. Burrus, Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Fyffe, Rev. L. W. Bridges, pastor of the First Christian church officiated.

The couple repeated the wedding vows under an archway made of sweet peas combined with plumosa fern. The scene was lighted with white tapers in tall candelabra.

Before the ceremony, Miss Sappho Ward, accompanied Miss Faye Nell Gunn as she sang "I Love You Truly" and "All Of You" and played "The Bridal Chorus" from Wagner's "Lohengrin" as the recessional.

Father Gives Bride

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a beige suit with blue accessories and an orchid corsage. For "something old" she wore a brooch which belonged to her grandmother, the late Mrs. W. C. Fyffe, and for "something borrowed" she carried a white prayer book belonging to her sister, Mrs. J. D. Moore, and her accessories were "something blue".

She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Lee Cavin, wearing a beige suit with a corsage of yellow roses and Mrs. J. D. Moore, in a black tailored suit with a corsage of red rosebuds.

Dr. Winn Fyffe, brother of the bride, served as best man. Mrs. Fyffe wore a navy blue suit and the bridegroom's mother wore a black dress. Both had carnation corsages.

Plans Disrupted

Both young people were reared in Floydada and are graduates of the Floydada High school. During the past year Mrs. Burrus has been employed in Amarillo by the Southwestern Bell Telephone company.

Lieut. Burrus volunteered for service in the Air Corps in June 1942 following his graduation from West Texas State college in May. He received his commission January 20 from the Officers' Candidate school at Miami, Florida. He spent a short while at Spokane, Washington and from there was transferred to his present location.

The wedding which was planned for Monday was changed to Sunday when Lt. Burrus received a message that all officers were to report for duty at once. The change disrupted the wedding plans somewhat and made it necessary to omit the reception.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple went to Amarillo where they boarded the train for Great Falls, Montana. They were accompanied to Amarillo by the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. J. A. Burrus and his sister, Mrs. Clinton Fyffe.

Invited Guests

The guest list included Mrs. Clinton Fyffe, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cavin, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Claiborne, Mrs. Jesse Brown, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. V. Williams and Virgil, Jr., all of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Winn, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Yates, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Elgar Winn, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Winn of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Boyle and daughters of Paducah, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Eaton of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Thula Sparks and family Mrs. Claud Burrus, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burrus all of Lubbock;

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Faulkner of Post, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Caudle, of Hale Center, Guss Stearns of Roaring Springs, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Clark of Rotan, Mr. and Mrs. Syd Parkinson of Crystal City, and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Olive of Kiamath Falls, Oregon.

June Carthel To Be Presented In Recital Tuesday

Miss June Carthel of Lockney, senior high school music student, will be presented by her teacher, Mrs. Ohmer Willis Kirk, in piano recital Tuesday evening, May 18 at 8:15 o'clock in Lockney Ward school auditorium.

Miss Carthel will be assisted by her sister Joyce and Miss Avanel Moss of Floydada in ensemble playing; Mrs. H. P. Clemons, director of English and speech in Lockney schools, reader, and Miss Gwen Fleming, director of public school music in Floydada schools, vocalist.

The public is cordially invited to attend the program and there is no admission, it is announced.

To Be Initiated In Fraternity At Norman Oklahoma

Miss Florene Cates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buren Cates, will be initiated in the Gamma Phi Beta honorary sorority at the University of Oklahoma, at Norman, May 21. Miss Cates arrived in Floydada Wednesday of last week for a two weeks visit with her parents but plans to return to her Alma Mater in time for the initiation ceremony.

Following her initiation she will return to Floydada for a week before enrolling at the University for the eight weeks summer session.

MOLLIE CAMPBELL AND CHILDREN HAVE REUNION

E. L. (Mollie) Campbell of Clovis, New Mexico, and his children held a family reunion Sunday at the home of his brother, F. A. Campbell. It was also the occasion of the birthdays of his daughter, Mrs. J. T. Norton of Houston and his son, Dick Campbell of Plainview, both of whom were present.

The other member of the family a daughter, Miss Virginia Campbell, who resides in Floydada was also present.

Social Calendar

Mrs. J. B. Claiborne will entertain the Thursday Evening Bridge club this evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. C. A. Caffee will entertain the Floydada Garden club at an all-day meeting Friday at her new home at Dougherty. The members will go to Dougherty this morning via the Q. A. & P. train and return this afternoon by auto.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Bishop will entertain the Friendship Bridge club Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock. The Fidelis Matron's Sunday School class of the First Baptist church will meet Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Red Cross surgical dressing room. Following a short business session the remainder of the evening will be spent making bandages.

The 1922 Study club will continue the year's work with a picnic supper May 20 at the home of Mrs. Len Davis at 8 o'clock with Mrs. L. W. Bridges as hostess. Husbands of the members will be honor guests.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Minor will be hosts to the Thursday Bridge club May 20 at 8:30 o'clock.

The Blue Bonnet Needle club will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. D. Johnson.

Las Amigas Club Holds Meeting Wednesday Night

Flora Jeter, Anna Cates and Margaret Hale entertained the Las Amigas club with a lawn party Wednesday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. L. D. Britton. The program consisted of music and an inspirational message brought by Helen Ring.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mona Blackman, Maurice Burton, Dorothy Bailey, Anna Cates, Barbara Jones, Frances Field, Reda Mae Gary, Lovelle Ginn, Elsie Gloyna, Margaret McKinney, Bobbie Nance, Helen Ring, Lena Scott, Tella Jo Smart.

Margaret Hale and two guests, Freda Wiggington and Evelyn Vinson. The next meeting is to be a picnic Wednesday, May 19.

Mother's Day Dinner Given At Duncan Home

Children of Mrs. Arthur B. Duncan gathered at her home Sunday for a Mother's day dinner. Those present were Mrs. Chas. W.

Watkins of Lubbock and her daughter Mrs. Alan Mann of San Diego, California; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pitts of Amarillo and their daughter Mrs. Jerry Harrad of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Jno. A. Hollums, Mr. and Mrs. R. Fred Brown, and grandson, Dale Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. I. Hammonds and Mr. and Mrs. Silas E. Duncan.

Mrs. L. D. Britton spent the week end at Rochester with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bell. She was accompanied by Mrs. George Sherrill who visited relatives at Weinert.

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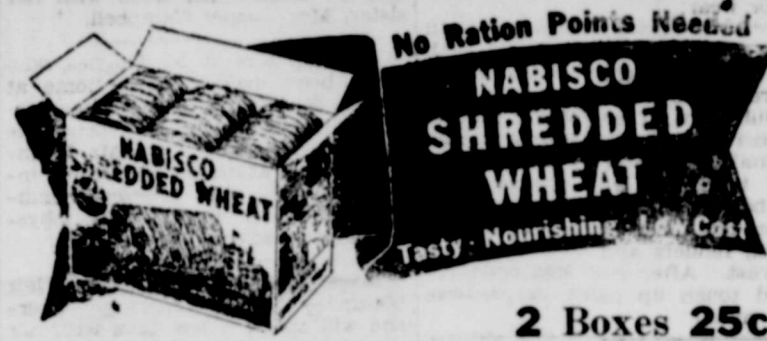


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Seniors Given Annual Banquet By Junior Class

The motto "Hitch Your Wagon To A Star" was effectively carried out in the decorations and program of the banquet given by the junior class as the annual courtesy to the senior class Saturday night in the gymnasium of the Andrews Ward school. Arrangements for the banquet were under the direction of Miss Ann Swepston and Miss Marguerite Leonard, sponsors of the junior class.

Blue crepe paper was used for the ceiling effect from which silver stars were suspended. Tables were arranged to form a five-point star. Miniature wagons filled with flowers and attached to the ceiling stars, formed the centerpieces for the tables.

Arla Vee Bishop, a junior, was toastmistress for the occasion. The professional was played by Mary Helen Mickey followed by the invocation said by H. G. Barber.

"Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star" was the subject discussed by Dean Beck, president of the junior class; "Thank Your Lucky Star" was discussed by Roy Baxter, president of the senior class; "Steadfast As A Star" was discussed by Doris Cornelius; and "Hitch Your Wagon To A Star" was discussed by Supt. Walter Travis.

A vocal selection "As Time Goes By" was given by D. F. Payne, accompanied on the piano by Mary Helen Mickey.

"Stars On A Summer Night" was rendered as a cornet solo by Howard Howell and Miss Gwen Fleming sang "Stardust". The program was concluded with the entire group singing "Star Spangled Banner."

The banquet was served by the home economics class under the direction of their teacher Miss Margaret Doak.

WILL VISIT PARENTS

Joseph Winston Gates, seaman second class, stationed at San Diego California, is expected to be in Floydada Friday for an indefinite visit with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Phil H. Gates. Seaman Gates has been in the service about two months.

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No grower should expect any payment until a county Cotton Improvement association is organized. This is a new program and requires the formation of a new cotton improvement group. Cotton growers must initiate the organization.

The inoculation of soybean seed just before planting is a recommended practice. Inoculation is highly important to obtaining the largest production of the crop.

The nitrogen-fixing bacteria which forms within the soybean root system must be introduced from outside sources. Without the bacteria, the soybean has no power to produce its own nitrogen supplies. Being a legume, it has the ability, when properly inoculated, to obtain a large part of its nitrogen needs from the air instead of the soil.

There is an opportunity for some one to grow the best variety of soybeans if he be interested in increasing the seed may benefit from the test. These are outstanding varieties according to the Agricultural Experiment station, and the person who may be interested in increasing the seed may benefit from the test.

No one is in position to say which variety is most profitable to grow because no information is available for this section. For that reason a variety test was arranged for and the seed secured. One test will be conducted by Lockview Farm in Aiken community under the supervision of Robert Stewart, planter breeder. We are interested in finding another person who will supervise a test.

All Victory Gardeners should get prepared for a battle with insects. Many different insecticides will have to be used this year, and now is a good time to secure the names of the materials.

The extension agents stand ready to supply the names of effective ammunition for quick control of the insect.

Rain Sufficient To Fill Lakes In Lockney Vicinity

LOCKNEY, May 10.—A number from here attended the singing at Lone Star last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Ateburn, sr., are in Denver, Colorado visiting their daughter, Mrs. Harry Metzger and Mr. Metzger for a few days.

Margaret and Melba Feathers spent last week end in Plainview with their aunt, Miss Thelma Thompson.

Captain and Mrs. George Webster of Abilene visited relatives in Lockney last week.

Miss Sammie Ruth Anderson of Washington, D. C. is here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson.

H. P. Parker visited last week at Vernon with his mother who has been quite ill.

Perry Casey of Corpus Christi is here visiting relatives.

Cpl. Norman Hillburn of San Bernadina, California, spent last week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hillburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Hop Weathers spent the week end in Amarillo with their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mason and son, Carl of Amarillo spent Mother's day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Carthel and children Gary Don and Fleta, Karon and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carthel and daughter, Gloria Ann of Floydada spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Byars.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Weathers spent last Sunday in Plainview visiting relatives.

There seems to be plenty of rhubarb so why not can some as it is very easy to do. Select young tender stalks, cut into short lengths, pack in the containers and cover with boiling hot syrup. Exhaust five minutes before sealing and process quart and pint glass jars ten minutes in hot water baths. Since rhubarb corrodes tin cans it is better to use glass jars.

Strawberries are getting ripe. Can them and make a berry juice offers an economical way to save them. However some sugar for canning the berries is desirable for that helps both the color and the flavor. If you would like to have a recipe for making strawberry preserves please call at this office.

Here are some more garden hints. Wait a few days to plant okra until the soil has warmed sufficiently because it won't grow until the sun warms the ground thoroughly.

Pepper plants may be set in the yard. Allow two or three feet space between plants. This will give plenty of room for them to develop.

Council meets Saturday, May 15 at 2:30 in the county courtroom.

Seven new home demonstration club members were enrolled during the month of April.

This community received a nice rain the first of the week, accompanied by some hail.

The lakes are all about full of water again.

Church attendance was cut considerably Sunday on account of the rain that was falling at that time.

COUPLE ENROUTE TO WINNSBORO WED HERE

Nello Carson of Winnsboro and Miss Mildred Massey of Kress were married Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage with Rev. Phil H. Gates, officiating. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for Winnsboro where they will make their home.

Letter From No. Africa In Praise Of Mothers

(Editor's note: The following letter was written by Pvt. Ben Paul Eady to his mother, Mrs. George Eady. Pvt. Eady is with the medical corps located in Africa.)

Somewhere in North Africa, April 10, 1943.

My Dearest Mother: A vast difference separates us on this Mother's day, but somehow or other we seem closer than ever before. I can't go to the corner drug store and buy you a card, or go to the florists and get you a bouquet of beautiful flowers and have them sent to you, but I can let you know that you are uppermost in my thoughts on this Mother's day, the most beautiful day of the year.

God has been good to us thus far, guiding and leading and bringing us safely to this land. We are learning to lean on the God of our Mothers as never before. We go forth to work and serve with the confidence that the day will come when we shall be together again at home with you and the rest of our loved ones. I want you to know that you are the dearest Mother in all the world. May God bless you and keep you in his love and kindness.

A Prayer For Mothers
Oh Lord, when meting out thy blessings, Forget her not, whose earthly tasks Within her own four walls must lay

Whose workworn hands, so willing yet to serve, Can never rest, nor from a duty swerve; Whose calm and steadfast heart Through countless years, Must stifle all Life's hurts and bitter tears. Whose thoughts and dreams, which on occasions yearn Toward other paths, will ever to her home return. Whose spirit, filled with her abiding love Can e'en in time of trial, rise above; To her, whose footsteps tread the humble way, Oh, Lord, accord thy blessings, day by day.

Le Cigne,
Devotedly your son,
Ben Paul Eady.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the neighbors and friends who aided us during our recent sorrow, the death of our dear father and grandfather, J. F. Roberts. Especially do we want to thank those who ministered to our physical needs and who brought the beautiful flowers.

The Roberts Family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Foster and Mable June left Tuesday for Crowell where they visited with their daughter-in-law Mrs. Garland Foster and little daughter, until this week-end.

R. T. Tyler, who is in the army and stationed in Florida, has been at home for several days on a furlough-visit with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. N. E. Tyler.

ATTENDED REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McNutt and daughter Edna Earl spent the week end at Abilene where they attended a reunion of Mr. McNutt's sisters and brothers. Eight of the nine children were present and all of the grandchildren except two. The absent brother was J. C. McNutt, who is stationed in Australia; and the grandsons, Hershel McNutt of Wilmington, California and Odelle McNutt, stationed at Sheppard Field.

C. C. HUCKABEE HAS NEW GRANDDAUGHTER BORN APRIL 28

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huckabee, Jr. of Levelland a daughter on April 28. The little girl was named Mary Ann. The baby is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Huckabee. Mrs. Huckabee has been at the home of her son the past week. Mr. Huckabee visited in Levelland Sunday and his wife remained for a longer stay.

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Social Events, Clubs

Music Club Ends Season Thursday

As the concluding program for the Floydada Music club for the year Mrs. Walter Travis was presenter in a review of the "Divine Woman" by Elizabeth Pickett Chevalier. The meeting was held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. C. B. McDonald with Miss Sappho Ward and Miss Marguerite Leonard as hostesses.

Refreshments were served as the guests arrived with Miss Ward presiding at the tea table. Bouquets of spring flowers were used throughout the reception rooms and corsages were given as plate favors.

Miss Joyce Ward favored the members and guests with a vocal selection "Come Where My Love Lies Dreaming" accompanied at the piano by Miss Sappho Ward.

Guests of the club were Mrs. Elvin Rainier, Mrs. G. L. Kirk, Miss Peggy Jo Bishop, Mrs. J. P. Moss, Miss Mary Helen Mickey, Mrs. Marvin Davis and Mrs. Walter Travis.

Members attending were Mrs. W. D. Johnson, Miss Vera Meredith Johnson, Miss Ava Nelle Moss, Mrs. C. B. McDonald and Miss Sappho Ward.



Pictured above is the bride of Melvin Blasingame, of Dallas. She is the former Leta Rue Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnes of Rusk. The wedding took place April 18 at Mary King's Methodist Memorial church, Dallas, where they are making their home.

Thursday Bridge Club Met With Robert McGuires

The Thursday Bridge club met last week with Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGuire. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Keim played guest hands. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Minor made high score for the evening.

Members playing were Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Loran, Mr. and Mrs. Polk Goen, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hagood, Mr. and Mrs. Minor, Mrs. R. B. Rosson and Mr. McGuire.

The club will meet Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock with Mr. and Mrs. Minor.

Alathean Class Meets Thursday With Mrs. Harris

Mrs. S. T. Harris was hostess to the Alathean Sunday School class at a social meeting Thursday. Each member brought a covered dish for the luncheon served at noon.

Visitors of the class included Mrs. Bertha Gilbert, Mrs. L. A. Doyle, and Don, Clara May, Mrs. O. M. Conway, Miss Ita V. Coppell, Mrs. W. A. Amburn, Mrs. W. C. Sims, Norma Jean Moore and Mrs. Sam Bishop.

Members of the class attending were Mrs. J. A. Grigsby, Mrs. Morgan Wright, Mrs. W. T. Brown, Mrs. A. D. White, Mrs. J. T. Snodgrass, Mrs. W. N. Paschall, Mrs. C. Snodgrass, Mrs. J. R. Terry, Mrs. G. M. Bullard, Mrs. L. H. Newell, Mrs. W. A. Cates, Mrs. J. L. Coppell, Mrs. J. F. Conner and Mrs. Harris.

Victory 42 Club Met Friday Night With J. G. Woods

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wood entertained the Victory 42 club Friday evening. A refreshment course was served preceding the games of bridge.

Members playing were Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McDonald.

The club will meet May 21 at 8:30 p. m. with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bishop.

Francis Ruth Garrett, a student of Tech college, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Garrett.

"The Robe" Reviewed For Study Club

The 1922 Study club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. B. Jenkins for a special Mother's Day program for members and guests. Mrs. J. M. Wilson was leader for the day and roll call was answered with the introduction of guests.

Howard Howell gave two cornet selections, accompanied on the piano by Wendell Daniel; Mrs. E. L. Angus sang "Mother Machree" and "Little Gray Suther" accompanied by Mrs. J. V. Daniel.

Mrs. Lon V. Smith gave a review of "The Robe," a story of Christ's Crucifixion, in her usual charming manner.

Following the program the social committee served orange ice cream and cake squares to the members and guests.

Guests of the club included Mrs. Lela Slaughter, Mrs. J. N. Johnston, Mrs. W. C. Sims, Mrs. L. C. McDonald, Mrs. C. D. Foote, Mrs. W. H. Alexander, Mrs. W. M. Colville, Mrs. W. M. Massie, Mrs. L. H. Lewis, Mrs. C. P. Loper, Mrs. J. C. Wester, Mrs. J. V. Daniel, Mrs. L. A. Doyle, Mrs. Virgil Williams, Miss May of Fort Worth and Mrs. B. P. Woody.

The club will conclude the year's work with a picnic supper May 20 at the home of Mrs. Lon Davis at 8

o'clock with Mrs. L. W. Bridges as hostess. Husbands of the members will be honor guests.

Rites For Former Pioneer Resident Held At Lockney

Mrs. Frank Ford, a resident of Floyd county from 1900 to 1935, died Tuesday night in St. Mary's hospital at Lubbock. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church at Lockney Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. Geo. Turrittine of Muleshoe, conducted the service, assisted by Rev. W. B. Vaughn, pastor of the Lockney church.

Mr. Ford died at Lockney in 1934 and the following year Mrs. Ford moved to Lubbock to make her home.

She was born in Cayuga, Miss., in 1857 and was a pioneer student in the Mississippi Woman's college, Columbus, Miss. After her graduation she was a teacher in the state public school system. She was married to Mr. Ford in Estelline in 1899.

The deceased is survived by four daughters, Misses Ruth and Dorothy M. Ford of Lubbock, Mrs. George L. Hunt of Montpelier, Vermont and Mrs. Forrest W. Williams of Hartford, Conn.; a brother, Alfred H. Davis of Gramercy, La., three grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Active pallbearers were A. R. Meriwether and Estes Woodburn of Lockney, John Russell of Estelline, Herr C. Delaney, Paul Hardwick and H. D. Stanley of Lubbock.

Honorary pallbearers were Dr. J. L. Guest of Plainview, W. W. Brown

of Littlefield, J. T. McLain of Floydada, Will McGehee of Hereford and N. T. A. Byars, Sam Miller, Jake Griffith, Walt Griffith, Arthur Barker, Frank Perkins and Hubert Frizzell of Lockney.

Burial was made in the Lockney cemetery beside the grave of her husband.

HAM SMITH HELPS EAGLES WIN BIG TRACK VICTORY

DENTON, Texas, May 6. — Ham Smith of Floydada, enlisted in the Marine Corps Reserve, added to the North Texas State Teachers college total when NTSCTC scored 118 points recently to win the Lone Star Conference Telegraphic Track and Field meet.

Running with the Marine 440-yard relay team which took first place in the meet and placing third in the 880-yard run, Smith garnered 3 1/2 points to increase the North Texans' winning margin.

Packing away 10 first places, 13 seconds, 11 thirds and 7 fourths, the Denton entries had swept the card of events when San Marcos officials announced the winners.

SOUTH PLAINS SCHOOL CHILDREN PURCHASE OVER \$1,000 IN BONDS

South Plains school children purchased \$800.00 in War bonds and \$250.00 in War stamps during the April drive, according to a report made this week by Mrs. Mose Dameron, a teacher in the school. "Every child from the seventh grade

through the tenth purchased a stamp or bond," said Mrs. Dameron. For the Bond Rally held at the school the children also helped out by giving a very enjoyable program. The Boy Scouts assisted in the seating and other arrangements.

Mrs. C. F. Lincoln spent the week-end at Brownfield in the home of her son and wife, Judge and Mrs. C. L. Lincoln.

Miss Effie Mae Shelton of Carlsbad, New Mexico came Monday for a visit with Mrs. W. D. Newell and other friends in Floydada.

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Wedding Is Solemnized In Dallas

Miss Leta Rue Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnes of Rusk, became the bride of Melvin Blasingame, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Blasingame of Floydada, Sunday morning, April 18 at 8:30 o'clock at Mary King's Methodist Memorial church. The Rev. J. W. Lindsey officiated with the ring ceremony.

The bride wore a light blue crepe suit with hat made of flowers which blended with the costume. She carried white orchids and wore a string of Peico pearls.

Mrs. Tom Champlin of Dallas attended her niece as matron of honor and wore a blue ensemble with a corsage of gardenias. Miss Jean Sutton also of Dallas as bridesmaid was dressed in navy blue, wearing a corsage of white carnations.

B. J. Sutton of Dallas served as best man.

Mrs. Blasingame is employed with the Reserve Life Insurance company of Dallas and is a student of the Cooke school.

Mr. Blasingame was reared in Floydada and was graduated from the Floydada High school, later attending Tech college, Lubbock. For the past four years he has been employed at Dallas with the Braniff Airlines.

They are at home, temporarily at 5518 Swiss, Dallas.



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Next 750	3 1/2 c	3 c
Next 2000	3 c	2 c
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In rates made by the city since your light and power plant was put into operation in the year of 1940. The first reduction was on the residential rate on which the minimum bill was reduced from \$2 to \$1.80 and the requirement of a Meter Deposit was taken off.

The Municipality must maintain a Reserve against Depreciation and Obsolescence; also an ample reserve to meet all maturing obligations and interest. Therefore, you, as citizens interested in the welfare of the community, will understand the Council must carefully consider every step taken to meet the needs of the taxpayers in the matter of fair and equitable light and power rates.

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Wanda Baxter Ray Hopkins Vows Said

The wedding of Miss Wanda Baxter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baxter and Ray A. Hopkins, son of Mrs. E. Hopkins of 417 Rusk, Amarillo, was solemnized Saturday evening, May 1 at 10 o'clock at the home of Rev. L. A. Doyle with Rev. Doyle officiating.

The bride wore a beige dress with harmonizing accessories and a corsage of orchid gladiola.

Those attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Baxter and son, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Baxter and daughter and the bride's mother, Mrs. Walter Baxter.

The bride is a graduate of Floydada High school with the class of 1941 and the bridegroom was graduated from the Sherman High school. For the past year both have been employed at the Pantex Ordnance plant in Amarillo.

The young couple will make their home in Bremerton, Washington, where Mr. Hopkins will be employed as machinist at the Bremerton Navy Yard. They spent the week end in Floydada visiting relatives and left Monday afternoon for their new home.

COUPLE HONOREES SATURDAY NIGHT AT SHOWER

Honoring Mrs. Ray A. Hopkins, the former Miss Wanda Baxter, a group of hostesses entertained with a miscellaneous shower Saturday evening at the Campbell school.

Before their marriage the bride was an ambulance driver and the bridegroom a mechanic at the Pantex Ordnance plant in Amarillo and the theme of the party was suggestive of the occupations of the honorees. Royce McNeill as announcer broadcasted from station LOVE, calling all ears. Patsy Ashton and Billy Ray Smith dressed as ambulance drivers answered the call with a car load of pretty and useful gifts for the couple.

The theme was further emphasized in the decorations of the tea table. Mrs. Carl Smith presided at the guest registry.

Hostesses were Mrs. Jack McNeill, Mrs. Milton Ashton, Mrs. Clarence Ashton, Mrs. Cleburne Payne, Mrs. Edell Du Bois, Mrs. A. J. Cline, Mrs.

Carl Smith, Mrs. Ray Smith and Mrs. Jess Glover.

Guests Register
Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pratt and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McNeill, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stovall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Al Garmire, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Craft and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Treasman Glover, Mr. and Mrs. L. Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Baxter and son, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Baxter and daughter;
Walter Baxter, Mrs. J. T. Campbell, Jack McNeill, Grady Harris, Ray Smith, Milton Ashton, Edell Du Bois, Bud Du Bois, Cleburne Payne, Jess Glover, A. J. Cline, Carl Smith, Royce McNeill, J. C. Baxter and Cpl. J. L. Baxter from California.

Sending Gifts
Those sending gifts were Mrs. J. N. Farris, Mrs. Jess Brown, Mrs. Mable Sims, Mrs. Bland Wilkerson, Mrs. L. D. Britton, Mrs. Mollie Morton, Mrs. J. G. Wood, Mrs. Homer Steen, Mrs. Lee Howard, Mrs. Earl Rainer, Mrs. Foster Amburn, Mrs. W. A. Amburn, Mrs. J. C. McClure, and Childress, Mrs. R. T. Jones, Mrs. Frank Pohl of Matador;

Mrs. Bud Poole, Mrs. Lee Rushing, Mrs. E. B. Chesnut, Mrs. Carl Lyles, Mrs. J. W. Lyles, Mrs. W. H. Bethel, Mrs. Robert Fisher, Mrs. W. D. Johnson, Mrs. Jim Hicks, Mrs. R. F. Finley, Mrs. E. B. Mullins, Mrs. W. I. Cannaday, Mrs. John Lloyd, Mrs.

George Stiles, Mrs. E. J. Barker; Fern McGregor, Idalou, Miss Sadie Miller, Mrs. A. F. Norton, Miss Ruby Norton, Mrs. A. J. Jackson, Mrs. Lorin Leibfried, Mrs. Bill Sanders, Mrs. C. M. Lyles, Monroe Boteler, Wayne Finley, S. A. and Homer Guffee, Charlie Perry and Walter Robertson.

Shower Given At Lockney Honors Bride

Mrs. Harry E. Blenden, formerly Miss De Wanda Bennett was commemorated with a miscellaneous shower April 29 from 3 until 5 p. m. at the home of Mrs. L. M. Honea of Lockney. Mrs. Honea was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Robin Baker, Mrs. Geo. T. Meriwether, Mrs. Theo Griffith and Mrs. J. L. Dagley.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bennett and Staff Sergeant Blenden is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Blenden, sr., of the Pleasant Valley community. At present he is stationed at Camp Pine Dale, Fresno, California and the couple was at home on a ten-day furlough.

Guests were received by Mrs. Rob-

in Baker and Mrs. George Meriwether. Mrs. Paul Kropp was in charge of the bride's book. Centering the lace covered table was an arrangement of bridal wreath and snowballs. Miss LaDell Cox presided at the punch bowl and was assisted in serving by Mrs. Theo Griffith.

Guests Register
Those registering and sending gifts included those in the house party named above and Mrs. Harry Blenden, sr., Mrs. Frank Busby, Mrs. Claude Harris, Mrs. F. U. Payne, Mrs. Raymond Rucker, Mrs. Buck Sams, Mrs. T. B. Mitchell, Mrs. Wilson Warren, Mrs. B. Patterson, Mrs. Hail Ferguson, Mrs. Sam Miller, Mrs. Gilbert Huls, Mrs. Earle Lester, June Bybee, Mrs. Tom Cope, Mrs. Elmer Sandusky, Mrs. Robin Gentry,

Mrs. Robert Ayres, Mrs. Maude Hollums, Mrs. Arthur Barker, Mrs. Henry Ford, Mrs. Willie Merle Hatthcock, Mrs. Roy Patterson, Mrs. N. E. Greer, Mrs. Marvin Cox, Mrs. E. M. Whorton, Mrs. W. L. Whit, Mrs. Herbert Broadus, Mrs. Lee Seaman, Jean Shelton, Mrs. H. Trussell, Emma Wagner, Sajena Guthrie, Mrs. Luther Wofford, Mrs. Pont Darnell, Mrs. Glen Watson, Mrs. Floyd Huff.

Mrs. H. P. Coleman, Eunice Coleman, Loren Reece, Mrs. Ike Moore, Mrs. Carl McAdams, Mrs. A. R. Meriwether, Mrs. Irving Bennett, Mrs. C. H. Rose, Mrs. Alex Norris, Mrs. D. D. Langford, Mrs. W. A. Cooper, Mrs. Luther Cooper, Mrs. R. L. Maggard, Mrs. Mattie Priffith, Mrs. Fannie Griffith, Mrs. Bernice Manning, Mrs. Virgil Manning, Mrs. Jimmie Manning, Mrs. Lloyd Wofford;

Mrs. J. C. McCollum, Mrs. E. Year-out, Mrs. Frank Dodson, Mrs. Jack Whitfill, Mrs. Clyde Applewhite, Mrs. Gilbert Bean, Mrs. N. T. A. Byars, Mrs. Watt Griffith, Mrs. Guy Allen, Mrs. Jake Griffith, Mrs. E. L. Woodburn, Mrs. Bob Smith, Mrs. J. W. Tomme, Mrs. Albert Bloom, Mrs. Alice Baker, Mrs. Howard Moore;

Mrs. Jake Smith, Mrs. John Oswald, Mrs. Bob Shelton, Mrs. C. H. Phenix, Mrs. Jesse Sandusky, Merlin Calloway, Marylin Ann and Weldon Dean Calloway, Mrs. Jack McCandless, Mrs. Edd Gross, Mrs. Jack Blair, Mrs. Arthur Roberson, Mrs. M. M. Day, Mrs. Herman King, Mrs. Albert King, Mrs. Chas. Merrick and Tom Manning, Billie Dean Trussell, Lola Spany, Mary Glenn Huff and Naomi Langford.

Joe Schultz Weds Fort Worth Girl At Weatherford

Announcement is made this week of the marriage of Miss Veda Shepard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Shepard of Fort Worth and Joe Schultz of Fort Worth, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Schultz of Floydada. The wedding took place at Weatherford March 15. They were accompanied by several friends.

Mrs. Schultz is employed as general electrician at the Consolidated Aircraft Corporation at the same plant Mr. Schultz has been employed as leadman since last September.

Mr. Schultz was born and reared in Floydada and attended public school here, graduating from high school with the class of 1941. Following his graduation he was employed for several months at the Consolidated Aircraft Corporation of San Diego, California.

The newlyweds who are continuing to make their home in Fort Worth, spent Sunday here with his parents.

BIG RAINS

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probably an inch less than at Floydada, according to reports. At Silvertown the rain was estimated at 2.5 inches. Points east report rains equal to and in instances, in excess of needs. Stock tanks in east Floyd county and in Madley caught a good supply of water for the next several weeks needs.

Rain at Dougherty and Roaring Springs was reported at above three

inches and at Paducah in excess of four inches.

Mrs. Frank Dougherty lost 100 head of ewes Sunday night during the cold rain. They had been sheared a few days before and were chilled and trampled to death. Most of them left baby lambs that will require careful attention to raise.

Around Turkey and back this way around Quitaque the rain fall was about the same as here, according to reports to the office of W. M. Massie & Brother.

OLD SETTLERS

(Continued from page one)
Flag race (for women only) first prize \$1.50; second \$1; Oldest horse in parade, first \$2, second \$1;

Hurdle jumping, first \$2; second \$1; Tournament riding, first prize \$2; second \$1; third 50 cents. Jess Sandusky, with Roy Childress, O. L. Stansell, Johnnie Lackey and Roy Fawver as aides, will have general charge of the contests for horse events. Tournament riding, one-time feature of every plains picnic or gathering, will be re-introduced for the first time in this county since the earlier part of this century.

The Entertainment Program
Judge Tom W. Deen, chairman of the program of speech-making at the re-union, is still in Austin but is expected home this week, when it is expected he will make some announcement of plans for the gathering of the old settlers.

MRS. ANDREWS TO PRESENT PUPILS IN RECITAL

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