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News of Our CHURCHES



SIXTH STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sol Morgan, Minister

Lord's Day Bible Class, 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M. Subject, Jan. 25: "Five Great Duties of a Christian Life."

Evening Class, 6:30 P. M. Evening Worship, 7:30 P. M. Subject: "What Is Your Life?"

Wednesday Radio Broadcast, KICR (1240 k. c.), 4:00 P. M. Wednesday Bible Class, 7:30 P. M.

Why the Church of Christ Is Worth Investigating

1. One may read about it in the Bible—Rom. 16:16.

2. It has no creed but the Bible, binds no name on its members but Christ's—Acts 11:26; I Peter 4:16.

3. It speaks where the Bible speaks, is silent where the Bible is silent—I Peter 4:11.

4. It exalts Christ as the only head of the church—Colossians 1:18.

5. Its acts of worship are patterned after the New Testament—John 4:24.

6. It teaches that scriptural unity can be attained on all disputed doctrinal questions—I Corinthians 1:10.

7. The Church of Christ pleads for unity of all believers in Christ—Jno. 17:20, 21.

8. It is not a denomination, nor group of denominations, but the body of Christ, Colossians 1:18. Its founder is Christ himself—Matthew 16:18.

9. Its aim—to save souls by preaching the Gospel, teach godly living, and help all those in need—I Cor. 15:1-4.

10. Its future—eternal glory with Christ—I Thessalonians 4:13-17.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Priona, Texas
Walter H. North, Minister
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Ocho Whitefield, Superintendent

There is a class for you. Morning prayer and sermon, 11:00. Sermon topic: "How Jesus Dealt With Men."

It will do you good to come. Youth's Mass Meeting, 3:00 p. m. at First Baptist Church.

Pilgrim Fellowship, 6:00 p. m. Ladies Aid, Wednesday, 2:30 p. m. Choir Rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:45. Children's Choir, Friday, 4:00 p. m.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients received: Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Farwell, surgical; David Head, Priona, medical; Mrs. Ed Boggers, Priona, medical; Jerry Goodwin, Priona, medical; David Herrin, Priona, medical; Janell Bragg, Priona, medical; Betty Bragg, Priona, medical; Kathryn Lewis, Priona, maternity; Dorothy Blythe, Priona, medical; Phillip Wayne Stowers, Priona, medical; Mrs. John Barker, Priona, maternity; Tom Gee, Priona, medical.

Patients dismissed: Mrs. Ed Boggers, Jerry Goodwin, David Herrin, Janell and Betty Bragg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dursline of Sabetha, Kan., are here visiting in the dairy herd should be every Texas dairyman's minimum rough-shoe. They formerly lived at Priona.

March of Dimes Drive Off To Slow Start In Parmer County

This is the reason, so we are informed, for the promotion and publicizing of what is known as "The March of Dimes," which was originated and has for the past several years been sponsored by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

It appears that the March of Dimes for this year is already in full swing, but for the fault of no one in this county the work has not got under way, but those who have been charged with that duty have been handicapped through no fault of their own, but are entering into the work with full zest and will no doubt be able to raise the county's quota despite the handicap.

B. N. Graham of Farwell is County Chairman, and Dan Ethridge of Priona has been chosen as Campaign Director, and in spite of the fact that he has no former experience in this work and had until this week received no instruction regarding it, he is working hard to get the machinery into operation and will push the work as rapidly and consistently as possible.

A few contribution boxes and some advertising matter have been received from Hereford and Clovis, and these contribution boxes have been distributed among business places in the various parts of the county, so that persons feeling disposed to make offerings to the cause may drop their dimes into some of these boxes.

All the schools of Parmer County are assisting with the drive, as well as the Regal Theatre at Priona and the Border Theatre at Farwell.

4-H Club Boys Invited To Show At Hereford

Club boys from four counties, Deaf Smith, Parmer, Castro and Oldham are preparing to enter their calves, sheep, and hogs in the largest club show yet attempted at Hereford Saturday, February 21.

Awards at mounting program plans are in full swing, and every indication promises the tops in a Livestock Show.

A giant barbecue, calf scramble, sufficient number of boxes, and parade are slated. Parade plans are already far advanced. Faust Collier, Parade Marshal, announced this week, with assurance of local and visiting participation including the Will Rogers Range Riders from Amarillo, the Clovis Mounted Patrol, the Hereford High School Band, Deaf Smith County Riders, Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls, and of course the 4-H Club members and their animals.

Heading the steering committee is Henry Sears, chairman, Faust Collier, Francis Hardwick, and Herman Ford.

The annual show is sponsored by the Hereford Rotary Club. Definite prize lists will be announced at an early date.

Rats found in Texas are the Norway, or common rat, and Alexandrine or roof rat. The Norway rat lives on the ground, under buildings, heaps of rubbish or in burrows, while the Alexandrine rat lives in attics, lofts, under eaves and in double walls.

One ton of good hay and three tons of good silage for each cow in the dairy herd should be every Texas dairyman's minimum rough-shoe goal for 1948.

Maurer To Hold Free Show Feb. 5

Farmers of this community, and their families have been invited to attend the showing of a motion picture in color, which tells the story of agriculture through the ages and of its importance to mankind.

This film will be shown here on Thursday, February 5, at the Regal Theatre, as a part of a program arranged by Maurer Machinery Company, the local Minneapolis-Moline farm implement dealer.

Entitled "Saga of the Soil" and produced by the Minneapolis-Moline Power Implement Company, the film emphasizes the importance of agriculture in the development of past civilizations and the contributions agriculture has made and is making in stabilizing the welfare of a nation.

Most of the scenes for this colorful motion picture were filmed in Europe, Africa and the Near East.

In announcing the showing of this film, Carl C. Maurer, owner of the local farm implement store, declared that a diversified program has been planned for this event. In addition to the main film, other color films of special interest to farmers will be shown. The program is scheduled to begin with a free lunch.

You are requested to call by the store to pick up your ticket for your lunch.

Second Straight National Bowling Title!



Andy Varipapa of New York, winner of the All-Star bowling crown for the second straight year, receives the trophy from Louis B. Petersen at Chicago as runner-up Joe Wilman looks on.

Chieftain Mothers Club Entertains Gridders At Annual Football Banquet; Kimbrough Here

tentious sort of a being, and could easily spend hours there without ever attracting any special attention. But nevertheless he would be seeing and hearing things.

There are several Grehound buses passing through Priona, each day, some of course going east and some going west, but as I seldom ever have occasion to ride any of them, I pay little attention to the hours at which they are due here, with the exception of one—a west-bound bus, which reaches Priona at about 8:23 p. m. I remember this date because I have to meet that bus at the bus depot here each Thursday night. Well, as I sat by my fire in the "Loft" one night this week, I heard a crunching sound as of a heavy vehicle coming to a halt, and looking through the window I beheld that "8:23" bus as it came to a stop in front of my home and a man of slight stature stepped nimbly from it and headed straight for my outside stairway. I realized at once by the dim light of the light layer of snow and the overcast moon, that it was Wyley, and by the time he had reached the door, I had it open for him, and he entered and as is his custom, began at once on the subject he had on his mind.

I told you, Jok, I have always been deeply interested in your very excellent school system at Priona. I remember the terrific struggle you old pioneer nesters had a way back in the middle and later "teens" and the early "twenties" to build your little three-teacher, 3rd-class high school into what you now have. And when just as you were getting fairly well established with your project, your building and all its equipment went up in flames all of which made a new building necessary, with all its added expense, and to secure the necessary funds a lot of careful planning, and perhaps just a little scheming was necessary. But no one ever thought of giving up the ideal for a school at Priona that would be second to none in any district in the state. Sure there were objections and they expressed some rather jagged opinions at times, but there was no such thing as stopping

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Mr. and Mrs. George McLean were host and hostess to a domino party at their home Saturday night.

Lloyd E. Brewer Asks Re-election As County Clerk

In announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of County and District Clerk of Parmer County, subject to the action of the Precinct Primary in July, I wish to take this means of expressing my gratitude to the people of Parmer County for the privilege of serving them in that capacity during my first term.

I have always strived to discharge the duties of my office honestly and fairly, and to the best of my ability. If the people of Parmer County see fit to re-elect me for a second term, I hope to be able to continue giving the same kind of service during the second term. On such a basis I present my announcement and respectfully solicit your support.

LOYDE E. BREWER

C. C. Veasey Is Candidate For Commissioner

To the Voters of Commissioner's Precinct No. 1, Parmer County: I take this method of announcing myself as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner for Commissioner's Precinct No. 1 of Parmer County, subject to the decision of the voters at the Democratic Primary Election, to be held in July, 1948.

In the event of my election, I will serve the people of the Precinct and of the county as a whole, fairly and faithfully, and to the best of my judgment and ability. I respectfully solicit your support.

C. C. VEASEY

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Flippin were business visitors at Amarillo Monday.

Local Young People Celebrate Youth Week; Program Sunday

Political Pot Begins To Simmer In Parmer County

In this issue of the Star will be found the announcement of two candidates for political preferment at the coming Democratic Primary Election to be held on Saturday, July 24, of this year.

The first of these announcements which the Star has had the pleasure of recording is that of Loyde E. Brewer, the present incumbent of the County and District Clerk's office, who is asking the voters for another term as his own successor.

Mr. Brewer is one of Parmer County's finest and most popular young men. Before entering politics he spent four years in the service of his country, a large portion of which was spent in the Pacific area of the World War.

Aside from his worthiness in other lines, he is especially deserving of re-election on the grounds of efficient and outstanding services to his county during the present term. He has proven himself to be courageous, efficient, dependable and fully worthy of the confidence and support of the people.

The other candidate whose name appears in this issue of the Star as a candidate, is C. C. Veasey, who announces himself as a candidate for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1.

Mr. Veasey is one of our successful and progressive farmers of the Lakeview community, and comes very highly recommended as a man and a citizen, and well deserving of the support of the voters of the Precincts.

So far as the Star is aware, this is Mr. Veasey's first entry into the political life of our county, and he most respectfully solicits the support of the voters at the Primary Election in July.

FRIONA WEATHER

The weather, locally, seemed to have doubled back on itself during the first three days of this week, and utterly shattered its hitherto favorable record for balminess, when the wind switched to the northeast early Monday morning with a heavy mist falling and freezing on buildings, trees, the ground and other objects with which it came in contact.

Early in the forenoon Monday, the mist changed to a very fine snow, which continued falling throughout the day. A little more snow fell during Monday night and the wind switched to the northeast Tuesday, growing heavier about dark and continued on into the night, until an estimated 3 inches of snow covered the ground, being drifted in places.

Thermometer readings here on Tuesday morning varied from 2 degrees below zero to 2 above, with not much variation during the day. Thermometer readings on Wednesday morning ranged from zero to four above. The sun shone for a few hours during the middle of the day Wednesday, during which time the snow melted slightly on the pavements.

At this writing—mid-afternoon Wednesday—the sky is again overcast and some snow has fallen, and the general aspect is for more unsettled weather. Will be able to tell more about it next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Flippin were business visitors at Amarillo Monday.

Tim Magness Is New President Of Friona Band

Tim Magness, first saxophone player in the Friona Band, is the band's newly elected president and assistant director.

Vice-president and assistant directors are Betty Lou McLeellan, trombonist, and Alta Mae Wilkins, French horn player.

Secretary-treasurer and reporter is Joyce Ann Miller, first clarinetist. June Phipps and Treva Jean Roien, twirlers, were appointed librarians.

Plans are being made to publish Band News each week in the Star in order that everyone may be kept informed about the band's activities.

New instruments which the band has obtained through co-operation of the Band Parents Club, of which Mr. Leo McLeellan is president, are an oboe and a pair of timpani or kettle drums. Both Vera Ann Jones and Joyce Ann Miller are studying oboe; and Grace Jo Moody and John Scudhall are studying timpani.

New in the band since mid-term, and very promising students too, are Arnold Schueler, playing bass horn, Mary Lou Miller and Betty Jean Hadley, playing baritone horn, and Lloyd Messenger playing saxophone.

Quite a number of band fans and supporters drop in at rehearsals to see and hear the band learn their music. Anyone who would like to come and sit in on the rehearsal is always welcome. The time is daily from 3 to 4 p. m.

A formal band concert in the auditorium is being planned for Thursday night, February 18. Band Parents Club meets next Thursday night in the band house.

Sell Thru the Want Ads!

Hotbox Causes \$200,000 Pile-Up



A towering column of smoke and flame boils up from four blazing tank cars near Battle Creek, Mich., where a hotbox caused a car of one Grand Trunk freight to leap the rails into the path of an oncoming freight. Two fuel oil cars, one corn syrup car, and a gasoline car burst into flame, killing three trainmen. One locomotive and 22 cars were destroyed with an estimated \$200,000 damage. The fire was so hot it made a visduct sag a foot.

COGITATIONS and APHORISMS of Jodok

I was considerably disappointed last week when my friend, Wyley Smoot, took his departure so abruptly, for there were several things about our local hospital upon which I had hoped to be enlightened, but Wyley is one of the most sensitive natures with which I have ever come in contact, and the least sign of lack of interest is enough to drive him away. However, these slight sensitive pains are of short duration.

I hope Wyley's report of the hospital staff, which includes, not only the medical and nursing staff but the Board of Directors as well, and I find that my own personal opinions harmonize almost perfectly with the statements made by Wyley, only that he did not go far enough, which was probably caused by my apparent lack of attention, when I turned for a second to knock the ashes from my pipe.

Now, what I had hoped he would say further, is concerning a very important portion of the complete hospital force, and I shall take the liberty of mentioning these persons now. They are Mrs. Moore, who for nearly a year has been business manager and general superintendent of the hospital's economic affairs. I have been told by those who are in a position to know the facts, that her services have been of inestimable value as contributing to the success of the hospital. The others whom I wish to mention are Mrs. White, who has been for some months serving as receptionist; and the young lady who is in charge of the hospital apothecary or pharmacy. Then, last but not by any means least, is the hospital cook, Mrs. Collier. I am told that Mrs. Collier is one of the best cooks to be found, and that she takes a personal interest in each of the patients by visiting their rooms and having them to select each his own menu, which within a short time is brought on a tray and placed by his bed. Then, I must not forget the janitor, who is our fellow townsman, Will W. Jones, but since getting into public life, Will is becoming better known as just plain "Bill Jones." Bill is always on the job with broom, mop or brush and no cobwebs are allowed to exist in the corners and neither dust nor stains on the walls or windows, nor litter on the floors can long escape Bill's watchful eye.

Of each of these people I can speak only in the highest and most complimentary terms, and I feel sure that had Wyley not taken his leave so abruptly, he would have mentioned them in even more complimentary terms than I have been able to do. You will notice that Wyley in his statements mentioned no names—probably he did not know them, but I suspect that he did; but those that I have mentioned, I have called by name, in each instance where I was able to do so.

Ticklers By George



"Why can't I smoke your pipe, Pop? You're playing with my train."

'Wheat Field Haircut'



Ed J. Frank of Hays, Kan., won an honor award in the 1947 Graeflex non-professional class for this picture, "Wheat Field Haircut."

JODOK

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that bunch of old hard-headed pioneers until their goal was reached.

And so, Wyley continued, you now

have just what those old pioneers started out to achieve. But the newly appointed members of the school board, when they started in to rebuild, would not be satisfied with another five-room building, but instead erected a two-story brick building with at least eight classrooms, a large study hall, a small

room for an emergency school hospital, an auditorium that would seat nearly 300 people and made an excavation which was nearly as large as the auditorium and converted it into a gymnasium. And you can remember, Jock, what a howl there went up from the objectors. You were here then, and should know all about it. They said you never would need such a building, and said many other unpleasant things. But, you remember that the Syndicate people put on a big land sale at that time, and I was told by those who were supposed to know, that your school building sold more land than the smooth talk of all the land agents. You remember that too, Jock. You were here then, and you may have had some little to do with it. But if anyone thinks I am off in my statements, just refer them to Wilkerson (better known as "Wilks") and Floyd Reeve and Tom Crawford. They each had a finger in the pie, and just viewing the matter from the viewpoint of an outsider, it seems that they may each have had two or three fingers in it.

Well, we all know these electric lights have a fashion of cutting off suddenly, and that is just what happened at this point in Wyley's narrative, leaving us in total darkness for a few minutes, and when the lights returned Wyley was gone. I know that he was so full of his subject about our schools, that he was just leading up to something, which he considers of vast importance, and he most surely, will be back again soon.

Caution Against Monoxide Danger Urged By Cox

AUSTIN, Jan. 28.—To minimize the danger of carbon monoxide poisoning during winter weather, motorists and commercial drivers are urged by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, to check up now on the exhaust systems of their automobiles for defective connections and leaks.

He said that "warming up" a car in a closed garage in the greatest cause of carbon monoxide deaths. Leaks from manifold connections, cracked manifolds, defective mufflers, leaks from loose muffler connections and leaks from hot air heater connections are potential sources for release of carbon monoxide and should be checked.

"Pay particular attention to these items and remember that proper carburetor adjustment causes minimum production of carbon monoxide and that the highest proportion of this gas is produced by an idling motor.

The State Health Officer said that headaches which occur during long drives may be an indication that carbon monoxide is leaking into the car. Sleepiness, dizziness, fatigue and in extreme cases, paralysis are other symptoms of carbon monoxide leaking into the car. Truck drivers making long drives are particularly vulnerable, he said.

Tech Exes Seek Charter For Fund To Aid College

LUBBOCK, Jan. 26.—Request for a charter for the Texas Technological College Loyalty fund, a foundation to carry out a three-fold financial program of the college Alumni association, has been presented to Price Daniel, state attorney general, the Alumni association announces.

Money raised by the foundation will be used to finance the association in an enlarged program of service to college students and former students, to provide unrestricted funds for the use of the college when faced with needs which cannot be met by state appropriations, and to establish scholarships for students of superior ability, association representatives stated.

All Alumni and ex-students will be asked to make voluntary contributions to the Loyalty fund when the charter is granted. Submission of the charter for approval was authorized by the association executive board at a recent meeting as a means of supporting activities without assessment of dues from members, it was explained.

SWPS Names New Office Manager At Dimmitt

DIMMITT, Jan. 28.—Gerald Dorough, manager of the Dimmitt office of Southwestern Public Service Company for the past three years, has been transferred to Clovis, N. M., effective February 1, where he will become assistant to the Division Manager of the New Mexico Division.

Succeeding Dorough at Dimmitt will be Jeff Peeler, who is being transferred from Denver City, where he has been manager of the company office since 1945.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorough and two children, Jerry Don and Judy Gayle, will move to Clovis February 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Peeler and two children will transfer to Dimmitt on the same date.

Mexican Consulate In West Texas Is WTCC Goal For 1948

ABILENE, Jan. 26.—Establishment of a Mexican Consulate in West Texas, which an extension of the teaching of the Spanish language as a required subject in public schools and state owned colleges will be sought by the Latin-American Commission of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

These are only two of the eight objectives outlined by the newly

Even College Women Talk Too Much, Says Texas Tech Prof.

LUBBOCK, Jan. 26.—Even a college education doesn't help—some women just talk too much.

Consider the case of the Texas Technological College coed, who every morning for an entire semester chatted with her boy friend outside the door to her English class until her professor arrived. She always followed the professor into the room just as he was beginning his lecture.

This week, wondering how long her protracted conversation could go on, the prof entered the classroom via an outside window. After waiting and talking just outside the door for about 15 minutes, the girl decided teacher wasn't coming to class that day. Without a single glance into the room, she and boy wandered off.

Jackrabbits of Wayland College Now "Pioneers"

After 38 years as the Jackrabbits, Wayland College has finally decided to change the name of the school motif.

It's now the Wayland College Pioneers, and plans are underway to build a concrete covered wagon on the corner of the campus and outfit the pep squad with suitable pioneer regalia.

The surprise move occurred in chapel last Tuesday in a move sponsored by the varsity basketball squad. According to Dr. J. W. Marshall, the change is in keeping with Wayland's plan to become a "pioneer in the field of international education."

The Jackrabbit, which has stood as the symbol of the college will be immortalized in some suitable memorial, it was stated.



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Public Farm AUCTION

Owing to the intensely cold and snowy weather of Tuesday of last week, January 27th, it was impossible to hold my sale on that date, and I have chosen

Tues., Feb. 3 1948

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1—IHC M—Tractor, with Tool Bar, Lister and Knife Attachments, 1940 Model	1—John Deere one-way Plow, 9-foot, 1945 Model, 26-inch Disc
1—IHC W-9 Tractor, 1946 Model	1—Krause one-way Plow, 17½ feet, 1947 Model on Timken Roller Bearings
1—Baldwin Combine, 1944 Model	1—Papec Ensilage Cutter, 1940 Model
1—IHC Ten-foot Binder, 1941 Model	1—IHC 4-section Harrow, 1941 Model
1—13-foot Hoeme Plow, 1942 Model	1—Montgomery Ward, Table Model Cream Separator
1—Bear Cat Feed Mill, 1943 Model 4-A	1—Tire for Baldwin Combine
1—Chevrolet Truck, 1944 Model, 1½-ton long wheel base	1—New Deheading attachment for Baldwin Combine
2—7-hole Dempster Drills	2—Small Water Tanks, one 5½ feet and one 6-foot
1—One and-a-half Horsepower Electric Motor	1—Ward Electric Fence Charger
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FRIONA, TEXAS

WTCC Committee Seeks Cotton, Woolen Industries for Area

West Texas Chamber of Commerce in carrying out a plan adopted last year at the annual convention, has employed Mark E. Wood, of Clinton, New Jersey, a prominent textile engineer, to head a project to bring new wool and cotton textile industries to West Texas.

The announcement was made this week by E. O. Wedgworth, secretary of the West Texas-Santa Fe Industrial Development Committee. Committee chairman E. L. Burlew convened the executive panel on October 9 in Abilene to meet with D. A. Bandoen to negotiate with Texas Tech on the proposition of sponsoring a project to explore the possibilities for cotton and woolen mill industries in West Texas.

The project approved was one of employing a well-known textile engineer to cast up two surveys; one to report on the assets and liabilities in the requirements for West Texas and the second to report on cotton mill industries.

The committee proposed to finance the project on a fifty-fifty basis with the Santa Fe lines.

Estimated cost of financing the project is \$10,000.

"This project should give the answer," Wedgworth said, "to the thirty-year old question as to why

MARKETS

Many southwest farm products found weaker markets last week, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Hogs fell sharply at midweek for net losses of mostly 50 cents to \$1 for the period. Top butcher hogs closed at \$26.50 at San Antonio and Port Worth, \$27 at Oklahoma City, \$27.50 at Wichita, and \$27.75 at Denver. Sows brought \$22 to \$24.

Ewes sold fully steady to strong, but lambs dropped 50 cents to \$1 and more at most southwest markets.

Good and choice lambs closed around \$23.75 at San Antonio, \$23.25 to \$23.75 at Wichita, and \$24.50 at Denver. Fort Worth brought medium to choice wooled fat lambs at \$1 to \$24.

Contracting of spring clip wools increased, as a million pounds of Texas combing wools were signed

we produce so much wool and cotton and send it away to be fabricated, and this answer will come as a result of the Santa Fe committee's activities."

up at 50 cents a pound f. o. b. 50 per cent shrinkage. Late losses offset early gains on southwest cattle markets to leave some classes higher, some lower than a week ago. Steers and yearlings showed weakest tendencies. Common and medium steers and yearlings brought \$16.50 to \$22.50 at Houston, as medium grades sold at \$22.50 to \$26.50 at San Antonio. Medium and good steers cashed from \$25.35 to \$29.75 at Denver, and \$25 to \$29 at Wichita. Medium and good steers moved at \$20 to \$27 at Port Worth and \$24 to \$28 at Oklahoma City.

Some southwest markets quoted eggs a little lower for the week. Dallas and Port Worth paid around 40 to 42 cents a dozen for most current receipts. Denver 37 to 38, and New Orleans 43 to 45. Hens held firm, but fryers found rather slow demand at 40 to 41 cents a pound at New Orleans and around 37 to 38 elsewhere.

Spot cotton prices registered net declines of around \$3.50 per bale in less active buying. Low grade current ginnings were not readily accepted by the trade.

Wheat marketings fell off sharply as prices slumped early in the week and woeled fully 10 cents lower Friday. Bulk carlots sold at \$3.11 1/2 per bushel at Texas common points. White corn all but regained early losses but yellow corn stayed 12 cents lower, and other grains netted declines of around five cents.

Limited marketing of rough rice went at slightly higher prices this week, as milled rice moved up to 50 cents a bushel at Texas common points.

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Some farmers' stock moved, mostly at support prices.

Demand picked up for many fruits

and vegetables during the week, though some remained dull. Broccoli, cauliflower, oranges and sweet potatoes sold firm to some stronger at Denver, where potatoes, spinach, carrots and turnips brought higher prices. St. Louis and Kansas City paid more for Texas oranges and grapefruit, but bought lettuce and cauliflower cheaper. Turnips went much higher at New Orleans in an otherwise dull week. Good demand strengthened carrots in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, but cabbage lost sharply as beets and broccoli sold about steady.

Dimmitt Baptist Pastor Resigns To Go To Quannah

Rev. M. J. Lee, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Dimmitt for the past four years, has resigned to accept a call from the First Baptist Church at Quannah, Texas.

Rev. Lee delivered his farewell sermons at the Dimmitt Church last Sunday morning and evening, closing a pastorate of four years and two months in that church.

While pastor at Dimmitt, he had served a one year term as Moderator for the Terra Blanca Baptist Association, had been a director and trustee of the Palo Duro Baptist Camp, and chairman of the District Nine Executive Board.

Rev. and Mrs. Lee and their three sons, Jimmy, Tommy, and Billy, left Monday for Quannah where he assumed his new pastorate at the Quannah First Baptist Church this week.

Tech Adds War Surplus Units To Campus

LUBBOCK, Jan. 26—War surplus goods, including 31 entire buildings, a quantity of office furniture, equipment for an infirmary and a cafeteria, electronic and other laboratory equipment, and a 33-passenger bus, have been received at Texas Technological College from the Bureau of Community Facilities, Federal Works Agency, during the past year, according to S. T. Cummings, college purchasing agent.

The buildings were delivered to the campus from Camp Barkley at no cost to the college to meet a pressing need for additional space for classrooms, laboratories and other facilities. The college paid only the cost of plan and site preparation and utility installation.

Some of the other items were donated to Texas Tech free, while others were made available at a reduction of 95 per cent or more of an estimated fair price, Cummings said.

Expressing appreciation to the Bureau of Community Facilities,

Texas Tech officials point out that the surplus buildings given the college have doubled space available for classrooms and laboratories, thus enabling the college to dispense with night classes this fall even though enrollment has reached unprecedented sizes. Last spring more than 40 night classes were held regularly on the campus.

Wayland Carers Have Good Record in Season Play

T. K. Criswell of Anton, Texas, and Billy Timmons of Tahoka, have been named co-captains of the Wayland College Jackrabbits.

The Plainview collegians are experiencing their most successful basketball season in over fifteen years this year. Undefeated in Junior College competition, the team has won 12 and lost four games, three of the games to senior colleges. The other defeat came at the hands of the Texas Tech freshman squad.

Criswell, starting guard for the varsity crew, is a freshman at Wayland, majoring in commercial arts.

He is a Navy veteran, serving three years with the fleet in the Pacific theatre of operations. He had the unique honor of serving as the youngest mayor in the state when he was elected as a dark horse candidate in Anton in 1946 shortly after his discharge from active duty.

An excellent floor man, Criswell is also cited with being the third high point man on the squad, trailing Leon Dorch of Plainview, and D. W. Harkins of Levelland.

Billy Timmons, a member of last year's varsity crew is going after his second letter this season. He lettered four years in high school, participating in basketball and his team won second in the district. The 18-year old athlete plays an aggressive brand of ball and is exceptionally good on fast breaks.

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

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Irrigation School Schedule Unchanged

The Wheat Recognition Course to be conducted at the City Hall on Thursday, February 12, will not affect the schedule of the Irrigation School, which is being

held each Thursday. County Agent Hugh Clearman said this week.

Both meetings will be held at City Hall. The Irrigation School classes are being conducted in the dining room; and arrangements have been made for the other class to meet at the same

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The average cost of feed in a U. S. farm poultry ration as mid-November prices was \$4.71 per 100 pounds, in comparison with a 10-year average of \$2.14.

Revised BAE report on U. S. farm mortgage debt shows \$4.7 billions for 1947, in comparison with \$6.5 billions in 1946. Texas, California, Iowa, Minnesota and Wisconsin are top states in volume.

Horse of the Year



Calumet Farm's Armed, picked "Horse of the Year" by turf experts, wears a crown at Hialeah Park while training for the Florida racing season.

Freedom Train Will Stop In Amarillo

Thanks to loud protests from Panhandle school children, various civic organizations and individuals, the Freedom Train, bearing a display of some of the nation's most historic documents, will visit the Panhandle of Texas in May.

The Freedom Train is scheduled to make an all-day stop in Amarillo on May 16 on a return trip from the West Coast.

Officials of the American Heritage Foundation, which is sponsoring the nation-wide tour of the Freedom Train, agreed to schedule the Amarillo stop after a wave of protests arose from the Texas Panhandle when the train's original schedule was announced.

According to the original schedule, the train was slated to enter Texas at Denison on January 29 and swing through central and south Texas en route to the west coast. The entire West Texas Panhandle-Plains area was missed by the itinerary.

Amarillo American Legion and VFW chapters, Spanish-American War veterans, DAR chapters, and other Amarillo civic organizations, backed by protests from Panhandle citizens, began firing protests into Washington.

The result was announced last week by Congressman Eugene Worley. The train will visit the Panhandle.



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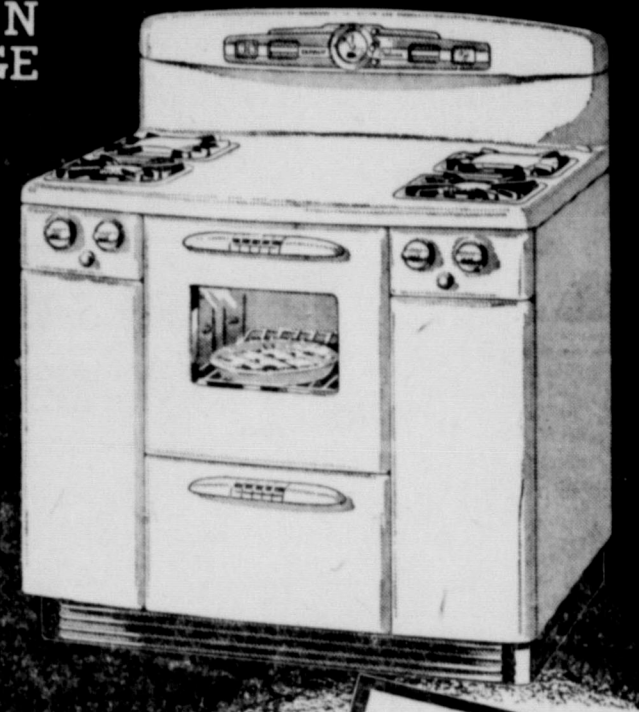
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