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Earl Santwell, chairman of the Board of Supervisors of the local Cap Rock Soil Conservation District, harvested his Dixie Wonder Winter peas last week. He planted a small patch on a trial basis last fall and is well pleased with the results. Earl reports that he harvested between 2400 and 2500 pounds of seed cff of 0.3e and a half acres.

These winter peas are excellent soil builders and will fit into the cropping system on irrigated farms in the plains part of the district very easily. They can be planted in September or October after feed crops are harvested and will grow throughout the winter. They can be grazed similar to wheat and then turned under as a green manure crop before planting time in the spring. They can also be handled as Mr. Cantwell did this year and a seed crop harvested.

Below the Cap in the sandier portion of the district, these peas will fit into the cropping system in the same way as in the irrigated sections. The grazing from winter peas was very good around Quitaque.

H. M. Newberry, farming the Crass Conservation group, had soil conservation service technicians lay out a line to water cotton.

J. K. Bean, farming in the Mercer group southeast of Silverton, had lines run last week to water feed crops.

Charles Wallace, who lives in the Gregg Conservation Group twelve miles southwest of Silverton, had irrigation lines run for his improved pasture this week. Mr Wallace

RAIL-AUTO COMBINATION IS NEW TRAVEL SERVICE

Chicago.—A combination of railroad and automobile service, to be known as the Rail-Auto plan, will be available July 1 on most of the principle railroads of the country through arrangements with these railroads and the Hertz Drivervself System and certain other local drive-yourself companies, H. W. Siddall, chairman of the railroad Passenger International Committee announced this week.

The service will be available in approximately 250 of the largest cities in the United States and in Canada, Siddall reported, and every effort is being made to extend the service to 500 cities before the end of the year.

"It is particularly desirable for traveling salesmen, for business men generally, and for vacationists going to summer resorts and fishing lodges in remote sections of the country," said Mr Siddall. "It is a great transportation combination a real service in eliminating wasted time."

A passenger may make arrangements for the use of personal automobile service when arranging for railroad tickets. Wires are sent reserving an automobile at point of destination; arrangements can be made for car to be delivered to the passenger at the station upon arrival.

A reasonable rental will be charged by the drive-yourself organization for the automobiles, and this rental will include gasoline, oil, maintenance and protective insurance. The rate charged will be the same whether one or five persons ride in the rented car.

"This supplementing of railroad service at the final destination, whether city or town, proved successful during the year it was tried out previous to the war," stated Siddall. "It was a casualty of war, and automobiles have only now returned into the market in sufficient quantities to resume it."

Mrs. Gladys Wise and daughter and grandchildren Mrs. Richard Tibbetts and children left Monday morning for a visit with relatives in Louisiana.

plans to let the improved pasture go to seed this fall, thus thickening up the stand of grasses and legumes.

Contour lines were run on the Dr. Moody farm, operated by Mr. Claude Allison and located in the Rock Creek Station Conservation Group. Mr Allison has finished harvesting his grain crop and plans to start plowing with the contour lines soon. Lines were run by technicians of the local Cap Rock Soil Conservation District.

Contourplowing of wheat land will reduce water runoff, increase infiltration of water and help assure the farmer of a good crop the following year.

Continued vigilance is still necessary in the prevention of wheat-field fires. Even though a large percent of the wheat has been harvested, there are still fields here and there that are to be cut yet. The burning of stubble alone may be as disastrous as the loss of any grain in the long run. This fact is borne out by past studies of our experiment stations.

Organic matter that is put in the soil when wheat stubble is worked down is very essential to continued productivity of that soil. When stubble burns most of the accumulated plant-nutrients are left in the ashes and most of them disappear in gases that comprise the smoke. This loss of plant food plus the increased danger of a blowing out that a good stubble will prevent, can not be taken lightly.

BIG RODEO AND OTHER EVENTS AT MEMPHIS JULY 24-25-26

One of the biggest and best rodeos ever staged in this area is scheduled at Memphis July 24, 25 and 26, according to the VFW sponsors of the event. An outstanding collection of trick and specialty acts are slated for the four performances of the RCA approved rodeo.

Performances will be held Thursday night, Friday night, Saturday afternoon and Saturday night, with \$1,500 plus entrance fees to be awarded in prize money to contestants in calf roping, bulldogging, steer and bronc riding.

Many special events are being offered in conjunction with the rodeo. Dances will be held nightly after the rodeo, the "Melody Queen" and her tunesmiths holding sway. An airport dedication is being held Saturday afternoon and pilots from all over West Texas have said they will attend. An Old first day, Thursday. Horse races Settlers reunion is being held the will be held Thursday and Friday afternoons. A colorful parade will be held Thursday and Friday afternoons with entries and riding clubs from over the area being invited.

R. L. Pointer of Elgin, Okla., is furnishing the rodeo string. Among top-notch featured specialty acts are Vivian White, trick rider, Charlie Schultz and his "bucking Ford," Charlie Schultz trick rope and whip artist, clowns, trick ropers and many other sidelights to complement the top cowboy talent to be on hand for the three-day event.

Admission will be \$1.80 for reserved seats and \$1.50 for bleachers, with children to be admitted for 90c reserved and 60c bleachers.

18 INCH SHOWER FALLS WEDNESDAY NIGHT

A welcome little shower fell in this area Wednesday night, the government gauge in Quitaque registering only .18 of an inch, but the temperature cooled considerably. With the wheat harvest about over, cotton and row crop farmers are scanning the skies for a bit of welcome moisture about now.

Teachers Elected For Quitaque Faculty

At a meeting of the Quitaque Independent school board of trustees Monday night, the following teachers were elected to the faculty for next year:

R. H. McAdams, superintendent; Joe W. Bailey, Mrs Irene Kuykendall, leaving one vacancy in the high school for the present.

E. P. Lewis, Mrs H. G. Gardiner, Mrs Pete Rice and Mrs Chester Hawkins in the grade school.

One more teacher for the high school will be chosen later, and others as required when all the scholastics for the coming year are in.

The board also announced that the next term of school would begin September 1.

PUBLIC INVITED TO PICTURE SHOW AT METHODIST CHURCH

Paul Crouch of the Sound Photo Equipment Co., of Lubbock, will demonstrate several kinds of motion picture projecting equipment at the Quitaque Methodist church next Wednesday, July 16, at 8:30 p. m.

A very interesting picture will be shown and the public is invited to attend.

Many churches are installing modern visual education equipment to aid in the teaching of the scriptures and sound Christian principles. Many stories of the Bible can be secured now on film which gives a more lasting impression. Eighty percent of learning comes through the eye. The Methodist church is considering getting some visual helps and the public is invited to attend this demonstration.

DAVID ROSS YOUNG DOING OK AFTER TWO TRANSFUSIONS

David Ross, the infant son of Mrs. Frances Young, the former Miss Frances Graham, gave his mother and grandparents a few hours of anxiety when his blood count suddenly lowered considerably. Two blood transfusions brought it back up to the desired level and he again appears to be the husky infant he was when he arrived on June 25, at the hospital in Amarillo.

E. L. Boyett took a number of Quitaque citizens up to the hospital last Wednesday to be blood typed and it was found that Mr. Boyett was the only one in the group who had the rare type of blood needed. He returned to Amarillo Thursday to be on hand for the second transfusion Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Nall left Monday for Wichita Falls where Mrs. Nall will undergo an operation for the removal of a growth on her eye.

August 1 Is Final Date For School Transfers

Parents planning to transfer children from one school district to another must make application for transfer prior to August 1, it was announced this week.

It is extremely important that these transfers be applied for as early as possible. The number of teachers required and other important plans for the coming school year depend upon the number of scholastics enrolled, and until this is ascertained very little preparation can be made for the coming school term. Parents are urged to act promptly as the assurance of qualified teachers and other school advantages hinge upon school enrollment. The school board cannot take steps or make plans until these scholastics are in.

Legal wording of the notice of August 1 deadline is as follows:

"Upon certification of the transfer of any child from one district to another district, by the county superintendent of the county in which said child resides at the time of the transfer, the State Department of Education shall authorize the State Treasurer to pay over directly the per capita apportionment, to the district to which the child is transferred."

Which means that the state pays so much money to each district for each child registered. The transfer must be filed by August 1 in order for the proper district to receive credit.

AURELIA SANDERS IS BRIDE OF R. H. RUTLEDGE, JR.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sanders of Muleshoe announce the marriage of their daughter Aurelia, to Raymond H. Rutledge, Jr., on Friday, June 20, at Albuquerque, N. M.

Mrs. Rutledge was well known in Silverton and Quitaque since the Sanders were residents of the two places for seventeen years, having moved to Muleshoe in January, 1945.

Mr. Rutledge is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rutledge of Paris, Texas. He is a graduate of Shriner Military Institute of Kerrville, Texas and served four years in the air corps in the European theatre.

UNUSUAL LAUNDRY SERVICE

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Lewis and son ited over the week end in the Alton James Boliver, of Sweetwater, visiting Johnson home and with other relatives here. R. S. is operating a Bendix laundry at Sweetwater, running about twenty machines in a beautiful tile building. His unusual laundry service is serving a wide area. He told of one customer driving 35 miles, using 17 machines for her laundry and shopping the thirty minutes it took for the automatic machines to do the big washing.

Wheat Harvest Here Is Just About Over

Wheat cutting in this area is just about over, George Setliff stated Wednesday night, but there is quite a bit to be hauled to the elevators by local growers. Lots of wheat is still coming to the elevators, Mr. Setliff stated, lots of it coming from on top.

The Turkey and Quitaque elevators have shipped approximately 200 cars of wheat so far, and if boxcars are available, as promised, they expect to ship quite a few more.

The boxcar bottleneck caused by the wreck on the Fort Worth & Denver, as well as the stoppage of all rail service for three days, probably cost the elevators 20 or 30 carloads of wheat shipments which went to market by trucks.

There has been an almost constant procession of big trucks over highway 86 both day and night for the past two or three weeks hauling grain to Wichita Falls and Fort Worth. Harvesting on the South Plains is just about over, truck drivers stated Wednesday.

WAYNE SIMPSON BABY SON BITTEN BY RATTLE SNAKE

O. V. Simpson who returned a week or so ago from several months in California, received a message from his son Wayne at Sonora, Cal., stating that Wayne's 16-months old son had been bitten Sunday afternoon by a rattle-snake. Simpson talked to his son over the phone Monday, and the child was reported a little improved.

Simpson left Tuesday morning for Sonora, going via Muleshoe for Mrs. Reagan, the baby's maternal grandmother, who accompanied him.

Wayne is working on the Willow Spring ranch at Sonora, O. V. had come home to cut his wheat crop.

MISS MARY SIMMONS WED IN CEREMONY AT LAS VEGAS, NEV.

Miss Mary Simmons of Quitaque and Lewis L. Hunt were married July 5, in Las Vegas, Nev., in a little wedding chapel. Rev. Carpenter performed the ceremony.

The couple were attended by the bride's sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Ted Elzey of Compton, Cal.

They will make their home in Taft, Cal., where Mr. Hunt is working for the Standard Oil Co.

INFANT IS BURIED WEDNESDAY AT FLOMOT

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Baptist church at Flomot for an infant girl which was born dead at a Matador hospital Tuesday, July 8 to Mr. and Mrs. Berry Barham. The Baptist pastor of Whiteflat conducted the service.

The little girl, named Barbara Jo, was the first child of the parents. The mother was formerly Miss Jimmy Ruth Carroll.

Mr and Mrs Pete Rice and Jarrell left Sunday for a week's vacation at Durango, Colo.

QUEEN THEATRE

QUITAQUE, TEXAS
Admission 12c & 30c—Tax Inc.

Thursday-Friday July 10-11

Dishonored Lady

Hedy Lamarr, Dennis O'Keefe, John Loder

Short: TOCCATA

Saturday Mat. & Night July 12

Rainbow Over Rockies

Jimmy Wakely, Lee LASSES White, Pat Starling

Three Stooges Short: RHYTHM & WEEP

Serial: THE CRIMSON GHOST

Sunday-Monday July 13-14

Bad Mans Territory

Randolph Scott, Lawrence Tierney, A. Richards

Short: WHITNEY BANDITS

Thursday-Friday July 17-18

The Macomber Affair

Gregory Peck, Joan Bennett, Robert Preston

Short: GOING PLACES

Soft Ball Games Furnish Fun For All

The athletic field is in use almost nightly since the lights have been turned on. Turkey came over for a game of softball with Gray Mule Friday night July 4 with the Turks taking top score.

Sunday Elmer Lanham's softball aggregation played Gray Mule in a one-sided game which ended 12 to 0 in favor of the Quitaque tough guys.

Fun flowed freely Tuesday night at the Quitaque lighted ball field when the business men of Turkey and Quitaque hooked up for a softball contest. The score didn't matter—it was the playing that counted.

Many of these old boys had not participated in any kind of a ball game for 25 or 30 years displayed their youth Tuesday night but Ole Man Age told 'em something Wednesday morning—in fact is still telling 'em.

However none of these young oldsters played enough to hurt themselves and all had a marvelous time—as well as the huge assemblage of fans (or witnesses.)

Quitaque had the advantage due to the fact that most of the men had been playing under the lights a couple of weeks and some of Turkey's players had not played in this decade or quarter century. But there were no allis—it was just a nice, friendly get-together with fun and frolic for all.

For Turkey the lineup was R. D. Jones, Dewitt Huffine, Junior Majors, Paul Meacham, Doc Williams, Howard Castleberry, J. T. Mullin, Dave Guest, Byron Young, Rog Arnold, Pat Brittain, Gordon Hedrick, Lawrence Hedrick, Bun Farley, Roy Gene Gilmore, Virgil Young Tom Tunnell. Of course all these men did not play at the same time, but as one fell out, another relieved him.

The Quitaque lineup was Seburn Neatherlin, J. D. Blankenship, Geo. Pepper, Scheid, Smooth Boyett, C. E. Bedwell, Glen Gibson, Skeet Hall, Sterling Herrington, Ray Payne, Joe Bedwell, Mayor Robertson and Charlie Carpenter.

The final scores for the game were 17 and 6.

Following the game between the business men, younger men from Quitaque and Turkey tangled in a softball contest which Quitaque won by the narrow margin of 16 and 1.

The Quitaque players in this melee were Rudell James, Jack Chandler, Warren Payne, Hubert Gilbert, James Reed, Ray Payne, Henry Hasty, Garrett and Travis Morrison and Rancho Grundy.

The Turkey group included Dave Guest, J. T. Mullin, Junior Majors, Doc Williams, Tom Tunnell, Bun Farley, Burl Blackshear, Horace Mullin, Roger Arnold and Byron Young.

M. E. Loving and W. P. Hawkins are spending this week fishing at Possum Kingdom.

GEM THEATRE

TURKEY, TEXAS
Admission 12c & 30c—Tax Inc.

Thursday-Friday July 10-11

The Mighty McGurk

Wallace Beery, Edward Arnold

Short: HENPECKED HOBOES And Paramount News

Saturday Mat. & Night July 12

Law of the Canyon

Charles Starrett, Smiley Burnette

Short: RENOVATED Chapter 5 of Serial

LOST CITY OF THE JUNGLE

Sunday-Monday July 13-14

Ramrod

Joel McCrea, Veronica Lake

Short: "Donalds Double Trouble"

Tuesday-Wednesday July 15-16

The Verdict

Sydney Greenstreet, Peter Lorre

Short: GOOFY GOPHERS

Thursday-Friday July 17-18

Guest Wife

Claudette Colbert Don Ameche

Short: PEPITO And Paramount News



Mrs. Walter Taylor, the former Miss Coleen Rogers, was complimented Thursday, July 3, with a bridal shower. Hostesses were Mrs. O. E. Hutcheson, Miss Billye Rae Hutcheson, Mrs. Sybil Lee and Miss

The affair was given at the Rhoderrick Hotel where bowls of flowers were used for decoration in the re-

Lela Fae Morrison. Guests called from 2:00 until 5:00 p. m.

Mrs Lee displayed the gifts and

was in charge of the pretty brides-book. Misses Hutcheson and Morrison presided at the refreshment table and served chocolate and angel food cake with frosted cokes.

During the afternoon an enjoyable program of appropriate readings and accordion numbers were presented by Miss Jo Dean Bedwell and Miss Patsy Stark.

The bride received a large number of beautiful gifts.

W. R. SCOTT
Owner and Publisher

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LOCALS

Betty and Patsy Carpenter spent this week visiting relatives in Lockney.

Lewis Bedwell and family spent the Fourth of July week end visiting relatives in Roswell, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brunson and Charlie Burgess spent July 4th at Floydada.

Bobby Seay of Matador, niece of Mrs. J. T. Persons visited her aunt and family here last week.

FOR SALE—Olympic ice box, 75-lb capacity; also small 25-lb box. See them at the ice plant, Quitaque.

Mr and Mrs J. T. Persons and children and Bobby Seay of Matador spent July Fourth in Amarillo.

Mrs Jack Holcomb, Rinky and Buddy, and Miss Beth Roach made a trip Saturday to Childress.

Mrs. Jack Wise who is attending the summer session at Tech, spent the July 4th holidays here with her children and other relatives.

Mrs. Glenn Eustice and children of Olney were here last week visiting her mother Mrs. Homer Gregg and family.

Mrs. W. O. McFall is visiting her daughter and other relatives at

Lamesa, Brownwood and in New Mexico.

FOR SALE—1942 Studebaker 1-ton pickup; good shape, good rubber; 1942 Chev. 1/2-ton pickup.—Geo. Gafford, Turkey. 25-1

Joe and Gene Bedwell, Gus Gibson and Chas. Gowin spent two days last week, including the 4th, fishing at Tullia Lake.

Rev. P. D. Fullingim of Wheeler was here Wednesday and preached that evening at Baptist prayer service.

Mrs. T. E. Shelley and son Billy of Guntersville, Ala., are here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Q. Jacks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lyons of Lubbock are here visiting their daughter Mrs. Clarence Redding and family while he is on vacation.

LET US renovate your old mattress or sell you a new one.—Leave your orders or mattresses with Marvin Reynolds Shop, Quitaque.—Spur Mattress Co. 24-4c

Sybil Lee, Sue and Reba Barrett, Jo Dean Bedwell and Margaret Owens spent the day at Floydada Friday celebrating the Fourth.

Mary Lou Mayfield is here from Lubbock visiting her grandparents Mr and Mrs F. T. Lee and other relatives.

Mr and Mrs T. J. Reeves of Kress spent the week end here with their daughter and family, Mr and Mrs Bud Bailey and children.

FOR SALE—1942 Ford sedan; good shape, good rubber.—Truman Hadaway, Turkey. 25-1

Mr and Mrs Jack Holcomb, Rinky and Buddy spent July 4th in Amarillo where they attended the Lacy family reunion.

Mr and Mrs S. J. Roach, Miss Beth and Forest Ferguson of Plainview spent the Fourth at Roaring Springs and Floydada.

Miss Betty Alcorn and Forrest Ferguson of Plainview and Leon Gilmer of Durango, Colo., were

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF

The First National Bank
OF QUITAQUE IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE
CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1947

Published in response to call made by Comptroller of Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	580,280.23
United States Government obligations, direct & guaranteed	627,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	17,698.62
Corporate stocks (including \$1,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	1,500.00
Loans and discounts (including \$4,725.17 overdrafts)	331,399.71
Bank premises owned \$1.00, furniture and fixtures \$1.00	2.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,557,880.61
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	1,380,831.26
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships & corporations	3,468.53
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	20,512.06
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	38,100.39
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	1,432.81
Total Deposits	\$1,444,345.05
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$1,444,345.05
CAPITAL ACCOUNT	
Capital Stock: Common stock, total par \$25,000.00	25,000.00
Surplus	25,000.00
Undivided profits	63,535.56
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	113,535.56
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$1,557,880.61

MEMORANDUM

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 95,000.00

State of Texas, County of Briscoe, ss:

I, C. E. Bedwell, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(SEAL)

C. E. BEDWELL, Cashier

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of July, 1947.

H. G. GARDINER, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest

J. A. Taylor, John A. Johnson, Orlin Stark, Directors

guests Sunday in the S. J. Roach home.

Mrs. J. W. Ewing, Mrs. Bessie Fryer and Miss Lizzie Gregg of Lovington, N. M., were here this week visiting in the home of their brother Homer Gregg and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon McCracken went to Plainview Saturday and brought home the new Harley-Davidson motorcycle which their son Leon, Jr., has just purchased.

George Owens, Edgar Morrison and Hubert Gilbert spent a busy day July 4th, in Memphis knocking a little white ball around a big green meadow.

J. C. Purcell who is working in

Beaver with R. E. Hardberger construction company, spent the week end here with relatives. He was accompanied by two friends.

Miss Dortha Faye Slayton who is working in Lubbock spent the July 4th holidays here with her other Mrs. Celia Slayton and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stell and LaJuan left early Monday morning for California, planning to make their home at Bakersfield. The met the Clem Woods family at Muleshoe and will make the trip to the west coast together. The Woods who moved to Bakersfield last year had been visiting relatives

SPECIALS

Friday & Saturday Only
July 11 - 12

- Turkish Towels, size 20x40, colors green orange, blue, pink, Sale Price 49c
- Large size sheets, 81x99, Sale Price \$2.39
- Boys blue riveted pants 2.98 value Sale Price \$1.00
- Here it is again—Fast Color Prints .. 19c yd.
- Boys sport shirts, odd lots, each 50c
- Mens Shorts, white only 79c value Sale Price 49c
- Extra Special 45 gauge Nylon Hose, 1.65 value, Sale Price \$1.00 pr.
- Closing out entire lot of ladies sandals, high heels, low heels, wedge heels, colors black, brown, red. Values up to 6.95. Sale Price \$1.98 pr.
- All of our childrens sandals to go \$1.98 pr.
- Childrens Panties, 59c val., Sale Price 39c pr.

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SALEM DRY GOODS
TURKEY, TEXAS

here and at Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hedgecoke and Mrs. Jim Tunnell came in Thursday evening from Amarillo to spend July 4 with the Alton Johnsons.

Mr and Mrs Jim Stell and LaJuan Misses Willadeen and Betty Owens, Clema Dell Woods and Bill Ebbs took in the Fourth of July celebration at Floydada Friday.

Mrs. E. R. Parsley of San Antonio, sister of Mrs. Homer Gregg who had been here visiting, returned home last week, her daughter Mrs. E. L. Willis coming to take her home.

FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY of Graham Hoeme Plows and attachments see—O. E. Setliff, at Quitaque Elevator. 211tc.

Miss Mary Ollie Persons returned Monday night from a visit with her sister and family Mr and Mrs Winston Savage and daughter at Austin and friends at Dallas.

FOR SALE—Lister-planter cultivator for Farmall.—R. N. Cagle, Flo-mot. 24-2

Homer Gregg returned home Sunday from a pleasant ten day vacation which he spent with his sisters and other relatives in New Mexico. He enjoyed a tour of Carlsbad caverns while he was there.

Luther Dupuy and family and his mother of Portales, N. M., came Sunday for a visit with his sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wixom. Mrs. Dupuy senior remained for a longer visit here with her daughter.

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and those

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- 5-burner Perfection Kerosene Stove
- One Used Coolerator at \$27.50

Hicks Hdw. & Imp.
PHONE 11 TURKEY

Mr and Mrs Lee McSpadden and son of Oregon were here over the weekend visiting his sister and her husband, Mr and Mrs W. F. Brittain. They all went to Childress Sunday for a family reunion.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Fish Bites Woman!

Willie Wells was coming home from Seward's Creek the other evening with a string of trout, when a stern looking lady (visitor at the Boxwood Inn) stops him, and tells him a man his size could be better occupied than catching fish.

Willie tells her off real good-naturedly by saying: "Perhaps you're right, but if these fish had kept their mouths shut, they wouldn't be here." (At that, says Willie, laughing out loud, she looked just as if a fish had bit her!)

Blabbing mouths never cause

anything but trouble. Nobody who knew the facts would ever criticize Willie's right to go fishing on his one day off—any more than they'd deny his right to come home to a mellow glass of beer.

From where I sit, the slower we are to criticize—and the quicker we are to recognize another's tastes, the better we'll get along together—whether those tastes apply to beer or fishing.

Joe Marsh

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METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

The stewards and Board of Christian education of the Methodist church met in a joint session last Wednesday evening at the parsonage.

The stewards worked on the financial plans for the new year while officers and teachers of the Sunday school worked on new plans to enlist more people.

Mrs. Trostle served refreshments at the close of the meeting to the following who were present: Bert Hawkins, H. G. Gardiner, N. V. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hamilton, Mrs. Mort Hawkins, Mrs. Frank Gillespie, Joe Bailey and Minnie Mae Roberson.

The Methodist young people are staging a brave come-back. Bro. Trostle is working earnestly with them. Three girls went to the Ceta Glenn intermediate camp recently, and last Monday evening six fine young people went with the pastor to the subdistrict meeting at Memphis.

Those attending were Margaret Owens, Mildred and Shirley Foster, Fay and Jo Ann Hulsey and Bobbie Jo Foster. Everyone seemed to have a good time and have enjoyed the fine recreation, refreshments and business meeting and the boys from Wellington which the helpful devotionals by one of inspired everyone to be better and do better in their Christian service.

Miss Ruth Simmons of Midland visited her mother Mrs. J. W. Simmons here and her sister Mrs. Harry Barnhill and family at Turkey over the weekend. Her mother and sister took her to Lubbock Sunday and she returned to Midland from there by plane arriving home before they did.

Mrs. Mort Hawkins left Wednesday to join her sister Mrs. Maurice Young and family in Hobbs, N. M., and they will go to Pascagoula, Miss., for a ten days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawkins and Joe Frank and Tom Dawson and family.

Miss Evelyn Cain left Wednesday on the bus for Dallas where she entered Baylor hospital for an operation. The younger Doctor Carroll, eminent tone specialist will perform the surgery to correct a condition which resulted from an attack of infantile paralysis.

Cpl. Billy J. Clark came in from Randolph Field to spend the 4th with his parents Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Clark and brothers Oliver and Earl and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Clark and sons drove to Plainview Sunday morning taking Billy Joe to catch the bus to return to his post.

Richard Tibbetts returned to camp at San Antonio Monday, his mother Mrs. E. W. Tibbetts accompanying him as far as San Angelo. Mrs. Tibbetts returned home Tuesday, accompanied by her daughter and small granddaughter, Mrs. Frank Burnett and Sharon who will visit for a few days.

City Grocery

Bert Grundy Quitaque, Texas

The following notice was inserted in the columns of a country weekly:

"Anyone found near my chicken house at night will be found there in the morning."

Specials for Friday & Saturday

CHAMBERLAIN'S LOTION, 50c size ----- 39c plus tax

Folgers Coffee 1-lb can **47¢**

TREET, 12-oz. can ----- 39c

SCHILLINGS TEA, 1/4-lb pkg. ----- 23c

Pears White Swan No. 2 1/2 can **43¢**

SALAD DRESSING, White Swan, pt. jar ----- 35c

MUSTARD, qt. jar ----- 15c

CORN, whole Grain, Our Darling, No. 2 can ----- 19c

TOMATOES, No. 2 can ----- 14c

Swerl Magic Suds by Heinz **25¢**

BACON SQUARES (Jowl) sugar cured, lb ----- 40c

LETTUCE, head ----- 8c

BELL PEPPERS lb ----- 15c

METHODIST WSC'S

The Methodist WSCS met Tuesday evening at the church with Mrs. Venus Gillespie as hostess. Mrs. Frank Gillespie was in charge of the program which was a study of the children's place in the life of the church.

Mrs. Bryan Kimbell directed the devotional and told an appropriate story. Mrs. Trostle gave the study and told what was being done for the guidance in other places, closing her discussion with a round table talk of what might be accomplished through efforts of the local group.

The hostess served refreshments of ice cream and angel food cake to Mmes. Grady Starkey, Trostle, Bill Middleton, N. V. Hamilton, Bill Woods, Frank Gillespie, Morris Wilson, Bryan Kimbell, W. R. Scott and Minnie Mae Roberson.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Owens of Seminole arrived in Quitaque last week to make their home and to take over the pastorate of the Assembly of God church.

Rev. Owens is a very able preacher and the public is cordially

invited to hear him.

Services are held each Thursday night, Saturday night and on Sunday, Sunday school is conducted and worship service both morning and evening.

Mr. Farmer

As we enter the last stage of harvest we wish to thank you all for your patronage and cooperation during a difficult situation.

To those of you who still have wheat to sell—keep in touch with us, we are still doing our best to accommodate you.

Call on us anytime we can be of service to you.

Quitaque Elevator

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YOU'LL SAVE MONEY AT TRUCK HEADQUARTERS

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"Job-Rated"
TRUCKS

1. LOWER OPERATING COSTS
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You get all three with a truck that fits your job—a "Job-Rated" truck.

We can sell you a truck that fits your job—selected from 175 basic chassis models—ranging from light delivery units up to 23,000-pound (G.V.W.) heavy-duty haulers.

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QUITAQUE

Rodeo And Old Settlers REUNION

Memphis, Texas

Three Big Days: July 24-25-26

\$1500.00 Purse Plus Entry Fees

RODEO STARS ON PARADE

—Featuring—
CHARLEY SCHULTZ
(Rodeo Clown)
And His "Bucking Ford"
"Trained Mule"
"The Old Town Pump"

VIVIAN WHITE
Bronc and Trick Riding

CLAUD SCHULTZ
Trick Rope Artist—Whip Act
And His "Bucking Ford"

RCA Approved

ENTRANCE FEES

Calf Roping \$25
Bulldogging \$20
Steer Riding \$15
Bronc Riding \$15

4 PERFORMANCES

Night: July 24-25-26 - 8:30 p. m.
Afternoon: July 26 — 3:00 p. m.
Parade starts at 1:00 p. m.
Saturday, July 26

Sponsored By V.F.W.

GRANDSON IS ARKANSAS STATE FFA PRESIDENT

George Castleberry, age 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Castleberry of Nashville, Ark., was elected president of the Arkansas Association of Future Farmers of America at the final session of the annual convention held recently.

The new president was first place winner in the FFA poultry contest last year. He placed second in the public speaking contest, and served as president of the Nashville chapter which won first place in the parliamentary contest. He will enter Polytechnic College this fall.

The young man is a grandson of Mrs. G. W. Ezzell of Quitaque.

NEWCOMERS

A son named William Henry was born June 23 to Mr and Mrs Ruel Skinner. The baby was born at the hospital in Matador and weighed six and a half pounds.

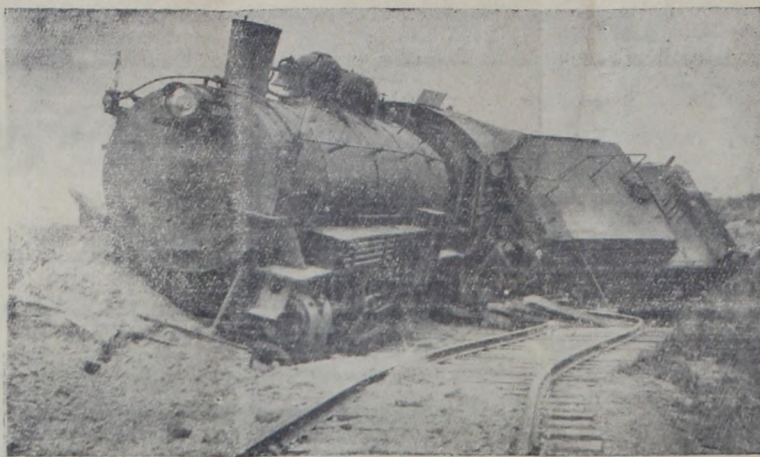
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ezzell are the parents of a daughter born June 24 at Hereford, where Ben is news editor of the Hereford Brand. The little girl was named Marion Morgan.

A son who weighed eight pounds and ten ounces was born Sunday, July 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Barrett at Riverbank, Cal. The young man was named Gary Wayne.

MEMPHIS MOTORCADE DUE TO ENTERTAIN US JULY 15

A Memphis motorcade, replete with a western string band and the Memphis school band, will make 30-minute stops in towns of this area July 15 for a lively session of musical entertainment as they spread the word of the gala entertainment at the Rodeo to be held here July 24-25-26.

The trip, to cover 176 miles, will carry the boosters to Turkey, at 9:15; Quitaque, 10:00; Matador, 11:30; Paducah, 12:45; Childress, 3:00; and Estelline, at 4:00.



WHEAT MOVEMENT BOTTLE-NECK—Wheat and splintered wreckage filled a red clay "cut" on the Fort Worth & Denver City railway six miles east of Turkey when a freight train plunged off the

track Monday morning, June 30, tying up traffic between Childress and Plainview for several days. The engine, tender, a steel tank car loaded with water and 21 box cars, 17 of them loaded with wheat,

were involved in the wreck. The fireman and a brakeman were slightly hurt. More than 25,000 bushels of wheat were spilled among the wreckage. Photos by Johnson Studio, Turkey

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Boatman and son Dorval Boatman and family, of California came Monday for a visit with D. C. Duck and family. The senior Mrs. Boatman is Mr. Duck's sister.

FAMILY KILLED IN CAR WRECK FORMERLY LIVED AT QUITAQUE

R. L. Strickel, 50, of Port Neches, and his wife 47, were instantly killed, and their son Tobbie, 15, was injured fatally, in an automobile accident Saturday night 30 miles west of Amarillo on Highway 66. Patsy Strickel, 17, a daughter, also was in the car, but was not injured seriously. The son died three hours after the accident in an Amarillo hospital.

The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Strickel and their son are being taken to Port Neches for services and burial will be at Beaumont.

M. G. Wallace of Fort Worth, a brother-in-law, said that a car was parked on the highway and that Mr. Strickel's car started around it but met a wheat truck, the driver of which turned off the highway in an effort to avoid the accident. The highway was wet from a shower shortly before and the Strickel car skidded into the side of the truck, Wallace said.

The Strickel family are former residents of Quitaque, having lived here about 15 years ago.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. Mattie McCracken honored her son Boone with a birthday dinner Sunday. Enjoying the bountiful spread with the honoree and his family were Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Richmond and son, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McCracken and son and Joe Edd Helms.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

The Girl Scouts met Saturday at 4:15 at the Baptist church to start on a hike. When we arrived at Bradleys creek we made a map of the trail, played games, sang songs and planned for a parents picnic supper to be held sometime this month.

We had refreshments of lemonade. The Scouts will meet again next Saturday at 4:15 in front of the

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know that, and it was her bait they took while John watched her pull them in, so we're told.

Mrs. J. H. Simmons returned home last Friday from an extended visit in Bakersfield and Los Angeles, California. She spent the past two weeks with her son and family in Borger before returning to Quitaque.

Mrs. Elizabeth Burton, Mrs. U. C. Purcell, Virgil Purcell and family of Plainview, Doyle Wayne and J. C. Purcell visited in Matador Fri-

day with Cecil Purcell who was in the hospital there for treatment of pneumonia. Cecil is back home again and doing very well.

A wheat truck was overturned on the highway west of town, near the roadside park, last Thursday evening about 7:30 o'clock. No one was injured, it was reported. The accident was caused by a blowout, it was stated, and the driver and a small boy were only occupants of the truck. Repairs were made at Silverton.

Men's Sentinel Wrist Watches

7.95

- Water Kegs, 10-gal. ----- 5.50
- Pyrex Percolators ----- 2.95
- Shot Gun Shells, .410 - .12 - .16 & .20 ga.
- Thermos jugs, 1 gal. --- 3.98, 4.95 & 5.35
- Thermos jugs, 2 gal. ----- 7.95
- Large All-metal Waste Baskets --- 1.45
- Bread Boxes—match waste baskets 1.20
- Brass rub boards ----- 1.25
- Muffin Tins (holds 8 muffins) ----- 35c
- 1—Remington single shot .22 Rifle 13.95
- 1—Winchester .22 repeating Rifle 29.50
- 1—Philco 5-ft Frozen Food Locker 239.50
- 1—12 inch oscillating Fan (with rubber blades) ----- 29.50
- Betty Crocker Irons—made by General Mills ----- 11.45

Turkey Hardware

July Clearance Sale

Friday · Saturday · Monday

There are yet plenty of hot summer days ahead to enjoy the summer merchandise listed below at a great reduction —

<p>Ladies Slips Crepes and Satins White and Tearose— Values 2.95 - 4.95 & 5.50 NOW 2.00 - 3.50 - 4.00</p>	<p>Ladies Gowns Printed crepe, solid color and Bemburg Sheer— Values 4.95 - 5.95 - 7.50 NOW 2.50 - 4.50 - 5.50</p>	<p>Ladies Panties Lace trimmed and brief style in white and tearose, Value 1.49 to 1.59 NOW 1.00 to 1.35</p>
<p>Girls Panties Brief style, elastic waist Sizes to 14 — 89c Value NOW 50c</p>	<p>Maternity Dresses Chambray and Bemburg Values 7.95 to 10.95 NOW 5.95 and 8.95</p>	<p>Half Slips Black taffeta, lace trimmed Value 3.95 NOW 3.00</p>
<p>All Hats Values 2.95 to 8.95 1/2 Price Good Styles 1.50 to 4.50</p>	<p>Ladies Purses Eyelet Embroidery, Plastics in white, red black— 1/4 Off</p>	<p>1-3-pc Slack Suit Strutters Cloth — 22.95 Value NOW 17.95</p>
<p>Bathing Suits Ladies and Girls Sizes Values 5.95 to 7.95 NOW 4.25 to 5.95</p>	<p>Cotton T-Shirts in White and Pastels with Prints — 1.95 Value NOW 1.50</p>	<p>Brassieres Black, white, tearose satin—also cotton—Value 1.95 to 2.25 NOW 1.35 to 1.75</p>
<p>Dresses Crepes, Bemburgs Values 8.95 to 24.95 NOW 5.95 to 16.95</p>	<p>Play Suits In solid and stripe cottons Values 6.95 to 14.95 NOW 4.95 to 10.95</p>	<p>Cotton Dresses in Seersuckers and Chambray 5.95 — 10.95 — 12.95 — 14.95 NOW 4.95 - 8.95 - 10.95 & 12.95</p>

SPECIAL Ladies Hose
45 gauge Nylons, light shades, 54 gauge 1.65 Value 1.95 Value
NOW
1.35 1.60

SPECIAL Ladies Panty
Sizes xx to xxx — Tricot Knit—Elastic Waist 1.49 Value
NOW
2 pair for 1.49

Friday · Saturday · Monday NORMA'S SHOP

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TURKEY

TOOTIN' OUR HORN ABOUT STANTON'S GROWING MASH

FOR FAST GROWING CHICKS AND QUICK, SURE PROFITS FEED THEM STANTON'S

Making their way by the way they're made

- Stanton's All Mash Chick Starter 100-lb Sack ----- **\$4.85**
- Stanton's Big S 18% Egg Mash 100-lb Sack ----- **\$4.35**
- Stanton's 17% Growing Mash 100-lb Sack ----- **\$4.85**
- Stanton's 32% Egg Mash Concentrate 100-lb Sack **5.40**

CERTIFIED AND HIGH TESTED SEED COME TO SEE US.

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TURKEY, TEX.

Did you know that traffic accidents cause more deaths than any disease, flood or fire? And -- did you know that only eight cents of every tax dollar allocated for public protection are expended for safety in traffic control? According to a survey conducted by the Texas Safety Association, 49c of the tax dollar is spent for health programs' 24c for fire protection and prevention; and 19c for crime detection. The estimated traffic accident toll for this year is 3,000 dead and 100,000 injured. It seems that

Texas pennies are not making dollars and sense!

The Methodist Youth Fellowship has already gotten into action in its social service committee. Some of the young folks went Tuesday with Rev. Trostle to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stidham where Binnie Lloyd has been confined with tonsillitis. They carried some flowers and a card of sympathy and wishes for a quick recovery. They also visited Grandpa Paine who is quite ill.