



On The BEAM

By J. W. King, Sr.

What effect irrigation will have in the future on the economy of Lorraine and Mitchell County will be determined to a large degree by the experimental wells that have been used this year. All of the wells in this community got into use a little late last spring but some very good cotton was raised on farms where irrigation was practiced. Just what the yield per acre will be cannot be determined accurately until all the cotton is gathered.

The greatest impact of irrigation on the future economy of this section will come in the form of beef and dairying in our opinion rather than cotton. We believe it will be more profitable to irrigate for hay and grazing than for cotton. A test of irrigated pastures at Texas Tech recently completed gave a money value of beef grazed on an irrigated plot at \$208 per acre. We do not believe cotton can produce that much money value.

At any rate irrigation is in the test period here with several wells already in use and others drilling or in the planning stage. If the water holds out, we predict a bright future for this area.

Class of 1941 To Hold Reunion At Lions Bldg. Thanksgiving

The first reunion of members of the graduating class of Lorraine High School in 1941 is being planned for Thanksgiving evening when members and their families will meet at the Lions Club building at 6 o'clock for supper.

HOSTS CLUB

Mrs. T. J. Riden entertained at the regular meeting of the Wednesday 42 Club. Four tables of 42 were played. New Pal names were drawn.

Refreshments were served to two guests, Mrs. Charlie Land and Mrs. Ray Preston, and members Mrs. T. F. Finley, W. I. Barron, Alfred Richey, E. P. Kuck, W. F. James, Frank Johnson, Percy Board, K. L. Taylor, Clyde Smith, J. D. McDonald, Frank Stewart, Henry Riden and R. K. Thornhill.

Mrs. Tony Snyder is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Ross Dixon, who is a patient at Hendrick Hospital in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scown and their little friend Bettie of Denver City, and Mrs. Dollie Hendrix of Seminole visited Mrs. Tom Scown and Gus last week. On Sunday they enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner. Other guests Sunday were Mrs. Emily Bird and Mrs. Maggie McCoy. Pictures were made in the afternoon.

Mrs. R. W. Mackey of Santa Rita, New Mexico, and Mrs. Hall DeGarmo of El Paso are here visiting their mother, Mrs. J. F. Reeder, this week.

Mrs. J. C. Hall returned Sunday after spending last week in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Milsap, at Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Baumann spent the weekend in Ft. Worth with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Baumann and son Rickie.

Mrs. Ira Coffee and Mrs. Dutch Swafford of Grandfalls visited Mrs. Hubert Thomas Tuesday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Walker Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Esley Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Walker and children of Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Melton of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. David Faulkenberry and daughter Sue of Colorado City visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hays, Sunday.

B. O. Joyce had major surgery at Hendrick Hospital in Abilene Friday. His son, B. O. Joyce, Jr., of Dallas, and daughter, Miss Hilma Joyce of El Paso, have been with him this week.

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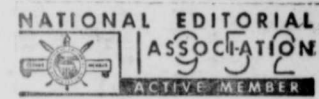


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Honored At Pink And Blue Party

Mrs. Gertrude Peterson, Mrs. Arthur Yarbrough and Mrs. A. L. Thompson were hosts at a pink and blue party honoring Mrs. Douglas Collier Saturday afternoon at the Peterson home.

Games were directed by Mrs. Yarbrough. The colors, yellow and orchid were carried out in refreshments or orange punch and yellow cake squares iced with orchid frosting.

RETURNS FROM PACIFIC

U. S. Pacific Fleet (Delayed) (FIFTH)—Returned to the United States aboard the attack carrier USS Princeton last week was James W. Roberts, radio-man seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Roberts of Lorraine, and husband of Mrs. Dorothy Roberts of Olney.

The Princeton had 8 months of combat duty in Korea and its planes participated in some of the most spectacular air raids of the Korean conflict.

They blew up the important Sino Dam close by the Manchurian border, were the first to attack through the heavy flak at Pongyong, at Wosan, and at vital power plants just south of the Yalu River.

They gave close air support to UN troops at White Horse Mountain, Chorwon, and Sniper Ridge. The ship received high praise from Commander Naval Forces Far East.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Medical patients: H. L. Worlert, Bobby Price, W. A. Paul, Mrs. James Kelley, Lewis Claxton, J. T. Hock, Mrs. W. E. Barron, Mrs. Willie Pachro, Mrs. Jim Johnson, Mrs. Bob Looney, Dee Davis, Luida Cajanek, Doris Dee Blair, Ben Godina, Charles Kidd, Dee Witt Van Pelt, H. S. Caswell, Hampton Booser, Elbert Yoes, Truman Aquilar, Mrs. Virgil Ruth, Mrs. M. L. Bentz, Judy Iglehart, Kenneth Scown, Jolene Land, Mrs. J. M. Cheek, Mrs. Mattie Griffin, Jerry Kenmore, Mrs. O. P. Blair. Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Doggett, a son, Nov. 11.

Mrs. A. B. Hall was brought to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dottie Marshall, from Hendrick Hospital in Abilene Sunday, where she had been since falling and breaking her hip. Visiting this week are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hall of Cisco, and Mrs. Minnie Stephens of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Presley Powell of Colorado Springs, Colorado, came in Friday and are spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Linam, and his parents in Abilene.

Pfc. Talmadge Linam returned to Fort Bliss Saturday after a furlough here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Linam.

Mr. and Mrs. Edison Wilson and daughter Diana of Midland spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. H. B. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sawyer and son of Abilene spent Sunday night and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. White.

Mrs. W. M. Mahoney returned home Monday after being in the Medical Arts Hospital in Big Spring since Friday, where she had medical treatment.

Mrs. Bruce Johnson and Mrs. John Horton were Sweetwater visitors Monday.

Mrs. Bill Turner of El Paso is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Henry Howell.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gunn Sunday were Chancel Gunn and daughter Kaynell of Anthony, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Al Bodine and Dana of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Gunn of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gunn of Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Miller and sons of San Angelo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson Sunday.

TB Seal Sale To Be Pushed Here

Seals for the Mitchell County TB Association have been mailed to prospective purchasers this week. The sale starts November 17 and continues through December 25.

To help promote the sale Mr. Vance Dickenson, Mayor of Lorraine, will speak over radio station KVMC Saturday at 2 P. M.

A Lorraine school program titled May in December, will be broadcast at 2 p. m. Saturday, December 13.

Other activities are also planned.

TO PREACH HERE SUNDAY

Rev. A. K. Roberts of Shallowater, Texas, will preach at the Baptist Church here next Sunday at both morning and evening services.

J. R. Bird of Houston spent Wednesday in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hugu Hallmark.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. West spent Sunday in Rotan visiting their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Duke.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cranfill and Mrs. Homer Wilson visited relatives in Midland Monday.

Irrigated Pastures Produce Beef

First year results on a five-year irrigated pasture experiment at Texas Tech give strong indications that a mixture of Bromegrass, Alfalfa, and Perennial Ryegrass stands head and shoulders above three other grass mixtures in beef production.

W. L. Stangel, dean of agriculture at Tech and director of the experiment, said the leading mixture produced 833 pounds of beef per acre in 171 days of grazing ending October 20.

Ten head of grade yearling steers were put on four test plots of irrigated mixed grasses April 30, 1951. The first plot had a planting mixture of three pounds Alfalfa to 20 pounds of Bromegrass; Plot 2, three pounds Alfalfa and 20 pounds of Perennial Ryegrass; Plot 3, three pounds Alfalfa, 10 pounds each of Bromegrass and Perennial Ryegrass; Plot 4, five pounds each of Bromegrass, Perennial Ryegrass, and Kentucky Fescue, and one-half pound Blue Panic.

Plot 1 produced 411 pounds of beef per acre; Plot 2, 461 pounds; Plot 3, 833 pounds; and Plot 4, 401 pounds. If the cattle had been marketed Oct. 21, Dean Stangel said they would have brought a minimum of \$25 per hundred pounds, which would have given each acre in Plot 1 a dollar-production of \$102.75; Plot 2, \$115.25; Plot 3, \$208.25; and Plot 4, \$100.25.

"The results obtained during the preceding five years and this year's clearly indicate that grazing of irrigated pastures in this area, where irrigation is available, definitely have a potential in a diversified farm program, which should be encouraged if the area continues to be agriculturally productive," Dean Stangel stated.

Dean Stangel explained that the only labor involved, over pasture establishment, was irrigation before the onset of grazing and between grazings.

"It must also be remembered," the dean said, "that all manual value of grazing crops was left on each plot, and the alfalfa, besides providing grazing, was fixing nitrogen in the soil. Therefore, it can be concluded that after five years of grazing, the plot of ground should be more fertile than it was before grazing began."

"Another attraction to irrigated pastures is the elimination of blowing and washing soil," he said.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richard Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Smith and family of Roscoe, Mrs. Claud Woods and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Doyle and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Hudgins and daughters.

Lorraine-Hobbs Tie To End Season

The Lorraine Bulldogs closed the football season last Friday night with a tie game with the Hobbs Panthers. The score was 13 to 13 with the Bulldogs having a slight edge on first downs and penetrations.

During the season the Bulldogs won four conference games lost three, and tied one which was a great improvement over the last several seasons.

No scoring was done in the first half but both teams made one each in the third and fourth periods; both failed on the extra point try on the first but made it on the second. Roy Johnson made the first Lorraine touchdown on a 20 yard sprint and Doyce Nix went over on a quarterback sneak from the one foot line for the second after Roy Johnson had carried the ball to that spot on a long run of some 40 or 50 yards.

First downs were 9 to 8 in favor of Lorraine. Lorraine attempted 13 passes, completed 5, and had 3 intercepted; Hobbs tried 10, completed 4, and had 1 intercepted. Lorraine punted 4 times and Hobbs 7.

Coach Yoes will start practice for the basketball season almost immediately and expects to have a fairly good team.

At the half time Friday night Miss Barbara Homsley was crowned Sweetheart of the football team and Miss Joyce Coffey Sweetheart of the band in an elaborate ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Green left Sunday for Corpus Christi to visit this week with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Combs were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Thomas in Sweetwater Saturday evening.

Chester Anderson of Westbrook was supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Moody Richardson Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Pylant of Midland spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Blair.

Mrs. W. H. Nix and Doyce visited Mr. and Mrs. Truman Nix in Andrews over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Horton and Margaret were in Abilene Saturday visiting Betty Horton and Barbara Pierce who were among the 19 nurses at Hendrick Hospital who were stricken with a virus which caused them to be hospitalized.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Collier of Andrews spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Collier, and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Martin at Looney.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Crosley of Lubbock were guests of her mother, Mrs. D. E. Crouch, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd Compton of El Paso and Jean Compton of Corpus Christi came in Sunday and are here this week with their father, Mahlon Compton, who had major surgery at Hendrick Hospital in Abilene on Tuesday.

J. W. Richburg and J. C. Richburg and Dayne and Rebecca visited in the Homer Richburg home at Inadale Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Yarbrough and children and Mrs. Burl Brock and Shirley of Andrews and Mrs. A. L. Thompson and daughter Patricia of Odessa spent from Thursday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Collier and Mrs. Gertrude Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jean visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nunn, in Midland Saturday.

Mike Dorn, Joe Merritt, and Tommy Hammond received their attendance certificate of the 4-H Feeder short course that these boys recently attended at Texas Tech. These boys worked on sheep, beef cattle, swine and dairy cattle at the short course.

Father of Mrs. West Dies In Arizona

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. West returned Wednesday from Wilcox, Arizona, where they had attended the funeral of her father, S. R. Stephenson, 73.

Mr. Stephenson, who lived in Lorraine several years ago, died of a heart attack November 5. His death occurred as he was enroute to his home from Cochise, Arizona, where he had visited a daughter and family. His car was found overturned and it was first thought he was killed in the accident but doctors pronounced his death due to a heart attack. Mrs. Stephenson passed away three years ago.

The Wests returned by way of Fort Davis and visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Jarratt.

HOSTS CLUB MEETING

Mrs. Garland Cary was host at an all day meeting of the Bauman Home Demonstration Club Tuesday, when they met to make woven baskets of reed.

At noon an Italian luncheon was served. Guests were Mrs. Emmabeth Towery, Virgil Lankford, Willie Taylor, M. C. Bynum, S. A. Adams and Harold Hallmark. Members present were Mrs. Lester Webb, Price Hall, Ed Small, Wilmon Tarrt, Cullen Payne, B. B. Lee, R. D. White, and Judy Tarrt and Janet Sue Hall.

The meeting was held in the spacious garage at the Cary home which was ideal for the occasion.

Sgt. Hamilton Calls Wife From Japan

Austin—It is an illogical fact that many people complain about the heat of Texas summers and yet sit indoors during the winter months in a temperature about as high as that about which they complained in the summer season, is the view of Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"If the average person would realize the definite hazard in developing and maintaining an indoor temperature about 70 degrees, or at most 72 degrees, when the outside thermometer registers around freezing," he said, "there would be fewer colds, less bronchial conditions, and less pneumonia that there are today."

"Fresh air is one of the body's basic needs and no amount of luxury or artificial pleasure can be substituted for it. It may be a comfortable feeling to be warm, especially with the consciousness of the tough weather outdoors, but it is quite another matter to achieve this comfort at the probable cost of health."

"Winners in the Temperate Zone are sufficiently trying up on the human system with their sudden and sharp temperature changes, without adding to the burden by making a hothouse of one's home. Of course, colds and other respiratory affections can be acquired in many different ways, but one of the easiest methods of becoming victims of such hazards is the overheated house."

"To become overheated and perspire, though the latter condition may not be perceived, and in this softened state to brave the cold winter blasts, is to take a thoroughly unwarranted chance with health."

"The wise householder therefore will check up on his artificial heat problem. He will resolve to keep his thermometer within safe limits."

Mr. and Mrs. Gray Taylor of Rails spent Saturday night with his mother, Mrs. A. C. Taylor, and brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Rankin visited relatives in Big Spring and Forsan Sunday.

Miss Edith Wilkerson returned home Sunday after being at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Ross Dixon, who had major surgery at Hendrick Hospital in Abilene last Wednesday.

Mrs. N. J. Briens left Friday for Weatherford for a month's visit with her daughter and family.

C. L. Gunn and daughter of Anthony, Kansas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gunn, over the weekend.

Mrs. M. L. Rice of Sweetwater visited her sister, Mrs. E. P. Kuck, Sunday.

Mrs. Cora Hall spent the first of the week in Sweetwater with her sister, Mrs. Clifton Gage, and family.

A. G. Furlow, Jr. and Rae Furlow left Monday for Lubbock, where they have work.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Chrenette and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Woods visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Woods in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Long accompanied their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hodges of Roscoe, to Pecos Sunday, where they visited in the home of their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hamilton.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Combs over the weekend were his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Combs, of Grand Prairie.

News Wants Recipes and Pictures

For the past few weeks The News has been publishing an appeal to the women of this community for their favorite recipe and picture to be run as a feature to start in the near future.

We have received several pictures and recipes and have them on file for future use. But the response to the appeal has been disappointing. We would like to have quite a few as a backlog when we start the feature so it can be run each week without interruption when it does start.

May we ask you again for your picture and favorite recipe.

ENTERTAINS CLUB

Mrs. Frank Johnson entertained members of the Wednesday Afternoon 42 Club and 1950 Club with five tables of 42 and canasta Monday night and Mrs. Oscar Hackfeld demonstrated the Penny-Wise plastic products.

The party rooms were decorated with fall flowers and berries. A refreshment plate of dream bars and coffee was served.

Guests were Mrs. Percy Bond, J. D. McDonald, Wilmon Tarrt, Doris Martin, Gertrude Peterson, Alfred Richey, Elnora Baumann, Fay McCallum, John Johnson, Clyde Smith, Thomas Riden, T. F. Finley, E. P. Kuck, F. H. Baumann, Lily Bennett, K. L. Taylor, Oscar Hackfeld, and Misses Loneta and Revel Phillips.

E. D. Jackson attended the funeral of his cousin, Barney Henson, at Dublin Sunday afternoon. Mr. Henson was killed in a car wreck Friday.

Tom Finley spent Wednesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Adrian at Hale Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cain of Colorado City and Mr. and Mrs. Buln Claxton of Champion were guests of their mother, Mrs. Ed Claxton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Mathis and Gary visited his mother, Mrs. R. E. Mathis, at Snyder Sunday.

Mrs. Hugh Widmore returned to her home in Fort Stockton Saturday after spending last week with her sister, Mrs. Jim Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Walker and children of Odessa spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Walker, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hallmark.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Richardson visited in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Glass, at Pylon Sunday.

Those here visiting J. T. Hock in the Johnson Hospital Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hock and family of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Hock and children of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hagar of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Hart of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berg and daughter of Cisco, and J. T. Hock, Jr. of Midland.

Eldon Mearns, who recently returned from Germany and received his discharge from active duty in the Army, has gone back to work as bookkeeper for Humble Oil Company in Colorado City, a position he held when he was called into service.

Alton Robertson, who is working at Wolforth, spent the weekend with his family.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Nate Miller and family of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook and children of Garden City.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lankford spent the weekend in Ackerley visiting Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Lankford and little daughter Dolores.

Joe Lee of Midland spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lee. Other guests Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Geron and sons of Sweetwater.

PTA Meeting Held Last Thursday

The regular monthly meeting of the Parent Teachers Association was held Thursday afternoon, November 13, with Mrs. Vance Dickenson in charge of the program.

Paula Jean Coffee accompanied at the piano while the pupils of the first grade sang several Thanksgiving songs, and Mrs. Dickenson accompanied as the fourth grade sang.

Mrs. Wilmon Tarrt talked on the subject Faith in Our Schools after which the President Mrs. Garland Cary, had charge of the business meeting.

Mrs. Harold Hallmark read the Objects of the PTA. Minutes were read and approved and the treasurer reported receipts from the Halloween carnival was \$157.34.

The sixth grade and sophomore class received books for having most representatives present.

Cotton Report

The Producers Gin Co. reported Wednesday morning that 442 bales of cotton had been ginned thus far this season.

Mrs. Louise Knight visited her mother, Mrs. R. C. Norris, Sunday who is a patient in the Hendrick Hospital, Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Yates, the former Naomi McCollum, and two daughters Ann and Linda, have recently moved from Gifu, Japan to Tokyo, where their husband and father M/Sgt. Wallace K. Yates is stationed.

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LUNCHROOM MENUS

Monday, Nov. 24, barbecue sandwiches, fried potatoes, carrot sticks, apple cake, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 25, Navy beans cooked with salt pork, buttered spinach, slice tomatoes, onions, pickles, cornbread, butter, "jello with fruit, milk."

Wednesday, Nov. 26, turkey and dressing, gravy, green beans cranberry sauce, celery sticks, hot rolls, butter, honey, milk.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Cornutt of Albuquerque, N. M., visited over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Cornutt.

Mrs. Mattie Griffin, who has visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. Lula Watson in Fort Worth, for several months, was brought to the Johnson Hospital here Saturday for treatment.

Fifteen Years Ago

In Lorraine

(Taken from files of the Mitchell County News of Nov. 26, 1937)

Rev. Hamilton Wright, pastor of the local Methodist Church the past two years, was sent to Baird when the Northwest Texas Conference met last week.

The Roscoe Plowboys defeated the Lorraine Bulldogs 27-0 in their game Friday afternoon.

Rev. Godfrey of Clint, Texas, was called to the pastorate of the Lorraine Baptist Church.

Lewis (Bo) Briens and Nina Pearl Brown were introduced in the senior news.

The senior class was making plans for Homecoming and announced the following taking part on the program on that day: Earlene Brown to give the welcome; response, B. L. Templeton; readings by Richard Looby and Ruth Anne Hall; a talk by Bill Martin; song by Josephine Palmer. Classes of 1910, 1920 and 1930 were honored.



Wendell Faulkner, business man and civic leader of Pecos, Texas, has been selected to serve as Finance Campaign Chairman for the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America in its annual funds campaign in February. The campaign will cover all seventeen counties of the Council area excepting communities with Community Chests. Mr. Faulkner was named as chairman at a recent meeting of the Council's Finance Committee held in Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Varnell Templeton hosted a barbecue supper Sunday night which was served from tables in the back yard.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Templeton and Kay and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pendegress of Sweetwater, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Templeton and daughters.

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In Advance

W. S. C. S. MEETING

The regular study of the W. S. C. S. was held at the church Monday afternoon when the last two chapters of the book, These Rights We Hold, were discussed. Mrs. J. D. McDonald gave the eighth chapter and Mrs. T. C. Wilson the last chapter and a summary of the book. Miss Annie Jarratt brought the devotional on the subject, Looking at Yourself.

Those present were Meses. Percy Bond, Harold Martin, J.

D. McDonald, Rufus Kitchens, J. M. Bruce, Frank Crowover, Lily Bennett, S. E. Meadows, T. C. Wilson, Jim Johnson, D. E. Crouch, Tom Bennett and Miss Annie Jarratt.

BAPTIST W. M. U.

The W. M. U. met at the church Monday afternoon with the Lottie Moon Circle in charge of the program on "Awakened Nigeria Learns of Love."

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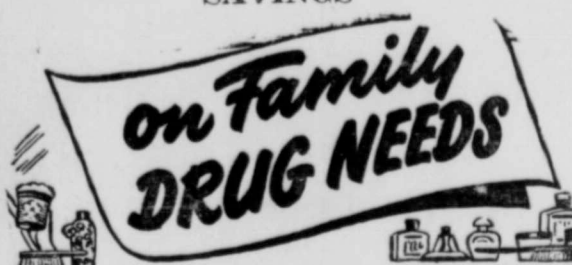
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Sunday School 10 a. m.
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Evening Service 7 p. m.
Midweek Service 7 p. m.

Bethel Baptist Church

Rev. G. A. McGee of Abilene recently accepted the pastorate of our church and will be here each Sunday to preach at both morning and evening services. Prayer meeting each Wednesday night at 7:30. We welcome you.

Baptist Church Notes

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Sunday Night Service 8:30 p. m.

W. M. U. 3 p. m.
R. A's. and G. A's. 4 p. m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 8:00 p. m.

Gospel Mission

Regular services will be held at the Lorraine Gospel Mission on Saturday night and Sunday night at 7 o'clock. Bible School will be at 10:30 Sunday morning. Rev. O. J. Wood, pastor, will preach at both services and teach the Bible class. Everyone is given an invitation to come and worship with us.

Tell to the Nation, opened the program, followed by prayer by Mrs. Edwin Hallmark. Speakers on the program were Meses. Roy Little, Dan Butler, Harold Hallmark, M. C. Bynum and Bob Horton.

In the business meeting, Mrs. Tony Snyder resigned as President and Mrs. W. D. Green was elected to take her place. Punch and cookies were served to 16 ladies.

HOSTS BUILDERS CLASS

Mrs. J. M. Templeton was host at the regular meeting of the Builders Sunday School class Thursday night.

Mrs. J. C. Richburg brought the devotional and Mrs. Ernest Hall read a group of poems. Martin Dobbs closed the devotional period with prayer.

During the social hour, two tables of 42 were played and refreshments served to Meses. Ernest Hall, Lannie and Kim, Herbert Mearse, Martin Dobbs, J. M. Templeton, Mrs. Nola Forsythe and Kitty, and Mrs. J. C. Richburg.

R. A. MEETING

The Royal Ambassadors met Sunday night after church for their regular business meeting. Roy Little, Jr. was elected Ambassador in Chief; Gary Parnell, recorder. Other officers will be elected at a later meeting.

Those present were Gary Parnell, Roy Little, Jr., Elmer Miles, Dayne Richburg, David Little and the counselor, Mrs. D. W. Haralson.



Questions and Answers
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Mitchell County News

Notes From The County Agent

By Joe W. Cowan
County Agricultural Agent
Mr. Bob Thurman, State Irrigation Specialist, was in Mitchell County November 5 to study sand formations and other things relative to irrigation.

Joe W. Cowan, County Agent, accompanied Mr. Thurman on this tour.

Mr. O. W. Watlington of the Buford community discussed the possibilities of an irrigation well on the Buford farm that he is operating in that community. A well is anticipated on this farm shortly.

Also Bob Horton of Lorraine is planning on a well.

Mr. Thurman visited the John Mahon irrigated farm north of Lorraine. Royce Mahon was watering an excellent stand of alfalfa.

The C. C. Thompson well south of Lorraine was visited and Mr. Thurman received a sample of the water sands which he was going to have the geological laboratory of Texas Tech make an analysis on such. To date, the county agent has not received such a report.

An irrigation clinic in planned for the future. All interested people on irrigation are urged to be present. Mr. Bob Thurman will be the speaker.

Mrs. Miel Cheek of Midland was brought to the Johnson Hospital Friday night for treatment. Mr. Cheek and Geraldine are here with her and the Cheek son, Sgt. Miel Cheek and wife of Pasorobles, California, arrived Wednesday to be with her.

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Miss Wilkerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bee Wilkerson, was

born in Cisco, and moved with her parents to Lorraine when she was very young. With the exception of three years when the family moved back to Cisco, she has lived here.

She is a graduate of Lorraine High School and received her BA degree from the University of Texas and her Masters degree from Hardin-Simmons University. She taught in the Bauman school for seven years and one year at Valley View before coming to Lorraine where she taught the fifth grade a year and a half. Since then she has taught the eighth grade and held the position as Grade School Principal.

Miss Wilkerson is a member of Delta Kappa Gamma and is Vice President of Beta Epsilon Chapter of Mitchell and Seary Counties. She is a member of the Lorraine Baptist Church.

Miss Wilkerson lives with her parents in Lorraine.

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A. Yes. The fact that your disability is no longer compensable does not require the discontinuance of your Public Law 16 training until you have reached your training objective.

Q. I am in training in college under the World War 2 GI Bill. My entitlement will run out this semester. Is there any way it can be extended so that I can complete the semester?

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Pink Bollworm Progress Report
Mention the insect "Pink Bollworm" to farmers in central and northern portions of Texas and you'll get reactions varying from mild alarm to complete disinterest.

But mention it in South Texas! The effect is immediate and explosive.

Some farmers fully realize the dangerousness of the situation and its potential threat to the entire cotton industry. Others concede the seriousness of the

insect but are violently opposed to some control measures necessary to fight it.

Yet all agree on one point. The Pink Bollworm has hit them hard in the pocketbook.

This year the insect took about one out of every four bales of Rio Grande Valley cotton and destroyed upwards of 40 million dollars worth throughout the infested cotton areas. Left unchecked it could spread throughout the entire state and ruin our cotton production.



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November 17 To December 25 Designated Christmas Seal Month By Gov. Shivers



Governor Allan Shivers signs the official memorandum designating the period from November 17 to December 25 as Christmas Seal Month in Texas. Mrs. Frances Rains, Seal Sale Director for the Texas Tuberculosis

Association, looks on. Inset is Dr. Z. T. Scott, retired Austin physician, who instigated the first Christmas Seal Sale in Texas in 1909 and now serves as treasurer for the statewide organization.

This past season was "Get Tough With Pink Bollworm Year." And it was time we did. There are 228 Texas counties now infested. Forty-five of these are "heavily infested" and 183 lightly infested. Sixty-one counties are under planting and plow-up regulations which are enforced by law.

No extensions were granted in areas where stalk destruction deadlines were set. Since we have no poisons which are effective against Pink Bollworm, then our best method of control is to set planting and plow-up deadlines and stick to them unless weather conditions prevent it. These deadlines cut down breeding and build-up periods and help assure few insect carry-overs through the winter.

Cooperation by farmers in the program was excellent. Only about 100 of them in the entire 61-county area affected failed to clean their fields on time. As a result, if we have a cold and comparatively damp winter, we can expect only a minimum infestation next season.

To give you an idea how the insect can spread, Pink Boll-

worms were found in 39 new counties this year where it had never been seen before. To combat further spread, we will set up about 300 new seed sterilization points in East and North Texas next year to establish a "front" beyond which few "pinkies" can pass.

Continued cooperation and vigilance on the part of cotton farmers will be required to minimize the threat. Seed from infested areas should always be sterilized before planting or storing. Fields should be cleaned of stalks soon after harvest. And a constant watch should be kept for the insects appearance in new areas.

Perhaps a new systemic poison will be developed which will affect the pest. But until that time, we must rely on present controls and the willingness of the farmers to protect Texas' largest industry—cotton.

These from here attending the funeral of Hubert Drake at Midland Monday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. R. L. May and Joan and Buck May, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Clardy. Mr. Drake died of a heart attack Saturday. Services were held in the Church of Christ in Midland.

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Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers were Rev. and Mrs. Kelley of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Thornhill and Mrs. W. D. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Burr Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Spikes and Mrs. Russell Shannon of Big Spring were guests of Mrs. J. E. Spikes Sunday.

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CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all friends and relatives for their untiring attention, acts of kindness, encouraging words, and prayers during my illness.

Mrs. Jim Johnson

Dr. and Mrs. Joe Terry of Lamesa visited in the Gene Baird home and with other friends in Loraine Wednesday.

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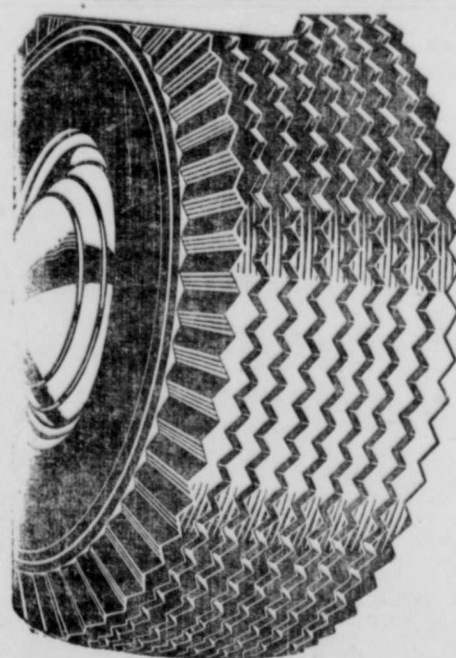
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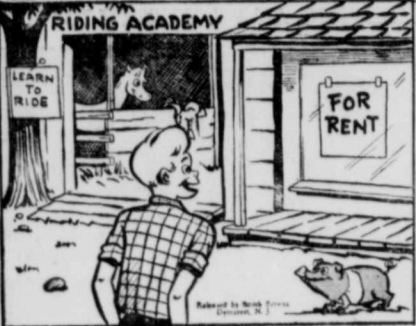
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Mr. and Mrs. Clay Graham and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Howland and Billie visited in Abilene Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Green attended the Mitchell - Scurry Workers Conference held at the Silver Baptist Church Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hart and Mrs. R. D. Lefevre spent the weekend at Idalou visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Rogers.

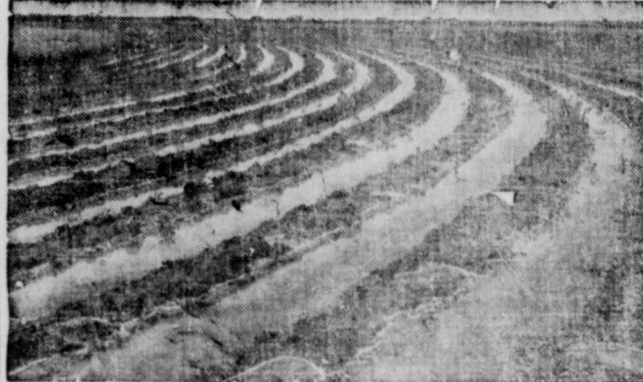
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Check Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scrivner and son and Mrs. Judson Scrivner of Rankin.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Drake of Fabens are here visiting her mother, Mrs. S. H. Hart this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ray of Midland spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ray and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lefevre.

L. W. Rhodes is in the Veterans Hospital in Big Spring this week for treatment.

Mitchell County Soil Conservation News



Forest Meadows, cooperative with the district in the West Lorraine area on the George Mauch farm, has planted about 15 acres of alfalfa. This was sown with the district owned grass seed drill at the rate of 20 lbs. of seed per acre. This alfalfa planting will have supplemental irrigation when needed from a nearby irrigation well in order to secure the greatest production possible. Alfalfa has been grown successfully on this farm under dry land conditions in previous years in a small bottomland field. They have reported highly favorable results both from the hay and grazing standpoint. They have about 15 or 20 acres of nearly level bottomland soil which they plan to level with a land plane within the near future. They will use a level border irrigation system on this portion of the field from flood waters in a nearby creek. They also have about 40 acres of wheat which is making good ground cover and will be of help in controlling blowing this winter and spring.

L. S. Girvin in the Payne Church area, has been making good headway toward a hay crop for next season since drilling his irrigation well in September. He first sowed about 40 acres next to the well in oats as a nurse crop. Later he oversowed the oats with alfalfa at the rate of 20 pounds of seed per acre. He has been irrigating this 40 acre planting with his new sprinkler system and it appears that every seed has germinated. He now has a good ground cover of both oats and alfalfa and should have an excellent winter and spring pasture. He plans to utilize this conservation crop for soil improvement, hay and grazing. He is very proud of his irrigation well and the headway he has made to date. He plans to make the fullest use of this well through alfalfa and irrigated pasture.

J. L. Johnson in the Valley View area, has sown 3 acres to common alfalfa. This was sown broadcast with the district owned grass seed drill at the rate of 20 pounds of seed per acre. This crop will be utilized for hay and grazing. Mr. Johnson is interested in tame pastures and plans to seed some introduced grasses next spring on some of his present cropland for tame pastures. He has observed blue panic, buffel, and sand lovegrass growing in the district this year and reports being well impressed with all three.

Felix Martin on the C. L. Root farm, has planted 12 acres of alfalfa. This was sown broadcast at the rate of 30 pounds of seed per acre. This planting will have the benefit of supplemental irrigation from their irrigation well. Mr. Martin planted this a little thicker than common so as to reduce size of stems and try to make a little higher quality hay. This conservation crop will be used for hay and grazing.

Bettie Horton of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Horton, Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Evert Henderson and N. L. Henderson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Chalker of Colorado City, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Moore and family at Andrews.

Wilmon Tartt, Wiley Walker, John Jones, Pete Warren, Claude Spikes and Mr. Mannering, accompanied by Charles Spikes of Grandfalls and a group from Colorado City, left Monday on a hunting trip to the Davis Mountains.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boone last week were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wyatt of Cleburne. Mrs. Boone returned home with them Monday for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Muns visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rickman in Colorado City Sunday afternoon. The Rickmans are announcing the birth of a son on November 6, whom they named John Mark.

Visiting Mrs. J. M. Cheek in the Johnson Hospital Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutledge and daughter Jackie and J. P. Ferguson of Midland.

Mrs. J. A. McGowan of Odessa spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Dee Van Pelt and family.

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