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Chevrolet isplay Here y-Saturday

ed to include a third ars, and boasting more t advances than ever ted in a model in the field, the widely dis- w Chevrolets make the- ublic appearance at owrooms Friday of this

1953 market bodies n completely re-desig- cars have increased th special emphasis on wer train that includes ngine and improved transmission. In per- in economy, in driving g qualities, exterior ior appointments, the hevrolet models con- portantly to automot- ess.

s of the new cars ran- ghout the bodies and f major interest:

entirely new series, to n as the Bel Air and with being the most models in Chevrolet o be produced as two- door sedans, a conver- sport coupe, the Bel included in the choice sher Body types. Other car series are desig- the "Two-Ten" and y."

w 115-horsepower "Blue ngine and a refined le automatic transmis- ngineered for greater economy and faster he so-called "standard" lso moves up to 108 er, a gain of 17.4 per 1952.

Chevrolet "firsts" in rice automotive brack- egistered in optional t available on all cars. eering, which reduces effort yet maintains l steering safety, mak- but. The second innova- he Autronic Eye, an mechanism that auto- lowers headlamp r passing.

mier and stronger bod- greatly expanded visi- ll have curved, one- ndshields from which r divider has been eli- Other body construct- hspots include front door hinges to provide ntrance; fold-away front ks in two-doors; and und rear windows.

ppearance the latest ts combine the smooth the streamline with n design. Over-all, the lower, but with an in- n headroom and leg- e top of the bodies has adened to provide ad- width while hood and nes are more pronounc- der shapes, both front make the cars appear lthough over-all they ally two inches shorter t year largely due to a ning of the bumper. The gth is a concession to ease with the more bumper design reducing verhang" from axles. se remains the same.

New Students l At Midterm

e number of new stud- e enrolled in the Lock- ols prior to the midterm. jority of the new stud- enrolled in grade school : Judy Mae Brown, own, Betty Sue Brown, Sue Brown, Larry Mc- el McCray, Steve Mc- Sarah Glover, Johnny Jane Adams, Junior nda Nell Pool, Paulette s, Marianne Reese, Bob- nlow, William Newkirk, Reese, Van Reese and Latin Americans. At chool Gayle Brown has ed from Floydada and ember of the Sophomore Evangeline Sanchez, a n, comes from Hondo,

of the first term stud- e moved away, Mr. Dod- rts, but it isn't eqpected schools will lose many.

LY SINGING TO BE T AIKEN THURSDAY

egular monthly singing held Thursday night at en Methodist Church at lock. Everyone is in-

nd Mrs. Leslie Cox and nd Miss Gail Chambers veral days last week Fort Worth, Dallas ck.

5 Lockney Boys In Induction Call

Five Lockney boys are among the 49 called from this area for induction into the armed forces the latter part of January. Local Board No. 45 covering the counties of Floyd, Hale, Swisher and Motley issued the calls for January 26, 27 and 28.

The following listed registrants have been ordered to report to the third floor, County Courthouse, Plainview, at 5:00 a. m. on the 26th day of January, 1953 for induction into the Armed Forces:

Willie J. Williamson, Plainview.
Luis Contrerasm, Edmonson.
Edgar J. Caston, Jr., Kress.
Juan de la C. Jasio, Hale Center.
Mariano B. Oballe, Petersburg.
Arthur C. McElroy, Plainview.
Gerald D. Jeffcoat, Plainview.
William S. Daniel, Lockney.
Melton R. White, Plainview.
James R. Block, Edmonson.
Sherwood Holley, Jr., Hale Center.
Morris G. Moreland, Petersburg.
James Theodora Barbian, Tulia.
Rex Darrell Rogers, Lockney.
Marvin E. Dean, Hale Center.
Horace B. Cargill, Hale Center.
Dallas O. Kinard, Floydada.
Rhonal M. Teaff, Lockney.
Donald M. Reecer, Lockney.
Norman D. Neighbors, Matador.

The following listed registrants have been ordered to report to the third floor, County Courthouse, Plainview, at 5:00 a. m. on the 27th day of January, 1953 for Induction Into the Armed Forces:

James L. Shannon, Flomot.
Gordon B. J. Timms, Plainview.
John W. Smith, Abernathy.
Bobby G. Horton, Tulia.
Robert M. Toler, Abernathy.
Bobby G. Odom, Happy.
Eurshel G. Hayes, Plainview.
Clois D. Vaughn, Kress.
Kenneth C. Cordell, Plainview.
Joe L. Spray, Matador.
James M. Williams, Plainview.
Horace D. Stewart, South Plains.
Lloyd D. Leach, Lockney.
John D. Jamison, Plainview.

The following listed registrants have been ordered to report to the third floor, County Courthouse, Plainview, at 5:00 a. m. on the 28th day of January, 1953, for induction into the armed forces:

Mack R. George, Tulia.
Odis T. Couch, Plainview.
Albert C. Babitzke, Plainview.
George D. Gross, Floydada.
Elven N. House, Tulia.
Monty E. Johnston, Kress.
Thomas E. T. Traylor, Kress.
Elmo R. Preston, Plainview.
George G. Smith, Plainview.
Omer R. Strain, Plainview.
Travis R. Crisp, Plainview.
Sherman M. Brashears, Jr., Plainview.
Donald K. Bass, Kress.
Jasper W. Townsend, Matador.
Alford D. Field, Hale Center.

Janie Ballard Now In Baylor Hospital

Janie Ballard, ten year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ballard, who was seriously burned Monday of last week was taken in the Carter ambulance last Saturday morning to Baylor Hospital at Dallas for treatment. She was accompanied by her mother and a nurse, Mrs. W. I. Hightower. Ben Wood drove the ambulance.

Mrs. Ballard called Wednesday morning and reported that Janie seems to be burned internally and has not rested at all since they left here Saturday. Her condition is still critical.

V. F. Lamberts Celebrate Their Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Lambert celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary with open house at their home Sunday, January 4th from two until five o'clock.

The serving table, covered with a lace cloth, was centered with a wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom and flanked with arrangements of gold and white chrysanthemums. Mrs. Rupert Swadley and Mrs. Dink Kimble, both of Vernon served.

Mrs. Loveta Wayne of Corpus Christi secured names for the register and Mrs. Sam Allen assisted her parents with receiving the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert were married in Oklahoma, then Indian territory, on January 10th, 1903. She was the former Dovie Gordon. The couple moved to Lockney twenty-six years ago and have made this their home since. Mrs. Lambert is 67 and he is 69 years of age.

All six of the Lambert children were present for the happy occasion as were the seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Children here were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allen, Merkel, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Swadley, Vernon; Mrs. Dink Kimble, Vernon; Mrs. La-Veta, Wayne, Corpus Christi, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lambert, Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lambert, Lockney.

Approximately seventy-five friends and relatives called.

Neff Given 10 Days In DWI Case

L. E. Neff was given 10 days in jail and fined $100 by a jury in 110th District Court at Floydada Tuesday on charge of second offense driving while intoxicated.

The defendant plead not guilty and the jury trial resulted.

A petit jury has been ordered to report to the court Monday of next week and a civil suit is expected to be tried, it was reported here.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Beacon Office.

Basketeers Win First District Games Tuesday

The Lockney High School basketball teams, both boys and girls won their first conference games Tuesday night when they played the Kress teams at Kress. It was the first game in District 3-A competition for the Lockney teams as well as Kress teams.

The Longhornettes, who had previously dropped a non-conference game to the Kress girls, won out in a rough contest that saw five girls leave the game via the foul route. The score was 34 to 29 and the Kress girls led up to the final few minutes of the game.

Nancy Holland was high point player for the local girls with 18 points and Elizabeth Handley had 11 points. Young was high for Kress with 13 points.

In the boys game the Longhorns came out with a 20 point margin defeating the Kangaroos 62 to 42. The locals were paced by Bill Sherman who sank 22 points. Jerry Irons made 9 points for the Longhorns and Carroll was high for Kress with 15 points.

No boys B game was played at Kress.

Defeat Floydada

The local teams gained some revenge over Floydada Monday night when they won two games out of three from the Floydada school teams.

The Longhornettes won easily over the Floydada girls, the final score being 48 to 19. Nancy Holland was again high in this game with 12 points and Audrine Rhine made 11 for the locals. Bints was high for the Floydada girls with 6 points.

The Longhorn "B" team went down to defeat before the Floydada "B" by a 44 to 17 score. Jimmy Williams made 8 points for the locals in this game.

The Longhorn "A" team defeated the Floydada Whirlwind "A" team 48 to 42. In a game played previously this season the locals dropped a game to the Whirlwinds by about the same margin.

Jerry Irons was the high point man for the Longhorns with 17 points and Teddy Carthel sank 13. For Floydada Stovall sank 23 points.

In other District 3-A games this week, the Abernathy Antelopes defeated Crosbyton Chiefs 57-27 and the Abernathy girls won from the Crosbyton girls 53-22.

New Deal boys defeated the Ralls Jackrabbits 48 to 42 and the New Deal girls won over the Ralls girls 50-27.

Hale Center Here Friday Night

On Friday night of this week the Hale Center Owls, B squad and girls team all come to Lockney for three games. This will be another conference game for both boys and girls.

Tonight (Thursday) the grade

(Continued on back page)

Supt. Irons Expected Home This Week End

Supt. W. C. Irons will come home Saturday or Sunday and will be back on the job at Lockney High School next week, if no further complications appear, it was reported Wednesday by "Whitey" Baccus, president of the Lockney school board.

Mr. Irons, who underwent a serious operation some time ago at Baylor Hospital in Dallas, was scheduled to come home last week but a fluid pocket prevented his coming. His condition is reported to be satisfactory now.

Deposits Set New Record Here

Deposits in the First National Bank here reached a new record high mark this week with total deposits on Wednesday standing at about $5,090,000.00, according to Edgar S. Branch, cashier.

The statement of condition issued at the close of business on December 31 and published in this issue of The Beacon showed deposits at $4,937,759.46 but deposits have been gaining each day since, Mr. Branch said. Bank officials expect that they will go some higher before starting to recede when farmers get into farming operations further.

All phases of the statement reflect prosperity. Cash on hand and due from banks at the close of business December 31 was $2,070,606.22 and undivided profits were $26,022.26.

Loans and discounts on the statement show to be $1,790,972.45 but a breakdown of this item shows that more than a million dollars of this amount is CCC cotton and grain loans and that actually the bank's loans and discounts are $755,463.35.

1953 Football Schedule Complete

The 1953 football schedule for the Lockney Longhorns is complete, Coach Curtis Kelley said this week. The Longhorns will be playing in Class AA and a new district the coming year. The District will be 2-AA and other teams in the district are Olton, Muleshoe, Littlefield and Tulia.

Following is the schedule with district games marked with an asterisk:

Sept. 12—Paducah at Paducah.
Sept. 18—Dimmitt at Dimmitt.
Sept. 25—Floydada at Lockney.
October 2—Ralls at Ralls.
October 9 — McLean at Lockney.
October 16 — Idalou at Lockney.
*October 23 — Muleshoe at Muleshoe.
*October 30—Olton at Olton.
November 6 — Open.
*November 13 — Littlefield at Lockney.
*November 20 — Tulia at Lockney.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

WATER DISTRICT ELECTION SET; PERMITS REQUIRED AFTER FEB. 1

An election set for next Tuesday, January 13, will elect three district directors for the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 and also three county committeemen in each county in the district.

There will be two polling places in Floyd county. Polling place No. 1 will be in the courthouse at Floydada and Polling place No. 2 will be in the Methodist Church basement at Lockney. Holding the local election will be L. M. Honea, judge, Mrs. Lula Woodburn and Mrs. Frank Jameson, clerks.

The district director for District No. 2 which comprises Floyd County is Jack Taylor. Mr. Taylos is a holdover on the board and does not come up for re-election at this time. George Broom of District No. 5 comprising Hockley, Lamb and Cochran Counties also is a holdover director and does not come up for re-election.

W. O. Fortenberry is the candidate for director in District No. 1, which contains all the territory in the district situated in Lubbock and Lynn counties.

Willis A. Hawkins is the candidate for director from District No. 3, which contains all the territory in the district situated in Bailey, Castro and Parmer counties.

Jim Line, G. A. Dietz and V. A. Dodson are the candidates from District 4 which contains all the territory in the District situated in Potter, Deaf Smith, Randall and Armstrong counties.

The district directors are elected by the people of the district which they are to represent, therefore Floyd County will not ballot on a district director in this election but will elect three county committeemen.

Candidates for county committeemen from Floyd County are Grady Walker, Ed Whitfill, Marvin Shurbet, Harmon Handley and Lee Tryce. Holdovers on the county committee are T. B. Mitchell and Sid Thomas. Election of three will make the five-man committee.

The county committee will play a very important part in establishing the regulations of the district and seeing that regulations are carried out.

Beginning February 1st a permit will be required to drill wells of sufficient size to be irrigation wells, according to Tom McFarland, manager of the High Plains Water Association. The permit will be required on agricultural, industrial or municipal wells. The permits will be issued free of charge and forms can be obtained from any county committeeman, well driller or county agent.

Well spacing will be practiced at the discretion of the county committee and efforts will be made to see that new wells are drilled in such a manner as will not "offset" or damage existing wells, Mr. McFarland said.

"However, there is no need for farmers to become alarmed regarding well spacing," McFarland said. "It is not the plan of the organization to hurt anyone. Spacing of wells should help every irrigation farmer, protect present wells and conserve underground water."

Another purpose of the application for permit to drill a well is to obtain information from the High Plains area regarding underground formations and well construction. This has been pointed out to the district as being very important information, not only to the people of the High Plains but to the U. S. Geological Survey and is information that should have been gathered many years ago, McFarland said.

All indications point to the prospect of a lot of State legislation confronting the District in the next few years and the Directors feel that it will take the full cooperation of all the committeemen as well as the farmers and business men of the High Plains to keep control of the ground water in the hands of local people.

3 Arrested In Theft Of Junk

Two local youths were arrested Saturday night and a third reported to officers at Floydada Monday morning, all being involved in the theft of junk from various farms in the area recently.

Sheriff Earl Cooper said that the boys had sold around $85 worth of junk to a Floydada junk dealer.

Two of the boys are juveniles and will appear before County Judge Frank L. Moore later this month. The third boy, 17 years of age, has been charged with theft and released on bond.

High School Entered

Thieves broke into the Floydada High school building Tuesday night of this week and stole around $60 in money. They entered the building through a back door and apparently had a key that let them into the school office, Mr. Cooper said. They also broke open a coin-operated dispenser in the building and made off with it.

Floyd Farm Bureau Officers To Meet

A meeting of the Board of Directors and County Committeemen of the Floyd County Farm Bureau will be held at the Farm Bureau office in Floydada Thursday night of this week starting at 7 o'clock, it was announced this week. Preparations and plans for the spring membership drive and a program of work for 1953 will be discussed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Colson spent last week end visiting relatives in Walters, Okla.

District Golden Gloves Tourney At Plainview

The District Golden Gloves tournament will be held at the Plainview City Auditorium January 19, 20, 21 and 22, it was announced this week. The affair is sponsored by the Plainview Kiwanis Club.

Three divisions are scheduled in the tournament. A novice class is for boys who have never fought or who have never won a fight in district competition. The high school class and open class are the other two divisions. Weight divisions will be as usual with a special flyweight division, 100 to 106 pounds and a special middleweight division, 148-155 pounds, in the high school division.

Awards will be made to winners and all expenses paid to the Amarillo regional meet the latter part of January.

Ronald and Donald Reecer, Tipp Jeffcoat and probably Gary Sandlin will enter the district meet at Plainview it was reported here this week. All four boys have fought previously in the Golden Gloves tournament.

Entries may be mailed to Tournament Director Dan MacNaughton, Box 588, Plainview, Texas. J. C. Oakley is the chief referee.

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CASH MARKETS

Poultry

Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. and over	18c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs.	14c
Cocks, pound	8c
Eggs, No. 1 dozen	50c
Geese, pound	12c
Ducks, pound	12c

Cream

Butterfat, No. 1, pound	65c

Hides

Hides, No. 1, pound	6c

Grain

Wheat, per bushel	$2.18
Milo, per cwt.	$2.55

Four-Door Sedan in New Chevrolet Bel Air Series



Pictured here is the Bel Air four-door sedan, Chevrolet's new 1953 model, which will be shown for the first time at the Lockney Auto Company here Friday and Saturday. Chevrolet is presenting an "entirely new" car, both in appearance and performance, and local people are given a special invitation to see the new car this week end.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thomas Jr., are proud parents of a baby girl, born Dec. 20 at McCarthy's Medical Center, Plainview. The young lady weighed 6 lbs., 4 oz. and has been named Brenda Jo. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Rogers and Mrs. W. L. Thomas, all of Lockney.

MOVE TO FRIONA

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Grubbs and their five daughters who have been living at Kress the past few years moved Tuesday of last week to a farm twelve miles southeast of Friona. The Grubbs family formerly lived at Lockney and Mrs. Grubbs is the daughter of Mrs. W. L. Thomas Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stapp and family spent the holidays in Breckenridge with Mrs. Stapp's sister, Mrs. Reed Gibbens and family. The family group was surprised by a visit from Jack Stanley Gibbens from Alaska who arrived on Christmas day.

Visitors in the E. C. Stapp home last weekend were Mrs. Geo. Golleher and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rogers and Jimmy, all of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Conde Davis left Tuesday for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Tony Lundgren of Amarillo who will undergo an operation Thursday.

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Providence News

By Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

(Delayed)

God Bless Thy year
Thy coming in, thy going out,
Thy rest, thy traveling about.
The rough, the smooth
The bright, the dear
God Bless thy year.

A Happy and blessed New Year to all our readers.

The people of Providence community are suffering from the epidemic of the flu. We wish for all a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann and family were Christmas guests at our church and among their many friends. We will always welcome them to our community.

Mr. R. G. Stoerner has been the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner for the past week and is still a guest in their home.

Mrs. R. G. Stoerner still remains as a patient in Lubbock hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. Lee Roy Brandes and daughter, Myra Joy were guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes. Rev. Brandes and family visited their many relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Klyce Ooley and family have been vacationing in California during the Christmas holidays.

The Calvin Palmer family shared Christmas celebration with exchange of gifts in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner, Mr. R. G. Stoerner were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Ross Jr. Tuesday. A pleasant time was had visiting television, exchanging gifts and delicious refreshments were served.

Christmas day dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Dietrich were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Word and family, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Brasher, Mr. Tom Word.

Dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scheele and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Faver and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes and Debra were Christmas day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morse Nance of East Mound community.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payne spent Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Payne of Byers, Texas.

Christmas supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes were Miss Clara Sammann, Mrs. Henry Sammann of Seguin, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes and Debra, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner, Rev. and Mrs. Lee Roy Brandes and Myra Joy of Wichita Falls. After supper Christmas gifts were exchanged.

Bargain Rates On Daily Papers Are Now Available

The Beacon is now authorized to accept subscriptions to a number of daily newspapers at the annual fall bargain rate.

The Fort Worth Star Telegram bargain rates just announced are $13.95 per year for the daily and Sunday or $12.60 per year daily only. This is a considerable saving from the regular rate of the Star Telegram which is $18.00 per year for daily and Sunday.

The rates on the Amarillo Daily News are $13.00 for the daily and Sunday and $10.00 per year for the daily only.

The Lubbock Morning Avalanche rates are $12.95 per year for daily and Sunday and the daily is $11.00 per year.

The Beacon can also accept subscriptions for the Abilene Reporter and the Wichita Falls Record News but we do not as yet have the bargain rates on these two papers.

You can always save money by renewing your daily at The Beacon office.

Soil Conservation News

Don Bennett is a believer in using cover crops in his crop rotation plan and is greatly increasing yields on his farm three miles southwest of Akin.

Mr. Bennett states that cotton yields on land that had been in alfalfa three years ago was ¾ bale per acre and yields on land that had not been in alfalfa was only ½ bale per acre. He believes the difference in yield would have been greater if we had not had an early frost last fall. Irrigation water was applied only once to the cotton on land that had been in alfalfa and the other cotton had one pre-irrigation and four irrigations during the growing season.

Mr. Bennett plans to plow out forty acres of old alfalfa and plant it to grain sorghums this year. He also plans to drill new alfalfa on land that has not been in alfalfa to increase crop yields.

Mr. Bennett, in cooperation with the Floyd County Soil Conservation District, has drilled thirty acres of vetch in cotton middles. The vetch was drilled in September, just before the last application of irrigation water. The vetch was seeded by means of a legum drill, furnished by the Floyd County Soil Conservation District, that is designed to operate in row-crop middles without damaging the crop. The vetch will increase the amount of organic matter in the soil, resulting in an increased rate of water intake.

Farm Income Drops During Past Year

Austin, — Texas farm cash income for the first 10 months of 1952 was 11 per cent below that of the same 1951 period, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

The drop amounted to $187,000,000.

In the year-to-year comparison, income from wool was down 42 per cent; sheep and lambs, 40 per cent; and calves, 36 per cent. However, flaxseed income gained 1,174 per cent; wheat 70 per cent; and rice, 41 per cent.

In actual dollars, the cotton income loss was heaviest — nearly $119,000,000. Cattle income was down $80,000,000. Wheat income was up nearly $100,000,000; cottonseed and rice, more than $20,000,000 each.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johns Cox and Wanda Sunday of last week were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Merrell, Mark Wade and Tena Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Pepper Martin and Bruce Wayne of Hart; Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Joe Ivy of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nichols of Cedar Hill visited in the evening.

Wanda Cox spent Wednesday night with the Pepper Martin family of Hart.

Mrs. E. O. Cates spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Johns Cox and Wanda.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Merrell, Mark Wade and Tena Kay were Mr. and Mrs. Pepper Martin, Bruce Wayne of Hart, Mrs. Johns Cox and

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MEDITATION

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURES

The New Testament is the sole rule of faith and practice. When Christ was transfigured before Peter, James and John we remember that Elias and Moses appeared and talked with Jesus. Peter said, "It is good for us to be here: and let us make three tabernacles: one for thee, and one for Moses, and one for Elias." Then the voice from heaven said, "This is my beloved Son: HEAR HIM."

The time had passed for a hearing of Moses and the prophets, other than as they testified of Christ, and for the examples that teach us lessons of how God dealt with his people in the past. They are not to be heard as far as doctrine of faith and practice under the Christian dispensation is concerned. Christ sets forth this fact more clearly in the 5th of Matthew. He says repeatedly, "Ye have heard how it was said of them of old times . . . but I say unto you." Yes, things are now different from what they were under the Mosaic dispensation. The New Testament fulfills and supercedes the Old Testament.

The Old Testament scriptures cannot be recognized as authortative today because the Old Covenant has been taken out of the way. Eph. 2:11-16 tells us the Law was destroyed that Gentile and Jew might be brought together in Christ. Col. 2:14-17 tells us that we are not to be condemned for not keeping the old law. It has been blotted out. Now let us read Rom. 7:1-6. "Know ye not, brethren, (for I speak to them that know the law,) how that the law hath dominion over a man as long as he liveth? For the woman which hath a husband is bound by the law to her husband so long as he liveth: but if the husband be dead, she is loosed from the law of her husband. So then if, while her husband liveth she be married to another man, she shall be called an adultress: but if her husband be dead, she is free from that law: so that she is no adultress, though she be married to another man. Wherefore, my brethren, ye also are become dead to the law by the body of Christ: that ye should be married to another, even to him who is raised from the dead, that we should bring forth fruit unto God." This reading is through the 4th verse. We see this verse teaches very clearly that if we be under the Law and under Christ that we are living in spiritual adultery. We have become dead to the law of Moses that we might become married to Christ by the LAW of Christ. We shall continue our study of Old Testament Scriptures next week, the Lord willing.

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Polio Aid For Texas Is Curbed

Austin. — Texas got a stern reminder of the financial pinch caused by its inprecedented polio outbreak when the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis scaled down emergency aid to state Chapters.

General Robert J. Smith, State Chairman for the 1953 March of Dimes, stated that the NFIP had to curb allotments because the record number of cases nationally has almost exhausted available funds.

He said the restriction in cash advances would prevail until the 1953 edition of the March of Dimes, which is exclusively the finances for the anti-polio activity.

"This does NOT mean that care will be curtailed for any patient needing help," said General Smith, who is president of the Pioneer Air Lines. "Pressing financial needs will be met, but hospitals will be requested to carry some polio care bills until money is available from the 1953 March of Dimes to be conducted January 2 thru the 31st."

The economy move, according to the General, was taken to insure all Chapters needing aid, a fair share of emergency funds until the end of the year.

Texas has been one of the main recipients of aid from the National Foundation, and this year has received more than one of every six dollars allocated by the NFIP for patient care.

"Under usual procedure," explained General Smith, "half of the March of Dimes funds are retained by chapters for local patient care, or, in emergencies, for supplementing national aid funds. The other half is remitted to the National Foundation for polio research, education, and the replenishment of chapter treasuries depleted by epidemics.

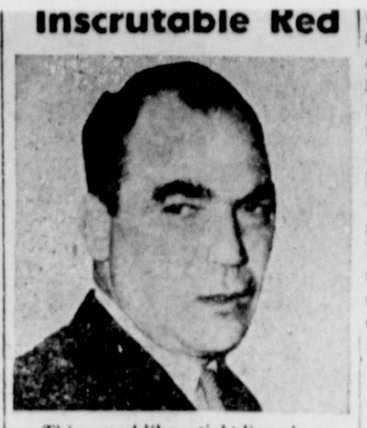
"Because of the increasingly heavy polio case load, Texas, for three years, has needed 100 per cent of the March of Dimes funds for patient care and thus has contributed nothing to research or education."

Mrs. Henry Sammann and Miss Clara Sammann left Sunday for their winter home at Seguin where Miss Clara is attending Texas Lutheran College. She is majoring in Education.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Huff on New Year's eve were Mr. and Mrs. Olin Huff, Patricia and Charlotte of Austin, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Degge and Olin Douglas of Lubbock.

Thomas Jefferson is said to have introduced the finger bowl in America.

Inscrutable Red



This masklike, tight-lipped, unsmiling face belongs to Georgi N. Zarubin, the new Soviet ambassador to Washington. Calling the Soviet diplomatic service "a frightened corps of puppet caricatures," an article in January's Cosmopolitan magazine says Zarubin and his colleagues have good reason to be robots. The former Soviet ambassadors to France, Germany, and Spain all have been executed; the Red envoy to Japan committed suicide; the first Soviet envoy to this country was imprisoned; and Ivan Maisky, former ambassador to Great Britain, was recently denounced in an ominous manner by Moscow. Zarubin himself received his diplomatic training with the former ministers to Lithuania, Finland, Norway, and Rumania—all of whom have been purged by the Communist government.

Soil Service Warns Of Erosion

Fort Worth. — The Soil Conservation Service reported today that the lands subject to blowing in western Texas and Oklahoma have entered the new wind erosion season in the most perilous condition since the end of the blow years of the 1930's.

Regional Director Louis P. Merrill of SCS disclosed that reports from area headquarters in the wind erosion sections of the two states show 6,279,500 acres are not sufficiently protected by growing plant cover or crop residues to prevent destructive blowing in strong winter and spring winds. This total is nearly 2,000,000 acres more than were in this category at this time during the last twelve years.

The dry weather following wheat plantings and the large acreages in cotton, failure of sorghum crops, and overuse of sorghum stubble and range lands, account for the big increase in unprotected acreages, Merrill explained.

Good growing weather to permit new wheat and other winter growing crops should reduce the unprotected acreage greatly, the regional SCS director said.

The Panhandle section of Texas was added to the trouble areas of the Southern High Plains of Texas as a threatened area, Merrill reported. Area Conservationist Myles A. Kelly at Perryton, reporting for the uppermost 10 counties of the Panhandle section, and George W. Taylor at Amarillo, whose area includes 11 counties, said in their reports that winter wheat seedings are in poor condition and offer little or no protection for the soil. Taylor said only 20 per cent of the wheat planted in his area has sprouted. Sorghum stubble in the Amarillo area at present is furnishing protection but much of it is being overgrazed, Taylor reported. Cotton lands in that area are in poor condition.

SCS Area Conservationist Homer A. Teaff at Lubbock reported 1,680,000 acres in his 12-county area without sufficient blow protection. Most of this is cotton land which was mechanically stripped and sorghum land on which the crop was cut for bundle feed.

In the 13-county area reported by Area Conservationist W. S. Goodlett of Big Spring 1,394,000 acres are unprotected and in condition to blow. Mechanically harvested cotton acreages, with large areas of bare cultivated and range lands, account mainly for the condition, Goodlett said.

In the northwest section of Oklahoma, A. T. Elder of Woodward said 500,000 acres of wheat lands, on which the new crop has made poor growth, are in condition to blow. Farmers using crop residue management practices, however, have adequate protection.

Merrill said that in the few dust and sand storms which already have occurred in the blow areas only 83[illegible] acres have suffered moderate to severe damage. Of this total, 29,500 acres are in the Big Spring area.

"Many farmers in the areas of Oklahoma and Texas threatened by wind erosion are awake to the danger and are doing their best to get ready," Merrill said.

"However, our goal in this fight against wind erosion is the kind of farming being done by soil conservation district cooperators R. J. Purtell of near Brownfield; Steve Brockman of Dimmitt; O. M. McGuity of near Spur, and J. J. Loftis of near Frederick, Okla. These men are keeping their land protected and making it more productive at the same time. There will be no blowing on their farms this season and on thousands of others whose owners are using soil conservation district methods."

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Pvt. Durwood Wylie, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wylie of Lockney, received his discharge from the Army at Camp Hood, Texas, on December 29. He arrived home this week. Durwood spent four years in the Army, 3½ years of that time in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Dunn and Freddie of Dumas spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cooper and Carol.

LEAVE FOR COAST

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitfill left this week for Rockport, Texas, where they will do some fishing. They plan to leave February 1 from New Orleans for a cruise by boat to Cuba.

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Shivers Sets MOD Campaign

Austin. — Governor Allan Shivers struck a sombre note in designating January 2 to 31 for the 1953 March of Dimes in Texas.

In the presence of General Robert J. Smith of Dallas, Chairman of the MOD in Texas, the Chief Executive signed an official memorandum urging all Texans to support "this worthy campaign."

He gave this reason:

"Texas leads the nation" is a familiar phrase to the ears of Texas but I am sorry to report a new first.

"Texas leads the nation in numbers of cases of poliomyelitis and in need for supplementary emergency aid from other states provided through the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

"For the fifth successive year, Texas cases have exceeded the epidemic rate of 20 cases per 100,000 population as set by the United States Department of Health.

"The record shows that by the end of September, 1952, polio incidence had exceeded by 30 per cent 1950's 2,778 cases, the worst epidemic year in Texas, and the second worst polio year in the nation's history.

"One seventh of the entire nation's emergency epidemic aid of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis in addition to the State's March of Dimes collection was expanded this past year for aid to Texas children and adults stricken with the dreaded virus.

"Costs surge upward for treatment of the increasing number of new victims and for the care of patients of previous year. Therefore I, as Governor of Texas, hereby designate the period January 2-31 for the 1953 March of Dimes in Texas and urge every citizen to contribute as he is able to the success of this worthy campaign."

HOME HINTS

Some gas ranges come equipped with a huge top burner. The Gas Appliance Manufacturers Association reports that when the cover is down, it serves as an extra working surface; when it's up, the griddle plate can be used to make as many as 16 hamburgers and pancakes at one time. During the canning season, the burner will take a huge kettle which is also good for making soups and stews that require simmering to bring out the flavor.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

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Guard Against Flu Dr. Cox Warns

Austin. — This is the season of the year when influenza or "flu" is most prevalent, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Colds, grippe, influenza, whatever we may call them, are believed to be spread from person to person through discharges from the nose and throat. To protect yourself and others from such disease, here are some things to be recommended.

Influenza is highly infectious. Practically everybody is susceptible to it. No matter how many times you have had the disease you may contact it again. Therefore, keep away from people who are sneezing, coughing, or sniffling or who are actively ill with colds, influenza, or pneumonia. Keep away from crowded places. Have your own towel and always wash your hands before eating, and sneeze or cough into your handkerchief.

Keep fit by drinking plenty of water, by eating simple nourishing food, by some exercise out of doors every day, by dressing according to the weather, by having plenty of sleep in a well ventilated room, and by keeping the bowels regulated.

Don't neglect your "cold." If you have the slightest suspicion of fever go home, go to bed immediately and call your physician. Stay in bed until he tells you that you can get up, and follow his advice explicitly.

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Providence News

By Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

A man is as big as the things that annoy him.

Many of the residents in the community are still nursing flu. We wish for them all God's blessings for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Helmuth Quebe, and Mrs. Robert Payne attended the Tennessee-Texas football game at Dallas on New Years day.

R. G. Stoerner went to Lubbock New Years day to visit his wife, a patient at Abbels Hospital Clinic.

Attending a coffee at the home of Mrs. Leo Boedeker announcing the wedding date of her daughter, Ruth to Mr. Weldon Smith of Tulia were: Mmes. L. B. Brandes, Ben Brandes, Walter Boedeker, Wilfred Stoerner, Pete Smith, Russel, Vincent Britten, Sam Newman, Morse Nance, Leonard Matthews and daughter, Skay Foster, Ted Boedeker and Miss Helen Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes and Debra visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robinson and family of Plainview Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sammann and Alfred visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner Sunday evening. Also calling in the Stoerner home Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Payne of Plainview.

Debra Jan Brandes Honored On Birthday

Mrs. L. B. Brandes honored her daughter, Debra with a lovely birthday party Saturday afternoon, January 3rd. The honoree received many beautiful gifts from all of her little guests.

Games were played and favors given. Ice cream, cake and snowmen were served to the following: Lyndia Kay Mathis, David Anderson, David Scheele, Linda Scheele, Merlin Boedeker, Myra Sue Quebe, Glen Quebe, Glenda Quebe, Sandra Latta, Lyn Riegler, Stanley Rigler, Johnny Quebe, John Tye, Steve Tye, Rickey Flippin, Terry Peterson, Dickey Lee Jones, Loyd Brandes, Mrs. Ben Brandes, Mrs. J. M. Tye.

Candle Light Circle Meets

The Candle Light Circle of Trinity Lutheran Church met for their first meeting of 1953. Mrs. Albert Kelm was hostess program chairman. Program opened with singing of "Hark, I Hear The Savior Walking." The president had scripture reading Psalm 46, followed by prayer. Mrs. Ted Boedeker gave the topic "Our Faith," based on Hebrews 11:1.

Rev. H. L. Anderson gave a very interesting discussion on the book of Ruth. The book of Ruth was read in its entirety. There were many problems in the book of Ruth. The moving, problem, sorrow and mother-in-law problem will be discussed at the next meeting. Ladies, all those missing this spiritual message are depriving themselves of a great opportunity to learn more about the book of Ruth.

The president opened the business meeting. Mrs. Ted Boedeker, secretary, had roll call which showed 11 members present, three visitors. Mrs. Albert Kelm gave the treasurers report. Mrs. Anderson reported $42.00 had been made on Christmas cards. report on Junior Mission Band. report on Junion Mission Band. Fifteen dollars had been sent by the group for Thanks offering. Seven overseas packages have been sent throughout the year. Four new books have been purchased during the year. Two cheer bowls of fruit have been given away during Christmas. The J. M. B. had one honor roll reader.

The Clothing given for Lutheran World relief by members of the Circle and members of the Trinity Lutheran amounted to 233 pounds. Curry Motor Freight donated the freight to San Antonio where the clothes leave for overseas.

A letter was read from Rev. A. H. Koehler of Juan, Old Mexico acknowledging the large box of school supplies sent our children for Christmas in Mexico Missions.

Mrs. L. B. Brandes was accepted as a new member to our Candle Light Circle. We are so proud she has joined our Womens Missionary Society. We hope more of our capable workers will feel the urge to help us in our mission work of the church.

Rev. Anderson expressed his thanks to the ladies of Womens Missionary Society who have furnished flowers for the altar of the church during the year.

The treasurers books will be audited by Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. H. Stoerner and Mrs. Kelm.

Discussion was held on purchasing religious articles to be sold to anyone desiring them. On this committee are Mrs. L. B. Brandes, Mrs. Ben Quebe, Mrs. Albert Sammann.

A motion was made and seconded we tell the executive committee of the Lubbock District that we, as a society, would like to have the District Meeting the third Friday in May.

Mrs. Ted Boedeker was given a Life Membership Pin she won through a drawing.

A motion was made and seconded we pay our labor on the closet, a project of the Candle Light Circle. Meeting closed with the Lords Prayer.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following guests, Mrs. Virgil Brasher, and Mrs. Walter Boedeker, members: Mmes. L. B. Brandes, Ben Brandes, Ben Quebe, H. L. Anderson, Albert Sammann, Joe Zimmerman, Hubert Stoerner, Leo Boedeker, Wilfred Stoerner, Richard Matthews, Ted Boedeker and Albert Kelm.

The February meeting will be held February 1st. Mrs. Leo Boedeker hostess program chairman.

Trinity Lutheran Church

H. L. Anderson, Pastor

January 7, Choir rehearsal 7:30 p. m.

January 10th, Confirmation Instruction, 9 a. m.

January 11th, Sunday School 10 a. m. Divine Worship 11 a. m. Annual meeting of congregation 3 p. m. Let each voting member of the congregation obligate himself to attend. The following committees are appointed and to meet prior to the annual meeting: Nominations, Ernest Sammann, Wilfred Stoerner, Charlie Boedeker; Auditing committee, Hubert Stoerner, Ted Boedeker, Werner Boedeker, Jack Faver and Helmuth Quebe.

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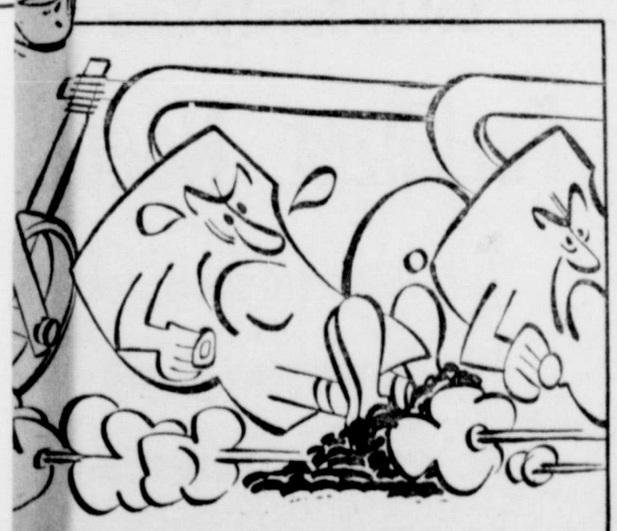
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Society News

Wedding Solemnized In Home Ceremony

The home of the bride's parents was the scene for the impressive single ring wedding ceremony uniting Miss Dorothy Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cox of the East Mound Community and John L. Hooten, son of Mrs. Berry Hooten of Lockney. Rev. R. H. Campbell, Methodist minister of Plainview, formerly of Lockney, read the vows Monday morning, January 5th at 10 o'clock.

Baskets of white gladioli and pink carnations flanking a large picture window formed the decorative background for the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was dressed in a white faille suit with pink and navy accessories. She wore a pink carnation corsage and carried a white Bible topped with pink carnations showered with white satin streamers.

Miss Chrystel Cox attended her niece as maid of honor. She wore a pink faille suit, pink accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Bobby Cox, brother of the bride, served the bridegroom as best man.

Mrs. Hooten graduated from Plainview High School in 1950 and Mr. Hooten is a graduate of Lockney High class of 1950. After a week's trip to New Mexico the couple will be at home on the Hooten farm in the Aiken community.

At a reception held immediately following the ceremony, two of the bride's aunts presided at the lace covered table which was decorated with a two tiered wedding cake and arrangements of pink carnations and heather, carrying out the bride's chosen colors.

The guest list included Mrs. Berry Hooten, Mr. and Mrs. Wendlan Churchwell of Plainview; Evelyn Hooten, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jennings, Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cox, Billy Clyde Stowe, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duvall of Aiken, two of the bride's aunts and her grandparents.

Miss Scarbrough Lt. Rogers Are Married Dec. 27th

Miss Myrtle Lee Scarbrough, daughter of Mrs. Ed Scarbrough, of Plainview, and Lt. Ernest Paul Rogers of Ft. Devens, Mass. were married in the home of the bride's mother December 27. Lt. Rogers is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Rogers of Lockney.

Rev. A. Hope Owen officiated the double-ring ceremony beneath an arch of greenery. Other decorations were baskets of white gladioli and candles.

Mrs. J. A. Asher played traditional wedding music, and Miss Peggy Williams sang "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life," "Because," and "The Lord's Prayer."

Given in marriage by her brother, Lyndon Scarbrough of Amarillo, the bride wore a ballerina-length dress of white nylon net over taffeta with a matching stole. Her veil was of white net, and she carried a white Bible topped with an orchid tied with white streamers.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Lou Ella Scarbrough, as maid of honor, and Mrs. Don Willis as bridesmatron. Carolyn Scarbrough of Amarillo, niece of the bride, was candlelighter.

Gene Rogers of Lockney served his brother as best man. Don Willis acted as usher.

The maid of honor wore a ballerina-length dress of pink nylon net over taffeta with a matching stole, and carried a bouquet of blue-tinted carnations. Mrs. Willis wore a ballerina-length dress of white nylon net over taffeta with a light blue stole. She carried pink carnations. The candlelighter was dressed in pink nylon.

Mrs. Scarbrough wore a gray crepe dress with a white gardenia corsage for her daughter's wedding.

Reception Follows

A reception honored the couple immediately following the ceremony. They were assisted in receiving by the mother of the bride and the father of the groom. Guests were present from Morton, Amarillo, Lockney, Tascosa, Lubbock, and Plainview.

The serving table was decorated with the three-tiered wedding cake, tapers in graduated candelabra, the attendants' flowers, and crystal and silver appointments.

The bride is a graduate of Spring Lake High School and Lippert's Business College, and is employed at Hamilton-Martin Motor Company. Lt. Rogers is a graduate of Lockney High School and Lippert's Business College.

Mrs. Rogers will join her husband in February at Fort Devens, where he is serving with the army. For traveling she wore a suit of dusty rose wool jersey, black accessories, and an orchid corsage.



LT. AND MRS. ERNEST PAUL ROGERS

Lockney H. D. Club To Meet Thursday

Lockney Home Demonstration Club will meet Thursday, January 8 at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Thomas Marr for the first meeting of the year. Year books will be filled out and program leaders will be assigned. Club sisters will be revealed and remembered with a gift. Members are urged to be present.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Miss Boedeker's Engagement Told

Mrs. Leo Boedeker was hostess at a coffee Friday afternoon to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Ruth, Miss Boedeker will wed Weldon Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Smith of Tulia, January 24 at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Lockney.

Coffee was served by Mrs. Vincent Brittian. Mrs. Boedeker greeted guests at the door and presented them to the honoree and Mrs. Ira Smith.

The lace-covered serving table was centered with a fan-shaped arrangement of asters and gladioli backing a miniature bride and groom. A huge bow printed with "Ruth and Weldon" and "January 24," in gold before the miniatures carried out the bride-elect's chosen colors of pink and blue.

Guests were Mmes. Herman Russell, Wilfred Stoerner, Ben Brandes, O. W. Schmidt, L. B. Brandes and Debra, M. C. Nance, Weldon Foster, James Churchwell, Leonard Matthews and Lottie, Sam Newmann and Helen, Ted Boedeker and W. A. Boedeker, Vincent Brittian and Ira Smith.

Lee Pope Family Given Farewell Party

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pope and family were named honorees at a farewell party given last Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Harris. The party was sponsored by the Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration Club which presented the honorees with a beautiful blanket and bedspread. They also received other gifts from the guests.

Games of forty-two were played and refreshments of sandwiches, coffee and cookies were served to Messrs. and Mmes. A. V. Womack and daughter, Roy Wilkes and children, Lynn Miller and children, C. B. Carmack, Johns Cox and Wanda, F. U. Payne, Glen Mitchell, R. C. Mitchell and David, Chester Mitchell and children, Vernon Gross, Harmon Handley, Elizabeth and Gene, L. K. Sherman, Lee Pope and family, Mrs. D. D. Tate and Mavis, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Harris and family.

The Pope family has lived in the Pleasant Valley Community for several years and has made a host of friends. They left Wednesday for Missouri where they will do stock farming.

Training Meetings For Club Officers Held Last Week

A training meeting for presidents of Home Demonstration Clubs and their club Program Chairmen was held in the Council Room of the Court House Tuesday afternoon, December 30. Representatives of 13 of the 16 Home Demonstration Clubs attended. Year Books for 1953 were distributed and plans for programs for the year were distributed and plans for programs for the year were discussed. Miss Lelia Petty, County Home Demonstration Agent, presided at the meeting.

Attending were Mmes. Carrick Snodgrass and J. R. Holmes, Harmony; James Jeffress and C. B. Carmack, Sand Hill; Howard Drysdale and Ned Bradley, Dougherty; A. H. Kreis and George Stiles, Friendship; M. J. McNeill, Woodrow Wilson, and Earl Huckabee, Center; B. P. Neff, Milton Harrison, and Roy Fawver, Lakeview; W. D. Nance and E. O. Barrett, Lone Star; H. L. Marble and H. R. Hartman, South Plains; C. W. Payne and Jim Stewart, Fairview; L. K. Sherman and Roy Wilkes, Pleasant Valley; J. H. Cooper, Lockney; R. H. Tinsley and J. H. Davidson, Sterley; and J. W. Day, Jr., Starkey.

On Wednesday afternoon a training meeting for Secretaries of Home Demonstration Clubs was held. Attending this meeting were Mmes. Ted Rutherford, Harmony; Leslie Ferguson, Sterley; Earl Huckabee, Center; Roy L. Fawver, Lakeview; Chas. Probesco, Sunnyside, Fred Anderson Lockney; Kenneth Morrison Starkey and Miss Petty, County Home Demonstration Agent.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hodel during the holidays included her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mildred Wright of Mexia, Mrs. Wright's brother, Roland Aycock of Fort Worth, Mrs. Hodel's sister and husband, Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Scott of Farmington, Arkansas.

Eastern Star Has Meeting Mon. Night

The Order of Eastern Star held a regular meeting Monday night. Hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mitchell, Mrs. Henry Ford, Miss Nellie Brown and Mrs. Sally Griffith.

The study group decided to meet Tuesday night, January 20 at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Henry Ford. All members of the Eastern Star are welcome, the reporter announced.

Handleys Hosts For New Years Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Handley were hosts for a New Years supper at their new home south of town. Following the buffet supper games of forty-two were enjoyed. Present were Messrs. and Mmes. Sid Thomas, Leslie Ferguson, Edgar Hays, Glen Mitchell, Frank Brown, R. C. Mitchell, Chester Mitchell, Hilburn Casey, Marvin Cox, J. R. Naylor, Eldon Roberts, Homer Bartram and the hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Chambers left Monday for Lubbock where Mrs. Chambers has resumed her studies at Texas Tech and Gerald has accepted employment with the John Deere Implement Company. The couple is at home at 305 College Ave., College Courts, Apartment 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Payton Powers returned home Monday after attending the Cotton Bowl game New Years day and spending the week visiting in Dallas, Fort Worth and Stephenville.

Music Program Be Heard Over

A program of devotio consisting of hymns Christian Science Hy gins January 3 and heard at 5:30 p. m. e day over Radio Stat Amarillo.

Tom Michael of Da accompanied at the Mrs. Clio Pederson, a las. Background e of each hymn as we about the composer a John Allen.

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Rev. J. R. Naylor Casey, Homer Bartrum mon Handley left Sun noon to attend a Bapti listic Conference in Sa this week. Enroute th in Dallas with Mr. W and Janie Ballard who pitalized there.

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FOR SALE — **WD-9 McCORMICK TRACTOR**, good for deep breaking, bargain. R. F. Buchanan, 2 miles east, ½ mile north of Bellview School, or 10 miles southwest of Lockney. 39-2tp.

FOR SALE — 8-foot Hoeme plow and 12-foot stock trailer. Frank Brown, phone 3130. 39-2tc.

FOR SALE—New 14-inch two-bottom two-way John Deere moldboard plow. $500. See Bob Davis, phone 3596. 39-1tp

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WANTED TO RENT — 50 to 350 acres land, dry or irrigated. Fred Fortenberry, phone 898W3, Floydada or see 2½ miles south of South Plains. 39-3tp.

WANTED — Mower and rake for Ford tractor. Dorsey Baker. 39-tfc.

WANTED TO BUY — Chicken battery. Call 3684. 1tp.

WANTED — Ironing to do in my home. Inquire first house west of Revival Tabernacle. 38-tfc.

Let me prepare your tax papers. I can save you money. See me for an appointment. F. A. Cunyus, Room 10, Baker Hotel. 38-2tp.

WANTED — Custom boll pulling. Oliver Machine. Contact S. H. Milwee, phone 3845. 38-tfc.

WANTED — Bundle hauling. C. H. Calloway, phone 3617, Lockney, Texas. 37-4tp.

WANTED — Ironing to do in my home. Telephone 3334. Mrs. Ruth Stephenson. 33-tfc.

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South Plains

by Mrs. Murray Julian

Visitors at the South Plains Church Sunday morning were Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn and children and Mr. and Mrs. McClure, who live on the former George Beedy place. We also welcome Mr. and Mrs. Tom Respondik and children who are new neighbors residing at the Boyce Kenady farm. They have two children in school.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman were hosts at a Sunday dinner in honor of their son, Mac, on January 4, who shared his birthday dinner with friends and relatives. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Jackson, Floy and Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jackson, all from Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smitherman and Kelly, Dick Guest and Raymond Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Cummings and Kim arrived home over the week end from Siloam Springs, Arkansas where they had gone Christmas eve to spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Norman.

Mrs. W. T. Weaver has been spending the past week visiting her brother, Lee Williams and family of Muleshoe, but is expected back at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rene Yeary this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy entertained on New Years eve with a party at their home for Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCowan of Powell, Wyoming. Games of canasta were enjoyed during the evening and present were Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCown. Unable to be present on account of the flu were John Smitherman, who was ill all last week and Mrs. Smitherman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bartlett from Fort Worth came Wednesday to spend the remainder of the week with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders. They returned home Sunday via Denton, Texas and took Martha Lee Sanders back to college to resume her studies. She had been home with her parents for the holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John K. West entertained with a "42" party at their home on Tuesday night, December 31. A group of neighbors and friends enjoyed the evening with them, among those were Mr. and Mrs. Essley Yeary.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marble and June visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Teeple at Lone Star on New Years eve. They all enjoyed an evening of television.

Among those who went from here to Dallas to attend the New Years day football game between Texas University and Tennessee, were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Staniforth, Jr., Dick Guest, Mac Smitherman, Dean Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. John K. West, Winfred, Dale and Johnny, Pat Helms and Ronnie Upton. They all went to see the "Ice capades" with Sonja Henie while they were in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Parks and boys returned on Dec. 28 after spending the holidays in Dahlonega, Georgia with relatives and enjoying many things of interest in the country around there.

Friends and Neighbors are offering congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Essley Yeary who were recently wed. Mrs. Yeary was the former Mrs. Nell Rogers of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian visited on Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Phenis of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vanek, south of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weast entertained a group of friends and neighbors at their home on Friday night, Dec. 26 at a "42" party. At the close of the evening Mrs. Weast served delicious refreshments to the following, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kitchens, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders, Martha Lee and Curtis and Mrs. Alva Kitchens.

Community Club will meet this Thursday night at the school house for the first meeting of this year. Everybody come on January 8, bring your tables and dominoes for an evening of enjoyment with your neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian entertained with a New Years Eve watch party at their home beginning with a buffet supper at 6:30, and the evening was spent in playing games of "42." Those who were present were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Thornton and Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Deavenport, Mr. and Mrs. George Weast and Mr. and Mrs. Early Joiner were unable to be present on account of Mrs. Joiner contracting the flu while in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thomas who live near Silverton spent Sunday evening visiting with Mr. and Mrs. George Weast.

Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and girls arrived home from San Francisco, Calif last Monday, after spending the holiday week visiting relatives out west.

Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Guest from Levelland were visiting their children in this vicinity on Friday of this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Deavenport spent the past week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wade Deavenport and new baby son in Truman, Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Thornton and children went to Clovis, N. M. this past week end to visit friends over Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Edmonds and children arrived home Saturday night after spending the past two weeks visiting their parents in Cameron and College Station, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Beedy spent Saturday and Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy and Eugene. On Sunday morning they went to see Mrs. W. B. Wilson and that evening they returned to their studies at Texas Tech.

IN DALLAS HOSPITAL

Larry Dale Willis, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Willis of Lockney, was admitted to the Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children in Dallas on January 2, 1953.

Mrs. Leonard Finley of Lockney was called to Floydada Tuesday because of the serious illness of her father, Tom Jernigan. He was reported to be much improved Wednesday.

Miss Jontha Lee Casey returned this week to Hardin-Simmons University after the holidays here with her parents.

Eisenhower Urges Nation Support March of Dimes



President-elect Eisenhower meets 1953 March of Dimes Poster Girls Pamela (left) and Patricia O'Neil, of Raleigh, N. C.

NEW YORK CITY—President-elect Dwight D. Eisenhower called on the American public to support the 1953 March of Dimes being conducted throughout the nation during all of January.

He joined in the annual appeal after meeting the two Raleigh, N.C., sisters who are pictured on the 1953 March of Dimes poster. They are Patricia, 6, and five-year-old Pamela O'Neil, both of whom were stricken with polio but now are recovered completely.

"It's hard to believe that these are the same little girls whose pictures are on the March of Dimes poster," he noted. "Now they're completely recovered from polio, thanks to the generosity of the American people."

He urged all Americans "to help the others like them by joining the March of Dimes."

Later, he joined the poster girls in making a short film which is being shown by television stations throughout the nation.

This year's March of Dimes follows the all-time record polio epidemic of 1952 in which more than 55,000 were stricken. At the beginning of 1953, there were 58,000 polio victims of former years still undergoing treatment, with financial help from local March of Dimes chapters.

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CRANBERRIES, 1 lb. box, each		**23c**
Cocoanut	4 oz. box 1 box Jello Pie Filling, all for	**20c**
ASPIRIN, 75c box		**65c**
Drene Shampoo	large size	**79c**

FRUITS and VEGETABLES

ORANGES, Sunkist, pound	**10c**
RADISHES, bunch	**5c**
CARROTS, cello pkg.	**12c**

MARKET

HAMS, picnic, pound	**39c**
PORK CHOPS, pound	**59c**
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EDITORIAL

And thou shall love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength: this is the first commandment.—Mark 12:30.

—oOo—

From all the forecasts on economic conditions that we have read we assume that the merchant and business man is going to have to do a better job of selling the latter part of this year to keep his volume up. The forecasters say that the first of the year will start off with business as usual but that it will slack off some the latter part of the year. They suggest a better job of selling. To do a better job of selling we suggest that merchants ought to plan a consistent advertising campaign and stay with it. We're not suggesting that you spend a great deal of money for advertising but you ought to spend enough to keep the public informed as to what you have to sell and also create a desire for your merchandise.

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There are several phases of better selling, among them being attractive display of goods, keeping stock fresh and looking neat, attractive store fronts and display windows, courteous and friendly service to customers but probably one of the most important is a planned advertising campaign. Plan to spend a certain amount of money for advertising, set a goal to reach as a result of your advertising, put your advertising money where it will do you the most good and stay with your plan.

—oOo—

Of course you may want to advertise in various ways. We wouldn't suggest that you use newspaper advertising alone because for some things you may need to vary your advertising. But we do point out to you that generally speaking there is no other form of advertising as effective as newspaper advertising and that it should command a major share of your advertising dollars.

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One thing you can be sure of — people read the newspapers, and they read the weekly hometown paper much more thoroughly than they read the daily newspaper. Another thing, the hometown newspaper isn't thrown away or destroyed the day after publication. It lays around for a week. The same person may pick it up three or four times and read a part of it before it is discarded. It is available when the reader has time to read it, and there is no time limit on its effectiveness. Sometimes an advertisement gets results two months after it appears in the local newspaper.

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We say all that to say this—We merchants in the smaller towns are going to have to do a better job of selling. We must convince people that we have a major portion of what they want and need and at prices they can afford to pay. Maybe we'll have to increase our stocks a little and carry a wider variety of merchandise. At any rate we have a selling job to do and now would be a good time to start it.

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With Our EXCHANGES

COAL MINE FACTS

John L. Lewis, the Wage Stabilization Board and the Truman administration as a whole have joined in attempting to create the impression that the wage scale of the United (coal) Mine Workers is at the bare-existance level.

They have emphasized this deception—to use a "polite" expression — in their attempt to justify an increase exceeding $2 a day, including "fringe" benefits, approved by WSB for coal miners recently. WSB's action, however, has hit snags which raise doubts as to whether raises of the amounts proposed will be approved. Lewis, president of the miners, has shouted his usual threat of "strike" unless the scale is put into effect.

But during all the controversary, supporters of the WSB proposal have refrained pointedly from mentioning present earnings of the coal diggers. One of The Avalanche-Journal correspondents in Washington has supplied that information, as obtained from the Department of Labor, the most authoritative of federal agencies on this particular subject. The department supplied it with apparent reluctance.

Here are the facts from this official source:

The minimum wage paid a coal miner for a 6½ hour day and a five-day week is $17.85. The pay scales upward with senority — and most coal miners never have done any other work. Their seniority adds substantially to their average earnings.

In addition, all union members receive daily "fringe" benefits of many types — vacation allowances, welfare fund, social security, workmen's compensation, unemployment fund and others — averaging $4.01. In short, the average minimum compensation per miner approvimates $3.30 per hour of work, $21.86 per 6½ hour day or $109.30 per five-day week, minus income tax deductions.

Such earnings of course, won't make them rich. But it will be difficult to persuade the 95 per cent of Americans who receive less usually for more work that a whopping big increase for coal miners can be justified on the grounds of financial distress. —Lubbock Avalanche Journal.

POOR DRIVERS

Examiners here for the Department of Public Safety reveal more than 39 per cent of those who have applied for driver's licenses have failed to pass the tests.

What percentage of those who fail the tests drive anyway is not known. The human element in traffic hazards is high enough without them.

Biggest traffic problem, of course, is parking space

So many drivers are unwilling to walk more than two blocks from where their cars are parked to their destinations that a friend of ours believes motorists, through the process of evolution, will be legless in a few hundred years. —Amarillo Daily News.

MONSTROUS EVIL

The latest eruption of Korean Communists in prison camps in which 82 of the rioters were killed serves to accentuate the monstrously evil thing that is Communism. It is able to stir and incite and drive men to their death for no gain but as the incident serves to inflame the passions of Fellow-Travelers all over the world. Never in the history of mankind have prisoners of war received the generous care and treatment the Communists are receiving, and never in the history of mankind has there been the record of riots such as this year has been. —You Be The Judge in Crosbyton Review.

BOND ISSUE

Crosbyton's better than three to one approval of the school bond issue last Saturday will go a long way toward bringing the local schools up to par with other schools of this area. There was a time just a few years ago when Crosbyton had reason to be proud of its school's physical assets. But with only one exception, every school of comparable size in this entire area had gone ahead of it since the war. We will be quite proud when the new construction is completed and we can again tell newcomers "Yes, we have one of the best school plants in this area." — Crosbyton Review.

The keystone of an arch is the block which fits into the center.

The Red Sox was the first major league team to win a World Series.

Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the file of The Lockney Beacon.

April 10, 1914

Little Viola Rigdon, five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Rigdon died Tuesday at six o'clock. Pneumonia was the cause of her death. Elder Chas. Smith of Sand Hill officiated at the services.

Josiah Foster, pioneer resident of Floyd County, died Sunday. He leaves a family of sons and daughters.

Tuesday evening at her beautiful home in north Lockney, Miss Florence Milwee entertained the young people of the town with progressive forty-two. Those present were Misses Ruby and Bessie Thompson, Olga Thomas, Mattie Lee Wilson and Mrs. Carl McAdams, Messrs. Clyde Reeves, Fred Hutchins, J. R. Fox, Arlin Starks, Gordon Ramsey and Johnnie Broyles.

Something unusual, these April snows. Tuesday night and Wednesday morning the ground was covered, but it soon disappeared.

Tuesday's election resulted in the selection of a new council, new mayor and marshal. S. A. Henry was elected mayor; James Turney marshal; aldermen: G. W. Ford, T. B. Hill, Carl McAdams, G. T. Wade and E. E. Dyer.

The Floyd County Farmer's Union met in regular session with Lockney local Thursday and Friday. Farmers from most all parts of Floyd County attended.

March 23, 1923

J. M. Adams of the Plainview News has bought the Lockney Beacon from B. F. Smith, publisher, who will about May 1st begin publication of a new weekly at Snyder.

The Shriners of Lockney will play the Blue Lodge next Wednesday afternoon at the Wilkinson park.

Next Saturday and Sunday, March 24th and 25th are to be big days for the local Methodist Church. An old fashi... on the ground will b... urday. Rev. G. S. Har... view will preach an... will present an East... Sunday morning. R. ... is pastor.

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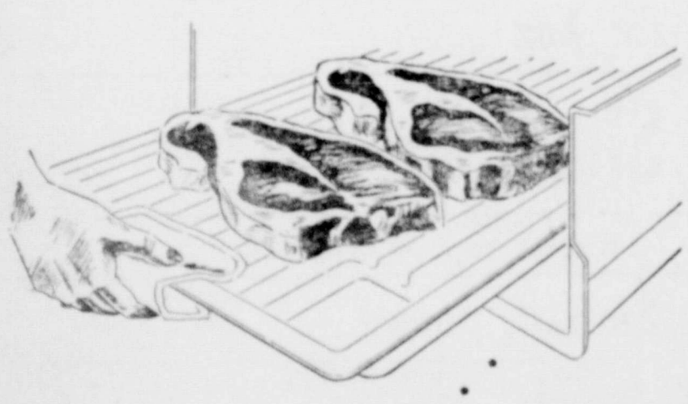
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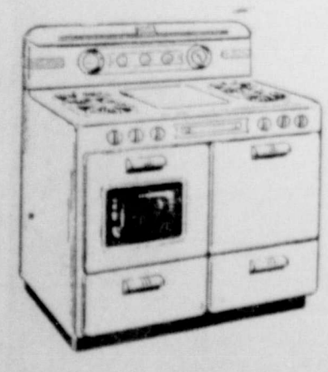
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Kenneth Rogers and family are visiting his sister, Opal and other relatives here, in Floydada. They are moving from Oklahoma City to El Paso.

Johnny Stutts is in the hospital with "flu."

So many lovely Christmas cards were received here at the office. We wish it were possible to thank each one individually, but since time does not permit we do want to say Thank You Very Much to each of you — it is always nice to be remembered and we do appreciate your thoughtfulness.

Wayne Collins went to Corpus Christi during the holidays. (He says he believes they have more water down there than we have up here).

Bud and Kathryn Turner visited relatives in Oklahoma City during the holidays.

We had such a nice visit with the Noman Hamiltons' at their lovely country home between Pryor and Claremore, Okla. Noma Lou attends school at Pryor and enjoys it very much.

James Welborn is a new employee on the line crew.

John Lloyd, Floydada, Route 2, has connected a new irrigation well.

Numerous Co-op cook books were sold during the holiday season for gifts. Mr. Steen has made more books so if you haven't gotten your copy remember they are still available.

Many co-op members will be moving around the first of the year. Be sure to notify the office at once of any changes in your address.

We spent one afternoon with the Staley girls while we were in Springfield. Enjoyed Geneva's "popcorn cake," different and very delicious. They sent best wishes to all their Floyd County friends.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cooper and Carol were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barrett and Charles of Quitaque; Mr. Clyde Hefner and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelley, all of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Lynn, Sammy and Bruce of Lockney and Glen Backer of Floydada spent from Wednesday until Sunday visiting in Derry, New Mexico with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Freeman and in Truth or Consequences, N. M., with the Lynn's children, J. B. Lynn, Mrs. A. D. Wilson and Jimmy Boulan of Los Alamos. They spent Saturday night in Albuquerque with their granddaughter, Mrs. Jimmy Deen.



Bishop Martin Heads Church Council

Dallas. — Bishop William C. Martin of The Methodist Church Dallas-Fort Worth Area, was elected president of the National Council of the Churches of Christ in the USA at the General Assembly which closed at Denver, Colorado, Friday.

Bishop Martin succeeds the Rt. Rev. Henry Knox Sherrill of New York, presiding bishop of The Protestant Episcopal Church.

The Council, representing 29 denominations of over 33,000,000 members, is the largest interdenominational group in the nation. It was formed in 1950 with the cooperation of eight interdenominational agencies and now represents nearly 70 per cent of American Protestantism and a dozen church agencies. The Denver session is the first meeting of the 500 official delegates and about 1,500 other church leaders since the formal organization. It is the most representative group in U. S. Christianity.

Bishop Martin heads united churchmen who meet biennially as a council. Interim matters are handled by a 65-member General Board, representing the several groups.

Illustrative of the issues that concerned the Council in Denver last week were the increases and shifts in American population and what the churches could do to win the unchurched; the need for stronger endeavor in world missions; the trends on Protestant college campuses toward materialism; the larger place for laymen in church life; the place of religion in dealing with all the tensions in American life; problems of marriage and the home; and the importance of moral and religious ideas in establishing peace in the world.

Among nationally known figures who spoke to the Council were Henry Cabot Lodge, U. S ambassador designate to the U. N.; Samuel McCrea Cavert, general secretary of the Council; and John Foster Dulles, the incoming Secretary of State, in a tape recording, since he was in the Pacific with President-elect Eisenhower.

War Over—Driver Must Be 21 Years

Austin. — The Texas Attorney General's Office has officially acknowledged that World War II is over.

Acknowledgement of the fact came last week in an opinion which was issued by Attorney General Price Daniel in reply to a question posed by the Texas Department of Public Safety relating to the issuance of Chauffeurs Licenses.

In 1943, the 48th Legislature adopted an emergency amendment to the State's Driver's License Law which provided that the Public Safety Department could issue Chauffeurs Licenses to persons 17 years of age and over for the operation of school buses and public and common carriers. The measure, as passed, was effective "Until the conclusion of the present war with Germany, Italy and Japan." and was enacted to permit schools, taxi and bus companies to employ drivers of motor vehicle equipment who were under age of 21 in the absence of older employees in the armed services.

Effect of last week's ruling reestablishes the Department's previous legal standards that private chauffeurs must be sixteen years of age and over but that it is illegal for persons under 21 years to operate school buses and public or common carriers of persons.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rigdon, Larry and Holly of Dallas are here spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rigdon, Rochelle and Mary Louise. Joe is employed as a city mail carrier in Dallas.

TO RETURN FROM FRANCE

Robert Rigdon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rigdon, is expected to arrive in the states sometime this month. He has served in France for the past fifteen months.

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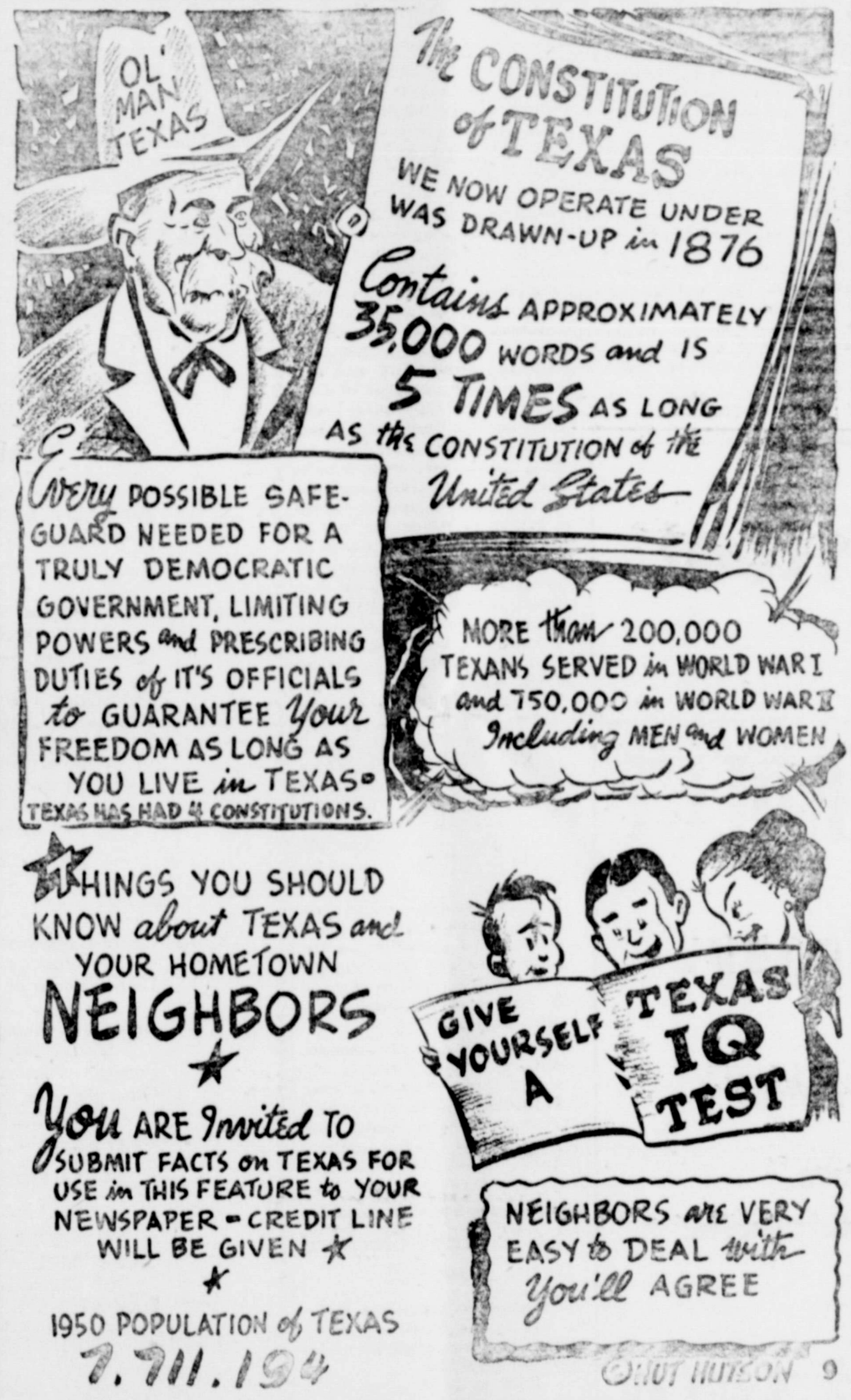
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Also CARTOON

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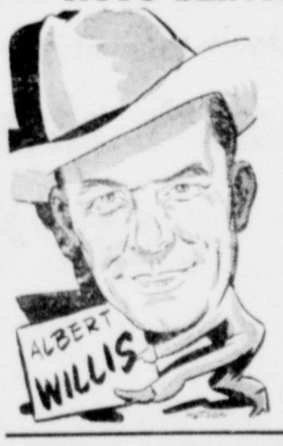
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New Taxes Make Big Problem In Texas—Corbin

Senator Kilmer Corbin, looking toward the convening of the Texas Legislature early in January, indicated this week that in his opinion the request for approximately $100 million for highway expansion program and an additional $30 for boosting State teachers' salaries will constitute a big problem.

"The Texas Legislature handles law making and tax levying, vitally important matters to every citizen," Corbin pointed out in opening the discussion. He didn't quibble as to the need for the highway expansion program or the teachers' salary boost. "As we drive over the highways of the state, we all see the need for more and better roads," he stated. Heretofore he pointed out than $30 million has been spent in a great farm-to-market road building program. The $100 million would have to be in addition to this sum, he warned.

"We can probably say, without fear of contradiction, that our main highways were not built for so much heavy traffic moving at such high rate of speed," Corbin stated. He added that safety precautions also pointed up to the need for wider, duo-lane highways.

The Senator said three methods could be used in an attempt to raise the additional funds, but at the same time he opposed two of the methods.

"There'll be a lot of talk about raising the gasoline tax," he said. "For every one cent raise in the tax per gallon of retail gas sold, about $30 million would be raised annually." But the Senator's opposition of this means was centered upon the fact that this would place an additional burden on the consumer, who is already supporting too much of the tax load.

"Another method which will be suggested," according to Corbin, "is the wheel tax which would place the burden on owners of heavy vehicles." He pointed out that this method would probably be pushed by a "selfish interest."

Corbin came out in favor of a proposal which would place the tax on natural resources and said he believed this would be the method adopted in the final outcome. He said the Legislature attempted to arrive at this in their last session when they passed a tax proposal of one-half cent per 1,000 cubic feet of natural gas. But this plan was blown out as unconstitutional on the grounds that it placed an unfair burden on interstate commerce. He then expressed the belief that this same bill can be re-written to place the tax on the production of gas instead of the gathering of the resource.

Senator Corbin also stated that he was opposed to adding further taxes under the Omnibus Tax Bill, which already taxes fourteen commodities. He likened this tax to a sales tax.

The Senator foresaw several other legislative needs. He felt that the raising of teachers' salaries was a definite need. He believes that a congressional redistricting, much like the legislative redistricting approved last year, will be forthcoming. He also looks for a judicial redistricting.

Increased benefits for the aged, the trucker-railroad fight, and increased personnel for the state bureaus will be among the many problems confronting the next session of the State Legislature, Corbin stated.

In summing up, the Senator noted the cost of operating the State of Texas has risen from $186 million in 1945 to over $500 million in 1950. He stated that education and public welfare are the biggest costs, with highways running a close third.



SOMBRE CEREMONY—Governor Allan Shivers designates January 2-31 for the 1953 March of Dimes in a Statehouse ceremony climaxed by his official signature in the presence of General Robert J. Smith, Chairman of the MOD in Texas. Shivers noted that Texas has made "another first" but that it is ironically in the number of polio cases and in the amount of patient care funds advanced by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

In answer to a question regarding the present tax load, the Senator replied: "My experience has convinced me that we aren't going to get rid of any taxes we already have. But the people are beginning to wake up the small consumer. We should place more of the load on those who are equipped to pay — the big boys.

"If they're going to keep depleting our natural resources, they ought to pay for it," he added.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

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ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection		$2,070,606.22
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed		1,048,135.50
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		150,000.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures		25,000.00
Corporate stocks (including $4,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)		4,500.00
Loans and discounts (including $8,197.83 overdraft)		1,790,972.45
Bank premises owned $20,000.00, furniture and fixtures $10,000.00		30,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS		$5,119,214.17

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations		$4,607,691.30
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations		116,416.93
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)		21,535.26
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		126,459.07
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)		65,656.90
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$4,937,759.46	
Other liabilities		5,432.45
TOTAL LIABILITIES		$4,943,191.91

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par $75,000.00	75,000.00
Surplus	75,000.00
Undivided Profits	26,022.26
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	176,022.26
TOTAL LIABILITIES and CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$5,119,214.17

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	120,000.00
Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of	13,872.69

State of Texas, County of Floyd, ss:

I, Edgar S. Branch, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDGAR S. BRANCH, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of January, 1953.

(SEAL) JUNE BYBEE, Notary Public.

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Farm Outlook For 1953 Given

It is that time of year when farm families should be making plans for 1953. Robert H. Gibson, Floyd County Agricultural Agent, gives a look ahead for Floyd County Rural families and hopes that the following will be of value in planning for the 1953 farming operations. All of this information is the opinion of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Net income of farm families will be less in 1953 due to higher prices on some commodities. Continued high farm family living cost seem apparent. The high standard of rural living probably will have more effect than consumer prices in keeping farm family living costs up.

The outlook for food supplies is good for 1953. Little change will occur in the average retail food prices. Prices of turkeys, eggs, butter, bread, and some other cereal products, dry beans and peas and canned vegetables will be a little higher in 1953. Beef and veal particularly the lower grades, perhaps lamb and mutton, chicken, fish, frozen fruits, juices and fresh vegetables will average lower. Prices of other foods will not vary much.

Very little reduction in farmhouse construction, repair or remodeling is foreseen. Credit terms for construction should be easier, provided inflation does not become worse. There is no major change forseen in prices of construction materials. Lumber and lumber products are plentiful. Any shortages will be local and will be of short durations. There is no indication of shortages of cement, paints and composition products for farm construction.

Feed supplies for 1952-53 are smaller than in the past four years. Total supplies of grains and other concentrates are estimated about 5 million tons less than last year. Supplies of by-products feeds will be large during the coming year, but likely below the record supply of 1951-1952. Total supply of high protein feeds is expected to be smaller than in 1951-1952, but about as much per head for livestock feed. Prices of these feeds probably will remain close to the ceilings now higher than a year ago. Hay supplies are smallest since 1944 in relation to animals held which require roughage. Prices of hay are likely to advance seasonally as stocks become even tighter.

A near record wheat crop in 1952 with stable domestic demand and decreased exports, possibly 30 per cent, may give a carry-over of about 550 million bushels on July 1, 1953. Such supplies would be near the record level of 631 million bushels in 1942. Prices for 1953 are expected to average slightly under effective loan rates which were announced at $2.21 per bushel by the Secretary of Agriculture.

Prices for beef cattle will tend moderately lower if slaughter is about as expected. Price declines will be more uniform by classes next year than during the summer and fall of 1952. Returns from feeding may be better than last year, due to sharply lower prices paid for feeder stock.

Hogs will be down since 1952 pig crops were smaller than last year. Hog prices may reflect more strength this winter as compared to last year, but thereafter may average near the 1952 level.

Carry-over of U. S. cotton on July 1, 1953 may approach 4 million bales, almost 33 percent above the 2.7 million bales held last July. Domestic use will be slightly greater than in 1951-52. The prospective exports are down from last year 5.5 million bales, reflecting an increase of some 2.2 million bales held in non-communist countries. Prices received by cotton farmers during the 1951-52 season averaged 109 percent of parity. Loan prices for cotton is established by law at 90 percent of parity, which will be around 32 cents for middling 15-16 inch. There will be no market quotas on the 1953 cotton crop.

In general cost of commodities will be average or slightly higher and prices received for farm products tend to be slightly lower. This will tend to make profits smaller, therefore every effort should be made to reduce production costs in every way possible.

Farm Safety Their No. 1 Crop



Eight smiling 4-H Club members receive $300 college scholarships from Paul Garrett, General Motors vice president, for their outstanding achievements in promoting farm and home safety. Looking on is L. C. Goad, executive vice president of GM, who was the principal speaker at a luncheon in Chicago for the 31st Annual 4-H Club Congress in honor of the 39 state and national winners in the 4-H Farm and Home Safety Program, sponsored for the eighth consecutive year by General Motors. Left to right in the top row are: Mr. Garrett, Donald John Bayer, Muenster, Texas; Joyce Bolton, Keithsburg, Illinois; Beth Fuhr Smith, Poplarville, Mississippi; Ellen Lydon, North Scituate, Rhode Island and Mr. Goad. Bottom row: Beverly Ann Bartz, Mitchell, Nebraska; Sue Idsardi, Okmulgee, Oklahoma; Cathryn A. Hansen, Davis, California; and June Hill, Cleveland, Tennessee.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING THAT THE OFFICE OF CITY SECRETARY SHALL BE FILLED BY APPOINTMENT BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOCKNEY, TEXAS, AS AUTHORIZED BY LAW.

WHEREAS, Article 977, Revised Civil Statutes, as amended by House Bill 462 passed by the Regular Session of the 51st Legislature, 1949, authorizes the governing body of cities operating under the general laws to make the office of city secretary appointive instead of elective. Now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOCKNEY, TEXAS:

Section 1. The office of city secretary, after the effective date of this ordinance, shall be filled by appointment by the city council of the City of Lockney, Texas.

Section 2. The City Secretary shall perform the duties prescribed by Article 1000, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas and he shall perform such other duties as may be required of him by law, ordinance, resolution, or order of the city council.

Section 3. The City Secretary shall be appointed for an indefinite period and shall be subject to discharge at the will of the city council. He shall receive such compensation as the city council shall fix from time to time by ordinance or resolution, and shall furnish such surety bond as may be required by the city council or ordinance or resolution, the premium to be paid by the city.

Section 4. The effective date of this ordinance shall be the 7th day of April, 1953.

PASSED and APPROVED this the 27th day of September, 1951.

APPROVED:

F. L. Brown, Mayor Protem.

ATTEST: Faye Messer, City Secretary. 37-3tc.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones and Mickey visited in Sulphur Springs over the holidays. They met their son and brother, Pfc. Jessie Jones who has been in training with the Marines in California.

Hazel Wilson spent part of the holidays in Amarillo with her sister, Mrs. Travis Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chandler and family spent New Years in Ruidoso with Mrs. Chandler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cooper.

HOME HINTS

Handy sliding rods for dish towels in the cabinet underneath the sink keep towels out of sight and dry.

HOME HINTS

Don't throw away or misplace instruction booklets and other pertinent material pertaining to your gas appliances. For easy reference, have a file for keeping records. An old baby's bib stitched to make a pocket can be placed on a coat hanger near the laundry and used to store pamplets on clothes washing.

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FREE PHOTO CONTEST

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in Lockney extends an invitation to all mothers to enter their children in a big
CHILD PHOTO CONTEST
being held in the store

TUESDAY, JANUARY 13TH ONLY
There will be 28 winners, receiving the following prizes:
FIRST GRAND PRIZE
AN 11x14 BRUSH OIL PORTRAIT
SECOND GRAND PRIZE
AN 11x14 OIL PORTRAIT
THIRD GRAND PRIZE
AN 11x14 OIL PORTRAIT
There will be 25 8x10 Goldtone Portraits given as regular prizes.
All the above prizes will go to the 28 most photogenic children in the Lockney area.
Ages to qualify are from one month to twelve years.
You are not obligated to buy anything.
COME EARLY DON'T FORGET THE DATE TELL YOUR FRIENDS
Your children will be photographed in Parker's Furniture Store by a highly skilled child photographer.

Parker Furniture
Dial 3315 Lockney

JOHN DEERE DAY HERE NEXT TUESDAY, JANUARY 13



The Lockney Implement Company, local John Deere dealers, has announced that the annual John Deere Day will be held here Tuesday of next week, January 13. The program, to be held at the Plains Theatre, will be free to farmers and their families and will begin at 2 p. m., according to Pat Stansell, manager.

Free sandwiches and coffee will be served at the implement house from 11:30 to 1 p. m. preceding the afternoon program.

The feature picture, "Paradise for Buster," is a comedy and stars Buster Keaton, popular clown of stage and screen. The story is that of a small bookkeeper in a large firm who suddenly comes to the notice of the firm's head in a most uncomplimentary manner. His rare knack of getting in trouble dogs Buster in and out of every scene and furnishes some exciting moments for him and his audience.

Other films included on the program are "Tom Gordon Goes Modern," the story of the new John Deere Models "50" and "60" Tractors; "Costly Bargains," a picture showing how the quality of John Deere parts is maintained; "Oddities in Farming," consisting of scenes of rare farming practices; and "What's New for 1953," unveiling the complete lineup of John Deere equipment for the coming year, showing this equipment at work in the field and demonstrating briefly all outstanding features.

Mr. Stansell, in his announcement, mentioned that although the program is free to farmers and their families, admission will be by ticket only. He invites farmers who have not received their tickets, or who require more, to be sure to stop at the store, Lockney Implement Co., and ask for them.

Photo Contest At Parker Furniture

A child photo contest will be held at Parker Furniture Store in Lockney with all photographs being made on Tuesday, January 13, it was announced this week. A skilled child photographer will make the photos in Parker Furniture Store.

Twenty-eight prizes will be awarded with the grand prize being a 11x14 brush oil portrait, it was said. All children from one month to 12 years are eligible to enter.

ATTENDING BUSINESS COLLEGE, PLAINVIEW

Miss Mary Louise Rigdon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rigdon enrolled recently in Watson's Business College at Plainview. Louise graduated from Lockney High School two years ago.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Pamela Baccus, little five months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. "Whitey" Baccus spent from December 31st until Sunday, January 4th in the Plainview hospital with virus pneumonia. She is convalescing at her home.

BILL ALFORD IMPROVING

Bill Alford, who has been in the Plainview hospital several days for treatment of a heart ailment, is improving and may be able to come home Friday, relatives report. It is expected that he will come home this week end some time if not Friday.

Hospital News

Patients In Hospital:

Mrs. Ella Marr, medical
Mrs. Charlie Cross, medical
Mrs. Alvie Ivey
H. E. Frizzell, medical
Jerry Lytle, medical
Dennis Lytle
Mrs. J. T. Spears.

New Arrivals:

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wisdom are the parents of a son born December 30. He weighed six pounds, five ounces and has been named William Henry. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wisdom are paternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jose De Jesus Arjona are the parents of a son born January 3rd. He has been named Alva Nely.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Fairman are the parents of a son born January 2nd. He weighed seven pounds, eight ounces and was named Mark Thomas. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sid Thomas of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Carthel are the parents of a daughter born January 5th. She has been named Glenda Joy. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cannon and Mr. and Mrs. John T. Carthel, all of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Spears are the parents of a son born January 2nd. He weighed eight pounds, nine ounces and has been named John Thomas. Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Spears are paternal grandparents.

Dismissed:

Clyde Newkirk
Mary L. Arjona and baby
Delia Rodriquez
Elijia Tamez
S. H. Millwee
Mrs. Fred Carthel
Mrs. Mark Fairman and baby
Mrs. Elmo Reeves
Mrs. John Lee Carthel and baby
Mrs. Jim Fuqua
Janie Ballard
Mrs. Bill Wisdom and baby
Mrs. Callie Shafer

Basketeers Win—

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school boys will play the Lone Star grade school team and the grade school girls will play the Floydada grade school girls in the local gym.

The Kress grade school boys and girls will come to Lockney for games on Thursday night of next week and on Friday of next week the Crosbyton teams will play here.

A CLEAN CITY IS A SAFE CITY!

Farm Bureau To Meet At Lubbock January 17th

Legislative strategy and organization plans for the Texas Farm Bureau in 1953 will be discussed at a special District 2 conference of state and local Farm Bureau leaders Jan. 17 at the Lubbock Hotel in Lubbock, according to W. R. Tilson, state director from this district.

The meeting is one of a series of legislative and organization conferences being held this month in 12 of the 13 Farm Bureau districts in the state. The sessions will begin at 10 a. m. with a report on the last state board meeting by the district director.

Legislative, organization and publicity conferences start at 11 a. m. and continue until noon. Vice-president C. H. DeVaney of Coahoma will preside at the legislative meet, State Field Representative Leon M. Lane will preside at the organization conference and Information Director Bill Hoover will meet with local newspaper reporters and County Farm Bureau publicity directors.

O. R. Long, southern field representative of the American Farm Bureau Federation, is scheduled to speak at a noon luncheon for the group.

Conferences will resume at 1 p. m. and continue until 2 p. m. At that time, DeVaney will speak to the assembly on "The Challenge To Texas Farm Bureau Federation." Following his talk, Lane will speak on the topic "Now Is The Time." A discussion period is scheduled after the speeches.

To be discussed in the conferences will be issues expected to come before the 53rd session of the Texas Legislature which meets Jan. 13 in Austin. These include legislation affecting rural roads, non-highway gas rebates, water and seed laws and many more issues vital to persons engaged in agriculture. The Texas Farm Bureau Federation was considered the most influential lobby at the last legislative session.

Among other things, the state farm organization led the fight that saved the rural road program in Texas and non-highway gasoline rebates. The Farm Bureau was also instrumental in obtaining other legislation favorable to the farmers and ranchers. Allied with the Farm Bureau in the road program battle were the rural letter carriers and county judges associations. Had the fight been lost, it would have meant, among the many repercussions, that the counties would lose their present road bond assumption monies, and that new sources of revenue would have to be found to finance county governments.

In the light of the vital issues expected to come before the legislature, DeVaney has urged all persons interested in the welfare of agriculture in Texas to join the Farm Bureau movement.

"The maxim 'in unity there is strength' is all too true," he stated. "The people in the rural areas of the state who depend upon the soil, either directly or indirectly, for a living must band together to protect their common interests in an expanding industrial economy. Even now, the farmer must buy from, sell to, and rely on services of economic groups that are strongly organized. This is an age of organization. The farmer must organize too, if he is to survive."

Miss June Carthel has returned to her duties as music director in the Denver City schools after spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Carthel and family.

Harold Lane Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Berry of Floydada and grandson of Mrs. W. I. Hightower of Lockney was taken to Amarillo Tuesday and underwent an eye operation Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Hightower spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Hightower's brother, J. D. Hopkins at Spur.

Texas' Highest Rating 4-H'

OUTSTANDING accomplishment in the 1952 National ership and Achievement programs has brought s ognition to four Texas 4-H Club members.

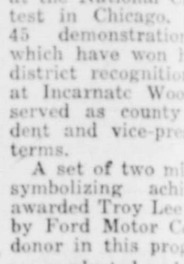
Recognition for outstanding leadership in club and community activities was accorded Jack Harris, 19, of Plainview, and Mary Wanda Kachtik, 17, of Brownsville.

Jack's activities include being president of the 4-H Club at Texas Technological College, helping 350 boys at a district judging contest, serving as co-chairman of Texas 4-H Council and training leaders for 4-H Club Roundup. In his own club he helped organize athletic teams and to carry out encampment plans. During his 11 years of club work he has served in many County and State offices.

Mary Wanda has been in club work six years during which time she has been active on County Encampment programs, Rally Days and District and State councils. In recognition for her activities she has received two all-expense trips to the Texas 4-H Junior Leadership Laboratories, has been chairman of Texas 4-H Council and president of the County Council for three years. A freshman at Texas State College for Women, she has been a junior and senior leader for six years.

A 17-jewel wrist watch was presented to each by Edward Foss Wilson, president of Wilson & Co., Chicago.

State-wide recognition has been accorded Troy Lee McNeill, 18,



Troy Lee McNeill

of Floydada, and Goertz, 19, of Red perior records of The 4-H Achievem one of the highest stowed on Club boy Selection is based project accomplishm tion records and c munity activity. Tr completed nine ye work, including field try, garden and projects. He has giv demonstrations and sides serving in ever office, he was presi trict two years, vice- County Council twice a leader.

In 4-H Club work Mary Ann has can more than 4,000 qu prepared 7,000 mea 211 garments. Beside of the national food winners, she repres at the National Ch test in Chicago. Sh 45 demonstrations, which have won her district recognition, at Incarnate Wood served as county c dent and vice-presid terms.

A set of two minia symbolizing achieve awarded Troy Lee a by Ford Motor Co., donor in this progra



Jack Harris



Mary Kachtik

All these national 4-H programs are conducted under t of the Cooperative Extension Service.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hodel spent part of the holidays in Clarendon with her brother and other relatives. The Hodels plan to leave this week for a vacation at Mineral Wells, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Applewhite left Tuesday for several weeks stay in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cook of Canyon spent Saturday night and Sunday here with his daughter, Mrs. Leslie Ferguson and family.

Mr. Odell Wilson visited his sister, Simpson Wednesday was employed as l ator at the Lockney years ago.

HOME HINTS

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