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Commencement At Wayland May 23

Plainview. — Rev. Grady Wilson and Rev. Cliff Barrows, members of the Billy Graham Evangelistic Team, will be principal speakers for the Wayland College Commencement, May 23-25, according to President J. W. Marshall. Seventy-one seniors from eight states and five countries: Texas, California, Indiana, Kansas, Maryland, Mississippi, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Brazil, China, Hawaii, Japan and Lebanon, are candidates for degrees in 1953.

Commencement begins with the Association of Former Students' business meeting and class reunions at 5:30 p. m., May 23, followed by their annual banquet at 8 p. m. in Col. C. C. Slaughter Memorial Center at which Mrs. B. H. Warren will speak on "What Wayland College Has Meant to Me." Mrs. Warren is retiring after 32 years of teaching English at Wayland. Reservations must be made by May 21.

Rev. Wilson and Rev. Barrows, who will deliver the baccalaureate and commencement addresses, will come direct from St. Louis where they have been in a month's city-wide evangelistic campaign. Rev. Wilson will preach the baccalaureate sermon at the 11 a. m. service at First Baptist Church. Two International Night services will be observed this year at 7:45 p. m. at both College Heights and First Baptist Churches with Rev. Wilson and Rev. Barrows bringing the missionary messages.

Faculty and staff of Wayland College will honor President and Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Warren and members of the Class of 1953 at a reception at 4 p. m., Sunday, in Col. C. C. Slaughter Memorial Center. All friends and relatives of the honored guests are cordially invited.

The Commencement exercises will be held in Plainview High School Auditorium, beginning at 7:30 p. m., May 25, with a concert by the Wayland International A Cappella Choir, under the direction of Dr. Shelby Collier. The procession forms at 8 p. m.

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Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the estate of Rhea Mitchell, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 17th day of April, 1953, by the county court of Floyd County. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address are Lockney, county of Floyd, state of Texas.

Frances Beth Mitchell, Administratrix with will annexed of Estate of Rhea Mitchell, Deceased. 5-4tc.

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"On Broadway a guy with a good memory is one who can remember when he wrote home last." — Peter Arnell.

"A home town is the place where people wonder how you got as far as you have." — Earl Wilson.

"Too often a college education goes to the head, rather than to the mind." Prof. W. M. Krogman.

George Washington had red hair, usually covered by a white wig.

HOME HINTS

Here's a tasty late supper treat: Alternate layers of baked beans and diced cooked ham in a casserole. On top layer (beans) sprinkle brown sugar with a touch of bay leaf. Bake at 375 degrees for one-half hour.

New Year's Day is a legal holiday in all states except Kansas and Massachusetts.

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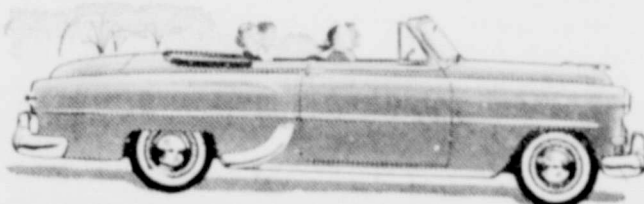
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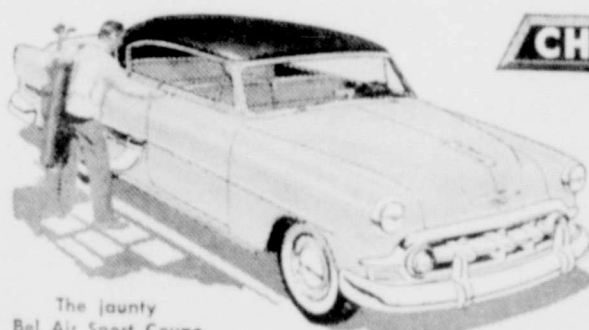
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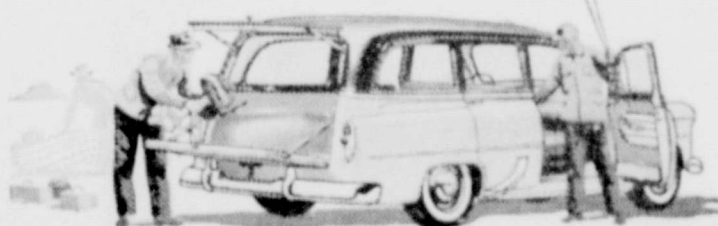
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Diphtheria is a disease of neglect, declared Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. If all babies, beginning at three months of age, were taken to a physician or clinic for immunization against diphtheria, the infant deaths from this disease would cease. Such immunization may be given in conjunction with whooping cough and tetanus vaccine for triple protection.

Diphtheria occurs most frequently in early childhood. It is caused by a germ that grows in the nose and throat and throws out a toxin or poison into

the blood stream. This poison may attack the heart muscle or it may cause a paralysis known as peripheral neuritis.

Diphtheria is a dangerous disease for a child to have and it is highly infectious to other children. It starts with a sore throat, fever, and sometimes croup and hoarseness.

Adequate immunization early in life is the main defense against diphtheria. It helps the body build up immunity against the dangerous malady.

About a year after completion of the initial triple immunization against diphtheria, whooping cough, and tetanus a booster injection may be given and another at four to six years of age. Some physicians advise a further injection at nine to ten years of age.

Although the death rate from diphtheria has been markedly reduced in the past twenty years, infants were unsafe without immunization. It is only when all babies are immunized early in life that the conquest of diphtheria will be accomplished.

Tahoka Rodeo Is Friday-Saturday

Plans are nearing completion for the annual Jaycee Rodeo in Tahoka on Friday night, Saturday afternoon and night, May 22 and 23.

Night performances will be at 8 o'clock, and the Saturday afternoon performance will be at 2 o'clock.

Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, a big parade has been planned with merchants and civic organization floats, led by the Tahoka High School 65-piece band and the Lynn County Sheriff's Posse. At least four other posess from neighboring towns are expected to appear in the parade.

Tickets are already on sale at \$1.25 for adults and 60 cents for students, and may be obtained from Queen contestants or any member of the Tahoka Jaycees.

Three girls have already entered the Rodeo Queen contest, but more are urged to enter. Those entered up to Thursday were Barbara McNeely and Patsy Smith of Tahoka and Jackie Smith of New Home. An attractive award will be given the young lady selling the most advanced tickets, and she will be honored in the parade on Friday afternoon.

Stock will be furnished this year by Morris Stephenson of Silverton, who is said to have

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some of the saltiest animals in the West. He will furnish bucking horses and bulls and a bunch of wild roping calves. He assures the Jaycees he has a large bunch of top cowboys lined up for the show.

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GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

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Christmas is not a legal holiday in Kansas.

William Howard Taft was the first president of the 48 states.

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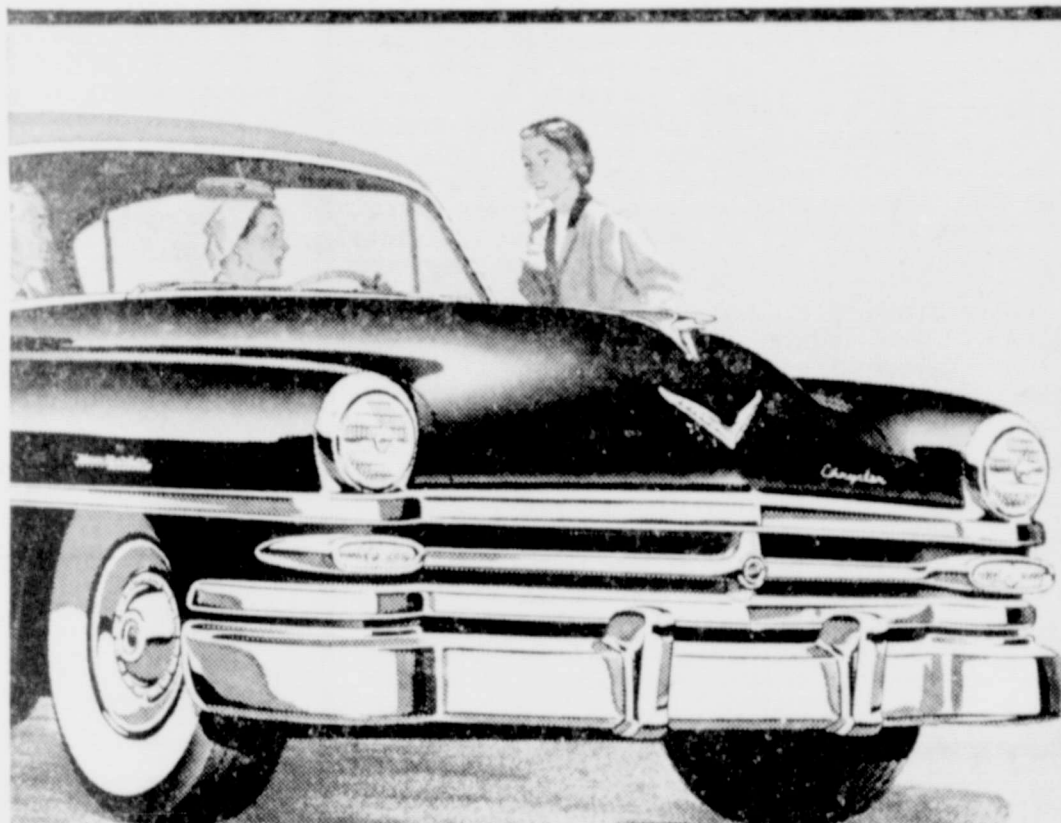
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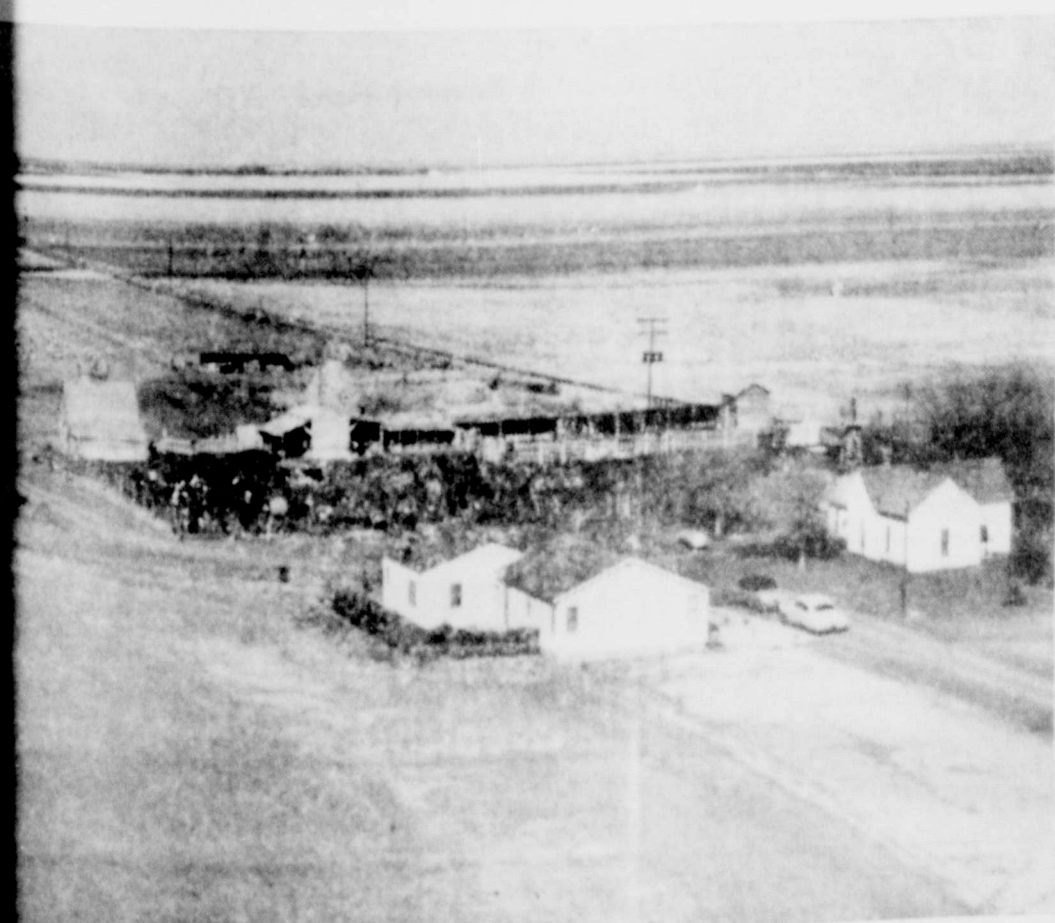
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Society

Aiken Friendship Circle Meets Tues.

Aiken Friendship Circle met with Mrs. Price Webb Tuesday afternoon, May 19.

Two new member were admitted into the club. They were Mrs. L. R. Collis and Mrs. Gene Collis. It was voted to send some funds to Girls Town to help on the new building there.

The afternoon was spent in doing dresden painting.

Mrs. Leslie Carlton will be hostess for the next meeting and this will be gift exchange day.

Present were Wilma Adams, Dorothy Bradley, Bobbie Kellison, Ora Collis, Gladys Golden, Frances Carlton, Ruth Hargrove, Wanda Collis, Annie Lee Kellison and the hostess, Marie Webb.



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National Honor Society Entertained

Members and sponsors of the National Honor Society of the Lockney High School enjoyed a Mexican dinner in the La Comida room in Plainview Tuesday evening.

After the meal was finished the group enjoyed a show "The Lone Hand" at the Granada.

Following the show, Mrs. Zeigler, one of the sponsors, entertained with a "coke party" in her home. One of the highlights particularly enjoyed was an explanation of the many antiques she has collected through the years. "They all have a history."

All reported an enjoyable time and an evening well spent. Those who attended were: Audrene Rhine, Elizabeth Handley, June Ware, Barbara Carthel, Eldon Fortenberry, Jimmy Myers, Barbara Hays, Sue Wofford, Betty Machen, Jovonne Taylor, Jerry Holt, Patty Wilkes, Ann Cooper, Bobby McCormick, Nancy Holland, Patsy Holland, Roy Johnston, Sharine Strickland, Frances Copeland, James Carthel, Ann Belt, Eddie Joe Foster, Charlotte Ragle, Harleen Workman, Gail Chambers, Darla Allison and the sponsors, Mrs. Zeigler, Mrs. Irons, Mrs. J. F. Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Lyon.

Recently elected officers of the society who will serve for the next school term are: President, Roy Johnston; Vice President, Jerry Holmes; Secretary, Barbara Hays; Treasurer, Rosemary McDonald.

Wesleyan Service Guild Meets

The Wesleyan Service Guild met Thursday evening, May 14 in the parlor of the First Methodist Church. Mrs. Milton Ashton, vice president, presided.

Mrs. C. H. Rose gave the devotional and included highlights of the District W. S. C. S. meeting at Plainview. Miss Nellie Brown gave an interesting map study and information on African products. Miss Harleen Workman spoke on African Women.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ringwald of Paris, Texas announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Del to Mr. Lilburn Couch of Paris, Texas.

The wedding will take place on Sunday, June 7 at 3:00 o'clock at the East Paris Baptist Church in Paris, Texas.

Miss Ringwald is a member of Lockney High School faculty.

PLEASANT VALLEY H. D. CLUB TO MEET

Mrs. R. C. Mitchell will be hostess to the Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration Club next Tuesday, May 26 at 2:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Hospital News

Mrs. Herbert May was dismissed 5-16.

Mr. Bert Bobbitt was dismissed 5-14 after receiving medical treatment.

Mr. Pete Thornton was dismissed 5-14 after receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. C. L. Henderson was admitted 5-15 for medical treatment and dismissed 5-17.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams are the parents of a baby girl born 5-17. She was named Lavonna Deanne. They were dismissed 5-19.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robertson are the parents of a baby girl born 5-18. She was named Debra Jo.

Mrs. E. A. McLeod was admitted 5-17 for medical treatment and dismissed 5-19.

Rev. and Mrs. C. Y. Pickens are the parents of a son born 5-18. He was named Charles Rex. Mother and baby were dismissed 5-20.

Jimmy Thornhill was admitted for tonsilectomy 5-19 and dismissed 5-20.

A. D. Perryman was admitted 5-20 for medical treatment. Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert May are the parents of a son born 5-13. He was named Herbert Dale.

Seniors Go On Tour To Washington, D. C.

Following graduation exercises at the First Baptist Church on Monday night, May 25 members of the graduating class and their sponsors will board a T. N. M. & O. bus at 12:00 midnight for a tour to Washington D. C. They plan to be gone 11 days, returning home on June 5.

The first night away from home will be spent in Memphis, Tenn., the second in Knoxville, Tennessee, the third in Charlotte, North Carolina and the fourth in the nation's capital. For four or five days they plan to visit the many places of interest in Washington before starting their return trip via Richmond, Virginia, about June 2. From there they will journey to Atlanta, Ga., Birmingham, Ala., Vicksburg, Miss., Monroe, La., Shreveport, La., thence to Dallas and finally to Lockney.

Sponsoring the group will be Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Lyon, and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Brewer, all teachers in the school system. The same bus driver who drove for the New Orleans trip last year will be the driver of the chartered bus to Washington.

TONI NADINE PINNER

The new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pinner who was born Wednesday, April 29 at Plainview Hospital, has been named Toni Nadine. She weighed 6 lbs., 14 1/2 oz. The young lady has a sister, Beverley Jo, nearly four years of age. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Tomme and Mrs. Virgie Pinner, all of Lockney.

Senior Students Selected By Clubs

The Lockney Rotary Club and the Business and Professional Women's Club chose members of the Senior Class as representatives of the club for the year.

In making the selection, the committee used such standards as: dependability, courtesy, how they cooperated with faculty and school, citizenship and good all-around student.

The Junior Rotarians selected were: James Carthel, David Jameson, Donald Ray Wiggington, Jerry Irons, and Norton Bakker. Each boy was a guest of the Rotary Club for one month.

The B. & P. W. girls of the month were: Frances Copeland, Rochelle Rigdon, Mary Jo Bonner and June Wiley. A tea was given by the club for these and other girls of the Senior Class recently.

Congratulations are extended

to both clubs and to the honored students.

O. E. S. CALLS MEETING

A meeting of Lockney Order of Eastern Star No. 437 is called for the purpose of initiation on Saturday night, May 23 at 7:30 according to Mrs. Herman King, Worthy Matron. Officers and other members are urged to be present.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

CHARLES REX PICKENS
Rev. and Mrs. C. Y. Pickens are parents of Charles Rex, born May 18, weighing 7 1/2 lbs. His date is 2 1/2 years. Pickens is pastor of Methodist Church.

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THE AVERAGE HOME IS UNPREPARED FOR DISASTER IN THE FORM OF BURNS OR SCALDINGS. In the bathroom medicine cabinet, sometimes, will be found a tube of some patent burn remedy. Most of our homes do not have any remedy, and are absolutely helpless and confused as to what to do until medical help arrives.

HALF A CENTURY AGO, THERE WAS NO PROBLEM AS EVERY HOUSEHOLD HAD ITS OWN REMEDY FOR TREATMENT OF BURNS. This was, generally, the application (liberally) of whatever greasy material might be at hand, were plastered with anything from butter and lard to bacon grease.

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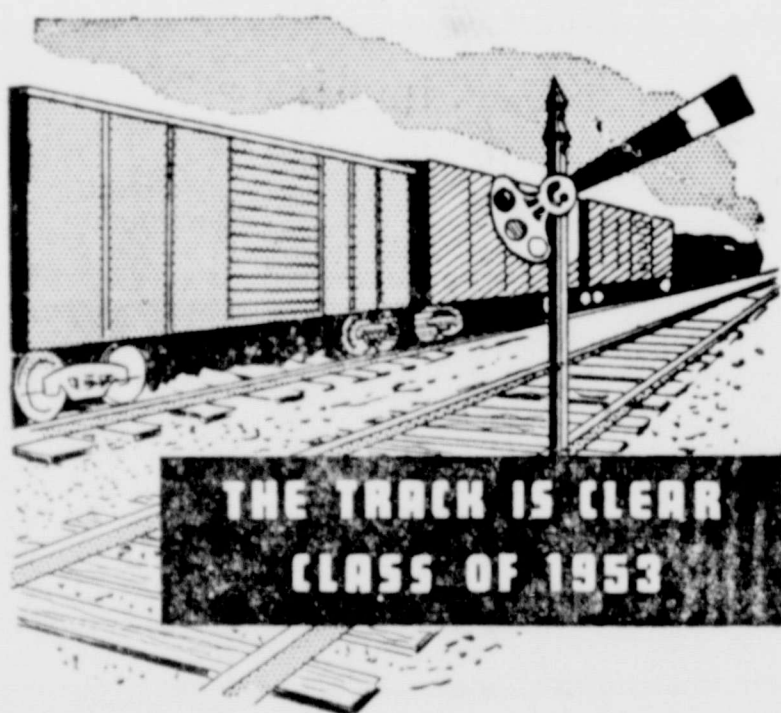
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SOUTH PLAINS NEWS

by Mrs. Murray Julian

The big news here is the fine rain which fell over the week end. Two and a half inches were reported in most parts of our vicinity for all the showers. Many farmers had their cotton in, and this rain will mean they will mean they will either have to repant or use devices for getting the cotton through the soil. No hail fell with the rain, and many lakes filled.

All the schools are busy with preparations for graduation and last of school entertainments. School at South Plains closes officially with the giving out of report cards on Friday morning, and an all day picnic for the children and parents to MacKenzie Park in Lubbock on Friday, Thursday night, May 21, at the South Plains school there will be a program with everyone cordially invited. The entertainment starts at eight o'clock. Floydada schools have the senior High School class graduation on May 26, and there are six seniors from here who will graduate. Eighth grade graduation exercises will be on Monday night, May 25th at Andrews Ward school, and there are six from South Plains who will graduate to high school.

Rev. Chas. Joiner visited in our community on Thursday afternoon. He called on Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bradshaw, and found Mr. Bradshaw feeling much better, and he visited with his nephew, Murray Julian and family.

Mrs. Bob Reeves visited Mr. and Mrs. Sim Reeves from Wednesday until Saturday of last week. She came out from Plainview and with Mrs. Reeves attended the bridal shower held at the Walter Wood home on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weast went to Amarillo on Saturday evening and took their grandson, Gary Lee home. He had been spending the week here in South Plains. The Weasts did some shopping and visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans and family until Sunday afternoon.

The Daily Vacation Bible School of the First Baptist Church will open for registration on Saturday, May 30, and will be in session on June 1 for eight days. They will hold their closing exercises on Wednesday, June 10. Most of the ladies of the church will either teach or help with the refreshments from day to day.

Mrs. Menard Field from Floydada was a luncheon guest of Mrs. George Weast on Wednesday at noon, and later attended the Home Demonstration Club meeting and shower held at the home of Mrs. Walter Wood. Later on Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. George Beedy and Mrs. Lucy Thornton of Lockney were guests at the Weast home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson spent Monday attending to some business matters in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian, Terry, Kendis and Bruce went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arby Mulder and children on Thursday night of last week, where they enjoyed a delicious fried chicken supper, and they all spent the evening viewing television.

Many of our young people attended the eighth grade party held at the Andrews Ward

school on Friday night of last week. Present were James Higginbotham, Virginia Taylor, Kendis Julian, Louise Pritchett, Donnie Carol Young and Winfred West. Several of the parents attended the party with the children.

Pvt. Richard T. Merrell, brother of Mrs. J. P. Taylor came home on Sunday for a brief eight days with his family before he goes on further assignment. He does not know whether it will be Korea or Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure went to Lubbock on Saturday afternoon to visit the Reece Air Force Base, where there was open house held, and they enjoyed going through all the big planes which were open for inspection.

The P-TA meeting was postponed Friday afternoon on account of the rain, and it is scheduled for Tuesday afternoon May 19. New officers for the coming year will be elected at this meeting.

Young Couple Wedded Everyone in our community extends best wishes for the happiness to Raymond Reeves and Faye Ruth Bingham, of Silverton, who were married on May 8 in Floydada, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Joe Wilson, with Rev. Wilson performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reeves were here for the ceremony while he was on leave. The Raymond Reeves will be farming in our vicinity on the Reeves farm north of South Plains.

On Saturday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman were pleasantly surprised with a visit from Rev. Malone, from Plainview, former minister of South Plains.

Home Demonstration Club Meets The South Plains Home Demonstration Club met on Wednesday, May 13, at the home of Mrs. Walter Wood, with Mrs. John Wilson as co-hostess, and the meeting was a lovely bridal shower, also, for Mrs. Deral Young. The meeting opened with club members giving their favorite Bible character, and Mrs.

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Helen Karr gave a talk on "What Religion Means to Me." Mrs. Murray Julian gave the "History of Sacred Songs," and the group sang a sacred song and later Mrs. W. S. Spearman gave a talk on "Why Go to Church?" Mrs. Marble presided over the meeting, and there was a discussion by those attending the T. H. D. A. meeting in Lubbock, and each told how much they had enjoyed it.

As the ladies registered, they were served punch and decorated cakes from the punch service at the lovely dining area, where the lace covered table and lovely flowers made a pretty setting for crystal punch bowl. After the business meeting, the group gathered for the opening of the packages by Mrs. Pike Hanna, as Mrs. Deral Young could not be present. Club members present

were Mesdames Bryan Karr, Murray Julian, W. S. Spearman, Geo. Beedy, L. T. Wood, Arby Mulder, R. E. Young, Albert Stewart, R. G. Dunlap, Grigsby Milton, Dock Jones, Menard Field, John West, H. L. Marble, hostesses, Walter Wood and John Wilson. New members, Mrs. S. A. Thornton and Mrs. Paul Snodgrass. Guests present were Mesdames Pike Hanna, Jean Gordon, Sim Reeves, Robert Reeves, and Kenneth Beas. Others sending gifts were Mesdames Zach Cummings, Harry Hartman, Sterling Cummings, Bryant Higginbotham, Dick Guest, Bill Beedy, Kendall Cummings, Ralph McGuire, Raymond Upton, Frank Brown, and George Weast. The next club meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Zach Cummings. Mrs. Bryan Karr as co-hostess, and the date is Wednesday, May 27.



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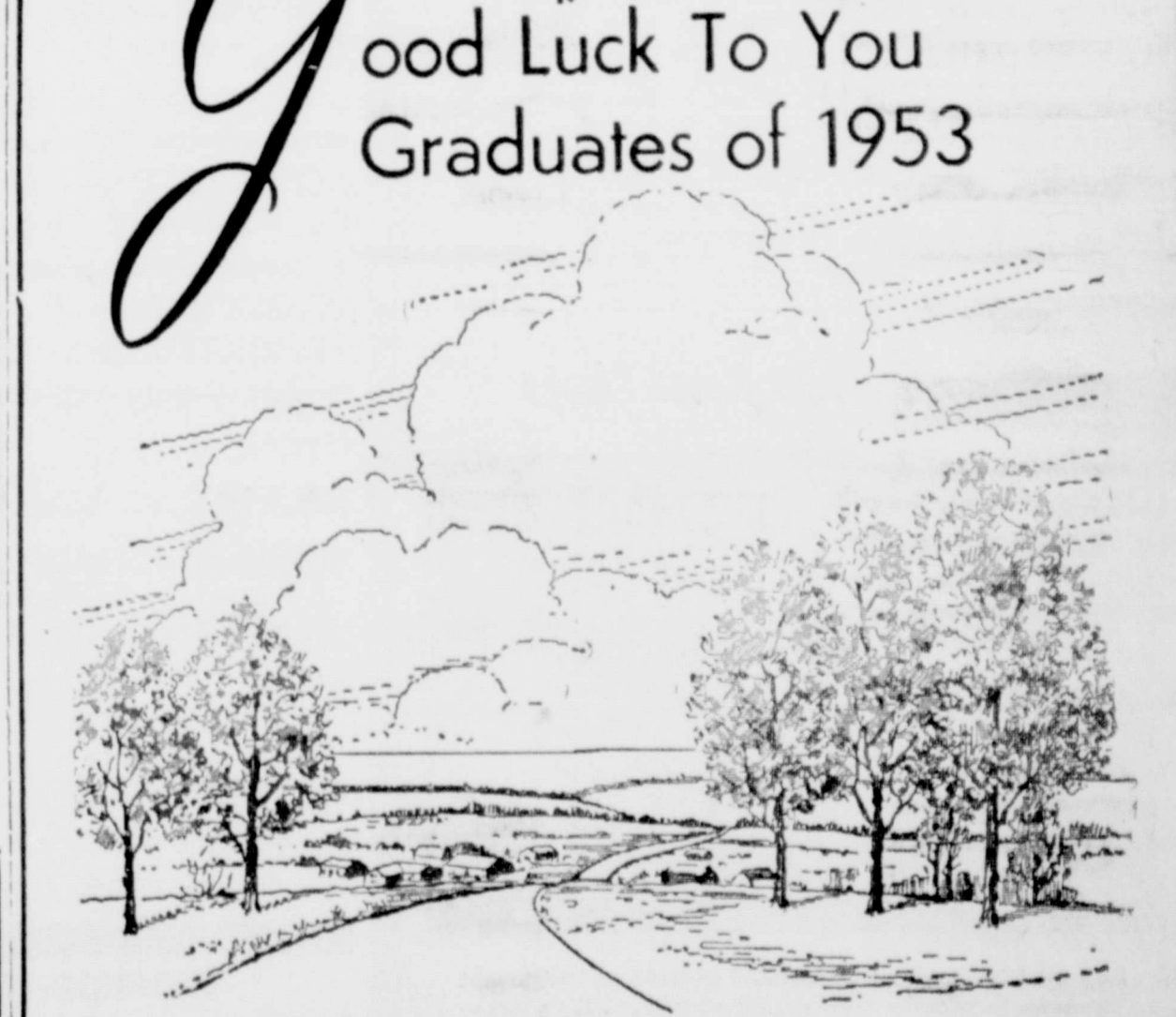
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Rotary Hoe Saves On Cotton Crops

College Station. — Texas cotton producers last year equipped almost four times as many tractors with rotary hoes as in 1949. The number jumped from 7,000 in 1949 to 26,000 in 1952. That word comes from Fred C. Elliott, cotton specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and he says, the popularity of this equipment is due to its labor-saving value.

Reports from many of the 133 counties in which rotary hoes were used last year show that savings up to 60 percent were made on the chopping and hoeing bills. In some sections of the state, Elliott says, hoeing and chopping account for about one-fourth of all the man hours required to produce a cotton crop and any practice, he adds, which will reduce this heavy labor load will leave more money for the producer after harvest.

The rotary hoe is especially good, says Elliott, for controlling the early weed growth, but the equipment must be properly adjusted and the tractor operated at the right ground speed for best results. The tractor should be operated in third gear at speeds up to five or six miles an hour. An experienced operator, under favorable conditions, can do a good job at even faster speeds, says the specialist.

The picker wheels should be set so they will break the surface crust to a depth of one-half to three-fourths of an inch. When properly adjusted, the picker wheels break up the surface crust and also tears up the soil so that seedling weeds and grass are exposed to the action of the sun and wind before they have a chance to come through the ground and before their root systems become established.

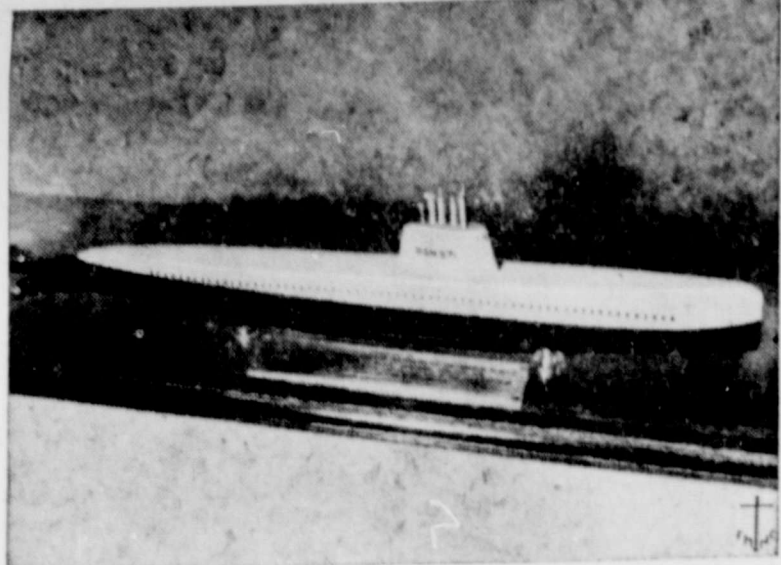
Don't make the mistake of reducing the ground speed of the tractor just because the stand of young cotton appears to be taking a beating. Elliott points out that tests made by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and demonstrations conducted by farmers show that damage does not occur if the rotary hoe is properly adjusted. For the cotton seed, he explains, was planted well below the regulated depth at which the picker wheels should be run and thus very little or no damage will occur.

Two other mechanical practices which have been successfully used in some parts of the state for cutting the hoeing and chopping bill are cross-cultivation and using a mechanical cotton chopper.

Local county agents can supply additional information on labor saving practices which may be used to cut the cost of producing cotton, says Elliott.

Lone Star Baptist Church

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching service 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:00 p. m.
Preaching service 8:15 p. m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
W. M. U. first and third Wednesdays at 2:00 p. m.
Young Men's Brotherhood first Monday at 8:00.
Men's Brotherhood second Monday at 8:00.
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A MODEL of the USS Nautilus, nuclear powered atomic submarine of tomorrow. The keel of the Nautilus was laid last year at the Electric Boat Company, New London, Conn. (Official U. S. Navy Photograph—319098)

HOME HINTS

To keep breaded pork chops hot and crisp when not served immediately, place them in the

upper part of a double broiler placed over the simmer burner of your gas range, with lower part filled with very hot water.

Brief Articles On The Draft Law

The draft law requires every man registered with a local board to report any change in personal status to his board.

"Young men have asked us just what changes they should report," Brig. Gen. Paul L. Wakefield, state draft director, says. "Generally, anything which has a bearing on classification should be reported."

The state director pointed to the following things which should be regarded as change of personal status:

1. Current change of mail address should always be sent to the board.
2. Marriage should be reported at once.
3. If a wife becomes pregnant with a couple's first child, a physician's certificate must be sent to the board immediately after the fact is known.

4. All additions to the family must be reported.
5. Any and all deaths in a man's family should be reported.
6. If a man and wife are divorced or they no longer live together, this must be reported.
7. Permanent change of job should be reported.
8. Serious injury or physical defect should be reported.
9. If a man becomes a student in a college or university, this fact should be reported.
10. If a man enters the Reserves or National Guard, he should ask his commanding officer to notify his board. He should assure his board is done.
11. If a man has volunteered for service and has been accepted, he should advise his board.

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Kindergarten To Graduate Also

The regular school students won't be the only ones to have graduation exercises this year. The "Mother Goose Kindergarten" taught by Mrs. Derrell Wood, will also have graduation exercises for those students who will start to regular school next year.

These exercises will be held at the First Methodist Church Friday evening of this week starting at 8 o'clock. The public is invited, Mrs. Wood says.

A short program, a review of the year's course of study, will be presented by the entire student body, including the "seniors" and "juniors" also. Each youngster will introduce his own number.

The "seniors" or graduates will wear caps and gowns of the school colors, pink and blue. An organ number will be given by the music director, Mrs. Joe Holt. Diplomas and other awards will be given by the teacher, Mrs. Wood.

A reception will be held following the program.

Students who will graduate from the kindergarten this year include Rena Bilbrey, son of Mrs. Johna Bilbrey, Linda Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Carter; Johnny Ed Chandler, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Chandler; Mike Crum, son of Dr. and Mrs. K. O. Crum; Joe Dean Hammonds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hammonds; Johnny Hancock, son of Mrs. Nettie Mae Hancock; Cheryl Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Kelley; Bobby Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller; Monetta Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith; Toni Sue Webster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Webster.

Other students who attended the school this year were: Jack Ooley, Charles Smith Jr., Joe Holt Jr., Cheri Chatham, Gay Hancock, Tony Frizzell, Billy Tom Hays, Ada Kay Reese.

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Visits Parents

A 3c Bill Stowe who is stationed at the Air Force Base at Sheppard Field near Wichita Falls, Texas spent from Wednesday of last week until Tuesday noon of this week here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stowe.

Bill has recently been transferred to Wichita Falls from San Antonio and is beginning a course of training in Mechanics School.

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Cheryl Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Kelley, won the honor of being "Miss Kindergarten" when her classmates at the "Mother Goose Kindergarten" voted for her recently in an election. Cheryl's favorite study was the number work book and she is looking forward to grade school so she can study English. She has enjoyed kindergarten very much and "just loves" all the kiddies there. She will move with her parents late this summer to Alpine where her daddy is to be coach next year. Her ambition is to be a nurse.

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MASTER KINDERGARTEN

Joe Dean Hammonds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hammonds, was selected "Master Kindergarten" by a vote of his classmates in the "Mother Goose Kindergarten" recently. His favorite study is "Let's Learn To Read" workbook and he is anxious to get started in the "big" school in order to learn all about number work. He knows he will like recess and when he gets big he wants to own the International house.

se, "down here at the end of town." Joe Dean will lead the march for the diplomas in the graduating exercises for the senior kindergarten students Friday evening.

Sterley News

by Mrs. M. A. Boone

We received 1½ inches of moisture from the rains over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mullins spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Howard left Saturday for a few days visit with relatives in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. A. C. Seymour left Sunday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Maxine Reeves of Fort Worth who is sick.

Visitors in the Bert Bobbitt home this week were his children, Rev. and Mrs. Lee Cates and boys of Manilla, Ark., and Miss Evelyn Bobbitt of Amarillo.

Mr. M. A. Buchanan left Sunday for St. Joseph Hospital in Fort Worth where he will undergo surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnston left Sunday for a two weeks vacation in East Texas and Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brownlow visited relatives in Amarillo over the week end.

A 3-C Howard Gibson of Shepherd Field in Wichita Falls spent the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Gibson.

Mrs. M. O. Buchanan and children, and Norma and Jane Warren visited friends in Hart Sunday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reeves were Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Howell, Mr. Bert Bobbitt, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Bobbitt and Susan, Rev. and Mrs. Lee Cates and boys of Manilla, Ark., and Miss Evelyn Bobbitt of Amarillo.

Those attending Maintenance of Way Employee's picnic in Plainview Saturday were: M. O. Buchanan and family, R. C. Warren and family and L. C. Crader and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McMinin and Bud McMinin of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. Ples Visage of Lubbock spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Messimer and family.

Miss Fredda Bybee of Dallas is spending the week here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Bybee and family.

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Society News

Faculty Party Held In Jordan Home

A Canasta party honoring brides-to-be, Mary Ringwald, Jane Kirkland, and Wilda Franklin, was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jordan on May 16. Invited were Supt. and Mrs. W. C. Irons; Principal and Mrs. F. M. Smith; Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Lyon; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Kelley; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ball; Mr. and Mrs. Roland Zeigler; Mrs. Helen Chaney; Algene O'Daniel; Bobby Lu Casey; Joan Brown; Ann Williamson; Shelley Lantrip; Neil Henderson; Mr. and Mrs. McLee Brewer.

Spring flowers were used throughout the house and the guests were served sandwiches, cookies, coffee and cokes.

Miss O'Daniel presented gifts to the surprised honorees. Miss Ringwald was given a place setting of sterling, Miss Kirkland a silver butter dish and Joan Brown a silver aluminum pitcher and six glasses.

Study Club Luncheon In Carthel Home

El Progreso Study Club concluded the season's meetings Wednesday, May 13 with a one o'clock luncheon in the home of Mrs. Hershel Carthel.

Roses, hydrangea, and other spring flowers were placed at vantage points about the entertaining rooms. Places were laid for Mmes. Clyde Applewhite, Dee Copeland, Leslie Ferguson, Henry Hodel, Joe Holt, L. M. Honea, Chester Mitchell, Beth Mitchell, T. B. Mitchell, E. M. Quebe, Guy Sams, Henry Schacht, C. J. Taylor, Sid Thomas, and the hostesses, Mmes. Hershel Carthel, Beth Mitchell, G. M. Brunnier and Mrs. Edgar Hays.

Mrs. Leslie Ferguson, president, was presented with a book of meditations as a gift from the club. Mrs. Brunnier made the presentation.

New year books were distributed with the fall meetings to be held on September 9.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

W. C. Irons Hosts At Senior Reception

In the home of Superintendent and Mrs. W. C. Irons, a reception was given Sunday afternoon honoring their son, Jerry, and other members of the Senior Class.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Irons who presented them to Mr. Irons, the Superintendent of Lockney Schools; Mrs. Clyde Applewhite, the first grade teacher of the present class; Norton Baker, class president; Mrs. Mildred Zeigler and Elvin Lyon, class sponsors; Frances Copeland, valedictorian; June Wiley, Salutatorian, and Jerry Irons, honoree.

Accordion music was furnished by Mrs. C. L. Record, music teacher, and one of her students, Gail Chambers. Janice Mathis secured names for the register.

The class colors of red and white and their motto: "The World Is At Your Fingertips" were carried out in decorations. The dining table was featured in a white cut work Maderia cloth. For the centerpiece a styrofoam base surrounded by red foil contained a china doll dressed in red cap and gown facing a globe of the world. A bouquet of red and white carnations and the raised motto were flanked by tall white tapers entwined with red foil and held in double crystal candelabra banked with matching nosegays.

The buffet was centered with a bowl of red carnations on a reflector flanked by triple candle sticks with white tapers and red satin bows.

Presiding at the punch service was Jayne Aldredge, Sharrine Strickland served cake squares iced in white, topped with a red rose. Nuts and mints were also served. Assisting in the service were: Mrs. Lucille Jordan, Miss Joan Brown and Mrs. Marvin Gilbert.

Those who registered were: Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Lyon, Jayne Aldredge, June Wiley, Frances Copeland, Norton Baker, Sharrine Strickland, Mrs. Clyde Applewhite, Liz Handley, Ann Cooper, Bobby McCormick, Warren Mathis, Nita Kellison, Susie Farrish, Mavis Tate, Rochelle Rigdon, John Dorman, Patricia Pylant, Alfred Smith, Aubrey Cox, Billy Chandler, Ray Ford, John B. Griffin, Mary Jo Bonner, Bill Sherman, Audrene Rhine, Dora Eiland, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Tannahill, Nell Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Kelley, Shelly Lantrip, Algene O'Daniel, Kathryn Norris, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown, Nancy Holland, Dorothy Marr, Patsy Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Smith, David Jameson, Gayle Chambers, Joe Taylor, Teddy Carthel, Lewis Foster, Orland Gilbert, Gene Applewhite, Mr. and Mrs. Whiteley Baccus, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Record and Donna Lyn, Jerry Irons, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jordan, Mrs. Mildred Zeigler, Joan Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. Irons.

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BETROTHED

Mrs. Florence Hooten of Lockney, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Evelyn, to Bobby G. Dorman, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Dorman of Hart, Texas.

The wedding will take place June 1 at the home of the bride's mother.

Mrs. Garland Sams H. D. Club Hostess

Lockney Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, May 14 in the home of Mrs. Garland Sams. Roll call was answered with "My favorite Bible Character."

The program began with the singing of a hymn, Mrs. Henry J. Moore played the piano accompaniment. "What Religion Means to Me" was given by Mrs. Raymond Watson. "Why Go to Church?" was given by Mrs. N. S. Abbott and a poem, "The Gospel According to You" was given by Mrs. Ross Cooper. Mrs. Thomas Marr and Mrs. Ross Cooper sang, "No One Ever Cared for Me Like Jesus."

Beautiful handmade gifts were exchanged and Mrs. Raymond Watson led in a Bible Quiz game.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. N. S. Abbott, F. L. Brown, Henry Bollman, W. F. Anderson, J. H. Cooper, Ross Cooper, Carl Ferguson, L. M. Honea, M. S. Johnson, Thomas Marr, B. B. Moody, E. L. Stapp, J. E. Tierce, Calvin Tomme, Carthel of Hereford, Raymond Watson, E. M. Whorton, Henry J. Moore and the hostess.

The next meeting will be on May 28, at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. E. M. Whorton. Miss Lella Petty will give the demonstration on curtains and draperies.

On June 11 the club will have a craft meeting. Members are asked to contact Mrs. Ross Cooper or Mrs. Garland Sams, craft leaders, if they have a craft to demonstrate.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mrs. W. L. Hightower announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Margaret Mat-eign to Mr. Raymond Stoeley of Lockney. The ceremony will take place in the Hightower home on June 1.

Mrs. Geo. Mills of Amarillo visited in the J. H. Cooper home Monday afternoon.

Norma Joe Teeple Honored At Shower

The home of Mrs. E. O. Barrett was the scene of a bridal shower honoring Miss Norma Jo Teeple, bride-elect of Charles M. Payne of Matador. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Teeple of Lone Star and the prospective bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Ethel Payne of Matador. They are both to receive degrees this month from WTSC, Canyon.

The serving table was laid with lace over blue decorated with an improvised blue sea, a golden ship with a mast of lilies and white carnations. The sails were blue and a long pennant proclaimed the names, "Norma and Charles," whose wedding date is May 27. Crystal appointments completed the table decorations. Mrs. J. B. Barrett poured, assisted by Mrs. W. D. Nance and Mrs. H. E. Frizzell.

Mrs. C. L. King presided at the register, Mrs. Bob Muncy and Mrs. Hoyette Hodges were in the gift room. Floral arrangements were furnished by Mrs. J. L. Lovvorn and Mrs. C. L. King.

Hostesses were Mmes. Barrett, W. D. Nance, J. L. Lovvorn, Bailey Henderson, Albert King, M. A. Martin, C. L. King, Hoyette Hodges, Bob Muncy, H. E. Frizzell, J. B. Barrett, J. T. Griffin, J. B. Nance, Bob Murrell and C. D. Merrick.

Fifty-three guests registered and a number of others sent gifts.

Rainbow Girls Are Initiated

In an impressive and colorful ceremony held in Floydada Monday night a number of girls were initiated into the Order of Rainbow Girls. Among them were Charlyne Messimer, Betty Machen and Lajuan Henderson of Lockney.

Others in attendance at the meeting from here were Mrs. J. H. Cooper, Mrs. Raymond Rucker, Mrs. Luther Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Messimer.

Mrs. E. B. Berryman and children of Aspermont spent from Friday until Monday night in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. R. Naylor, Janice and Rhudy. Mr. Berryman accompanied them home Monday night.

De Juan Strickland who has been in Oneda, South Dakota for several weeks in the interest of the Stricklands ranch, returned home the first of this week. He reports that the lake on the ranch is in good shape.



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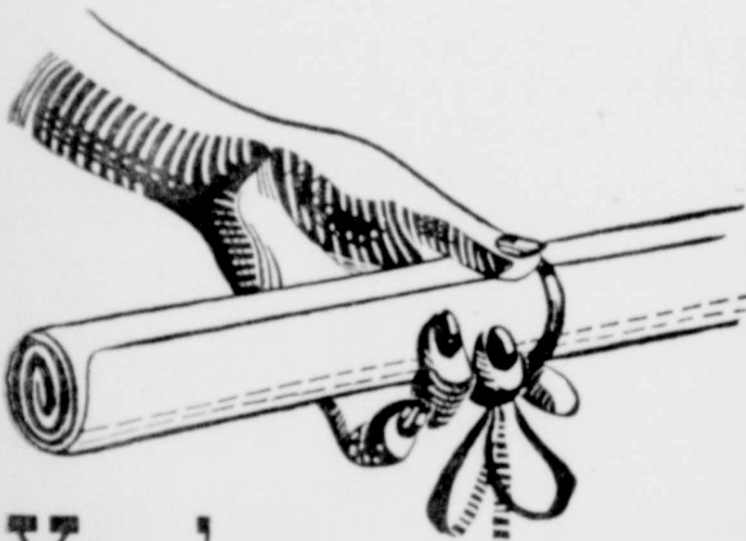
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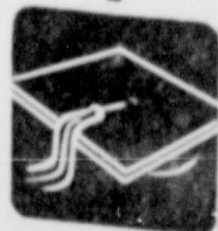
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Rosetta was skeptical. She didn't think Ford's gasoline carriage would amount to much. Finally, with great reluctance she agreed to let her brother risk \$100 of her money, and not a penny more, in the wild scheme.

In the years that followed, Rosetta Couzens Hausa must have scolded herself for being so cautious. From its start in 1903, Ford Motor Company became the most astonishingly successful industrial enterprise the world has seen. In 1919, after collecting \$95,000 in dividends, Mrs. Hausa sold her \$100 interest in the company to the Ford family for \$260,000.

The tale of Mrs. Hausa's \$100 and how it grew is one of the many colorful Ford stories that will be recalled by automobile

men during the observance this year of Ford Motor Company's 50th anniversary. Prominent Americans from all walks of life will join with Henry Ford II, president of the company, and his employees in marking the anniversary at the Rouge headquarters in Dearborn, Michigan, and at manufacturing and assembly plants and sales offices all over the world.

Varieties of cotton grown in this country have been reduced in the past 25 years from 600 to 30 improved types. Strength and length of fiber have been increased through breeding improvements and cotton is more uniform and dependable.

"An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure" when it comes to protecting wheat or other stored grain from insects, birds and rodents.

A reduction in expenditures can be expected this year on farms that make large purchases of feed and livestock and reductions in cash returns will be greatest on farms whose products have dropped farthest in price since 1932, such as beef cattle.

Farm Storage Of Crops Recommended

College Station. — Increased supplies of most farm products are largely responsible for the lower prices. Demand, says C. H. Bates, farm management specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, is now fully as strong as in 1932, except for some farm products which have been materially affected by dropping exports.

It is significant, points out Bates, that large supplies of farm products accumulated despite last year's drought. With favorable weather during the 1953 crop season, he adds, stocks of food, feed and fiber may climb even higher. Storage and orderly marketing thus become more important when reserve supplies become surpluses.

Bates uses an example to show the value of on-the-farm storage. Last year, oat producers in North Central Texas sold oats during late May and early June, harvest time, for 75 to 80 cents a bushel. Four months later, the same quality and type were selling for \$1.30 to \$1.40 a bushel with much of the demand coming from growers for planting seed. Some oats moved at \$1.15 a bushel when bulkloaded from farm bins. This margin, says the specialist, was greater than the usual average but over

a period of years, the margin will more than pay for storage and the small shrinkage loss.

A glutted market, he says, always means depressed prices and often times markets can be stabilized by storage during peak harvesting periods. Also, farm storage will insure ample supplies of feed and seed without adding needless freight and handling charges.

On-the-farm storage permits livestock producers to take advantage of lower prices at harvest time especially if crops are short on their own farm.

Prospects for feed grain crops have been improved by recent rains and Bates encourages farmers to take a look now at their storage facilities. If plans for storage bins are needed, he suggests a visit with the local county agent. Blueprints and plans are available without cost from this source.

Financial assistance on storage facilities, he says, may be obtained through local lending agencies or the local office of the Production and Marketing Administration. The assistance from PMA is assured through June 30, but don't put off planning the needed storage facilities. Make the plans now and have the facilities ready well in advance of the harvest season, says Bates.

THE LOCKNEY BEACON, LOCKNEY, TEXAS, MAY 21, 1953

WT Commencement Is Monday Night

Canyon. — Dr. Delyte W. Morris, president of Southern Illinois University, will make the commencement address for the 219 candidates for degrees at West Texas State College on May 25, President James P. Cornette has announced.

Baccalaureate speaker on Sunday, May 24, will be Rev. Richard B. Clayborne, pastor of the First Christian Church of Borger. Sunday services begin at 11 a. m., and commencement Monday starts at 10 a. m.

Other activities scheduled for graduating seniors include a commencement concert by the West Texas State Band at 3 p. m. and the annual reception for graduates and their families given by President and Mrs. Cornette at their residence from 4 to 6 p. m. Sunday.

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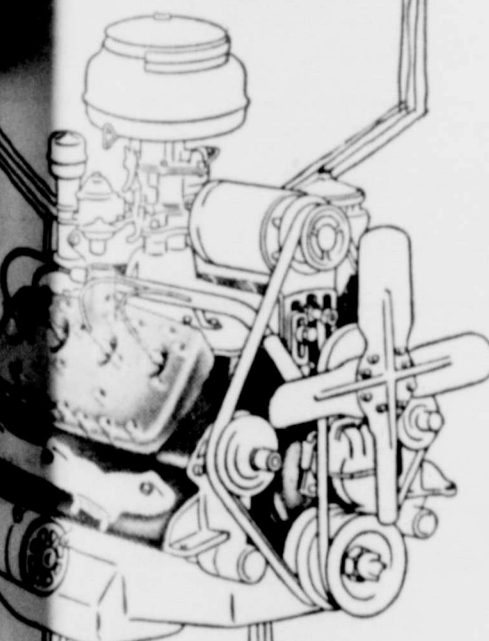
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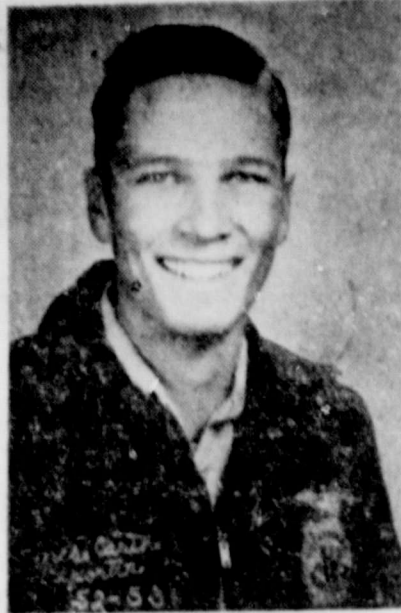
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Lockney

Old Settlers—

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 Second best community float, \$5.00 in merchandise by Darnell Grocery, Lockney.
 Third best community float, \$2.50 in trade at Buster's Barber Shop, Lockney.
 Fourth best community float, \$2.50 cash by Association.
 Oldest man in parade, \$5.00 in merchandise from White Auto Store, Lockney.
 Second oldest man in parade, \$2.50 cash by Association.
 Oldest woman in parade, \$10 in cash from South Plains Gin at Sterley.
 Second oldest woman in parade, \$2.50 in cash by Association.
 Best dressed old time cowboy, \$10.00 in cash by Bilibrey Motor Co., Lockney.
 Best dressed old time Cowgirl, \$5.00 in cash by Buck Sams, Lockney, and \$5.00 in merchandise from Baker Hardware, Lockney.
 Second best dressed old time Cowboy, \$2.50 in cash by the Association.
 Best dressed Junior Cowboy, \$5.00 hat from Faggard Dry Goods, Lockney, plus chicken dinner at White Rose Cafe, Lockney.
 Best dressed Junior Cowgirl, Tuf-Nut Western Suit by Lena Fae Store, Lockney, plus chicken dinner at White Rose Cafe, Lockney.
 Best old time Vehicle, \$5.00 in merchandise at Jackson Tire Co., Lockney.
 First prize for commercial float, \$5.00 in cash by Association and \$5.00 in merchandise from Baker Dry Goods, Lockney.
 Second best commercial float, \$3.00 in cash by Hugh Counts, Lockney, and \$2.00 in cash by Association.
 Third best commercial float, \$2.50 in cash from Oliver Jewelry, Lockney.
 Fourth best commercial float, \$2.00 in cash by Association.
 Best dressed man in old time dress, \$5.00 in trade at Longhorn Barber Shop, Lockney.
 Second best dressed man in old time dress, \$2.50 cash by Association.
 Best dressed woman in old time dress, \$5.00 in merchandise from Parker Furniture.
 Second best dressed woman in old time dress, \$2.50 cash by Association.
 Best horse in parade, \$5.00 cash

by National Alfalfa Mill.
 Best organization float, \$7.50 in merchandise by Knox Grocery Lockney, and \$2.50 cash by Association.
 Second best organization float, \$5.00 in merchandise by Byrd Pharmacy, Lockney and \$2.50 in cash by Association.
 Third best organization float, \$3.00 in cash from Carter Funeral Home, Lockney.
 Fourth best organization float, \$2.00 in cash by Association.
 First prize for wild flowers for dinner table, \$5.00 in merchandise by Lockney Drug, Lockney.
 Second prize for wild flowers, \$3.00 in merchandise by Rhodes Grocery, Lockney and \$2.00 in cash by Association.
 Third prize for wild flowers, \$5.00 in merchandise from J. C. Jones Co., Lockney.
 Best window display, \$2.50 in trade at Bob's Barber Shop, Lockney.
 Second best window display, \$2.50 in trade at Taylor Laundry, Lockney.
 Third best window display, \$2.50 in cash by C. L. Anderson, Lockney.
 Largest family in parade, one year subscription to the Lockney Beacon.
 Tallest tale on fishing, \$5.00 fishing rod by Pennington Motor Co., Lockney.
 Best decorated bicycle, \$5.00 in cash by Hammond & Co., Lockney.
 Second best decorated bicycle, \$2.50 in merchandise from Master Cleaners, Lockney.
 Best dressed Cowboy under 10 years and over 4, \$5.00 in cash from Brunner Lumber Co., Lockney.
 Best dressed Cowgirl under 10 years and over 4, \$5.00 in cash from Farmers Gin, Lone Star.
 Tallest man in parade, \$2.50 cash from U & I Laundry, Lockney.
 Fattest man in parade, \$3.00 in merchandise from Truett Variety Store, Lockney.
 Newest married couple, two free passes to Seale Drive-In Theatre, Lockney.
 Ugliest man present, \$5.00 in merchandise from Brown's Cleaners, Lockney.
 Prettiest Shetland pony in parade, \$5.00 in cash by Association.
 Second prettiest Shetland pony present, \$2.50 in cash by Association.



JAMES CARTHTEL, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Carthel of Lockney, has been named winner of the Elks Lodge leadership contest for this area. He will be entered in state and national contests.

Lockney Students Win In Youth Leadership Contests

Miss Frances Dee Copeland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Copeland of Lockney and valedictorian of the graduating class this year, and James Carthel, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Carthel, and also a member of the graduating class, have been selected as winners of the Youth Leadership contests in this area sponsored by the Plainview Elks Lodge No. 1175.
 Officials of the lodge this week announced that these two students were chosen from seven high schools in the area surrounding Plainview. Basis of the selection was their all-round scholastic and leadership abilities. By winning this contest the two local young people are now eligible and will be entered in the state and possibly the national contests in which prizes will be scholarships and government bonds. Last year three from Texas won high awards in the National Elks Youth Leadership contests.

Former Student Presents Book

Mrs. Vera Maddry the former Vera Boone who was born in Lockney and attended Lockney schools in 1910, presented her book of poems, "Whisperings," to the high school library. This book was printed in 1951.
 Cover design for Mrs. Maddry's "Whisperings" was designed by her brother, Bill Maddry. Mrs. Maddry has lived in Arlington, Texas for 24 years, has one son and two grandchildren. She is active in the First Methodist Church in that city and has spent much time in the study of music and poetry. She is a sponsor of the Texas Council for the Promotion of Poetry in Texas.
 The school and all those who remember Mrs. Maddry appreciate this inspirational little book of poems.

SCOUT NEWS

Lockney Scout Troop No. 59 held a regular meeting Tuesday night at 8:30. The prayer was led by Joe Rigby followed by the pledge of allegiance led by James Davis and the Scout oath by Lonell Hays. Scout laws were repeated led by Jerry Workman. Scout Master Leonard Finley then discussed various phases of scouting with the patrol leaders and assistants.

On Monday evening at 7:30 the Crow Patrol of the local Scout troop met in the Jerry Lynn Wofford dugout with all members present but two. Jackey Wofford led the Scout oath and James Davis led the repeating of the Scout laws. The group then studied first aid. An overnight hike was planned for Friday night of next week. The boys then played baseball, football and hide-and-seek until time to go home.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to take this means to thank our many friends for the numerous kindnesses shown us at the death of our loved one. For every expression of sympathy we say thanks and may God bless each of you is our prayer.

Sincerely,

Mrs. L. A. Wofford
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 Mr. and Mrs. Olson Allison
 Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whitfill
 Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wofford
 Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Wofford.
 Mr. and Mrs. Mace McPherson.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Roberts Completes Insurance Course

W. Eldon Roberts, local representative of Rural Life Insurance Company, has successfully completed a basic course given by the Institute of Marketing Insurance at Southern Methodist University, Dallas. Mr. Roberts made a very high grade on the course. He returned home last Thursday.

The Institute at Dallas is one of two such schools in the United States, the other being at Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana, offering professional training in insurance marketing over a one-year period.

In the basic class the life underwriter is equipped to handle problems of personal life insurance, including correlation with national service insurance and social security. Mr. Roberts will return to Southern Methodist University in October for the next phase of the course.

Scouts Will Sell Peanuts Saturday

Members of Boy Scout Troop No. 59 will sell roasted peanuts in the can here Saturday as a means of raising money to pay the operating costs of the troop. Scout Master Leonard Finley announced Tuesday.

The peanuts are delicious and come in a sealed can. They are sold for 50 cents per can.

The local troop has 32 boys and the operating costs of the troop are raised by the troop themselves in such projects as this, Mr. Finley said.

Hail Prevention Assn. In Force Here Now

M. W. Wiley, secretary of the High Plains Hail Prevention Association, said Wednesday afternoon that the association was now in operation in this area. Drive for co-operating farmers in the area has been going on this week and although more funds are needed, the goal is near enough that plans are to go ahead with the protection for this area, Mr. Wiley said.

Miss Hether Teuton of Nashville, Tenn., is here visiting in the home of her brother, E. D. Teuton.



YOUNG MUSICIANS — Bruce Owen will present these four young ladies in a piano recital in the parlor of the First Baptist Church, Plainview, Monday evening at 8 o'clock. They are all in the fourth grade and active in 4-H club work and in the Brownies.

Standing at the left is Janice Boedeker, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boedeker. She plays in the school band. Standing at the right is Ann Brown, 10-year-

old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown and she is also a very talented young lady. Seated at the left is Louise Bollman, nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bollman, who also plays in the school band and seated at the right is Marie Harris, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Harris, another talented musician. The program will include a number of duets as well as individual numbers by the young ladies.

LESLIE FLOYD BETTER

Leslie Floyd, who suffered a light heart attack Wednesday of last week, is feeling much better this week and expects to be out of the house again in a few days. Wednesday of this week was his first day he had been up since the attack.

Mrs. W. T. Glass and son, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Glass and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fore all of Amarillo visited in the C. O. Jeffcoat and the H. D. Ashby homes Sunday. The Amarillo visitors are all former Lockney residents.

Sammy Lynn, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Lynn, was dismissed Sunday from the Lubbock Memorial Hospital after four days treatment there for a persistent nose bleed. Sammy is back in school this week but returned to Lubbock Wednesday for a check

Mr. and Mrs. James Crane and daughters of Clovis, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. James Carroll and baby of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Carroll and family of Plainview all were guests during the week end in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Carroll.

PMA Prepares Wheat C...

Preliminary acreage allotments for wheat in Floyd County are being made by the PMA office of Agriculture. It is estimated that the 1954 wheat crop will be about 100,000 bushels. The present price of wheat is about \$1.50 per bushel. Final allotments will be made on the basis of the 1953 crop.

In order that the allotments may be made in a fair and equitable manner it is necessary that they be based on the actual planted and reaching maturity for the year 1953.

Floyd County is made up of approximately 130 farms. Each producer must report their wheat acreage to the PMA office in a timely manner.

This is going to be a task for the county and the committee. The committee will be made up of producers and the committee will be responsible for making those charged with the responsibility of the allotments.

4th Sunday At City Auditorium

The regular singing will be held at the City Auditorium here this week starting at 8:00 noon. This week's singing are urged to all who like to sing.

Mrs. J. W. Repp is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. L. J. Repp.

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College Station. — There are Seven Sensible Steps to growing older. That is, if you want to age successfully.

Mrs. Eloise Johnson, family life education specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service says looking forward to later years can be done pleasantly by planning to include these seven steps in growing older. For healthier and happier years ahead, eat properly; see your doctor regularly; get enough sleep; balance your exercise and rest; wear comfortable, attractive and becoming clothing; keep busy; and cultivate a sense of humor.

Growing older is a lifelong process and means changes of many kinds, physical, mental and social. These changes are natural and should be recognized and accepted. Plans for growing older can fill the need for affection, activity and achievement, companionship, being needed and useful, and for

creative interests.

A well-balanced person looks back upon his life and profits from the lessons he has learned. He enjoys pleasant memories. But he also looks into the future to make plans for what he intends to do tomorrow. What are we going to be like in ten or fifteen years? What kind of a sixty-five or seventy-year old will we be? If we are self-centered and withdrawn now we will be even more isolated when we are old. If we are interested in other people and get pleasure in doing for others we will get increasing pleasure and satisfaction in relations with people as we get older.

HOME HINTS

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Teddy Carthel — Farming and ranching and maybe flying.
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and be a successful farmer.
Ann Cooper — Go to college a year and get married.
Frances Copeland — To obtain a college education, teach a year or so, and then if the right one comes along — have a home.
Aubrey Cox — My ambition is to have a good house, to have a fine wife and family, and to have a high standing in my occupation as a farmer and a high standing in the church.
Victor Day — Be a successful farmer.
John Dorman — To own my own farm.
Dora Elliott — Homemaker.
Ray Ford — To be a successful irrigation farmer.
Durrel Fortenberry — Railroad telegrapher.
Elmo Fortenberry — Successful farmer.
Lewis Foster — Be a good Arkansas farmer.
Orland Gilbert — To obtain a college education and be successful in life.
John B. Griffin — Get out of college, get married, start farming, and have five or six kids.
June Haggard — To be a nurse.
Liz Handley — Go to college.
Nancy Holland — Work after I get out of school.
Patsy Holland — Go to business school and become a secretary.
Jerry Irons — Be a dentist.
Deiton Jack — Be a jet pilot.
David Jameson — Be a successful railroad telegrapher and solo coronet in any popular

band.
Wynelle Keeter — To be a stenographer or a secretary.
Nita Kellison — Establish a home.
Dorothy Marr — To be a good secretary.
Rayford Martin — Get married in June and start farming.
Warren Mathis — To be a successful farmer.
Bobby McCormick — To get married and inherit a million dollars.
Bryan McCulloch — Go to college then work on the railroad.
Audrene Rhine — Interior decorator.
Mary Richards — Get a job.
Beth Rigby — Be a soda jerk.
Rochelle Rigdon — Live on a farm and be a good homemaker.
Gary Sandlin — Get out of school and be a successful businessman.
Bill Sherman — Successful farmer.
C. R. Smart — Farm and make a success in life.

Alfred Smith — Civil Engineer.
Mavis Tate — Be a good secretary.
Joe Taylor — Properly signed diploma, after that I don't know.
June Ware — To be a rodeo queen.
Nell Wells — Be a music teacher.
Donald Wigginton — Be a successful farmer in my community.
Betsy Williams — Get a job.
Kenneth Williams — To reach the rank of Admiral in the Navy and receive my B. S. Degree in Mechanical Engineers.
Ruby Wilson — Have a home of my own.
Hazel Wilson — To be an artist.
— From The Lariat.

Three U. S. presidents died on July 4 — John Adams, Thomas Jefferson and James Madison.

Before building their first airplane, the Wright brothers were in the bicycle business.

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Minute Editorials

What? Know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own? For ye are bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body and in your spirit, which are God's.—1 Cor. 6:19-20.

Congratulations to the graduates of Lockney High School. And to the graduates of the Townsend Elementary school as well. They are all a fine bunch of young people and we join with others of the community in wishing them well. This year's high school graduating class is the largest from this school in more than 10 years. Perhaps the class of 1941 was as large, or larger but there has been no class since that time that could approach the present class in number. And they are of fine quality also. Twelve of the 56 in the class have averaged better than 90 during the past two years, according to grade averages run in the recent issue of The Lariat, and 44 of them have

averaged better than 80 during the same period.

The present Senior Class is a bunch of go-getters. What ever they have set their minds to do they have usually done it in a big way. They have worked hard at their various projects—some academic and some otherwise — and have made a success of every one of them. The various individuals of this class have a great future in front of them even though they have the handicap of having grown up in flush times when money was easy to get and easy to spend. We feel sure that whatever they face, as individuals, in the future they'll have the self-reliance, the determination and the ability to figure it out and continue on that road to success.

WACO needs our help. Remember the same disaster could have happened here. If you have a little spare money laying around gathering dust, or if you have to sacrifice a little to give, drop by the First National Bank and leave your donation for the relief of the tornado sufferers. Those who have seen the devastation of that torn city say that words can never describe the awfulness of the scene. In addition to the death of more than 100 people there is property damage that will run into millions of dollars. Some people will be ruined financially and others will suffer losses from which they can never recover. Be thankful that it wasn't our city — make your donation to the relief fund today.

If you have a few minutes of reading time we urge you to read the article on "How To Kill Your City" in our exchange column in this paper. It is from The Hamlin Herald who in turn took it from another paper. But it is well worth reading. All of us will probably feel a twinge of conscience on at least one point and maybe more than one. Let us examine ourselves.

Another thing that we have to be thankful for is the rains. Of course, some will have to replant but perhaps they would have had to replant anyway. The rains will make a difference in the crop prospects of this county for the year and we believe that the change will decidedly for the better.

The only reason most American families don't own an elephant is because they have never been offered one for a dollar down and a dollar a week.

GET THE LEAD OUT OF YOUR PANTS!



With Our EXCHANGES

HERE'S HOW YOU CAN HELP KILL A TOWN

We ran across this little article recently in an exchange coming to The Herald. We believe it is worthy of our reprinting it.

If you would like to kill a good town, here are a few things for you to do.

Don't pay your taxes. Let the other fellow pay his and then you ride like a parasite on his money, then fuss because the streets are not kept up.

Never attend any of the meetings that are for the good of the town. If you do, arrive late, don't have anything to say. Wait until you get outside and then cuss the ones who tried. Or, when there, vote for everything and then do nothing; then the next day, find fault with everything that was done.

Get all the City will give you, but don't give anything in return.

Talk cooperation, but don't cooperate.

Never accept an office. It is easier to criticize than to do things.

Don't do any more than you have to, and when other people willingly and unselfishly give their time and ability to make a better town, howl because the town is run by a clique.

Don't back your fire department. If they work to bring your insurance rates down, tell everybody that that is what they are supposed to do. Don't ever thank them for donating their time and endangering their lives that you might have a safer town in which to live.

Look at every proposition in a selfish way. If you are not the one that gets the most good out of it, vote against it. Never con-

sider what it will do for the town as a whole.

Don't do anything for the youth of the town. Criticize them. Just forget that they are the leaders of tomorrow. Keep your feet on them.

If you have good leaders, don't follow them. The best way to do is take a jealous attitude and talk about everything they try to do.

Don't work on any committees. It is easier to criticize the ones who do, and talk about them if things are not run like you want them.

Don't say anything good about your town, but continue to live there and pretend that if trouble comes your way it is a neighboring town that will visit you while you are ill; bring out their fire department if your property is burning; comfort you if you lose a dear one; stand back of you in disaster; protect your children and try to make your town a cleaner, safer place in which to live.

Don't support your local business places. But if you need a donation, ask them for it and then howl and raise Cain if they do not see fit to donate. Expect them to back you, but don't back them.

Know anybody like that? — Hamlin Herald.

HOW MISTAKES HAPPEN

Mistakes in a small town

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newspaper are far from unusual and this paper makes its share of them. If they happen to turn out a little funny, we really hear about them. Of course, this makes us feel good because it's a mighty good indication that our subscribers are reading even the fine print on the inside pages. But we had never thought about how many chances we had of making errors until another small-town editor took time to figure it out. Here are his figures: "In an ordinary newspaper column there are seven possible wrong positions for each letter, making 7,000 chances to make errors and several million chances for transpositions. There are 48 columns in this newspaper, so you can readily see the chances for mistakes. Did you know that in the sentence, 'To be or not to be,' by transposition alone, 2,759,022 errors can be made? Now aren't you sorry you got mad about that little mistake last week?" Yes, ew muts amdit taht ew maek tismakes!—The Crosbyton Review.

BIG JOB—LITTLE PAY

If you are a person who doesn't mind to hold a job that involves coals of fire heaped on your head, hold a public office. It doesn't make any difference if the pay for the job is complimentary or if it commands a salary ranging in the five figures. The fact is I think the fellow who holds a public office as a free gift to the people is showered with the most criticisms. I wouldn't say that the pay for holding the office of city councilman in Stanton is a mere pittance, nor would I say the same thing about the salary paid a member of a school board, but it's small enough that the candidates seeking the office of either councilman or school board member does so from the fact he places service to his town and community above the compensation he is to receive in return for the service he renders. — The Stanton Reporter.

CLEAN-UP DRIVE

It's a time-worn, but true, saying that prevention of just one polio case will make any clean-up drive worthwhile. The insidious nature of the disease is such that it may strike in epidemic form when least expected. The state as a whole gained ground last year in its battle against polio, but the tide could easily swing the other way this summer. Precautions such as the clean-up campaign to be staged in Post May 18-22 will help guard against another heavy polio toll. — Midway in Post Dispatch.

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Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the file of The Lockney Beacon.

September 25, 1914

The attendance at the Lockney College increases from week to week. Tuesday the number had risen to 112.

A number of Lockney business men have joined the Buy-a-bale of cotton at 10c per pound. Those who have bought this week are: J. R. Fox, Lockney State Bank, E. Guthrie, First National Bank, J. A. Baker, J. H. Gruver. The Buy-a-bale movement has strengthened the cotton market thus giving great relief to the farmers.

C. L. Busby informs us that he planted five acres of maize the first of June, and with only one cultivation has gathered ten and a half tons of grain. This is some grain for dry land farming.

W. C. Watson came in Monday from Grayson county with his household goods to again make their home here on their place near town.

August 5, 1923

Lubbock was designated as the location for the Texas Technological College by the locating board in session at Fort Worth Wednesday.

L. A. Puckett died at his home northeast of Lockney Thursday after an illness of several weeks.

December 10, 1931

Snow, sleet, rain and cloudy weather has prevailed during the past week over the plains country.

Mr. A. D. Major, age 71 passed away at his home in Lockney Monday after a serious illness of pneumonia. Rev. J. A. Weathers conducted the services.

Appearing on the orchestra program at the grade school auditorium Dec. 16 will be Virginia Hohaus, Mary Leda McAdams, Alice Stewart, Kenneth Hohaus.

APOSTASY NO. 4

Let us notice now the parable of the sower in connection with our thoughts on the possibility of apostasy. The sower went forth to sow the seed of the kingdom of God. Some of the seed fell by the wayside, some on good ground, some among thorns and thistles, and some on the ground. Notice now the explanation of Christ gives of the parable. Luke 8:11. The parable is this: The seed is the word of God. Those by the wayside are they that hear the word, but the devil, and taketh away the word out of their hearts, lest they should believe and be saved. They on the rock are they, which when they hear, receive the word with joy; and these have no root, which for a while believe, in time of temptation FALL AWAY. And that which among thorns are they, which, when they have heard the word, receive it, and are CHOKED with cares and riches and pleasures of this life, and bring no fruit to perfection.

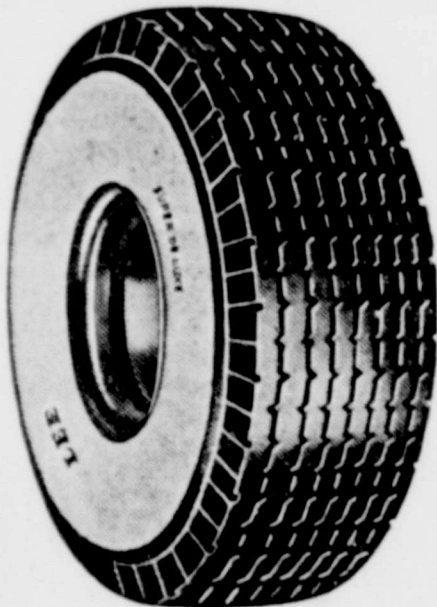
I believe that we can clearly understand from this parable that once a person is saved he or she can FALL AWAY. (Friend, if this teaching of the impossibility of apostasy is not taught in the word of God, then where does it come from?) Notice the writings of Paul to the church at Galatia. Gal. 1:6 "I marvel that ye are so soon REMOVED FROM HIM that called you into the grace of Christ by another gospel; which is not another; but there be some that trouble you, and would pervert the gospel of Christ. WERE THESE REMOVED FROM Christ or were they NOT REMOVED from him. Paul clearly states that they were not removed. There are many today that would say, "Paul was not removed—they just never were with him." who believe and advocate the doctrine of the impossibility of falling from grace must of necessity try to find some way around the teaching of these plain and clear scriptures that teach us we can FALL.

I am sure that many of you who read these scriptures say, "I am a member of a church that holds the impossibility of apostasy but I do not believe the doctrine of the impossibility of apostasy." Friend, then why are you a member of that church? Let me ask you this question: What would you think if I told you, "I am a member of the Communist party and I do not believe like they do." Now wouldn't you condemn that as being very foolish? Wouldn't you go ahead and condemn me as a Communist? Surely, now we make the question earlier in this article "From whence comes the doctrine if it is not taught in the word of God?" The answer will have to be that it came from the devil. Now you are a member of a party that teaches the devil's doctrines, then will you not be condemned with that party, not, then why not?

Next week we hope to consider the other side of the question of the impossibility of apostasy. Remember we stated that there were at least two different views on those that hold this doctrine. We have been considering the side that teaches man cannot fall. Next week we will discuss the doctrine that says we can commit any sin and it will not cause us to be lost.

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Cedar Hill News

Frances Lemons
Phone 224W1, Floydada

Mr. and Mrs. Rene Yeary were visitors on Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips of Lockney.

High School Students
Cedar Hill is represented with five senior students graduating from Lockney High School with the class on Monday evening of the 25th. They will leave Monday night after the graduation exercise to go on the senior trip which will be to Washington and they plan to be gone about twelve days. The seniors from this community are Roger Conner, Durrel Fortenberry, June Ware, Donald Ray Wigginton, and Ray Neal Ford.

Aubrey Whitehead and Marvin Lemons were among the grade school students who went to Plainview Thursday afternoon on the school picnic. They enjoyed two hours of skating before they went to the park for games and a picnic lunch.

Floyd Starkey attended the graduation exercises of a niece, Nola Mary Starkey, at the Methodist Church of Flomot on Thursday evening.

The sophomore class of Lockney went to Lubbock to the McKensie Park for their class picnic on Saturday leaving about eight o'clock and returning around six o'clock. The members of the class are among the members of the class.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelaido Duran and children were called to San Marcos because of the death of Mrs. Duran's father, Sesidio Ruthia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Welch of Flomot visited with Mrs. Welch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kelley on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Fortenberry spent Saturday in Childress with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Boone.

Baptismal Services
Another baptismal service was held in the Lockney Baptist Church on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, this being the seventh candidate of the revival meeting at the Cedar Baptist Church with Rev. E. J. Cobb doing the preaching. There were six others that came by letter. Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Applewhite with their earnestness, zeal, and willpower, have accomplished many things with the church the past few months. A new Sunday School class was organized, also prayer service on Wednesday evening and a girls auxiliary is being organized this week under the leadership of Betty Vernon of Lockney.

Class Social
Mrs. Applewhite's Sunday School class met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Campbell on Tuesday evening where they were very graciously entertained with a ranch style supper. Barbecued beef, red beans, potato salad, lettuce, onions, doughnuts, and cookies with coffee and tea were served from a long table in the garage. Those attending the evening were Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Ware, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Conner, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whitehead Jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lemons, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Yeary, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gilley, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Mize, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McLendon, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fortenberry, Mrs. Kenneth Hart, Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Applewhite and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Campbell.

Grade School Graduation
Exercises for the eighth grade graduation class will be given on Tuesday evening of the 26th at Lockney. A reception will be given immediately after the exercises. A social will be given on Saturday evening of the 24th honoring the class. Members of the class from Cedar Hill are Frances Lemons and Marvin Wells.

Joan Rogers who has been ill is improving some this week. Carla Lemons has been ill this week, but is much better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mize returned from Arkansas on Tuesday where they had been to the bedside of Mr. Mize's mother who has been very ill with a heart ailment. Mrs. Mize was much better when they left her. She had her 85th birthday recently.

Assembly Of God Services
On the Cedar Hill Assembly of God radio program that was presented on Thursday morning, several duets were sung by Mrs. Juanita Teeple and Mrs. Edna Gilley. Rev. J. C. Lewis, the pastor, gave the devotional. Rev. C. A. Strickland of Floydada brought the evening message at the Assembly of God Church at Cedar Hill Sunday. Rev. Strickland is a former resident of Cedar Hill. He was converted in the church when a boy and preached his first sermon in the Cedar Hill Church. He was just as glad to be with old friends as the church was to have him here again.

The ladies of the W. M. C. of the Assembly of God Church meet each afternoon this week to do some quilting in order to get them out by a certain time.

They would be glad to do some quilting for you. The price is reasonable and the work is satisfactory. They have done this kind of work for several years and I am sure you would be pleased to have them to do some for you.

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. J. A. Welch, who is the former Norma Dean Kelley, will be given in the home of Mrs. Gene Gilly on Friday, May 22nd at two-thirty p. m.

About two inches of rain fell in the Cedar Hill community. Although the farmers are proud of the moisture, they are getting anxious to get to work in the fields again.

Teen-Age Drivers Over-Confident Safety Man Says

Amarillo. — "The years of supreme and dangerous confidence." Thus Victor Shawgo, Southwestern Public Service Co., and Regional Vice President for the Texas Safety Association, described the teens and early 20's when, based upon miles driven, the drivers have the highest accident rate of any group.

"Teen-age drivers," Shawgo said, "have been under an increasing barrage of criticism during the past few years — criticism which, in the fact of evidence seems justified."

Shawgo spoke in connection with the Panhandle Regional Safety Conference which will be held in Amarillo on May 8. The Conference is being planned by the Texas Safety Association, in cooperation with the Panhandle Chapter of the American Society of Safety Engineers.

"At no time in life does one have greater misguided confidence in his skill, ability and luck than during the teens," Mr. Shawgo said. "And it is this motion that contributes to the death of about 7,000 young persons in the nation annually."

"Our young drivers, from 16 to 20, have five times as many accidents per mile in Texas as do mature drivers—a percentage that statisticians call 'significant,' and that officials call 'staggering'."

Mr. Shawgo commended driver education and driver training courses in Texas high schools as being "the answer to the immediate teen-age driver problems, and to the long range program for traffic control."

HOME HINTS
Installation of an automatic gas incinerator in the home not only eliminates the age-old disposal problem, it increases the resale value of the house when you move.

THE LOCKNEY BEACON, LOCKNEY, TEXAS, MAY 21, 1953

HOME FROM ARABIA
Lt. Jg. Dwight Perkins arrived in Lockney Tuesday of last week from nearly a year's service with the U. S. Navy in Arabia. Dwight was an inspector of materials. He is to report to Oakland, California on June 1 for reassignment.

He is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perkins. Monday of this week Mrs. Perkins and Dwight visited in Brownwood, returning home Tuesday.

Bobbie Lu Casey and brother, Donice, spent Friday night, Saturday and Sunday visiting their sister, Mrs. W. C. Mercer and Mr. Mercer in Abilene. Bobbie Lu also visited friends on the campus at Hardin-Simmons University.

HOME HINTS
Want to fancy up a meat loaf for guests? Cover the loaf with creamy, well seasoned, mashed potatoes and just before you're ready to serve put it back into the oven of your range and brown. It looks good and tastes better.

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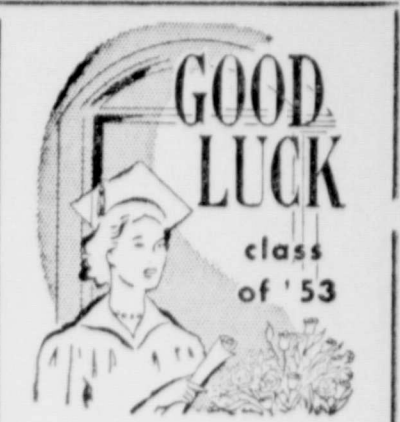
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"The Snows Of Kilimanjaro"
with Gregory Peck, Ava Gardner and Susan Hayward

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Minute Editorials

What? Know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own? For ye are bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body and in your spirit, which are God's.—1 Cor. 6:19-20.

—oOo—
Congratulations to the graduates of Lockney High School. And to the graduates of the Townsend Elementary school as well. They are all a fine bunch of young people and we join with others of the community in wishing them well. This year's high school graduating class is the largest from this school in more than 10 years. Perhaps the class of 1941 was as large or larger but there has been no class since that time that could approach the present class in number. And they are of fine quality also. Twelve of the 56 in the class have averaged better than 90 during the past two years, according to grade averages run in the recent issue of The Lariat, and 44 of them have

averaged better than 80 during the same period.

—oOo—
The present Senior Class is a bunch of go-getters. What ever they have set their minds to do they have usually done it in a big way. They have worked hard at their various projects—some academic and some otherwise—and have made a success of every one of them. The various individuals of this class have a great future in front of them even though they have the handicap of having grown up in flush times when money was easy to get and easy to spend. We feel sure that whatever they face, as individuals, in the future they'll have the self-reliance, the determination and the ability to figure it out and continue on that road to success.

—oOo—
WACO needs our help. Remember the same disaster could have happened here. If you have a little spare money laying around gathering dust, or if you have to sacrifice a little to give, drop by the First National Bank and leave your donation for the relief of the tornado sufferers. Those who have seen the devastation of that torn city say that words can never describe the awfulness of the scene. In addition to the death of more than 100 people there is property damage that will run into millions of dollars. Some people will be ruined financially and others will suffer losses from which they can never recover. Be thankful that it wasn't our city—make your donation to the relief fund today.

—oOo—
If you have a few minutes of reading time we urge you to read the article on "How To Kill Your City" in our exchange column in this paper. It is from The Hamlin Herald who in turn took it from another paper. But it is well worth reading. All of us will probably feel a twinge of conscience on at least one point and maybe more than one. Let us examine ourselves.

—oOo—
Another thing that we have to be thankful for is the rains. Of course, some will have to replant but perhaps they would have had to replant anyway. The rains will make a difference in the crop prospects of this county for the year and we believe that the change will decidedly be for the better.

—oOo—
The only reason most American families don't own an elephant is because they have never been offered one for a dollar down and a dollar a week.

GET THE LEAD OUT OF YOUR PANTS!



With Our EXCHANGES

HERE'S HOW YOU CAN HELP KILL A TOWN

We ran across this little article recently in an exchange coming to The Herald. We believe it is worthy of our reprinting it.

If you would like to kill a good town, here are a few things for you to do.

Don't pay your taxes. Let the other fellow pay his and then you ride like a parasite on his money, then fuss because the streets are not kept up.

Never attend any of the meetings that are for the good of the town. If you do, arrive late, don't have anything to say. Wait until you get outside and then cuss the ones who tried. Or, when there, vote for everything and then do nothing; then the next day, find fault with everything that was done.

Get all the City will give you, but don't give anything in return.

Talk cooperation, but don't cooperate.

Never accept an office. It is easier to criticize than to do things.

Don't do any more than you have to, and when other people willingly and unselfishly give their time and ability to make a better town, howl because the town is run by a clique.

Don't back your fire department. If they work to bring your insurance rates down, tell everybody that that is what they are supposed to do. Don't ever thank them for donating their time and endangering their lives that you might have a safer town in which to live.

Look at every proposition in a selfish way. If you are not the one that gets the most good out of it, vote against it. Never con-

sider what it will do for the town as a whole.

Don't do anything for the youth of the town. Criticize them. Just forget that they are the leaders of tomorrow. Keep your feet on them.

If you have good leaders, don't follow them. The best way to do is take a jealous attitude and talk about everything they try to do.

Don't work on any committees. It is easier to criticize the ones who do, and talk about them if things are not run like you want them.

Don't say anything good about your town, but continue to live there and pretend that if trouble comes your way it is a neighboring town that will visit you while you are ill; bring out their fire department if your property is burning; comfort you if you lose a dear one; stand back of you in disaster; protect your children and try to make your town a cleaner, safer place in which to live.

Don't support your local business places. But if you need a donation, ask them for it and then howl and raise Cain if they do not see fit to donate. Expect them to back you, but don't back them.

Know anybody like that? — Hamlin Herald.

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Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the file of The Lockney Beacon.

September 25, 1914

The attendance at the Lockney College increases from week to week. Tuesday the number had risen to 112.

A number of Lockney business men have joined the Buy-a-bale of cotton at 10c per pound. Those who have bought this week are: J. R. Fox, Lockney State Bank, E. Guthrie, First National Bank, J. A. Baker, J. H. Gruver. The Buy-a-bale movement has strengthened the cotton market thus giving great relief to the farmers.

C. L. Busby informs us that he planted five acres of maize the first of June, and with only one cultivation has gathered ten and a half tons of grain. This is some grain for dry land farming.

W. C. Watson came in Monday from Grayson county with his household goods to again make their home here on their place near town.

August 5, 1923

Lubbock was designated as the location for the Texas Technological College by the locating board in session at Fort Worth Wednesday.

L. A. Puckett died at his home northeast of Lockney Thursday after an illness of several weeks.

December 10, 1931

Snow, sleet, rain and cloudy weather has prevailed during the past week over the plains country.

Mr. A. D. Major, age 71 passed away at his home in Lockney Monday after a serious illness of pneumonia. Rev. J. A. Weathers conducted the services.

Appearing on the orchestra program at the grade school auditorium Dec. 16 will be Virginia Hohlaus, Mary Leda McAdams, Alice Stewart, Kenneth Hohlaus.

Glen Stevenson, Douglas Floyd Ewing, Martha Meriwether, Garland Sama, Harold Suits, Fred Cooper, Patricia Farnsworth, Melba Simpson.

Miss Buena Werna Holmes went to Starks.

The ceremony of marriage Miss Freida Samson and Mr. Ted Boedeker of Lockney was read Sunday afternoon at the Lutheran Church. Rev. E. Herber officiated.

On Saturday, December 13, Santa Claus will appear on the streets of Lockney and pass more than a few gifts to the children.



Congratulations graduates of 1953



Lockney Variety Store

APOSTASY NO. 4

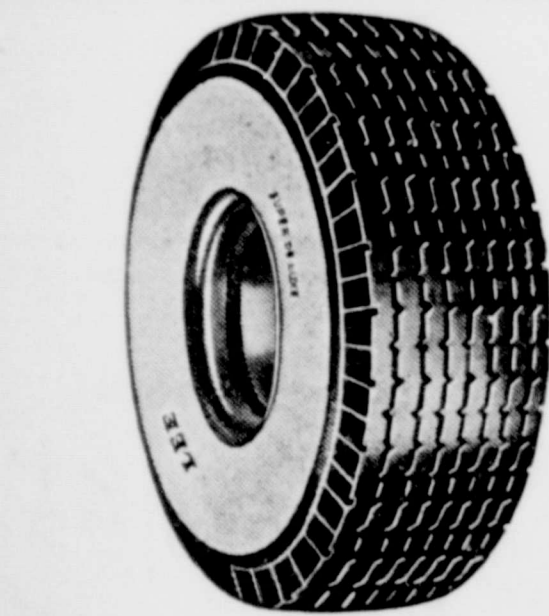
Let us notice now the parable of the sower in connection with our thoughts on the possibility of apostasy. As we went forth to sow the seed of the kingdom of God. Some of the seed fell by the wayside, some on good ground, some among thorns and thistles, and some on the ground. Notice now the explanation which Christ gives of the parable. Luke 8:11. "The parable is this: The seed is the word of God. Those by the wayside are they that hear; then the devil, and taketh away the word out of their hearts: lest they should believe and be saved. They on the rock are they, which when they hear, receive the word with joy; and these have no root, which for a while believe, in time of temptation FALL AWAY. And that which among thorns are they, which, when they have heard the word, receive it with gladness; and as they grow, and are choked with cares and riches and pleasures of this life, and bring no fruit to perfection."

I believe that we can clearly understand from this parable that once a person is saved he or she can FALL AWAY. (Friend, if this teaching of the impossibility of apostasy is not taught in the word of God, then where does it come from?) Notice the writings of Paul to the church at Galatia. Gal. 1:6 "I marvel that ye are so soon REMOVED FROM HIM that called you into the grace of Christ and another gospel; which is not another; but there be some that trouble you, and would pervert the gospel of Christ. Were these REMOVED from Christ or were they NOT REMOVED from him. Paul clearly states that they were removed. There are many today that would say, "Paul was not removed—they just never were with him." He who believe and advocate the doctrine of the impossibility of falling from grace must of necessity try to find some way around the teaching of these plain and clear scriptures that teach us we can FALL.

I am sure that many of you who read these articles say, "I am a member of a church that holds the impossibility of apostasy but I do not believe the doctrine myself." Friend, then why are you a member of that church? Let me ask you this question: What would you think of a man if I told you, "I am a member of the Communist party, but I do not believe like they do." Now wouldn't you consider that as being very foolish? Wouldn't you go ahead and condemn me as a Communist? Surely, now we asked the question earlier in this article "From whence came the doctrine if it is not taught in the word of God?" The answer will have to be that it came from the devil. Now if you are a member of a party that teaches the devil's doctrines, then will you not be condemned with that party? If not, then why not?

Next week we hope to consider the other side of the question of the impossibility of Apostasy. Remember we stated that there were at least two different views on those that hold this doctrine. We have been considering the side that teaches man cannot fall. Next week we will discuss the doctrine that says we can commit any sin and it will not cause us to be lost.

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Cedar Hill News

Frances Lemons

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Mr. and Mrs. Rene Yeary were visitors on Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips of Lockney.

High School Students

Cedar Hill is represented with five senior students graduating from Lockney High School with the class on Monday evening of the 25th. They will leave Monday night after the graduation exercise to go on the senior trip which will be to Washington and they plan to be gone about twelve days. The seniors from this community are Roger Conner, Durrel Fortenberry, June Ware, Donald Ray Wigginton, and Ray Neal Ford.

Aubrey Whitehead and Marvin Lemons were among the grade school students who went to Plainview Thursday afternoon on the school picnic. They enjoyed two hours of skating before they went to the park for games and a picnic lunch.

Floyd Starkey attended the graduation exercises of a niece, Nola Mary Starkey, at the Methodist Church of Flomot on Thursday evening.

The sophomore class of Lockney went to Lubbock to the McKenzie Park for their class picnic on Saturday leaving about eight o'clock and returning around six. Edward Lemons and Helen Whitehead of Cedar Hill are among the members of the class.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelaido Duran and children were called to San Marcos because of the death of Mrs. Duran's father, Sesidio Ruthia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Welch of Flomot visited with Mrs. Welch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kelley on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Fortenberry spent Saturday in Childress with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Boone.

Baptismal Services

Another baptismal service was held in the Lockney Baptist Church on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, this being the seventh candidate of the revival meeting at the Cedar Baptist Church with Rev. E. J. Cobb doing the preaching. There were six others that came by letter. Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Applewhite with their earnestness, zeal, and willpower, have accomplished many things with the church the past few months. A new Sunday School class was organized, also prayer service on Wednesday evening and a girls auxiliary is being organized this week under the leadership of Betty Vernon of Lockney.

Class Social

Mrs. Applewhite's Sunday School class met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Campbell on Tuesday evening where they were very graciously entertained with a ranch style supper. Barbecued beef, red beans, potato salad, lettuce, onions, doughnuts, and cookies with coffee and tea were served from a long table in the garage. Those attending the evening were Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Ware, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Conner, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whitehead Jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lemons, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Yeary, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gilley, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Mize, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McLendon, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fortenberry, Mrs. Kenneth Hart, Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Applewhite and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Campbell.

Grade School Graduation

Exercises for the eighth grade graduation class will be given on Tuesday evening of the 26th at Lockney. A reception will be given immediately after the exercises. A social will be given on Saturday evening of the 24th honoring the class. Members of the class from Cedar Hill are Frances Lemons and Marvin Wells.

Joan Rogers who has been ill is improving some this week.

Carla Lemons has been ill this week, but is much better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mize returned from Arkansas on Tuesday where they had been to the bedside of Mr. Mize's mother who has been very ill with a heart ailment. Mrs. Mize was much better when they left her. She had her 85th birthday recently.

Assembly Of God Services

On the Cedar Hill Assembly of God radio program that was presented on Thursday morning, several duets were sung by Mrs. Juanita Teeple and Mrs. Edna Gilley. Rev. J. C. Lewis, the pastor gave the devotional. Rev. C. A. Strickland of Floydada brought the evening message at the Assembly of God Church at Cedar Hill Sunday. Rev. Strickland is a former resident of Cedar Hill. He was converted in the church when a boy and preached his first sermon in the Cedar Hill Church. He was just as glad to be with old friends as the church was to have him here again.

The ladies of the W. M. C. of the Assembly of God Church meet each afternoon this week to do some quilting in order to get them out by a certain time.

They would be glad to do some quilting for you. The price is reasonable and the work is satisfactory. They have done this kind of work for several years and I am sure you would be pleased to have them to do some for you.

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. J. A. Welch, who is the former Norma Dean Kelley, will be given in the home of Mrs. Gene Gilly on Friday, May 22nd at two-thirty p. m.

About two inches of rain fell in the Cedar Hill community. Although the farmers are proud of the moisture, they are getting anxious to get to work in the fields again.

Teen-Age Drivers Over-Confident Safety Man Says

Amarillo. — "The years of supreme and dangerous confidence." Thus Victor Shawgo, Southwestern Public Service Co., and Regional Vice President for the Texas Safety Association, described the teens and early 20's when, based upon miles driven, the drivers have the highest accident rate of any group.

"Teen-age drivers," Shawgo said, "have been under an increasing barrage of criticism during the past few years — criticism which, in the fact of evidence seems justified."

Shawgo spoke in connection with the Panhandle Regional Safety Conference which will be held in Amarillo on May 8. The Conference is being planned by the Texas Safety Association, in cooperation with the Panhandle Chapter of the American Society of Safety Engineers.

"At no time in life does one have greater misguided confidence in his skill, ability and luck than during the teens," Mr. Shawgo said. "And it is this motion that contributes to the death of about 7,000 young persons in the nation annually."

"Our young drivers, from 16 to 20, have five times as many accidents per mile in Texas as do mature drivers—a percentage that statisticians call 'significant,' and that officials call 'staggering.'"

Mr. Shawgo commended driver education and driver training courses in Texas high schools as being "the answer to the immediate teen-age driver problems, and to the long range program for traffic control."

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HOME FROM ARABIA

Lt. Jg. Dwight Perkins arrived in Lockney Tuesday of last week from nearly a year's service with the U. S. Navy in Arabia. Dwight was an inspector of materials. He is to report to Oakland, California on June 1 for reassignment.

He is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perkins. Monday of this week Mrs. Perkins and Dwight visited in Brownwood, returning home Tuesday.

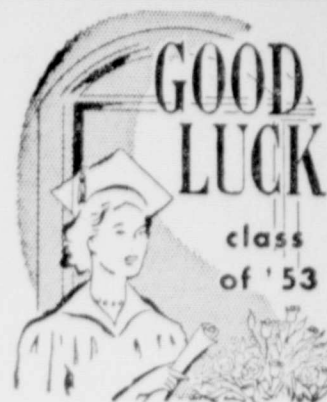
Bobbie Lu Casey and brother, Donice, spent Friday night, Saturday and Sunday visiting their sister, Mrs. W. C. Mercer and Mr. Mercer in Abilene. Bobbie Lu also visited friends on the campus at Hardin-Simmons University.

HOME HINTS

Want to fancy up a meat loaf for guests? Cover the loaf with creamy, well seasoned, mashed potatoes and just before you're ready to serve put it back into the oven of your range and brown. It looks good and tastes better.

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SUNDAY and MONDAY

May 24 and 25

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Also CARTOON and NEWS

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President Dwight D. Eisenhower signed a Bond-A-Month authorization card for Savings Bonds saleswoman, Mary Pickford during her recent visit to the Nation's Capital. They are shown above with Mrs. Eisenhower, who is the Honorary National Chairman of the Women's Advisory Committee for Savings Bonds.

Following the example of the President, House Speaker Joseph W. Martin, Jr. also signed up with Miss Pickford for the regular purchase of Savings Bonds.

Miss Pickford serves as Associate National Chairman of the committee which is currently conducting a Women's Crusade for Security, a campaign to increase sales of United States Savings Bonds through the systematic Bond-A-Month Plan.



Social Security Benefits Are Lost

Thousands of dollars in social security insurance benefits are being lost yearly, John G. Hutton, manager of the Lubbock social security office, said today.

Mr. Hutton said that his office does not know exactly how many people in the South Plains area are losing monthly old-age or survivors insurance benefit payments because of incorrect reporting of wages, or self-employment income, or through failure to file an application for benefits. The percentage of people suffering is small, but experience has shown that each month there are some.

"Many of these individuals are in need of this money which they have unnecessarily lost. In many cases, this loss of social security benefits could well mean the difference between want and an adequate standard of living," Hutton declared.

He points out that every person who has worked in employment, or self-employment that counts toward old-age and survivors insurance payments has an investment in the social security program, and it is his duty to protect this investment for himself and his family.

The Lubbock social security office reminds everyone that

they have booklets explaining the worker's rights and obligations under the social security law. In addition to employees in commerce and industry, most self-employed persons, regular farm employees, regular workers in private households, and many employees of non-profit institutions are now in work that counts toward old age and survivors insurance benefits. Hutton urges them and their families to telephone, write, or visit the Lubbock social security office and ask for printed information about their social security.

For your convenience in securing information pertaining to social security, a representative of the Lubbock social security office will be in Lockney on May 26th at 2:30 p. m. at the Post Office.

HOME HINTS

Flattened bristles of long-handled brushes or brooms can be restored by washing in soap and hot water and hanging in a wall bracket.

HOME HINTS

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"One reason so many children are seen on the streets at night is that they're afraid to stay home alone." — Charles Knouse.

"Give a woman an inch and she'll buy a girdle." — Galen Drake.

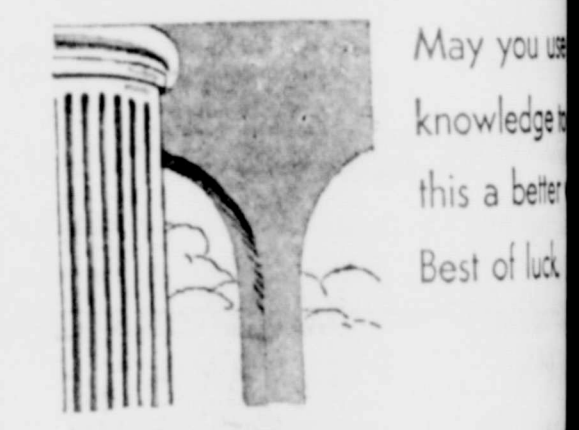
"Gossip is making a mountain out of a molehill by piling on the dirt." — Myron Cohen.

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