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The Lynn County News

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The News Installs New Machinery, Other Equipment

During the past few weeks, The Lynn County News has been making a number of improvements in its printing plant, and further improvements are planned for the future.

Last December, the paper was enlarged from six to seven columns, and several new advertising and job type faces added.

About six weeks ago a new Hammond Glider saw (used in sawing metal "slugs" and "cuts") and a large new Hammond Easycaster (for casting of illustrations and pictures) were installed. These are supposed to be the best machines money will buy.

Last week, The News installed a 12x18 Kluge automatic job printing press to better handle the commercial printing part of the business.

Since a new Linotype costs about $12,000, this paper does not feel able to buy a type-setting machine at this time but has put about $500 worth of repairs and improvements on its present machine.

Also, "the old home paper" recently bought a building site located between Reid Parker's business and the Methodist Church, on which it hopes to build a new and modern newspaper building some time in the future, possibly next year.

The improvements, along with other minor equipment, have been made at great expense but are in keeping with The News' faith in the continued growth and development of Tahoka and Lynn County.

The News plant not only is equipped to publish a better newspaper, but has the facilities to turn out all types of commercial printing its customers may desire, usually at a better price and service than that offered by out-of-town printers.

The publishers think it only fair that Tahoka and Lynn county people give their home printer their work. This institution not only pays taxes in this town and county and makes cash contributions to local churches, charity, and civic organizations, but it also gives several thousand dollars (That's right, gives it away!) worth of space annually boosting the town, county, churches, clubs, benefits, and other area projects which make this a better community in which to live.

We do this freely and gladly, but when local businesses, clubs, units of government, public officers, and individuals have something to buy in the printing, paper, or advertising lines, we would like for them to help "keep" the mare going" by buying at home—which, we are glad to say, most of them do.

Opal Nowlin Is Seeking Office

Mrs. Opal Nowlin last week end announced that she is in the race for the office of County Treasurer of Lynn County. She has long been active in business, social and church affairs of the county, and is well known to most voters.

Her statement to the voters follows:

"I have been a citizen of Lynn county about 24 years, having come to Tahoka in 1926, and have been here ever since, with the exception of about 20 months during which time I resided in Lamesa, Dawson county; Brownfield, Terry county; and Clovis, N. M.

"I received my high school education in Burleson College Academy, and attended college one and one-half years. Since that time, I have been employed as bookkeeper for the Burleson Grain Co., Tahoka; Walker Battery & Electric and Ashley Electric companies, Lamesa; the Dunlap Co., Clovis; and the Frist National Bank, Tahoka.

"I believe I am qualified to perform duties as County Treasurer of Lynn County, and if elected to this office I shall strive to give the same courteous and untiring service that I have always given.

"I hope to see each voter personally before the primary election on July 22, but if unable to do so I sincerely seek your vote and influence on that day." — Opal Nowlin, candidate for County Treasurer of Lynn County.

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Mahon Warns That Cotton Acreage In West Texas May Be Cut In 1951

Representative George Mahon has reported to the local PMA office that the House Committee on Agriculture is seriously considering the approval of a bill by Congressman Pace of Georgia which would, among other things, drastically reduce cotton acreage allotments in West Texas next year. Mahon states that he has been advised by officials of the Department of Agriculture that under the proposal by Mr. Pace the 19th Congressional District would sustain a loss next year of 355,000 acres of cotton. These acres would go principally to Central and South Texas.

Mahon has appealed to PMA officials in Washington and College Station to seek to be of assistance in preventing this drastic reshuffling of the cotton acreage allotments for Texas. He also appeared last week before members of the House Committee on Agriculture to protest the proposed action and he states that he will continue to do everything in his power in behalf of he cotton producers of West Texas.

The 25-county 19th Congressional District received an allot-

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GEORGE MAHON

Jaycee Officers Will Be Installed

Tahoka Jaycees will hold their officer installation banquet next Thursday night, June 29, at 8 o'clock in the Legion Hall.

Guest speaker for the occasion will be Waggoner Carr, Lubbock county attorney and member of the Lubbock Jaycees, who is an entertaining and forceful talker.

Ralph Krebbs, State Jaycee vice president will install the new Tahoka 1950-51 officers. Bill Finney, Lubbock Jaycee president, and Roland Simpson, vice president, are expected to assist.

Following the banquet program, entertainment will include dancing, canasta, bridge, dominoes, and "42".

Tahoka Students Enroll In McMurry Band School

ABILENE, June 22— One hundred and thirty band students representing 24 Texas towns have obtained reservations for McMurry College's summer Vacation Band School, July 24-August 5. Prof Raymond T. Bynum, director, announced. Eleven of that number are from Tahoka.

Bynum describes the summer band school staff as "practice bandsmen whose aim is to return students to their respective bands better players and with a new enthusiasm for the coming year."

Students already enrolled in the band school include: Paxton Hutchison, Harold Hamilton, Jerry Cain, Danny Lockaby, Glenn Evans, Sue Williams, Joy Nell Hamilton, Joyce Weaver, Carolyn Collier, Dorothy Durham, and Tommie Whorton.

New Coach Spends Summer In T. C. U.

Joe L. Turner, new football coach at Tahoka High School, writes Supt. Vernon Brewer, that he is attending Texas Christian University in Fort Worth this summer, doing graduate work.

He expects to get out of school in July 15. He will attend the Texas High School Coaching School July 31 to August 4.

Coach Turner is a graduate of TWC in Fort Worth. He has a successful record as coach of the Nacona Indians, where he has been for several seasons.

LYNN SHEIFF'S POSSE APPEARS IN PARADES

Lynn County's Sheriff's Posse appeared in the mammoth parade opening the Lubbock ABC Boys Club Rodeo in Lubbock Wednesday, and on Thursday in the Brownfield Rodeo parade.

The group will ride in the Levelland parade on Saturday, July 1.

Local Officers Have Busy Week

The Sheriff's office has been busy the past few days, Sheriff "Slick" Clem reports.

Pedro Sales was carried to the penitentiary at Huntsville Thursday of last week to spend two to five years for burglary of an O'Donnell residence.

Saturday, a Spanish American man wanted on four counts was arrested in the Wells community for Carlsbad, N. M., officers. He is alleged to have forced a 14 year old girl to come with him from Carlsbad to Lynn county. The sheriff from Carlsbad took the pair back to that city Sunday.

Saturday night, an O'Donnell citizen was charged with driving while intoxicated.

Sunday night, a Tahoka Negro was arrested and fined on a affray charge.

The only trouble here on Emancipation Day, June 19, was a little difficulty between two local Negroes which resulted in a charge of assault and battery being against one Leon Lester. It is alleged that Lester broke a baseball bat over the head of Jesse Davis. In addition to the ruined bat, Davis received a sprained ankle and a "slight" cut on the back of the head.

Tuesday night, the officers confiscated three cases of wine and one case of whiskey from the home of a Negro.

Jack Swafford Is Injured At Well

Jack Swafford of Tahoka, received a broken jaw, facial lacerations, and a knee injury last Sunday at the oil rig on the H. B. Howell farm, where he was employed by the Rowan Drilling Co.

He was working on the platform when a cable broke and struck him on the face and body.

He was a patient in the Tahoka Hospital for two days, and on Tuesday was carried to Plainview to have an examination made of his knee by a bone specialist. It was found that he had a blood clot on the knee.

J. H. King of Portales, N. M., is here this week visiting old friends.

Drilling Started On Oil Tests In Lynn County

The Houston Oil Company's No. 1 H. B. Howell wildcat oil test, in which there is expected to be considerable interest, was spudded-in before daylight last Saturday morning and drilled to a depth of 400 feet, where casing was set preparatory to going down with the hole.

This is scheduled to be a 9,660-foot test, and is located on section 451, block 1, EL&RR company survey, about eight miles southeast of Tahoka. The location is about six miles northwest of the Magnolia discovery. Rowan Drilling Co. has the drilling contract.

Preparations were also underway for the offset to the Magnolia Garza No. 1 discovery east of Draw on the W. W. Caswell place. The offset is known as the Magnolia No. 1 W. W. Caswell, and is expected to tell the oil experts more about the strata and future possibilities for a field in the area. The No. 1 Garza, has a potential of 244.61 barrels.

Houston Oil company, also, the first of this week announced a location west of the Mound Lake Pennsylvania pool just over the county line in Terry county on a farm out from the Seaboard Oil Co., discoverer of the No. 1 Hinson producer. Location is 660 feet from west and 1,980 feet from the north lines of section 2, block T, D&W survey. Contract depth is 10,000 feet. Several members of the drilling crew are making their headquarters in Tahoka.

Another new test, announced last week, is the 10,000-foot Sohio Petroleum Co. No. W. T. Rodgers, located 13 miles northwest of Tahoka 660 feet from the north and west lines of section 144, block 12, EL&RR survey.

Baptists Call Music Director

The First Baptist Church last Sunday morning called Bob Callahan, Senior student in Wayland College, as the new music and educational director.

He will serve part time until his graduation in August.

Schedule for the encampments at the Blanco Canyon Camp Grounds for people from the local church has been announced as follows: Junior boys, June 26, 27, 28; Intermediate boys, June 28, 29, 30; General Assembly for families, July 3, 4, 5; Mexican encampment, July 6, 7; Junior girls, July 10, 11, 12; Intermediate girls, July 12, 13, 14.

Monday afternoon, Mrs. W. P. Hutchison was named the new president of the W. M. U.

Abbie's Shop Is Near Completion

Finishing touches were being put to Abbie's Fashion Shop this week. The shop, being installed in the new McElroy building and owned by Mrs. Abbie (Jep) Whorton, will open about July 7 to 10.

Featuring ladies' read-to-wear, the shop will have 1,000 feet of floor space, and the most modern of furnishings and carpeting.

12 Crews Start Measuring Cotton Land Under Government Program

According to information released by Clinton M. Walker, Administrative Officer of Lynn County Production and Marketing Administration, twelve crews are engaged in measuring the 1950 cotton acreage in the county at this time. These crews consist of a reporter and one chainman and will be working in all sections of the county at the same time.

More crews will be put on as soon as possible in order to expedite the measuring of the cotton acreage.

When the reporter visits the farm, it will be the responsibility of the farmer to be present or have his representative there to assist in chaining the cotton acres. Only the cotton acres will be measured and other crops such as grain sorghum, sudan, etc., will be estimated by the reporter and the farmer. It is not necessary for the farmer to notify the County Office when his cotton is ready to measure, since the reporter will measure all the adjacent farms in the area in which he is working.

Kery Royce Dobbs, 11 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Dobbs, was released from Tahoka Hospital last week after undergoing treatment for pneumonia.

Lynn County Pioneers Are Holding Reunion Saturday

Lightning Kills Former Resident

Carroll Ray Gillespie, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Gillespie formerly of Tahoka, was killed instantly by lightning at about 7:30 a. m. Monday at the family home at Pettit, 14 miles northwest of Levelland.

Young Gillespie had gone to the barn to milk the cows when the accident occurred, during an electrical storm. Mrs. Gillespie, who was in the kitchen, is reported to have heard what she thought was lightning striking something nearby. Looking toward the barn, she saw something fall. She called to her son and, receiving no answer, went to investigate and found the youth's body slumped on the barn floor.

Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie and son Gerald carried Carroll Ray in a pickup to a Levelland hospital, where a physician pronounced him dead. His body was marked with burns and his clothing torn and burned.

Funeral services were held at the Pettit High School gymnasium at 10 a. m. Thursday, and burial followed in Levelland Cemetery under direction of George C. Price funeral home.

The Gillespies lived in Lynn county for several years, and have a number of relatives and close friends here. They moved to Pettit six or eight years ago.

Funeral services were delayed by the inability to contact a brother, Domia Dean, who has been stationed on Guam with the Navy but who arrived on the West Coast this past week end.

Survivors include the parents; three brothers, Frank and Gerald, both of Levelland, and Domia Dean; two sisters, Mrs. J. C. Simpson of Levelland and Mrs. George D. Durkett of Whiteface; and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hill of Tahoka.

Mrs. Bill Thompson Gets Hip Broken

Mrs. W. M. (Bill) Thompson, who lives six miles east of Tahoka, has been in a critical condition with a broken hip in the Frazier, McKay & Seale Hospital in Lamesa for several days.

Mrs. Thompson, while working in her kitchen Wednesday of last week, fell in some way with the break resulting. She was brought to Seale Clinic here, and later carried to Lamesa, where she underwent an operation. She was in a critical condition and was placed under an oxygen tent for a time. Friends and relatives are anxious over her condition.

Mr. Thompson has been at her bedside almost constantly.

Canadian Dam Progress Reported

Progress is being made on the Canadian River Dam project which would furnish water to Tahoka and many other Plains cities according to a telegram received Monday by City Commissioner H. G. Hodges from Senator Lyndon B. Johnson.

The text of the telegram follows:

"Have had conferences with Budget Bureau and am assured clearance on Canadian River project. Will be submitted to Senate, Interior, and Insular Affairs Committee subject to following conditions: Firm repayment contract, interest at rate to be determined by Secretary of the Treasury, no construction until compact signed; and Fish and Wildlife allocation to be reimbursed. Hope letter will reach Senate this week. Feel this materially increases chances of Senate action this session. (Signed) Lyndon B. Johnson, U. S. Senate."



GAINES B. STANLEY

ABILENE, June 22— Gaines B. Stanley, son of Mrs. Minnie Stanley, Tahoka, was recognized for being elected to senior membership in the Texas Psi Chapter of Alpha Chi, national scholarship organization, at the annual presentation of awards by Don H. Morris, president of Abilene Christian college, Monday morning, May 29.

Stanley was graduated from ACC Monday evening, May 29, at the commencement exercises in the college stadium. He received a bachelor of arts degree in Bible with cum laude honors.

Salt Plant In Full Operation

(Brownfield News)

Following installation of salt-bagging machinery, the Frontier Salt company plant near Brownfield is now in full operation, according to W. H. Collins, manager.

The chemical plant southwest of Brownfield, formerly operated by the American Cyanide company, was purchased by the Frontier Salt company several weeks ago. The company, which has its main office in Midland, also operates a plant in Denver City.

The plant is engaged in the production of evaporated salt, which is used in processing gasoline, in oil well operation and in water softeners. Company trucks have already begun deliveries from the plant.

Fifteen persons are employed at the plant, according to the manager.

Another Team Withdraws From Softball League

The Lynn County Softball League has apparently "folded up," according to Clint Walker, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, sponsors.

First O'Donnell drew out because of its own league play, and then White Auto drew out last week.

However, there will be occasional games at the park between various teams of the area.

Interest has been light this year. First Wilson organized a league, then O'Donnel followed with a league of its own, leaving too few teams available for play.

O'Donnell's 1950 Population Reported At 1468 People

(O'Donnell Index-Press)

Tuesday noon the Index was notified by the District Census director that O'Donnell's unofficial population was 1468, subject to later minor corrections. This is a net gain of 281 people from the 1940 census of 1187, or a gain of 24 percent in 10 years.

This figure was a disappointment to many who expected the town to hit over 2,000.

Boyce House And Rev. Dick O'Brien Are On Program

Two prominent Texans, both widely known for their humorous talks, will appear on the program at the annual reunion of Lynn county oldtimers being held in Tahoka all day Saturday.

They are Boyce House of Fort Worth and Rev. Dick O'Brien of Big Spring. O'Brien will speak in the morning, and House in the afternoon.

President Oscar Roberts, Program Chairman R. P. Weathers, Secretary Frankie Fenton, Foods Committee Chairman Fred McGinty, and other members of the arrangements committee have completed plans for the reunion which they hope will make this year's meeting the most enjoyable ever held.

The programs will be held this year in the Legion Hall, the morning meeting beginning at 10 a. m., where all people and their families who were in Lynn county as long ago as thirty years will register.

Rev. C. A. Holcomb, Jr., will pronounce the invocation opening the meeting. Truett Smith will make the welcoming address, and Mrs. J. B. Walker of Lubbock will respond. Rev. O'Brien, known far and wide for his humorous and forceful speeches, will speak. This will be followed by the election of officers for next year.

The barbecue lunch will be served in the shade at the City Park. All those participating in the dinner must present their registration badges.

The afternoon session will open with songs by Bill Sewell of Lubbock.

Boyce House, who has appeared on programs in Tahoka two or three times and who is one of the most popular after-dinner speakers in Texas, will deliver the principal talk. House is famour for his wit and humor, stories of Texas and Texans. He is the author of several books on Texas folklore and humor, conducts a radio program, and has long been prominent in newspaper circles.

Following House's talk, there will be informal talks by some of the old settlers themselves. These have proved to be one of the most popular features of the reunion, since everyone enjoys hearing of the anecdotes and life in early West which comes out in some of these talks.

Prizes will be presented the eldest lady, the eldest man, and the person coming the greatest distance to the reunion.

A tap dance will be given by Sandra Kemp to end the formal program, following which the old settlers may spend the rest of the afternoon visiting.

Mrs. Lishman In Treasurer's Race

Mrs. Tommy (T. D.) Lishman is a candidate for Treasurer of Lynn county. She filed her name with the Democratic chairman for the office last week.

Mrs. Lishman lives in the Dixie community, 10 miles north of Tahoka. She has been active in Lynn county Home Demonstration Club work for many years, and at the present time is a member of the Countil Council.

In making her announcement for the office, she states:

"I have live in Lynn county 25 years, moving here from Cooper, Delta county, Texas. I attended the public schools in Slaton and Tahoka.

"In announcing for County Treasurer of Lynn County, I fully realize the duties and responsibilities of this office.

"I earnestly solicit your vote and pledge to work hard, if elected, to justify your trust and confidence."

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ODDS AND ENDS

(By E. I. The Elder)

This week we are going to indulge in a bit of self glorification. We wanted to do it last week but had all those brand-new decisions of the Supreme Court fresh on our mind and just had to get that off our chest, so to speak.

This week it is more dope but probably we will be able pretty soon to drift back down to some subject that is not quite so dry. The thing that brought us such a thrill was the published fact that the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals backed up on a decision it had rendered, reversed itself, and took exactly the same position we had taken some four or five weeks earlier in this Column respecting reversals of criminal cases in which the defendant is a Negro, on the sole grounds that No Negro had sat on the grand jury that indicted him.

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It was on May 12, in this column, that we discussed the decision of the U. S. Supreme Court in the Lee Cassell murder case, which went up from Dallas county, Texas, in which the Supreme Court set aside the verdict of guilty rendered by a jury whose fairness was not questioned, on the sole grounds that there was no Negro on the grand jury that indicted him. We quote from the comment that we made in this column at that time. Here it is. Some of you may have taken time out to read it at the time:

"Cassell is a Negro," we stated. "He committed a cold-blooded murder in that city (Dallas) by deliberately crushing the skull of a night watchmtn with a piece of iron pipe in order that he might burglarize a place of business unmolested. That was his crime. The facts were conclusively proved. The was not a shadow of a doubt of his guilt. Following the crime, he was arrested and placed in jail, and soon thereafter was indicted of the crime of murder by a Dallas grand jury. Then he was tried by a petit jury, which found him guilty and assesed his punishment at death. Lawyers appealed the case on the plea that the trial was illegal for the reason that there was no Negro on the grand jury which indicted him. The Court of Criminal Appeals affirmed the case. It was then appealed to the U. S. Supreme Court and the Supreme Court reversed the case on the grounds that there had been discrimination against the defendant because of his race, as evidenced by the fact that no Negro had been placed on the grand jury that indicted him."

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After thus stating the case and making some vigorous criticism of the decisions, we then took another tack and proceeded as follows:

There is another phase of the matter that we believe should be taken into consideration in such cases by the higher courts; that is the fact that a grand jury does not and can not convict any person; it can not send any criminal to the penitentiary. It can only present a charge, or indictment, and stop there. The case must then be tried on its merits by a petit jury, and the petit jury can not even consider as any evidence of guilt whatever the indictment on which the defendant is tried. The petit jury is instructed specifically by the court not to do so. It must try the case strictly on the evidence adduced on the trial regardless of the fact that twelve other men have filed the charge. Hence, as a matter of fact, race prejudice, if any, in the selection of a grand jury, can have little or no effect as to the eventual outcome of the case. We think that a supreme court can do the Negroes little good in requiring that every "i" must be dotted and every "t" crossed in such a case before allowing a conviction to stand but can and does do society much harm in picking motes out of the eyes of trial courts and turning hardened criminals loose on society unless they are tried and convicted again.

If this leaning-backward trend against every sort of race discrimination continues long, we guess that some of these days some Negro criminal will be trying to disqualify some Dallas county district judge on the grounds that the judge is white and that discrimination against the Negroes by the Whites is shown by the fact that no Negro ever has been eleced as judge of any court in Dallas county in all the history of the state, no not even as a justice of the peace.

Furthermore, if the trend continues, we guess some lawyer hired by the Association for the Advancement of the Colored People, or whatever the name of the outfit is, will be raising the question some time soon as to the qualifications of the supreme court itself to pass on the rights of his Negro client on the grounds that there is no Negro member of that court. It could be pointed out that President Truman has never appointed a Negro to sit upon that court nor has any other President done so in all the history of our country, not even in "carpet-bag" days. We are wondering if Mr. Justice Clark from Texas, Mr. Truman's latest appointee, ought not to resign, apoligize to the Association for the Advancement of the Colored people for accepting the position, and request the President to appoint some Negro as his successor. He might appoint one to some cabinet position also. He has never done so nor has any President ever done so in the entire history of our country. Our President should not thus discriminate longer against the colored race.

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Seriously, it seems to us that the appointment of judges to our courts who might be prejudiced against the Negro race would be a much more serious matter and should be guarded against far more scrupulously than the appointment of a grand jury panel, whose qualification can be tested by the court and challenged by any lawyer who has as his client any accused person whose conduct is to be investigated by that body, and especially so since at best the grand jury can do nothing more than return a bill of indictment.

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So, imagine, if you can, the satisfaction and delight with which we read a news story from Austin published in the Dallas Morning News of June 8, nearly one month after our discussion of the Cassell case, involving another and different murder case which had come before the Court of Criminal Appeals but which presented exactly the same question as that involved in the Cassell case. You will see the surprise feature as the story proceeds. Here it is:

"The Court (Court of Criminal Appeals) withdrew a former ruling which would have given Herman Lee Ross a new trial in the hold-up murder of a Galveston Liquor store operator. Ross was sentenced to death.

"On April 29, the court had ruled the conviction must fall because no Negro was on the grand jury which indicted Ross, basing

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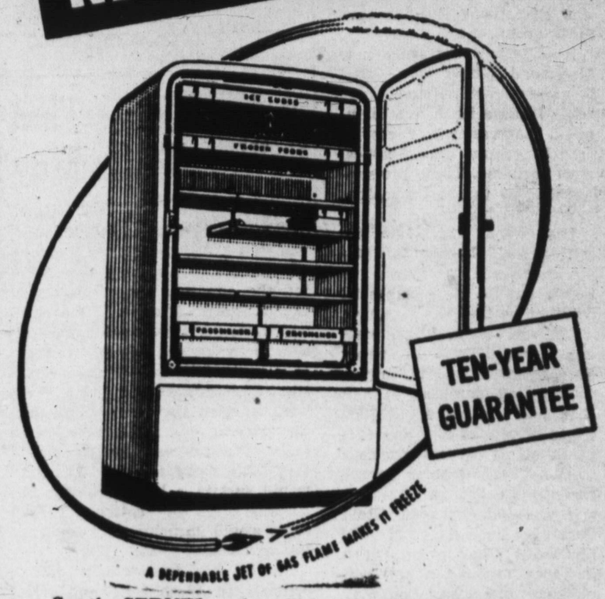


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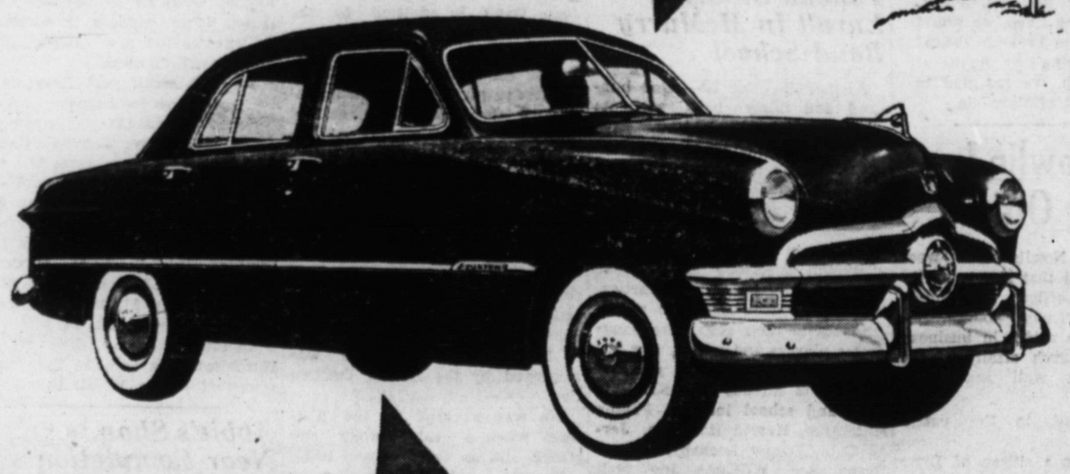


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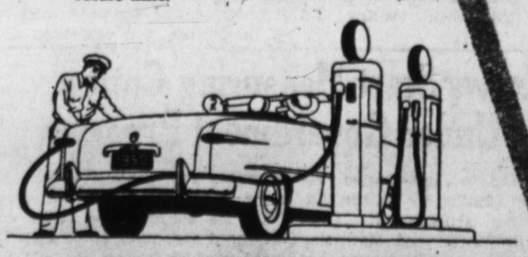
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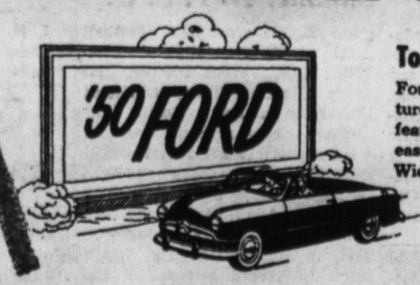




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Work Is Started On College Chapel

CANYON, June 22— Formal ceremonies marking the laying of the cornerstone at the new Memorial Chapel on the campus of West Texas State were held recently with Dr. J. A. Hill, president emeritus, as main speaker.

The chapel, a project of Dr. Hill's will be completed by fall and ready for use. Constructed of Colorado red sandstone, the chapel was erected through the contributions of 611 persons and organizations who raised over $45,000.

Lubbock REA Is Granted Big Loan

WASHINGTON, June 22— The Rural Electrification Administration has approved a loan of $735,000 to the South Plains Electric Cooperative, Lubbock, REA informed Sen. Tom. Connally today.

The loan will be used for system improvements and for building 47 miles of distribution lines to serve 129 new irrigation consumers.

The South Plains Coop operates in Lubbock, Lynn, Hale, Crosby, and Hockley counties.

ORDER EASTERN STAR

Stated meeting of Tahoka Chapter 743 Order Eastern Star— Monday, June 26, 8:00 P. M. — Opal Hamilton, .W. M., Helen Biggerstaff, Sec'y.

In the South as a whole timber volume is holding its own, but sawtimber is being cut faster than it is being replaced by new growth.

DRAW, PODNER!



The wild West has moved east, north, and south these days, for cowboy suits are favorites with small fry everywhere. This rootin', tootin' cowboy is all dressed up in a pair of cotton whipcord breeches, a cotton T-shirt and boots adorned with Roy Rogers and his trusty horse Trigger. To top it off, he sports a genuine ten gallon hat.

Political Announcements

The Lynn County News is authorized to announce the follow candidates for office, subject to the Democratic primaries:

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For State Representative, 119th District:
Forrest Weimhold, Levelland.
Waggoner Carr, Lubbock.
For District Judge:
Louis B. Reed (re-election)
Tom Garrard, Tahoka.
For District Attorney:
(106th Judicial District)
Karl Cayton, Lamesa
For Disrtict Clerk:
W. S. (Skip) Taylor (re-election).
For County Judge:
Walter M. Mathis.
For County Attorney:
B. P. Maddox, (re-election).
Sam Garrard.
For Tax Assessor-Collector:
J. E. (Red) Brown.
Marvin Munn.
For County Clerk:
Beulah Priomore (re-election)
For Sheriff:
Roland W. "Slick" Clem, (re-election).
Charles F. Wells.
A. L. (Allie) White.
For County Superintendent:
Mrs. Lenore M. Tunnell, (re-election).
For County Treasurer:
Thomas (Tom) Reid.
Mrs. Tommy Lishman.
Mrs. Opal Nowlin.
For Commissioner Prec't. 1:
E. J. Cooper, (re-election).
P. K. Fleming.
Clarence Church.
For Commissioner Prec't. 2:
Willis Pennington, (re-election).
C. W. Roberts.
For Commissioner, Prec't. 3:
F. E. Redwine.
Will Edd Tredway.
John Earles.
For Commissioner, Prec't. 4:
G. W. (Dick) Turner, (re-election).

CARD OF THANKS

We extend our heart-felt thanks to the great host of friends and acquaintances who sent flowers, expressed their sympathy, or in any such way made the burden of our great loss easier to bear. Your kindness will ever be remembered. May God bless each of you. —The relatives of Edwin May.

News Classified Ads get Results.

Mrs. C. G. Wells and little daughter of Midland are spending the week here with the former's sister, Mrs. Wynne Collier, and family.

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Communion .....11:45 a. m.
Young Peoples Study 6:30 p. m.
Preaching .....7:00 p. m.
Mid-week Service
Wednesday .....7:30 p. m.

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Preaching .....11:00 a. m.
Communion .....11:50 a. m.
Young People's Meet...6:15 p. m.
Ladies' Bible Study Tuesday .....3:00 p. m.
Mid-Wtek Worship Wednesday .....7:00 p. m.

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Denton Thompson, Minister
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Communion .....11:45 a. m.
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Preaching .....7:00 p. m.

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H. J. Marsh, who moved to California about the last of January, arrived back in Tahoka last week and expects to spend a few months here. Mrs. Marsh is remaining at Modesto, at least for the time being, where a son resides.

ADDING MACHINE ROLLS at The News office.

Besides being a source of cash income to the farmer, a home supply of timber on the farm means that necessary repairs and new construction can be made when needed and the farm operations kept up to a high standard of efficiency.

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Tahoka Daisy Is Mentioned In New Musical

Charles Guy, in his "Plainsman" column in last Friday's Lubbock Avalanche, revealed that Lubbock and the "Tahoka Daisy" are mentioned in the latest stage show hit, "Texas' Li'l Darlin'," now playing in New York City.

The following is from Charley's always interesting column:

Lubbockites and other West Texans who go to New York this Summer and happen to see Texas' Li'l Darlin'," one of the musical hit shows there, are likely to get a shock. At least Roger Southall, of The Avalanche-Journal did.

"Texas' Li'l Darlin'," lampoons our W. Lee O'Daniel type of politics, football at the University of Texas and "Trends," a magazine reminiscent of "Life." The show's principal character, Hominy Smith (played by Kenny Delmar, of "it's a joke, son" fame) is a candidate for state senator.

At one point in the show, a radio is playing on the stage. All of a sudden the program is broken into with the announcer's shout: "Flash! Lubbock! Hominy Smith is now leading by (so many) votes!"

Roger, who saw the show along with Winston Redwine of Tahoka, and Charolette Carter, of Lubbock, both students at Columbia this Summer, said it was all he could do to keep from jumping up and yelling "That's my home town!"

Young Redwine got a thrill, too. In one of the musical numbers there is a reference to the "Tahoka Daisy."

Cotton Buyers Should Register

Here's important news to all cotton buyers in Lynn county. C. B. Early, Vice-Chairman, Lynn County P. M. A. Committee, urges all persons who intend to buy cotton from farmers in Lynn county this fall to go by the P. M. A. office in Tahoka and leave your name and address. The County P. M. A. Committee can then keep you informed about cotton marketing regulations and provisions.

Mr. Early says there will be certain requirements in connection with the marketing quota program that each cotton buyer will need to know and the County P. M. A. Committee will furnish buyers this information if they know who they are and how to get in touch with them.

Wynne Collier and daughter, Carolyn, left Sunday for Houston, where they are attending the Texas Pharmaceutical convention.

Why throw money away? Make the woodlands produce annual timber crops.

Go To Church Sunday.



Joyous confidence and eager anticipation both shine in the eyes of 8-year-old Virginia Lee Brown, Borger, Texas, polio patient in the out-patient clinic of the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children in Dallas. L. R. German, brace maker (left) has assured Virginia that she will soon walk again. Her father, T. A. Brown, (right) lends a helping hand in fitting the specially made braces. Many children, polio victims and others, get the best possible medical care and attention at the Scottish Rite Hospital. The charity hospital, now serving humanity for 27 consecutive years, is supported by contributions from kind-hearted Texans all over the state.

MERMAID IN STRIPES



This attractive mermaid (who really has been swimming!) gets her quota of Vitamin D basking in the sunshine after her dip. She is wearing a glamorous Roman striped swim suit of cotton puckerette designed by Catalina. The two-piece cotton suit has a solid-colored back.

Gano Tubb Goes Back To O'Donnell

Gano Tubb is returning to O'Donnell as head coach of the Eagles.

He was head coach at Levelland for nine years, where he produced outstanding football teams and where he developed basketball teams in 1945 and 1946 which went to the state finals.

He was head coach at O'Donnell in 1947 and 1948, but returned last year to Levelland as backetball coach, and lost out in the regional tournament to Canyon, which went on to win the Class A championship handily.

Gano's younger brother, Floyd Tubb, is a teacher in the Tahoka High School and an employee of the County Clerk's office this summer.

Gano is highly respected in Tahoka, as well as in O'Donnell, and local sports fans are glad to see him back in Lynn county. Incidentally, the Tubb boys and their parents formerly lived in the Dixie community.

Vernon Kelleys Attend Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kelley and children of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Kelly of Hobbs, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Truett Schneider and baby of Wilson went down to Fort Worth Saturday, where they attended a family reunion of the decendants of Mr. Kelley's grandmother in Greenwood Park.

Five generations of the family were present, and were photographed by a Star-Telegram reporter. Those in the picture were Mrs. J. P. Ewing of Gustine, Vernon's grandfother, Mrs. W. R. Kelley of Gustin, Vernon Kelley, Mrs. Schneider, and her seven-weeks old son, Doyle Wayne.

The reunion was attended by 200 people from five states. The Kelleys returned home Sunday night.

Go To Church Sunday.

Did Your Farm Lose Much Soil?

How much of your farm did you lose this year?

With this question, R. O. Nettles, chairman of the Lynn County PMA committee, calls attention to the serious need for safeguarding soil against erosion and depletion. In his words, "every inch of topsoil skimmed off an acre, cuts just that much into the production from that land—and that production means income for the farmer, trade in town, and food for the public."

Mr. Nettles points out that in Lynn county the Agricultural conservation Program practices are available to every farmer to help carry out conservation practices. These practices not only protect the farmer's interest in the land but the Nation's source of future agricultural production as well. As the population continues to increase, it becomes more and more vital to the people of this country to check soil to keep the soil from going "down the river."

As the chairman points out, the amount being spent to aid farmers to carry on conservation practices averages $115 for each farmer in Lynn county this year —an insignificant amount when compared with the cost to the county if the land is neglected.

"The most expensive program is no program at all. In parts of the country where land has been allowed to wash and blow and to wear out, the loss is unestimable.

"With a limited acreage from which food and fiber can be produced and a continually increasing population depending on this production, any further reduction of soil and waste of water will cut into future living standards."

MISS BETTY JEAN REED WEDS ROY WHITE

Miss Betty Jean Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reed of Tahoka, became the bride of Roy White, also of Tahoka, in a single ring ceremony performed in Fort Sumner, New Mexico, on Friday, June 2.

The bride wore a palomino suit with brown and white accessories.

Mrs. White is a nurse at the Tahoka Hospital, and Mr. White is employed by Lyntegar Rural Electric Cooperative.

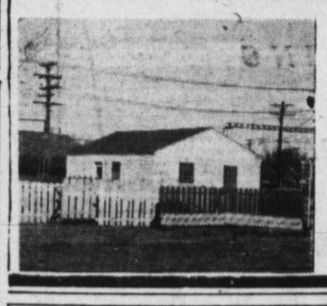
After a wedding trip to Colorado and Oklahoma, the couple is at home in Tahoka.

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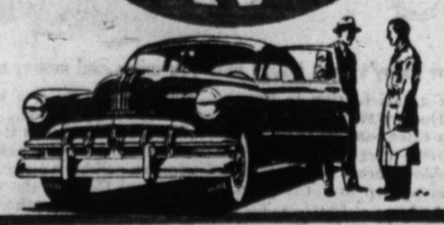
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Bill Strange, Sr., Has An Idea For Retiring Tremendous National Debt

Bill Strange, Sr., was the speaker at Tahoka Rotary Club Thursday noon of last week.

He interestingly discussed our growing national debt and the possible consquences if something is not done soon to balance the budget.

After stating that our government now is in debt approximately $257 billion, he broke this astronomical figure down, declaring that this mean, every man, woman and child in the nation owes $1700 as their individual part of it. If we had $257 billion in $1,000 bills, and placed these thousand dollar bills end to end they would reach around the world. If 257 billion in thousand dollar bills were stacked up flat in one stack, there would be a pile as high as the Empire State building. Ir 257 billion were spent at the rate of $250 a minute, 2,000 years would be required to get rid of that much money.

Solving the problem must come from demands from the people, he said. He expressed the belief that the problem can be solved, if sufficient pressure is put on the government to do so. But, he believes that no government, just like no individual or business, can survive if it habitually and continually spends more than it takes in.

He suggested that our government might maintain inflation, collect a total of $75 billion in taxes annually but limit its budget to $50 billion annually, and thereby apply $25 billion to the debt annually for ten years and become debt-free again.

Truett Smith arranged the day's program. Charles Townes, president-elect, presided at the meeting in the absence of President Emil Prohl, who is attending the convention of Rotary International in Detroit.

Traces of at least nine fossil forests, one above the other, representing 12,000 years of growth, are exposed in a cross-section of Specimen Ridge in Yellowstone Park.

County Council Holds Meeting

Lynn County Home Demonstration Council met Thursday, June 15, in the Home Demonstration ofice with Miss Deane McClurkin meeting with us in the absence of Miss Graham Hard. Miss McClurkin is Miss Hard's assistant during the summer months.

There were fifteen women present representing ten clubs, including the new club recently organized at New Home, represented by Mrs. Wilmer Smith and Mrs. Kay Moore.

The scholarship for a worthy girl of District II was discussed. If every club in the district contributes to this cause, it will run $4.00 per club. The contribution is optional, but Miss Kate Adelle Hill, district agent, expresses her desire that every club contribute.

The state THDA meeting was discussed. The meeting will be held in Big Spring August 23-24, and 25. At the next Council meeting, voting delegates to the convention will be elected. It is urged that all representatves to the council be present and present their nominee for delegate.

Since there were only three clubs presenting names for THD A's County Chairman, the business was also postponed until next council meeting. It is advisable that at least as many as five clubs submit names for THDA Chairman. These names should be turned in to Miss Hard's office as soon as possble.

It was also reported that the Chamber of Commerce contributed $50.00 to pay the expenses of two Lynn County 4-H club girls who attended the 4-H Club Round Up at College Station.

Mrs. Howard Draper presided and Miss Ina Ledbetter acted as secretary. —Reporter.

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Southland Leads Softball League

Southland is leading in the Wilson Softball League play through last week end, according to Theo Campbell of that city.

Following Southland, in order, are Wilson Lions, St. Paul's Lutheran, Grassland, Curry Motors of Lubbock, and St. John's Lutheran.

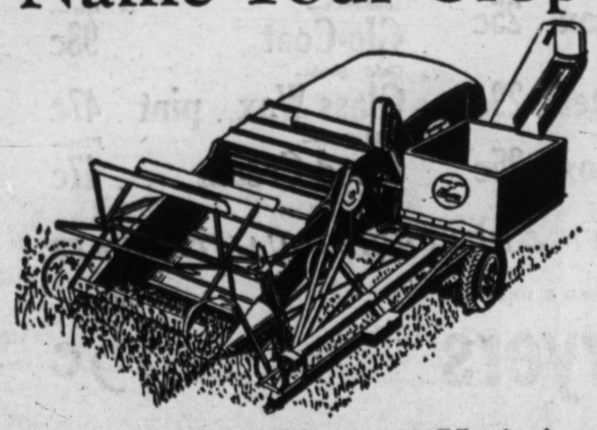
E. L. Walker, manager of the Wilson girl's softball team, is seeking games with other ladies' teams. He would like to match at least a couple of games with some Tahoka ladies, old or young, slim or hefty, he says.

Saturday night, there will be a donkey softball game at Wilson, to which the public is invited. Admission prices are 25 and 50 cents.

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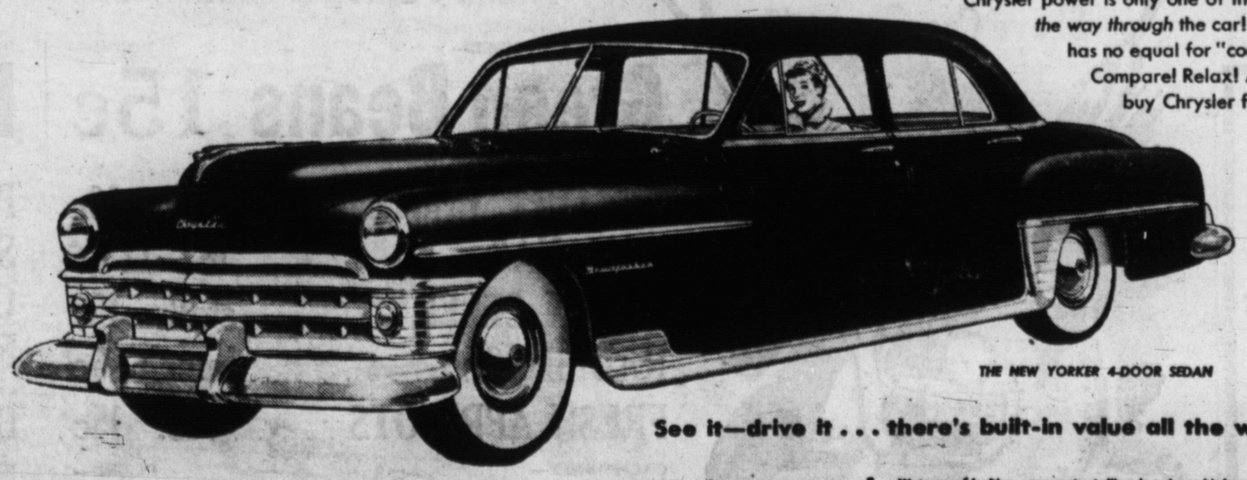
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Chrysler first introduced high-compression power! Chrysler still leads the parade in *all* that high-compression power can do for you! Come let Chrysler's Spitfire High-Compression Engine show you the difference! In traffic it's flexible and speedy! With plenty of power for the toughest hill! With a combination of advantages no other engine can offer . . . from automatic gear-shifting that gives you *full* control . . . to waterproof ignition that prevents stalling in rain or high water! But . . . Chrysler power is only one of the *built-in values all the way through* the car! Come see beauty that has no equal for "come-on"! Drive! Compare! Relax! And we're sure you'll buy Chrysler from now on!

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Advantages of Chrysler's High Compression Spitfire Engine!	*Waterproof Ignition*—prevents stalling in rain or high water! *Lubrited Cylinder Walls*—chemical protection for increased life. *Floating Power*—helps eliminate vibration. *Superfinished Parts*—reduce friction, last longer. *Exhaust Valve Seat Inserts*—reduce need for valve grinding! *Full Flow Oil Filter*—keeps oil clean!
Advantages of Chrysler's Fluid Drive	*Automatic Gear Shifting*—with full control of your car! *Better traction*—safer on slippery roads. *Convenience of clutch* for easier parking. *Slower Engine Speeds*—reduced noise, wear. Saves gasoline! Drive in high while others drive in low in traffic.
Chrysler's Advantages in Comfort and Safety	*Functional Design*—full room for your head, legs, shoulders. Easy to enter and leave! *Safe Guard Hydraulic Brakes*—smoother stops, less pedal pressure. Cyclebonded linings for double the wear. *Electrically Operated Windshield Wiper*—constant speed all the time! *Chair Height Seats*—no crouching, you sit naturally! *Safety Rim Wheels*—won't throw tires after blowouts at normal speeds.

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Couple Injured In Car Wreck At Plainview

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Evans came halfway around the world to see his mother, Mrs. J. H. McNeely of Tahoka, and had a bad car wreck within two hour's drive of their destination.

The wreck occurred in Plainview, and both were sent to the hospital as the result. Mr. Evans, at first believed the most seriously injured, however, was released in two or three days with scratches and bruises. Mrs. Evans, not released until Tuesday of this week, had body injuries that required a cast from her neck to her waist. She is now able to walk with aid.

A few days before the accident, the couple had arrived in New York from Arabia. They bought a new car and were driving home. On Friday, June 9, they were attempting to get to Tahoka for lunch but were a little late and decided to eat in Plainview. Mr. Evans said he looked both ways before making a turn but was a little slow in doing so and a car traveling at high speed zoomed up behind him and he could not get out of the way. His new car was completely wrecked.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans have been in Arabia for six years, he being with the Arabian American Oil company. They expect to return in August to spend two more years.

Mr. Evans, who lived in this county as a young man, says living conditions in Arabia have been made unusually good for the men of his company. They live in very modern air-conditioned homes, work in air-conditioned buildings, and have the best of foods. Even the men who work in the field, he says, soon get accustomed to the intense heat, which frequently reaches 120 degrees.

He is a half-brother to the McNeely boys of this county.

Managing our forest resources to insure continuous, profitable crops is a necessity in the economy of Texas.

LOCAL YOUTH GOES TO BOY'S RANCH

County Attorney B. P. Maddox last week end carried a Lynn county boy down to Lindale Boys' Ranch in East Texas, returning home Saturday.

He says the ranch, which has been little publicized, is said to be supported by a wealthy East Texas man and is for unfortunate youths. He was greatly impressed with the ranch and its work and believes that the youth he carried down will be satisfied to make this his home.

Go To Church Sunday.

A. I. THOMAS HOME FROM WEEK AT CHAMA

A. I. Thomas returned Tuesday after spending a week at his cabin in the mountains near Chama, New, Mexico.

He reports that fishing was excellent. He says the game warden told him that 33 tons of legal size trout are being planted in that area this year from the Parkview hatchery, at least 10 tons of which will go into the Chama River. The average size of the fish is about 8 inches.

He brought home a block of ice cut out of the river high up in the mountains.

LOCAL BUSINESS MEN ON FISHING TRIP

Three local automobile dealers and a cleaner left Tuesday for a week in the mountains of Northern New Mexico, where they expected to fish and rest and argue the merits of Oldsmobiles, Fords, and Chevrolets. They declared that they hoped to talk down the cleaner.

Making the trip are: Winston "Olds" Wharton, Bill "Tin Lizzy" Strange, Sr., Maurice "Chevvy" Bray, and "Terrible" Terry Thompson, the so-called cleaner.

MERCHANTS SALES PADS at The News office.

DIXIE CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. DRAPER

Mrs. Buel Draper was hostess to members of the Dixie Home Demonstration Club at a meeting in her home on Wednesday, June 21.

Roll call was on "Features to look for when buying lamp shades." Talks and demonstrations on making lamp shades were given by Mrs. Carl Spears and Mrs. T. D. Dunlap. A Council report was given by Mrs. E. J. Cooper.

Mrs. E. R Tunnell was elected delegate to attend the convention at Big Spring in August.

Several of the club members are planning on taking tailoring.

Refreshments of cookies, candy, mints, and punch were served to 18 members.

The club adjourned to meet again July 5 in the home of Mrs. Clifton Habilton. —Reporter.





The food comes rolling in by the trainload to your big Davis & Humphries Super Markets. We buy in volume for two important reasons: (1) to meet the heavy demands of Davis & Humphries shoppers, and (2) to mark these foods so you can buy them at the most economical prices! The bigger the shipment, the lower the prices!

PEACHES Heavy Syrup, LIBBY'S, NO. 2½ CAN— **21c**

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Salad Dressing EVERLITE, Pint Jar— **27c**

PENICK— White Syrup . . ½gal . 33c

PENICK— Golden Syrup . . gal. . 63c

Frozen Food Features—

Sno-Crop— 6 Oz. Can— Orange Juice . . . 25c

– Frozen Fryer Cuts –

Strawberries SNO-CROP, 12 OZ. PKG.— **39c**

COMSTOCK SLICED— **APPLES** NO. 2 CAN— **15c**

AMERICAN BEAUTY— **MEAL** 5 POUND BAG— **35c**

Dorman— No. 2 Can— Baby Limas . . . 12½c

Marshall— No. 300 Can— Pork & Beans . . . 9c

ICT SWEET— No. 303 Can— Peas 19c

Niblets Fresh— 12 Oz. Can— Corn 17c

Libby's— No. 303 Can— Pears 23c

HEINZ— Baby Food . 3 for . 25c

Betsy Ross— Grape Juice . qt. . 39c

PET— TALL CAN— Milk . . . . 2 for . 25c

Libby's— No. 2 Can— Tomato Juice . . . 14c

Hunt's CHB— Lge. Bottle— Catsup 20c

Libby's— No. ¼ Can—3 For— Potted Meat . . . 25c

Armour's— 12 Oz. Can— Treet 39c

Armour's— No. ½ Can— Viennas 19c

Oscar Mayer— 12 Oz. Can— Weiners 49c

Red Heart— Dog Food . 3 for . 39c

Grapefruit Juice TEXSUN, 46 Oz. Can— **33c**

SWIFT'S— 3 CANS— **Cleanser** **26c**

ASSORTED FLAVORS— BOX— **Jello** **5c**

Dreft . . lge. box . 25c

Tide . . lge. box . 25c

Johnson's— 1⅓ Qts.— Glo-Coat 98c

Sweetheart 1c Deal— Toilet Soap . 4 for . 23c

1c SALE— Trend . . 2 boxes . 29c

Gold Seal— Glass Wax . pint . 47c

Clorox . . . quart . 19c

Vel . . . lge. box . 25c

Gold Seal— Pint— Wood Cream . . . 47c

— FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES — DAVIS & HUMPHRIES QUALITY MEATS

KENTUCKY WONDER— POUND— **Green Beans** **15c**

DRESSED & DRAWN— POUND— **Fryers** **55c**

LETTUCE, firm head . . . . . lb. . 10c

BANANAS . . . . . lb. . 12½c

GREEN CELERY . . . . . stalk . 15c

RADISHES . . . . . bunch . 5c

FRESH APRICOTS . . . . . lb. . 15c

PORK SAUSAGE . . . . . lb. . 25c

SLICED BACON, Swift's . . . lb. . 39c

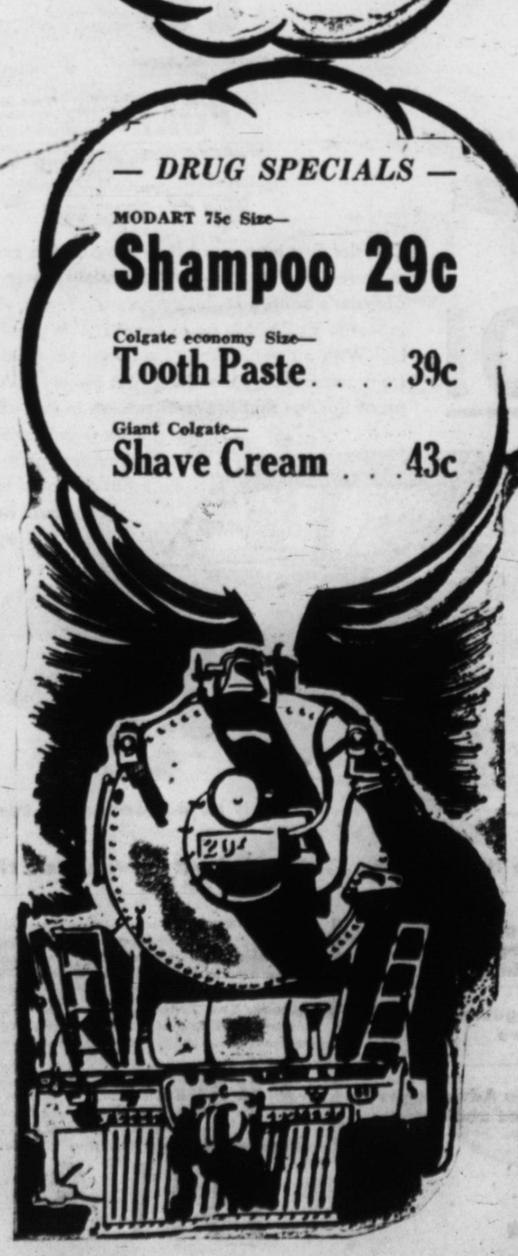
CHEESE . . Longhorn . . . . . lb. . 39c

FILLET of Perch . . . . . lb. . 29c

SWIFT'S— BROOKFIELD— BUTTER . . . . . ½ lb. roll . 35c

CALIFORNIA— POUND— **Cantaloupes** **10c**

⅔ OR WHOLE— POUND— **Picnics** **39c**



— *DRUG SPECIALS* —

MODART 75c Size— **Shampoo 29c**

Colgate economy Size— Tooth Paste 39c

Giant Colgate— Shave Cream . . . 43c

DAVIS & HUMPHRIES SUPER MARKET

Bill Sez



By BILL STRANGE, JR.

There's a lot of cattle rustlin' a-goin' on these days, pardner . . . the rustlers are as up-to-date as tomorrow's headlines. Nowday those ornery cattle snatchers ride the range in trucks and are headed for the market long before Ol' Hopalong Cassidy could throw a saddle over his trusty cayuse. With meat price higher than a sunfishing bronc, an Oklahoma inspector estimates there are 300 rustlers a-rustlin' in his state alone. Some even steal trucks to use in stealing cattle. That's adding mechanization to insult and injury. Win, lose or draw, they're playing for big steaks.

If necessity is the mother of invention, says a local wit, then Pat. Pending is probably the father. Will the Irishman who gave this to us please pick it up? Want a pick-up in summer driving pleasure? Easy . . . just bring your car for a complete pre-vacation overhaul to BILL STRANGE MOTORS. There's no job too big for us to handle and none too small to appreciate. You can depend on us. Phone: 49. Adv.



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Pythian Sisters Hold Meeting

Lynn Temple No. 45 met in regular meeting June 20th with 20 members present. Elnora Curry filled the chair of Most Excellent Chief, Florine Best acted as Senior, and Bernice Carter as Junior. During the regular business, Bernice Carter was elected Treasurer for a term of three years. Installing Officer then installed Bernice Carter in office, Hannah Nordyke as Manager, and Tommye Terry as Junior.

Refreshments of home made cake and ice cream were served the members present by the hostesses, Pauline Warren, Bernice Carter and Jewell Connolly.

We would like to see more of the members in attendance. After all, it takes everyone to carry on the work. —Reporter.

News Classified Ads get Results.

Billy's A Lucky Boy Say Bob and Kate



Bob Hope and Kate Smith are co-chairmen of the nation's first United Cerebral Palsy Appeal.



Billy Townley of, Bound Brook, N. J.

Billy is five and learning to stand. He practices daily in the standing table designed for Cerebral Palsy youngsters. But only one out of 100 CP children get Billy's chance. The other 99 receive no help. Some of them are hidden in attics or committed to mental institutions, even though three out of four are as bright as Billy. Billy *is* lucky.

To bring hope to America's half-million Cerebral Palsied — and the 10,000 babies born with this crippling brain injury each year — Bob Hope and Kate Smith are heading the pioneer United Cerebral Palsy Campaign. Funds will provide treatment centers, train personnel and conduct research to help CP youngsters walk, talk and grow into useful citizens.

Send your contribution to Bob Hope, Paramount Theatre, San Francisco; or to Kate Smith, Paramount Theatre, New York City.

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HOBBY BECOMES THRIVING BUSINESS



Mrs. Peter Soutar, Des Plaines, Ill., hit the jackpot when her doctor advised her to take up a relaxing hobby for her health. She began to make stuffed animals and other handiwork from colorful print cotton bag material. Her work was so popular that Mrs. Soutar found herself taking orders as fast as she could fill them. Now Mrs. Soutar has a thriving business—which already has provided a college education for her daughter.

SUMMERTIME!



Summertime brings bare shouldered fashions. This dainty feminine blouse is designed in starched cotton lace and icy white tissue broadcloth by Ship 'n Shore. The National Cotton Council reports that cool cotton blouses such as this will be popular for teaming with full skirts of drapery fabric this summer.

Nelda Carpenter Honored At ACC

ABILENE, June 22— Nelda Carpenter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Carpenter, Bowie, was awarded a letter for work done in the speech department of Abilene Christian College during the 1949-50 session. She earned the letter in debate.

This award was made at the annual presentation of awards by Don H. Morris, president of the college, Monday morning, May 29.

Miss Carpenter is a junior student in ACC majoring in history.

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Hunt's— STRAWBERRY *PRESERVES* *1 Lb. Jar—* **35c**

Whole Kernal— CORN *12 Ounce Can—* **12½c**

Shurfine— MILK *Tall Can—* **11c**

Red Heart— DOG FOOD *2 Cans—* **25c**

Super-Creamed CRISCO 3 lb. can **79c**

GLEN VALLEY— PEAS . . tall can 14c

DEL VALLEY— NO. 2 CAN— GREEN BEANS . . . 14c

Flour *Shurfine, 5 Pound Bag—* **47c**

WELCH— Apricot Nectar . . TALL CAN— 12½c

FRANCO AMERICAN— SPAGHETTI . . . . . Tall Can— 15c

Vine Fresh, *No. 2 Can—* **Tomatoes 10c**

SUGARKIST— MARSHMALLOWS . . CELLO BAG— 14c

PORK & BEANS . . . TALL CAN— 10c

TIDE *Large Box—* **25c**

BLACKEYED— PEAS . . tall can . . . 10c

MAXWELL HOUSE& TEA . . ¼ lb. pkg. . . . 25c

FRESH FRUITS and VEGETABLES

Carrots *Fresh Bunch—* **5c**

TASTY CALIFORNIA— CANTALOUPES . . . . . Pound . . 10c

Fresh-Green— ONIONS *Bunch* **5c**

SPUDS . . . Calf. White . . Pound . . 4½c

Tender Crisp— Lettuce *Pound—* **10c**

TOP QUALITY MEATS AND POULTRY AT LOWER PRICES

Ham, ½ or whole— Picnics *Pound—* **39c**

PAN SAUSAGE . . . . . Pound . . 29c

T-Bone or Loin— Veal Steaks *Pound—* **73c**

BACON, Cudahy Wicklow . . Pound . 41c

Fatted Spring— Fryers *Pound-* **55c**

PIGGLY WIGGLY WHERE SHOPPERS WISE... ... ECONOMIZE!

Couple Injured

Traffic Signs Help Save Your Lives . . .

The shape and color of a highway sign should have meaning for you, Mr. and Mrs. Motorist, even though there is no message or symbol on it. You have only a split second at high speeds to read a written message or grasp the meaning of a symbol on a traffic sign. If you fail, you may be courting disaster. Is it not logical then that meaing should be assigned to shapes and colors of a sign as added assurance of your glance recognition? Wouldn't knowledge of both be added insurance for your safety?

From the shape and color of the sign, it is possible for you to tell whether it is a REGULATORY sign intended to inform you of a law or regulation enacted to promote safety and convenience upon the streets and highways, whether it is a WARNING sign erected to tell you of a hazardous condition either on or beside the road, or whether it is a GUIDE or DIRECTIONAL sign to lead you to your destination.

This is another of a series of articles being published by The News, designed to make Mr. and Mrs. Average Driver more familiar wth traffic control signs, which when properly understood and obeyed, make our highways a safer place to be. This is the story of the GUIDE sign.

Although GUIDE signs are not as important to the motorist from



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the standpoint of safety as the REGULATORY and WARNING signs, they are centrainly invaluable in guiding him to his destination on roads he has never traveled befroe. They also serve other functions for motorist such as: (1) informing him of interesting routes; (2) identifying rivers, streams, parks, forests, and historical sites; and (3) giving him such information as will help him along his way in the most simple, direct method possible.

GUIDE signs are divided into three major groups; (1) Route Markers, (2) Destination and Distance signs, and (3) Information signs. All three groups have black letters and borders on a white background, and they are always reflectorized to improve their visibility at night.

Route Markers are either U. S. or State. U. S. Route Markers are used only on the U. S. numbered highway system or the approaches thereto, and they can be identified easily by their shield shape. State Route Markers are used only on State numbered routes and their approaches. There are instances in which a State route follows a U. S. route, and State Route Markers are mounted on the same post under the U. S. Route Marker. Each State picks the shape of ts own State Route Markers, and Texas has selected the square shaped marker for the reason that it gives the greatest space for large numbers and letters.

Route Markers are erected: (1) in advance of intersections where the marked route is intersected or joined by another marked route, (2) as confirmation markers just beyond any intersection where there is any possibility that the motorist might lose his route, and (3) as reassurance markers at intervals of two miles in rural areas and at whatever intervals are necessary to properly guide the motorist in urban areas. In rural areas the Route Junction Marker is usually erected 300 to 500 feet in advance of the intersection, while in urban areas the Route Junction Marker is erected midway of the block preceding the intersection.

Destination signs carry the name of a city, town, or other objective and a directional arrow. It is usually located at the intersection to which it applies.

Distance signs are located a short distance outside each city or town, and they show the distance to the center of the business district of the next town and the next county seat or town over 2,500 population. Where the next town is the county seat, the distance to the following county seat or important town on the route is shown on the lower line. When the name of a town is once placed on a Destination sign, it appears on all susequent Distination signs until the town is reached.

Information signs show such things as the names of rivers, state lines, parks, city limits, and other things of interest to the motorist. These signs are usually located at the point to which the sign message applies.

Remember that U. S. Route Markers are always the shape of a shield; Texas Route Markers are square; and Destination, Distance, and Information signs are rectangles twth the long dimension horizontal. The standard colors for all these GUIDE signs are black letters and borders on a white bcakground.

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Odds & Ends . . .

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the opinion on what the supreme court had held in several other cases.

"It took a new approach, however, in deciding that Ross' death penalty should stand. Requirements of the Fourteenth Amendment for equal protection were met, it found, by a fair and impartial trial. Ross' attorneys conceded it was a fair trial.

"Those rights hinge on the trial jury, the court held, because only a trial jury can convict. A grand jury can only indict, which puts a man up for trial.

County Atty. Raymond E. Magee of Galveston said the appeal Ross' attorneys are expected to file would permit the Supreme Court to decide if the Fourteenth Amendment required Negroes on a grand jury or as a grand jury commissioner ever though there was no discrimination to bar Negroes from the trial jury.

If the court holds that way, Magee contended it would be just as logical that lack of a Negro on the Appeals Court, Supreme Court or as district attorney also would be a denial of the equal protection clause.

He protested the maze of complexity and uncertainty the high court's former ruling had placed around law enforcement.

Presiding Judge F. L. Hawkins, in his opinion, quoted Magee:

"The phrase 'racial discrimination' does not appear in the Constitution. That is a phrase coined by the Supreme Court."

Magee cited a dissent by Justice Robert Jackson on the Supreme Court that prior decisions had not explained how discrimination is choosing a grand jury had prejudiced a defendant fairly convicted by a trial jury chosen without discrimination.

"Justice Jackson's words indicate the light is dawning," Judge Hawkins quoted Magee. "By the time this case reaches the Supreme Court very probably other members of the court will be converted to his line of reasonang."

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So, the Court of Criminal Appeals has reversed itself and in effect declared the Supreme Court of the United States to be wrong and now agrees with the county attorney of Galveston county and the perpetrator of Odds and Ends. So, it looks like we might be able to set the Supreme Court right after all.

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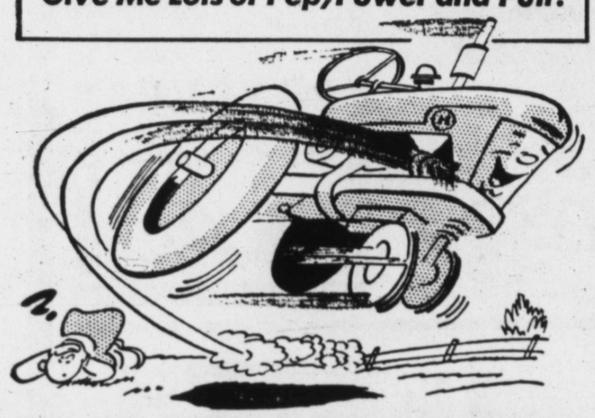
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"'You know,' he said, 'I'm not only getting more work done since I had those IH matched pistons and sleeves put in, but I'm getting it done cheaper. I've already made more than the cost of the job in oil and fuel saved. Besides, it's a lot more fun driving a tractor with lots of zip and go.'"

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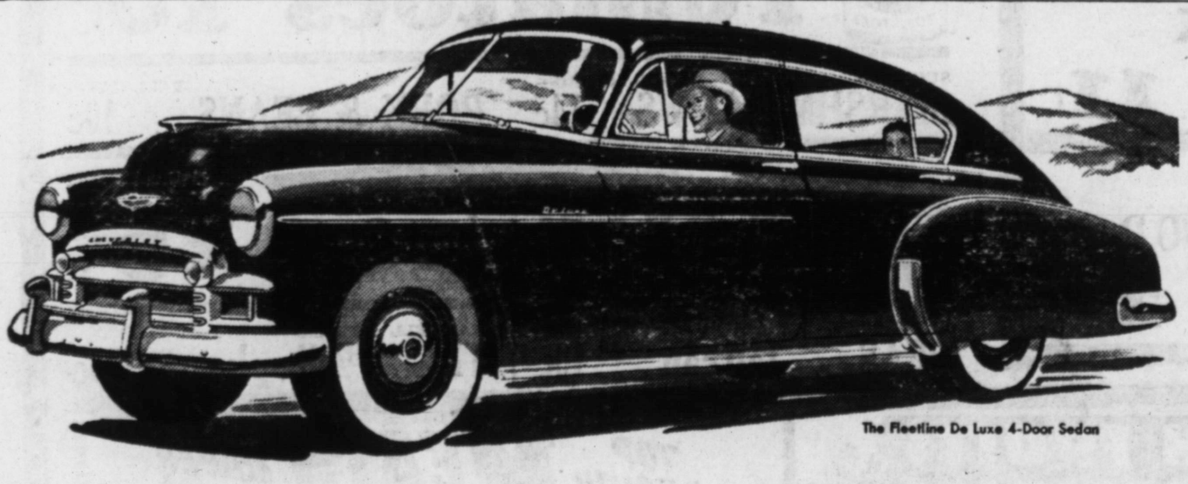
You'll be surprised, too, at what a piston-and-sleeve transfusion can do for your tractor. Be ready for the busy season. Drop in and talk it over NOW.

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FOR SALE— Baby bed and mattress for $7.50. —Mrs. Horace Stewart. Call 31 or 467-W. 37tfc

FRESH MILCH COW for sale.— J. R. Strain, Route 4. (New Home). 34tfc

MACHA COTTONSEED for sale, $1.50 per bushel, recleaned and sacked. —J. R. Strain, Route 4, 1 mile south of New Home. 33tfc

FOR SALE— Used saddle, cheap. —Garner's Implement Co. 37tfc

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300 Bushels Macha 2nd year Cotton Seed, cleaned & sacked in with ceresan. — 3-bushel sacks, $2.00 Bushel, —Rollin McCord. 32tfc

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FOR SALE— Two John Deere model A 4-row tractors, '44 models complete with all equipment; one Whirlwind ferracer. —L. R. Knight, Phone 266. 27tfc

FOR SALE— Good used Servel Refrigerator. —Gaignat Hardware 31tfc

FOR SALE— Small 4-room house, 75 foot lot, paved street, Landon Smith, Phone 321-J, 2016 South 1st .St. 36tfc

● Real Estate

FOR SALE— 5-room house and bath at 1921 4th St., on pavement. —See Dub Kenley or call 141-W. 34tfd

HOUSES FOR SALE, to be moved; one 28x28 4-room frame, sheetrocked; one 26x28 5-room box. —L. A. Forsythe. 33tfc

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FOR SALE
or
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Well located Coutry Store Value $6,000. Living Quarters. Will sell but prefer to exchange on 320 cares of good land improbed. This is a paying business but I want a farm.

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Brownfield Hotel 37tfc

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● Automobiles

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● For Rent

FOR RENT— Unfurnished apartment, 3-rooms and bath; private bedroom for two men, unfurnished. —W. V. McElroy. 38tfc

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FOR RENT— Two 3-room houses —Mrs. Clyde Sargent at Seale Clinic. 36-4tc

FOR RENT— Bed room, —Mrs. Tom Anderson at Jones Dry Goods. 36tfc

FOR RENT— 2-room apartment, refrigeration and air conditioner, furnished. Also, sleeping rooms. —Carlos Courts, Phone 290-J. 34tfc

FOR RENT— 2-room house and 6-room house. Walter Vaughn, 601 S. Sweet St. 32tfc

FOOD LOCKERS for rent.— A. L. Smith. 36tfc

● Wanted

WAITRESS Wanted— Experience preferred. Must be dependable. Apply in person to G. H. Chestnutt at Club Cafe. 34tfc

SALESMEN WANTED
ATTENTION, Many men and women are being held back in establishing. Let us put you in business supplying consumers with Rawleigh Products in the town of Tahoka. No capital needed to start. —Write Rawleigh's Dept. TXF-561-272, Memphis, Tenn. 35-5tp

FOR RENT— large 3-room and bath, furnished apartment.— 2120 Main St. —Mrs. Sanford, Phone 62-W. 1tc

WANTED to rent, 3 or 4-room house. —L. P. Flood, Rose Theatre. 33tfc.

● Miscellaneous

BELTS— For Ladies' dresses, tailor made. —Mrs. M. L. Bentley, 1829 Lockwoid or Phone 232-J. 34-4tp

Announcing the arrival of—
INTERNATIONAL STERLING
in six new patterns.—Wild Rose, Queen's Lace, Spring Glory, Royal Danish, Pichelieu, and Prelude at—
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ADDING MACHINES— The News is dealer for R. C. Allen Business Machines. See us before you buy. Liberal allowance on your old machine. 20-tfc

IS ALCOHOL A PROBLEM to YOU Can you handle liquor or does liquor handle you Do you have a sincere desire to stop drinking? If so, you can be helped! Write Alcoholics Anonymous, P.O. Box 118, Tahoka. tfc

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FIELDER JEWELRY
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TRAILER CAMP— Showers, hot and cold water. —Mrs. J. S. McKaughan, Phone 206. 38tfc

● Lost and Found

LOST— Female Collie pup, 5-months old, white and brown, is a child's pet, please call 437-J. 36tfc

Go To Church Sunday.

● Legal Notices

NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, at 10 o'cleck A. M., beginning on Tuesday the 27th day of June, 1950 and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Lynn County, Texas, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1950, and any and all persons interested or having business wth said Board are hereby notified to be present.

— Beulah Pridmore, County Clerk, Lynn County, Tahoka, Texas, this 12th day of June, 1950.

Lynn County, Tahoka, Texas, this 12th day of June, 1950. 37-2tc

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42-Inch 5-16x3	$3.10
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PHONE 272

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"ROCKET 88" OLDSMOBILE WINS 2178-MILE DURABILITY RUN!

Outperforms 131 other cars in grueling Texas-to-Guatemala test!

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Here's *proof* of the brilliant performance and rugged dependability of the "Rocket 88" Oldsmobile. In a 2178-mile endurance run, down the full length of Mexico on the newly opened Pan-American Highway, a 1950 Oldsmobile "88" topped a field of 131 other cars! *In fact, three of the first ten and six of the first twenty were Oldsmobiles!* This is clear evidence of the outstanding performance and endurance built into every "Rocket" Engine and every Oldsmobile! Make *your* date with a "Rocket 8" at your nearest Oldsmobile dealer's!

SEE YOUR NEAREST OLDSMOBILE DEALER

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Cotton Acreage..

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ment this year in excess of 2,300,000 acres of cotton which is more than one-third of the allotment received by the entire state of Texas. Mr. Pace insists that the acreage this year for the 19th District was too high by about 355,000 acres. Mahon pointed out that allotments this year were based on 1947 and 1948 plantings and that West Texas received a greater allotment because of heavy plantings in 1947 and 1948, and that other sections of the state would have had larger allotments had they chosen to plant greater acreages of cotton in 1947 and 1948.

The outcome of the pending proposal is uncertain, but Mahon pointed out that the threat of drastic reduction in West Texas in 1951 is a serious one.

Seth Brewer, who was reared in this county and who owns a farm in the old Joe Bailey community, is here this week from Washington, D. C., visiting relatives and looking after his property.

ALL CITY TAXES

must be paid before

June 30, 1950

or they will be placed on the—

Delinquent Tax Roll.

TAXES PAID

Taxes Paid In June Will Have A Penalty.

Check 1949 Tax Receipts to see if all property is paid on.

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RECEIVES 1949 CHENEY AWARD—The little boy held in the arms of General Hoyt S. Vandenberg, Chief of Staff, U. S. Air Force, is William Randolph Blair, son of Captain William E. Blair, USAF, whose heroism in maneuvering his disabled plane saved the lives of seven members of his crew. Captain Blair sacrificed his life in remaining on his plane too late to parachute with safety. General Vandenberg presented the award to Mrs. Elizabeth R. Blair (left), widow of the heroic officer. The Cheney Award, established in memory of World War I flyer, Lt. William H. Cheney, consists of a certificate, a bronze plaq[illegible] of $500.

Boosters From Fort Worth Here

A group of 31 Fort Worth business men visited Tahoka Tuesday morning at about 10:30, one hour late from their schedule. They were visiting practcially all towns of the lower South Plains to become better acquainted with the area.

George Kelley of Purina Mills was trip chairman and Charles G. Colten of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce was trip secretary.

Their train was late into Post, which caused the delay in the party's arrival here. They came out to this section by train and traveled over the area by bus.

GARDEN CLUB MET TUESDAY

Tahoka Garden Club met Tuesday afternoon in Mrs. L. C. Haney's yard.

Members wore hats decorated with flowers, and Mmes. Hufaker, Brewer, and English were judged as having the most attractive hats.

Mrs. Pete Hegi reviewed "Surgery With a Spade" by A. Z. Goduroz, and Mrs. Roy Edwards reported on her trip to the State Convention at Tyler.

Classified Ads

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE or LEASE— New store building 25x62½ feet. —W. V. McElroy, Phone 300 or 216-J. 38-tfc

FOR RENT— 2 rooms and private bath. —H. E. Mock, 1313 South 1st. St. 38-2tp

FOR EXPERT Sharpening of Lawn Mowers, Hand Saws. —See C. E. Eudaly, Alley H. 2216. 38-3tp

FOR A better buy in a good used car — See Plains Motor Co. 38-10tc

JOHN DEERE A, with 4-row cultivator, ready to go. —Plains Motor Co. 38-2tc

USED 4-row John Deere cultivator. —Plains Motor Co. 38-2tc

1942 Chevrolet Sedan, in good condition, $350.00 —Plains Motor Co. 38-2tc

1945 MM 4-row Combine in good condition. —Plains Motor Co. 38-4tc

FOR SALE— Filling station stock and possession located in Lamesa on Big Spring highway, (611 S. Dallas). This is nice station doing good business. 1tp

ADDING MACHINES— The News The News office.

Caso March Is Speaker In City

Caso March, candidate for governor of Texas, was in Tahoka Saturday afternoon and made a speech on the court house square.

While here, he stated that his father once worked in Lynn county for the T-Bar ranch and that he, himself, was named for the ranch owner, the late Cass O. Edwards. March's first name is pronounced "Cass-O."

New Watchmaker At Fielder Store

O. E. Hilger, late of Greenville, has joined Fielder Jewelry here as watchmaker.

He was senior instructor for the Watchmakers School at Paris for a year and was railway watch inspector three years for the L. & O. railway.

Mrs. Billy Jack Bairrington recently underwent an appendectomy in a Lamesa Hospital.

Vernon Redwine, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Redwine had his appendix removed at Tahoka Hospital on June 11.

Maintenance of timber stands must depend mainly upon natural reproduction. Reforestation of the poorly stocked and denunded forest land in the South would require a hundred years at the present rate of planting.

The first Tree Farm in the United States was established June 12, 1941. There are now 2,113 Tree Farms in the Nation. By the end of January, 1950 Texas had 205 Tree Farms with a total acreage of 2,741,599 acres.

Doing something to protect and improve our forests is more important than mourning about what the past has done to them.

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NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS

LUNCHES — STEAKS

SHORT ORDERS

HOME MADE PIES

Your Business And Patronage Appreciated—

MR. & MRS. SETH. E. HATFIELD

ESTHERIAN CLASS HOLDS MEETING

The Estherian Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday night, June 13, at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. John Roberts.

Mrs. Helen Whitaker gave a very interesting program on "Martha — The Worried Housekeeper."

The business for the month was attended to, and the family picnic to be held in July was discussed.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by Ruby Lewis, Gwynell Brookshire, and Beverly Bass to the following members: Fern Hillhouse, Mary J. Miller, Addie Dodson, Ann Uzzle, Bobbie Jeter, Helen Whitaker, Mrs. John Roberts, Margie Conway, and the hostesses.

All members are urged to attend our class on Sunday and our meeting the second Tuesday night in each month. —Reporter.

STARTS TRAILER CAMP

Mrs. J. S. McKaughan is building a trailer camp near her home in South Tahoka which will have a large parking space, bath facilities, and water and sewer connections. She hopes to cater to the oil company crews desiring to move here.

RUTHERFORD IMPROVES

Rutherford & Co. has been making further improvements to their store, including new interior decorations and floor coverings.

Pvt. Bill Draper arrived home last Saturday from Fort Riley, Kansas, where he has been stationed since entering the Army three months ago. He will return Sunday and expects to be sent to the Far East Command soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Billman returned last Sunday from Chama, in northern New Mexico, where they report trout fishing was good.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Henderson daughter, Belle, of Fletcher, Oklahoma, were here this week on business and visiting relatives.

Renew Your Subscriptions Now

Mr. and Mrs. Hall Robinson last week met his sister and two brothers in Lubbock for a reunion. Present at the meeting were: Mrs. Hattie O'Hair of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Robinson of Dodge City, Kansas, and Jim Robinson of Wichita Fallas and latter's daughter, Mrs. Malcom Terrell of Fort Worth. Jim Robinson has been assessor and collector at Wichita Fallas for 18 years and is unopposed this year.

Oran Buff, employee of Davis & Humphries, underwent an appendectomy at Tahoka Hospital on June 11.

Plant pines and let the abandoned, eroding fields have a chance to produce income.

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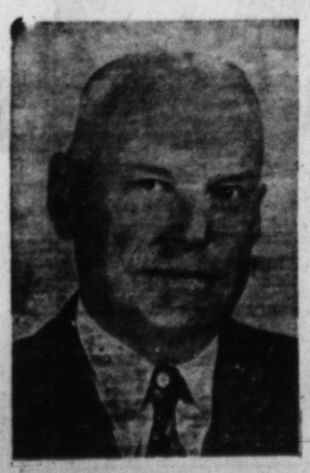
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At this time, the District Judge, the District Attorney, and our State Senator is from Dawson County.

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