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STANDING ON THE CORNER

With P. J.

Despite some scientific evidence to the contrary we don't believe married men live longer than single men—it just seems longer.

If you noticed in the paper this week Governor Price Daniel asked for a fairly good sized increase in the state budget for the next two years.

Some people, of course, will raise Cain, others will merely lift an eyebrow, but before you literally take the roof off, stop and think what the increase will mean to you in better living.

None of us like an increase in taxes, or car tax, or gasoline tax, etc., and yet we want a better way of life for our people.

There are no arguments, as I see it, to the fact that mental institutions need more and better specialists in order to stop a mental "disease" at its source rather than just try to produce a cure. We definitely need more patrolmen—just look at the statistics in highway deaths—and some of us may be included next year.

Most of us want the best for our children, and yet there are still some of us who do not want to raise the teachers salaries in order to give our children the best. It goes back to the old saying that we want something for nothing, of course I'm not prejudiced either.

However, it does seem that the taxes will never start going down instead of up. It seems that the government may be adopting the DuPont slogan—"Better things for better living—through taxes."

The drunk at the bar was adjacent to a man and his wife. Suddenly the drunk came forth with a resounding burp.

"How dare you burp before my wife," thundered the husband. With that the drunk unsteadily got off the bar stool and making a sweeping bow said, "A thousand pardons, sir—I did not know it was the madam's turn."

Many local citizens this next
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Annual Farmer Banquet Planned

Plans for the annual farmer-businessman banquet to be held March 19 in the local school cafeteria were discussed at a meeting of Tahoka Chamber of Commerce directors at a meeting last Tuesday night at City Hall.

Walter Cousins of Dallas, famed humorist and after-dinner speaker, will be the feature speaker on the program.

Awards will also be presented to the outstanding SCS farmer of the county for the past year, to the soil conservation essay contest winners, and to other farm leaders.

President Herman Heck appointed the following committees to arrange plans for the banquet.

Program: Wynne Collier, Clint Walker, and Frank Hill.
Arrangements: John Reasonover, Bobby Carroll, and A. M. Bray.
Greeters-committee: Dale Thuren and Charles Verner.

Tom Gill, E. R. Edwards, and W. T. Kidwell were named to a committee to nominate candidates for directors of the Chamber of Commerce for the coming year.

Allyn Cox of the local Soil Conservation District office met with the body, as the District supervisors will help in arranging the program.

The C. of C. directors also voted to cooperate with County Agent Bill Griffin in staging the annual Junior Livestock Show to be held the first week in March.

Dale Thuren presented a plan, enthusiastically received by those present, for doing a better job of selling Tahoka as a trading center to the people of the trade territory. More will be heard of the plan in the future.

Welfare Unit May Be Set Up For Entire Community

The Tahoka City Council approved a proposal Monday night for the organization of a welfare unit here for the purpose of distributing used clothing and food to the needy families of the community.

The Council set Feb. 18 at 7:30 p. m. for the time of a meeting to be held in the City Hall when representatives from all civic and fraternal organizations and churches will be asked to meet with the Council to organize the project.

At this time an investigation board will be named as well as committees for the purpose of collecting and distributing the goods.
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Dr. Celesta Schaal Shooting Victim

Dr. Celesta Schaal, who practiced as a chiropractor here for many years, was critically wounded Saturday when her husband, J. V. Brooks, shot her twice through the forehead and then killed himself.

Dr. Schaal is in Baylor Hospital in Dallas where she was reported Tuesday night to be holding her own.

She moved to Denton about three years ago and opened her offices there. She and Brooks were married in November, 1955 and she had recently filed suit for divorce. Brooks had been released on the previous Tuesday from the state mental hospital at Terrell, where he was a voluntary patient.

Patricia Schaal, 15 year old daughter of Dr. Schaal and Dr. W. A. Schaal of Lubbock, told officers that she was in the next room when she heard a shot in her mother's office. Opening the door she saw Brooks fire two shots as he stood over her mother.

Patricia ran across the street to a service station and asked the owner to call an ambulance and the police. When officers arrived they found Brooks slumped in a chair with a .22 calibre revolver on the floor beside him. Officers assumed that he went into the reception room and shot himself.

According to reports from Baylor Hospital, Dr. Schaal's sight will not be destroyed as had been feared at first. The bullets did not penetrate her brain, and it is thought that she will recover from the wounds.

Mrs. J. F. Millman Buried Sunday

Mrs. J. F. (Beulah) Millman, 81, a pioneer of Lynn county, died at about 1:45 p. m. Friday at her home in Lubbock at 54th street and Quirt following a long illness. She moved to Lubbock two years ago after having lived here for 51 years.

Funeral services were held here Sunday at 2:00 p. m. at the First Methodist Church with the pastor, Rev. J. B. Stewart, officiating.

Burial was in Tahoka Cemetery. Beulah Wilkison was born July 28, 1875, in Navarro county. She was married to J. F. Millman in 1898 at Abilene, and in May, 1903 the couple moved out to the new town of Tahoka, which was just getting started that spring.

She was one of the few surviving charter members of the Tahoka Methodist Church. Mr. Millman passed away in 1953.

Surviving are three sons, H. O. (Odean) of Lubbock, George O. and J. F. (Buster) Jr., both of Andrews; two daughters, Mrs. Oneita Bass of Salinas, Calif.; seven grandchildren and one great grandchild; and one brother, W. H. Wilkison of Ropesville.

Mrs. Billy Reeser early this week was still a patient in Tahoka Hospital where her condition is reported to be pretty good.

City Election Is Set For April 2

A mayor and two aldermen are to be elected in the Tahoka City election which is set for Tuesday, April 2.

Candidates for the three places must be filed with the City Secretary thirty days prior to the election, or by March 3.

Terms of Mayor Clint Walker and Aldermen Herman Heck and Wynne Collier expire in April, and all declare they do not intend to serve longer.

The election was officially called at Monday night's Council meeting.

The Council accepted a bid for re-painting and repairing the old 50,000-gallon city water tower, awarding the contract to a steeplejack service.

The City has recently completed a new 50-gallon water well-north of town. Mayor Walker says the City is in only fair shape for water this next summer, although no serious shortage is anticipated.

Mrs. Bert Keith Dies Suddenly

Funeral services were held Tuesday in the First Methodist Church here for Mrs. Bert Keith, 55, who died Saturday at 8:00 p. m. in Tahoka Hospital. She suffered a heart attack at her home in Tahoka Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Keith came to Tahoka in 1942 from Anson. She was a member of the Methodist Church. Rev. J. B. Stewart, pastor, and Rev. C. A. Bickley of Lubbock officiated at the services and burial was in Tahoka Cemetery.

Mrs. Keith was born Aug. 9, 1901 at Lueders, Texas. She was married to Bert Keith in 1934 in Abilene.

Survivors include her husband of Tahoka; one son, Roy Cloyce of Tahoka; three sisters, Miss Sarah Lieb of Houston; Mrs. Idela Louise Maxwell of Salt Lake City, Utah, and Mrs. Mozelle Krushinsky of Lancaster, Pa.; and one brother, Herman Lieb of Abilene.

MRS. J. D. DONALDSON IS RECOVERING FROM FALL

Mrs. J. D. Donaldson, Sr. fell at her home here Wednesday of last week and broke her left hip. After receiving treatment at Tahoka Hospital, she was carried to a specialist at West Texas Hospital on Thursday. On Monday, she underwent surgery, and is now reported to be doing very well.

Lyntegar To Start Half-Million Dollar Expansion of System

Lyntegar REA has received a loan for \$416,000 from the Rural Electrical Administration for expansion of lines and for the building of a new sub-station.

Garland Pennington, manager of the local cooperative, says that about 90 percent of the loan will be used to build lines to irrigation wells. Existing lines are also being repaired.

The new expansion will enable Lyntegar to connect about 400 new wells by June 1, but will enable the co-op to eventually serve about 800 more consumers.

Bids were received here Tuesday with Jones and Fowler of Brownfield bidding the low of \$159,000 plus, to construct nine miles of transmission line and to install a sub-station which will operate at 3750 KW. The sub-station will be located 440 feet south of the Lakeview store in north-west Lynn County on the Bill

Lynn Is Eighth In 1956 Ginnings

Lynn county produced 90,078 bales of cotton during 1956, according to preliminary figures just released by the U. S. Bureau of Census.

The figure is in running bales, and linters were not included.

This compares with 87,655 produced in 1955, but is below the county's average production. Lynn in 1956 ranked eighth among 14 counties of the South Plains, and only 10 counties in the entire state exceeded Lynn, in spite of the drought.

Lubbock county again led the Plains and the state. In fact, Lubbock, Hale and Hockley were the three top counties in the state, with Hidalgo fourth with 174,386 bales, Lamb was fifth, Cameron sixth with 143,542, and Reeves seventh with 118,114. Remainder of the top 15 counties were also on the Plains.

Production of the 14 South Plains counties follows:

1. Lubbock	230,539
2. Hale	199,902
3. Hockley	174,457
4. Lamb	172,980
5. Crosby	104,971
6. Terry	94,254
7. Floyd	92,471
8. Lynn	90,078
9. Dawson	82,873
10. Bailey	72,989
11. Cochran	55,971
12. Gaines	31,910
13. Yoakum	26,872
14. Garza	10,414

With rapid increase in irrigated acres, Terry county finished ahead of Lynn county in production for the first time in the history of farming on the Plains. Crosby county finished ahead of Lynn for the first time in possibly 20 years. However, much of Lynn county dry land made little or no crop last year.

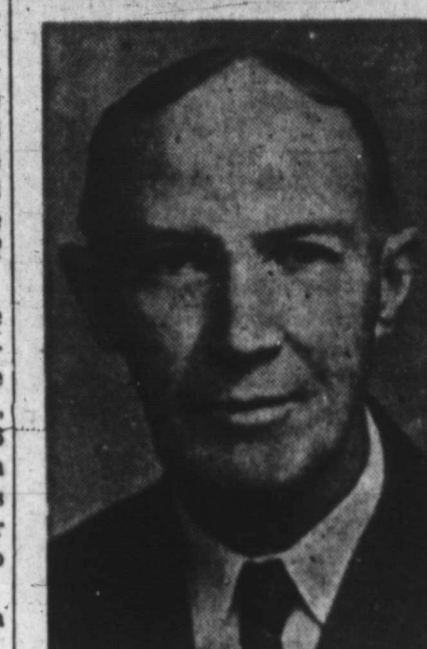
Mrs. W. A. Vaughn Rites Are Held

Mrs. W. A. Vaughn, 66, a resident of Lynn county for 30 years, died Monday night in a Lamesa hospital following an illness of about two years.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2:00 p. m. at the First Baptist Church in Tahoka with Rev. A. G. Gage of Lubbock, former pastor of Redwine Baptist Church, officiating. Burial followed in Tahoka Cemetery.

Mrs. Vaughn underwent surgery at the Lamesa Hospital last Saturday, during which her heart failed and she "passed out." Dr. F. E. Seale, who performed the operation, immediately massaged her heart and miraculously brought her back to life. Members of the family stated he stayed with her almost constantly and (Cont'd. On Back Page)

Soaking Rain Covers Most Of Lynn County Dry-Land Areas



DR. E. F. COLE

Sweet Street Will Start Revival

The Sweet Street Baptist Church will open its revival here on Friday, Feb. 15, and will continue through Feb. 24 with Dr. E. F. Cole of Fort Worth being the evangelist.

Dr. Cole was for many years pastor of the First Baptist Church in Lamesa but for the past few years has been in full time evangelistic work.

The pastor of the Tahoka church Rev. Ray L. Cunningham, said that services will be held twice daily, at 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Everyone in the area is cordially invited to attend any or all services.

1841 Poll Taxes Are Paid Here

Poll tax payments totaled 1841 when the deadline came at midnight last Thursday, according to Lynn County Tax Assessor and Collector's office. There were 23 exemption receipts issued.

This is considered only fair for an "off" election, year, and represents only a little more than half of the county's citizens who should pay poll taxes as a qualification for voting.

BUILDING NEW HOME

Tom Bartley, city secretary, has moved a modern six room home, formerly on the J. A. Pebsworth farm, to a lot just west of the J. D. Donaldson home in North Third. The house is being remodeled and refinished.

Have news? Phone 35.

Salvation Army Drive Tuesday

Wynne Collier is the campaign chairman for the first annual Salvation Army campaign to be made in Tahoka. The drive will also include the areas of Wilson and New Home. Under this new plan of operation the Salvation Army will only conduct one campaign each year and no tambourine solicitations will be made by the Salvation Army.

Collier states that the Campaign will get underway with a kick-off meeting at 9:00 a. m. next Tuesday at the Club Cafe. About 40 workers will attend the kick-off and present plans are to complete the drive no later than next Thursday, making it a three day campaign.

In Tahoka, Salvation Army work is carried on by a Service Unit Committee of seven people. W. T. Kidwell is the chairman and Miss (Cont'd. On Back Page)

March of Dimes Total Is \$3,300

Final tabulations were made here this week by County Chairman C. W. Conway on the March of Dimes Drive held during the month of January. Tahoka went over its quota although Lynn County as a whole fell slightly short.

Tahoka collected a total of \$1750.43 from various activities to raise money for the \$1500 quota. O'Donnell turned in \$1331.37; Wilson, \$200; and Grassland, \$25.06. The total raised in Lynn County was \$3306.88, Conway said.

The Mother's March sponsored by the Pythian Sisters and aided by the Rainbow Girls, Garden Club, and Phebe K. Warner Club, raised the largest sum, \$618.52. The auction sale brought \$316; mail cards \$217.86; basketball points for polio, sponsored by the teenagers, \$184.35; school cards, \$94.45; Jaycees and Jaycee Efts, \$68.76; iron lungs, \$66.50; blue crutch sales, sold by the teenagers, \$64.86; coffee for polio, \$42.68; telephone operators donation of a percentage on long distance telephone calls in one day, \$36; dime cards, \$27.95; and the Garden Club, \$12.50.

Conway said he wished to express his appreciation to the teenagers for their part in the March of Dimes, and to all organizations and others that helped.

Thief Takes Money While Attendant Fills Gas Tank

Bert Thomas service station was robbed of \$22.50 in cash Sunday, but the culprit was caught a short time later in Slaton, according to Sheriff Norvell Redwine.

The man, Leon Pollard of Sudan and Long Beach, Calif., is in jail here having been fined \$50.00 and costs and a jail sentence on a charge of misdemeanor theft.

Pollard had driven into the station for gasoline. While Mr. Thomas was filling his tank, Pollard walked into the station office, opened the cash register and took out the money. Four men were playing dominoes in the room at the time, but refrained from stopping him because they saw a heavy object in his coat pocket. As soon as he had left, they told Mr. Thomas, who immediately called Slaton to have the man stopped. The object in the pocket proved to be a pint of whiskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stills of St. Joseph, Mo. have been here visiting their cousin, Mrs. Hubert Tankersley and family. The two ladies grew up together in the Ozark Mountains.

Rain fell over the larger portion of Lynn county Wednesday and Thursday morning to bring moisture to farm land that has had little precipitation in many months. Measurements show that it was the biggest February rain in many years. Mist and rain were continuing Thursday, and indications were good for more rain.

Heaviest rainfall was reported in O'Donnell and in the Draw area where 2.00 to 2.50 inches were measured. One Draw farmer reported 3.2 inches.

Tahoka had received 1.06 at 1:00 p. m. Thursday. The rain began here at 8:00 Wednesday.

W. E. Stone reported 2.00 at New Lynn, and Othell Meeks 2.1 inches. Wilson received about a half inch.

Marshall Stewart, who lives west of Grassland, said that 1.25 inches fell on his place, while Roy Adams reported 1.00 at Newmoore. West Point received about a half inch, according to Terry Noble.

Showers fell on the northern section of the county including Petty, New Home, and Loyd Mears place north of Wayside.

Draw, Redwine, and Joe Bailey reported two to three inches. In fact, Julian Pirtle measured 3.2 Thursday morning.

O'Donnell reported 2.6 inches, and W. W. Hagood, north of Wells measured an inch early Thursday.

Although it was not generally heavy over the county, hopes were raised among the local farmers for a better year than those before. Tahoka received .18 in January which came in the form of drizzle and sleet.

More rain is predicted for today over Texas and farmers who have watched planting seasons go by without enough moisture, crops burn up in the summer and the ground powder dry, are anxiously watching the over cast skies. If rainfall comes up to normal this year, it would end a seven-year drought in Lynn county, where most of the farming is done on dry land.

Top 12 Beauties Named At THS

The top 12 beauties and top 12 most handsome boys have been chosen in Tahoka High School, out of which the top two in each division will be chosen by judges, yet to be named.

The winners and runners-up of these contests will be pictured in the feature section of the 1957 Kennel, school year book. Their identity will be kept secret until the Kennels are issued in the Spring.

The most beautiful girl in Tahoka High School will be picked from Ethylene Cox, Johnnee Clem, Edwina Overstreet, Jan Thomas, Irma Marez, Marilyn Carmack, Linda Milliken, Linda Jones, Venita Shipley, Sandra McNeely, Linda Williams and Diana Hensley.

The boys in the top 12 bracket include W. H. McNeely, Donald Renfro, Kent Gibson, Jack Stevens, Jay Gurley, Karl Prohl, Lendell Norman, Benny Martin, Falcon McAllister, Johnny Wheeler, Marlon Hawthorne, and Doyland Lewis.

Room Is Needed For New Citizens

For the first time in many months, people are having trouble finding a place to live in Tahoka.

Many calls have been received by The News the past two weeks for houses and apartments, both furnished and unfurnished. One family had to go to Brownfield to find a two bedroom home.

A seismograph crew and a highway construction crew moving in have filled up most of the available places to live.

Classified Ads

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FOR SALE—In-a-dor bed. Phone 84. Mrs. Walter Slaton. 16-tfc

FOR SALE—16 millimeter projector with sound effect and screen in good condition. Call 242-J Tahoka or see at 1429 South Second and Ketter. 16-3tp

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FOR SALE—8-inch Layne & Bowler pump; has been used very little. Contact E. Stone at New Lynn. 12-tfc

FOR SALE—Small A. C. irrigation motor. Good shape. Ph. Fletcher Carter 5083, Charles Brookshire. 17-2tp

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FOR SALE—Good 5-year old spring milk cow. T. I. Tippit. 10-tfc

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Legal Notices

NOTICE TO BANKS
Notice is hereby given by the Commissioners' Court of Lynn County, Texas, that, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the 11th day of February, A. D. 1957, the same being the first day of the regular February term of said court for 1957, the Commissioners' Court will receive bids and enter into a contract with any banking corporation, association or individual banker in Lynn County for the depositing of the public funds of such county and the school in such bank for the next two years. Dated this 14th day of January, A. D. 1957.
W. M. MATHIS, County Judge of Lynn County, Texas. 15-4tp

MANUSCRIPT COVERS under finish, box of 100. \$1.75.

Miscellaneous

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THANKS TO FRIENDS

I should like to thank the school board members, present and past, for having given me a position in the local school for the past fourteen years. I plan to retire from teaching at the end of the present school year.

The friends I have made and the associations I have had with the students since I started teaching are among the fondest memories of my life.

I will always be interested in school and school activities, but I feel that Paul needs me at home and that I should give him more of my time.

I appreciate all the kindnesses that have been shown me by the patrons and my former students. I am sure I shall miss a lot of the activities that I have been a part of, but I feel that a younger person is needed to do the job I am trying to do.—Mrs. Paul Pittman.

THANK YOU, FOLKS!

We wish to thank all organizations and individuals for their help and cooperation in our recent Mothers March for the Polio Fund. Your wonderful response enabled us to raise \$618.52 Thursday night of last week.—Pythian Sisters, Lynn Temple No. 45.

After witnessing some of the TV wrestling bouts we are convinced that the wrestlers should be permitted to "rest" in peace.

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Wednesday: Meat loaf, buttered broccoli, whole kernal corn, tossed salad, cherry cobbler, whole wheat bread milk.

Thursday: Toasted weiners with cheese, sour kraut, blackeyed peas, carrot sticks, hot rolls, butter, banana pudding, milk.

Friday: Hamburgers, onions, tomatoes, lettuce, lima beans, fruit jello, milk.

Well, anyway a \$50 suit will outlast \$50.

CARD OF THANKS

Our deep appreciation and sincere thanks go to the many friends and neighbors for their words and acts of kindness, floral offerings, and other help, all of which has helped us bear our burden of grief on the passing of our mother.—Audavee Vaughn and A. R. Vaughn and family.

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(By E. I. The Elder)

A few years ago a number of Baptist Ministers and a few laymen took a trip to the Holy Land and other parts of the Near East. Some of these were pastors residing in West Texas and the Plains area. Two of the laymen who made the trip were Dr. Malone of Lubbock and G. H. Nelson also of Lubbock but formerly of Tahoka for quite a number of years.

After they came home quite a few of them spoke in various West Texas churches at various times telling about the historic scenes in the Holy Land, in Egypt, and other countries. Most of the Ministers especially seem to have spent most of their time in viewing Bible scenes in Jerusalem. But if one is to get a really true picture of the land of Palestine and adjacent territory, my idea is that it would be necessary for him to spend many weeks—and even months in that land, really "living with and among the people" who now inhabit those areas. So, this week, I am going to give my readers a chapter, or at least a part of a chapter, of Miss Emma Jewell Ross' little book on "Living Where Jesus Lived." I quote from her chapter on "A Journey from Jaffa to Beirut and Damascus." This may be a repetition of much that I included in this Column two or three years ago, but even so, it should be interesting to every Bible student and to every seeker after knowledge just the same.

"We have all heard of Dorcas, the queen of the needle, in whose honor the modern sewing society is named, and the first great woman missionary; the brave woman said to have been raised from the dead by St. Peter. (Acts 9:40) She lived on a hill two or three miles outside of Jaffa (Spelled

Joppa in Bible times.) A Greek Catholic Church now stands on the traditional site of her house, and a tomb has been erected over her grave, shaded by wonderful old trees. It is a beautiful place in spite of the buildings, for there is a commanding view of the country for miles around, overlooking the deep blue sea on one side, and acres and acres of orange groves on the other. Jaffa is noted the world over for its wonderful oranges, their fame dating back into antiquity. We read that Rameses II, the pharaoh who oppressed the Israelites, in his day liked the fruit of this part of the world even as we do today. These oranges are of a delicious flavor, some say as sweet as honey."

Here, Miss Ross adds a footnote taken from The System Bible Study, as follows:

"The fruit gardens which surround the city are celebrated. As early as the Fourteenth century B. C. an officer of Rameses II boasts of the delicious fruits in the splendid gardens of Jaffa."

"An excellent view of Jaffa had from the House of Simon the Tanner, where Saint Peter had had his wonderful vision, when he saw all the beasts of the world let down from Heaven in a sheet—in order that he might eat of them. (Acts 10:10-13). It was from here also that he went out and preached to the Gentiles. The original home of Simon the Tanner was destroyed centuries ago, but another has been erected on the site, and tanning is still done near by. The Bible says that it was from Jaffa Jonah took passage when he had his adventure with the great fish. (Jonah 1).

The yellow, blue, and white houses of the Jaffa of today are built upon high bluffs, washed by the blue Mediterranean, with stretches of sand to the south and orange groves to the north. The Government Experiment Station can be seen in the distance, and the modern Zionist city of Tel-Aviv, with its population of 160,000 is not far away.

I visited a young Jewish woman who had been a doctor in New York city several years. She went on a visit with her aged father to Palestine and became so interested in the Zionist movement that she never went back to the United States except to settle her business. She was struggling to learn the Hebrew language, for Hebrew is supposed to be the official language of Tel-Aviv. Her parents had always spoken Hebrew in their home in New York but she had never before been interested in learning it. She showed me the schools, playgrounds, clinics, and day nurseries. Everything was so new and modern you would have

More Care In Farming Methods Will Raise Income of County Farmers

(Sixth in a series of articles on Lynn county agriculture, prepared by the County Building Committee and County Agent Bill Griffin.)

Marketing

Problem: Lower prices for good cotton produced in the county has resulted in lower incomes that has in some cases caused hardship on the farm. Some of the reasons are: 1. Harvesting cotton before it is fully dry. 2. Poor handling of cotton from field to gin. 3. Poor harvesting methods, increasing per cent of trash and waste.

Solutions: Conduct a program to encourage harvesting dry mature cotton, the use of improved harvesting methods, and the use of better equipment to transport cotton from field to gin.

Objectives: 1. To market 50 per cent of middling 15/16 cotton. 2. 100 percent of farmers following improved harvesting methods. 3. 100 percent of farmers harvesting only dry mature cotton.

Soil and Water Conservation Problem: The limited irrigation water in the county has forced farmers to plant cotton on the same land continuously. With cotton controls the best dry land has been devoted to cotton year after year. This has resulted in lower production in both cases. Some of the reasons are: 1. Depleted organic matter. 2. Poor water management.

Solutions: Conduct educational program and improved irrigation

thought that you were in a city of the Southwest in the United States instead of in centuries-old Palestine. She also showed me the outside of the wonderful new synagogue. She had never been in it for the worship of the family was left to the father.

Back in the narrow, dark, winding streets of Jaffa, however, one sees people living much as they did two thousand years ago, for Jaffa is just as much "Arabish" as Tel-Aviv is Zionist. Here, in the dark narrow streets on a hot day, you may meet the "Lemonade Man" with his big glass jar, so shaped that he can tilt its contents into a cup strapped to his back. He cries, "Drink and refresh the heart." The open-air grocery store is found here, as it is in other parts of Palestine, where the Arabs live as did their fathers and grandfathers before them.

Almost any man you see, when engaging in conversation, will bring a string of beads from his pocket and play with it while he talks, but this is only a nervous habit—as we chew gum or smoke cigarettes. The people of Palestine neither chew gum nor smoke, so they have this way of releasing their nervous energy. I discovered that there were two kinds of beads, the "play beads" which have thirty-three beads on the string, and the "prayer beads," which have ninety-nine beads on the string. It is the shorter string of "play beads" that is seen more frequently in the hands of the average man of the street. An Arab Christian man I knew in Jerusalem often carried a cane. When I remarked about it and asked him if he carried it to keep company with his English friends, he said, "No, but everybody has to carry something in his hands, and as I do not like beads, I carry a cane."

Until recent years, Jaffa was the port most used in Palestine, and for centuries many pilgrims going to Jerusalem and the Holy Land passed through the port at Jaffa. This port has the reputation of being one of the world's most difficult landing places, so today Haifa on the Bay of Acre is used almost exclusively by passenger steamers, since it is the only point along the Palestine coast offering some degree of shelter. Haifa is built on the slopes of Mount Carmel, on which Elijah had his great conflict with the Prophets of Baal. (I Kings 18:19-40).

This sacred "High Place" was known as far back as the fifteenth century B. C. and it is mentioned in the inscriptions of the Egyptian Pharaoh of that time. The Druses make pilgrimages and worship on its heights today. It is a long, sloping treeless mountain now, but no doubt was heavily wooded during Elijah's time. Now we stop here for the present; but Mt. Carmel will be a good place to start from next week or later.

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practices. Encourage the use of soil building crops and crop residues to increase organic matter. Encourage the use of cotton burrs where soil building crops are not practical.

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Bill Greenwood, east of Draw, made application to the District for a Soil and Water conservation plan on his farm that he plans to terrace in the immediate future. These terraces are to be constructed to District specifications with end closures to hold a maximum amount of rainfall on the field. The long range plan includes a crop rotation that will include a warm season legume. Bill thinks that he may use mung beans interplanted with grain sorghum and a pure planting of Sesbania. Plans are to cut the Sesbania just before seed are made and this will prevent a voluntary seed crop. Cutting may be accomplished with a stalk cutter or shredder.

The Board of Supervisors held their regular monthly meeting on Friday, February first. Elmer Blankenship and Ellis Barnes discussed the recent meeting, in Tyler, of the State Association of Soil Conservation District Supervisors.

Plans are for the Board to purchase some grass seed for seed increase plantings with farmers who might be interested in Side-oats grama, Caucasian bluestem and blue grama.

A special called meeting is set for the afternoon of February sixth to select an outstanding farmer in the District, and to judge essays submitted for the Fort Worth Press award on "Youths Stake In Soil Conservation."

Wilson News

BY ANN DAVIDSON
Correspondent

Lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crowder on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benak and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waters all of Lubbock and Mrs. H. C. Fountain.

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church met Tuesday afternoon at the church with ten members present. Mrs. Billy Wilkinson completed the study.

Misses Judy Blankenship and Shirley Hewlett both students in Hardin Simmons University visited their parents over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Tienert are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Rost of College Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Swope, Mr. and Mrs. Rhudy Maeker and Mr. M. L. Murray left Sunday to attend the ginners convention being held in Houston.

The Women's Missionary Union of St. Paul's Lutheran Church met Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. G. W. Heinemeier. The program was opened with a devotion by Mrs. Carl Hertzog. Mrs. Bunkrock of Lubbock and a former missionary to China was guest speaker for the afternoon. Nineteen members and one new were present.

Mr. Sam Crowson made a business trip to Waco on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Nieman and

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Your Church of Christ is a friendly Church!

Alton and son all of Lakeview visited Mrs. Katie Nieman on Wednesday.

Mr. T. R. Riddle of Tahoka visited Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Riddle on Friday.

Messrs. and Mesdames A. L. Holder, Sam Gatzki, William Lumsden, and J. B. Jones of Gordon spent the week end in Ruidoso, N. M.

Rev. H. F. Scott attended the Panhandle Pastors' and Laymen's Conference held at Wayland College in Plainview on Tuesday.

The Baptist Church was host for the Brownfield Association Youth Rally held on Monday night. The song service was led by Billy Wells. Mary Lou Lichey led in the Scripture reading and the opening devotion. Installation service for the new officers was led by Mrs. Carl Johnson. Misses Nita Hewlett, Nancy Cook, and Daisy Standerfer brought the special music. Mrs. Clyde Johnson of Lakeview was guest speaker for the evening. Refreshments of cakes and cookies were served to 118 guests.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Mahurin and boys were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Brown and family of Amarillo, Don and Douglas Brown of Denver City, and Mr. and Mrs. Corky Rogers of Seagraves, and other relatives of Hobbs, N. M.

Rev. G. W. Heinemeier preached in Andrews on Sunday afternoon. A new congregation has been organized there. Thirteen came for Sunday. Rev. C. E. Kleber is the pastor there.

Mrs. Grover Watkins honored her daughter, Sandra, with a party on her 5th birthday on Thursday.

O'Donnell Poultry Business Grows

(O'Donnell Index-Press)
Work began Monday morning by L. D. Jackson on a 40 by 100 ft. aluminum and steel building just east of his cafe at north Y to house a retail farm and ranch store. The firm will house Purina products and lease the building from Jackson. Cost of the building and stock will be upward of \$25,000.

With the O'Donnell broiler industry only 18 months old there are now 30 houses growing broilers and another 8 houses growing pullets or producing commercial eggs.

According to Ken Looper of the Purina Co. recent houses are the houses of E. S. Kingston and the two of O. J. Stanley at Draw. Although the broiler market has suffered a bear market for the past 6 to 8 months the future looks some stronger. Local growers have found this climate ideal for poultry and many growers have raised broilers for from 16 to 17 cents per pound.

Planning on turkeys this year are Lynn Birdwell with 5,000 and A. F. Allen with 2,500. Mr. Kingston is also thinking in terms of turkeys.

Several farmers are thinking strongly of entering the poultry field in one way or the other.

New Moore School to two miles north thence one mile west and thence seven miles to West Point on Brownfield to Tahoka highway. The route is subject to change, according to Mrs. Beatrice McLaurin, Commissioner of Precinct 3, and in whose precinct the road will be located. It is possible contract for construction may be let by summer.

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SPORTS

Abernathy Is Winner Of Two

Tahoka cagers went down in defeat Tuesday night when their long-time rivals, the Abernathy Antelopes outscored them 70 to 56 in a fast moving ball game from beginning to end. The undefeated Abernathy girls team came out on top by a score of 81 to 47.

This was the second game with Abernathy this year, the first won by Tahoka.

The Bulldogs held their own in the first quarter of the game with each team swapping the lead until Abernathy was able to pull away with a five point margin at the end of the first period. However, the local team bounced back in the second quarter to outscore the opponents four points, but still were behind 33 to 32 at the half.

The third quarter saw the Antelopes repeat their first quarter scoring with 23 points to Tahoka's 11 which put them away ahead with a margin that the locals were unable to overtake.

The final period saw the teams play a close game, but Abernathy continued to hit 50 percent of its field goals for an outstanding record.

Stephens was high point man of the game for Abernathy with 25 points while Guinn made 20 and Connell sank 19. Tahoka's Jerry Brown hit for 15, Jay Gurley sank 14, and Haynes Howle took 11 with nearly all in long shots.

In the girls game Shipman of Abernathy was the highest scorer of three girls hitting over 20

Basketball Play Is Nearing End

Tahoka is going into the last lap of basketball season next week. The last game of the year is scheduled for Feb. 19 when the local team goes to Lockney.

Tonight Slaton comes to Tahoka for tilts between both girls and boys. Game time is 7:00 p. m.

Next Tuesday night, Feb. 12, is an open date but Post plays in Tahoka on Friday night, Feb. 15, for the last home game of the year.

Although Tahoka has not come out among the tops in the district the local clubs have had a fairly successful season, somewhat better than had been hoped for. This, of course, includes a championship trophy in the Loop tournament. The girls have won several games this year to give them encouragement for next season.

Tahoka will only lose one man from the first team this year, Haynes Howle. Returning squad members include Jay Gurley, Jerry Brown, Marion Hawthorne, Jerry Adams, Karl Prohl, Donald Williams, Gayland Tekell, Jackie Applewhite, Billy Tomlinson and David Bray.

Others who have not been on the traveling squad this year will probably also see action in the coming years. Coach Jake Jacobs is optimistic about next year's team and feels that the boys and girls have gained valuable experience this year.

B Teams Lose To Brownfield

The Tahoka "B" team and freshman team met Brownfield here in cage games Monday night when the Cubs took home victories in both cases.

In the "B" game Brownfield won by a score of 36 to 31 when the local team was far behind to come up in the last quarter to threaten the ball game. Brownfield led 20 to 10 at half time and were away ahead 34 to 17 at the end of the third. Tahoka scored 13 points in the final period to Brownfield's two points. Gaylon Tekell led Tahoka with 10 points while David Bray sank 8. Oswald made 8 for Brownfield.

The freshman game was finished off with a 32 to 26 score with Brownfield coming from behind to win. Tahoka led 18 to 11 at the half, but the scoring was reversed in the third with the locals only scoring 2 points to Brownfield's 14. Clock was high point man for Brownfield with 14 points while Sexton made 8. Jerry Adams made 11 for Tahoka and Gerald Huffaker sank 6.

points. She sank 28 followed by Guinn and Phillips with 25 and 21, respectively. Jan Thomas hit the basket for 20 points for Tahoka while Mary Belle Wood sank 12. Halftime score of the game was 30 to 21 in Abernathy's favor.

Tahoka	FG	FT	F	TP
Gurley	5	4	4	14
Applewhite	0	0	0	0
Brown	7	1	3	15
Williams	1	0	2	2
Hawthorne	2	0	3	4
Adams	0	0	1	0
Prohl	4	0	5	8
Tekell	1	0	0	2
Howle	5	1	3	11
Tomlinson	0	0	0	0
Totals	25	6	21	56
Abernathy	FG	FT	F	TP
Guinn	5	10	3	20
Connell	7	5	3	19
Stephens	10	5	0	25
Tannghill	2	0	1	4
Pye	0	2	2	2
Totals	24	22	9	70

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Ronnie Wood was awarded the Grand Champion barrow and Lanny Brewer, the reserve champion. Showing the Grand champion female swine was Tommy Gardenhire and the reserve champion female swine was shown by Lloyd Davis.

Showing the grand champion lambs were Wayne Gleghorn and Bobby Cox; Reserve champion-ship went to J. D. Evans and Bobby Cox.

In the lightweight calf division first place was awarded to Tommy Gardenhire; second place, Gardenhire; third, Gary Bowles; fourth, Jimmy Bowles. Dan Seely won first and second places in the heavy weight division; Gardenhire, third; and Roger McMillan, fourth.

Winning first place on his Hampshire barrow was John Anderson; second, Kent Thompson; third, Sammy Anderson; fourth, Kent Thompson; and fifth, Danny Hale. First place in the Durocs was Lanny Brewer; second, David Bessire; third, Larry James; fourth Lyndell Askew; fifth, Askew.

Poland China first place winner was shown by Ronnie Wood; second, Buster Snellgrave; third, J. D. Evans; fourth, Snellgrave; fifth, Robert Bessire.

Berkshire, division was won by Tommy Vestal, who also won second, third, and fourth, David Bessire. Spotted Poland China, first, Charles Weatherford; second, David Gary; third Douglas Pierce; fourth, Charles Weatherford; fifth, Pierce. Pen of three, first Robert Bessire; second, J. D. Evans; third, Ronnie Wood; fourth, Buster Snellgrave; fifth, Tom Ed Vestal. Gilts, first, Tommy Gardenhire, second, Lloyd Davis; third, Lanny Brewer; fourth, Brewer; fifth, J. E. Seay.

Sows, first, Lynn Brewer, who Evans, fourth, Bernie Calloway; fifth, Lloyd Davis.

Fat Fine Wool lambs, first, Bobby Jones; second, J. D. Evans; third, Bobby Jones; fourth J. D. Evans; fifth, Billy Edwards. Southdown Cross, first, J. D. Evans, David Bessire; third, Wayne Gleghorn, fourth, Carolyn Reed.

Bulldogs Lose Close Contest

Tahoka Bulldogs lost a thriller to Floydada last Friday night 51 to 49 after leading the game into the last quarter. The girls were defeated 43 to 22 in a preliminary game.

Jay Gurley was high point man of the game with 22 points followed by Jerry Brown, who made 15. Teague of Floydada made 19 points while Colley hit for 17.

Tahoka led 11 to 6 at the end of the first quarter and still controlled the ball game at the end of the half by a score of 24 to 20. In the third period the Bulldogs increased the margin to 39 to 32. However, Floydada outscored the local team in the final period by nine points to win the ball game by only two points.

Floydada remains undefeated in conference play, while other teams have all lost two or more ball games.

In the girls game Turner of Floydada sank 18 points and Wilson made 11. Mary Belle Wood led the Tahoka six with 10 points while Jan Thomas was making 6.

Floydada controlled the score board from the beginning of the game with half time score standing at 26 to 12.

Tahoka	FG	FT	F	TP
Gurley	8	6	1	22
Brown	7	1	2	15
Hawthorne	2	0	2	4
Adams	2	0	1	4
Howle	0	0	1	0
Prohl	1	2	3	4
Totals	20	9	9	49
Floydada	FG	FT	F	TP
Downing	0	0	1	0
Colley	7	3	0	17
Stovall	3	0	3	6
Richardson	0	2	2	2
Teague	6	7	4	19
Patterson	3	1	1	7
Totals	19	13	11	51

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

*Feb. 8, Slaton here, boys and girls, 7:00 p. m.

Feb. 11, Seagraves here, boys A and B, 7:00 p. m.

Feb. 12, Open.

*Feb. 15, Post here, boys and girls, 7:00 p. m.

*Feb. 19, Lockney there, boys and girls.

*Conference games.

Boy Scout Talk At Rotary Club

Ray Lupfer of Lubbock, assistant Boy Scout executive of the South Plains Area Council, was the speaker at Tahoka Rotary Club Thursday noon of last week.

He said the number of Scouts in the Council has grown in the last eight years from 2,800 to 7,000, but Scouting is still reaching only 25 percent of the boys.

Special guests present included Lee Roy Knight and Horace Rogers, assistant scoutmasters; E. B. Gaither, district committeeman;

Johnny Stewart and Denver Ford, advanced Scouts.

Trust Smith introduced the junior Rotarian, Jerry Freeman.

A teen-ager told us recently that a drive-in theatre is a place where a fellow turns off the ignition so he can try out the clutch.

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His talk dealt principally with the duties of the sponsoring organization, in this case the Rotary Club, sponsor of Troop 21.

Ray Hopkins, new scoutmaster of the troop, introduced the speaker.

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Society & Club News

Social Calendar For T-Bar Club

Various activities are being planned this month at the T-Bar Country Club which include all ages of the members and their families.

Saturday night, Feb. 9, is family night when members are asked to bring a sack supper. Bingo will be played following the supper.

On Monday night, Feb. 11, a Valentine party will be held for children under school age from 3:00 to 5:00 p. m. Tuesday is ladies day at the Country Club with guest night duplicate bridge being planned for that night. On Friday, Feb. 15, a program teen age dance is being planned. Events are scheduled for Saturday, Feb. 16, for pre-teens.

Tuesday, Feb. 19, will again be ladies day and duplicate bridge, as well as Feb. 26, which will also be master point night. A "42" party will begin at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday night, Feb. 21, and open house will be held Saturday, Feb. 23, from 8:00 to 10:00 p. m.

Mrs. Casey Jones Gives Book Review

Mrs. Casey Jones of Plains presented a book review of "The Women of the Bible" by Edith Deen at the monthly social of the Besse Brashear Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Jones formerly lived in Tahoka. The group presented a gift to Mrs. M. C. Ratliff, who is moving to Lubbock, according to Mrs. Gion Cobb.

Nineteen members and four guests attended the book review. Guests were Mrs. Thelma Sherrod, Mrs. Irving Stewart, little Miss Becky Poer, and the guest speaker.

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Barnett-Hensley Vows Are Taken

Miss Barbara Barnett of O'Donnell and Robert Hensley formerly of Draw were married in vows read Jan. 19 in the Army Chapel at Ft. Briggs in El Paso by Chaplain Sam E. Brian.

Parents are Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Barnett of O'Donnell and Mr. and Mrs. Zan Hensley of Draw.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a beige suit complemented with white accessories. Miss Wanda Greathouse, cousin of the bride was maid of honor and Roger Hensley served his cousin as best man.

The bride is a sophomore in O'Donnell High School and Hensley is in the Air Force stationed in El Paso. He graduated from O'Donnell High School last year.

Others attending the ceremony were Miss Ruth Jones, Miss Molly Hensley, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hensley and Mrs. Roger Hensley.

Pfc. Lloyd Slone Married Recently

Miss Sheila McMahon of Providence, R. I. became the bride of Pfc. Lloyd Slone, formerly of Wilson, in vows read in Providence on Jan. 19.

Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Truett Slone of Wilson.

The couple has been in Wilson spending part of their honeymoon visiting his parents. They will return to Providence where he is stationed with the U. S. Army, but will make their home in Texas following his discharge on Aug. 23. The Slones had not met their new daughter-in-law until their visit here.

Mrs. Buford Powers was hostess for a miscellaneous shower for the couple on Thursday of last week when about 25 guests attended. Punch, coffee and cake were served.

Dixie H. D. Club Met Wednesday

The Dixie Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Otto Carter.

Miss Wanda Roach, home demonstration agent, gave the program on vegetables and their place in the diet.

Refreshments were served to 10 members, Miss Roach, Mrs. Alice Fortenberry and Mrs. Carter, who were guests.

The next meeting will be held on February 20 in the home of Mrs. Troy Copelin.

Mrs. Henry Jahnke underwent a tonsillectomy Wednesday of last week in a Lamesa hospital.

VFW Auxiliary Holds Session

In a regular meeting of the VFW Auxiliary which was held in the home of Mrs. W. S. (Skip) Taylor, the 10 members present voted to send a donation to the Memorial Building Fund in Austin.

The Auxiliary will receive a golden key which will enable them to gain entrance to the building.

Mrs. R. L. Richardson, president, presided at the meeting and Secretary Mrs. Preston Buchanan read an invitation to the group to the Spur Auxiliary birthday party on Feb. 17.

The meeting was closed in regular order and refreshments were served by the hostess and Mrs. Bill Griffin.

The next meeting will be held Feb. 18 in the home of Mrs. W. R. McNeely.

Rev. Harris Leads Bible Study Group

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at the church for the Bible study with Rev. Clifford Harris as the teacher.

Twenty-six members were present when the study, "The Great Prayers of Moses" was presented to the group. Mrs. K. R. Durham was leader of the program. Mrs. W. H. Kenley led the group in prayer, including a special prayer for all missionaries having birthdays. Mrs. Terry Noble dismissed the group with prayer.

Refreshments of coffee and cake were served by Mrs. Joe L. Nevill and Mrs. Durham.

The W. M. U. will meet next Monday at 3:30 p. m. at the church for the Royal Service program. Everyone is urged to attend.

Methodist W. S. C. S. Holds Luncheon

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Wednesday noon in Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church for its monthly luncheon and to hear Dan Johnston of the Salvation Army.

Johnston, who is from the Dallas office, is in Tahoka for two weeks supervising a campaign to raise funds for the cause. He spoke briefly about the work of the Salvation Army to the ladies before giving a devotional.

"A Christian bears others' burdens," Johnston said, "as well as bearing his own burdens. A Christian feels his responsibility to God, his church and to his fellowman."

A covered dish luncheon was served to about 14 ladies attending the meeting. A business session was held following Johnston's talk.

Post Couple Win At Duplicate Bridge

Winners in duplicate bridge at T-Bar Country Club Tuesday night were Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Morrell of Post. Second place winners were Mrs. Oscar Roberts and Mrs. Pearl Holloway of Hope, Ark. Both couples won a free game good for one month.

Mrs. John Vickers and Mrs. Alexander Pope of Lubbock were third; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gatzki of Wilson, fourth; Mrs. Clint Walker and Mrs. L. C. Haney, fifth; and Mrs. Meldon Leslie and Mrs. Frank Hill, sixth.

Next Tuesday night will be guest night at duplicate bridge.

Birthday Party For Bruce Stults

Bruce Stults was honored with a party on his third birthday last Saturday in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gion Cobb.

Several friends attended the party for Bruce, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Delwin Stults of Brownfield. She is the former Miss Nancy Cobb. He is the great grandson of Mrs. J. H. Cobb.

Petty Club Makes Leather Purses

The Petty Handiwork Club met in the home of Mrs. Junior Marett recently for its regular meeting.

The group completed its work on leather purses and letter holders and exchanged secret pal gifts.

Refreshments of cookies and cakes were served, according to Mrs. George Hill, reporter.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to thank our friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses and services at the passing of our wife and mother. May God bless each and every one of you.—Bert and Roy Keith

Only as a signal of distress may the American flag be flown upside down.

New Home Civic Club Has Crowd

The New Home Civic Club had one of its largest local turnouts Monday night at its regular monthly meeting when 52 members attended.

Held in the Community Center, the group heard about 20 'Cub and Boy Scouts present a program on scouting activities in the local organizations.

The Home Demonstration Club served the meal to those who attended the meeting.

FOURTH SON OF BRICES GRADUATES FROM COLLEGE

Don Brice has completed his work at Texas Tech for his B. A. degree.

He is the last of the four sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. (Jack) Brice to graduate from College.

R. W. (Buster) Fenton, Jr. was reported Wednesday morning to be doing pretty good in Mayo Brothers Clinic where he underwent surgery recently. He will probably undergo another operation Saturday morning. Mrs. O. C. Elliott, who returned home early this week was expected to return to Minnesota Friday. Mrs. Kenneth Turner will probably return home about Tuesday.

Sgt. Willie Joe Stone, who has been in the Marines for three years, will receive his discharge Saturday. He has been stationed at 29 Palms in California where he has been a radio operator. Stone is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stone of route 1, Tahoka.

Mrs. R. L. Gibson, who is a patient in Tahoka Hospital, is said to be about the same as last week, when she had shown a marked improvement.

J. E. "Ed" Walker and wife have recently moved to Tahoka from Ralls, and he is associated with Ray Hopkins Buick Co.

Uncle Of Tahoka Lady Is Dead

B. V. Blackwell, Jr., uncle of Mrs. W. E. Combs, Jr. of Tahoka, died at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo on Jan. 28 at 8:30 a. m. of a heart attack.

Blackwell was widely known in the Panhandle area having been a prominent investor.

Funeral services were held Jan. 30 in Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home Chapel, Mr. and Mrs. Combs attended the services.

Methodist Men's Meeting Monday

Rev. Billy Wilkinson, Methodist pastor at Wilson, will be the speaker at next Monday night's meeting of the Tahoka Methodist Men. Special music will be furnished by Melvin Newman.

President Wynne Collier states Alton Cain and Clifton Hamilton are in charge of the program, and the meal will be prepared by Happy Smith, Jack Fenton, Ivan Cathcart, and Maurice Bray.

Youth Revival At Grassland Church

Tonight the Grassland Church of the Nazarene will begin its youth revival which will continue through Sunday.

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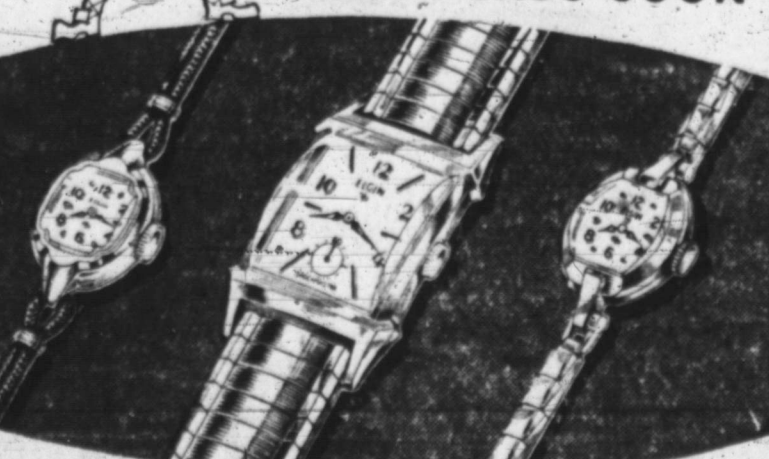
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Narcotics, Liquor, Women, Gambling: They're All Part of the Duval Story

By-FREDERICK HODGSON

SAN DIEGO, TEX.—No self-respecting boot-run barony is complete without its quota of syndicated sin. And Duval County, Texas, is no exception.

For the moment "the heat is on" and the gambling wheels are stilled, night sin-spots like El Rancho are closed, most of the women of easy virtue are in exile and traffic in illegal liquor and narcotics is very much under wraps.

One disgruntled deputy sheriff, raging at the Rangers who put him out of business, moved his house of prostitution, lock, stock and women, all the way to Houston.

The Rangers, armed with injunctions obtained by the Attorney General's office, simply padlocked the town.

"It was just like the good old days of prohibition," said Captain Alfred Allee, regarded by his fellows and by his superiors in Austin as one of the greatest Rangers of them all.

The merchants of sin fumed and fretted, appealed to the courts for injunctions of their own, tried every trick that wily lawyers could dream up. It was no soap.

The places stayed closed and the gambling apparatus, the wheels and the dice and the tables, stayed carted away.

Quite naturally Captain Allee, Attorney General John Ben Shepherd, and all the others who had declared war on the Duchy of Duval and on its up-to-the-nose ruler, Boss Parr, were roundly cursed by the purveyors of iniquity. The machine went even further.

This writer has a long document before him right now, a document revealing plans for the "liquidation" of Ranger Captain Allee and Ranger Joe Bridge.

If these killings had been carried out, they would not have been the first political murders in that seething section of deep South Texas. Several years before Lawyer Jacob Floyd and District Judge Sam Reams had been marked for death. The pistoleros got their signals mixed and killed Floyd's son by mistake. The life of the Attorney General has been threatened three times.

The gambling, the women and the illegal liquor have been parted from Duval, for the time being at least, but the narcotics picture isn't so pretty.

Should you happen to be driving along the Benavides road, Highway 59 to Laredo, or along Highway 44 through Freer, you may hear the engine of a hedge-hopping airplane. It won't land so long as your car or any other car, except very special ones known to the pilot, is in the vicinity.

Once your car is out of sight the plane will touch down on the highway and its cargo will be quickly transferred to an automobile and the plane immediately takes off, flying low. This transfer always takes place in the early morning.

The cargo is heroin and marijuana. Sometimes the shipment includes diamonds and gold.

It is said by those who should know that 90 percent of all the illicit narcotics coming into the

United States is brought across the border from Mexico, most of it coming through Texas and through San Diego. And only a small proportion of the total amount of dope brought into Texas, and from here spread all over America, is ever seized.

I checked with the United States Air Force. South Texas is 180 degrees out of phase to the radar screen, concentrated as it is to spot planes coming in from the Atlantic or from the Pacific. Unless I've been badly misinformed, the Mexican border is wide open to any airplane, Russian or smuggler. Besides, a plane coming almost at ground level would be safe from radar in any case.

Previous articles in this series have pointed out that this utterly fantastic county is a product of its isolated geography, its history and its people. But history fades and people change. So in Duval, Democracy is raw, red meat, nourishing stuff on which a man, or a people, can grow strong. In Duval the people are feeding full.

George B. Parr is fighting, and fighting desperately, for his political life and for his physical liberty. There's something magnificent and awesome about a good fighter, even when he's on the opposite side.

According to Attorney General John Ben Shepherd, to District Attorney Sam Burris, to Lawyer Jacob Floyd of Alice, and to half a hundred other Parr opponents I've talked to, the Duke of Duval is fighting his last big fight. The Duke, they say, is through, finished, licked.

According to one of Parr's top attorneys, dapper Luther Jones of Corpus Christi, Shepherd, Burris et al are dripping wet. They couldn't be more wrong. So says Jones.

"Look at it this way," said Jones to me. "This is an election year and the politics are making hay. All this will blow over. These civil suits and indictments are pure politics and once the shouting is over they'll be allowed to die very quietly. You're a stranger to this part of Texas or you'd know all of this has happened before."

As Luther Jones talked my mind went back to long ago when I was just breaking into newspaper work on the old "Chicago Evening American."

In those days Al Capone was running the rackets. I once met the King of the Racketeers and a right charming fellow he was. Nobody expected a murder rap on Al. He went to Alcatraz for income tax evasion.

In New York I've met Frank Costello, he of the television hands that Senator Kefauver made so famous. Talking to him at the Vesuvio Restaurant on West 48th Street, one of his favorite haunts, you'd never think he'd ever heard of a slot machine or a gaming table. Charming fellow. Lovely fellow. He's in jail.

"And all this business about political killings in Duval," Jones went on. "They've been trying to pin a killing on Parr for years. Don't you think he'd have been charged with murder long ago if they could've got something on him?"

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The well-dressed little lawyer, who presumably knows what is going on inside the Parr machine, has some interesting ideas about the future of Duval.

Should George B. Parr lose his battle, even be sent to prison, this does not mean the end of the Parr dynasty. Another Parr, the Duke's nephew, Archer Parr II, is ready to take over.

Should this switch happen, Duval history would be repeating itself. George Parr deposed his father just twenty years ago.

Archer Parr is a personable young man, 35, a Marine veteran, a family man, educated, and well schooled in the rough and tumble of Duval politics. He has served as sheriff under his uncle.

George B. Parr "did time" in Federal prison, in El Reno, Oklahoma, back in 1936. The charge was cheating on his income tax. When he got back home to San Diego he was greeted as a hero, as a man who had suffered persecution for the sake of his people. He was met by a brass band and by dancing in the streets.

But he returned to find that wire cutters had been at work on the Parr political fences; that his father, Senator Archer Parr, the then reigning Duke of Duval, was unable to ride the range as of old.

George took over the power in Duval. His father went into exile, to live at the Nueces Hotel in Corpus Christi until his death.

Again George Parr is under indictment for income tax cheating, and again his followers say he is being persecuted for his sake. Should he again be convicted, on the tax charge or any one of a number of other Federal or State charges now pending against him, including a charge of using the mails to defraud, anything can happen in the county of Duval.

However, Luther Jones to the contrary, there is a vast difference between the Duval of 1936 and the Duval of 1956. (As a matter of fact, there is a vast difference between the Duval of 1954 and 1956, which will be the subject of the two final articles in this series.)

Twenty years ago the Parr power was solid as the Rocky Mountains, and seemingly as permanent. Men in Austin and Washington fawned upon the Duke, courted his favor, jumped when he crooked his little finger.

Parr could, and did, deliver 100 to 1 majorities in any election. He could loftily ignore the mundane doings of ordinary politics, and was the puissant prince, after the fashion of the Middle Ages.

But Parr has been projected, head over heels, into the unsympathetic new world of the mid-Twentieth Century. The alchemy of his time has changed his county, George B. Parr was born just 500 years too late.

Actually, it was more than alchemy that changed Parr's county. The last two articles of this series will deal with what radical changes can be made in a boss-ruled county when one Attorney General gets it into his head that feudalism has got to go.

Verner And Smith Re-Elected Lynn Directors Of Plains Cotton Growers

Chas. A. Verner and Wilmer Smith were re-elected Lynn county directors of the Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., at a meeting of farmers and business men held in the county court room here Friday.

Joe D. Unfred was re-elected chairman of the Lynn county unit of the organization. Unfred presided at the meeting.

In pointing out accomplishments of the organization, Smith declared that Plains Cotton Growers had already accomplished more in its one year of organization than had been expected it could accomplish in five years. He said any one of these accomplishments had already paid off the individual farmer the 15 cents per bale put into the organization.

Among these accomplishments, he listed:

Testimony before the Senate and House committees which resulted in the Dept. of Agriculture dropping its proposal to charge the basis from 7/8ths to average of grade.

Helped out on lawsuits against Dept. of Agriculture on acreage cuts, in which the Plains gained by letting "the boys" know the Plains farmer is ready to stand up and fight for his rights.

Called a short staple conference in Lubbock attended by the nation's leading cotton men representing all branches of the cotton industry, at which the men got a better understanding and a close inspection of South Plains cotton. Sales of our cotton jumped immediately following the conference.

Influenced the Dept. of Agriculture in making a decision to send Federal breeding research men to the Plains.

Also, U. S. Testing Service sent a testing team to the Plains, results of which showed Plains cotton as good as anybody's. Micro-aire tests, which test the fineness of cotton, showed Plains cotton for 1956 to range from 3.3 to 4.4, considered excellent.

Influenced Dept. of Agriculture to announce the addition of another room to cotton-classing office, where, in the future, cotton will be left 24 hours under high humidity before classing. Thus, cotton will be classed on the same basis on which the mills spin it.

putting Plains cotton in a better light to the mills.

Secured the selection of a new review board for reclassing cotton. In the past, the same man re-classes cotton who first classed it.

Trying to get Commercial Credit Corporation to recognize light spots.

Sponsored meeting of classing office representatives, ginners, mill operators, and representatives of Farm Bureau and Farmers Union.

Mr. Verner gave high praise to George Pfeifferberger, executive director of the Plains Cotton Growers, who is respected by all branches of the cotton industry of the nation.

He also led a discussion of the collection of dues from farmers at the gin of 15 cents per bale. Farmers present seemed unanimous in the opinion there would be no opposition to raising this to 25 cents or more if and when needed. However, Mr. Verner stated that such is not needed now and likely will not be needed soon if most ginners and farmers will cooperate with the program.

New Home Cubs Have Puppet Show

Sixty parents and Cub Scouts attended the monthly meeting of the New Home Cub Scouts Pack No. 26 recently when Walter Gasper gave a talk on his planetarium.

The group saw a puppet show presented by Dave Unfred before games were played.

A total of 24 Cubs are now enrolled in the New Home pack.

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Take Applications On Feed Program

Perry Walker, local county supervisor announced today that Farmers Home Administration is accepting applications under the Roughage Program. Applications may be filed through February 15, 1937 for a supply of roughage

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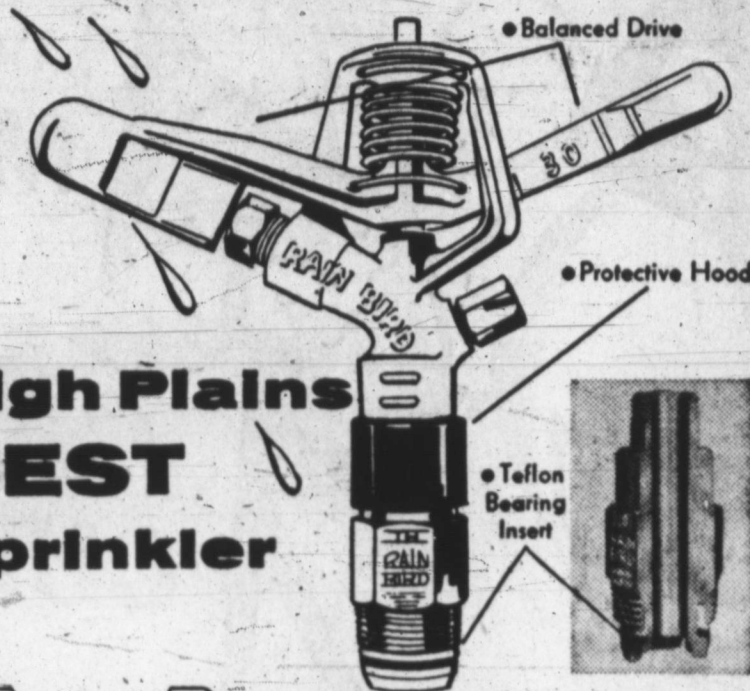
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Gordon News

MRS. EARL MORRIS
Correspondent

Homer Jones filled the pulpit in the Gordon Church Sunday. The members have been informed that their pastor who recently suffered a serious heart ailment has been removed to a hospital in Brownfield from Slaton. Mercy Hospital. He is Roy Priest, Sunday visitors at the Church were, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Dearth of Amaril-



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Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Mosley of Littlefield came down Sunday to stay with the grandchildren while their parents, the Harley Martins and the Jack Lancasters take in the Fat Stock Show.

Mrs. Winston Lester and Allan went to Odessa last week to visit her brother and family, the Gene Browns.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Warren vacationed in Denver, Colorado three days last week.

Mrs. Cody Corbell and Mrs. Howard Jernigan of Lubbock visited their parents, the J. O. Reed Sr.'s last Wednesday. Thursday Mrs. Reed's nieces, Mrs. Sallie Phillips of Lubbock and Mrs. Jewel Leynemon of Kress visited in the home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Maeker, Marilyn and Pam of Lubbock were supper guests of Mrs. Maeker's parents, the Earl Morris, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Brewer spent the weekend in Bridgeport visiting relatives, and visited Mr. Brewer's sister, Mrs. Stokes who is seriously ill in a hospital in Dallas.

J. A. Warren made a business trip to Hollis, Okla., last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook are in Dallas visiting their son and family, the Cecil Cooks.

Mrs. Harley Martin entertained in her home with a stork shower last Thursday, honoring Mrs. Lusby-King. Mrs. Pat Taylor, Mrs. Don Pennell, Mrs. Jack Myers were co-hostesses with Mrs. Martin and served cake and spiced tea to about 15 ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Oats and sons of Wolforth were Sunday guests of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Oats and children.

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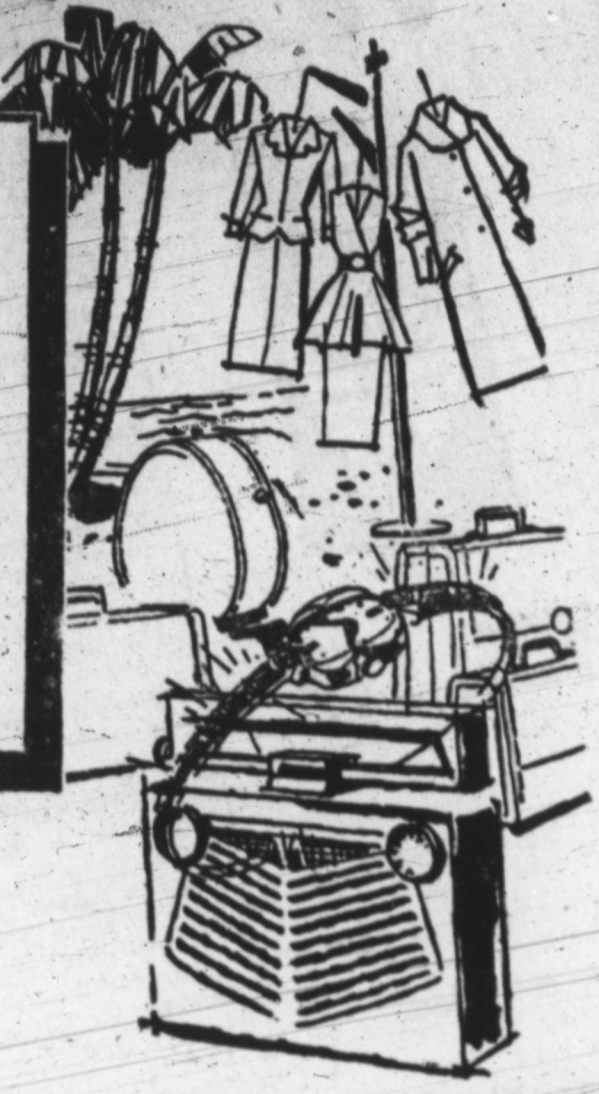
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Standing ...

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week will be working together for the Salvation Army fund. Contrary to what most people have thought, this money is not all sent out of Tahoka.

The portion that stays here is used for local emergency relief, as well as helping underprivileged families. What is sent out of town is spent on projects that people in Tahoka and Lynn County have access to.

It is a worthy cause—contribute generously.

One of our citizens sent word along that she would like to see more names in this column so she could keep up with more people.

It occurred to us that there are people who would like to keep up with her. The person in question is Mrs. Cabot Dysart, the former Miss Dorothy Lee Carmack. She and her husband, who is an architect, live in Roswell, N. M. where we have heard that she has a delightful home designed by Cabot. Their daughter, Kathy, must be about five or six years old now.

Our papa's first job in an office was to gather up envelopes from the incoming mail, and—oh, no, not throw them in the wastebasket! They had to sit them neatly, and save them for the boss to use as scrap-paper. The scratch-pads of today would have been considered a sinful extravagance.

If you are interested in the new City welfare organization why don't you go to the president of the organization of which you are a member, or the pastor of your church and offer your services as a representative? If you cannot do this, then there are other ways you can help. Begin getting your old clothes together and have them ready when a call is made through this newspaper for them.

The City Council will need everyone's help to make the project a success. If you can work on the project, you'll not only be doing something for your fellow man and yourself, but you'll be doing something worthwhile for God as well.

Local golfers are looking forward to balmy weather. If old man winter doesn't calm down, the pro shop out at T-Bar will be forced to stock some cots along with the golf equipment.

Don't just skim through the books and newspapers that you read. Facts do not cease to exist because they are ignored.

"Give me solitude, sweet solitude, but in my solitude give me still one friend to whom I may murmur: Solitude is sweet."—Cheer.

Mrs. Vaughn ...

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worked with her untiringly until death finally came Monday night.

She was born Sallie Geneva Agnew at Rising Star on Dec. 5, 1891. At the age of 14, she moved with her parents to Rannels county, where she met the late W. A. Vaughn. The couple married at Abilene August 23, 1910. They continued to live in Rannels county until 1927, when they moved to the Redwine community of Lynn county. Mr. Vaughn died April 18, 1952.

Except for two years in Lampasas county, she lived in the Redwine community from 1927 until her death and was a long-time member of Redwine Baptist Church.

She is survived by two sons, Audavee of the family home and A. R. of Midland; two grandchildren, Rita and Roy; four brothers, L. A. Agnew of Bronco, Paul of Tokio, Earl of Abilene, and Olvis (Bud) of Bowie, Ariz.; and five sisters, Mrs. Otis Lightfoot and Mrs. O. T. Reed, both of Amarillo, Mrs. Ralph Tunnell of Brownfield, Mrs. Vera Benson of Lamont, Calif., and Miss Gracie Agnew of Fresno, Calif.

Band Mothers Plan Banquet

Band activities for the Spring were planned Monday night at a meeting of Tahoka Band Mothers held in the Band Hall and attended by 15 women.

The annual Band banquet will be held on March 8 at the Legion Hall, and the banquet will be followed by a dance. All band members are invited.

The Band Mothers will sponsor a Talent Show, open to all entrants, on April 1.

On April 27, the annual Band contests will be held in Brownfield.

115 Boys Are In Scout Work Here

Tahoka's 115 scouts are among the nation's 4,500,000 Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers and adult leaders marking their 47th anniversary of the organization during Boy Scout week which began Wednesday, Feb. 6, and continues through Tuesday, Feb. 12.

The observance has as its theme, "Onward for God and My Country" with a special emphasis on "Duty to Country."

Sunday is Boy Scout Sunday and the scouts and leaders over the nation will attend religious services in uniform in countless churches of all denominations.

While churches sponsor 48.8 percent of all church units, civic clubs sponsor 30.8 percent and schools sponsor 19.9 percent of Scout units in all three age levels.

In Tahoka the Rotary Club sponsors Troop 21 and the Fire Department sponsors Troop 82, with a combination membership of 28 boys. The Lions Club is the sponsor organization of the Latin American Troop which has nine members with Junior Montemayor as scout master. Ray Hopkins and James Huey are scout masters of Troops 21 and 82, respectively.

The Explorer Scouts, whose advisors are Cecil Hammonds and Birch Larsen, has a total membership of 26 boys and the Cub Scouts has about 52 boys with A. G. Meadows as cub scout master.

Neighbors Come To Aid of Ill Man By Plowing Land

Neighbors last Friday listed about 300 acres of land for Clyde Renfro, who is farming the B. R. Tate place in the Three Lakes community.

Eight tractors plowed on Friday and another plowed on Saturday.

At noon, ladies fixed dinner for the workers at the G. W. Hickerson Jr. farm.

Mr. Renfro, who formerly lived at Petty, is seriously ill in a Lamesa hospital. He has had several operations on his stomach, and shortly after moving to the place had to return to the hospital.

Those furnishing tractors were: Mr. Hickerson, Jack Webb, Hulon Bolech, Bill Henry McKenzie, Wayne Carroll, Shorty McLaurin, Bennie Herrera, Bertie Askew, and Arlys Askew. Hubert Webb also helped, and L. J. Dolloff of Wells Store furnished a part of the food.

Two Oil Tests For East County

Two new oil tests adjacent to production have been announced for northeast Lynn county. They are:

In the Suniland field eight miles east of Wilson, Hancock Oil Co. No. 6 Clarence Basinger, 804 feet from the north and 1,133 feet from west lines of southeast quarter of section 1274, block 8, EL&RR survey, rotary to 4,600 feet.

Seven miles north of Central Church in the Gordon community in the PHD field area, Alamo Corp. No. 1 J. O. Reed, 330 feet from north and west lines of section 1426, block 18, EL&RR survey, rotary to 4,700 feet.

Dog Show Will Be Held Here

A dog show featuring children's pets will be sponsored in the late spring or early summer at T-Bar Country Club, according to Mrs. Jo Belle Robinson.

Announcement is being made early so that children may begin training their dogs to lead on a leash and to do tricks.

Two classes are planned, one for pedigree dogs and one for mixed breeds. Ribbons will be given winners. All children of the county are invited to enter their dogs, but each child entering a dog must be accompanied by one of his parents.

RONNIE GURLEY RECEIVES DEGREE AT NORTH TEXAS

Ronnie Gurley last week received his B. S. degree at mid-term graduation exercises at North Texas State, Denton. He is remaining in school to work on his Master's degree, following which he hopes to teach and coach.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gurley, his parents, visited Ronnie and his wife during the graduation exercises.

Congratulations -

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Lee Long of Post on the birth of a son in Tahoka Hospital on February 1, at 8:12 p. m. Weighing eight pounds, he has been named Billy Lee, Jr.

Welfare ...

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The project has arisen after many families in the community have been found to be in dire need of help.

"The cooperation of every organization and every citizen in Tahoka will be needed to put this project over," Mayor Clint Walker said. Citizens will be asked to collect all used clothing that is no longer needed in the family home. An effort will also be made to provide food for the families approved by the investigating board.

Those families who desire help through this means will be asked to fill out an application blank which must be approved by the board before being turned over to the distributing committee. In this way, people who do not actually need help and those who are passing through will not be a menace to the success of the welfare unit. Too, only clothes in the correct sizes needed will be given out to any said family.

Although the Council realizes that Tahoka's churches take care of their own needy families, there is a need for a non-denominational unit that can serve many who are not being aided through churches," Walker said.

He urges every president of every organization and every minister who receives a letter from the Council to appoint an interested representative to attend the organizational meeting that will work on the project. A person who attends just to represent his club with no desire to help will not be of benefit to the project, Walker said. Because so many citizens have expressed concern for such a project, the Council believes there are members in every organization and church who will be willing to give their time to its operation.

Salvation Army

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Florine McCracken, treasurer. Other committee members are: J. E. Reasonover, Mrs. A. M. Bray, Judge Walter Mathis, Wynne Collier and Mrs. Jake Jacobs.

According to Kidwell, the local committee helped many people locally with emergency relief during the past year. The committee is organized to provide immediate assistance to those in need, without any "red tape." All cases are handled on the local level, and all funds are expended through the local treasurer. Committee members serve without any pay other than the satisfaction of carrying on a badly needed humanitarian program.

All money received in the campaign to be launched Tuesday will be turned over to the local treasurer to be prorated for local and statewide use. The state institutions of the Salvation Army which receive a portion of the funds offer services which Lynn county may use at any time they are needed. Those services include a prison parole system, home and hospital for un-wed mothers, men's social service centers, evangeline homes for working girls, and miscellaneous down-to-earth activities of the Salvation Army to serve human needs that might go unattended otherwise.

"It is hoped that all businesses and individuals will give very generously to this campaign, remembering that only once each year will they have the opportunity to support the worthwhile work of the Salvation Army in Lynn County and the State of Texas," Collier said.

Team captains for the campaign to raise \$1,000 are: J. E. (Red) Brown, Harold Green, Mrs. G. M. Stewart, Mrs. Ed Hamilton, Mrs. C. S. Thomas, Mrs. J. B. Oliver, Dean Taylor and Granvel Ayer.

Each of these team captains will have four workers each working with them in this effort to make the Salvation Army campaign a complete success.

Little Jesusa Pema, three weeks old, entered Tahoka Hospital Saturday as a medical patient.

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Jackets Received By Football Boys

Coach Bill Haralson has recently issued the new football award jackets to members of the 1956 team.

A jacket was also presented Granvel Ayer, who has been filming the games for the last four years.

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