



On The BEAM

By J. W. King, Jr.

The economy of this locality is headed for a hard knock in our opinion. When any community resorts to a single crop or one or two crops to provide the income of farmers, that community sooner or later is headed for an economical crisis.

That is what is happening in this community right now. A large percent of farmers keep no milch cows, no hogs, and no chickens. They depend upon their cotton and corn to make money to buy these things for them. Right now these crops are bringing enough money to buy these things and more, but there may be a time when they will not. What then. There are no cows in the country to speak of for milking, there are a few hogs, and a few chickens, but not enough to provide the necessary consumption of each family in the community.

War clouds in the East are getting bigger and darker and unless some means can be provided in the near future to prevent it, the third World War is already under way. The United States and the United Nations are on the spot as well as communist China and Russia. What present negotiations will bring forth nobody knows at this time.

TUBERCULOSIS PROGRAM

BROADCAST OVER KVMC

The weekly broadcast on tuberculosis on December 10 from KVMC from 2:15 to 2:30 will be the presentation of the Colorado City school health project by Mrs. Gordon, teacher in high school, and Mrs. Mike Hammond, nurse in the high school.

The broadcast for Sunday, December 17 at the same hour, will be given by Dr. Melvin Crymes when he speaks on Medical Research Fights Tuberculosis.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Medical patients: Jackie Narrell, Curtis Britton, Karen Lee, Mrs. Hunter Looney, Laura Wallace, Ernest Miles, Britt Robertson, Juan Herrera, Mrs. Ed Shultz, Mrs. Joe Long, Mrs. Joe T. Garvin, Mrs. Medlock, Willis Boyd, Jimmie Haggerton, Mrs. W. E. Thurgas.

Surgery: Inez Sanchez. Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Latham, a boy, Nov. 30; Mr. and Mrs. Pablo Franco, a girl, Nov. 30; Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Mason, a boy, Dec. 3; Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Diaz, a boy, Dec. 5.

BAPTIST W. M. U. IN WEEK OF PRAYER

The Baptist W. M. U. met at the church Monday in regular monthly business meeting. The meeting was opened by the group singing What A Friend We Have In Jesus. Mrs. Bob Horton read as a devotional, Romans 8. Mrs. Claxton led in prayer.

Mrs. Horton resigned as W. M. U. President at a previous meeting and Mrs. W. D. Green was elected to fill her place. Mrs. Horton has been a faithful leader in the work. We feel that she has led in a wonderful way as our chairman. A leader cannot do anything without the aid of the group they lead. Let's help our new president as she begins her work as leader of our organization.

Mrs. Green closed the meeting with prayer. Tuesday afternoon the group met for their first program in the Week of Prayer. The main object of this series of meetings will be in earnest prayer for our nation and our boys in this time of crisis.

Mrs. Tom Ray led in the following program: Devotional, Matt. 9. Mrs. Dee McCollum; Mrs. Green discussed the part, We Have So Much; Mrs. Boyd discussed. Sickness to the South; Mrs. Horton discussed. Boys and Girls in Italy; Prayer, Mrs. Green and Mrs. Hallmark.

A program was given Wednesday night, Thursday afternoon and an all day meeting will be held Friday when a covered dish luncheon will be served at noon. Next Monday Mrs. McCollum will teach the lesson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Sanders and grandson of Brownfield spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Mathis. Don Mathis of Texas Tech spent the week end with his parents.



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Football Banquet Held Monday Night

The annual football banquet was held in a formal affair at the Lions Club building Tuesday night, December 5.

The program was opened with the invocation by L. D. Crawford. Gloria Wheeler gave the Welcome and Thomas Bob Long the Response. Pep squad mascots, Sharon Redwine and Teen White, sang You've Got To Be A Football Hero.

Place cards were black football shoes with gold lettering Programs were miniature pennants tied with black ribbon and written in black. Gold napkins with "Football Banquet, 1950" in black were used. At the head table a centerpiece of a large football holding gold mums and flanked by miniature football, and holders holding gold candles were used. On the other tables decorations of gold megaphones surrounding miniature footballs, floral arrangements of gold mums, and miniature football players of black were placed about the tables. Streamers of gold and black were used on all tables. An arrangement of gold mums was used on the piano.

Don Narrell was the speaker of the evening. Coach D. E. Jones, recognized the senior boys, Kenneth Merket, Hubert Hays, Jr., Lowell Richardson and Thomas Bob Long. New pep squad leaders and majorettes were introduced as follows: Gloria Wheeler, head cheer leader, Charlene Claxton and Irma Hays, assistants. Drum majorettes are Nancy Spurrier, Jackie Richey and Sue Alsbrook.

The pep squad presented Mrs. Jack Smith a white crepe blouse and their head leader, Mary Rose Templeton, an overnight bag of brown luggage. Miss Jean Hyde who helped with the work routine, was presented cologne.

After the senior girls sang, Let Me Call You Sweetheart, Dixie Sweetheart was presented by Band Sweetheart by Band President Don Martin. Her gift was a Trifling toilet set. After they sang, Mr. Touchdown, Barbara Pierce, Majorette, presented Hubert Hays, Jr., the pep squad sweetheart, a sport shirt.

After the singing of the All American Girl, the football captains, Kenneth Merket and Lowell Richardson, presented Mary Rose Templeton a dozen American Beauty roses as the football sweetheart.

The evenings entertainment was closed with the new leaders singing. Individual and group pictures were made.

The Junior play will not be presented on December 12, as had been planned, one of the girls has the mumps. Announcement will be made later of the date of presentation.

Mrs. Jim Lee left today for Mesa, Arizona, where she will visit her son, J. A. Lee and family.

Among those attending the Texas Tech-HSU game at Abilene Saturday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Mathis and Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lefevre, Rev. and Mrs. Wayland Boyd and children, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Pratt and Sarah, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tartt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Narrell and Beth, Mrs. K. L. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pratt, James Bennett, Dexter Taylor, Merlin Bennett, Gene Baird, Percy Bond, Jack Coffee, Evert Henderson and Roy Wells and daughter Shirley.

Mrs. C. W. Morris is visiting her daughters, Miss Pauline Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Morris and baby in Big Spring.

Carroll Thompson and friend Don Adams from Draughts Business College in Abilene, spent the week end with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. V. Thompson.

Cpl. Glenn Bowlin of Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bowlin. Other guests in the Bowlin home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Parmer of Hermleigh, and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Parmer of Snyder.

Street Paving Finished To Curb

Paving of Main Street from the curb to the center was finished a few days ago by the State Highway Department. The curb to curb pavement runs for several blocks on the farm to market road.

REV. SALLEY BACK

Rev. S. H. Salley will be back the latter part of the week and will preach at the Methodist Church Sunday. Rev. Salley was sent as a delegate from this district to the Evangelistic Campaign held in Des Moines, Iowa.

All young people are urged to attend prayer meeting and remain for choir practice the next two Wednesday nights to practice for the Christmas program.

Mrs. Joe Terry and daughter Susan left Wednesday for Lamesa, and will be accompanied from there by Dr. Terry's father, C. C. Terry, to San Diego, California, where they will join Dr. Terry who was called into Navy service a few weeks ago. Dr. Terry will be stationed in San Diego until the middle of March, after which he will be at sea.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmon Tartt and daughters Loretta and Judy and little Deborah Corder visited Mrs. Tartt's sister, Mrs. Lewis Corder in the Merkel hospital Sunday. Mrs. Corder underwent major surgery two weeks ago and her little daughter Deborah has been with the Tartts since.

Mrs. C. V. Thompson and baby left Wednesday for San Antonio where they will visit her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Kidd and children spent Saturday with his uncle and family at Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennett and daughters returned Saturday night from Van Alstyne, where they accompanied Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Owens who moved there last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wilson of Sweetwater spent Sunday night with his mother, Mrs. H. B. Wilson.

Postmaster Advises Christmas Mailers

Postmaster Jack Coffee issued the following advice to mailers of Christmas cards this week. Unsealed cards with only the senders name and Christmas greeting on the inside may be mailed anywhere for 2c.

Where the sender writes any message on the card whether the envelope is sealed or unsealed the postage is 3c as a first class letter.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldo Spies of Hallettsville, are spending this week in the Hackfeld and Backhaus homes.



BLASTS LIQUORED MONA LISA—From Evanston, Ill., Mrs. D. Leigh Colvin, president of the National Women's Christian Temperance Union, charged Columbia University and the Joseph Schlitz Brewing Company with using "American classics as springboards for beer promotion" on their "Pulitzer Prize Playhouse" television program. She cited a recent commercial in which Mona Lisa comes to life in a painting to reach for a glass of beer.

Time To Make Contribution To Cemetery Fund

E. O. Leggett, who handles the cemetery business for the Loraine Lions Club, announced this week that it is again time to pay into the fund so that work can be continued. A drive for funds is made each year at this time for enough to keep the work in progress for the following year. Not enough money was collected for the work this year though it has been kept up. Mr. Leggett says the fund raised a short time ago by the Lions Club was for the purpose of buying a tractor to be used in connection with the work and not for labor. Funds now being raised will hire the necessary labor.

Everyone who has an interest in seeing the Loraine cemetery kept in good condition should contact Mr. Leggett or turn their contribution in to the bank.

Visitors in the C. W. Hock home during the week end were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Hock and sons of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hock and daughter of Kingsville, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Hamilton and son of Denver City, Mrs. Reese Hays of Olney, Mrs. Parks Bryant and children Jimmie and Parka Ruth of Toyah, and Mr. and Mrs. Wright Hock and Susan of Spade Ranch.

Mrs. Gene Britton and children of Fort Sill, Oklahoma, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Alec Britton.

Tommie McDonald of Ballinger spent the week end with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Richey, and grandmother, Mrs. Laura Clark.

Firemen To Meet Monday Night

Fire Chief Lynn Hamilton announced this week that the volunteer firemen of Loraine will meet next Monday night at 7 o'clock in front of the fire hall for the purpose of burning off some of the vacant lots about town to prevent grass fires. All firemen are requested to be present.

James Monroe Compton of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Ison during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Yarbrough and son Jerry spent Sunday with relatives in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Polk of Abilene visited Mrs. Dee McCollum Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Moore and family, Lee Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Moore and son, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bill King and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elzie King, Jr. of Roscoe spent Sunday in the Ed Moore home in Big Spring.

PMA Committeemen Are Elected

At a recent election farmers of Mitchell County re-elected the present county PMA Committee for the 1951 program year.

Chairman, J. W. Watson; Vice Chairman, Hulet Williams; Regular Member, D. W. Haralson; First Alternate, Willie T. Brooks; Second Alternate, A. K. McCauley Jr.

Some of the present community committeemen were re-elected and some replaced by new members. The county is divided into six PMA communities.

The "A" Community is the West-Northwestern portion of the county. The community committeemen are: Chairman, Harold Berry, Rt. 1, Westbrook; Vice Chairman, Charles Candler, Box 326, Westbrook; Regular Member, Robert E. Gelger, Corder, Rt. 1, Westbrook; First Alternate, M. A. Webb, Rt. 1, Westbrook; Second Alternate, A. D. Wilson, Box 253, Westbrook.

Community "B" West-Southwest: Chairman, Robert L. Bolin, Rt. 2, Colorado City; Vice Chairman, Harry L. Dockery, Rt. 1, Westbrook; Regular Member, Lonnie L. McCarty, Rt. 2, Colorado; First Alternate, J. Ross Dockery, Rt. 1, Westbrook; Second Alternate, H. H. (Pete) Allard, Otis Chalk, Texas.

Community "C" North-Central: Chairman, W. C. Hooks, Rt. 1, Colorado City; Vice Chairman, Curtis Latimer, Box 377, Colorado City; Regular Member, Joe Leonard, Rt. 1, Colorado City; First Alternate, Walter C. Gayler, Rt. 1, Colorado City; Second Alternate, Murrell Blasingame, Rt. 1, Colorado City.

Community "D" Central-South: Chairman, J. C. (Bill) Cook, Rt. 3, Colorado City; Vice Chairman, N. O. (Ought) Brown, Rt. 3, Colorado City; Regular Member, Dennis Fortenberry, Rt. 3, Colorado City; First Alternate, Odell Fuller, Rt. 3, Colorado City; Second Alternate, Fred Warner, Rt. 3, Colorado City.

Community "E" East-Northeast: Chairman, J. C. Hall, Box B, Loraine; Vice Chairman, E. B. (Ben) Bowlin, Box 326, Loraine; Regular Member, Hugh W. Hallmark, Loraine; First Alternate, Kenneth Butler, Rt. 1, Loraine; Second Alternate, Claud L. Lefevre, Rt. 1, Colorado City.

Community "F" East-Southeast: Chairman, August B. Hackman, Charles Finley, Rt. 2, Loraine; Regular Member, Lerner Anders, Box 127, Loraine; First Alternate, Lester Finley, Rt. 2, Loraine; Second Alternate, Harry Hallmark, Loraine.

H. S. Combs Goes To Grand Lodge

H. S. Combs left Wednesday to attend the Grand Lodge of Texas, A. F. & A. M. at Waco. At this meeting, Mr. Combs will be installed District Deputy Grand Master of the 79th district.

Rev. Wayland Boyd, Rev. W. D. Green, Mrs. George Mahoney and Miss Laverne Henderson attended the Baptist zone meeting held at the First Baptist Church in Colorado City Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Small and children and Mr. and Mrs. Price Hall and children attended the dedication services of the Baptist Church in Westbrook Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Murry and son Max of Luther spent Sunday in the E. B. Hale home. Others spending the day were Maggie and Claude Craghead, Doyle Craghead and family, and Sally Boyd.

E. B. Hale received the message Wednesday night of the sudden death of his nephew, Ralph Thurman, at Bellflower, California.

Mrs. Loyd McConnell returned to her home at Prairie Grove, Arkansas, Thursday after visiting her father, Henry Neill, the past two weeks.

Shirley Taylor of HSU spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cline Taylor.

Cash Register, Money Taken At Lorex Cafe

The Lorex Cafe was entered some time between 4 and 5 o'clock Sunday morning and the cash register and \$81.00 in cash taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Prescott had closed the business and retired to their living quarters on the second floor about three o'clock. Mr. Prescott heard someone enter the building some time later but thinking it was one of their assistants paid no attention to it. On coming down early Sunday morning he found that the cash register with its contents was missing and the North door to the cafe was open.

No trace of the missing register has been found.

HOSTS CLUB

Mrs. Cora Hall entertained at the regular meeting of the Wednesday afternoon 42 club. Two tables of 42 and one table of canasta were played.

A refreshment plate of chicken salad, potato chips, pickles, rice crispy squares and hot tea was served.

Those present were Mmes. Frank Johnson, John Bradshaw, F. H. Baumann, Percy Bond, T. F. Finley, Wiley Walker, Troy Kegans, J. D. McDonald, D. E. Jones, and Wade Preston.

Visitors in the Walter Wiggins home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wiggins, Mrs. Audie Graham and son, all of Ackerley; Mr. and Mrs. Welden Wiggins and children of Colorado City; Mrs. I. N. Standifer, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wiggins and Robert, and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Wiggins.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Burl Brock and daughter Shirley visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Collier, and sister, Mrs. Gertrude Peterson, over the week end. Mrs. Peterson returned with them and visited until Tuesday.



Questions and Answers

Q. I was the common-law wife of a World War I veteran who died recently. If I meet income requirements, would I be eligible for VA pension?

A. You may be eligible provided a valid common-law marriage was established. File a claim with the VA, and at that time your entitlement will be determined.

Q. I expect to enter a VA hospital shortly for treatment of a 40 percent service-connected disability, and I understand I'll have to remain there for two or three months. Is there any way my family can get financial help from VA while I am hospitalized?

A. VA has no funds specifically available for such purposes. However, after you have been in the hospital 21 days or more for treatment of the service-connected condition, VA will pay you a 100 percent disability rating, which you will continue to receive thereafter for as long as you remain hospitalized for such treatment.

Q. I am planning to buy a home with a GI loan, and am ready to make a down payment. What happens to my down payment in case a VA loan guaranty cannot be accomplished?

A. Unless you make certain a clause is inserted in the purchase contract stating that payments are to be returned to you if the loan cannot be obtained, you may lose your down payment.

Q. Does the new law enabling Spanish-American War veterans to get outpatient medical care without regard to service connection, also apply to dental care?

A. Yes, Spanish-American War veterans may be eligible for full dental care in VA clinics or from home-town dentists with VA approval.

To Speak At Baptist Church Sunday

Mrs. Holland Hope will speak and show films made in Japan at the Baptist Church Sunday night at 7:30.

Mrs. Hope and her husband, Chaplain Hope, spent several years in Japan where Mrs. Hope was a teacher. She will speak on the work of the Protestant churches in Japan and the great need to increase the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Beatty and family and Mr. and Mrs. Marcell Sheppard visited Mr. Beatty's sister, Mrs. A. M. Young, in a Gorman hospital Sunday.

Pfc. Douglas Smith of Lackland Field, San Antonio, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Terry of Lamesa spent the week end with Mrs. Joe Terry and daughter Susan.

Mrs. Vashti Cranfill and daughter, Mrs. Doris Brown and children, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Edwin Hallmark and Mr. Hallmark.

Rita Beights of Midland is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Beights.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beights this week are their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Beights and baby, and their daughter, Mrs. Ivan Bell and children of Evansville, Indiana. Mrs. Bell is also visiting her husband's parents in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Nell Fryar and son Danny of Stanton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Small and Mrs. Price Hall were Abilene visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bullock and daughter Johnnie, and Mrs. Iva Clinton of Abilene were guests of Mrs. Roy Baird Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bowlin and sons spent Sunday and Monday with his mother, Mrs. S. Y. Bowlin, in Ackerley.



STORK, NOT SANTA, STUFFED THESE SOCKS—Old Saint Nick will have 12 less socks to fill thanks to the stork who swooped down on this washline in Middleborough, England, to present Lady Ruth with a dozen English Springer Spaniel puppies. Lady Ruth makes no bones about the fact that she's just too doggone tired to try to have the socks emptied and hung by the chimney before Santa's sleigh soars across the skies.

Fifteen Years Ago In Loraine

(Taken from files of the Mitchell County News Dec. 5, 1935)

The first homecoming for the Loraine High School, sponsored by the senior class of 1935 in cooperation with teachers and ex-students, was held last week. Officers elected for the ex-students association were Judge C. C. Thompson of the class of 1918, President; Eldon Mahon of the class of '36, Vice President; and Mrs. W. F. James, class of '13 Secretary-Treasurer.

One of the most thrilling football games of the season was played on the local grid Thanks-

Polio Toll At New High In Texas

Austin, December 1—A 20 per cent increase over the record 1949 total of polio cases is indicated for Texas this year on the basis of official figures.

According to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, Texas will have over 2,800 new cases of polio in 1950.

Texas reported 2,648 cases up to November 18. During November and December in 1949, the state had 217 new cases. The Foundation, using this as a basis of what to expect this year, says Texas will have more than 2,800 cases. The 1949 total was 2,355.

Meanwhile, Texas has received from the NFIP for patient care slightly more than \$322,708 more than the state sent in to the national headquarters during the last three years.

The state thus has had to depend on other states to handle the complete research financing burden and to even aid with care of Texas patients.

Texas, which has been among the hardest hit of the states, has received almost one tenth of the cash advances made from the National Foundation.

The state is counted on to make up the deficit when the only financing campaign for polio care and research is conducted—the 1951 March of Dimes, January 15-31.

Little Tom Bennett of Snyder spent the first of the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Bennett.

Mrs. N. L. Crownover, Mrs. Jack Richey and Mrs. Tony Snyder were visitors in Big Spring Monday.

Mrs. Ross Dixon and Judy of Colorado City spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Wilkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett, Helen and Sandra visited in the Harold Bennett home at Snyder and the Charlie Thompson ranch home South of Colorado City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hallman and baby of Snyder spent Monday and Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Bruce.

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Come to Church

Baptist Church Notes

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Sunday Night Service 8:30 p. m.
Monday
W. M. U. 3 p. m.
R. A's and G. A's 4 p. m.
Prayer Meeting
Wednesday 8:00 p. m.

Methodist Church

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
Youth Fellowship 7:15 p. m.
Worship Service 8:00 p. m.
Wednesday night service 8:00 p. m.

Church of Christ

220 Smiley Street
Morning Worship 10:30
Communion Service 11:30
Evening Service 7:45
We cordially invite you to worship with us.

BETHEL CHURCH NOTES

Pastor, Carlos McCloud.
Preaching every first and third Sundays. Everyone cordially invited.

Sunday School each Sunday 10 a. m.; Morning service 11 a. m.; first and third Sundays; Evening service 7:30 p. m. first and third Sundays.
Mid week Prayer services at 7:15 Wednesday evening.

HOLINESS CHURCH

We will have our Sunday night services in the homes now instead of the Lions building.

Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m.
B. T. U. 7:30 p. m.
Evening service 8:30 p. m.
Rev. C. W. Thompson has been called as full time pastor of the church and will be with us each Sunday. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Corner Lightfoot and Colorado
Sunday Services
Bible School 10:00 A. M.
Preaching and Communion 11:00 A. M.
Young People's Meeting 6:00 P. M.
Preaching 7:00 P. M.
Weekly Services
Tuesday—Ladies Bible Study 3:30 P. M.
Wednesday
Mid-Week services 7:00 P. M.
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Martha Washington Candies
COMBS DRUG

G. A. MEETING

The G. A. met at the church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The meeting was opened by singing Silent Night. Rita Prescott called the meeting to order and forward steps were had. Mrs. Jones dismissed with prayer.

Present were Bessie Miles, Sally Boyd, Linda Cary, Beverly Harris, Rita Prescott, Mrs. D. E. Jones, Faye Boyd, Garrett Boyd and Vance Jones.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilmon and children of Odessa spent Sunday in the O. P. Blair and Moody Richardson homes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Swafford returned Tuesday from Mountain Home, Arkansas, where they visited their son, Pete Swafford and family.

Mrs. Raymond Lee and baby returned to their home in Lane-sa Monday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Cheek, last week.

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Roy Taylor and Bobbie Shackleford, owners of two of Loraine's newest businesses, have proved they are not easily whipped and are not giving up in their fight against their enemy.

Roy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor, was living with his parents at Hyman when he was stricken with polio in 1945. He was treated at the Johnson Hospital here and later sent to a Dallas hospital where he spent five months for treatments, undergoing nine operations on his

limbs, each releasing the drawn muscles and giving him a little more freedom. After being dismissed from the hospital he began exercises at home which he continues to go through diligently each day. When Roy came to Loraine he could only walk with the aid of crutches. Now he can walk without any aid, but usually uses a cane.

After returning home from the hospital, he went to Paris, Texas and enrolled in the watch and clock repair school at that place, completing the 18 months course in 10 months. After finishing the course he came to Loraine and opened his shop in Combs Drug in October, 1949. In March of this year, he rented the T. A. McGee building where he could have more room, and now has a stock of men's and women's watches, clocks, novelty jewelry, bill folds, compacts, rings, etc. in addition to his watch and clock repair business.

In September of this year, Bobbie Shackleford was looking for a place to open a radio re-

pair shop. Roy invited him to come in and share the space in his shop. It was October 1 when Bobbie opened his radio repair shop and in the time since, less than two months he has been in business, has been praised for repairing radios that others had failed to fix.

Bobbie, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Shackleford of Sand Springs, married the former Loeta Miles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Miles. They have two children. They were living on a farm South of Loraine when he was stricken with polio October 27, 1949. He was treated at the Johnson Hospital and sent to Hendrick Hospital in Abilene, where he spent four months. After returning home from the hospital, Bobbie enrolled in the National Radio Institute, Washington, D. C., taking a course in radio repair by correspondence. Before opening his shop in Loraine, he worked at repairing radios in his home.

In connection with his radio repair, Bobbie has stocked his shop with new radios, electric irons, toaster, waffle irons, radio batteries, etc.

Two months ago Bobbie got around in a wheel chair, but promoted himself recently to crutches, and we hope that he and Roy will improve so rapidly that they both will walk again without the aid of crutches and canes.

We admire Roy and Bobbie. They love life and have fought and are still fighting to regain their health so that life will mean more to them. They, like the rest of us, are trying to make an honest living and we think they are worthy of the patronage of Loraine people. In their shops many gift items for individuals and for the entire family may be purchased.

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range an appropriate floral gift for your individual needs. For the first time in history Loraine people have an opportunity to patronize a flower shop in the home town, where they may go and make their own selection. Mrs. Beights and Mrs. Kirkman welcome you to call at their shop at any time and will appreciate your patronage.

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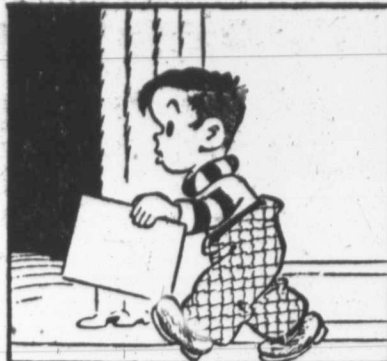
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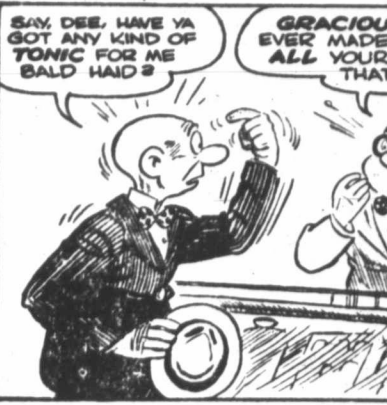
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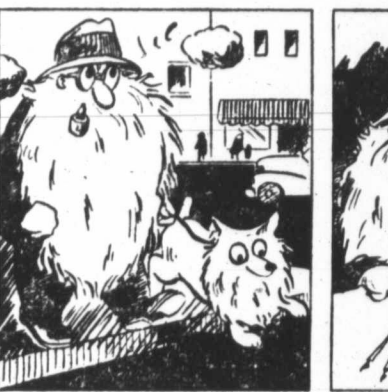
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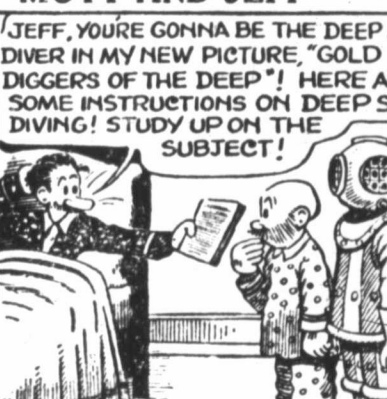
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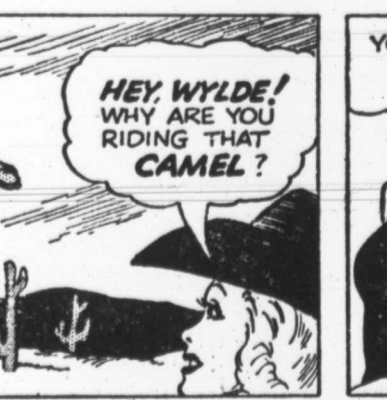
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SPORTLIGHT

Chicago Fans See Gloomy 1951

By GRANTLAND RICE

THIS UNHAPPY BASEBALL CITY (Chicago), once the hope of Frank Chance, the peerless leader, and his famous Cubs, is again turning to "next year" without too many golden dreams.

Both the Cubs and White Sox have known their fate—but not lately. Frank Frisch has done all anyone could expect him to do with what he has and it's still material shortage for the White Sox that cuts them down.

One question asked around here is this—"What will Branch Rickey do for the Pirates?"

In the first place he can't do them any harm, since they are as low as a team can get. Rickey is certain to be a big help by 1952 if not in 1951. He still has more actual baseball brains than anyone connected with the game, when you look back over his experience. But not even a Rickey can do every thing at once.

It might be remembered also that war clouds and the draft can make a terrific difference in the two 1951 races. Already a number of shining young stars have traded baseball uniforms for khaki—the bat for a gun. This will soon begin to double and redouble. It will work harder on younger teams than older teams.

Looking over the two leagues how can any one expect any of the second division teams to break into the upper four? Yankees, Tigers, Indians and Red Sox will still be the class in the American league next spring. Phillies, Dodgers, Giants and Braves will remain in the first division of the National as far as anyone can tell, except that the Giants have a good chance to win the flag. They had the best team in their league down the stretch.

The loss of Branch Rickey isn't going to help Brooklyn although Fresno Thompson is a capable field hand. But years are needed to get any baseball savvy—and this means years of actual work as the head party.

Brooklyn fans want a glamorous, gang of fighters like they were in the old days, but they also want to win flags.

Notre Dame and Next Year

Chicago is a hot Notre Dame city. This affection goes back to the early years of Knute Rockne. A bad Notre Dame year is a bad football year for many Chicago football fans.

Now they are wondering about Notre Dame and 1951. For one thing Bob Williams will be missing and Bob Williams, the star from Baltimore, was the team's main star in 1949 and 1950. His passing was about 70 or 80 per cent of Notre Dame's attack with the back-field material left. Silkos and such don't come along every week.

There are strong rumors around that Notre Dame is getting ready to shed part of her football glory. Scholarships have been reduced quite heavily, we are told.

One point is that Notre Dame is really a magnificent university. Many of her leaders think the educational and cultural side has been overshadowed by football greatness. This, at least, is the idea you hear.

From now on Notre Dame will have good football teams, but they won't be so overwhelming.

Notre Dame loses good men after this season and so far apparently no Harbs, Conners or Lujacks are on the freshman squad. It is lucky that Notre Dame still has Frank Leahy and his able coaching staff. Leahy did all anyone could do with limited material as full proof that all too often it is still the material that writes most of the winning story.

Notre Dame has an even tougher schedule next year. As we understand it the South Bend platoon takes on S.M.U. and other strong southwestern teams, where football may have its deepest strength. Indiana will be better. So will Michigan State. So will Purdue and Iowa.

It is much too early to start writing Notre Dame out for 1951. But it will be a big job to go through next season's hard march without a few defeats.

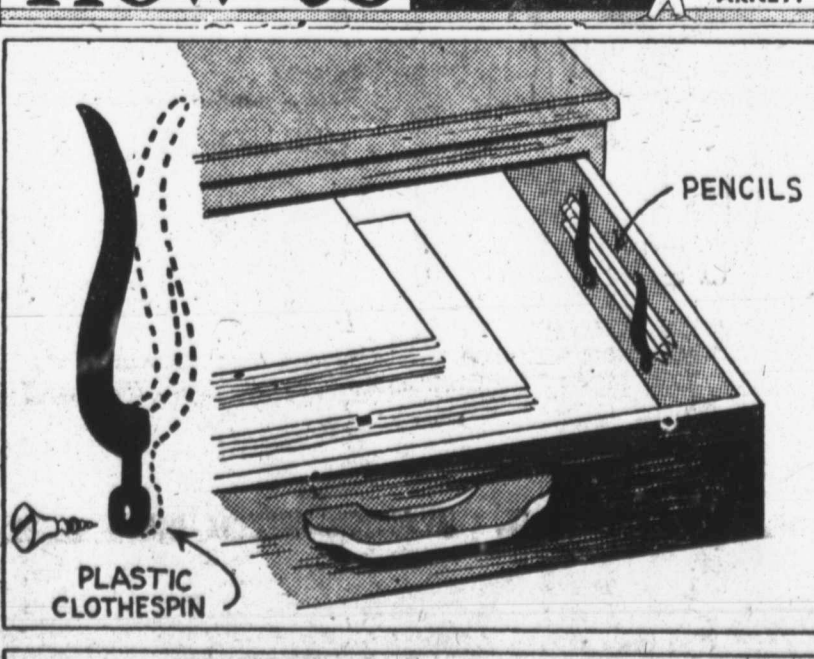
The Pittsburgh Mystery

Pittsburgh turns out to be one of the deeper mysteries of baseball—and this mystery will last through 1951. Three years ago a new crop of owners arrived and started scattering coin in every known direction. Having no farm system ready to deliver young stars, the Pirates paid high prices for anything they could get.

But around September 12 of 1948 the Pirates suddenly turned in the direction of bottom.

The odd part is that Pittsburgh fans didn't desert them. The Pirates drew well over a million fans in 1949 and 1950 in spite of their lowly state. Each year they started slowly and then got worse. But the gate remained above many other teams that were in the race from start to finish.

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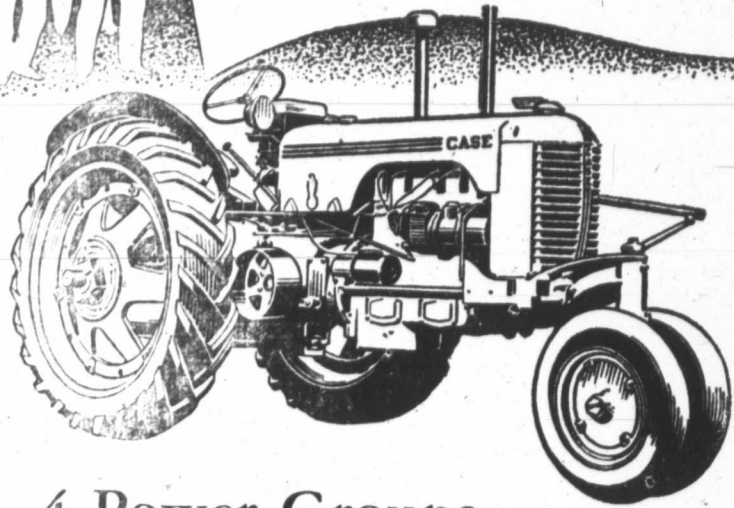
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Introducing A Senior

Ned Keith Laseter was born July 14, 1934, at Plainview, Texas, to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Laseter. When Keith was in the fourth grade his family moved to Loraine, Texas.

During his Freshman and Sophomore years, Keith played football and basketball and was in the F. F. A. Club. His Junior year he joined the band. Keith is business manager on the annual staff and an active member in the band this year.

Some of Keith's favorites are:

day, Friday; dish, cherry pie; actress, Elizabeth Taylor; sport, football; and Keith's ambition is to be an accountant. He plans to enter business college next fall.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Leach and Keith live on a farm about five miles south of Loraine. The senior class wishes to take this opportunity to wish Keith all the luck in the world for the future years.

Campus Chatter

Ole L. H. S. has two big events coming soon. One is the Football Banquet tomorrow night, December 5, and the other is the

Junior play, This Ghost Business, to be presented Tuesday night, December 12.

The big question now is: Who are the Sweethearts? That's what will be answered towards the end of the banquet tomorrow night.

Basketball season officially starts Monday night, December 11, when the boys and girls meet Hobbs on the local court.

December 19, the senior class will present a Variety Show, ending with the coronation of the Campus King and Queen. Next week's news will have more of the details on this show, but one thing is certain: It shouldn't be missed.

That's about all for today so we'll see you next week.

Juniors Have Play

Ronall came back to school last week so with good luck he will know his part real well. We are sure glad that he is able to be back.

Our history test turned out o. k. but for a few failures. Hope we do better next time. How about that Bennie?

Until next week, so long.

Homemaking News

Well, here we are again back at dear ole L. H. S. All the girls seemed to have a good time over

the week end.

The Fish are studying parties for special occasions. When this is finished gifts for Christmas will be taken up.

The Sophs are still sewing hard and fast to get their dresses finished by Christmas. The Juniors are sewing equally as hard to get their suits finished by the end of the semester.

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DORCAS CLASS

Members of the Dorcas class met in regular business meeting at the home of Mrs. Ben Bowlin Monday night.

Mrs. Bowlin, president, had charge of the meeting. Plans were made for the Christmas dinner and social.

Refreshments of cokes and candy were served to Mmes Dee McCollum, Clifton Henderson, F. M. Sweatt, Tom Ray, Lane McCollum, Wade Preston, Cline Taylor, Dexter Taylor, H. L. Leach, Frank Stewart, Lester Webb, and Roy Baird.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our heartfelt thanks for the kindness and sympathy of all our friends during the illness and death of our beloved son, David Fuller. We only wish we could name each friend and thank him personally for their never tiring help in remembrances to our son in his last days. There are no words to express how we felt in our heart when the many, many floral sprays arrived from our friends in Loraine.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Fuller
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B. D. Smith of Brady visited in the Woodrow Pratt home Sunday

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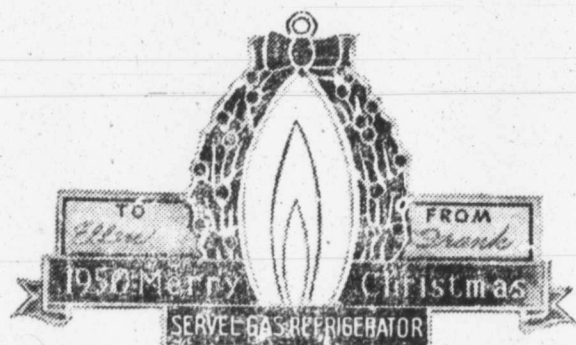
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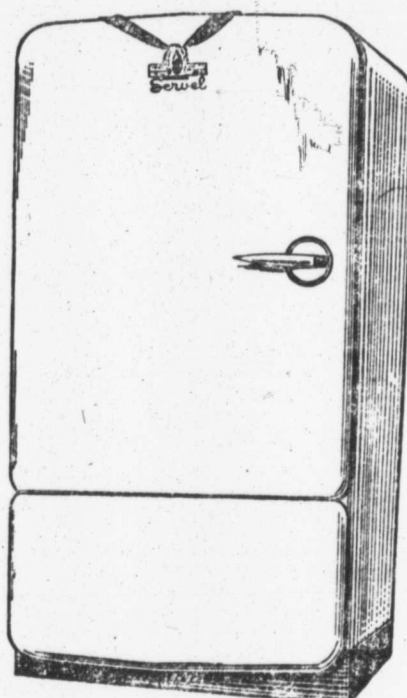
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