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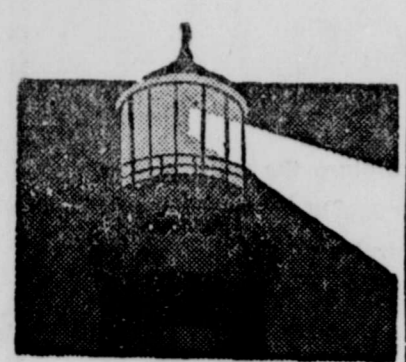
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On The BEAM

By J. W. King, Sr.

We have a motto hanging in our office...

Finding fault with anything or anybody is one of the easiest things to do...

We have no doubt that this columnist has many faults...

First of all I can find fault with the appearance of our town...

I might name some more faults in our community...

I would like to see all the faults in our community remedied...

MRS. ANTONIO MORENO DIED HERE MONDAY

Born February 14, 1914, in Mexico, she had lived in Mitchell County since 1927...

JAMES PYLANT KILLED IN WRECK NEAR PECOS

James Pylant, 40, of Midland was killed near Pecos last Saturday when his truck overturned...

LUNCHROOM MENU Feb. 24-28

Monday: Corn dogs, mustard, mashed potatoes, salad, banana pudding, butter, milk.

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LORAIN, TEXAS, FEBRUARY 20, 1964

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Carolyn Cline Bride Of Richard Barnes

Wedding vows were said by Miss Carolyn Jo Cline and Mr. Richard Barnes in a double ring ceremony...

Friday And Saturday Red Tag Days Here

Friday and Saturday February 21-22 will be RED TAG DAYS in Loraine...

1964 Feed Grain Signup Under Way

The signup for the 1964 feed grain program now under way in the ASCS County Office...

W. M. S Banquet Honored Seniors At Baptist Church Friday Evening

An Evening of Stars was the theme for the sweetheart banquet sponsored by the Baptist W.M.S. in the basement of the educational building at the church Friday evening.

Mrs. Alsbrook's Mother Dies At Rotan Home

Mrs. J. H. Smith, 93, a resident of Rotan since 1956, died at her home there at 2:10 p.m. Monday February 10...

Clifton Henderson President Pioneer Club

Fifty-four were present Thursday evening when the Pioneer Club met for their annual supper and reunion at the Lions Club building.

MOTHER OF AG. TEACHER DIES IN SWEETWATER

Mrs. Hattie Cox Holt, 76, mother of Raymond Holt teacher of agriculture in Loraine High School, died at Simmons Memorial Hospital in Sweetwater at 1:45 a.m. Monday.

FAMILY GET TOGETHER

1stSgt. and Mrs. Harris Hamilton were hosts for a family get together and dinner Sunday.

BAUMAN H. D. CLUB

Mrs. Albert Givens was hostess at a Valentine Party and luncheon Tuesday for the Bauman Home Demonstration Club.

MASONS OBSERVE WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

Masons and their wives and widows of Masons as special guests gathered at the school cafeteria Tuesday evening for supper and a program in observance of the birthday of George Washington.

BULLDOGS CHAMPS OF DISTRICT 86-B

The Loraine Bulldogs are District 86-B basketball champions as they downed the Ira Bulldogs February 7 95-59 ending the double round robin with a 10-0 district record.

GIRL SCOUTS

Girl Scouts are having a "Thinking Day" this week. A "Thinking Day" program is planned by the Colorado City neighborhood of Girl Scouts which includes Troops 105 and 357 of Loraine.

ROSCOE MAN PROMOTED TO STAFF SERGEANT IN USAF

England AFB, La.-Bobby J. Colwell of Roscoe, Texas, has been promoted to staff sergeant in the United States Air Force.

BULLDOGS CHAMPS OF DISTRICT 85-B

The Bi-District game will be played on February 25 with the site unknown at this time. The Bulldogs will play the winner of District 85-B which will be either Roby or Trent. These two teams are now in a three game playoff which will determine the district winner by Friday.

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SPELL QUIZ

Which of the following is spelled correctly? derision derission derrision (Meaning: Ridicule; scorn; contempt.) See Page 2 for correct answer.

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CLASSIFIED ADS



FOR SALE

For Memorials and Markers made by Sweetwater Marble and Granite Works see Ed Hallmark phone 734-2669. 4-tfc

CARPETS and Custom Made Draperies. Free estimates. We're as close as your telephone. Call RA 8-3340. Hammond Floor Covering, Colorado City. 13-tfc

Photographic supplies, films, developing, etc. Novelty gift items, picture frames made any size. Hallmark Photographic Service. 48-tfc

For Sale-A good used, easy to play upright piano, recommended for beginner students. Call 734-2743. Mrs. Garland Cary. 30-tfc

For Sale-Baled cane at \$1.00 a bale. Price Hall. 34-tfc

For Sale-Typewriter and adding machine ribbons for most machines. The Mitchell County News. 46-tfc

For Sale-2 bedroom house on 4 lots, 1 1/2 blocks from town. Mrs. Tommy Mathis. 35-tfc

For Sale-1961 GMC pickup equipped with butane; 1957 2-bedroom trailer house; 1961 GMC truck, water tank and pump; various tools for water well drilling; 1 float 30 to 40 ft. long headache rack and platform. Mrs. N. C. House, phone 734-2478. Loraine, Texas. 38-tfc

WANTED

MONEY TO LOAN on Farms and Ranches. Interest 5%; repay your loan anytime without penalty. Money loaned to purchase, refinance and to improve your home. Federal Land Bank Association, Newby Pratt, Sec'y, Treas., office 135 W. 2nd St., Colorado City. 35-tfc

Wanted: Sewing. See Mrs. J. C. Swafford on the W. L. Swafford place. Phone 2632. 41-2tc

LOST

Stray Whiteface cow in my pasture 8 months. Owner identify. Lee Roy Cornutt. 40-tfc

Use Classified Ads

Mrs. R. D. White visited with her daughter Mrs. Laverne Sawyer and Mr. Sawyer and family in Abilene Sunday. Her little grandson Andy who is four months old returned home with her to spend this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reddin and children of Fort Worth and Wayne Reddin of San Angelo spent the weekend with their parents Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Compton, and their grandmother Mrs. Maud Farris.

SENATOR DAVID RATLIFF SEEKS RE-ELECTION



State Senator David Ratliff of Stamford this week made his formal announcement for re-election as Senator for the 24th Senatorial District, which includes Borden, Fisher, Garza, Haskell, Howard, Jones, Kent, Mitchell, Nolan, Scurry, Shackelford, Stonewall, and Taylor counties.

He was elected to the Senate in 1954 and re-elected in 1958 and 1962. Ratliff has to make an extra race this year because he was one of 15 Senators who drew two-year terms in 1962 under the new state redistricting law. Normally, senators serve four-year terms.

In 1961, Senator Ratliff was elected President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the highest honor the Senate can confer on one of its members. He ranks ninth in seniority among its members, which increases his value to the people of this district.

Senator Ratliff is Chairman of the Insurance Committee and serves on eleven other standing committees, including the most powerful ones in the Senate, Banking, Finance, Oil and Gas, State Affairs, Transportation, and Water and Conservation. In addition, because of his broad knowledge, steady influence and demonstrated interest in sound government, he serves on the Senate General Investigating committee. In the past, he has served in key interim study groups such as the Tax Study Commission, the Cost of Government Study Committee, the legislative Budget Board and recently was appointed by the Governor to a special committee to study the problems of the aging. He is on more committees than any other Senator.

During the last session of the legislature, Senator Ratliff was the author of the special enabling Ratliff said "I am running on my past record of service. I pledge continued dedication to sound and responsible governmental policies, and to conduct my self honorably at all times in discharging the duties and responsibilities of the office of state senator."

Senator Ratliff and wife, Priscilla, reside at 1005 Wells Street in Stamford. They have two sons, David and John, two daughters, Lynnora and Janie and two grandchildren, Robert and Rebecca. David and family live in California and John is in the seventh grade in Stamford public schools. Lynnora teaches in Big Spring public schools and Janie attends the University of Texas Dental School in Houston. Mrs. Ratliff attends Abilene Christian College and is to receive her degree in May of this year.

Senator Ratliff is a member of the Christian Church, a honorary Rotarian, a charter member of the Abilene Boys Club and active in Boy Scout work.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Groom of Abilene spent Thursday night here with her brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hamilton.

W. L. Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hill of Abilene were guests of their sister and aunt Mrs. J. D. Sheffield Sunday.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Liles were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Farrar Hedges and Gala Liles of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hodges of Paris, Texas, visited Mrs. Irene Stewart last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. G. Blalock of Snyder visited with her brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Anderson Thursday afternoon and attended the Pioneer Club meeting at the Lions Club building Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Linam and daughter Jill of Denver City visited over the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Linam.

Mr. and Mrs. Lary Smallwood of Brownfield were visitors last week of her father Victor Tillison and her grandmother Mrs. L. J. Tillison. They were moving to Abilene where he will attend McMurry College this semester.

Mrs. Mike Sorells and twins Kathy Ann and Michael Ray of Ackerly visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Simon and Mrs. Jeff Davis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Charness who have been living in the Merket house recently have moved to the W. C. Hock home.

Cassie DeVaney, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alton DeVaney of Coahoma, is spending this week with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Garland Cary, and great grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Richey.

Mrs. J. D. McDonald returned home Saturday after spending last week visiting with her sisters Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Whitten in Stanton and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hannah in Midland, and in the home of her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cain left Monday for Atlanta, Georgia, where they will visit in the home of their daughter Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Woodard and son Jackie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Compton, and son spent Thursday night of last week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Andy Compton. They left Friday morning for San Jose, California, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nunn and children of Midland spent Saturday night and part of Sunday visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miles are moving this week to the Robert Mote house.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Miles and three month old son Billie Randle of Midland visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Miles Sunday.

Mrs. Maggie Sipes of Sweetwater returned home Wednesday after visiting with her mother Mrs. B. J. Phillips for several days.

Carload Furniture Sale

We have received several truck loads of furniture the past thirty days. We now occupy two buildings and have lots of room to display our stock. Loraine is considered the best Furniture town in Texas according to size and we think you are entitled to a good furniture store and we are going to try to give it to you. We can, and do, sell furniture cheaper than the big stores. We don't have to smoke it up and pour water on it in order to sell it cheaper. We are going to give you some real bargains

Friday, Saturday, And Monday

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| One \$350 used walnut Dining Room Suite | \$89.50 | Big Giant Size Dinette Suite, 8 chairs | \$89.50 |
| One fine oak Dining Room Suite | \$69.50 | \$105 set of French Provincial Fruit Wood Living Room tables set of 3 | \$89.50 |
| 5-piece Living Room Suite | \$89.50 | 1 set of 4 Danish Walnut Living Room Tables | \$49.50 |
| All Living Room Chairs from \$49 to \$58 will go at one price. | \$39.95 | 1 set Mahogany Living Room Tables, set of 3 | \$17.95 |

We have on hand over \$800 worth of

Brandt Morning Glory Mattresses

Don't fail to see our Weekend Prices.

Neill's Supply Store

Mrs. K. L. Taylor and Mrs. Bill Thompson of Colorado City were in Abilene Tuesday visiting with their nephew and wife. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gage and their baby Jerry Everett who was born Monday morning at Hendrick Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rankin of Salt Flat visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rankin and other relatives here during the weekend.

Mrs. Arnold Marshall of Big Spring visited Josephine Marshall Wednesday.

MORE THAN 800,000 TEXANS RECEIVE SOCIAL SECURITY

More than 838,300 people in Texas are now receiving monthly social security benefits as survivors of deceased workers, according to Erven Fisher, Big Spring social security district manager. These beneficiaries-widows, children, and aged dependent parents of deceased workers-receive a total of \$49,013,000.00 each month. "The average American worker can count social security's survivor benefit protection as one of his most valuable economic assets," said Mr. Fisher. "It can mean as much as \$50.00 in benefits to his family in the event of his death."

Mr. Fisher said that with 91 million workers insured under social security, 9 out of every 10 young children and their mothers would qualify for monthly benefits if the family breadwinner died. The family benefits range

from \$50 to \$254 monthly depending on the worker's average earnings under social security.

To illustrate the impact of survivor's protection, Mr. Fisher cited the benefits being paid to the surviving dependents of the men killed in the U.S.S. Thresher submarine disaster on April 10, 1963. A total of 129 men lost their lives when the nuclear-powered Thresher failed to surface after a test dive off Cape Cod, Mass.

The Social Security Administration found that 86 of the men left survivors eligible for benefits. Monthly benefits are now being paid to 178 children and 69 widows. Another 16 widows who do not have young children in their care will be eligible for monthly benefits at age 62. According to Mr. Fisher, the benefits payable to these survivors over the years are expected to exceed 2 1/2 million dollars.

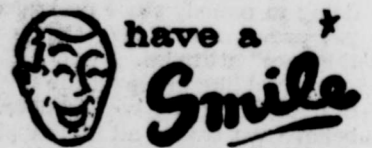
"It's a good idea for every worker to find out what social security benefits would be payable in the event of his death," Mr. Fisher said. "Then he should be sure to tell his family to get in touch with the social security district office in the event of his death. We still find people who've lost out on benefits for months or even years because they didn't know benefits were payable."

Mr. Fisher said a booklet, "Your Social Security", is available free at the social security office. A copy of the booklet can be obtained by writing, phoning, or visiting the office at 700 Runnels. Phone AM 4-5226.

Try Classified Ads

While minister to France, Thomas Jefferson studied French cuisine and wrote a cook book for use in the kitchen at Monticello.

The bite of a tarantula is no worse than a hornet's sting.



PINNING IT DOWN
"I have learned," said the marriage counselor, "that there are only two periods in his life when a man does not understand women."
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**TIPS
FOR
OUTDOORSMEN**
By Verna Sanford

Prolongs Battery Life

Between trips afield, reverse the batteries in your flashlight. Then if the switch accidentally is turned on, no harm is done, for the circuit will be broken. Then install the batteries properly when you're ready for your next trip out.

Carpet for Traction

A valuable item for the auto camper to have on hand, whether he's on the coast or inland, is two strips of old carpet, about 15 inches wide and six feet long. Keep 'em behind your spare tire. Next time you get stuck, slip the carpet strips under the rear tires for greater traction.

Silent Whistle Useful

Carry one of those silent dog whistles the next time you go deer hunting. If you see a deer with head down and you can't determine its sex, blow a blast on the whistle. Up will come the head and you'll be sure whether your target is a doe or a buck.

TO Loosen Gun Screws

When it's time to oil up your firearms and you discover that some of the gun screws won't budge, heat them lightly with a soldering iron. It works every time.

Freeze Fish in Ice

To keep fish fresh in a freezer, try putting them in a pan of water first and freezing the entire tray. Next run some warm water over the pan. Out will come the cake of ice—fish and all. Wrap the encased fish—ice and all—in foil and pop it back in the freezer. The frozen water will seal the flavor in.

Preserving Game Birds

To keep game birds like quail and doves fresh in a freezer, put them in an old milk carton, fill it with water, staple it shut and freeze.

Cover Muzzle With Shell

To protect your rifle bore from dust and rain while in camp, cover the muzzle with an empty shotgun shell. It is waterproof and does the job. Just be sure you remove the cover before firing the gun.

KEEP Sharp Pencil Handy

A good sharp pencil is a handy item to have on a fishing trip. The point is an ideal tool for taking the snarls out of a backlash.

Coffee Grounds Useful

Don't throw away those coffee

grounds. Fill a large box with a couple inches of dirt, put fish worms in the box, then cover with fresh coffee grounds. This will keep 'em alive and as frisky as the day you caught 'em.

Fooling the Rabbit

If you jump a cottontail rabbit and miss your shot, don't give up the chase. A little strategy will put him in your sights again. Watch the direction the rabbit takes. Then travel in a wide circle and approach the spot, where the bunny disappeared, from the opposite direction. There's a good chance then that you'll get another shot.

If you pursue the cottontail straight on, the wise old rabbit will stay hidden until you give up. But the new approach will send him scampering into the open.

Plastic Bag Handy

When going deer hunting, carry a large plastic bag in the pocket of your hunting coat. It takes up very little room and makes a nice dry seat while sitting on a stand. Furthermore, it serves as an excellent container for the deer liver when you head for home.

Portable Blind

Here's a good portable blind that works fine in the rice fields while hunting geese. Take a piece of canvas and paint it a straw color. While the paint is still wet, sprinkle real straw over the canvas. The straw will stick to the paint and when dry you can cover yourself in the field.

Catfish Like Sardines

Here's a quick way to chum some catfish to your bait. Buy a can of cheap cardines or all-fish cat food and jab holes through the can with an ice pick or a knife blade. Then drop the can in the water, weighting it with a large sinker or stone. Fish are attracted by the aroma from the leakage from the can. If you put your baited hook nearby, you're in business.

Spark Plug Sinker

All out of sinkers? Then gather up some old discarded sparkplugs. They make fine sinkers. Just bend the electrodes together and tie onto a wire leader. Should the sparkplug sinker become lodged between rocks, the soft electrode acts as a safety opening to free the leader and line.

Coffee Can Heater

To keep warm in a duck blind, try putting an old coffee can filled with lighted charcoal briquets

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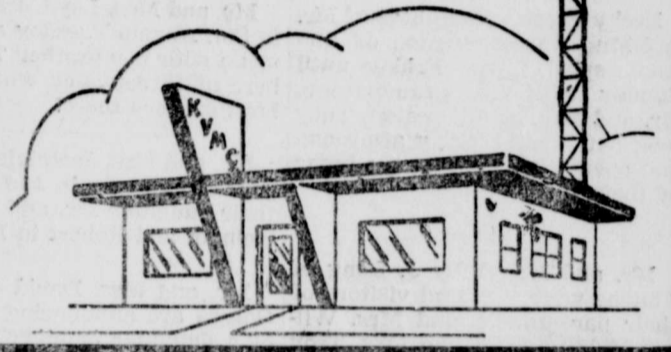
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Hook Sharpener

One of those emery boards the little lady uses in doing her nails is the perfect tool for sharpening fish hooks and keeping them in fine condition.

VALUE OF SOIL TESTS

College Station, Feb. 14—More and more farmers and ranchers throughout Texas are recognizing the importance of adequate fertilization of crops and improved pastures, says Charles D. Welch, Extension soil chemist at Texas A&M University. This is reflected in numerous reports which show that proper fertilization and liming mean more profit. For example, Elmo Cook, Travis County, agricultural agent, recently reported that an investment of \$5.10 gave Milford Olson of Elroy a net return of \$3.97 per acre on grain sorghum in 1963. The fertilizer increased the yield 784 lbs., valued at \$1.91 per bushel.

Welch points out that proper fertilization has been shown to increase the capacity of a crop to

use soil moisture. Some of the highest returns from fertilization have been realized under conditions of below normal rainfall.

A soil test can provide valuable information about the lime status and fertility level to your soil and serve as a guide for adequate fertilization and liming. Your county agricultural agent can provide additional information about soil testing.

TAX MAN SAM SEZ:

A lot of folks try to avoid trouble on their tax return by having Internal Revenue or a private practitioner prepare their tax return. They feel that the Internal Revenue man or their private practitioner is responsible for their return. This is not true. If you sign an income tax return, you are responsible for the return—no matter who prepared it. You must see that your tax return contains all your income. It will also pay you to see that it contains all your deductions.

Mary Jane Gullely of Big Spring spent the weekend with her grandmother Mrs. Fay McCollum.

FORMS W-2

A special tax problem may face the taxpayer whose former employer has gone out of business. In some cases, the employer failed to give the employee a Form W-2 showing the wages paid and the tax withheld.

If this is your situation, Ellis Campbell, Jr., District Director of Internal Revenue, suggests the following:

First, try to get a Form W-2 from the employer. If you do not succeed, notify the Internal Revenue office. Finally, if the April 15th deadline is close, you should prepare your income tax return from the best information available and file it before the deadline. You should also attach a note explaining why the Form W-2 is not attached to the return.

If a taxpayer terminates his employment at any job during the year, the law requires that the employer furnish a Form W-2 within 30 days after the last payment of wages. Thus, if a person leaves a job permanently for any reason and does not receive a Form W-2 when he receives his last payment of wages, he should request the employer to furnish

one.

EARLY RETURN OF WHEAT CARDS URGED BY ASCS

Farmers in Mitchell County who have wheat acreage allotments on their farms have been mailed postal cards which they are asked to complete and return to the ASCS County Office as soon as possible. Curtis E. Latimer, Chairman, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation County Committee, said today.

While postal cards have been used in previous years in connection with wheat allotment programs, the Chairman explained, their return this year is more important than ever.

Since marketing quotas are not in effect for 1964, farm measurements of 1964 wheat acreage will not be made unless requested either by returning the card or by calling at the ASCS county office to furnish needed information. Upon request, the farm visit to measure the wheat acreage will be made without cost to the farmer.

The card asks 1. how many acres of wheat will be harvested for grain on the farm in 1964, 2.

whether the farmer intends to apply for price support on the 1964 wheat crop, and 3. if the allotment is more than 135 acres and the farmer will not apply for price support, whether he wants the wheat measured to preserve maximum acreage history credit.

Chairman Latimer urges that farmers return the cards as soon as possible so that the county office may obtain measurements and give producers an opportunity to adjust excess wheat acreage before the final disposition date. This date is May 1 in all counties in Texas.

Veterans News

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. My disability compensation was reduced when my daughter, who had graduated from high school, became 18 years of age a short time ago. She now plans to enter training as a beautician. Will my Compensation be reinstated to the former amount?

A. Yes. Additional amounts for dependents are paid to veterans receiving 50 percent or more disability compensation. This includes children over 18 and under 21 who are attending school. You should notify your VA regional office when your daughter returns to school and obtain the necessary form and instructions.

Q. Is a peace-time veteran eligible for vocational training by the Veterans Administration?

A. Yes, provided that a disability which was suffered in the service prevents or interferes with his former vocation. See the nearest VA Office for details.

Q. I will be discharged from service soon. As a veteran, will I be entitled to a pension?

A. Pension benefits are available to veterans who are totally and permanently disabled not due to their military service and who can meet certain income and estate limitations. They must also have had at least 90 days of active service, any part of which was served in wartime, and their discharge must be other than dishonorable.

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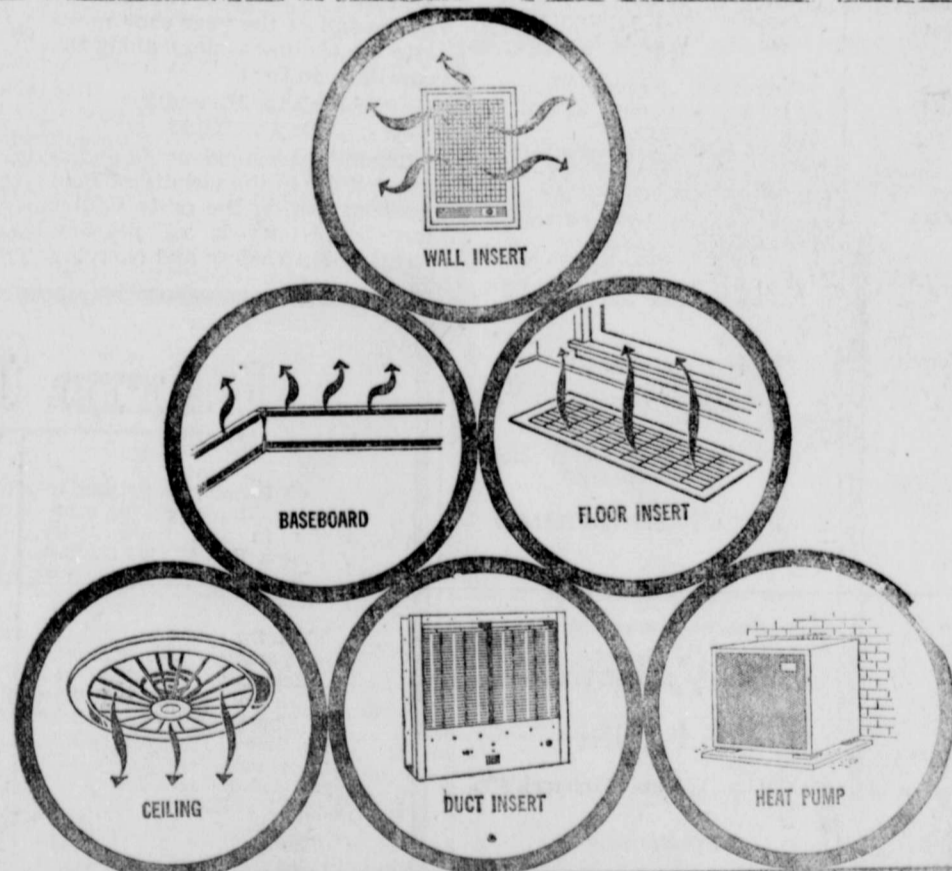
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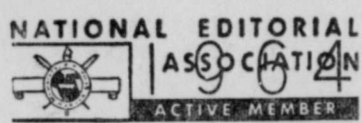


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Becky Preston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Preston of Abilene, spent from Friday until Sunday with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Ham Preston. They took her home Sunday afternoon and spent the night in the home of their son.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy J. Long of Abilene were weekend visitors of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Kidd and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Brame were in Sar. Angelo Tuesday afternoon to be with her brother Ted Lambert of Sweetwater who was to have surgery there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richey were weekend guests in the home of their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holman and Robert in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. David Collier of Odessa are announcing the birth of a daughter January 20 whom they named Ruth Ann.

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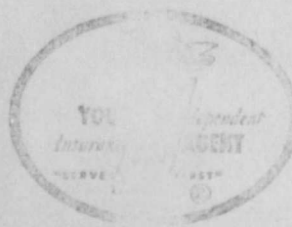
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You can catch flounder while fishing off boat decks. Also in the middle of Laguna Madre. Or in any of the back-bay waters along the Texas coast. There is particularly good flounder fishing along the coast from Rockport south to Port Isabel.

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Doug flipped a yellow Bingo alongside a concrete revetment. Next thing he knew he had a big flounder. He caught a half-dozen in as many casts.

Another time a group of biologists working down the intra-coastal canal decided to spend the night off Padre Island near the Port Mansfield cut. They caught flounder until they tired.

A group of Sweetwater business men, headed by Earl Webb, go to Port Isabel each summer. They fish in Laguna Madre in the vicinity of Three Islands and catch enough flounder in a couple of days to fill their deep freeze.

Usually flounder are found on the bottom, where they do their feeding in the mud. That is why in the fall of the year they move into the shallow waters, along the coastline, to feed.

**Fish for Flounder
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There is tremendous flounder fishing activity in the vicinity of Port Aransas during the early winter months. Hundreds of persons, wearing hip waders and carrying

gas lanterns and gigs work these shallow waters.

By shining the light down on the water they are able to see the backs of these flounders as the fish grope through the mud looking for small crustaceans. When sighted they are speared and dropped into gunny sacks trailing in the water behind the fishermen.

Although fried flounder is delicious, undoubtedly one of the most appetizing fish dishes served anywhere is a stuffed flounder.

Many seafood restaurants along the coast make a specialty of this delicacy.

Cooking The Flounder
Stuffing of the flounder is simple. After they are cleaned and placed flat in a well-greased pan, they are slit down the middle of the exposed side. Flesh then is pulled back to make room for stuffing.

Stuffing is made of a mixture of onions, cracker crumbs and celery, held together with your favorite dressing or sauce. Once stuffed, the flounder is placed in the oven and cooked until done.

There are many recipes in the cookbooks so you can take your choice. But whichever one you select, you'll be surprised at how delicious flounder can be.

And if you've never tried flounder fishing, give it a whirl this year. You'll have fun. It isn't hard work. Anyway, not too hard.

TAX MAN SAM SEZ:

The worst mistakes that taxpayers make in filing their tax returns are 1. failing to attach forms W-2; 2. failing to put their Social Security number on the tax return; 3. not writing plainly; and 4. mistakes in arithmetic.

Look your tax return over and correct the errors before you send it to Internal Revenue, instead of after Internal Revenue writes you about it.

**TRADE AND FARM POLICY
CONFERENCE SET FOR A&M**

College Station, Feb. 14-A Southwest Agricultural Trade and Farm Policy Conference, involving delegates from Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas, will be held in Texas A&M University's Memorial Student Center, February 23-27. Conference theme will be "Farm Policy, Foreign Trade and You."

Because of space limitations, attendance will be limited to 200 invited participants said J. E. Kirby, economist-marketing and policy for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and chairman for the conference.

The delegates, Kirby said, will represent every phase of agribusiness from producers to retailers. They will participate as individuals



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and not as representatives of organizations, agencies, businesses nor firms, he added.

Speakers will include the top talent in the nation. They include Dr. Arthur Mauch and L. W. Witt, Michigan State University; Dr. J. A. Schnitzer, U. S. Department of Agriculture; E. N. Hoimgreen, (ret.) Food and Agriculture, Foreign Aid Program.

Also Drs. Don Pearlberg and J. Carroll Bottom, Purdue University; Dr. M. K. Horne, Nat'l Cotton Council; Dr. Everette Peterson, University of Nebraska; Drs. H. J. Meenen, University of Arkansas; J. S. Plaxico, Oklahoma State University and C. E. Bishop, Agricultural Policy Institute and North Carolina State College.

Discussion leaders include Dr. Wayland Bennett, Texas Tech College; Dr. R. J. Hildreth, Farm Foundation; Kirby and Drs. Tom Aaron and M. L. Flower, Texas A&M and Dr. G. S. Ashler, Oklahoma State University.

President J. Earl Rudder will welcome the group to A&M and Dr. T. R. Timm, head, A&M Department of Agricultural Economics and Sociology will follow with his "Setting the State" discussion. Presiding officers for the four sessions include Texas Extension Service Director John E. Hutchison, and three well known Texas farm magazine editors: Sam Whitlow, Farmer Stockman; C. G. Scruggs, Progressive Farmer; and Charles E. Ball, Farm Journal.

The conference is sponsored by the Texas Extension Service, Agricultural Policy Institute, North Carolina State College and Department of Agricultural Economics and Sociology, Texas A&M University.

**PROTECTION FROM
RADIOACTIVE FALLOUT**

College Station, Feb. 15-A nuclear bomb is a fearful and devastating weapon. However, should our nation be attacked with this weapon, the greatest danger and our greatest need for protection, would be from radioactive fallout.

Protection from nuclear fall out entails three general principles. They are distance, time, and shielding. The principle of distance is simply that the greater the distance from the source of radiation, the greater the protection. When this distance is doubled the intensity of the radiation is reduced to 1/4 and with three times the distance it is reduced to 1/9th.

Time is another important principle in protection from fallout. Radioactivity from a nuclear weapon begins to lose its energy soon after the explosion through the process known as radioactive decay. A formula, important in determining decay, is that with a seven-fold increase in time there is a ten-fold decrease in dose rate. For example, if one hour after a blast the radiation intensity measures 1,000 roentgens per hour, it will decay to 100 roentgens per hour in seven hours. In 49 hours it will decrease to 10 roentgens per hour, and in 343 hours, or about two weeks, it will decay to 1 roentgen. Thus it would be sage to leave shelter after two weeks.

Shielding is the third principle of protection from radiation. Dense, heavy material is needed to step gamma radiation but any material placed between people and the radiation offers some protection. All these materials offer about the same amount of protection. Three feet of earth, 24 inches of concrete, 2 inches of lead and 90 inches of wood, give excellent protection.

Shielding is really the only effective method of protection from radiation, and everyone should have some type of fallout shelter. These shelters will be discussed in future articles on civil defense.

from radiation, and everyone should have some type of fallout shelter. These shelters will be discussed in future articles on civil defense.

E. O. Walker received a message Tuesday morning stating that his nephew Jerald Brasuell of Houston was killed Monday morning in a car wreck. Mr. and Mrs. Walker visited in the Brasuell home several years ago when they were in Houston and Mr. Walker had surgery there.

Mrs. Homer Wilson returned home Saturday from Midland where she had been visiting with her grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Bowers. They brought her home and spent Saturday night and Sunday with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Raspberry of Bronte attended services at the First Methodist Church here Sunday morning and were dinner guests of her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Templeton.

Robert Horton of Abilene was the guest of his mother Mrs. Phil Horton Sunday.



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CHURCH NEWS

Loraine Gospel Mission Services
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Saturday 7:30 p.m.
Sunday 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Rev. K. W. Gurley, Pastor

FRIENDSHIP CLASS

The Friendship class of the Baptist Sunday School met in the home of Mrs. Hubert Thomas Tuesday evening in regular monthly meeting.

Mrs. Hubert Meadows gave the devotional, giving a character study of Eve from the book "All the Women of the Old Testament."

Mrs. Melvin Baumann, class president, presided at the business meeting when plans were made for a meeting on Friday night February 28, when husbands of the members will meet with them to help finish furniture for the nursery.

Mrs. Thomas served cherry pie a la mode to eight members.

March 1-8

Mrs. Thomas Riden presided for the business session when Mrs. Roy Baird read the minutes, Mrs. Bernice Hallmark reported a balance of \$87.34 in the treasury and Mrs. Woodrow Pratt told of plans for the Home Mission Week of Prayer.

The song "Onward Christian Soldiers" was sung to open the meeting. Mrs. Turner gave the prayer calendar and Mrs. Baird led in prayer.

Mrs. James Hallmark was program leader when "The Chaplain and his Work" was discussed in round table discussion by Mmes Turner, Frankie Childress, Shep Compton and Bill Scarber.

The discussion gave information on the work of Baptist Chaplains among those in military service, hospitals, industrial and institutions. Southern Baptists now have 756 Chaplains who work in giving spiritual aid in children's homes, nursing homes, prisons, hospitals and military.

The Chaplain offers spiritual guidance to the young serviceman away from home, perhaps for the first time and is meeting many temptations when a Chaplain's guidance is so vital.

Those in hospitals, institutions and homes need the love, concern and guidance in their various disturbing and emotional problems, all of which the Chaplain tries to help.

Prayers for the Chaplains were led by Mmes Leach and Riden. Names of boys in the service from the local church were given to the Circles and members will remember them during the Easter season.

The meeting was closed with three members on the panel quoting from Matt. 25, and prayer by Mrs. Turner.

Twelve members were present.

BANQUET WILL HONOR BAND AND ATHLETES

Trustees of the Loraine Independent School District and their wives will be hosts at the annual banquet honoring the school faculty, students of band and athletic groups. The affair will be held in the school cafeteria Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

Principal speaker for the occasion will be Coach Les Wheeler, head coach at Abilene Christian College.

Mrs. Jack Cook and son Bill and Mrs. Jimmy Cook of Garden City visited Mrs. Cora Johnson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bennett and daughters Jane and Jean of Salt Flat came for a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Hal Bennett Wednesday night. Bob returned home Thursday but Mrs. Bennett and the girls remained through the weekend and returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rankin.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Griffin, Mrs. Kirk Taylor, and their niece Mattie Johnson of Sweetwater, spent Sunday in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. John Mayse and daughter.

Mrs. A. R. Miles went to Galveston Friday to see her husband who has been a patient in John Seay Hospital the past six weeks. Mr. Miles was dismissed from the hospital and they returned home Saturday stopping at Austin for a visit with her mother Mrs. Mattie Ferguson.

PRIMARY SUNBEAMS

The Primary Sunbeams of the First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon with 24 Sunbeams and 5 leaders present. The study of the work with Navajo Indians was continued.

The Sunbeams made banks for their mission offering to be collected over a period of two or three weeks. All Sunbeams are urged to attend next Monday.

Mrs. Clay Graham served refreshments to the group.

COMPANION CLASS

Mrs. L. E. Crutcher was hostess for the February meeting of the Companion Sunday School Class Thursday evening. Mrs. Ed Shultz was co-hostess.

The meeting opened with the song "I'll Go Where You Want Me To Go" and prayer led by Mrs. Grady Furlow. Roll Call was answered with a favorite Bible verse and comment.

Mrs. Crutcher, president presided at the business meeting when group leaders gave good reports.

During the social hour Mrs. Teeters led a Bible quiz and read a Grandmother's Prayer.

Refreshments of cake squares topped with red icing, dips, pickles, candy, tea and coffee were served to Mmes W. H. Long, W. C. Rogers, Grady Furlow, Dottie Marshall, C. A. Land, Pearl Allbright, O. C. Lucas, W. M. Teeters by the hostesses.

W. S. C. S. MEETING

The Womens Society of Christian Service met at the Methodist Church Monday at 2 o'clock in regular study meeting.

The meeting was opened with the group singing "Nothing But The Blood." The devotional was given by Mrs. Martin Dobbs taken from Luke 15:11-14. Mrs. S. E. Meadows gave the opening prayer.

Mrs. Alva Bennett directed the program. The first part was given by Mrs. C. H. Martin on "The Family Circle and Family Income". Mrs. Jack Linam gave "Economic Decision of the Christian Family". Mrs. Bennett commented on the topics discussed. Mrs. Cora Johnson dismissed the meeting with prayer.

Thirteen ladies were present.

BAPTIST W. M. U.

The Lottie Moon Circle brought the program when all the circles of the Baptist WMS met in the junior department Tuesday at 9:30 a.m.

Prior to the program, circle program and prayer chairmen met and planned the Home Mission Week of Prayer program for Ferguson.

Today's MEDITATION from The World's Most Widely Used Devotional Guide



The Upper Room

Read Luke 23:33-43

Father, forgive them; for they know not what they do. (Luke 23:34)

She was a woman in her middle thirties. Her husband, a brilliant, talented man but an alcoholic, had not been home for days for her days of agony and dread.

I said to her, "You know, really, for your sake as well as for the children's, you would be justified in leaving him."

Her reply was, "But I can't do that; you see, I love him still."

Is not the essence of love to give and to forgive and to go on forgiving, waiting for the day when a response in love might be given?

The cross of Calvary is the eternal backdrop for the love of God shown in behalf of unworthy man. The cross says to us, "Love never faileth." Here was love which cried out in the hour of crucifixion, "Father, forgive them."

The followers of Jesus Christ are in the army of the forgiven and the forgiving!

Prayer: O God, who by way of the cross hast redeemed us, teach us to be forgiving toward those who sin against Thee and their fellowmen. Forgive us, as we forgive. In the name of our Redeemer, Jesus Christ, Amen.

Thought For The Day: The Christian is not only a forgiven sinner; he is also a forgiven saint. T. Taylor Fairchney (Ontario)

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. Jack Linam hosted a birthday dinner in her home recently honoring her husband, his brother Clyde and Mrs. Gladys Joyce on their birthdays. Those attending were Mrs. L. J. Tillison and Victor Mr. and Mrs. Presley Powell of Abilene and Mrs. Clyde Linam.

W. W. Kidd of Roscoe was a weekend visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Miles.

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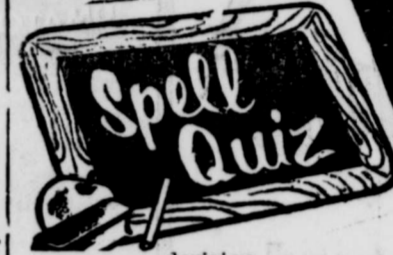
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Donald Gene Black of Ozark, Arkansas, is visiting his aunt Mrs. Jewel Wimberley and Sue this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Swafford and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Swafford and children Randy and Ricky spent Sunday in Sylvester with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Montgomery.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The News is authorized to announce these candidates for public office in Mitchell County subject to action of the Democratic Party primary.

FOR SHERIFF:

Lewis Claxton (Re-election)

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE

32nd Judicial District

Austin McCloud

FOR STATE SENATOR

24th Senatorial District

David Ratliff (Re-election)

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE

80th District

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Bill Matthews

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ATHENEUM STUDY CLUB
Mrs. Doyle Hester was hostess to Athenaeum Study Club on Feb. 18. Mrs. T. J. Riden opened the business meeting with the Club Collect. The report of the nominating committee was read by Mrs. Robertson Green. The following officers were elected to serve for the next biennium.
President, Mrs. Doyle Hester; 1st Vice Pres., Mrs. T. J. Riden; 2nd Vice Pres., Mrs. Percy Bond; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Bob Looney; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Floyd Coffee; Treasurer, Mrs. Woodrow Pratt; Parliamentarian, Mrs. B. H. Johnson; Historian, Mrs. Green; Federation Councillor, Mrs. Glen Coon;

Reporter, Mrs. Jim Johnson. Plans were completed for the annual guest day tea, to be held in the Home Ec. Building on March 3 at 3:30 p.m.
The program on Texas parks, was presented by Mrs. Floyd Coffee and Mrs. Jim Johnson. The Guadalupe Area as a possible State Park, was presented by Mrs. Johnson. She gave four reasons why this area is adapted to recreational purposes. The place has been described as the most fabulous property in U. S. remaining in private ownership. The project presents an opportunity which may not be repeated.
Mrs. Coffee brought a very in-

formative map talk Historical State Parks in Texas. There are 42 State Parks, which present practically every kind of natural environment seashore, mountains, forests, plains, lakes and historic places preserved under park laws. The first mentioned was at San Felipe. It became the first seat of government in 1824 and remained the social, economic, and political hub of Texas, till its independence in 1836. San Felipe was the site of the first Sunday School and the first protestant church in Texas in 1829. The first newspaper was printed here. It became the home of Stephen F. Austin and other early day celebrities.

The town of Independence has many things of Historic interest in Washington State Park. Here the first constitution of the Republic of Texas was signed. Fort Parker, in Limestone County is the place where Cynthia Ann Parker was captured by Indians in 1836.
Each story presented was a treat to the 13 members present. Mrs. Hester was assisted in serving refreshments by Mrs. Coon.
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McDermitt of Abilene visited their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Meadows Sunday night.

ABILITY TESTS GIVEN TO LORAIN HIGH SENIORS
The seniors in Loraine High School are being administered this week the mental ability tests that were given to them at the freshman and junior levels. Profile charts for these tests are made for each student. This mental ability pattern gives the relative strengths and weaknesses of a student's mental abilities. It is especially useful in educational and vocational guidance, for it gives a more complete picture of the mental abilities than has been previously available in mental tests.
By use and analysis of the separate abilities scores, the teacher or counselor can better understand his students and adapt instruction to their special needs and capacities.
Each student can also learn to understand his potentialities better through study of his profile and begin to direct his activities along lines that will make best use of his own unique pattern of abilities.
Ability tests are given in grades 1, 3, 7, 9, 10, and 12. Various ability tests and different forms are given in these grades and by the time a student finishes high school his ability is quite well established for use in guidance and counseling, said Preston C. Lightfoot, Counselor.

A landmark in the Loraine area for many years is being torn down to be replaced with a modern home in the near future. The landmark is the house on the former John Johnson farm at the south edge of Loraine. Ed Voss of Snyder now owns the farm.
42 CLUB
Mrs. Harry Cranfill was hostess for the 42 Club last week when two tables of players were present.
Loaf cake and punch were served by the hostess to one visitor Mrs. A. G. Furlow and Mmes M. A. Gann, Wade Preston, Henry Riden, W. F. James, C. A. Land, W. M. Teeters, T. F. Finley and W. I. Barron.
PARTY FOR SOPHOMORES
Members of the sophomore class of Loraine High School enjoyed a Valentine party in the band hall Friday evening. Games of dominoes and other games were played and recorded music was heard.
Sponsors of the party were the class sponsors Mr. Buck Hughes and Mr. Raymond Holt and the room mothers Mmes Price Hall, Loyd Brame and Delmar McDaniel.
Refreshments of cookies and punch were served to 18 members.

COLORADO CITY BOY COMPLETES COURSE
Fort Gordon, Ga. (AHTNC)-Pvt. Hollas J. Lewey, son of Mrs. Martha L. Lewey, 1220 W. Point, Colorado City, Texas, completed an eight-week lineman course Feb. 14 at the Army Southeastern Signal School, Fort Gordon, Ga. Lewey was trained to construct and maintain open wire, load covered cables and field communication wires.
The 19-year-old soldier entered the Army in August 1963 and completed basic training at Fort Polk, La.
Lewey is a 1963 graduate of Wallace High School.

NOTICE OF ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR THE CITY OF LORAIN

To the qualified voters of the City of Loraine:
Take notice that an election will be held on the first Tuesday in April, 1964, same being the 7th day of April, at the City Hall in Loraine, Texas.
Purpose of the election shall be the election of 2 Councilmen for the City of Loraine, and no other. Every person who has attained the age of 21 years and who has resided in incorporation limits of said city for 6 months next preceding the date of said election, and is a qualified voter under the laws of the State of Texas, shall be entitled to vote in said election.
No person shall be eligible to any of the offices unless he or she possesses the requisites provided for voters at such election.
C. L. Lefevre has been appointed to serve as presiding judge for said election and he shall select one judge and one clerk to assist in holding same. Said election shall be held in the manner prescribed for holding elections in other matters.
Witness my hand and seal of office of the City of Loraine, Texas, this 10 day of February, 1964.
Dr. B. H. Johnson
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GOLDEN AGE CLUB
Twenty-four members and one visitor enjoyed games at the meeting of the Golden Age Club Monday night in the Lions Club building.
During the business session the club voted to have a covered dish supper at the meeting in March to observe the fourth birthday of the club.
A nominating committee of Wade Preston, Mrs. Irene Stewart and Mrs. Pauline Smiley was appointed to recommend officers for the new year which begins in March.
Following the business meeting Dan Butler led in prayer and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riden sang Lord Lead Me Home and Kaeel at the Cross before the games of 42 and dominoes got under way.
Mrs. Hugh Hallmark, Mrs. W. M. Teeters, Mrs. Pauline Smiley and Dan Butler were hosts and served home baked cookies, coffee and cold drinks for refreshments.
Hostesses for the next meeting are Mrs. Dottie Marshall and Mrs. W. H. Long. The next meeting will be a covered dish supper to observe the fourth birthday of the club and it will be time for each member to pay dues.

CAPT. B. B. BRIDGFORD HAS DUTY IN ENGLAND
Brize Norton RAF Station, England-Captain Billy B. Bridgford of Colorado City, Texas, has arrived here for duty with a unit of the United States Air Forces in Europe.
Captain Bridgford, a dental officer, came here from an assignment at Gunter AFB, Ala. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Bridgford of 513 E. 13th St., Colorado City, Texas.
The captain, a graduate of Colorado High School, received his B. S. Degree from Oklahoma State University and his D.D.S. degree from Baylor University, Waco, Texas. He is a member of Kappa Sigma and Psi Omega.
Mr. and Mrs. Wilmon Tartt and family spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting her mother Mrs. Will Young at Elmdale.

Hospital Notes
Entered Johnson Hospital during the past week: Gilbert Barron Jim Marshall, Tommy Graham, Mrs. John Rogge, Mrs. Wilma Adams, Pete Lopez, Jr., Manuel Caballero, Mrs. Tom Dowdy, Brenda Barker, Mrs. Ruby Ezell Birmingham, Wanda Faye Morris, Rev. Frank Story, Mrs. J. S. McKenney, Floyd Saucedo, Rodney Morris, Roy Lynn Ritchey, William Fikes, Mrs. Mike Loe, Anita Luera.
Dismissed: Stanley Moore, Chester Jernigan, A. G. Redwine, Orlando Cantu, Bruce Newton, Mrs. Lonnie Henry and baby, Mrs. Clint McCollum, Tommy Graham, Jim Marshall, Alfred Cooper, Manuel Caballero, Ross Marshall, Pete Lopez, Jr., Brenda Barker, Mrs. J. J. Land, Gilbert Barron, Mrs. Tom Dowdy, Mrs. Ezell Birmingham and baby, Mrs. Todor Limonez, Rev. Frank Story.
Born To: Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Birmingham of Colorado City, a boy Feb. 15; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Loe of Loraine, a girl Feb. 17.

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