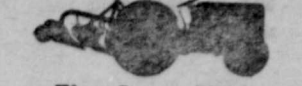




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Teachers Elected For Silverton Schools

Students Candidates for at Canyon

285 students listed
alter H. Juniper as
degrees at West
College's spring gradu-
are four students
Brooks, son of Mr.
Brooks, is a candi-
Bachelor of Science
in Physical Educa-
played football with
for four years and
of T-Club.
Wilmeth, son of Mr.
D. Wilmeth, is candi-
Bachelor of Science
in Geology.
per, daughter of Mr.
old Turner, is a can-
Bachelor of Science
major in Home-Eco-
Turner is a member
for the Master of Edu-
is James W. Willis.

May at Renner May 22, 1:00 p. m.

ns to the annual Field
wards dinner at the
rch Foundation have
d by a large number
of the High Plains Area.
the 850 acre research
laboratories start at
May 22.
located on the north
of Dallas. The high-
evening program will
entation of an award
and medal to the
has contributed the
advancement of Texas
during the past three

received at the High
on office at Halfway
eral committees from
be represented by a
farmers and business
days at the High
on will be scheduled

DORMITORIES FOR AS STATE COLLEGE

dormitories for men
are nearing completion
as State College and
y for the fall semester
Long one-story brick
the dormitories feature
ing units for 12 and
each. Each unit opens
ral court, with one
entrance at the front
ecture. The units fea-
edrooms, with central
es and lounges and
An addition to Staf-
men and an addition
ge cafeteria also are
be completed for the
tal construction costs
nning \$1,600,000.

SELL'S SISTER DIES

Howell, 78, of Dallas,
C. Hutsell died at her
1957, after a lingering
Hutsell was with his
eks before she passed
returned home after

Wimberly spent the
in Canyon with her
family. Mr. and Mrs.

Gerald Garvin Receives Scholarship To Clarendon College

Buddy Travis, coach of Claren-
don Junior College was in Silvert-
on Monday and announced that
Gerald Garvin, son of Mr. and Mrs.
Dee Garvin, of Silverton, will re-
ceive an athletic scholarship from
Clarendon Junior College. He will
play basketball and baseball.
He also mentioned another Sil-
verton boy, Steve Jarnagin, son of
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jarnagin, was
on the team this year and will be
next year. Steve was voted on
the all conference and all regional
basketball team last year.
Coach Travis said he will be
glad to have these boys with his
team.

Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Green Move Here From Lubbock

Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Green and
Paul David are moving here this
week from Lubbock. Rev. Green
has been pastor of the local As-
sembly of God Church for the past
several weeks, but has been com-
muting. He is now employed dur-
ing the week at the Willson
Nichols Lumber Company.
Mrs. Bailey Hill has been in
Lubbock a couple of days this week
assisting Rev. and Mrs. Green with
the moving of their household
goods. They will occupy the home
of Mrs. Flora Dickerson who has
been living near Happy for some
time.

Church Service Hours

Thursday night service 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School at 9:45.
Preaching at 10:45.
Young Peoples Service at 7 p. m.
Evening Service 7:30 p. m.

OLIVER C CARROLL, QUITAQUE, STATIONED IN KOREA

Army Pvt. Oliver C. Carroll, son
of Mrs. Addie Carroll, Route 1,
Quitaque, recently arrived in Ko-
rea and is now a member of the
7th Infantry Division.
Carroll, a cook in Company G
of the division's 31st Regiment,
entered the army last June and
completed basic training at Fort
Ord, California.
The 19 year old soldier attended
Quitaque high school.

Mrs. Jeff Simpson spent Friday
and Saturday in Turkey with her
sister, Mrs. B. H. Turner. A
nephew, Elmer Turner, of Turkey,
came for Mrs. Simpson and brought
her home.
Mr. and Mrs. Kemp Thompson,
Harry and Tom, of Vigo Park; Mr.
and Mrs. William Dickerson and
daughters, Mrs. Dubois Walker and
children, of Canyon, and Mr. and
Mrs. Clinton Miller and children,
Silverton, were Sunday dinner
guests of Mrs. Sam Thompson,
mother of Mrs. Dickerson and
Kemp Thompson.
Mr. and Mrs. Noble Lyde, Dee
Ann and Mary Lee, of Lubbock,
were week end guests of Mrs.
Lyde's mother, Mrs. Wiley Bomar,
Sr., and other relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Woodson Coffee,
Jr. returned home on Saturday
after having spent a few days with
his brother and family, Mr. and
Mrs. Jack Coffee, at ESates Park,
Colorado. The Messrs. Coffee vis-
ited the G. W. Rampley and Robert
Isbell ranch also. All these folks
are former Silverton folks.

Supt. M. G. Moreland announces
the re-election of Silverton school
teachers, and election of two new
ones for the next school term.
Mrs. Lee D. Bomar is one of the
new faculty to be elected to teach
in the grades and Miss Addie Sul-
lins was employed as Band and
Public School Music teacher. Miss
Sullins is a West Texas State Col-
lege graduate and lives in Ama-
rillo.

Mr. Moreland said they had one
or two other places to be filled
and we expect this to be done
soon.

Following is a list of grade
school teachers re-elected:
Mrs. Letha Elms, Mrs. Alvis
Trout, Miss Anna Lee Anderson,
Mrs. Vassie Wilmeth, Mrs. Einell
Montague, Mrs. Jackie Mercer, Mrs.
Carmon Rhode, Mrs. Pauline Turn-
er and Mr. E. D. Wilmeth.
High School teachers re-elected:
Mr. G. H. Bunch (New 3 year
contract), Mr. J. W. Ellis, Mr.
Grady Martin, Mrs. Betty Penn,
Mrs. O. C. Rampley, Mr. O. C.
Rampley, Mrs. Alvin Redin, Mr.
M. G. Moreland (Given a 3 year
contract last year).

FUNERAL HELD FOR MRS. OVETA MOORE ON THURSDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Oveta
Moore, 64, were held in Clarendon
First Baptist Church last Thursday
afternoon; survivors include her
husband, W. H. Moore, of Claren-
don; three daughters, Mrs. Corne-
lia Thompson, Amarillo; Mrs. Nell
Stanton, Lefors; and Mrs. Mable
Stone, Clarendon; a son, Harry
Griffith, Los Angeles, California;
mother, Mrs. Annie Butler, Clinton,
Missouri; a brother, Bill Richard-
son, Clarendon; five grandchildren
and one great granddaughter.
Mr. and Mrs. Moore and their
children are former Silverton
folks, having lived here before
they moved to Clarendon about
twenty years ago.

PIERCE W. WHITE IN SERVICE AT FT. BELVOIR, VIRGINIA

Fort Belvoir, Va.—Army Sgt.
Pierce W. White, son of Mr. and
Mrs. James P. White, Quitaque,
recently was assigned to the 79th
Engineer Group at Fort Belvoir,
Virginia.
Sergeant White, a welder in the
group's 49th Engineer Company,
entered the army in February,
1953 and last stationed in Korea.
White attended West Texas State
College. His wife, Patricia, lives
in Lorton, Virginia.

ART EXHIBIT TUESDAY, MAY 21 7:30 TO 9:30 P. M.

Mark this date. The Silverton
Art Class will hold its annual ex-
hibit Tuesday night, May 21, at the
high school. The public is cordially
invited to attend.

Mrs. Mary Daniels, of Tullia,
spent the week end here with her
daughter and family, Mrs. Clarence
Anderson, Susan and Joe.

Mrs. Bertha Gerdes, of Tullia,
was a week end guest of Mr. and
Mrs. A. L. McMurtry.
Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt
attended the Panhandle-Plains His-
torical Society banquet in the
WTSC cafeteria in Canyon last
Friday evening.

Mesdames Ray Thompson and
daughter, Theodore Strange, spent
Thursday night of last week in
Abernathy with Mr. E. G. Thomp-
son, father of Ray Thompson.
Pfc. Tommy Strange, of Corpus
Christi, spent the week end here
with his mother, Mrs. Bryan
Strange, other relatives and
friends.



Dan Thornton Will Be Speaker at Boy Scout Meeting May 27

Dr. J. Davis Armistead, presi-
dent, South Plains Council, Boy
Scouts of America, announced to-
day the acceptance of Dan Thornt-
on, past governor of Colorado as
speaker for the 31st annual dinner
meeting to be held at Texas Tech-
nological College Student Union
Building on May 27. Dan Thornt-
on, a native of the South Plains
was born in Hall county in 1911.
He attended grade school in Hall
county and graduated from Lub-
bock High School, attended Texas
Tech for two years and spent two
years at UCLA where he gradu-
ated.

As a youth he worked in cotton
fields and ranches. He was an
outstanding member of the Texas
4-H Club and served as Texas
president of 4-H's in 1927. In the
1930's, Dan Thornton began ranch-
ing at Springerville, Arizona,
where he built up a fine herd of
Hereford show cattle.

In 1941, he moved to Gunnison,
Colorado, where he began building
the Thornton Triumphant herd,
one of the outstanding strains in
cattle history. He was also very
active in the National Live Stock
Association.

He was elected to the Colorado
State Senate in 1948. He served
as Governor for two terms from
1950 to 1954. He was elected
Chairman of the National Govern-
ors' conference in 1953 and was
appointed chairman of the Econo-
mic Committee of Korea and Far
East in 1954.

Other phases of the program
will include Silver Beaver pre-
sentations and special awards. The
Council Officers for 1957 will be
installed. All Council Scouters
and wives are invited.

MRS. W. E. REDIN IS PATIENT IN LOCAL HOSPITAL

Mr. W. E. Redin, 84, has been a
patient in the local hospital since
Sunday morning; she has been sick
for some time. She is suffering
from buritis which is very painful.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stanford and
daughter, of Lubbock, Mr. and
Mrs. D. H. Davis, Mr. and Mrs.
O. C. Rampley and sons, Mr. and
Mrs. Onar Cornett and Brenda,
Carolyn Frizzell, Silverton; and
Don Cornett, of ACC, Abilene,
were Sunday dinner guests of Mr.
and Mrs. H. P. Rampley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Frizzell vis-
ited his daughter and family, Mr.
and Mrs. George Long and chil-
dren, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Womack
took his mother, Mrs. W. C. Wo-
mack, to her home in Gordonville
last Friday. They returned home
late Sunday and report roads under
water and detours all along the
way. Mrs. W. C. Womack had
been visiting here for a few weeks.

Mesdames Norman Strange and
Theodore Strange visited Mrs. Fred
Strange and her new daughter,
Darla June, in the Lockney hos-
pital on Saturday.

Silverton School Plan Closing Activities

Funeral Services Held For Herman S. Crow Friday Afternoon

Funeral services for Herman
Stanton Crow, 68 were held at 3
p. m. Friday in the First Baptist
Church with Rev. G. A. Elrod, pas-
tor, assisted by Rev. James Pat-
terson, Methodist Church pastor,
officiating.
Mr. Crow, a retired farmer who
came to Briscoe County in 1921,
died Wednesday in his home here
following a long illness. He was
born September 9, 1888.

Survivors include his wife; a son,
Virgil Crow of Silverton; one
child died in infancy; three
sisters, Mrs. Mary Hutchins, Wich-
ita Falls, Mrs. Jesma Griggs, and
Mrs. Wilma Wade, both of Alva-
rado, and four brothers, H. D. of
Alvarado, A. W. of Temple, Okla-
homa, H. C. of Fort Worth, and
H. E. Crow of Ajo, Arizona; two
grandchildren, Gary and Phyllis
Crow.

Interment was made in the Sil-
verton Cemetery.

RESULTS OF AREA I FFA CONVENTION

Silverton FFA chapter placed as
follows at Area I FFA Convention
on Saturday, May 11.

Passing Lone Star Farmer check,
Jerry Frizzell, Ronald Ledbetter,
Robert Hill, Bud Strange, Donnie
Stephens and Dwain Henderson.

Farm Bureau Scholarship, 1st
Bill Stephens.

Anderson Clayton, 1st Jim Whit-
fill.

Soil and Water Management
Award, 2nd Jerry Frizzell.

Summary of Activities (Chapter
Rating) Silverton placed third.

Area officer election, Jim Whit-
fill.

Jim Whitfill became the first
Silverton boy ever elected to area
office, that of area treasurer 57-58.

Books not passing, Harold Ed-
wards for American Farmer and
Jackie Baldwin, Lone Star Farmer.

The boys enjoyed being on the
TV program Saturday evening and
look forward to the State Con-
vention in July, where area winners
compete for state awards.

Total Rain Past Week Measured 1.82

Rain the past week totaled 1.82
inches according to the official
report here in Silverton. Heavier
rains fell in the surrounding com-
munities. All of the lakes in the
county have caught quite a bit of
water during the rainy season, and
land is too wet to plant. Planting
will get underway as soon as the
soil dries out enough to plow.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Kellum, of
Torrington, Wyoming, are the pa-
rents of a baby girl, Dane David,
weight 7 pounds, born there on
Friday, May 10. Mr. and Mrs. D.
T. Northcutt, Silverton, and Mr.
D. M. Kellum, of Torrington, Wyo-
ming, are the grandparents. Mrs.
Lena Northcutt, of Tullia, is the
great grandmother.

Mrs. D. W. Mayfield Honored by Children On Eightieth Birthday

Mrs. D. W. Mayfield was honored
on her 80th birthday by her chil-
dren with a surprise birthday din-
ner at her home in Silverton,
Thursday, May 9 1957. Three of
her six children were able to be
present. Mr. and Mrs. Cris May-
field, Gladstone, New Mexico; Mr.
and Mrs. J. D. Finch and son,
David, of Tullia; and Mr. and Mrs.
Perry Thomas, Jr., Don and Becky,
of Silverton.

Mrs. Mayfield has been a resi-
dent of Swisher and Briscoe coun-
ties for 67 years.

Several relatives and friends
called in the afternoon.

Methodist Men Entertain Senior Boys Tuesday Morning

The Methodist Men entertained
the High School senior boys Tues-
day morning at their regular break-
fast meeting. Bro. G. A. Elrod
made a short but very interesting
talk on hobbies. He had with
him several horns which he had
collected over several years time
and had done the finishing in his
leisure time. These were very in-
teresting to not only the boys but
the men also.

During the short business meet-
ing the following officers for the
next year were elected: President,
George Seaney; Vice President, T.
J. Hodges; Secretary-Treasurer,
Jack Strange; Reporter, M. G.
Moreland.

T. W. CROW, AGE 90, PASSES AT TEMPLE, OKLAHOMA

The families of the late H. S.
and Carl Crow have been notified
of the death of the men's uncle,
T. W. Crow, age 90, at Temple,
Oklahoma, on Friday of last week.
None of the local kin were able to
attend the funeral services in
Temple.

HOLD FAMILY REUNION

A Byrd family reunion was held
in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T.
J. Word in Lockney on Sunday.
Those present were Mr. and Mrs.
J. W. McCracken, Silverton; Mr.
and Mrs. R. B. Byrd, Pomona, Cali-
fornia; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Byrd,
of Happy; Mrs. I. M. Austin and
children, of Robert Lee, and the
mother, Mrs. W. G. Byrd.

One daughter, Mrs. Jack Dixon,
of Bronte, was unable to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mallow and
daughters, Becky and Mrs. G. W.
Rampley and children, of Estes
Park, Colorado, spent Sunday in
Plainview with Mr. Mallow's moth-
er, Mrs. C. W. Mallow, and other
relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lusk and
Gary, of Garland, spent the week
end here with relatives. They
were guests of her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. U. D. Brown, and his
mother, Mrs. Gatewood Lusk. Mrs.
Lusk returned home with them
for a few days visit.

Johnny Lanham and Mr. and
Mrs. George Seaney were in Lock-
ney on Wednesday night of last
week to see Mrs. J. N. Cantwell at
the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Redin, Ken-
ny and Van, of Plainview, visited
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin
Redin on Sunday.

Final plans and dates for the
ending of the 1956-57 school term
were announced this week by M.
G. Moreland, superintendent.

Baccalaureate services for the
high school is set for Sunday even-
ing, May 19, to be held in the high
school auditorium beginning at
8:00 p. m. Rev. G. A. Elrod will
deliver the sermon.

Eighth grade graduation exer-
cises will be held Thursday night,
May 23.

Commencement exercises will be
held Friday evening, May 24.
Twenty-five seniors will graduate
this year.

The Seniors will leave Friday
night by chartered bus immedi-
ately following graduation, on their
senior trip to Florida, where they
plan to spend ten days.

Charles A. Rowell Training at Lackland Air Force Base

Airman Charles A. Rowell, 17,
son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rowell,
Box 584, Silverton, is competing
the first phase of his basic mili-
tary training at the "Gateway to
the Air Force," Lackland Air Force
Base, San Antonio, Texas.

Upon completion of this train-
ing, he will be assigned to an air
force technical training course or
an advanced basic training course
leading to a specialized air first
job.

While at Lackland the new en-
listee undergoes the transition
from civilian to airman through a
program which includes process-
ing, aptitude testing, physical con-
ditioning, survival and weapons
training, and classroom studies
ranging from citizenship to mili-
tary customs and courtesies.

Like the USAF Officer Can-
didate and Pre-Flight Schools, also
located at Lackland, basic military
training lays the groundwork for
either an on the job assignment or
vocational schooling in line with
capability of the individual.

VACCINATION OF DOGS FOR RABIES ON MAY 24, 1957

Dr. James L. Cross, veterinarian,
from Tullia will be here in Silvert-
on, at the Fire Hall, from 4:00 to
5:00 p. m., on May 24, 1957 to vac-
cinate all dogs and cats for those
who are interested and want their
pets vaccinated.

City dog tags will be sold to
the owners of dogs that live in
town.

20-2tc
CITY SECRETARY,
Silverton, Texas.

BASKETBALL GAMES

There will be two basketball
games May 18. The high school
teams versus the Seniors. There
will be a girls game and a boys
game. The first game will begin
at 7:30. Admission 50c and 25c.
19-2tc. Advertisement.

Mrs. Betty Pendleton, of Ama-
rillo, spent the week end here
with her mother, Mrs. Betty Brew-
ster, and uncle, Mr. Roscoe Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mack Walker
and family spent the week end
with her parents, Rev. and Mrs.
Porter Arnold, in Bellview, New
Mexico. Enroute to Bellview on
Saturday the Walkers stopped in
Hereford and were luncheon guests
of her brother and family, Mr. and
Mrs. Clifford Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt
visited his mother, Mrs. Lena
Northcutt, in Tullia Sunday after-
noon.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Griffin, Jr. are the parents of a baby son, Michael D., born in Tulsa hospital at 1:30 a. m., Tuesday, May 14; weight 7 pounds, 7 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McMurtry, Silvertown, and Mrs. L. D. Griffin, Sr., of Alice, are the grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jones and daughter, Linda Sue, spent the week end in Oklahoma City with his mother, Mrs. Susie Jones and other relatives. His mother returned home with her son and family and will spend two weeks here.

Mrs. Lula Julian, of Allgood, Tennessee, and H. B. Peek, of Dallas, visited their sister, Mrs. J. S. Fisher from Saturday until Tuesday. They left for Dallas Tuesday morning accompanied by Mrs. Mattie Perry who will visit relatives in Fort Worth and Arlington. Mrs. Fisher plans to spend some time in Dallas and in Tennessee this summer. Neither Mrs. Perry or Mrs. Fisher, who make their home together, have been well for some time.

SCRIPTO PENS \$1.00, at The Briscoe County News Office.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bomar and Mrs. Freeman Tate and Jackie Carol went to Alanreed Tuesday afternoon to visit the Longs. Little Mike Long, who has been here for several days with his grandparents, the Dick Bomars, returned home with them. Mrs. Bomar planned to visit the Longs for a few days.

Webster's new school and office Dictionaries at the News Office.

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FLOOD BATTERED, BUT IT'S HOME



ABILENE, TEX. — Familiar surroundings outweighed all flood discomforts with Mrs. Gertrude Hurd, 75-year-old blind resident of the flood-struck North Park area here, who insisted on returning to her home as soon as waters went down sufficiently, despite urging from friends and Red Cross workers. Here she sits in her favorite chair from which she says she can find her way to anything in the house. Helping her is Esell Johnson, one of the 56 trained Red Cross national disaster workers who have been dispatched to the Southwest storm area to assist chapter volunteers in helping disaster stricken families restore homes, furnishings and other living necessities. Red Cross relief operations have been constant throughout the month of April in Texas, with workers now spread through eight tornado swept counties and 18 other counties affected by floods.



WINDING UP PLANS for the Humble Oil & Refining company to support the Texas 4-H Tractor program for 1957 are (from left) W. I. Glass, state agriculture agent, Texas A & M College; J. W. Austin, manager, Humble wholesale sales; Kenneth H. Anderson, associate director, National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work, Chicago. Humble will provide awards for 4-H members and will cooperate with the Extension Service in tractor events.

Humble Aids 4-H Tractor Project

The Texas 4-H Tractor program has a new sponsor of awards for 1957, according to an announcement made by Texas A & M College. The Humble Oil & Refining Company of Houston will furnish awards, educational materials, and technical assistance for conducting the tractor project in cooperation with the Extension Service.

The top national award for 4-Hers this year will be a \$400 college scholarship, an increase of \$100 over last year. The state winner will receive an all-expense trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago next December, while county champions will get a handsome gold-filled medal of honor.

In addition to furthering the objectives of the program which are based on safe and efficient tractor operation emphasizing care—not repair, Humble will cooperate with the Extension Service in special events such as district and state 4-H operators' contests. A gold watch will be given to the top three winners, and \$20 in cash to each of the 12 district winners.

Highly important to the success of the program are the tractor clinics in which Humble will

participate. It is here that more than 300 volunteer local 4-H Club leaders are trained annually. Now in its 13th year, the tractor project has benefited nearly half a million 4-H Club members in the 48 states. In Texas, 6,000 members enrolled in 1956.

The value of mechanical and practical know-how acquired by both members and leaders throughout the country is demonstrated in upgraded farm production and saving of time and money in tractor care and operation. The 4-Hers themselves develop excellent citizenship and leadership qualities as well.

Humble's support of 4-H is not new. Providing calves for winners in the annual calf scramble during the Houston Fat Stock show has been a practice of the company for some time. They also purchase animals exhibited by the farm youth at fairs and shows. Interest in the education and welfare of rural youth and their families has long been a prime concern of the oil company. The 4-H Tractor program in New Mexico is also being supported by Humble.

Arrangements for providing awards and assistance in the program were worked out through the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work, Chicago. Detailed information can be obtained from the State or county extension office.

CAP ROCK
SOIL CONSERVATION
DISTRICT NEWS

JAMES H. PRIDDY

The freshness of the rain, depression caused by the hail, spring fever, and an itch to plow may best describe our feelings as the sap struggles to rise in both man and plants.

Along with all of the above grows a renewed interest and promise in something to build the soil. Because of the time of year, we will naturally confine our discussion to those soil builders or legumes which can do a better job of taking the summer heat and dry weather.

Some of the warm season legumes that we can use are cow peas, mung Beans, Guar and Sesbania. Soybeans under irrigation. We will confine our discussion to cowpeas at this time.

Some of the common varieties of cowpeas planted for soil building are: New Era, Brabham, Whipperwill, Chinese Reds, Ivon Clay,

These varieties are usually considered better because they produce more top growth. The more top growth you have the more benefit received. Cow peas also have a rather deep root system which helps to withstand more drought and puncture our plow pans and dense sub-soils.

Cow peas are good for livestock, but are poor cover for soil protection during fall, winter and early spring.

In view of their lack of cover they are sometimes planted in the drill row with grain sorghum, or planted in combination of two rows of peas and two rows of Sudan or sorghum, or 4 rows strips of each. This takes care of the blow problem where it can not effectively be controlled by emergency tillage.

The Brabham variety is probably the latest maturing variety in the group.

The following are guides for planting rates.

Rows (alone) 10-12 pounds, dry-

land or irrigated.

Rows (inter planted with sorghum) irrigated 5-8 pounds per acre; dryland 3-6 pounds per acre.

The acreage reserve land furnishes one of our best opportunities to grow a soil building crop.

Some cooperators using cow peas for soil improvement include: W. E. Autry, Fred Mercer, Ben Whitfill, A. B. Rowell, Alvie C. Jasper of Silvertown. Those from Quitaque include J. K. Patrick, Clarence Barrett and Orlin Stark.

Joe Mercer had a good irrigated planting of New Era peas last year.

It Takes Grass—To Keep Water—To Make Grass.

In checking the effect of grass cover on the depth of moisture even with these slow rains we found the following: Good cover, 24 inches; Fair cover, 18 inches; No cover, 12 inches.

Birth of a New Crop

For the first time in the Cap Rock District we are having native grasses planted for a cash crop. The seed will be harvested for sale.

Carmon Rhode, Melvin Thacker, and Dow Grantham report that their Indian grass and Side oats gramma are sprouted and about up. I will keep you informed on the progress of these grasses.

Soil Temperature at 6:30 May 10, five inches deep, 57 degrees fahrenheit.

Pfc. and Mrs. Carol Welch are the parents of a baby girl, Donna Jean, born in the Lockney hospital Monday, May 13 at 9:45 p. m.; weight 7 pounds. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Burson and Mrs. Mabel Welch are the grandparents. Mrs. J. C. Jacobs, of Plainview, Mrs. J. H. Burson and Mrs. John Vaughan are great grandmothers. Mrs. John Griffith, of Lockney, is the great, great grandmother. Pfc. Welch is stationed at Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins and daughters, of Amarillo, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn.

Moton Vaughan, of Weatherford, brother to Ed Vaughan, and a former Silvertown resident, is seriously ill. He has been in bad health for a long time.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER FOR
MRS. GEORGE WHITEHEAD

Mrs. George Whitehead, nee Faye Bradley, a recent bride, was honor guest at a miscellaneous shower from 1 to 2:30 Saturday afternoon, May 11, in the home of Mrs. Troy Cox.

Those assisting in the hospitalities were Mesdames Roy Vaughan, of Tulsa; Riley Zeigler, Berton Hughes, Truman Stephens and Richard M. Williams; Miss Latresa Cox presided at the bride's bo.

Refreshments of punch and individual wedding bell cakes were served from a table covered with a white cut-work cloth; crystal and silver appointments were used. Pink and white, the bride's chosen colors were carried out in a bouquet of garden flowers which adorned the bride's table.

Friends here have learned of the recent death of Mr. W. L. Martin, in Phoenix, Arizona. Mrs. Martin will be remembered here as the former Frona Penn who grew up here.

Mrs. C. G. Willis and son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Denny Willis, of Amarillo, spent Sunday were with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Franklin, Jerry Dee and Beth, of O'Donnell, spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson.

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State and Local Capital Outlays Set New Record

NEW YORK—With expansion of highway and school systems setting the pace, State and local governments combined have spent a total of almost \$80 billions in the 1947-55 period as capital outlays on public works, according to data made public jointly by the U.S. Departments of Labor and Commerce.

These capital expenditures for the last nine years added up to about as much as the total State and municipal spending on all public works for the four and one-half decades from the turn of the century through World War II. Higher prices, of course, represent an important influence in magnitude of the spending figures today as compared with the past. Two other major factors are the spectacular growth of population, notably in the suburb's, over recent years, and the abnormally low level of public works spending during the Second World War.

The level attained by State and local capital expenditures has been a significant influence on the economy and its expansion. This is particularly true with respect to construction, which has been taking about 85 cents of every dollar of state and local capital expenditures in recent years.

The impact on the capital market also has been substantial. In the early post-World War II period, State and local governments combined borrowed less than half their annual capital expenditures in each of those years. The borrowing proportion was up to a new high of about 60 per cent in 1955, and came to an estimated \$6½ billions of new funds exclusive of a substantial amount of additional borrowing by State and local governments for other than capital outlays.

More Workers Than Labor Figures Show

NEW YORK—The total working population of the United States, counting everyone who does some remunerative work during the course of the year, is millions greater than the regular employment of labor force figures show.

Data compiled by the U.S. Bureau of the Census show that at least 75½ million different persons worked at some time all or part of last year. This record total is more than 12 million greater than the monthly average of 63.2 million persons who were reported as employed in 1955. It tops the whole civilian labor force, which averaged 65.8 million persons for 1955, by close to 10 million.

The figures on the total number of workers in the United States are obtained by the Census Bureau from special surveys covering the work experience of the population 14 years old and over during the course of a year. The figures exclude persons who had worked during the year but who had entered the Armed Forces, emigrated from the country, or died before the date of the survey.

Roentgen Tube Placed In National Museum

WASHINGTON—One of the first X-ray tubes employed by Wilhelm Konrad Roentgen (1845-1923) has been placed on permanent exhibition at the U.S. National Museum, Smithsonian Institution. The tube was purchased from a private owner in Germany and presented to the Institution by the General Electric's X-ray Department of Milwaukee.

It was Roentgen, professor of physics at the University of Wurzburg, Germany, who on November 8, 1895, discovered a new radiation that could penetrate wood and other dense objects. These rays were called "X-rays" by Roentgen on account of their unknown nature, but they are now also known as Roentgen rays after their discoverer.

Cats Are Animals Most Subject to Anemia

CHICAGO—Of all the domestic animals, the cat probably suffers most often and most severely from anemia.

Cats have an ability to hoard their forces under conditions of limited oxygen uptake, and veterinarians report that often a severe anemia may develop in a cat before there are definite symptoms to attract the owners attention.

Infection seems to be a frequent cause of severe cat anemia—more so than in other animals. Indications are, veterinarians say, that dietary factors have only a minor role in the problem.

Exciting Time

MARION, Ark.—Fast action was seen here when an armed bandit took \$5,000 from the Citizens Bank and fled in an automobile. The bandit encountered two police cars, had a tire on his auto shot out, crashed in a ditch, and was captured—all in 20 minutes.

Millions of Life Policyholders Use Income Plans

NEW YORK—Millions of American families now have at least a portion of their life insurance set up to provide income payments rather than lump sum payments when benefit payments begin, says a recent report.

The income uses of life insurance have become so important a part of family financial planning in this country that the amount of policy benefits used to establish income plans this year will be 40 times the total so used in 1920, whereas aggregate benefit payments have increased 7-fold in these years.

During 1956, some \$800,000,000 of policy benefits will be set aside by policyholders or beneficiaries to provide future income, rather than taking lump sum settlement. During the past ten years, the aggregate of policy benefits used for income plans has added up to nearly \$7,000,000,000.

The income payments to American families from these accumulated funds are increasing steadily and now run about 90 percent of the amount of benefits set aside each year for the purpose. In 1920, the actual income payments under such plans totaled only about \$10,000,000; by the end of World War II they had grown to slightly under \$300,000,000; last year, they totaled \$720,000,000 and they are still growing.

While the flow of income payments varies widely from company to company, some companies report that as much as 60 percent to 70 percent of all their death and endowment benefits are paid under income settlement plans.

Polio Victim Stays Busy at Writing

MILWAUKEE—Arthur L. Koch, 29, a disabled polio patient has been without use of his arms and legs for almost four years, but it hasn't stopped him from entering some 75 writing contests and winning four prizes.

Koch sleeps in a portable chest respirator, but doesn't need it during the day when he does his writing. For typing, he uses an aluminum tube about 15 inches long with a mouthpiece at one end and a rubber thumb at the other. He can type from 15 to 20 words a minute.

When he wants to write, he has a nurse slip the filler from a ball-point pen into a perpendicular tube just above the thumb.

Koch finished his high school education in the Navy, is married and the father of two young daughters.

Some of the prizes he has earned for his writing ability, include a dresser set, won in a jingle contest aimed at getting people to do their shopping in drug stores, and tickets to a Braves' baseball game for writing 25 words on his favorite Brave—Gene Conley.

Sun May Become Main World Energy Source

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.—Eventually the world will have to depend on the sun as its main source of energy, believes Dr. Elbert F. Osborn, dean of the college of Mineral Industries at Penn State.

Dr. Osborn predicts that the world's supply of fossil fuels (coal, oil and gas) now being consumed at an alarmingly rapid rate, will be exhausted within several hundred years.

Even atomic energy, which will replace coal and oil as a source of power, is not inexhaustible since all supplies of uranium and thorium needed to produce atomic power may eventually be used.

This, Dr. Osborn says, may leave the harnessing of solar energy as the ultimate solution to the problem.

Pennsylvania, with its great supply of coal and as the site of the first oil well has played an important part in producing coal, oil, and gas.

Auto Seat Covers Subdued for 1957

CHICAGO—The trend is toward more subdued designs and colors in automobile seat covers and interiors.

And Howard F. Leopold, president of a seat-cover firm says it's the peoples choice. "People want it that way," he says. "It's something like a change in women's fashions."

Forecasts for 1957 passenger cars indicate that interior styling colors will be more subdued, he said.

Green Haul

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif.—Two thieves with a green thumb made off with a 50-foot hedge, 3 feet high.

Police said that a man and a woman went to the home of Lupe Padilla, dug up the bushes and loaded them into a truck. In answer to a neighbor's question, they said simply, "We have permission."

Not so, says Padilla, who asked police to look for the missing hedge.

Scientist Would Make Mink Possible For Every Woman

NEWARK, N.J.—If a Rutgers scientist has his way, the women of America may find themselves up to their ears in mink!

Dr. John M. Cross, professor of pharmaceutical chemistry, recently made the first analysis of ranch mink fat and found it has several characteristics of interest to cosmetics.

There's the catch, ladies. The Cross "coat of mink" is the kind you rub on—a "Mink No. 5" of sorts. It won't keep you warm, but you'll sure smell expensive in it.

Dr. Cross' study came about in this way:

One of New Jersey's mink ranchers complained that in skinning the animals his hands became so soft and "lady-like" from contact with the mink fat that they were always sore when he had heavy work to do.

The rancher's wife saw nothing wrong with "lady-like" hands—on ladies, that is—and suggested that the local pharmacist might advise them on the fat's commercial value. Sensing a basic research job, the pharmacist referred the mink man to Dr. Cross.

The Rutgers professor was immediately interested in analyzing the grey-white mink suet which is so easily renderable that body heat melts it to a clear yellow oil while it is being held in the hand.

He conducted a standard battery of 12 characterization tests on the mink oil and his results aroused the curiosity of both scientists and practical cosmetic manufacturers.

Two items were of special interest, the fact that the oil has some hormone-like material which may be valuable, and its great ease of penetrating the skin.

Old-Time Ferry Passes From Scene

WASHINGTON—Shawneetown Illinois, recently said farewell to its 146-year old ferry that helped to open and people the West.

A new bridge now spans the Ohio where the ferry long offered the only crossing. Here, where the wide river sweeps downstream below the joining of the Wabash, the path to the frontier came a century and a half ago.

Shawneetown itself is no longer directly on the river. A century of floods finally compelled the town to move in 1937 to a safer site some four miles inland.

But even during disasters that rolled water across the 60-foot levee, the ferryboats continued to run, panting across half-submerged farms, dodging floating houses, barns, and uprooted trees.

Facing Kentucky across the river, Shawneetown was settled about 1800 by pioneers from Virginia who paddled down the Ohio to trade with the Shawnee Indians.

Atomic Reactor Plant Demonstrates Power

WASHINGTON—The successful conclusion of an unprecedented power demonstration by an atomic ship propulsion reactor was recently announced by the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission.

The nation's first practical reactor power plant—land-based prototype of the Nautilus at the Commission's National Reactor Testing Station in Idaho—was routinely shut down at the end of what is believed to have been the longest full power run ever completed by any type of propulsion plant—land, sea or air.

On a single charge of uranium fuel (and using only part of that charge) the nuclear reactor operated at an average power of 100 per cent for more than 66 days and 66 nights. The test was designed to prove the reliability and stamina of pressurized water reactors for ship propulsion. The prototype of the reactor now in the Nautilus met the most demanding requirements which could be placed upon it.

Leaves of Earliest Palm Are Discovered

WASHINGTON—There were flowering plants on earth at least 160,000,000 years ago.

Finding of fossil leaves of an apparently quite primitive palm the earliest yet known, has been announced by Dr. Roland W. Brown, paleontologist of the Geological Survey.

The fossil imprints of palmlike leaves were found in a geological formation in southwestern Colorado dating from the so-called Triassic period of geological time.

Spuds, After All

PITTSBURGH—Prisoner in the Allegheny County jail are getting potatoes in their Irish stew after all.

County officials, alarmed at the high cost of potatoes recently considered making Irish stew with rice. But, after considering what Irish stew would taste like without Irish potatoes, they decided to pay the price after all.

Difficult Reading May Cause Tension Among School-Age

NEW YORK—Recent tests have convinced a group of scientists that nervous tension caused by difficult reading assignments can have a decided effect upon vision among school-age children.

Certain grade school pupils were given four reading tasks—one a year below their grade level, one at their grade level, one a year ahead, and one two years ahead. The reading material was placed on a music stand in front of each child, and a special movie camera took a picture of the child every second. When the films were developed, they provided a record of the nervous movements made at each task level.

It was found that definite signs of tension, such as shuffling the feet and running the fingers through the hair, increased in direct proportion to the difficulty of the task. Furthermore, some of the youngsters moved closer and closer to the page as the reading grew harder. The ones who made this "near-sighted" motion also showed the most restlessness at all task levels.

These youngsters were assumed to be the serious students who put themselves most strenuously into their work. They were given further tests, with head rests which made it impossible for them to get closer to the page. An eyesight specialist peered into their eyes through a retinoscope then, as they read, and noted that their lenses, were making the adjustment to the reading distance which the lens of nearsighted eyes ordinarily make.

Since the seeing habits formed in early years are likely to carry on through adult life, specialists recommend that careful attention be given to the reading habits of school-age children.

Tourists Often Have 'Complex'

NEW YORK—When driving out of their home state, a great many American motorists suffer from a "persecution complex," William J. Toth, safety specialist with the nationwide "Slow Down and Live" campaign, believes.

Specifically, Toth says that many motorists feel that enforcement officers would rather ticket an out-of-state driver than one of the local taxpayers.

"But the truth of the matter," he declares, "is that in all too many areas, police are entirely too easy on out-of-state motorists who are caught violating a traffic law. There are a lot of reasons why this is so. There may be a difference in the laws of the motorist's home and the state in which the violation was committed which may tend to make the officer over-lenient. Or simply processing an out-of-stater may be so involved that the officer would rather not get mixed up in it. Or again, the officer may have some 'booster' blood in him and not wish to discourage out-of-state visitors."

Tornado Toll Declined In Recent Decades

NEW YORK—Over the years loss of life as a result of tornadoes has varied considerably depending, of course, on the intensity of the storms. But there has been a general tendency for the toll to decrease from one decade to another in the last 40 years.

United States Weather Bureau records (see table) show that the toll for the last decade is about 40 per cent less than that for 1916-1925. The last decade shows the smallest number of deaths—1,754—despite the heavy toll of 516 lives resulting from the tornadoes of 1953—one of the largest for any year on record.

According to the Weather Bureau, at least 3,000 tornadoes have struck the United States in the last 10 years, but fortunately in only a few instances was the number of deaths appreciable.

Whale's Tooth Symbol Of Rank in Hawaii

HONOLULU—In Hawaii's early days the floral necklaces, leis, which are symbols of love and friendship, were usually made of the orange, lilima flower, the feathery red ohia, maile leaves or ferns. But they were made also of carved shells, yellow fruits of the pandanus tree, bears carved from walrus tusks, and bright feathers. The most treasured ornament, worn only by persons of high rank, was a whale's tooth. Carved in the form of a hook, it was hung on many fine strings of braided human hair.

Swimming Pool

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MISS VICKI MAY HONORED WITH MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER ON SATURDAY

Miss Vicki May, bride elect of Donald Fleming, was complimented at a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Clyde Lightsey Saturday, May 11, from 3 to 5 p. m. Misses Carol Elkins, Vaughnelle Rowell, Patsy Autry, Shirley Fitzgerald and Mrs. Walter Arnold assisted in the hospitalities.

The serving table was laid with a white lace cloth centered with white iris in a crystal bowl from which blue and white streamers were draped to the table's edge. The bride's chosen colors of blue and white were also carried out in the napkins, the white cake squares and mints; nuts and punch were also served. Other table appointments were crystal and silver.

Mrs. T. C. Bomar, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dean Bomar and children and Mr. and Mrs. Don Burson and sons were guests at a family barbecue in the home of Mrs. D. O. Bomar, in Lubbock, last Friday evening. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holder and children and Mr. and Mrs. Kim Kimberling, of Lubbock. The entire group attended a rodeo later in the evening.

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MRS. H. S. CROW,
Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Crow and children.

Mesdames C. F. Nolen, of Fort Worth; Ethel Hulsey, of Killean; B. D. Fanning, of Plainview; and Miss Ida Griggs, of Fort Worth, are visiting their sister, Mrs. H. S. Crow, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Crow and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rowell, of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Starks, of Lubbock; and Mr. and Mrs. Red Deischer were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alva C. Jasper and children Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Day, of Matador, were Sunday guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ware Fogerson, Stanley and Diane, and Mrs. Florence Fogerson.

Mrs. Wiley Bomar, Sr. is spending this week in Lubbock, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bomar and Roy Beth and Mr. and Mrs. Noble Lyde and daughters.

Miss Evelyn Crowell, of Colorado Springs, Colorado, has been a recent week end guest of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean McWilliams, students at Texas Tech, Lubbock, spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Steele and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McWilliams.

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Friends have learned of the recent death of Mr. Virgil Briscoe, of Kerrville, from a heart attack. Mr. and Mrs. Briscoe lived here many years; she will be remembered as the former Myrtle Amason.

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Mrs. C. G. Willis and Messrs. and Mesdames Dean McWilliams and Harley Redin and Denny Willis visited Mrs. W. E. Redin at the local hospital Sunday.

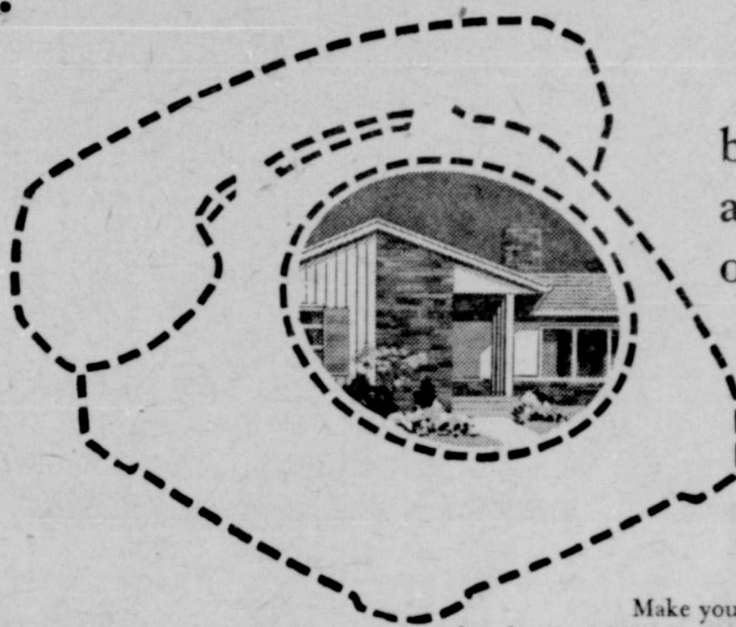
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Green, of Turkey, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smithee and children, of Memphis, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will C. Smithee Sunday afternoon.

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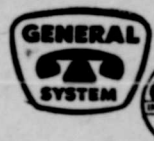
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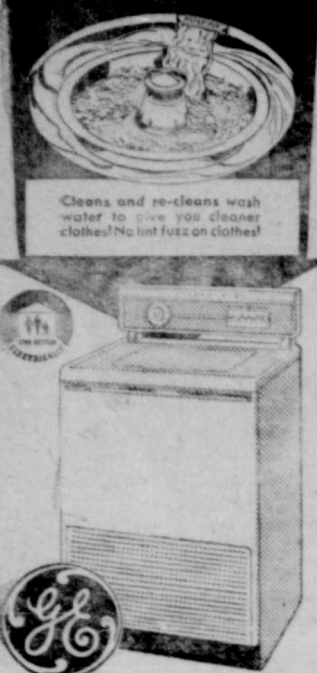
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Out of Town Relatives Come to Silverton for Crow Services

Out of town relatives here for the H. S. Crow funeral were Mesdames H. D. Crow and W. H. Wade, Messrs. and Mesdames E. R. Griggs and Jack Crow, and Messrs. W. M. Crow, Max and Marion Wade, Alvarado;

Messrs. and Mesdames Willie Crane and Otis Moore, Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones, Lubbock; Messrs. and Mesdames C. F. Nolen and L. W. Nolen and Mr. H. C. Crow, Jr., of Fort Worth; Mrs. H. F. Hutchins, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Ethel Hulsey, Killeen; Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Fanning and Mr. Ernest Fanning, Plainview;

Mrs. Tommy Land and Tommy, Jr., Dumas; Mr. Lewis Fanning, Stinnett; Mr. Herman Crow, Tyler; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hutchins and Mesdames Bill Eschler and Guy Odum, Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Crow, Temple, Oklahoma; Mr. Will Rhyney, Lamar, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Lambert, of Fort Worth, were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Brown. The entire party were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy S. Brown and Sam. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buchanan, of Hale Center, and Mr. and Mrs. Dock Brown, of Tulia, came in the afternoon. The Buchanans and Dock Browns planned to visit their parents, the Browns, but were unable to reach that country home because of muddy roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Other Vardell and family, of Dimmitt visited his parents, the J. J. Vardells, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Vardell and family, of Slaton, spent Friday and Saturday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vardell, and other relatives.

Mrs. R. E. Stephens and her sister, Mrs. Amanda Lowry, of Mangum, Oklahoma, were in Oklahoma City on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Lowry had the bandages removed from her eyes following recent eye surgery. It is thought that she is recuperating satisfactorily. She is staying here with Mr. and Mrs. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cagle and Rhonda, of Sunray, spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McWilliams. They returned home Mrs. H. E. Curtis, who has been in Sunray for some time; she has been quite ill and is not improving as she would like. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Howard, of Quitaque visited her and the McWilliams family Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Curtis is the mother of Mesdames Cagle, McWilliams and Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Payne, of Nara Vista, New Mexico, are the parents of a baby girl, Brenda Lyn, weight 6 pounds, born in the Lockney hospital at 4:00 p. m., Monday, May 13. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Teeple, Silverton, and Mrs. Payne, of Matador, are grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Teeple, of Floydada, are the great grandparents.

Mrs. Wiley Bomar, Jr. was in Austin from Tuesday until Friday last week where she took the State Examination for beauty operator. Seven recent graduates of the San Jacinto School of Beauty, in Amarillo, went down for the examinations.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood were in Amarillo on Tuesday of last week when her sister, Mrs. J. C. McCloud, of Tulia, entered the Northwest Texas Hospital in anticipation of major surgery on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Watson and Joe Dillard, of Amherst, visited Rev. and Mrs. James P. Patterson and Wendall Saturday afternoon.

CENTURY OF PROGRESS STUDY CLUB MET MAY 8

The Century of Progress Study Club met Wednesday, May 8, 1957, in the club room of the courthouse. Mrs. John Earl Simpson was hostess for the day.

The program was entitled "Pathway to Peace." Mrs. O. C. Rampley gave a report on "Our National Reserve Plan" and "A New Way of Life" was discussed by Mrs. Jean Grundy. It was a very informative and enjoyable program.

Mrs. Jack Strange acted as president of the club for the day in the absence of Mrs. James Davis.

Refreshments of cookies and Cokes were served to the following members present: Mesdames Robert Ledbetter, Jack Strange, John Earl Simpson, O. C. Rampley, Jean Grundy, Grady Martin, Wayne McMurry, Pat Northcutt, G. D. Bomar, Norman Strange and John Gill.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Byrd, of Pomona, California, visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCracken, on Friday and Saturday of last week. The Byrds are former Silverton residents. They visited several old time friends, including Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lightsey.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morris and Gretchen were in Amarillo on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Welch and children spent the week end here with his mother, Mrs. Mabel Welch, and other relatives.

A family dinner was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brunner in Lockney on Sunday when all their daughters and families were present for Mother's Day dinner. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Marvin Montague and family, Silverton; Dean Burger and family, of Pampa; Dwight Stubblefield and family and Joe Sadoris and family, of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Thornton and Rhonda have recently moved to Odessa where he is employed.

Mrs. J. N. Cantwell has been a patient in the Lockney hospital since Wednesday of last week. Her condition was thought to be slightly improved early this week but she was still seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Long, of Alameda, are the parents of a baby son, Kit Michael, born on May 9. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bomar are the grandparents. Mrs. Ola Long, of Clarendon, is the great grandmother.

PLAINS CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY TO PAY OFF STOCKHOLDERS SOON

Stockholders of the Plains Co-Operative, Inc. of Plainview, Texas, will shortly receive a final settlement on their stock according to an announcement by Frank Weil, president of the former dairy co-operative.

Stockholders are asked to complete the form shown below and mail it to the creamery in Plainview. Weil emphasized that many stockholders had moved away from their former addresses and that it would be necessary for all stockholders to fill out the attached form and furnish their current address to the creamery so that checks paying off their stock could be mailed to them.

Creamery officials announced that the stock currently being paid off should be included in income tax returns for 1957.

The creamery stock is being paid off at a rate of \$3.50 per \$10.00 share of common stock. It was emphasized that all paid in stock had previously been paid off in full.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McGavock, Johnny and Champ visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Teal in Tulia last Thursday evening. They spent the night with his mother, Mrs. D. N. McGavock, in Tulia.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Arnold attended the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society's thirty-sixth annual meeting in Canyon on Friday, May 10. The annual dinner was held in the WTSC cafeteria at 7:00 p.m.

Mesdames L. G. Arnold and J. E. Minyard and Marilyn were in Plainview on Wednesday of last week.

Don Lockhart, who has been working in Silverton for the past several weeks spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Logkhart, near Wellington. Rev. and Mrs. James P. Patterson planned to go to Lubbock on Wednesday of this week so that she might have a check up.

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