Section One

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The Lynn County News

Oldest Business Institution In Lynn County

"I wholly disapprove of what you say but will defend to the death your right to say it." —Voultaire.

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Red Cross Quota Reached First Week Of Drive

Lynn county has reached its quota in the annual American Red Cross membership drive, although seven communities have not yet reported, Bill Griffin, drive chairman of the Lynn County Chapter reports.

The quota was set at $2262.00, and about $2300 had been reported up until Wednesday noon.

No reports had been received from New Home, Grassland, Newmoore, Joe Stokes, Petty, Gordon, and Midway. Wilson unofficially reported about $100.00 had been raised.

Lakeview was the first community to complete its drive. That community contributed $156.90, more than double it quota of $75.00, completing its drive the first day of the campaign.

O'Donnell, with a quota of $250, was the second to report, and raised nearly three times its quota, a total of $863.75.

Tahoka was given a quota of $500.00, and had raised $788.98 Wednesday.

Other Lynn county communities reporting raised the following amounts: Dixie, $114.25 (quota $75); New Lynn, $64 (quota $75); Wells, $100.50 (quota $100); Redwine, $48.50, and Draw, $144.50 (Draw-Redwine quota $200); West Point, $88 (quota $75); Wayside, $17.

H. W. Edwards Is Taken By Death

H. W. (Buck) Edwards, 59, of Grassland, who died in a San Benito hospital Thursday morning of last week, was buried Sunday afternoon in Terrace Cemetery at Post.

Funeral services were conducted at the Post Methodist Church Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock with Dr. C. A. Bickley, pastor of the Lubbock Asbury Methodist Church officiating. Burial was under direction of Mason Funeral Home.

Hiram W. Edwards was born in Johnson county, Texas, August 30, 1890. In 1915, he came to Garza county, and resided near Post for one year. In 1916, he moved to Grassland, where he was living at the time of his death.

He was united in marriage to Miss Bertha Lee Pirtle on October 24, 1912. To this union were born six children. One son, Jack, gave his life in the service of his country during World War II.

For many years he has been an active member of the Methodist Church in Grassland. He was a progressive farmer, a friend to his fellowman, and an influence for good in his community and surrounding communities.

On March 2, after a brief illness, his life was transplanted. At the time he was vacationing at San Benito with his wife and friends. He was 59 years, six months, and two days of age.

Surviving him are: his wife; one son, Hiram W. Jr., Grassland; and four daugthers, Mrs. Roy LeMond of Grassland, Mrs. Lura Hoover of Littlefield, Mrs. Louise Sewell of Jena, La., and Mrs. Mary Ruth Wright of Lubbock; four brothers, S. L. and W. J. Edwards of Dallas, S. H. Edwards of Pixley, California, and M. M. Edwards of Fort Worth; two sisters, Mrs. N. W. Stone and Mrs. Ernest Herring of Post; ten grandchildren, other relatives, and a host of friends.

Congratulations:

Coach and Mrs. Jim Foust on the birth of a son weighing 7 pounds and 4½ ounces at 1:44 p. m. Saturday in Lubbock Memorial Hospital. They have named the young fellow Eddie Mac.

Mr .and Mrs. Bruce Reid on the birth of a girl weighing 9 pounds and 13 ounces at 11:45 p. m. Saturday in Tahoka Hospital. She has been given the name of Jan. Mr. Reid is in the furniture business here.

Billy Diane Smith, three, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Smith, is recovering from a seige of pneumonia.



FFA PICK-UP TRUCK — Winston C. Wharton, owner of Wharton Motor Company, Tahoka, is shown above handing the keys of a new GMC pick-up truck to V. P. Carter, Tahoka High School teacher of Vocational griculture. FFA boys in the picture are: John Shepherd, in the truck cab, and Bland Draper and Dale Wilhoit, kneeling.

The new pick-up was made available by Mr. Wharton at actual cost to the Tahoka School Vocational Agriculture Department. The FFA boys and the teacher financed the remainder.

Utility Companies Are Expanding City Lines

Rebuilding Job Is Started On Light, Telephone Lines

(Fifth of a series of arti-cles on current civic development projects in Tahoka.)

During the past four weeks, The News has discussed in considerable detail the paving, water and sewer, street lighting, and other improvements underway in this town by the City of Tahoka.

Company-owned utilities serving Tahoka are also making extensive improvements to their plants here. Southwestern Public Service Company, Southwestern Associated Telephone Company, and West Texas Gas Company are included in this category. Also, the Lyntegar Rural Electric Cooperative is constantly extending its services to customers in ten counties of this area, and now has started plans which may culminate in a rural telephone co-operative.

Southwestern Public Service and Southwestern Associated Telephone Co. are completely rebuilding their lines in Tahoka, much of

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Two Men File For City Council

The names of three men were filed last week end for two places on the Tahoka City Council, but one of them, Coy Fielder withdrew his name from the balot this week. The other two are Joe Bob Billman and Hoyt G. Hodges, Two members of the Council will retire this spring. Clay Bennett and Ivan Cathcart did not choose to stand for re-election.

Two candidates Miss Rosemary Nelms and Mrs. John Jackson, had previously filed for the office of City Secretary.

The City election will be held on Tuesday, April 4.

Mr. Billman is a florist, and Mr. Hodges is a ginner.

Hold-over members of the council are Dr. K. R. Durham, mayor; Bill Strange Jr., J. A. Biggerstaff, and B. L. Parker, councilmen.

More Paving Is Planned Soon

The Texas State Highway department has announced that contracts will be let in Austin March 14 and 15 for the improvement of U. S. Highway 84 from Tahoka to Post.

The job will be let in two contracts, one from Tahoka to the Garza county line and one from the Garza-Lynn line to Post, for re-topping of the pavement.

Another Lynn county paving project which is scheduled for completion this spring is the long-sought paved road from Tahoka to Wilson to Slaton. The grading, drainage, and base laying has been completed on this road.

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Townes Elected Rotary Head

New officers for the Tahoka Rotary Club for the year beginning on July 1 were elected at the Thursday noon meeting of the club.

Charles Townes was named the new president of the club to succeed Dr. Emil Prohl, and Bruce Reid was elected secretary to succeed Tom Gill. Under new Rotary rules, the outgoing president automatically becomes vice president.

Three new directors were named, Townes, Clint Walker, and Winston Wharton. Holdover directors are Maurice Bray, Emil Prohl and Dale Thruen.

Prior to the election of officers, Bill Griffin spoke briefly on the Junior Fat Stock Show being held here this week end. He said this show promises to be the biggest and best ever held here, and is the only county show in this section featuring fat stock only.

Truett Smith brought an interesting program to the Tahoka Rotary Club Thursday of last week.

He discussed the steps necessary in the trial of a civil case in the courts of Texas. He pointed out the progress that has been made in the disposal of civil cases by the courts. A civil case, he said, now may go all the way to the Supreme Court and be disposed of in a year's time, whereas such a case required about four year up until a few years ago.

The most interesting part of the program came, however, when he posed some hypothetical cases and asked various Rotarians their opinons of the questions of law.

Masons Holding Special Meeting

Tahoka Royal Arch Masons will have a special meeting in Tahoka tonight, with guests present from a number of surrounding towns, a dinner, and work in the Council according to Happy Smith. About 100 men are expected to attend the meeting.

The dinner will be served at the Legion Hall at 7:00 p. m., following which the group will retire to the Masonic Hall for their Council work.

Visitors will include Jesse Cox of Melvin, L. W. Dalby and companions from Post, and other guests from Brownfield, Lamesa, Lubbock, and Slaton.

Douglas Finley is the Thrice Illustrious Master of the loca lodge, and other officers include, Lloyd Conwill, V. F. Jones, and H. W. Carter.

Mrs. Rayford Smith underwent an appendectomy at Tahoka Hospital Thursday of last week. She has been dismissed and is recovering satisfactorily.

Tahoka C. of C. Banquet Set For Next Thursday

Tahoka's annual Chamber of Commerce banquet will be held next Thursday night, March 16, at 7:30 p. m. in the American Legion hall. All members and their wives are expected to attend.

Boyce House, humorist, author, and public relations man for the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show of Fort Worth, will be the featured speaker. Other entertainment will include numbers by a "Barbershop Quartet" from Lubbock. School Supt. Vernon Brewer will act as master of ceremonies.

There will aslo be—but brief—reports on the year's activities by President Hubert Tankersley and Secretary Clint Walker, the election of new directors, and the announcing of new officers.

The program promises to be one of the most entertaining possible, for either Boyce House or the "barbershop quartet" is worth going a long way to hear.

A native of Arkansas, House came to West Texas as a newspaper man during the Range oil boom. He is the man who found (?) Old Rip, the Texas horned toad, still living in the Eastland County courthouse cornerstone after having been imprisoned there for twenty years (?).

He has become nationally famous as a spinner of yarns about Texas weather, cowboys, the backwoods, spellbinders, wildcatters, longhorns, "cullud folks," tenderfeet, and other things typically Texas. He has written a number of books, including "Were You In Ranger," "I Give You Texas," "Tall Talk from Texas," and "Texas Proud and Loud." He has also written for the Saturday Evening Post and other national magazines, and he helped write the script for the movie about Texas oil, "Boom Town." He writes a column for about 200 Texas newspapers, and has a weekly radio broadcast.

Members of the Chamber of Commerce who like to laugh will miss a great opportunity if they miss this year's banquet of the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce.

Rodeo Is Planned For Late Spring

Plans are being completed this week for the staging of a rodeo in Tahoka on Friday and Saturday, May 12 and 13, under sponsorship of the Tahoka Jaycees and the Tahoka Roping Club.

Arrangements have been made for stock for the show. The Jaycees have agreed to promote the event, and the Roping Club will handle the arena details.

In conjunction with the show, the Jaycees expect to promote a Frontier Week, during which all the men of the community will wear beards, mustaches, or heavy sideburns, the women must wear Western clothing, and the children Western hats.

A parade on opening day of the rodeo is also planned. There will be three performances of the rodeo, one on Friday night, one Saturday afternoon, and the finals on Saturday night.

Tahoka Boxers In Kress Tournament

Six Tahoka High School boys are entered in the Kress boxing tournament being held there Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Coach Jim Foust has the following boys entered in the meet: Bill Burkhart, Charles Brookshire, Raymond Jenkins, Ronnie Browning, Robbie Dorman, and Jack Reid.

MEMORIAL FUND HAS MORE CONTRIBUTIONS

During the past week additional contributions to the Lynn County Memorial to the dead of World Wars I and II have been received from W. P. Lester, New Home Gin, and Lois Smelser.

This brings the total amount in the fund to $3407.50.

Portugal is due east of New York City.



Boyce House, Fort Worth, humorist, author and newspaper man, who will speak at the annual Tahoka Chamber of Commerce banquet at the Legion hall next Thursday night at 7:30 p. m.

Order Tahoka Band Uniforms

Contract was let this week for new uniforms for the Tahoka High School band, according to Alton Cain, president of the newly organized Band Boosters Club.

Forty-five of the uniforms are to be delivered this spring, and fifteen will be delivered next fall.

The Band Boosters are now in process of raising funds for purchase of the uniforms, and about $1,200 or $1,500 had been raised for the fund up until Thursday. The fund raising committee is composed of H. W. Carter, chairman, A. M. Bray, Truett Smith, Terry Thompson, Mrs. E. A. Thomas, and Hubert Tankersley.

Composing the uniform committee are: Wm. Tregoe, band director, Terry Thompson, Mrs. Abbie Whorton, Mrs. Pat Hutchison, and Mrs. Dick Mitchell.

The uniforms selected will cost approximately $56.00 each, this being the lowest bid for material like or similar to that selected. They will be of 100 percent virgin wool, 15-ounce whipcord, and will be of Royal blue and white, the school colors. The shakos (caps) will be all white, and on the front will be the lettering "Tahoka" and the figure of a Bulldog, the school mascot. "Tahoka" will also be on the shouder patch. Royal blue plumes will be used atop the shakos.

The uniform selected is said to be of top quality and designed for long and hard useage.

Other officers of the Band Booster Club include Wynne Collier, vice president, and Mrs. Happy Smth, secretary-treasurer.

Farm Bureau Adds Members

As a result of the Lynn County Farm Buerau membership drive which ended Thursday of last week, the organization now has a total of 491 paid up members, more than double the membership of a year ago when there were 225.

A total of 125 members were signed up in the drive, 112 of them being new members. The drive had been started a week previously after a "kick-off" dinner held at the Legion Hall.

From the membership, 89 have taken out Blue Cross or Blue Shield insturance with the Farm Bureau.

Wilmer Smith of New Home is president of the Lynn County Farm Bureau, Joe D. Unfred is vice president, and Kay K. Moore is secretary-treasurer.

The membership drive was conducted by the directors and officers, who, in addition to the above, are: Chas. Lichey, H. C. Edwards, C. B. Evans, J. T. Middleton, Carl Sanders, T. D. Lishman, H. D. Dean, and J. W. Pirtle.

E. I. Hill, Mrs. Wm. E. Hill and daughter, Marion Lee, left Tuesday for Central Texas, where they expect to visit a few weeks with relatives.

Mrs. Leslie McNeely underwent a tonsillectomy at Seale Clinic Monday of this wek.

Annual Fat Stock Show Is Saturday

Enumerators For Census Sought

Fourteen enumerators will be needed in taking of the 1950 government census in Lynn county, and those desiring such employment should make aplications now, J. B. Howell, census supervisor for Lynn and Garza counties informs The News.

Mr. Howell will be at the district courtroom of the Lynn County courthouse in Tahoka today, Friday, and next Tuesday, from 9:00 o'clock a. m. until 5:00 o'clock p. m. to interview applicants for these enumerator jobs.

He will be in Post Monday from 9:00 o'clock a. m. to 5:00 o'clock p. m. at the Garza County courthouse to interview applicants for enumerating the census in that county.

Each applicant should bring a pen and pencil as an examination will be given on these days.

Applicants for these jobs must be between the ages of 21 and 65 years of age. Enumerators for Tahoka, O'Donnell and Post need not have automobiles.

Taking of the census will start about April 1.

Tax Penalties Now In Effect

All owners of property in Lynn county should check now to make sure that they have paid their state and county taxes, Tax Assessor and Collector Frank McGlaun Jr. warns.

State and county taxes not paid before June 30, 1950, will be placed on the delinquent tax roll Taxes due last January will draw a penalty of 3 per cent when paid in March, but the penalty will grow with each succeeding month. In April, the penalty will be 4½% percent, in May, 6 per cent; and June, 7½ per cent.

Also, all motor vehicles must be registered and plates displayed by April 1. All vehicles operated unregistered after April 1, will be subject to a 20 percent penalty. When registering vehicles, the Certifite of Title and the 1949 registration receipts should be presented to obtain the 1950 license.

Vehicles must be registered at the County Tax office in Tahoka, the Clayton Insurance Agency in O'Donnell, the New Home Coop gin, or the Farmers Co-op gin in Wilson.

Methodist Men's Meeting Monday

Tahoka Methodist men will meet next Monday at 7:30 p. m. in regular session, the second Monday night in the month being the regular meeting night. This will be a very special meeting in that the newly installed officers will be in charge. The Charter will be presented and the Woman's Society of Christian Service will serve the meal. The food committee, for March, Clint Walker and Jess Gurley will hold over and serve in April.

The program committee composed of Claude Donaldson and Walter Mathis has secured a very special musical number, Rev. J. O. Haymes of Lubbock will make the address and W. L. Holloman of Slaton, Associate Lay Leader of the Lubbock District, will present the Charter.

All men of the community are cordially invited to attend this service.

The pastor, Rev. C. A. Holcomb acompanied by Mrs. Holcomb and son, Mark, left Thursday to attend Willson Lectures at McMurry College, Abilene.

Mrs. B. C. Aycox is a pneumonia patient in Tahoka Hospital.

Club Boys Expect To Exhibit 200 Animals In Show

The Lynn County Livestock Show scheduled Saturday at the Fair exhibit hall in Tahoka is expected to be the largest and best from every standpoint ever held here.

4-H and FFA boys are expected to exhibit approximately 200 animals at the show, which is sponsored by the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce and the Tahoka Rotary Club and directed by Bill Griffin, county agent, "to stimulate and advance the practice of feeding livestock for home and commercial use and to encourage improvement of breeding stock among Lynn county youth—the future citizens of the county."

Prizes totaling $400.00 will be presented winners in 28 classes.

Additional premiums, totaling $1200.00, contributed by the business men of Tahoka and others, will be awarded the exhibitors. This means that each boy showing will receive about $5.00 for each entry in the hog and lamb contests and about $10.00 for each entry in the fat calf contests.

Last year, the boys were awarded a premium of their stock by Tahoka business men following the show at Lubbock. This year, however, the new plan is to award premims on all entries at the local show on Saturday. Each boy will be expected to show his animals at the South Plains Junior Fat Stock Show in Lubbock.

The boys will bring their stock in on Friday afternoon.

Judging in the show will begin at 10 a. m. Saturday. L. M. Hargrave, associate professor of agricultrual education at Texas Tech, will judge the fat beef calf and fat lamb classes. John Baumgardner, assistant professor of animal husbandry at Tech, will judge the swine.

V. L. Botkin is general superintendent of the show, George Claud Wells is superintendent of the baby beef division; Roy Botkin, A. L. Everett, Ward Eakin, and Charley Lichey are superintendents of the the swine division; and Hubert Tankersley is superintendent of the fat lamb division.

A new class has been added to the show this year, that of dry lot calves. Previously, dry lot calves have had to compete with milk fed calves in the show. Each calf class will have two divisions, lightweight and heavyweight. All champions will compete for the grand champion and reserve champion honors.

The boys are expected to show about 30 calves, 20 fat lambs, and 150 hogs.

Sandwiches, cakes, pies, and cold drinks will be on sale on the grounds by the Lynn County Home Demonstration Clubs.

A public address system will be furnished the show by the Southwestern Public Service company.

Jaycee Jamboree Is Next Month

An annual Jaycee Jamboree will be presented on the night of April 6 in the school gymnasium featuring local talent, according to Seth Lewis, president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The show will be filled with comedy, music, and other entertainment. The show will be the "take-off" of many popular radio programs such as Art Linkletter, Dr. I. Q., Bing Crosby, and many others. The audience will participate in a part of the show, with prizes going to winners.

Full details of the show will be announced later.

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Lynn County Boys Win At Lamesa

Several Lynn county boys, all but one members of the O'Donnell 4-H Club, won places in the Dawson County Junior Livestock Show at Lamesa last week end.

Jerry Cain, because his lamb was from the Dawson county flock, was invited to show, and his fat lamb won seventh place in a large field of entries.

Bobby James of O'Donnell, won reserve champion on his Dur barrow. Marshall Barton took third in the heavy fat barrow class, and Slaton Harris took second.

Billy James won third place with his dairy heifer. Joe Everette placed third with his scramble calf and third with his heavy dry lot calf. Ralph Mires was fifth in the heavy milk fed calf class.

MERCHANTS SALES PADS at The News office.

All State and County Taxes

must be paid before

June 30, 1950

or they will be placed on the—

Delinquent Tax Roll.

Taxes paid this month (March) will have a penalty of 3%, in April 4½%, in May 6%, and in June the penalty will be 7½%.

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

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Vehicles may be registered at the County Tax Office, Tahoka. The Clayton Insurance Agency in O'Donnell, at the New Home Farmer's Coop Gin in New Home, and at the Farmer's Coop Gin in Wilson.

Register now to avoid the last minute rush. The Certificate of Title and the1949 Registration Receipt must be presented to obtain 1950 License plates.

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Ernest West, Minister
Bible Study ..... 10:00 a. m.
Preaching ..... 11:00 a. m.
Communion ..... 11:45 a. m.
Young Peoples Study 6:30 p. m.
Preaching ..... 7:00 p. m.
Mid-week Service
Wednesday ..... 7:30 p. m.

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O'DONNELL
Bible Study ..... 10:00 a. m.
Preaching ..... 11:00 a. m.
Communion ..... 11:50 a. m.
Young People's Meet... 6:15 p. m.
Ladies' Bible Study
Tuesday ..... 3:00 p. m.
Mid-Wtek Worship
Wednesday ..... 7:00 p. m.

GORDON
Preaching on 2nd and 4th
Lord's Day..11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Bible Study every
Lord's Day ..... 10:00 a. m.

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GRASSLAND
Preaching on 1st and 3rd
Lord's Day 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Bible Study every
Lord's Day ..... 10:00 a. m.
Communion ..... 11:00 a. m.

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NEW HOME
Denton Thompson, Minister
Bible Study ..... 10:00 a. m.
Preaching ..... 11:00 a. m.
Communion ..... 11:45 a. m.
Wednesday Evening
Bible Study ..... 7:00 p. m.
Preaching ..... 7:00 p. m.

Political Announcements

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

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For District Judge:
Louis B. Reed (re-election)

For County Attorney:
B. P. Maddox, (re-election).

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
Frank McGlaun Jr. (re-election)

For County Clerk:
Beulah Pridmore (re-election)

For Sheriff:
Roland W. "Slick" Clem, (re-election).

For County Superintendent:
Mrs. Lenore M. Tunnell, (re-election).

For County Treasurer:
Thomas (Tom) Reid.

For Commissioner Prec't. 1:
E. J. Cooper, (re-election).
P. K. Fleming.

For Commissioner Prec't. 2:
Willis Pennington, (re-election).
C. W. Roberts.

For Commissioner, Prec't. 4:
G. W. (Dick) Turner, (re-election).

For Commissioner, Prec't. 3:
F. E. Redwine.

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NOTICE—
SHERIFF'S SALE
—REAL ESTATE—

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued on the 3rd day of February A. D. 1950, out of the District Court of Tarrant County, Texas, 48th Judicial District, in Cause No. 54478 A styled Annah D. Jones, a feme sole, Plaintiff vs. Alma Jones Pittman et vir et al, said judgment being dated the 6th day of July 1949, the Plaintiff, Annah D. Jones did recover judgment in the sum of $720.69 with interest from the 6th day of July 1949 from Thelma Jones Potts and her husband Victor Potts; James C. Jones; Pearl Brisco and her husband E. Brisco, and Alva Edward Jones, a minor and a lien was established by said judgment on the real estate hereinafter described and hereinbefore levied upon as of July 6th, 1950, said judgment bearing interest from said date at the rate of 6 per cent.

I did levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named Defendants, situated in Lynn County, Texas, to-wit:

A portion of Section 558 in Block 2 E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co. Surveys situated about 13 miles S. 75 E. from Tahoka in Lynn County, Texas: Beginning in the West line of section 558 at a point 524-9/10 varas from the northwest corner; being the southwest corner of the Ester Pittman 87 acre tract; Thence south no degrees 20 minutes west along the West line of said Section 760 2/10 varas;

Thence South 89 degrees 52 minutes East 936-1/10 varas;

Thence North no degrees 20 minutes East 760-2/10 varas;

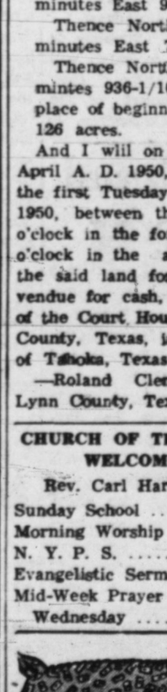
Thence North 89 degrees 52 mintes 936-1/10 varas to the place of beginning and contain-126 acres.

And I will on the 4th day of April A. D. 1950, the same being the first Tuesday in April A. D. 1950, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the Court House door of Lynn County, Texas, in the said City of Tahoka, Texas.

—Roland Clem, Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas. 21-3tc

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N. Y. P. S. ..... 7:00 p. m.
Evangelistic Sermon.. 8:00 p. m.
Mid-Week Prayer Service
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Mrs. Tunnell Is Home From East

Lenore M. Tunnell, county school superintendent of Lynn county, returned home Sunday from Atlantic City, N. J., where she attended the National convention of school administrators. She made the trip from Dallas aboard a special train of Texas delegates.

Mrs. Tunnell reports that the Northeast was suffering from results of the coal strike. The coal shortage resulting from the strike was beginning to hurt badly in that section, not only from the closing of manufacturing plants and loss of wages but also because of the lack of heat and light.

Many people were without heat, all the electric signs in New York City were dark. The pullmans, dining cars, and observation cars were taken off the trains, there was no heat in the day coaches which resulted in her and others taking colds.

The trip was an enjoyable and educational one, however. Highlights of the convention included a talk on atomic energy by David Lilienthal, a talk on United Nations affairs by Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, an address by baseball's Branch Rickey, and musical entertainment by Fred Waring and his Pennsylvanians.

The party also stopped a few hours each in Philadelphia and Washington, D. C. A Texas breakfast was held in Washington, at which Senator Lyndon Johnson was the principal speaker.

On the Texas special also were Supt. and Mrs. W. T. Hanes of Cameron and Supt. Irby Curuth Waco. Mr. Hanes was formerly superintendent of Tahoka, and Mr. Curruth's parents, brother and sisters formerly lived at New Home and he frequently visited here.

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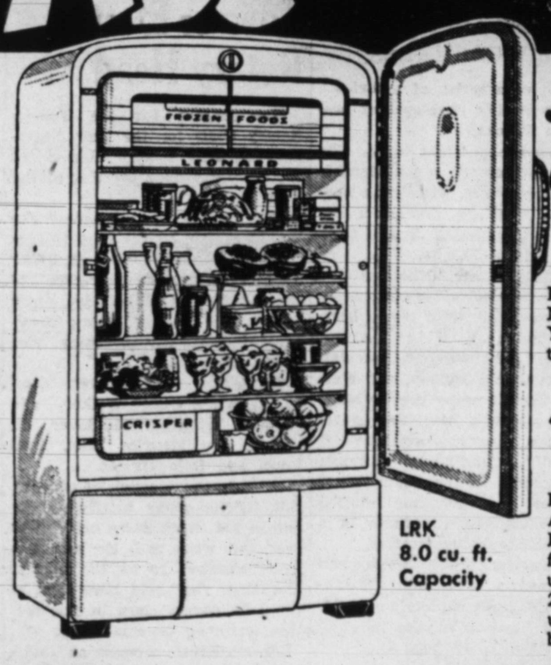
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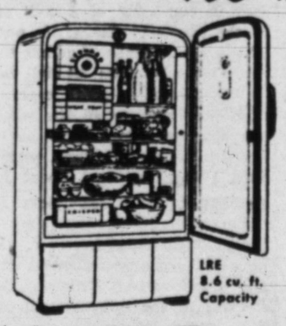
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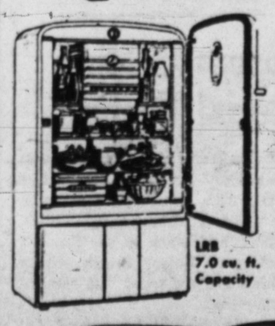
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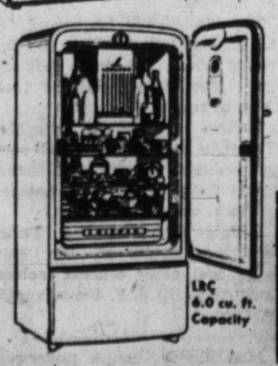
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Tahoka Girl Scouts Observe 38th Birthday

The 38th birthday of the Girl Scouts will be celebrated on March 15.

It was on this day in 1912 that Juliette Gordon Low organized the first troop of Girl Scouts in the U. S. A., and nearly a million and a half members of the organization will observe the anniversary.

Many troops are planning to make the frist progress report, or to hold the first in-gathering of school kits prepared for the "Schoolmates Overseas" project at that time. Others will hold listening parties for the national broadcasts scheduled for the birthday period Still others will attend local premiers of "Women of Tomorrow," the new Warner Brothers movie about Girl Scouting.

Saturday, March 11, 2 to 2:30 p. m. EST, on NBC, our annual Girl Scout Birthday party will be broadcast from Los Angeles Shrine auditorium before an audience of 7,000 Girl Scouts. It will feature top-name Hollywood and radio stars to be announced later and a greeting from a world-famous personality (We are hoping for General Romulo.) This year's birthday party broadcast will be built around our international theme and will feature "Schoolmates Overseas."

Sunday, March 12, 9 to 9:30 a. m EST, CBS, on the Joe Dimaggio Show, Joe will award a citation to the Girl Scouts of the USA for the good work we are doing through "Schoolmates Overseas". On behalf of his program, he will make contribution to the project and encourage all boys and girls to help their local Girl Scouts by contributing, too.

Wednesday, March 15, 5:30 to 6 p. m. EST, on NBC-TV, Howdy Doody, Howdy will give a birthday party for Brownie Scouts with about 40 Brownies in the studio, and we hope thousands more around the country have their birthday parties at the same time.

On February 28, Mrs. W. O Thomas showed her Hawaiian films to the entire Girl Scout group. The Scouts enjoyed hearing Mrs. Thomas tell about her trip.

Troops 3 and 4 have been work ing on first aid the past several weeks under the direction of Dr. Prohl. The girls will complete this work in one more lesson.

Troop 3 will celebrate their third birthday this month and are making plans for a nice celebration.

The following officers for Troop 3 were elected last week: President, Bobbye Ruth Draper; vice president, Jerrie LeMond; secretary, Norma Renfro; reporter, Susie Smith.

Draw H. D. Club Holds Meeting

The Draw H. D. Club met with Mrs. Graham Hensley March 3.

A report on the Council meeting was given by Mrs. Stalcup.

Mrs. A. R Hensley and Mrs. E. C. Busby were elected to go to the traning school on "Control of Insects in the Yard and Garden" on March 29.

Miss Hard gave a demonstration on fruit trees as a part of the landscape, after which Mrs. Graham Hensley directed a few games.

Refreshments of soda pop and cake were served to twelve members and Miss Hard.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Stalcup April 7.—Reporter.

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How It Feels To Be 65 Years Of Age

By Rev. J. Matt Male
(Second Instalment)

It just seems that the Good Father has been a little partial to me, and His dear people have flattered me beyond all my deserts. I have always had an inferiority complex; I just knew I couldn't do it well enough. One day Dr. Gambrell, talking to a group of preacher sprouts, of whom I was one, in his unique way stroked his beard and said, "Brethern, remember that God can hit straight licks with a crooked stick." That woke Mat Hale up. I said, "Thank you, Father; if you can hit straight licks with a crooked stick, here goes a crooked stick into your blessed hand." For forty-five years I've preached a perfect gospel and tried to live the gospel that I have preached. Though I have fallen far short of a perfect life, I have not turned aside from following after. As Paul said, "This one thing I do."

During these glorious forty years I've gone from small town to city churches and back again, have received thousands into the fellowship of the churches, we received 1036 in the eight years I was pastor at Magnolia Avenue in Beaumont. I have never received a large salary, but we have gotten along on a small salary. Wife and I have only nine children, so we were able to get along on a small salary. I'm to blame for it all; I have kept the people broke building church houses. I've had the genuine joy of leading in building six beautiful church houses, two pastor's homes repaired, and remodeled several others. We are moving into our new home at Ackerly on March 5, the very day I plan to close my active pastorate. It is the last word in Sunday School Board designing, the prettiest thing in any small town on the Plains of Texas, solid mason structure.

I have heard preachers talk about what a sacrifice they made to become a preacher, how much they could have made in other lines of work. I have always had my doubts about it. When God calls a man to preach, he spoils him for everything else. Just think of the sacrifice I made—gave up following that thresher at $1.25 per day, that goose-necked hoe and a twelve-foot cotton sack, and I knew how to use them all; but I gave all that up just to be one of the Lord's preachers. Of all abominations of abominations, standing where it ought not, is a self-pitying, whining, complaining preacher. God just had one son. He could have made him king of this world, for He was, but he chose to make a preacher of the gospel of Him. Mark 1:14-15. Read it.

In retiring from the active pastorate I thank God for the joy of all these years of service. If it were to do over, I would do it again. I am this day handing the torch to our fine crop of young preachers with a prayer that they may do it better than I have been able to do. I hope to hold a few revivals, supply churches until they can get a pastor, and help churches to build houses of worship. I am egotistical enough to think that I can button-hole a man and talk him out of as much money as any living man. I will go anywhere at any time that my testimony is needed. I am not looking for a church to become its pastor, and so far as I know no church is looking for me. I am like all true preachers of the gospel, anxious to be kept busy for my King until He says it is enough. I don't want to sour on the world and become a critic. God save me from that. Like Rabbi Ben Ezra, I say, "Come on and grow old with me; the best is yet to be. Amen."

Texas 4-H members last year exhibited about 22,000 head of livestock and poultry at 212 livestock shows and fairs.

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By BILL STRANGE, JR.

In case you're not busy, the Army's looking for geniuses. "The new tools of war require intellectual directors," complains Maj. Gen. Byers, deputy personnel director. "Frankly, we are running out of geniuses." On the other hand, geniuses are probably running out of the Army. And there are no doubt great numbers of ex-GIs who will be surprised to learn that they used to be doing the work of geniuses. Maybe it would be a good idea if all nations drafted nothing but geniuses. This would keep the armies down to a nice chummy size . . . and future wars could be a battle of wits between the brains.

If you are tired of waiting for a new car, why not drop in and receive immediate delivery on a new 1950 Ford?

A seattle man stole $550 and spent $220 for an engagement ring, $23.50 for a guitar, $116 for a love seat. There's a vagabond lover if we ever heard of one. Love is supposed to make the world go round, but it can't start a stalled car. We can, though, at BILL STRANGE MOTORS and what's more, regular service by our skilled service manager Irv. Dunagan will keep your car from stalling in the first place. Drive in today or phone 49.

Mrs. Granville Ayer, F. H. A. sponsor, along with Pat McGinty, Sue Findt, Geneva Marlin, Margaret Roberts, and Patsy Smith attended the Area II Spring Meeting in Lubbock last Saturday. Approximately 1,100 girls and boys from 26 counties attended the meeting at Lubbock's Senior High School.

Malta Evans, past president of Area II, presided over the morning session, which included music by Lubbock High School's band, the opening ritual, invocation, F. H. A. prayer song, welcomes, responses, greetings, group singing, and speeches from boys enrolled in homemaking. One talk was made on "What a Boy Thinks of Girl's Clothing" and the other on "Why a Boy Should Take Homemaking." Following an intermission special music was presented, and then the main speaker, Alton Brazell of Lubbock, spoke on the "Advantages of Being a Member of the F. F. A. and F. H. A. Mr. Brazell has been a member of the Future Farmers for 12 years, has been vice-president of the State F. F. A., has been fourth national vice-president of F. F. A., and is at the present president of Lubbock's Alumni of F. F. A.

Lunch was served in the school cafeteria and recreation was held in the boy's gym.

In the House of Delegates meeting new officers were elected as follows: President, Suzy Hettler, Roosevelt; Vice-President, Margaret Roberts, Tahoka; Recording Secretary, Louise Stowe, Olney; Corresponding Secretary, Mary Wylie, Cooper; Treasurer, Pat Etter, O'Donnell; Parliamentarian, Dorothy Womack, Wolforth; Reporter, Rosemary Pummill, Graham; Song leader, Barbara Nalley, Spur; Area sponsor, Mrs. G. K. Bullock, Roosevelt; and nominee for state F. H. A. office, Melta Evans, Olney.

The afternoon sesion included presentation of awards and honorary degrees, stunts, group singing, a style show, installation service, and the closing ritual.

Easter Seal Boy



Russell Miller, 6, asks all America to aid crippled children. Russell is the 1950 Easter Seal Child selected by the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults. The Easter Seal campaign is sponsored in this state by the National Society through its state society and local affiliates.

42 F. F. A. Boys To Participate In Local Show

Forty-two Tahoka High School FFA boys will participate in the Lynn County Livestock Show Saturday, according to V. P. Carter, instructor of vocational agriculture at THS.

The Tahoka boys will show between 50 and 60 fat barrows and 8 beef calves, Mr. Carter said. Judging, to be held at the Lynn County Fair Ground, will begin at 10:00 o'clock Saturday morning.

A livestock judging contest for the Brownfield District is scheduled for Friday afternoon. Three Tahoka High School FFA boys will compete against judging teams from O'Donnell, Wilson, New Home, Post, Brownfield, Wellman, Meadow, and Plains. They will judge hogs, beef cattle, and sheep.

The judging competition will serve as a warm-up for the coming regional FFA contest at Texas Tech.

Next contest to be entered by the Tahoka FFA boys will be the Panhandle-Plains Junior Livestock Show, to be held in Lubbock March 21-23.

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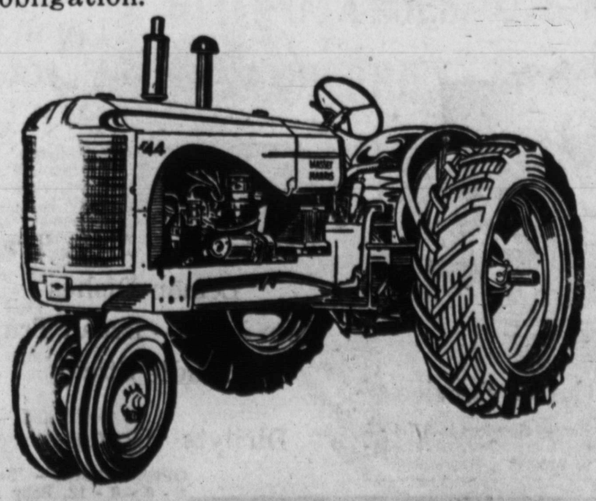
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Seeking Office Clement Is Not

Seminole, Mar. 7.— District Attorney Stansell Clement of the 106th judicial district announced here tonight that he will not be a candidate for re-election in primaries to be staged this summer.

The announcement, which came as a surprise to most observers, leaves the district attorney spot on the ballot vacant, since no one else has yet announced for the office. Clement had previously maintained silence on his political ambitions but it was generally thought he would seek a second term in office.

"I have decided to resign at the close of my present term of office and devote my full time to private law practice," Clement said. Before his election as district attorney in the fall of 1948 he practiced law in Lamesa and has maintained his offices there.

The 106th district includes Dawson, Garza, Terry, Yoakum, Lynn, and Gaines counties. Clement was in Seminole today for a grand jury investigation.

The district attorney defeated H. B. Virgil Crawford for the office in 1948 by a very small margin. Before the war he practiced law in Lamesa and during World War II he served as an enlisted man in the U. S. Army. Following his discharge he served as city attorney for Lamesa until his election to be district attorney.

Nine Men Fishing In Old Mexico

Nine Lynn county men left Friday of last week for Don Martin Lake, down in Old Mexico, below Eagle Pass, where they expect to spend two weeks fishing and resting.

In the party were: H. G. Cook, Pat Campbell, Theo Campbell, Pat Swann, Garland Swann, Edwin May and Bill Klos, all of Wilson; C. G. Franks, Lubbock; and Pete Hendrix of Tahoka.

Capt. McAllister Is Given Release

Capt. Joe E. McAllister, Route 4, Tahoka, Air Forceman, has been released from active military service.

He has been a patient at Brooke General Hospital, located at Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, one of the largest and most complete medical installations in the world.

RETURN FROM COAST

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Smith of New Home and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Slaton returned Sunday from a fishing trip to Rockport, on the Gulf Coast.

Wilmer asys they caught enough fish to eat, but the weather was bad and he nearly froze to death. After a norther struck Rockport, they went down into the Valley for a visit. They arrived in Brownsville with the thermometer standing at 93 degrees, but a few minutes later the norther hit there and they had to bundle up in warm clothing again.

Tonsillectomies recently performed at Tahoka Hospital include the following: Teddy Dockray, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Dockray, Friday; Alfred Bishop, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Andrews, Saturday; and Beth Creel, 11, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Creel, Tuesday.

E. P. Holder, a patient in Tahoka Hospital for two weeks, is reported to be improving steadily.

Mrs. J. R. Wyatt is a patient in Tahoka Hospital with pneumonia.

Mrs. Dennie Polk, a patient in Seale Clinic, was able to go home Tuesday.

Mexican Killed Near O'Donnell Early Sunday

Vicente E. Mata, about 33, employee of the Sam Sanders Construction company and working on the Tahoka city paving job, was killed instantly at about 4:00 a. m. Sunday on Highway 87 two miles north of O'Donnell. He was walking along the highway and stepped out in front of a pickup driven by Billy Ray Chance, 21, of Lubbock.

Chance was driving a 1949 Chevrolet pickup truck carrying the Sunday morning edition of the Avalanche-Journal to O'Donnell and Lamesa. Chance said he saw the man in the distance walking beside the pavement on the west side and that the man ran out in front of the pickup as it approached. Investigating officers said tire marks showed Chance had tried to miss the man but hit him with his right front fender.

Mata's skull was crushed and his right arm and leg broken. Imprints of his head and elbow were left in the fender, which was driven back into the car's radiator.

A farmer living nearby heard the crash, went to the scene, and examined Mata's body, then took Chance in to O'Donnell, where they reported the accident to officers. Deputy Sheriff Cleve Bairrington and Sheriff Roland Clem investigated the accident. Justice of the Peace P. D. Server returned a verdict of accidental death.

Mata lived at Carlsbad, New Mexico. His body was brought to Stanley funeral home, and later carried overland to Carlsbad. Little was known here of his family except that he had a wife and two children.

Officers theorized that the Latin American man had been visiting someone in the O'Donnell area that night. Other than that they had no information as to the reason for Mata being out on the highway afoot at 4:00 a. m.

Raising Fund For Victim of Polio

Local friends this week are contributing to a fund to help Jack Payne, polio patient in the Plainveiw hospital. Jack has been ill for eight months, and now is in an iron lung.

Donations are being accepted at Mary's Cafe, on the O'Donnell highway, and the sponsors expect to turn the fund over to Payne on Easter. All who would like to help the boy are asked to make a contribution.

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COFFEE IS GIVEN MRS. TAYLOR

Mrs. Winston Wharton entertained with a coffee Thursday morning at 10:00 o'clock for Mrs. Richard Taylor, now of Tahoka, formerly of Hobbs, New Mexico.

Date cake, cokes and coffee were served to the following guests:

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which is a joint-construction project.

The light and power company, according to Bill Clarke, local manager, has already done much spotted work in Tahoka, rebuilding lines to improve some bad service conditions.

But, before the summer is over, the entire distrubution system will be rebuilt. Where possible, new lines will go into the alleys instead of the streets as at present. Most of the new poles will replace both the light and the telephone poles, lines of both companies running on the same poles. This will eliminate nearly half of the poles over town.

The first major rebuilding project will be in the northwest part of Tahoka, and other sections of town will follow.

Also, three new transformers will be installed at the substation north of Tahoka which will increase the capacity of "juice" to the city by about 33 percent.

George Bunton, division superintendent, Clyde Minshew, area engineer, and Ernie Sinclair, public relations director, were here last week checking plans for the work.

Last year, the power company completed construction of a new 60,000-volt power line from Brownfield to Tahoka to Post, which with the old 23,000-volt line through Wilson to Slaton and Lubbock, gives Tahoka three inlet transmission sources.

Local power may come from the huge Denver City plant, Lubbock, Tuco, or even the Amarillo or Clovis plants.

The company recently installed two-way radio receivng and sending equipment, and the local office is in constant touch with the entire area for emergency interruptions and repairs.

The local office has been completely remodeled inside, with new decorations of walls, new floor covering, new office space, and lounge furniture will be installed soon. The show window is being made available for exhibits and displays of local service organizations.

New Telephone System

Southwestern Associated Telephone Company is completely rebuilding its entire outside plant, according to Mrs. Merle Hawkins, local manager, and Oscar Whitacre, area service manager.

This has been necessary by the rapid growth of Tahoka during the past few years. Cables and lines will not carry the present load and demand for more and more connections.

In 1935, Tahoka had only 313 telephones. Today there are 726 connections, with 150 on the waiting list.

New cables and trunk lines and individual lines are being strung to take care of the town for many years in the future. New lines will be extended to the Roberts addition and to all other parts of the city desiring service.

The company realizes it has n t been able to give Tahoka the kind of service demanded, but hopes to have the congested situation remedied within the next few months. Men and materials have been slow in becoming available for the improvements and extensions.

Gas Company Expands

Tahoka is one of the key points in the West Texas Gas Company distribution system.

Last year, the compressor station two miles west of Tahoka was greatly enlarged, a new trunk line laid from it to Brownfield, and a shortwave radio station installed at the plant which is in contant contact with the main office, other stations, and the field in general.

A. V. Barnes, local manager, says there are five men regularly employed at the compressor station, and three employed by the city plant.

During the past 10 months, 8,400 feet of new distribution lines have been laid in the city of Tahoka. Service will be extended to about 20 houses in the near future. A surveying crew is here this week to determine if other extensions are to be made.

This year, two new regulators and from 900 to 100 feet of tie-in lines will be installed to increase pressure in certain parts of town.

Tahoka has gained 500 gas customers in the last six years, but the company is keeping up with the town's growth in extension of its lines to any area where there is sufficient demand for natural gas.

Lyntegar Expands

Though Lyntegar does not serve Tahoka it does maintain its headquarters here and is of vital interest to Tahoka people as well as those it serves. Lyntegar is making no major extensions at this time, but is doing quite a bit of improving over the territory with short taps of one-fourth to a mile in length to serve new houses and others not previously served.

During the past year, Lyntegar has added approximately 1,000 new customers, and now has 6,319 connections in ten counties.

Lyntegar recently sponsored the setting up of another proposed cooperative, the telephone co-op., the incorporation of which the recent special session of the legislature made possible by new laws. If plans are carried out, a telephone co-op system will be built to serve rural areas and will possibly cover about the same territory as Lyntegar.

Utility companies have had trouble getting materials because of tremendous extensions being made over the nation since the end of the war. Another year will see this area getting much better light and power, telephone, and gas service.

Reddells Attend Valley Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reddell returned Monday afternoon from a trip to the Rio Grande Valley, the principal purpose of their visit to that section being to attend a district Rural Letter Carriers meeting held at Weslaco.

Mr. Reddell is president of the Texas Rural Letter Carrriers Association.

While in that section, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid at Mercedes and Mr. and Mrs. Jarrell Cox at Edinburg, all former Tahoka citizens.

One of the Valley carriers took them on a trip over the Valley area as far south as Brownsville. They left Tahoka last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Huffaker, who have been living at Levelland for several months, have moved back to their farm home north of Tahoka.

Clyde Hartman of Tahoka Drug is a patient in Seale Clinic with a severe case of the flu. He is reported to be improving.

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TEXAS INDUSTRIAL WEEK—Governor Allan Shivers (seated) is shown signing a proclamation designating April 1-8 inclusive as the first annual "Texas Industrial Week." Present for the ceremony in the Governor's office are officials of the Texas Manufacturers Association. Left to right: T. J. Butler of Austin, director; Ed C. Burris of Houston, executive vice president; Robert E. Clements of Amarillo, president; H. P. McKenna of New Braunfels, director; W. D. Johnson of Austin, director; Hugh Burdette of Pampa, regional vice president O. K. Black of San Antonio, regional vice president: Pickoff of Taylor, director.

A. R. Milliken Succeeds Bill Strange Jr. As Lions President

Milliken will serve out the unnew president of Tahoka Lions Club at the regular meeting Tuesday night. He will succeed Bill Strange, Jr., who was forced to resign because of his recent commission as Second Lieutenant in Army Reserve Transportation Corps, which meets on Tuesday nights at Lubbock.

Milliken wil lserve out the unexpired term and the full term from July 1, 1950, to July 1, 1951. He has been second vice president of the club.

Also, Dan Lewis was named tailtwister to succeed "Slick" Clem.

Other officers of the club are: Bill Griffin, secretay; B. L. Hatchell, treasurer; V. P. Carter, first vice president; and E. B. Gaither, Lion tamer.

Last week the club held a ladies' night program.

Open Contest On A. & M. Award

College Station, March 7.—The principal of the Tahoka high school received this week an announcement and application form covering the 1950 Opportunity Awards scholarship competition of Texas A. and M. College.

Four-year scholarships paying the winners $200 and $400 each year, are available. They are designed to make a college education possible for boys of outstanding ability who require financial assistance.

Bobby K. Boyd is a Tahoka High School graduate now attending the A. and M. College as a previous scholarship winner.

A prehistoric stone wall was discovered underground in 1852 at the site of Rockwall, Texas.

One female moth and her descendants can destroy, in one year, the amount of wool poduced by 13 sheep.

Rehearsals Begin For Senior Play

"Her Emergency Husband," the Senior play of Tahoka High School, was cast Monday and Tuesday afternoons. Rehearsals began Wednesday.

The three-act comedy, written by Jay Tobias, will be presented on or about April 14 in the High School auditorium. The story concerns a couple of newly-weds, Nicky and Arlene Nutt, who have had their first serious quarrel and have decided to separate. They leave their lovely honeymoon home in charge of Aunt Jubilee, their Negro cook, and her daughter Elberta Peach.

The plot thickens when Nicky Nutt offers the cottage to a college friend for the week end at the same time that Arlene tells one of her girl friends that she may use the house. From there the play builds, with a laugh in every line.

Dan Martin and Geneva Marlin were cast as the newly-wed Nutts. JoAnn Thomas and Nell Eubanks got the blackface roles of Aunt Jubilee and Elberta Peach.

Other members of the cast are: Janelle Toler as Dot Dolson, who got jilted; Lewis Cowan as Bill Jones, Dot's emergency husband; Jean Henderson as Audry Hardwick, Bill's fiancee; Bert Stevens as Wilmer Sneed, the boy who jilted Dot; Delwyn Tunnell as Hiram Hardwick, Audry's hard-boiled uncle; Duaine Townsen as the Wild man, who eats raw meat; Jolene Bragg as Aunt Hazel Nutt, Nicky's old-maid aunt; and Wanda Short as Mrs. Jarbo, Arlene's domineering mother.

Jess Miles, Floyd Tubb, and Mrs. Beth Chapman assisted the Senior class co-sponsors, Mrs. Lillian Bartley and Preston Clark, in selecting the cast.

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Mrs. W. K. Pierce Buried At Slaton

Funeral services for Mrs. W. K. Pierce, 83, mother of Mrs. Tom Russell, of the Joe Stokes community, were held at 3:00 o'clock p. m. Monday in Slaton Methodist Church, and conducted by Rev. Ellis Todd of Petersburg, assisted by Rev. T. H. Dunn, pastor of Woodrow Methodist Church, Rev. Pickins, pastor of New Home Methodist Church and Rev. T. L. Mercer, pastor of Union Baptist Church, and was laid to rest by the side of her husband, the late W. K. Pierce, in Englewood cemetery, Slaton, under direction of Wiliams Funeral Home.

Eliza Bethiah Miller was born April 27, 1866 in Rhea County, Tennessee. She moved with her parents to Delta County, Texas in 1873, where she lived until 1812. She was married to Walter King Pierce on November 4, 1885 and to this union were born four children, William Wright Pierce, Houston; Walter Rhea Pierce, Slaton; Birdie Pierce Russell, Wilson, and Morris Miller Pierce, Amarillo. In 1812 she moved with her family to the Union community west of Slaton and three years ago went to live with her daughter, Mrs. Tom Russell of the Joe Stokes community in Lynn county.

Mrs. Pierce gave her heart and life to God at an early age and her faith lasted until the end. She was a kind and good wife and mother and was loved by all who knew her.

Mrs. Pierce had been in ill health for many years but only bedfast for two months. Her death came about noon Sunday in the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock.

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Methodists Observe Dedication Week Mar. 5-12

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"Widespread hunger for spiritual certainty" and "a desire to share in meeting urgent human needs" are dominent reason given for the church-wide observance by Bishop Paul B. Kern of Nashville, Tennessee, chairman of the Week of Dedication committee of Methodism's four-year Advance for Christ and His Church.

Bishops and pastors have joined Kern and Advance officials in calling upon the church's membership to share in the week of spiritual emphasis. Through special services, participation in Holy Communion, and periods of penitence and self-examination, church members are being encouraged to make the week a time of personal rededication to the highest Christian ideals.

On Sunday, March 12, the presentation of a free-will offering will be part of the climatic act of personal dedication. Funds are to be used for emergency missionary projects at home and abroad and the work of the Methodist Committee for Overseas Relief. Last year's offering amounted to nearly a million dollars, according to Dr. E. Harold Mohn of Chicago, Advance executive director, and he anticipates a substantial increase in this year's giving.

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The week of March 4-12 is National 4-H Club Week. The theme that 4-H members will follow is "Better Living for a Better World."

Full House At Junior Class Play

Tahoka High School's Junior play, "Boys About Bobbette," played to a full house last Friday night in the high school auditorium, proved to be a big success.

Jess Miles and Bill Tregoe, coeponsors of the Juniors, report that the class made $227.00 on the play. The money will be used for the annual Junior-Senior Banquet, given by the juniors in honor of the graduating seniors. Date for the banquet has not been set.

The three-act comedy, "Bobbette," was well presented. Best performances were given by Jane Adair, as Bobbette; Jerry Ford, as Mr. Blaylock; and Bland Draper, as Socko.

A party for the play cast was held Monday night at the home of Dale Wilhoit.

Miss Schoppa And Lubbock Man Wed

Miss Lillian Rose Schoppa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin K. Schoppa of Route 4, and Luther H. Foerster, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Foerster of Lubbock, Route 1, were recently married at the Redeemer Lutheran Church in Lubbock, in a double ring ceremony read by Rev. Karl W. Keller, pastor.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Mrs. Elmer Schoppa, the bride's sister-in-law, was matron of honor. Floyd Foerster, brother of the groom, was best man.

The couple is a graduate of New Home High School. and the groom is a graduate of Roosevelt High School.

The bride is a graduate of New end from a wedding trip to Old Mexico, and will make their home near this city.

Fort Parker, five miles north of Groesbeck, Texas, has been completely restored from pioneer days.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation for the beautiful flowers sent and the many kindnesses shown us during the death of our mother, Mrs. W. K. Pierce. —Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Pierce and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Russell and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Pierce and family.

113,514 rural boys and girls were members of 4-H Clubs in Texas in 1949. In the United States, more than 1,850,000 boys and girls are 4-H members.

J. L. Rumbo of the Dixie community recently underwent major surgery in John Sealey Hospital in Galveston.

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Pythian Sisters Hold Initiation

Members of Lynn Temple No. 45, met Tuesday evening, March 7th, for an Initiation Service.

Roll Call was made and all officers were at their stations. One Trustee was absent, due to illness.

Two new members were initiated into Lynn Temple and two into Lamesa Temple No. 42.

Mrs. Lucy Brice and Mrs. Jim Ward were the two new members taken into the Lynn Temple. We were happy to welcome them into our order.

Mrs. Donnie Aslin and Mrs. Rafe Heath were the two new members initiated into the Lamesa Temple. Mrs. Heath was the candidate and she made a lovely one.

Before the meeting began each one present was presented with a tiny corsage representing Saint Patrick's Day. These were made of green and were very appropriate. The Hall was decorated throughout with this theme. The refreshment table was laid in white with a beautiful centerpiece of white snapdragons and greenery. Refreshments were angle cake squares with green Shamrock decorations, nuts and coffee. The committee for this service were Florine Best, Hanna Nordyke, Juanita Burkhart, Nina Short and Mary Louise Curry.

The program and entertainment committee had a nice program of games and Irish songs. This was enjoyed by all. There were eleven members from Lamesa and twenty-five from our own Temple present to enjoy all this fun and good time.

The Ways and Means committee took part in the program, also, and as usual, came out on top.

For the good of the order many nice things were said. With us was our Grand Manager of Texas, Katy Lou Ashley, of Lamesa, who was introduced during the evening. Also introduced were the two Temple Deputies present. These were Clara Mae Wilson of Lamesa and our own, Nina Short.

It was presented to the members that the Knights have asked that the Pythian Sisters, along with their husbands and boy friends, bring along a covered dish and meet with them on the evening of March 16th. This was voted on and carried. So on the evening of March 16th, at 7:30 every member of the Pythian Sisters, her husband or friend, please be with us for a good covered dish supper, some fun and to listen to a good program, as the Knights have a good speaker for the evening from Lubbock.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of H. W. (Buck) Edwards wish to express their thanks to the many friends who helped in their hour of deep sorrow. May God bless you is our prayer. — H. W. Edwards family.

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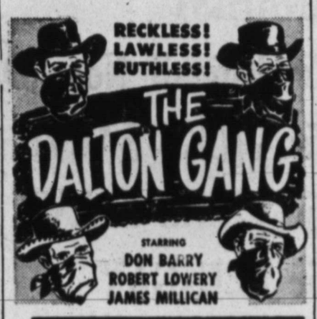
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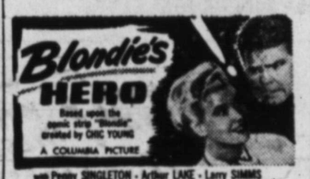
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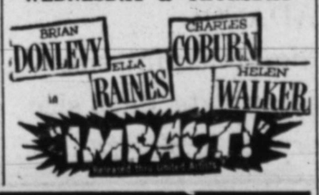
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TAHOKA, LYNN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1950

ORDER AND NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF LYNN)
CITY OF TAHOKA)

Election Order

I, K. R. Durham, Mayor of the City of Tahoka, Texas, by virtue of the power held vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of Tahoka, on April 4, 1950, being the first Tuesday thereof, for the purpose of electing the following officers of said City:

City Secretary.
Two Aldermen.

and, that said election shall be held at the City Hall in said City, and the following named persons are hereby appointed Managers thereof, to-wit:

Ross Smith. Judge;
Mrs. E. R. Edwards, Clerk;
Mrs. D. V. Smith, Clerk;
Mrs. H. B. Howell, Clerk.

Signed and executed this the 28th day of February, 1950.

—K. R. Durham, Mayor, City of Tahoka.

SEAL—

Attest:

—Rosemary Nelms, City Secretary. 22-3tc

513,047 home gardens were planted and usod by Texans last year. 191,967 were city or urban —the balance were farm or 4-H gardens.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

An election will be held on Saturday, April 1, 1949, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 7 p. m., in the Lynn County courthouse in Tahoka for the purpose of electing three trustees, each to serve a three-year term, of the Tahoka Independent Consolidated School District.

John Price has been appointed judge of said election.

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RECORD CROP PRODUCTION FOR ALL FIELD CROPS IN 1949

College Station, March 8.—The crop harvests of 1949 may long be remembered by Texas farmers. New records and near records were made for almost all field crops and yields were uniformly good. E. A. Miller, extension agronomist of Texas A. & M. College, says figures recently released by the Office of Crop Estimates, USDA, show just how good the 1949 Texas' crops were.

The total crop acreage in the state set a new record; 30,141,000 acres as compared with the 10-year average of 27,200,000 acres.

Miller says 5,900,000 bales of cotton were produced on 10,725,000 acres and this is the largest cotton crop ever produced in the state. The second largest crop was produced in 1926—5,628,000 bales but it was harvested from 18,374,000 acres. The 1949 per acre yield was 264 pounds and was the highest since 1894. Miller says last year's crop was more than double the average production for the past 10 years.

The wheat crop of 102,848,000 bushels was second only to the record crop of 124 million bushels made in 194[illegible] It was 74 percent larger than the 1948 crop and almost double the 10-year average.

He says the grain sorghum crop also approached the record crop of 1944, and was 38 percent above the average of the last 10 years. The 1949 grain sorghum production total[illegible] 92,676,000 bushels.

The[illegible] acre corn yields were the highest since 1919. It was 6.5 bushels or 40 percent above the average. The total acreage in corn was reduced, but the total yield was 13½ million bushels above last year and was 58,208,000 bushels.

Parts of the rice producing area last October suffered considerable crop losses from a tropical hurricane, but despite this loss the rice production totaled 22,618,000 bushels and ranks second only to the record crop of 1948.

He says despite the greatly reduced peanut acreage due to acreage allotments, the production was 1 percent above 1948 and 29 percent greater than the average for the last 10 years. The yield per acre was 615 pounds, the third highest on record, and the 10 year average is 454 pounds per acre. Total production was 343,785,000 pounds.

Oats produced an average of 27 bushels per acre and this was the best yield since 1931. Broomcorn production reached 9,300 tons, the highest since 1935 and the per acre yield was the best since 1926. The flax production totaled 1,974,000 bushels—a new record.

In conclusion, Miller says, considering the total production and the acre yields of all crops, 1949 was really an outstanding crop year in Texas. Favorable weather and good growing conditions, coupled with the use of new crop varieties, disease and insect control, better cultural practices and the use of fertilizers and legumes, were some of the factors that helped make these production figures a matter of record.

All School Talent Show To Be Presented Tonight In Local Gym

An All-School Talent Show will be presented tonight in the Tahoka Gymnasium at 7:30 o'clock, under the sponsorship of the THS Senior Class.

Admission prices are 20 cents for children and 40 cents for adults. Proceeds will be used to help finance the Senior Trip, tentatively planned for this spring.

Prizes will be awarded to the first, second, and third best entries of school students. More than twenty songs and acts have been scheduled, including an Al Jolson routine by Roy Gene Sherrod and a trumpet solo by Rollin McCord.

A faculty quartet may sing one or two barbershop ballads, JoAnn Thomas, program chairman, said. "But don't anyone stay away on that account," JoAnn said, "Because it couldn't last more than five minutes."

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lightner and family visited Mrs. Lightner's mother, Mrs. S. A. Davidson of Hollis, Oklahoma, over the weekend.

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More than one million four hundred thousand fruit trees of all types were planted in home orchards in Texas during 1949.

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Look Who's Talking!

ODDS AND ENDS

(By E. I. The Elder)

A lot of folks in Lynn County are now convinced that people scattered here and there over the country have actually been seeing "flying saucers," or contraptions of the same general appearance that they called "flying saucers" for lack of a better name.

Lynn county people are now not only convinced that these claims as a rule were true, but some of them have seen what one of the contraptions looks like in captivity. If they did not actually see that peculiar, light-weight, frame-canvas, bright-bellied piece of mechanism hooked onto a half-deflated, dull, sky-colored balloon which that man Weatherby found in his field near Pride on Tuesday of last week and which he and his wife brought into the News office on Wednesday, they read about it in last week's News, which was almost as good as seeing it. News of the find was also sent in to the Lubbock Avalanche and that paper published the story, in brief, before The News got off the press. Others possibly have seen pictures of the rather frail creation. Word that there was a flying saucer in town got around pretty quickly after it was brought to The News office Wednesday and many called around to see it.

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What Lynn county people do not know about this strange outfit is a-plenty. They do not know what organization or individual or group of individuals or agency, public or private made the thing, nor for what purpose it was made. The most frequently advanced and most plausible theory, however, seems to be that it was put out either by the U. S. Weather Bureau or some branch of the military forcesof this country for the purpose of taking weather observations and gathering additional information regarding the behavior of the atmosphere, especially in the higher altitudes. In that event, either the Weather Bureau or the Air Forces of the Army doubtless could have revealed the mystery of the flying saucers at any time since reports of them began to come in two or three years ago, if these possible agencies of the Government had chosen to do. There must have been some reason why the agency making the obsevations and experiments, if any, have either denied any knowledge respecting the phenomena or have remained silent.

At any rate, so far as we have ever heard, the first one of these mysterious aerial man-made birds ever brought into captivity by a mere layman in anybody's country, is the one which Weatherby found in his field and brought in to Tahoka.

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Of course this Government is undertaking and doing many things for the strengthening of our military might that it would not reveal even to its own most trusted citizens except in promotion of its work, for any consideration. Other great Powers are doing the same thing. That is the reason that so many spies apparently are at work in this country; and doubtless there are some in almost every country and for almost every country. Possibly Russia is doing more spying now than any other country in the world; and possibly she is guarding her own activities more diligently and more effectively than any other.

Somebody connected with our Government may know just how much progress Russia has made in the development of the Atomic bomb, for instance, but we are sure that very few people in official position do not know much about it. Most of us certainly would like to know.

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Whatever preparation this country or any other country may have made or may be able to make, only an idiot or a lunatic would deliberately start another war.

But there are still some idiots and some lunatics running footloose in the world.

It was a couple of deadly shot by a Serbian fanatic that ostensibly started World War No. I in 1914. The over-wrought fanatical youth assassinated Crown Prince Ferdinand and his wife Sophie of Austria The youth possibly never dreamed that those two shots would light the fires or a world-wide conflagration but they did.

Of course that was not the real cause of the War. Germany was already bent on war, with Austria as a willing ally. Emperor Bill and the top military moguls of Germany had been plotting war for sometime and were merely waiting for a plausible excuse to start. Their purpose was to make Germany the undisputed master of Europe, and eventually, no doubt of the world. This assasination gave them the desired excuse. And in a jiffy the war was on and was spreading.

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Similar motives are apparently prompting Russia in the present World situation. Some fanatic sometime, somewhere, may fire a shot. If so, the dictators of Russia might make that the excuse for starting another World War. Of course, these dictators would be foolish to start such a war even if they had every reason to believe that they could win it.

For any war between the United States and Russia, with the weapons now available or soon to be available to each, could easily wipe out half — the best half —of the world's population in a few weeks time. It would be terribly destructive of life and property. It seems that no sensible man or group of men would start another war.

But it was similar though less destructive prospects that existed in Europe in 1938-39, yet that ambitious, revengeful, unscrupulous Adolph Hitler was mad enough to start World War II.

There is no telling what a bully who is power-mad and who believes that there is no God to punish men for their misdeeds will attempt to do. There is no limit to their wickedness.

But there are those of us who believe that in spite of the devilry of Kaiser Bills and the Adolf Hitlers, and the Hirohitos, and the Stalins, God still reigns and that the Government at Washington will still stand if and when World War No III is fought and ended.

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Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas

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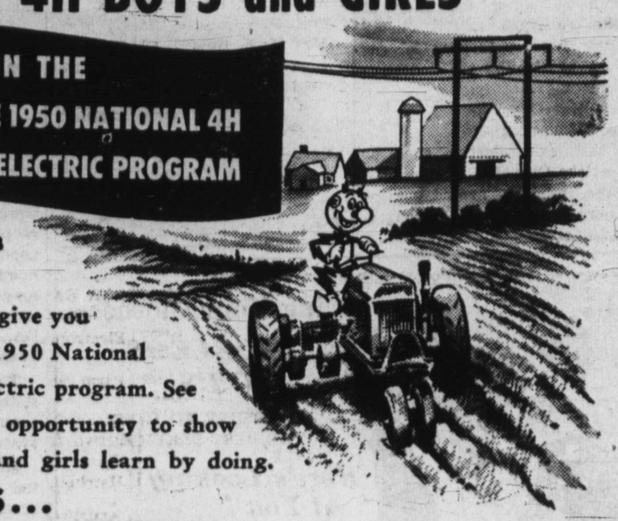
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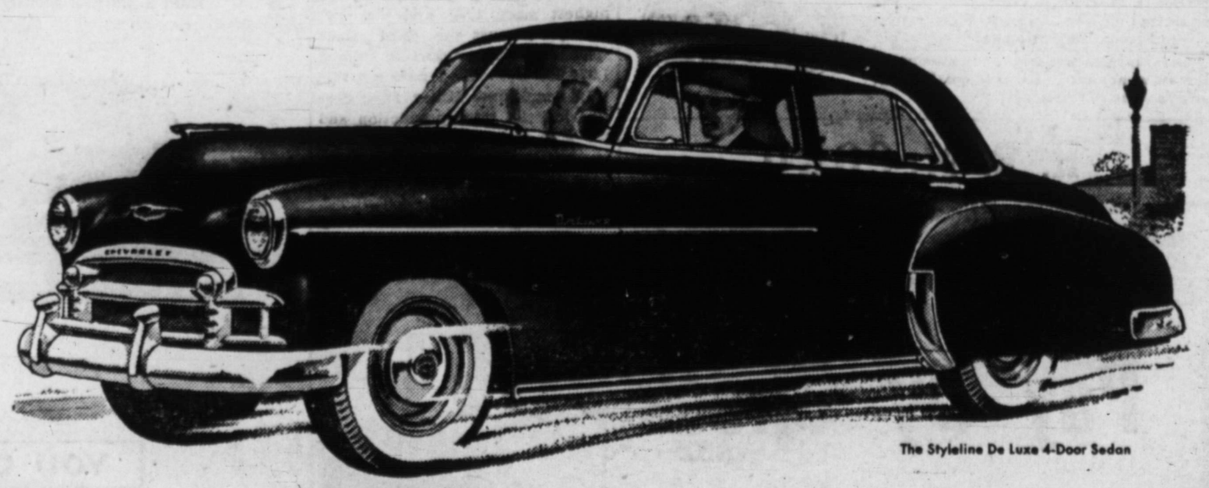
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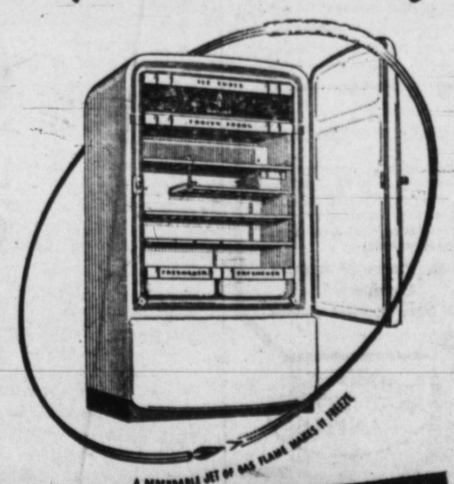
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Lynn County Has Received Many Benefits From Soil Conservation

The annual report for 1949 of the Lynn County Soil Conservation District No. 119, as made by Kay K. Moore, secretary, reveals many facts of interest in regard to development of the program in this area.

The Soil Conservation district was formed in 1942, and the first application for a cooperative agreement in soil building work wos made by J. F. W. Maeker of Wilson on November 29, 19 2. However, C. C. Swope of the same community holds the honor of having the first application approved, which was on February 20, 1943.

Since that time, up until last Dec. 31, a total of 663 applications totaling 250,450 acres had been approved last year, and on last December 13, there were 162 applications on hand totaling 108,-70_ acres.

Through last December 31, the board of supervisors had approved 501 agreements totaling 141,-748 acres (82, totaling 25,845 acres in 1949). Active district cooperators totaled 478 with an acreage totaling 134,848.

During the past year technicians of the Soil Conservation Service assisted the district by developing and preparing conservation plans on 82 farms consisting of .5,845 acres, made farm surveys on 10,1000 acres of alnd, and assisted the district cooperators in establishing practices as follows:

Practices	Acres 1949	To Date
Contour Farming	11,862	93,212
Cover Cropping	146	676
Crop Residue Management .	12,477	70,102
Strip Cropping	2,136	2,363
Range Improvement .	19	6,164
Seeding of Range	19	929
Seeding of Pasture	56	124
	No.	No
Farm and anch Ponds	0	8
	Miles	Miles
Terraces	380	1,829
Field Diversions ...	5	13
Irrigation Land	Acres	Acres
Preparation ..	140	1,075
Improved Water Application ..	4,667	15,907

In discussing results of establishment of conservation plans on farms and ranches by individuals, the report states:

"Due to the drought of 1947 and 1948 many acres of land suffered slight to moderate damage with severe damage to small areas from wind erosion, infact, if it had not been for the good moisture received in January of 1949 many acres of our good farm ing land would have been severely damaged by wind erosion."

However, after good moisutre was received in the early part of 1949, farmers began to chisel and wind erosion to a minimum during the spring of 1949. The good moisutre of the winter and spring of this year made conditions ideal for planting large acreages of cotton in this district.

"Due to this large acreage of cotton, the total production of the Lynn County Soil Conservation District is the largest on record (approximately 170,000 bales). Cotton stalks furnish very little protection to the land, and the Board is urging chiseling and plowing as soon as possible to hold wind erosion to a minimum this spring. Dut to the large acreage of cotton this past year most of the farmers realize that there is a need for planting more crops that will produce more residue or trash and in a pattern or system to help protect the land from wind and water erosion.

"We think the people are more conscious of conservation farming and with acreage- allotment will plant a large acreage of sorghums this year in order to help control wind erosion in our District.

"The moisture received the past two or three years has given us an ideal condition to observe conservation farming throughout the District. Many district cooperators are reporting as much as 35 percent higher yields of cotton and sorghums on land which has been terraced and contour farmed. Many of the farmers contend that this higher yield has been the result of stubble mulching and rotation of cotton and sorghums as well as the terracting and contour farming.

"For example, Kay K. Moore, District Cocperator of the New Home community, made 45 bales of cotton on one hundred acres of land which had level broad base terraces with contour culti vation. Whereas, an adjoining field of 180 acres which had small graded terraces, only produced 60 bales of cotton. This esulted in an increase of 65 pounds of lint cotton per acre. As a result the small graded terraces have been torn down and new level broad base terraces established.

"Wesley Read, a district cooperator whose farm is in the West Point community, has reported increased yields of cotton and sorghums on terraced land and cotton following winter peas. He thinks the cotton following the winter peas produced 25 percent more lint cotton per acre Grain sorghums broadcasted on the terraces produced approximately 4,000 pounds of grain per acre, with the sorghums in between the terraces producing about 2,400 pounds per acre. These yields were comparable to yields on many of the irrigated farms this year.

"On irigated land the district cooperators did not receive as much benefit from improved methods of water application as they have in previous years, however outstanding results was obtained from almost level to level irrigation which makes many of the farmers realize that they need level irrigation in order to make maximum use of rainfall water as well as irrigation water.

"Many district cooperators are now establishing level bench borders on a portion of their irrigated land. For example, D. W. Hancock, district cooperator of the Lakeview community, made 31 bales on 18 acres of land which was almost level. On 87 acres of land which had a moderately steep slope only 72 bales of cotton was produced.

"Most all cooperators are reporting that their terraces, contour farming and level bench borders are preventing damage from water erosion. Due to rains of high intensity the farmers realize more than ever the importance of these practices to prevent water erosion."

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses during the illness and death of our wife and mother. The flowers, food, words of condolence, and many little acts of kindness made our grief easier to bear. May God bless all of you.—J. C. Dunlap and boys.

Wilson 4 H Girls Report Activities

The girls of the Wilson 4-H Club met in the seventh grade room of the Wilson Grade School on March 2nd. Almost all members were present.

Miss Graham Hard showed the girls how to put together and sew a dress. The demonsrtation was very interesting.

The girls are still getting ready for the dress and apron parade, which will take place some time in May. —Deporter.

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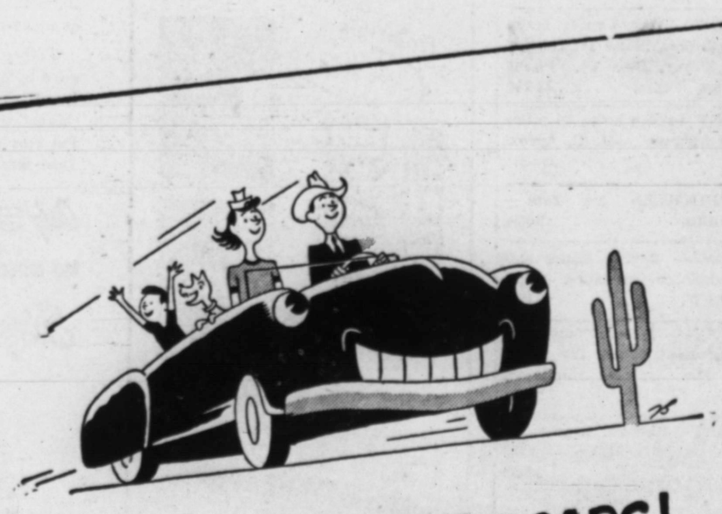
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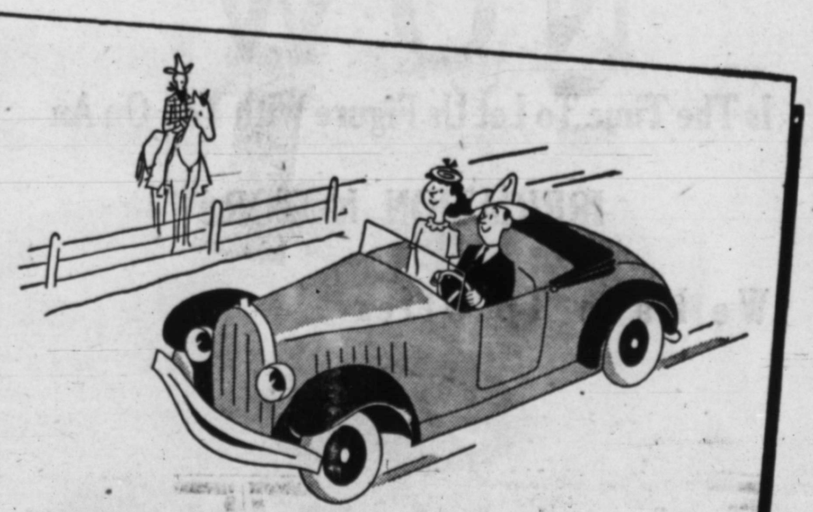
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