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Junior Class to Present Play At School Tonight

A three-act comedy, "Date It," will be presented tonight at the local high school auditorium at 7:30 p. m. by the Junior class, it was reported here this week.

The play, which is as funny as they come, is designed to keep the audience interested and laughing from the first to the final curtain.

The cast is as follows: Emily Walker, Jean Morris; Agnes Walker, Shirley Haynes; Mary Walker, Emmilla Turner; Pat Walker, Norma Jo Teeple; Ann Gibbons, Joyce Brown; Harley Allen, Mickey Cornett; Jim Allen, Alvie Francis; Ed Walker, Jim Mercer; Johnny Barnes, Don Burson; Lester Grey, Theodore Strange; Dave Wilson, Clifton Bearden, Harold Smith, Jeff Mason and Officer Benson, Walter Bean.

For an evening of fine entertainment the entire family is urged to see "Date It." Admission will be 25 and 50 cents, it was said.

"Dick" Bomar is Candidate For Commissioner Pct. 1

H. A. "Dick" Bomar, long-time resident, has this week authorized the Briscoe County News to announce his candidacy for the office of Commissioner (precinct No. 1).

In making his formal announcement "Dick" said: "I just want to announce that I am a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 1. I was born in Briscoe County and have spent the most of my life here so I feel that I know the needs of the precinct and of the County.

If I am elected, the people of District 1 may rest assured that I will do my best at all times."

Mr. Bomar is a veteran of World War I.

March of Dimes Drive Is Off To Good Start

The 1948 March of Dimes got off to a good start early this week with much money being contributed to the Foundation, Carver Monroe, county chairman, reported.

To date no report has yet been received from various community chairmen, some of which started to work last week, however, it is believed this year's March of Dimes Drive will be the largest ever.

Dramatic strides toward the conquest of infantile paralysis promise new hope for the health of America's children, it was revealed here today by Carver Monroe, County Chairman of the 1948 March of Dimes, annual fund-raising drive which marks the tenth anniversary this year of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Termining the past decade "the most critical in the history of the

Editor And Local Grocer Are Wondering

Grocery store owner, Hugh Nance and Joe, the Editor, are beginning to wonder whether or not anyone around Silvertown is interested in buying Swift's Canned Meats for babies.

Mr. Nance has advertised the aforementioned item in the News for the past two weeks but declares that sales of the product are slow. According to Mr. Nance this baby food has been very scarce and he has but recently received it. In view of this and the fact that its "good stuff" both Hugh and Joe believe it should sell faster.

It could be that no one reads the News, but the editor believes that there still be a baby food come next week—after the editor will assume that such a product is not.

Plenty

J. W. Lyon, Jr. For Re-Election As County Judge

TO THE PEOPLE OF BRISCOE COUNTY:

In announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent of Briscoe County, I do so with full realization of the duties of the office and the responsibilities connected therewith. I sincerely feel that the experience gained while serving you in the past will enable me to serve you even better in the future.

To all of you, I wish to take this means and opportunity to express my sincere appreciation for your courtesies in the past, and for the help and cooperation which you have given me while serving as your County Judge, as the success of any County Official depends largely upon the help and cooperation of the people of the county. A continuation of this fine spirit of cooperation is earnestly solicited.

Sincerely,
J. W. Lyon, Jr.

Boy Scout District Organized at Quitaque Meeting

Representatives of Elmore, Turkey, Quitaque and Silvertown, met in Quitaque on Monday night of this week for the purpose of organizing a newly created scout district which was named Haynes District, it was reported here early today.

O. K. Reynolds, district scout field representative presided at the election of officers for the organization, after which Earl Brock, of Silvertown, was elected District Chairman, Deaver Powell, of Turkey, was elected assistant chairman.

Following the election of officers

Silverton Cemetery Ass'n. Gets some Aid

George Sealey, president of the Silverton Cemetery Association, has reported this week that contributions made to the Cemetery Association during the past week amounts to \$47.00, but in order that plans can be carried out at the local grave yard, more funds are necessary.

Those people who contributed during the past week, and the amounts contributed, are as follows:

Mr. Edwards	\$2.00
Tommy Wyrick	\$2.00
First State Bank	\$5.00
W. K. Grimland	\$1.00
Mr. & Mrs. Steve Duncan	\$2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Andy Chappell	\$5.00
T. J. Hodges (Lot)	\$10.00
Mr. & Mrs. Jeff Davis	\$5.00
Mr. & Mrs. I. W. Francis	\$15.00

Those people who aren't members of the association are urged to become one. Membership is \$1.00 but contributions are accepted in any amount. Members and others are urged to contribute what they can in order that this work can be continued, Mr. Sealey concluded.

PERSONAL ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Schmidt and little son Gene spent several days last week visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Thompson.

Scott and Grady Wimble, Plainview visitors this week.

Charles Simpson and all of Lockney, were visitors Monday night.

Jack Jefferson, of Tulsa, is visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jefferson.

Mrs. Clifford Allard spent the week-end in Plainview with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Jackson, who has been ill.

Dr. and Mrs. Ed Mayer, Jr. of Amarillo, were guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Richard Mayer last Sunday.

Mrs. Lorena Dobbs and daughters, Pat and Barbara, were dinner guests in the R. E. Brookshier home last Sunday.

Windred and Ginger Scott visited relatives in Floydada last week-end.

Pat and Jeannie Garvin, Betty Gardner, Betty Marshall and Rev. Adcock attended church services in Plainview Sunday.

Mrs. Marcia Lee was absent from her duties as teacher in the school here last Thursday because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Quillin visited Mr. and Mrs. Bud Colston in Littlefield last week-end.

Little Carl Ray Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Bailey, was quite ill of tonsillitis the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Doak and son, Dale, and Mr. and Mrs. George Olson were guests of Mr. Doak's sister, Mrs. R. E. Brookshier, Sunday afternoon. They were enroute to their home at Hereford after visiting relatives in Eastern Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Ware Fogerson & family spent Sunday with Mrs. Fogerson's parents at Matador.

O. W. Mitchells Are Parents Of Silvertown's First Baby In 1948

James Curtis Mitchell, who resides on a farm some 11 miles southwest of Silvertown, was the lucky winner of the huge prize list, given by Silvertown merchants to the first baby born in Silvertown or trade territory in 1948.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. "Slim" Mitchell, parents of the first 1948 Silvertown baby, reported the birth to the News Tuesday morning of this week. Immediately after being proven eligible to receive the shower, Mr. Mitchell was presented with a certificate entitling him to the following list of prizes from local firms:

The following is the list of gifts and the business which gave same:

Half Case Milk—Nance Food Store.

\$2.95 Blanket—Coffee Dry Goods.

\$1.00 in cash—Coffee Implement Company.

Case of Heinz Baby Food—Tunnell Grocery.

\$5.00 worth of infants wear, any kind—Bellinger's.

Dozen diapers—Tiffin Department Store.

Electric Heating Pad—Willson & Son.

\$1.00 in Cash—Earl Brock.

Bottle Warmer or Dozen Even-Flo Units, take your choice—Palace Drug.

\$2.00 worth of merchandise, any kind—City Food Market.

\$7.50 Baby Silver Set—Seaney's Hardware.

Auto Baby Basket—White Auto Store.

\$2.00 in cash—Farmer's Grain Company.

Johnson's Baby Set—Ballard Drug Company.

James Curtis, the first baby in '48, was born at the Tulia hospital

Dee McWilliams For Re-Election To Clerk's Office

TO THE PEOPLE OF BRISCOE COUNTY:

It has been my pleasure to have served as your County & District Clerk since January 1, 1947, and I wish to thank each and every one of you for the cooperation that you have given me since that time.

As you know, I am serving my first term in this office and I am now asking your consideration for a second term. I hope and trust that I have performed the duties of this office in such a way to merit your support for a second term.

During this term I have endeavored to render efficient and courteous service in the discharge of the duties of this office, and I feel that the experience I have had in the past will better enable me to discharge the duties in the future.

Should it be my good fortune to be elected as your County and District Clerk for a second term, I assure you that I will do all in my power to perform the duties of this office in such a way that you will not regret having supported me.

Thanking you again, for the consideration and cooperation shown me in the past and asking for your support for a second term, I am,

Sincerely,
Dee McWilliams

Many People Attend Local John Deere Show

According to a report by W. Coffee, Jr. this week, more than 600 people attended the John Deere show here Tuesday afternoon of this week.

The program, which is an annual affair, started Tuesday morning at the John Deere House and at noon lunch was served to all present. Approximately 300 persons enjoyed a menu of beans, chili, hot dogs, chow chow, onions, donuts and coffee.

Mr. Coffee stated that he appreciated the good attendance by the people of the community and especially wanted to express his appreciation to the folks at the Palace Theatre for the use of their building and labor.

Officers elected were: Richard

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W. Coffee Jr. presided at the meeting until officers were elected and directors appointed.

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New Game Is Started For Readers Benefit

For the reader's of the Briscoe County News, George Seaney and Pascal Garrison have started a game which in all probability will have car owners of Briscoe County checking their 1947 license numbers for quite a while.

Effective this week and running consecutively for the next ten weeks, somewhere in Seaney's ad will be found a license number of some Briscoe County car or truck owner. Should the owner of the car, bearing the license number which is found somewhere in Seaney's ad, notice that it is his number and will call at Seaney's, he will be paid \$1.00 in cash.

Mr. Garrison stated that Briscoe County license numbers range from 6700 to 7500 and that an out-of-town man was asked to give him ten numbers ranging from 6700 to 7500. Each week one of these numbers will appear in the ad.

No "strings" are attached to the game and anyone can play. Just watch for the numbers and collect the cash.

Mrs. Avis Cowart and mother, were Sunday dinner guests in the person and Mrs. Pearl Simpson were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bomar.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. May arrived here Saturday from Las Cruces, N. M. They plan to live here. Mrs. May is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Byrd and the sister of Mrs. J. W. McCracken of Silvertown.

SWING OF THE SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS

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Eggs weakened further during the period. Current receipts brought 40 to 42 cents per dozen at Dallas and Fort Worth. 38 to 41 at Denver and 46 to 47 at New Orleans. Heavy hens sold lower at New Orleans. Other poultry held steady to firm.

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Gaity And Fun Revealed Of Many Years Ago

Though many of the younger generation may not be too well informed on the happenings in Briscoe County of some 35 years ago, it becomes apparent this week that many occurrences, which brought fun and gaiety, still live in the hearts of our elders.

According to the best informed sources available, the old JA ranch, owned by Mrs. John Adair, who came to this section from England and erected a beautiful and luxuriously furnished home in the Canyon, on the Mulberry, employed several men of this County. Among those men was a man by the name of Wadsworth—a Senator of New York and also manager

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WELCOME, NEW SUBSCRIBERS

We welcome the following new and renewal subscribers to The News this week. No restrictions are placed on weekly newspapers concerning the acceptance of new subscriptions: so if you are not now a subscriber, we hereby invite you to become one:

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Why Follow Failures...

The mounting resistance to the imposition of rationing and price controls on the economy, either on an all-out or an allegedly "limited" basis is an extremely healthy sign. If the program were adopted, the probability is that nothing could more effectively undermine the American production and distribution machine.

No one can force a man to produce or sell an article at a loss—he would simply go into another line of business or out of business if too low a price were established. Then, inevitably, a black market on an unprecedented scale would come into being to board and sell at outrageous prices the more scarce goods. As in the case of prohibition, the racketeer and the chiseler would begin to supplant the legitimate merchant. We had a taste of that during the war. Price control and rationing in peacetime would give us a bellyful.

Price control has been an utter failure in Europe, where the only country that is making rapid progress toward recovery, Belgium, is working on a free enterprise, supply-and-demand system, with a minimum of economic dictation. Control and rationing have produced chaotic police states, with more and more abrogation of the liberties of the people—and less and less incentive for a man to work, produce, and better himself.

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Behind The Scenes in AMERICAN BUSINESS

By REYNOLDS KNIGHT
 NOTE TO READERS—The information contained in this weekly summary of happenings in the world of business and industry has been obtained from sources we consider reliable but is not guaranteed. Opinions and forecasts are based upon careful analysis but are subject to change without notice.

—The Editor

NEW YORK—Post mortems on the 1947 Christmas buying rush indicate that mass luxury buying is a dying duck. Americans, squeezed by higher prices, are spending their money more and more for essential items, or saving it to wait for a price break.

Thrift gained ground as a national virtue in 1947. The nation's mutual savings banks reported a gain of a billion dollars in deposits. Some \$18 billion dollars are now held in savings accounts.

This billion-dollar increase in yearly mutual savings accounts doesn't maintain the rate of deposit increases reported during the war years, but new savings volume is greater than in most pre-war years.

CAR BUILDER'S REPORT—Although more new lightweight streamline trains made their appearance during 1947 than any time during the postwar period of construction, production of cars was still far below rated capacity of the nation's carbuilders. According to Champ Carry, president of Pullman-Standard Car Manufacturing Company, world's largest builder of streamline passenger equipment, deliveries in 1947 were restricted by a number of factors, including a shortage of skilled labor and the variety of new car designs. Since the end of the war, Carry stated, it has been necessary for his company to develop 197 different floor plans for the 2,000 passenger cars ordered by the railroads from Pullman-Standard, while other companies in various other industries turn out thousands of finished products from the same blueprint. As a result the firm's order book since rebuilding was resumed in 1945 has averaged only about 10 cars per basic specification, with orders ranging from only one car each of a certain type to a requisition calling for 153 cars of the same design. Despite these conditions, the company completed and delivered 340 units in 1947, bringing to 630 the number of streamline cars delivered to railroads since the end of the war.

THINGS TO COME—Auto batteries get quick first aid from a new battery charger that can be



Q. Should young heifers be fed silage?

A. No. Silage does not have enough feeding value for its bulk when fed to young heifers. Better growth may be expected when silage is withheld until heifers are 12 months old.

Q. What results should a poultryman expect from his laying flock in number of eggs, amount of feed required, and per cent mortality?

A. A poultryman following a program of good feeding, sound management, careful sanitation and good breeding should have as his objective:

1. 180 to 200 eggs per pullet housed first year's production.
2. Produce a dozen eggs on less than 6 lbs. of feed.
3. Maintain less than 10% mortality of adult birds.

Q. How often should the milk from each cow be weighed in order to judge which cows are most profitable and which should be culled?

A. Weighing the milk from each cow once a month is sufficient. A fine way is to belong to the D. H. I. A. and let the cow tester do it. If that isn't possible, your local Ralston Purina dealer has scales and free record cards available.

Q. What are the most common breeds of Standard type turkeys?

A. Typical breeds of Standard type turkeys include Bronze, White Holland, Bourbon Red, Narragansett and Black.

Q. At what age should rabbits be bred?

A. Bucks of the small or medium type can be started in service at 6 to 7 months of age and the giant type at 10 months of age. A young doe of small or medium type should be bred when 5 to 6 months of age and the giant type at 9 months of age.

Send your questions about livestock or poultry problems to FARM FACTS, 835 South Eighth Street, St. Louis, Missouri. Questions will be answered without charge, either by mail or in this column, as a service of this newspaper.

installed inside your car. The unit, plugged into any 110-volt AC outlet, is said to bring a rundown battery up to full charge overnight... Thundering truck noises, producers of sleepless nights for city dwellers, can be muted to less annoying volume with a new gadget that fits in the exhaust pipe between engine and muffler... A Rochester, N. Y. manufacturer has developed a folding minnow trap in transparent plastic to enable sportsmen to keep "at a glance" check on their bait... Doorstep fumbling and juggling acts are eliminated with a new automatic key case which selects your house key automatically with the push of a button... A robot "efficiency engineer" in the form of a new control instrument which measures and records machine unit productivity in factories has been developed by a Detroit firm... New desk model book-keeping machine posts statements, ledger and proof journals simultaneously without requiring a trained operator.

The nation's grain situation, in the news steadily for weeks, took a new twist the other day that is being watched with interest by many segments of American business and industry. Schenley Distillers Corp., New York City, precipitated events when it filed two suits in the District of Columbia challenging the constitutionality of the government's program of rationing grain to distillers, and charging that the government discriminated against whiskey makers in favor of other grain users who are not being restricted in any way. The grain-rationing program was authorized by anti-inflation legislation. Schenley, seeking a permanent injunction, charged the government is singling out an industry which pays more than \$2,400,000,000 in taxes, employs directly or indirectly more than two million people, and yet is the consumer of less than one per cent of the nation's total grain supply. And, with wheat demanded for food conservation programs, Schenley pointed out it uses only corn, and any corn denied distillers would simply be used by others who are unrestricted.

BITS 'O' BUSINESS—The nation's railroads are scheduled to spend about \$320 million dollars during the first quarter of 1948, an increase of about 100 per cent over the same three months last year... Retail shoe sales are expected to "ride off" during the opening months of 1948 indicating stiffer consumer resistance to recent price increases... The nation's net farm income of \$18 for 1947 represents a net gain of 20 per cent over 1946... Sporting goods, in limited supply since the war's end, are expected to be much easier to get this year... Motion picture companies are strongly alert to the threat of increased competition from television this year. Research plans call for quick developing film that will make it possible to make movies from telecasts and give theater audiences news events with only a 66-second delay... The petroleum industry has set up a special committee to ease the oil shortage through voluntary rationing and allocations.

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Atomic Energy To Be Talked At Legion Meet

The atomic angle to future warfare and national defense was laid before the people of Texas the afternoon of January 19th when Summer Pike, one of the four members of the National Atomic Commission, made an address in Austin under auspices of the Texas Department of The American Legion.

Pike's address was the culmination and highlight of Post Officers' Conference which brought several hundred American Legion leaders to Austin for a two day meeting January 18 and 19. George Berry of Lubbock, Department Commander, presided at the Conference which was expected to have representatives from most of the 650 Texas American Legion Posts.

A state defense conference was held Monday afternoon presided over by Herman C. Nami of San Antonio, Past Department Legion Commander and State Chairman of the Legion's National Defense Committee.

Governor Beauford Jester welcomed the Legion leaders to the Post Officers' Conference.

Commander Berry has invited all Texans interested in hearing the latest developments upon nuclear energy and the atomic bomb to hear Pike.

Pike is from Maine but has been prominent in governmental affairs the past dozen years. He is a former member of the Securities' Exchange Commission and was in charge of the crude oil production during World War II.

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Veterans' News

may apply for reinstatement of their term policies by merely filling out a simple form and paying two monthly premiums. Ordinarily, no physical examination is required if the veteran certifies that his health is as good as it was when the policy lapsed.

No penalty or fee of any sort is paid by a veteran who reinstates his term insurance. VA emphasized. Of the two monthly premiums submitted with the reinstatement application, one covers the 31-day grace period for which his insurance was continued in force without payment of premium; the other is payment for the current month of reinstatement.

After July 31, 1948, veterans whose policies have been lapsed for three months or more will be required to take a physical examination and qualify as insurable risks in order to reinstate, VA said.

Applications for total disability income riders on National Service Life Insurance policies increased steadily throughout the year, reaching 18,000 by the end of September, Veterans Administration said.

Veterans' applications for converting term National Service Life Insurance to any of the half-dozen available permanent forms numbered 162,000 for the third quarter of 1947 ending September 30, compared with an all-time high of 240,000 applications for the quarter ending June 30, Veterans Administration said.

103,668 veterans in December than in any since last August, Veterans Administration announced today.

reinstated lapsed insured with a total value of \$671,000. During the last eleven months of 1947 a total of 1,106,919 new policies were issued, valued at \$6,790,000,000.

last month extended to July 48, the period during which insureds with lapsed insurance

BIBLE SPEAKS

When We Work With God

Lesson for January 25, 1948

DR. E. STANLEY JONES was in Atlanta on one of his several visits, and some of us were asking him about his notable and unique experience as a missionary in the Orient. "If you had it all to go over, Dr. Jones, would you devote your life to the peoples of faraway Asia, or would you choose to live in America with its abundance of good things?" he was asked. Quick as a flash of lightning he replied: "If I had a thousand lives to give, they would all gladly go to the wretched peoples of Asia."

Paul would have been heartened the day that he wrote II Corinthians 5:20 to 6:10, and Romans 2:9-21, to have heard someone talk as Dr. Jones talked that afternoon. For in our lesson for Sunday, Paul is summoning every Christian to the highest possible commitment to the will of God as we go forth in the task to beseech all men to be reconciled unto God through Jesus Christ, who hath taken upon himself the iniquity of us all, "that we might be made the righteousness of God in him."

Thus we come to see the significance and the meaning of the memory verse for Sunday's lesson, "We are fellow workmen for God," I Corinthians 3:9.

PEOPLE WHO WORK WITH GOD

READ Hebrews' 11th chapter for a picture of some of the noble souls who really worked with God, by faith, as the writer delights to put it.

Abraham, for example, "went out, not knowing whither he went," but when he came to the end of life's day, he was accounted the friend of God. Moses, "choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season, esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures of Egypt, endured as seeing him who is invisible."

HOW WE WORK WITH GOD

READ again that eleventh chapter of Romans to discover how the men and women named there worked with God. Two words will quickly come to light — faith and obedience. They believed God, and they obeyed God. Junior boys and girls will do well to recall some of the heroes of history — men like Washington and Lincoln and Lee — and in every instance you will discover that they, too, believed God and obeyed God. Remember the story of Washington kneeling in prayer in the snow at Valley Forge?

We cannot work with God unless and until we believe and obey him. "Can two walk together except they be agreed?" You cannot please your earthly father unless you believe him and obey him.

GOOD WORKMEN ESSENTIAL

WE COME now to the deeper implications of the lesson, revealed in II Corinthians 5:20 to 6:10. "We then, as workers together with him, beseech you also that ye receive not the grace of God in vain; but in all things approving ourselves in much patience, in afflictions, in distresses, in watchings, by kindness, by love unfeigned, by the power of God."

Here is the acid test of doing the work of an ambassador of Christ — we must first be fully committed to him before we can persuade others to accept him as Saviour and Lord. We shall not have better homes and better churches until we first have better Christians. We shall not have better business until we first have better business men.

And the only way by which we become good workmen is through the redeeming, transforming grace of the Lord Jesus Christ.

JOY OF WORKING WITH GOD

WHY did Dr. E. Stanley Jones answer so quickly about giving a thousand lives to the benighted, wretched souls of Asia? Because he had discovered the unspeakable joy of working with God in reconciling men unto him. The largest, surest wages in this world is the experience of working for and with God. "What I kept, I lost; what I gave, I have."

Do you believe it? It is difficult to believe until you try it. Indeed, I would say that it is beyond all imagination to grasp the meaning of working with God. You have to take Christ at exactly what he meant when he said, "Come and see."

"When we walk with the Lord, in the light of his word, what a glory he sheds on our way!"

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New High is Reached in Chevrolet Output

Production of passenger cars and trucks by the Chevrolet Motor Division during December set a new postwar high, when a total of 110,049 units were made in the company's assembly plants, it was announced by Nicholas Dreystadt, Chevrolet general manager.

The total of 38,160 trucks and commercial vehicles produced during December not only was a new postwar record, Dreystadt pointed out, but also came within 736 units of setting an all-time high mark for this type of production. Chevrolet produced more trucks and commercial units last month than in any single month since June 1929, when 38,896 such units were made.

The production of 71,889 passenger cars in December also was a new postwar record, exceeding any production month since the resumption of automobile making following V-J Day. It was higher than any passenger car production month since December 1941.

Shortly before the end of the year, Chevrolet announced it was the first single company to make more than a million passenger cars and trucks in 1947. The year-end production figures show a total of 1,031,330 passenger and commercial vehicles were manufactured in Chevrolet assembly plants.

Dried fruit and bread crumbs or cooked cereal may be combined in a stuffing that dresses up the cheapest cuts of meat.

The average cost of feed in a U. S. farm poultry ration at mid-November prices was \$4.71 per 100 pounds, in comparison with a 10-year average of \$2.14.

Portland cement was first developed commercially early in the 19th Century.

Grocery Values

You alone know how far your food dollar has to stretch. In these times of high prices you must account for every cent spent.

We realize this, and it is no idle statement when we say that you will make **SUBSTANTIAL FOOD SAVINGS**

By shopping here regularly. Our stocks are always complete, and are of the finest quality.

COME AND SEE FOR YOURSELF

NANCE Food Store

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What's Doing in the Churches

THE METHODIST CHURCH	
Rev. Grady Adeock, Pastor	
Sunday School	9:00
Morning Service	11:00
Children's and Young People's Meeting	7:00
Evening Service	7:30
WSSC every other Monday	at 3:00

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST	
L. R. Bailey, Minister	
Bible Study	10:00
Ladies Bible Class, Monday	3:30
Morning Service	11:00

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH	
Rev. G. A. Elrod, Pastor	
Sunday School	10:00
Morning Preaching	11:00
Preaching	8:00
Training Union	7:00
Prayer Meeting	7:00
W. M. S.	3:00

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	
Sunday School	10:00
PREACHING	
Each Second Sunday	11:00
Each Fourth Sunday	3:00
Auxiliary every 1st and 3rd Monday	in the homes of the members

Pay Your Taxes Now!

Saturday, Jan. 31st

IS THE LAST DAY FOR PAYING YOUR STATE & COUNTY TAXES—ALSO YOUR POLL TAX

THOSE WHO ARE 21 THIS YEAR WILL NEED TO GET THEIR EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE BY JAN. 31ST

Bryan Strange

Tax Assessor Collector

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FIRST	in Total Truck Production and Sales for the total 17-year period, January, 1931 to January, 1948—according to published nation-wide figures.
FIRST	in Total Number of Cars and Trucks on the road today—according to official nation-wide registrations.

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Phone 12 Silverton, Texas

WE, YOUR LOCAL CHEVROLET DEALER—and every other Chevrolet dealer in America—are both proud and happy to make the following report to buyers and prospective buyers of Chevrolet products:

Again in 1947, Chevrolet built and sold more cars and more trucks than any other maker in the industry, just as Chevrolet has built and sold more cars and more trucks than any other maker for the total seventeen-year period, dating from January, 1931 to January, 1948—the modern period of motor car history.

Naturally, we as well as the Chevrolet Motor Division of General Motors are deeply grateful for America's outspoken preference for Chevrolet passenger cars and trucks, and we are determined to do everything in our power to continue to deserve this preference in the future as in the past.

We want to thank each and every person in this community for his friendship and goodwill for this organization. We solicit and appreciate your patronage. We are doing our level best to prove that, by filling orders for new Chevrolets just as promptly as we can—even under today's trying conditions—and we are deeply and doubly appreciative of the patience and understanding of all our customers who are awaiting deliveries of new Chevrolets.

Needless to say, you buy wisely when you buy the product of the world's largest producers of cars and trucks, for that is the way to maximum dollar value! Rest assured that we'll fill your order for a new Chevrolet just as soon as it is humanly possible to do so. Meanwhile, please let us help to keep your present car or truck in good running condition by bringing it to us for skilled service, now and at regular intervals.

The annual whaling season is on in the Antarctic and due to the world fats and oil shortage, it's an important business.

The growth rings on a fish scale indicate the age of a fish much as tree rings indicate the age of a tree.

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YOUR CAR

We have plenty of items for your car or truck and invite you to check over the following list for any of your probable needs:

Directional Lights
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Batteries
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Re-Liners
Boots of All Sizes
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Our shop is adequately equipped to offer you first class welding and repair work at all times. No job is too large or too small for us to handle.

Now that the slack season is here, it's the time to bring us that combine or other farm machinery and have the necessary welding done. By putting us to work now it will save you costly delays during the coming rush months.

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Other than the fact that we offer service for our customers, fix flats and deliver gas and oils to your farm, we wish to remind you of the following items we have for sale at our station.

BATTERIES
TIRES AND TUBES
—For Cars and Trucks—
FAN BELTS
OIL FILTER ELEMENTS
GAS AND OIL

Farmers "66" Station

Conrad

Alvin

1948 Chevrolet is Massive



The over-all simplicity and massiveness of the new, 1948 Chevrolet is well shown in this three-quarter view of the Fleetmaster Sport Sedan. Fenders, hood, body and door panels all blend; and the crease moulding, below the windows, is wider than that used in previous models. Note the new T-shaped chrome center bar on the radiator grille.

Presbyterian Auxiliary Completes Year's Work Jan. 5th

The Presbyterian Auxiliary began a new year's work on Monday, January 5th, when a meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Fred Lemons. Plans for the coming year's work were discussed by the chairman. Those taking part in the program were Mrs. R. G. Alexander and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt.

During the social hour, which followed the lesson, the hostess served a delicious refreshment plate to the following: Mesdames Bob Dickerson, R. G. Alexander, Perry Thomas, Sr., D. T. Northcutt, Kemp Thompson and True Burson.

Presbyterian Ladies Enjoy Meeting in Northcutt Home

The Presbyterian Auxiliary met in regular session on Monday, January 19th, in the home of Mrs. D. T. Northcutt with eight members attending.

The chairman presided over a short business session. In the Bible study that followed, Mrs. Fred Lemons led the devotion, and Mrs. R. G. Alexander gave a discussion on the Book of John.

The meeting was dismissed with the Mizpah benediction.

Refreshment plates were served to: Mesdames Bob Dickerson, R. G. Alexander, Perry Thomas, Sr., Kemp Thompson, Fred Lemons, True Burson, Monroe Lowery and the hostess.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Perry Thomas, Sr.

L.T.D. Club Has Meeting in Scott Home Friday

The L. T. D. Club met at the home of Mazelle Scott on Friday, January 9. "Guest Whets" were given to Edith Brown and Sylvia Fogerson.

Refreshments were served to: Anna Tidwell, Sylvia Fogerson, Weta Hill, Edith Brown and Jessie Mae Watson.

The next meeting will be with Anna Tidwell, Tuesday January 20th at 3:00 p. m.

Clyde Mercers Entertain With "42" Party Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mercer entertained with a "42" party Friday night.

Low score went to Frank Fisch, high score to Mrs. Wade Steele and the traveling prize to Aubry Rowell.

Those present and enjoying the evening were: Messrs. and Mesdames Frank Fisch, Scott Smith, J. Lee Francis, Aubry Rowell and J. T. Smith of Douglas, Kansas.

Prosperity in State Gaining By Leaps And Bounds

Prosperity in Texas was still gaining by leaps and bounds during November 1947, with activity hitting a new high for the post-war period, The University of Texas Bureau of Business reported.

Practically every phase of business reached levels, exceeded only by wartime peaks, and a number of important indicators bounced to a time high.

ROCK CREEK NEWS

By Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald

Mr. and Mrs. Elco Frizzell and Pat were Sunday dinner guests in the Milton Frizzell home.

Mrs. John Turner returned home Friday from the Plainview hospital after a ten-day illness.

Guinn, Betty and Shirley Ann Fitzgerald visited their little cousin, Katherine Ruth Mulder, at South Plains Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Loudermilk visited Mrs. Loudermilk's mother in an Amarillo hospital Sunday.

Those visiting in the Wayland Fitzgerald home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fitzgerald and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Land of Clarendon, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale McGaugh and children of Fairview, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Garrison spent Sunday in the Don Garrison home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Vaughan were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Allison & children were Plainview visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hunter of Lockney, called in the John Turner home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. West were supper guests at the Claude Allison home Sunday.

Mrs. Frizzell called on her mother, Mrs. L. W. Francis, who was ill Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Allison, "Shorty" West and Wayland Fitzgerald were business visitors in Amarillo last Thursday.

Bro. Covington, of Tulsa, will preach in the Rock Creek Church of Christ Sunday.

The index of business activity compiled by the Bureau soared to 203 per cent of its prewar base. This hike of 30 per cent in business activity since the reconversion low of 160 in October 1945 represented a recovery of all ground lost with the cancellation of war contracts between August and October 1945.

Only the index of miscellaneous freight carloadings failed to rise between October and November. Outstanding was the strong rise in department and apparel store sales, offsetting the sharp drop showing up in October.

Employment was 74 per cent above prewar levels, pay rolls were up 144 per cent over 1935-39 averages, crude oil runs to stills rose to a point 67 per cent above prewar, electric power consumption was up 191 per cent, and department and apparel store sales soared 240 per cent above dollar totals in 1935-39.

Bank debts stood more than four times the prewar level in November, with the index rising to 407. (Base: 1935-39 100.) Affected by all check transactions in the 20 largest cities in Texas, this index serves as a reliable measure of the changes in the dollar volume of business transactions.

Prunes roasted with any kind of meat makes the meat taste better and will take a delightful flavor that cannot be duplicated.

HIGHWAY—

favor of constructing a highway to connect with highways 207 and 117. Committees were appointed and work has already started toward accomplishing the aims of the association.

Those present at the meeting were:

Arch Finley, Claude; J. T. McGeehee Sr., Wayside; E. D. McMurtv, Vigo Park; Merle McMurtv, Vigo Park; Chester Burnette, Vigo Park; Edd Thomas, Silverton; Clay Fowler, Silverton; E. A. Puckett, Quitaque; J. L. Webb, Silverton; Frank Cobb, Tulsa; Joe Cooley, Borger; Fritz Thompson, Borger; A. A. Meredith, Borger; J. C. Hooker, Jr., Claude; C. M. Hudson, Goodnight; Richard S. Morris, Claude; C. Y. Blakeney, Claude; Chas. W. Stewart, Claude; J. L. Shae, Plainview; Aaron Carthei, Floydada; W. C. Garrett, Amarillo; Arvin Redin, Silverton; H. L. O. Riddle, Silverton; L. A. McJimsey, Silverton; Delton Dye, Claude; Alfred J. Reck, Claude; T. T. Crass, Silverton; Clyde Lightsey, Silverton; J. E. Minyard, Silverton; Tony Burson, Silverton; Earl Jones, Vigo Park; M. M. May, Vigo Park; Loyd Bullock, Vigo Park; J. M. Brugh, Phillips; C. E. Dozier, Phillips; Walter Waters, Silverton; C. T. Wallace, Silverton; E. L. Norman, Floydada; Guy W. Ginn, Floydada; R. S. Boyd, Post; Johnny Lane, Post; E. T. Evans, Post; W. C. Juisenberry, Post; L. E. Gossett, Post; J. T. Hurd, Post; Emzy Pieratt, Crosbyton; P. B. Ralls, Ralls; J. Lee Bomen, Post; W. T. Parchman, Post; Lellian Caddell, Ralls; Joe M. Jackson, Cone; W. H. Hamblen, Canyon; J. E. Wheelock, Silverton; J. W. Lyon, Jr., Silverton; T. R. Whiteside, Silverton; T. L. Anderson, Silverton; D. N. Montague, Silverton; W. Coffee Jr., Silverton; Alton Steele, Silverton; and Perry Whittemore, Silverton.

People Urged To Keep Their Body in Condition

"Keep your body in good physical condition," advised Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. While colds, influenza, and pneumonia are different conditions, all three may be brought on or made worse by lowered bodily resistance, and all three may often be prevented in the same ways.

"When these communicable diseases are prevalent, avoid crowds as much as possible and plan your work and recreation so that you will not overtax your strength and get tired out. Be sure that the room you are in is always well ventilated. Drink plenty of water and don't let your system get clogged.

Sufficient rest, cleanliness of hands, mouth and teeth, fresh air while at work and during sleep, regulation of meals and bodily functions, wholesome food and freedom from anxiety will increase bodily resistance and help avoid contracting these diseases.

One attack of cold or influenza does not confer immunity. Individuals have been known to have several attacks during an epidemic. Segregation of the patient is desirable to avoid giving the disease to others.

If you develop symptoms of cold or influenza, consult your doctor early and follow his advice."

Exhaust Systems Threat to Health State Doc Says

To minimize the danger of carbon monoxide poisoning during winter weather, motorists and commercial drivers are urged by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, to check up now on the exhaust systems of their automobiles for defective connections and leaks.

He said that "warming up" a car in a closed garage is the greatest cause of carbon monoxide deaths. Leaks from manifold connections, cracked manifolds, defective mufflers, leaks from loose muffler connections and leaks from hot air heater connections are potential sources for release of carbon monoxide and should be checked.

"Pay particular attention to these items and remember that proper carburetor adjustment causes minimum production of carbon monoxide and that the highest proportion of this gas is produced by an idling motor.

The State Health Officer said that headaches, which occur during long drives may be an indication that carbon monoxide is leaking into the car. Sleepiness, dizziness, fatigue, and in extreme cases, paralysis are other symptoms of carbon monoxide leaking into the car. Truck drivers making

long drives are particularly vulnerable, he said.

Dr. Cox described this gas as being colorless, odorless, and tasteless. When in the air it gives no sign of its presence and is taken into the blood instead of oxygen. Suffering or collapse result from lack of oxygen.

Wilbarger Boys Issued Rainfall Gauges Recently

Ten 4-H Club boys of Wilbarger county are off on a new project.

On the 1st of January, these ten boys were issued a simple rainfall gauge and entry sheet on which to keep a record of the rainfall in his community. After each measurable rain, the boys will telephone a report to George H. Veto, assistant county agricultural agent, who will, in turn, relay the report to local newspapers. Each boy will receive credit for the report he makes.

Veto says that the service will be of local interest as well as provide helpful information during planting and harvesting season. Each boy will have the information to maintain a chart of the annual rainfall in his particular community.

Greatest natural enemy of wild goat is the avalanche.

PALACE

Thursday & Friday

SPENCER TRACY in

"Stanley and Livingston"

MGM News

Musical

—Saturday—

GARY COOPER in

"Along Came Jones"

Musical

Guardsman

Sunday & Monday

CLARK GABLE in

"The Hucksters"

Cartoon

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Tuesday & Wednesday

JEAN PORTER in

"Sweet Genevieve"

3 Stooges

Sport

Gigantic Tire & Tube Sale

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5:50 x 17 Tires, Only	\$14.00
6:50 x 16 6-Ply Tires, Only	\$23.95
6:00 x 16 White Sidewall Tires With Rayon Cord, Only	\$24.95
6:00 x 16 Snow and Mud Grip Tires, Only	\$15.95
6:50 x 16 Snow and Mud Grip Tires, Only	\$16.95
6:50 x 16 White Sidewall Tires With Rayon Cord, Only	\$29.95

Tubes

6:00 x 16 Tubes, Only	\$2.75
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LOOKING!

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Cliff Joe Brooks, Owner

Happened ...



Years Ago

Years Ago Today
This issue of the News Clay's name appears in the announcements for the office of Clerk. In making his announcement, Mr. Fowler says that going out after the votes and to win.

J. S. Fisher has moved her Shop into the south part of

the Corby building which has been remodeled and decorated to suit her requirements.

A double wedding ceremony was performed Saturday night by County Judge, C. D. Wright, at his home. The couples thus jointly joined were Misses Laura Sheets and Gladys Roberts to Messrs. Marvin Reece and Edward Pharr respectively.

As the News goes to press today the snow continues to fall after having been steadily falling since sometime last night.

The president, Price Stone and treasurer, Lucille Sheild, of the senior class have resigned and vice-president True Burson has become president and Iris Crawford, treasurer.

All of the players on the football team are wearing new sweaters. The sweaters are made in purple and gold, the school colors. Those receiving sweaters were: Robert Hill, True Burson, Price Stone, Willie Hardesty, Arthur Thomas, Earl Gammon, Jim Stevenson, Steve Snapka, Printz Brown, Greene Buchanan, Jesse Woods, Omeale Watson, Johnnie McClendon and the coach, Mr. Todd.

19 Years Ago Today

The long-promised telephone improvement for Silverton is now under way by a construction crew of nine men under direction of H. M. Ellis of the State Telephone company, who is here to install the system and eliminate all communication annoyance which the community has borne during the past years.

Silverton and Briscoe county have emerged from one of the severest and most prolonged grips of frigid temperature in the memory of the present generation. The peak was reached last Friday when thermometers showed 11 degrees below zero. Two railroad section men came near losing their lives within the city limits, and were rescued just in time at the Fogerson Grain Company. Reaching their limit of endurance the two men sought shelter on the south side of the elevator and there they were found in a critical condition, blinded and almost unconscious. Snow has been on the ground for sixteen days, and drifts have made many lateral roads impassable.

Just about the smartest item on the fall style program in the way of a dressy suit is a short-jacket model of either black or dark-toned velvet.

12 Years Ago Today

More than \$84,000 of federal aid money is now being spent on W. P. A. construction jobs in Briscoe County. Eleven and one-half miles of road from the intersection of Highway 86 south to the Floyd County line is under construction.

The Silverton Owl's first and second string basketball teams met the Lockney Longhorn's in the Lockney gym last Friday evening in a double header game, defeating both teams in a hard fought match.

The best winter season for the Silverton and South Plains country is reported here in many years, after being blanketed in a heavy coat of snow last Saturday. Winter wheat, already thriving, received valuable moisture in snow. Farmers and cattle men are all wearing broad smiles this week.

2 Years Ago Today

A new school bus purchased recently by the school board, was brought to Silverton Tuesday night and Wednesday it was "on the road" on its regular schedule. Supt. F. M. McCarty, D. T. Northcutt and True Burson went to Oklahoma City Monday and drove the bus back here Tuesday.

Farm Market

Slaughter steers, yearlings and heifers moved lower at most southwest markets, and calves and weaners sold steady to weak. Cows, bulls and replacement classes generally brought strong to higher prices. Houston showed strength in all classes, and good calves cashed at \$24 to \$27. Fort Worth set a new high price of \$28 for top choice calves. Good and choice calves cleared at mostly \$23 to \$27 at Fort Worth, \$21 to \$25 at Wichita, up to \$26 at Oklahoma City, and to \$28 at Denver.

Hogs closed the week at largely 25 to 75 cents lower prices. Top butcher hogs sold Friday at \$27 at San Antonio, \$27.25 at Fort Worth, and \$27.75 to \$28 at Oklahoma City. Wichita closed at \$27.25 to \$27.50, and Denver at \$27.65. Sows ranged mostly from \$23 to \$24.75, and pigs \$12 to \$21.

Lambs dropped as much as 50 cents to \$1 for the week at Fort Worth and Oklahoma City, as other southwest sheep and lambs sold mostly steady to \$1 higher. Choice ewes sold up to \$11 at San Antonio; \$10 at Oklahoma City, and \$11.75 at Wichita. Denver bought good and choice ewes up to \$11.50, a new all time high. Wool inquiries increased. Limited fine wool offerings continued in strong demand.

Grains secured sharp net advances for the week. Resumed buying of flour by Commodity Credit Corporation strengthened wheat and continued active feed demand boosted feed grain prices. Bushel rough rice advanced slightly the past week as milled

Most grains rose 10 to 12 cents a bushel. Rice remained generally unchanged. Feed prices soared to new high levels with gains of \$5 or more on most ingredients. More hay moved to market from producing areas and prices trended lower. Shelled peanut demand improved, while farmers' stock drew support prices.

BABY

at 4:15 p. m. on January 18, 1948. He weighed eight pounds and six ounces. Both mother and son are reported by the father as doing fine and that they would probably be taken home before the News goes to press this week.

When asked to make a statement for the paper, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell said, "In behalf of James Curtis and ourselves we wish to sincerely thank the merchants for their very nice gifts and to all those who in any way assisted in the contest.

To Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Silverton merchants wish to extend, along with their gifts, a hearty "Congratulations" and thanks for a good cigar.

FRANCIS NEWS

By MRS. J. LEE FRANCIS

Mrs. Cleo Jacobs and children, were visiting and shopping in Plainview last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva C. Jasper were dinner guests, Sunday, in the home of Mrs. Alvin Sparks, in the Flint Community.

Mr. Harold Rowell and Jean and grandmother, Rowell, of Tulsa, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rowell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Francis and Dale spent Sunday in the Elbert Summers home at Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Kitchens visited Mrs. Edwin Davis at St. Anthony hospital in Amarillo Sunday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carruth and children and Earnest Carruth of Plainview were supper guests Sunday night in the Edwin Crass home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Crass spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. C.

A. Simmons at Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rowell have returned home after spending some two months with their sons, Ellis and Lowell, in Guyton, Oklahoma.

Mrs. U. D. Brown is visiting relatives in Ft. Worth this week.

Little Peggy and Guinn Davis are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Smithee.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mercer are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mercer in Bronsville this week.

R. B. Byrd and family have moved to Pomona, California to make their home.

Weekend Specials

CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP	9c
Bar	
Dutch Girl APPLE BUTTER	13c
14 oz. Jar	
JELLO PUDDING	9c
Box	
NUCOA	39c
Pound	
COFFEE—DEL MONTE	49c
Pound	
EVERLITE FLOUR	\$2.00
25 lb. Bag	
BAKE RITE	\$1.23
3 lb. Tin	

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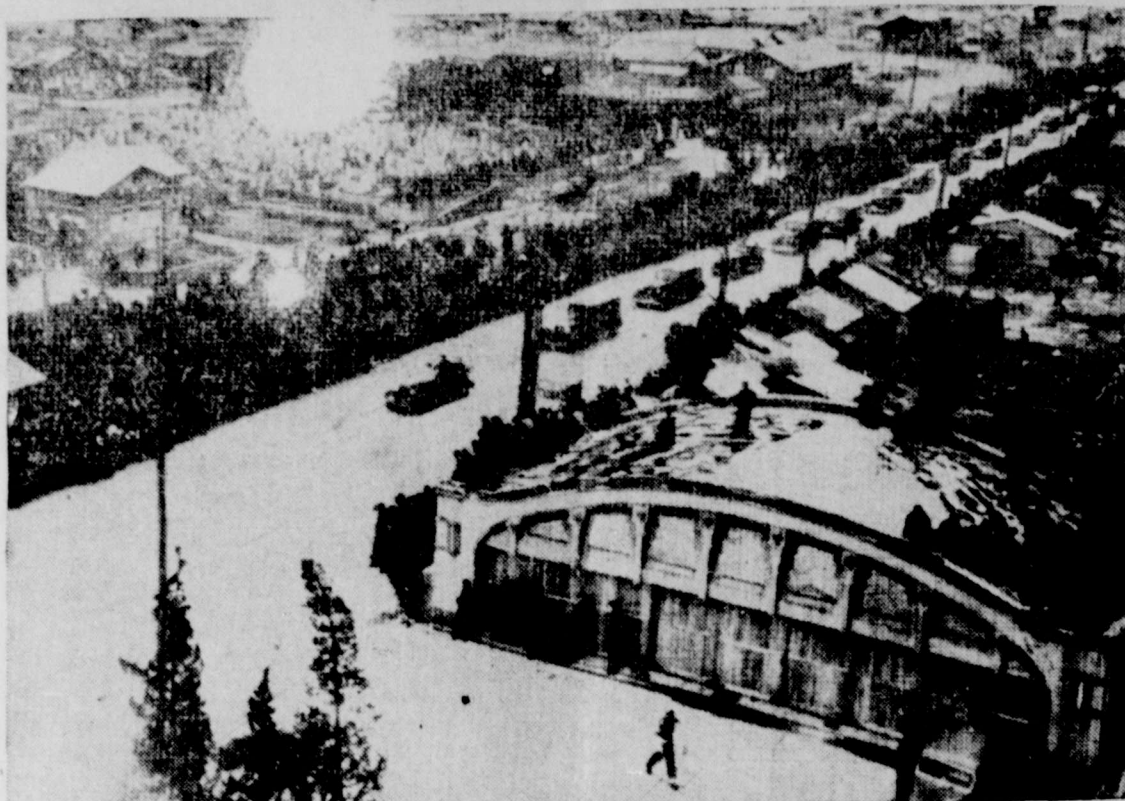
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Emperor Visits Hiroshima



HIROSHIMA, JAPAN — (Soundphoto) — For the first time since the Atomic Bomb fell on Japan, Emperor Hirohito visited the scene of the holocaust recently when he came to Hiroshima to pay his respects to officials of the Prefecture and to inspect the rehabilitation work being done there. This general view shows the throng which lined the street as the Imperial procession made its way to the City Hall, where the Emperor was received. Note partially rebuilt city in background.

immortality. Defeat may be the path to finer fame and greater glory than victory. Who occupies the larger space in history—Hannibal, the military genius of ancient Carthage, who lost only one battle; or Scipio the Roman who won that one battle? Hundreds of biographies have been written about Napoleon; a half dozen about Wellington, the victor of Waterloo. Who will be remembered longer? Robert E. Lee or U. S. Grant? Lee's name shines with glorious luster; he is the embodiment of chivalry, of knighthood, of gallantry. Grant is remembered only because he overwhelmed Lee by the sheer weight of numbers.

Your columnist is probably the only person in Texas who has neither read the book, "Gone With the Wind" nor seen the movie of that same name nor heard the song, "Open the Door, Richard" nor ever been in THAT store in Dallas.

As far as his contemporaries were concerned, Shakespeare was just one of the boys.

The checking-out time of hotels is getting earlier and earlier. It used to be 6 in the afternoon; now, at most of them, it is 5 or even 4. If this keeps on, pretty soon when a man registers, he will already owe one day's room rent.

Expect folks are a little "het up" in the Young County capital. A radio commentator recently remarked he was from Graham where, he said, "there is the biggest square in Texas—and folks with heads to match." That's what the man said!

NORTH WARD NEWS

By MRS. FLOYD WOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lemons called in the Herbert Brown home Sunday afternoon.

Keith Wood spent Saturday night with Billie Don Stevenson in the Dean Allard home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arnold were business visitors in Amarillo last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown were business visitors in Amarillo last Tuesday.

Mrs. Bobbie Edwards and daughter, Juanita, visited in the home of Mrs. M. M. Edwards last Thursday.

Mrs. Arthur Arnold and Mrs. Winston Hamilton gave a birthday party for Fred Arnold and Wayne Hamilton last Thursday night in the Arthur Arnold home. 16 guests were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Wood and Troy Hill, all of Silverton, went to Hereford Sunday to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Siever. The Sievers, an aunt and uncle of Floyd Wood, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. 110 people signed the register.

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Attired in the traditional ten-gallon hats, and without even a sheepish glance, they trooped into the Stork Club to serve as judges of Cosmopolitan magazine's male-tested fashion show.

Shown above as pictured in the January Cosmopolitan are, from left to right, Toots Mansfield, champion calf roping; Dick Griffith, champion bull rider and trick rider; Joe Walsh, rodeo judge; Gene Autrey, movie cowboy star; Bill Mackinn, saddle bronc champion; and Carl Dossey, bareback champion.

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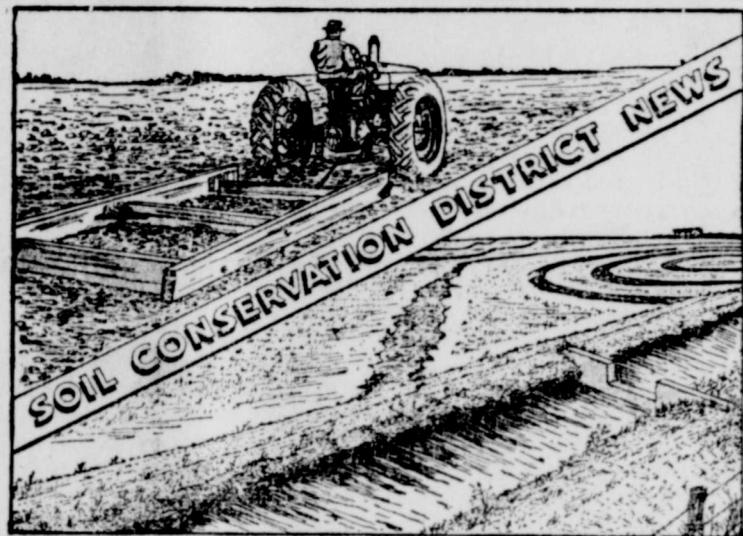
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Nobel Prize Winners



STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN — (Soundphoto) — King Gustav V, of Sweden (left) pictured shaking hands with Dr. Carl F. Cori and his wife Dr. Gerty Cori, of Washington U., St. Louis, Mo., at the brilliant ceremony in Stockholm's Concert Hall, where the King bestowed Nobel prizes for 1947. Dr. Cori and his doctor wife received half share in the prize for Physiology and Medicine for the "Discovery of the Process in the Catalytic Metabolism of Glycogen" or animal starch. The other half of the prize went to Dr. Bernardo A. Houssay of Buenos Aires.



SUPERVISORS FOR CAP ROCK DISTRICT—Earl I. Cantwell, Chairman, Obra Watson, Bray Cook, L. A. McJinsey, and Bill Helms.

The regular meeting of the Cap Rock Soil Conservation District Supervisors was held January 14, 1948 at 10:00 a. m., with the following members present: Earl I. Cantwell, L. A. McJinsey, Bill Helms and Bray Cook. Mr. W. Scott Amend, District Conservationist, Soil Conservation Service, from Plainview, was a visitor.

Material for the annual report was compiled at this meeting. The following application for assistance were approved: Bill Helms, Luther Cooper, Edd Thomas, Bill Hardin, S. B. Turner, John Jowell, Lem Weaver, Earl J. Taylor and Orval Luster.

Oliver Savage, a cooper with the Cap Rock Soil Conservation District had district technicians locate a high point for an irrigation well last week. This will make two wells for Mr. Savage who farms in the Francis Conservation Group.

Terrace lines were run for G. C. Morris who farms in the Hamilton Conservation Group, four miles east of Quitque Lines were laid off by technicians of the Soil Conservation Service.

A topographic survey map has been completed on the Spencer Long farm three miles southwest of Silverton. The map will aid in applying an irrigation system.

ious items of construction equipment will be included in a \$100,000 sale ending February 7 announced this week by the WAA at Grand Prairie. All of the equipment will be sold at fixed prices to veterans and other priority buyers. Locations include Fort Bliss, Camp Hood and San Antonio as well as government installations in adjoining states. Listings are currently available at Customer Service Centers throughout the south east zone.

The plant liquidation program of War Assets will be concentrated Jan. 21, 22 and 23 at the Phillips Petroleum Plains plant four miles west of Borger, where about \$200,000 worth of residual surplus will be marketed through informal bidding. The property includes four used trucks, to be sold separately, several welders needing repair, hardware, plumbing supplies and a small amount of hand tools. Bids will be opened and awards made on the 30 lot offering at 11 a. m. Friday, January 23.

Texans in need of housing and building materials will have the opportunity Jan. 27, 28 and 29 at a final clearance sale of surplus Camp Maxey buildings. The sale, comprising 485 structures of the usual GI types, will be non-priority, open to the public, with awards and titles delivered without delay by means of bidding from the floor. More than 110 residents of the North Texas area around the Paris installation were successful at the initial public sale held Dec. 30 and 31, and WAA again will offer the items singly for the benefit of individual buyers.

Weekly
SURPLUS
NEWS WAA

Several tractors, some farm equipment attachments, and var-

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Food, liquor and tobacco constitute about one-third of US consumer spending.

Puerto Rico is a mountain crest, volcanic in origin.

By Bud Fisher

By Ernie Bushmiller

DEDICATION—

able personality. To know dear
Grannie, was to love her.

It was a sweet comfort to talk
with her on religion; her bright,
peaceful assured hope, that all
was well with her soul, her grati-
tude and thankfulness to God for
many answered prayers and her
strong abiding faith was an in-
spiration. She had lived a long,
useful and happy life scattering
sunshine, laughter and good cheer
all along life's journey; and when

her summons came, she, like a
sheaf of golden grain, was ripe
unto harvest.

And dear bereaved children,
grandchildren and loved ones,
while I know your hearts are
broken with sorrow, and that you
shall sadly, oh! so sadly miss her
sweet presence, but remember
dear ones that our sad loss is her
eternal gain; for she is now safe
with her Saviour in that heavenly
mansion where she will never
more know sorrow or pain, but

perfect peace and celestial joy.
"And God shall wipe away all
tears from their eyes. And there
shall be no night there; and they
need no candle, neither light of
the sun, for the Lord God giveth
them light; and they shall reign
forever and ever."

Yes, when the golden bells of
heaven ring out for you and me
dear sweet Grannie, with all our
loved ones who have gone on be-
fore, will be waiting to welcome
us to that beautiful home, in that
bright realm of eternal love,
peace and joy.

What a glorious reunion, what
joy complete—
There to dwell with our
Saviour and our loved ones to
greet;
For "Then we shall know even
as also we are known,"
And worship forever round
God's great white Throne."
Cousin Nannie Adams

SCOUTS—

ers, a round-table discussion was
held during which it was agreed
that certain improvements should
be made at Camp Haynes. Later
it was decided that the group meet
at Camp Haynes on February 15th
at 3:00 p. m. for the purpose of
making definite plans in regard to
improving the scout camp, the
erection of a swimming pool, and
a first aid station.

Officers elected to the various
offices of new district are as fol-
lows: Neighborhood commissioner,
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FOR SALE—8-room house and
5 lots in Silvertown. Windmill,
sheds and fences. See John Hay-
nes. 51-tfc

FOR SALE—About 2,000 hegaris
and cane bundles. See Mrs. Ada
Cox. 2-2tp

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bator every Monday and Thurs-
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FOR SALE—6-room house on
pavement. See Roy Teeter Phone
62.

FOR SALE—1941 International
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See W. Arnold (Colonel) Brown.
2-tfc

FOR SALE—Several 150-lb.
sheats. Worth the money. See W.
H. Newman 3-2tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—1947
Frazer, new motor radio and heat-
er. 1941 GMC truck, 2-ton motor.
1938 Ford, new tires. 1942 Chev-
rolet with radio, heater and log
lights. See Jimmy Ellison. 3-1tp

FOR SALE—Studio couch in
A-1 condition. Also a baby basket.
See Perry Thomas. 3-1tc

FOR SALE—1938 Plymouth
four-door. Good condition. See
Pat Pavelice. 3-1tp

FOR SALE—1947 long-wheel
base new Dodge truck. Also 1932
model Chevrolet coupe. See Roy
S. Brown, phone 49-M. 3-2tp

FOR SALE—F-30 Farmall and
model D John Deere tractor. Also
1610 International wheat drill and
12-ft. Sanders One-way. See Roy
S. Brown, phone 49-M. 3-2tp

FOR SALE—1946 International
truck and trailer; also 1947 Inter-
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trailer. See Roy S. Brown, phone
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Mr. and Mrs. Gene Long spent
the week-end in Canyon visiting
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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Teeter were
visitors in Plainview last Sunday.

GAITY—

last of all was the Dudish Bunch
headed by Ben Bar and along
comes Billie Tar. We have missed
the singing Bunch, led by Master
Rex and ably assisted by (fun
among them) Freddie Hext.

After dark, when everything
was quite still, we could hear the
silvery notes of the famous Bill
Beverly and Bill Heisler.

Just when we thought every-
thing was complete—two more
joined the glorious choir Slim and
Fonso Babisto.

Now our story is finished as
complete as can be—
So we will have Benediction
led by Rowden, down by Old Big
Tree.

Only a few days before Christ-
mas Mr. Roy McMurtry received a
letter from Slim the cook at the
JA some 35 years ago.

Also a fond recollection of the
year 1911 is the following poem
which was written by H. C. Parker
a mail carrier in that time. As the
story goes, it seems that Wads-
worth, the manager of the JA and
also a nephew of the late Cornelia
Adair, was on his way to New
York and was being accompanied
to Clarendon by Kathleen Collin-
son. Upon reaching the Mulberry
a tragedy occurred which thus in-
spired Mr. Parker to write the
following:

Wadsworth started for New York
In the middle of the week,
He got as far as the Mulberry,
And there fell in the creek.

The buggy stood upon its top
The flood came in a whirl,
And Wadsworth waded to his neck
To save a drowning girl.

Now Miss, you're safely on the
shore,
Don't let me hear you cry,
For when we cross this stream
again,

It's certain to be dry.
They stood on Mulberry's storm-
swept shore
And viewed with fearful eye,
Their grips a floating down the
stream.

Goodbye, goodbye, goodbye.
The hills beyond the swollen flood,
Were dressed in living green,
So to their view the ranch house
stood.

But Mulberry rolled between.
Should I appear before my wife
Thus dripping wet and pale,
She would think at once of a story
told

Of Jonah and the whale.
Now Miss, its either ride or walk
That horse was never rode,
She quickly sprang upon his back,
And that horse had a load.

While Wadsworth had to walk
alone
Dripping from head to feet,
Now Lord, I see just how you mix
The bitter with the sweet.

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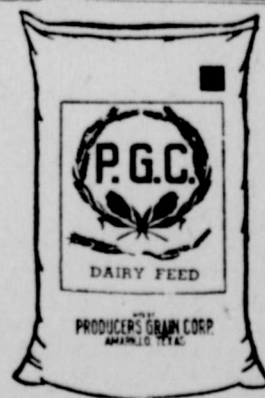
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land resigned his position as a
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poultry department of the college.

Strickland is president of the
Plainview Optimist Club, co-ordi-
nator of veterans affairs for Hale
County, a member of the Board of
City Development, and active
worker in the State Poultry As-
sociation, and largely responsible
for the success of the Jaycee Hale
County poultry show. He is an
honorary member of the Texas
Baby Chick Association, has an
honorary Lone Star Farmer de-
gree and holds membership in Al-
pha Tau Alpha, an honorary ag-
riculture fraternity.

He also is a member of the
Plainview city charter committee,
is on the District Board of Govern-
ors for Optimist International, is
a Mason, an active worker in the
First Methodist Church here, and
an honorary member of the Texas
Tech FAA collegiate chapter.

The ancestors of our
goldfish were origi-
nally
Cocoa is made from chocolate,
while chocolate is made from the
cocoa bean.

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in the United States who obtain
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For Commissioner Pres-
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