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District II Texas Flying Farmers Here This Week End For Meeting, Stunts, Demonstrations, Rodeo, Entertainment

Airplanes from all sections of West Texas will begin arriving at the Tahoka Airport this morning and the District II Flying Farmers of Texas will begin their two-day field day program at 10:00.

An estimated crowd of over 2000 people are expected to be here on the two days of the Field Day and also on Sunday afternoon to attend the last performance of the Rodeo sponsored by The Tahoka Roping Club.

The program for the Field Day Friday and Saturday is as follows.

Friday, May 9

10:00 A. M. arrival of Flying Farmers to the Airport.

10:30 to 12:00 A. M. Business Meeting of District II Flying Farmers.

12:00 A. M. to 1:30 P. M. Barbecue for the Flying Farmers and special guests.

2:00 to 4:00 P. M. Spot Landing Contest.

4:00 P. M. Parachute Jump.

8:30 P. M. Dance.

Saturday, May 10

10:00 A. M. Exhibition of Cotton Dusters, Grass Seeders and Fertilizer aircraft.

12:00 A. M. to 2:00 P. M. Barbecue for public. A charge of 50 cents per plate will be made.

2:00 to 4:00 P. M. Rodeo at the rodeo grounds just south of the airport.

4:00 to 4:30 P. M. will be the biggest and best event of the Field Day which will take place at the Tahoka airport.

8:30 P. M. Dance at the Tippitt Roller Rink east of town.

This program will be subject to change, but will not vary from the original program above unless bad weather is prevailing.

The Tahoka Chamber of Commerce are in charge of getting the accommodations for as many of the visiting Flying Farmers for their overnight stay as is possible. The Rotary and Lions clubs are providing the automobiles that are to be used for the transportation of the

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J. M. Elliott of Vernon Dies

Judge J. W. Elliott, was called to Vernon on Thursday of last week, May 1, by the death of his brother, J. M. Elliott, who had died there the preceding day.

Funeral services were conducted in the First Christian Church of Vernon, of which deceased was a faithful member, and the body was buried with Masonic honors.

Judge Elliott says that his brother, who was 84 years of age, had received a memorial medal on the day preceding his death commemorating the fact that he had been a member of the Masonic order for 50 years.

He had also long been a member of the legal profession but had retired from the active practice of law several years ago. He practiced first at Albany over a long period, then removed to Mansfield, and later to Memphis, Texas, where he continued to practice until he retired on account of advancing age.

Besides Judge Elliott, the deceased is survived by one other brother, Joe Elliott of Sterling City, and by three sisters, Mrs. M. J. Snider and Mrs. J. V. Randolph of Moran, and Mrs. S. D. Burk of Amarillo.

Mrs. Beecher Sherrod of Tahoka is a niece, but she was unable to attend the funeral.

REDWINE PASTOR'S FATHER DIES

Rev. T. L. Pond, pastor of the Redwine Baptist Church, received a telegram Monday morning to the effect that his father, who lived at Hillsboro, had been found dead. It is presumed that death resulted from a heart attack.

The preacher left the same day for Hillsboro and was expected to be away most of the week.

Classified Ads Save You Money.

Rooms Wanted For Flying Farmers

The Tahoka Chamber of Commerce asks the citizens of Tahoka to make available any empty bedrooms that they might have for the accommodation of the visiting Flying Farmers who are holding their two-day Field Meet here today and tomorrow.

Call Clinton Walker at the Triple-A office, Alton Cain at Gagnat Hardware, or Terry Thompson if you wish to accommodate any of the visiting Flying Farmers.

Alcoholics Give Program Here

Four members of the Lubbock branch of Alcoholics Anonymous presented the principal part of the program to a large group at the Methodist Men's Fellowship meeting at the Church Wednesday night. Many of those present declared the meeting one of the best ever held.

Alcoholics Anonymous is a comparatively new organization formed by victims of alcoholism that has rapidly extended its scope until it now has 150,000 members.

Three of the four Lubbock men, all well known in this area, spoke at the meeting, explaining the work of the organization, how it had helped them, and how it could help others. Two had been heavy drinkers for 15 years, one for 35 years, and had become "sots" before being pulled from the gutter by the organization.

Alcoholism is a disease which no medicine will cure, and the organization approaches the problem from the angle of an affliction instead of from a moral standpoint. An alcoholic must have a desire to quit drinking before the organization can do anything for him, the speakers said, but fully 50 percent of those coming into the club never take another drink. Each member lives from day to day—he does not say he will not drink tomorrow, but pledges himself not to drink today. Then he helps keep himself straight by becoming an apostle for the movement by talking with other victims of the disease. The organization has no dues, no officers, but maintains a clubhouse at Lubbock where members and their families meet every week, and where members may go day or night.

Prior to the talks, Rev. John Rosenberg led the group in a singing; a group of girls, Mary Louise Fenton, Loretta Bartley, Carolyn Jollier, Joycelyn Weaver, and Tommie Whorton, sang two numbers; Miss Frances Haney presented a piano solo; Miss Nan Weathers read "Fire"; and the group was served sandwiches, doughnuts, and coffee.

Dr. Emil Prohl presided. The program was arranged by Wynne Collier.

Due to the continued illness of Mrs. Carlice Edwards of the Redwine community which had kept her in the hospital much of the time and had prevented Mr. Edwards from looking after his farming operations, neighbors gathered in early this week and knifed his land—a kindness which was much appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McKee are spending this week in Houston and environs visiting relatives while Mr. McKee's father and mother, who live near Lamesa are staying with the L. D. McKee children.

Mrs. R. B. Floyd was taken to a Lubbock hospital Monday suffering from an infected jaw. The ailment was very painful and it was feared that it might become serious.

Santa Fe-WTTC Plan Advertising For Industries

Tom Garrard and Clint Walker, representing the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce, attended a meeting in Sweetwater along with representatives from 115 other West Texas towns in 56 counties served by the Santa Fe railroad, and participated in the starting of a movement for advertising the industrial possibilities of this great section of the Southwest.

Garrard, who in addition to being county judge of Lynn county is also district director of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, was named on a special panel of seven headed by E. L. Buelow, San Angelo, to work with the Santa Fe in planning the industrial drive.

Garrard and Walker think that this meeting may be the start of a move that will mean much to West Texas. Unified effort of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and the Santa Fe may be the means of finding new markets and new uses for West Texas resources.

Arthur A. Dailey, Chicago, general advertising manager of Santa Fe, and other experts from Amarillo, Galveston, and other points were present, who are interested because "the Santa Fe never will forget the sources from which it gets its strength."

D. A. Bandeen, general manager of the WTTC, told the group at Sweetwater that "the 20 South (Continued on last page Sec. 1)

Students Present Rotary Program

Six Eighth grade students of the local schools, under the direction of Mrs. Paul Pittman, history teacher, discussed the United Nations organization Thursday noon at the Rotary Club.

Margaret Sue Roberts, Sue Findt and Elina Dunagan presented the background and history of the events leading up to the formation of the UN; Patsy Lock explained what the UN is; Jerry Mack Stevens discussed the General Assembly; and Bland Draper told of the Security Council.

Supt. Vernon Brewer acted as program chairman.

In the absence of President Lum Haney, who, with Mrs. Haney, had been attending the 127th District Rotary International meeting in Fort Worth, Vice President Alton Cain presided.

Mother of Teacher Severely Burned

Miss Mardell Middlebrooks, fourth grade teacher in the public school here, was called to Littlefield on Thursday afternoon of last week by an accident that befell her mother, Mrs. J. L. Middlebrooks of Bula, Bailey county, in which her lower limbs were severely burned and which came very near costing her her life.

Mrs. Middlebrooks was washing some garments in gasoline when the fluid was ignited. Her legs from the knee down to the ankles were burned but her clothing did not even catch fire, indicating that the gasoline had been spilled onto her lower limbs but not onto her clothing. She had sufficient presence of mind to run out into the field and rub loose dirt onto her legs, thus extinguishing the fire. She was at home alone at the time, but a man working in a field half a mile away saw her waving her arms and came to her rescue. She was taken to a hospital in Littlefield, where her injuries are receiving treatment.

Miss Middlebrooks spent the week-end with her mother. She does not think the burns are very serious but physicians told her that it was too early yet to determine just how serious they might prove to be.

Read the Classified Ads.

Stormy Weather Fails To Bring Moisture Here

About all that Lynn county has gotten in the shape of rain for many weeks turns out to be mere electrical displays and gusty winds. Many days recently it looked as if rainstorms were brewing but little came of it but dust. On Tuesday night, however, rains did fall at places on the South Plains, accompanied by hail and destructive winds, resulting in much damage to crops, buildings, telephone and electric lines, and other property.

At Lubbock, the downpour totaled 1.56 inches and it is said to have been heavier north of that city but it dwindled down to nothing three or four miles south. There was a mere sprinkle at Woodrow—and the same over Lynn county.

High temperatures have been registered several days this week, however. On Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, the weather observer's thermometers here registered an even 100. The hope of harvesting any considerable amount of wheat from small fields in the county has about vanished, except where irrigation has been resorted to.

But it is still looking like rain and it is sure to come some of these days. We predict that Lynn county is going to harvest good cotton and feed crops this fall regardless of the direction of the wind at sunrise on February 15th or any other day that is long gone.

Two Plead Guilty In Court Here

Judge Louis B. Reed was here Tuesday holding court for the disposition of such matters as might be pending or ready for hearing.

Two pleas of guilty were entered, one by Harlan Miller and the other by R. D. Coulter, both of Terry county.

They had been charged by indictment, several months ago with the theft of a tractor belonging to A. E. Herring from a business lot owned by J. K. Applewhite, where it had been left for repairs. The tractor was later located in a thick- et at the edge of a field on a farm near Cross Plains, and revelations following pointed to Miller as the thief.

In making the investigations, a trailer belonging to Lee Roy Knight, which also had been stolen, was found on Miller's place near Brownfield. Evidence involved Coulter also.

Miller was adjudged guilty in accordance with his plea and his punishment was assessed at confinement for two years in the state penitentiary. Coulter was given a five-years suspended sentence.

Wayland Group To Visit Redwine

Announcement is made that the Wayland College Band will appear in a program at Redwine Baptist Church Saturday night and will conduct the services there Sunday morning.

In addition to the splendid musical program, two or three of the number are expected to make talks, a thing which they often do and which are always very inspiring and helpful, it is said.

Services at Redwine will be dispensed with Sunday night on account of the Commencement sermon and school services to be conducted at the Draw school that night.

On last Friday night, according to M. R. Patterson, the Brotherhood at Redwine entertained the entire Church with a program of games and sports which were much enjoyed. Refreshments of ice cream were served.

Moth balls or flakes scattered where mice stay will usually run them away.

Read the Classified Ads.

Class Sermon Sunday Night by Former Member of Class Opens Final Week Of Activities For Tahoka High Schools

Mrs. Fred House's Father Is Dead

The News has been informed that R. C. Burks, father of Mrs. Fred House, formerly of Tahoka, died at 8:15 o'clock Saturday night in Belton. Mrs. House had been there with him for three weeks preceding his death.

Mr. and Mrs. House lived in Tahoka for a number of years and Mr. Burks lived with them for a while here. Mr. and Mrs. House moved from Tahoka to Midland more than a year ago.

Liquor Hauls Made By Sheriff

Getting a hunch that there was something off-color going on over at the circus grounds here last Friday night, the ever alert Sheriff Sam Floyd and his deputy, Tom Hale walked right in on an apparent bootlegging outfit operated by a guy connected with the show and captured nine cases and 15 bottles of beer together with a smaller amount of whiskey put up in 2-ounce bottles, a drink to the bottle. The total haul probably amounted to \$40 or \$50 worth.

County Attorney B. P. Maddox drew up a complaint and Information charging the gent, who had been taken into custody by the officers, with the offense of illegally possessing intoxicating liquors for the purpose of sale, which he filed in the county court, and the defendant entered a plea of guilty to the charge Saturday morning. The Judge assessed the punishment at a fine of \$100 and costs.

On Saturday night two state highway patrolmen noted two cars racing along the highway at a terrific speed. They gave chase and ran them down. Searching the cars, they found 25 cases of beer and two cases of whiskey in one of the cars. The men and their liquor were taken into custody and three complaints charging violation of the traffic laws were filed in Justice P. D. Server's court and a complaint charging unlawful transportation of intoxicating liquor was filed in the county court. Pleas of guilty were entered and fines and costs amounting to \$19.00 in each of the highway traffic cases were assessed by Judge Server, and a fine of \$250 plus \$23.10 costs was assessed by Judge Garrard in the county court for the liquor law violation.

Mrs. Curtis Driver Is Critically Ill

Friends in Tahoka and other communities of Lynn county were shocked and grieved to learn early this week that Mrs. Curtis Driver was critically ill in a Lubbock hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Driver had moved from Tahoka to Idalou just a few weeks ago, after having lived here most of the time for many years.

Mrs. Driver, it is said, has been suffering from profuse hemorrhages of the stomach resulting from ulcers in that organ. A blood transfusion was given her Monday but it was said that other transfusions would be necessary, as the loss of blood had been very great. Physicians, it is reported, have been giving very little hope to her family that she can survive the malady.

Congratulations . .

Mr. and Mrs. David Weathers are the parents of a daughter, born at 2:48 a. m. Tuesday in Mercy Hospital, Slaton, and weighing 7 lbs., 2 oss. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tunnell and Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Weathers are the grandparents.

Read the Classified Ads.

Sunday night will mark the beginning of the closing exercises of the Tahoka Public Schools, when Rev. George Maurice Small, a former student, now a youthful Minister of the Methodist Church and pursuing his studies in McMurry College, Abilene, will bring the Commencement sermon. George Maurice is a native of Tahoka and was reared here. He is sure to have a capacity house to hear him.

The exercises will begin at 8 o'clock, when Mrs. Marcus Edwards will play the processional. The invocation will be pronounced by J. Elmo Burkett and the Choir will render "He Smiled On Me."

Following the sermon, "Ave Maria" will be given and the benediction will be pronounced by Rev. L. C. Quillin. The class will march out to the strains of the Recessional played by Mrs. Edwards.

The choir director will be Mrs. Paul Pittman, and the pianist Miss Frances Haney.

The final commencement exercises will be given on Friday night of next week, May 16. Mr. Charles Paxton of Sweetwater will deliver the Class address. He is connected with the oil refinery business there and became well known to many of the business men of Tahoka a few years ago as district governor of Rotary International. He has always been much interested in young people, and his address doubtless will be most excellent.

Mrs. Marcus Edwards will again play the Processional and the Recessional. Rev. Levi Price will pronounce the Invocation. A vocal number, "Without a Song," will be rendered by Imogene Hargett, Nan Weathers, and Delores Nowlin.

Following the address, Doris Jane Roberts will render "Sonata No. 4 in F Major" by Mozart.

Diplomas will be presented to the graduates by Roy Edwards, president of the school board.

The benediction will be pronounced by Rev. J. W. Rosenberg. (Cont'd. on last page, Sec. 1)

Softball League Play Is Started

The Lynn County Softball League games got off to a flying start Monday night when the Lynn County Flying Farmers defeated the American Legion team by a score of 12 to 5.

The game was interrupted a few times by the sand, but plenty of thrills and spills kept the spectators in a frenzy.

All the games played this week will be practice games with the regular league games to begin on Monday night, April 19 and will continue on through August 1.

The four top teams will then play a double round robin to determine the champions who will be given a trophy.

On last Tuesday night, New Home was scheduled to play the V.F.W. but the game was called on account of the weather. The Flying Farmers also went to Post for a practice game Tuesday night, but it was called at the end of the 3rd inning. Post was leading when the game was called 7 to 2.

Last Night O'Donnell played a practice game with Grassland.

May 12 VFW plays Collier Drug a practice game. May 15, New Home plays High School Seniors and on May 16 O'Donnell plays Wharton's.

Lynn County Softball League Schedule For May

May 19, American Legion vs. Grassland.

May 20, O'Donnell vs. VFW.

May 22, New Home vs. Collier Drug.

May 23, Wharton's vs. Flying Farmers.

May 26, Grassland vs. High School.

May 29, O'Donnell vs. New Home.

May 30, VFW vs. Collier Drug.

The News will print each month's schedule the issue before the last game of the present month.

Complete Schedules can be obtained. (Continued on last page Sec. 1)

Welcome to Tahoka, Flying Farmers!

TEXAS BUTANE DEALERS ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCES SAFETY SCHOOLS

Taking one of the most forward steps in the history of the butane industry in the United States, the Texas Butane Dealers Association has begun fulfilling plans for a



By Onie "Crow" Elliott

Howdy Folks: "Take me out to the ball game." The good old season for cussing the umpire is back.

Of course there's always too much bawl in baseball.

One reason Americans enjoy baseball more than football is because they don't have to have a college education to get a ticket to the baseball game.

Slipping away from work to see the ball game isn't a crime unless you meet the boss in the bleachers who "had to call on some prospects in the country."

Baseball is a standard sport for Americans just as our Gasoline is standard among hundreds of users right here in Lynn County, or the South Plains.

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safety training school for dealers throughout Texas.

The Association's program is designed to train butane company employees in better and safer installation and servicing of appliances using butane gas for fuel.

The University of Texas in Austin has accepted a \$2000 grant from the Association with which to operate safety training schools. Two training directors have been hired to conduct the night schools over the State. The courses will cover approximately ten hours, and employees completing the training school satisfactorily will be awarded a certificate of proficiency.

The two directors are at present completing a six weeks course in the art of teaching at the University. Their traveling itinerary will soon be announced through the Association office in Austin, and all dealers will be invited to have their employees attend these schools.

The directors are Voyle Tinton of Burnet and Carl Bewick of Big Lake. They will be assigned to their training programs under the auspices of a Butane Industry Committee, the University of Texas, and the State Board for Vocational Education.

The Texas Butane Dealers Association is the first in the nation to conduct such a program for safety and safe practices in their industry.

Although the condition of Mrs. Rae Womack has continued to be very serious, friends are gratified that she has "weathered the storm" so far and are hopeful that she may yet recover.

To remove blood stains on blankets, mattresses or other heavy material, mix starch and water to a thick paste and spread on the stain. Brush off when dry and repeat if necessary.

Thieves Hidden In London Fog Steal \$32,000

Carry Ladder to Home of a Society Woman and Nab Rare Jewelry.

LONDON.—London was covered by such a dense fog recently that burglars were able in broad daylight to lug a ladder to a society woman's home, run it up to her boudoir window and make off with \$32,000 worth of diamond and sapphire rings.

The ladder was not noticed and the burglary was not discovered until the woman, Mrs. Irene Roberts, had occasion to look into her jewel casket. She offered a \$3,200 reward for information leading to the recovery of her jewels.

The burglary broke a brief respite in an epidemic of "society page" jewel thefts. They began last October, when \$100,000 worth of jewels were stolen from the duke and duchess of Windsor.

Queen Is Marooned.

Visibility was about three feet in the fog, one of record heaviness in a city renowned for its fogs. Thousands of persons became lost, including Queen Elizabeth, who was marooned in her automobile 100 yards from Buckingham palace and had to be rescued by a police searching squad.

The fog was accompanied by a sharp drop in temperature, freezing a thin layer of ice on streets and sidewalks.

Ferry service had to be suspended between Portsmouth, Southampton and the Isle of Wight. Buses crawled along; trains were hours behind schedule. Firemen had to walk ahead of their trucks to fires, and when they got to them the fog hampered their work.

All four main railroads reported delays. Even subway service was slowed because thousands of people who normally ride buses were using the tubes.

At Southampton, where the fog was as thick as it was in London, the United States Lines' ship America had to postpone its departure for Le Havre.

Three K.L.M. (Royal Dutch) airlines planes that had no choice but to land in the fog were talked to the ground from a control tower after special sodium flares were lighted and rockets fired to give the pilots the outline of the field. Two flights to the United States were canceled.

Several Accidents.

Several accidents were reported, but injuries were minor. A ferry carrying 40 passengers collided with the Hampton ferry at Southampton. Three persons were slightly injured. The ferry had taken three hours to make a run that usually takes 15 minutes.

The fog fell during the rush hour, aggravating the general confusion. Police cars with loud-speakers were parked at strategic points, warning motorists to be careful and giving groping pedestrians a "fix." One motorist said it took him two hours and 35 minutes to drive two miles.

Subways stopped running at midnight, and many had to spend the night where they were if they did not reach the stations by that time. At Wembley skating rink more than 2,000 persons sang and skated all night because they couldn't get home.

When fire broke out in a London crematorium, firemen had to walk ahead of their trucks with lights. When they arrived at the fire, they lighted acetylene flares so they could see what they were doing.

A chapel at Putney Val cemetery caught fire. The fire was so well advanced by the time the firemen had groped their way to it, there was little they could do.

Indict Parents in Death of

Son; Refused to Call Help
EASTON, PA. — William Focht, 55, and his 46-year-old wife, Ada, were under indictment on involuntary manslaughter charges in the death of their 2-year-old son.

The Northampton county grand jury ordered the two held for trial on the charge after Coroner D. F. Bachman testified the couple refused to call a doctor for their son, Edwin James, who fell into a can of boiling water last September.

Dr. Bachman told the jury the boy would have had a 50-50 chance of recovering if he had been given prompt medical aid. The Fochts, he said, belong to a healing sect which opposes medical attention.

Man With Toy Pistol Routed

In Post Office Holdup Try
BALTIMORE, MD. — Campbell Farrow, money order clerk, routed a man who attempted to hold up a suburban branch post office with a toy pistol.

Police said they arrested a man with a toy gun about a block away a few minutes later.

Farrow related that a man walked up to his window, pushed a red crayon note which read: "Turn over all the money in the drawer and keep quiet."

Farrow dropped to the floor of his cage, grabbed a gun which he kept there, and shouted to other clerks: "Look out . . . a holdup." The man fled.

T Hangar Flying . .

Last Sunday Otis Curry, J. E. Nance, Bill McNeely, Billy Jack Hancock, Billy Hill, W. H. Richard, and Jerry Wayne McNeely, and Chett Hackathorn and wife all flew to the air show in Big Spring to advise the Flying Farmers Field Day celebration here today and tomorrow and the rodeo Sunday.

Several Lynn county pilots left Thursday morning on an air-tour advertising the Field Day here today and tomorrow.

W. H. Bowden of Odessa, flying a Stinson Voyager was here on business two different times this week.

Mr. Bankston of Clovis was here on business recently. Mr. Bankston is the contractor who is building the city's new water reservoir.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunt of Claude was here visiting recently. Mr. Hunt flies an Aerocoupe.

Jess Wright Jr. and John Lott of Post were over recently in their Cub Coupe.

Neil Delavan and Hubb Tims of Lubbock were down in a BT-13 Tuesday.

Leslie McNeely and his girl friend, Sylvia Banks was caught in the storm last Sunday and was forced to land in a wheat patch a few miles SW of town. They procured some stakes and rope from a farmer and tied the ship down and weathered the storm with plenty of ease even though several other pilots at the field at

that time were uneasy about their safety.

Everybody has been holding their breath hoping that the weather will be favorable today and tomorrow. If it is there will be many planes and many people here for the Flying Farmers Field Day events and many other people will be on hand Saturday and Sunday for the rodeo performances.

Welcome District II Flying Farmers to Tahoka and the welcome mat is out to all other visitors here for the Field Day celebration and the rodeo and dances.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Livingstone came in Wednesday from Grand Prairie to visit her mother, Mrs. H. C. Smith, and her brothers and their families. Mr. Livingstone indicated that they might be here for only a few days or permanently.

Lions Are Home From El Paso

Mrs. and Mrs. Pete Hegi and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Stanley return Wednesday night from El Paso, where they had been since last Sunday attending the District 2-T convention of Lions International.

Mr. Hegi, who is president of the new Tahoka club, says they had a wonderful time, heard a number of excellent talks, and felt that the trip was very worth while. They had two banquet meetings over at Juarez, Mexico.

When you pack for traveling jot down the items you are taking; then, when you pack to return look over the list to see that you have everything.

Mrs. Lida Kelso has returned to Tahoka to make her home. She has been living at Mt. Vernon in East Texas.

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CABBAGE, lb. 5c

LEMONS, lb. 14c
ORANGES, bag . . . 57c

FLOUR Gladiola 25 Pound Bag \$2.00

DEL MONTE - No. 2 1-2
PEACHES 32c
1-2 POUND
COCOANUT 40c

LIPTON TEA
BRISK FLAVOR 1/2 lb. .53

COFFEE Red & White 1 Pound Jar 48c

HUNT'S - No. 2
Tomato Juice 11c
VAN CAMPS - 17 oz. Can
BEANS 19c

Heart of the Plains - No. 2
Green Beans 15c
SWINTS - No. 2
HOMINY 12c

Mrs. Tuckers 3 Pound Carton
Shortening 1.25

QUART JAR
VINEGAR 13c
VAN CAMPS
CATSUP 25c

BETTYE SWEET - 16 oz.
PICKLES 32c
SOUR - FULL QUART
PICKLES 35c

Crackers 2 Pound 45c

No. 10 CAN
Pie Pan Peaches . . . 68c
1 POUND
Honey Spread 56c

FRESH - No. 2 CAN
POTATOES 15c
ROSE DALE - No. 2 1-2
APRICOTS 25c

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T-BONE
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**BILLY MAX MINCHEY
VISITS HOME FOLKS**

Billy Max Minchey, the nephew and adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Terry, was at home this week-end from Fort Sam Houston. He is in the Army and is taking an 8-weeks basic training course as a hospital technician at Brooks General Hospital.

Billy Max enlisted in the Army in January and took his basic training at Fort Ord, California. He is doing nicely in his work and is expecting to take another training course after his furlough in a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Clark of Los Angeles, California, arrived last Saturday afternoon and are visiting with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dwight. Mr. Clark is a photographer himself and may locate here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Durham and two children of Oklahoma City visited the Dr. K. R. Durham family here over the week-end. The two men are brothers.

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Congratulations . .

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Dickens upon the birth of a son at Tahoka Clinic on April 25, whom they have named Johnny Rex.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Davis, who live out on Rt. 4, Tahoka, upon the birth of a daughter at 7:36 p. m. on Sunday, May 4, weighing 7 pounds.

The Clinic also announces that Olin Johnson underwent tonsilectomy there one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Ray Keener are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Keltner. Their little daughter Donna Sue had been here almost three months before their arrival last week. Before receiving his discharge, Monte Ray was a Warrant Officer in the Marine Corps. He had been in the service a little more than six years, spending most of the time in the Pacific. He and family expect to remain here for some time now, possibly permanently.

Mrs. E. A. Mittelsdorf and two sons, Virgil, who was discharged from the Navy in December, and Johnny, who was discharged from the Army in March, who have been here the past several weeks visiting her brother, Ernest Drager, and family, are expecting to leave Tuesday for their home in Hammond, Indiana, near Chicago. The sons have been employed in the construction of the City's new water reservoir, which is now nearing completion.

Lipstick on napkins may be easily removed with a mixture made of equal parts of ammonia and the regular household of hydrogen peroxide, using quick, short strokes with a small cloth saturated with the mixture.

**Radioactive Iodine Helps
Patient With Gland Tumor**

CHICAGO.—Radioactive iodine—a product of atomic energy—administered to a patient with a malignant thyroid gland tumor brought "definite and lasting clinical improvement," the Journal of the American Medical Association said.

An article in the Journal, describing the 25 year case history of a male patient with a malignant tumor, said that treatment with radioactive iodine X-rays "pointed to an arrest if not a regression of the disease."

The compound, produced in large quantities in nuclear chain reacting piles, was given orally in the form of sodium iodine in water.

The study by three New York investigators concluded that radio-active iodine "seems to be an effective therapeutic agent in the control of this type of tumor." The report was made by S. M. Seidlin, L. D. Marinelli and Eleanor Oshry of the medical division and department of medical physics of the Montefiore hospital and the physics department of Memorial hospital in New York.

**Japanese Colonel Takes His
Life by Freezing to Death**

TOKYO.—A Japanese colonel accused of wartime atrocities pondered for nine days how to destroy himself and then froze to death at the foot of Fujiyama, Allied headquarters disclosed.

Col. Masao Kusonose, about to go on trial for ordering the bayoneting and shooting of 140 Australian soldiers and some civilians on New Britain, was found dead in his boyhood barracks.

Near the body was an open diary in which the colonel wrote to the end. His neatly folded overcoat and carefully aligned boots lay nearby.

Entries in the diary showed that the Japanese officer spent the entire period mulling over how to kill himself.

**Two Children and Driver
Of Jeep Killed in Crash**

WHITE EARTH, N. D.—A man and two children were killed and two other children were severely injured near here when a jeep being used to carry rural pupils to school crashed through a bridge rail and dropped about 15 feet into White Earth creek. The dead were Lee Noakes, driver and owner of the jeep; Ina Marie Anderson, 8, and her brother, Monte, 5. The injured children were Lary and Linn Noakes, sons of the driver.

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On May 2nd the raw H. D. Club met with Mrs. R. R. Ballew. In the business meeting it was voted to visit the Wells Club and give a demonstration on the May program of work. The club also decided to give a 42 party with Mrs. Weldon Martin as hostess to raise funds for the club treasury.

After the business meeting, Mrs. Roy and Mrs. Seeley were in charge of the demonstration. Proper ironing equipment and basic rules for ironing were discussed, and Mrs. Roy gave a demonstration on ironing men's shirts.

During the social hour the hostess served a refreshment plate of sandwiches, olives, potato chips, wafers and iced lemonade to twelve members and two visitors.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Stalcup on June 6. All club members please be present.—Reporter.

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TAHOKA AIRPORT

BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE HOLDING MANY SERVICES

On last Saturday night about 25 young people of the Tahoka First Baptist Church went out to New Home and gave a program. Three of the number made talks, Willa Faye Akin, Velma Ruth Howell, and Randall Hinkle. Hinkle recently made the decision to devote his life to the ministry.

There was also a musical program led by C. A. Short, with Dolores Nowlin as pianist. Miss Nowlin and Wanda Faye Smith gave a duet.

Although the number of New Home young people present was not large, four of them rededicated their lives to Christian service.

On Sunday morning and night, Randall Hinkle filled the pulpit at Central Baptist Church eleven miles east of Tahoka. Jodie Webb, another young minister of the Tahoka Baptist Church, preached at the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, colored, Sunday morning.

Of course, these young men as yet are untrained and lay no claims to being Bible scholars, yet they are enthusiastic and devoted to their work, and their lives no doubt will count for much in the ministry.

The young people were planning to attend and to assist in every way on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights the revival being conducted at the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, colored. There is obviously a great field for service over there.

Mrs. Mildred Nowlin, accompanied by Mrs. Alice Fortenberry, went to Waco the latter part of last week to lay some carpets and otherwise prepare for occupancy of the home which she has bought there. She and family expect to move down soon after the close of school, and her daughter Dolores will enter Baylor University in the fall.

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MRS. DARRELL HAGLER

MISS IDA BOTKIN WEDS MR. DARRELL HAGLER

Miss Ida Christine Botkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor A. Botkin of Tahoka became the bride of Darrell M. Hagler, son of Mrs. O. H. England of Fort Worth, at 6:00 o'clock, Saturday evening in the First Baptist Church of Tahoka. Rev. Geo. A. Dale of Lubbock solemnized the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with white gladioli, Oregon fern, palms, and candelabra.

Proceeding the ceremony, Misses Inez Akin, LaQuita Burns, and Flodellon Corley sang "Always". Miss Valarie Wells played the traditional wedding marches and "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life" was played while the ceremony was being read.

The bride wore an afternoon white crepe dress with a finger tip length veil of illusion crowned with seed pearls. She carried a white Bible topped with bouquet of orchids. For something old and borrowed the bride wore a gold cross belonging to the maid of honor, for something blue she had her monogram in the hem of her dress. She wore a sixpence in her shoe. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

The maid of honor, Miss Velma Keller, wore an ice blue ensemble with white accessories. She carried a bouquet of gardenias and wore a matching halo.

James N. Hagler of Fort Worth served his brother as best man.

Mother of the bride wore a dress of black crepe trimmed in white lace with black accessories and wore a corsage of American beauty rosebuds.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the house of Mrs. Jim Burleson. The lace covered table was centered with a tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom. Mrs. Merlin L. Cooper presided at the silver coffee service and Mrs. E. W. Deviser served the cake. T. H. Williams was at the guest book. White flowers and silver tapers were used for decoration.

After a wedding trip in New Mexico, the couple will be at home in Levelland. For traveling the bride wore a grey-blue dressmaker suit with a white lace blouse and grey accessories. She pinned an orchid corsage to her lapel. The bride is a graduate of Tahoka High School and Texas Technological College where she majored in Home Economics. At the present time she is head of the Home-making Department of Sundown High School. She is a member of the American Home Economics Association and of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Mr. Hagler is employed by the Mid-Continent Supply Company. After serving four and one-half years in the Air Corp, three of which were overseas, he was discharged in February of 1946 as a Major. He is a former engineering student of the University of Texas.

Out of town wedding guests were from Ballinger, Whiteface, Sundown, Lubbock, Fort Worth and Gatesville.

H. Heathington, formerly of the Wells community, was here from Muleshoe on business Monday. He removed last year to a farm near

STATED MEETINGS of Tahoka Lodge No. 1041 the first Tuesday night in each month at 8:30. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome. C. E. McCLELLAN, W. M. L. A. Forsythe, Secretary



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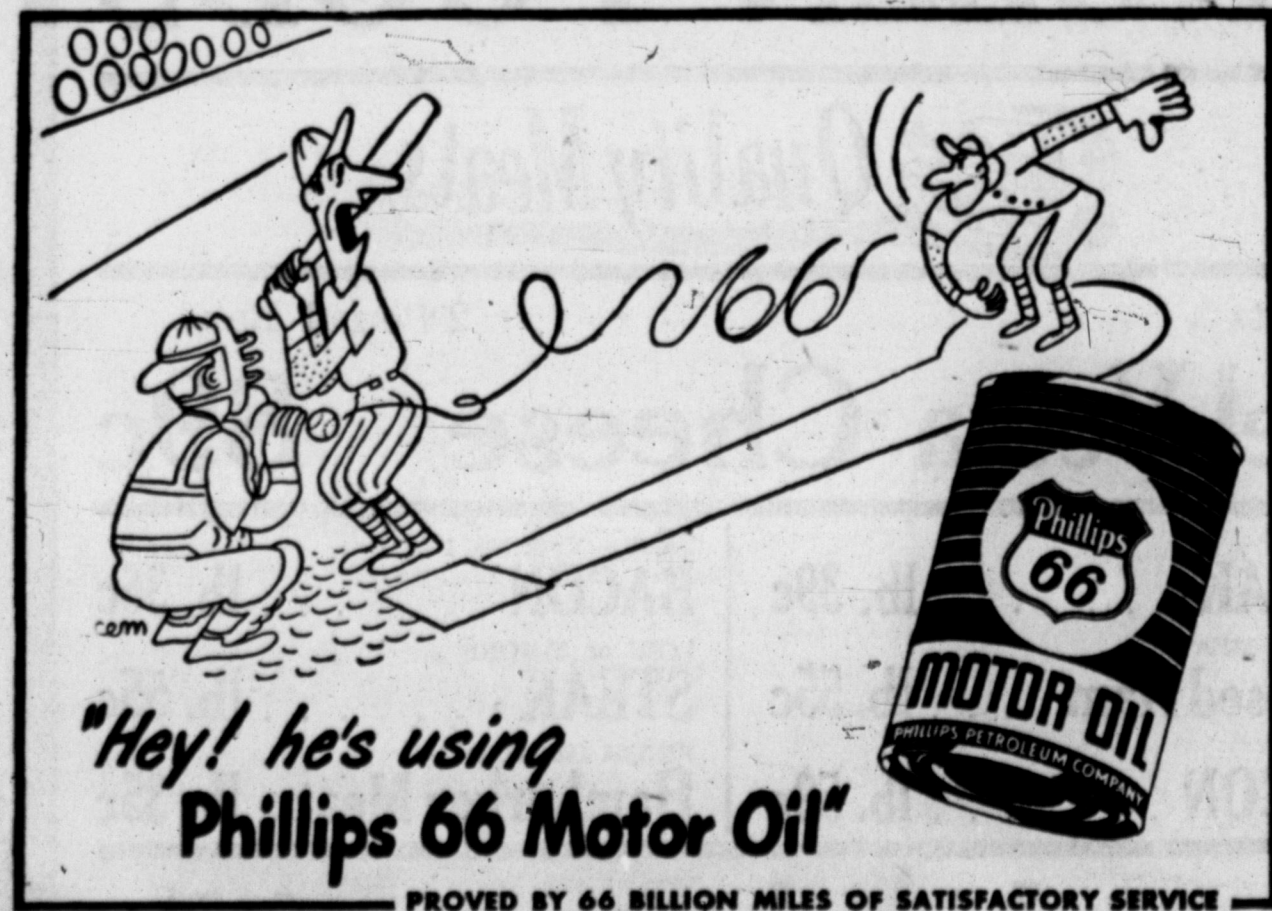
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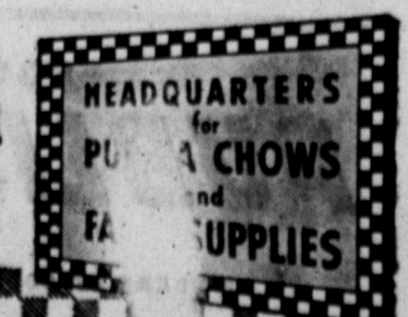
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FOR SALE—Used Air Conditioner for sale. New Pump, good condition.—Tahoka Drug. 30-tfc.

FOR SALE—One 1938 F-30 Farmall tractor, 4-row equipment and 5-row knife attachment. A. N. Norman. 30-tfc.

FOR SALE—4 adjoining lots, 29 1-2x125', 4 blocks north of courthouse on Lubbock highway. G. R. Milliken, phone 287. 30-tfc.

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FOR SALE—Stucco house of five rooms and bath, 1/2 block east of Tahoka Grade School. N. E. Wood. L. D. McKee. 29-tp.

FOR SALE—A 12-A John Deere combine, and a John Deere binder.—O. J. Stanley, 1 mi. north and 1 1-2 mi. east of Redwine schoolhouse. 30-2tp.

FOR SALE—Underwood typewriter. Mrs. Florence Cowan. 30-tfc.

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FOR SALE—2 6-room and bath modern stucco homes well located. Will carry large loan. Call 17-J or 220. Edd Hamilton. 31-tfc.

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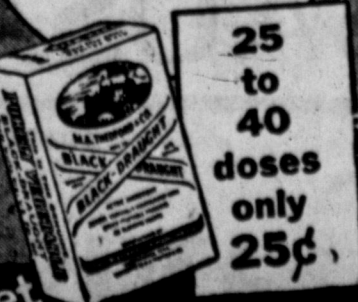
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For your care, I thank you very much in advance.

I hope to hear very soon of you.
Yours truly,
Gustav Moeldner.

Address given above
Possibly some of our German-American friends can give him some information.

When the recipe calls for cake flour and you have only bread flour, sift several times and use two tablespoons per cup less than the amount of cake flour called for.

CHILD GUIDANCE CLUB MET WITH MRS. WHITE

The Child Guidance Club met last Monday night in the home of Mrs. Jim White. Mrs. June Nevels had charge of the program on character development.

The following topics were discussed: "Ideals Are Made At Home," by Mrs. Gibson; Manners and Courtesy by Mrs. Alton Cain; and "Right and Wrong Forms of Respect" by Mrs. Orville McIlroy.

Those present to enjoy this helpful program were: Mrs. June Nevels, Stout, Charlie Nelms, Felix Jones, Orville McIlroy, Vernon Davis, Hick Gibson, Alton Cain, Roger Zell, Urban Brown, Ivan McWhorter and the hostess, Mrs. Jim White.

Mrs. Rollin McCord of this city, a trained nurse, was called on Saturday night to go to Texas City to help nurse the patients there who were injured in the recent series of blasts that almost destroyed the city. She left for that place almost immediately.

Mrs. W. R. McNeely underwent a major operation in the Lubbock Memorial Hospital Monday and on Tuesday was reported to be doing nicely.

When making buttonholes in flimsy or travelling material, paint the spot where the buttonhole is to be with colorless nail polish.

Make Old Folks Topic of Study

University Scientists Take On Investigation to Last 30 Years.

CHICAGO.—Three University of Chicago scientists took a deep breath the other day and launched a study which will take them 30 years to finish.

They want to know what makes old folks tick. If the scientists tick long enough to complete the project they'll be old folks themselves.

With elderly people comprising a larger and larger part of the population, the scientists want to know what's necessary to keep the old folks happy, how useful they can be, how many the government will have to support and what the political consequences will be.

Being social scientists, they are interested in "adding life to years, not years to life."

Researchers are Robert J. Havighurst, 46, professor of education; Ernest W. Burgess, 60, professor of sociology, and Herbert Goldhamer, 33, assistant professor of sociology.

Avoid Old Age.

The University is underwriting the project, known as "a study of later maturity." The scientists carefully steered away from the phrase "old age" in the title, since they don't want to alienate the 2,000 subjects they'll be using.

The 2,000 persons picked as a sample group for study represent a social and economic cross-section of society.

Economically they range from skilled workers to business executives. They are 50, 60, 70 and 80 years old, and all will be studied as long as they live.

They will be interviewed personally and once each year they will be asked to answer a questionnaire. How well adjusted to society old folks are will be determined by deciding how active they are in group work. How happy they are can be judged only by their responses to some of the questions.

True or False.

Included in the true or false questions are:

"I feel just miserable most of the time."

"I certainly don't feel as old as I am."

"I never want to see my family again."

"I never dreamed that I could be as lonely as I am now."

"People treat me as if I were a nobody."

"The days seem endless."

"I seem to have less and less to live for."

Just how significant this study might prove to be was pointed out by Havighurst: "In the early 1900s in the United States two-thirds of the population was below the age of 18. Now over two-thirds of the population is over 18 years old."

"In 1940 there was 10% per cent of our population 60 years of age or older. By 1980 we'll have 15 to 20 per cent of our people 60 years or older."

Tank From Jet Plane Stirs Bomb Scare in Great Britain

LONDON.—An empty fuel tank from a "Gloster Meteor" jet plane crashed in the back yard of an Oakley, Surrey, home, giving rise to rumors that a "doodlebug" flying bomb had fallen.

The tank dug a hole three feet deep and four feet in diameter and scattered twisted metal and pipes, some six feet long, about the yard.

Oakley residents thought it was a "dud" flying bomb until the air ministry announced the tank had become detached accidentally from a plane while it was on a routine flight from Tangmere to Horsham.

Two Army Medals Available, War Department Announces

WASHINGTON.—The war department announced that the WAC service medal and the 1918-1923 army of occupation of Germany medal now are available for distribution to all authorized persons.

The occupation medal is authorized for service in Germany or Austria-Hungary between November 12, 1918, and July 11, 1923.

THE WAC service medal is authorized for women who served between July 20, 1942, and September 2, 1945.

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Long life to her—for there's no other
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Football Banquet Held Tuesday

A little over one hundred people attended the delayed annual banquet for the Tahoka High School Bulldog football squad held in the gymnasium Tuesday night.

Following an unusually excellent dinner in the beautiful blue-and-decorated room, an interesting program was presented.

Superintendent Vernon Brewer acted as toastmaster, and Randal Hinkle, a member of the team pronounced the invocation.

The Juniors, Joretta Shawn, Savannah Tunnell, Bobby Cowan, and Billy Faye Anderson, sang two numbers.

Lettermen were introduced by Coach Foust in a few well chosen remarks.

Rev. J. W. Rosenburg, the local Methodist pastor, delivered the principal address, following which Coach Foust showed movies of the 1946 Tech-Arizona football game.

The Tahoka Lions Club made the banquet the occasion of their regular meeting, and a number of the members of this club, and their wives were present.

Supt. Brewer explained that the banquet had been delayed hoping that the letter jackets might arrive, but the jackets still have not arrived, and it was decided to go ahead with the event.

Football boys who will not be back next year by reason of graduation, moving away, and other reasons are: N. M. Barham, James Cleve Bairrington, Harold Crotwell, Billy D. Dorman, Marvin Healy, Duane Howell, Bobby McMillan, Sargent Munn, C. A. Short, H. R. Tankersley, Kenneth Weaver, Tommy Chandler, Stanley Ratliff, Bobby George Oliver, Garner Barham, and Manager Joe Harvick.

Lettermen who are expected to remain are: Don Akin, Phil Bairrington, Finis Botkin, Bobby Boyd, Duane Carter, Don D. Cowan, Randal Hinkle, Billy Hodge, Joe Don Minor, Billy McNeely, B. L. Parker, Kenneth Reed, Wayne Sherrod, Billy Bert Stevens, Almon Crotwell, Jesse Dorman, Horace Strickland, Bobby Tippit.

Fep leaders honored on the programs: Wanda Short, Ann Cowan, Gerald Wayne Tippit, Noah Lee Cromer, and Gilbert Hough.

Mrs. Durwood Unfried and baby of New Home have returned from Pennsylvania, where they visited her mother. They went by plane but returned by car.

Explanation Made of Admission Fees To Softball Games

During the summer softball program admission charges will be made only for home games of the South Plains Softball League an official of the Chamber of Commerce said today. It is thought that by charging for these games the expenses connected with the program as a whole may be met.

It has been necessary to install new lighting equipment, which entails considerable expense, and in order to raise this money it was necessary to charge for the games or solicit everyone for donations. Since one of the main objectives of the Chamber of Commerce is to discourage such solicitations the board of directors decided to charge for league games.

All County League games and practice games will be free to the public and everyone is invited. There will be games every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday nights. The Tahoka team in the South Plains League has ten more home games this summer and have recently bolstered their club with two good pitchers and promise to make things hot from here on for the other league teams.

Their next home game will be here Tuesday night May 13 at which time they tangle with the strong Blue Bonnet Laundry team from Lubbock. Admission charges will be twenty five cents for adults and ten cents for children.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a. m.
Junior Church 6:45 p. m.
Intermediate MYF 6:45 p. m.
Senior MYF 6:45 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:30 p. m.
Choir Practice, Thurs. 7:30 p. m.

H. T. Loyd was over from Denver City Tuesday to get his furniture, which has been in storage since he and his family moved to that city several months ago. Mr. Loyd, who worked here for the City and later for the Wallace Theatre, now is manager of the Rhea Theatre at Denver City.

Mrs. J. L. Reese left Saturday for Abilene to visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. (Carna) Reese.

Mrs. E. A. Hargrave of New Home has been seriously ill for several days in Tahoka Clinic.

Pilot Saves Airliner After It Strikes Tree, 45 Escape

MOBILE, ALA.—A Pan-American airways DC-4 passenger plane, which struck a tree in an attempt to land at New Orleans, made an emergency landing here.

Some 45 persons were said to have been aboard the plane when it was brought down here shortly after 1 a. m. None was reported injured. The craft, arriving at New Orleans from Balboa, Canal Zone, came to Mobile on three engines after damaging its left outboard engine at New Orleans where bad weather prevented a landing.

Two Robbers Make Off With \$250, Miss \$50,000 Parcel

CHICAGO.—A \$250 robbery went off without a hitch but the robbers passed up \$50,000.

Two men entered a branch office of the American Express agency and cowed Mrs. Theresa Marchetti, manager, and James Murton, company agent.

They tied both with clothes line and cleaned out the cash register. But they left without searching their victims. Murton had been delivering a supply of travelers' checks to branch offices and had \$50,000 worth in his pocket.

Woman Weeps at Holdup and Softens Heart of Young Thief

CHICAGO.—Ruth Fagan, lingerie shop employee, wept when a young robber ordered her to "give me all the money in your cash register." Miss Fagan handed him \$11 and sobbed, "That's all I took in today." The man looked at his loot, then said gruffly, "Take it back, you need it worse than I do."

Match Roping Contest At Post

Two of West Texas' top-ranking calf ropers will be matched for the first time in a fast moving show at Post Sunday afternoon, May 18, in the new rodeo arena built there recently on the northern outskirts of Post.

The two ropers that are matched for this event are Lantham Riley, who grew up around Colorado City and Snyder and Sonny Edwards of Big Spring, both of whom have been spectacular rodeo contestants in past years in Post and over other sections of the state and the U. S.

Although they have been entered together in many rodeo contests throughout the United States, the May 18, event will be the first time they have been pitted against each other in a matched contest.

A jack-pot roping contest will be open to all comers who want to enter that event the same afternoon. It is expected that from 20 to 25 West Texas ropers will enter this event.

All the stock that is to be used are sucking calves which have never before been roped. Riley stated that he dreaded them worse than he did those Dublin Brahmas at Madison Square Garden, where he won third place last year.

The News this week is using number of short "fillers" written by Mrs. Pearl Key of, Tahoka for the Universal Farmer.

Classified Ads

Too Late To Classify

FOR RENT—Bedroom with kitchen privileges, 3 blks. north and one block east of highway intersection. Mrs. Vivian Bihrey, Phone 196-J. 31-3tp.

WANTED—A job on farm; am experienced tractor driver; want \$5.00 a day or 50 cents an hour. W. H. Wells, 8 mi. E. 1-4 mi. S. of Tahoka. 31-2tp.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—Late model planting attachment for Case S.C. or C.C. in good condition.—John F. Thomas, 5 mi. E. and 4 mi. S. Tahoka. 31-2tp.

LOST—Rensley wrist watch in Tahoka, about noon Thursday. Leave at News office. 1tp

FOR SALE—A. C. Combine, 750-16 inch tires, car bearings in the wheels—and a raised grain bin. Price \$350. Garland Peak, Rt. 4, 2 1-2 mi. West of New Home. 31-2tp.

WANT TO BUY—A girl's bicycle. J. D. Finley. 31tp

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Carrots Bunch **5c**

ICEBERG

LETTUCE, lb. 12c

GREEN - BUNCH

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SQUASH, lb. 12 1/2c

CABBAGE, lb. 5c



TEXSUN

46 oz. Can

Grapefruit **19c**

MARSHMALLOW

WHIP, Jar 33c

DEL-HAVEN - 2 Pound Box

PRUNES 35c

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TEN-B-LOW, Jar 35c

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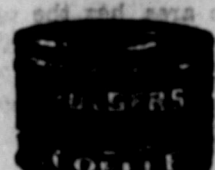
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No. 2 1/2 Can

Apricots **23c**



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1 Pound Can

Coffee **49c**

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39c

TEA

Lipton 1/4 lb. Box

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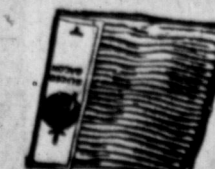
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WILL YOU HELP?

Tahoka will have as guests today, Saturday and Sunday, Flying Farmer delegates from District II, covering a wide area of West Texas.

If you have a spare room in your home, won't you help us entertain these visitors Friday night or Saturday night, or both nights.

If so, please call Clint Walker, phone 53-W.

Tahoka Chamber of Commerce

Situation . . .

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astor of the Tahoka Methodist Church.

Honor students of the high school include Nan Weathers, valedictorian, Doris Roberts, salutatorian, Joreta Hill, Ellen Williams, Carolyn Barton, Imogene Hargett, Bobby Lynch, Jacquelyn Venable, Mary Adamson, Delores Nowlin, Joyce Hodges, James C. Barrington, and Jo Ann Henderson.

Class officers are Sargent Munn, president; James C. Barrington, vice-president; Nan Weathers, secretary; Delores Nowlin, treasurer; Imogene Hargett, reporter; Noah Lee Cromer, yell leader; Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Bert

sponsors.

School Exercises

The commencement exercises will be held in the high school gymnasium on Thursday morning, beginning at 8:00 o'clock.

Professional will be the graduation exercises.

The Court will be the Queen of Learning.

Entrance of the Queen, Roberts.

Part poet will be Patsy a grade girl.

A quartet will be the Oester, Jerry Mac Stevens, the Class will be given by the Bennett.

Then will come the presentation of diplomas, and the class will sing "God Bless America."

Benediction and Recessional.

Seventh Grade

The Seventh Grade graduating exercises will not be held until Monday night, May 19, beginning

at 8:00 o'clock, in the Grade School Gymnasium.

The program has been announced as follows:

Processional, Mrs. Hutchinson, Invocation, Rev. Leon Quillin, Salutatory Address, Majorie Clinton.

Song, "Over the Rainbow," Class. Piano Solo, Lynn Carl Halameick. Seventh Grade Regrets, Mary Louise Pentoh.

Accordian Number, Tommie Whorton.

Valedictory Address, Dottie June Floyd.

Presentation of Diplomas, Mr. Urban Brown.

Song, "The Lord Is My Shepherd," Class.

Benediction, Rev. Levi Price. Recessional, Mrs. Hutchinson.

Flying Farmers . . .

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pilots and their families to and the airport and town or to various other parts of town.

The Lions club was given the concession rights at the airport and the committee is headed by J. E. Brown in connection with the concession.

On Sunday afternoon the last performance of the rodeo will begin at approximately 2:00 or 2:30 p. m. It is expected that many people from Lynn County and surrounding territory will attend this event.

The Tahoka Roping club is sponsoring this rodeo on Sunday and the Lynn County Flying Farmers are sponsoring it Saturday. However, the general public is cordially invited to attend this rodeo on both days.

It is not claimed that this will be a top notch rodeo, but it will be a good one that everybody will enjoy.

All the bronc riders, ropers and bulldoggers will all be amateurs, so there's bound to be plenty of spills and thrills and a lot of good riding and roping along with the bad, so don't fail to see at least one of the two performances.

The general public is invited to attend any and all of the air events taking place at the Tahoka Airport without charge except for the barbecue dinners. It is wished by the Lynn County Flying Farmers that the association that they were financially able to give the barbecue free to the public, but since they are not financially able a small charge will be made to the general public for this meal.

To prevent milk from boiling over grease the inside of the container near the top.

Industries . . .

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Plains counties in the last 50 years have had a 4,000 percent increase in population and if that rate continues for another 50 years, there would be 80,000,000 people here.

Calling on member towns to "build with what we've got and not look to greener pastures," Bandeen cited a comparison between the 56 West Texas counties and the states of New Mexico and Arizona:

"The 56 counties have an area of 65,000 square miles and 962,000 population. They produce 630,000 bales of cotton yearly, 15,000,000 bushels of sorghum grain, 23,000,000 bushels of wheat, have a cattle population of 1,300,000, produce yearly 22,000,000 pounds of wool, 2,000,000 pounds of mohair, 110,000,000 gallons of milk, 109,000,000 barrels of oil. They contain 3,000,000 acres of tillable land now unfarmed."

The sorghum grain production, he asserted, is six times that of New Mexico, Arizona and Colorado combined; the cotton production four times as great; cattle outnumbering those of New Mexico by 40 percent and of Arizona by 50 percent and exceed Colorado's total.

These counties produce three times more oil than the three comparative states combined, "and in things produced, in opportunities for development, all three of those states can not compare with West Texas."

Bandeen warned that natural wealth from agriculture is being dissipated "because West Texas keeps only one-third of soil wealth it produces—the great era of rural development in West Texas is finished and in the future we must look to industrial progress to continue growing."

Others warned that West Texas "must look to chemistry, hydrocarbons and plastics for its industrial income" in the future.

This immediate area has the opportunity of developing its grain sorghums and finding new uses for them, developing a proper feed and feeding out cattle for the market here instead of shipping them to the midwest; developing its produce production and improving the outlets; further development of and finding new uses for cotton; finding an outlet for minerals; and scores of other possibilities.

To prevent milk from boiling over grease the inside of the container near the top.

Softball . . .

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tained at Tahoka Flash O Gas or The Lynn County News.

C. of C. Team Plays Plainview Tonight

The Chamber of Commerce team travels to Plainview tonight for a return game in that city. Plainview defeated the C. of C. team here in the first game of the season 30 to 5. The C. of C. then postponed two games, one with Blue Bonnet and the other with Primm Drug.

On last Friday night C. of C. met Baidridge Bakery on the local diamond and was defeated 25 to 13.

The C. of C. team has been very weak in its pitching staff, but we understand that they have acquired a much better pitcher or two and expect to start winning some games or at least making it plenty hot for their opponents.

Blue Bonnet Laundry

Plays Here Tuesday Night

The C. of C. team will play the Blue Bonnet Laundry of Lubbock on the local softball field Tuesday night, May 13.

A charge will be made to the public for all the home games of the South Plains Softball League games in order that the Chamber of Commerce can meet expenses of the complete softball program here this year. All the Lynn County League games will be free to everyone.

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PUBLIC WARNING

Citizens are cautioned about blocking streets and the vicinity of the Fire station when the fire whistle blows, also about following the fire engine to a fire. In some cases the area around the fire station is so blocked that the fire engine cannot get out of the station.

When the fire whistle blows all vehicles in the vicinity of the fire station must stop. Running over fire hoses is a finable offense.

City Ordinance-City Marshal

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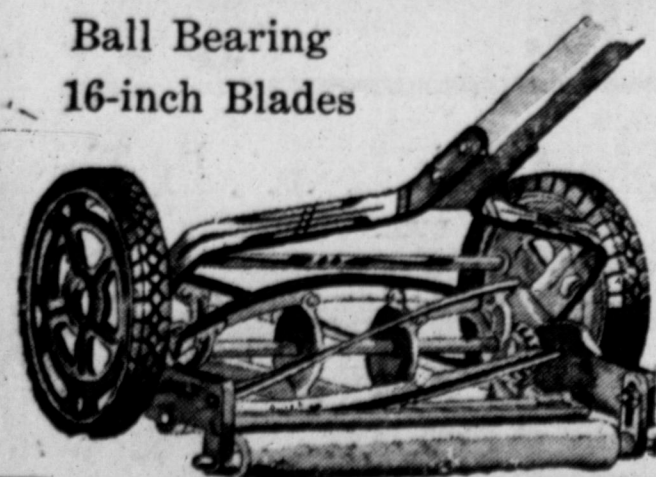
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Final Exercises At New Home

Closing exercises for the New Home public schools are to begin tonight, when the first to fifth grades will give their program.

On Sunday, May 11, the commencement sermon will be delivered by Rev. Melvin Ratheal, pastor of the Park-Dale Baptist Church of Lubbock.

On Thursday night of next week, May 15, the grade school graduation exercises will be held; also a program will be rendered by pupils of the sixth, seventh, and eighth grades. Bernadine Rudd will be the valedictorian of the graduating class, and Milton Evans the salutatorian.

On Friday night, the high school graduating exercises will be held. Charles A. Guy, editor of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal will deliver the Class address.

Nelda Jobe will be the valedictorian and Jo Dean Jones the salutatorian.

Seven girls and one boy will constitute the graduating class, as follows: Bob McAllister, Bonnie Faye Rogers, Frances Green, LaVerne Knight, Geraldine Jones, Betty Mary Fillingim, Nelda Jobe, and Jo Dean Jones.

A. L. Pace is the superintendent of the New Home Schools. An additional building for the district is now under construction.

To make neater creases on skirts and trousers, soap the inside of crease before ironing.

TANKERSLEY'S BRING CUNIO TO NEWS OFFICE

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Tankersley brought to the News office last Saturday a rather striking example of the handwork, or maybe we should say foot-work and also head-work, of the most industrious and frugal of all the winged insects, the honey bee.

This specimen consisted of eight large slabs of honeycomb with two or three minor slabs, built closely side by side from the limb of a tree, and fastened together at various places by cross sections of the waxy comb, the whole structure being as large as a three-gallon or four-gallon bucket, which Mrs. Tankersley's brother, John Buiman of Corvett county, had found and severed from a tree out in his pasture, and had furnished to them.

The comb is still oily and soft and is inclined to melt in the hot sunshine, but all the honey has been removed from the numberless cells that constitute the ingenious structure. The theory is advanced that the bees had eaten up all the honey and then either starved to death, froze to death, or abandoned their home in search of food. Many times bees build their nests in hollow trees in the woods, and it may be that they build onto the limbs more frequently than is known, but we have not seen anybody yet who has ever seen a bee structure just like this one.

To make an orange crate dressing table set two orange crates 18 to 24 inches apart and cover tops with hard board. Add extra shelves and paint.

Grassroots ...

By Bill Griffin
County Agent

Friday and Saturday May 9 and 10 the Flying Farmers of District II will gather at Tahoka to help the Lynn County Flying Farmers celebrate their annual field day celebration. These two days are set aside for the flying farmers to celebrate after a year of activities and advancement in aviation and agriculture.

There is more to the flying farmers than meets the eye of the average citizen of any community. Generally these men are thought of as a group who fly for entertainment but there is a business end to an airplane.

Fred McNabb, a Lynn County farmer who plans to have around 800 acres in cotton this year providing—owns his own airplane equipped with a cotton duster. Mr. McNabb plans to practice a complete insect control program with his airplane duster. Within a few hours time he can dust his complete cotton crop and head off any damage that might result from a delay in operations.

Within District II, many other flying farmers do similar jobs with their airplanes.

Don't forget, Saturday, May 17, 10:00 A. M. eight Lynn County 4-H Club boys will receive a registered Duroc sow pig and one 4-H Club boy will receive a registered Duroc boar. These boys will begin their 1947-48 Swine Program with the selection of their pig. The following boys are the winners in the 1947-48 Swine Program.

Gifts: Harold Moore, Route 1, Wilson; Billy Spear, Route 4, Tahoka; Cordell Hagens, Route 1, 3, O'Donnell; Billy Rash, Route 1, Wilson; Tommy Joe Billings, Route Tahoka; Lewis Wilson, Route 1, O'Donnell; Don Mires, Route 2, O'Donnell; Marvin Hagens, Route 1, Wilson.
Boar: Leroy Edwards, Route 1, Tahoka.

Classified Ads Save You Money.

Combine Operators Asked To Be Ready

COLLEGE STATION—A call to custom combine operators to be ready for the 1947 wheat harvest is being made by the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service.

J. B. Kidd, farm labor assistant in charge of the Extension wheat harvest program, announces that more "outside combines will be needed this year than ever before". Texas wheat and small grain acreage is eight per cent larger than the record acreage of 1946.

"The wheat crop is in better condition at this time of the year than in many seasons", says Kidd. "The subsoil moisture is good and Texas County agricultural agents report 98 per cent of the wheat in good condition. . . . the other two per cent in fair condition. Some green bug damage is reported but the present prospects are for a bumper Texas wheat crop."

Kidd also urges combine operators to plan to bring their trucks to the harvest. Independent truckers, not attached to combine outfits, may be needed, he says, and harvest labor of all types will be in great demand if the crop develops as it looks now.

The farm labor field man invites custom combine operators to contact him for any information regarding the coming harvest. His address is: Extension Service District Farm Labor Office, Box 1110, Plainview, Texas. The farm labor office will keep operators posted on crop conditions; combine, truck and labor needs; and what counties need help.

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The committee in charge of the affair includes Mesdames: Mel Leslie, Eldon Gattis, Perry Walker, Jess Gurley, and Tunnell.

Refreshments will be served and table games will be played. Any persons planning to attend, please notify one of the committee members by Saturday at noon, May 10.

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With approximately 100 in attendance, the local F. F. A. chapter held its Father and Son banquet Friday night, May 2, in the gymnasium.

Beginning the program with the regular opening ceremony held at each F. F. A. meeting, the banquet was carried along in light but manly fashion.

Phil Blairington then welcomed the guests of the evening. A deliciously prepared dinner, consisting of fried chicken, mashed potatoes, pear salad, iced tea, and coconut-lemon pie for desert, served as the next portion of the program.

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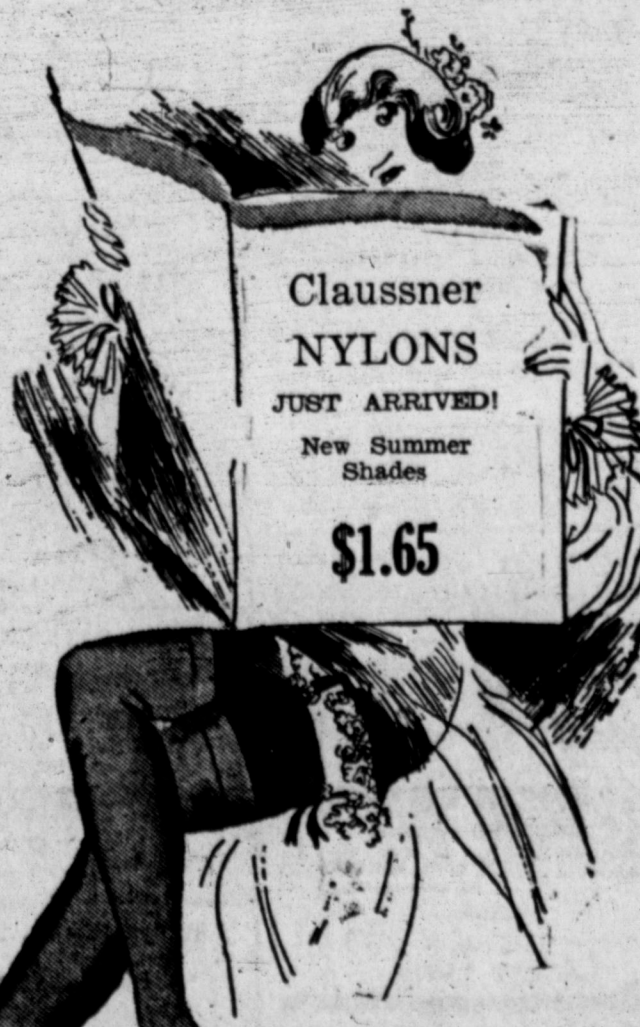
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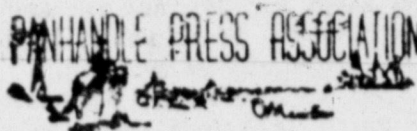
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Recent events prove conclusively that there should be a tightening up somewhere in the matter of granting pardons and paroles to convicts. A Senate committee appointed some time ago to investigate charges respecting laxity and gross abuse of the pardoning power reported a few days ago making criticisms of recent practices and suggesting some reforms. As the result of the report, one Senator has introduced a proposed constitutional amendment to "place full clemency responsibility" in the hands of the governor. We do not know the full import of the proposed amendment, but it occurs to us that the governor does not have the time to thoroughly investigate every application for a pardon. To do so would require his entire time and then some. There should be a board clothed with this power, but the duties of this board should be

clearly defined and its actions rigidly hedged about by law. Furthermore, no legislator should be allowed to appear before that board as the paid attorney of any person seeking a pardon. Punishment for this offense should be confinement in the penitentiary. Furthermore, professional pardon seekers for clients should be frowned upon by the Board. Members of the Board should themselves be men of the highest integrity and of a broad and profound knowledge of the law—men of the type who hold the highest judicial position in our state. They should be paid salaries commensurate with their responsibilities and that would justify men of this type in accepting such positions. Governors should be extremely careful in making these appointments and Senates just as careful in confirming them. The best insurance against graft and corruption is deep knowledge and high character.

The bills providing for Representative and Senatorial redistricting in this state seem to have been killed, outright or scuttled up a blind alley so far that they will never again see the light of day. One ground of opposition was that under the Constitution the state would have to be redistricted again following the 1950 census. But two decennial censuses have already been taken without any redistricting following them. Another objection was that the redistricting provided for in these bills was not fair to somebody. Of course that objection will be raised by somebody against any bill that is introduced at any time, for no such bill can ever be framed that will be perfect. The real objection that some Representatives and Senators have to these bills is that they would cost some of them their jobs. And that objection has been held against every redistricting bill that ever was proposed or that ever will be proposed. The only sure and practical remedy for this situation, it seems to us, is the submission to the people of a proposed Constitutional Amendment that would place the duty of redistricting the state upon some other body than the legislature itself. The Moffett proposal should be submitted by this legislature.

According to an Article appearing in the current issue of the Readers' Digest, documentary evidence has been procured proving beyond the shadow of a doubt that the Russian Government has been maintaining a spy system in Canada and the United States to obtain possession of the secret of the manufacture of the atomic bomb and other valuable information. Government officials and their

agents have resorted to acts of the basest treachery in efforts to accomplish their purposes. In fact, the Russian communists seem to regard treachery as the highest virtue when committed in an effort to promote the interests of their own country or to make trouble for their benefactors, the Western allies. It is no wonder that the allies have found it almost impossible to reach any kind of agreement with the Russians, and they can not be trusted if and when an agreement is reached. It is a pity that the great masses of Russia will permit a handful of communistic dictators and tyrants to run the country. But suppression of free speech and a free press keeps the masses in ignorance of what is going on in their nations and even within their own nation. And ignorance is fatal to freedom and democracy wherever it obtains and perpetuates a foothold.

What became of the pari-mutuel horse racing bill? Is it lying dormant in some committee room of the legislature expecting to pop up and be rushed through during the last two or three days of the session? If opponents of the measure are not sure that the animal is dead, they should keep their eyes and ears open and their knives whetted for quick use in case a surprise move is made during the last few days of the legislature to revive the skunk.

Sidelights From Washington

By George Mahon

The chorus of one of the favorite popular songs begins like this: "It's a good day for singing a song. It's a good day for moving along." Well, the Republican-dominated 80th Congress is not moving along very fast. The Republican program is to cut government expenses, reduce taxes, and pass a few pieces of legislation otherwise. Government expenses are being cut. That comes as a necessary consequence of the conclusion of war spending. However, cuts being made are not as deep as had been promised. The House passed a tax reduction bill which will no doubt pass the Senate in a modified form.

Last week the Republicans, after much difficulty, passed through the House a bill continuing rent control. Some of them who had promised the people freedom from all government war-time regulations hesitated to vote for the bill but did so under strong pressure from party leaders.

Also during the week an appropriation bill providing over-due G.I. Bill payments to veterans in college cleared both Houses and went to the President for his signature. Democrats chided the Republicans over the three months delay in getting action. This bill also carried funds to pay over-due cotton crop insurance claims.

Both political parties are reluctantly supporting the request for necessary funds to combat starvation overseas. These costs are very great to the American taxpayer. The principal relief item is wheat and grain prices have risen as the demands have increased.

The House finally passed a bill designed to prevent abuses by labor and management but as this is being written the Senate is still debating the question. Congress is further behind with its regular work than at any time in recent years, but Speaker Joe Martin is seeking

to speed up the program with the hope of Congressional adjournment by July 15.

The Washington highlight of last week was the enthusiastic demonstration of welcome which greeted President Aleman of Mexico City. Though he addressed the joint session of Congress in Spanish which few people could understand, he got as much applause as Winston Churchill upon such an occasion several years ago. Everybody seemed to want to give a big hand in the name of the good neighbor policy.

The handsome Mexican President was apparently very happy over the reception given him. His young son, Miguel, did not seem so impressed. Observing the absence of skyscrapers in Washington—the tallest building being only 15 stories—he told his Washington Boy Scout friends that he was anxious to go on to New York and see the sights!

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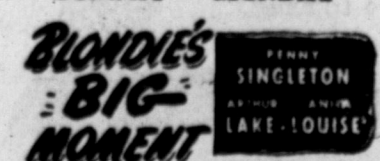
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THAT UNION MEETING

A. D. 33

We closed our study last week with the record of about three thousand souls being saved the first day of that meeting in which all twelve of the apostles of Christ were present. The second chapter of Acts closes with this statement, "The Lord Added to the church daily such as should be saved". Nothing said about them "joining the church of their choice".

Neighbor; if it is better for Christians to be divided up into many denominations today, why didn't the apostles start with at least several different denominations? If you believe the Bible teaches that Christians should be divided into "denominations", please write me, giving the passage that so teaches. Suppose the Baptist, Methodist and the Nazarene churches existed then as they do now. Which apostles do you think represented each church as its pastor? Brotherman: I am sure you agree that all those disciples, 3129 in number, were children of God, Christians. Suppose the churches mentioned above had been represented there, and 780 of those Christians wanted to become Baptists, Methodists, and Nazarenes respectively. What do you have to add to a Christian to make a "Baptist," A Methodist, or "A Nazarene?" If you had been among that number of Christians and 780 of them had decided to become Baptists; 780 decided to become Methodists; and 780 decided to become Nazarenes, and 780 decided to be Christians and remain as they were, with which congregation would you

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PRICE BEGINS SERIES OF DOCTRINAL SERMONS
 On Wednesday night of last week, Rev. Levi Price preached the first of a series of "doctrinal" sermons, which he had announced for each Wednesday night for several weeks. These discourses are being given not only as a matter of instruction for young converts who have united with this church but also for the enlightenment of the non-Baptist public generally, many of whom, he says, have imperfect and distorted ideas as to what the Bible teaches and as to what Baptists believe.

These discourses are not offensively critical of members of other churches or denominations and are not delivered in a combative spirit but in a spirit of love and of respect for the other fellow's beliefs and feelings. Nobody will be purposely or consciously offended by hearing them, and they will doubtless be intensely interesting to many people.

In the first of the series, he explained what is included in the

term Doctrine or Doctrinal. As applied to the Scriptures, it merely means a teaching, a truth set forth, a principle proclaimed, respecting God, Christ, and spiritual things. It is not a belief, an opinion, a dogma, or a creed at all. These may be erroneous, but a doctrine taught in the Bible is never erroneous.

No real gospel preaching can be done that in the true sense is not doctrinal. If it sets out Biblical truth or teaching respecting spiritual things it is per-force doctrinal.

Therefore, there should be no prejudice against doctrinal preaching so long as it is done in the right spirit. In fact it is the only kind of preaching that really counts.

You are cordially invited to hear these discourses.

Mrs. Myrtle Rochelle, who has been employed for several years in the State Unemployment Compensation Commission in Austin, is here with her father and her children for a long rest and the recuperation of her health. She arrived early Saturday morning of last week. The daughters Anita Jo and Sara Sue had been here several weeks already, attending school.

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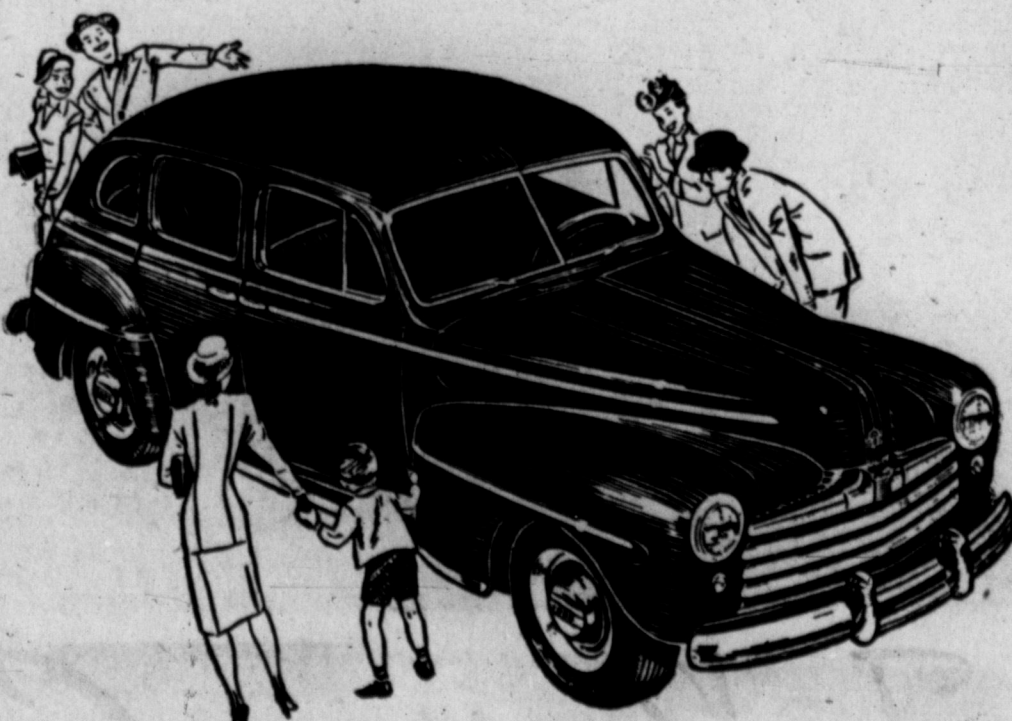
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After the lesson and business session, refreshments of open-face sandwiches, cookies, and cakes were served by the hostess.

Our next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Florine Best and Mrs. Tom Short, Monday, May 19, at 8:00 p. m.

HAS LONG MEMORY

Ben Moore of O'Donnell has a keen appreciation of the unusual and the striking incidents of life. Monday he sent to the News the following little squib.

"Not so interesting to others, but to me it is funny that as I was going over to Dora's (Mrs. Dora Tunnell's) yesterday, I suddenly remembered that exactly 37 years before (May 4, 1910) I made my first trip to Lynn county and arrived at Tunnell's on that day. Still telling.—Ben Moore."

That was the year the railroad came to Tahoka and O'Donnell. There was not a highway and very few public roads in the county. Just a few hundred people and many thousand prairie dogs here then. Ben has seen a wonderful transformation of the South Plains since he first ventured up onto the caprock.

W.S.C.S. MET WITH MRS. ROSENBERG

The W.S.C.S. met Monday in the home of Mrs. J. W. Rosenberg.

The devotional was brought by Joyce Weaver, Dot Durham, Carolyn Collier, Loretta Bartley and Mary Louise Fenton in song. Following the devotional, Mrs. Roy Edwards brought the lesson which closed the study on "Race Relations".

Those present to enjoy this hour of study and fellowship were: Mesdames Smith, Reid, Boyd, Thompson, Bell, Gibson, Small, Ware, Godfrey, Gill, Edwards, Ward, Franks, Penton, and the hostess, Mrs. J. W. Rosenberg.

Mrs. Gilbert Lamb, the former Miss Ola Belle Singleton, is here from Austin on a three-months leave of absence to visit her mother, Mrs. J. R. Singleton, and to have her eyes treated. They have been giving her much trouble recently. She is employed in the office of the Board of Control.

Food for Germany To Cost 171 Million

Russian-Controlled Section Will Be on Its Own.

WASHINGTON.—The senate war investigating committee has learned that it probably will cost American taxpayers 171 million dollars this year to feed the U. S. zone of Germany.

The Russian-controlled area eats homegrown food at no cost to Moscow.

Statements gathered by George Meader, committee counsel, during a three-week trip to Europe laid the blame for this situation on the failure of attempts to unify Germany economically.

Blaming the French for blocking plans to set up central German administrative services, the statements obtained by Meader from army and military government authorities said the United States had been forced to stop the dismantling of German plants for reparations because of the threatened financial drain on this country.

The statements also indicated that even if economic unification of Germany were brought about immediately, it might take two years for the Germans to become sufficiently self-supporting to require no further food shipments from the United States.

Occupation officials disclosed that the Soviets thus far have been unwilling to finance any food import into their zone and have supplied only relatively small amounts of seed and potash fertilizer to the American area.

Another section of Meader's files contained figures showing that Russia still is holding about three million Germans as prisoners of war against fewer than 122,000 still held by this country, 600,000 by France and 180,000 by England.

German Women to Get Undies of Netting

BERLIN.—A brassiere of Wehrmacht insect net has been introduced to the German market to relieve the clothing shortage. The female apparel is fashioned from two nets designed originally to be worn over the soldier's helmet.

The shortage is so acute that in a Russian zone a woman is not given a ration coupon for the brassiere unless she is under 30 or pregnant.

The system is founded on the theory that the primary purpose of the garment is not the comfort of the wearer, but the comfort of those who see the wearer. Older women might think they have more need for a brassiere, but who cares?

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The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Draw Methodist Church will present a play, "Father Goes Domestic" Friday evening, May 9, at the Draw High School Auditorium. Admission prices will be twenty cents for children and thirty five cents for adults. The money raised will be used toward the purchase of a refrigerator for the parsonage.

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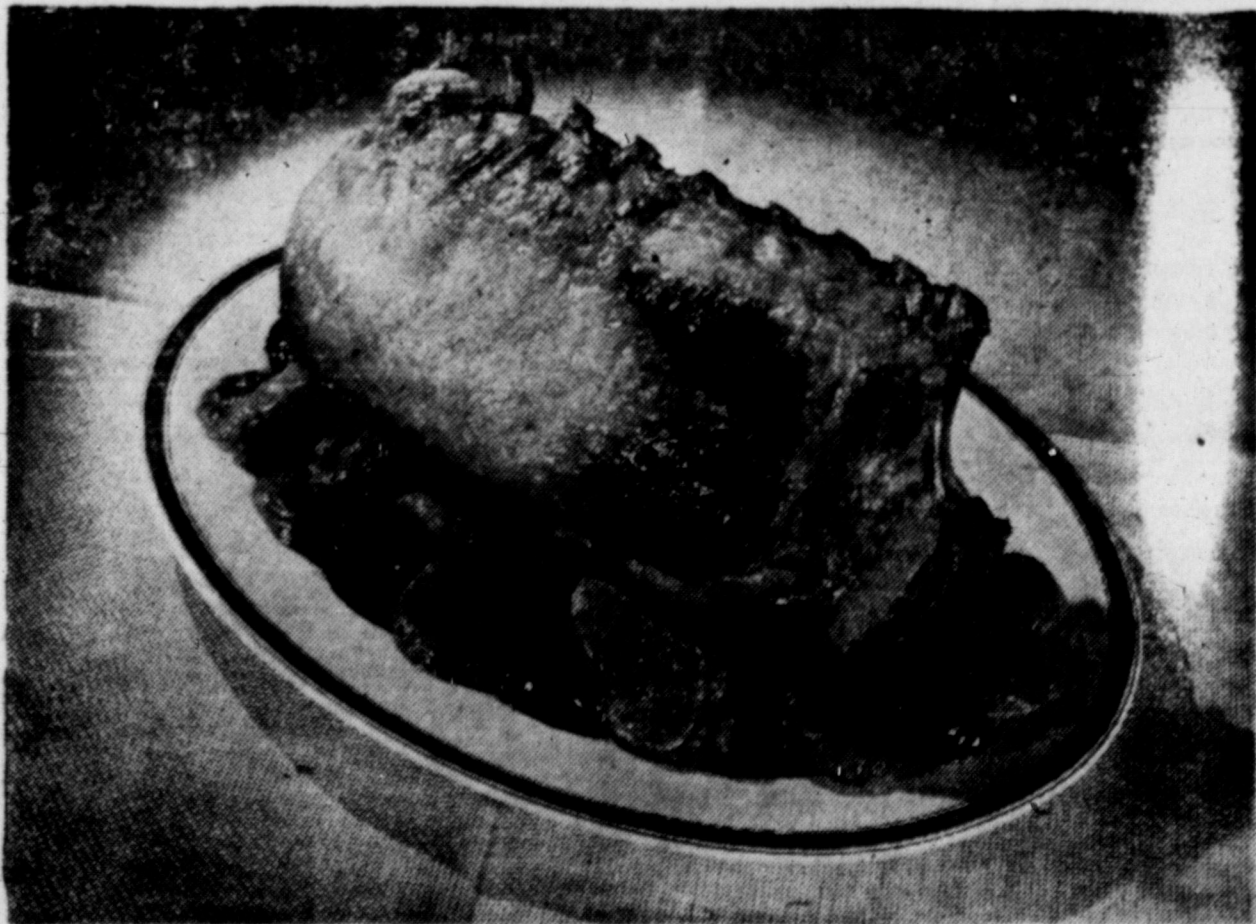
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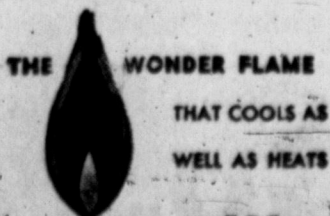
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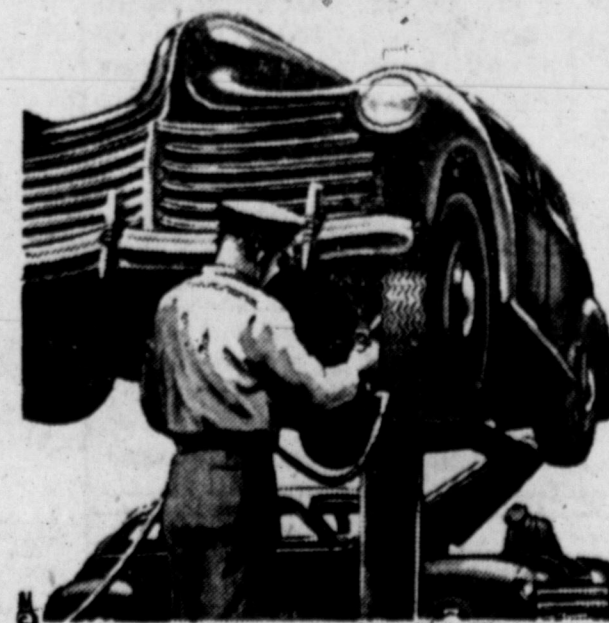
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