

## Cub Scouts Have Supper Meeting

The Cub Scout Pack 59 held their January meeting in the grade school cafeteria. A box supper was enjoyed. Chester Mitchell and Fritz Schacht auctioned the boxes to the cub scouts and the proceeds amounting to \$29.95 was given to the March of Dimes.

A new den No. 4 met for their first pack meeting. The eight boys received their Bob Cat pins in a ceremony performed by Mrs. Lavon Johnson. Members of the new den are Gary Holt, Joe Frank Hawkins, Randy Baccus, Tommy Musser, Jerry Kemp, Phillip Green, Joe Durham and Don Jackson. Don Schach is den chief and the den sopher is Mrs. Whitey Baccus with Mrs. Clyde Kemp assistant.

Mrs. Henry Bollman, den mother of Den No. 3 presented a puppet show and Den No. 2 cubs exhibited the "Growing Box." Chester Mitchell presented a Wolf Badge to Tommy Lee Johnson and Arrow Points to Troy Ray Jr.

A large number of parents attended the pack meeting to observe what the cubs had accomplished in their den meetings the past month.

Celebrating Scout Week this week the boys attended the church of their choice last Sunday wearing their uniforms.

A Cub Scout display may be seen this week in Truett Variety store window.

## One Candidate Out For Judge

G. C. Grimes of Floydada has announced his candidacy for the office of county judge and thus far is the only candidate for that office. Judge Ralph C. Johnston, the present county judge, told The Beacon Wednesday, that at the present time he did not think he would seek the office but wouldn't close the door completely on the matter.

Mr. Grimes served the county as judge two terms in the late forties. Two other candidates are reported to be considering the matter of running but have not made formal announcements as yet.

## Rotary Will Meet At Methodist Church

The Lockney Rotary Club will meet at the Methodist Church for their weekly luncheon starting Friday of this week. It was announced Wednesday by Joe Parrish, president. Mrs. Lura Stinebaugh will have charge of the meals.

The annual election of officers will be held Friday. Mr. Parrish said. The nominating committee was appointed some two weeks ago. All members of the club are urged to be present.

## Thieves Strike At Floydada Laundry

Thieves broke into a help-yourself laundry at Floydada over the week end but found very little to pay for their trouble. Members of the Sheriff's department report. The laundry was owned by Jack Whitfill.

Stolen was a small peanut vending machine. The machine was found by Hall Ferguson Monday morning in a ditch south of Lockney. It had been broken open and the pennies taken. The thieves also broke open a coke box but found no money.

## Commissioners Court Meets Monday

The Floyd County Commissioners Court met Monday in regular session to handle routine business matters and take care of other business. The Court appointed election judges for the county for this year. They also passed an order instructing that where gas lines cross a county road the line should be buried four feet deep and marked at each side of the road in order that road workers would know where it was located.

## TO DALLAS

Mary Richards was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. R. Richards Monday to Grand Prairie where they visited with relatives until Wednesday when Mary was to have a check-up at Texas Children's Hospital in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Watts and family and Mrs. W. L. Thomas Sr. spent Sunday at Friona visiting in the A. S. Grubbs home.

## Meeting At Main Street Church Starts Sunday

A gospel meeting at the Main Street Church of Christ will begin Sunday morning, February 14, and extend through Sunday, February 21. Thos. McDonald, the minister announced this week.

Mr. McDonald will do the preaching and Herbert Godfrey of Plainview will direct the singing. Services will be held at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. each day. Subjects to be discussed at the evening services are as follows: Sunday: "Who Wrote The Bible?"

Monday: "The Origin of the Church."

Tuesday: "The Great Physician."

Wednesday: "Heart Felt Religion."

Thursday: "Identity of the Church."

Friday: "Saul's Conversion."

Saturday: "Is It Wrong to Have Bible Classes?"

Sunday: "Where Are The Dead?"

The public is invited and will be more than welcome to attend all of these services. Mr. McDonald said.

## Jackets Awarded To Football Boys

Most Lockney Longhorn football players received their jackets or sweaters this week, although jackets for the senior boys hadn't arrived Wednesday but were expected any day.

The senior boys awards are Eisenhower-type jackets and are a bright red with the letter L in white. Receiving these will be Billy McCada, Roy Johnston, Denny Quisenberry, Eddie Foster, Allen Ray Pinner, Jimmy Scott, Jimmy Williams and Donnie McGowan, manager.

Underclass lettermen on the squad have received their awards, which are a coat-type jacket in the same colors. Receiving these were Marion Cross, Jimmy Rankin, Mickey Jones, Weldon Jones, Clifton Williams, Bucky Duval, Paul Ray Williams.

B squad members received their awards which are sweaters in the same colors as the other jackets. Getting these were Don Hollums, Lerel Foster, Benny Ballard, J. W. Dippery, Jerry Crouch, Jerry Urias, Royce Cartiel, Doyle McCada, Jim Bob Reynolds, Brannon Darnell, Lonell Hays, David Frizzell and Manager Donice Casey.

## W. E. Grimes Seeks Judge's Office

W. E. Grimes of Floydada has announced his candidacy for the office of County Judge. His announcement follows:

TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS:

I hereby offer myself as a candidate for County Judge of Floyd County, Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held in July. As you know, I held this office from 1945 to 1948 inclusive and was acting County Judge for a while during 1953. I believe in an economical administration of the office and being fair to everybody and invite your inspection of the records during my previous terms of this office. I will appreciate your vote and influence.

W. E. GRIMES.

## Capt. Keeter Now In Washington

Captain Clinton W. Keeter, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Keeter of Lockney, was assigned to duty with the 123rd Infantry Regiment, 44th Division, at Fort Lewis, Washington, recently. Capt. Keeter spent more than a year in Korea, participating in the fighting in that area and winning several decorations.

Capt. Keeter's wife and children have joined him at Fort Lewis. They made their home in California while he was overseas.

## City Election Will Name 3 Aldermen

The City Council has ordered a city election to be held the first Tuesday in April, the same being April 6, for the purpose of electing three aldermen. The election will be held at the City Hall.

Terms of Claude Hammond, George Webster and J. D. Wood expire this year. Hold over members of the Council are Joe Holt and Lloyd Wofford. Mayor J. E. Cox also has another year to serve.

Deadline for filing for a place on the ballot is 30 days previous to the day of the election or March 6, according to law.

## March Of Dimes Total Now \$6,376

Floyd County has exceeded its March of Dimes quota by some \$1,376 according to final totals released this week by Jimmy Willson Jr., of Floydada, drive chairman. The county's total now stands at \$6,376.22 and this is probably the final report on the drive.

Quota for the county was set at \$5,000 or around 50¢ per capita. It was the heaviest quota ever assigned the county in a polo drive.

Many individual campaigns aided in reaching the total. Willson said. The Mother's March both in Floydada and Lockney, went over well, and a radio auction over Station KFLD, Floydada netted \$539 for the drive just the past week. Various communities in the county all came through with good contributions and many business houses either gave generously or aided in putting over the drive in a fine way.

Joe Wilson was chairman for Lockney and the north part of the county. He and Jimmy Willson of Floydada both expressed their appreciation for the co-operation given in the drive and especially for the work of the community chairmen.

Of the final total \$2,374.02 was in the bank here that amount coming from Lockney, Lone Star, Providence, Alken, Irick and Sterley while \$4,002.20 was in the bank at Floydada, coming from Floydada and the remainder of the county.

## First Show And Sale Of Chester Whites Is Held

Twenty-nine head of registered swine sold for a total of \$2,947.50 at Plainview Saturday afternoon at the first exhibit and auction sponsored by the Texas Chester White Breeders Association.

The nine head of bred gilts averaged \$165, the six head of boars \$100.50 and fourteen head of open gilts \$73.

Gene Handley of Lockney purchased the high selling bred gilt of the show, paying \$185 for one consigned by R. C. Mitchell of Lockney.

Mack Sherbet and Mike Sherbet, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sherbet of Petersburg, exhibited the first place boar and first place open gilt respectively. The winning entries were litter mates of the Chester White boar which won grand champion honors for Mack Sherbet of The Denver, Colo., livestock show recently.

R. C. Mitchell of Lockney exhibited the first place bred gilt. Mitchell was awarded a trophy.

Raymond King of Lubbock judged the swine at the arena in the Dairy Show barns. Kenneth Bozeman of Lubbock was the auctioneer.

Ward Eakin of Tahoka is president of the Chester White breeders organization and R. C. Mitchell of Lockney is secretary.

## Judge Johnston Is Heart Chairman

Judge Ralph C. Johnston has been named chairman of the Heart Fund drive in this county. The drive is to be made February 14-21 but the county quota has not been set as yet, Judge Johnston said.



HERE IS LEW KISH, the children's friend, who will be one of the clowns at the All-Star circus, coming to the Lockney High School gymnasium on Saturday, February 27, under the auspices of the Lockney Rotary Club. Rotarians are now selling advance tickets for the circus.

## All-Star Circus Features 33 Acts

The All-Star Circus, coming to Lockney on February 27, features 33 acts and some 2½ hours of good, clean entertainment for both young and old. The circus will show here in the new high school gym under the sponsorship of the Lockney Rotary Club.

The 33 acts include Patine and Rosa, an acrobatic team; Tony and Mary Riddle, zebra and comedy table rock; Erick Adam and his trained Chimp riding a unicycle; Harry Ross and his highly trained dog, Pal; A. Adanson, high perch and neck swivel; Tilden and Herclink, rolling globe and aerial acrobatics; McDermott and his Himalayan bear act on skates; other aerial acrobatics, novelty acts and clowns.

The circus will give two performances, one at 2 p. m. and the other at 8 p. m.

Patine and Rosa, the acrobatic team were featured in Cecil DeMill's motion picture, "The Greatest Show On Earth." They are really great performers and their acts are the feature of the circus.

Members of the Lockney Rotary Club are selling advance tickets to the circus at \$1.20 for adults and 60¢ for children. If tickets are bought at the door the day of the circus they will cost \$1.50 for adults and 75¢ for children.

Money derived by the local civic club from the circus will go to the Boy Scout building fund, helping to pay for the new Scout building erected by the Rotarians last summer.

## Pvt. Robert Reeves Arrives In Japan

Camp Zama, Japan. — Army Pvt. Robert W. Reeves, whose wife, Genelle, lives at 2104½ W. Fourth st., Plainview, recently arrived for duty at Camp Zama, Japan.

Formerly the "West Point" of the Japanese Imperial Army, Camp Zama is the new home of the Army Forces Far East headquarters.

Private Reeves, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sim Reeves of the South Plains community, is now serving as a personnel clerk with the 8030th Army Unit.

Before entering the Army in October 1952, he graduated from Floydada High School and was a farmer.

## One Killed, One Injured In Wreck

One woman was killed and another seriously injured Tuesday afternoon when a 1946 Chevrolet overturned on a dirt road 1½ miles north of the Lone Star store. Two others escaped with only bruises and shock. The accident happened about 1:30 p. m.

Mrs. Velma Lee Reece, 22 years old, apparently was killed instantly when the car rolled over her. Seriously injured was Mrs. Lovelle Cado, driver of the car. She is in Medical & Surgical Hospital here with a fractured pelvis. Eunice Green, 15 years old and her brother, Harold, 11 years old were only slightly hurt.

Mrs. Reece and the Green girl were riding on the front fenders of the car which was traveling south toward the Lone Star store. The car hit a soft shoulder, swerved to one side of the road and then another and finally overturned possibly two or three times, it was reported. Mrs. Reece suffered a basal fracture of the skull which caused her death.

Carter Ambulance brought the injured to Lockney for treatment. Ed Carter said that the Reece woman had been thrown into a field while the car after overturning had reversed its direction and was headed back north.

Mrs. Reece's home was in Eudora, Arkansas, but she had been visiting here since Christmas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ray, who live on the E. O. Barrett place in the Lone Star community. Carter Funeral Home of Lockney said that they would leave Thursday morning to take the body back to Arkansas. She is survived by her mother, step-father and two small children, it was reported.

The four people had been picking up cotton in the area but had started to the store when the accident happened.

## Annual Meeting Of Consumers Fuel Members Wed.

The annual meeting of the membership of the Consumers Fuel Association will be held Wednesday of next week, February 17 at 2 p. m. at the Plains Theatre here.

Several attendance prizes will be given. Business to be transacted includes the election of two directors and hearing an audit report on the past year's business, according to Thurman Davis, secretary.

The terms of Hubert Frizzell and Henry Schacht expire with this meeting.

## Farm Bureau Meeting At Floydada Tonight

The regular monthly business meeting of the Floyd County Farm Bureau will be held at the office in Floydada tonight (Thursday) at 7 p. m. It was announced this week by Chester Carthel, president.

The membership committee of the county organization will present plans for a system of obtaining members which will make the test of membership campaigns easier. Mr. Carthel said. The committee is asking that those who attend the meeting bring a list of dependable workers because they will be needed to carry out the plans.

Other matters to be discussed include advertising, news reporting, the queen contest, women directors and possible other things. All directors and alternates and others who wish are urged to be present for the meeting.

## RICKY DAVID WATTS

The new son belonging to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Watts who live 12 miles south of town, has been named Ricky David. He was born at the Medical and Surgical Hospital on January 21. Ricky has three brothers, Tommy, Sammy and Danny and one sister, Janet Sue. Mrs. W. L. Thomas is the maternal grandmother.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Beacon Office

## T. E. Whaley Is Assistant Cashier

T. Elmo Whaley has been named assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Lockney and began his duties Monday morning of this week. Mr. Whaley came here from Memphis where he was connected with the First State Bank for several years.

Mr. Whaley said Tuesday that his family would move here at a later date.

## Muleshoe Teams Here Friday

The Muleshoe Mules and their sister basketball team the Mulettes will come to Lockney Friday night for three basketball games in Lockney's new gymnasium. The first game between the boys B squads will begin at 6 p. m. Coach Alexander said Wednesday.

The girls will play about 7 p. m. and the A string boys game will follow. The regular admission price of 50¢ for adults and 25¢ for children will be charged.

The Lockney teams, both boys and girls lost to the Muleshoe players in games at Muleshoe some two weeks ago but the games were both close and the local players have a chance to even the score now that they have their own gym.

On Tuesday night of next week, February 16, the Oton teams, boys and girls will come to Lockney for games and on the following Friday the Level; and girls will be here for a game with the Longhornettes.

## Win, Lose To Littlefield

The new high school gymnasium was inaugurated Tuesday night by the Lockney High basketball teams with one win and two losses to Littlefield teams. The Longhornettes won their game with the Littlefield girls easily, 50 to 26. Coach Dempsey Alexander allowed his first string team to build up a good lead and used his reserves during the most of the last half. Nell Cunyus was high point player for the Lockney girls with 22 points. Pat Poteer Jones had 12 points. All the girls were hitting well. Coach Alexander said. They hit 42% of their shots for the night.

Reserves seeing action were Foneine Boedeker, Mary Ford and Oddie Mae Rogers at forward positions and Darla Allison, Doyleene Harrison and Patsy Bybee at guard positions.

The Longhorn A string couldn't stay up with the fast Wildcat team and lost 61 to 46. Eddie Foster was high point man for the Longhorns with 14 points and Gardner hit 21 for the Wildcats.

The Longhorn B string also lost their game 26 to 20. Gene Handley made 7 points for the locals.

## Lose To Tulla

Both boys and girls lost to the Tulla teams at Tulla last Friday night. The Longhorns held the league-leading Tulla Hornets to a close game until the last quarter when they pulled away, winning 53 to 36. Tulla was a head 10-9 at the first quarter, 21-18 at the half and 33-27 at the end of the third quarter. Eddie Foster was again high point man for the Longhorns with 12 points.

The Longhornettes lost their game 69 to 51. Nell Cunyus was again high point player with 38 points. Delores Hutto made 36 for the Tulla girls. They are also leading the district.

## Good Gate At New Gym Tuesday Night

A fairly good crowd was present to inaugurate the use of the new Lockney High School gymnasium Tuesday night and to see the Lockney and Littlefield basketball teams play. Principal F. M. Smith said that there were 148 paid student tickets and 176 paid adult tickets. Total gate receipts were \$125.

The new gym was just completed last week and this was the first regulation game to be played in it. It seats 800 people and is very attractive and modern in design.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

## County May Get 25,000-35,000 More Acres Of Cotton

Although ASC officials in the county wouldn't hazard a guess at the total amount, it appeared Wednesday that Floyd County would get between 25,000 and 35,000 additional acres of cotton allotment under the increased acreage allotment bill passed recently by Congress.

ASC office manager Henry I. Martin said Wednesday that he had attended a meeting of office managers in Lubbock last Thursday and that farmers in this county would receive additional cotton acreage to make 65% of their three year average, 1951, 1952, 1953 or 40% of the highest year, whichever is higher, provided the total didn't exceed 47% of their total cropland.

The 47% factor does not take wheat acreage into consideration and for that reason will be a big help to counties where some wheat acreage has been planted. The 47% means all cropland in cultivation.

The county ASC office is now working on the various individual quotas but will have to send them to College Station for approval before mailing to the farmer. This will take two to three weeks, Mr. Martin said.

Some farmers, who have planted a big percent of their land to cotton in the past three years, will receive 50% to 60% increase over their first cotton quota. Mr. Martin said. One illustration was given where a farmer had 190 acre allotment under the first bill but will have 325 acres with the new allotment. In fact, in most cases where the farmer has planted a large percent of his land to cotton in the past three years, the 47% factor catches him before he reaches the 65% level.

## Oliver Will Re-Open This Week End

The Oliver Jewelry will re-open here this week end after being closed for three weeks for remodeling of the building. Ted Oliver, owner, said that the store would open Friday or Saturday but that the straightening up process would probably take another week. He expects to announce some special prices in next week's paper.

An attractive, modernistic front has been put on the building, the ceiling lowered, new lighting fixtures installed, new fixtures added and the general appearance of the building improved greatly. A floor covering will be laid over the newly run concrete floor. Mr. Oliver said.

Other Stores Modernize  
Bob's Barber Shop, just next door to Oliver's, also has a new, attractive front, just installed this week.

Johnson & Johnson Garage is another local firm that has a modernization project under way. They are installing a new front on their building, just east of Rhodes Grocery. It is the second improvement project for that firm. They completed a nice addition to the building last year.

## Lon Davis Sr. Is Red Cross Chairman

Lon Davis Sr. of Floydada has been named Floyd County membership and Fund Raising Chairman, it was announced by N. W. Williams, chairman of the Floyd County Chapter of the American Red Cross, recently.

The Red Cross organization will make a drive for membership and funds in this county during the month of March.

## CASH MARKETS

Poultry	
Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. and over.....	20c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs. ....	16c
Cocks, pound .....	7c
Eggs, No. 1 dozen .....	38c to 42c
Hides	
Hides, No. 1, pound .....	5c
Grain	
Milo, per cwt. ....	\$2.30
Wheat, per bushel .....	\$2.18

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## Minute Editorials

And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away. —Rev. 21:4.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to the Boy Scouts, both local and national, upon their 44th anniversary. The week of Feb. 7-13 is set aside for the observance of their birthday and The Beacon joins in wishing for them a thousand more anniversaries. Scouting is an important part of the life of many a boy and all the support and encouragement that the average citizen can give to the organization will not be wasted effort. Lockney and this community is doing its part in supporting the Scout movement from a monetary standpoint but perhaps the local organization could use more men who are interested in spending a little time with boys and encouraging them to take part in Scout activities. If you are such a man see Dee Reese. He'll find you a place to work.

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#### IT'S A SNAP!

Running a newspaper is a snap, in case you have never suspected it. Machinery does all the work. You sit in the office and write beautiful prose, and the machinery never breaks down or causes any trouble. Everybody brings in news and

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Newspapering is a snap any way you look at it, and it's time editors told the public how wonderfully simple and easy it is.—Bill Flour in Nance County (Nebr.) Journal.

#### FINALLY MADE IT

It all started a long time ago. Some of you can remember the Literary Digest, which same publication became defunct soon after its cataclysmic error committed in taking and interpreting the poll of opinion that proved beyond a shadow of a doubt that Herbert Hoover would beat Franklin D. Roosevelt. I felt all along that I should have been consulted in the poll, and that probably my opinion would have saved a publication I had patronized. But no, LD didn't care what I thought. Since then I have seen a good many polls in whose conclusions I could not concur. And in none of them was I ever consulted nor allowed to register my opinion. But at last I have arrived. I got a questionnaire yesterday from some research outfit seeking to learn more about the effects of cigarette smoking, and its relation to lung cancer. The hardest question to answer was Why did you stop smoking (after two years)? I finally wrote "Just because I wanted to." But it gave me a warm feeling that I have arrived at last. — You Be The Judge in the Ralls Banner.

The 820 Boy Scout Council camps have a value of \$35,000,000.

## Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the file of The Lockney Beacon.

February 4, 1916

The Beacon brought the first type setting machine to the county this week and this week's issue was set on the new linotype machine. This new equipment brings our equipment up to any small printing office in Texas.

Barker-Smith—Mr. Robin Baker and Miss May Smith were married Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of the bride's father, W. C. Smith of Mickey.

G. F. Bigdon announces this week as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner for Precinct 2.

Miss Anna Schacht spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Grace Sutton.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilcox, February 4 a 10½ pound girl.

Mrs. W. A. Bilten passed away last Sunday at 7 o'clock at her home two miles north of Lockney. Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church with Brother C. T. Nance officiating.

February 14, 1924

Friday evening at 7 o'clock the High School League of the M. E. Church met in a social meeting in the basement of the church. Attending were: Misses Leota Shurbet, Susie Fields, Eunice and Eva White, Ruby Catlin, Jettie and Nona Wells, Ethel Ewing, Elva Johnson, Johnnie Mae Harris, Kathy Lou and Blanche Mays, Essie Mae Eiland, Mrs. Jake Edward Newman, Jesse Harris, Alvin Wilson, Jake Griffith, W. O. Shurbet, A. J. Craper and Rev. J. P. Patterson.

February 19 has been declared

Clean-Up Day in Lockney by Mayor J. H. Byllington.

February 13, 1942

Word was received this week of the death of W. C. Baggett Jr. in an airplane accident in Hawaii, February 4. Young Baggett is the grandson of J. W. Baggett and is well known here.

The six-room house in which the O. J. Huggins family was residing in Bowie, Texas was destroyed by fire last Thursday. Practically all of their furniture and other household belongings were lost in the blaze. Emma Lois, daughter of Mr. Huggins, was severely burned about the face, it was reported here.

Mary Beth Bennett and Paul Kropp were married Saturday, January 31, in Floydada.

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## EDITORIAL

Being a Senior is wonderful, but it has its drawbacks. These "drawbacks" are the dollars you have to spend! Everytime you turn around, its money for this and money for that!

First, we had to pay for the senior rings. Of course, no one wanted to not have a gorgeous ring to show their grandkids so we shelled out amounts from twelve dollars up.

Then ten dollars for class dues, two dollars for deposit on the annual, two dollars on our invitations and the senior pictures.

When the pictures came we cheerfully paid for them and started trading. They were a must!

The diplomas must be paid for and the rent on our caps and gowns. There will be many a broke senior marching up the aisle to receive a diploma this spring.

Seriously, there is nothing equal to being a senior. It is what you have worked for twelve years, it is having the rest of the kids looking up to you, it is trying to outdo any senior class in history, it is wonderful.

If I had to choose one thing to be all of my life it would be a Senior. (But I'd start saving pennies long before.)

## Where Are They Now?

Gene Applewhite lives in Leander now. Unauthorized sources (Norton Baker and Teddy Carthel) stated about three places he might be: in the navy, working on a dude ranch or going to school.

Gyndolen Beauchamp is working for the West Texas Utility Company in McCombe, Texas.

Buddy Brown lives near Plainview on a farm.

Susie Farish is getting ready for an April wedding. She and Pat Frizzell will have a new house near Lone Star. Pat will farm. Susie attended Tech for a few weeks last fall.

Elmo Fortenberry is working in Whiteface as a telegrapher. He attended a communications school in Pueblo, Colo.

Patsy Holland is taking a business course in Plainview. She should be a good secretary.

David Jameson, after attending school in Pueblo, Colo., is working in the Floydada Railway Station as a telegrapher.

Mary Richards works in Alexander's Drug in Plainview.

Betty Williams and Beth Rigby work as waitresses at the Playland Cafe in Plainview.

Mavis Tate runs the switchboard in her aunt's tourist court in Snyder while waiting for B. T. to get out of the army.

Nell Wells works as a cashier at the Hilton Hotel in Plainview.

Ernestine: You have the most beautiful and the sweetest eyes in the world.

Jim Myers: I'm glad you like them, they were a birthday present.

## Tulia Wins Two

The Tulla Hornets beat the Lockney Longhorns 53-36 Friday, February 5 at Tulla to remain first in District 2-AA. Eddie Foster and Jimmy Myers were high point men with 12 each.

Game statistics:

Name	FG	FT	PF	TP
Myers	5	2	0	12
Foster	5	2	3	12
Scott	2	3	2	7
Cross	1	2	1	4
Rankin	0	1	5	1
Ford	0	0	2	0
Holmes	0	0	0	0
Williams	0	0	0	0
Handley	0	0	0	0
Totals	13	10	13	36

Tulla Statistics:

Name	FG	FT	PF	TP
Hamilton	1	5	1	7
Carille	0	0	0	0
Gales	2	0	0	4
O'Daniel	5	1	0	11
Madura	0	0	1	0
Hutson	0	0	1	0
Atchley	1	0	0	2
Daniel	6	1	4	13
Morris	5	0	3	10
Jackson	0	1	1	1
Daniel	1	3	2	5
Totals	21	11	13	51

The girls lost their game 69-51. Neil Cunyus hit 37% of her shots, while Margaret Holt hit 25%, and Pat Poteet 13%. Cunyus made 38 points for Lockney.

## Barbara Hays Goes To Dallas

Barbara Hays, a junior, left Wednesday morning for Dallas where she will join a 300-voice choir in singing before the annual meeting of the Texas Music Educators Association. Barbara was chosen for the all-state choir in try-outs at Lubbock in November. She sings first alto part. She boarded a chartered bus at Ralls carrying choir members from Lubbock and Plainview. She will return home Sunday.

## Band News

The members of the Lockney Band were quite surprised to see about ten or fifteen new students and two new horns in the Band Hall Friday. The students were the best ones from the beginners group. They came to sit in that day and we hope to have them all the time. They were: drums, Jimmy Holt, Wanda Cox, Janis Mathis and Eva Sanchez; bells, Lanell Johnson and Minnie Thurman; cornet, Martha Harden; alto sax, Barbara Wilson; clarinet, Sonny Lawson, Delores Brown and June Seymour.

The school has purchased a new corn tuba (bass horn). This horn cost \$600. It will be played by Allan Younger. The Band Parents Club is considering the purchase of a good used tuba. These horns will help Luther Williams, our only tuba player and add a lot to the sound and appearance of the band. We appreciate them very much.

## WHOZIT

A Senior girl who is known very well in the hall of L. H. S. and she is also a very good friend of a whozit that we have had in the past.

The whozit last week was Billy McAda and was correctly identified by Eddie Joe Foster.

Joan: "Say, I hear Babs Hays is getting a double chin."  
Buck: "Too much work for one I suppose."

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## Sweetheart Banquet Tonight

The annual banquet sponsored by the ladies of the Baptist Church in honor of the graduating class of the year is to be held tonight in the dining room of the Baptist Church. A good program and meal is planned.

The Seniors look forward to this event as one of the highlights of the Senior year in school. It is formal and gives every one a chance to dress up and have a really good time. We appreciate the honor very much and expect to have a wonderful time.

We will have a complete report on this event for you next week.

## Girls Perform For Club

The L. M. E. M. Five, a girls quintet composed of Patty Adams, Joan Harris, Barbara Carthel, Barbara Hays and Sandra Myers, appeared at the first meeting of the Methodist Men's Fellowship Club Tuesday night.

The numbers were very well received by the men and the girls enjoyed getting to be on the program. They sang "Blue Moon," "I See The Moon," and "Someone to Care."

These girls discovered that they could sing together when they were all invited to entertain at the showing of the new Chevrolets. Since then, they have sung for several events. Patty Adams, Barbara Hays, Joan Harris and Barbara Carthel are the singers. They are fortunate in having a very good accompanist, Sandra Myers.

## Visit S. M. U.

Sandra Myers and Ann Belt were week end guests of June Wiley on S. M. U. Campus. They went to Dallas with Sandra's parents who visited relatives. Sandra and Ann went to the dormitory Friday night. Saturday they had lunch in the Century Room of the Adlophus and saw the ice show. Saturday afternoon was spent in shopping and Saturday night they attended the basketball game. The game was between S. M. U. and A. and M. with S. M. U. coming out ahead. The girls got an idea of dormitory life and food and decided

## Lotta Bull

Well, we sure are loaded this week. Barbara Carthel whose was that two tone brown Ford you were in Saturday night? MARK (of the L. M. E. M.'s) do you really want a tall good looking boy in a blue serge suit? Most girls are after that kind.

A lot of people seemed concerned over the people who visited the church this week. Good looking boys and pretty girls were quite common.

Did you freshmen enjoy your trip to Linguish Falls Sunday? Marion, who were you with Saturday night? Bobby where was Clydelle Sunday? Richard Ellison, when are you going to sound off? We haven't heard one peep out of you and Rosy in a month. Peanut, did you have fun Saturday night? Jean Fitzgerald you seem to have a monopoly on Freshman boys. Little Willy has three dates for the Sweetheart banquet. Two of them could be Willa and Delores. Say, who got the ticket from that mean old cop? We know.

Clifton, who came to see you Sunday from Floydada? Don't you know that is a cuss word around here. Why is everyone going to Plainview lately? Well, until next week we will be seeing you.

Well, congratulations to our newly weds in L. H. S. They are Johnnie Bonner and Denny Quisenberry. Lots of luck kids.

Mrs. Zeigler: (After lesson on snow). "As we walk out on a cold day, what do we see on every hand?"

Dan Rowell: (eagerly) Gloves!

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It would be quite fun! Sandra and Ann left Sunday morning to come home. The girls reported that they had a wonderful time.

## Diplomas Arrive

The Seniors were going around with long faces Tuesday after Mr. Smith told them that they would have to pay \$3.50 for their diplomas.

Some of them ordered diplomas that don't think they will need them. However, they must be paid for anyway.

The diplomas are similar to the ones the '53 Seniors received with maroon covers. Lockney High School is engraved in gold on the front cover and a picture of the school is woven into satin on the inside of the front cover. The actual diploma (the piece of paper that says you graduated) is printed in India ink, has the date of the graduation exercises and is signed by Mr. Irons, Mr. Smith, the president of the school board, and the secretary of the school board.

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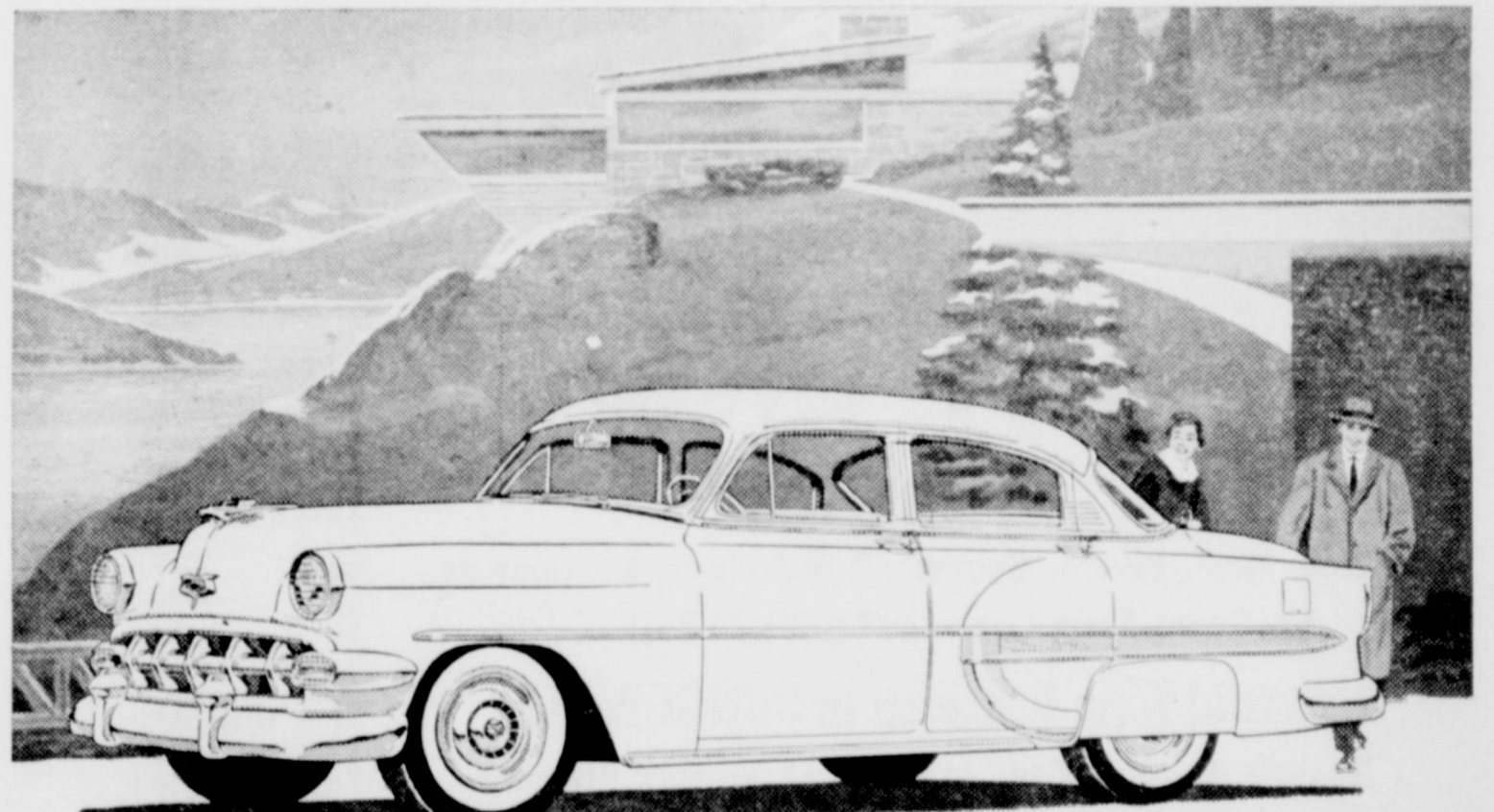
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The Church of Christ was established on Pentecost day, A. D. 33, as we read in Acts 2. Its members "were called Christians, first in Antioch." (Acts 11:26.) The Lord gave them this name. (Isa. 62:2.) Christ called this organization, "My church." (Matt. 16:18.) Hence it is the Church of Christ, Paul said, "The Churches of Christ salute you." (Rom. 16:16) Since the church belongs to Christ, it should honor Him by wearing His name. It is even sinful to wear human names in religion. (1 Cor. 1:12, 13.) Since the church is the bride of Christ, she must wear the name of her husband. (Eph. 5:23, 25.)

The word of God is the seed of the kingdom. (Luke 8:11.) This seed, when first planted, produced Christians, and Christians only. If the same seed is planted today, the results will be the same. If there were no Christians on earth today, a person might become one by believing, repenting, and being baptized. If there were no church on earth today, one could be brought into existence by preaching that same gospel.

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## Mrs. John Riley Shower Honoree

Mrs. John Riley was complimented with a layette shower Thursday, February 4 from 2:30 until 5:00 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Frances Carthel.

The refreshment table was laid with a white drawn-worked cloth over orchid and centered with a miniature baby basket filled with orchid and yellow

flowers on a reflector which was surrounded with fern and orchid and yellow flowers.

Mrs. George Webster Jr., and Mrs. Rayford Martin served. Hostesses were Mes. Frances Carthel, J. M. Carthel, J. W. Franklin, Rayford Martin, Bill Hodel, Verner Hodel, Doyle Harrison, George Webster Jr., Hershel Carthel and Ernest Tannahill.

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## Mr. Bradford Weds Miss Ann Clarkson

Miss Ann Clarkson of Greenville, Texas and Carroll W. Bradford of Lockney were married Saturday, February 6 at 5:30 p. m. in a ceremony performed in Lamar Baptist Church, Greenville with Rev. Fred Brewer, pastor officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis M. Clarkson, Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bradford of Sulphur Springs are parents of the groom.

Wedding music was presented by Miss Kay Willis, organist, and Mrs. Jack Firmin, vocalist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attractive in a pink suit with brown accessories. She carried a brown orchid surrounded by pink carnations tied with pink maline.

Miss Curtis Ann Gibbs, maid of honor, wore a gray suit with black accessories and carried a nosegay of pink split carnations tied with maline.

Best man was Grady Chapman of Sulphur Springs. Groomsmen were John Clarkson and Harold Williams of Greenville.

The bride graduated from Greenville High School where she was a member of the choral club. At East Texas State College in Commerce, she was a member of the Kappa.

Mr. Bradford graduated from Sulphur Springs High School and East Texas State College and served in the United States Army Air Corps.

The couple is at home in Lockney where Mr. Bradford is a member of the high school faculty.

## Jackie Rhodes Has Party On Birthday

Mrs. Raymond Rhodes honored her son, Jackie with a party on his fourth birthday Tuesday afternoon, February 2 from 3 to 6 o'clock.

Janie Reynolds led the little children in games. Favors were bubble sets.

Refreshments were served to Connie Smith, Charles Smith Jr., Randy Alford, Mike Crum, Carol Davis, Jimmy Thomas, Jerry and Joene Barber, Howard Mangold, Myron and Donnie Smith and Janie Reynolds.

Those unable to attend and sending gifts were Rickie Kelly, son, Dug and Dinah Hodel, Vickie Hammit, Cheri, Chatham, Donna, Max and Bill Ramsey.

## Production Credit Assn. Has Meeting

Annual meeting of the Plainview Production Credit Association was held last Saturday in the Plainview High School auditorium. More than 600 members were present.

Loans during the past year totaled \$6,311,049 according to the secretary, Clay Henry. Leroy Durham of Lockney is a member of the board of directors.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

## Attend Funeral Of Tom Somerville

Tom Somerville of Wellington, Texas, brother of Mrs. Frances O'Hearn of Lockney, passed away at his home Monday at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. O'Hearn had been at her brother's bedside since Thursday of last week.

Death came to Mr. Somerville after a lingering illness. He is survived by a son and daughter and two sisters, Mrs. O'Hearn of Lockney and Mrs. Nannie Smith of California.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church in Wellington Tuesday, February 9 at 2:30 p. m. Rev. Michael, pastor of the Methodist Church there was in charge of the service.

Others attending the funeral were Mrs. W. L. Thomas Sr. and Mrs. S. G. Miller.

## Hospital News

Mrs. Jimmy Hodel was dismissed 2-5.

Sally Swan was dismissed 2-4. J. E. Tivis, Floydada was dismissed 2-9 having been confined since 2-5.

Dickie Lee Jones, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Jones was admitted for minor surgery 2-6 and dismissed 2-8.

Frances Travino was admitted for medical treatment 2-6 and dismissed 2-8.

Mrs. Floyd Stone, Plainview, was admitted for medical treatment 2-7 and dismissed 2-8.

Mrs. R. T. Spence was admitted 2-8 and is still receiving treatment.

## 1954 Directors Of Floydada C. Of C. Named By Manager

Floydada. — The 1954 directors of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce were announced Wednesday by O. M. Watson Jr., manager.

The six new members are J. P. Moss, T. L. Holland, Wallace King, Doyle Mount, George Bickly and M. P. Goen.

Holdover members of the board are Edward Wester, W. E. Garrett, John Reue, E. L. Norman, L. L. Clark Jr. and Clement B. McDonald, outgoing president.

The 54 directors will take office for a 2-year term beginning March 1. The six new members, chosen from 12 nominations made by a nominating committee, will be presented at the Chamber of Commerce banquet, which is scheduled for Feb. 23.

A meeting of the board will be called in February, at which time a new president, vice president and treasurer will be elected.

## SCHOOL MENU

February 15-19  
Monday — Chicken pie, green beans, vegetable salad, cake and fruit, hot rolls, milk.

Tuesday — Steak and gravy, creamed potatoes, English peas, carrot sticks, butterscotch pudding, hot rolls, milk.

Wednesday — Baked beans, spinach, hominy, cabbage slaw, cherry cobbler, corn bread, milk.  
Thursday — Sauer kraut and weiners, eoc, potatoes, bluekeyed peas, jello salad, chocolate cake, w. w. muffins, milk.

Friday — Roast beef, noodles, sweet potatoes, green beans, lettuce salad, cookies, hot rolls, milk.

Mrs. E. L. Woodburn accompanied her brother, Ralph Stapleton and wife to Dimmitt Sunday where they attended open house honoring the Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tate. Open house was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ramey.

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## Local Boys Cited As Pages At Lubbock

Sixty-five junior boys representing thirty churches recognized as Pages in the Order of Royal Ambassadors in services held at the First Baptist Church in Lubbock Tuesday night, February 9. Rev. John Taylor of Littlefield directed the recognition service which was in connection with a District Brotherhood meeting. Dr. W. R. White of Baylor University was the speaker for the evening.

The ten boys from Lockney Baptist Church was the largest number from any one church to attain the rank of page and take part in the impressive service. Councilors who work with the boys and attended the meeting are Mrs. Weldon Smith and Mrs. Bert Vernon.

Named as Pages were Donnie Jo Race, Dan Smith, Alvin Vernon, Rhudy Naylor, Charles Kelly, Wayne Cooper, Rodney Rigby, Warren Mitchell, Jerry Race and Billie Doc McClain.

Others attending the service were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kelley, Wayne McClain, Mrs. Chester Mitchell, Bert Vernon, Jerry and Don Vernon, Mrs. Melvin Cooper, Mrs. J. E. Naylor, Mrs. Sid Thomas, Leslie Ferguson, Horton Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Casey, Bert Bobbitt, J. R. Richards, Joe Reeves and Rev. R. E. Wiley.

## RETURN TO LOCKNEY

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wood have moved back to Lockney to make their home after living in Littlefield for several months. Ben is connected with King Tractor & Implement Co. at Floydada at the present time.

Mrs. Fannie Brown has returned home from an extended visit in San Antonio with relatives.

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### South Plains

By Mrs. Murray Julian

Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Spearman, Charlotte and Billy left Tuesday for McKinney, Texas where they were called by the serious condition of his father, W. S. Spearman, Sr. On Friday the father was not any better and Rev. Clay Muncy was called to preside at the pulpit on Sunday morning at the South Plains Baptist Church. Saturday afternoon word came from McKinney that Mr. Spearman had passed away.

Sympathy and condolence go out to all the family in their hour of grief.

A Young Married couples Sunday School class was organized at the South Plains Church last Sunday morning. Murray Julian met with the young people as they chose for their president, Mrs. Rex Smitherman, and their teacher Mrs. Bill Beedy. All you young married couples come and join your friends each Sunday morning.

Mrs. Leo Brown and Twila June from Lockney and Patsy Brown who lives in Floydada, left Friday for Conyay Springs, Kansas, where they spent the week end with Leo Brown and Jerry Pearsey who have been working in Kansas for the past several weeks and will be stationed there working at building elevators for the next few months. Mrs. Brown and girls came home Monday.

Barbara Boaze from Wayland College in Plainview, came out from school on Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thames Sr. who were visitors

during prayer services and Miss Benz brought the devotional at the meeting. After church they visited in the home of their son, J. B. Thames Jr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure visited this past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Newman of Snyder, also a sister, Mrs. J. E. Woodson and family, a brother, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Newman and family and while in Snyder they also went to see an aunt of Mrs. McClure's, Mrs. W. D. Sessum, who is in a Roby, Texas hospital and has been quite ill for a long time.

Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and girls went to Flomont Sunday afternoon where they spent the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Franks and son.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman went to Hart Sunday afternoon to visit his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smitherman.

The South Plains W. M. S. met at the church Wednesday, Feb. 3 with six members present for a meeting of Royal Service. "Strangers Everywhere" was the theme of the lesson and the devotional period was given by Mrs. H. S. Calahan Jr. As the class studied the need of the migrant workers, they found out their story is a great deal like the parable of The Good Samaritan with missionaries binding up their wounds and teaching them of Christ's power to save. The group was dismissed in prayer by Mrs. Calahan, and present were Mrs. Dock Jones, Paul Snodgrass, Shelby Calahan, Murray Julian, Grigsby Milton and H. S. Calahan Jr. The W. M. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. Julian on March 3 for an all day week of prayer service and a Royal Service program. Each lady will bring a covered dish and lunch will make a break in the day at the noon hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Thompson and two children are new neighbors on the Cliff Gilly farm, recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Davis and children. We welcome them in our community and ask them to come to church and other gatherings.

Mrs. George Beedy was hostess at a Stanley party at her home in Lockney Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 2. Mrs. W. H. McClung from Floydada showed the products and conducted the games and entertainment. At the close of the afternoon Mrs. Beedy served refreshments to the following:

ladies, Mrs. Gilbert Bean, S. A. Thornton, George Weast, Grigsby Milton, Frank McClure, F. M. Smith, Hugh Counts, L. T. Wood, Arthur Brown, Lucian Thomas, Murray Julian, Lulu Woodburn, Douglas Beedy and John Casey.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Woodson and daughter, Lanette, went to Sweetwater last week while they were visiting at Snyder and they enjoyed seeing "The Robe." On Sunday morning they all attended church services and heard Rev. Vernon Shaw, from Lubbock, preach the morning service. They arrived home on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Truman Bradshaw entered the hospital in Lubbock on Tuesday of last week and had surgery on a gland in her throat on Wednesday. She has been suffering with this trouble for some time but withstood the operation well, and although she is still under the doctors care, she is out of the hospital and staying in Lubbock at a motel where she can be close to the doctor, but we hope she can be home soon. Mr. and Mrs. George Weast went to visit her on Friday afternoon, and her son, Mr. and Mrs. Eulan Bradshaw visited her Sunday. Her husband is staying with her while she is convalescing.

The Cub Scout pack 62, who have been meeting at Silverton with Fred Mercer and his troop the past year, met with their den mothers, Mrs. I. H. Parks and Mrs. Owen Thornton on Tuesday evening at 7, Feb. 2, with a supper which was spread in the lunch room at the school house. Mr. and Mrs. Mercer and many others were present from Silverton and the scout executive for the district was present. The parents and boys of the Cub Scouts and many boy scouts of this community were there for the pot luck supper. After the supper a business meeting was held, and a South Plains pack was organized here with Mrs. Parks as den mother, assisted by Shelby Calahan and Lloyd Deavenport. Boy Scout troop No. 61 was organized also, with Phillip Smitherman as scoutmaster, assisted by Ernest Smitherman and Early Pritchett. Watch for the Cub Scouts on TV channel 13 at Lubbock Thursday evening at six o'clock Gary Wilson, assisted by the rest of the scouts will sing on this program.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weast were hosts at Sunday dinner after church to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Lee Smith and family, all of Sterley and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Vinson of Hale Center who spent the afternoon with the Weasts. In the evening the Weasts went to Silverton to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvian Kinnibrugh, Marilyn and Beth left on Saturday morning for Vera where they spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kinnibrugh. Her mother, Mrs. J. R. Spivey of Truscott and a nephew, Ronnie Simmons came home with them Sunday evening to spend this week visiting here with them.

Mae Smitherman has arrived at his destination in Japan and is stationed at Camp Chichama, which is at Beppu in Japan. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman received their first word from his last Thursday since his sailing about three weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian and boys had as house guests over the week end, her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Sandusky and Kent, from Denver, Colo. On Sunday they took Kent to Lubbock where he left for his navy station near Corpus Christi on the bus. He had had a 20 day leave from the navy. The Sanduskys left for their home in Denver Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Teeple entertained for their children, Sherlene 11, and Dwight, 8, at a birthday party at their home on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 2 from 4:30 to 6. The bus was filled with playmates who came home from school with the children, and

the afternoon was filled with games and opening of packages, after which refreshments of angel food cake, chocolate cake and ice cream were served by Mrs. Teeple, assisted by mothers of the children. Present at the birthday party were the honorees, Dwight and Sherlene, Barbara Sue and Donita Milton, Wanda and Violet Haggard, Bruce Julian, Eulalia Sanders, Joan Newton, Edward Hartman, Eddie and J. Frank Parks, Ronnie, Don and Patricia Thornton, Dale West, Marilyn Kinnibrugh, Beth and Johnny Calahan, Sue and Diane Edmonds, Dennis Deavenport, Yvonne Karr, Bud Higginbotham, Frankie Jones, Juanel Brown, Jimmie Upton, Kay and Ray Taylor and Jimmie Pritchett.

### It Was Awful Hot In The Field

C. H. Rose, who is generally considered to be a truthful man, said that it became so warm in his field last week that the pants of his hired hand caught fire. The way Mr. Rose told it, he and his hired man, Labon Bean, were working on a plow when they smelled rags burning. They looked around but found nothing amiss and then went back to work. They again smelled the odor and then Mr. Rose noticed that Bean's trousers leg was on fire. The fire was extinguished without damage to anything but the trousers.

Mr. Rose said that reflection of the sun onto the slick face of a moldboard plow had concentrated into a beam that set the pants on fire.

Mrs. A. O. Wines and Mrs. C. P. McPherson spent last week end at Alvarado, Texas where they attended a family reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Childress Sunday.

Chester Carthel, President of Floyd County Farm Bureau Association, and Hershel Carthel attended a District Farm Bureau meeting Tuesday night held at Hotel Lubbock in Lubbock.

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## Cedar Hill News

by Frances Lemons

### Undergoes Surgery

Alvin Nichols underwent major surgery at the Plainview Hospital at 8:00 o'clock on Friday morning. He remained in the hospital about five days before returning to his home.

### Mrs. Gilley Hospitalized

Mrs. Gene Gilley has been ill in the Peoples Hospital at Floydada. She spent from Sunday until Thursday there and was moved to a relatives home in town for a few days before returning to her home. Her baby, Craig, has also been rather ill.

Carl F. Lemons happened in Bilbrey's Motor Co. just as one of the mechanics needed aid with an irrigation motor. He assisted the mechanic in turning the motor over when it dropped on his little finger. He received a badly mangled finger with a portion of it amputated at the time of the accident. Nineteen stitches were taken to close the wound. He is

improving nicely.

Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Applewhite spent several days last week enjoying the Fat Stock Show and visiting with their daughter, Myra, who is attending the Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth.

Visitors in the Alvin Nichols home during the week end of last week were Mrs. Nichols sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis of Hamlin, Lovella Cox, another sister who has been visiting with the Nichols returned to Hamlin with Mr. and Mrs. Davis. Mrs. Nichols brother, T. B. Cox of Hereford was also present. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Whitfill and children, Judy and Cynthia visited with them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Gilley, long time residents of this community moved to their new home in Lockney which they purchased recently. Mr. Gilley's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gilley are now occupying the Gilley home and will continue to do the farming.

Bob Dillard, former resident of this community is at home in Lockney on a 28 day furlough. He will report back to Mineral Wells on March 1st. He spent several months on overseas duty recently.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wells were in Lubbock on Thursday on business.

Mrs. Edna Lackey visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Conner Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Lemons visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt Botler in Floydada Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Botler has been ill for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whitehead and children visited with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McClure near Lockney Saturday evening.

Roger Conner of Amarillo visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Conner during the week end.

### Baptist Services

The pastor brought an inspiring message Sunday morning. Mrs. C. V. Lemons and Mrs. Rene Yeary sang a duet at the close of services. Several attended the workers meeting at Lone Star on Tuesday. The G. A.'s and R. A.'s meet at six o'clock on Wednesday evening. The R. A.'s received their membership pins and their counselor presented them with Royal Ambassador T-Shirts. Prayer service at 7:00 o'clock have been inspirational. Mrs. Rene Yeary gave the story of Barak and C. F. Lemons gave a lecture on the 12th chap-



**LITTLE MISS BARBARA COURTNEY**, a victim of one of the three most common forms of heart diseases, chats with Dr. W. R. White, Baylor University president and chairman of the 1954 Texas Heart Fund, at the Waco Heart Clinic. Eight-year-old Barbara was stricken with rheumatic fever last November and developed a serious rheumatic heart condition. Although now on the road to recovery, the smiling child still is unable to stand or walk—and must be

wheeled or carried wherever she goes. Barbara is one of approximately 500,000 elementary and high school age children in the nation suffering from heart disease. Dr. White heads the 1954 Texas Heart fund drive—which continues through February—to raise funds to support medical research, educational and community heart programs to help Barbara and her fellow-sufferers. Barbara is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Courtney of Waco.

ter of Hebrews last week.

### Assembly Of God Services

Bro. Wright closed a good two weeks revival on Saturday night. His family joined him here on Thursday and stayed for the remainder of the services. Each evening service was preceded with prayer services in one of the class rooms. Many blessings were received during the morning prayer services held at the church between ten and eleven o'clock. Sixty-two were present for the services on Sunday. Be back in your places Sunday and keep the good work going. Ladies Missionary Council meets on Thursday afternoon at 2:30. The church sponsors morning devotional over KFLD at 8:45 every Thursday morning.

There are 890,000 adult volunteer leaders in the Boy Scouts of America.

## Spring Seeded Alfalfa

By Floyd County Soil Conservation Dist.

Some thought and preparation should be made before alfalfa is seeded. When it is planned to seed soils which blow easily to alfalfa in the spring, it would be advisable to use a nurse crop such as oats or barley. These are the soils with high lime content and the sandy soils. The young alfalfa has a much better chance of coming up and getting well established when seeded with a nurse crop. It is also a good idea to use a nurse crop on the tighter soils if the land is fowl.

Alfalfa is an excellent soil building crop. It should be grown in a rotation with row crops. Where water is not a limiting factor, a good rotation on a hundred acres in cultivation would be to put 25 acres to alfalfa for three years, then rotate to another 25 acres, followed by nine years of row crops. In a period of twelve years one would have covered his entire 100 acres with alfalfa. One hay usually sells for \$25.00 to \$30.00 per ton. Taken care of properly each acre should produce from three to four tons per year, or more. Row crops following alfalfa produce much more experience has shown.

A graded system of borders could be used to good advantage. The length and width of the borders can be properly designed when the amount of water to be turned into the border, the soil unit and the slope is known. For example, when there is approximately 600 gallons of water per minute turned into the border, with soil unit 2 (hardlands, which is predominant in this county) and a slope of two inches per hundred feet, the length of the borders should be 1400 feet and the width 60 feet. Application time is eight hours, the time it takes four inches of water to enter hardland soils.

The sandy and high lime soils take water much faster than the hardland soils. Since alfalfa required some 40 inches of water per year (much more than cotton or grain sorghums), these soils are ideal for producing alfalfa, as they usually have more a-

available water per foot of depth. The soils with high lime content are well suited to alfalfa, since this crop requires lots of lime. In addition to producing a luxuriant growth of vegetation, the soil is tied down by a close growing crop, preventing it from blowing.

A good conservation farmer realizes the importance of maintaining his soil fertility and making the best use of his water. He also wants to put each acre to its best use.

Two farmers who have had very good success with spring seeded alfalfa are Don Bennett, Aiken and Johnny Lee, Akin. Mr. Lee had to chisel his young alfalfa to keep it from blowing out. It was seeded on a high lime soil. Mr. Bennett's alfalfa was seeded on a hardland soil.

Boy Scout Councils participate in more than 1,700 Community Chests.

Since 1910, more than 21,000,000 boys and men have been members of the Boy Scouts of America.

## ANIMALS ARE DANGEROUS

Because many visitors to national parks have been injured by approaching what they believe to be tame animals, the National Park Service has extended regulations against molesting bears to cover other large animals, the 1953 American Peoples Encyclopedia Yearbook states.

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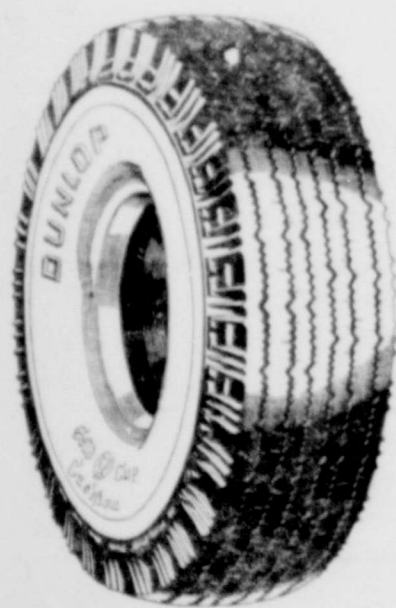
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## Political Announcements

The Beacon is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following persons for the office indicated subject to action of the Democratic primaries:

**For District Attorney, 110th Judicial District:**  
JOHN STAPLETON  
(Re-election)

**For Assessor-Collector of Taxes:**  
T. T. HAMILTON  
(Re-election)

**For Sheriff:**  
A. K. (ALTON) MAY  
EARL COOPER (Re-election)

**For District Clerk:**  
MARY L. McPHERSON  
(Re-election)

**For County Judge:**  
W. E. GRIMES

**For County Clerk:**  
MARGARET COLLIER  
(Re-election)

**For County Attorney:**  
KENNETH BAIN JR.  
(Re-election)

**For County Treasurer:**  
MRS. SAM A. SPENCE  
(Re-election)  
MRS. TROYE WILLIS  
STANSELL

**For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2, Floyd County:**  
LUGH COUNTS (Re-election)

**For Justice of the Peace, Precincts 2 and 3, Floyd County:**  
J. J. HARRIS (Re-election)

## CARD OF THANKS

We are deeply grateful to the many people of this area who helped us when our house was destroyed by fire Sunday night. We shall always remember your kindness.

Mrs. Annie Bennett and children.

## SAYS THANKS

I want to express my appreciation to the blood donors, the hospital staff and all my friends for the many flowers and cards and all the kindnesses shown me during my stay in Lockney General Hospital.

Mrs. T. H. Boedeker.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rose and Perry Casey spent Saturday and Sunday in Blair, Oklahoma visiting Mr. Casey's mother-in-law, Mrs. Emma Wicker.

George Washington had no middle name.

## REWARD

\$50.00 reward will be paid for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons that stole 1200 or 1400 pounds of seed cotton from my farm 7 miles north of Lockney Thursday or Friday, January 28 or 29. 1tc.

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## Sterley News

by Mrs. M. A. Boone

The Sterley Home Demonstration Club met in the club room Thursday, Feb. 4. Mrs. Huey Davidson presided. Roll call was answered with my favorite home remedy, "Musings of Grandpa," was given by Mrs. Mary Simmons. Mmes. B. A. Howell, Melvin Schaffner, Huey Davidson and Hilburn Casey gave a reading on a health problem.

Refreshments were served to 14 members.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Howard are visiting this week in Wichita Falls with Mr. Howard's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Buchanan and family of Hart visited friends in Sterley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Whittington moved last week to Arkansas where they will make their home.

T. D. Gibson returned Thursday from Veterans Hospital in Amarillo, where he has been receiving treatment for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Savage of Leonard visited from Friday to Sunday with his brother, E. E. Savage and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Rivers and Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Gibson visited Saturday night with relatives in Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. McClure, Sandra and Wesley spent from Friday until Monday in Fort Worth. They saw the rodeo at the Fat Stock Show while there and visited a former college roommate of Mrs. McClure, Mrs. Wesley Wilkes, Mr. Wilkes and family. They also were guests in the home of Mr. McClure's sister, Mrs. Ed Earnest of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Mitchell and son, David, left Wednesday morning for Fort Worth where he will attend a meeting of the directors of the Texas Swine Breeders Association at the Texas Hotel. The group will discuss the possibilities of holding a special barrow show later in the year.

## U. S. PARK VISITORS

A record total — 41,516,664 persons — visited U. S. National parks and monuments in 1952. The Yearbook for 1953 of the American Peoples Encyclopedia reports. This was about twice as many visitors as were reported in 1941.

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NOTICE TO  
**LOCKNEY CONSUMERS FUEL ASSOCIATION**  
Common Stock Holders and Patrons

**OUR ANNUAL MEETING**  
will be held  
**Wednesday, February 17, 1954**  
2:00 P. M.  
at the **PLAINS THEATRE**  
in Lockney

The terms of two of your directors expire at this time. Who do you want for these important places? Be at the meeting to elect the men of your choice and get first hand information on the year's business.

**ATTENDANCE PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN AWAY**

# Society News

## Johnnie Bonner Weds Denny Quisenberry

Johnnie Mac Bonner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bonner of Lockney became the bride of Denny Quisenberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Quisenberry Saturday, February 6 at 9:00 p. m.

A Justice of the Peace performed the single ring ceremony at Fort Sumner, New Mexico.

The bride was attractive in a powder blue suit with black accessories.

Attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Quisenberry and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Quisenberry.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Quisenberry were seniors in Lockney High School. They are at home at 715 Beach Street, Plainview where Mr. Quisenberry is employed with Alvin Noel, contractor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Teaff of Whitewright, Texas spent Wednesday and Wednesday night here with her mother, Mrs. Vergie Pinner and other relatives.

## Layette Shower Given Tuesday

Mrs. Hamilton Gammage was named honoree at a layette shower given Tuesday, February 9 at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Wofford.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Naomi Stevenson, Ray Pinner, Quentin Adams, Robert Kellison, Al Willis, Dorothy Bradley, Francis Montandon, Lloyd Wofford, Leo Turner and Dewey Dykes.

## CELEBRATES 71ST BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Judson W. Jones, celebrated her 71st birthday Thursday of last week, February 4th. Several of her children and their families were at the Jones home for supper and to aid her in observing her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bybee, Miss June Powell, all of Lockney and Clara Mae Jones of Floydada spent from Friday until Sunday in Fort Worth attending the Fat Stock Show.



## Joan Harris Named Worthy Advisor

Joan Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Harris, Lockney, was installed as Worthy Advisor of the Order of Rainbow for Girls Friday evening in the Floydada Masonic Hall.

Mrs. Janette Lackey acted as installing officer with Mrs. Kathryn Rucker, chaplain; Mrs. Flora McNeill, recorder; Mrs. Lulu Green, musician; and Barbara Perry, past worthy advisor, marshal.

Other officers who were elected and installed are Ann Deakins, faith; Barbara McNeill, hope; Sue Baker, charity; Betty Martin, worthy associate advisor; Norma Dunn, recorder; Barbara Bullock, treasurer.

Joan, attaining the highest office in Rainbow, has chosen the following appointive officers to work with her: Sonja Beth Wilson, chaplain; Jo Beth Mooney, drill leader; Charlene Messimer, outer observer; Wanda Jones, confidential observer; Gail Kellison, musician; Gayle Rucker, choir leader; Cheryl Crawford, love; Rena Willis, religion; Carolyn Collier, nature; Dora Day, immortality; Lajuan Henderson, fidelity; Aylene Reeves, patriotism; and June Hartline, service.

The new advisory board, chosen from the Eastern Star and Masonic Lodge, was installed. These board members are Wayne Russell, chairman; Mrs. Roberta Russell, Mrs. Bess Rutherford, Mrs. Helen Patterson, Miss Ann Swepston, Ted Rutherford, Malcolm McNeill, and Bob Dyson. Mrs. Winnie Dyson was installed as mother advisor.

After the installation ceremony Joan presented a beautiful and impressive program honoring Barbara Perry, outgoing worthy advisor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Harris and family and J. J. Harris visited Mrs. Z. D. Davis at Clarendon Friday night and Saturday. Mrs. Davis is the daughter of J. J. Harris and sister to Jesse.

Sandra Myers and Ann Belt spent last week end in Dallas and were guests of June Wiley on the campus of SMU. They made the trip to Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Myers.

## Couples Unite In Double Wedding

Pat Poteet became the bride of Mickey Jones and Margaret Holt became the bride of Jerry Bartram in a double wedding ceremony performed in the parlor of the First Baptist Church, Portales, New Mexico. Rev. L. A. Doyle, pastor of the church and former pastor of Floydada Baptist Church, read the vows which were repeated at 4:30 p. m. Monday, February 8.

Pat Poteet is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Olan Poteet and Mickey Jones is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Jones, all of Lockney. Miss Poteet is a senior at Lockney High School and plans to continue school and graduate with the class in May. Mickey was a junior in Lockney High and his plans for the immediate future are indefinite.

Margaret Holt is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Holt of Lockney and is classified as a junior in Lockney High School. She plans to continue her school work here. Jerry Bartram, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bartram

of the Sand Hill community, south of Lockney, attended Lockney High two years. He is engaged in farming at Sand Hill.

Miss Poteet was dressed in blue taffeta with matching accessories. Miss Holt wore an aqua suit with black accessories. Attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bartram.

## RETURNS HOME

Mrs. R. E. L. Stutts returned home Monday night from Corpus Christi where she spent the past month visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bennie Bilbo. Mr. and Mrs. Bilbo are parents of a baby daughter, Deborah, born January 19. Accompanying Mrs. Stutts to Lockney were her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stutts of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. George Myers spent last week end in Grand Prairie visiting relatives. They were accompanied home by her father, H. F. Easley for several days visit. He returned home Wednesday.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Beacon Office

## WAVE BETTY NANCE HERE

WAVE Betty Nance is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nance of the Lone Star community, on a two-weeks leave. She has completed boot training at Bainbridge, Maryland and is being sent to Jacksonville, Fla. for specialized training in Naval aviation.

Columbus died at Valladolid, Spain in 1506.

Dinner and supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Bybee and Dara Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Buck Fowler, Cathy and Donna, Mr. and Mrs. Truett McCarty, Carol, Dickie and Pat.

Mr. and Mrs. Orris Fike of Skellytown spent last week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Graham who are both convalescing from an illness.

## Plains Theatre

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Show starts at 7:20

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

February 12 and 13

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SUNDAY and MONDAY

February 14 and 15

## "Border River"

with Joel McCrea and Yvonne DeCarlo

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Lawless adventure blazing out of the frontier no man's land — loaded with flaming action and searing romance — as Joe McCrea moved toward a bullet-ridden showdown.

Also CARTOON and NEWS

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY

February 16, 17, 18

## "You For Me"

with Peter Lawford, Janet Greer and Gig Young

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Second Show at 9:00

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

February 12 and 13

## "Shark River"

with Steve Cochran and Carole Matthews

They eat 'em alive in Shark River — no white man ever crossed it — no red man ever ventured beyond it — thrills — thrills — and more thrills — all in flaming color photography.

Also CARTOON

SUNDAY and MONDAY

February 14 and 15

## "Appointment In Honduras"

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IN COLOR

There rage in the jungle — as primitive man-woman romance bursts into flame — in the exciting, suspenseful story of a brave man's mission — and a beautiful woman's desire.

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Coming In March:

"KISS ME KATE"

The Seale Drive-In will be closed Wednesday and Thursday nights this Week.

## The PRICELESS INGREDIENT

In the city of Bagdad lived Hokeen the Wise One, and many people went to him for council, which he gave freely to all, asking nothing in return.

There came to him a young man who had spent much but got little, and said: "Tell me, Wise One, what shall I do to receive the most for what I spend?"

Hokeen answered, "A thing that is bought or sold has no value unless it contains that which cannot be bought or sold. Look for the Priceless Ingredient."

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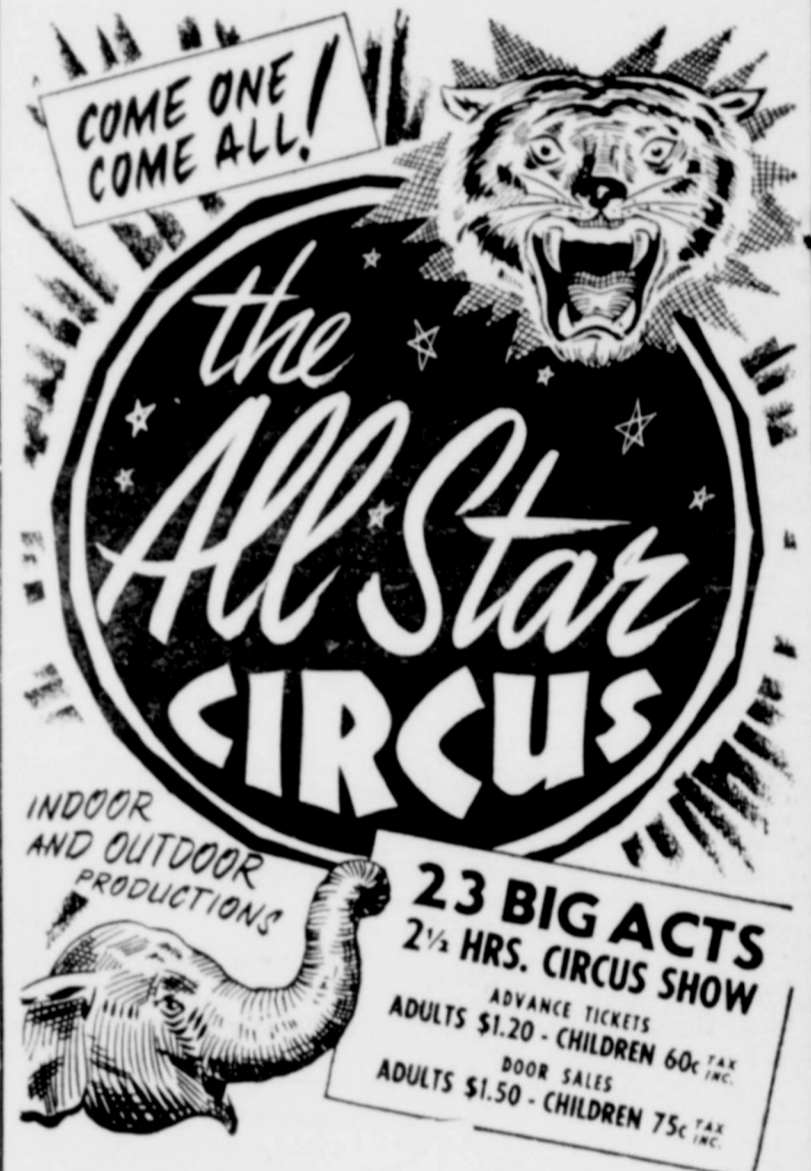
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# Providence News

By Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

Some people are like rivers, whatever is in them comes out at the mouth.

We are glad to report Ben Brandes returned from the hospital Saturday. He seemed to be somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sammann visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harris of Kress Sunday afternoon.

Calling in the Karl Sammann home this week were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sammann of Tulla, Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Sammann of Tulla, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ballard of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Paine of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Sammann attended the wedding of their granddaughter, Miss Louis Kay Garms of Littlefield to Eugene Stanley of Sudan, Texas recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner were dinner guests Saturday of Rev. and Mrs. Daniel Scholemer and Janice of Amarillo. Special guests were Rev. A. H. Weber of Columbus, Ohio. Rev. Weber was pastor at the Providence Lutheran Church 32 years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner, Mrs. Daniel Scholemer and Miss Janice Scholemer enjoyed seeing the Clyde Baley Brothers Circus showing in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner enjoyed attending the South Plains Poultry conference held at the ballroom, student building at Tech College, Lubbock. A very instructive series of speakers were heard and enjoyed. Refreshments were served.

The following ladies, Mrs. H. L. Anderson, Mrs. Albert Sammann and Mrs. Ben Brandes met at the home of Mrs. H. L. Anderson and wrapped and packaged 12 dozen cookies for the

## OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

### AMERICA'S DEFENSE

"What constitutes the bulwark of our own liberty and independence? Our reliance is in the love of liberty which God has planted in us. Our defense is in the spirit which prizes liberty as the heritage of all men in all lands, everywhere."

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Speech at Elizabeth, Ill., 1858



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Trinity Lutheran homes at Round Rock. Our thanks to these ladies for their fine work.

Trinity Lutheran Church  
H. L. Anderson, Pastor

Our special welcome to the many new guests we had at divine worship and Sunday School Sunday. We hope they will return and worship with us again and regularly.

Attendance Divine Worship, 116 February 7th.

Pamela Nan, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes was received into the kingdom of God through the Sacrament of baptism at divine worship morning service. Blessed Lord Jesus keep this child and claim her as thine own in time and through eternity.

The Lords Vineyard

Feb. 10th choir rehearsal 7:30 p. m.

Feb. 14th Sunday School 10 a. m. Divine Worship 11 a. m. with Holy Communion. Luther League 7:30 p. m.

Altar flowers were given in memory of Mr. R. G. Stoerner who departed this life Feb. 13th, 1953.

Candle Light Circle Meets

The Candle Light Circle met Wednesday, Feb. 4 in the educational unit of the church. Mrs. Albert Sammann hostess and program chairman. Program

opened with group singing. The theme song was "Hark I Hear the Savior Walking." Scripture reading, John 1st chapter, beginning at 3rd verse followed by prayer by Mrs. Ted Boedecker. Rev. Anderson had a continued study of the book of Genesis. Topic "A few drops of water and?" by Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner. The business meeting was called to order by president, Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner. Minutes of

previous meeting were accepted as read by the secretary, Mrs. Joe Zimmermann. Mrs. Ted Boedecker, treasurer, reported.

Committees reporting were Mrs. Ben Brandes reported on the letter received on the towels and other useful items we sent to aged home. They were indeed grateful for these gifts.

Each of the department chairmen reported on her department's work. New business included a committee appointed by the president to look into the matter of purchasing material for a curtain in the nursery. Those on his committee were Mrs. Ted Boedecker, Mrs. Weldon Smith and Mrs. Leo Boedecker.

The orphans at Trinity Lutheran Home at Round Rock will be remembered with homemade cookies this week. Twelve dozen cookies will be sent. Those volunteering for the making of cookies for orphans are Mrs. H. L. Anderson, Mrs. Ben Brandes, Mrs. Albert Sammann, and Mrs. A. D. Schaffner. Our appreciation and thanks for these ladies who "cared" enough to bake cookies for the orphans. "Thanks to you ladies. Seventy-five 'Dolly Dax' will be ordered and sold by the circle.

A complete report was given by Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner on the Executive Training meeting held at Beautiful Savior American Lutheran Church at Amarillo in January.

Meeting closed with Lords Prayer. March meeting will be held March 3rd. Mrs. Ben Brandes as hostess. Mrs. Albert Sammann served sandwiches, cake, coffee and cokes to the following: Rev. H. L. Anderson, Mmes. Ben Brandes, Ben Quebe, Albert Kelm, Joe Zimmermann, Karl Sammann, Ted Boedecker, Albert Sammann, Adolph Schaffner, Weldon Smith, Aigner, H. L. Anderson, L. B. Brandes, and Wilfred Stoerner.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Quebe and son were in Dallas on business last week.

Virgil Brasher met with a minor accident last Wednesday. He and Tom Word were unloading lumber and he was accidentally hit in the mouth with lumber. Four

stitches were required to close the wound.

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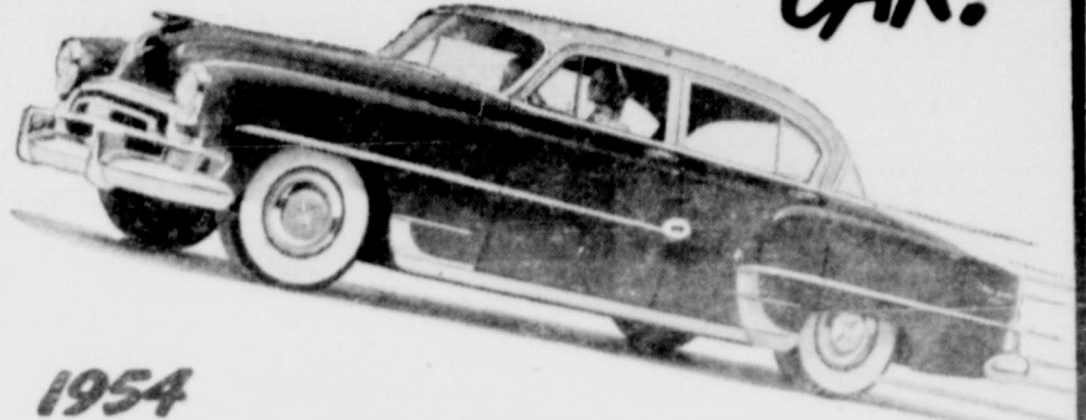
Earnings of the Philtower Building in Tulsa, Okla., help maintain the 127,000-acre Philmount Scout Ranch near Cimarron, New Mexico, used for high adventure camping. Both were gifts of Waite Phillips.

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### Carl Lees At White Merchandise Show

Mr. and Mrs. Carl D. Lee, owners and operators of the authorized dealer White Auto Store, in Lockney, have just returned from Wichita Falls, where they attended White's Auto Store spring and summer merchandise show. This year, more than 100 leading manufacturers displayed their wares.

As "Purchasing Agent for the Homemakers of Lockney," Mr. Lee combed for trends in spring and summer merchandise and appliances, which will be available locally in the very near future.

Some of the merchandise shown included Leonard Refrigerators, Home Freezers, Electric Ranges, and Room Coolers; ABC and Laundry Queen Automatic Washers; Sew-Gem Sewing Machines; Eureka Cleaners; Revco Home Freezers; Arvin Radios and Television; and Detroit Jewel Gas Ranges.

In addition to a complete showing of automotive parts and accessories, Black and Decker Power Tools, tires and seat covers, and many spring items were also displayed.

While at the market, Mr. and Mrs. Lee also attended a banquet Saturday night preceding the show. In attendance were dealers, owners and their guests, representing 125 White's Auto Stores throughout Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Kansas; approxi-

mately 100 factory representatives; department heads of White's Auto Stores; and other guests.

### TO STATE CONVENTION

Mr. E. E. Stinson, Lockney band and choral director, left Wednesday morning to attend the Public School Music Teachers Convention being held in Dallas February 10, 11, 12, 13. An All State Band selected from over Texas and a 300 member All State Choir selected from students throughout the state will be presented at the convention in a program to be held at the Fair Park Auditorium Friday afternoon. Barbara Hays, a junior student of Lockney High is a member of the choir and will appear on the Friday program. She left Wednesday morning on a chartered bus carrying Lubbock and Plainview band and choir members.

### LOCUST WIPED OUT

A locust plague was effectively dispelled for the first time in the history of the Middle East recently, the American Peoples Encyclopedia Yearbook for 1953 reports. U. S. and British aircraft were used to spray insecticide over areas teeming with locusts in Iraq and Iran. The operation was completed in two weeks and damage to grazing and cultivated areas was held to a minimum.

Amelia Earhart made the first solo flight from Honolulu to California.

### Charter Issued To Gas Association

"The Floyd County Gas Association has been issued a state charter and is now a bonified corporation. The charter was issued Tuesday morning, Raymond Rucker, secretary said Wednesday. He made a trip to Austin Monday in an effort to secure the charter.

The name was changed from that selected by the organization at its first meeting and a few more members have come in recently, Mr. Rucker said.

Work of laying the gas lines, both the main line and the tributaries, will begin Monday. The contractors have promised to have machinery on location and to start work at that time. The mainline was surveyed and staked off the first of the week.

### Capt. McAdams Now Serving in Korea

Pusan, Korea. — Capt. Carl McAdams, whose wife, Ann, lives at 517 Calgary, San Antonio, Texas, recently arrived in Korea for duty with the 3d Quartermaster Group.

He will serve with the group's 96th Quartermaster Battalion delivering equipment and giving service to UN security forces in Korea.

Captain McAdams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl McAdams, of Lockney, was last stationed at the Chicago Quartermaster Depot. He has been in the Army since 1942.

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

#### TO THE CITIZENS AND TAXPAYERS OF FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS:

I want to tell you of some things that has been happening in our county. I feel that every one should know about.

For instance the present Sheriff, and former Sheriff had to go out of Floyd County to get their Deputies. They said by their actions that we did not have men in our county that could make a deputy sheriff. I feel that we have men and women in our county that can fill any position. I have often wondered why some of these other counties haven't come to Floyd County to get some of their officials.

Then the honorable Commissioners Court had to go to Lubbock to get a County Judge. In my opinion that is a slap in the face of every citizen in Floyd County.

Please look at your tax rolls. Your taxes have practically doubled in the last few years. This was done by the Commissioners Court and one reason for doing it was to raise their own salaries.

I done my best to get the Commissioners to appoint a Floyd County man for County Judge that was worthy and well qualified, but they said that they wanted a man that had never had any experience, and somehow I felt that if that rule will apply to the Judge who is the head of the Commissioners Court it should apply to the four Commissioners. If we leave these Commissioners in office one more term we won't have to go to the expense of holding an election. They will just re-appoint each other.

When these Commissioners talk about experience I wish they would come to my place. I would love to show them some work done by an experienced Commissioner, and another thing these Commissioners have such a warm feeling in their hearts for the old fathers and mothers of Floyd County they ordered the County Judge (who belongs to them because they appointed him) to have the old people locked out of the court house, where they had been meeting

for many years.

Up until the last few years it was thought that the Court House belonged to the tax payers of the county, but at this time it seems to belong to the four Commissioners. They have all doors locked at 12 o'clock each Saturday. Last Saturday two men from a distance was wanting to transact some business, but they were locked out. Give them one more term and they will lock the doors Friday at high noon. They were once called public servants, but now they are public dictators.

You people who are running for office at this time, agree to

stay on the job a full six days in the week or have a deputy in the office.

Yours truly,  
J. G. Lewis  
Route 5  
Floydada, Texas.

### ENTERTAINING TODDLERS

When "small fry" come to visit, have a play drawer for them that you can pull out and place in the middle of the floor for their entertainment. For a starter, buy an assortment of five-and-dime store toys, such as hard-rubber automobiles, tractors, trucks and fire-engines, a few pull toys, a box of blocks

and some washable cuddly toys. Add empty sewing spools strung together, a handful of clothespins, one or two pie tins and a package of discarded playing cards and the toddlers will enjoy themselves while you visit with their parents.

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