

May 10 Meeting To Complete Disaster Unit

A meeting in the county court room at Floydada on May 10 will complete organization of a county-wide disaster unit, according to plans announced this week by County Disaster Chairman Clarence Guffee.

Miss Jean Fitzsimmons of Lubbock, area Red Cross representative, will be present at the meeting and assist in the completion of the organization.

Chairmen from both Lockney and Floydada for the various committees necessary for the setting up of a disaster unit were named in a meeting at Floydada last Friday night. Attending the meeting from Lockney were R. L. Knox Jr. and Lowell Bilbrey.

The chairmen will be expected to attend the May 10 meeting and assist in the completion of the organization. They are:

Survey — Ailsie Darden, Lockney; Polk Goen, Floydada.

Rescue — Lowell Bilbrey, Lockney; Carl Rogers, Floydada.

Medical — Dr. Gene Hardy, Lockney; Dr. A. E. Guthrie, Floydada.

Nurse — Mrs. K. O. Crum, Lockney; Mrs. Fred Zimmerman, Floydada.

Food — R. L. Knox Jr., Lockney; Mrs. Harry Morckel, Floydada.

Shelter — Mrs. Marvin Gilbert, Lockney; O. M. Watson, Floydada.

Clothing — Claude Brown, Lockney; John Reue, Floydada.

Transportation and Communication — "Rusty" Baccus, Lockney; Gale Mayo, Floydada.

Registration and Information — Mrs. Henry Hodel, Lockney; Kay Zimmerman, Floydada.

Fund Raising and Public Information — Barry Barker, Lockney; Jim Word, Floydada.

Purchase and Supply — Bill McClaskey, Lockney; Bob Finley, Floydada.

Chairmen from various rural communities will be named as reporters, according to plans, and the above-named committees will be filled in with additional members.

Eighth Grade Honor Students Announced

The honor students for the eighth grade graduating class were announced this week by Junior High Principal L. D. Hawkins. Jean Wofford, daughter of M. and Mrs. Kenneth Wofford, was named valedictorian of the class. She has maintained an average grade of 97.03 for this school year. John Paul Schacht, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schacht was named Salutatorian. He has maintained an average grade of 96.13 for the year.

Other honor students, that is those who have maintained an average grade of 90 or above for the year are: Delores Brown, Wanda Cox, Anita Durham, Marie Harden, Anna Mae Leach, Lajuan Sandlin, Joe Rigby, Charlene Brown, June Chandler, Hope Cox, Sally Cox, Donald Farish, Kay Golden, Larry Jarrett, Loy O'Brien, Gayle Rucker.

The eighth grade graduating exercises will be held on Thursday night, May 27, Mr. Hawkins said.

Smith Turns Down Hart Position

F. M. Smith, principal of the Lockney High School for several years, was recently elected superintendent of the Hart school system, northwest of Plainview, but has decided to turn down the offer and stay on as principal here. Mr. Smith said that, although the position offered a raise in salary, he had decided to continue in his position here as high school principal.

Seeks To Organize Texas Tech Exes

Gene Hardy of Lockney is interested in the organization of a Texas Technological College Exes Club in Lockney and asks that any ex-student of that school contact her at her home, dial 3378 soon. Mrs. Hardy said that the club should be organized by May 8 and suggests that those interested call her very soon.

MRS. JEFFCOAT ILL

Mrs. J. M. Jeffcoat, who has been ill since last December, has been seriously ill the past few weeks. Her condition is not improved this week relatives state. Mrs. Jeffcoat is the mother of George and Cleatis Jeffcoat who live here.

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Band To Enter League Contest

The Lockney High School Band, under the direction of Elmer E. Stimson, will travel to Lubbock Saturday where they will enter the Interscholastic League Band Contests for this year. The local band will enter marching, sight reading and concert playing.

Several solos and quartet ensembles will also enter the contests. A bass quartet, a brass sextette and two clarinets will enter. Local students who will play solos include Luther Williams, bass; Jerry Holt, French Horn; Allen Younger, bass; Jerry Mickey, cornet; Jimmy Colson, trombone. Oddie Mae Rogers will play a clarinet if she recovers from illness or Jimmy Watkins on the baritone and Donna Baughman on the clarinet may be substituted, Mr. Stimson said.

Beginner Band Wins
The Lockney school Beginner Band won a second place, or excellent rating, in the Beginner Band festival at Plainview last Saturday. They entered concert playing only. Fifty members made the trip.

Quartets, ensembles won three seconds and three third places. In solos Jimmy Watkins won a first place in baritone. Donna Baughman won a first on the clarinet. Dan Smith won a 2 plus rating in baritone and Ronny Vaughn won a 2 plus rating on the French horn.

City Hires Another Officer In Drive On Traffic Violations

The City has employed an additional city officer in an effort to cut down traffic violations and about 45 traffic tickets have been handed out in the past three days, the city office reported Wednesday. New officer is Ted Smith who was commissioned Saturday morning. Mr. Smith has been living here for some time and was employed at Patterson Grain Co. here and other places.

City Officer Olan Poteet is now working from 11 a. m. to 11 p. m. and Smith is working from 11 p. m. to 7 a. m. Mayor J. E. Cox said. Smith is employed on a temporary basis at \$1.00 per hour, Mayor Cox said. If he is kept on permanently he will be changed to a monthly salary later on. Poteet draws \$375 per month which includes his car expenses.

Numerous complaints have been received by city officials lately concerning traffic violations and dangerous driving and the additional officer was employed to help clear up the situation, it was said.

Political Rallies Set For County

Three rallies for candidates seeking office in Floyd County have been slated during the next two weeks.

The South Plains P-TA is sponsoring the rally to be held the night of April 30 at the South Plains school house. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock and a fried chicken supper will be served.

On the night of May 4, candidates are invited to attend a rally at the Lakeview school. Candidates will have an opportunity to speak and pie, coffee and soft drinks will be served.

The Baker community is announcing a rally for May 7. A box supper will follow speeches of the candidates. The gathering will be held at the community center.

Claude Hammond Has Heart Attack

Claude Hammond, local International dealer, is confined to his bed at his home here suffering from a heart ailment. Mr. Hammond became ill some 10 days ago and thought he had food poisoning but specialists in Dallas told him the past week that he had suffered a heart attack and ordered him to bed for a time.

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MRS. W. C. IRONS, local, homemaker instructor, was awarded an honorary membership in the Texas Association, Future Homemakers of America at the annual meeting of that organization last Friday in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Irons Is Honored At State FHA Meeting

Mrs. W. C. Irons, instructor of Homemaking in Lockney High School, was honored at the annual meeting of the Texas Association, Future Home Makers of America, in Fort Worth last Friday when she was presented with an honorary membership in the organization. Sue Webster, state F. H. A. president, and Doris Hohn, corresponding secretary, were in charge of the ceremony and presented certificates and honorary F. H. A. pins to the honored members. Present were 3,000 students from 1,000 schools in Texas.

The letter to Mrs. Irons read, "Each year it is the privilege of the Texas Association, Future Homemakers of America, to honor a few people who have given their time and efforts in furthering the program. It is with pleasure that we invite you to the State Meeting of the Texas Association in Fort Worth at which time you will receive an honorary membership in our association. It is our way of saying 'thank you' for all you have done for us."

Ann Belt, Edna Morris and Rosemary McDonald were the delegates from the Lockney Chapter to attend the meeting in Fort Worth. Mr. Irons also accompanied the group. They left Wednesday and returned home Saturday.

Lockney High Honor Students Are Named

Barbara Carthel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Carthel, was named valedictorian of the 1954 graduating class of Lockney High School this week. The salutatorian will be Harleen Workman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Workman. Barbara's grade average for the past two years was 97 and Harleen's average was 95.2.

Other students with an average of 90 or above are: Roy Johnston, 93.7; Sandra Myers, 92.7; Eddie Joe Foster, 92.47; Rosemary McDonald, 92.45; Eldon Portenberry, 91.6; Jimmy Myers, 90.6; Ann Belt, 90.

No Rain Or Hail Here This Week

Despite floods and hail storms in this area, Floyd County has received no measurable moisture and no hail up to Wednesday morning.

However some local people had hail damage to their cars last Sunday when they happened to be in the Tulla area as a severe hail storm struck there. Willis Reynolds, Kenneth Moody and Carl Huckaby all had their cars damaged in that storm. The damage to crops in the Tulla area was rather extensive as was damage to automobiles and roofs.

Cotton planters were running in a number of fields this week and many others are threatening to start. At least one farmer, Paul Cooper, has a field of cotton up to a good stand.

West Side Church To Begin Meeting

Van Bonneau of Dodsonville, Texas, will speak in a series of gospel meetings beginning Sunday, May 2, at the West Side Church of Christ in Lockney. It was announced this week. The meetings will continue through Sunday, May 9th. Services will be held at 8 p. m. each evening and at 10:30 a. m. Sunday.

Mr. Bonneau has been preaching since 1921 and is considered an excellent teacher of the Bible, members of the church said. The public is cordially invited to attend all services.

Farm Bureau To Meet Here

The Floyd County Farm Bureau will hold a meeting of the entire membership tonight (Thursday) in the Lockney City Auditorium. The program will begin at 7:30.

Chief matter of business will be the election of three new directors to the official board. Nominees for these three positions, two for each place, include:

Northeast part of the county, east of South Plains — J. P. Taylor and Grigsby Milton.

East of Lockney, center of the county — J. D. Webb and Carl Lemons.

South of Floydada, south center of county — Harry Morckel and Howard Gregory.

One of these men will be elected for each place. They are to be elected to entirely new positions on the board and do not replace any present members, according to County Service Officer W. R. Puckett.

Principal speaker of the evening will be Riley Arnold of Auburn, Alabama. Mr. Arnold is noted for his wit and illustrates his message with humor and jokes. He has been in farm bureau work for 25 years and combines good sound thinking with his humor.

Other entertainment will include music by the Crosbyton Quartet.

Also to be presented to members at this meeting will be the Farm Bureau's proposed farm program. Mimeographed copies of this program are available at the Farm Bureau office in Floydada or will be mailed to those desiring them.

The Bureau's proposed farm program, described as a compromise between two extremes, has been introduced into congress, according to Chester Carthel of Lockney, president of the county organization. Some proposals for improvements in price supports and adjustment legislation have been introduced by representatives and congressmen alike as well as provisions for carrying out the major policies as adopted by the voting delegates to the American Farm Bureau Federation last December in Chicago.

School Annuals Arrive Monday

The Lockney High School 1954 annuals arrived Monday and were being distributed this week. They are very attractive, contain 120 pages on enamel paper, and are bound with a special padded two-tone cover in maroon and tan. The book is titled "The Roundup, 1954."

The books this year were dedicated to the parents of the Lockney School students and the various pages were sponsored by business people of the area. The school extends thanks to those who made the book possible, it was said.

Taylor Publishing Company of Dallas printed the books of which 275 copies were ordered. The cost to the school was approximately \$1600.

Delores Russell and Harleen Workman were editors and Mrs. W. C. Irons was the sponsor of the annual.

J. B. JOHNSON BETTER

The condition of J. B. Johnson, who has been seriously ill for two weeks, was some improved Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Johnson said. Visiting in the Johnson home Sunday was Mrs. Grace Johnson and family from Sayre.

Special School For Exceptional Children Planned

School officials of Floyd County are talking of a school for exceptional children. Supt. W. C. Irons said Wednesday. Floydada school officials are interested and there has been some demand here for the school he said. If plans are worked out the two schools will go together and the school will be set up here.

The state will pay for a teacher and some equipment for the school without effecting the local teaching units in any way, Mr. Irons said.

The development of the school will depend upon the number of pupils available, and those who are interested should contact Mr. Irons at his office.

To justify a unit there should be at least:

a. Five severely crippled-nervous-trail children;

b. Five children so deafened that hearing aids are not adequate;

c. Five children so blinded that even with glasses, they cannot use ordinary books;

d. Eight retarded children whose I. Q. are below 70 and who are educable;

e. Fifty children whose speech is embarrassing, or is not understandable;

f. All mixed units for small schools or remote areas are to be clearly justified.

The mental status (I. Q.) must be determined for all children to be included in the program, except those provided only speech correction. The I. Q. tests will probably be given within the county.

Junior Play Is Set For Friday

The Junior Class play, "Hillbilly Weddin'", will be presented Friday evening of this week in the high school auditorium. Curtain will go up at 8 p. m.

The play is a comedy in three acts and the characters are all hillbillies of the original type. Setting is the interior of a mountain cabin, with all three acts being run off at the same place.

Characters in the play include such unusual names as Obeey Upschlager, played by Don Hollums, Paw Belsnickle, played by Henry Harden, Maw Belsnickle, played by Nell Cunyus, Coelle, Bonnie Mae and Juney Lou Belsnickle, played by Darla Allison, Barbara Hays and Jovonne Taylor respectively.

Other actors include Mary Nell Love, Marjorie Kidd, Edna Morris, Freddy Merrell, Joan Harris, Jimmy Scott, James Morris and David Hartman.

Student director is Jeanette Widener. Mrs. Mildred Zeigler and Elvin Lyon are sponsors of the class.

Specialty numbers will be presented between acts. The public is invited to attend. Admission will be 75c and 50c.

Scouters To Meet In Floydada Thurs.

Some two-hundred Scouts and their leaders are expected at a banquet to be held in Floydada April 29 for the Scouters of Haynes District of the South Plains Council of the Boy Scouts of America.

The district includes troops from Hale, Swisher, Castro, Motley, Briscoe and Floyd counties, and one troop from Olton in Lamb County.

The banquet, set for 7:30 p. m. will be held at the VFW hall, according to a recent announcement by Arch Keys, Plainview, chairman of organization and extension of the Haynes District.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Wiley of Lockney are to barbecue the meat and take care of the meal for the meeting.

Plans for the affair are progressing, according to Brac Biggers, Scout commissioner of Floydada, who heads the arrangements committee.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Monday Last Day To File For Office

Next Monday, May 3 is the last day prospective candidates may file for a place on the ballot in the Democratic Primaries, County Democratic Chairman Ben Ayres said this week.

The list of candidates in Floyd County is somewhat lighter this year than in previous years. Rumors of other candidates for county offices have been circulating but no new candidates had appeared here up to Wednesday.

Precinct conventions will be held this year on the same day as the primaries, the first one being on July 24.

Softball League Prepares For Summer Season

The Lockney Softball League has started plans for the summer season and teams have begun practice under the lights. A meeting of managers Tuesday night of this week re-elected Lloyd Readhimer as commissioner for the league and set the date for the beginning of league play at about June 1.

The exact number of teams hasn't been determined as yet. Teams in the league for sure are Fire Department, Gulf Service, Lone Star and South Plains. The league is trying to get two more teams from the high school and will probably invite a team from Silverton and one from McCoy to enter the league members said Wednesday. They want an eight-team league.

Providence and the American Legion will not have teams this year, it was reported.

Play Friday Night

Lone Star and the Fire Department will play a practice game Friday night under the lights here. Hoyette Hodges and Hubert Frizzell are managers of the Lone Star team. Fire Department team manager was undecided Wednesday with R. L. Knox, Homer Ellis and Dillon Patterson all being considered but no one accepting as yet. The game will begin at 8 o'clock.

The Fire Department and Gulf Service had a practice scrimmage Monday night, and other teams were on the field Tuesday night.

Total Deposits Up From 1953

Total deposits in the First National Bank of Lockney are up slightly from the comparative period last year, according to the statement of condition published this week.

At the close of business April 15 this year total deposits in the local bank were \$3,778,735.72 as compared to \$3,706,786.57 at the close of business on April 20, 1953. Total deposits in the last statement published, December 31, 1953, were \$4,640,775.40, representing a seasonal high.

Demand deposits in the current statement were \$3,233,755.32. April 1953 were \$3,406,017.21 and Dec. 1953 were \$4,075,801.05.

Cash on hand shows a good increase this year over last, the current statement cash item being \$2,188,196.65 as compared to \$1,568,962.93 on April 20, 1953 and \$2,312,624.04 on December 31, 1953.

Loans and discounts are \$1,551,687.06 on April 15 this year as compared to \$2,038,540.89 on April 20, 1953 and \$2,221,199.14 on December 31, 1953.

Undivided profits stand at \$98,721.07 this April compared to \$48,014.50 on April 20, 1953 and \$50,468.67 on December 31, 1953.

Rotarians Attend District Assembly

President-elect Arthur Barker Jr. and Vice-President-elect Bob Miller of the Lockney Rotary Club attended the annual district assembly at Levelland Monday of this week.

The program included conferences on the duties of the various officers and the local men were well instructed, they report. New officers in the local club will take effect July 1st.

4-Lane Highway Offered County

The State Highway Department has set up funds for a 4-lane highway through Floyd County on Highway 70 provided the county will provide an additional 100 foot of right-of-way, it became known this week. James F. Potts of Floydada, resident Highway Engineer, informed The Beacon that the money had been appropriated for the project subject to approval by the Commissioners' Court.

Judge Ralph C. Johnston said Wednesday that the Court had not turned the project down but felt that the people of the county should have the opportunity to accept or reject the proposition. Big cost to the county will be securing the right-of-way and moving of permanent installations along the proposed route. The cost of these would require a bond issue, the amount of which the Judge was unable to estimate Wednesday.

The plans call for an additional 60 feet for roadway and a 40-foot rider on which no permanent installations could be built. This would allow two 24-foot strips of pavement with 36 feet between the strips. Potts said. The Highway Department has set up \$600,000 for the project.

Members of the Court, Mr. Potts and his assistant, Sam Fowler, made a hurried survey Tuesday but wasn't able to estimate the amount of money it would require to clear the right-of-way.

Judge Johnston has called a meeting of citizens of the county for next Monday morning at 10 o'clock in the county court room at Floydada at which time he said that he probably would have the figures on the cost of the project to the county and the size of the bond issue necessary to accept it. He especially invites heads of organizations and leading citizens to be present and hear the discussion.

The first phase of the project, if accepted, would be the paving of the road from Floydada to the Hale County line. The road to the Motley county line would also be included as would an additional 20 feet of right of way on Highway 62 south from Floydada to Crosby County line.

The Highway department could go to work on the project as soon as it is approved by the county, Potts said. However it would require at least six months to work up a bond issue and get the matter to the approval stage, it was estimated.

Aiken Dehydrator Starts Monday

The National Alfalfa Dehydrating & Milling Co. started their dehydrator at the Aiken plant Monday of this week. J. D. Wood, manager said Wednesday. The dehydrator at the Lockney plant will probably start Saturday.

The Aiken plant is working on alfalfa hay from the Montandon and Meriwether farm in that community. Others are cutting some hay in this area but the harvest hasn't gained full momentum on the first cutting yet.

Market price for hay is \$12 per ton in the field and the baled price at the mill will probably be in the neighborhood of \$18 per ton, Mr. Wood said. He estimated that this area had an additional 1,000 acres above the alfalfa acreage of last year.

42 Children At Pre-School Clinic

A total of 42 children were examined at the pre-school clinic sponsored by the C. N. Townsend Parent-Teacher Association Wednesday of last week, according to figures released by Miss Joan Brown, school nurse.

Of the number examined 41 were given the smallpox vaccination and 35 the diphtheria and whooping cough immunization. Nineteen of the group had defects of the eyes and 14 had dental defects, Miss Brown said.

In addition to local doctors and dentist, several PTA leaders helped in the clinic, Miss Brown said.



ROCKY ROAD TO KNOWLEDGE

Education comes much easier today than it did a generation ago. Before the advent of the school bus and other modern facilities, rural children often walked several miles to a little country schoolhouse where they acquired the rudiments of knowledge.

Conditions in the cities and towns were some better, but were far below present standards. Vast strides have been made in the field of education, both urban and rural.

But hard work and diligent application are just as essential in the acquisition of learning today as they were a generation ago. There is no royal road to knowledge. The path to learning is through rugged areas and over crude, rocky roads.

The basis of true education is spiritual, not material. Schools that fail to inculcate a knowledge of God and a spiritual interpretation of life are failing in their highest purpose. The Church and the school are co-workers in the field of human knowledge. We must give them our support.

THE CHURCH FOR ALL . . . ALL FOR THE CHURCH

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake, (2) For his children's sake, (3) For the sake of his community and nation, (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

Sunday	Book	Chapter Verses
Monday	Proverbs	3 13-26
Tuesday	Matthew	7 24-27
Wednesday	I Peter	3 8-12
Thursday	Acts	19 34-42
Friday	I Kings	19 9-12
Saturday	II Kings	23 1-3
	Matthew	23 1-13

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MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST

Thos. McDonald, Minister
Bible School 9:45
Morning Worship 10:45
Evening Worship 6:00
Ladies' Bible Class
Monday at 2:30
Mid-Week Bible
Classes Wednesday at 8:00

LOCKNEY METHODIST CHURCH

Burgin Watkins, Minister
Church School 9:45
Morning Worship 11:00
Fellowship and Prayer
Service 6:30
Evening Worship 7:00
Mid-Week Prayer Services
Wednesday at 7:30

WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday Morning Worship
Services 10:30
Sunday Evening Worship
Services 7:00
Wednesday Evening Prayer
Services 8:00

AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH

C. O. Haile, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
Training Union 7:00
Evening Worship 8:00
Prayer Service Wednesday
at 8:00
Brotherhood, W. M. U. and
Auxiliaries Wednesday
at 8:30

AIKEN METHODIST CHURCH

James Futch, Pastor
(Worship services each first
and third Sundays)
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
Evening Worship 8:00

STERLEY METHODIST CHURCH

James Futch, Pastor
(Worship services each second
and fourth Sundays)
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
M. Y. F. 7:30
Evening Worship 8:00

PRAIRIE CHAPEL CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday Morning Worship
Services 10:30
Sunday Evening Worship
Services 7:30
Herbert Setliff preaches
each first Sunday.
Arthur B. Watkins preaches
each second Sunday.
Local men in charge of third
Sunday services.
C. W. Watkins preaches each
fourth Sunday.

LONE STAR BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. L. Shaw, Supply
Pastor
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
Training Union 6:45
Evening Worship 8:00
Prayer Service Wednesday
Evening 7:30
Brotherhood on second Mon-
day night.
W. M. U. 1st and 3rd Wednes-
days at 2:30 p. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

V. C. Sparks, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
Young People's Meeting 7:00
Evening Worship 7:45
Prayer Service Wednesday
at 7:45
Women's Missionary Council
Thursday at 2:30

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rolan E. Wiley, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
Training Union 7:00
Evening Worship 8:00
W. M. U. Monday
at 4:00 and 8:00
Sunbeams Monday at 3:00
Auxiliaries Monday at 4:00
Y. W. A. Wednesday at 7:00
Prayer Service Wednesday
at 8:00
Choir practice Wednesday
at 9:00
Brotherhood first Tuesday
night in month.

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Dunlop Tires

Pinner Insurance
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Arvin TV Sales and Service

J. C. Jones Co.
The Family Store

Cooper Garage & Butane
Conoco Products — Phone 2372

Bilbrey Motor Company
Chrysler-Plymouth Sales & Service

... returned the past week from a trip to Corpus Christi and other points in the valley.

SOUTH PLAINS
by Mrs. Murray Julian
(Delayed)

Easter services on Sunday morning and evening were attended by a goodly number with Rev. Joe Wilson from Floydada presiding in the pulpit in the absence of Rev. W. S. Spearman, who is still ill in the Quannah Memorial Hospital.

We wish to offer congratulations to the newly wedded couple, Ted Lanham and Jo Beth White, who were married in Seminole on Friday evening at 7:30 in the Baptist Church. Ted grew up in our community and since he has finished college at Canyon he has come back several times to visit and has given several fine sermons here since he entered the ministry.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marble and June left Friday for Bowie, Texas. They visited Rev. Spearman in Quannah on the way and took Billy there to spend the week end with his parents. The Marbles spent the week end in Bowie with Mrs. Marble's sister, Mrs. Burgett and family. They went

J. L. King, her father, home with them. Don Marble was home over Sunday from El Paso where he is stationed. His parents returned home a short time before he had to return to his base, as they were not expecting him home. Mr. King has been visiting for several months with his other daughters and will now stay with the Marbles.

On Wednesday, April 14, the Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Bryan Karr in South Plains with Mrs. Raymond Upton as co-hostess. The afternoon was spent in the making of ear rings of different colors and designs with the craft leaders teaching the members the art of jewelry making. Mrs. L. T. Wood presided over the business meeting with council report given by Mrs. Milton. Each member will bring a pie to the Guest Grocery by nine-thirty on Saturday for the REA annual meeting. After the meeting the hostesses served chocolate and white cake with ice cream to the members. Mmes. L. T. Wood, H. L. Marble, Arby Mulder, Arthur Brown, Grigsby Milton, Bryant Higginbotham, Bill Beedy, J. D. Webb, Frank McClure, Leighton Tepple, R. G. Dunlap, Harry Hartman, Albert Stewart and Murray Julian. The next meeting will be on April 28 in the home of Mrs. Walter Wood with freezer demonstrations by the food leaders.

Those who went to Quannah on Sunday afternoon to visit Rev. W. S. Spearman who is ill, were Mr. and Mrs. Junior Calahan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Zach Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure and they were accompanied by Mrs. Raymond Upton. We will sorely miss Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bean, Ann, Butch and Gilbert Lee who have moved to their new home in Winters, Texas. He will be engaged as oil field operator, working with his brother-in-law. We wish them success in their new home. Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Calahan and three children have moved this past Wednesday to the Billy Bean home west of South Plains.

The intermediate teachers, Mrs. L. T. Wood and Mrs. Bryant Higginbotham, Sunday School and BTU officers, took their students on a hay ride and a wiener roast last Friday night. They went to the canyon near the Ursel Taylor home in a pick up filled with hay. They enjoyed supper cooked in the canyons and those who attended the outing were Bonnie Upton, Donita Milton, Louise Pritchett, Virginia Taylor, James and Roy Hartman, Kendis Julian, Alton Higginbotham



"If you must kill time, you might try working it to death!"

eggs and the decorations carried out the Easter theme. Present for the birthday party were Nathan and Catherine Mulder, Johnny, Beth and Jerry Calahan, Peggy Young, Jimmie and Louise Pritchett, Gary and Sue Wilson, Barbara Sue and Donita Milton, Mrs. R. E. Young visited during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan Jr.'s home was the setting for a class party Thursday evening of last week. The Young Married Couples class met at the Calahan home for an evening of games of "42". Those who enjoyed the evening and refreshments of cookies, coffee and candy were Mr. and Mrs. Sylvian Kinnibrugh and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Guest, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smitherman and Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and children, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Johnson and Carlton and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hueckabee and children.

The South Plains grade school team went to Floydada Tuesday afternoon to play ball with the 7th grade pupils of the Andrews Ward School. The girls from here won their game 33-17 and the boys won 17-5.

FULKERSON VISITORS

Visitors in the home of Mrs. M. P. Fulkerson and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Truett last week were Mrs. H. S. Watson, Mrs. Bill McCaughey, Mrs. C. P. Waybourn, Mrs. T. E. Long, all from Matador who visited Thursday; Mrs. M. L. Patton, Rachel Patton, Mrs. J. D. Craven, Francine Craven, Mrs. L. J. Barkley, all from Matador who visited Saturday. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Fulkerson, Lubbock; Mrs. Gene Pepper, Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Truett, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Thornton of near Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Foy Beene of Roby.

TO ARKANSAS

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McClain and boys accompanied by Mr. McClain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McClain of Plainview, spent a week visiting in Arkansas. They returned Friday at noon. At Bentonville they visited the H. B. Machen family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wood, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Butch and family, all former Lockney residents. They also visited in Rogers, Little Rock and Hot Springs, Ark.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitfill returned home from Rock Port, Texas Wednesday afternoon of last week after spending the past four months there. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Cooper who also have spent the winter at Westaco and Rock Port left there last week enroute home but are spending several days at Possum Kingdom before coming on to Lockney.

CARD OF THANKS

We are very thankful to our friends and acquaintances for your kindnesses, flowers and cards during Mrs. Spradlin's illness. We shall always remember every one of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Spradlin and Ernestine.

Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Wiley and children, Zinda Karl and Carol Gay visited Mrs. Wiley's father, W. M. Biffle at Memphis Monday night. Mr. Biffle had undergone an operation Saturday.

James Beene of Roby was a guest in the home of Gene Handley last week end.

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Society News

Mrs. Joe Foster B&PW Club Hostess

Mrs. Joe Foster assisted by Mrs. G. M. Brunner acted as hostess for a meeting of Lockney Business and Professional Women's Club Tuesday night at 7:30.

A delicious salad course arranged on the plate to represent a doll was served to Mes. Wanda Baker, Rosita Hollar, Ellen Wiley, Jerry Griffith, Betty Knox, Ada Bailey, Albertine Irons, Ruby Merrick, Imogene Myers, Leila Petty, Frances O'Hearn, Jo Ann Moody, Estelle Powers, Miss Virginia Thomas and the hostesses, Mrs. Foster and Mrs. Brunner.

A short business meeting followed the supper during which Mrs. Ted Oliver was elected to membership. A number of games were played before the meeting adjourned.

After sundown it is colder on a desert than in a forest.

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Honoring Mrs. Alfred Smith a pink and blue shower was given in the home of Mrs. W. I. Hightower Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. Mrs. Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Pylant.

The refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth and accented with pink tapers in crystal holders and an arrangement of white peonies.

In the house party were Mes. C. L. Calloway, L. A. Wofford, Leon Wofford, Lloyd Wofford, Olson Allison, Ray Pinner, Fay Pinner, Jack Taylor, Leslie Cox, Loren Reece, Johnny Moody, Quentin Adams, W. C. Wisdom, W. R. Darnell, Lester Carter, Thomas McDonald, Marvin Sams, Harmon Handley, Blaine Holt, Norene Visage, Dwight Jackson, John Chandler, J. H. Widener, Fred Paschal, Raymond Sheeley and W. I. Hightower.

Approximately 100 registered or sent gifts.

RETURN FROM THE WEST

Mr. and Mrs. B. Phillips returned Monday from a trip to Cheyenne, Wyo., Fort Collins and Estes Park, Colo., and other points in the west. They visited their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Delbert Phillips on the trip. Delbert is in training with the Air Force at Maxwell AFB, Alabama.

Rev. and Mrs. Gaylon Wiley of Amarillo were in Lockney Monday to visit his brother, Rev. R. E. Wiley and family.



MR. AND MRS. ROGER CONNER

Deanne Arterburn Is Roger Conner's Bride

Deanne L. Arterburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Arterburn Jr., of Lockney became the bride of Roger Neilson Conner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Conner of Cedar Hill community in an impressive double ring ceremony performed in the parlor of the First Methodist Church here Sunday, April 18 at 4 p. m. Rev. G. C. Applegate, pastor of Cedar Hill Baptist Church read the vows.

Blue tapers in cathedral candelabra banked with lilies formed the decorative setting for the ceremony. Barbara Hays sang "Because" and "Yours" and Patty Adams sang "I Love You Truly" as a musical prelude. They were accompanied at the organ by Gail Kellison.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was dressed in a waltz length gown fashioned with Chantilly lace over net and satin. The bridesmaid featured a Mandarin

collar, long sleeves ending in points over the hands and an empress waist-line trimmed with seed pearls. Pearls also outlined the collar. Her finger-tip veil was attached to a Juliet cap and she carried a bouquet of pink roses atop a white Bible.

For something old she carried her Grandmother Arterburn's wedding ring which was made into her bouquet. Something new was her dress, borrowed from the veil belonging to Janice Lloyd, something blue was a garter. For luck she wore a penny in her slipper.

Barbara Ross of Amarillo was maid of honor, Clara Lee Smith, La Dora Ayres, Betty June Jackson and Gail Kellison were bridesmaids. They wore pastel colored waltz-length gowns with wristlets of yellow pom' pom cushion chrysanthemums.

Stanley Conner of Baylor University, Waco, served his brother as best man. Karen Ashton and Tony Arterburn, brother of the bride, were candlelighters.

Mrs. Arterburn, mother of the

bride, wore navy with white accessories and a corsage of white carnations. Mrs. Conner, mother of the groom chose black with pink accessories. Her corsage was pink carnations.

Only relatives of the families were present for the ceremony.

Reception

A reception was held immediately following the wedding in fellowship hall of the church. The table was laid with a blue cloth and decorated with blue and yellow carnations and the attendants bouquets. Centering the table was a three-tiered cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

After the bride and groom cut the first piece of cake Clara Lee Smith and Patty Adams presided at the table. La Dora Ayres secured names for the bride's book where approximately 80 guests registered.

A musical background was furnished by Betty June Jackson at the piano and vocal numbers by Barbara Hays and Patty Adams.

For a short wedding trip the bride wore navy taffeta with pink accessories.

The bride attended Lockney High School. The bridegroom attended Floydada and Lockney schools, graduating from Lockney High School in 1954. He is also a graduate of Draughn's Business School, Amarillo.

The couple is now at home in Cedar Hill community where the bridegroom is engaged in farming.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. J. N. Brewer, Mrs. C. Ross, Mrs. H. N. Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Avery Jr., Clarence Graham and Robert Conner, all from Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conner, Canyon.

Rehearsal Supper

On Saturday evening at 6 o'clock a rehearsal supper was given in the home of the bride's parents for members of the wedding party.

The table was laid with lace and accented with blue tapers in silver candelabra and an Easter arrangement of white stock and blue iris. Places were laid for sixteen guests.

Best prospects for a peach crop in Texas are found in the Stone-wall area of Gillespie county. The March freezes hit other major producing areas hard.

Plans are being made to bring Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Mitchell home about two weeks ago. E. A. Carter will accompany the Mitchells home in an ambulance.

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WHEN A MEMBER IS OUT OF DUTY

Men who have turned from the service of God should be the saddest and most miserable people on earth. Their standing before God is worse than that of the heathen who is submerged in idolatry. The Spirit said: "It had been better for them not to have known the way of righteousness, than after they have known it to turn from the holy commandment delivered unto them." (2 Pet. 2:21.) To such Jesus said, "I will spew thee out of my mouth." (Rev. 3:16.) Their punishment will be like that inflicted on backslidden angels. Peter said, "God spared not the angels that sinned, but cast them down to hell, and delivered them into chains of darkness, to be reserved unto judgment." (2 Pet. 2:4.)

But when is a member out of duty? Since man's duty is fulfilled in obedience to God, it follows that he is out of duty when he is not in obedience. Solomon said, "Fear God and keep his commandments: for this is the whole duty of man." (Eccl. 12:13.) Jesus said, "When we have done all those things which are commanded we are to say 'we have done that which was our duty to do.'" (Lk. 17:10.) He who is in duty is the person who obeys, and he who is out of duty is the one who does not obey.

We shall notice some of the points at which a member may be out of duty. It should be remembered that one need not err at every point to be out of duty. A refusal to keep one of God's commands is equal to breaking the whole law (Jas. 2:10.) 1. A church member is out of duty when he gratifies the sinful lusts of the flesh. Peter said, "Abstain from fleshly lusts which war against the soul." (1 Pet. 2:11.) Paul said, "Let us cleanse ourselves from all defilement of flesh and spirit." (2 Cor. 7:1.) And again, "If ye live after the flesh, ye shall die, but if ye through the Spirit do mortify the deeds of the body, ye shall live." (Rom. 8:13.) 2. A member is out of duty when he encourages doctrinal sins. Christians at Rome were given this command: "Mark them which cause division and offenses contrary to the doctrine which ye have learned, and avoid them." (Rom. 16:17.) John said, "If there come any unto you, and bring not this doctrine, receive him not into your house, neither bid him God speed. For he that biddeth him God speed is partaker of his evil deeds." (2 Jno. 1:10.) 3. A member is out of duty when he does not support the Cause of Christ with his money. Giving is a duty. Paul said, "If the Gentiles have been made partakers of their spiritual things, their duty is also to minister unto them in carnal things." (Rom. 15:27.) Those who do not give of their money are out of duty, then. Regularity of giving is commanded. Paul said, "Upon the first day of the week, let every one of you lay by him in store, as God hath prospered him." (1 Cor. 16:2.) 4. A church member is out of duty when he forsakes the assembly. (Heb. 10:25.) In this verse the writer commands Christians not to forsake the assembly. Satan will help you find other good deeds that you might substitute for worship. But nothing can serve as a substitute for worship.

Christians who live clean lives, present the pure doctrine of Christ, give as they are prospered, and meet regularly for worship will never be out of duty.

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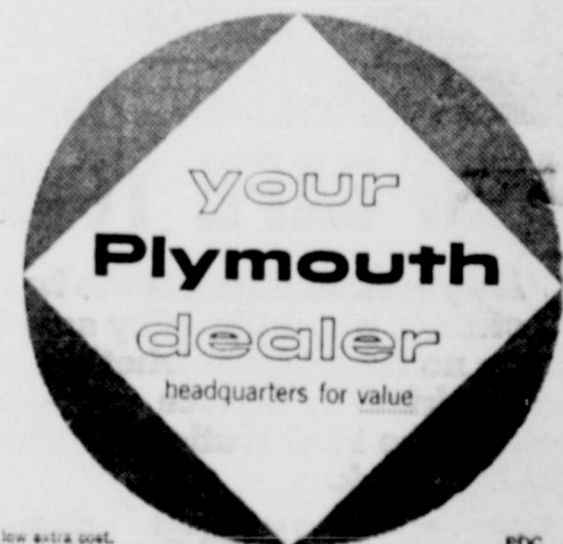
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EDITORIAL

I suppose everyone knows that the band is one of my favorite interests in life. Trouble is, don't enough people think the same way. The boys all say it's sissy to be in the band. Well, they wouldn't think so long if they got in it. The marching field is no place for a weakling and a person with no wind is practically out of the running when it comes to playing a horn.

Now don't get me wrong, I'm all for sports. But in the off-season, why can't you be in the band? It is fun — we take trips and have parties. Everyone is a little better for having been in such an organization — you're working with a group for a worthwhile goal. Isn't that what we must do to succeed in life? Of course it is!

Some people say they could never learn to play a horn. Well, some people might not, but you could. It doesn't take much intelligence or an awful lot of work and you get so much in return.

Think about this for next season, won't you?

Band And Choral Banquet Held

by Joan Harris

The members of the band and choral club and their guests enjoyed a banquet held in their honor Tuesday night, April 29 at 8:00 p. m. Approximately fifty students enjoyed the entertainment furnished by Patty Adams and Sandra Myers as they did "Cross Over the Bridge," and "The Jones Boy." Barbara Hays, Barbara Carthel and Joan Harris helped Patty sing "Blue Moon." Mr. Elmer Stimson, band and choral director, closed the program after speaking on "The Value of Music."

"Whozit"

The Whozit this week is similar to the one last week. When it is completely filled in, it will spell a certain girl's name.

1. Show mirth.
2. Cowardly color.
3. A direction.
4. An ancient Scandinavian.

1. The group of Islands off the east coast of Asia.
2. An elf's child.
3. The sixteenth President of U. S.
4. A stroke of the tongue.
5. A song sung by warbling.

The whozit last week was Ann Belt and was correctly identified by Jim Bob Reynolds and Clifton Williams.

Shellac is made from a resinous substance secreted by shell insects.

Song Hits Of L. H. S.

by Patsy Bybee

"Have You Heard" — Dee's Smitties.

"Make Love to Me" — Katie to Dan.

"You'll Come" — To the Junior Play.

"Yesterday Girl" — Fat to La Juan.

"Just Waiting" — For Dates (Freshman Girls).

"Living On Love" — Royce and Fonceine.

"Wanted" — Bill Edens.

"When My Dreamboat Comes Home" — Doylene to Joe Bob.

"Secret Love" — Lynn and Gene.

"I Hate Men" — Sophomore Girls (Never).

"Hey Good Looking" — Girls to Donald Allison.

"Tell Me Two Are One" — Roy to Clydelle.

"I Get So Lonely" — Mr. Snodgrass.

"Neon Love" — Betty June and Cleon.

"Johnny Guitar" — Charles Andrews.

"Remember Your Mine" — Wendelle to Clare Lee.

"Smoke Gets In Your Eyes" — At Slumber Parties.

"Undecided" — Oddie Mae.

"I'll Be There" — Jimmy to Nell.

"I'll Always Love You" — Jimmy to Ernestine.

"Slowly" — School Days.

"Cross Over the Bridge" — Jimmy to Jan.

"Run 'Em Off" — Floydada Girls.

"Rack Up the Ball" — Eddie, Jimmy and Jerry.

"There Stands the Class" — Nelda, Pat and Shirley.

"Longing" — For school to be out.

"We'll Miss You When You Go" — For the Coaches.

Minstrel Show

The Lockney Band parents of Lockney Public Schools sponsored a Minstrel Show at the High School Auditorium Thursday, April 22. The Minstrel Show was composed of students from the Dunbar High School in Lubbock.

The band made approximately \$250 above expenses and this money will be used to a good advantage next year. The program was something

Netters Lose In Regional

Jimmy Myers, Eddie Foster and Buck Ford lost their tennis matches in the Regional Meet held on the Tech Campus in Lubbock Friday, April 23rd. Myers and Foster won over representatives from Jayton 6-3, 6-1, but lost to Andrews 6-4, 6-3, Buck lost to Kermit 6-0, 6-0.

Happy Home Life For All

"Happy Home Life for All" were the tall words standing across the front of the stage in the Will Rogers Coliseum in Fort Worth during the State FFA meeting. A house was in the background featuring picture windows with drawn curtains. The porch and steps were framed with shrubbery and beds of blooming tulips, whereas along the sides were trellises of climbing red roses.

A principal feature was Bill Martin, the Winston storyteller and of course all girls enjoyed Jon Hagler, State FFA President. Entertainment included fun night, ice show, a full program looking through windows of homes, chuck wagon supper and a special number from each of the ten areas.

Honorary and State Degrees were presented.

The following state officers were installed for 1954-55:

President — Jane Cagle, Comanche.

1st Vice President — Patsy Harborough, Beckville.

2nd Vice President — Jackie Reeves, Amarillo.

3rd Vice President — Mehilyn Brown, Arlington.

4th Vice President — Virginia Norsworthy, Fort Neches.

5th Vice President — Eabs Batot, Hondo.

Ann Belt, voting delegate, Rosemary McDonald, Edna Morris and Supt. and Mrs. W. C. Irons returned Sunday afternoon reporting a wonderful trip.

The Supreme Court does not have power to alter the Constitution.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

new to the people in Lockney and everyone enjoyed it very much.

Little Bull

by Big Willy
(the prune picker)

Jan, that sure is a pretty watch Jimmy gave you. Do you recognize this letter that Fay Williams swiped from the writer.

Dear??

How are you this fine day? I wish you would come home with me and clean the car for me. I wish we had another day or two out of school. Did you have fun staying at Patsys? Well, I guess I will see you tonight. I bet that banquet will be a "hot one," don't you? Well the bell just rang, I'll see you tonight.

Yours,

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Dan, that will cost you for my not putting the name and all the letter in there. Jerry, I'll talk to your father and see if I can't get him to give you a little more to ear. Don, how do you and Fred like that new tooth paste? Patty Adams, Donnie McGowen, Donald Allison and Eldora Boone were seen at the Twin-View Wednesday night. By the way you girls hit it lucky by getting your name drawn, didn't you. Nell, seemed to be rather glad to see Jimmy come back to school Friday. Betty Jo, are you really as worried as you looked Friday? Buck, did you and Joan enjoy the Jamboree Thursday night? Don and Mary Ford were seen at the Seale Friday night. Dan Rowell, Katy Rucker, Gene Handley and Lynn Jolly were seen Saturday night. If any of you boys want to buy a good 1950, two door, green Ford, Mae Beth's daddy has one to sell. Jimmy W. has really been making the rounds since he came home (in all day-out all night). Harleen, I hear you are having some competition with Bill from the Sophomore class. Peggy H., I guess you and Joe are getting along fine. Lerel, you had better start running; I hear Leona has her eye on you. Marjorie, did you withdraw your membership from the Explorer Scouts? (No ring.) Joan and Larry were seen at Church Sunday night. Mary Myers, why is everyone calling you (O. P.)

THE LOCKNEY BEACON, LOCKNEY, TEXAS, APRIL 29, 1954

Did You Know?

Sue Wofford

The Junior Play is tomorrow night, (Friday the 30th.)

Roy Johnson and Clydelle Hill are seen rather frequently.

Patty Adams can never find her Home Ec book (messy locker).

The Ag boys should give the Home Ec girls a banquet.

Leland Lewis was seen with Sue Wofford last Thursday night.

Pickens and Pat Bybee are a new couple around town.

Eldora Boone got a haircut.

The Senior Progressive Party is May 1st.

Barbara Carthel can howl (What was that score now?)

Harleen Workman got Salutatorian.

Don Hollums was foaming at the mouth on report card day.

Barbara Carthel got Valedictorian — heard she had to have an aspirin.

Eldon F. was selected District Star Farmer.

Barbara, Sue, Patty and Betty love to chew double bubble.

Dan Rowell and Katie Rucker have been seen together lately.

The band had a large crowd at the Minstrel Show.

Patty and Eldon were seen at the Minstrel Show (and oddie).

Larry McCormick and Oddie were at the Minstrel Show also.

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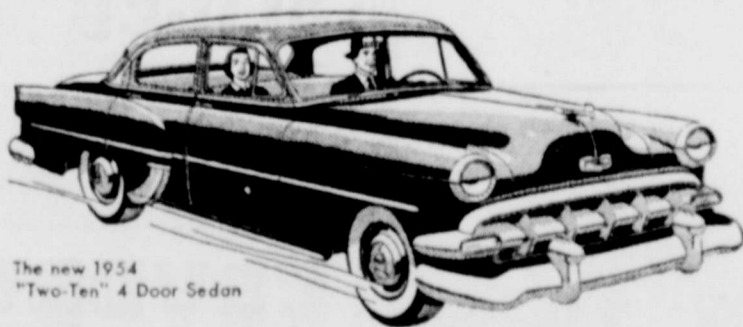
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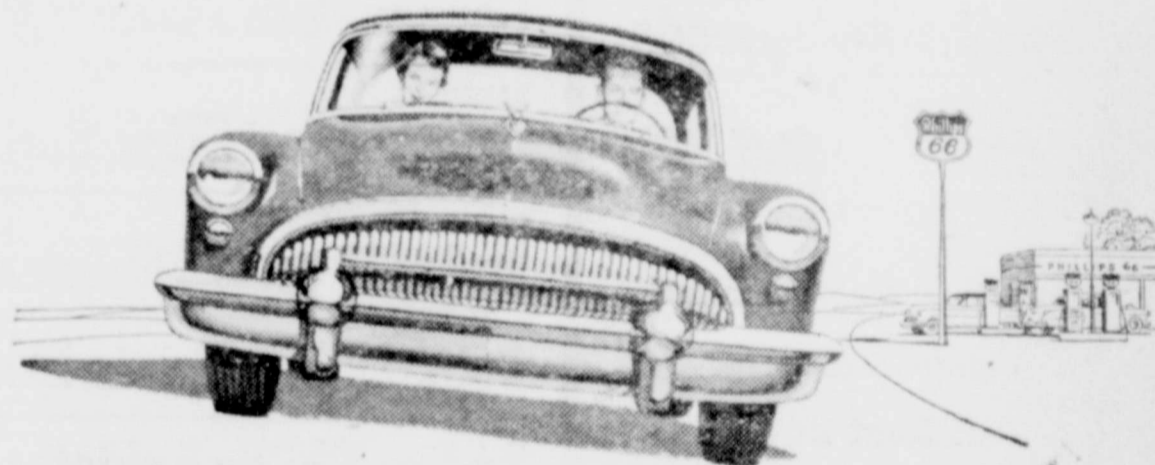
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SOCIETY

Joe Keeter Weds Dallas Woman

Marie Brunson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Brunson of Dallas, became the bride of Joe Keeter, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Keeter of Lockney, Saturday, April 24. The double ring ceremony was performed at Clovis, New Mexico at 8 o'clock in the Baptist parsonage with Rev. W. E. King, Baptist pastor officiating.

Spring flowers formed the decorative setting for the exchange of vows.

The bride was attractive in a beige linen suit with brown accessories and a corsage of red carnations. She carried out the traditional something old, new, borrowed and blue.

Mrs. Jimmy Lee McGowan attended the bride as matron of honor. She was dressed in a black suit with black accessories.

Jimmy Lee McGowan attended the groom as best man.

Others attending the wedding were Ewell Dee Kelley and Red Daniels of Lockney.

After a short wedding trip the couple is at home in Lockney where he is associated with his father in business.

INFANT BURIED TUESDAY

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Crawford was buried in Lockney Cemetery Tuesday after graveside rites. The baby was still born Monday at the Lockney General Hospital here. The family live in the Aiken community and have another little girl of pre-school age.

Hospital News

Oscar Santos, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Cruz Santos, Floydada was admitted for medical treatment 4-21 and dismissed 4-22.

Mrs. Imogene Myers was admitted for medical treatment 4-22 and dismissed 4-27.

John Hodel was admitted 4-24 and dismissed 4-26.

Mrs. Jimmie Crawford, Aiken was admitted 4-23 and dismissed 4-28.

Jerry Dunn, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunn, Plainview was admitted for tonsilectomy 4-28.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Ford are parents of a son born Wednesday afternoon at 3:05. He weighed 8 lbs., 4 ounces.

Mrs. J. M. Nie of Olustee, Oklahoma, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. E. A. Carter and Mr. Carter.

Lockney Tennis Team Loses In Regional

The Lockney High School tennis team lost out in regional meet at Lubbock last Friday.

Harold Ford lost in the boys singles play to the Kermit entry, 6-0, 6-0.

Jimmy Myers and Eddie Joe Foster won their first game in the doubles play, defeating the Jayton team 6-4, 6-2. However in the second round they lost to the Andrews team by an identical score, 6-4, 6-2.

Harleen Workman entered the ready writers contest but failed to place.

IN GERMANY

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Beecher have received word that their son, Donald has arrived in Germany where he will spend several months in the army of occupation.

Churches Of Christ Launch TV Program

The Herald of Truth, a new religious television program directed by the Churches of Christ, will have its initial showing in Lubbock on KDUB-TV at 1:30 p. m. on May 2.

The program, a 30-minute religious release, is an adaptation of the network radio program by the same name which has been carried by some 300 stations of a major network (ABC) for the past two years. The radio program is also being continued and began its third year of broadcasting on February 14th of this year.

The new television program, a Do Mont Network Television production, is also carried by a number of stations in America which are affiliated with other networks.

A national news magazine (TIME) told the story recently of how the radio program was made a reality two years ago in spite of the fact that the Church of Christ has no national headquarters or central governing body.

Two young evangelists, James W. Nichols and James D. Willeford, both of Abilene, Texas, were singled out in the news article as having been primarily responsible for the successful coast-to-coast radio program. The two young men will be the featured speakers on the new TV series.

Willeford and Nichols are both graduates of Abilene Christian College at Abilene, Texas and both have done graduate work in the East. Willeford, 38, and Nichols, 26, have both been preaching since they were 14 years of age.

Also heard on the TV program will be narrator Phil Kendrick and outstanding singing which has been heard on the radio show.

The program is produced by the Highland Church in Abilene with Churches of Christ in this hemisphere cooperating in the production.

In the U. S. a green buoy marks a sunken wreck.

Frances Copeland In Tech Society

Frances Dee Copeland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Copeland of Lockney, was initiated into Alpha Lambda Delta, an honor society for freshman students at Texas Technological College, in initiation services last Thursday night.

Students are required to maintain a grade point average of 2.5 in order to be eligible for membership. Eighteen freshmen women were initiated into the society. Following initiation services members of the group with a like organization of men were entertained with a banquet at the Skyline Dining Room in the municipal Airport at Lubbock. Parents of the students were also invited to attend and Mr. and Mrs. Copeland were present for the occasion. Speaker was Dr. George L. Cross, president of the University of Oklahoma.

Mrs. Amaya Still Improving

Mrs. Luis Amaya, who was seriously injured in an auto accident southwest of Lockney on February 28, is slowly improving at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Fay. The Fay family live on the Paul Cooper place north of Lockney.

Mrs. Amaya suffered a badly broken leg and many other injuries. She is able to sit up a part of the time now but physicians say that it will be four or five months before she will be able to walk.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Carley who formerly lived on Rt. 1, Lockney arrived here Saturday from their home in Holtville, California. They are visiting their two sons, Gayne and Joe Bob who are here on furlough from Ft. Bliss. Mr. Carley is employed with Imperial Irrigation District of Imperial Valley. They moved to California last January 15.

R. E. PATTERSON HOME

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Patterson are back home again after spending about three months in Corpus Christi, Rockport and Temple. Mr. Patterson, who has been suffering with a respiratory ailment is doing fine now, he says, and is able to be about town some of the time. He was seriously ill for a time.

Mrs. C. S. Keeter has been in Big Spring, Texas for several weeks at the bedside of her father who is seriously ill. She visited the family here last week end.

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Joe Taylor arrived Sunday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Taylor and Charlotte Ann. He will leave Friday, May 7 for Fort Sill, Oklahoma where he will enter an artillery training school.

Jimmy Williams came Sunday and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Williams. He will be here another week before returning to Ft. Bliss.

Claude Gene Hammit will leave Thursday, April 29 for Ft. Hood where he will enter a baking and cooking school. He did his basic training at Ft. Bliss and has spent a 14-day visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hammit.

Ronald Reece arrived the 17th for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Reece and other relatives. He will return to Ft. Bliss Friday of this week.

Gayne and Joe Bob Carley have been here several days visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Carley, of Holtville, California, former residents of Lockney. Gayne arrived here Thursday of last week and Joe Bob went from El Paso to California to accompany his parents here Saturday. The boys will leave May 1 to return to Ft. Bliss for eight more weeks of training. Joe Bob will train in small artillery and Gayne will be trained in guided missiles.



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Cotton Insects To Be Discussed At Lubbock Meeting

Lubbock — Top-notch cotton insect authorities will appear on the program of the annual Cotton Insect Control Meeting scheduled for Tuesday, May 4 in Lubbock, according to W. H. Jones, Texas Agricultural Extension district agent. The event will begin at 9:30 a. m. on the campus of Texas Technological College with sessions in the agricultural engineering building.

The meeting is held to present latest information on cotton insects to county agricultural agents, vocational agriculture instructors, and the insecticide industry, including dealers, distributors and formulators, field men and aerial applicators. Others interested will also be welcome.

After a welcome by W. L. Stangel, dean of the Texas Tech Division of Agriculture Dr. J. C. Gaines, head of the Texas A. and M. college entomology department, will discuss the "General Cotton Insect Problem" followed by a discussion of "Cotton Insect Research Results in the High Plains Area" by W. L. Owens, entomologist of the Texas Agriculture Experiment station at Lubbock.

"The Cotton Industry's Part in Insect Control" will be presented by C. B. Spencer of Dallas, agricultural director of the Texas Cottonseed Growers Association.

After lunch in the Texas Tech animal husbandry pavilion, Don L. Jones, superintendent of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Lubbock will discuss "Observations and Relations of Late Irrigation to Cotton Insects."

The "Pink Bollworm Control Program" will be presented by F. I. Jeffrey of San Antonio, assistant project leader of pink bollworm control for the USDA, and the 1954 Cotton Insect Guide prepared annually by the Texas Agricultural Extension service, will be presented by Neal Randolph, extension entomologist.

JOHN HODEL ILL

John Hodel spent several days last week in Lockney General Hospital receiving treatment. Monday he went to Lubbock where he went through a number of tests. He was still under observation Wednesday afternoon in a Lubbock hospital. Visiting him here last week end was his daughter, Mrs. Jamie Owens of Plainview.

CARD OF THANKS

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THE LOCKNEY BEACON LOCKNEY TEXAS, APRIL 29, 1954

INSTITUTE HERE WEDNESDAY

A Vacation Church School Institute was held at the Methodist Church here Wednesday. About 100 people representing 15 churches in this section of the Plainview district were present. Purpose of the institute was to plan for the vacation schools coming soon after vacation period starts.

MRS. SPRADLIN DOING FINE

Mrs. Ernest Spradlin, who underwent an operation in Baylor Hospital, Dallas, last week is doing fine and is expected to come home Friday of this week. Mr. Spradlin said this week. Her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Spradlin will accompany her home.



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MEMBER BY ASSOCIATION

Minute Editorials

No man can come to me except the Father which hath sent me draw him; and I will raise him up at the last day.—John 6:44.

THE EDITOR, in company with three rich (?) farmers, took a flying trip the past week end to Alamosa, Colorado, via Walsenburg. The San Luis valley, in which Alamosa is located is a farming area where mountain water is used for irrigation. Also the area is sub-irrigated, that is underground water is very close to the top of the ground. Even with all this it was the conclusion of the group that the valley would not compare with Floyd County as a farming area. In fact every one in the party came home well satisfied with this county as a place to live.

NO DOUBT that the land in the San Luis valley is very rich. It is also very level and in most cases waters very well. But it has several drawbacks. One is the short growing season. Another is that the mountain irrigation water is not always dependable. Snow in the mountains governs the amount of water available and the snow has been light the

past two years. Then too, even though you have a water right, you must wait until others in the same water group are ready for the water before you can get it. And if you're not ready when it comes down the canal it may be all used up before you get ready. Farming in that area is much different

farmer who goes from the high plains of Texas to the San Luis valley has a lot to learn.

AN EARLY SPRING and warm weather (up to Monday) is the reason for a lot of cotton being planted early. Perhaps this is one of those unusual years when cotton can be planted early with success. No doubt the earlier the cotton is planted the earlier it will mature and early maturing cotton means more money in the bank, the experts tell us.

THE ORGANIZATION of a county disaster unit could very well prove extremely important to Floyd County at some time in the future. Purpose of the unit is to provide an organization that could take care of the people of the county or some neighboring county in case a disaster strikes. Committee chairmen and committee members are important in the organization. If you are asked to serve we urge that you agree to do your best and give your co-operation.

HERE'S SOME REASONS why we're not likely to have a depression according to a paper released by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States:

Population increase — approximately 4 million births in 1953.

More new families — more people are getting married and they're marrying younger.

Bigger families — Families with two children in 1953 were 91% greater than in 1940.

People live longer — By 1960 people in this country 65 years of age or older will number 15 1/2 million.

More jobs — More than 62 million people have jobs in the U. S.

BUT THE SITUATION is not all rosy. The same paper points out the needs of this country as a result of the above figures. They include:

More school facilities — Today there are 70% more children under five years of age than in 1940.

More highways — Vehicles on highways total 72% more than in 1940.

More homes — Since 1950 3 million new homes have been built but the population has increased 9 million.

"In Hawaii, men often make passes at girls who wear grass skirts." — Harry Bolnick.

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THE LOCAL PAPER LEADS

In the comparatively recent past, the local newspaper was about the only place where merchants could advertise their wares. Since then, other important media have come into existence — notably the radio and television. But, despite the inroads these have made on retailers' advertising budgets, the newspaper is still the dominant factor in the field by a wide margin.

That statement is substantiated by a recent survey of the advertising practices of department stores in all sections of the country. It found that the typical store allocated 80 per cent of the advertising dollar to newspapers, nine per cent to television, four per cent to radio, three per cent to direct mail, and four per cent to other media.

The local newspaper offers the surest means of reaching the masses of the people — whether with a news story or an editorial opinion or an advertising message. And that's why merchants place it first when dividing up their advertising appropriations. Incidentally, one wonders if there are still people who regard advertising as a waste which adds unnecessarily to the cost of goods. Actually advertising acts as a possible factor in hold-

ing prices down by creating the widest possible demand for merchandise and thus making mass production and mass distribution possible. — Industrial News Review.

WE MUST NOT SHIRK

Even though my typewriter is an old one, it works quite well except for one thing. I wish many times that it worked perfectly. It is true that there are forty-six other keys that function well enough. But just one makes a big difference.

You may say to yourself, "Well, I am only one! Nobody will miss me." It makes a difference if you are absent from church, club meetings and other activities. There are lots of other members who attend, but you are missed if you do not come.

at all or just come once in a while.

If you think that you are one person and will not be missed, remember my typewriter and say to yourself: "I am the key person; the social and civic responsibilities of the community and the world are, to some extent, my responsibilities. I must not shirk them." — Hamilton Herald.

WATER PROBLEM

Plainview will need to do some plain, hard straight thinking when it comes time to determine whether we want to buy Canadian River water... There's a town... depends on wells for... supply. The city Dads of this town are seeking a surface supply. This is a significant statement from correspondence from that city to a Texas river authority: "While the city does not want to publicize the fact, the pumps are right at the bottom of the well in nearly every case, so the city faces more of a problem than the people know." — Plainview Herald.

ON LOADING HOGS

A new way (to me at least) to load hogs into a trailer was demonstrated at the Livestock Show here Saturday. It involves a principle I now recall from my childhood days. Earl Sargent, vocational teacher at Jonesboro, showed us the trick as his boys prepared to load out at the close of the show. They just backed the hog up to the loading chute, slapped an empty bucket over his head and he immediately scooted backward into the trailer, trying to back out of the bucket. Then, I remembered how the pigs used to run backward to get out of a pen which they got fastened on their heads. I thought it funny as a kid. The plan worked mighty well Saturday and the trailers were loaded in a hurry. — The Hamilton Herald-News.

Are limits for federal judges a non-prosecutable by the Constitution? — THE BOSTON GLOBE

Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

April 28, 1916

Lockney and surrounding country received another good rain Tuesday and Wednesday. There was some hail but it did no damage. Wheat and oats are in fine shape. Grass is fine and prospects for a bumper crop could not be better.

Scholastic enumeration for Lockney Independent District is 456 and Floydada Independent District is 468.

Mrs. W. P. Weeks, living three miles south of town was here a few days ago and she reported what she had made during the month of March on her chickens and butter. She gathered 190 dozen eggs, sold them for 12 1/2¢ which brought \$19.87; Sold 53 lbs. butter for 11.25; sold 18 hens for \$11.00 making a total of \$43.02. This shows what can be done by many farm wives of the country. They are able to sell more produce than it takes to pay for their groceries.

Graduating exercises were held Monday evening at the public school auditorium for the 1915-16 term of the Lockney school. Prof. Cousins, President of the West Texas Normal at Canyon delivered the message. Prof. Hill presented diplomas to Thelma Griffith, Letha West, Jeanette Starks, Kitty Long and Loyd Zimmerman.

May 1, 1924

We have just printed 8,000 folders for the Chamber of Commerce of Lockney, to be distributed. Floyd county in comparison with fourteen of the best counties on the Plains, ranks first, and shows that our total farm products were nearly \$2,000,000 more than the nearest competitor, and if all the hogs, cattle, dairy products and farm crops raised in Floyd County had been marketed in Floyd County the total would have shown probably \$3,500,000 more than any other county on the Plains. Floyd and Hale are by far the best counties on the Plains, and Lockney is situated right in the heart of the very best section of Floyd County.

May 1, 1942

Lieut. W. E. Allen has been with the 48th Engineers somewhere in Australia since Feb. 26. He is 27 years of age and the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen of Lockney.

Mrs. Grace Byars was in receipt of a telephone call early Wednesday morning from her daughter, Mrs. Peyton Powers of Crowley. Mrs. Powers who went to Vernon to call, stated that she and Mr. Powers were not injured but their house and furnishings were blown away in the storm which hit Crowley Tuesday night. They were away from home.

The Senior Class will leave Friday on a trip to Carlsbad Caverns. They plan to stay until Sunday.

Floyd County registered 1005 men Sunday and Monday in the selective service.

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FOR SALE — Limited supply long staple cotton seed. Staple length 1 3-16 inches. Brought 59.88 cents per pound last year. Cleaned, saw delinted, treated and sacked. See Chester Carthel, phone 3526 or J. L. Riley, phone 3626. 3-2tc.

FOR SALE — Speed Queen Washing Machine, good shape. — Urbano, 3 blocks east of Lockney Hospital. 3-1tp.

FOR SALE — Large air conditioner. Jack Taylor, Dial 3623. 2-3tc.

FOR SALE — Both Paymaster and Empire cotton seed. Mrs. Floyd Huff, dial 3696. 2-tfc.

FOR SALE — 500 white Pheasant-mixed chickens (Northwesters) and 200 red Pheasant-mixed chickens (Northwesters). Weight from 2½ to 3 pounds on foot. Price 90c each on foot or \$1.15 dressed. This price good for two weeks only. Archie Bybee, phone 3101, Sterley. 2-2tc.

WILL TRADE — \$9,000 equity in \$16,500 Albuquerque, N. M. home as down payment on approximately 100 acre farm. Livable improvements, 1 to 8 miles east of Lockney. Old Gentry place will do. 7114 Central Ave., SE, Albuquerque, N. M. 2-2tc.

FOR SALE — One 9-foot Kelvinator home freezer, excellent condition, \$160.00; electric chicken picker and electric scaldier, excellent condition, both for \$100. Archie Bybee, Phone 3101, Sterley. 2-2tc.

FOR SALE — Nice 5 room and bath home, west part of town. Double attached garage, living room carpeted, double wall heater, plumbed for automatic washer, wired for electric range and dryer, on 75x120 corner lot. Call 3319. 2-tfc.

FOR SALE — Northern Star cotton seed, saw delinted, ginned in 12 bale lots. R. C. Mitchell, phone 3446. 2-2tc.

FOR SALE — 2 wheel trailer, good tires. Call 3805. 1-3tc.

FOR SALE — First year Storm-proof Lockett and first year Paymaster cotton seed well taken care of at gin. \$1.30 per bushel. E. R. Lindsey, 8 miles west and 2 miles south of Hale Center. Phone 2984 Cotton Center Exchange. 1-3tp.

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FOR SALE — 2-room house, 10x26, nearly new, \$350. W. B. Eakin, 3 miles west of McCoy. 52-tfc.

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FOR SALE — Registered collie pups with papers. John Dorman, phone 3742, Lockney. 1tp.

FOR SALE — 4 rooms and bath. On south end of West 1st Street. Pavement on two sides. Will sell or trade my equity for an old building to be moved or wrecked. Geo. Jeffcoat, box 144, Lockney. 3-3tp.

FOR SALE — Pymaster 54 and Lankart 57 cotton seed, fuzzy or acid delinted. Leslie Ferguson, phone 3567. 3-tfc.

FOR SALE — Year old shetland colt. Earl Kellison, phone 3571. 3-3tp.

REAL ESTATE — Houses in Lockney for sale. Also farm land. See me for beef at wholesale. V. D. Harris, dial 3847. 48-tfc.

FOR SALE — My place consisting of 403 acres south of town. \$12,000. Weldon Dodson. 50-tfc.

FOR SALE — Earth worms for fish bait. J. R. Richards, just west of Kemp's 66 Station. 3-tfc.

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Wanted

WANTED — House cleaning work, baby sitting or ironing. Merle Potter, northeast Lockney. 2-tfc.

WANTED — Why not let me bake and decorate those wedding and party cakes for you? Reasonable prices. Mrs. Ross Cooper, phone 2245. 2-tfc.

WANTED — Ironing to do at my home, across street from Western Radiator Shop, Grace Marshall. 2-4tp.

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WANTED — Windmill and pressure pump work. Call or see R. W. Johnson, dial 3384. 51-tfc.

For Rent

FOR RENT — 2 room house. See Wynona Ledger, phone 2108. 3-2tp.

FOR RENT — Furnished two-room apartment with Frigidaire. Mrs. R. E. L. Stutts, 613 SW 1st. 3-2tp.

FOR RENT — 2 room house with shower. See Charley Dillard or phone 2129. 3-2tc.

FOR RENT — 2 rooms and bath, furnished or unfurnished. Mrs. W. I. Hightower, phone 2302. 3-tfc.

FOR RENT — 2 bedroom home at 408 South West First Street. Wired for electric range, plumbed for automatic washer. Mrs. Floyd Huff, phone 3696. 2-2tc.

FOR RENT — Furnished apartment. Call 3198 before 8:30 a. m. or after 6:00 p. m. 50-tfc.

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ONE OF THE Barker apartments is for rent. \$35 per month with sewerage and water paid. See Arthur Barker Sr. 43-tfc.

Lost and Found

LOST — Billfold containing important papers. Keep money and return billfold to Bill Whitehead, phone 3342. 1tp.

Cub Pack No. 59 To Meet Tonight

Cub Scout Pack 59 will hold their regular meeting Thursday (tonight) at 7:30 in the Scout hut. Cub Scouts of Den 2 will be hosts.

Cub Master F. O. Schacht said there will be several awards presented to Cubs present with their parents.

Mrs. Bob Shelton Ill At Kamay

Mrs. Bob Shelton, former Lockney resident, and sister of Mrs. Carl McAdams of Lockney has been moved from a Wichita Falls hospital this week to the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. R. Moore at Kamay, Texas. Mrs. Shelton has been seriously ill and had spent about a week in the hospital. Mrs. McAdams received word that she is improving slowly.

The Shelton family lived here a number of years before moving to East Afton.

Lockney Lodge No. 867 A. F. & A. M. Regular meeting third Tues day night at 7:30. KENNETH COOK, W. M. E. A. CARTER, Secretary

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It's not polite to brag, I know, but compared to me, some chicks just don't have it. They're my age, yet I'm bigger, my shanks are yellower and my comb redder. And take a look at my feathers. Why some chicks I know are still trying to feather out. Course I've had some breaks in my life. The boss put Ren-O-Sal in my drinking water since I was a downy little bird fresh from the hatchery. Guess I owe my success to

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)
CHARLES C. HUCKABEE

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

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

For County Judge:
W. E. GRIMES
G. C. TUEBS

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:
HUGH COUNTS (Re-election)

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

High Plains Water Officials At Austin

Marvin Shurbet, Director of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District, and Tom McFarland, Manager of the District, spent two days last week in Austin attending hearings held by the Texas Water Resources Committee.

"The conservation of water seems to be the main topic of discussion all over the State," Mr. Shurbet stated. "I was surprised to see how much everyone is concerned with methods for holding rainwater on the land where it falls and the storing of flood water for future use," he added.

The importance of conservation of ground water of Texas was stressed by two organizations appearing before the Resources Committee. The United States Geological Survey and the State Board of Water Engineers were both very emphatic in stressing the importance of ground water conservation.

The Bureau of Reclamations and the Corps of Army Engineers also presented very interesting discussions on the impending and controlling of flood water of the State.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. Viall and Kenny of Amarillo spent last week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beall.

Cedar Hill News

by Frances Lemons
(Delayed)

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Strickland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wigginton, farm in the Cedar Hill community. They had been living in Plainview where Mr. Strickland was employed in a barber shop. He is now employed at Bob's Barber Shop in Lockney.

Shower Given

A pink and blue shower was given in the home of Mrs. C. L. Gilley Tuesday afternoon honoring Mrs. D. W. Fortenberry. The table was laid with a cut work table cloth with a center piece of an umbrella surrounded with several tiny cradles in pink. Pink candles were lighted in ceramic candle holders. Pink lemonade was served from a crystal punch bowl and angel food squares topped with blue icing. The hostesses were Meses, Edna Gilley, Juanita Teeple, Ray Wigginton, Junior Taylor, T. F. Love, Lois Gilley and Sylvia Yeary. Other guests present for the occasion

PARTY GIRL



This little miss is ready for a party in a charming frock designed for such special occasions. Her party dress by Hedy-Joyce is made of Simpson's Everglaze lawn, a crisp, sheer cotton that stays un-mussed because of its crease-resistant finish. Rows of baby lace form a dainty yoke effect and velvet ribbon makes a pretty bow in front.

were Meses, J. C. Lewis, R. T. Fortenberry, Joe Fortenberry, Jewel McCormick, Raymond Love, Syd Brown, Tom Fortenberry, George Taylor, Cephus Fortenberry, Glen Whitfill, Garland Tucker, Tom Rigdon, Lloyd Withrow, John Fortenberry, V. C. Sparks, Bill Smith, T. J. Gill, E. E. Wells, W. L. Strickland, J. A. Wells, Vernon Daniels, Bill G. Ware, J. R. Kelly, W. P. Ware, Roland Sandlin, I. J. Webb, Mary Wieland, Edd Durham, C. F. Lemons. Mrs. Rene Yeary served punch and Mrs. Teeple registered the guests in the book.

Mrs. Rose Hart and daughter, Karen who have spent several months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Beard went to Arkansas to meet Mr. Hart who has been overseas for the past two years. Mrs. Lois Gilley accompanied her sister to Arkansas and returned by bus. The Harts are spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Hart in Lovington, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Fortenberry, Mrs. Joe Fortenberry and Mrs. Eula May Lyles spent from Friday until Monday with Mrs. Fortenberry's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Vanhousse and children in Bridgeport.

Jimmy Decker, nephew of Mrs. C. F. Lemons spent from Friday until Monday with the Lemons. Jimmy lives in Amarillo.

Visitors in the J. B. Whitehead home during the Easter holidays were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Brown and son, Ronnie of Lubbock who also visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McClure, daughter of Lockney, also visited in the Whitehead home.

Visitors in the J. R. Conner home for the Easter holidays were their sons, Robert of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conner and daughter of Canyon and Stanley of Waco. Clarence Graham of Amarillo also visited the

Library Notes

The May issue of "The Farmer Stockman" has, on page 37 a most interesting letter written by Mrs. W. J. Ross, one of our library friends.

The County officials have presented the library a copy of "Bartlett's Quotations" in memory of Mrs. Ida Cooper.

The Garden Club of Floydada is making possible the purchase of a newly issued book called "The Story of Biblical Plants."

The 1950 Study Club has made an appreciated donation to our magazine fund.

Mrs. Gordon Downing conducted story hour last Saturday. She used slides and a flannel board in entertaining a most attentive young audience. One of the small guests told us that she had been missing story hour. It seems that she had two good reasons "mumps and fever." We hope that both mumps and "fever" are abating now.

We acknowledge a nice gift from Mrs. W. H. Wingo of Lockney and Henry Self of Floydada.

As I write this I note that we have in and waiting for borrowers five of the books listed on the national list of best sellers. This is the first time we have had so many of this list on hand and not in use for a long time. We have more of the newer books than formerly and a very good percentage of the best sellers in both fiction and non-fiction are available at your county library. "Not as a Stranger" remains at the top of the fiction list and our borrowers agree with the national poll on this title. Even more popular is Dr. Peale's "Power of Positive Thinking."

A German Bible, other German books and in addition to our collection of "National Geographic" was presented by Mrs. George M. Finkner of Amarillo.

Your library staff enjoy being guests of Lighthouse Electric on last Saturday. It was nice to see old friends and meet new ones.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Beene, James, Emily Jane and Susan of Roby, Texas, former Lockney residents, spent last week end here visiting friends.

Connors

Assembly Of God Services

You are welcome to the services on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock and Sunday evening at 7:30. Ladies Missionary Council meet at 2:30 on Thursday afternoon. The C. A.'s accepted as their project landscaping the church premises. The ground around the church and parsonage was plowed and then grass was planted and trees are set out.

Party Given

A Sunday School party was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Welch on Friday evening. The guests brought covered dishes. Games were played after supper. Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gilley, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burleson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Yeary, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Conner, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whitehead Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breed, Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Applewhite, Mrs. Welch of Flomot and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Meriwether who have been visiting relatives in California for the past two months, returned home Monday. They report that Mrs. N. C. Dagley, Mrs. Meriwether's mother, who fell and broke her hip while on the visit with her daughter, is doing fine and is now recuperating at the home of another daughter in California. Mrs. Dagley is 96 years of age.

TO COLORADO

Harmon Handley, Leslie Ferguson, Shirley Race and Edgar R. Hays went to Alamosa, Colo., Friday of last week as representatives of the First Baptist Church here for the purpose of investigating a mission possibility in that city. They returned home Sunday evening, encountering flooded streets and highways late Sunday in the Amarillo and Canyon areas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McClure visited her sister, Mrs. Winston Brown and family at Lubbock Sunday. The group ate dinner at MacKenzie Park.

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ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$2,188,196.65
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	112,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	167,242.67
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	25,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$5,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	6,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$412.64 overdrafts)	1,551,687.06
Bank premises owned \$20,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$10,000.00	30,000.00
Other assets	1.00

TOTAL ASSETS \$4,080,127.38

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$3,233,755.32
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	270,495.69
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	12,247.88
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	216,745.66
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	45,491.17
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$3,778,735.72
Other liabilities	2,670.59

TOTAL LIABILITIES \$3,781,406.31

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par \$100,000.00	100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided Profits	98,721.07
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	298,721.07

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$4,080,127.38

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	216,000.00
Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of	11,545.15
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JOE WILSON, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:

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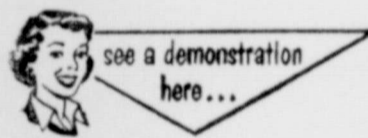
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Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes and daughters are vacationing in South Texas visiting relatives.

Mrs. Arnold Dietrich spent the Easter week end visiting relatives at Childress.

Mrs. Homer Garms and girls of Littlefield spent the Easter week end with Mr. and Mrs. Karl Sammann.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Naarmyer of Floydada were guests in the Karl Sammann home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner were Easter supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Strange Cavett in Plainview Sunday.

Candle Light Circle Honors Inductees

Cecil Boedeker, Donald Kelm sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Boedeker and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kelm were honored Wednesday evening at the church. The educational unit and Sunday School rooms were filled to capacity with relatives and friends of these two popular young men.

Mrs. Strange Cavett of Plainview, known to many as Pollyanna was introduced by a classmate and president of Candle Light Circle, Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner. Pollyanna gave many organ selections with the entire group singing various numbers. Rev. H. L. Anderson and Albert Scheele gave several humorous sketches of dialogue which was thoroughly enjoyed.

A contest of the men making their ladies Easter bonnets of crepe paper added color and variety to the evening. Cecil Boedeker won the prize for the most clever creation.

Albert Scheele, the magician of Providence came forward with tricks which stumped the audience.

The more serious side of the evening was begun by singing "Beautiful Savior" followed by "What a Friend We Have in Jesus."

Rev. Anderson presented on behalf of Candle Light Circle leather bound New Testaments and toilet articles in a leather case.

Rev. Anderson gave an inspirational talk followed by prayer "Blest be the Tie that Binds."

The group sang "Table Prayer" before Candle Light Circle served cookies, sandwiches and bottled soft drinks to one hundred and twenty persons.

Cecil and Donald leave for the service April 28. We wish for them God's blessings for a safe return home. These two Christian men have been active in church, Luther League and choir. They will be greatly missed by their many friends and relatives. Cecil Boedeker graduated from Lockney High School and Donald Kelm from Plainview High School.

H. D. Club Meets

The Providence Home Demonstration Club meets with Mrs. Charlie Boedeker Tuesday, April 27th at 2:30 p. m. Let's have a 100% attendance. Don't forget to bake your pies for the REA which will be Saturday, April 24th. Bring your pies either to Mrs. B. H. Quebe or Mrs. Ben Brandes.



"It just seems to happen that by the time most of us get a little money to burn, the fire's gone out!"

The twins of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Favor are doing nicely. Both are showing progress in gaining. Mrs. Favor is now able to be at home with her family.

Mrs. Henry Sammann, Miss Clara Sammann of Seguin, Texas are here spending a week visiting relatives and friends.

Delbert Matthews, stationed at El Paso, Texas was home Sunday visiting relatives and friends.

Trinity Lutheran Church

H. L. Anderson, Pastor

The Easter church service was very well attended Sunday. Beautiful Easter lilies and green potted plants added beauty to the church chancel and altar. Holy communion was celebrated. Rev. Anderson preached a very inspirational sermon "Christ's Cross Means: A Risen Lord" based on Matthew 28:5-7. The choir, directed by Albert Scheele, sang as a special Easter anthem "Sunrise on A Hill" by Lorenz.

There will be no Sunday School or church services Sunday, April 25th. Your pastor suggests you visit and worship in one of our neighboring churches Sunday.

Easter Egg Hunt

The Sunday School of Trinity Lutheran Church turned out in full numbers, both young and old, to take part in the annual Easter egg hunt. Following the hunt the remainder of the afternoon was spent playing Volley ball, basketball and the younger set enjoyed the slides, swings and etc. on our new playground. Cabeled lights are now in use over the courts and afford an opportunity for the play ground to be used at night.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Anderson and sons visited Weldon Smith, patient at Abbell's Hospital and Clinic.

Mrs. Albert Scheele, Mrs. Jigger Mathis attended the P. T. A. convention held at Plainview Tuesday.

TEXAS—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Floyd County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO, "All persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed heretofore given to J. W. Hammond, trustee, of Knox County, Illinois, grantee," and J. W. Hammond, trustee, the successors in office of J. W. Hammond, trustee, all of whom are unknown, the beneficiaries of J. W. Hammond, trustee, all of whom are unknown, the beneficiaries of the unknown successors in office of J. W. Hammond, trustee, all of whom are unknown, Defendants. GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of the 110th Judicial District of Floyd County, Texas, at the Courthouse thereof, in Floydada, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 24th day of May, 1954, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 9th day of April, 1954, in this cause, numbered 4223, on the docket of said court and styled N. J. SMALLEY, plaintiff, vs. "All persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed heretofore given to J. W. Hammond, trustee, of Knox County, Illinois, grantee," et al; the said N. J. Smalley being the only plaintiff, and all of the defendants being the persons hereinabove named to whom this citation is directed, and Fay Pinner, Southern Production Company, Inc. and Southwestern Life Insurance Company.

A brief statement of the nature

of said unknown defendants to recover title and possession of North-east one-fourth (NE¹/₄) of Survey No. 65, Block G, Abstract No. 116, Certificate No. 35, in Floyd County, Texas, plaintiff claiming said lands under the ten year statute of limitations as against said defendants, and claiming that said defendants own no interest in said land, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court at Floydada, Texas, this 9th day of April, 1954.

MARY L. McPHERSON, Clerk, District Court, Floyd County, Texas. (SEAL) 1-4tc.

INFORMAL SUPPER

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Split franks lengthwise, put on toasted lung bun halves, sprinkle with grated cheese and partly cooked bacon strips. Use broiler of the range to cook bacon and melt the cheese. Serve hot.

To make the sauce for the dessert, use one cup of peach preserves with two teaspoons of lime juice and a little shredded lime peel. Pour-over gingerbread and top with whipped cream.

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There's Nothing Like A Clear Conscience

J. D. Huggins, pioneer Lockney business man, had his faith in humanity strengthened this week. He received an anonymous letter through the mail containing \$1.25 and saying, "A mistake made a long time ago. Forgive me."

Mr. Huggins said that he had no idea of the person sending the letter or of the time the mistake was made but "the writer has my thanks and forgiveness."

Mr. Huggins has been in some kind of business in Lockney for 35 years until he retired some two years ago. He was in the poultry business for 25 years of that time.

The letter was postmarked at Lockney, on April 9 and the message and address was printed.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure and girls. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McClure. Mr. and Mrs. T. V. McClure and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Grover Freeman in Littlefield Sunday.

Wants Letters To Pioneer Resident

Leonard Brewster of Borger was in Lockney Saturday renewing acquaintances with old time friends. He was born and reared here and is well known by old timers. While here Mr. Brewster called to mind another old time Lockney man, James A. Leonard, who is now living in the Old Soldiers Home at Washington, D. C. Mr. Leonard is a veteran of the Spanish-American War and would like for old friends here to write to him. Frank Perkins passed the information concerning the old timers to The Beacon.

HAS OPERATION

Mrs. Fanny Brown underwent surgery last Thursday morning at the Medical and Surgical Hospital here. She is still very seriously ill but relatives reported Wednesday that she seemed to be holding her own. Mrs. Brown is the mother of Mrs. Hugh Counts, Mrs. Susie Draper of San Antonio and Mrs. Reed Harper of California, all of whom are by her side.

Mayor of Lockney, Texas EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

A Proclamation for "Lockney Correct Posture Week."

WHEREAS, the week of May 1 to 7, 1954 has been designated as Texas Correct Posture Week by the Chiropractic Public Health Committee of Texas, and will be observed throughout the State, and

WHEREAS, an enlightened citizenry which co-operates with the men of science who minister to people in pain and sickness is the best foundation for a healthy nation, and

WHEREAS, the Chiropractic Public Health Committee of Texas is sponsoring Texas Correct Posture Week from May 1 to 7, endeavoring to educate the public to the value of proper posture and to develop a national consciousness on this important health problem, and

WHEREAS, proper posture, especially when developed in young people, is one of the greatest contributing factors to good health, physical endurance, working efficiency and good appearance of a nation.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, J. E. Cox, Mayor of Lockney, welcome the opportunity to call upon all other cities, civic organizations, schools and youth training organizations to cooperate with the Chiropractic Public Health Committee of Texas and the local members of the profession in an educational program to make people aware of the value of correct posture and of its benefits to our public health standards. I especially hope that every boy and girl will learn the habits of good posture and active sports which can do so much to keep us an alert and healthy people.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the City of Lockney.

Done in Office at Lockney this 28th day of April, 1954.

J. E. Cox, Mayor.

Mrs. Pigg's Mother Dies At Plainview

Mrs. Sara Jane Crisp, 85, mother of Mrs. E. T. Pigg of Lockney, passed away in the Plainview Hospital early Sunday morning. She had been a patient there for the past 11 months.

Funeral services were held at the Thalia Baptist Church Tuesday at 3 p. m. and interment was in the Thalia cemetery.

Mrs. Crisp was born in North Carolina on Feb. 16, 1869. She moved to Foard county with her family in 1896 and lived there until her husband passed away in August, 1940. Since that time she had made her home with her children and spent quite a bit of time here with her daughter, Mrs. Pigg. Many people of this community knew her.

Survivors include seven sons, H. N. of Post, E. W. of Plainview, W. N. of Dove Creek, Colo., H. H. of Vernon, U. S., R. F. and A. C. Crisp, all of Flagstaff, Ariz.; four daughters, Mrs. Pigg of Lockney, Mrs. T. A. French, Fredericksburg; Mrs. L. G. Pool, Borger; Mrs. T. N. Neal, Finney; Mrs. Switch; 29 grandchildren, 30 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Attending the services from Lockney, in addition to members of the family, were Mrs. F. M. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Kellison, Miss Anna Schacht, Mr. and Mrs. Judson Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gloyne.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Steele and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ferguson of Stratford spent last week end here with Mr. Steele's sister, Mrs. Henry Hodel and Mr. Hodel.

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Library Contest Winners Announced

The library committee of Andrews Ward PTA, Floydada, announces the following winners of the Library Essay Contest which closed March 30. In accordance with the rules each grade in Floyd County was allowed one entry. The high school subject was "What the County Library Means to Floyd County," the middle grades subject was "Why I Use the Library," and the subject for the lower grades was "My Visit to the Library."

The library committee secured the assistance of judges who did not know the sources of the papers judged. On the committee were Mrs. Henry Barber, Mrs. Margaret Springer and Mrs. Roy Hollar.

Awards are as follows:

First Grade, Janet Holmes, Andrews Ward school, Floydada.

Second Grade, Sharon Nell Blair, Andrews Ward, Floydada.

Third Grade, Nadine Cumble, C. N. Townsend school, Lockney.

Fourth Grade, Nita Fae Gollightly, Andrews Ward, Floydada.

Fifth Grade, Karen Sue Robinson, Andrews Ward, Floydada.

Sixth Grade, Betty Jean Coleman, North Ward, Floydada.

Seventh Grade, Mary Gogdell, Andrews Ward, Floydada.

Eighth Grade, Sue Nelson, Andrews Ward, Floydada.

Freshmen and Sophomores in high school, no entry.

Junior in High School, Barbara Hays, Lockney.

Senior in High School, tie between Harleen Workman, Lockney and Gano Scott, Floydada.

Winners will each receive a book.

Duane Byars Quits As Perryton Coach

Perryton. — Duane Byars, line coach of the Perryton Rangers, has resigned to accept the head coaching position at Kress. Byars will coach football and basketball at his new post.

Byars' resignation will become effective at the end of the spring school term. He has been with the District 1-AA school since the fall of 1951.

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Kite Flying Contest Held By Cub Scouts

The Kite Flying Contest held by Cub Scouts Pack 39, Sunday afternoon and sponsored by the Lockney Lions Club was enjoyed by a large number of cub scouts, their parents and many other interested spectators. Some visitors took moving pictures of the event which took place at 2 o'clock in the pasture on the west side of the road south of the O. C. Bailey home.

With the help of their fathers the cubs made their entries and then both worked together in flying them. Each kite was judged by the point system, and prizes awarded the dens. Points were given for the largest, smallest, prettiest, highest and smoothest flying kite. There were several colorful designs showing the cubs' talents in originality.

Den No. 1 won 1st place, a \$5 award with Warren Mitchell's red plastic kite. Warren received a blue ribbon.

Den No. 3 won 2nd place, \$3 award with entries from James Race, Gregory Smith, Rayland Brotherton. The boys each received a red ribbon.

Dens No. 2 and 4 tied for third place, each receiving \$2.50 with entries from Bonnie and Johnnie Belt, Jerry Johnson, Teddy Bob Cooper, Joe Durham, Gary Holt, Randy Baccus, Tommy Musser and Jerry Kemp. Each boy received a white ribbon.

The pack wishes to thank the Lions Club for sponsoring the event and their interest in making it an annual affair. They also express their appreciation to Henry Ford Jr. for doing the judging and to the spectators who showed their interest. They are looking forward to the next kite flying contest hoping it won't be so windy since several nice kites were ruined by the strong wind.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and at the death of our loved one. Especially do we appreciate the flowers and food.

Mrs. J. H. Carothers and Pauline Koener.

Mr. and Mrs. Johns Cox and Wanda, Mrs. Pepper Martin and Bruce of Hart, Mrs. Dafney Ivy and Patsy Ann of Plainview visited recently at Kileen, Texas with Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Joe Ivy and baby daughter, Sheila Kay. They also visited in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cox returned Tuesday from a short trip to visit friends and relatives at Alpine, Kermit and Bib Spring.

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