

Fair Committee Votes To Switch County Fair

The Floyd County Fair Committee, in session last Thursday night, voted to hold the fair at Lockney on alternate years, following a suggestion from officers of the Lockney Chamber of Commerce. The first fair is scheduled for early September and will be held in Floydada. Next year, 1955, the fair will be held in Lockney.

W. W. McClaskey, secretary of the Lockney Chamber of Commerce, and Mayor J. E. Cox, attended the meeting representing the local Chamber.

It was agreed that the Lockney Chamber of Commerce would attempt to sell 250 memberships in the fair in the north part of the county while the south part would sell the same number. Memberships are \$10 each and are permanent memberships, that is, they are not resold each year.

Plans are going forward rapidly for the first annual Floyd County Fair. Fair officials are urging farmers to save the best samples of their grain, the ladies their best canned goods and sewing products. There will be competition in agriculture, live stock, women's and art divisions. The fair opens September 17.

Commercial space is available and can be spoken for now. D. T. Mayo, Jake Watson or Pat Stansell will take applications for commercial exhibits.

Local Chamber of Commerce officials are planning to utilize the old oil mill building for the fair next year, President Bob Miller said. A tent will be rented to house the main exhibits this year at Floydada.

June Wiley Entry In Queen Contest

Miss June Wiley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Wiley of Lockney, has been entered in the Floyd County Farm Bureau Queen contest. Her sponsor is the Lockney Business & Professional Women's Club.

Three other Lockney girls are also entries in the contest as announced in last week's Beacon. They are Miss Joan Harris, sponsored by the Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration Club; Miss Ann Belt, sponsored by the Lockney Lions Club; Miss Barbara Carthel, sponsored by the Lockney Rotary Club; Miss Bobby Lu Casey, who was entered last week by the Sterley Home Demonstration Club, has withdrawn from the contest. Mrs. E. J. Foster said Wednesday.

In addition 5 Floydada girls are in the contest. The queen for the county organization will be chosen July 23 and will then enter the District contest.

CROP Drive Is Planned In Area

Rev. Ellis Todd of Plainview, high plains area director for the Christian Rural Overseas Program, commonly called CROP, announced recently that a drive is on now and will continue through the fall for agricultural products and livestock to be sent to needy people in foreign lands. The CROP project has been under way for several years and is not new here.

Rev. Todd met with Rev. Burgh Watkins, Kelton Shaw and Henry Schacht at breakfast here last Thursday morning and talked over plans for the Lockney area drive. The committee is seeking donations of wheat just at this time he said. Later in the year they will seek to secure donations of cotton and other products.

Thus far they have secured a carload of wheat from Floydada, one from Tulla, Canyon, Hereford, Dimmitt, two from Amarillo. They have also secured 75 head of beef cattle from Amarillo, 15 head from Canyon, 10 head from Hereford.

The program is administered overseas through church organizations with the various denominations distributing the food and other resources to those in the area they serve.

IN TENNESSEE

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ford and family left last Saturday morning for a vacation in Nashville and other points in Tennessee. They plan to be home next Saturday.

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BABSON LOOKS FOR SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT IN BUSINESS

Babson Park, Mass., June 24. While most of the columnists and business counselors last December forecast a depression for 1954, I constantly insisted that 1954 would be a "fair business year." This you will find in my Forecast which appeared in this paper.

General Business

(1) Despite my general optimism with regard to prospects for business during the last half-year, there will be many crosscurrents. The improvement over the first six months will be no one-way street. Some industries will lag, or fall behind. Others are slated for betterment. Building has held up well, and was the backbone of business in the first half of 1954. The momentum generated should carry through the balance of the year.

(2) Also deserving of attention as in line for continued high activity, or for improvement, are the following industries: Electric power output, aircraft production, rubber manufacturing, household equipment, electrical equipment, petroleum, natural gas, shoes, and textiles. Even the sick coal industry will enjoy some pickup from the very depressed levels experienced during the first six months of 1954.

(3) Due to slip further down, or slated to show the least improvement, are the following industries: Machinery, machine tools, railroad equipment, metal fabricating, steel and iron, and autos and auto parts. In particular, auto output will not match the first half, with competition keener in the last half than at any time since the 1930's.

Sales And Inventories

(4) As in the case of general business discussed above, sales prospects will be selective. With purchasing power holding well, demand for food products and soft goods will remain at a brisk pace. The public, however, have learned something about watching their pennies. They have become more price-conscious. For this reason, I predict that the mass distributors, such as grocery and variety chains, will run ahead of the other sales-wise, during the last half-year.

(5) Retail sales in general, although about 4% lower dollar-wise, have held up during the first half in terms of physical volume as discounts and other concessions reduced the actual receipts. This is encouraging since it shows that consumers are still willing to spend if the price is reasonable. In terms of units, retail sales will hold up through 1954. Inventories will constantly be reduced during 1954. THE RETAILERS WHO DO BEST IN 1954 WILL BE THOSE WITH THE BEST PARKING FACILITIES FOR THEIR CUSTOMERS.

Political Outlook

(6) I forecast that the more liberal attitude on the part of the Eisenhower Administration (Continued on page 2)

Disaster School Very Successful

The 3-day instruction school for members of the Floyd County Red Cross disaster organization was "very successful" and enjoyed a good attendance, according to reports from the office of Clarence Guffee, who is county chairman.

A total of 65 were in attendance at the special instruction periods for the various committees and about 60 people attended the general meeting on Wednesday evening, which heard Miss Henrietta Brocksmith, Red Cross representative, explain the disaster relief plan and the duties of the various committees.

Attendance ranged from 4 to 14 at the individual committee classes and recordings were made of all the meetings for future reference.

Each committee will now work out their definite plans, the various committee plans coordinated into one master plan and that put on paper for use when needed.

Silverton Leads Lockney League

The Silverton softball team stretched their lead in the Lockney Softball League the past week by winning two games and losing none while all others lost at least one game. The Silverton boys have a .833 standing with a 5 won, one lost record while four other teams are tied for second with a .500 standing, 3 won and 3 lost.

Results of games the past week were:

On last Thursday night, Silverton eased past the Legion team, 7 to 6. Bunch was pitching for Silverton while Bostic was on

A forfeited game this week changed the standings of the League slightly. Manager Hubert Frizzell of the Lone Star team reported that late Wednesday that the Legion forfeited a game which the Legion won on June 10 from Lone Star. Reason of the forfeit was that the Legion pitcher, Davis from Farmer, has since been pitching for the Farmer team in the Floydada League.

the mound for the Legion. In the second game of the night Lone Star defeated South Plains 6 to 4. Donald Farish was the winning pitcher and Wilson the losing pitcher.

On Friday night the Fire Department defeated Gulf Service 8 to 4. Archie Bybee was on the mound for Fire Department while Charles Vaughn was the pitcher for Gulf Service.

The Legion vs. Lone Star Co-op game was postponed until Monday night when the Legion ran away with the game 23 to 2. Bostic was the winning pitcher and Howard Mosley the loser. The first game Tuesday night was a tight one with Silverton defeating Lone Star 6 to 5. Bunch was again on the mound for Silverton while Farish did the mound duty for Lone Star. In the second game of the night South Plains defeated the Fire Department 7 to 5. Pitchers were Bybee for Fire Department and Wilson for South Plains.

Standings at present are:

Team	W	L	Pct.
Silverton	5	1	.833
Lone Star	4	2	.667
South Plains	3	3	.500
Fire Department	3	3	.500
Gulf Service	2	3	.400
Legion	2	4	.333
Lone Star Co-op	1	4	.200

The last game of the first round, Lone Star Co-op vs. Gulf Service scheduled for Thursday night of this week, has been postponed due to several players for Gulf Service being out of

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220 Enrolled In Bible School

The Vacation Bible School at the First Baptist Church had enrolled 220 up to Wednesday morning. Rev. E. E. Wiley, pastor, reported. The school started Monday morning with an enrollment of 192. It will continue through Wednesday of next week.

Attendance Tuesday was 209 and Wednesday was 200. A further increase in the enrollment is expected, Rev. Wiley said.

The daily sessions are being held from 8:30 to 11:30 each morning but no session will be held Saturday. The school has five departments, nursery, beginner, primary, junior and intermediate.

Sunday is Vacation Bible School Sunday and the regular pledges will be given at the morning worship service.

The school commencement will be held Wednesday evening of next week. A program will be presented and ice cream and cake will be served to all. Church people who have freezers are asked to bring ice cream and others are to bring the cake, the pastor said.



GEORGE MAHON

George Mahon Announces For Re-Election

George Mahon has announced this week that he is a candidate for re-election to Congress. His application to have his name on the ticket in the July primary is on file with the County Democratic Chairman. He has no opponent, but, as in previous years, he is placing his announcement in the newspapers of the District in order to let the people know of his candidacy and as a means of requesting their vote and continued support.

"I want to announce for re-election, and at the same time thank the people for their generous support and good will throughout the years. I will be grateful for your support in the July primary," the Representative said. "I am always mindful of the fact that public office is a gift of the people and should never be taken for granted."

Mahon is one of the senior members of Congress from the standpoint of years of service in Washington. His record in behalf of the people is well known to West Texans.

"In some undertakings," he said, "I have failed. Other efforts have been successful. I have tried in big and little matters to do the best possible job in behalf of our Nation and the people of our District."

In his statement Mahon said, "If re-elected, and I use this means to solicit your continued favor, I shall go my whole limit to do a good job. I want to contribute everything within my power to the cause of decency and good government and to the cause of peace and security."

"I am not unaware of the fact that there are scores of important matters in which the people of our district are interested. It is the duty of a Member of Congress when questions arise to do what he can in the public interest. He cannot foresee what the future developments may be.

"Congress is now wrestling with such issues as the new farm program, an effective policy of water and soil conservation, methods of encouraging economic well being and prosperity, how far to go in military preparedness, how to keep out of another war, and numerous other vital matters.

"Thousands of people write me each year for personal services of one kind or another having to do with the Federal Government. I welcome a continuation of these requests. Most of them are not of a legislative nature, but they are important to the people, and it is my duty and pleasure to perform any service, however small, at any time for the people I have the honor to represent in Congress."

4th Sunday Singing At City Auditorium

The regular Fourth Sunday Singing will be held at the City Auditorium here Sunday afternoon starting at 1:30 p. m. It was announced by Joe Reeves, president.

All singers and everyone else who likes good singing are invited to be present and enjoy an afternoon of gospel singing. Mr. Reeves said.

County Committee Sets Cost; Names Election Judges

The County Democratic Executive Committee, in regular meeting of this week, filled vacancies in the committee, named presiding judges and set places for holding the Democratic primaries on July 24 and August 28, named hour and places for holding the precinct conventions and county convention, set the cost of the primary elections and apportioned that cost among the candidates.

In voting precinct No. 1, Southeast Floydada, W. G. Collins was named precinct chairman replacing A. C. Goen, who passed away some time ago. In East Lockney, voting precinct No. 5 Dee Copeland was named precinct chairman replacing G. E. Day, who moved away. In precinct No. 23, Southeast Floydada, Ralph C. Johnson was named precinct chairman replacing C. C. Huckabee, who is a candidate.

The committee estimated the cost of holding the elections at \$1974.00 and such cost was apportioned among the various candidates as follows:

Chief Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, total \$20.00, one candidate.

Representative, 8th U. S. Congress, 19th District, \$26.00, one candidate.

State Senator, 30th Senatorial District, \$10.00, one candidate.

State Representative, 80th District, \$10.00, one candidate.

District Attorney, 110th Judicial District, \$65.00, one candidate.

District Judge, 110th Judicial District, \$100.00, one candidate.

Sheriff, total \$178.00, 2 candidates, \$89.00 per candidate.

Tax Collector, \$178.00, 3 candidates, \$59.33 per candidate.

County Surveyor, \$5.00, one candidate.

County Clerk, \$178.00, one candidate.

County Judge, total \$178.00, 2 candidates, \$89.00 per candidate.

District Clerk, \$117.00, one candidate.

County Treasurer, total \$130.00, 2 candidates, \$65.00 per candidate.

County Attorney, \$178.00, one candidate.

County Commissioner, \$123.00 per precinct:

Precinct No. 1, 3 candidates, \$41.00 per candidate.

Precinct No. 2, 1 candidate.

Precinct No. 3, 1 candidate.

Precinct No. 4, 2 candidates, \$61.50.

Justice of Peace, Precets. 1 and 4, \$75.00, one candidate.

Justice of Peace, Precets. 2 and 3, \$38.00, one candidate.

The primary committee of the executive committee was named as follows: W. G. Collins, Ralph C. Johnson, Dee Copeland, Tom Porter, G. L. Fawcett.

The committee set the place of election, presiding judge and the number of assistants he may have and these are named in that order below:

S. W. Floydada No. 1, Floydada High School, N. W. Williams, 10.

First "Appreciation Day" Is Held

The first "Appreciation Day" sponsored by some 35 Lockney merchants, was held Wednesday afternoon at 4:30. The affair was originated through the efforts of the Lockney Chamber of Commerce and is held weekly at the same time.

The name of Hattie Bagby was drawn Wednesday and the ticket entitled her to 20% of the \$65 treasure chest. However, Mrs. Bagby wasn't present and she will be mailed a \$2.00 check as a consolation prize, officers said.

Wheat Harvest "Disappointing"

The present wheat harvest is proving "disappointing" elevator men say. The harvest started off with some good heavy wheat but hot winds have shriveled the grain and now most of it is very light, testing as low as 50 pounds.

The yield is also not coming up to expectations, they say, and the harvest this year won't be much better, if any than last.

Dry land wheat is making from 6 to 8 bushels while irrigated wheat ranges from 12 to 40 bushels with most of it yielding around 25 bushels.

The harvest is probably about half over and is expected to be completed within a week to 10 days. Severe hail storms in North Floyd County cut the harvest considerably.

Acreage Reduced

The 13 percent reduction in wheat acreage for next year will not be a bad blow to Floyd County farmers, it was indicated this week, though dry land farmers will feel the cut more than others.

The trend, especially on irrigated land, has been away from wheat in recent years and some allotted this year wasn't planted to wheat.

Cotton Doing Fine

The hot, dry weather of the past few days have been just right for cotton and the crops in this part of the county are doing fine. Some small squares were reported Tuesday.

Wayne Bybee Is New Commander

Wayne Bybee was named commander of Landrum Post No. 141, American Legion, in an election of officers held Monday evening. He succeeds Joe Smith who has been commander the past year.

Other officers elected Monday were Rev's Harris, 1st vice-commander; W. G. Kinard, 2nd vice-commander; G. A. McClelland, adjutant; Warren Graham, finance officer; V. L. Webster, chaplain; Carl Blair, sergeant at arms; Conrad Henderson, historian; K. O. Crum, service officer.

Commander Bybee said Tuesday that the post now has approximately 125 members and is in good shape. The Legion building has been paid for and is clear of debt and the Post has recently donated \$25 to the cemetery fund and pledged \$50 toward the purchase of a resuscitator which the Lockney Fire Department is wanting to purchase for the community. They also have donated to numerous other causes.

The Post meets the first and 3rd Monday nights of each month and Wayne is urging all members to be present at the meetings and take part in its work.

Get Certificate From Credit Bureau

A certificate of efficiency has been awarded to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cooper of the Lockney Retail Merchants Association by the Associated Credit Bureaus of Texas.

The award certifies that Mr. and Mrs. Cooper have completed a prescribed course of study and met other requirements established by the Associated Credit Bureaus of Texas. The award entitles the Lockney Retail Merchants Association to all rights and privileges for one year.

Big Machines Are Busy Burying Trash And Junk

Two big dirt-moving machines were busy this week in the Lockney dumping ground north-east of the city, one digging big trenches in the ground and the other shoving into the trenches years of accumulated trash and junk.

Manning the big carry-all is W. A. Taylor, an employee of Commissioner Hugh Counts. Taylor is digging four trenches 16 to 24 feet wide, 12 to 15 feet deep and about 100 yards long. He had one completed and was starting on the second one Tuesday. Mayor J. E. Cox said that the City Council estimated that the three trenches would take care of the present accumulation of junk and cans.

As fast, or nearly so, as Taylor gets the trenches dug, Olan Poteel, driving a big bull-dozer, is filling it back up with the trash and junk. The big bull dozer blade in front of a "cat" tractor takes a mighty bite out of the piles of junk and tin.

Mayor Cox estimated that the job would require two or three weeks and would cost the city some \$2,000. "From a health standpoint alone, we feel that the project is worth the cost," he said.

Wildcat Slated For This County

A wildcat oil exploratory well has been announced for eastern Floyd County. The venture will be drilled 660 feet from the north and east lines of section 23, block GM. The land belongs to the E. B. Howard estate and the well will be located 3 miles north and 1/2 mile east of Cedar Hill or 10 miles southeast of South Plains.

It is a step-out from the Johnny Lackey well, drilled some two or three years ago in the same vicinity. The location is two miles north and two miles east of the Lackey well.

Ralph Abbey et al No. 1 E. B. Howard is projected to a depth of 9,500 feet for tests of production in the Mississippi. Rotary drilling equipment will be used and operations will get underway immediately, reports say.

Local Store Owner Wins In Contest

Carl D. Lee, local White Auto Store owner, won second prize in a Leonard appliance sales contest ending June 1, he was informed this week. Mr. Lee received a check in the amount of \$335 as a cash prize for his sales record. The contest covered all White Auto Stores in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Kansas, some 125 stores in all and ran from February through May.

Mr. Lee's sales topped stores in many large cities than Lockney which enabled him to win second place in the contest.

Charley Eagle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Eagle of Santa Fe, New Mexico is spending several weeks here in the home of his uncle, Roy Eagle and family.

Pete THE PRINTER

THERE'LL BE NEWS IN THE HOMETOWN EVEN THOUGH YOU'RE GOING AWAY. LET US SEND YOU THE PAPER.

Babson Looks For—
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will surely continue through November and perhaps until the 1956 elections. During the past six months rumors have been spreading to the effect that President Eisenhower will not run again; but there is no agreement at this writing by either party as to who the next candidates will be.

(7) The President has won his conflict with Senator Bricker; the House approved his Tax Bill; the Taft-Hartley Labor Bill has been shelved to the relief of all; and he has so far kept out of the McCarthy-Army row. I forecast that for the balance of the year he will leave domestic affairs to his associates and devote most of his time to helping Mr. Dulles ward off trouble with Russia and China, and avoid another "Korea."

(8) During the first six months

of the year a "New Look" has developed in connection with defense expenditures. Appropriations for foot soldiers and certain classes of airplanes have been cut in favor of items for atomic warfare and guided missiles. Best authorities agree that we will get more protection and fighting strength from this change with less cost. As a promise "to get our boys out of Korea" was a great factor in electing Dwight Eisenhower as President, he naturally will hesitate to send U. S. foot soldiers into Indo-China, at least before the coming November elections.

War And Peace

(9) There will be no World War in 1954 started by Russia or the U. S. A. In the last half of 1954, however, the United States will move closer and closer to the position occupied by Great Britain during the 19th Century. The United States will prepare to engage in small wars anywhere in order to prevent

outbreak of a world conflagration.

(10) I predict that the United States in the last six months of 1954 may by-pass the United Nations and try to form a "defensive" league of nations interested in Southeast Asia. The purpose: To keep the rice, tin, and rubber of that area from falling into Communist hands. Most of the arms and military know-how needed by such an alliance of anti-Communist nations in the Far East will be furnished by Uncle Sam. This means that cuts in arms expenditures, already scheduled for the last half of 1954 by the Administration, may not be put into effect. The Korean situation will remain about as is—"much talk, no shootie;" but Indo-China will constantly become a greater threat.

(11) Do not forget Europe and the Middle East. France is torn by internal dissension and a blow-off could come there any time. West Germany is growing more impatient with French bickering over the Saar and over the formation of a Western European army including German participation. Russia will strive mightily to widen the split between France and Western Germany by holding out the "bait" of reunion between East and West Germany.

(12) Friction between the Jews and the Arabs in the Middle East is being encouraged by Communist agents. The smouldering fires there could break into flame at any time, requiring a hurry-up call for Uncle Sam's fire department.

(13) Of course, some day the market (especially the Dow-Jones Industrials) will get a bad wallop with very much lower prices. On the other hand, this may not come during the next few months. Up to this time the high yields of stocks have not appealed so much to investors, owing to the personal tax on both dividends and on income in general. Although stock yields compared with those of twenty years ago are higher in personal taxes are not considered, yet when these personal taxes are deducted, today's yields have not been attractive.

(14) The new Tax Bill and the increased buying for pension funds and investment trusts have, however, increased the demand for common stocks and could hold the market up for some months to come. I forecast that it will be very important to

make careful selections of stocks. Don't buy stocks just because they have gone off heavily in price and appear cheap.

(15) Unfortunately, many small concerns will find it more and more difficult to compete with their big competitors. Not only can these big corporations make goods cheaper and have better means of distribution, but they can spend huge sums on advertising, which a smaller concern cannot do. This will be especially evident during the next six months. The companies which will prosper most are those which have inaugurated effective labor-saving programs. Manufacturers will win only as they purchase new labor-saving machinery, spend more money on research and on well-directed advertising.

(16) Automobiles will continue to be hard to sell and easier to buy during the last half of 1954. Both the automobile stocks and the cars will be in less demand. There will be more bargains in used cars, discounts on new cars, especially cars of the "independent" manufacturers.

(17) Canada will continue to boom during the second half of 1954, but this may be a good time to take profits on Canadian investments.

Money, Inflation, And Interest Rates

(18) When Mr. Eisenhower assumed the Presidency with his Cabinet of "9 millionaires," they proclaimed a new monetary policy which would increase the value of the dollar and raise interest rates. Either fortunately or unfortunately, the economic situation caused a reversal of this policy. The value of the dollar shows no increase over January 1st and this has been hailed by Wall Street as a sign of further inflation. Wall Street has boomed certain common stocks accordingly. Interest rates during the second six months of 1954 should average about as at present.

(19) The fear of involvement in Indo-China is strengthening the commodity markets. This takes some of the pressure off of Secretary Benson and those who have been resisting increased tariffs. I forecast an upward movement in many commodity prices — other than farm prices — during the balance of 1954.

(20) Money supplies are on the rise again now. They will continue to expand during the last half. Inflationary effects on the price level will be limited as our

capacity to produce is now large. Remember, the surest way to squelch an inflationary fire is with a flood of goods. Inflationary effects of the expanded money supply could also be nullified by the change in the Government's method of collecting the corporate income tax. The new tax law may put the large corporations on a pay-as-you-go basis, squeezing their cash holdings.

(21) Any psychological inflationary flare-ups that may take place as a result of war scares, big or little, will not be long-lived. They will definitely be dangerous to follow up. A word of warning: Don't get drawn into any speculative moves in commodities or stocks based on the outbreak of a small war. If the need arises, our Government will move with lightning swiftness to put controls into effect. They are already "triggered." The only real danger of any federal tax increases will come with the outbreak of another war.

Labor, Building, And Real Estate

(22) As to unemployment, I will say that this has increased some over last year, but if considered on a per-capita basis, it is even less than that of five years ago. Look for a moderate reduction in the ranks of unemployment during the last six months of 1954.

(23) The improvement which I expect in employment should not, however, be sufficient to make union leaders careless. Jobs will still be very much in demand. This should mean that the last half will see no prolonged strikes.

(24) Most union-management settlements will be made with a moderate amount of give and take. Any wage advances will be limited to the neighborhood of a reasonable hourly figure, plus some additional fringe benefits. The Administration and the Labor Leaders will not try to revamp the Taft-Hartley Bill during the last six months of 1954.

(25) My forecast as to the various classes of real estate is as follows:

(a) Large commercial farms will experience a further sag in their land values during the last half-year as farmers' gross income dips lower.

(b) Small farms on the fringes of big city suburbs should hold or rise in price as people get further away from city centers. This move could become an avalanche in the event of really serious war scares.

(c) I look for vacant land in the suburbs to hold its value well. In the big cities it may be another story. UNLESS THE LAND IS SUITABLE FOR PARKING PURPOSES.

(d) Business properties in the big cities may ease somewhat in price during the last six months of this year. Suburban business properties can be expected to hold up. Demand for more shopping centers will be noticeable during the months to come.

(e) Home property (especially the older houses, particularly in the cities) will continue sagging in price. In the suburbs, the bigger houses, even of recent vintage, will be harder to sell. Most salable home properties will be the newer houses in the middle and lower-price brackets with emphasis on the "ranch-houses" so-called.

(f) In the last half-year, construction will still be a powerful support to our economy as it has been for so long. Seasonally, building will hold well, strength-

ened by continued liberal credit terms. Some boosts to building could come in the second half if civilian defense moves create a "dispersal scare." If this happens, look for a rush by many factories to move operations into areas far from bomb-vulnerable cities.

CONCLUSION: I cannot end this Forecast without reminding readers that we are living in a truly New Era, comparable only with the year 1 A. D., 1954 years ago, or the invention of printing 500 years ago. The H-Bomb, in the hands of any ambitious dictator, could bring about unparalleled conditions. These changes could make the things, about which I have written about, of little value or consequence. Only a great spiritual awakening can save us.

SEALE DRIVE-IN THEATRE

Located 2 1/2 miles west of Lockney on Plainview Highway. First Show starts at Dusk — Be on Time.

NOW — MOSQUITO REPELLENT TISSUE given free to every car that comes in. No more mosquitoes at the Seale Drive-in.

THURSDAY and FRIDAY, June 24 and 25

"ROB ROY"

with RICHARD TODD and GLYNIS JOHNS IN TECHNICOLOR

Meet the bold Scottish warrior — Rob Roy, who defied a king and his Lords — to save his clan and the woman he loved — in a surging, full-blooded romantic spectacle and adventure.

Also CARTOON

SATURDAY NIGHT ONLY, June 26

"INFERNO"

with ROBERT RYAN, RHONDO FLEMING, WILLIAM LUNDIGAN

At last — the most exciting adventure of all — the story of a perfect crime — that was not quite perfect — a saga of suspenseful adventure — and breath-taking action.

Also TOM and JERRY CARTOON

SUNDAY and MONDAY, June 27 and 28



with MARA CORDAY - HUGH O'BRIAN - JAY SILVERHEELS

Flaming adventure in Indian territory — where a man looked naked without a six-gun — and violence flared between white renegades and vengeance-bound Utes, who hit the blood-smeared war path.

Also CARTOON and NEWS

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
June 29 and 30

"Forever Female"

with Ginger Rogers, William Holden, Paul Douglas

Two lovely ladies — in love with the same man — in a smartly sophisticated romantic comedy — taking you behind the scenes — on glittering, glamorous Broadway.

Also NOVELTY

\$50 Reward

Will be paid for information leading to the arrest and conviction of anyone deliberately stealing speakers from the Seale Drive-In.

When speakers are accidentally taken from the theatre they should be returned as quickly as possible. There is no cost to you for their re-installation and we will be grateful for your co-operation.

Plains Theatre

Lockney

Show Starts at 7:45

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
June 25 and 26

"Down Laredo Way"

with Rex Allen and Dona Drake

Murder under the big top — an innocent child caught in the clutches of a calculating adventurer — see how rugged Rex Allen, with the help of his pal, Slim, rescues the victim.

Also CARTOON and Chapter 4 of "SON OF GERONIMO"

Sunday Afternoon Matinee
June 27

"Drums Across The River"
(Described above)

WHY GO TO CHURCH?

When man is asked to do something, he usually wants a reason stated. Even church members want to know why they are expected to attend worship services.

1. A member who is absent is not in the place for which he was fitted by the Lord. Peter said, "Ye also as living stones are built up a spiritual house." (1 Pet. 2:5.) A stone lying at a distance from the assembled building is of no use to the building, and might even become a stumbling stone. So it is with a spiritual stone that is out of place.

2. The absentee misses the divine program designed to build him up. It is in the assembly that men learned much of God's truth. Here they resolved to become Christians, and here they have been inspired to greater activity. Any misuse or neglect of the assembly injures the soul. Paul said, "For this cause many are weak and sickly among you and not a few sleep." (1 Cor. 11:30.)

3. Absence is a bad example to young people. You may teach your child to go, but he will not take you seriously, unless you set the example before him. The Spirit commands, "Be thou an example of the believers." (1 Tim. 4:12.)

4. Those who neglect the assembly usually fail to support the gospel with their money. God's command is, "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.)

5. He who does not come for worship fails to keep an appointment with the Lord. Jesus said, "Where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them." (Matt. 18:20.) How does Jesus feel when you are at home amusing yourself, and the saints are worshipping with Him in their midst?

6. The absent member misses the Lord's supper, which is the greatest proclamation service known to man. The Lord's supper is to be taken in memory of Christ's body, and blood. (Matt. 26:26-28.) He said, "This do . . . in remembrance of me." (1 Cor. 11:25.) The early Christians did it on every first day of the week. (Acts 20:7.) To the Corinthians Paul said, "As often as ye eat this bread, and drink this cup ye proclaim the Lord's death till He comes." (1 Cor. 11:26.)

7. To be absent from the service is to miss the fellowship of both Christ and Christians. If we refuse fellowship with Christians, we can not have it with Christ. John said, "Ye also may have fellowship with us, and truly our fellowship is with the Father and with His son, Jesus Christ." (1 Jno. 1:3.)

8. To willingly absent ourselves from worship is to openly violate a command of God. He said, "Provoke unto love and good works, not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together." (Heb. 10:24, 25.)

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Soil Conservation News

Cities and industries have been asking whether soil conservation being carried out by thousands of farmers and ranchers through soil conservation districts will reduce the amount of water available for municipal and industrial uses.

H. N. Smith, State Conservationist for Texas, says that for all practical purposes the answer seems to be "no".

The Soil Conservation Service has been studying this problem at the Blacklands Experimental Watersheds project near Riesel, Texas, since 1940. The studies include measurements of rainfall and runoff from two similar watersheds. They are still in progress.

Similar farming practices were being followed on both watersheds at the beginning of the study. Conservation practices were established on one of the watersheds in the spring of 1943. These practices included changing part of the cultivated area to grassland; the use of improved crop rotations; and the construction of terraces on land in cultivation. No change was made in the farming practices on the other watershed.

During the first five years rainfall was slightly above normal and the runoff-producing rainfall averaged 17.4 inches annually. The following five years, 1948 through 1952, were drought years and the runoff-producing rainfall averaged only 4.8 inches yearly. The total rainfall during the drought period was two-thirds the amount for the normal five years, but most of it fell in such small amounts and at such a slow rate that it produced no runoff.

For the normal rainfall period there was almost no difference in the runoff from the untreated and treated watersheds. Mr. Smith reported. The annual average was 10.3 and 10.4 inches, respectively. During the drought period the average yearly runoff from the untreated and treated watersheds was approximately 1.4 and 0.9 inches.

The fact that there was a difference of one-half inch in the annual runoff from these two

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watersheds during the drought years is not the significant point, said Mr. Smith. This minor difference in rate, even over a period of several years, would amount to so small a volume of water that it would be considered in the planning of a dependable municipal water supply. The important point is that the TOTAL runoff from the untreated watershed during the five drought years was only about two-thirds of the average runoff for ONE year during the normal rainfall period.

Mr. Smith emphasized that because runoff during drought years may be very small, water supply reservoirs must have enough capacity to catch the water during years of normal to high runoff and store it for use during drought periods. A city cannot depend on the runoff during a drought to maintain its water supply. This is a fact which needs to be widely understood.

Although soil conservation practices on a watershed will not have a significant effect on water yield they can help great-

ly in protecting water supplies from loss of storage by sedimentation. Conservation practices reduce erosion and the rate of reservoir sedimentation. By slowing down the rate at which reservoirs are filling with sediment, Mr. Smith said, more storage capacity will be maintained in which to store water for use during drought years.

Tip Jeffcoat Now In Germany

Kaferal, Germany. —Pfc. Clifford D. Jeffcoat, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Jeffcoat, Lockney, Texas, is now serving with the 109th Engineer Combat Battalion in Kaferal, Germany.

The battalion is a unit of the Seventh Army which forms a major part of the strong cordon of American defense forces stretching across the U. S. Zone of Germany.

Private First Class Jeffcoat, a former Midwestern University student, entered the Army in March 1953 and arrived overseas last month.

Library Notes

By Mrs. Roy Hollar

This column comes to you "by recording" so to speak. When you read this your librarian will be on vacation in South Texas. The work of the library will go ahead as scheduled and Story Hour will be accomplished just as usual on Saturday morning at ten o'clock. Mrs. Clyde Harmon, Mrs. Ivy Pearl Reber and Dorothy Duncan will be carrying on the circulation routine in the Central Library.

It has been a pleasure to note the continuing borrowers of books in both Lockney and Floydada. We hope that the summer will prove a time of pleasant reading experiences for all our borrowers. Historical fiction has proved very popular with many of our readers. The Civil War period is particularly in demand. "Gone With the Wind" is still the most sought after book in the category of historical fiction. The books by Gwen Bristow are also in constant use. Older favorites include "Lorna Doone" which has lived some three quarters of a century and has appeared in a variety of editions. There is still demand for Scott's novels and the spirit of Charles Dickens should be delighted to see how the cinema has used his books and how they are still read for the atmosphere of an age that Dickens painted with an honest if not a complimentary brush.

The Southwest has furnished an ever growing theme for historical novels. "The Comancheros" by Paul Wellman is set in the Palo Duro Canyon. We suggest that you read it to check the authenticity of the description. There is room for argument as to whether Cleveland's "No Life For a Lady" is local history or biography. We do not intend to settle the question but we do suggest that you read the book when you are in a mood for historical fiction—this one is facts but you will enjoy it as much as fiction!

Coke Machine Profits

The Coke machine, which county superintendent Clarence Guffee got permission of the Commissioners court to put in the hallway of the court house two years ago, has paid for itself now and the library got the

benefit of the first profits the past week.

Mr. Guffee told the court any money the machine made would be given to the county Library fund.

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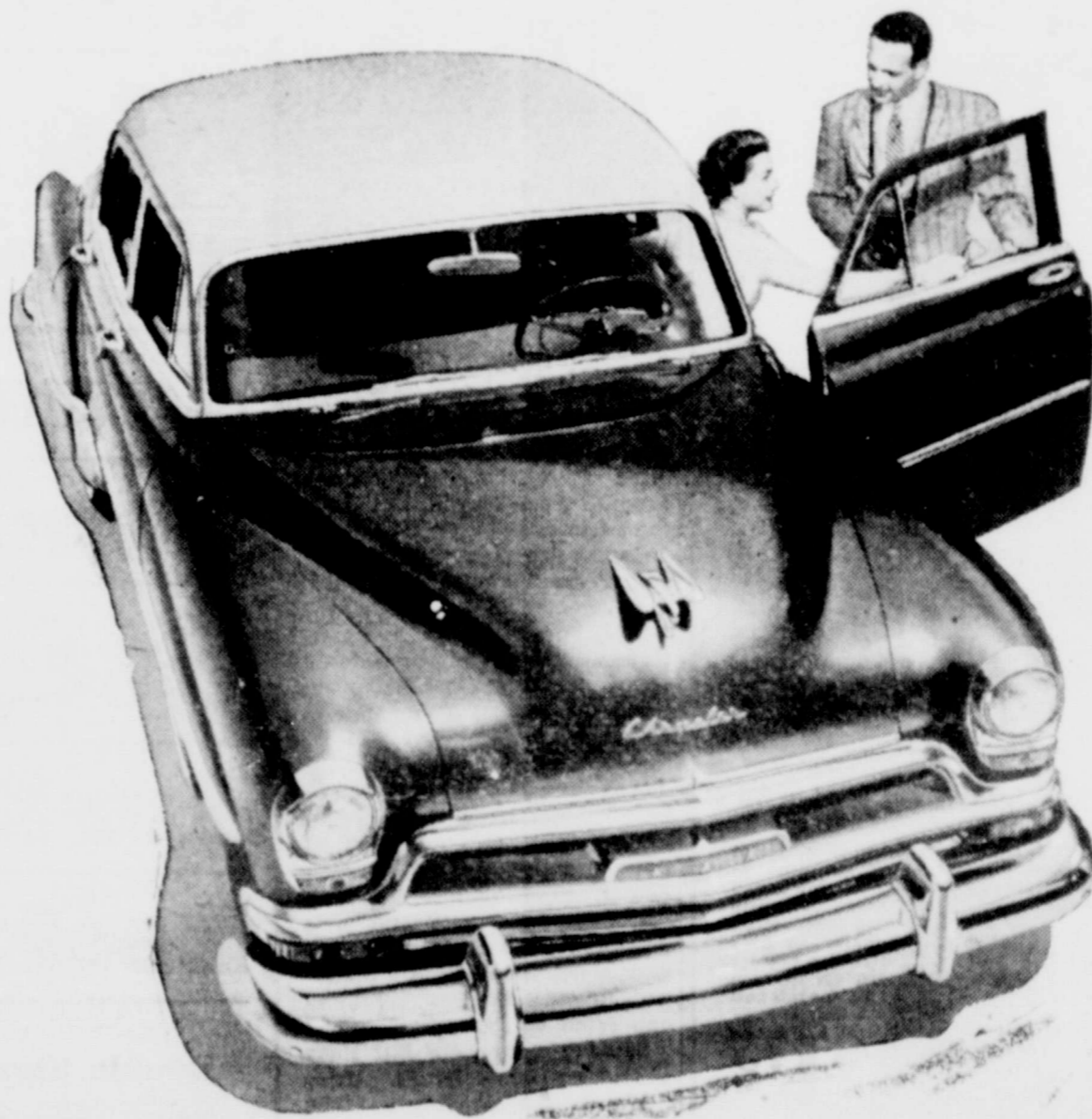
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Society News

Father's Day Reunion Held

Mr. H. P. Puckett was honored on Father's Day Sunday with a family reunion at his home on College Avenue. The event also celebrated Mr. Puckett's 85th birthday.

Among those present were five daughters, Mrs. J. G. Kropp of Flagstaff, Arizona; Mrs. Coreen Vest of Lubbock; Miss Beulah Puckett, Lockney; Mrs. B. W. Hemphill, Longview; and Mrs. S. W. Ewing of Orange, Texas; two sons and two daughters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Puckett, Midland, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Haden P. Puckett of Sweetwater, Texas; five grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kropp, Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Markham, Sudan; Earl Kropp, Flagstaff, Ariz.; and his guest, Miss Marlis Derfield, Flagstaff, Ariz. Five great-grandchildren were also present, Yvonne, Bob and Jimmy Kropp, Lockney; Gloria Ann Gracey, Grand Prairie; Jeania Reni Markham, Sudan, Texas.

Out-Door Supper Held At Cooper's

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cooper entertained with an out-door supper at their home Monday night honoring Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hargrove and family of Los Angeles, California.

Attending were the honorees and the following local people, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cooper and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cooper and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cooper and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chandler and family and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cooper and Carol.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Hardy Clemons To Wed Ardelle Hallock

Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Hallock, of Norman, Okla., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ardelle, to Hardy Smith Clemons, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Clemons, 3507 36th St., Lubbock.

The wedding will be solemnized at 8 p. m., Sept. 7, in the First Baptist Church in Norman. The bride has been director of the Baptist Student Union at Texas Tech for the past several years. The prospective bridegroom will complete his work at Texas Tech in January, after which he will enter Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Clemons and Hardy Smith are former Lockney residents and Mr. Clemons was superintendent of schools here several years.

Methodist WSCS Has All-Day Study

"Alcohol and Christian Responsibility" was the theme of an all-day study conducted Monday, June 21 for the Woman's Society of Christian Service and Wesleyan Guild of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Jack Taylor, study chairman, Mrs. Paul Cooper and Mrs. A. P. Barker were in charge of the morning session. Bro. and Mrs. Craft of Petersburg were in charge of the afternoon session bringing information on the alcohol problem from the citizenship conference they attended last October in Washington. D. C. Mrs. Clyde Farish, spiritual life chairman, opened and closed the meeting with inspirational devotionals.

Mrs. Billy Bybee Honored At Shower

Mrs. Billy Bybee, recent bride, was honored with a wedding shower Friday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Charles Hammit.

The serving table was laid with white linen and appointed with crystal. Red roses provided decoration for the entertaining rooms. Red Hawaiian punch and ice box cookies were served.

Approximately 50 guests registered or sent gifts. The hostess gifts were two wrought iron living room lamps and a raspberry red wool blanket.

Hostesses were Mmes. Truett McCarty, Audvie Barnett, Joe Keeter, Bobby Carthel, Carl Turner, Tommy Assister, Bud Casey, Fred Huggins, Fred Paschal, Joe Rogers, Charley Cross, W. L. Thomas Jr., Loren Reece, Claude Hammit, Homer Ellis and Charles Hammit.

Junior 4-H Club Meets Tuesday

Lockney Junior 4-H Club met Tuesday afternoon with Rae Watson and her mother, Mrs. Raymond Watson, Bonnie Allen, president, presided. Roll call was answered by each girl telling what she had done since school was out.

Miss Leila Petty, County Home Demonstration agent, gave a demonstration on fruit plates and gave out cook books and report forms.

Rae Watson gave a report of the District 4-H camp she attended at Lubbock.

Attending were Mrs. Watson and Rae, Miss Petty, Mrs. Henry Bollman, Charlotte Ann Taylor, Kay Martin, Karen Brown, Bonnie Allen, Louise Bollman, Bertha Amaya, Ruth Ann Rivers, Nancy Bollman, Beverly Poter, Stanley and Jerry Watson, Bill Bollman.

Sub-District WSCS To Meet Here Tues.

Sub-district, No. 3 of the W. S. C. S., will meet at the Methodist Church in Lockney Tuesday, June 29 from 10:00 a. m. to 2:30 p. m. Aiken, Sterley, Cone, Carr's Chapel, Hale Center, Cotton Center, Petersburg, Trinity and St. John's Churches. Plainview will be represented at the meeting.

Mrs. C. A. Denning of St. Johns Church is Sub-district president and will preside throughout the day. Scriptural theme is "What Does the Lord Require of Me?" Micah 6:8. Program topics will be "What Does the Lord Require of Me Concerning Time, Means, Talents, and My Neighbors Around the World." Mrs. Sam Mason of Petersburg will bring a report on the Fourth Assembly of W. S. C. S., in Milwaukee, Wisconsin which she attended in May.

Mrs. W. B. Darnell spent Wednesday in Amarillo.

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W. H. Workman Is Supper Honoree

A picnic supper on Father's Day honored W. H. Workman at his home in East Lockney.

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Kathleen Davidson Is Party Honoree

Mrs. J. H. Davidson honored her daughter, Kathleen, with a theatre party on the occasion of her tenth birthday June 13.

After returning from the theatre games were played. Judy Thomas and Audry McCormick received the prizes for pinning the tail on the donkey.

Refreshments were served to Judy and Billy Thomas, Marie Harris, Audry McCormick, Donna, Wayne and David Workman, Tommy Johnson, Su-Zan Harper, Coleen Harper, Dixie Ford, Janice Carthel, Dianne and Deborah Mooney and Paul Davidson.

Barbecue Supper Held At Casey Home

Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Casey were hosts for a barbecue chicken supper at their home northeast of town Thursday night.

Thirty-six guests were present to enjoy the supper and games of forty-two which followed.

Mike Willis Honored On Sixth Birthday

Mrs. Albert Willis honored her son, Mike, with a party to celebrate his sixth birthday, Friday, June 18 from 4 to 5:30 p. m. at their home.

Games including potato race, statue race, and the laughing handkerchief were enjoyed.

Centering the refreshment table was a birthday cake decorated with six green candles and six white doves. Favors were parachutes.

Ice cream, cake, cookies and green lemonade were served to Dale Brown, Cheri Chatham, Tony Frizzell, Gay Hancock, Joe Holt, Jr., Jack Ooley, Bennie Reece, Ada Kay Reece, Tommy Joe Sherman, Donna and Kay Fowler, Milton Adams, Frances and Mark Montandon, Sharon and Rhonda Keisling, Tommie and Mike Willis.

Sending gifts were Bill Hays, Toni Barnett and Jennie Adams. Mrs. Delmer Keisling and Mrs. Buck Fowler were also present.

FLOYD VISITORS

Mrs. L. J. Nelson and daughters, Barbara and Treasure of Corpus Christi, visited in the home of Mrs. Nelson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Floyd over the week end.

Officers Installed At B&PW Meeting

Lockney Business & Professionals Women's club met in the basement of the First Methodist Church Tuesday evening, June 22 for a dinner meeting and installation service.

During the business meeting Gwenelle Reece was voted into the club. Mrs. Joe Foster introduced June Wiley as the girl to be sponsored by the club in the Farm Bureau queen contest.

Mrs. Ellen Wiley presided at the candlelight service during which the following officers were installed: president, Jo Ann Moody; 1st vice-president, Velma Cox; 2nd vice-president, Jeffry Griffith; 3rd vice-president, Dorothy Shipp; recording secretary, Leila Petty; treasurer, Virginia Thomas.

Attending the meeting were Jo Ann Moody, Velma Cox, Ellen Wiley, Betty Knox, Frances O'Hearn, June Bybee, Wanda Wilson, Lorraine Oliver, Birda Foster, Ethel McAdams, Imogene Myers, Albertine Irons, Ruby Merrick, Leila Petty, June Powell, Jeffry Griffith, Audrey Spence, Ada Bailey, Virginia Thomas, and June Wiley, visitor.

Bridge Party Held In McClelland Home

Mrs. G. A. McClelland was hostess for a bridge party at her home Tuesday night.

Mrs. Bob Davis won high, Mrs. Fred Byrd won second high and Mrs. Bill Mangold won bingo prize.

Homemade ice cream and cookies were served to Mmes. Rusty Baceus, Tom Moore, J. C. Thomas Jr., Marvin Gilbert, Art Barker Jr., Fred Byrd, Bill Mangold, Bob Davis and the hostess.

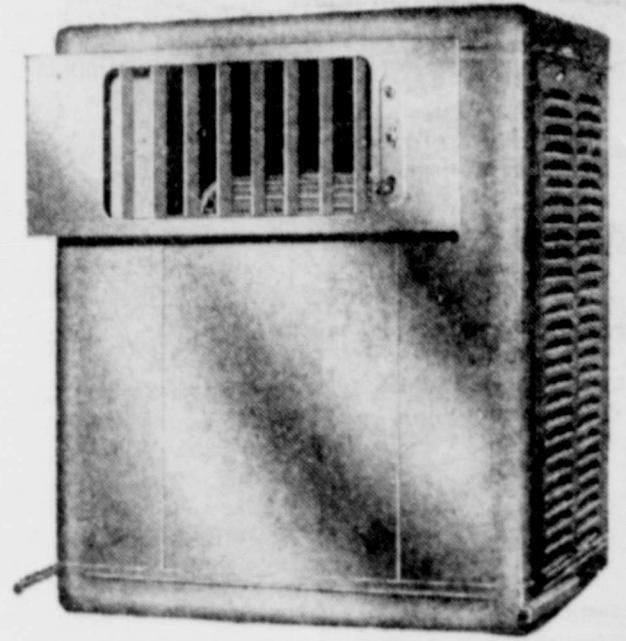
GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Roy and Sammy Kiser returned home Saturday after spending four days visiting their aunt, Mrs. C. A. Parsley in Muleshoe. The boys are sons of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kiser who operate Lockney Automotive & Supply here.

Rick Craft of Midland is here visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Edna Lackey.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reeves of Canyon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Seale during last week end.

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Mrs. Charlie Smith Is Club Hostess

The Pollyanna Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Charlie Smith. Cup towels were presented to the hostess. The afternoon was spent in sewing. Plans were completed for the club barbecue to be held next Friday evening in the backyard of the Charlie Smith home.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Glen Watson, visitor, and the following members, Misses: Bill Smith, Owen Thornton, Olson Allison, W. E. Darnell, Lloyd Wofford, Woodson Terrell of Plainview; Elmer Sandusky, Lester Carter and Derrell Wood. The next club day will be with Mrs. Bill Smith, Tuesday, July 6 at 3 o'clock. This is gift day and there will be a cup towel shower for the hostess.

Boyce Kenady spent Sunday visiting his mother at Jayton. Mrs. Jim Teaver of Plainview, sister of Mr. Kenady has spent the past two weeks with Mrs. Kenady in Jayton.

Chicken Barbecue Held At Woods Home

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stone of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Wood had a chicken barbecue in their back yard Saturday night.

Enjoying the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Mace McPherson and family of Midland; Mrs. C. P. McPherson, Carl McPherson, Floydada; Mrs. Luther Wofford, the honorees and hosts. Mrs. Stone is an aunt of Derrell Wood.

Mrs. Carl Ferguson Will Be HDC Hostess

Mrs. Carl Ferguson will be hostess for a meeting of Lockney Home Demonstration Club Thursday, June 24 at 3:00 o'clock.

All members who are interested in attending the picnic for Floyd County Home Demonstration Clubs on June 30 are urged to be present for this week's meeting, according to Mrs. Garland Sams, president.

Medical-Surgical Hospital Notes

Mrs. Cammie Messimer continues to be a medical patient. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson June 17 a baby girl weighing 9 lbs., 4 ounces. She was named Brenda Nell. Her father works at Consumers Co-op station.

H. D. Ashby was admitted June 19 as a medical patient.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sanchez on June 20, a baby son weighing 7 lbs., 11 ozs. He was named Martinez.

Born 6-20 to Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Beck of Sterley, a boy, Kenneth Gary, weighing 7 lbs., 7 1/2 ozs.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Little of Floydada June 21, baby girl weighing 8 lbs., 8 ozs. The young lady was named Darlinda Kay.

Mrs. Floyd Compton of Plainview was admitted June 20 as medical patient.

Cynthia Ann Sutton, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sutton of Rt. 1, Silverton, was admitted June 23 for surgery.

Mrs. L. S. Simmons of Groesbeck, Texas; mother of Mrs. Leslie Cox, was admitted June 23 for surgery.

Janet Sue Watts, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Watts was admitted June 23 for surgery.

ATTEND REUNION

Attending a reunion of the Counts family of Cristoval, near San Angelo, Texas Friday, Saturday and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Counts, Garland and Jerry Sams of Lockney. Thirty-six relatives were present. Mrs. R. E. L. Stutts accompanied the Counts to San Angelo where she is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joyce Bilbo.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Huggins spent Monday night in Plainview as guests in the home of their son, Emory Huggins and family.

Sharon Ann and Johnny Smith of Fort Worth and Bobby Musser of Groom visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Musser and family.

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Meeting At Lubbock Studies TB Fight

"Searchlight on TB," a state-wide study of the disease which is called "Texas" No. 1 health problem, was focused on this South Plains area Thursday at a meeting in Lubbock.

Representing from the 19 counties which comprise survey Area 2 attended a meeting in the Ballroom of the Caprock hotel, Lubbock, to discuss means of bringing to light all information bearing on tuberculosis in their home counties.

Mrs. D. B. Webster of Lubbock is general chairman for Area 2, composed of Bailey, Cochran, Cottle, Crosby, Dawson, Dickens, Floyd, Ganes, Garza, Haile, Hockley, Kent, King, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Motley, Terry and Yoakum counties.

The Lubbock meeting, Mrs. Webster explained, is one of a series now under way over the state. For purposes of the study, she said, Texas has been divided into 22 geographic regions, with a central headquarters and chairman for each.

In the area meeting county representatives were briefed on the information desired and sources for obtaining it and each county was asked to designate its own chairman.

Attending from Floyd County were Miss Leila Petty, county home demonstration agent, Mrs. Lynn Miller and Mrs. L. M. Honea. A total of 74 registered from over the South Plains.

It was pointed out to the group that 300 contact TB each day and 110,000 Americans catch the disease every year. One person dies out of every 9 active patients.

Rosemary McDonald spent from Wednesday until Sunday in Levelland with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Mayfield. Mrs. Mayfield is the former Martelle McDonald and she accompanied Rosemary home Sunday to spend father's Day with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McDonald.

Lockney General Hospital Notes

Mrs. Callie Shifer who was dismissed June 16, was readmitted on June 21 for medical treatment.

Mrs. A. W. Baile, Plainview, was dismissed June 21 following major surgery June 12.

Mrs. Katherine Anglin was dismissed June 19 following surgery.

Mrs. Charlie Perry was dismissed June 17 following medical treatment.

Mrs. Ralph Langley of Floydada is still receiving medical treatment.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Mosley June 18. She weighed 7 lbs., 2 ounces, and was named Bonnie Inez. Mother and baby were dismissed Tuesday, June 22. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dunavant, Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mosley, Plainview.

Mr. E. B. Fitzgerald was admitted as a medical patient June 18 and was dismissed June 19.

Trino Salazar was admitted as a medical patient June 19 and dismissed June 21.

Mrs. Bobby Carthel was admitted Tuesday, June 22.

Lola Pacheco was admitted as a medical patient June 19 and dismissed June 20.

Mrs. T. H. Boedecker was admitted for medical treatment June 21.

Mrs. Charles Crawford was admitted for medical treatment June 22.

Mrs. Jimmy Hodel was admitted as a medical patient Wednesday, June 23.

Mrs. Robert Wesley was admitted June 23.

Mrs. T. J. Honca was admitted as a medical patient Wednesday, June 23.

Mr. Albert Ruiz was admitted as a medical patient June 18 and dismissed June 20.

Carroll and Garland McClure are in Fort Worth this week visiting relatives.

Cub Scouts To Have Picnic Supper Thurs.

The regular monthly meeting of the Cub Scouts Pack 59 will be Thursday, June 24 at 7:30 at the City Park. Cubs and their families will enjoy games and a picnic supper before the business meeting and presentation of awards.

Den 3 will prepare the drink for the supper.

MRS. DAGLEY HOME

Mrs. N. C. Dagley, who has been in California the past five months arrived home Sunday afternoon late. She had spent two months visiting her daughter in Glendora, Calif., when she fell and broke her hip and had to remain out there three more months. She arrived in Clovis, New Mexico via train Sunday at 3:00 o'clock and the Carter ambulance brought her on to the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Meriwether in Lockney. Mrs. Dagley is getting along nicely and can sit up for short intervals, however it will be at least another month, Mrs. Meriwether said, before she is able to be on her feet.

ATTEND PRESS MEET AT FORT WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar R. Hays of The Beacon staff, attended the 75th annual meeting of the Texas Press Association in Fort Worth Friday and Saturday. Principal speakers included Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby, secretary of the department of Health, Education and Welfare in the national cabinet; Governor Allan Shivers of Texas; Paul Crum, columnist on the Dallas Morning News. Other speakers covered subjects relating to the trade.

The Hays were treated to a ride in a helicopter at the Bell Aircraft Co. near Fort Worth Friday afternoon.

While attending the meeting they received news of the death of a cousin, Miss Winona Sue Hays, in a train-crash at Lubbock on Thursday night.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Battle were Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Jones and Carolyn Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Clark of Dimmitt; Mrs. Wynona Branson and Mike of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Withrow and girls, Mr. and Mrs. F. Traylor, Mrs. Ida McNally and Jerry Bingham, all of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith and family spent Sunday in Littlefield visiting her father, Mr. J. A. Brooks on Father's Day.

Claud Calahan of Ruston, Louisiana visited Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan and family from Wednesday until Friday last week.

Tech Football Season Tickets Are Offered

Lubbock. — Season tickets to Texas Tech's home football games are ready for distribution to last year's owners.

Currently, tickets are being mailed only to those wishing the same location as last year. Next to be processed will be applications of persons wishing to change their ticket location and new purchasers of season tickets.

Jimmie Wilson, business manager of athletics, has urged new purchasers to send in their applications now, since they will be filled in the order received.

Season tickets may be obtained across the counter in the Athletic Office in the southwest corner of Jones Stadium or may be bought through the mail. Mail orders, including a check or money order payable to Texas Tech, should include an additional 25 cents for mailing charges. For five home games, the price is \$15.

Texas Tech's home schedule includes Sept. 25, West Texas State; Oct. 2, Oklahoma A&M; Oct. 9, Texas Western; Nov. 13, University of Tulsa; and Nov. 20, University of Houston. The first three are night games.

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Minute Editorials

Charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up.—1 Cor. 13:4.

HOW COME MR. EISENHOWER polled so many votes in 1952. Did the whole country suddenly decide they liked the Republican party, or what happened? We don't believe that the party had too much to do with the election results. It appears people were just ready for a change and wanted to "clean up corruption."

AN EXHAUSTIVE STUDY has been made of the '48 and '52 elections by the Survey Research Center of the University of Michigan, and its findings are described in the June 4 issue of U. S. News & World Report. The big point it makes is that Mr. Eisenhower won because great numbers of registered Democrats voted for him. In other words, if the Democrats who voted for Mr. Truman four years before had stuck with the party, Mr. Stevenson would now be occupying the White House.

PARTY ALLEGIANCE was a small factor in '52—only eight per cent of the Ike voters queried gave it as a reason for their

choice. The important elements were such matters as domestic issues, foreign policy, the candidate's personality, and the "time for a change" feeling.

WITH A FEW EXCEPTIONS the Eisenhower swing strongly affected all classifications of voters. Here are some of the examples cited by the survey (the difference between these percentages and 100 per cent is principally accounted for by non-voters): In 1948, young people voted 32 per cent Democratic and 19 per cent Republican; in '52 it went 31 per cent and 37 per cent respectively. In '48 older people voted 27 per cent Democratic and 31 per cent Republican; in '52 the division was 27 per cent and 48 per cent. Where union members voted 55 per cent Democratic and a mere 13 per cent Republican in '48, the '52 breakdown was 43 per cent and 33 per cent respectively. The low-income groups, heavily Democrats in '48, gave Mr. Eisenhower a substantial majority of their vote. The GOP also registered heavy gains among church people. This was especially noticeable in the case of Catholics, who voted almost two-to-one Democratic in '48, while in '52 they gave the Democrats a bare majority. On the other hand, Republican ground was lost among Negroes, college people and the professional and managerial group, though the party did carry this last group by a wide margin.

THE SURVEY stresses that the millions of registered Democrats who voted for Mr. Eisenhower did not do so because of any strong feeling for Republican policies, but because they liked and admired the man. Then it makes this observation, which is the key question mark in the November election picture: "It is problematic how long and under what conditions the Republican Party can depend on their support. Whether the balance of forces which we have observed in 1952 will endure or not depends in large part on the extent to which domestic and foreign events force a re-evaluation of these factors in the minds of the voters."

WE'RE IN FAVOR of the proposed 4-lane highway through the county. It will cost us some money but a recent reduction in the county tax rate is more than what will be required to carry the bond issue necessary for the right-of-way and pay it off. Then too, if the state spends a million and a half dollars in the county it certainly will be beneficial to the people of the county from an economic standpoint.

BUT THE BIG REASON we're in favor of the 4-lane highway is that we think it will save some lives. Thinking back over the past 12 years we can think of several people who lost their lives on Highway 70 between Floydada and the Hale Co. line. Most of those accidents wouldn't have happened on a 4-lane divided highway. We don't know what the economic value of a life is, but we know there is no limit if the life is one closely related to us. Perhaps the life that is saved may be yours or mine. If it is, that 10c per \$100 tax rate won't be a drop in the bucket.

John E. Stapleton
LAWYER
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ON SEGREGATION

Likewise, the Negro must depend upon his own merits if he is to rise in our society. He must not depend upon any pressure group such as the Association for the Advancement of Colored People to push him into places he has no business.

The Negro, by making himself so desirable that others would desire his association, can

achieve a desirable place in society just as anyone else, regardless of color. But he cannot force himself. There is no substitute for merit, whether we are white or black.

Likewise, we whites owe it to him to place no legal barriers in his way which discriminate for no reason other than color.

To the white, we would ask—Why do you belong to your club?

Why are you a member of your particular social clique?

Why do you hold your present job?

The answers are simple. You belong to your club because the other members considered that you were their equal socially. The only satisfactory way you could have become a member was by invitation. Had it been possible to secure membership by shooting your way in or forcing them to admit you simply because you wanted in, how happy would you be in that club?

The answer is obvious. Any Negro must learn that he will never be happy where he is not wanted, regardless of his legal rights.

So it is, both the Negro and the white have a great obligation to each other.

Through mutual understanding, both can live together in a spirit of understanding and democracy.—Town Topics in Tulsa Herald.

THERE'S A DIFFERENCE

Just prior to the deadline for candidates to file for a place on the ballot for the coming July primaries, a friend of W. S. (Bill) Heatly Jr. from down at Austin called him over the telephone and said: "I hear you do not have any opposition." "Oh yes," Bill shot back, "I have opposition, but no opponent." —Prattier in Paducah Post.

MARK OF SUCCESS

It is significant that foam rubber mattresses are not recommended as a means to attend success. The appeal is slanted more to those who have arrived, than to customers who may be getting ready to start or are in transit. Too much comfort is fatal to ambition.—Matador Tribune.

The average woman washes an estimated 26,000 dishes a year.

An ephemeral insect is one which is short-lived.

Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

June 23, 1916

The citizens of Lockney met in mass meeting at the McCollum hall Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of deciding whether we should celebrate July 4th or not. Judge Stalbird was chairman for the meeting and it was decided to have an old-fashioned basket picnic following a parade. The celebration will be held at the Lockney Christian College grounds.

New officers to be installed in the Masonic Lodge Saturday night are: Worshipful Master, H. A. Anderson; Senior Warden, Gordon Ramsey; Junior Warden, Charley Wilson; Treasurer, France Baker; Secretary, Charley Ramsey; Senior Deacon, Carl McAdams; Junior Deacon, Leslie Floyd; Tiler, T. Z. Reed.

Johnnie Emple, son of H. B. Emple who lives three miles east of town, was in town Monday driving four mules hitched to a go-devil. The team became excited and began to run down Main Street throwing the young man in front of the machine. He was unconscious three hours but at this time is doing nicely with no serious injury.

Dr. J. C. Guest accompanied his wife to Dallas Tuesday where she will undergo x-ray examination. Mrs. Guest has been in bad health for some time.

A portion of Floyd County received some rain and a severe hail Sunday night.

Miss Anna Schacht and brother, Fritz, spent the first part of the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Sutton, Grace and Richard.

June 26, 1942

Frank Mudgett, a former Lockney resident, was killed while working in a ship yard N. Bremonton, Washington. Funeral services were held in Albany, Oregon. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Mudgett and brother to Stanley, Jerry, and Sidney Mudgett and Mrs. Olive Myers of Lockney.

The first Democratic primary is set for July 25. Running for U. S. Senator are W. Lee O'Daniel and James V. Allred; for governor are Coke Stevenson and Hal Collins; for county judge, G. C. Tubbs, Morgan Wright and B. E. Cypert; for county clerk, Margaret Collier, Roy Snodgrass, Douglas Hollums, H. F. Finley; for sheriff, J. N. Redd, Lee Howard, Fred Clark; for commissioner, precinct No. 2, E. R. Harris and Henry Roberson.

John Stapleton was inducted into the army on May 15 but will continue to hold his position of county attorney in this county although he won't draw a salary for such office, county officials said.

Rev. Judson Cobb was extended a call as pastor of the First Baptist Church here by the membership at the conclusion of Sunday night service.

Lockney elevators had 1,000,000 bushels of wheat to Thursday morning.

Miss Billy Sims and Revis Harris were married Saturday evening by Rev. John Cobb of Plainview. They will make their home here.

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Lost and Found

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GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

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Emergency Polio Drive Planned For Late August

New York. — Americans contributed nearly \$55,000,000 to the March of Dimes last January — more than in any previous year — yet the sum fell short by \$20,000,000 of meeting the current year's needs. Basil O'Connor, president of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, reported today.

As a result, he said, it will be necessary to seek the additional amount through an Emergency March of Dimes scheduled for August 16 through 31. The decision to hold the emergency appeal for polio-fighting funds was made late last week at a meeting of the National Foundation's Board of Trustees, he disclosed.

"This year," Mr. O'Connor said, "confronts us with the greatest challenge of any in the history of the fight against polio, with commitments for a Polio Preventive Program of staggering size and the necessity of providing aid to a record number of polio patients."

Mr. O'Connor said estimates last fall were that \$75,000,000 would be needed to finance the polio vaccine trials, the purchase of increased quantities of gamma globulin, the search for improved preventive and treatment techniques, the support of professional education, and the provision of financial assistance for polio patients who need it.

"This is still a very realistic feature in terms of our obligations and commitments," Mr. O'Connor explained. "It was certainly not because of any lack of effort by our volunteers that we failed to meet it. March of Dimes workers did a remarkable job. Receipts went ahead more than 6 1/2 per cent. However, the \$55,000,000 raised will not carry the program through 1954."

"We are now entering the evaluation phase of the vaccine trials. Surely no American would be a party to slowing this hopeful venture because money is needed to care for patients. And who could sanction cutting down on patient aid in a year that already gives signs of heavy polio incidence?"

Mr. O'Connor explained that \$26,500,000 was needed for the vaccine and GG programs alone, plus \$29,000,000 for patient aid if 1954 polio incidence is comparable to 1953, when almost 36,000 cases were reported. There are signs, however, that 1954 may be an even heavier incidence year. The number of new cases reported by the U. S. Public Health Service during the first 23 weeks of this year is the largest reported for any similar period in recorded history, he said. In addition, there are 67,000 holdover cases from previous years, who still require help from the National Foundation and its Chapters.

Beyond all these costs, another \$19,500,000 is needed for continued research into polio prevention and treatment, for professional education, for medical and community services and for administration.

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 STAPLETO' (Re-election)

For State Representative, 89th District: LEROY SAUL

For Assessor-Collector of Taxes: T. T. HAMILTON (Re-election) CHARLES C. HUCKABEE J. A. HUTCHINSON

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. TUBBS

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)

Mr. O'Connor expressed gratitude to the millions of volunteers who raised the \$55,000,000 in January, and to the 80,000,000 Americans who contributed.

"When they realize that more money is needed to insure completion of the vaccine evaluation, provision of gamma globulin, medical care and research and for the care and rehabilitation of thousands of current and future polio patients, they will want to add their little bit more," he said. "We must not fail to meet any of these obligations. If every man, woman and child in the United States gives a little more in August, our promises to patients and the public can be kept."

"I invite all Americans to look at the problem from the point of view of one of the 2,000 patients who fight for breath each day and night in iron lungs or chest respirators. Right in your own community, among your own neighbors, there may be such a case. For them the promise of a polio vaccine is too late. They, and thousands of others who are seriously disabled, depend upon their fellow Americans' generosity even while rapid progress is being made toward final polio prevention."

Farm Bureau Plans Special Train To New York Meeting

Waco. — A special train will carry Texas Farm Bureau members to the national convention in December in New York. TFB President J. Walter Hammond has announced.

The state farm organization has completed arrangements for the 11-day trip which will include sight-seeing tours in St. Louis; Williamsburg, Va.; Washington, D. C.; and New York City. The Farm Bureau Special will leave Dallas Dec. 7 and return Dec. 18.

While in New York the Texans will attend the 36th annual convention of the American Farm Bureau Federation. An estimated 175 members and their families are expected to attend from the Lone Star State.

The group will stop first at Williamsburg, birthplace of American history, for a comprehensive tour of the restored colonial settlement. A chartered bus will take them through Jamestown to Old Point Comfort, Va., where they will board a steamer for Baltimore.

In Washington, the Texans will visit many of the government buildings and other points of interest. They will also tour George Washington's colonial home across the Potomac at Mt. Vernon.

A sight-seeing tour of many of the most interesting places in New York City is also planned for the group.

by Frances Lemons

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and Twila June Brown. Leo Brown finished his work in Kansas also, and arrived home Wednesday to be with his family in Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. George West visited in Lockney Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. George Beedy. While there they learned that Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Beedy and small daughter left Saturday morning for Oregon where they plan to work and make their home. They thought they would get to Laramie, Wyoming Saturday night to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McGuire, formerly of Lockney and Douglas' sister.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bartlett from Fort Worth spent the Fathers Day week end here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bartlett in Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders, Martha and boys.

Mrs. W. Fred Cox from Edmondton, Alberta, Canada and daughter, Mrs. James Goodwin and girls from Arlington, Texas are here visiting their father and grandfather, P. M. Smitherman at this time and will stay throughout the harvest season.

Mrs. Jack Crawford from Amarillo and sister of Johnny Wilson arrived this week to care for the children while Mrs. Wilson is in the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Field and children, formerly of Benkleman, Nebraska are here also and will live in Plainview in the future where Adron will be connected with an insurance firm.

Thursday all-day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George West were Mr. and Mrs. Bood Myers and children from Silverton and Mrs. Artie Holmes from Oklahoma City, Okla., old time friends of the Wests.

Frank McClure spent the week end with his wife who is in the hospital at Grand Prairie. Mrs. McClure is not yet well enough to be brought home, but she reports she is feeling better.

Murray Julian took his boys, Kendis and Bruce, Bud and Alton Higginbotham and Eugene Beedy to Buffalo Lake on a fishing trip Tuesday of this week. They plan to fish and camp overnight and return home Wednesday evening.

Peggy Young spent most of last week in Lubbock visiting with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Pitts and children. Sunday her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young went to Lubbock where they spent the day and brought Peggy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robin Fortenberry and Eldon were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Robin's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry and Elgio.

Miss Evelyn Bobbitt of Amarillo spent Sunday with her father, Mr. Bert Bobbitt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bennett and children returned home Saturday after spending three weeks vacation in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Anderson and daughter, Carolyn of Amarillo are visiting in the T. J. Mathis home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnston spent Sunday in the H. O. Ginn home of Cedar Hill. In the afternoon they visited Mrs. H. O. Ginn in the hospital at Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williamson of Childress visited Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Howell.

Mrs. M. A. Boone spent from Monday till Friday with her father, Mr. J. L. Burleson who is seriously ill in Johnson Hospital in Loreine, Texas.

Norma Warren went to Roaring Springs Friday on a picnic with the summer homemaking class of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Boone visited Friday night and Saturday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Boone. Eldora Boone returned home with them for a few days visit.

B. A. Howell is doing some repair work on his store, putting down a new floor, rearranging counters and painting the interior.

Mrs. J. H. Stringer, Mollie Ann, and Barbara Jo Hanks visited in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Killman and Sunday Mr. and Mrs. G. F. West visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Simpson who formerly lived on the Deavenport place, but are now residents of Plainview.

Mrs. James Futch was honored with a pink and blue shower on Friday afternoon at 3 on June 18 in the home of Mrs. Fred Fortenberry with Mrs. Otho Sanders as co-hostess. Pink punch and cookies were served the guests. Small blue squares were given as plate favors. Pink mints carried out the pink and blue color scheme. Those attending were from the Methodist Church at Sterley, where Mrs. Futch's husband is pastor. Many beautiful gifts were presented and those present were: Mmes. Mary Simmons, Clyde Wright, Lee, Raymond Warren, A. C. Seymour, B. A. Howell, Archie Bybee, Bill Carter, G. A. McAda, Lewis Harston, H. B. Foster, Hershel Harston, Elmo Reeves, Hansel Sanders, Howard Gibson, A. P. Sanders and Misses Patsy Harston, Martha Sanders and Billie Lee, along with the honoree, Mrs. James Futch and the hostesses, Mrs. Fortenberry and Mrs. Sanders.

Mrs. J. H. Stringer and Mollie Ann visited friends in Childress Wednesday.

Members of the Sterley Methodist Sunday School met Wednesday night at the community house for a party. Cake, cookies and ice cream were served to about 75.

Charlotte Ragle is working this summer in the technician's laboratory at Lockney General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Weathers and little granddaughter, Carol Ann Kemzey from Snyder, visited last week with Mrs. Weathers' sister, Mrs. O. W. Farley and family in Oklahoma City. They accompanied Mrs. Weathers' sister, Miss Thelma Thompson of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mercer and young son, Tim of Farwell, Texas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Casey, Bobbye Lu and Donice Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. J. R. Naylor and children, Rhudy and Janice returned home Saturday after a two weeks vacation and visit with her parents in Fries, Virginia. Accompanying them home was Mrs. Naylor's sister, Anita Rhudy who will spend the summer here.

ATTENDING CAMP
Kathleen Davidson, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davidson, left Friday, June 17 to attend Long Scraggy Mountain Camp for Girls at Buffalo Creek, Colorado for the summer. She will return August 20. This is the third year Kathleen has attended the camp. Accompanying her to Colorado were her parents and little brother, Paul.

Floyd Snodgrass of Oklahoma City left Saturday to work in Amarillo after spending the past three weeks here visiting his mother, Mrs. J. N. Snodgrass and sister, Mrs. W. H. Workman and family.



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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

READER THREATENS EDITOR; BLAMES WIFE

Mr. Edgar Hays Lockney, Texas.

Dear Editor: If you want to retain my friendship and good will be sure and get that Lockney Beacon to us every Monday's mail. If it hadn't been for the fact we could go over and get one from Bro. Cobb you would have been in dutch, sure enough.

My wife was a rather avid reader of your sheet even when at home, and out here, well, I have had enough time keeping her sort of pacified away from the grand kids and her back yard. The Beacon, letters from the kids, and our friends may save me from the effects of all that digging she has no back to waste on. Do you follow me?

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Best wishes,
R. E. Patterson.
Editor's Note: We'll get her there on time, Mr. Pat, the Lord and the united States mail willing.

HOME FROM VISIT

Mrs. W. S. Rexrode returned home Monday afternoon from a weeks visit with friends and relatives at Crowell and Haskell, Texas. While in Crowell she visited Mrs. Effie Bell and Mrs. Bert Self, old school friends of Mrs. Rexrode. On Wednesday the three women went to Haskell to visit another former schoolmate, Mrs. Pearl Carter and to visit Mrs. Rexrode's son, Rev. Marcus Rexrode, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Haskell.

IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. G. M. Brunner is in Stockton, California visiting her parents and a sister. She left Sunday, June 13 and plans to return the later part of the month.

Mrs. Marvin Montague and children, John and Carol of Silverton spent Monday here with her father, G. M. Brunner.

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Up From 1953

Austin. — Texas farm cash income for the first four months of 1954 totaled almost \$42.6 million, 1 per cent more than in the same 1953 period, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports. A large factor in the rise was a 22-per cent increase in cotton revenue (up \$23.4 million). Other increases included peanuts, up 115 per cent (\$1.5 million); oats, 77 per cent (\$688,000); sheep and lambs, 89 per cent (\$4.3 million); cattle, 1 per cent (\$900,000); and fruits and vegetables, 15 per cent (\$2.7 million). Good moisture conditions in the South Plains, most of the Panhandle and nearly all of North and East Texas brightened Texas' general agricultural outlook, the Bureau reports. Wheat prospects are improved and an increase is expected in vegetable production.

Aid I Quote

"It is that the wrong number on a telephone is never yours when you call" — Charles Knapp.

"In animals have one advantage — they're not scared stiff out their sins every time they're sick" — M. J. Monaghan.

"M' girls will do almost anything for a dinner except cook" — Ted Steele.

"On the citizen loses his sense of personal responsibility for the welfare of the nation — of articulation as an active, loyal citizen — we shall indeed be destroyed from within." — Sen. Karl Mundt.

"If you don't think the dollar is worth anything today, just try to collect some that are owed you." — L. S. McCandless.

The number of cattle and calves slaughtered in Texas for the first four of 1954 is higher than for the same period in 1953 while hog slaughter was down.

Mystery Farm No. 29

Although we don't know, it seems to us the shadow of the plane in the center foreground would indicate that this Floyd County mystery farm house is facing west. This is another in a series of mystery farms from northern Floyd County. If you can identify the place please call The Lockney Beacon office immediately. The names of all persons connected with the farm will be published along with the identity of the farm next week. In addition to this The First National Bank will give the original photo of this farm to the owner or occupant if he will come by The Beacon office not later than Monday and give additional information on the farm.



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CAR P 110-hp. SIX	NO	NO	YES

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Silverton News

OH, BABY! County Committee

Dr. Hardy Attending Medical Meeting

Dr. Gene Hardy left Thursday of last week to attend the American Medical Association convention at San Francisco for five days. He was accompanied by his wife and two children, and his father who lives in Beaumont. They plan to be home Thursday, July 1. Dr. Hardy is associated with Lockney General Hospital.

Closing Program Set At Aiken VBS

The closing program for the Aiken Methodist Church Bible school will be held Saturday evening starting at 8 p. m. It was announced this week by Mrs. R. L. Powell. The public is cordially invited to attend. The school has been in progress all this week.

RETURN FROM TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. McClure and children, Wesley, Sandra and Carroll, returned Sunday from a vacation trip through the north and east and into Canada. They visited 14 states, the District of Columbia, Ontario, Canada, Niagara Falls, Chicago, New York, Atlanta City and Washington, D. C. While in Washington they visited the House of Representatives and the Senate while those bodies were in session.

ON FISHING TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Baeus and Mr. and Mrs. George Webster Jr., left early Wednesday morning for a fishing trip to Chama, New Mexico. They plan to be gone several days. Mrs. Resse Mae Simson of Amarillo, sister of Geo. Webster is here staying with the Webster child-

HARRIS VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Harris had as visitors on Father's Day their children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nelson and Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wofford and children, Mrs. Minnie Thomas, all of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Griffith and children of Lone Star; Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Harris, Lockney. Mr. Harris also received a gift letter from his son, Olin Harris from South America on Father's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Woodburn and daughters, Diann and Debra of Van, Texas, arrived Wednesday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. E. L. Woodburn. They spent the past week in Oklahoma City visiting her parents. They plan to be here about a week.

(Continued from page 1) town. It may be played next Monday night, President Readhimer said.

Second Round Starts
The second round of play in the league will begin Friday night of this week. President Lloyd Readhimer said. This round will run through July 20 and the third round will begin July 22.

Following is the schedule for the second round:

Friday, June 25 — South Plains vs. Gulf Service; Lone Star vs. Lone Star Co-op.

Tuesday, June 29 — Fire Department vs. Lone Star Co-op; South Plains vs. American Legion.

Thursday, July 1 — American Legion vs. Gulf Service; Fire Department vs. Silverton.

Friday, July 2 — Lone Star Co-op vs. Silverton; Gulf Service vs. Lone Star.

Tuesday, July 6 — American Legion vs. Lone Star; Lone Star Co-op vs. South Plains.

Thursday, July 8 — Silverton vs. South Plains; American Legion vs. Fire Department.

Friday, July 9 — Lone Star vs. Fire Department; Silverton vs. Gulf Service.

Tuesday, July 13 — Silverton vs. American Legion; South Plains vs. Lone Star.

Thursday, July 15 — Gulf Service vs. Fire Department; American Legion vs. Lone Star Co-op.

Friday, July 16 — Lone Star vs. Silverton; Fire Department vs. South Plains.

Tuesday, July 20 — Lone Star vs. Gulf Service.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Funeral services of Mr. Bill Sparkman were held Wednesday morning at 10:00 o'clock at Carter Funeral Home in Ralls. He was the grandfather of Jerry Harder of Lockney. His home was in Comanche, Texas.

Attending the services from Lockney were Mrs. Jerry Harder, Mrs. Geo. Webster Sr., Mrs. J. M. Harder, sister of Mrs. Webster who was visiting here from Plainview. They were accompanied by the following relatives from Plainview: C. B. Harder and Mrs. Emma Hutchings of Wayland College.

(Continued from page 1) East Lockney No. 6. City Auditorium, E. C. Durham, 6. Providence No. 7. Providence Schoolhouse, Ewald Quebe, 4. Lone Star No. 8. Lone Star Schoolhouse, G. B. Johnston, 4. South Plains No. 9. South Plains Schoolhouse, H. T. Bradshaw, 4.

Cedar Hill No. 11. T. F. Love Garage, Johnny Lackey, 4. Fairview No. 12. Fairview Baptist Church, E. W. Walls, 4.

Baker No. 13. Baker Community Center, Claude Fawcett, 4. Lakeview No. 15. Lakeview Schoolhouse, E. H. Spears, 4. Harmony No. 16. Harmony Community Center, C. A. Williams, 4.

Goodnight No. 17. Fairmount Baptist Church, O. P. Clark, 4. West Lockney No. 18. Lockney High School, H. W. Schacht, 10. N. W. Floydada No. 19. City Hall, Floydada, R. M. Battey, 6. Dougherty No. 20. Dougherty Schoolhouse, Orland Howard, 4. Sterley No. 21. Sterley Club House, Bert Bobbitt, 4. McCoy No. 22. McCoy Schoolhouse, John R. Shipley, 4. Southeast Floydada No. 2. County Courthouse, Courthouse, Henry Bloodworth, 5.

N. E. Floydada No. 24. North end of hall, 1st floor, courthouse. The pay of all judges and clerks was set at \$5 per day with no overtime with an additional \$2 to be paid to the electing judge who delivers the return and election supplies following the election.

A special canvassing board, absentee ballots was named, these being Mal Jarboe, of Copeland and Hollis R. Bell. This board, with three clerks to assist, will meet at 1 p. m. on July 24 and August 28 in the office of the county clerk for the purpose of canvassing the absentee ballots.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Counts and Mrs. Fanny Brown Tuesday were Mrs. C. G. Maples, Judith and Tommie of Dimmitt and Mrs. Noah Humphries of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldredge Caylor of Dallas are visiting this week in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Powell and Mrs. and Mrs. J. G. Caylor in the Aiken community.

Mrs. W. A. Keeter, mother of C. S. and W. A. Keeter of Lockney, was hurt recently in an auto accident near her home in Canton, Georgia. She suffered a chipped shoulder bone and broken collar bone. Mrs. Keeter was in an auto accident while living here some two years ago in which her husband received injuries which caused his death. She was improving this week, relatives said.

Mr. and Mrs. George Myers and Sandra and Clydelle Hill spent from Friday night until Sunday in Grand Prairie and Dallas. They visited Eddie Joe Foster in Dallas and Mrs. Myers' mother, Mrs. H. F. Easley in Grand Prairie. Mrs. Easley accompanied them to Lockney for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Smith and family are in East Texas where he will be employed for several weeks.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Weathers this week are three of their granddaughters, Sally and Judy Weathers of Kress and Carol Ann Kinzey of Snyder.

Mitchell Jo Branson of Plainview is here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Battle and attending Vacation Bible School at the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Boyce Kenady has returned from a weeks visit on the Riley ranch at Fort Sumner, New Mexico. She spent from Thursday until Saturday night visiting in Olton.

Lynda Durham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Durham, left on Lubbock by train Friday morning for a two weeks visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Wood in Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Carter and Linda spent Sunday in Ackerly, New Mexico attending a family reunion.

Mr. Z. T. Riley of Pampa and Mrs. Lula Woodburn stay.

Mr. Clyde Dunn of Kermit Thursday night here with sister, Mrs. Lula Woodburn.

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