

al Basketball ms Split Two es This Week

Lockney High basketball split two games this week. The boys and girls teams winning one and losing one in a 2-AA play.

Last Friday evening the boys pulled an upset by beating the Muleshoe Mules on the local court while the Muleshoe girls team also pulled an upset and defeated the Longhorns 49 to 47 in the second of the game.

Tuesday evening the boys traveled to Olton with the Longhorns losing to the Mules 58 to 25. The Longhorns winning over Olton 59 and the Longhorn B team beating their game to Olton 32.

Lockney-Muleshoe boys was a wild one. It was all the way and in the Mules lost seven men via a route ending the game by three on the floor. The Mules jumped into a big lead early ahead 35 to 21 at the time they were still leading in the third quarter.

Longhorns got hot and hitting from all parts of the court. The local team pulled 41 to 52 before the Mules to four men on the floor of the fouls and of coursed their lead after that. Handley was lost to the Mules because of fouls.

Handley was high point man for the Muleshoe with 17 points. Muleshoe and Merion Lockney each had 15. David Frizzell had 11 for the Longhorns.

The girls game the Longhorns jumped into a lead all the way until the second. The Muleshoe led the score with about 10 to go. The local girls ball on a traveling period the Muleshoe girls field goal just before the whistle to win the game.

Merion made 37 points. Muleshoe girls while Nell made 24 for the Longhorns couldn't hit nor move against the Olton girls and were never close. The time score was 27 to 12. Longhorns did not bethe second half. Merion made 9 for the Longhorns. Hodes was high point for 15.

The girls game the score for the first quarter that the Longhornettes pulling away and were threatened again. The score was 31 to 20 in the locals.

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Mothers' March To Climax Polio Drive In County

The Mothers' March on Polio, set for next Monday evening in Floyd County, will climax the annual March of Dimes drive for funds to fight poliomyelitis. Barry Barker, county chairman, said Wednesday.

The mothers of the city will make house-to-house calls in the residential area and all who will donate to the drive are asked to turn on their porch light. Someone will then call to receive the contribution.

The fire siren will be sounded at 7 o'clock to remind local residents of the march. The drive will be from 7 to 8 p. m. Heading the Mothers' March will be Mrs. M. W. Wiley and Mrs. Velma Cox, and they will be assisted by members of the Lockney Business & Professional Women's Club.

Receipts Cumo
Meanwhile receipts for the March of Dimes continued to climb in the county. Barker had no totals as yet for the county but reported on several different projects and communities. From the Irick community \$237.25 was turned in last week end and the workers there expect to get another \$30. Mrs. W. O. Stuart headed the committee at Irick and she was assisted by Mrs. W. A. Jolly, Mrs. V. H. Kellison and Mrs. Dale Laceywell.

Five members of the Lions Club did a good job of selling "polio fighter" balloons Saturday on the streets of Lockney. They brought in \$133.00. The Lions who worked on the project were Wallace Allen, J. C. Kemp, Warren Graham, Jack Billington and R. L. Knox Jr.

The schools have had drives of their own for the March of Dimes and the latter part of last week the grade school turned in \$93.61 and the high school \$103.03. More money will come from the schools, it was said.

The March of Dimes drive is scheduled to be completed by January 31 and community chairmen and others in charge of projects are urged to complete their individual campaigns by that time, Barker said.

W. L. McMinn Dies At Lubbock

William L. McMinn, a resident of Lockney for many years and father of Mrs. Frank Messimer of Lockney, passed away at the home of another daughter, Mrs. Alma Visage, in Lubbock last Saturday morning. Mr. McMinn had been seriously ill for two months and in ill health for several years. Death was attributed to pneumonia and complications.

Funeral services were held at the College Avenue Baptist Church in Lubbock Sunday afternoon at 2:30 with interment in the City of Lubbock cemetery. Rev. G. A. Elrod, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Silverton, officiated at the services, assisted by Rev. Abe Hester of Lubbock and Rev. Travis McMinn, a grandson of Ruidoso, N. M. Carter Funeral Home of Lockney was in charge of arrangements.

W. F. Faggard Dies Wednesday

W. F. Faggard, Lockney Dry goods merchant and a resident of this city for many years, passed away at the family home on Northeast First Street Wednesday morning at 10:15. He had been in ill health several years suffering from a complication of diseases. His condition became more serious about two months ago and he entered the hospital two weeks ago. Last week he was moved back to his home where death came Wednesday.

Funeral arrangements were indefinite late Wednesday afternoon pending word from two daughters in California. If the daughters are able to come for the services the funeral may be set as late as Sunday, relatives said, but if not then services will be held Friday at the Carter Funeral Chapel. The Lockney Masonic Lodge will be in charge. Burial will be in the Lockney Cemetery.

William Fox Faggard was born at Hico, Texas, August 21, 1881. He was married at Hico in about 1900 to Miss Edna Trail. Four children were born to the couple. She preceded him in death as did one son, Paul.

On July 9, 1930 he was married to Mrs. Leota Bell Wallace at Muleshoe. The couple have been in the dry goods business here for about 12 years. Previously they operated stores at Portales, N. M., and Wichita Falls, Texas.

Mr. Faggard was converted as a young man and had been a member of a Baptist Church for years. He was a member of the (Continued on back page)

Complete Moving Of Alfalfa Plant

The National Alfalfa Dehydrating & Milling Co. has completed the moving of their Aiken mill and dehydrator to Lockney and the plant has been combined with the Lockney plant to make a much larger one. Manager J. D. Wood said Tuesday.

The warehouse, labor houses and other small buildings at Aiken have been sold on the site at Aiken to the Harvest Queen Mill of Plainview.

Lester Green Suffers Broken Leg Skating

Lester Green of Lockney fell at the Plainview Roller Rink Monday night while skating and badly splintered his right leg between the knee and ankle. He was attending a skating party sponsored by the Lockney Volunteer Fire Department at the time.

Lester had not had much experience skating, members of the party said, and he was skating along alone when the accident happened. He was rushed to the Plainview Hospital where attending physicians found it necessary to operate on the leg and place pins in it in order to properly set it.

He is an employee of the Whittenburg Gin here.

Lockney H. D. Club Will Not Meet

The Lockney Home Demonstration Club will not meet Thursday of this week as planned but will meet Thursday, Feb. 3 with Mrs. Gerald Sams, members of the club said this week.

A. R. Meriwether Dies Suddenly Late Wednesday

A. R. (Tab) Meriwether died suddenly at the Lockney General Hospital Wednesday afternoon at 5:05. He had suffered a heart attack at his home here on Monday night and entered the hospital at that time. He was reported to be feeling much better Wednesday at noon but collapsed and died just after five o'clock.

The body is at Carter Funeral Home here where arrangements are pending word from relatives. Mr. Meriwether was 68 years of age. He had lived in Lockney since boyhood and had been in the real estate business here for many years. He retired some two years ago because of the condition of his health.

Survivors include his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Tommie Chat-ham of Lockney and Mrs. Glenn Busick of Los Angeles, Calif., and one son, Duane Meriwether of Wellington. One sister, Mrs. Maude Whitley of Pasadena, Calif., also survives as do several grandchildren.

Baptists Plan Latin-American Mission Here

The membership of the First Baptist Church of Lockney is making plans now for a mission for Spanish-speaking people here. They have secured the use of the City Auditorium and will begin regular services there on Sunday, February 6 at 3:00 p. m. It was announced this week.

Preaching for the Spanish-speaking people will be Paul Mendoza of Plainview, who spoke at the First Baptist Church Sunday evening. Mendoza has surrendered his life for full-time ministry. He has been working with the Latin-American church at Springlake recently and has preached at Lone Star, Plainview and helped with the organizing of a church at Waco.

Members of the church took a census of the Latin American in this area last Sunday and found a large number who are interested in attending church. Rev. R. E. Wiley, the pastor, said.

Gas Association Is Organized Monday

At a meeting held Monday night at the Prairie Chapel Church of Christ, the Lone Prairie Gas Association was organized, made up of farmers in the area north and west of Lockney who plan to tie onto a natural gas line for irrigation fuel.

Charlie Boedeker of the Prairie Chapel community was named president of the Association and Joe Foster of the same community was named secretary. Herman Thornton of South Plains is the vice president and directors are Kenneth Wofford of Lone Star and John T. Carthel of Prairie Chapel.

Organization was the only matter under consideration at the Monday night meeting but officers and directors were scheduled to meet Wednesday night to set up policies of the association and attend to other matters pertaining to the gas line.

Cub Scout Meeting Thursday Night

A meeting of the Lockney Cub Scouts will be held this (Thursday) evening at 7 o'clock at the Lockney Methodist Church. Den 4 will be hosts to the meeting and each of the four dens will present a skit during the program period. The program will deal with railroads.

F. O. Schacht is Cub Master.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Calls Chamber Of Commerce Meeting

Bob Miller, president of the Lockney Chamber of Commerce has issued an urgent call for all members of the Chamber and all other interested citizens of this area to meet at the Plains Theatre in Lockney this (Thursday) afternoon at 2:30. Several matters pertaining to the Chamber's affairs will be discussed and the presence of every member is desired. Mr. Miller said.

Feb. 1 Deadline For Enumerating School Pupils

February 1 is the deadline for enumerating boys and girls within the school age and those who will become six years old by next September 1, school officials warned this week.

J. J. Harris is enumerating scholastics within the old original Lockney district and trustees are taking care of enumeration in the outlying areas of the Lockney Independent School District. If any child born between September 1, 1937 and September 1, 1949 has not been enumerated the parent should contact either Mr. Harris, the trustee in his home area, or local school officials.

Especially are officials anxious to enumerate the six year olds for next year's school term. Parents of six year olds and other scholastics in the rural districts, such as Providence, Lone Star and South Plains should be sure that their child is enumerated in their home district so that the district will receive credit for the child from the state agency.

Mr. Harris said this week that he had completed his census taking in the immediate Lockney area and asked that the parent of any child he had missed call him at 2131 or his home. He reports a total of 530 scholastics in the original Lockney district which is some increase over last year's enrollment.

Floyd Red Cross Chapter Elects Officers Friday

The Floyd County Red Cross Chapter, in its annual meeting last Friday at Floydada, elected officers for the year. Most of officers were re-elected, with N. W. Williams, county chairman for several years, heading the list.

Other officers elected were: Vice-chairmen: C. L. Minor Sr., Floydada; R. L. Knox Jr., Lockney.

Directors: 3-year term, John B. Stapleton, Floydada; hold-overs: J. E. Cox, Lockney; Ned Bradley, Dougherty.

Secretary - Treasurer: Mary Shaw, Floydada.

Home Service chairman: J. C. Wood.

Home Service secretary: W. F. Patrick.

Disaster chairman: Edgar R. Hays, Lockney; Clarence Guffee, Floydada.

First Aid: Joe Parrish, Lockney; Jim Potts, Floydada.

Junior Red Cross: Mrs. Claude Hammond, Lockney; Mrs. L. F. Martin, Floydada.

Poll Payments At All-Time Low In Floyd County

Poll tax payments are standing at an all-time low for this time of year. County Tax Collector T. T. Hamilton said Wednesday morning. He said that only 1826 poll taxes had been paid and 8 exemptions issued to Wednesday morning. This figure is around 1,000 lower than the previous low number of polls issued to February 1.

"With a possible bond election, school and city elections coming up those who have not paid their poll taxes will be unable to vote," Mr. Hamilton said. He pointed out that 12 midnight on January 31 is the deadline for paying polls.

Auto Registration Begins
Registration of Motor vehicles will begin in this county on February 1. Mr. Hamilton said. The new passenger car license tags have an orange background with black letters and figures. Passenger car numbers for Floyd County are from BC900 to BC4899. Commercial truck numbers are from 1D8800 to 1D9399. Farm truck numbers are from 5D6675 to 5D8274.

On March 1 Frank Dodson will set up a branch office at "Whitney" Baucus Motor Co. here and will register motor vehicles during the month of March. Numbers for the branch office here will be BC3300 to BC4054. 5D7200 to 5D7500. Your attention is called to an advertisement concerning poll tax payments elsewhere in this issue of The Beacon.

Mrs. Golden Dies Monday At Noon

Mrs. Maud Golden passed away Monday at 11:50 a. m. at the Lockney General Hospital where she had been a patient for the past four months. Mrs. Golden suffered a heart attack some four months ago. She had been seriously ill since that time. She was stricken again Friday evening and death followed Monday morning.

Funeral services were held at the West Side Church of Christ Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 conducted by Bro. C. W. Watkins Sr. of Lubbock and Bro. Thos. McDonald, Lockney. Interment was in the Lockney cemetery with Carter Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. A large crowd was present to pay last respects to this pioneer woman. She had been a member of the West Side Church for many years.

Mrs. Golden was born Maud Elizabeth Callaway on October 11, 1875 in Hill County, Texas. She was married to Taylor Golden on August 18, 1895 at Whitney, Hill County, Texas.

The family moved to Floyd County in 1916 and this had been her home since that time. Her husband preceded her in death on February 1st, 1941. Four children also preceded her in death, two of them as infants.

Survivors are nine children as follows: Roy Golden, Norwood, Missouri; Mrs. J. E. Tierce, Lockney; Mrs. Wayne Carthel, Hereford; Mrs. Floyd Tomlinson, Canyon; Joe Golden, Grand Junction, Colo.; Tom Golden, Salida, Colo.; Oscar Golden, Aiken; Mrs. J. R. Belt Jr. and Mrs. Garland Sams, both of Lockney. Also surviving are one brother, Dock Callaway, Merkel, Texas; two sisters, Mrs. Andrew Barbee, Merkel and Mrs. O. W. Sosebee, Anson, Texas; 33 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Fullbearers were grandsons of the deceased: Bill Carthel, Bob Carthel, Irwin Graham, Richard Golden, Richmond Hale, Ken Williams, Wess Vasek, A. O. McClain and Dee Chappel.

Fire Department In Special Meeting

The Lockney Volunteer Fire Department will meet in a special called meeting Friday evening at 7:30 at the fire station. Chief R. L. Knox Jr. said Wednesday. All members are urged to be present.

HERE ON LEAVE

Pvt. Eugene Tannahill is here on leave from the Army visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tannahill. He has completed his basic training at Fort Bliss, El Paso and is being transferred to Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. where he will be assigned to an armor unit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beall and baby son, Randy, of Amarillo, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beall Saturday and Sunday.

Alton Wayne Crisp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Crisp of Lubbock, spent the week here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sparkman.

Providence News

by Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

It's a good idea to keep your words soft and sweet. You may have to eat them.

Mrs. H. L. Anderson returned home from the hospital Wednesday. She is recovering nicely.

Those attending the school of instruction held for the Womens Missionary Federation at Haskell, Texas Friday were Mrs. Ben Brandes, Mrs. Marvin Scheele, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner. The group from here went to Wichita Falls and spent the night with Rev. and Mrs. Lee Roy Brandes and family. They also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Collins and son of Berger were also there.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Dietrich and son spent the week end visiting Mrs. Dietrich's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barlow of Childress.

Birthday Dinner Honors Larry Stoerner
Parents of Larry Stoerner honored their son on his seventh birthday Saturday. A bountiful dinner was served to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schultz, Edgar Schultz of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Ganz and family of Anton, Texas.

Unusual Service

Rev. H. L. Anderson had as his topic for Sunday morning service A Lesson in Stewardship. He had four of the council men taking part. Helmuth Quebe had the topic "To His Service My Self." Wilfred Stoerner spoke on "To His Service My Time." Ernest Sammann spoke on "To His Service My Talents." L. B. Brandes had the topic "To His Service My Money." Members were given pamphlets to read along with the speakers. It was impressive and added variety to the sermon.

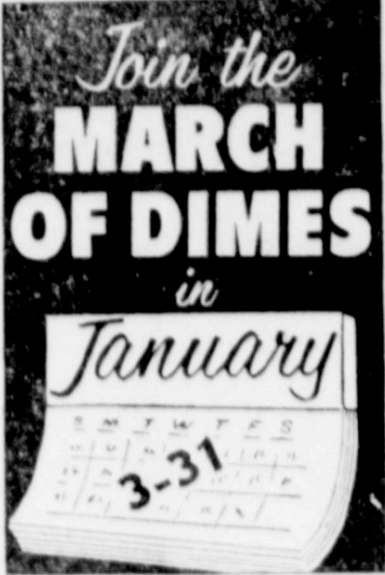
League Holds Meeting

The Luther League held its regular monthly meeting Sunday night in the educational unit of the church. Miss Marie Scheele hosted.

Miss Laverne Ward, president, presided at the business meeting. The group voted to have one social a month and one business meeting and officers training school will be held at Slaton, Texas. Every one is urged to attend. Preparations are already being made to attend the international Luther League Convention at A & M College campus Aug. 25 through the 28th. We hope a great many of the young folks will be able to attend, especially since it will be in Texas this year. The group voted to send Valentines to the soldier boys.

Miss Marie Scheele served cookies, sandwiches and cokes to Rev. H. L. Anderson, Foince Boedeker, Arlene and Lottie Matthews, Mary Ann Marble, Don McLaughlin, Ernie Boedeker, Albert Steinbach and Laverne Ward. H. D. Club Meets

Providence Home Demonstration club met for the first meeting of the year in the lovely home of Mrs. Charlie Boedeker.



Mrs. H. F. Quebe lead the group in prayer. Roll call was answered with why we should invest in United States Saving Bonds. Mrs. Ben Quebe reported a thank you letter had been received from Miss Petty for the jewelry box given her for Christmas. Mrs. Sam Jones reported word had been received from the State Hospital at Abilene thanking the club for their nice Christmas box.

Mrs. Ben Quebe, council delegate, reported. The new club books were handed out by the program chairman, Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner.

It was voted that the club give five dollars towards the Floyd county March of Dimes.

An all day club meeting will be held February 21 in the home of Mrs. Ted Boedeker. Mrs. Morckel of the R. E. A. will meet with us and give a demonstration on making candy. Meeting time ten o'clock, bring a covered dish and enjoy the day of fellowship.

Mrs. Ben Brandes gave "A Farm Womens Creed." Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner gave a demonstration on how to test the hardness of water. Mrs. Ben Quebe gave the interesting article "Putting Christmas on the charge account." Miss Petty gave a very timely and interesting demonstration on Planning and spending. Mrs. Charlie Boedeker, hostess served delicious refreshments of cheese sandwiches, cookies and hot coffee to: Mrs. Ben Quebe, Ben Brandes, W. O. Whitehead, E. M. Quebe, H. F. Quebe, L. B. Brandes, Wilfred Stoerner, Sam Jones, Marvin Scheele, Charlie Boedeker and Miss Petty.

Do You Have Some Good Crop Pictures

The Beacon office is in need of some good pictures of crops in this area or pictures of other things that would be suitable in a Chamber of Commerce folder. If you have a picture you think would be suitable we would appreciate getting it and would return it to you unharmed.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Jan. 19, 1955
Bamberg, Germany

Dear Editor:

I have a new address now so if you will please send it to my new address.

I'm in a rifle company, heavy weapons station as a radio operator. I like the job since communications is all I've been in since I've been in Europe.

I was home for 30 days last month. I got an idea that I had better stay in so I re-enlisted for six more long years. I'll have 12 1/2 years in when I get out of this 6 year hitch, so I might as well stay in for 20 years and retire.

I've been getting The Beacon regular and really enjoy getting it even though I hardly know any of the people there but I still enjoy reading about the old home town.

The 1st Infantry Division is coming back to the U. S. in July under operation Gyroscope which is the rotation of units overseas. So far as we know we are going to Ft. Ord, California and will I be glad to be stationed in the States again.

I'm on the Regimental small bore team this year. So far we are at the top of the division. We have a rough match coming up next week and we are in high hopes of winning the Division championship.

Keep sending the paper and good luck to everyone.

Sincerely yours,
Pfc. Ray Jetton
Pfc. William R. Jetton
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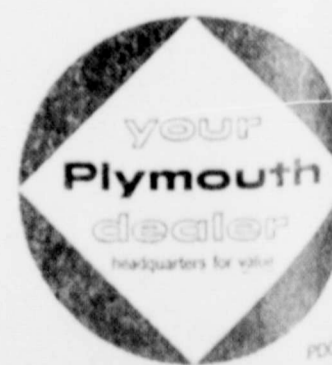
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THE 1955 MARCH OF DIMES nears a climax in Texas this week, and Maj. Gen. K. L. Berry, Texas state campaign chairman, is visited by one of the beneficiaries of the great humanitarian fight against polio. The lad is 4-year-old Bobby Grimes of Austin, who has recovered from a severe attack of polio, through the help of the March of Dimes, and now wears only a brace on his right leg. The drive will continue through Jan. 31.

Your Credit Record Is An Open Book

RESERVING a good credit record is not only a matter of convenience, but of personal prestige. If you fall into the bad habit of not paying your promptly, the fact may become known to the merchant, physician, dentist, hospital, fuel dealer and other creditors. The files of the Retail Merchants show how you pay bills. This record is available to all members of the Bureau in your own community. Your Credit Record is an open book — written by you in the way you meet your obligations. The only way to maintain it is by paying every bill on the date it is due. Buy Wisely . . . Pay Promptly. RETAIL MERCHANTS ASS'N. Lockney, Texas

South Plains

by Mrs. Murray Julian
Sunday morning at church services Rev. Faus reported on the Evangelistic meetings which he and Mrs. Faus attended on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week. Visitors for the day were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pierce and children, who are new residents of South Plains. Mrs. Bryan Karr is ill this week with a bad cold. Others ill

are little Vassie Beth Faus, who is suffering infection in both ears. Mrs. Ernest Smitherman is better, and allowed to be up three hours a day and we hope soon she can be up all the time. Early Joiner and Murray Julian made a trip to Midland Sunday, returning in the afternoon. Early will be going to Midland soon to care for his rental property there. Sunday they took some furniture which he will need as soon as he moves. They report Midland a beautiful town and booming with many industries.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hinsley are erecting a new home on the B. C. Hinsley farm and they are hoping to have it ready for occupancy in a few weeks. They have been living this winter in the home recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Calaban.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian visited Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Deavenport Friday afternoon. Loyd's father, Lee Deavenport left for his home in Boulder, Colo. Friday morning after spending some time here with the Deavenports.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Bradshaw arrived home Tuesday from a long holiday vacation spent in Tucson, Arizona, where they visited their brother, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Miller. They left here December 19. They report the weather was very cold and Mr. Bradshaw was not very well while gone.

Mrs. Sylvian Kinnibrugh and Beth, Mrs. Murray Julian and Mr. and Mrs. Webb from Lubbock were all visitors Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Webb and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry spent Sunday visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fortenberry of Cedar Hill. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fortenberry.

Don Marble left Sunday by plane from Amarillo for his new

Greenland. He enjoyed a reunion with his family at the American Legion Hall in Lockney on Sunday before he left.

South Plains W.M.U. met at the church Thursday at 2:30 for Bible study. Mrs. Dock Jones presided. Mrs. Reeves led the Bible study on "The Holy Spirit." Mrs. Faus led in prayer. "Break Thou The Bread of Life" was sung in unison with Mrs. Faus at the piano. Present were Mrs. Dock Jones, Larry Faus, Frank McClure, John Smitherman, Grigsby, Milton, Horace Marble, Sim Reeves, Murray Julian, H. S. Calaban Jr. and Bryan Karr.

Terry Julian left by car Monday for Canyon where he enrolled at West Texas State College for the coming semester. He will be living at Terrell Hall and entering his sophomore year.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Reeves were hosts Monday night at supper to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy and Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian. The evening was spent in games of "84" after the meal.

During the March of Dimes campaign which is now going on please give all that you can spare for this worthy cause. Most of the money now coming in will be spent in research and every dime that you give may be the means of saving a life. We have been fortunate in that we have not had much polio in our community but polio is no respecter of persons, it strikes the poor, rich and brown and white peoples of our land. Mrs. Bill Beedy, Mrs. Bryan Karr, Mrs. Lloyd Deavenport and Mrs. Murray Julian will be calling at your home during the next few days so please help all you can. Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young and family in Lockney Sunday afternoon. Saturday night Travis Young came home from Fort Bliss at El Paso for a 14 day leave which he will spend here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood and Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wood and Juanel went to Stamford, Texas Sunday to attend the wedding of their grandson and nephew, Jimmie McCown to Miss Joanne Frizell of Stamford. The wedding took place in the First Baptist Church at Stamford. Both of the young folks will return to Texas Tech where Jimmie is a junior at college. Tommy McCown returned here to spend the night before he went back to school at Tech.

The South Plains community club will meet Friday, Jan. 28 at 7:30 for its regular meeting. John Key West is in charge of the program and Miss Leila Potty will present a film on Farm Safety and also a comedy. The meeting will be an interesting one and you are promised a good time. Each family will please bring pie enough for his family and coffee and cold drinks will be served. Everyone in the neighborhood come and bring the new neighbors with you.

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"Woman's World"

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY January 28 and 29

"Hell's Outpost"

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Also CARTOON

SUNDAY and MONDAY January 30 and 31

Cinemascope

"Desiree"

with Marion Brande, Jean Simmons, Merle Oberon

IN COLOR

Marion Brande in his most romantic screen role — at last the international best-seller by Annamarie Selinko is on the screen — before Josephine there was Desiree — and some said there was always Desiree — the true story of Napoleon's secret love.

Also CARTOON

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY February 1, 2, 3

"Fighter Attack"

with Sterling Hayden, J. Carrol Naish, Joy Page

A sky-flaming, earth-rocking front-line epic as fate sweeps together an American aviator — and an Italian guerrilla girl — in the most unusual love story of the war.

Also CARTOON

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LAST TIME TODAY Thursday

"Dragonfly Squadron"

with John Hodiak, Barbara Britton, Bruce Bennett

A rocket-roaring saga of sky-devils blazing across the battle-scarred territory — letting go with every man-killing weapon of war — holding tight to smoldering, explosive love.

Also CARTOON

FRIDAY and SATURDAY January 28 and 29

"Dawn At Socorro"

with Rory Calhoun, Piper Laurie, David Brian

IN TECHNICOLOR

New Mexico wasn't big enough to hold them both — but it took a blazing blast of lead to rid the territory of the man who challenged the guns of the law — in a sizzling saga of frontier fury.

Also CARTOON

SUNDAY and MONDAY January 30 and 31

"Suddenly"

with Frank Sinatra and Sterling Hayden

By all odds the year's dramatic thunderbolt — a screenful of sizzling suspense and spine-tingling excitement — as it unfolds the most daring and desperate plot ever conceived — you'll hail Frank Sinatra for a compelling, unforgettable performance.

Also CARTOON, NEWS and NOVELTY

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY February 1, 2, 3

Cinemascope

"How To Marry A Millionaire"

with Betty Grable, Marilyn Monroe, Lauren Bacall, David Wayne, Rory Calhoun, Cameron Mitchell, William Powell

It's gay — it's glittering — it's alive with legs — laughs and love-making in miracle-making cinemascope — as these gorgeous gals decide it's just as easy to love a rich man as a poor man.

Also CARTOON

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Society News

McGhee-Reeves Vows Repeated

Hope McGhee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben McGhee, Lockney, became the bride of Douglas Reeves, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Reeves of Sterley in a single ring ceremony which took place in the parsonage of the First Baptist Church, Clovis, New Mexico Saturday evening at 8:30. Rev. Joseph Underwood, pastor, officiated for the exchange of vows.

The bride wore a dress of blue tulle with princess lines accented with rhinestones. She wore a matching Elton jacket trimmed with rhinestones. Her accessories were pink and she wore a corsage of pink rosebuds. For something old and borrowed she wore a pearl necklace and matching ear clips belonging to her sister, Mrs. Bill Wesley of Peyton, Colorado. New was her wedding dress, blue was a garter. She wore a penny in her shoe for luck.

Attending the bride as bridesmaid was Winnie Hartman of South Plains. She wore a dress of teal blue, black accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Vernon Youngquist of Stamford served his cousin as best man.

The bride was a junior in Lockney High School and the groom graduated from Floydada High at mid-term. After a wedding trip to points in New Mexico the couple will be at home here where he is associated with his father in farming.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith of North Platte, Nebraska spent Wednesday and Wednesday night visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Withard.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

La Ventana Club Enjoys Luncheon

The home of Mrs. H. E. Frizzell in Lone Star community was the scene of an all-day meeting and luncheon held by La Ventana Study Club Tuesday, January 25. Co-hostess for the occasion was Mrs. C. D. Merrick.

Mrs. Jimmy Willson of Floydada reviewed the book, "Gentle House" by Rose.

During the business meeting the following new officers were elected, president, Mrs. Clyde Baxter, 1st vice-president, Mrs. R. W. Smith, 2nd vice-president, Mrs. J. L. Lovvorn, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Bailey Henderson, parliamentarian, Mrs. C. D. Merrick, federation councilor, Mrs. C. L. King, reporter, Mrs. W. D. Nance, Custodian, Mrs. W. T. Rankin.

Visitors for the meeting were Mrs. B. A. Roberson, Floydada, who accompanied Mrs. Willson, Mrs. W. H. Wingo and Miss Lillie Wingo who recently moved to Tullia from Lone Star community and Mrs. G. B. Johnston, Lone Star. Mrs. Wingo invited the club to meet at her home May 24 for a luncheon and installation of officers.

Next meeting will be on February 22 at the home of Mrs. Clyde Baxter. The program subject will be "The Restless Middle East."

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our gratitude and thankfulness for the many kindnesses extended to us during our recent bereavement. We appreciate very much the food, flowers, cards and other remembrances. Everything you did is appreciated and may not be listed here.

Mrs. W. L. McMillin and Children.

SACKS FOR SPRING



This brunette beauty is ready to greet spring in a sunny fashion she designed from three cotton feed sacks. Using soft, pale yellow cotton fabric salvaged from feed bags, she whipped up this fetching afternoon frock. The trim, a gay plaid, is also bag fabric.

Ruth Lantrip To Wed Johnny Heck

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lantrip, 614 West Poplar Street, Lockney announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ruth, to Johnny Heck, son of Mrs. John Heck Sr., of Reading, Pennsylvania.

The wedding will take place Saturday, January 29 in the parlor of the First Methodist Church, Lockney. The public is invited to attend.

Miss Lantrip is a faculty member of White Settlement School, Fort Worth. The prospective bridegroom is stationed at Carswell Air Base with the U. S. Air Force.

Program On Brazil Heard Friday

Mrs. Sid Thomas reviewed a mission study book entitled "A Land of Many Worlds" at a meeting of the Baptist W. M. S. in the Thomas home Friday evening. The book review followed a film, "Sharing the Word in Brazil" shown by Mrs. Leslie Ferguson.

Present to enjoy the program and a Brazilian supper were Mrs. Hilburn Casey, W. M. U. president, Mmes. Leslie Ferguson, Forrest Smith, Edgar Hays, Harmon Handley, Gwenith Beedy, J. H. Cooper, R. E. Wiley, N. S. Abbott, Raymond Spence, H. S. Calahan, T. S. Fox, R. W. Johnson, Bob Davis, E. A. Cox, E. J. Rogers, E. A. McLeod, W. S. Rexrode, and Sid Thomas.

Pictures were taken of those who came dressed in the mode of 1880 the year Baptist Women began their organizational work.

Expected soon is a fuel mileage meter for your car so that, like the taxi rider, you can see what it costs as you ride along. However, say the oil people, your car'll be getting 50 per cent more mileage per gallon of gas than cars of 20 years ago.

Zack Cummings Jr. Are Wed Sunday

Ravanel Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Turner, Lockney, became the bride of Zack Cummings Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. C. Cummings of South Plains Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The double-ring ceremony was solemnized in the parlor of the Methodist Church, Lockney with Rev. Burgin Watkins, pastor reading the vows before a mantle decorated with white tapers and arrangements of white carnations and red roses.

Mrs. C. L. Record played a prelude of organ wedding music. Dora Aline Elland, maid of honor, was dressed in a two-piece moss green linen dress complimented with a white lace hat and black shoes. She wore a corsage designed of white carnations and net.

The bride was attractive in a street dress of imported white embroidered Irish linen fashioned with a fitted bodice, low v-neck line, and long classic sleeves ending in points over the hands. The skirt was full and worn over a hoop. She wore white linen opera pumps and carried a nosegay of red rosebuds interspersed with white satin leaves.

For the traditional something old she carried a lace handkerchief belonging to Mrs. Chas. Hammit and carried at her own wedding, new was her wedding dress, borrowed were white opera pumps and blue was a garter.

Serving the bridegroom as best man was Terry Julian of South Plains.

Mrs. Turner, mother of the bride was dressed in a two-piece dusty rose-wood dress and black accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

Mrs. Cummings, mother of the bridegroom wore a brown suit, white and brown accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

A reception was held at the church immediately following the ceremony. The bride's table was laid with white Irish linen centered with an arrangement of white carnations and red roses.

At one end of the table was the crystal punch service and at the other end was a two-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom standing in a wedding veil. Jovonne Taylor secured names for the register and Mrs. W. A. Taylor and Mrs. Thurman Davis presided at the serving table.

Guests for the occasion were Terry Julian, Mrs. Elmer Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Turner and Judy, Dora Elland, Harold Storie, Mr. and Mrs. Z. C. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan, grandparents of the groom; Mrs. Hattie Riddle, grandmother of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Turner, Mrs. C. L. Record, Mrs. Bernice Miller, Mrs. Thurman Davis, Mrs. W. A. Taylor, C. L. Turner, Jovonne Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hammit.

The bride is a graduate of Lockney High School and has been employed at Lockney Drug Co. and recently at the City Hall in Plainview. The bridegroom is a graduate of Floydada High School and is engaged in farming near South Plains.

Following a wedding trip to Mexico City the couple will be at home in South Plains community. For traveling the bride chose a beige wool suit with white accessories and a corsage of red rose buds.

Pollyanna Club Has Luncheon

Members of the Pollyanna Club met Tuesday, January 25 in the home of Mrs. W. R. Darnell for a one o'clock luncheon.

Gifts were exchanged and games of canasta were played following the meal.

Mrs. Jack Dunlap of Whittier, California was a guest for the occasion. Members attending were Mmes. Charles Smith, A. O. Wines, Woodson Terrell, Bill Smith, Valca Thomas, Lloyd Wofford, Lester Carter, Owen Thornton, J. D. Wood.

On Tuesday, February 1 at 7:30 a club party will be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Carter. The next regular meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Bill Smith on February 8.

R. R. Kellison accompanied Mrs. Kellison's brother, Otis Royal of Hollis, Okla., to Dallas last week to go through the clinic. They returned to Hollis Tuesday and Mrs. Kellison met her husband and accompanied him to Lockney. Mr. Royal is still in a serious condition.

Entertain Youth

Two Japanese girls, Koko Maeda of Honolulu and Misako Hirabe of Yokohama, Japan were present Monday afternoon for a meeting of Intermediate Royal Ambassadors and Girls Auxiliary at the First Baptist Church. The visitors assisted Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Spence, missionaries to Japan, here on furlough to present a program and serve supper cooked and served in the typical Japanese style. They were also dressed in native costume.

Fifty-one young people sat in four groups on the floor around char coal fires and were served a combination of beef, rice, carrots, cabbage, onions, mushroom sprouts, and a little sugar cooked in soy sauce. They attempted to use chop sticks. After finishing this dish they were served green tea and plain loaf cake.

Masako asked the blessings in Japanese, gave a short testimony and sang the Doxology in Japanese. Koko also sang a song in Japanese. The girls are students of Wayland College.

Others helping Rev. and Mrs. Spence with the hospitalities were Mmes. Hilburn Casey, B. B. Vernon, Weldon Smith, and Leslie Ferguson.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Elland of Lockney have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Dora Aline to Mr. Harold E. Storie. The wedding is set for Friday, February 11 at the Lockney Methodist Church.

It's mighty hard to convince people who have more money than they need that they don't need more than they have.

Honors Mrs. Stansell

Mrs. Keith Stansell, nee Geneva Burke, was honored with a wedding shower at the home of Mrs. C. W. Giesecke in Floydada Friday, January 21 from 7:30 until 9:00 p. m.

Entertaining rooms were decorated in the bride's chosen colors of yellow and white.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Sam Lide, R. C. Pollan, Jack Church, Sam Baker, James Simmons, Jodie Jameson, Ned Bradley, G. L. Cardinal, Eike Hanna, Ralph Gordon, Derel Young, Grady Walker, P. L. Orman, Maj. Jarboe, L. H. Blum, F. C. Harmon, Menard Field, Tom Porter, Edd Holmes, Malvin Jarboe, George Hodge, J. G. Pruitt, and C. W. Giesecke.

Approximately 100 guests attended or sent gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Wood went to Clovis, New Mexico Sunday to accompany her mother, Mrs. W. C. Ooley to her home in Plainview after several weeks visiting in California with her

Dunlap also accompanied Woods to Lockney here and other Texas



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Bring your Johnny to Sunday School and Church. Help Johnny to a right start. The rest of his life will follow in the Christian pattern.

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

Day	Book	Chapter	Verse
Sunday	Genesis	1	1-13
Monday	Genesis	2	1-6
Tuesday	Genesis	3	1-24
Wednesday	Genesis	4	1-26
Thursday	Mark	1	1-15
Friday	Luke	1	1-4
Saturday	Acts	1	1-26
	I Thessalonians	4	1-12

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rolan E. Wiley, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00
 Morning Worship 11:00
 Training Union 6:00
 Evening Worship 7:00
 W. M. U. Monday
 at 4:00 and 8:00
 Sunbeams Monday at 3:00
 Auxiliaries Monday at 4:00
 Y. W. A. Wednesday at 6:00
 Prayer Service Wednesday
 at 7:00
 Choir practice Wednesday
 at 8:00
 Brotherhood first Tuesday
 night in month.

WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

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

PRAIRIE CHAPEL CHURCH OF CHRIST

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

LONE STAR BAPTIST CHURCH

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

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 Worship Services 8:30
 Prayer Meeting, Wednes-
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 C. A.'s 2nd and 4th
 Thursday 4:00

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Lockney General Hospital Notes

Mr. L. V. Dove was dismissed 1-21 after receiving 2 days medical treatment.
 Mrs. Lola Griggs was dismissed 1-19.
 C. L. Vincent was dismissed 1-20.
 E. M. Lawson is still receiving medical treatment.
 Mrs. W. B. Mullins was admitted 1-21. She underwent major surgery 1-22 and is getting along nicely.
 A. R. Meriwether was admitted for medical treatment 1-24.
 O. C. Snelling was admitted as a medical patient 1-25.
 Mrs. Louise Gounee was admitted 1-25 for major surgery performed 1-26.
 Terry Barker, young son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Barker, Plainview, was admitted for treatment 1-25.
Births
 Mr. and Mrs. Humberto Treviño, a son born 1-23. He weighed 7 lbs., 7 ozs., and was named Ricardo. Mother and baby were dismissed 1-24.
 Mr. and Mrs. Victor Vasquez, a son born 1-21. He weighed 6 lbs., 6 ozs. Mother and son were dismissed 1-23.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bartram, a son born 1-23. He weighed 8 lbs., 8 ozs. and was named Donnie Chris.
 Mr. and Mrs. Crispin Martinez, a daughter born 1-25. She was named Mary Ester and weighed 6 lbs., 11 ozs.

Medical-Surgical Hospital Notes

Mr. Raymond Alsop was released on 1-21 after several days medical attention.
 Rev. and Mrs. Eugene L. Naugle were released from hospital to their home in Hereford, Texas. Rev. Naugle was medically discharged, but Mrs. Naugle was transferred to her doctor in Hereford where she will have to have medical care for some time yet.
 Little Vicky Lynch continues to be a patient. Vicky now weighs 4 lbs., 7 ozs., is doing fine.
 Mrs. S. J. Lewis of Route M, Lockney was admitted on 1-23 for medical care.
 Nancy Nix, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Nix of Route F, Lockney was admitted on 1-26 for medical care.
 Ruby Lee Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Granvil Webb of Aiken was admitted on 1-26 for medical care.
 Harold Dean Morgan of Sunray, Texas was admitted 1-21 for fracture of left wrist and fracture of left foot that he suffered while working on an elevator. His fractures were cast and was released on 1-22 to his home in Sunray.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ellis and daughter, Anita have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Cunningham the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis returned home Saturday and Anita remained for another weeks stay.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

DOG ODDITIES
 By Harry Miller, Director, GAINES DOG RESEARCH CENTER

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Area Legislators Are On Committees

This area is well represented on legislative committees according to announcements made recently from Austin. Senator Andy Rogers of Childress, who represents this district in the upper house of the Texas Legislature, has been named on eight committees.

Sen. Rogers is chairman of the Committee on Stock & Stock Raising and is therefore in a position to guide legislation affecting the cattle and other ranching industries. He is vice chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, which generally handles all matters dealing with the State Dept. of Agriculture. He has a second vice chairmanship, that of the Committee on Internal Improvements.

Other committees to which the Childress senator was assigned are Education, which will handle all measures dealing with public schools and higher education; Military and Veterans Affairs; Public Printing; Representative Districts, which isn't likely to do much this session because the state was redistricted for representative purposes in 1951; and the very important Water Rights, Irrigation and Drainage Committee. This committee has already been assigned all of the bills in the Water Resources recommendations, and it will be one of the most important of the current session.

So far, all the water bills introduced have dealt with surface water and none have affected ground water. However, some bills on that subject are being prepared, it is understood here.

Representative Leroy Saul of Kress, sophomore house member from the 89th district in the 64th State Legislature, drew assignments on five committees, including vice chairmanship of the potentially explosive Labor committee which has taken on special significance since the Governor's message to the joint session calling for drastic revisions in the state labor laws.

In addition to this post, Saul was named by Speaker Jim Lindsey of Texarkana as member on the committees for Appropriations, Rules, Conservation and Reclamation and Common Carriers.

Another committee spotlighted by the governor in his opening message, and on which Saul is serving, is Conservation and Reclamation which will study legislation pertaining to water which the governor declared to be Texas' number one problem.

The 54th Legislature convened at noon Tuesday, January 11th for a regular session of 120 days duration. The 89th district which Saul represents includes Briscoe, Floyd, Hale and Swisher counties.

LEAVE FOR COLLEGE

Patty Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Adams of Sand Hill community left January 20 for Oklahoma College for Women at Chickasha, Okla. Patty, a 1954 graduate of Lockney High, will register Saturday, Jan. 29 and plans to major in Home Economics. Chickasha isn't a strange place for Patty since she spent seven of her grade school years in Valley View community near the college town. She will stay in the home of her sister, Mrs. Jack Albright while attending school.

Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Greer left Tuesday for Fort Hood, Texas, where they will pick up Cpl. Dean Stewart, who is being discharged from the army. Cpl. Stewart is a brother of Mrs. Greer's and son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stewart of South Plains.

Anyone who expects to live by his wits should first be sure he has his wits in his possession.

Break Ground At Wayland For Girls Dormitory

Plainview. — An added feature of the program of the 34th annual session of the Pastors' and Laymen's Conference at Wayland College, Jan. 31 and Feb. 1, will be the groundbreaking for a new girls' dormitory and the first permanent housing units for married students, according to President A. Hope Owen.

The groundbreaking ceremonies will be attended by representatives of Panhandle Plains Baptist Churches which have donated part of the fund for building the residence hall for 33 young women and which have underwritten the building of brick duplex apartments for married students. The ceremonies will take place on Monday afternoon following the sermon by Dr. Forrest Feezor, executive secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

First Baptist Church, Borger, was the first church to underwrite one of the units for married students and was followed by First Baptist Church, Amarillo. Other churches have such a plan under consideration and may have the matter cleared in time to take part in the ceremony.

For the Conference, Dr. Jesse Northcutt of Southwestern Seminary, Fort Worth, and Dr. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of First Baptist Church, Big Spring, will be the Bible teacher and the Ethics lecturer. Dr. Feezor will be the preacher. Each of them will

speak at the six sessions. Others on the program will include Rev. John Basco, pastor of First Baptist Church, Odessa; Rev. Morris Cobb, Amarillo; Rev. Ollie Robinson, pastor of First Baptist Church, Morton; and J. C. Cantrell, endowment executive secretary of the Baptist Foundation. Music will be under the direction of William E. Steward, chairman of fine arts at Wayland College, and the Colorful Wayland International Choir will sing.

Officers are: Rev. Jones W. Weathers, pastor of First Baptist Church, Brownfield; president; C. J. Humphrey, Amarillo, vice-president; J. L. Harden, Wayland College business manager, secretary-treasurer.

WILL MOVE SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Graham and family will move Saturday to Pampa where he has accepted a position as bookkeeper with the Pampa Cement Co.

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Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Harris, most of their children, spent the past six weeks unable to be present at the annual meeting of the Harris and other relatives left Sunday accompanied by Estella, Ruby Bell, Aliene. From Lubbock rises will go on to where they will wait for their South American friends in Lubbock. Mrs. Minnie Thomas, Mrs. V. D. Harris, has a visitor here the weeks. She returned in Dumas Thursday.

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Minute Editorials

They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run and not be weary, and they shall walk and not faint.—Isaiah 40:31

WE HEAR A LOT about a deficit in the post office department. The President has made recommendations and congress is seeking to find ways to make up the difference in the amount of money the departments spends and the amount it takes in. Of course a raise in postal rates is the quickest and easiest way to make up the difference. It is always easy for a government agency to raise rates and thereby provide more money to be spent. However it appears to us that a little digging into the antiquated procedures of the postoffice department may bring to light some changes in policy that would save on operating expenses and thereby help the deficit. Some improvement has been made in postal operating procedures in recent years but not enough to make the department operate as efficiently as it could.

A BIG IMPROVEMENT in the department's policy is coming soon with the discontinuance of the so-called "junk mail" policy. This third class mail is the kind that comes to "boxholder" and accounted for \$190 million dollars annual loss. This policy will be changed on March 1 to discontinue this type of abuse of the mail service.

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THERE ARE ABUSES also in the second class division. This is the class newspapers are in. Congress originally set this rate low in order to encourage the publication of newspapers and dissemination of news. It has been expanded to the point now that magazines even devoted to fiction are included and even the "true confession" magazines are sent as second class mail. The result is that more than 500 different magazines flood the mail bringing a deficit of \$250 million per year in this class. According to testimony before congress four magazines contribute \$20 million of this deficit.

ONE BRIGHT SPOT in the post office department picture is first class mail which brings in a profit of \$105 million per year. All these figures, compiled by the National Federation of Independent Business, point up to the fact that the post office department apparently could be a self-sustaining agency if proper business methods were used in its operation and policies made to conform to the original intent of the department.

THIRTEEN PEOPLE in Floyd County have had their drivers license revoked within the past year because they were involved in an automobile accident and could not show proof of financial responsibility to pay for damages they are found liable. These figures come from the Texas Department of Public Safety. A person can get his license back in case of an accident but it is hard to do. He must either get a release of liability statement signed by all damaged or injured persons, or make an agreement to pay damages in installments, or secure an adjudication of non-liability by a court, or post a cash security deposit in an amount sufficient to pay judgement for damages that may be obtained against the person.

WE DON'T SELL insurance but the cheapest and easiest way to protect oneself is to take out a liability policy with any reputable insurance firm.

IN ADDITION to the 13 people mentioned above another 16 Floyd County people lost their drivers license because of convictions for traffic violations of one sort or another.

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PAY YOUR POLL TAX
We won't elect a president or a governor this year but there will be elections, nevertheless, of tremendous importance to all. There will be school district and city elections, maybe a bond election or something of equal gravity to you and me. It's better to pay than to wish we had. In any event, dad gum it, tell old Hugh whether or not you intend to pay so he'll know how many receipts to order and quit putting ads in the paper about it. We oughtn't to half to be told what our duty is. —Muleshoe Journal

URANIUM STRIKE
We certainly don't want to be accused of spreading false rumors, and we must confess that we don't know much about what is happening, except what has been told us second hand. But from all reports, some with a semblance of authenticity, uranium of paying quantities has been found in the Calgary community. And—this is strictly second hand—the whole stretch of brackland below and following the caprock, is rich in the much needed metal which Uncle Sam puts in his atom bombs.

Perhaps the simile is a fallacy but at times I am given to look upon a pig of type casting metal like the earth's clay from which lives are shaped. Each week the metal is remelted and fused to cool in a long mold. Rotated in production it shapes the words that chronicle the births, deaths the joys and the sorrows that accompany the fortunes of a community. Humor and tragedy; the good and evil are without identity in the leaden mass. The clay which sustains the orbit of life brings the great and humble to a point of inseparable values. —Trail Dust in Matador Tribune.

contained over \$300 worth of uranium. And still according to the grapevine, this same landowner headed out for New Mexico Tuesday with two six-wheel trailer loads of the material. It will take about 30 days, we understand, to process the ore and establish its worth. And we have an idea that 30 days will be a mighty long time for a lot of people in this area. —Trends in Crosbyton Review.

GOOD RIDDANCE!
Heeding numerous protests and faced with determined opposition by Republicans and Democrats — and John Public — Postmaster General Summerfield has announced that effective March 31, delivery of "Junk Mail" will be discontinued.
This is good news, not only to the public, but to mail carriers who were unnecessarily burdened with what Mr. Summerfield calls "simplified address mail," addressed merely to "Householder," "Patron," or "Boxholder," and mailed as third class rates of 1 1/2 cents per piece.
It has been in use 15 months, which means one year and three months too long! — Lubbock Avalanche.

INSEPARABLE VALUES
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Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

January 29, 1925
Frances Elwauna Smith, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Smith received two broken legs when she was run over by a car driven by C. A. Wofford. The child stepped in front of the car from behind a parked vehicle as she attempted to cross Main Street in Lockney Saturday.

F. M. Kester, Jeweler and optometrist is equipping an optical parlor in the balcony of Lockney Drug Co.

About 2200 poll taxes had been paid in Floyd County for 1925, up to Wednesday night, with a possible 3800 to be paid. Lockney led in the number of paid poll taxes and Center led the out-laying voting boxes.

Johnson Land Co. has announced the sale of the Crawford and Wood 1600-acre ranch, 20 miles northeast of Floydada. John Crawford of Plainview and Walter Wood of Cedar Hill are owners of the ranch. Tom Knight of Temple is the purchaser. The ranch is valued at \$64,000.

N. E. Waller formerly with the Ozark Garage has moved to the McCollum building on North Main Street and opened a garage to be known as Waller Motor Co. Rud Parsons will assist Mr. Waller in the new business.

January 29, 1943
Miss Mary Dean Carroll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Carroll has accepted a position

as teacher of the fine arts in the Olney Public School. Carroll is a graduate of High and Howard High School.

Miss Lena Faye V. came the bride of in an impressive ceremony solemnized in the new Baptist Church, Wood, Texas, January 27, 1955. The bride was accompanied by her father, Mr. D. Reed of Shawnee, Oklahoma. The ceremony was read by the pastor, Mr. J. Church, Sulphur Springs.

Lockney has seven representatives in the Amarillo Gloves tournament. The study was made on Wednesday night in the Lockney Club. The study was made on Wednesday night in the Lockney Club. The study was made on Wednesday night in the Lockney Club.

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8 New 162-h.p. "Turbo-Fire V8" engine has ultra-short stroke, 8 to 1 compression ratio.	 Sweep-Sight windshield gives safer wide-angle view.	 Tubless tires are standard on all models, offer more protection against blowouts.	6 New "Blue-Flame 123" engine has six-cylinder economy, fast cooling and lubrication.
 "Outrigger" rear springs are set wider apart to resist body-roll, permits lower frame.	 Glide-Ride front suspension with spherical joints gives softer flexing over bumps.	 Anti-Dive braking control checks tendency of front end nose-down during fast stops, keeps car "heads up."	HOTCHKISS DRIVE HOTCHKISS DRIVE lets rear springs absorb acceleration and braking thrusts and lowers the center of gravity.
 Glass area is up to 18 per cent greater so all passengers get a broader panorama.	 Lower center of gravity provides greater stability on curves, better road-holding.	12 VOLTS 12-volt electrical system gives easier winter starting, higher voltage for all speeds.	 Swing-type brake and clutch pedals permit draft-free seating of passenger compartment.
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Articles

Beginning with January 1st of this year, we enter another income filing season. It has the policy of this paper to make all services possible, whether needed, to the citizen's community. In keeping with this policy, as has been the past, we are going to publish a series of articles, when used with the forms forwarded with your income tax form, will assist in filing your 1954 income return.

There have been many changes in the 1954 law that distinct benefit to the taxpayer. You will not be in a position to obtain many benefits you may be entitled to unless you make a study of the booklet that was mailed to you with your income tax form. You will find it both interesting and profitable to study these instructions. Taxpayers will be answer all of their tax questions from the information in this booklet and the we will publish. How you do not find all the to your particular problem may write for the 25c booklet published by the U. S. Internal Revenue Service. Your Income Tax form should imply send your 25c to the U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., and I mail it to you. Be sure to include an address and phone number and address is readable. It would be printed.

Internal Revenue Service is making every effort possible to complete information in order that you your 1954 return promptly. This is being done in cooperation with your local Radio Stations, and number of Television Stations.

The old law you were to file your return by 5, unless you filed on a quarterly basis. Under the new law you may have until April 15. Let's not wait that long to get our returns. Why forget that tax deadline until around April 1 before the deadline. Use in a job of this kind is until the last minute, it is harder and more likely to be accurate. Errors will increase in when you leave only a short time in to prepare your return. Use more headaches in filing them out later.

It is good and important to not postpone your return. It is that if you file a refund, the earlier you will your check. 650,000 tax refunds last year. Because of the many beneficial in the new law, it is expected that even a greater number receive refunds. This year's returns are processed in order in which they are received. In other words, it is "first served." So let's get together our records and start for the articles as they appear in this paper. If we do



Otto Brandt, foreman of the "Praying Grand Jury" of Duval county, presents Attorney General John Ben Shepperd with a scroll thanking him for "risking his fortune, reputation, and his public career in order to lift his fellow citizens out of their intolerable tyranny. For 40 years others gave us promises; he gave us help."

Others pictured are Mrs. J. J. Trevino, president of the United Mothers and Wives of Duval County; Lawrence Warburton, Sr., President of the Duval County Clean Government League, and Sam Burris, District Attorney-elect. All commended Shepperd for his assistance in ending South Texas political tyranny.

While in Alice Shepperd turned over leadership of all investigations to the local officials headed by Burris.

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Underground Water Dist. No. 2 Formed

Six cities and six counties will comprise High Plains Under-ground Water Conservation District No. 2 North of the Canadian River. Two counties, Lipscomb and Dallam, and all incorporated towns in each, rejected the proposal in an eight-county preferential election Saturday.

The cities of Dumas, Stratford, Sunray, Perryton, Gruver, and Spearman voted to become a part of the district recently authorized by the state board of water engineers. The rural voters of Moore, Hartley, Hutchinson, Hansford, Sherman and Ochiltree counties did the same.

The two counties that did not vote to join the conservancy district were the only two in which organized opposition was evidenced in the campaign. Results of the election verified forecasts made by observers interested in the outcome.

At the same time, counties and cities that joined the district voted in favor of a maximum 5-cents per \$100 assessed valuation tax levy to finance work of the district that will encourage water conservation, draft well-spacing regulations, and collect

data on use of underground water.

Because of the rapid growth of irrigation in the counties north of the Canadian River, proponents of the issue recommended a program for planned development that would assure equitable use of water supplies, and that the program be locally formulated and administered. They believed such a plan preferable to possible control on a state-wide basis, administered by a central committee.

Voters also confirmed the appointment of five directors previously named by the state board of water engineers.

VISITORS FROM ALPINE

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mitchell and David this week are Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams of Alpine. Mr. Williams has a leave of absence from Sul Ross College in Alpine where he teaches and is enroute to Madison, Wisconsin where he will teach and work on his PhD at the university.

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Sterley News
by Mrs. M. A. Boone

Sterley Home Demonstration Club met in the club room at 2:30 Thursday, January 21. Roll call was answered with "I resolve." A prayer written by Mrs. Eugene Jones was read in unison. "Farm Woman's Creed" was given by Mrs. Joe Reeves. Mrs. Mary Simmons gave the council report. Miss Leila Petty, Floyd County R. D. Agent gave a demonstration on family planning and spending. Members present were: Misses Joe Reeves, R. H. Tinsley, Mary Simmons, M. A. Boone, Leslie Ferguson, one guest, Mrs. Josephine Cooper and Miss Petty. The next meeting will be at 2:30, February 3, in the home of Mrs. Joe Reeves.

Miss Eldora Boone attended the West Texas State-Baptist Simmons basketball game in Canyon Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hanks Kay and Don are visiting relatives in Ft. Worth this week.

Mrs. W. B. Mullins entered Lockney General Hospital Friday and underwent major surgery Saturday. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. M. O. Buchanan went to Lubbock Monday to get her daughter, Ella Mae, who has a between semester vacation from Texas Tech.

Visitors in the M. A. Boone home Sunday were: Mrs. Elmer Mitchell and Jackie of Modesto, Calif. and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Arney, Barbara and Betty of Amarillo.

Mrs. W. F. Owen was hostess to a pink and blue shower Saturday at her home for Mrs. Wayne Fuller of Floydada. Refreshments of cake and punch were served. Mrs. Fuller received many nice and useful gifts.

John Branum returned to work Monday after spending three weeks vacation in California.

Mrs. L. A. Claborn is visiting relatives in California.

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New Parsonage Work Is Begun

The foundation was laid last week at South Plains for a new three-bedroom parsonage to be located east of the Baptist Church.

The parsonage will have a large living room which will help in the overflow of Sunday school class rooms.

Along with the building of the new parsonage, a new well and pressure system will be put in which will serve both the parsonage and the church.

With the advent of more irrigation, the South Plains community is growing in population and community interest. The South Plains Baptist Church is growing with it as it continues to serve the homes and families of the area.

Sunday School classes, and a training program are established to serve the members of all ages. Rev. Larry Faus is pastor at South Plains.

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Irick News

By Mrs. A. D. Morris

Ronnie Allen had pneumonia and was sick most all of last week.

Virginia Morris has been sick with the flu.

Mrs. Wallace Allen has been sick with the flu, first part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Golden of Dawn visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carthel and family.

Mrs. W. E. Taack visited one day last week with her daughter, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Allen of Plainview visited their son, Wallace Allen and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carthel, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carthel visited the J. M. Carthel's Sunday and again Monday. They also visited Mrs. Maude Golden.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Pigg visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gloyna Monday night.

Mrs. Billy Foster of Amarillo is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Seago and family.

Michael Rankin of Seminole, Texas is visiting this week with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ratliff.

Mrs. Fred Autry of Finney visited Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Horton.

Mrs. O. A. Lucas has been sick. Vernon Horton of Plainview visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Horton Monday morning.

Mrs. W. E. Taack of Plain-

view spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taack and Wayne.

Mrs. Lois Williams has been with her mother, Mrs. G. E. Shuffield of Winters, Texas since last Friday a week ago. She is expected home about the middle of the week. Mrs. Shuffield had surgery. Mr. Williams went on Friday and returned Monday.

Mrs. R. R. Kellison's brother who lives in Hollis, Okla. has been very sick. He was taken to a Dallas hospital recently.

Mrs. Maude Golden, mother of Mrs. J. R. Belt passed away Monday about noon.

Mrs. M. J. Holmes celebrated her 81st birthday Monday. If we could all be as sweet and nice at 81 or over 21 as Mrs. Holmes is the world would be a much better place to live. She is a fine Christian woman who has many, many friends. She is admired by those who know her.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Hunter of Ropesville have moved into our community. They have a baby boy born Christmas day. They live where the Carl Blair family did live. We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Hunter and Michael Ray into our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kellison also are new residents of our community. They lived at Jollis, Okla. before moving to the place Ray Hillman's lived. We also welcome this family.

Don Hollums, Buck Ford and Jerry Workman visited Jerry Holmes Sunday.

Ronnie Harris and Kenneth Holt visited Joe Mack Holmes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Holmes and family of Amarillo visited Mrs. M. B. Holmes Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Holmes and family of Harmony community visited Mrs. M. B. Holmes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pittman of Happy Union visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore. Mr. Moore and Mrs. Pittman are brother and sister.

Mrs. Clyde Farrish made a talk to the Aiken W. S. C. S. Tuesday afternoon. Their studies are on India.

Mrs. Charlie Gloyna's father, Mr. Biehmeyer of Vernon is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gloyna and family.

Fred Gloyna is home from Tech for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Pigg and family had as visitors Sunday Mrs. Pigg's brother, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Crisp and the Crisp's grandson, Ronnie.

Lubbock Sunday of Mrs. O. B. Dorman's father. While at Lubbock they visited Mr. Buckner's mother, Mrs. Stella Buckner and Mrs. Buckner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Eldredge.

Visiting the A. D. Morris family Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morris, Dean and Don of Tulsa. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hicks and Linda Faye of Hale Center.

Rita and Ann Griffith visited Mr. and Mrs. Archie Bybee and family of Sterley Saturday.

Linda Gammage of Lockney visited Sunday with Jane and Sue McClure.

Mrs. Bill Lambert of Muleshoe spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McClure and little daughter, Karen Ann have been visiting Mrs. McClure's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whitehead of Cedar Hill and they plan to visit a few days with Mr. McClure's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure. Karen Ann is the first grandchild of the Frank McClure's.

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Experience always provides the raw material for a lot of unnecessary conversation.

Floydada announce the arrival of a son, Danny Wayne, Saturday, January 22 weighing 7 pounds. Danny has a brother, Bobby and a sister, Donna. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Marr, Lockney and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Willis, Floydada.

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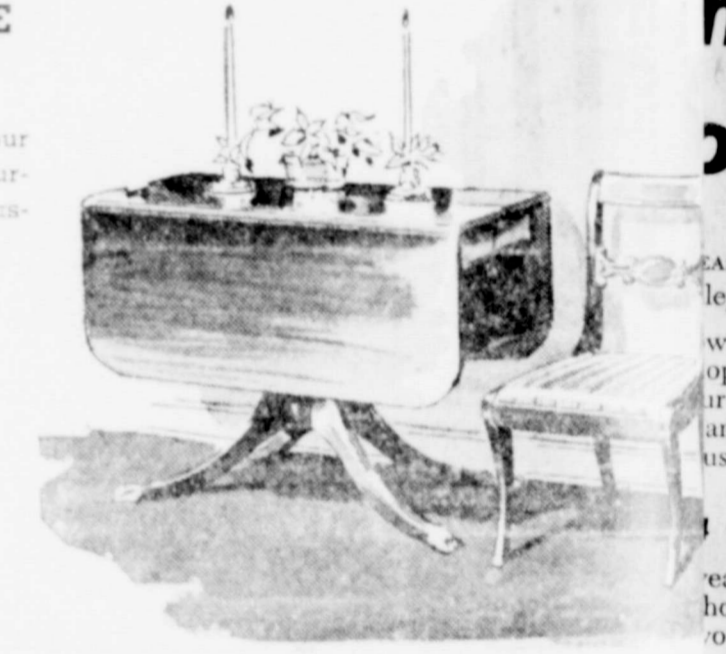
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THE LOCKNEY BEACON, LOCKNEY, TEXAS, JAN. 27, 1955

EDITORIAL

Question of the week was your opinion about a council for Lockney High. Of course, as it is with a lot of people, the answers received were varied. There was one basic underlying theme: students did not want a student council just because it is a thing new, but because it is worth while. This is a realization that has been needed by L. H. S. for a long while. There is a way that we will obtain that's got out and it's explained the organization of its benefits to the students, and remember-time-honored motto: there's a will, there is a way.

News

Edna Morris is being made for the her-daughter banquet to be held Feb. 10 in the school cafeteria. The committees were appointed plan it. Food committee: Barbara Hays, La Juan Wanda Cox and the Edna Morris. On the committee are La Adlin, Peggy Buckner, Campbell. On the table are Betty Brown, MacLaughlin and Oleta McLaughlin. The program committee: Mary Myers, Kay Collette Rucker. The FHA girls, will you one and bring your

Longhorns Defeat Muleshoe 59-52

The Lockney Longhorns won their first district game of the season by defeating Muleshoe Friday night at the new gymnasium. The Mules jumped into the lead in the first quarter and held it until late in the fourth. The third quarter ended with the Mules leading by 13 points, 46-13. Marlon Cross was high point for the Longhorns scoring 15 points. Girls' Longhornettes lost to the Mules 49-47 in a very well played game. The Longhornettes jumped into an early lead but the Lockney girls soon caught them and led until the waning seconds of the fourth quarter. Nell Cunyus was high point for the girls scoring 30 points.

WHOZIT

— happy.
— brilliant.
— tidy.
— light.
— New Mexico State flower.
— ending.
— exclamation of surprise.
— unhappy.
— late.
— type of typewriter.
— correct.
Come on students, lets see who can guess this first.
Last weeks Whozit, Babs Hays was identified by Lynn Jolly. mothers and enjoy a fine evening of entertainment and food.

Question of The Week

"What is your opinion about a student council for Lockney High School?"
Shirley Warren — Maybe the students could get along with the teachers better.
Lynn Jolly — I think if we had a student council it would help the students and faculty.
Pat Bybee — Maybe it would interest me more in school.
Pat Reed — I think it would be the best thing we could have.
Carolyn C. — I think it would be a good thing for Lockney.
Rita Griffith — It would give the students more interest in the school activities.
James Morris — I think they need one very much. A student council would promote better feeling between the students and the teachers of Lockney High and the students would probably cooperate better and maintain a better school.
Larry McCormick — We might stop some of these themes in English.
Marvin Wells — I think we need one.
Marion Cross — I wish we had one.
Bucky Duvall — I think we could use one.
Pat Pierce — I think it would be okay.
Dorothy Hewitt — I think it would be an idea so that we can have a chance to know what's going on.
Jerry McQueen — I think we should have one. Nearly all other schools have one.
Babs Hays — I have thought we should have had one since I was a freshman.
"Jinky" Foster — I think it would be good experience for the students to be able to work with the faculty.
La Juan Henderson — If it will encourage school spirit, I'm all for it.
Katie Rucker — I think it would be an ideal thing for the school.
Kitty Ford — I think it would be the greatest thing that ever happened.
Jerry Workman — It is a mag-

March Of Dimes Benefit Given

On Friday, January 21, a March of Dimes Assembly program was presented in the high school auditorium. The program was presented by various high school students. Barry Barker was master of ceremonies. Mrs. Cain and Mr. Smith sponsored the program. \$103.03 was raised from this program for the drive. Students who participated in the program were: Chordettes — Joan Harris, Eldora Boone, Barbara Hays and Ernestine Spradlin. Silver Bells — Hope Cox, Gail Rucker, Kay Golden and Loy O'Brien. Jovonne Taylor and Peggy Hall duet. David Howell — Played the piano. Jay Kemp — Played the piano. Jimmie Holt — Tap danced. Francis Lemons — Accordion solo. Gleon Wylie and Gail Wilson — Instrumental.

School Calendar

January 25 — Lockney vs. Olton, there.
January 28 — Lockney vs. Floydada, there.
January 31 — Football banquet.
February 4 — Lockney vs. Tulla, there.
February 8 — Lockney vs. Muleshoe, there.
February 10 — FHA Banquet.
February 11 — Lockney vs. Olton, here.
February 15 — Lockney vs. Floydada, here.
February 18 — Lockney vs. Quitaque, here.
March 3 — Faculty play.
March 5 — FHA meeting at Amarillo.
April 1 — Senior Play.

Senior Snapshot

Name — Corne Whitehead.
Nickname — "Shorty."
Born — September 15, 1937.
Age — 17.
Height — 5' 7".
Weight — 106 pounds.
Likes — Odessa boys and friendly people.
Dislikes — Bashful people, celery and homework.
Favorite: Food — Baked ham and carmel pie.
Hobby — Going places.
Color — Blue.
Subject — Civics.
Show — "Susan Slept Here" and "French Line."
Ambition — To become a millionaire and to give Tab Hunter a whirl in my airplane.
Greatest Achievement — Getting to go two years ago with a boy that I had always wanted to go with.
Description of ideal boy — Tackle on football team, 5' 11" tall, weight 175 pounds, light brown hair, green eyes, has a wonderful personality and is a wonderful all around guy.
Greatest mistake — Giving him a cold shoulder.

Senior Snapshot

Name — Harold Calloway.
Nickname — "Peanut."
Born — December 6, 1936.
Age — 18.
Height — 5' 9".
Weight — 140 pounds.
Likes — Beautiful girls with beautiful money.
Dislikes — Turnips, television, westerns and unfriendly teachers.
Favorite: Food — Lemon pie.
Hobby — Loading.
Song — "From Here to Eternity."
Color — Blue.
Subject — English.
Show — "From Here to Eternity."
Teacher — Miss Barnhart.
Ambition — To become a very successful business man.
Greatest mistake — Too embarrassing to answer.
Greatest achievement — It hasn't happened yet.
Description of ideal girl — Yellow blond hair, 5' 4", 115 pounds, have good figure, friendly, popular and very beautiful.

going to Plainview. (Tough Luck Girls!) Dear me, Pinner's leaving; isn't that a sob story. Jim and Nell were seen again; my what fun they had making up. Daria and Marion were seen over the week end. Oddie, where are all the boys? Poor old Jim Bob leads the life of Riley, doesn't he? Mae Beth, take care of the boy when he graduates. Fat, what happened to your lip? Did some flirt bite you? Kelly Harrison and Loy attended the ball game. (We Won). Donald Farrish was seen Sunday evening riding around with three girls. I wonder who'll be the lucky one. Fred and Barbara were cruising around the striving metropolis Sunday evening. J. W. and Doyleene just messed around Saturday night. Weldon Jones has found a new girl. How about this Ayres? Wendelle Eldora went to Canyon Saturday night for the W. T. Hardin-Simmons basketball game. What's the attraction, Eldora?

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Lotta Steer

Mary Myers seems to be making the rounds now — Don, Saturday night, Buck, Sunday, Jerry Mickey and Betty Foster are seen around together lately. Gene and Carolyn make a cute couple, don't they? Jean Wofford, do strange men ever call you? Gail Rucker is coming in society. Do you think so? Leland is back again, so what — he's

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ness" to continue investing additional huge sums of money for more telephone facilities in Texas.
More expansion in 1955
You can look forward to more telephone progress in Texas in 1955. During the year we plan to add 86,000 more telephones in Texas for new families, new business concerns. We will enlarge telephone buildings and erect new buildings where needed... continue the expansion of the network of outside lines and cables... and enlarge and make more storm-proof the long distance lines throughout the state.
At the start of this new year, Texas telephone people rededicate themselves to the big job that lies ahead... to furnish you the kind of service you want, when and where you want it.

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• We changed 30 towns to dial service.
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• We added complex new equipment in 63 central offices.
• We added 85,000 telephones in Texas.
• We placed 25,000 circuit miles of storm-resistant cable and radio relay to protect service from bad weather interruptions.
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6-Point Water Plan Offered To Governor By Engineer Group

Editor's note: This is the first of a series of articles on the Texas water problem prepared by the Water Education Committee of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers.

Austin. — As a public service, the Texas Society of Professional Engineers last week presented to Governor Allan Shivers a 67-page booklet containing basic information on the Texas water problem.

Written in lay language, the publication includes a suggested 4-point legislative program. But the Society's officers emphasized to Shivers that the group was interested only in presenting facts that might be useful in the formation of a sound water policy for Texas.

The publication was presented to Shivers in a brief ceremony in the executive offices by Frank T. Drought of San Antonio, president of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers, and members of the Society's Water Education Committee, which prepared and published the booklet for educational purposes.

Chairman of the committee is Trigg Twichell of Austin. R. M. Dixon of Dallas is vice chairman. Other members include J. S. Huddall of Tyler, R. L. Lowry of Austin, John W. Simmons of Orange, E. A. Thompson Jr. of San Antonio and W. F. Guyton of Austin. All are experienced registered professional engineers.

Legislative action recommended includes:

1. Strengthening of the State Board of Water Engineers with an adequate staff and sufficient funds and authority to enable it to carry out and expand its many assigned functions.

2. Enactment of laws clarifying all legislative acts relating to allocation and use of water rights under the doctrine of riparian use.

3. Vesting authority for enforcement of all pollution laws in one agency.

4. Enactment of legislation, including a constitutional amendment if necessary, whereby the State will assist in intermin financing of water projects where local agencies are unable to fully finance the undertaking. Such interim financing would cover that period of time between the beginning of construction and the time the project becomes self-financing. Provision should be made for repayment to the State.

5. Legislation authorizing the State Board of Water Engineers to develop a State-wide master plan for water resources utilization. In the development of this State-wide plan, full recognition should be given to planning responsibilities vested in river authorities, and local interests for project developments conformable to the master plan.

6. Continuation of the Texas

Water Resources Committee, with provisions made for financing its operations. (This committee was created by the 53rd Legislature, and at the present time has completed writing several bills concerning the water problem which will be introduced at the next legislative session convening this month.)

Farm Bureau Plans Membership Drive

Farm Bureau membership acquisition efforts in 51 counties in Texas will be given a "shot in the arm" at a state-wide captains' meeting Feb. 7 in Lubbock, according to R. C. Mitchell, publicity chairman of the Floyd County Farm Bureau.

Purpose of the one-day meeting at the Lubbock Hotel is to give recognition to the voluntary membership leaders who will mastermind membership campaigns during the Spring months. A similar meeting will be held Sept. 22 in Austin for the counties which hold Fall membership drives.

Speakers at the Lubbock meeting will include J. Walter Hammond, Waco, president of the Texas Farm Bureau; and Roger Fleming Washington, D. C., secretary-treasurer of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

Attendance at the meeting is limited exclusively to county membership chairmen and community membership captains. Door prizes will be given at the meeting.

The state-wide Spring Round-Up of members will be Feb. 14-19, with drives set for kickoffs on Feb. 14 where possible.

Counties planning Spring drives include: Childress, Collinsworth, Deaf Smith, Donley, Hall, Lipscomb, Randall, Wheeler, Bailey, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Floyd, Hale, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Motley, Farmer, Swisher and Yoakum.

O. C. Allison Honored By National V. F. W.

Kansas City, Mo. — O. C. Allison, Lockney, has been appointed a national aide-de-camp in the recruiting class of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States by Commander in Chief Merton B. Tice, of that 36-year-old, 1,250,000-strong organization of veterans of overseas war-time service.

At national V. F. W. headquarters here, it was explained that these appointments are made by the commander-in-chief in recognition of those who have signed up at least 50 new or reinstated members of the organization.

Along with the appointment goes a specially designed, appropriately lettered forest green and white V. F. W. cap and a national citation. Special honors are paid these recruiters at national encampments of the V. F. W.

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A Federal complaint was filed at Akron, Ohio, on November 9, 1951, charging Dye with unlawful flight from the State of Ohio to avoid prosecution for the crime of armed robbery.

Dye is probably armed and should be considered extremely dangerous.

Any person having information which may aid in locating this fugitive is requested to contact the nearest office of the FBI, the telephone number of which appears on the first page of local telephone directories.

Providence PTA To Meet Feb. 1

Providence Parent Teacher Association will meet Tuesday, Feb. 1 at 7:30 p. m. at the school house.

Mr. M. W. Wiley, Lockney banker, will be guest speaker. His topic will be "We the People Promote the General Welfare Through Thrift." The Hall Quartet of Lone Star will be present to entertain with songs.

The public is invited and urged to attend this meeting.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bartram are parents of a baby boy born January 23 weighing 8 lbs., 8 ozs. and has been named Donnie Chris after his uncle, Don Bartram stationed in San Francisco, California with the army. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Holt and maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Tom Cope, all of Lockney. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bartram, Lockney, paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beck, Armona, California. Mrs. Fannie Bartram, Mobeetie, Texas. Little Donnie is the first grandchild of the Bartrams and the first grandson of the Holts.

A reputation can be built overnight — but it takes a lifetime to develop a character.

W. F. Faggard—

(Continued from page 1) First Baptist Church of Lockney at the time of his death. He was also a member of the Masonic Lodge and the Odd Fellows Lodge.

Survivors include his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Charlotte Bell of Bakersfield, Calif., and Mrs. Ruth Ballew of Sacramento, Calif.; one son, Dr. Paul Faggard of Poteet, Texas; eight grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

W. L. McMinn—

(Continued from page 1) Five daughters, Mrs. Visage of Lubbock, Mrs. Messimer of Lockney, Mrs. Ollie Mae Dorman of Aiken, Mrs. Joe Howard of Seal Beach, Calif., and Mrs. Albert Atkinson of Dallas; a brother, Sylvester McMinn of Mineral Wells; 18 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were six grandsons, Henry J. McMinn, Marshall McMinn, Joe McMinn, Clarence Messimer, Edwin Visage and Everett Dorman.

New 3-Cent Stamp On Sale Here

Postmaster Imogene Holt said this week that the local post office had received a supply of the new 3-cent commemorative stamp commemorating the 150th anniversary of The Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts. The stamp was issued upon the occasion of the opening of the special exhibition in connection with the Sesquicentennial Celebration of The Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts.

Stamp collectors and others may obtain the stamps now at the local postoffice.

FATHER DIES

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cunningham returned home Monday after attending funeral services for Mr. Cunningham's father, W. D. Cunningham, who passed away at his home in Phoenix, Arizona January 18 at the age of 97 years. Funeral services and burial were in Phoenix.

All of us have to live with ourselves, so it is up to each individual to see to it that he lives in good company.

Chronic Diseases Are Big Killer

Austin. — State Health Officer Henry A. Holte believes chronic diseases one of the biggest problems facing health officials today.

Recent statistics compiled by the Bureau of Vital Statistics, Texas State Department of Health, show:

1. 23% of all deaths among 15-29 year olds are due to chronic diseases, with malignant neoplasms being the leading chronic disease.

2. "Well over half" the mortality in the 20-44 age group is due to chronic disease, with heart trouble, cancer and vascular lesions being the leaders.

3. "Almost 8 out of 10" deaths in the 45-59 bracket are caused by this disease classification, with the proportion rising to 85 per cent for those 60 to 74 years old.

4. For those 75 and over chronic diseases cause 84 per cent of the total mortality. The slight decrease in percentage over age 75 is because of the high susceptibility to accidents, pneumonia, and influenza among the aged.

"When chronic disease is mentioned, all too many people think of the problem as being confined to the middle-aged or older," the health chief said, adding that such an idea was not consistent with the facts.

"The term chronic," Dr. Holte explained, "means the opposite of acute. When applied to a disease, chronic means of long duration. That would mean cancer or tuberculosis is chronic, while smallpox or poliomyelitis is acute."

"The significant thing," Dr. Holte indicated, "is that the chronic disease classification causes 23% of all deaths among young people in the 15-29 age bracket."

"Obviously, that makes the teen ages the first age at which the diseases assume a majority mortality role."

GO TO MARKET

Mrs. Floyd Jackson and Betty left Tuesday afternoon for Dallas where they will spend the remainder of the week attending Spring and Summer market.

IT'S A GIRL

The baby daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill McClaskey Wednesday, January 26 at 6:50 a. m. has been named Evita Suzanne. The baby is the first child of the McClaskeys and made her appearance at Plainview Hospital weighing 5 pounds, four ounces. Grandparents are Mrs. Eva Harper, Winnfield,

La., and Mrs. W. Wellington.

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CORN		Yellow Cream Style No. 303 Can 3 For	30
CHEESE		Kraft Velveeta 2 Pound Box	70
CHOICE BEEF		CLUB STEAK, pound	
CHUCK ROAST, pound	39c	BEEF RIBS, pound	
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