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Officers Installed, Honored At Tea

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Foster compared P. T. A. to a chain, with each member a link. She urged cooperation, since a chain is no stronger than its weakest link. Brewer was the first link in the chain and represented all the children, followed by the parents; H. H. Nicholas, representing the faculty; the Board of Education; Henry Ford Jr., representing the chairmanships; and the officers to be installed, Mrs. Burl Holt, president; Mrs. J. M. Tye, secretary; Mrs. Wayne Greer, treasurer; Mrs. B. A. Simmons, vice president; Mrs. M. J. Moseley, first vice president; and Henry Ford Jr., president. Each held a golden link which was linked by Betty Greer to the original chain.

Presentations were given to the original chain. Mrs. Quannah Jobe, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, presented the invocation. The P. T. A. fund and \$111.75 for the Landscape Fund. Reports were given for the annual conference held at Brownsville April 9 and 10 were given by Mrs. Green and Gayle Green, high school students, and the report that we are beginning work now to bring up our standards of education, and stated that Russia is ahead of us in that respect. Mrs. Ford Jr. reported that a commission of maintaining interest in P. T. A. revealed that the answer lies with parents.

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Oscar Golden, president of the Board of Education, expressed appreciation of the work done this year by the P. T. A., and presented certificates to the 1956-57 officers of the P. T. A.

H. H. Nicholas, Superintendent of schools, presented a P. T. A. life membership to Mrs. Burl Holt, and expressed his appreciation for her work and cooperation during the school year.

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GARDEN CLUB'S SPRING FLOWER SHOW IS SET FOR SATURDAY

The Lockney Garden Club's annual Spring Flower Show will be held Saturday of this week in the Lockney Auto Company's showrooms. Show time is from 1 to 6 p. m.

All Garden Club members are required to enter at least one exhibit and all others who are interested in flowers are invited to enter exhibits. Members of the club said. Entries will be accepted beginning at 8:30 a. m. Saturday and must be in place by 10:30 a. m. for judging. Entries must remain until the close of the show.

Other rules are these: All horticulture specimens must be grown by the exhibitor and all potted plants must have been owned by the exhibitor at least 60 days. Single horticulture specimens must be displayed in coke bottles furnished by the exhibitor. Divisions and classes are:

- Division I — Horticulture Section A — Cut Flowers.**
1. Poppies.
 2. Snapdragon Spikes.
 3. Dianthus Pinks.
 4. Gaillardia.
 5. Columbine.
 6. Pansy, 3 flowers.
 7. Petunias (a) double (b) single (c) ruffled.
 8. Tulips (a) Parrot (b) Darwin (c) Peony (d) Lily.
 9. Narcissi.
 10. Bluebonnets.
 11. Daylily.
 12. Salvia.
 13. Coeflowers.
 14. Any other annual or perennial not mentioned above.
- Section B — Iris, one stalk.**
1. Dutch Iris (a) white (b) yellow (c) blue.
 2. Any variety bearded Iris (a) red (b) yellow (c) pink (d) brown (e) blue (f) white (g) purple (h) bi-color.
 3. Plicate Iris.
- Section C — Roses.**
1. Climber (1 spray).
 2. Tea Roses (1 stem, 1 flower) (a) white (b) pink (c) red (d) yellow (e) two-tone.

- Division II—Arrangements**
1. All white flowers in white container.
 2. Horizontal arrangement.
 3. Vertical arrangement.
 4. Church arrangement.
 5. Kitchen arrangement.
 6. Rose arrangement.
 7. Iris arrangement, all one color.
 8. Iris arrangement, multi-color.
 9. Iris arrangement with flowering shrubs.
 10. Arrangement and with figurine.
 11. Columbine arrangement.
 12. Pansy arrangement.
 13. Dried arrangement.
 14. Foliage arrangement.
 15. Basket arrangement.
 16. Miniature arrangement, not to exceed 4 inches.
 17. Vegetable arrangement.
 18. Fruit arrangement.
 19. Miscellaneous arrangement.

- Division III — Pot Plants**
1. Begonia.
 2. Cactus.
 3. Coleus.
 4. Fern.
 5. Rubber Plant.
 6. Snake Plant.
 7. African Violets.
 8. Caladium.
 9. Amaryllis.
 10. Ivy.

Bill McNeil Is New Commissioner For Precinct 4

Bill McNeil, a prominent farmer of the Dougherty community, was sworn in as Commissioner, Precinct 4, Monday County Judge J. D. McBrien announced the appointment. The same day McNeil took the oath. McNeil replaces P. L. (Fay) Hart as Commissioner. Hart recently resigned the office and was later indicted on charges of converting county property to his own use and theft of county money.

McNeil has resided in Floyd County 29 years. Most of that time he has farmed in the area where he now lives.

McNeil participated in the Commissioners Court proceedings Monday. Judge J. D. McBrien said 10 persons applied for the vacated post.

J. Ed Parsons returned Tuesday from Artesia, N. M., where he visited his aunt, Mrs. Mary Ragsdale. Mrs. Ragsdale underwent a serious operation Friday but was improving satisfactorily when he left.



GRADUATE — Miss Betty Vernon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Vernon of Lockney, will graduate May 31st from Harris College of Nursing and Texas Christian University at Fort Worth. She is a 1954 graduate of Lockney High School. Miss Vernon plans to stay in Fort Worth where she will work in a pediatricians office and at the same time take some courses at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Formby Is Named Highway Chairman

Marshall Formby of Plainview was named chairman of the State Highway Commission by Governor Price Daniel Tuesday. Formby has served on the Commission for four years. He is an attorney and is interested in several radio stations including Station KFLD at Floydada.

Gov. Daniel appointed Charles E. Hawn of Athens as a member of the Commission replacing Brady Gentry.

Formby has visited in Lockney frequently and is well known here. He has been instrumental in the improvement of a number of roads in this area.

8th Grade Graduating Exercises Will Be Thurs. Evening, May 30

Graduating exercises for the Eighth Grade graduating class will be held Thursday evening, May 30th at the High School auditorium, it was announced this week by Junior High Principal C. H. Cheves. The program will begin at 8 p. m.

Sixty-nine students are tentatively listed as candidates for diplomas. Oscar Golden, president of the school board, will present the diplomas and Principal Cheves will present the Junior High awards. Mrs. Alma Dutton, grade school principal will present grade school awards.

Louise Bollman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bollman is valedictorian of the class. Salutatorian is Jackie Lou Frizzell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frizzell of Lone Star. Miss Bollman's average grade was 96.88 and Miss Frizzell's average was 95.38.

The complete program was announced as follows:

Processional — Janice Carthel.

Invocation — Lavon Johnson.

Song — "Moments to Remember" — Janice Boedeker, Carolyn Harris, Carolyn Merrill, Glenda Harden.

Salutatorian — Jackie Frizzell.

Class History — Carolyn Harris.

Prophecy — Nancy Schacht.

Cornet Solo — Kenneth Kendrick.

Class Will — June Caldwell.

Song — 8th Grade girls.

Valedictorian — Louise Bollman.

Presentation of grade school awards — Mrs. Alma Dutton, principal.

Presentation of Junior High awards — C. H. Cheves, principal.

Presentation of Diplomas — Oscar Golden.

Welcome to High School — Supt. H. H. Nicholas.

Junior High School Song — Words by Janice Boedeker — 8th Grade girls.

Benediction — Supt. H. H. Nicholas.

Recessional — Janice Carthel.

The class roll includes: Bertha Anaya, Karen Brown, Vickie Cook, Wayne Cooper, Tommy Duval, Barbara Foster, Jackie Frizzell, Dickey Fuller, Carolyn Harris, Marie Harris.

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Continuous Blast Adds Signal

Fire Chief Lloyd Paul Reecer reminded local residents Wednesday that one long, continuous blast on the fire siren is the signal for a tornado. Three blasts indicate a fire and two blasts are for a meeting of firemen.

15-20 Die In Silverton Tornado, Scores Injured

THE LONE STAR community, north of Lockney, played host to a full-grown tornado about 6:30 Wednesday afternoon but no injuries or damages were reported.

The twister, estimated by witnesses to be 300 to 400 yards wide at the base first struck the ground on the Vern Nelson place two miles east of Lone Star. Tommy Scarberry, who is employed by Kenneth Wofford on the place, and Weldon Graves, who operates the Lone Star Blacksmith Shop, were going to Scarberry's house to get his family when they first saw the tornado. It struck the ground about 100 yards from Scarberry's home and traveled four or five miles in a northeasterly direction, the men reported.

Scarberry's family were unaware of the twister until told of it by him. The family immediately went to the Lone Star store where a cellar was available.

The tornado was first reported to The Beacon by Beth McLaughlin of the Providence community who estimated it to be 10 miles east and northeast of Lone Star. She said that she and her family watched it as it traveled along on the ground.

The twister passed between the homes of Harold Griffith and Z. C. Cummings, which are some two miles apart. Both families were watching it.

Moisture at Lone Star ranged from 5/8 inch to a "flood" in some places according to "Zeep" Jarrett of the Lone Star Store. Some hail fell also.

Miss McLaughlin said that moisture there amounted to about one inch with hail, golf ball size.

At Lockney the rains, falling between 5 and 7 o'clock, totaled an inch and some mist was still falling as late as 8 p. m. The rains will delay planting again. Farmers were hoping to get into the fields this week end to plant cotton.

A heavy hail fell in Lockney but the stones were not large enough to do much damage. The ground was covered.

Moisture ranging from .90 to 1.10 of an inch fell in this vicinity last Friday night just when the ground was getting about ready for planting. Farmers are concerned about planting cotton and are hoping for dry weather for a while. The rain Friday night was accompanied by high winds, a smattering of hail and a thunderstorm.

Relatives Safe At Lampasas

Reports early this week said that relatives of Lockney people were all safe at Lampasas though some lost property due to the destructive flood which virtually wiped out the business section of that city.

The water did not reach the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Spears, former Lockney residents who live a mile east of the city. It did get up to their barn, destroyed an oat crop and fences on the Spears place, and ruined a well on the place. Mr. and Mrs. Spears are both safe. So are their daughter, Chloete, and her husband who live out of Lampasas quite some distance.

Tom McCandless, a brother to C. D. McCandless of Lockney and Jack McCandless of Balls, owns a variety store in Lampasas which was demolished by the flood. Along with other stores of the type, a basement under the building filled with water and the building collapsed allowing the merchandise to be washed away. Mr. and Mrs. McCandless were in Amarillo at the time and had left their four-year-old daughter with friends. The little girl was first reported missing but later was found to be safe. Clarence and Jack left Tuesday to go down and see if they could help their brother.

A brother to J. B. Seale of Lockney also lives at Lampasas but the high water did not reach his home and the members of the family are all safe. Water was reported to be standing 7 feet in the Court-house and almost every business house in the city was either demolished or badly damaged.

A tornado struck the city of Silverton and surrounding area about 10:30 p. m. Wednesday leaving an estimated 15 to 20 dead and scores of injured. State Department of Public Safety representatives estimated the injured as high as 65. At least 20 homes in south and east Silverton were demolished or badly damaged.

Dead at the Carter Funeral Home in Lockney at 3 a. m. Thursday were Mrs. E. E. Puckett, 30, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Rance Stephenson, who lived in South Silverton. Other known dead were Mr. and Mrs. Verle Vaughn, about 60, who also lived in the south part of Silverton. A baby belonging to an employee of Tony Burson, who lives just east of Silverton, was among the dead. Names of others killed by the twister were not known here.

Among the injured brought to the Lockney General Hospital were Mrs. Puckett's two children, Linda, age 8, and Pat, age 10. Linda suffered a broken leg, a broken hip, a fractured pelvis and other injuries. Pat did not have any broken bones, it was reported. The Pucketts live 16 miles north and two miles east of Lockney, having moved there about the first of the year. Mr. Puckett was thought to be in New Mexico at the time of the tragedy. Neighbors found the two children and rushed them to the local hospital. A jeep belonging to Tom Marr was sent back for Mrs. Puckett's body.

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Aubrey Cox Is Accepted For Highway Patrol

Aubrey Cox of Lubbock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cox of Lockney and a 1953 graduate of Lockney High School, has been notified of tentative acceptance to enter the Training School for the Texas Highway Patrol.

Aubrey left this week for Austin and will report to the Department of Public Safety Law Enforcement Academy today (Thursday). There he will take a very rigid physical examination and if he passes that he will enter the Academy for a 11 weeks course of training.

During the course he will be quartered at the training school in Austin. Following his completion of the course he will serve a six-months probationary period as a highway patrolman following which he will be a full-fledged officer.

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**Best X-Ray To
 Be Here June 25**
 The State Department of Health
 mobile x-ray unit will be
 in Lockney on Tuesday
 afternoon, June 25 to give
 free x-rays to all in this
 vicinity who desire them.
 It has almost two years
 since an x-ray unit made
 a stop in Lockney. It is
 expected that the unit
 will be here from 1 to
 3 p. m. The short time
 is due to the fact that
 the unit is 18 months
 behind schedule and is
 trying to make time.
 The unit will be set up
 at the Auto Showrooms
 as in past years, according
 to Dick Gentry, Chamber
 of Commerce manager.
 People 15 years of age
 and over are eligible to
 receive chest x-rays. It
 is that members of local
 clubs will assist in
 the crowd.
 Lockney
 CHURCH SUNDAY.

Citizens Committee Makes Recommendations To Improve Local School Curriculum

Recommendations that the Lockney school district prepare for a building program, providing at least for a science department and more space for physical education, that more supervision be provided for teachers, that some changes be made now in policy relating to make-up work, that additional equipment be purchased for the vocational agriculture and home making departments, and that a number of subjects be added to the curriculum in the system, were among those presented to the school board by the various committees of the Lockney Citizens Committee Monday evening in a meeting at the high school cafeteria.

The many recommendations were indicative of a thorough study of the school system's curriculum and its needs by the various committees.

A discussion and question period followed each report. Members of the committees admitted that all of the recommendations could not be followed immediately and the program generally would require several years to complete. The group assured the school board that they would back them in their efforts to improve the schools and offered help in the carrying out of the recommendations if needed.

Subjects or teachers which the various committees recommended included Spanish in high school, a full time public school music teacher, an additional home making teacher, four years of science in high school, six credits in math in high school, Texas History and Economics in high school and the addition of two teachers in junior high to alleviate the teacher load there.

The committee expects to meet again within the near future to hear a thorough discussion of the school's financial condition.

Following are the detailed recommendations:

ports of the various committees as presented Monday evening:

The Citizens Committee for Agriculture, Home Economics and Industrial Arts find:

That Lockney School system is as well equipped as other schools of our size.

We cannot find where Industrial arts would fit into our school at this time.

We find that the Agriculture department could use the following things for a better equipped department:

- 1. 700' more shop space.
- 2. 1 classroom 30'x36'
- 3. 2 Electric Welders.
- 4. 3 Welding booths.
- 5. 15 Welding helmets.
- 6. 1 Belt sander.
- 7. Heavy duty grinder.
- 8. Band saw.
- 9. Set hand tools with work benches.
- 10. Set mechanic tools.
- 11. Teaching materials on the following: Soil, Livestock, Poultry, Crops, Dairying.

We find the Home Ec Dept. needs the following things:

- 1. 1 Coffee pot.
- 2. Mixmaster.
- 3. Glasses to use on serving table.
- 4. Pyrex bowls to use in cook-

Following are the detailed recommendations:

- 5. 10 rubber spatulas.
- 6. 8 pastry blenders.
- 7. 10 measuring cups.
- 8. 20 cups and saucers for cabinets.
- 9. Linens for table.
- 10. Button hole attachment old one broken, ironing board.

Things in poor condition and need replacing:

Silverware, cover on floor. We feel that the school board should hire an extra teacher for the Home Ec department because with the approximately 70 students now in this department the state will furnish half the salary and the new teacher could probably teach in another department, 1/2 time, reducing the load of students there.

S. R. Jones. Arthur Barker Jr. R. C. Mitchell.

Language Arts Division

The following recommendations do not necessarily apply directly to the field of Language Arts. However, due to the interlocking nature of school affairs the committee feels they are all pertinent.

Recommendations are as follows:

- 1. Student Handbooks. a. These to be issued to all freshman students and new enrollees in the system. b. Class sponsors make these a matter of study in special class meetings.
- 2. Teacher Handbooks. a. Issued to all teachers. b. Revised and studied from time to time in the In Service Education program.
- 3. In Service Education Program. a. Have regular bi-weekly or monthly meetings. b. Constantly study ways and means to co-ordinate the entire school program with special attention toward synchronizing the work where more than one teacher is employed in a grade. c. Institute system of grading for punctuation, spelling, writing, and neatness in all subjects. d. Select some phase of the school program for study and improvement.

(1) Feasibility of supervised study in all grades and subjects.

(2) Set up teacher guides and job analysis for all jobs and grades with specific attention to allotting more time to spelling and writing.

(3) Principals and teachers constantly and enthusiastically promote better discipline and morale among themselves and among the student body.

4. Supervisory Program. a. Superintendent, Principals, and School Supervisor set up a well rounded program of supervision with regular classroom visitation. b. Teacher load.

a. Add two teachers in Junior High school. b. All school principals to be relieved of all teaching duties in order to be able to devote more time to supervision.

6. Teacher Evaluation. a. Principals evaluate teachers, in writing, for purposes of teacher improvement and recommendation. b. Students of high school level and possibly lower be allowed to evaluate teachers by means of a check list.

7. Make-up work. a. Students be required to make up work prior to all absences except those of an emergency nature. b. Proper forms showing completion of said work to be provided for principals records.

8. Public relations. 1. Endeavor to keep public fully informed on school program and condition. 2. Have annual meeting at which time a full discussion of school's program and financial condition is given to the public.

Horton Howell, chairman.

Physical Education, Health And Safety

After visiting three schools, Farwell, Tulsa, and Dimmitt, we find that the Lockney Schools are as far if not far advanced in physical education than those we visited. We think the classroom study, with health books, should be continually used to better improve the P. E. and health program, both with the boys and girls.

If and when a building program is started, we will have several recommendations for advancement we would like to offer, both in facilities and equipment.

In the safety department, we would like to see Driver Education start in junior high if possible, due to the young age at which boys and girls are beginning to drive. Also it should be offered to licensed drivers as well as non-licensed drivers.

We also have some bus load recommendations we would like to offer for consideration, and are outlining them on the following diagrams.

Raymond Rucker. D. J. Phillips. Connie O'Brien.

Science And Math Departments

On investigation of the Science and Math departments of Lockney High School, the committee would make the following suggestions:

1. In view of our era of the Atomic age and need for encouragement of more students in Scientific Fields, we feel the high school should offer a 4 year Science schedule. A. General Science. B. Biology. C. Physics.

2. After studying our facilities for this program, we find they are totally inadequate in class rooms, equipment and storage for such a program. It is recommended that the program be changed as soon as possible, and facilities added as can be done.

3. What should be provided would be adequate in a three room set up with 2 large storage rooms as:

A. Chemistry, Laboratory and Lecture combined. B. Physics Laboratory and Lecture room. C. General Science and Biology room.

Storage space: A. Chemistry room storage. B. Other Science. 4. In our investigation we feel it would be unwise to try to add these facilities to the present building, and feel that the only logical solution would be to attempt construction of a new Senior High School if a facility advisor felt it could be done. We recommend that this help be secured by the Board.

Robert L. Smith. H. E. Frizzell. W. J. Mangold.

Social Studies Committee

We, the members of the Social Studies Committee, have completed our study of the Lockney schools and other schools in the area and our recommendations are:

1. Lockney Junior High social studies were found to be adequate and it is our recommendations that they be continued as they are at present.

2. Lockney High School social sciences offerings are adequate at the present time with only two credits being required for graduation. However, the proposed state requirements are for 2 1/2 credits for graduation and we think that Texas History and Economics, each 1/2 credit course, should be taught since they are affiliated now.

We also recommend that a 1/2 credit course in Commercial Geography be offered for the ninth or tenth grade level. Kenneth Wofford, chairman. G. E. Tannahill Jr. Walter Taack.

Foreign Languages

We, the committee on Foreign Language wish to submit the following recommendations:

First, that a Foreign Language is definitely needed in any school system and because of the need for a large number of Spanish Speaking people to work in this area we recommend that Spanish be taught.

Second, that because of the teacher needed, the facilities and the expense involved, we recommend that Spanish be taught in the high school.

Third, that consideration be given to teaching Spanish in a lower grade at some later date when a shortage of teachers, crowded conditions and financial problems will permit. Mrs. E. M. Quebe. Dr. W. J. Mangold.

Music Program

A study of the music program in our school has been made during the last few weeks to see if any improvements were needed. Consultations were held with the teachers of grade school and junior high and the high school band director.

It was the unanimous opinion of all those contacted that a public school music teacher would be invaluable to our school system in order to have a well rounded curriculum. Through our observation in other schools we found the most satisfactory programs began music instruction in the first grade and carried on through Junior High with choral being offered in high school.

Music courses started in the lower grades would afford a good feeder program for our band and choral groups, as well as giving every child an opportunity for music appreciation. It would be an asset to our community to train our children musically, both for their own enjoyment and as a service to the community.

We recommend that a public school music instructor be added to our teaching staff. Mrs. Milton Ashton. Mrs. F. O. Schacht. Mrs. Edgar R. Hays.

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TELEPHONE TALK
by J. C. Oakley, Manager

WHY NOT PERSONALIZE IT?

"Telephone service is telephone service," a friend of mine said the other day. "What's so different about it now than before?"

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartman and daughter, Mrs. Vernon Youngquist, and baby spent Monday in Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Dell Mulder and Patsy, Albuquerque, New Mexico, came Tuesday to visit his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Arby Mulder, Nathan and Katherine until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Menard Field left Thursday for Benkelman, Nebraska, where they visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McDonald and boys. Arriving home Saturday night, he left Sunday to be with his folks in Haskell. His mother, Mrs. G. W. Field is visiting here, and will leave for California Thursday.

Friday night the Junior-Senior banquet was held at the VFW Hall in Floydada. Edgene Beedy was program chairman. Attending were Mr. and Mrs.

R. G. Dunlap and family, Alton Higginbotham, Kendis Julian, Donita Milton, Donnie Young, Virginia Taylor, Louise Pritchett, and Eugene Beedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Reeves were hosts at a social held in their home west of South Plains Tuesday night. 45 adults and 24 children enjoyed many freezers of home made ice cream and cakes.

After church Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Kinnibrugh and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Helms and girls of Lakeview went to Burson Lake where they enjoyed a picnic dinner and spent the afternoon fishing. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kinnibrugh of Vera spent Sunday night and Monday with the Kinnibrughs.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McClure and children of Crosbyton spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Woodson of Snyder, were also house guests in the McClure home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan, Jr. and children had dinner Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Smith and family. They went to Lockney in the evening to visit with his parents, the H. S. Calahans, Sr.

Baptist Church notes: 77 were present at Mother's Day services. Junior G. A.'s were recognized with their mothers, Mrs. Don Probasco and Mrs. H. S. Calahan, Jr. sang a duet. On May 26 there will be no evening services due to baccharaur



Dear Editor:
I note that Secretary of Defense Wilson is now disgusted with citizens squawking about the size of the federal budget.

Which shows that he is thoroughly infected with political hot flashes which get to ailing many cabinet members, presidents, congressmen, county commissioners, etc., after they have been in office for a while.

This disease causes a victim's back to arch up and he spits and growls at presumptuous citizens who try to tell him how they want their business run.

D. E. SCOTT
Crossroads, U. S. A.

Mrs. Snodgrass Honored At Tea
Friends honored Mrs. Paul Snodgrass at a gift tea in the beautiful home of Mrs. George West Friday afternoon, May, from 3 to 5. Hostesses were Mmes. George West, John Wilson, Raymond Upton, H. R. Hartman, Arby Mulder, H. L. Marble, R. G. Dunlap, Sim Reeves, O. T. Hewitt, Bryant Higginbotham, Grigsby Milton, Frank McClure, John Key West, Menard Field, Albert Stewart, J. P. Taylor, Bryan Karr and Murray Julian.

Guests included faculty members with whom Mrs. Snodgrass had taught, those who went to school to her, or whose children had attended her classes, and friends from here and surrounding communities. The serving table was laid with a white linen cut-work cloth, and centered with a replica of the traditional little red school house, lettered with "South Plains" over the doorway. A miniature teacher and pupils were gathered in the school yard, and the whole surrounded by beautiful iris blossoms.

Favors were tiny dolls with "school days" inscribed thereon. Punch, decorated angel squares and pastel mints were served from crystal appointments.

The guest of honor received many beautiful remembrances. About fifty guests called during the afternoon.

Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. George West with co-hostess Mrs. Skeet Thornton. Mrs. Kinnibrugh presided over the meeting with "Let's Cook Out" as theme. Mrs. Fortenberry called roll, and members replied with Quick Tricks for Summer Meals. Mrs. Milton gave council report, and Mrs. Webb was elected to go as delegate from the club to council on May 18, where she will be elected to go to the State THD A meeting in Houston in July. Mmes. Grigsby Milton, L. T. Wood, J. D. Webb, and R. G. Dunlap attended the Swap-Shop in Floydada Tuesday. Mrs. Fortenberry gave notes on Civil Defense, and a demonstration of "How to Make and Use a Buddy Burner" was given by Mrs. Kinnibrugh and Mrs. Julian. Food cooked on the burner was served with the refreshment plate of spiced tea, coffee, chicken sandwiches and filled pastries. A hard rain sent the guests hurrying homeward. Present were Mmes. Loyd Deavenport, Fred Fortenberry, Murray Julian, Sylvan Kinnibrugh, Jones Kinslow, H. L. Marble, Grigsby Milton, John Wilson, L. T. Wood, John Key West, J. D. Webb, Noel Deavenport, Bryan Karr, Larry Faus, E. W. Newton, Ernest Smitherman, George West, Skeet Thornton, and guest, Mrs. Hamilton. Mrs. H. L. Marble and Mrs. H. R. Hartman will be hostesses for the May 22 meeting which will be held at the school house.

BRUNNIER VISITORS
Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brunnier were hosts to their four daughters and their families on Mothers Day. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Stubblefield and daughters, Lynn Ray and Elaine, Mr. and Mrs. Sadoris and children, Rex Shelton and Nancy, all of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Montague and children, John, Carol Ann and Mike of Silyertos, Mr. and Mrs. Dean H. Burger, Connie and Kenneth of Pampa.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to express my deep appreciation to those who remembered me with cards, visits and flowers during my stay in Lockney General Hospital. I am deeply grateful to Dr. Mangold and Dr. Simmons and the nurses for their excellent care and kindness to me.

W. C. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Crager spent Mothers Day with their son, Dr. and Mrs. Ted Crager and children in Lubbock.

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ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. Taylor of Spearman, Texas, announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Jane, to Walter Don Hollums, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hollums of Floydada, formerly of Lockney. The wedding is set for June 9th at the Joseph Hill Chapel at Canyon.

Lt. Crocker Will Speak On Defense

The Floyd County Home Demonstration Council will present a guest speaker, Lt. Crockett, at 3:30 p. m. Saturday, May 18 following the regular council meeting which is scheduled for 2:30 p. m. in the county court house, Floydada.

Lt. Crockett represents the Felter Center at Dallas and will explain the Ground Observatory Corps.

All chairmen of Civil Defense in Home Demonstration Clubs are especially urged to be present and an invitation is extended to any one interested in hearing Lt. Crockett.

Garden Club To Meet Friday

A meeting of Lockney Garden Club has been called for Friday at 2 p. m. The meeting will be held at Lockney Auto Company to prepare for the Flower Show. Members are asked to bring card tables.

Sunday dinner guests in the Pepper Martin home were Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Ivy and children of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Johns Cox, Wanda Cox and Lanell Johnson. The occasion marked the second birthday of Ricky Dale Ivy.

Luncheon Closes El Progreso Year

El Progreso Study Club closed its club year with a luncheon at the Plains Hotel dining room and a program in the Clyde Applewhite home Wednesday, May 8.

The luncheon took place at 1:00 p. m. Mrs. Henry Schacht gave the invocation at the meal. In the Applewhite home Mrs. Henry Hodel led in a \$64,000 Question Quiz program. Mrs. Bill Hodel was awarded the prize for answering the most questions. The year books were distributed and Mrs. Bill Hodel made the club gift presentation to the retiring president, Mrs. Henry Schacht.

Attending the meeting were Mmes. A. O. Wines, Ed Whitfill, Chas. Duran, C. J. Taylor, Henry Schacht, B. A. Simmons, Guy Sams, Ewald Quebe, Chester Mitchell, L. M. Honea, Henry Hodel, Les Ferguson, Jesse Cox, Dee Copeland, Hershel Carthel, Clyde Briley, Barry Barker, Milton Ashton, and Clyde Applewhite.

Mother Goose Tots To Graduate Friday

Mother Goose Kindergarten seniors will graduate in exercises to be held Friday night, May 17 at 7:30 in the high school gym.

The 20 seniors will be assisted by the Juniors in a colorful May Pole dance. Identity of the senior class favorites will be revealed and they will be crowned "Miss" and "Master" May Pole frolic. The honor is determined by votes among the seniors themselves. The school annuals will be distributed after the secret of the annual dedication is revealed. Miss Elaine Cooper will play the professional and recessional. She will also sing "The Lord's Prayer" as invocation.

Following the program a reception will be held in the high school cafeteria for the families, relatives and close friends of the pupils. Mrs. Joe Wilson is chairman of the reception committee.

The public is cordially invited to attend the graduation program.

Visitors in the Chester Johnson home Mothers Day were Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson and children, Lubbock; Mrs. Charles Willis and daughter, of Snyder. Miss Martha Johnson, accompanied by Clint Hornol, both of Amarillo, were visitors in the Johnson home of last week.



MOTHER GOOSE GRADUATES — 20 little seniors of Mother Goose Kindergarten will receive diplomas Friday night at the High School Gym. They are, back row, left to right, Andy Duvell,

Susan Simmons, Shawna Gilley, Kathy Thornton, Freddie Elliott, Monty Cook, Beverly Harris, Brentie Dutton, Johnny D. Patterson, Bruce Bacus and Mrs. J. D. Wood, teacher. Seated, Glenda Cooper,

Debbie Miller, Lavenia Wilson, Rickey Starkey, Darlene Reed, Bill Aston, Pat Jester, Cindy Rankin and Carolyn Byrd. Monty Dale Robinson, Olton, was absent when the picture was taken.

Mother Goose School Observes Senior Day

The pupils of Mother Goose school, accompanied by their mothers, enjoyed the annual "Senior Day" last Friday. Friday morning they all drove to Lubbock and enjoyed a picnic lunch in Mackenzie State Park. At 3:00 o'clock they boarded a train in Lubbock and rode to Plainview where they were met by more mothers and accompanied home via car. Thirty children and nine adults were in the group.

Birthdays Celebration
Marking the birthdays of pupils having birthdays in the summer and those who missed their celebration during school term, a luncheon was held Monday morning at the school. Younger brothers and sisters were special guests. Birthdays were special guests. Birthdays honorees were Bill and Ronnie Aston, Bruce Bacus, Carolyn Byrd, Brettie Dutton, Cindy Rankin, Susan Simmons, Lavenia Wilson, Freddie Elliott and Beverly Harris. Mothers acting as hostesses were Mmes. Rusty Bacus, Fred Byrd, Tom Rankin Jr., Jay Elliott, and Johna Joy Bilbrey. Story books were given as favors. \$1.63 was collected for the polio fund making a total of \$450 to be turned over to officials for the school term January to May.

Mr. and Mrs. Johns Cox, Wanda and Mrs. J. J. Harris attended funeral services for Mrs. Cox's sister-in-law, Mrs. Oscar Sweatt Thursday in Amherst.

Wright Pace Visits Here Recently

Wright Pace, a Church of Christ minister of Los Angeles, Calif., has been visiting friends here and his mother, Mrs. Cora Pace of Floydada. Mr. Pace is minister of the church attended by Homer Howard, a former resident of Lockney.

Mr. Pace lived in Lockney and attended the old Lockney Christian College in the early

days. He preached his first sermon in the old College building 50 years ago next December. He has been in California for the past 39 years. He is a brother to Mrs. Walter Knight of the Sandhill community.

Miss Harleen Workman, a senior student at Texas State College for Women at Denton, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Workman over the week end.

Boys Basketball Camp At Wayland

Plainview. — Wayland Baptist College will be the scene of a four-week summer basketball camp this year, for boys in the 9-15 age group, according to Ed Billings, coach of Wayland's varsity basketball team, the Pioneers. Registration is slated for June 6-7, with each boy paying \$20 tuition. The camp will start about June 10.

Billings will join with Bob Clindaniel, coach of the Plainview High School basketball team, the Bulldogs, to form the camp's staff of instructors. Cage campers, divided into two age groups, 9 to 12 and 13 to 15, will receive instruction for an hour and a half each morning, five days a week. As the school progresses every boy will be placed on a team and will play in games two nights a week.

This camp will be held on the campus of Wayland Baptist College. Each individual will be given a copy of basketball fundamentals. The camp will be held in the gymnasium and will be supervised by Ed Billings.

COX BOY IMPROVED

Dwight Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cox, suffered a badly injured leg and foot after falling in front of the store in the Methodist hospital, Lubbock. Chester Johnson, a few days ago assured the boy that the foot was not broken and that he would be home in two or three weeks.

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Lockney General Hospital News

Mrs. Marcia Meriwether of Lockney continues to receive medical care.

Mrs. Zeb Reed of Lockney continues to receive medical care.

Mrs. Mildred Sandlin of Lockney continues to receive orthopedic care.

Joe Anderson of Lockney was dismissed 5-11 following medical care.

W. C. Watson of Lockney was dismissed 5-13 following medical care.

Mrs. Rex Holt of Silverton was dismissed 5-9 following medical care.

Bob Simmons of Lockney was dismissed 5-10 following medical care.

Rhonda Dickerson of Silverton was dismissed 5-9 following minor surgery.

Nora Larock of Silverton was admitted 5-9 for medical care and was dismissed 5-12.

Billy Max Tiner of Lockney was admitted 5-10 for minor surgery and was dismissed 5-11.

M. H. Vaughan Jr. of Silverton was admitted 5-11 for medical care and was dismissed 5-2.

Mrs. J. N. Cantwell of Silverton was admitted 5-9 for medical care.

Mrs. Doyle Stephens of Silverton was admitted 5-12 for medical care.

Sumner Comer of Lockney was admitted 5-13 for medical care.

Mrs. K. Morris of Plainview was admitted 5-13 for major surgery.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strange of Silverton are the parents of a baby girl born 5-10. She weighed 8 lbs., 7 ozs. and was named Darla June.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mathis of Lockney are the parents of a baby girl born 5-12. She weighed 9 lbs., 10 ozs. and was named Willie Mae.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodoro Moreno are the parents of a baby girl born 5-11. She weighed 6 lbs., 15 ozs. and was named Gloria.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Griffith of Amarillo are the parents of a baby boy born 5-12. He weighed 7 lbs., 6 ozs. and was named Ronson Max.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Payne of Silverton are the parents of a baby girl born 5-12. She weighed 5 lbs., 12 ozs. and was named Brenda Lynne.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Welch of Silverton are the parents of a baby girl born 5-13. She weighed 5 lbs., 13 ozs. and was named Donna Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Smith of Lockney are the parents of a baby boy born 5-13. He weighed 6 lbs., 10 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Trevino are the parents of a baby girl born 5-14. She weighed 6 lbs., 10 ozs. and was named Betty Jean.

Lone Star Singers To Meet Sunday

Lone Star Singers will meet Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock it was announced this week. This is the regular monthly meeting of singers in the Lone Star community. All those who enjoy good singing are invited and urged to attend.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Smith are parents of a baby son born at Lockney General Hospital Monday May 13. He weighed 6 lbs., 10 ozs. He had not been named Wednesday at press time. Mrs. Smith is the former Patricia Pylant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Pylant, Lockney. Paternal grandmother is Mrs. Charlie Smith also of Lockney. The father is a senior student at Texas Technological College, Lubbock. The Smiths have two other sons, Mike and Bill.



Miss Johnnie Barnhart, Seminary Graduate, Goes To Okla. City

Miss Johnnie Barnhart, of Ralls, who taught high school English in Lockney for two years, will go to Oklahoma City June 1 to begin her service in the state of Oklahoma as Young Women's Auxiliary and Girls' Auxiliary secretary Miss Barnhart, a graduate of Hardin Simmons University, graduates Friday, May 17, 1957 from Religious Education School with a Master of Religious Education from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth.

For three summers Miss Barnhart has served as a summer worker under the Home Mission Board, in Oklahoma City in 1952, Kansas in 1955 and in California in 1956. She worked one summer on the staff at Glorieta Assembly.

Miss Barnhart will attend the BSU retreat at Falls Creek and will lead the conference for Ann Hasseltine YWAs there. She will direct the five GA and the one YWA camp this summer at NUNNY-CHA-HA.

After finishing Hardin Simmons University, Miss Barnhart taught senior English in the local high school during the terms '53-54, '54-55. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Barnhart of Ralls and the niece of Mrs. Carl Blair, Lockney.

HOME FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Parker returned home Monday after spending ten days visiting relatives at Cleburne, Texas, Oklahoma City, Lawton and Willow, Oklahoma. In Willow they visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Parker. The A. A. Smiths, parents of Mrs. Parker visited in Amarillo with their son, Terry and family while the Parkers were gone.

CHILDREN VISITING

Children visiting Mrs. B. C. Gray on Mother's Day were Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Gray and Wayne of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gray and Linda, Amarillo; Reuben Gray of Lockney, Red Swaffer, Mrs. Pernie Roy, Ortie Gray, Elmer, Jossie and Gene Swaffer, of Floydada.

TWISTER —

(Continued from page 1)
Linda was carried to the Lubbock Methodist Hospital early this morning for attention of a bone specialist. Other injured in the Lockney General Hospital are Mrs. Tommy Noble, Boyd Bingham, both white, and a family of eight colored people by the name Grillington. The father had a plank driven through his leg. Other injured are at Crum Clinic here and at Plainview, Tulia and Amarillo.

Two Missing Boys Being Widspread Search Thursday

Two young boys missing from their homes here caused a widespread search last Thursday night which wasn't concluded until they were found safe and unharmed early Friday. They are 9 and 11 years of age.

Parents of the boys, anxious about their safety, notified officers that they were missing late Thursday evening. Officers and members of the I. O. O. F. Lodge here joined in a search for the boys which extended to Plainview as well as neighboring communities. Lakes were scouted for clothing in the search.

The boys walked to the Seale Drive-In Theatre 2 1/2 miles west of town last Thursday afternoon, entered the concession booth where they ate some food which was cooking there and took some \$12 in money from the cash register. No one was at the booth at the time since it was before show time. They went on to Aiken where they spent the night in the rest room of a service station. Officers found them about 7 a. m. Friday a mile west of Aiken making their way to Plainview on foot.

The boys had spent only \$1.00 of the money they had taken and that was restored to the theatre by the boys' parents. They were turned over to their parents by officers but must report to Deputy Sheriff Cap Carthel once each month.

Frank Barber Dies Thursday Night

Frank Barber, 72 years of age, a brother to S. F. Barber Sr. of Lockney, passed away in the Deaf Smith County Hospital at Hereford last Thursday evening. He had been in ill health for two or three years. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church in Hereford Sunday afternoon. Burial was in the Dimmitt cemetery.

The deceased was a former resident of Lockney. He lived here as a boy when the Barber family came here before the turn of the century. He moved away but later returned to Lockney and was in the insurance business here in the early part of this century. He had lived at Hereford for the past 25 or 30 years. He was in the real estate firm of Rose & Barber.

Survivors include his wife, four sons, Frank Jr. of Colby, Calif.; Alva, a Lieutenant Colonel in the Air Force now stationed at Lubbock; Jack of Los Alamos, N. M.; and Flake of Amarillo; three daughters, Mrs. Merle Newell, Hereford; Mrs. Pat Jones, Corpus Christi; Mrs. Johnny Guinn, Cheyenne, Wyo.; one brother, S. F. Barber of Lockney, four sisters and 10 grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Barber of Lockney attended the services at Hereford.

STATE SENATE RESOLUTION IN MEMORY OF T. Z. REED

A resolution passed the State Senate on May 6 in memory of T. Z. (Zeb) Reed, Lockney citizen for 50 years. The resolution, No. 475, was introduced by Senator Andy Rogers of the 30th District.

The passing of the resolution in memory of Mr. Reed is in accordance with a custom in the Senate at the passing of prominent citizens.

Following is a copy of the resolutions as it was read in the Senate:

STATE RESOLUTION No. 475

In memory of
MR. T. Z. (ZEB) REED

WHEREAS, in the passing of T. Z. (Zeb) Reed on March 27, 1957, in Lockney, Texas, at the age of ninety-one, Floyd County lost one of its most beloved and respected citizens; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Reed was an important member of his community for more than forty years, having served as mayor, county commissioner, and justice of the peace at various times; and

WHEREAS, He was a pioneer Baptist preacher and a Sunday School teacher for more than fifty years, and a member of the Masonic Lodge at Lockney for almost fifty years; and

WHEREAS, Zeb Reed was born March 29, 1866 near Jackson, Miss., and came to Texas as a young man, settling first in Swisher County in 1892. He was a resident of Floyd County since 1907, where he remained a respected and beloved citizen until his death; and

WHEREAS, he is survived by his wife; one daughter, Mrs. E. M. Lawson of Lockney; three grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, by the Senate of the State of Texas, that we do hereby acknowledge the passing of Mr. Reed and express our sympathy to his family; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this Resolution, under the seal of the Senate, be mailed to his surviving wife and daughter.

(SEAL)

BEN RAMSEY,
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 6, 1957 by a rising vote.

CHARLES SCHNABELL,
Secretary of the Senate.

IOOF Plans Pancake Breakfast May 27th

Lockney I. O. O. F. Lodge is planning a Pancake Breakfast starting at 6 a. m. on Monday, May 27, it was announced this week by Truett Bilbrey, vice-grand.

The lodge will serve for two or three hours at the lodge hall on South West 2nd Street. Proceeds will go to the Lockney Cemetery Association to help pipe water to the cemetery.

One Injured in Auto Accident

Darwin Baker of Plainview was painfully but not seriously injured last Thursday night when the 1955 Ford he was driving overturned several times on the Floydada Silverton highway just north of the Lockney intersection.

Officers said that Baker passed a car, went off the road on the right side, swerved back to the left and lost control. No one knew how many times the car turned over but it landed back on its wheels. Baker was treated for injuries at the People's Hospital in Floydada. The car is a total loss.

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BREAKS ARM, SHOULDER

Mrs. T. J. Rigdon suffered a broken arm and shoulder Thursday morning of last week when she slipped and fell on a throw rug at her home. She was treated in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock and returned home by ambulance Monday. Mrs. B. L. Fisher of Rodondo Beach, Calif., daughter of the Rigdons, arrived Sunday night to care for her mother.

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Senator Andy Rogers Discusses Problems In Closing Days

By Andy Rogers, 30th District

There is always a problem of time and importance at the end of a legislative session. What have we got time to pass and what is so important that we must get to it. The majority decides, of course, and there are many admirable measures hanging fire or gathering dust in committee that are being passed by in the rush to finish the session and to deal with such things as appropriations and tax bills. Among the most lamentable of these bills which won't make it up this session are those Good Government Bills sponsored by the Texas Press Association. They are good bills, two of which I myself sponsored dealing with prevention of the situation that has existed in Duval County for the past few years and making improvements in the way the law is administered and public monies are handled.

The same situation exists with a number of laws proposed to deal with highway safety, the major one of which was a measure to set up a state program in driver education under the already-existent Gilmer-Aiken program in the schools. Certainly the number of Texas highway deaths that can be traced to driver incompetence is tragic and the driver education program would have been a step in the right direction. Another group of bills relating to the important problem of juvenile delinquency is in the process of suffering the same fate — not enough time and the majority is interested in more immediate important legislation.

One of the most tragic of these legislative deaths is that of the small battery of bills de-

signed to correct the situation in the state by which loan sharks are enriching themselves at the miserable, pathetic expense of our poorest, most depressed citizens. It has been shown time and time again that some of these human sharks receive interest rates, sometimes partially hidden, well above 100 percent. The poor must pay and pay and pay.

Most people who are on terms of working familiarity with the problems of state government are agreed that probably nothing is more needed at present than a thorough tax study. We need to know who is paying the taxes and who is not. Intelligent planning for the years ahead requires that we know a lot more about our tax system than is known now; on this everyone agrees. But is was a relief and a pleasant surprise to me and many others last week when a House-passed tax study measure failed in the Senate by the decisive vote of 19-9. For passage of this measure would have been equivalent to asking to have the wool not pulled but knitted over our eyes.

The House measure would have placed the responsibility for such a needed study with a private group called the Texas Research League. I'm sure that the League is fully capable of such a study, but I shudder at what might happen if it did. The Texas Research League is maintained by the very same people who are heavily organized to prevent taxing programs that affect their interests, who keep full-time lobbyists in Austin, who are continually on the watch for a main chance such as this bill would certainly



TYPICAL TORNADO funnel sweeps across the plains near Manhattan, Kan., located in the worst tornado belt in the world, according to Weather Bureau records. Twisters such as this have figured prominently in the total of 75 major natural disasters in which the Federal Civil Defense Administration has directed relief since FCDA got the job of coordinating Federal assistance in January 1953. (U. S. Weather Photo by H. E. Dale)

have offered. It would have been like asking a man's trusted employee to report him for an overtime parking violation.

As the matter now rests I am reasonably certain that we will be able to get no program underway this session to take care of this crying need for a tax study. The only fair and legitimate way such a study can be gained is for the state itself to set up the program with a group of impartial experts — and, believe it or not, there are still such people — who would conduct the investigation with the state footing the bill. You get only what you pay for and a private, biased study would have been worth much less than nothing.

The Senate in other action refused to consider a House-sponsored bill to reduce from felony to misdemeanor the first offense of wife and child desertion.

Texas needed an education program that looked into the future at the time the Gilmer-Aiken program was passed. Now, some years later, we find that the program has not been adequate; we face tremendous shortages of teachers and the shortage is sure to become worse; school building programs, while much progress is being made, are falling farther and farther behind. What is to be done? Certainly we cannot go backward in construction programs; we must find a solution that will fit the needs both of the rich, heavily populated and industrial areas of the state and also those areas which of necessity must depend upon small schools with only a few teachers and students. At the present, a new proposal has been made in both houses of the legislature which would appoint a complete study of the education problem in the state. The measure, as introduced, would instruct the governor to appoint a six-man committee to supervise the massive study, which would include a survey of "the needs of the public school system as related to curriculum, teacher supply, classroom facilities, and other related areas, including adequate financing of the program." The committee would report to the 1959 meeting of the state legislature.

It is my hope that such a study will keep in mind and bring to public light some of the inadequacies of the present school system, along with some of the hardships that have been imposed on comparatively poor school districts in the matter

Sterley News

By Mrs. Virgil Adams

Mrs. B. A. Howell was hostess Thursday to Sterley HD Club in the club room. "Let's Cook Out" was the topic. Mrs. Elmo Schaffner gave a very interesting demonstration on making a Buddy Burner and how to use it. Mrs. Herman Huffman gave a reading on Civil Defense and a council report on the Swap Shop held Tuesday. Delicious refreshments of cake, coffee and cokes were served to Mmes. Virgil Adams, M. A. Boone, Herman Huffman, Joe Reeves, Elmo Schaffner, Bryan Smith, Red Archer and W. A. Cooper, a former member. Next meeting will be Thursday, May 16 at 2:30 at the club room. Mrs. M. A. Boogie will be hostess. The program will be "Dress for the Occasion and roll call will be "Come dressed for church or a party." Mrs. Brummett will demonstrate "Planning a Wardrobe."

Sterley Methodist Church had an ice cream supper Tuesday night May 7 in the Elmo Reeves home. Attending were Messrs. and Mmes. Rex Newkirk and family, Fred Fortenberry and family, Raymond Warren and children, Bill Crader and children, Ernest Huckabee and family, G. A. McAda, Charles Wright and baby, Doug Reeves and children, Hansel Sanders and boys, A. P. Sanders and daughter, E. W. Newton and family.

Lone Star singing will be Sunday, May 19 at Lone Star school. Everyone is invited. Mrs. Howard Smith was hostess Thursday afternoon for a bridge party. In attendance were Mmes. Kenneth Wofford, Jim Bert Bobbitt, Ted Oliver, Earlie Johnston, Bob Jarrett, Conrad Henderson, Gene McClelland, Bob Miller, Rusty Bacus, Bryan Smith, Robert Lee Smith. Mrs. Henderson won high score and Mrs. McClelland consolation.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans and

of finances necessary to meet high standards. It must be obvious to all who are interested in our schools that some of the districts, while they want and deserve the best educational system for their children, simply cannot, on the strength of their own finances, pay for such a program. This is a fact which must be taken into account in any study.

children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Smith and children were Friday night dinner guests in the George Weast home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith spent Mothers Day in Tullia with Mr. and Mrs. John Ross Crocker.

Mrs. Virgil Adams, Gordon and Ruby spent the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moffett at Clarendon. Mr. Adams accompanied them home Monday. Enroute they visited a son, Joe Adams and family at Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Schaffner left Thursday to visit her father, Henry Hagers at Wilson and to O'Donnell to visit a son, Melvin Schaffner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Howard and children of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Schaffner visited Sunday with the Elmo Schaffner family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Schaffner, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Green of Floydada went fishing at Buffalo Lake Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Schaffner visited Clem Gilispie in Levelland Tuesday. He has been ill a long time.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wilson of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Mathis last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Sanders and children left Thursday for Stamford to visit his mother, Doug Reeves and family are staying in the Elmo Reeves home until they return.

Mrs. Rene Yeary will have a music recital Monday, May 20 at South Plains school.

Ladies Bible Class of Sterley Methodist Church met Tuesday at church. Attending were

Mmes. Rex Newkirk, tenberry, A. P. Reeves, Doug Boogie, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith, the home of Mullins who gathered for dinner.

J. B. Nelson, or from O'Donnell and they enjoyed their visit.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Boone spent Sunday with her daughter, Faraker and family.

Sunday dinner at Davis home at Loy Davis, Mrs. M. L. Boone, M. L. Boone, Children.

Visiting in home Sunday M. L. Boone, Children.



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Zenger was thrown into prison, and his bail was fixed at 500 pounds, a large sum for those days and quite beyond his ability to furnish. He stayed in jail for months, and his situation appeared hopeless.

The case finally was called the attention of Andrew Hamilton, a distinguished Pennsylvania

lawyer, who took up Zenger's case as a public service. Hamilton forced the case to trial, and he spoke to the jury, which led to Zenger's acquittal. It is a ringing statement of what the press in America must still vigilantly fight for.

All men have the right, Hamilton maintained, "publicly to reprobate the abuses of power, and to assert with courage the sense they have of the blessing of liberty... and their resolution as all men to preserve it."

Today in our country executive orders by presidents and private interests alike appear to be the press are counter to law. Nevertheless, and today the press must battle constantly to keep freedom intact.

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REA Is Passed Legislature

use Bill No. 547, commonly known as the REA bill, passed in the House and Senate the past week, despite efforts of electric utilities to block its passage. The co-operatives fought the passage of the bill in the last week on the grounds it would "take members from REA and would impose new restrictions upon electric co-operatives."

Alvin Henry and John Sherman of this county were Austin representatives in the House. Electric Co-operative which serves Floyd and a number of other adjoining cities.

Representative Leroy Saul of district was chairman of subcommittee which wrote and pushed the measure out of State Affairs Committee. In statement released this week Saul says that the bill permits the REA to keep and maintain their customers in annexed areas of cities and legions other areas of operations expressed satisfaction that the bill was fair to both co-operatives and cities.

Mr. Henry said Tuesday that co-operatives objection to bill included provisions that REA from expanding its area which has been incorporated by a city, and that it imposes "new restrictions on co-operatives which the Supreme Court refused to sustain and which the Attorney General disapproved in open court." According to Mr. Henry further objections to the bill include the fact that it prohibits a co-op from serving any load formerly served by a power company where the law before and the REA prohibit a co-op from serving any area already adequately served. The co-ops feel that they should have full power to serve anyone in their rural areas, without restriction.

The bill states that co-ops prohibited from serving new areas in an annexed area unless service is not available in the power company. In effect, it was said this means that a co-op cannot add new customers in annexed areas. Mr. Henry said that co-operatives feel that the bill will take members away from REA and does not allow equal rights with other power companies.

In his statement Representative Saul said that he had recommended to include suggested provisions that the REA be limited ten years in their rights to main in annexed areas. The bill as recommended by the



Procedure For Notaries Public Is Announced

Secretary of State Zollie Steakley has announced that he will reappoint persons now holding notary public commissions but that such persons must re-qualify by the filing of a new oath and bond with the County Clerk of his residence between June 1, 1957 and June 10.

Steakley emphasized that notaries public should not send requests for reappointment or for commission directly to the Secretary of State. The law specifically requires the County Clerks to approve notary bonds.

Any person not now a notary public who desires appointment should apply to his County Clerk between now and May 20. Application during this period will assure prompt attention

before the rush procedure of re-appointing present notaries.

Secretary of State Steakley further pointed out that each person applying for a commission as a notary public must be at least 21 years of age and a resident of the county for which he is appointed. The exact name and permanent address of the applicant must be furnished the County Clerk.

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sub-committee and finally passed, allows the REA to remain in any annexed area in which they are now operating forever.

The West Texas Legislature declared, "In my opinion the Senate used great wisdom in passing the House version of the REA bill. I sincerely believe that if the Senate had passed one amendment on the House bill, which would have forced it into a conference committee, the measure would have died there and there would have been no REA bill. I am proud that there was not one single amendment or change in the bill in my sub-committee vote from the time we recommended it to the State Affairs Committee in the House until it reached the Governor's desk."

Saul stated that an article in the April issue of TEXAS CO-OP, official publication of the REA Co-operatives, demanded that the REA be legally authorized to do the following:

1. Serve the farm of a man who lives in town.
2. Serve an oil well pump in the country for an oil company whose principle office is in the city.
3. Continue to serve a house

in an area annexed to a city after the owner sells it to a person who was not previously a co-op member.

4. Continue service to many inhabitants of towns such as Lone Star and others that now exceed 1,500 inhabitants but have no other source of electricity.

Saul stated, "All four of these needed provisions were written into the bill by our subcommittee and are now law. The REA is fully legalized now to do the four things they declared they had to have permission to do. Under this bill no lights of any REA member presently living within or without the city limits will be turned off."

PROVIDENCE

The community continues to be blessed with nice rains. So far the farmers are glad to see the rains. The wheat is especially benefiting.

Dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes.

Visiting in the Wilfred Stoerner home Sunday were Mrs. Pearl McCormick of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Ross and girls of Hale Center.

Dinner guests Sunday in the Alvin Dietrich home were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Brasher, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Dietrich and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Word, Miss Lou Ann Word, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Christian.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes was in Tulia Monday. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones and newly adopted daughter, Doris June who live in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stoerner and sons visited relatives in Wichita Falls over the weekend.

Attending North West Texas group meeting at Sagerton, Texas were Rev. Windecker, Mr. and Mrs. Kari Sammann, Mrs. L. B. Brandes, Mrs. Ben Brandes, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stoerner and sons.

CROSS ROADS REPORT

Dear Editor:

I note that Senator McCarthy has passed on, and there was poorly concealed glee in some of the pious comments on this event.

Practically everybody claimed to go along with the Senator's motives in fighting Communism, but some bewailed the way he went about it.

Which reminds my bull-headed neighbor that in his long and screwballish life he has not heard very many non-hit dogs complain about the methods used in rock throwing.

D. E. SCOTT
Crossroads, U. S. A.

BOND ISSUE PLANNED FOR VETERAN LANDS

Austin — A major step was taken last week to put a new phase of the Veterans' Land Program into operation.

The Veterans' Land Board approved what amounts to the issuing of \$12,500,000 in bonds to finance new loans through the program.

The Board actually filed for bids to buy the bonds.

The fund created from the sale of these bonds will be the first part of the \$100,000,000 program extension approved by voters last November to be used for loans to veterans.

Bids on the bonds will be received until 9 o'clock May 28, when they will be opened.

Members of the Veterans' Land Board are L. E. Page of Carthage, William Gossett of El Campo, and Land Commissioner Earl Rudder.

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Scout Troop Committee Is Re-Organized

Boy Scout Troop No. 59 was re-registered at a meeting of the Scouts and a troop committee selected in a meeting Monday night at the Scout Hut. The Troop is sponsored by the Lockney Rotary Club.

Lloyd Wofford, president of the Rotary Club, was named institutional representative. Earl Minter is chairman of the troop committee, and the remainder of the committee will be Raymond Watson, Hubert Davis, Edgar R. Heys, Lavon Johnson, Bob Miller, Henry Ansley and Elmer Stapp.

Scoutmaster is Jerry Paul Cooper and assistant Scoutmaster is O. E. Durham, Explorer Advisor is Billy Ed Whitfill.

Scouts registering for the coming year were William E. Dodson, Robert W. Workman, Page E. Durham, Alvin L. Vernon, Thomas J. Durham, Jerry L. Watson, Jim A. Whitfill, Pat D. O'Brien, Raymond D. Davis, Jerry M. Johnson, Robert B. Holt, Ricky D. Collis, Jerry D. Vernon.

Explorers who registered are James W. Taylor, Clarence W. Ansley, Jimmy E. Minter, J. Mickey Clarkston, and Rosalie D. Sanchez.

All boys 11 through 14 years of age who are interested in becoming Scouts are invited to attend the Scout meeting at the Scout Hut on Monday evening at 7:30.

Jester To Hold Opening Saturday

The newly remodeled and redecorated Jester's Food Store will have its formal opening Saturday of this week. Free drinks for everyone and free balloons and suckers for the kiddies will be served all day.

The store opened last Friday after a remodeling program is now on a strictly cash basis. Operating on the slogan, "Pay Cash and Pay Less" Mr. Jester has increased his stock and the operating efficiency of the store in an effort to better serve the public, he said this week.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Beacon Office.

Offers \$10 For Oldest "Means Of Survival" Contract

Ivling Bepsett, who is somewhat of an old timer himself in Floyd County, is offering a \$10 prize for the oldest "means of survival" contract to be signed in this county and produced at the Old Settlers' reunion at Floydada May 28.

Mr. Bennett said this week that he knew of one or two very old contracts of this nature and he was hoping that his offer would unearth additional ones. He emphasized that the contracts must be "means of survival" type, that is wherein a man contracted a certain kind of work to make a living. Land contracts are not eligible for the prize.

Call Election On Weed Control Dist.

The Floyd County Commissioners Court, acting upon a petition presented to them recently, issued an order Monday for an election in this county to determine whether or not a weed control district will be organized. The date of the election was set for July 20.

"We wanted to wait until after wheat harvest to hold the election," members of the Court said.

The Court has not decided as yet how many boxes will be set up in the county for the election. It was indicated that probably an election box would not be set up in each election precinct.

Any tax payer otherwise qualified to vote will be eligible to vote in this election, Judge McBrien said.

Fall Victim Is Much Improved

Ross Baird, 7-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Baird of Barwise community, who suffered a badly fractured skull in a fall at Barwise elevator Tuesday of last week, is reported to be much improved. Relatives say the boy may be able to be out of bed by Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Danford and Jo of Hubbard, Texas, spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Danford and Stevie.



ROLAND WATSON is president of the senior class of Lockney High this year.

Soybean Meeting Set For May 24th

A meeting to discuss the possibility of soybeans for a crop in Floyd County has been set for Friday evening, May 24th in the County Court room at Floydada. It is to begin at 8 p. m.

The meeting is sponsored by the agriculture committee of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce. Speaker for the evening will be Jack King, who is with the Lubbock Experiment Station. Also a panel discussion will be held with Chester and R. C. Mitchell and Jerry Paul Cooper, all of Lockney and Fred Cardinal of Floydada on the panel. These men have a combined experience of 11 years in growing soybeans.

Everyone interested is invited to attend, according to Frank Sharman, chairman of the committee.

May Is Transfer Month For Pupils

Deadline for transfers on scholastics is June 1 if students are to attend school in districts other than the one in which they live.

This date was pointed out this week by Clarence Guffee, county school superintendent, who said there are no automatic transfers.

Students must obtain transfers for grades that are not taught in their home districts.

22 Sign Up For Pony League

Only 22 boys had signed up to play in the Pony Baseball League this summer up to Wednesday and it appeared that there may not be a league if more interest is not shown by the boys. At least four teams are needed if there is to be a League and four teams will require at least 48 boys. The ages are 13, 14 and 15 with boys who will not be 16 years of age on August 31 eligible to play.

Boys who are interested may sign up at The Beacon office or with R. H. Ford. Ford has been named commissioner of the League and will oversee the planning for the season as well as outline rules.

The League is being sponsored by the Lockney Rotary Club who will bear a part of the expense of the season's play. However parents of the boys signing up are requested to make some contribution toward the league's expense if they are able to do so.

8th Grade—

(Continued from Page 1)
Gayle Kendrick, Marvin Lemons, Rita Marshal, Mickey Mosley, Warren Mitchell, Orelia Muniz, Beverley Poteet, Kay Pickle, Donna Reagan, Gay Lynn Roberson, Billy Rolling, Nancy Schacht, Charlotte Seago, Larry Stapp, Albert Stalcup, Charlotte Taylor, Jimmy Taylor, Dale Tyler, Maxine Vanek, Raye Watson, Johnny Willis, Raymond Wilson, Lou Ann Word, Alcarlo Garcia, Benny Crank.

Mary Ann Ballard, Janice Boedeker, Louise Bollman, Ann Brown, June Caldwell, Doris Eiland, Linda Gammage, Evelyn Guerra, Glenda Harden, Myrna Loy Hays, Laneta Jones, Mary Lucy, Kay Martin, Carolyn Merrell, Kim Mickey Marcia Minter, Virginia Morris, Jane Carol Phillips, Sandra Reagan, Margaret Schacht, Frances Stapp, Barbara Withrow, Jerry Chesshir, Page Durham, Truman Johnson, Derral Kent, Bill Mangold, Bobby Pirner, Rodney Rigby, Jerry Sams, Annita Clary, Freddie Nelson Gant, James Wieland, Mary V. Martinez.

BACKBONE can help you to success if the knob at the top isn't made of the same material.

Softball Teams To Meet Tues. Nite

All teams interested in playing softball and organizing a league this year are urged to attend a meeting at the Lockney Fire Hall Tuesday night, May 21 at 8 o'clock.

Purpose of the meeting is to secure a commissioner for the season. Teams from surrounding communities are urged to be represented.

HANG IT UP
Never stand a broom or brush on its bristles in the closet. Screw a cup-hook at the end of the handle and hang it up so the bristles don't touch the floor. This prevents the brush from losing its shape or wearing out sooner than necessary.

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Farm Bureau Is Controlled By Members

Waco. — Whenever an organization ceases to be controlled by its members, it ceases to be representative and loses its right to recognition as the official bargaining agent of that group. J. Walter Hammond, president of the Texas Farm Bureau, has stated.

Hammond was referring to a statement of Dave Beck, president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, as quoted in the April 8 issue of Time Magazine that "truck drivers and bottle washers" should not be allowed to "make de-

isions affecting union policy." "Farm Bureau derives its strength from its membership," Hammond said, "and the members are not only charged with the responsibility of making all its decisions, they fix the policies and set the course of the organization themselves." Farm Bureau policy, he said, "revolves out of the minds of individuals" and becomes official by being adopted — by majority vote — at the annual county, state, and national conventions.

The members, he said, also actively participate in the enactment of the organization's legislative policies through contacts with their senators and representatives.

He termed as "vanguards of democracy" those who "thus think and act for themselves and refuse to be forced into subservience" to an autocratic leadership, and said that "decadence and corruption" usually follows when "the voice of the masses is supplanted by absolute monopolistic control invested in a few individuals."

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CROSS ROADS REPORT

Dear Editor: I see where great stress is being laid by certain elements of the government on the matter of making the Post Office Department pay a profit.

Local chapter of the Hoopay for our side lodge has sent off a letter to Pres. Ike recommending that if the present management of the Postal service can't make this business pay, he ought to get a new boy.

Would also be helpful to taxpayers if the Army and Navy and the Foreign Post Office Department had to show a profit on their organizations too.

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Blood Pressure May Be Treated Successfully Now

Austin — People who suffer with hypertension, or high blood pressure, nowadays have more reason for optimism than they would have had a generation ago.

In itself hypertension is not a disease. It's a sign of something wrong, like the stuffy feeling that comes with a cold. The danger accrues because of the possibility of serious heart or kidney damage when blood pressure is consistently high.

It isn't true that the higher the blood pressure the more reason to fear heart damage. Research has shown that temporary increases in pressure do not really make much difference. But even mild elevations in the blood pressure considered normal for the person involved — if the increase persists — may cause the walls of blood vessels to toughen, exactly as callouses are formed on hands by regular use of an axe or hoe.

In the most common type of high blood pressure, called "essential hypertension", the tiny

branches of arteries which carry blood to all body tissues (called arterioles) begin to tighten up. Blood passageways become smaller and smaller, and the heart has to work harder to push the blood through. After a time the blood vessels lose their elasticity and the heart muscles thicken with the extra work load. Result: high blood pressure, and ultimately heart damage.

What causes the arterioles to tighten and constrict? No one knows.

High blood pressure sometimes goes up for a period of days or weeks — or even longer — and then drops back to normal. Sometimes it may jump from pure nervousness while your physician is examining you. Perhaps there is a connection between hypertension and the strain of modern life. People who work under constant stress, who worry too much, are often susceptible. Heredity is a probable factor, and the condition occurs most often in persons between 30 and 50.

Low blood pressure seldom causes trouble. Afflicting relatively few people to a serious extent, the condition is usually

a symptom of a specific disease which can frequently be treated successfully.

The thing which will count most in adding years to the life of hypertension sufferers is the willingness to change their living habits, following the rules of moderation in everything. By getting under a doctor's care and following a few simple rules for moderate living, you can probably work and enjoy life as long or longer than their next-door neighbors without high blood pressure.

There is nothing to gain from worry about your chances of developing hypertension. Just make it a point to have a physical examination at least once a year. And worry and argue as little as possible.

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Chill a large bunch of the biggest and firmest grapes you can find, in the storage compartment of your refrigerator. Cut almost through and remove the seeds. With a little cream and Roquefort cheese, mix together until creamy, seasoning with paprika. Stuff the grapes. Chill again. Serve with salads or as an hors d'oeuvre.

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The Prophecy Of The Senior Class Of 1957

Yes, it's 1967. As we all remember the atomic bomb blew up the world and we are living on the moon. Since I, Lonell Hays, am one of the last of the class of '57 to arrive at this new home, I am at a loss as to what fates have befallen my fellow seniors.

In the first glance of this new world I see a multitude of stars shining down on a velvet carpet of earth. Soft, cool breezes sway the gentle palm trees. The leaves slightly brush against my cheek.

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of a saloon, is Paul Ray Williams. He is working for Gene Handley, the sole owner of the place. "Fat" said that Gene had an offer from the movies to play in "I Made You Love Me." He decided that making girls swoon wouldn't be good for their health.

Finally I spend the night in the "Rest at Your Risk Hotel" over the saloon.

When the bright sun shines in my window the following morning, I quickly start on my excavation.

While eating my breakfast, I see an old acquaintance — Ann Davis who is still trying to decide which of three men to marry. One has money, one has looks, one has both but is a casanova. I wonder which one she'll choose?

Patsy Vaneck and Arlene Matthews are co-owners of an exclusive dress and hat shop. Each has recently turned down a proposal.

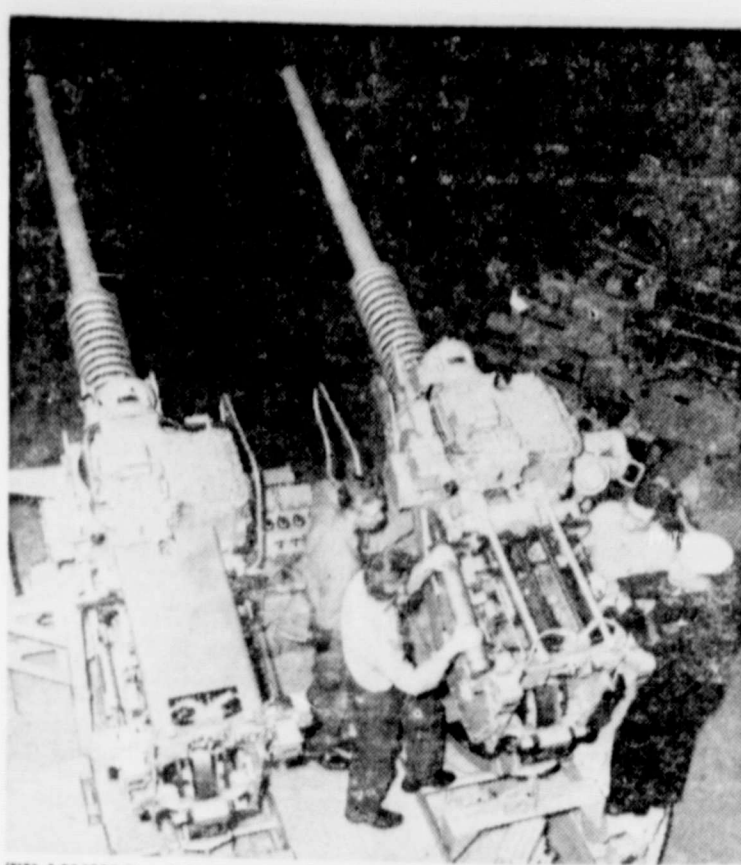
Katie Rucker is nominee for "Miss Moon" for 1967.

Marvin Wells is assistant to Einstein. He is helping prove that a curved line is the shortest distance between two points.

Having finished my breakfast I go on my merry way.

Up the road is a carnival. Selling peanuts and popcorn is Moose Meriwether. Head clown is Jerry Workman. Margie Sechrist will take an 8x10 picture in color while you wait.

I meet Floy Baxter, Laquita Helms and Peggy Hall as I make my exit. They are taking their children to their first carnival. Following slowly behind in her wheel chair is L. Juan McCormick with her grandchildren. How exciting



TRAINING with the Navy's automatic three inch anti-aircraft gun at Great Lakes' gunner's mates school prepares these American bluejackets for duty with the Fleet. The new Navy in training is the theme visitors will see at homecoming and Open House this summer at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois.

(Official U. S. Navy Photo)

Ahead of me by a beautiful lake I see four gorgeous women. Lynn Jolly, Nelda Widener, Jackie Boyd and Pat Reed gathered around something on a pedestal. As I draw closer I hear swooning and sighs. Is it Elvis Presley singing? No, it's Roland Watson and he's just sitting there.

To my left is a school building. I decided to enter and see how many of my old classmates are teachers. There is Rita Giffith teaching Home Economics. Betty Foster is teaching P. E. in the "hall of biceps." Kenneth Kendrick is the Band Director. Kitty Ford is teaching physics but rumors are that she and the principal are planning to elope. We were unable to talk with the F. F. A. teacher, Jerry Mickey, because he was out on a field trip with the County Agent, Sammy Lynn.

Next door is a grocery store run by Brannon Darnell. Since I hadn't seen Brannon in a long time, I sat down and had a long chat with him. He said that Francis Haile is singing opera in one of the biggest opera houses in the city. Taking the place of Kitty Wells on the "Grand Ole Opry" is Charlene Messimer. He asks me if I knew that David Frizzell is the football coach at L. H. S. His ambition is to beat Spur 60-0. Loyd Widener, mayor, and Donice Casey, chief of police have recently ridden the city of all gangsters. Shall I mention the gangsters?

It is almost night again. I'm very tired mentally from the shocks of the day, but I mustn't miss the grand performance of the Boston Symphony Orchestra. A taxi quickly takes me to the gigantic auditorium. I see one empty seat about a hundred yards ahead of me. By force, I manage to push to my seat. While regaining my breath, someone by my side laughs loudly. I would know that laugh anywhere. It's Carolyn Cunningham and several of her classmates — Nelda Cates, Ann McCool, Barbara Savage, Barbara Taylor, what a nice surprise. Oh! The music is about to begin. First on the program is

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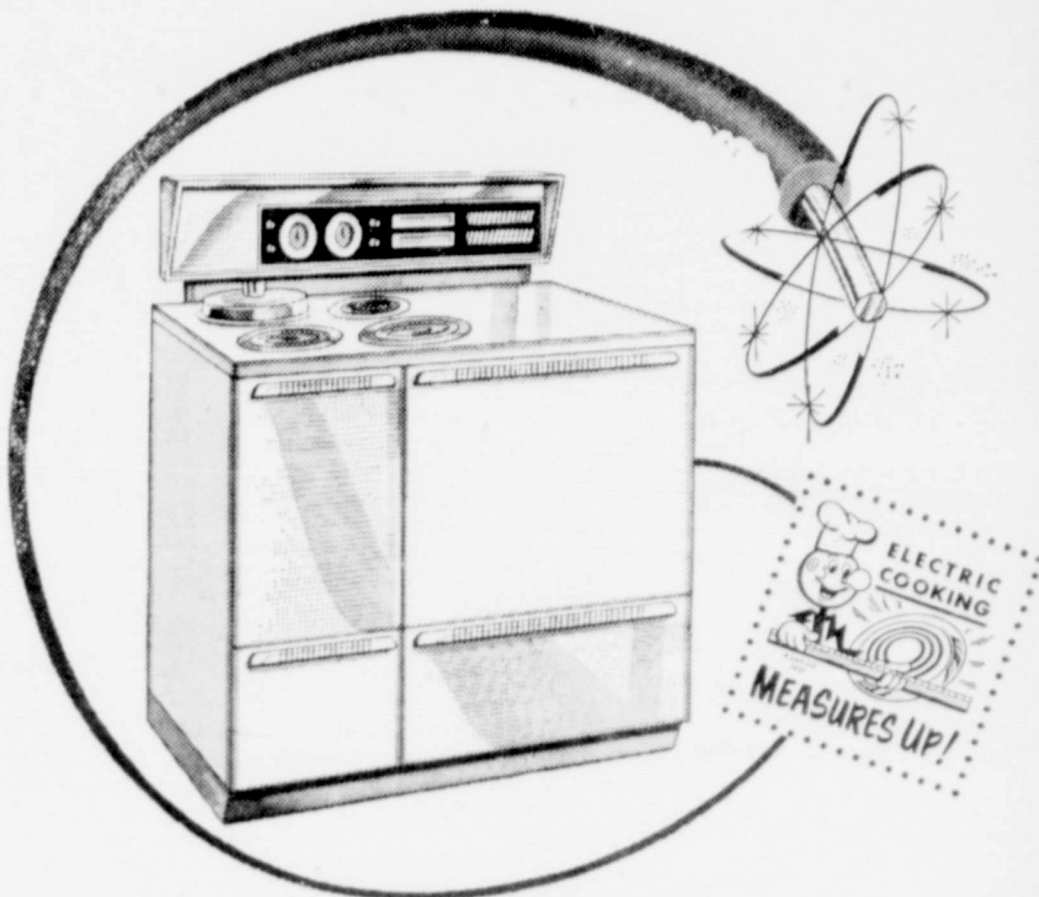
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Crossroads, U. S. A.
D. E. Scott

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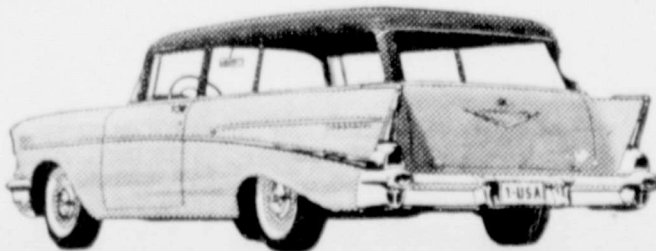
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Minute Editorials

When I consider Thy heavens — the moon and the stars which Thou hast ordained: What is man, that Thou art mindful of him? — Psalm 8: 3-4

THE BEACON wishes to add our congratulations, along with others of this area, to the graduates of the Lockney school system, both the High School graduates and the Eighth Grade graduates. Nothing will ever give you quite the same kind of a thrill that you receive from graduation. It is an honor you have won for yourself. The work that you have done, the knowledge you have stored up entitles you to the honor of receiving a diploma. No one else can earn it for you and you can not buy it. You must do it for yourself and for that reason it is something to be proud of and to cherish. Congratulations and best wishes to all the graduates.

SURPRISING is the amount of business-house improvements that have been done in Lockney this spring. New store fronts, new awnings, interiors remodeled and repainted, new fixtures added and now comes new roofs. It is a mark of confidence in the future of the city, and well as one which indicates civic pride. We keep hearing rumors of some new business buildings. Perhaps that will come later in the year.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY John Stapleton sends us a copy of Senator Lyndon B. Johnson's Washington News Letter and asks that we quote two paragraphs from it. The letter generally discusses the budget and money matters and the two paragraphs in particular say: "Where and how will budget cuts be made? Every request for spending must be subjected to the searching scrutiny by Congress. I am chairman of the Appropriations Subcommittee that heard Secretary of State Dulles say the State Department just had to have back at least \$29 million of the \$47 million cut from its budget by the House of Representatives. I couldn't keep from noting that Mr. Dulles asked for \$76 million more than was included in the last budget request of a Democratic Secretary of State. Other Cabinet officials will be making similar pleas for their own departments. I will not judge their appeals in advance. But each case must stand or fall on its own merits."

"Has the Agriculture Department's work load increased by 25 percent during the Eisenhower administration? You wouldn't think so, judging by all that is not being done for our farmers. The fact remains that when the present Administration took over in January 1953 the Department had 65,675 full-time and part-time employ-

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ees. It now has 81,747. That's an increase of nearly one-fourth. Can the Agriculture Department's budget be reduced? We will find out."

In commenting on the letter, Mr. Stapleton says, "Eisenhower, the great white hope to put the country back on a business basis by balancing the budget does not appear to be doing so." The only comment Ye Editor would have on that statement is, "Amen, Brother!" To our notion Mr. Eisenhower is fast losing his prestige with a lot of people.

WE HAVE another communication from Floydada, this one unsigned. It appears to take offense at our editorial last week concerning the so-called "Democrats of Texas" organization. That is the group who have declared that they will in no way support the present State Democratic Executive Committee and are apparently organizing to replace the present members with those of their own choosing. The sender encloses a leaflet, a copy of which we already had, telling of the new DOT organization, and questions whether the organization says that it plans to replace the present committee. We'll say that the leaflet strongly infers that is what it intends to do, since it complains loudly of the way the present State Committee is organized. Besides the real goal of the DOT is to be decided Saturday, May 18, in Austin so the leaders couldn't come out ahead of time and say what they were going to do. That wouldn't be giving the lowly members a chance to be heard.

WE'VE NOTICED that when a minority wants to control they organize. And the smaller the minority the better the organization must be. Why not just let the people decide the matter in a Democratic way? Probably most people would like it better that way.

ONE THING about not planting tomatoes is that if it's a good year your neighbor will proudly give you some from his surplus and if it's a bad year you wouldn't have any anyway.



With Our EXCHANGES

PUBLICITY CHAIRMEN
Tulia has reached the size when we have literally scores of clubs, projects, drives, sports activities, and other organizations, all of which, more or less, are dependent upon public support for success. We have passed the stage where "everybody knows what everybody else is doing."

Most of these activities name slates of directors, among whom are "publicity chairmen." It would appear that many of these publicity chairmen simply are not familiar with their duties. Some wait until the day before the paper comes out, usually after the news deadline, and frantically phone in a report of a forthcoming activity. As a result the paper is unable to devote more than a few lines, if any at all, to the project.

Others perhaps turn in a brief item a month or two in advance of the project — and that's the last time they are heard from. Still others just never get around to reporting anything to the newspaper. Recently a major event was held here and we never even saw the publicity chairman before or after the performances.

No paper, whether it be in Tulia or Dallas, has a staff sufficient to cover everything going on in a community. Economic conditions make it impossible. For that reason, it is up to the "publicity chairman" to work hand in hand with a newspaper if he is to fulfill the functions of his position. As a matter of information to all publicity chairmen, may we offer several important suggestions which would make for more effective news coverage and promotion of the project in which they are interested.

A meeting is held and a date is set for the project, usually several weeks away. The chairman should come by the newspaper and give the editor a brief announcement. Details should come later. If the project is one of unusual importance, requiring several stories, the chairman should come by each week with information for a different story. For the last paper before the project, a complete recapitulation of all the phases of the project should be provided. By all means don't give the editor a story and say, "Run this every week until it happens." It ceases to be news after the first run.

If pictures are required, the newspaper should be given as much time as possible. If any changes are made in the project, such as postponement, by all means the paper should be notified. Some may wonder why it isn't sufficient to turn all the information over to the paper at one time and let the paper work-

with it from then on. There is always the chance that a news editor may forget one of the dozens of events going on each week. If he forgets, the mistake cannot be corrected. So for the good of the sponsoring organization, the publicity chairman should assume the responsibility for not letting the paper forget. If the project is one which should have a follow up story, this information should also be handled the same way. It's a relatively small job for each organization, to take care of its own project — but the task becomes impossible when 25 organizations all toss the responsibility into the lap of the newspaper — Tulia Herald.

ABOUT ZONING

It seems to us not too early in the life of the city for at least a far approach be made toward zoning. Some cities postpone this necessary planning until they spread out all over the countryside; zoning then poses problems and cannot fail to affect adversely some property owners. Actually zoning even in a small town like Muleshoe would bring hardships to some, yet the benefits would far outweigh the inconveniences. Some types of business, if installed in a good neighborhood that has always been a residential area would tend to affect adversely some of the nearby residents. We believe the city could begin to get ready to start studying zoning for residential, business, and industrial construction. — Muleshoe Journal.



Dear Editor:
I see where a Prof. Cohen says that poverty is going to be completely abolished in ten years.

I want to warn the Prof. that if he aims to get rid of my personal poverty along with everybody else's, he is going to have to open up a new can of technique.

On account of I have already tried all of the standard methods of poverty abolition except bank robbing and work, and none of them has made any perceptible dent in my destitution.
D. E. SCOTT
Crossroads, U. S. A.

Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

May 19, 1927
A committee of citizens are working on plans for a new \$50,000 modern hotel to be erected in Lockney. Artie Baker is chairman of the committee and he says the plans are ready for approval of the citizens of the city.

C. L. Anderson, Tom Cope and others have been busy the past few days setting back the fences on North Main Street, north of the Denver right of way so that the street will be 100 feet wide. This width is necessary at the tracks for a full width crossing.

C. C. Tate of Lockney who is a candidate for a Bachelor of Science degree in electrical engineering at the Kansas State Agricultural college in June, has been accepted by the General Electric Company of Schenectady, New York for a student engineering course.

May 18, 1945
Pfc Johnnie T. McLeland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Zeff McLeland of Lockney, was seriously wounded in Germany April 30. Pfc McLeland was pushing his motorcycle along a footpath when his foot struck a mine, resulting in an injury which necessitated the amputation of the lower two-thirds of his right leg below the knee.

Miss Sally Patterson enrolled in the Texas State College for Women Summer School of Spanish at Saltillo, Mexico. Wayne Greer, son of Dr. and Mrs. N. E. Greer of Lockney has been promoted from Captain to Major according to a letter received by his parents Thursday. Major Greer is serving at a hospital center somewhere in the Philippines.

Lt. E. L. (Pat) Woodburn has completed a training course at New Orleans and is being sent to Otumwa, Iowa as instructor in the Naval Air Corps. Misses Stella Strickland and Geraldine Livesay of Lockney

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Commencement At West Texas May 26

Canyon—Southern Methodist University's president, Dr. William M. Tate, will be the speaker at West Texas State College's ring commencement exercises to be held here May 26. Some 10 students will be candidates for degrees.

The combined baccalaureate and commencement services will be held at 5 p. m. in the West Texas State field house, where President James P. Cornette will award degrees following Dr. Tate's address. Activities for graduating students open May 23 with a Senior Class Day assembly. President and Mrs. Cornette will honor graduates at a reception May 25.

Society

Bride-To-Be Complimented

Miss Joan Harris, bride-elect of Robert Dane Clark, was complimented at a nuptial shower given in her honor in the home of Mrs. Lucy Thomas, Saturday, May 11. Calling hours were 3 to 5 p. m.

Guests were received by Mrs. Thomas and presented to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Clark Harris, grandmother, Mrs. Jesse Harris, Plainview, Mrs. L. L. Clark Jr., mother of the prospective bridegroom and his grandmother, Mrs. S. S. Daniel, both of Floydada.

Miss Carolyn Harris, sister of the honoree, secured names for the register.

The refreshment table was laid with a white ruffled net cloth over white linen and centered with an arrangement of daisies and greenery accented with white wedding bells. A white umbrella shaded the flower arrangement from a shower cloud hanging above. Carrying out the bride-elect's chosen colors of yellow and turquoise, the plate favors were yellow rabbits with turquoise eyes. Lime sherbet punch was served with cakes iced in yellow and topped with wedding bells.

Alternating at the serving table were Mrs. Warren Mathis, Mrs. Delton Jack, Mrs. Eddie Joe Foster, Miss Shirley Mitchell, Miss Sandra Myers and Miss Patty Adams.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Lucy Thomas, Chester Mitchell, Hershel Carthel, J. R. Belt, H. B. Coggin, Joe Foster, Ernest Tannahill, Jesse Cox, Ike Johnson, Fritz Schacht, A. P. Barker, Art Barker, Edgar Hays, C. J. Taylor, Oliver Holmes, Marvin Gilbert, Loren C. H. Rose, Kenneth Wofford, George Myers, Lewis Busby, O. C. Allison, Buck Sams, Warren Mathis, Clyde Hill and Delton Jack.

Mrs. Coggin Hosts Busy Mothers Class

Mrs. H. B. Coggin was hostess in her home Wednesday at a covered dish luncheon for members of Busy Mothers Class of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Hugh Counts gave a story and conducted a game. Mrs. Coggin read some beautiful Mothers Day poetry she had received from her son, Morris.

Visitors of the class for the day were Miss Mildred Thomas, Mrs. L. A. Cooper, Mrs. Ida Dodson, and Rev. H. B. Coggin. Class members in attendance were Misses Hugh Counts, Pearl Hall, E. E. Harris, W. H. Fields, Mattie Griffith, Fannie Brown, Leslie Floyd, W. L. Thomas, Sr., F. L. Brown, H. B. Coggin and Delbert Bybee.

162 guests registered or sent gifts.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Eugene Harris, Amarillo, Mrs. W. E. Terrell and Judy, Plainview; Eddie Joe Foster, Lubbock; Mrs. Marion Cross, Mrs. Warren Mathis, Plainview; Sandra and Mary Myers, Canyon; Mrs. Buck Hickerson, Floydada.

Give glazed wall tiles the sparkle of newness by wiping with a sponge dipped in ammonia and warm water.



MISS GYNDOLEN BEAUCHAMP

Couple Plan June Wedding

Rev. and Mrs. Olan Beauchamp of McCamey announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Gyndolen, to Lawrence Reed Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Phillips of Stonewall, Oklahoma.

The bride-elect has been employed by the West Texas Utilities Company in McCamey for the past three and a half years.

The future bridegroom is presently employed by Halliburton Oil Well Cementing Company of Rankin.

The wedding date has been set for June the 15th, in the First Assembly of God Church in McCamey, with the Rev. W. M. Beauchamp, uncle of the bride-elect officiating.

Miss Beauchamp is a 1953 graduate of Lockney High School.

Rev. and Mrs. Beauchamp and family resided in Lockney for about 6 years during which time Rev. Beauchamp was pastor of the Assembly of God Church.

Beverly Norman To Wed May 29

Mr. and Mrs. Earl M. Norman of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, formerly of Lockney, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Beverly Ann to Edward Lee Hollifield, son of Mrs. Earlee Hollifield of Piggott, Arkansas.

Vows will be read by Rev. Edwin B. Dodson, May 29 in the chapel of Methodist Youth Center, Siloam Springs, Ark.

The bride-elect is a 1953 graduate of Siloam Springs High School and is presently employed as receptionist of Siloam Springs Memorial Hospital. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Piggott High School and served three years with the army. He is now a student at the University of Arkansas majoring in agriculture.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Preston of Austin are parents of a baby girl born Sunday, May 2 in an Austin hospital. The baby weighed 7 1/2 pounds at birth. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Norman, Siloam Springs, Arkansas and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Preston, San Angelo, all.

Mrs. J. E. McMeekin and Diane and Mrs. W. L. Roche and children of Sliton spent Mothers Day with Mrs. McMeekin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Quisenberry.

Former Lockney Girl Weds B. J. Peterson

Miss Carol Jean Chandler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chandler, Kress, former Lockney residents, became the bride of Bobby Joe Peterson of Odessa April 29 at Clovis, N. M.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Peterson, formerly of Plainview, Mrs. J. B. Chandler, Plainview is paternal grandmother of the bride.

The double ring ceremony was read in the sanctuary of the First Baptist Church, Clovis, by the pastor, the Rev. Mitchell.

Miss Kathy Chandler served her sister as maid of honor and Gerald Chandler, Kress, served as best man.

The bride chose a beige linen sheath dress with brown duster for her wedding. She wore beige accessories and had a corsage of yellow carnations.

Accompanying the couple to Clovis and attending the wedding were the bride's parents, the bridegroom's mother and sister, Sandra Peterson, Odessa; the bride's sister, Barbara Chandler, Kress; Mr. and Mrs. Bob McAninch and Debbie, Miss Wanda Johnson, Miss Ann White and Miss Jerry Phipps, Plainview.

The couple is now at home at Odessa where Mr. Peterson is employed.

MOTHERS DAY GUESTS

Mothers Day visitors in the Harold Griffith and Walter Griffith homes were Mrs. Sarah Corder, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Smith and baby, Derrell Fleming, Mary Eddie Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Harding Nall, all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Allen and son, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Kline Nall and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Griffith and family, Herbert Griffith and daughters, Sharon and Elizabeth, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Griffith and Theon French, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mosley and former Lockney residents.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Griffith of near Olton, are parents of a baby son, Billy Wayne, born Monday, May 13 in Plainview Hospital. The baby weighed 8 lbs., 5 ozs. He has a 21-month-old sister, Teresa Lynn. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Griffith of Lockney are the paternal grandparents and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Copeland of Olton are the maternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Quisenberry of Tulsa spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Quisenberry.

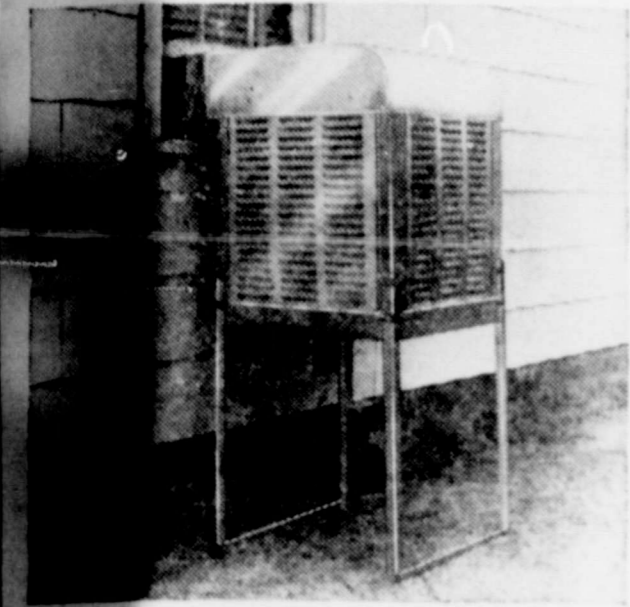
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HERE'S another group of children of this area made by a professional photographer at The Beacon office recently. Left to right, top row, the children are Janet Edwards, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Edwards of Aiken, Mary Amber Frizzell, 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frizzell of the Lane Star community, and Debra Kaye, 5-year-old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Greer, Lockney; bottom row, left to right, Susan Faye, 19-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Shugart, Route 2, Lockney; Betty Irene, 5-year-old daughter of Mrs. Frankie Dean, Lockney, and Wynette Sandlin, 7-year-old daughter of Mrs. R. F. Sandlin, Lockney. More pictures of these youngsters will be carried next week.

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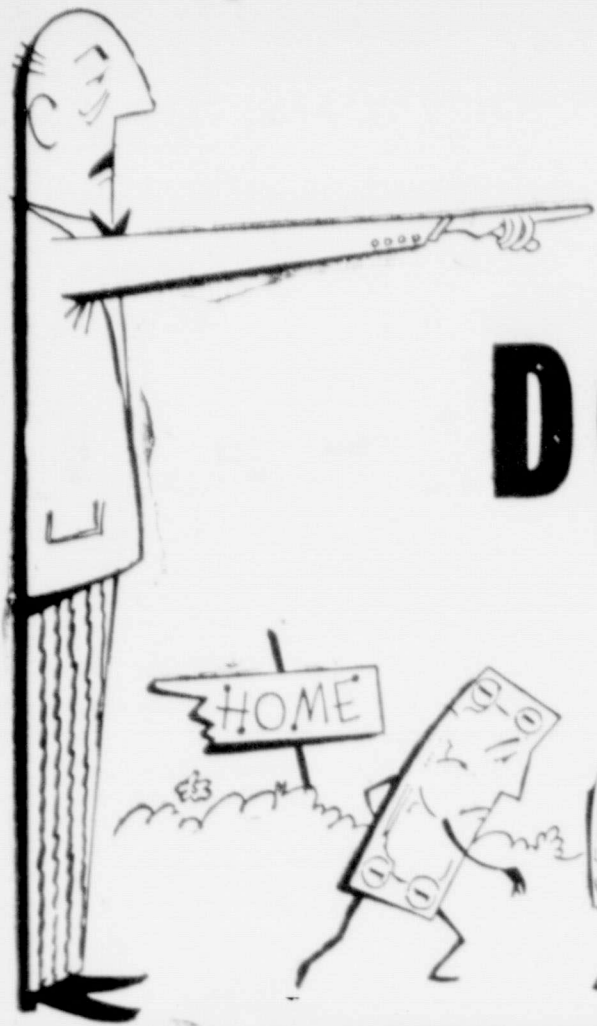
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Class

In 1945, the history of the class of '57 was gradually unfolding as eleven members of the present senior class rolled in the first grade under the guidance of Mrs. Clyde Applewhite. These are the people who gave our class its beginning. Lonell Hays who became co-captain of the football team; F. H. A. Beau; Rita Griffin, an honor student; president of the Student Council; Charlene Messimer, member of the Pep Squad; Gene Handley, best football hero and basketball star; Carolyn Cunningham, class personality and F. H. A. member; Brannon Darnell, a Longhorn fan; Donice Casey, active in F. H. A.; Katie Rucker, basketball player, and most beautiful girl; Margie Sechrist, class officer; F. H. A.; Roland Watson, Western King and class president; Paul Ray Williams, proud to be the Senior Class favorite.

In the second grade, coming from Clovis, New Mexico, was Morris Meriwether who showed how basketball should be played.

When we reached the third grade, Lynn Jolly, class officer, Senior Class Favorite and Floy Stutz, annual staff co-editor, joined us from Erick community. In addition Kitty Ford, class officer, "Miss L. H. S." joined here from Cedar Hill;



Three high school students are seen holding their State F. H. A. Degrees of Achievement. Left to right: Nelda Tims, LaJuan McCormick, and Wanda Cox.

Jerry Workman, football captain, "Mr. L. H. S." arrived from Amarillo.

In the fourth grade La Juan Henderson McCormick, Honor Society Belle, F. H. A. Officer joined us. Coming the same year from Plainview was a member of F. H. A., Jackie Boyd; from Memphis came Loyd Widener, F. H. A. delegate to National convention.

We struggled through the fifth grade with the help of Miss Norris and Mr. Dodson. In the sixth grade, Betty Foster, basketball player and annual staff co-editor came from Lubbock; Barbara Savage, member of F. H. A. and Pep Squad; Nelda Widener, class officer, and basketball queen, from Dismitt.

We were moved to the high school building in the seventh grade but new students kept finding their way to our class; Ann Davis, from Hart who was a member of the Pep Squad; Frances Lemons, F. H. A. delegate to National Convention; Marvin Wells, President and Beau of the National Honor Society, from Cedar Hill; Patsy Vanek, Football Queen and class personality from South Plains.

In the eighth grade Frances Haile, the preacher's daughter; and Jerry Mickey and his tennis ability joined our class.

Upon entering high school several new Freshmen arrived. David Frizzell, class personality and Basketball King; and Peggy Hall an active F. H. A.

Armed Forces Day At Reese May 18

The South Plains observance of Armed Forces Day, Saturday, May 18, will be centered again at Reese Air Force Base, near Lubbock with a variety of static displays arranged for Open House from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m. Col. D. Ross Ellis, base commander, has announced.

Units of all branches of the Armed Forces will cooperate in providing displays for the public to inspect and see at close range. Five types of aircraft will be on the flight line, while Army equipment, Navy equipment, and other displays will be on hand in the "POWER FOR PEACE" demonstration.

An F86D jet fighter from Perrin Air Force Base, Sherman, is scheduled to be on the flight line. Nearby will be a C-123 big troop carrier from Ardmore AFB, Oklahoma, and an H-21 helicopter from Randolph AFB, San Antonio, will be ready for inspection. Reese AFB will have its B-25 twin-engine trainer exhibited, and the T-33 jet trainer, which will go into use on the base soon.

A new attraction this year will be a display and demon-

stration of model airplanes throughout the open house. The 416th Army Reserve band is scheduled to present three concerts and the base theatre will present special showings of cartoons for the youngsters.

Donald A. Quarles, Deputy Secretary of Defense, is flying in from Washington for talks in connection with Armed Forces Day. He will address the annual banquet of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce the night of May 16th and will speak at a luncheon at the base the next day. He will return to Washington that afternoon.

As Sophomores we added Kenneth Kendrick, Band King; and Nelda Cates from Cisco, F. H. A. and Pep Squad member to our list.

In our Junior year came Sammy Lynn from Laredo, who worked very hard for the class; Barbara Taylor, F. H. A. member, came from Vernon; Marvin Christy also came to us, only to graduate at mid-term and take his singing ability with him.

Randall DeFor came from Paducah his senior year, but returned to graduate there. The last member to come to our class was Laquita Helms from Quamah.

Up of the Association of Former Students, Dr. George Stokes, Waco, will be speaker at the chapel program at 10 a. m., May 20. He is a graduate of Wayland and is now professor of speech at Baylor University.

Commencement At Wayland May 19-20

Plainview — Commencement exercises at Wayland Baptist College have been set for May 19-20 with Rev. Straus Atkinson, Canyon, as baccalaureate preacher and Charles F. Matthews, Plainview, as commencement speaker, according to President A. Hope Owen.

Rev. Atkinson is pastor of First Baptist Church, Canyon, and a member of Wayland's Board of Trustees. Mr. Matthews is superintendent of Plainview Public Schools.

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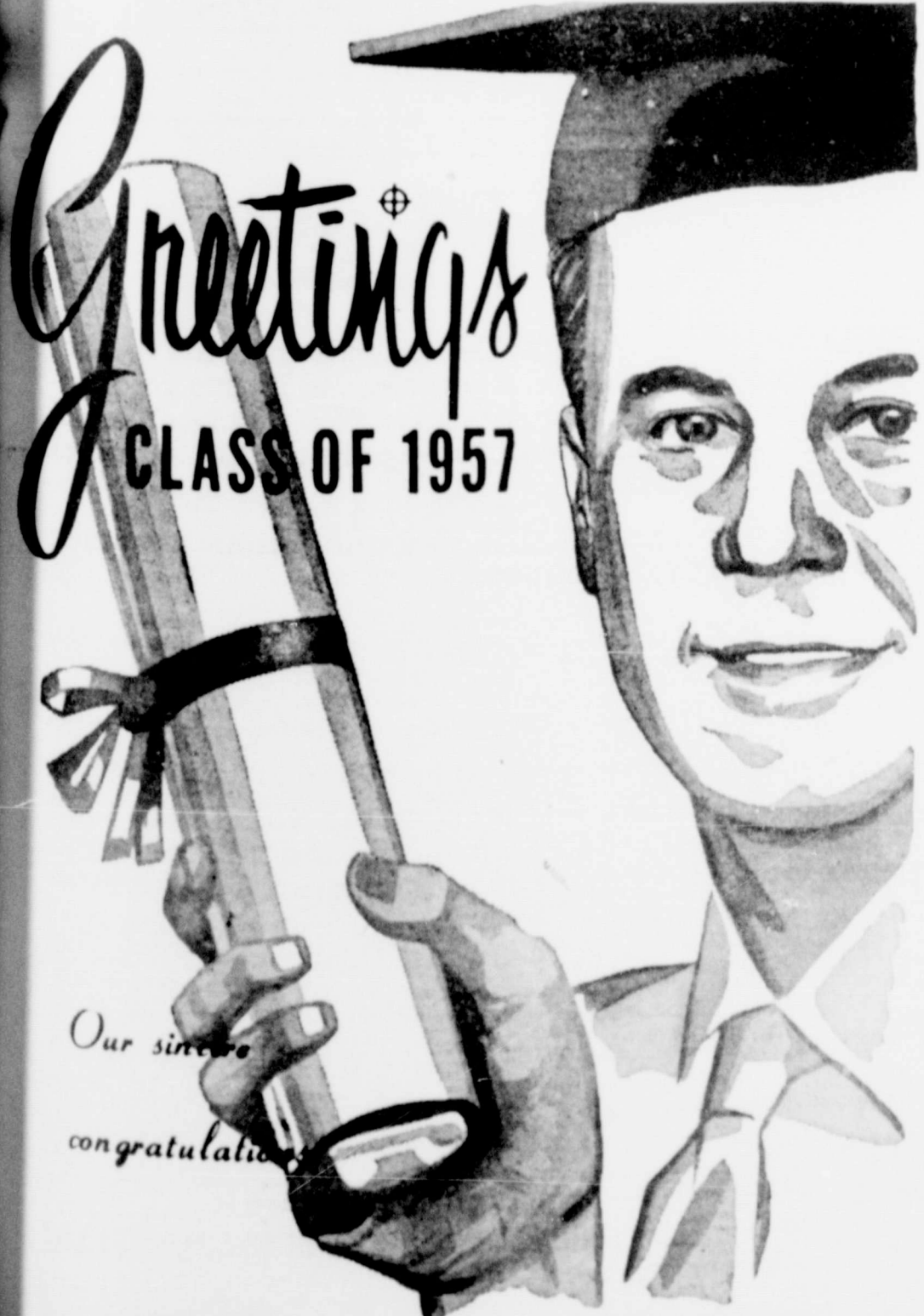
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Two Floyd Students To Graduate At WT

Canyon — Two students from Floyd County are among the 265 students listed by Dean Walter H. Juniper as candidates for degrees at West Texas State College's spring commencement on May 26.

Kenneth E. Hart, son of Mr.

and Mrs. Leland Hart, is a candidate for the Bachelor of Business Administration.

John B. Griffin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Griffin, is a candidate for the Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Industrial Arts. He is a member of Aggie Club, and Industrial Arts Club.

TRY BEACON CLASSIFIEDS.

F. A. Johnston, Jr., Buried At Knox City, May 2

Floydada. — Fred Alvin Johnston Jr., 28, was buried at Knox City Thursday, May 2. Johnston was a victim of leukemia from which he had suffered for some two months. He was with the soil conservation service and headed the Floyd County office until illness stopped him from his work.

The deceased was born February 26, 1929 at O'Brien, Texas. He was graduated from Sunset High School in Knox County and later attended Texas Tech. On November 25, 1950 he was married to Miss Jean Tallant at Anson, and one daughter, Freda Annette, age four, was born to this union.

The couple came to Floydada 18 months ago and had made their home here until the illness occurred. They were members of the First Baptist Church of Floydada.

Death came Wednesday, May 1 at Knox County Hospital where the deceased had been carried for treatment. Funeral service was at the First Baptist Church in O'Brien with burial in the Knox City Cemetery.

Johnston is survived by his wife, daughter Freda Annette, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Johnston Sr., of Knox City, brother, Jerry Johnston of Knox City, and sister, Mrs. John McGaughey of Knox City.

Plains Cooperative Creamery To Pay Off Stockholders Soon

Stockholders of the Plains Cooperative, Inc., of Plainview, Texas, will shortly receive a final settlement on their stock according to an announcement by Frank Weil, president of the former dairy cooperative.

Stockholders are asked to complete the form shown elsewhere in this issue and mail it to the creamery in Plainview. Weil emphasized that many stockholders had moved away from their former addresses and that it would be necessary for all stockholders to fill out the attached form and furnish their current address to the creamery so that checks paying off their stock could be mailed to them.

Creamery officials announced that the stock currently being paid off should be included in income tax returns for 1957.

The creamery stock is being paid off at a rate of \$3.50 per \$10.00 share of common stock. It was emphasized that all paid in stock had previously been paid off in full.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Beacon Office.



Dear Editor: I see where the internal revenue scavengers didn't let their shirt tails hit them until they got their hands on \$23,000 of Sugar Ray's fight purse.

Which does not actually show any more rampant acquisitiveness than their other habit of ambushing pay checks and knocking down on some before the citizens who do the work ever see them.

Which my all's-for-the-best neighbor says is a good thing. This way we don't get acquainted with that part of our money and learn to love it before they take it away.

D. E. SCOTT
Crossroads, U. S. A.

Mrs. Joe Dunn Is Critically Injured

Lubbock — Mrs. Joe Dunn, 52, Floydada, remained in "critical" condition in Methodist Hospital Friday night as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident about two miles northeast of Lubbock on the Idalou highway Wednesday.

She suffered a fractured leg and head injuries in the mishap. Her husband, Joe, 56, who also suffered a broken leg, was reported in fair condition.

William Leroy Peters, 82, was reported in fair condition and "resting comfortably" in West Texas Hospital. Peters was the sole occupant of the other car involved in the collision. He suffered facial injuries.

Petersburg Will Vote On Two School Issues

Petersburg. — Voters of the Petersburg Independent School District will go to the polls Saturday to decide two issues concerning their school system — one a \$325,000 bond issue and one authorizing an annual ad valorem tax vote not to exceed \$1.50 per \$100 valuation.

The bond issue, if passed, would provide money for an eight-room primary building, a new dining hall, a new vocational ag building, high school additions, an auditorium, and other improvements.

Local officials are that if the issues carries construction can be started this summer, making at least some of the facilities available at the beginning of the fall school term.

Local Doctors Speak To P. E. Classes

At the request of the physical education instructors, Mrs. Felicia Applegate and Troy Lemley, local physicians have lectured this week to high school classes. A special study of the body has been going on in the P. E. classes and the doctors talks have been very helpful and informative.

Local doctors speaking to the classes include: Dr. W. J. Mangold, Dr. B. A. Simmons, Dr. Kenneth Wharran, Dr. K. O. Crum, Dr. G. A. McClelland, Dr. Wayne Greer.

Former Resident Dies At Andrews

Mrs. Grace Collins, 53, wife of the late M. H. Collins of Andrews, Texas, passed away Saturday, May 11 at 4:30 p. m. in Permian General Hospital in Andrews after an illness of two years.

Mrs. Collins, the former Grace Gentry, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Gentry of Lockney, is a sister of Mrs. H. B. Sparkman, Lockney. The family lived here many years. Mrs. Collins was only 18 months old when the family moved here and she made this her home until her marriage to M. H. Collins about 1933. Her parents both died here. She had lived in Andrews County 15 years and lived on Figure 2 Ranch until her husband's death.

Funeral services were conducted at 4 p. m. Sunday at Andrews Church of Christ. Burial was in Andrews Cemetery.

Survivors include three sons, Jimmy, a student at Abilene Christian College; Jackie, Andrews; Stewart, William, Midkiff; one daughter, Mrs. Homer Wren, Levelland; two sisters, Mrs. H. B. Sparkman, Lockney; Mrs. Edith Winters, Clayton, Calif.; two brothers, Robin L. Gentry, Farmington, Mo.; Ferdie Gentry, Clinton, Ark.; and four grandchildren.

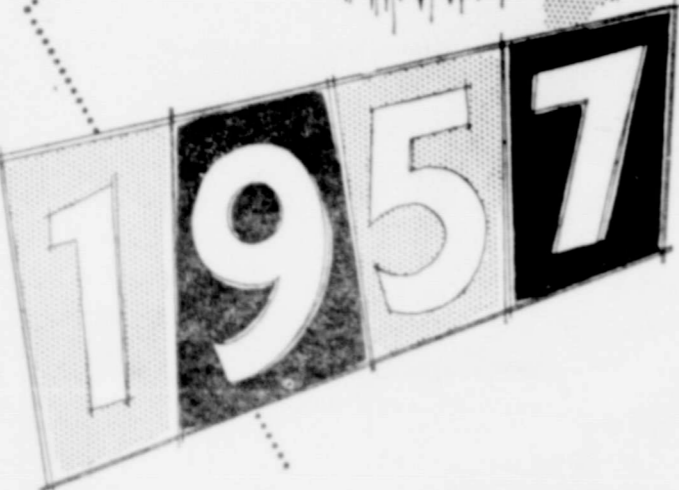
Attending services from this area were Mrs. Margaret Mallard, Mrs. Ann Baize, Mr. and Mrs. Willful Mallard, all of Lubbock; Mrs. Geo McPeak, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Crisp, Odessa and Mrs. Sparkman, Lockney.

Floyd Delegates To State Meet Named

Floydada.—Two Floyd County women and three men have been named as delegates to represent Floyd County at the state meeting of Democrats of Texas to be held in Austin on May 18, according to Ben P. Ayres, chairman of the Floyd County Democratic Executive Committee.

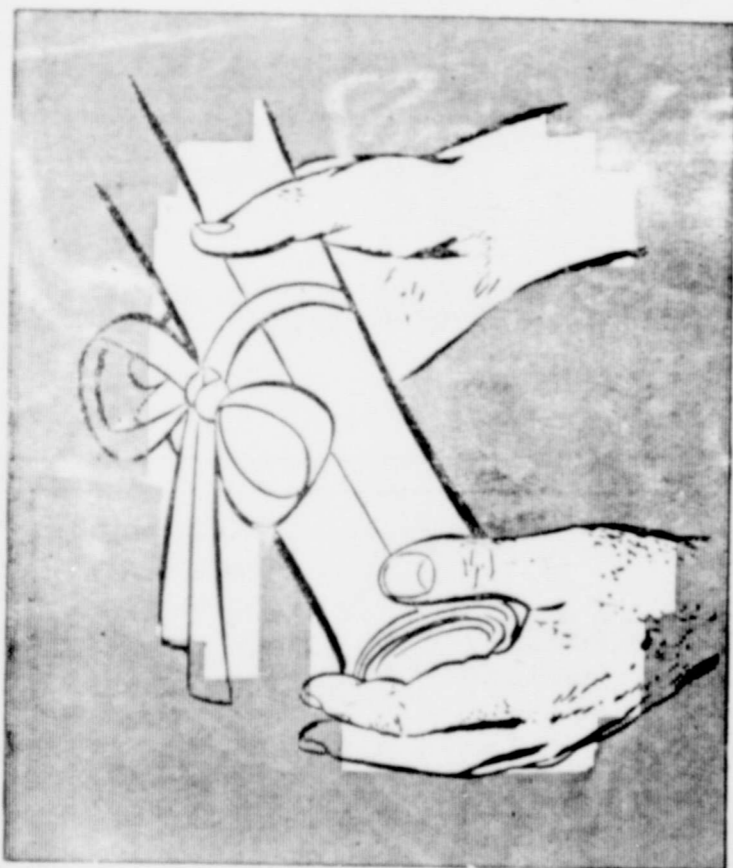
Delegates named are Mrs. J. H. Barnard, Barwise; Mrs. Maud E. Hollums, Floydada; G. B. Johnston Jr., Lockney; W. L. Davis, Starkey; and J. M. Wilson Jr., Floydada. Each county is allowed five votes in the state meeting, with no proxy votes allowed, Ayres said.

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