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CROSBYTON TEAMS HERE FOR TWO GAMES TUESDAY NIGHT

Lockney basketball teams will make their second home appearance of the season Tuesday night against Crosbyton. Two tilts will be played with the girls contest starting at 7 o'clock and the boys battle will follow. The games will be the last in the local gym until after Christmas holidays.

The Longhorns and Longhornettes journey to Floydada Friday night. The local boys have won over Crosbyton, but have lost two close contests to Floydada. Lockney's Longhornettes dropped decisions to both Floydada and Crosbyton in early tilts but avenged both losses in the Floydada tournament.

The Longhornettes claimed the consolation title in the Floydada meet last week end. They lost to a good Post team, 43-40, in their initial game Thursday. Friday they edged past Floydada, 38-31, and Saturday the Longhornettes stopped Crosbyton, 28-23, for the title.

Janice Boedecker led the locals in scoring with 25, 21, 20 points. Pat Buchanan added 10 points against Floydada and netted eight in the Crosbyton tussle. Janice was named to the all-tournament team. Local coach Troy Lemley rated the Post game as the best performance this season by his squad.

The Longhorns drew a first round bye in the tourney and were eliminated when they lost a heartbreaker, 53-52, to Floydada Friday. Moe Mickey led the locals with 26 points. Jimmy Minter added 14 to the Big Red total. High point men for the Whirlwinds were Bill Gilliland and Bill Patterson with 16 and 13 points.

Mickey was named to the boys' all-tournament squad. McAdoo's boys trounced runner-up Floydada, 71-34, for the meet title. In the girls division, Slaton eased by Post, 49-48 for the championship.

The local boys downed host Slaton, 55-53, in a Tuesday night game. Lockney led by 12 points with four minutes remaining. The Tigers, led by Randy Sander's 17 points in the final quarter, thrilled home fans by coming within two points of the Longhorns at the final buzzer.

Sanders was high point man with 29. Mickey led Lockney with 28 points and Minter pushed 18 points through the net. Slaton's girls whalloped the Longhornettes, 57-36. Boedecker, with 22 points, and Buchanan, with 14 points, accounted for all the local team's scoring.

The Longhorns, led by Mickey and Minter, have a two won, two loss record. Mickey has netted 100 points in four contests for a 25 point-per-game average. Minter has tallied 53 points for a 13.3 average.

Janice Boedecker is averaging 20.7 points a game for the girls. The Longhornettes record is two wins, four losses. Until the Slaton contest, the local sextet had not been beaten by more than three points.

The Longhorn "B" downed Hale Center "B" here last Thursday and dropped the Slaton "B" Tuesday night. The local freshmen boys, led by James Ray Wofford, lost to the Hale Center frosh but won over Kress "B" Monday at Kress.

Lockney Jr. High's undefeated girls downed Kress Monday. The Jr. High boys lost by a narrow margin to Kress.

Poteet Twins Join Army

Layne and Dwayne Poteet, 17-year-old twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Olan Poteet, Lockney signed up for three years training in the U. S. Army last Friday and were flown to Fort Carson, Colorado Monday.

The boys will receive their eight weeks basic training at Fort Carson as military police and receive further instruction in that branch of armed service elsewhere. They also plan to complete their senior year of high school in connection with army training. They were LHS seniors before enlisting.

Temperature Drops Monday-Tuesday

Low temperature reported here Monday morning was 16 degrees above zero and on Tuesday the low was 22, local weather observers say. The cold weather hindered farming operations to some extent but did little other damage.

Colored Man Charged In Shooting Affray

Rufus Tillman, age 26, a colored man, is in Lockney General Hospital here suffering from two gun shot wounds and Ben Wingate, also wounded, was charged with aggravated assault at Floydada Monday.

The shooting affray occurred just outside the Ross Cafe in Floydada's Negro section Sunday night following an argument between the two men. Tillman was shot in the left leg and left hand with a .22 calibre pistol. One bullet struck him at the rear of left leg just below the hip and angled downward and the other went through the little finger on his left hand, struck the next finger and lodged in the middle finger. His condition is not considered serious.

Wingate was arrested by Floydada City Officers. Horace Cage and Perry Smith. He was charged in county court and pleaded guilty to a hearing Monday afternoon. He was fined \$250 and costs. He was also charged with unlawfully carrying a pistol and was fined \$100 and costs on that charge.

Two colored men were slashed in an affray also in the colored section at Floydada Saturday night. The fight occurred during a dice game at the home of Murray Jones, officers said. Oscar Gardner was stabbed in the side of the leg and in turn slashed Warren Baker across the side of the face with a knife, officers said. The cut on Baker was from the back of his ear completely across the side of his face and was very deep. However his condition was termed satisfactory after medical treatment.

Baker, owner of a cafe in Lubbock, was returned to this county from Lubbock by Deputies Billy Tigert and Ernest Huckaby Tuesday, charged with gaming in Justice of the Peace court at Floydada and fined \$50 and costs. Jones was charged with gaming also and fined \$50 and costs after pleading guilty.

Gardner was charged with aggravated assault, pleaded guilty and was fined \$75.00 and costs for a total of \$126.25. He was returned to Floydada from Sheriff Crowell Monday by Sheriff Walter Hollums and Deputy Tigert.

George Prato of Plainview was arrested at the Mexican dance in Lockney Saturday night and charged with possession of intoxicants for purpose of sale. He pleaded guilty Monday in county court at Floydada and was fined \$250 and costs. City officers also arrested five drunks at the dance here Saturday night and lodged them in the city jail.

National Merit Scholarship Exams To Be Given Here

Junior students in Lockney High School will be eligible to take the National Merit Scholarship Qualification Test to be given April 28, 1959, at the local school, according to information furnished Principal F. M. Smith. Those who are interested in taking the test should register with Mr. Smith soon.

If the 1959-1960 academic year, the National Merit Scholarship Corporation will provide more than \$5,000,000 worth of four-year scholarships. The amount of the individual scholarship is determined by financial need, and they are renewable annually without further competitive examination.

Although the primary purpose of the examinations is to select National Merit Scholars, the test results will tell students a great deal about their educational weaknesses and as a result students will be able to make decisions about their senior year in high school more intelligently. It was pointed out that it will also enable the student to plan more intelligently for further education and training, and make a sound vocational choice with greater knowledge and confidence.

The charge for taking the test is \$1.00 per student payable on the examination date.

Rotary Clubs 2nd Annual Community Sale To Be Soon

The Lockney Rotary Club's second annual community auction sale will be held in early January, club members said Tuesday. The exact date has not been set but will be soon. The community sale last year drew a large crowd from over this part of West Texas.

Purpose of the sale is to sell farm machinery, motor vehicles or other things at public auction for the usual commission. Listings for the sale may be left with Bob Miller at Miller Insurance, The Beacon Office or with any member of the Rotary Club.

Local People At State Farmers Union Meeting

Kenneth Wofford, former president of the Floyd County Farmers Union, went to Mineral Wells Tuesday of last week as a member of the state resolutions committee. The committee presented resolutions to the state convention meeting in that city Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Wofford, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jarrett and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Henderson went down Friday to attend the state convention. The group returned home Sunday.

Wofford was elected an alternate delegate to the national convention of Farmers Union which will be held in March of 1959 at Springfield, Illinois. Delegates are Fred H. Haiduk of Groom and Foy Mitchell of McCaulley. T. O. Lesly of Friona is the other alternate.

Speakers at the convention included Dr. John Hutchinson, director of extension service at College Station; Senator Ralph Yarborough; Jerry Holleman, president of the Joint Council of AFL-CIO in Texas; James G. Patton, president of the National Farmers Union; Congressman W. R. Poage of Texas and others.

Eiland Infant Is Buried Tuesday

Graveside rites were held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Eiland, Lockney. The baby, named Wesley Herbert Jr., was born prematurely Monday, Dec. 8, at 3 p.m. and passed away three hours later at Medical-Surgical Hospital, Lockney.

Rev. Dornem Kinard, pastor of Parkview Baptist Church, Plainview, officiated. Carter Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Burial was in Lockney Cemetery beside the grave of another infant son of the Wesley Eilands who passed away about a year ago.

Survivors include the parents and the following grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Eiland, Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hefflin, Plainview. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hefflin, Plainview, Mrs. Mattie Nichols of East Texas and Mrs. Alice Young, Prairie Grove, Arkansas.

Longhorn Band Will Present Concert

Lockney Longhorn Band will present a short concert in the High School Auditorium Monday evening, December 15, at 8 o'clock. No charge will be made and the public is invited to attend.

The program will consist of Christmas carols, patriotic numbers and Bach selections. It will last approximately 45 minutes and is designed to create the Christmas spirit. Band Director Clyde Seaman said.

Bennett Released On Bond Thursday

Medford Bennett, charged with murder with malice in the slaying of P. D. Bagby on Friday, Nov. 28, was released after posting a \$20,000 bond Thursday morning of last week.

Members of the Floyd County sheriff's department said that the bond was made in Rusk County and approved by the sheriff of that county.

The case will be presented to the Floyd County grand jury meeting on Wednesday of next week, December 17.

Farmer Badly Hurt Tuesday By Stripper

Clarence D. McCandless, Lockney farmer, was seriously injured Tuesday afternoon when his legs became entangled in a cotton stripper on a farm a mile and half west of Lockney. McCandless' injuries included a badly broken right leg, a rod driven through his left foot and numerous cuts and bruises on his legs. He is in Methodist Hospital at Lubbock for treatment.

To add to his suffering, McCandless lay for seven hours on the ground under the stripper in very cold weather. The accident happened about 3:30 Tuesday afternoon and he was found by members of his family at 10:30 p.m. Tuesday night.

McCandless was working alone on the old Whitaker place west of town. In some manner his clothing became entangled in the machine pulling his feet and legs into the mechanism. He was unable to free himself and called for help for some time but was 3/4 of a mile from the road. Mrs. McCandless became worried about him late in the afternoon and went to the farm searching for him. She found one tractor standing idle in the field and the family pickup near by and supposed that he had left the field with someone else. She returned home and attended church meeting arriving home a little after 10 p.m. and finding that he still was not home, she and her son, Glen, went again to the field to search for him. They found him pinned under the stripper in another part of the field.

The tractor and stripper were still running when he was found and he had spent the entire seven hours pulling back against the slip clutch on the stripper to keep from being pulled further into the machine. He had on two shirts and two pair of pants but no coat. McCandless said that he had kicked some trash and weeds off the front of the machine and it had caught his foot.

McCandless was given emergency treatment at Lockney General Hospital and then carried to Lubbock for attention of a bone specialist.

McCandless was reported to be doing "remarkably well" Wednesday considering the ordeal he had gone through. He was showing no effects from the exposure and was in good spirits.

Members of the Baptist Brotherhood and others were busy Wednesday completing the job of stripping cotton on the McCandless farm and the Hi-Plains Gin will gin the cotton without charge. The Beacon was told.

Baptist District Convention To Be Held Friday

District 9 of the Baptist General Convention of Texas will hold the twenty-fifth annual session Friday of this week at the First Baptist Church in Littlefield. A number of people from this area are planning to attend.

The program will begin at 9:45 and will adjourn at 3:30 p.m. Speakers will include H. A. Haswell of Dallas, Foy Valentine, Dallas; District Missionary Franklin E. Swanner of Plainview; Rev. Ed Bowles of Floydada; L. Taylor Daniel of Dallas; J. C. Cantrell of Dallas; and Roy C. McClung of Plainview.

Rev. Wayland Boyd, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Crosbyton, is president of the district organization.

T. H. Roberts Succumbs Saturday

Funeral services for Terrell H. Roberts, 71, farmer in Kress community, were held at 2 o'clock Tuesday at the Kress church of Christ. Mr. Roberts is the father of Elmer E. Roberts, Modesta, California, who is the husband of the former Betty Messimer, Lockney.

Mr. Roberts is survived by his wife, four daughters, four sons, one sister, 41 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren. Burial was in Plainview Memorial Park cemetery.

Council Will Employ City Officer Tonight

The Lockney City Council will probably employ a city officer to replace Alton May in their regular meeting tonight (Thursday) at the City Hall, Mayor J. E. Cox said this week. May recently resigned effective January 1st to accept a position with Commissioner-Elect Bob Jarrett.

The Council has six applications for the place. Mr. Cox said. These include Leslie Cox, Elmer Burleson, Bo Warren, Vestal Eiland, one from a Floydada man and one from a Crosbyton man.

The new officer will begin work with City Officer Lowell Billbrek on January 1st.

New Auto Parts Store Will Open Here Jan. 1st

Leonard Finley and Cleon Wylie will open the C. & L. Auto Parts Supply here on January 1st. The new store will be located in the Wanda Baker building in the 200 block of South Main, next door to Darnell Grocery.

The new store will carry a large stock of automotive parts and accessories as well as irrigation parts and supplies, the owners said. "We intend to carry a stock large enough to meet the needs of the community," Finley said this week. Finley has been employed as parts man at Lockney Auto Company for several years and Wylie has been farming in the Lone Star community for the past two years.

Justice of the Peace J. J. Harris will move his office to the Ferguson building in the 100 block of North Main. He has been officing in the Baker building.

Grain Producers Ink Contract On Foreign Markets

The Grain Sorghum Producers Association Friday signed a contract with the Foreign Agricultural Service which officially puts the organization in charge of developments of all feed grain markets in foreign countries, Frank Moore, president, reported Saturday.

The program will be partially financed by FAS funds and partially by Grain Sorghum Producers Association money raised by a voluntary two pounds per 1,000 contribution of grain sorghum producers. Moore said money has been coming in better since negotiations on the foreign development program were announced, and that farmers' support of the GSPA should pick up now that the program to develop foreign markets is assured.

Farmers are urged to contribute as soon as possible with their elevator or with R. C. Mitchell, county secretary as a project is already under way for a promotion tour in foreign countries, stressing the value of grain sorghum as a feed with soy beans as a protein supplement. Italy has been chosen as the first country to develop as a foreign market.

Attending the Friday meeting from Floyd County were Forrest Mickey, L. B. Brandes and Ewald Quebe.

Wendell Green Suffers Stroke

Wendell Green, 1007 Smythe, Plainview, was reported showing satisfactory improvement Tuesday at the Plainview Hospital and Clinic Foundation where he was hospitalized Saturday night following a stroke. Mr. Green is a son-in-law of Mrs. L. A. Blair of Lockney. Mrs. Green is the former Lois Rexrode.

Attending physicians said Green suffered complete paralysis at the time of the stroke, but that the paralysis is now only partial. His speech is affected, doctors state.

Mr. Green, who is associated with Green Machinery Company, had visited Lubbock and had been home about thirty minutes when he collapsed.

FIESTA CANCELLED

The Spanish Fiesta supper, scheduled for Tuesday night and sponsored by the Senior Class, has been postponed. The Beacon was informed late Wednesday.

Farmers Will Vote On Cotton Quotas Monday

Floyd County farmers will join the rest of the nation's cotton farmers in voting on cotton acreage quotas Monday of next week, December 15. Seven voting boxes will be set up in this county and polls will be open from 8 a.m. until 6 p.m.

The voting boxes will be located at the following places: Lockney Beacon Office in Lockney.

ASC Office in Floydada. Dougherty, Cedar Hill. McCoy, South Plains. Aiken.

Although there is little doubt of the outcome of the election, the results will determine the kind of allotment program to be used next year and also the price-support level for the 1959 crop. All farmers who were engaged in the production of upland cotton in 1958 will be eligible to vote in the referendum, according to J. B. Robertson, chairman of the Floyd County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

Robertson explained that if at least two-thirds of the cotton growers approve the quotas, then marketing quotas will be in effect in 1959, penalties will carry an excess cotton and growers will have the opportunity to choose between complying with regular cotton allotments or choosing to increase their cotton acreage by 40 per cent with lower price supports. Under regular cotton allotments, called Choice A, the grower is eligible for price supports at not less than 80 per cent of parity for 1959. Under the increased acreage, called Choice B, he is eligible for price supports 15 per cent lower than under Choice A.

If more than one-third of the growers disprove quotas, there will be no marketing quotas or penalties, and price supports will be available at 50 per cent of parity for those who comply with regular acreage allotments.

Individual cotton allotments for Floyd County farmers have been mailed. The County has an allotment for 1959 of 94,896 acres, a reduction of about five per cent from the previous year.

Story Book Party Set For Dec. 19

Members and guests of Story Book School, taught by Mrs. Ted Carthel will be entertained with a Christmas party at the school Friday morning, Dec. 19, during the regular school hours, 8:30-11:15.

Mrs. Carthel extends an invitation to all 5-year-old children to attend the party. However she requests that the mothers notify her by Monday, Dec. 14, so she will know how many to prepare for.

Longhorn Band In Marching Contest

The Lockney Longhorn Band, under the direction of Clyde Seaman, entered the Region I marching competition held at the Plainview High School football stadium last Saturday. The band was given a fourth division rating in the Class AA division.

Making first division rating from this district were Floydada and Abernathy. Morton and Olton won second division and Muleshoe third division.

Judges were Pete Long, director of the Ponca City, Okla., High School Band; Gerald Hemphill, director of the Phillips University Band, Enid, Okla.; Jack Mahon, director of the Arlington State College Band, Arlington.

Sight reading competition in the region has already been conducted and ensembles will compete at a future date.

MRS. JAMES IMPROVING

Mrs. Ray James is reported to be improving after a serious illness. Mrs. James was transferred to Baylor Hospital, Dallas, Thursday of last week after spending some time in Lockney General Hospital for a lung ailment. The lung was drained and Mrs. James has steadily improved. In a telephone conversation with their son, Kenneth Kendricks, Monday night Mr. and Mrs. James stated they expected to return to Lockney Thursday or Friday.

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EVENTS

Thursday
p.m. Methodist W.S.C.S.
m. Henry Hodel home.
m. New Comers Christ.
linner, Grade School.

Friday
p.m. Rotary dinner
at Methodist basement.
m. Priscilla Class sup-
Baptist Church.
p.m. Young Married
social, Dub Mercer

Saturday
p.m. Lockney-Floydada
all games at Floydada.
8:00 p.m. Bridal shower
Mrs. Buck Ford, Edgar
home.

Monday
p.m. W.S.C.S. Christmas
Harold Duvall home.
p.m. W.M.U. Christmas
at Baptist Church.
p.m. Junior and Inter-
G.A. Baptist Church.
p.m. Lions Club, at
Cafe.
p.m. Gleaners S.S. Class
Baptist church parlor.
p.m. Band concert in
chool Auditorium.

Tuesday
p.m. T.E.L. Class social
Mitchell home.
p.m. B&PW Bosses ban-
Grade School Cafeteria.
p.m. Lockney-Crosbyton
all games in local gym.

Wednesday
p.m. Baptist Church S.S.
and officers meeting.
m. Methodist Devotion-
p.m. Prayer Meeting at
Church.
p.m. Methodist Choir
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EDITORIAL

Judge not, and ye shall not be judged; condemn not and ye shall not be condemned; forgive, and ye shall be forgiven. — Luke 6:37.

ROBERT F. KENNEDY, Chief Counsel of the Senate Rackets Committee, writes in Look magazine: "The worst elements of the American labor movement are creating an unholy alliance that could dominate the United States within three to five years. It is an alliance of transportation unions that could stop trucks from East to West, tie up ships on all three coasts and embargo all goods on trains and planes."

BETWEEN 1948 and 1957, the Department of Agriculture finds, expenditures for food per person rose 18 per cent. By way of comparison, per capita disposable income increased more than twice as much — 38 per cent — in the same period.

AMERICAN MEDICAL colleges had a record enrollment of 29,473 students in the 1957-58 academic year. Sixty of the 85 operating medical schools reported major construction projects, costing \$47 million, in the planning, beginning, or completion stages.

THE CITIZEN'S COMMITTEE for Reorganization of the Executive Branch of the Government has disbanded. In its final report it says that 63.9 per

cent of the second Hoover Commission's recommendations have been adopted and are being put into effect. Mr. Hoover estimates the eventual economies resulting from these recommendations at upwards of \$3 billion a year. He adds that economies totaling \$7 billion can be traced to the first Commission's report.

A RECENT ISSUE of the Congressional Record lists 2,422 farming firms or individual farmers who received \$10,000 or more in 1957 for not planting crops on land they put into the government's acreage reserve program. Top single payments was \$332,000.

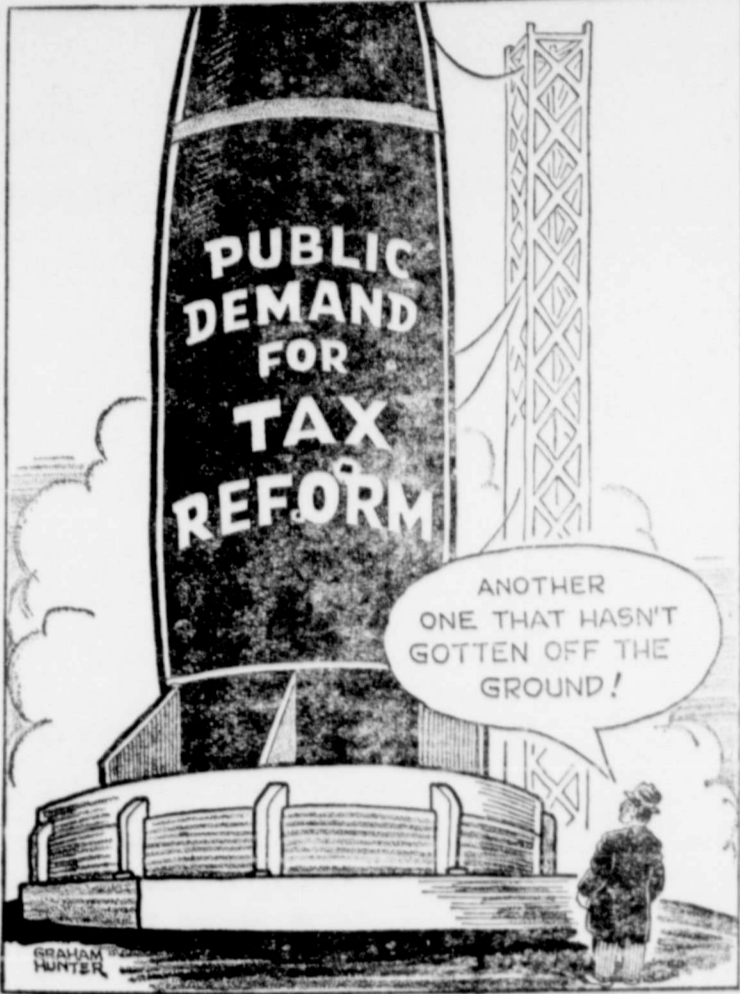
WILDCATTERS are pressing a relentless search for oil in the African continent, says Petroleum Week, and some of the problems they face are deadly snakes, ferocious bees that attack on sight, lions and World War II mines. So far, production has been modest, but the possibilities are termed enormous.

DAVID LAWRENCE writes in U.S. News & World Report: "Our Constitution should be amended so that when the people vote a party into power, the President of the United States shall be chosen along with the elected majority in Congress. Whether the election should be held every two years or every four years may be debated, but some formula must be established whereby a single party will be responsible for the leadership of both the executive and legislative branches of the Government . . ."

FROM FARM JOURNAL: "Government agents in Indiana impound the two tractors that a farmer owns. In Michigan, they tie up a farmer's \$3,400 bank account. Two Oklahoma ranchers are hauled into court in Dallas, Tex., and sued for \$502.06. What crimes did these men commit? They planted wheat beyond the 30-acre limit, to feed their own stock, without a government permit or allotment! Government agents aren't to blame — they're only enforcing a law that Congress passed. Nevertheless in this land of the free such events seem incredible! How ridiculous can a law get? When the lawmakers return in January, let's change it."

THE TWO-CENT daily newspaper used to be common in this country, but now it has gone with the wind. The last of these papers, the Hanover, Pennsylvania, Evening Sun, has raised its prices to five cents.

GET IT GOING!



With Our EXCHANGES

WHY A NEW AGENCY

A Pennsylvania Senator has an idea for a new Government department which he thinks is badly needed.

Sen. Joseph Clark, Pennsylvania Democrat, points out that there is a Department of Agriculture, with 92,500 employees, looking after the interests of the farmers, although they represent a minority of the population, while city folks, who comprise a majority, have no such organization. He has suggested a Department of Urban Affairs, headed by an officer in the Cabinet, to represent the city "slickers."

There is no question about urban residents outnumbering dwellers in rural areas, and sometimes city people may feel they are coming out at the little end of the horn in the administration of Governmental affairs. But there is no reason why it should be so. If they represent a majority of the population, they also elect a majority of the members of Congress. What could a new Federal agency, staffed by thousands of bureaucrats, do for urban dwellers that their representatives in Congress cannot accomplish? If there's anything

this county doesn't need, it's more Federal agencies. There are too many of them already. — Lubbock Avalanche.

CORONER'S JOB

When a Texan dies of an undetermined cause, a justice of the peace who may have been a farmer or a traveling salesman is supposed to find out what was wrong. We still have a long way to go in Texas to modernize our statutes relating to crimes or possible crimes.

The Texas Medical Association will back a bill in the 1959 State Legislature setting up professional medical examiners to investigate questionable deaths. It would provide for a chief medical examiner and deputy examiner (doctors experienced in pathology) in each of the 31 senatorial districts.

This will call for financing, either statewide or locally, in a year when county and state budgets are terrifically burdened.

But the state — particularly metropolitan counties like Dallas — no longer can afford to leave determination of death

and autopsy in the hands of untrained laymen. Even justices of the peace don't want the responsibility.

New York City has 27 pathologists and other technicians related to this job. They investigate 25,000 of the city's 100,000 deaths each year. One in five is autopsied. This proportion probably would hold true here.

Professional determination — medical determination — is both fair to public and to public officials in the task but given the burden by antiquated statutes. The cost is negligible compared with results.—Dallas News.

HORSE SWAPPING

C. O. Phillips and H. L. Hershey sent in solutions to the "June Neel Stumper" about the man who had 23 horses and wanted to divide them with 1-8 to the youngest boy, 1-3 to the next, and 1-2 to the oldest boy. "The thing to do," advises Mr. Hershey "is to call in a horse trader like Miles Robertson or Pat Wederbrook and borrow one of his horses, making the total 24.

"The youngest boy gets 1-8, or 3 horses; the next gets 1-3, or 8 horses, while the oldest boy gets 1-2, or 12 horses, making a total of 23. This leaves one horse for the man who loaned the animal to ride home." — Jimmie Gillentine in Hereford Brand.



Dear Editor:

I see where an 8-year-old Los Angeles boy got a \$5 bank loan here the other day and will pay back same at 60 cents a month out of his \$0-cent allowance.

My scrupled neighbor says thereought to be a law against this, on account of introducing a boy to debt at this early age is a pretty low down trick.

Says they jail people for selling dope to children, but the newspapers play it up big when some banker starts an 8-year-old on the road to debt addition.

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

TRY BEACON CLASSIFIEDS.

Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

December 13, 1928

The annual Chamber of Commerce banquet was held at Lockney Auto show rooms Thursday night with 250 guests present. The board of directors elected for the new year are as follows: E. E. Dyer, Artie Baker, Carl McAdams, John O'Hearn and H. M. Mason. Other officers elected at the banquet were R. H. Wall, president; Dr. C. D. Henry, first vice president; M. L. Williams, second vice president; A. P. Barker, third vice president; Geo. T. Meriwether, treasurer; Uncle Frank Ford, sergeant-at-arms; Fay Guthrie, secretary.

Miss Leo Simpson of Lockney has accepted a position as private secretary with The Realty Tax & Service Co., Metropolitan Building, Los Angeles. A Junior Class party was held Saturday night, Dec. 7, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Byars. About 40 guests attended. Acting hosts were Glenna Collins, Estelle Byars, Helen Baker, Evelyn Bobbitt, Bascom Baxter, Lawrence Brotherton, Mildred Carter, Gertrude Collier, Eunice Coleman, Wayne Coleman, Ina Merle Cooper, Oneta Comer, Carleton Cook, R. C. Davis, Carlen Day, Paul Derrick, Gene Dyer and Rowena Ewing.

Next Tuesday is the date set to vote on the \$400,000 Bond issue for Floyd County with

which to pay one-third cost of the Lee Highway the county.

December 13, 1946

Mrs. Ethel Graham, tax assessor-collector for this week that 63 per cent of the county taxes have been collected up to date. Alonzo C. Spence, Democrat, of Liberty community, died Sunday after a long illness. Funeral services held at First Baptist Church, Floydada. He is survived by wife and the following children: Mrs. T. E. Noland, Donavan C. Spence, Demas Spence, Mrs. Jerry L. C. Waite and Mrs. O. J. Seaman. Lonnie Seaman, 18, Mrs. Lee Seaman, Lockney, been advanced to seaman's class at the U.S. Naval Academy, Shanghai, China.

The Longhorn band quintet will enter a tournament at Matador this week playing their first game night, Coach Sid Thomas uncertain as to the lineup Tuesday but it is believed Harold Jeffcoat and Logan will start as first Gene Messer at center guards will be picked. Jack Adams, Billy W. Bobby Carthel and He Watson.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Collier of Floydada Dec. 6 a baby girl. She weighed pounds, 13 ounces and been named Suzanne. Mrs. Collier, Floydada, former Dey resident, is the mother.

The local OES enters their families with a band Monday night at the lodge.

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N. G. Club Officers

The Friendship Past 2 met Friday night, D of Liberty community, in the home of Mrs. Adams, Lockney. Officers were elected during business session. Mrs. Ora Shipley, Floy was elected president. Mrs. Ora Shipley, Floy was elected president. Mrs. Ora Shipley, Floy was elected president.

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Following a Christmas program gifts were exchanged.

Poultry was first introduced to Texas by the early Spanish explorers and later by Anglo-American colonists.

Don't be so busy sawing wood that you don't have time to sharpen the saw.



MISS RUBY JEAN ADKINS

Couple Planning December Wedding

Capt. and Mrs. Eugene S. Adkins, 1944 Amis Avenue, Las Cruces, New Mexico, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ruby Jean, to Joe V. (Buddy) Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Sanders, Lockney. Miss Adkins is a graduate of Las Cruces High School and is employed at Las Cruces College. Mr. Sanders is a graduate of Texas Tech, Lubbock, and served two years in the U.S. Army, stationed in Italy. He is em-

ployed as a teacher in Las Cruces High School. The couple plan a December 21 wedding to be solemnized in St. Paul's Methodist Church in Las Cruces.

HOW TO PREVENT SHADOWS IN THE OVEN

When baking layer cakes or several pies at one time it is a good idea to stagger the pans on both oven racks in the oven. This permits free circulation of heat throughout the oven. Leave an inch between pans and oven walls and you'll have no trouble with uneven browning. Heat radiation in the new ranges practically guarantees an even golden bloom on cake layers.

Letters To Santa

Lockney, Texas
Dear Santa:
I am a little boy 5 years old and I've tried to be a good boy this year.
I would like a snare drum, clarinet, a big football, a football suit and a bowling set.
Don't forget the other little boys and girls.
With love,
Stevie Brown
December 3, 1958

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy 4 years old. I would like to have a pair of boxing gloves and "Bobo the Clown" to box. I have a little brother 1 1/2 years old so please bring him a pair of gloves also and anything else you think we might like.
We are as good as little boys can be.
We will be looking for you Christmas morning.
Bye,
Donnie and Michael Fortenberry
Route 2
Lockney
P.S. We have no fire place so we will leave the door unlocked.
Lockney, Texas

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy 2 1/2 years old. I was supposed to get a baby sister for Christmas, but she came early so I want a B-B gun, an electric train and a station set. Please bring Marta Gayle a doll and some stuffed toys. Don't forget my cousin, Ann Delaine Dipprey. We have all been good.
Love,
James Lee and Marta Gayle Frame
Lockney, Texas

Dear Santa,
I am a boy nearly two years old. I have tried to be very good. My big brother is writing for me. Please bring me some

KFLD Radio Station Schedule

7:15—Sign On	7:31—Weather News
7:16—Plains Cotton Growers Program	7:35—Rural Round Up Continued
7:30—News Headlines	7:45—World News
7:31—Jennings Farm Report	8:00—Floydada Football
7:36—Musical Interlude	10:00—Texas News
7:45—World News	10:05—Balls Football
8:00—Morning Melodies	11:45—Local News
8:30—News Headlines	12:00—The Glen Mac Show
8:31—Morning Melodies Cont.	12:15—World News
8:45—Listen Ladies	12:30—Trading Post
8:50—(Thurs.) Sunshine Club (Fri.) Beauty Hints From Arwine	12:45—Texas News
8:55—World News	12:50—Market Reports
9:00—Bell Dairy Mystery Shopper	12:55—World Commentary
9:15—Listen Ladies	1:00—Spanish Program
9:30—Church of Christ Program	1:45—Southwestern Conference football.
9:45—Melodies Program	4:30—405 Show
9:55—Lockney Remote	5:00—900 Club
11:05—Hillbilly Hits	5:30—World News
11:45—Local News	5:45—Sign Off
12:00—Hymn Time	
12:15—World News	Sunday
12:30—Trading Post	7:15—Sign On
12:45—Texas News	7:16—Methodist Men's Hour
12:50—Market Reports	7:45—Sunday Morning Serenade
12:55—World Commentary	8:00—Tommy Nesbitt
1:00—Spanish Program	8:15—World News
2:00—Lockney Remote	8:30—Church of Christ program
3:00—World News	8:45—Old Fashioned Revival Hour
3:05—Local News	9:15—Children's Chapel
3:15—Hits and Misses	9:30—W. H. Patillo
3:45—(Mon.) Theatre of Hits (Tues.) Guest Star (Wed.) Bob Crosby Show (Thurs.) Town & Country Style	9:45—Sunday Pop Parade
4:00—World News	10:00—Texas News
4:05—405 Show	10:05—Sunday Pop Parade Continued
5:00—900 Club	11:00—First Methodist Program
5:30—World News	12:00—Hymns of All Churches
5:45—Sign Off	12:15—World News
	12:30—Luncheon Interludes
	1:00—Hillbilly Hoedown
	3:00—Spanish Program
	4:00—Spanish Church Program
	4:15—Music by Name Bands
	5:00—Baptist Hour
	5:30—World News
	5:45—Sign Off
	Saturday
	7:15—Sign On
	7:16—Rural Roundup
	7:30—News Headlines

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Society News

La Ventana Club Luncheon Held In Baxter Home

The home of Mrs. Clyde Baxter was the scene Tuesday, Dec. 9, for a 12 o'clock luncheon for members of La Ventana Study Club.

A Christmas program at 2:30 included a number of Junior High students and their music instructor, Miss Barbara Carruth, giving vocal numbers. A quartet composed of Cheryl Rucker, Jane Rhodes, Carolyn Belt and Sandra Smith, sang three novelty numbers and Miss Carruth sang "O Holy Night", accompanied by Frances Fowler, Nadine Cumbie sang "Away in a Manger" as a solo. The students named above were joined by Charlotte Brown, Sharen Edwards, Sherry Williams, Sue Gilbert and Judy Roberts in singing several appropriate numbers.

During the meeting Sunshine Sisters were revealed, new names drawn and gifts exchanged. Gifts were packed to send to the State Hospital in Wichita Falls.

Room decorations and table appointments carried out the Christmas motif.

Enjoying the delightful occasion were Meses. Raymond Teple, Robert Smith, Bryan Smith, W. D. Nance, Charlie Merrick, J. L. Lovorn, Temple Lewis, Clois King, Albert King, Herman Huffman, Hoyette Hodges, Bailey Henderson, J. T. Griffin, H. E. Frizzell and Clyde Baxter, members, and two visitors, Mrs. G. C. Applewhite and Linda Baxter.

Senior Class Has Bowling Party

Approximately 40 members of the senior class of LHS enjoyed a bowling party in Plainview Monday night.

After bowling they went to the home of Mrs. Myrtis Cope for refreshments.

Junior GA's Have Monday Meeting

The 9-10 year old Girls Auxiliary met at the Baptist church Monday at 4 o'clock with eight members and one visitor in attendance.

Following a program on "Prayer Around the World" refreshments were served to Jo Ann Zavala, Carol Howell, Connie Reed, Donna Jean Latimer, Manda Rush, Nancy Gee, Linda Abbott, Shirley Hayes and the leader, Mrs. Earl McCready.

BACK IN SCHOOL

Miss Anita Durham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Durham, was able to return to West Texas State College, Canyon, the first of this week after being ill about a week. She spent several days in Lockney General Hospital receiving treatment for a cold infection.

Mrs. Oliver Shows Gift Wrapping To Auxiliary

The American Legion Auxiliary met Thursday night, Dec. 4 in the home of Mrs. O. C. Allison and enjoyed an interesting demonstration on gift wrapping by Mrs. Ted Oliver.

The organization is planning an annual Christmas party to be held Thursday, December 18, in the dining room of Golden's Cafe. Each member is to be present and bring a gift valued at \$2.00. Reservations have been made for 20 members. All are expected to attend or notify the hostesses by Wednesday. Hostesses will be June Bybee and Vonciel Casey. Anyone wishing to bring a guest is urged to do so.

Present for the Thursday meeting were Meses. Edith Williams, Temp Phillips, Dorothy Thomas, Jackie Emmert, Lozelle Graham, Viola Moody and Wynona Allison, members, and Mrs. Lois Kermickel, Mrs. Ila Hodges, Mrs. Lorraine Oliver and Maxine Daniels, visitors.

Lodge Clears \$55 At "42" Party

Lockney Rebekah Lodge cleared \$55 at the "42" party Monday evening at the Lodge Hall. Fifteen tables played and the Lodge members served refreshments. Mrs. Dwight Jackson won high score for the ladies and Mr. Meadows of Petersburg won high for the men.

The hall was decorated in the Christmas motif, complete with candles, Christmas trees and poinsettias.

The regular meeting of the lodge preceded the party.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Billy P. Cole of Grand Prairie are parents of a son born November 27 at Florence Nightingale Baylor Hospital, Dallas. The baby weighed seven pounds, thirteen ounces and has been named Gary Michael. He is the first grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. George Myers, Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cole of Longview. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Eastley of Grand Prairie are great-grandparents of the young man. Mrs. Myers spent a week with her daughter and family. Mrs. Cole will be remembered here as the former Sandra Myers. Mr. Cole is a teacher and athletic coach in Grand Prairie Junior High School.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to express my appreciation to my friends for the visits and cards while I was in the hospital. I especially want to thank the doctors and nurses at Lockney General Hospital for the wonderful care given me.

Mrs. R. E. Marr

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The BEACON OFFICE.

Lockney General Hospital News

December 3 - 10

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

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

Mrs. H. D. Wedeman, Flomot, continues to receive medical care.

Mrs. Marie Burt, Lockney, continues to receive medical care.

T. H. Boedecker, Lockney, continues to receive medical care.

Casmiro Dimas, Quitaque, continues to receive medical care.

Mrs. Ada McAnnally, Lockney, was dismissed 12-4 following medical care.

Mrs. A. C. Mellroy, Petersburg, was dismissed 12-3 following medical care.

David Duron, Lockney, was dismissed 12-3 following orthopedic care.

Mrs. Ray James, Lockney, was transferred 12-4 following medical care.

Dora Rodriguez, Floydada, was dismissed 12-7 following medical care.

Rose Marie Rodriguez, Floydada, was dismissed 12-7 following medical care.

Mrs. J. L. Morris, Quitaque, was dismissed 12-5 following medical care.

Mrs. R. E. Marr, Lockney, was admitted 12-3 for surgery and was dismissed 12-10.

Mrs. Dorsey Mallow, Floydada, was admitted 12-4 for medical care and was dismissed 12-6.

Anita Durham, Lockney, was admitted 12-4 for medical care and was dismissed 12-7.

Kirk Wayne Satterfield, Silvertown, was admitted 12-5 for medical care and was dismissed 12-7.

Mrs. J. R. White, Floydada, was admitted 12-5 for medical care.

Mrs. O. M. McReynolds, Floydada, was admitted 12-6 for medical care.

Rufus Tillman, Floydada, was admitted 12-8 for medical care.

E. J. Thomas, Lockney, was admitted 12-8 for surgery.

W. G. Tims, Lockney, was admitted 12-9 for medical care.

Mrs. Gabriel Martinez, Lockney, was admitted 12-9 for medical care.

Mrs. Wayne Crawford, Kress, was admitted 12-9 for medical care.

New Arrivals
Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wall, Lockney, are the parents of a baby boy. He weighed 6 lbs., 8 ozs. and was named Rommy James.

Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Ramirez, Plainview, are the parents of a baby girl. She weighed 7 lbs., 10 ozs. and was named Maria Angelita.

HONORED AT TECH
Miss Charlyne Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown, has been selected to represent the Young Women's Auxiliary on the Baptist Student Union Council at Texas Tech. She will also serve on the decoration committee for the BSU during the Christmas season. The BSU has a goal of \$1,410 for the Little Moon Christmas offering.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

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Silvertown Man Killed In Car-Train Crash

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Friday in the Church of Christ, Silvertown, for J. F. Bingham, 50, who was killed instantly in a car-train crash about midnight Wednesday at South Plains.

Bingham, a livestock and used car dealer, was a passenger in a station wagon driven by Arch G. Wadlington, 46, a Gladstone, N. M., farmer, when the vehicle smashed head-on into the second engine of a "double-header" freight train.

Wadlington remained in good condition Thursday night in Peoples Hospital, Floydada, where he is being treated for head lacerations and bruises.

Wadlington said that he did not see the train until moments before the accident. Troy Porterfield of Plainview, highway patrolman who investigated the accident, said the station wagon was dragged 57 feet eastward along the track by the locomotive.

The two men, longtime friends, were en route from Silvertown to Floydada on State Hwy. 207.

Reared in Silvertown, he is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Raymond Reeves, South Plains; three sons, Ted Bingham of Amarillo, and Jerry, 18, and Stevie, 9, both of the home; three sisters, Mrs. Jessie Hall, Jayton, Mrs. Tommy Hopkins and Mrs. Doc Hopkins, Chillicothe; six brothers, Alton Travis Bingham, Ben Bingham, Arthur Bingham, and Boyd Bingham, all of Silvertown, Harvey Bingham, Boise City, and

Home Economist Gives Program

Mrs. Gayle Ward of Southwestern Public Service, Plainview, gave an interesting demonstration of quick meals to be prepared on an electric range in a few minutes. The program took place at Lockney High School Tuesday afternoon beginning at 2:30 for the benefit of adults.

Mrs. Ward prepared three complete meals, a Chinese dinner, a broiled steak, and a mock standing rib roast with orange marmalade topping.

A cake baked by the home economist featured a chocolate layer, pink layer and a yellow layer and was iced and trimmed in the Christmas motif. The cake was served with coffee to those in attendance.

KENADY GUESTS

Mrs. Jewell Kenady has as guests this week her son, Horton Kenady and family from Fort Stockton, Texas. The Horton Kenadys have a baby daughter born November 9 in Fort Stockton hospital weighing four pounds, fourteen ounces and named Lauren Denise. They have one other child, a four-year-old son, Bobby. They will be here until after Christmas.

Mrs. Johna Bilbrey and Mrs. Q. Carter accompanied by three Lubbock women spent from Wednesday, Dec. 3, to Monday, Dec. 8, attending a china and crystal convention in Houston.

Curtis Bingham, Kress, and one grandchild.

His father J. D. Bingham was killed in the tornado which struck Silvertown May 15, 1957.

Harris Is Building Fire-Proof Structure

E. R. Harris is building a brick and tile fire-proof business building in the 100 block of North Main Street, next to Hammond & Company. The building is expected to be completed in early January. It is 30 by 31 feet in size.

The Lockney Real Estate and Harris Motor Co. offices will be housed in one half of the building and the other half will be rented out, Mr. Harris said this week.

Rotary Banquet Held Friday Night

Lockney Rotary Club honored their Rotarians with a dinner party Friday night at Lockney High School Cafeteria beginning at 7 o'clock.

Wilson Kermickel, Rotary president, gave the welcome. H. H. Nicholas presented Rotary pins to the following new members, Howard Smith, Ted Carthel, Clyde Seaman, Fred Byrd and Charles Broadhurst. Gifts were distributed to the Rotarians.

The tables were laid with white and centered with a panel of red paper. Placed at intervals along the table was a red candle banked with greenery and bright colored bulbs. Centering the head table was a decorated Christmas tree. Following the dinner games were played.

Mrs. T. T. Threet is visiting in the home of her son in Amarillo following a recent illness.

At least 14 Texas streams bear the name of "Rock Creek."

E. C. Mosley Has Heart Attack

E. C. Mosley of Plainview, father of Howard and Mosley of Lockney, had a heart attack Friday night. He was reported feeling better Tuesday at Plainview Hospital and Clinic four days later. However, a late report that his heart condition was not improved.

He is expected to spend weeks in the hospital. He allowed any visitors who will have to remain in the hospital, relatives here.

Mr. Mosley farmed in community for a number of years before he moved to Plainview.

Letters To Santa

Dear Santa Claus,

I would like a girls bike, a mink stole and please give me an electric blanket, daddy and a hair dryer, sister, a vacuum cleaner, mother, and for my brother, a radio. They are for my 1 year old son, Bobby, and I live at 325 Crestview, Antonio, Texas.

Kay Cannon
(Kay is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lockney.)

HERE FROM SOUTH AM

Mr. and Mrs. Olan and family of Sao Paulo, will be here Saturday to Christmas holidays with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris and family. The American residents arrived Houston last Saturday and are expected to New York for a before coming to Lockney.

CARNIVAL OF CHRISTMAS FOOD VALUES!

DATES	Dromedary 1 Lb. Pkg.	37c
PRESERVES	Kimbells Pure 20 Oz. Jar — 3 For	\$1.00
CORN	Del Monte 303 Cans — 3 For	44c
SALMON	Dixie Tall Can	39c

CAKE MIX

Betty Crocker Golden — Honeyspice White — Chocolate Package **29c**

FLOUR	Gold Medal 10 Lb. Bag	89c
Oranges	5 Lb. Bag	39c
Avacodas	2 For	29c
Carrots	Celo Pkg.	10c

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CHEESE	Kraft Velveta 2 Lb. Box	89c
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267 acres Floyd land, improved, on 2 good 8-inch irrigation wells, 73 acre cotton. Price \$315 per acre. M. A. Floydada, Texas. 35-2tp

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Five rooms and brick on pavement, close to school. Revis Harris, Phone OL 4-3310 or OL 4-3371. 23-1tc

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2 bedroom brick on nice, on pavement, Ray and Rhodes. 21-1tc

CORN-FATTENED GEESE FOR SALE \$1.50 each. These geese have been corned for 30 days and will weigh 10 pounds. Contact — BILL SHERMAN, Phone OL 4-3405, Lockney, Texas. 30-1tc

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 Kay Cummings
 (Kay is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lockney.)

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Farm Of Future Will Be Vastly Different
 Birmingham, Ala. — What will farming be like twenty years from now? Well, by that time, "farm" won't be a big enough word to describe the food producing plant. "Food factory" will probably be more accurate. It will have a business office to schedule work operations, etc. It will have airborne equipment, remote-controlled machines, near-perfect weatherized environment, and crops and animals adapted to its individual needs.
 In an article on what to expect twenty years from now, appearing in its current issue, The Progressive Farmers suggests that the biggest changes will come in farm equipment. A typical grain harvest scene then will include a helicopter flying to the field, hovering over the harvester, and hooking onto a grain filled plastic box the size of a small trailer. The helicopter takes it to the storage area where insecticides and a moisture condenser will be shot inside it. An air, water, and insectproof top will be put on. When marketed, the box will be handled "as is."
 No longer will farmers be going "round and round. Remote control machines or "automatic pilot" devices that raise or lower and guide will replace them. An experimental "robot" cultivator has already been developed.
 Year-round air conditioning will be commonplace in low-cost farm buildings. More animals than now can be imagined will never go outside a building or touch the ground, the magazine predicts.
 Hormones which stimulate or hold back plant growth will be widely used. Already, for example, some scientists see grain sorghums that will grow like wheat and will be harvested by the same methods.
 Meat producers will be able to guarantee the amount of lean, tenderness, protein content, and dressing percentage, of animals they market. Runtts will be a thing of the past. Instead of thinking in terms of grass or hay alone, we'll be making cellulose, one of key ingredients in low-cost livestock feeding.
 There is an excellent chance that twenty years from now, animal producers will be able to decide before breeding whether females will produce all males or females of a certain percentage different from Mother Nature.
 Forms in which food products will reach consumers will be vastly different. Atomic energy and radiation will greatly change handling of food products. If scientists are successful in irradiating food to prevent spoilage, refrigeration will largely be unnecessary.
 The same type of folks will be farming twenty years from now, says the magazine. Farmers with backbone, imagination, and get-up and go will be doing fine as food factory managers, with a lot more leisure.
 Predictions like these come from men who ought to know — editors of The Progressive Farmer, one of the leading farm and home magazines. The editors reached these conclusions about farming of "Brainstorming" techniques of reading, talking, and making some highly educated guesses.

SMITH VISITORS
 Mrs. F. M. Smith is recuperating at her home from a recent illness after being released Thursday from a five-day stay in Lockney General Hospital. Visiting her this week are two of her sisters and a brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Loftis, Caddo Mills, and Mrs. Arthur Middlebrook, Farmersville.
25TH GREAT-GRANDCHILD
 Mrs. Ida Ragle of Lockney now has her 25th great-grandchild. The newest addition to the circle is little Debra Sloan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Sloan of Santa Fe, N. M., who was born the past week end. Mrs. Sloan is the former Diana Ragle, daughter of Paul Ragle of Santa Fe.
HAS OPERATION
 Dr. J. M. Floyd underwent operation at the Plainview Hospital Tuesday morning. He was reported to have rested well Tuesday night and his condition was satisfactory Wednesday morning.
 No man is fully educated until he learns to read himself.
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Fight Nights At Plainview Are Set
 Plans for the Kiwanis Golden Gloves tournament and fight nights to precede the tournament at Plainview have been announced by Bob Hillburn, tournament director.
 The first event will be a fight night on Friday of this week. Matches will start at 8 p.m. at the city auditorium. Admission will be 75c for adults and 35c for children.
 Boys on the Kiwanis boxing team will be matched with top boxers from over the area as a warm-up for the approaching Golden Gloves tournament scheduled for January 21, 22 and 23. The second fight night will be Friday, January 9th.

And I Quote . . .
 "Too many meetings are held each month for no better reason than that it has been a month since the last one." — Bill Vaughn.
 "Nothing splendid has ever been achieved except by those who dared believe that something inside them was superior to circumstance." — Bruce Barton.
 "What a new face courage puts on everything! A determined man, by his very attitude and the tone of his voice, puts a stop to defeat and begins to conquer." — Ralph Waldo Emerson.
 "When a man sees eye to eye with his wife, it means that his vision has been corrected." — Grit.
 "A glamorous woman is one who looks poured into the kind of dress other women look dumped into." — G. Norman Collier.
TAILOR-MADE HAM
 A new ham has come on the market that weighs 6 1/2 pounds and is packed in a "no-stick" can. The meat slides out without prying or shaking. Here is a tempting sauce to serve with it: Drain the syrup from an 11-ounce can of Mandarin oranges. Add 1 1/2 teaspoons cornstarch, 1-8 teaspoon cloves, 1-4 teaspoon each cinnamon and nutmeg, 2 tablespoons sugar and 1/2 cup pineapple juice. Bring to a full rolling boil over a high flame, stirring constantly. Add 1 tablespoon butter and the orange sections. Serve with the baked ham.
 Graphite, Texas, in eastern Llano County, was built to ship graphite, but actually was used to ship cattle. Graphite is a station name on a spur of the Texas and New Orleans railroad.
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Odd size or different tastes?

No question about it . . . some of the out-of-town buying which drains off a lot of our community's economic life-blood is unavoidable. If it takes some unique size of clothing to fit us, or if the brand of toothpaste or bubble-gum we like has no other addicts in the area, then all we can do is go to the city for these items.

Very often, though, we're not as much of an oddity as to size and tastes as we imagine . . . and our home stores do have what we want. We just don't ask for it.

But in any case where a local merchant may be sabotaging our community's prosperity by keeping an inadequate stock of goods, let's remonstrate with him. It's no



good to spite him by going off somewhere else to buy . . . thus, in effect, killing his end of our partnership cow.

After all, this is not just his community . . . it's ours, too . . . our jobs, our businesses, our property values, our schools and churches depend upon its continuing prosperity.

So let's ask first at home for everything we need . . . ask repeatedly, if necessary. It will help our merchants to serve us better . . . help our community to grow and prosper . . . and help us, ourselves, by keeping more of our daily and emergency needs more conveniently available to us.

Trade in Lockney

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Hill News

The Santa Claus parade was real good Wednesday and even though our float didn't place, we would like to congratulate all those helping with it. Those on the float were Ruth Noel, Joe Ed Noel and Alice Myrick. They represented the characters of "Little Red Riding Hood."

Miss Kathy Rowland spent Sunday afternoon visiting Miss Janet Phillips in Bellview community.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jeffress and family spent Sunday in Silverton visiting Mr. and Mrs. Shafe Weaver and family and Jim Jeffress.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Holmes spent the week end in Midland visiting Mr. and Mrs. Howard Langston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Billington had as their guest over the week end their granddaughters, Betty, Sharon and Elaine Yardell of Plainview. Mrs. Billington returned home with them Monday morning to stay while their parents made a trip to California.

Mrs. Verlon Spears of Lampasas has been visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Spears and family this week. Johnny returned home with her to spend a few days.

Band contest was held Saturday in Plainview and it was another cold day for the event. Congratulations to Floydada on their first place they won and to Lockney on winning fourth.

Those marching from this community were Beverly Jeffress, Billie Gail Holmes and LaWana Womack.

Mrs. C. B. Carmack of Floydada spent Saturday night visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Jeffress while Mr. Carmack was in Dallas.

W. R. Billington has been on the sick list this week.

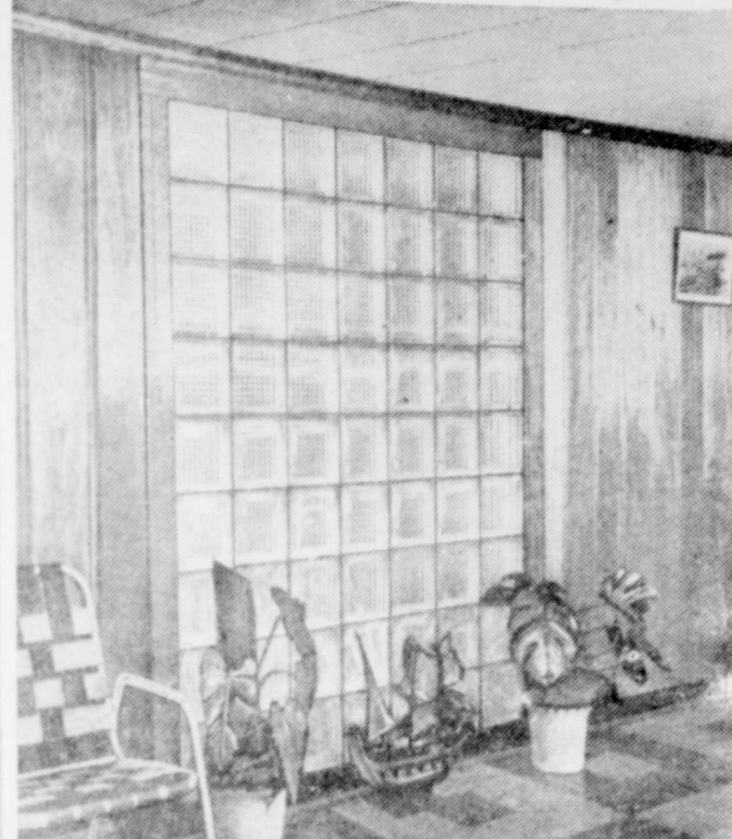
The Women's Adult Sunday School Class is having their Christmas social Friday afternoon at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Gerald Vincent. All women of the church are extended a special invitation to attend and bring a dollar gift to be exchanged during the afternoon.

The G.A.'s met Monday afternoon at the personage with Mrs. Bill Rowland in charge. Their Week of Prayer program was presented and the girls brought their Lottie Moon Christmas offering. Those present were Maurine Kathy and Linda Rowland, Marilyn McLain, Elaine Starkey and Norma Sue Hollums. The next meeting will be Monday, Dec. 15.

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Borrowed light pays big dividends, especially in hard-to-light basement rooms. The owner of this home has solved his inadequate lighting problem by "borrowing" light from another room through glass block. The glass block panel picks up this natural light and brightens the entire room shown above. In the evening, special effects can be created by backlighting this panel with colored bulbs, providing a variety of interesting and impressive lighting arrangements.

Sterley News

By Mrs. Virgil Adams

The Sterley Home Demonstration Club will meet Saturday, December 13 in the home of Mrs. Bill Washington for a family Christmas party. Gifts will be exchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Schaffner and children visited his mother, Mrs. Tobe Powers of Midland over the week end.

Mrs. Mac Howard and children of Hereford visited the A. D. Schaffners Wednesday and the two children, Terry and Gwin stayed with their grandparents until Friday when their parents came for them.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby L. Johnson, Lockney, are parents of a son born Monday at 5:59 a.m. at the Plainview Hospital and Clinic Foundation weighing eight pounds, 14 ozs., and named Gary Bob. This is the first grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Johnson, Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Forsythe, 400 E. 6th., Plainview, are the maternal grandparents.

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School Menu

Dec. 15-19

Monday — Hot dogs with chili, baked corn, pickle and cheese sticks, fruit salad, ginger cookies, milk.

Tuesday — Baked ham, creamed potatoes, buttered English peas, carrot and coconut salad, hot rolls, banana pudding, milk.

Wednesday — Pimento cheese sandwiches, vegetable soup, crackers, cherry Jello salad, potato chips, coconut cake, milk.

Thursday — Fritio pie with cheese, blackeyed peas, vegetable salad, corn bread muffin, cracker and peanut butter, apricot cobbler, milk.

Friday — (Christmas dinner) Roast turkey, dressing, giblet gravy, sweet potato marshmallow casserole, buttered green beans, cranberry sauce, enriched bread, banana nut cake, milk.

TOTS ARE HONORED

Students of Story Book School voted 5-year-old Tresa Duran and 4-year-old Brad Baucus as the most outstanding students for the past term. Tresa is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duran and Bruce is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Baucus.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas — GREETING:

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

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: JOE DELL RIVERS, Defendant. Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO APPEAR BEFORE THE Honorable District Court in Floydada, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 26th day of January, 1959, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 9th day of December, 1958, in this cause, numbered 4555 on the docket of said court and styled Lee Rivers, Plaintiff, vs. Joe Dell Rivers, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Suit for divorce, alleging desertion and that defendant is guilty of excesses, cruel treatment and outrages toward the plaintiff of such a nature as to render their further living together insupportable; alleging that no community property and no children are involved, and praying for divorce as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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

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

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Floydada, Texas, this 9th day of December A. D. 1958.

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T. H. Boedecker remains in the Lockney Hospital. We wish for him a speedy recovery. Virgil Brasher underwent an appendectomy last Monday at the Medical Center at Plainview. He was able to return home Friday. We wish for him a complete recovery.

Beckie Scheele underwent a tonsilectomy last week but is recovering nicely. Several in this community have had severe colds and confined to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner and family visited Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Ross Jr. and girls Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stoerner and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Halter as dinner guests Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Collins and son and Mr. and Mrs. Holloway of Borger were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele and Miss Marie Scheele.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kelm and sons had their dinner guests Sunday, Rev. and Mrs. A. K. Windecker and children.

Trinity Lutheran Church
A. K. Windecker, Pastor
Attendance Sunday: Sunday School 95, Divine Worship 129.
Mary Martha Christmas Party Held

The Night circle of the Mary Martha Circle of Trinity Lutheran Church held their Christmas party and supper Friday evening at the church. The entertaining tables were covered with white paper and had greenery and red candles. The Christmas tree was beautifully decorated.

The menu consisted of baked ham, green beans, cranberry salads, candied sweet potatoes, hot rolls, pie and coffee and cocoa. Invocation was given by Rev. A. K. Windecker. After the bountiful supper Mrs. Richard Matthews was in charge of the program. Christmas carols were sung and Mrs. Matthews gave a talk on the Christmas traditions and how Martin Luther celebrated Christmas and the part that Christmas trees play in our Christmas celebrations. Closing prayer was by Rev. Windecker. The children present received gifts from their parents and the men and ladies exchanged gifts.

Those attending were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boedecker and Terry, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes and girls, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Quebe and

son, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sammann and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kelm and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kelm and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Dietrich and sons, Rev. and Mrs. A. K. Windecker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Matthews and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Don McLaughlin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner and family.

Calendar of coming weeks:
Candlelight Christmas party, Dec. 12.

Ruth Circle Christmas party, Dec. 16.

Sunday School Christmas Practice, 3 p.m., Sundays, Dec. 14 and 21.

Junior Lutherans Christmas party, Saturday, Dec. 20, 9 a.m. Christmas program, Dec. 24.

Christmas Day Service, 10:30 a.m.

Caroling at 5:30 p.m., Dec. 21.

Letters To Santa

Dear Santa:
I am 8 years old. My name is Jimmy Jeffress. I would like a 20 inch bicycle. I have a little brother, his name is Timmy. He is 6 years old. He would like a electric football set. We would like some candy and fruit, and remember all the other children.
Jimmy Jeffress.

Dear Santa Claus and Mrs. Santa Claus:

I am a little girl 6 years old. I have tried to be good. I would like to have a big Bride doll and table and chairs and some dishes.

I love both of you and I will put you a present on the table. Thank you.

Love, your little friend,
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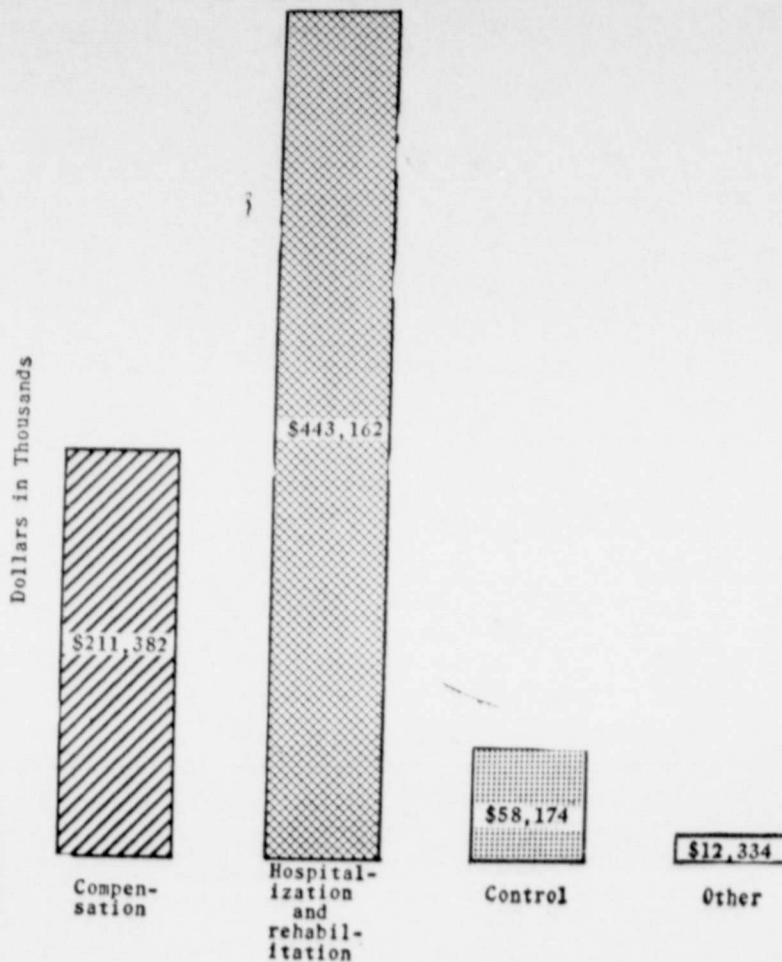
ENTERS SERVICE

Temple Lewis Jr., son of Rev. and Mrs. Temple Lewis of Lone Star, entered the armed services December 20 and is now stationed at Fort Carson, Colorado. The young man was a sophomore student at Hardin-Simmons University. For those who want his address it is: Tryson Temple Lewis Jr., R. A. 18559400, Co. 1st BG 47th Inf., Second Platoon, Fort Carson, Colorado.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Zapata, Lockney, are parents of a son, Antonio Zapata Jr., who arrived at Medical-Surgical Hospital at 1:30 a.m. Friday, December 5, weighing six pounds, fifteen ounces.

What TB Costs You



The total cost of tuberculosis in the United States is about \$725,000,000. Most of this comes out of the taxpayer's pocket. The largest part of the cost is for the hospitalization and rehabilitation of TB patients. To help cut down the size of this item, your tuberculosis association spends your Christmas Seal dollars for the prevention of TB.

Court House News

Civil Suits
J. H. Miers et ux vs. Clarence Wayne Bennett, suit for damages, transferred from Comanche County on plea of privilege.

Joe Reyna vs. Armanda Enriquez Reyna, suit for divorce.
Martin Hebratsch vs. Wabash Fire and Casualty Insurance Co., suit for damages.
Surina Griffith vs. Bobby Ray Griffith, suit for divorce.

Cases Completed
Texie Jo Clark et vir vs. Billie Miles Pigg, suit in trespass to try title. Judgment in favor of plaintiff.
Elizabeth Ann Crump vs. J. C. Crump, suit for divorce. Divorce granted to plaintiff.

Bobby Frank Cantrell vs. Maxine Cantrell, suit for divorce. Divorce granted to plaintiff, custody of minor child awarded to defendant, plaintiff to pay \$35 per month child support.

Criminal Docket
Oscar Petree, driving vehicle without consent of owner, plead guilty, assessed 24 days in jail.
Clyde Clemon Nichols, driving while intoxicated, plead

quilty, fined \$200 and costs, and 3 days in jail.

Joe Lester, driving while intoxicated, pleaded guilty, fined \$250 and costs, 3 days in jail.

Marriage Record
James Dillard Harnage and Pearl Mae Armstrong, Dec. 5.

Deed Records
Billy Joe Ferguson et ux to Will Thirkhill, lot 6, block 33, Floydada.

Charles B. Leger, et ux to Wilson P. Kermickel, south 20 feet of lot 8, all of lots 9 and 10, block 5, Walling addition, Lockney.

Raymond Rucker et ux to W. O. Newberry, 320 acres out of the west 1/2 of survey 81, block G, TTRR.

F. B. Estep et ux to William Randolph McCurdy, 193.2 acres out of section 25, BS&F.

Eula Glover Bryant to Robert Hernandez, lots 11, 12, 13, block 14, Guest & Ramsey addition, Lockney.

Ada Lee Jones to J. M. Tierce et ux, 10.56 acres out of the

east part of the J. J. Day 228 1/2 acre survey No. 278.
S. V. Adams et ux to Lon M. Davis Jr., lot 14, block 120, Floydada.

C. E. Millican et ux to Lon M. Davis Jr., lots 12 and 16, Floydada.

Eugene F. Harris et ux to C. F. Harris, all of section 41, block D-6, Floyd County.

W. A. Adams and Eva E. Adams to Mignol Rodriguez, lots 5 and 6, block 2, Tuttle addition, Lockney.

Maud M. Thacker to Florence G. Booth, lot 16, block 68, Floydada.

Smith-Bawden Grain Co. to Billie Sol Estes, 5 acres out of survey 121, block D-2, HE&WT Ry. Co.

PAT FRIZZELL DISCHARGED

Pat Frizzell received his discharge from the U. S. Army Thursday of last week, Dec. 4, at Fort Chaffee, Ark., where he had served most of his time. He spent 21 months in the Army. He and Mrs. Frizzell are back on the farm now and he expects to farm this coming year he said.

W. F. Pierce to Charles E. Jarrett, all undivided 1/4 interest in and to lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, block 4, Walling addition, Lockney.

Miguel Rodriguez et ux to Jesus Garza, lots 5 and 6, block 2, Tuttle addition to Lockney.

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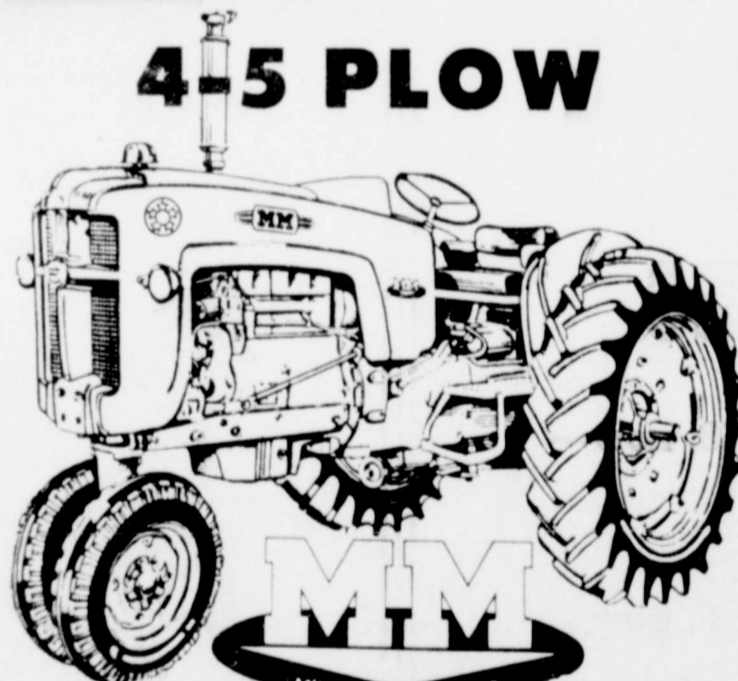
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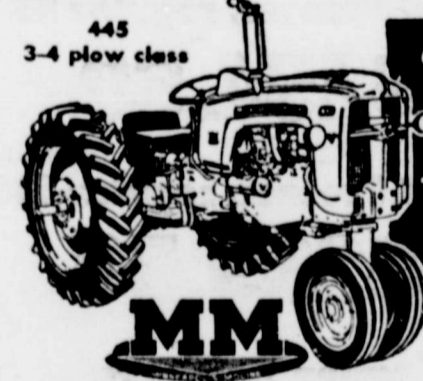
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THE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Vern Sanford

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had his "contract" renewed — at last summer's elections. Real winners will be 254 Texas people. All of whom would be dead by Dec. 31 if last year's accident rate continued.

For the first 10 months of this year Texas has been achieving its aim of a 10 per cent cut in traffic deaths. This has been done though travel has increased two per cent.

But the last four weeks — like the last four weeks in front of the goal post — will be the hardest. Christmas and New Year's holiday traffic will multiply driving dangers many times.

State officials, patrolmen and all the civic-minded associations and commissions and councils are geared for an all-out push. But actually "getting there" will depend on each Texan putting "drive safely" at the top of his Christmas list.

SAFETY LEGISLATION — For greater safety in the years ahead, the Governor's Highway Safety Commission will ask the next Legislature to pass a six-point program.

Points in the program: (1) state aid for driver education in the public schools, (2) creating county-wide courts of record to handle traffic violations, (3) legalizing use of chemical tests to determine intoxication, (4) strengthening drivers license law, (5) revising and updating the uniform vehicle code and (6) increasing salaries for members of the Department of Public Safety and starting a program to bring the highway patrol to the national minimum standard of 1,600.

Essentially the same program also has been endorsed by the Texas Safety Association and the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers.

SCHOOL REPORT COM

PLETE — Hale-Aiken Committee has completed its study and agreed — with some difficulty — on a proposed program for improving public schools.

Final report is 37 pages long, detailing improvements and expansions that would increase school spending by \$110,000,000 a year. Suggestions for upgrading the quality of public education include more days of school, more pay for teachers, driver education, special programs for the gifted, pre-school teaching of non-English speaking children, clerical assistance for teachers, etc.

Full final report will be printed within two or three weeks for distribution to legislators and interested citizens. Copies may be obtained from the Texas Education Agency, Austin.

SCHOOL LAW TESTED — Texas officials are studying carefully the similarities between Texas' and Alabama's pupil placement laws.

U.S. Supreme Court declared the Alabama law unconstitutional in the way in which it was applied.

Texas' pupil placement law, in the same general pattern, was passed in 1957, has never been tested in court. It allows local school officials to assign students to certain schools on the basis of 17 factors — aptitude, intelligence, home environment, personal conduct — almost everything except race.

Atty. Gen. Will Wilson said all the court tests of similar laws are being watched. By the end of the year, he said, "we should know pretty well what the law is."

PRISON FUNDS RUN SHORT — Texas Board of Corrections will ask the Legislature for a half-million-dollar emergency appropriation to finish out the fiscal year.

Untimely fall rains caused heavy losses in the Prison System's cotton crop. Result is that the system, which pays more than half its own way with prison industries and agriculture, will run short by an estimated \$300,000 by Aug. 31.

Department of Corrections also will be asking for funds to expand its overcrowded facilities. Needed, says the Board, is \$9,050,000 to build two new units for prisoners and one tuberculosis unit.

GO SLOW — "Like pay for like work" is a great idea, says the Texas Public Employees Association. But its members, the state employees, are wary of any effort to put a job classification system into effect in a hurry.

TPEA says it will study carefully the job classification study made by the Texas Employment Commission at the request of the last Legislature. Employees said they might have some recommendations of



Dear Editor:

I see where Minnesota's home-skippping Congressman charges that the voters or somebody conspired against her so she didn't get re-elected this year.

My worried neighbor says it seems like the politicians all over are getting disgusted with us voters, like Vice President Nixon chewing out Arkansas folks for replacing Congressman Hays.

Says, though, he will give up that there is principle in politics if he ever hears a winning candidate calling attention to voter stupidity and crooked elections.

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

their own by the time lawmakers meet.

TEC's study makes no salary recommendations but is simply an individual description of some 26,500 state jobs.

Some employees fear that attempts to adjust pay inequities between similar jobs would only result in more inequities. Others say the task of adjusting and supervising job classification would create another mushrooming, money-spending bureau.

RE-TREAD FOR ROADS — Texas Highway Commission has okayed a \$20,000,000 program for improving 3,061 miles of existing farm roads.

Age and heavy use has brought need for re-surfacing, bridge widening and shoulder replacement, said the commission.

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SHORT SNORTS — Texas Independence Day Association has announced a \$280,000 program for improving Washington-on-the-Brazos State Park, site of the signing of the Texas Declaration of Independence. It hopes to raise the money privately, create a tourist attraction and suitable site for March

2 observations... State Department of Health is showing off its new "home" — a \$3,000,000 building just completed on the northern outskirts of Austin... Texas has had a teen-age crime wave in 1958, says Dept. of Public Safety Director Col. Homer Garrison Jr. Juvenile arrests are at an all-time high, up 16 per cent from last year.



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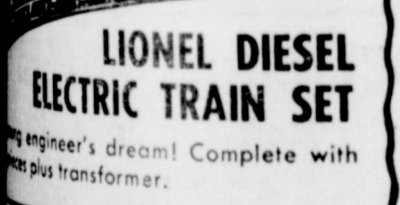
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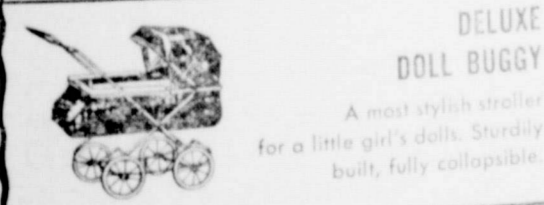
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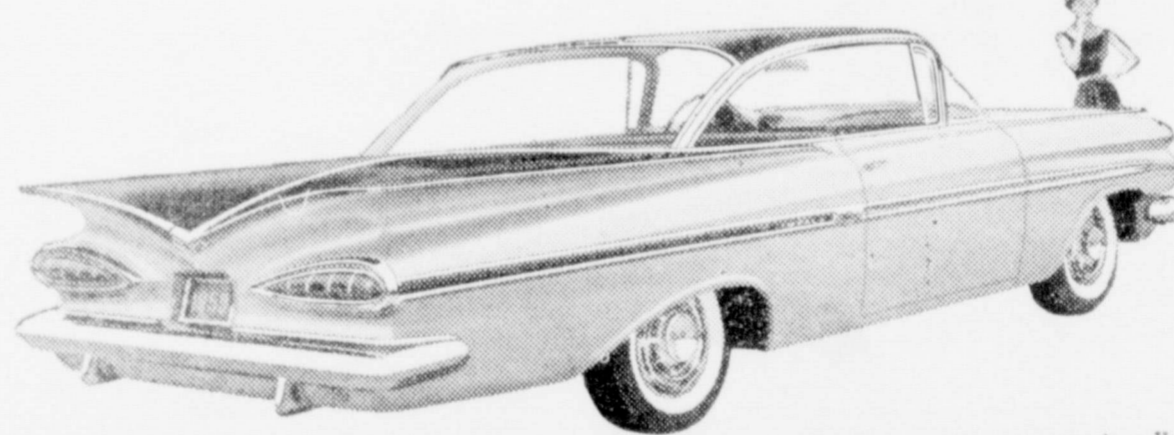
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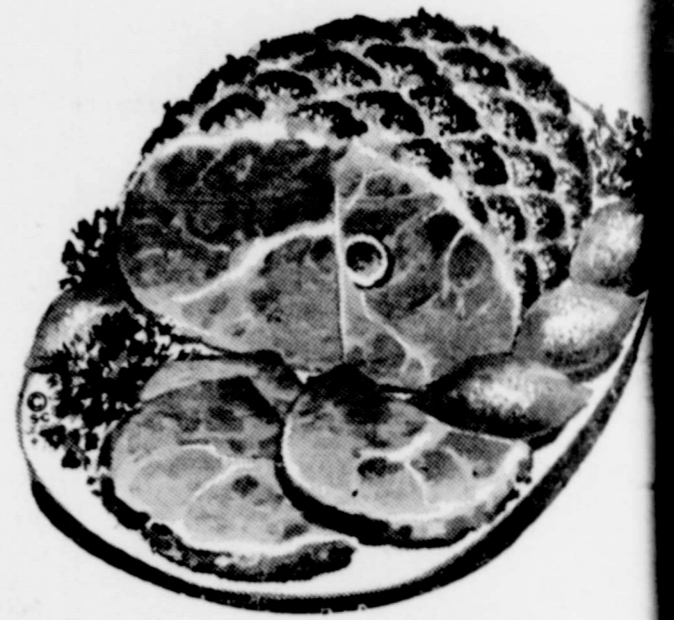
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1893 in Johnson County. She was very active in the Halfway Baptist Church for several years after moving to Hale County in 1927.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday in Halfway Baptist Church with Rev. Carlos McLeod, pastor, officiating.

IN AMARILLO

Miss Jane Willis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Willis, Lockney, recently accepted employment in the mailing department of Boys Ranch Business office in Amarillo. Her sister, Mrs. Bill Strickland, also former Lockney resident, is bookkeeper in Boys Ranch office.

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SWEET SIOUX—Claudette Clifford, 22, the pretty Indian maiden who was named "Miss American Indian in Chicago" for 1938, forecasts a bright new year as she compares the "Eagle Dancer" on Santa Fe Railway's 1939 calendar with its original painting. The railroad's calendars, more than 450,000 of which are distributed annually, have featured an Indian theme for nearly half a century.

Plains Cotton Acreage Cut Averages 6%

Lockney.—Texas High Plains cotton producers, faced with a 9% reduction in acres for 1959, actually will have to take only about a 6% reduction, due to the small state reserve held out this year by the Texas Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

Cotton allotments for the 23 member counties of the Plains Cotton Growers in 1958 totaled 2,279,806 acres and for 1959 these allotments total 2,134,753 acres, a reduction of 6%.

Floyd County's acreage as announced last week totals 94,896 for 1959. The State Reserve withheld by the State ASC committee was only 16% for 1959. This is the first time this reserve has ever been held below 6% and the small reserve this time enabled farmers all over the state to retain more acre-

age than was anticipated under operation of the new 1959 farm bill.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture has allocated 16,310,000 acres among the 21 cotton producing states for 1959 cotton, and the portion of that for the state of Texas is 6,846,732 acres. The 1958 allotment for the nation was 17,534,528, and for Texas it was 7,474,691.

County ASC offices throughout the state this week are mailing 1959 allotments to farmers. These allotments are needed before farmers vote December 15 in the cotton referendum to determine whether marketing quotas will be operative for the 1959 crop.

Guy Nickels, Muleshoe, represented the PCG at the 1959 allotment hearing held September 25 in College Station. At that time Nickels urged the State Committee to set the state reserve as low as possible. This is the first time since the PCG was organized early in 1956, that this area has been successful in convincing the State ASC committee that a small reserve should be withheld. Also this is the first year this area has had a member from this area on the State ASC committee. Allan Webb of Dimmitt is now a member of the committee.

IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Della Dagley is in Long Beach, Calif., due to the critical illness of her son-in-law, L. C. Gotcher. A card from Mrs. Dagley mailed there last Wednesday said that he was not expected to live. The Gotchers lived here from 1948 until 1951.



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SS Increases To Be Automatic

The social security district office has had far more inquiries than usual these past few weeks, John G. Hutton, manager reported today. A good many calls are from people who are receiving monthly retirement, disability or survivor checks now and who are concerned about getting the increase that was authorized by Congress and the President recently.

Mr. Hutton reminds all social security beneficiaries that the increase in monthly benefits will come to them automatically; they do not have to phone, write, or visit the social security office to request or file any kind of application for the increase.

The checks for January of 1959, which will be mailed out on the first of February, will include the full increase the law provides, an average jump of about seven percent, he said. In dollars this means 65 year-old workers will receive from \$3.00 to \$7.50 more, depending upon the amount of their present benefit.

Where total family payments reach \$254.00, individual benefits other than that paid to the worker may show a lesser percentage increase, Mr. Hutton concluded. A representative of the Lubbock Social Security Office will be in Floydada on December 15, 1958 at 9:30 a. m. at the Courthouse, Room 196 and will be glad to assist in all matters pertaining to Social Security.

People who like to be waited on are the hardest ones to be cured of their ailments.

THE LOCKNEY BEACON, LOCKNEY, TEXAS, DEC. 11, 1958



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

Dear Editor:
I see where the Internal Revenue Service has just put out a new tax joke book to boost its employee morale by encouraging them to laugh at the troubles of tax collectors.

My 'taint-funny neighbor says this morale upliftment job is being done on the wrong parties. Tax collectors can quit if they get fed up, but taxpayers can't.

Says it would be funnier to more people if they quit ridiculing bewildered taxpayers and made some of Washington's tax-wasting clowns to dress the part and get busted with a slap-stick once in a while.

WILLIAMS VISITORS

Guests in the Dee Williams home during last week end included their children, A-3c Clifton Williams of Sheppard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls; Vernon and Glen Williams and their families of Lubbock; Calvin Williams and family, Hale Center; Harry Sinclair family of Plainview; Misses Thelma and Alta Williams, Amarillo; Mrs. Nina Williams and children, Lockney, Clifton left Sunday and returned to his base.

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Mrs. N. E. Greer was a week end guest in the home of her friend, Mrs. M. J. Gregory at Petersburg. Open house was held Friday at the recently completed Gregory home. Mrs. Greer was a guest through Sunday.



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Roy Ooley Critical From Brain Tumor

Roy Ooley, former resident and graduate of Plainview High School, was reported in critical condition following surgery for a brain tumor in Houston Monday.

Ooley, who now lives in Houston, is at the Methodist Hospital there. He is the son of Mrs. W. C. Ooley, 829 Baltimore, the brother of Klyce Ooley, 1114 Kokomo, and the brother of Mrs. J. D. Wood, 1108 Fresno, all of Plainview.

UT Enrollment May Reach 30,000

A committee of Texas citizens recommends an orderly growth in size of the University of Texas at Austin to accommodate 30,000 students.

The citizens group, known as the Committee of 75, made an extensive study during the University's 75th Anniversary Year which ends this month.

It said that a growth to 30,000 could be attained without serious overcrowding. Necessary to such growth, it concluded, is an expenditure of \$35 to \$40 million for new buildings, and sufficient enrollment control as needed to prevent overcrowding in a single year of the growth period.

The committee added: "The facts available indicate that the chance of the Main University being swamped by students is remote. Other state colleges will expand. New four-year and junior colleges will probably open. The Main University enrolled 25 per cent of all students in state colleges in 1956-57, and if this proportion is maintained, an enrollment stabilizing at approximately 30,000 in 1975 is predicted."

The Committee's study, which touches on many phases of University development, suggests the role and scope of the University within the total higher education needs of Texas rapidly-expanding population and economy.

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Teddy Roosevelt Attempted To Ban Christmas Trees

Teddy Roosevelt almost rode roughshod over the Christmas tree in his drive to conserve the nation's forests. But two little boys put the Christmas spirit — and the tree — back in the White House.

The Christmas tree was well-established in the United States when TR became president. Research experts with The World Book Encyclopedia say a Harvard professor named Charles Follen set up one of the first known trees in America in 1832.

President Franklin Pierce put up a tree in the White House in the 1850's to entertain the Sunday school of the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church. And President Benjamin Harrison continued the custom in the 1890's.

But some modern-day Scrooges convinced Roosevelt that the cutting of Christmas trees would soon deplete the nation's forests. TR promptly banned the tradition at the White House.

However, the old Roughrider forgot to consult his young sons, Archie and Quentin, who cared little about presidential edicts — and less about conservation. They smuggled a tree into the mansion on Pennsylvania Avenue and set it up in Archie's room.

The president relented, and ever since, the White House has had an indoor Christmas tree.

TR's concession also sent the Christmas tree industry soaring beyond the dreams of one of its founders — a Catskill farmer who brought his trees to market in New York City in 1851. And it helped pave the way for a new custom — the community Christmas tree.

In 1924, a Norway spruce was planted near the White House and later dedicated as "a national living Christmas tree."

Two years later, a giant California redwood in King's Canyon national park, named General Grant after the Civil War hero, was dedicated as the "Nation's Christmas Tree."

Reaching 267 feet into the sky from a base 40 feet thick, the tree is the second largest in the world.

Every year, nearby townspeople and visitors join in a holiday service and sing carols at the base of the sequoia, which was growing on the mountain slope when Christ was born in Bethlehem.

CHEESE CLUB SANDWICH

Melt ½ pound sharp cheddar cheese over a low flame. Add 1-3 cup of milk and stir until smooth. Season with ¼ teaspoon Worcestershire sauce and 1-8 teaspoon dry mustard. Remove the sauce from the flame and serve over slices of toast. Garnish with crisp pieces of bacon. Served with fresh fruit, coffee and milk, this makes a good luncheon dish.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our deepest appreciation to our many friends for the lovely flowers, cards of sympathy, gifts and many other acts of kindness shown us at the death of our loved one. May God's richest blessings rest upon each of you.

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BRAISED CELERY

Remove the top leaves from a bunch of celery and wash the stalks. Remove the coarse strings and cut the stalks diagonally into 1-inch sections. Place 1½ tablespoons of oil in a skillet over a high gas flame. Add 3-4 teaspoon of salt and the celery and toss until the celery pieces are coated with oil. Add ½ cup chicken broth, cover the skillet and cook 3 to 5 minutes. Serve immediately.

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Tree Seedlings Available From Forest Service

College Station — Only 75,000 tree seedlings are still available to West Texas landowners for windbreak plantings in early 1959, Dr. A. D. Folweiler, director of the Texas Forest Service, reported today.

"The supply is short, so interested planters are urged to get their applications in early to assure their gettings trees," Folweiler said.

Application blanks for ordering seedlings are available from the Texas Forest Service at College Station. These forms can also be secured from county agents, soil conservation districts, and ASC offices in the West Texas area.

About 43,000 red cedar, 22,000 ponderosa pine, and 16,000 Austrian pine are all that remain of the trees which will be

secured and distributed by the Service. The seedlings will be sold at cost for \$1.25 each hundred, postage prepaid.

"With continued favorable rainfall ideal planting conditions should exist. As a result, landowners should get good survival from windbreak plantings," Folweiler added.

The deadline for ordering trees will be not later than March 1, 1959. Seedlings will be shipped about the first week of March, 1959, from the Indian Mound Nursery in Cherokee County to locations specified on the application blanks. Information on how to store and plant the seedlings is available upon request from the Texas Forest Service at College Station.

"The orders will be filled on a 'first come - first served' basis," Folweiler said.

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CROSS ROADS REPORT

Dear Editor:

My disrespectful neighbor says he notes that our not so goodwill ambassador Nixon forgot his other pair of pants when he went to England to see the Queen.

But says this was likely less embarrassing than getting rocks thrown at you like he did in South America, and is just one of the drawbacks to having more than one pair of pants.

Says .too, a Vice President in borrowed pants is some relief to us taxpayers after ten years of seeing VIP's come back from world tours without our shirts.

D. E. SCOTT

Pvt. J. P. Crump Going To Germany

Fort Riley, Kan. — Army Pvt. J. P. Crump, son of Mrs. Edith M. Crump, Lockney, is scheduled to depart from the U.S. for Germany in mid-December with the 1st Division's 28th Infantry.

The infantry is being re-assigned from Fort Riley, Kan., to Munich, and will become part of the 8th Infantry Division.

Crump, a radio and telephone operator in the infantry's Mortar Battery, entered the Army last June and received basic combat training at Fort Riley.

The 22-year-old soldier is a 1954 graduate of Seymour High School and a 1958 graduate of Abilene Christian College.

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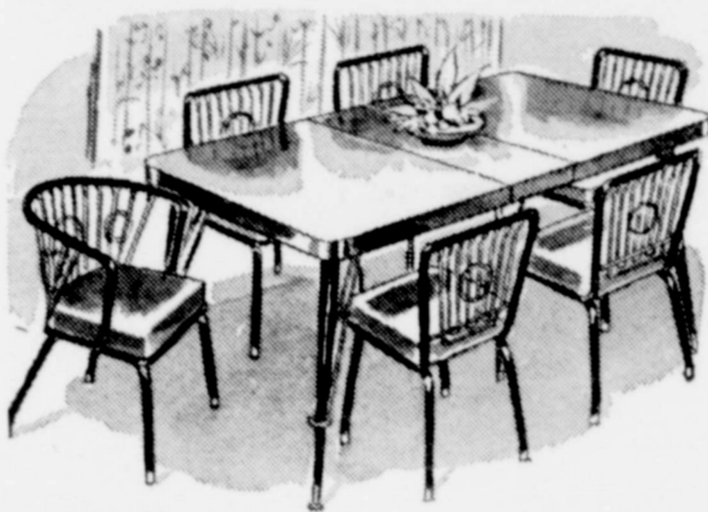
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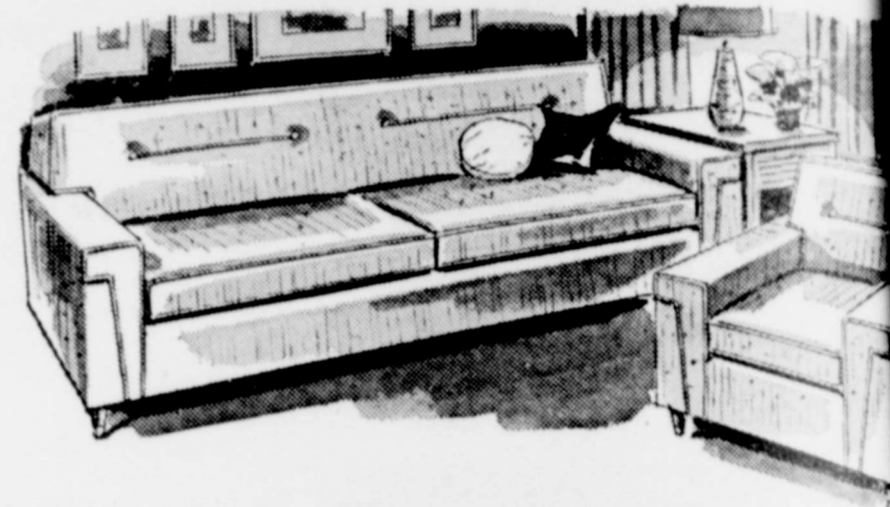
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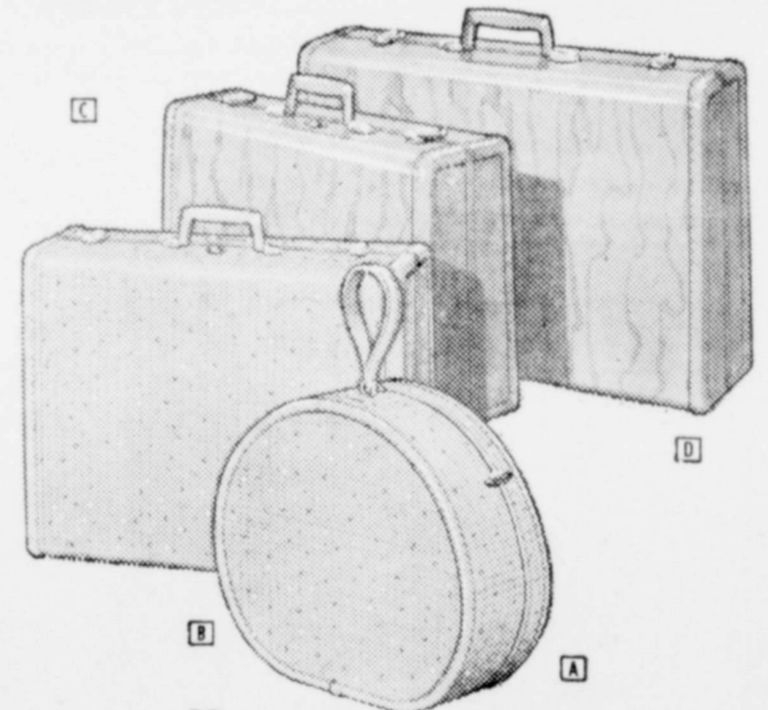


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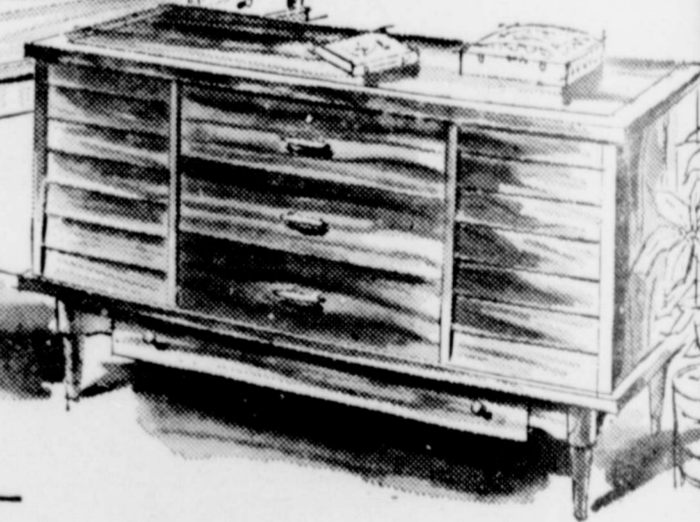


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OLD AGE ROLLS SHORTER
— Number of Texans receiving old age assistance payments dropped during the past year, but Texas still has a greater percentage of its population on most other states.

State Welfare Department's report to the governor notes that an increase in the number of elderly persons receiving Federal Social Security payments is apparently causing the shrinkage in the state welfare rolls.

Despite this trend, Texas has 23.6 per cent of its 65-and-over population on the state pension rolls compared to a national average of 16.2 per cent. Texas' average payments are lower — \$47.08 per month compared to the national average of \$61.39.

During the past fiscal year the State Welfare Department paid out \$125,353,296 for old age pensions. Of this, 30 per cent was state funds, the rest federal.

JUDICIAL REVIEW UPHELD
— Persons unhappy with State Water Board decisions may appeal to the courts but not for a new trial starting from scratch.

State Supreme Court ruled that appeals from Water Board decisions may be considered only in the light of the evidence presented in the original hearing. In so ruling, the high court

invalidated a provision in the water code providing for trial de novo (or anew).

At issue was a Water Board decision denying Southern Canal Co. of Houston permission to take water from the Trinity River. An Austin district judge had ruled that he did not have jurisdiction. Now the case can go back to district court for judicial review under the "substantial evidence" rule.

Effect of the Supreme Court decision could be far-reaching if applied to appeals from other administrative decisions. Here, before trial de novo has applied to appeals from the State Board of Insurance.

SHORT SHORTS — Jake Jacobson, Governor Daniel's top assistant, will leave this job Jan. 1 to enter private law practice in Austin. Jacobson has been a close associate of governor since the days when Daniel was attorney general.

Texas Employment Commission Chairman S. Perry Brown has been reappointed by the governor for a new six-year term despite protests from labor groups. . . U.S. Dept. of Agriculture is recommending a 12 per cent cut in 1959 acreage allotments for spring potatoes in Texas. This would be 7,875 acres for next year compared to 9,000 in 1958.

Texas Heritage Foundation President Paul Wakefield has petitioned President Eisenhower for a full pardon for one of Texas' most famous sons, the late William Sydney Porter, better known as short story writer O. Henry.



Dear Editor:
I see where the rumor has been officially scotched that England's Queen Mother gets advice from a crystal ball on how to run her business.

My so-what neighbor says so what if she does? Lots of folks like to get outside help on important decisions and, at least, you can say a crystal ball or a pair of dice don't have any personal axe to grind.

Says he thinks the U. S. would be better off if President Ike would fire a few thousand of his self-appointed advisors and start taking his problems to a ouija board.
D. E. SCOTT
Crossroads, U.S.A.

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or more by Jan. 1, except for volunteers and delinquents who may be younger. . . Department of Public Safety has begun the training of 70 new recruits at its Law Enforcement Academy. Graduates will be assigned to the Highway Patrol, Drivers License Patrol and Weight Patrol, all of which are undermanned.

Miss Bettye Vernon and her fiancé, Joe Howard Cruse, both of Fort Worth, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Vernon, and other relatives here Saturday night and Sunday.

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South Plains

By Mrs. Murray Julian

Christmas parties for the 4-H Club, Home Demonstration Clubs, the school and Sunday school classes are in the air these days. School will be out Dec. 19 until January 5. The next P-TA meeting will be held January 9 with a book review by Mrs. Roy Bledsoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Upton and Eugene Beedy of WTSC at Canyon and Donita Milton of Lubbock spent the week end here.

Mrs. J. H. Karr of Fort Worth left by bus from Plainview Sunday night after spending the past week here as guest of her son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Karr. She had come home with them after the Thanksgiving holidays.

Gary Morrison was able to come to school Monday after being out of school all last week with cold and the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Kinnibrugh and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Calahan went to Vera and Truscott Friday afternoon to spend the week end with Mrs. Spivey and the J. A. Kinnibrughs. While there the men enjoyed some quail hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Upton went to Lamesa Saturday night to attend a postmasters meeting and banquet.

Carla and Diane, children of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bean have just gotten over a siege of the measles.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arby Mulder, Nathan and Kathy Sunday were her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Cobb, Tullia and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land of Clarendon, and her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Don Bean of Silverton.

Nineteen bales of cotton were slightly burned at the Morrison Gin in South Plains last Wednesday. Sparks from the burr burner caused the blaze.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Respondek are happy to have their son, Tommy, home from Fort Eustis, Virginia, after his medical discharge Wednesday due to a leg injury which gave him much trouble while he was in the army.

Our community was shocked to hear of the tragedy at the railroad crossing in South Plains when J. F. Bingham, 50, of Silverton was killed instantly about 12 o'clock Wednesday

night when he was riding with Arch Wadlington of Gladstone, N. M., and their car crashed head-on into the second engine of a double-header freight train. He was the father of Mrs. Raymond Reeves of our vicinity. Funeral services were held Friday at 2:30 p.m. in Silverton. Many from here attended.

Thursday several men from here went to Amarillo to spend the day at a meeting with Pioneer Gas Company in Amarillo. Going were L. T. Wood, John Key West, Murray Julian, Leighton Teple, E. J. Kinslow and Sterling Cummings. The Cummings family accompanied Sterling to Amarillo for the day.

P-TA met Friday afternoon with Mrs. O. T. Hewitts pupils giving a musical play. Diane and Cathy Calahan also played a duet. Mrs. Kinslow headed the business meeting and the Christmas school program was set for Dec. 19 with Mrs. Chester Hidalgo getting the program. There will be a Christmas tree and presents for all the children. P-TA voted to buy a set of encyclopedia for the schools.

Senior Home Demonstration club members and husbands will have their annual Christmas party at the school recreation room Monday night, Dec. 15, at 7 o'clock. Gifts will be brought for men to be exchanged under the Christmas tree and games of forty-two will be enjoyed during the evening, after which pie and coffee will be served. Hostesses for the party are Mrs. R. G. Dunlap, Mrs. Shelby Calahan, Mrs. J. K. West and Mrs. Sylvan Kinnibrugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smitherman, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Smitherman and Marc spent Wednesday in Lubbock.

Lottie Moon Week of Prayer was observed the past week by the WMU of the Baptist church. Mrs. Gillespie led the programs. All the meetings were held at 8:30 in the morning with an average of 9 attending. Wednesday night at prayer meeting, Mrs. Gillespie directed the meeting with Mrs. Shelby Calahan and Mrs. Thomas Pierce giving excerpts from the life of Lottie Moon and other parts of the study. All gifts for the Lottie Moon Week of Prayer will be received in a special offering Sunday morning, Dec. 14, at the church.

Many from here attended the

band contest held in Plainview Saturday as the Floydada Whirlwind Band met with 30 bands to compete in the marching contest and won first division rating in Class AA. Those from here are Sue Wilson and Yvonne Karr.

4-H Club leader Mrs. Roy Bledsoe has announced the 4-H Club Christmas party for all 4-H members and prospective members. A banquet and Christmas party with tree and games has been planned for

December 18 at 6 p.m. sharp at the school house. No one will want to miss this gay Christmas party.

Spending Monday in Lubbock were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Stanforth, Jr., John Wilson, Mrs. Ollie Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy entertained with a dinner party Friday night for Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wood who were celebrating a wedding anniversary.

CROSS ROADS REPORT

Dear Editor:

I see where the U.S. is figuring to waltz on another Indian treaty by taking back some land that was deeded to the Senecas by President Washington back in 1794.

Could be this federal fickleness is what makes Russia

so skittish about any deal with us on the atom bomb. Maybe Krushchev has been talking to an Indian.

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D. E. SCOTT
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