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## LONGHORNS IN DENVER CITY MEET, GIRLS AT CROSBYTON

Local basketball teams play their final games before the holidays this week end. The Longhorns are entered in the Denver City tournament and the Longhornettes are scheduled to play in the Crosbyton tournament.

Lockney's boys meet Lamesa at 4:30 Friday in their first round game. Win or lose, the boys will play three games — one Friday and two Saturday. Coach Troy Lemley's Longhorns will stay in Denver City Friday night.

The Longhornettes, who drew a first round bye in the Crosbyton meet, will play the winner of the Crosbyton - Girard match Friday at 6:10 p.m. One loss would eliminate the local girls due to the first round bye.

Floydada played host to Lockney teams last Friday. The local boys won, 56-45, but the Longhornettes came out on the short end of a 39-29 count. The Whirlwinds had downed Lockney in two previous battles, but the Longhorns, playing one of their better games, gained revenge. Moe Mickey was high point with 24 and Jimmy Miller added 13 for the Big Red.

Bill Gilliland, 14 points, and Bill Gilliland, 12 points, led Floydada.

Lawauna Womack and Mae Bell Johnson netted 19 and 16 points as the Floydada sextet downed the local girls. Janice Boedeker scored 15 points for Lockney. The two teams had split a pair of earlier contests.

Tuesday night Crosbyton squads played in the local gym. In the first game, the visitors beat the Longhornettes, 50-27. Jane Snodgrass had 20 points and Janice Cornelius 14 points for the winners. Janice Boedeker paced Lockney scorers with 18. The visitors built up a tremendous 28-4 halftime advantage before the local girls came alive and played on even terms the final two quarters.

In the boys game, Lockney scored first and was never behind in winning 51-34. The Longhorns held big margins at the end of every quarter — 9-3, 22-9, 36-21, 51-34.

Terry Clark canned 20 points for Lockney and Mickey added 13. David Edwards was high point for Crosbyton with 14 points.

The Longhorns have posted a record of four wins, two losses this season. Only two close losses to Floydada mar their record. Lockney's girls have won two, lost six.

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## City Officers Warn BB Gun Owners

Boys who have BB guns were warned not to shoot them within the city limits by city officers this week. A city ordinance forbids the shooting of such guns within the city. Officers have received some complaints about BB guns hitting picture windows, it was said.

## Christmas Service At Methodist Church Sunday Evening At 7:00

A Christmas candle lighting service, "The Light of Men," will be presented at the Lockney Methodist Church Sunday evening, December 21, at 7 o'clock. It was announced this week by Pastor E. Lee Stanford.

The service, arranged by Mattie B. Shannon, is a service of beauty and inspiration and will make Christmas live in the memory of those who see it throughout the following year. It is directed by Mrs. E. J. Baccus and Mrs. Clyde Briley.

Characters for the play include two readers of Bible passages, groups of angels, a group of Shepherds, Mary, Joseph, Three Wise Men, Voice of Love, Twelve Apostles, the adult and junior choirs and the minister. All the congregation will be lighting their candles to send out the Christian Light of love and joy.

Rev. Stanford said that everyone is invited to participate in this beautiful service and to join with others in carrying

## Grand Jury Indicts Bennett For Murder

The Floyd County Grand Jury, meeting Wednesday of this week, returned an indictment charging murder against Medford Bennett. Lockney colored man and cafe owner. Bennett was charged in the slaying of P. D. Bagby here on Nov. 28. Bennett has been out of jail under a \$20,000 bond since Dec. 4.

Bennett's trial will probably be set for March 9, according to District Attorney John B. Stapleton.

The Grand Jury was impaneled by Judge James G. Denton, judge of the 99th District Court in Lubbock County. Judge L. D. Ratliff of this district was ill.

The Grand Jury returned six indictments including the one against Bennett. The others were:

Herbert Roy Cauthen, driving while intoxicated, second offense, out on bond.

Jim Don Stewart, burglary, out on bond.

M. L. Rummage, burglary, in jail at Lubbock. (Rummage was one of the trio which escaped the Lubbock jail the past week end and was recaptured in Fort Worth.)

James William Milligan, burglary, in jail at Lubbock.

Raymond Sheeley, child desertion, out on bond.

Ernest Lee Thomas was foreman of the Grand Jury. Other members of the jury from this part of the county were Clyde Farish, Mrs. Dwight Jackson and Mrs. L. B. Brandes.

## Mrs. G. C. Fairey In Odessa Hospital

Mrs. G. C. Fairey of Odessa, former Lockney resident, entered an Odessa hospital with a heart ailment Saturday. Visiting her over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Casey, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Record and Donna Lyn, Mrs. W. L. Thomas Sr. and Perry Casey.

The local people, all relatives of Mrs. Fairey, had gone to Odessa to attend a tea Sunday honoring Mrs. Fairey's grandson, Bill Alexander, who is to be married Dec. 23 in Austin. Mrs. Fairey had taken ill the day before the scheduled event and was hospitalized. Mrs. Thomas and Perry Casey have been at their sister's bedside this week.

## Betty Foster Is Out Of Hospital

Miss Betty June Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Foster and a student at Colorado Women's College, Denver, was released from the college infirmary Tuesday of this week after an illness of more than a week. Betty was stricken with a virus flu which was sweeping the campus there. She is expected home Friday for the Christmas holidays.

## Christmas Service At Methodist Church Sunday Evening At 7:00

out Christmas Love's bidding as she says:

Ye are the candles of your God,  
To spread abroad His light  
Till men shall see where  
Jesus trod  
And serve with purpose  
bright.

Ye are the light of all the earth;  
Your beams must clearly  
shine;  
Lo, telling of a Savior's worth,  
Go forth with light divine!

Go forth, though feeble be  
your ray,  
To light another's flame;  
Till time shall bring un-  
ending day,  
O Glorify Christ's name!

While Christmas songs in  
gladness ring  
Through shadowed paths now  
go,  
To spread the light of Christ  
the King,  
Through all the earth below.

## Christmas Holidays Will Vary At Local Business Houses

The number of Christmas holidays will vary at local business houses, a survey by The Beacon revealed this week.

All stores are expecting to be closed Christmas Day, of course, while a few, implement houses and such, will close at noon on Christmas Eve. Recer's Cleaners will close Thursday and Friday, as will local insurance offices.

A few stores will take the long holiday and close Thursday through Sunday. These include Oliver Jewelry, Jack & June Shop and The Lockney Beacon.

Local schools will be dismissed Friday of this week at 2 p.m. and will be out for two weeks, taking up again on Monday, January 5.

## 15 Entries In Xmas Lighting Contest Here

There were 15 entries in the Christmas home lighting contest sponsored by the Business & Professional Women's Club Wednesday afternoon, according to Mrs. Payton Powers, chairman of the B&PW Committee. Other entries are expected and the deadline for entering is Friday noon this week.

The B&PW Club and Chamber of Commerce are offering a \$10 prize in each of three divisions, the best decorated and lighted door, the best window and the best yard. It is not necessary to enter any special division since the judges will judge the home in the proper division.

Judging will be Friday evening of this week and the judges will be Plainview people, one representative from each of the utility firms, Southwestern Public Service Co., Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., and Pioneer Gas Co.

Entries up to Wednesday afternoon were Bob Miller, Clyde Briley, Don Hatch, Mrs. Lloyd Paul Reece, R. L. Knox Jr., L. L. Rhodes, Edgar Heys, Wayne Bramlett, T. B. Mitchell, Henry Hodel, J. B. Seale, Carl Lee Sr., Barry Barker, Art Barker Jr., Jerry Wofford.

Other members of the B&PW committee are Mrs. Pat Stansell and Mrs. Bill Jones.

## Cedar Hill Church Will Have Xmas Play Tonight

The Cedar Hill Assembly of God Church will present a play, "Back to Bethlehem," at 7:30 p. m. tonight (Thursday). The public is invited to attend.

Following the play there will be treats for the children.

## Sterley To Have Christmas Program

Sterley Methodist Church is sponsoring a Christmas tree and program for the entire community to be presented Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the church.

Everyone is invited to attend.

## Pvt. Gerald Cross To Be Home Soon

Pvt. Gerald Cross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cross, will be home soon after serving his six months active duty in the Army. Under this type of enlistment he will now enter the active reserve. He has been at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, since leaving Fort Chaffee, Ark.

## J. F. Brown Dies At Cameron

J. F. Brown, a brother-in-law of G. H. Phenix of Lockney, died at his home in Cameron Tuesday of this week. Funeral services and burial were held at Cameron on Wednesday. He was 86 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Phenix were not able to attend the services.

## NATIVITY SCENE

Rev. J. W. Read has erected a nativity scene on the lawn at Sterley Methodist parsonage and the public is invited to bring their children by to see it.

## Services For Livingston Boy Set Here Today

Funeral services for young Bobby Livingston will be held at the First Baptist Church at 3 p.m. today (Thursday). Rev. Levi Price, pastor of the Monahans Baptist Church, will conduct the services and burial will be in Lockney Cemetery.

Bobby died Tuesday at 4:30 p.m. at Monahans, his home. He had been ill of leukemia for several months. He was 17 years of age and the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Novus Livingston. His paternal grandmother is Mrs. N. S. Livingston, a long time resident of this community.

Carter Ambulance left here early Wednesday and returned at 6 p.m. the same day with the body. The family arrived shortly afterward. Carter Funeral Home will be in charge of the services.

Bobby was born October 10, 1941, at San Antonio, Texas. But the family came to Lockney to live in 1945. They remained here until February 1957 when they moved to Florida. Bobby started school here and was a freshman in high school when he moved away. His father was reared here.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Novus Livingston of Monahans; two grandmothers, Mrs. Livingston of Amarillo, and Mrs. Snelson of Carlsbad; five aunts, including Mrs. James Webster of Aiken, and three uncles.

Palbearers will be his former classmates in Lockney schools, Dan Smith, Max Marble, Jake Wofford, Keith Carthel, Keith Jackson, Ricky Dollar, Carl Wayne Wilson and Jack Ford.

## Leslie Cox Named City Officer

Leslie Cox was employed as a city officer at a meeting of the City Council last Thursday evening. He was selected from among six applicants.

Cox will begin work with the other city officer, Lowell Bilbrey, on January 1st. He replaces Alton May, who has resigned to take a job with Commissioner-elect Bob Jarrett.

Cox will draw \$275 the first month and \$300 per month after that.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox and family have lived in this community 11 years.

## High School Pupils Invited To 4-H Party

All high school students in the county who are interested in 4-H Club work are invited to attend a county-wide 4-H Club party to be held next Monday at 7 p.m. in the agriculture building in Floydada. The building is located on the southeast corner of the court-house square.

Assistant County Agent Harold Ellison and Miss Phyllis Roggenhoff, home demonstration agent, will be in charge of the party.

## Floyd County Will Gin 110,000 Bales From 1958 Crop — Survey

Floyd County will gin a record 110,000 bales of cotton from the 1958 crop and has already ginned more than 109,000 bales according to a survey made Tuesday by The Beacon and Hesperian.

The survey, made by contacting all 20 gins in the county, showed a total of 109,051 bales ginned and ginning are expected another 955, for a total of 109,966. Newspapers are pulling for that additional 34 to make the 110,000 bales.

A previous estimate made after a survey by the county newspapers was set at 113,000 bales. This proved to be slightly high but still closer than other estimates that ranged around 93,000 to 98,000 bales.

The 110,000 bales is a record production for this county. The county ginned a little more than 108,000 bales from the 1954 crop, these being the only two years county ginnings have passed the 100,000 bale mark.

The yield per acre was good this year, although previous years have been higher. The Beacon's figures show that the county averaged 1.18 bales per

acre with 110,000 bales from 93,000 acres of planted cotton. The county's allotment this year was slightly less than 100,000 acres. The grades have also been good with considerably more than half of the crop being white cotton.

Gins in Precinct 2 of this county accounted for almost exactly half of the ginned cotton in the county. Gins at Lockney, Lone Star, Aiken, Sterley and Providence have ginned a total of 54,440 bales and expect another 300 to come in from the current crop. Gins in the remainder of the county have ginned a total of 54,611 bales and expect another 615 bales from this year's crop.

The four gins in Lockney, Webster's Hi-Plains, Lockney Gin and Lockney Co-Operative Gin, have turned out a total of 22,815 bales compared to slightly less than 15,000 bales last year. Gins in precinct 2 ginned almost 32,000 last year, compared to the 54,440 bales this year.

"We're practically through ginning," was the typical comment made by the ginners as they were contacted Tuesday.

## CHRISTMAS PAGEANT, SANTA CLAUS WILL BE HERE FRIDAY

## Cotton Quotas Approved By Big Majority

Farmers of Floyd County, Texas and the nation approved cotton marketing quotas by big majorities in voting Monday. Floyd County approved the quotas 298 to 26, a majority of 81 per cent.

In the nation the quotas were approved by about 80 per cent and Texas voters were about of the same mind.

The vote by boxes in this county was:

	For	Against
Lockney	57	7
Floydada	115	8
Aiken	28	1
Cedar	20	0
McCoy	34	0
South Plains	25	5
Dougherty	19	5
Totals	298	26

## Infection Develops In McCandless' Leg

The condition of C. D. McCandless, injured last week when his legs were caught in a cotton stripper, was not so good Tuesday after a small amount of infection developed in one of his legs. He was running temperature and suffering some pain in the leg, Mrs. McCandless said Wednesday morning.

The right leg was badly broken and bones were protruding from the flesh in the accident. Physicians at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock operated on the leg and replaced the bones the night of the accident but a x-ray Monday of this week revealed that the bones were not in correct position to mend. Another operation on the leg will be necessary, the doctors said, probably within two or three weeks, at which time a pin will be placed in the leg.

A rod was driven through McCandless' left foot but that wound is healing satisfactorily. Mrs. McCandless said. She has been in Lubbock with her husband most every day since the accident.

## Load Of Cotton Saved By Firemen

A trailer load of cotton was saved by members of the Lockney Volunteer Fire Department about noon Tuesday when it caught fire while coming to the gin. The cotton, belonging to Marris Ratliff, was burning on top when the fire was discovered by the hired hand pulling the trailer. The Fire Department quickly extinguished the blaze and not more than 100 pounds of cotton was lost, members of the department said. The trailer was on Farm Highway 1310 about a mile south of the Bell Station in South Lockney.

## Broadhurst Has Operation Monday

Rev. Charles Broadhurst, pastor of the First Baptist Church, underwent an operation on his knee Monday at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. His condition was described as "very good" Tuesday and he came home Wednesday. The leg was placed in a cast but he is able to get around some.

The knee was injured several months ago when the pastor fell at the Plains Baptist Assembly camp in the canyon below Floydada.

Dr. A. Hope Owen, president of Wayland College, Plainview, will preach at the local church Sunday morning. The Sunday evening service will be Christmas music by the church choir.

## Vegetable Man Here Wednesday

Bob DuBryan, representing the DuBryan Produce Co. of Zeeland, Michigan, was here Wednesday talking with vegetable men and making plans for next year. The DuBryan firm handled the onion crop here this year in a very satisfactory manner in spite of the low prices on onions, local vegetable men say. They are planning to be back next year. Mr. DuBryan said Wednesday.

An impressive Christmas pageant, in the form of a parade through Main Street, will open a Christmas program here Friday afternoon. Old Santa Claus himself with fruit and candy for all the kiddies will come to town immediately following the pageant, which will start at 2:15. Local schools will dismiss at 2 o'clock.

The pageant will depict the life of Christ from birth through his resurrection. Various churches of the area will present the different scenes in the pageant. The parade will form at the Main Street Church of Christ and move north down Main Street to Rhodes Grocery.

Barry Barker, speaking through a public address system in the 100 block of Main Street, will narrate the pageant, read scriptures pertaining to the various scenes and describe them as they pass.

R. M. Olsen, local Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. serviceman, has worked with various ministers in the area in preparing the pageant and the Santa Claus visit. The Lockney High Band will lead Old Santa into town and he will ride in on a fire truck with sirens screaming.

Members of the Lockney Volunteer Fire Department and the Lockney American Legion Post packed between 700 and 750 bags of candy and fruit Wednesday night and Old Santa will distribute these to boys and girls on his visit here Friday. All boys and girls of the area are urged to be present and see Santa Claus.

Following are the 15 different scenes to be presented in the Christmas pageant and the churches which will present each scene in the order of their appearance:

Mary and Joseph — South Plains Baptist Church.  
The Shepherds — South Plains Baptist Church.  
The Wisemen — South Plains Baptist Church.

Nativity Scene — Providence Trinity Lutheran Church.  
John the Baptist — Aiken Methodist Church.

Jesus and the Children — Aiken Methodist Church.  
Sermon on the Mount — Aiken Baptist Church.

The Fisherman (Disciples) — Aiken Baptist Church.  
Healing of Jairus Daughter — Lockney Methodist Church.  
Palm Sunday — Lone Star Baptist Church.

Last Supper — Lockney Baptist Church.  
Gethsemane — West Side Church of Christ.

Carrying the Cross — Assembly of God Church, Lockney.  
The Cross — Lockney Baptist Church.

Christ Has Risen.  
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## EDITORIAL

Call unto Me and I will answer thee, and show thee great and mighty things which thou knowest not. — Jeremiah 33:3.

YOU'RE INVITED to visit Lockney Friday afternoon for the Christmas pageant and a visit from Santa Claus. From what we have heard we think the pageant will be very impressive and interesting and something that all will enjoy. K. M. Olsen, the chairman, the various churches and their pastors have done a good job and we know everyone will want to see the pageant. Then too the kiddies will not only enjoy the pageant but will be anxious to see Santa Claus and receive a gift from him. Bring the old folks and the young folks too. Everyone is welcome.

FRIDAY NOON is the deadline for entering your yard or home in the Christmas lighting contest being sponsored by the B&PW Club. If you have decorated your place and haven't entered yet call The Beacon office or Mrs. Estelle Powers and get in the contest. There is still time.

THE BEACON has received lots of comment on our "Calendar of Events," which we started just recently. We hope that it will serve a useful purpose in the community. If you have some event you want put on the calendar it is only necessary to call The Beacon and tell us about it. If there is some regular event which we do not have on the calendar and should be on it, we ask that you call it to our attention. Even in a town as small as Lockney it is a tremendous task to keep up with all the happenings and events. The only way we can come close is by the help of the people of the community. If you do not help us, we'll fail to have all the things on the calendar we should have. It is for your use.

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## With Our EXCHANGES

### THE FARMER FACES A NEW CROSSROAD

"You have to farm these days with an eye on the weather, an eye on the field — and an eye on Washington."

This idea has been advanced in farm organizations, local meetings and in street corner gossip. Most farmers agree that it is correct but, like the weather, no one seems to be doing anything about it.

Consequently, in the face of rising prices on all other fronts,

farm supports are getting no higher and, worse still, the acreage allotments are growing smaller. Organized labor, on the other hand, maintains probably the strongest lobby in Washington, while steel, oil, airlines and steamships are consistently gaining subsidies.

We do not endorse the subsidy system — and never have — but if we are going to live under a socialistic regime, whereby one's welfare depends upon government patronage, it definitely seems wise to tell the farmer's side of the story.

Today, the once powerful farm bloc does not merit the attention it demanded a few years ago. Too many officials

are discounting or taking the farmer for granted. The situation will apparently get worse instead of better, unless some effort is made to regain an organized contact in Washington.

Planting, growing and harvesting a crop is only three-fourths of the job faced by the producer these days and — since the government determines the quantity grown and sets the selling price — it seems only reasonable that the farmer should make some effort to at least tell his story. — Hereford Brand.



Dear Editor:

My historical neighbor has lately been studying the world predicament while drinking coffee at \$2 per hour and has decided that all change is not progress.

Says boys used to want to grow up and be policemen, horse traders, fiddle players, etc., but these days lots of them don't want to grow up at all. They just want an allowance and an air-conditioned car right now.

And he can remember when young men started out in life aiming to make a million dollars, whereas nowadays they mostly set their sights on getting to owe a million.

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

## Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

December 20, 1928

The \$100,000 bond issue failed to get the needed two-thirds majority at the election held over the county on last Tuesday, the final count lacked about 400 votes carrying Lockney and Floydada boxes had a majority of more than three to one but the country boxes went overwhelmingly against the bond issue thus the effort failed to have a two-thirds majority.

H. A. Mosley, age 44 years, died at the home of his brother, E. A. Mosley in Lockney Friday morning. He had been ill six weeks. Survivors include his wife and six children, all boys.

Floyd Calvin Harris, age 20 years, 11 months, died Saturday night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Harris. He had been ill with pneumonia six days. At the time of his death he was manager of Merchants Tying Parlor, Lockney. He was the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris who survive. Four brothers are also among the survivors, Otis, Hollie Jack and Revis Harris.

Miss Ethel Hartman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hartman, Lockney, and Ray S. Daniel, Hereford, were married Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Nannie Slade, Amarillo.

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Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little boy nearly six years old. I would like to have for Christmas a road grader, a machine gun, a flash light and a wagon. Also some Cowboy boots. Please remember all the other little boys and girls. I hope you have a very Merry Christmas.

Love,  
Monty Wayne Bybee.

Lockney, Texas  
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Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little girl four years old, and I would like for Christmas, a doll, doll buggy, a cabinet, a stove, some dishes and some fruit, nuts and candy. Please remember all the other boys and girls, and I hope you have a Very Merry Christmas.

Love,  
Tony Kay Bybee.

Dear Santa:  
I am a little boy 1 1/2 years old. Maybe I haven't been as good as I should, but I love you and so you can come to see me anyhow.

Love,  
Ricky Mack Cross.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little girl 4 years old. I have tried to be good all year. Please bring me a bicycle with training wheels and a baby doll.

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Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a baby doll for Christmas. She wears size 1 doll clothes. I want some clothes for my little 8-inch doll. Remember my brother and all little children.

Love,  
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Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a tool set and a dump truck and I will love you. Remember all the boys and girls and my brother

**CROSSROADS REPORT**  
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Dear Santa:  
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Paul W. Montandon.

**Littlefield Minister Heads Area Baptists**

Littlefield. — The Rev. Lee Hemphill, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Littlefield, was chosen president of the District 9 convention of the Texas Baptist General Convention of Texas at an annual district meet here Friday.

Attending the meeting from Lockney were Rev. Charles Broadhurst, Rev. Clay Muncy and Mrs. Hilburn Casey.

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 future 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 the 9th day of December A. D. 1958.  
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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—Ralls Football
8:00—Morning Melodies	11:45—Local News
8:30—News Headlines	12:00—Tue Glen Mac Show
8:31—Morning Melodies Cont.	12:15—World News
8:45—Listen Ladies	12:30—Trading Post
8:56—(Thurs.) Sunshine Club	12:45—Texas News
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8:55—World News	12:55—World Commentary
9:00—Bell Dairy Mystery Shopper	1:00—Spanish Program
9:15—Listen Ladies	1:45—Southwestern Conference football
9:30—Church of Christ Program	4:30—405 Show
9:45—Melodies Program	5:00—900 Club
9:55—Lockney Remote	5:30—World News
11:05—Hillbilly Hits	5:45—Sign Off
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1:00—Spanish Program	
2:00—Lockney Remote	
3:00—World News	
3:05—Local News	
3:15—Hits and Misses	
3:45—(Mon.) Theatre of Hits	
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4:00—World News	
4:05—405 Show	
5:00—900 Club	
5:30—World News	
5:45—Sign Off	
	<b>Saturday</b>
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	7:16—Rural Roundup
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	<b>Sunday</b>
	7:15—Sign On
	7:16—Methodist Men's Hour
	7:45—Sunday Morning Serenade
	8:00—Tommy Nesbitt
	8:15—World News
	8:30—Church of Christ program
	8:45—Old Fashioned Revival Hour
	9:15—Children's Chapel
	9:30—W. H. Patillo
	9:45—Sunday Pop Parade
	10:00—Texas News
	10:05—Sunday Pop Parade Continued
	11:00—First Methodist Program
	12:00—Hymns of All Churches
	12:15—World News
	12:30—Luncheon Interludes
	1:00—Hillbilly Hoedown
	3:00—Spanish Program
	4:00—Spanish Church Program
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# Society News

## Twin Ring Vows Unite Couple Sunday In Church Ceremony

In a decorative setting of winter white and ruby red Miss Harleen Workman became the bride of William McAda Sunday afternoon at 4 p.m. in the sanctuary of the First Methodist Church. Rev. E. Lee Stanford, pastor, read the double ring ceremony.

Miss Workman is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Harley Workman and McAda is the son of W. V. McAda, all of Lockney.

The altar was centered with a white satin covered kneeling bench flanked by seven-branched candelabra and tall baskets of white mums and pom poms accented with white satin bows. The aisle was covered with white and alternate pews were marked with a white candle and Nobel fur tips tied with satin ribbon.

Mrs. C. L. Record gave a prelude of wedding music, the traditional marches and accompanied her husband who sang "Oh Perfect Love" and "O Promise Me".

Candlelighters were Wayne and David Workman, brothers of the bride.

The bride's attendants wore identical dresses of ruby red velvet designed with Sabrina neckline that dipped to a low v in back. The molded bodice was accented by an empire waistline and three-quarter length sleeves complemented by short gloves. Joining these were princess style bouffant waltz length skirts. Each wore a pearl necklace, gift from the bride. They carried nosegays of white mums with a cascade of pom poms arranged with white satin and net. Their hats were of white feathers.

Maid of honor was Miss Donna Workman, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Miss Sue Wofford, Lockney, Miss Carolyn Walsh, Lubbock, Miss Carolyn Curry, Kress, and Miss

Jane Carol Phillips, Lone Star.

The bride, escorted to the altar and given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of Dupioni silk in candlelight shade featuring a decolletage neckline accented with French lace encrusted with seed pearls and iridescent sequins. The princess style waistline enhanced with appliqued lace motifs featured long sleeves tapered to petal points. The magnificent skirt flowing to a chapel train was accented at center back with a butterfly bow of Dupioni silk.

Her fingertip veil of illusion was attached to a cap of applique leaves. She carried a nosegay of gardenias interspersed with blossoms fashioned of crystal beads, nestled in white satin leaves and showered with white satin streamers. For something old and borrowed the bride carried a lace handkerchief belonging to Mrs. L. A. Wofford, new was a gold bracelet, a gift from the bridegroom, and blue was a garter. Doyle E. McAda, Ft. Hood, served his brother as best man. Ushers were Dwayne McQueen of Sweetwater, Jack Rathmell of Mesquite, Jimmy Dale Curry of Kress and Dickie Barton of Lockney.

Mrs. Workman chose for her daughter's wedding a dress of Dior blue. She wore a white hat and gloves with other accessories of black. Her corsage was of gardenias.

Mrs. McAda, mother of the bridegroom, was dressed in blue crepe with black accessories and wore a corsage of white gardenias.

At a reception held in Fellowship Hall of the church the bride's table was covered with white Italian linen cutwork centered with the attendants' bouquets. The three-tiered wed-



MRS. BILL McADA

ding cake was topped with love birds and flowers and placed on a reflector surrounded with greenery. Punch was served from a silver service. Other appointments were of crystal.

Baskets of white mums decorated the entertaining rooms.

Mrs. Herman King and Mrs. D. J. Phillips, aunts of the bride, presided at the table. They were assisted by Mrs. Delton Jack and Mrs. Warren Mathis.

Miss Delinda Phillips secured names for the register. Guests were from Olton, Amarillo, Fort Worth, Lubbock, Kress, Plainview and Petersburg.

Others in the house party included Mrs. Melvyn Bagley, Mrs. Charlie Moses of Kress, Mrs. Clyde Hill, Mrs. George Myers, Mrs. Lloyd Wofford, Mrs. Hershel Carthel, Mrs. Ernest Tannahill, Mrs. Denny Quisenberry, Mrs. Ike Johnson, Mrs. Orland Gilbert, Mrs. E. J. Foster, Mrs. Doyle Harrison and Mrs. Ray McCormick.

After a wedding trip to Santa Fe, New Mexico, the couple will be at home January 1 at 1924 9th St., Lubbock.

For traveling the bride wore a suit of charcoal gray Scottish wool tweed, white gloves and a white feather hat. Her corsage was white gardenias from her bridal bouquet.

The bride is a 1954 graduate of Lockney High School. She is a graduate of Texas Woman's University, Denton, and attended Texas Tech and North Texas State College. She was listed in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. She is employed as a chemist in the textile research laboratory at Tech.

McAda, also a 1954 LHS graduate, is a senior mechanical engineering major at Tech and is employed as assistant engineer for Western Tank and Steel Co.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to express my thanks for the cards, flowers and visits while I was in the hospital. I deeply appreciate every remembrance.  
Delbert Bybee

## Fosters To Have Open House

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All members are urged to attend and may bring a guest if they wish, it was said. Everyone attending should bring a gift of \$2.00 value. A social will follow the Christmas tree.

Hostesses for the occasion will be Mrs. June Bybee and Mrs. Vonceil Casey.

## 1958 Seniors To Have Party

Members of the 1958 graduating class of Lockney High School will have a party at the high school cafeteria Monday evening of next week. Mothers of the class members are sponsoring the affair.

Each boy is to bring a boys' gift and each girl a girl's gift, and all members of the class are urged to attend. Parents of the class members are also invited.

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## Court House News

**Marriage Record**  
Frankie Hamilton and Francis Louise Hopper, Dec. 15.

**Criminal Court**  
Harvey B. Green, illegal possession of barbiturates, pleaded guilty, fined \$100 and costs, and sentenced to 30 days in jail.

**Deed Records**  
Duncan Hollums et ux to J. T. Huckaby, southwest 1/4 of survey 27, block G, AB&M.

George F. Weir et ux to W. F. Isaacs, northeast 1/4 of section 63, block D-2, TT Ry lands.

F. F. Ewing, executor of the estate of Mrs. M. A. Hamilton, to F. A. Sammann, east one-half of the northwest 1/4 of a ten-acre block sold by J. A. Baker and wife in 1901, in Lockney.

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W. F. Hinkle et ux to Adrian G. Helms, et ux south one-half of the northwest one-fourth of survey 43, block 1, AB&M.

W. F. Rogers Jr. to Henry Ansley, west 40 feet of lots 8, 9 and 10, block 3, Walling addition to Lockney.

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**Lockney General Hospital News**  
December 10 - 17

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. Boedeker, Lockney, continues to receive medical care.

Casmiro Dimas, Quitaque, was dismissed 12-12 following medical care.

Mrs. J. R. White, Floydada, was dismissed 12-12 following medical care.

Mrs. O. M. McReynolds, Floydada, was dismissed 12-12 following medical care.

Rufus Tillman, Floydada, was dismissed 12-12 following medical care.

E. J. Thomas, Lockney, was dismissed 12-15 following surgery.

W. G. Tims, Lockney, was dismissed 12-17 following medical care.

Mrs. Gabriel Martinez, Lockney, was dismissed 12-11 following medical care.

Mrs. Wayne Crawford, Kress, was dismissed 12-13 following medical care.

Sylvester Menefee, Ralls, was admitted 12-10 for medical care and was dismissed 12-12.

Max Smith, Lockney, was admitted 12-11 for medical care and was dismissed 12-13.

Mrs. Melvin Tadlock, Lockney, was admitted 12-13 for medical care and was dismissed 12-14.

Mrs. Gary Sandlin, Lockney, was admitted 12-13 for medical care and was dismissed 12-15.

Domingo Sanchez, Lockney, was admitted 12-13 for orthopedic care and was dismissed 12-15.

David Badgett, Floydada, was admitted 12-14 for medical care and was dismissed 12-16.

Fernando Mata, Floydada, was admitted 12-15 for surgery and was dismissed 12-16.

Sandra Watters, Silverton, was admitted 12-15 for medical care and was dismissed 12-16.

F. A. Beard, Lockney, was admitted 12-14 for medical care.

Arthur Gardner, Floydada, was admitted 12-15 for medical care.

W. R. Billington, Floydada, was admitted 12-16 for medical care.

Eiland Johnson, Turkey, was admitted 12-16 for surgery.

**New Arrivals**  
Mr. and Mrs. Leobaldo Salinas, Robstown, are the parents of a baby girl born 12-17. She weighed 7 lbs., 1 oz. and was named Anita.

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<b>SUGAR</b>	5 Pounds	<b>48c</b>
	10 Pounds	<b>95c</b>
<b>SYRUP</b>	Staleys Waffle 5 Pound Jar	<b>65c</b>
<b>CRAB APPLES</b>	Spiced Whole Glass Jar	<b>43c</b>
<b>Shortening</b>	Kimbells 3 Lb. Carton	<b>65c</b>

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<b>Coconuts</b>	2 For	<b>25c</b>

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### South Plains

By Mrs. Murray Julian  
Cold weather over the week end caused many here to spend hours thawing out their pipes or water systems as 12 degree temperatures put a damper on outdoor activities.  
A Christmas party for children and adults of the Baptist Church will be held this Tuesday night at the school house with teachers in charge of games and refreshments. Games will be played during the evening after which cookies and punch will be served and a pounding honoring the minister and family given them as a surprise gesture from the church people.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ellis and family of Henrietta will be here Dec. 19 to spend Christmas and the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Poteet and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Adams were in Lubbock Wednesday where her brother from Littlefield went through the clinic.  
Missionary to Peru, Patsy Adams, was a guest speaker at the Baptist Church here Wednesday night lecturing and showing slides on Peru where she is translating and teaching the Bible to the natives. She is a school friend of Mrs. H. S. Calahan Jr. who knew her at Hardin - Simrmons University, Abilene.  
Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton

and Darla spent Friday in Lubbock and brought Donita home with them for the week end.  
Roy Childress is in the Plainview Hospital where he is recovering very well from surgery which he had last Tuesday. We hope he is able to come home soon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Beedy and small boys of Lubbock came Saturday night to spend that night and Sunday with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy.  
Fred Marble came home Saturday after spending two weeks at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, with army reserves. Johnny West has been there one week with the reserves and will be there another week.  
Joan Newton has the misfortune to be confined to her home at this holiday season with a case of the mumps.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Morrison spent the day in Lubbock on a business trip Thursday.  
Mrs. Kenneth Powell at the home of Calvin Poteet has been ill and in the Matador Hospital last week but was able to come home Thursday.  
Rev. and Mrs. John Gillespie and girls will spend Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah McDougal, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gillespie, all of Lamesa. There will be no prayer meeting Wednesday night, Dec. 24. On Dec. 28, Elton Karr, ministerial student at Wayland, will speak at the morning service.  
Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton, Darla and Barbara plan to leave by car Saturday morning, Dec. 20, for Tracy, Calif., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Williford, and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. George Bentley, during the Christmas and New Year holidays.  
We were sorry to hear of the passing of Louis Claude Poteet, 63, of Matador, who passed away Monday in Matador while on a hunting trip. Services were held Wednesday afternoon at the First Methodist Church in Matador with interment at Eastmound Cemetery. We offer our sympathy to his brother, Calvin Poteet and family.



**CROSSROADS REPORT**  
D. E. SCOTT

Dear Editor:  
I see where a New York gambler settled up a \$5 million tax bill for around \$2 million here a while back.  
My calloused-palm neighbor says he is glad to learn that in hardship cases like this, Uncle Sam is willing to take short weight on his pound of flesh.  
Says he might even be able to get the new tires and spark plugs he needs if he could just get acquainted with whoever it is you have to know in order to get the gamblers' discount on your taxes.  
D. E. SCOTT

**FROM THE County Agent's Office**  
By Cecil Lewis and Harold W. Ellison

**Grain Sorghum**  
There are probably many ways to handle grain sorghum stubble when following with cotton or grain sorghum. Many questions have been asked as to when is the best time to add fertilizer to the stubble.  
The use of fertilizer will probably pay when we have adequate water for our crops. When applied to sorghum stubble we have to decide how fast we want to get rid of our stalks. If we have land that is subject to wind erosion we probably need to leave the residue in the top part of our soil, then if we are going to fertilize, apply it between 2 and 3 weeks before our regular planting date.  
A 5000 pound grain sorghum crop requires from 70 to 90 pounds of nitrogen. An average field of grain sorghum will produce between 2 and 2½ tons of stubble per acre and it will take about 20 to 30 pounds of nitrogen to rot one ton of stubble, so we would need between 40 and 75 pounds of actual nitrogen per acre.  
In some research work carried on at the Lubbock Experiment Station 2 tons of stubble produced 673 pounds. Four tons produced 624 pounds lint per acre as compared with 655 pounds of lint per acre on no sorghum residue. The addition of 40 pounds of nitrogen to 4 tons of residue produced 711 pounds of lint.  
To the farmers who are either rotating or having to use grain sorghum land for cotton this might be a good practice to check into.  
By waiting until 2 to 3 weeks before planting to apply our fertilizer we can gain protection from wind and might prevent application of nitrogen on later planted cotton which always affects our income per acre.  
Cotton  
We have available at the County Agent's office a sheet whereby you can estimate the effect that Plan A and Plan B will have on your income. This sheet is just for estimating and should not be used as a final guide in making decisions.  
Rat Control  
There will be a county wide

plans to develop a county wide control program, to be carried out over a 3 to 4 month period. Further details will be announced at a later date.

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**Mrs. Harold Ford Is Complimented At Bridal Shower**  
Mrs. Harold (Buck) Ford was complimented with a bridal shower given Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Edgar Hays.  
Guests were received by Mrs. Hays and presented to the honoree, her aunt, Mrs. Weldon Foad of Afton and Mrs. R. H. Ford, mother of the bridegroom.  
The dining table was laid with white lace over pink and centered with a winter arrangement of frothy pink and white foliage, pencil tapers and shiny pink and silver Christmas balls banked against twin hearts outlined in pink ruffled net. At the base of the arrangement stood a miniature bride and groom beside a frosted Ford car which carried the message "Just Married!" A white milk glass punch bowl rested on a reflector surrounded with Christmas lights which shone through a cloud of angel hair. White cake squares topped with pink flowers were served with pink cranberry punch and nuts. Misses Kitty Ford and Peggy Ford, sisters of the bridegroom, presided at the table. Christmas arrangements brightened vantage points about the house.  
Miss Dixie Ford, sister of the bridegroom, secured names for the register. Mrs. Earl Leste and Mrs. Johns Cox were in the gift display rooms.  
Hostesses for the event were Mrs. C. D. McCandless, W. J. Taylor, Herbert Brown, John Cox, Fred Byrd, Rusty Bacu, V. H. Kellison, T. S. Fox, Marvin Cox, Leslie Ferguson, Hamon Handley, Howard Coop, Bill Hodel, R. W. Johnson, Es Lester, B. B. Vernon, Clau Wofford, W. B. Cates, Oliv Holmes, Horton Howell, Jo Chandler, Frank Brown, Thomas Marr, Edgar Hays and Miss Dolores Brown.

# WARNING!

**To boys with BB guns: There is a city ordinance prohibiting the shooting of BB guns within the city. City officers have had several complaints about the shooting of picture windows.**

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**CHRISTMAS SEASON**  
The Christmas Season is almost here and to most of us this is indeed a festive time of the year. This is when being at home takes on a special meaning. Every home will have Sparkling Christmas trees, presents for all, tables loaded with favorite dishes and everyone will probably eat too much.  
This is also the time of year that most of you will be making long distance calls at some time during the holiday season to exchange greetings with relatives and friends.  
May I suggest that you place these long distance calls as early as possible and that you call by number to insure faster service.  
Avoid the rush and call by number as this will save you both time and money.

**HELPFUL HINT FOR HUSBANDS**  
If most of you husbands are like me, you fall into the same old trap every Christmas.  
You go out and buy your wife that special something she wants, then sit back and relax, happy in the thought that you're going to please her. Suddenly, about a week before the big day, you realize all your eggs are in one basket. Mom will have one nice gift — but that's all. Everyone else, meanwhile, will have several packages under the tree.  
If this is about to happen at your house this year, here's an idea.  
Give Mom a color extension telephone for Christmas. We'll give you a colorful gift-wrapped miniature telephone to put under the tree with the other presents, then have the real one hooked up after Christmas.  
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**NEW ARRIVAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Parkey, Route M, Lockney, are parents of a daughter born at Plainview Hospital and Clinic Foundation at 8:14 a.m. Friday weighing six pounds and named Polly. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Muncy, Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Parkey, Floydada.

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**Harris Reunion Set For Dec. 23**

The children of Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Harris will all be at home Tuesday, December 23, to help their parents celebrate their 58th wedding anniversary. No special observance is planned.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Harris of Sao Paulo, Brazil, arrived in the states December 5 and have been visiting other relatives in New York, Cincinnati and Oklahoma City. They plan to be here through the Christmas holidays or about ten days.

Other Harris children to be here for the occasion are Mrs. Harold Griffith, Lockney, Mrs. Raymond Nelson and Mrs. Jesse Wofford, Plainview.

**CARD OF THANKS**

My appreciation to friends for visit, cards, flowers and prayers while in the hospital. I especially want to thank the doctors and nurses at Lockney General Hospital for the good care while in the hospital.

Mrs. Forrest Smith.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I want to thank the many friends for the beautiful cards, the visits and other kindnesses shown me during my stay in Lockney General Hospital. God bless all of you and the doctors and nurses for their care.

E. J. Thomas

Kathy and Nicky Merrell of Lubbock spent last week end here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Merrell, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hays.

**FROM THE County Agent's Office**

By Cecil Lewis and Harold W. Ellison

**RAT CONTROL**

A committee meeting was held in Floydada Friday, Dec. 12, to outline a rat eradication campaign. Those attending were Don Probasco, James Taylor, Werner Johnson, R. G. Dunlap, J. K. West, O. L. Bearden, and E. J. Kinslow.

Organizations in the different communities will take orders and distribute baits.

Look for further details in next weeks paper.

**BRUCELLASIS**

Each person should be interested in this disease. It affects dairy and beef cattle and swine as well as humans. It is called undulant fever in humans.

It is estimated that one out of five beef herds have Brucellasis in their herds. It can mean loss of calves and pigs as well as breeding animals.

Unless we can carry on an eradication program Texas beef producers will lose their markets for cattle.

Most veterinarians can test for this disease. All milk cows in which families are using the milk should be tested to prevent undulant fever.

**GREEN BUGS**

Small grain are beginning to show some infestation of Green Bugs. However, many predators are found in most feeds and are able to keep up with the Green Bug infestations.

To make infestation counts measure off one foot of drill and count the Green Bugs present in about five locations scattered over the field. In very young wheat average population of 25 to 50 Green Bugs per foot may warrant treatment. On the average about 100 Green Bugs per foot of row will warrant control of this insect.

Parathion at one to two pints per acre is recommended and should be applied when the temperature is 50 degrees F or above.

Small grains treated with parathion should not be grazed until 15 days after application.

Most people are ready to speak by the book if they can select the book.

The chief resuk of arguments is the disturbance of the disputants.

**Frank Moore To Meet With Corn Producers**

Corn producers attending their annual meeting this week in Boone, Iowa, will get a first hand report on area grain sorghum producers ideas about mutual interests in feed grains. Frank Moore, Plainview, President of the Grain Sorghum Producers Association has accepted the invitation of Walter Goepfenger, President of the National Corn Growers Association to speak and to participate in the two day meeting December 10-11.

Before leaving for the Iowa meeting Moore pointed out that since at the present time the only government policy for grain sorghums is based on a "fair and reasonable" relationship to corn, it is imperative that area sorghum producers take an active interest in the corn organizations policies.

The National Corn Growers Association and Grain Sorghum Producers Association worked very closely last year through the National Conference of Commodity Organizations to obtain feed grain legislation to control feed grain surpluses which was "killed" along with the Omnibus farm bill.

Since the recent referendum which removed all controls from corn production, area farm leaders believe it would be futile to attempt to relieve the total feed grain abundance by any reasonable efforts by area grain sorghum producers since there are 3 1/2 billion bushels of corn produced annually and only 1/2 billion bushels of grain sorghums. With this relationship in mind, local grain sorghum growers through their county directors attending a recent Association meeting voted to not work for separate legislative programs for grain in 1959 but to work with the general farm organizations, the

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**Sterley News**

By Mrs. Virgil Adams

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Washington were hosts for a Christmas party Saturday night, Dec. 13, for members of Sterley Home Demonstration Club and their families.

Santa Claus was there and presented the children with gifts. The adults enjoyed playing forty-two.

Refreshments of cake, pie and drinks were served to Messrs. and Mmes. R. H. Tin-

Senate and House agricultural leaders and others to obtain an "equal treatment" in all of their programs for corn, grain sorghums and other feed grains on a feeding value basis.

Moore is also expected to outline the Sorghum Associations' new program for overseas market development for grain sorghums and to urge the corn growers to initiate similar activities in an effort to establish larger international markets for all American feed grains.

sley, Kenneth Broseh, Elmo Schaffner and children, C. L. Mooney and children, Mrs. Herman Huffman and Joe Reeves, Mrs. A. D. Schaffner, Mr. and Mrs. Eino Schaffner and children attended the Christmas program at the Providence Lutheran Church Friday.

A. D. Schaffner is ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hrbacek and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Weiss of Vera over the week end.

Ruby Nell Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Adams, was ill with the measles last week.

Mrs. Virgil Adams and children and Donald Christy visited in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Handley, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bartman, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Horton Howell, Carol and Ken were among those attending Wayland College International Choir presentation of Handel's "Messiah" Sunday afternoon.

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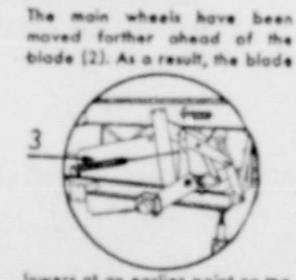
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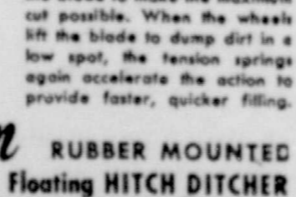


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Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Isaiah	11	1-6
Monday	Isaiah	6	6-7
Tuesday	Matthew	1	18
	Matthew	2	15
Wednesday	Luke	2	41-52
Thursday	Matthew	13	31-32
Friday	John	12	23-32
Saturday	John	5	39-47



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Sunday Morning Worship Services ..... 10:30  
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 Herbert Setliff preaches each first Sunday.  
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Temple Lewis, Pastor  
 Sunday School ..... 10:00  
 Morning Worship ..... 11:00  
 Training Union ..... 6:45  
 Evening Worship ..... 8:00  
 Prayer Service Wednesday Evening ..... 7:30  
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 WMU Thursday ..... 3:00  
 G. A.'s 2nd and 4th Thursday at ..... 4:00

#### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Charles Broadhurst, Pastor  
 Sunday School ..... 9:45  
 Morning Worship ..... 11:00  
 Training Union ..... 6:30  
 Evening Worship ..... 7:30  
 W. M. U. Monday at ..... 4:00 and 8:00  
 Sunbeams Monday at ..... 3:00  
 Auxiliaries Monday at ..... 4:00  
 Y. W. A. Wednesday at 6:00  
 Prayer Service Wednesday at ..... 7:00  
 Choir practice Wednesday at ..... 8:00  
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### Christmas Concert Presented By Band

Lockney Longhorn Band presented a Christmas concert Monday night at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium with Director Clyde Seaman in charge.

In addition to numbers from the band Miss Barbara Carruth sang "O Holy Night" and directed the Melody Makers in singing several Christmas carols. The audience joined in the singing of three numbers. To conclude the program the band played a clever novelty number "Jingle Bells Rhapsody."

Tuberculosis is a chronic, relapsing disease which costs the American people \$725,000,000 a year.

### CARD OF THANKS

Our hearts have been comforted during our bereavement by the many expressions of sympathy from our friends. The flowers, cards and every other act of kindness has helped so very much to lighten our sorrow. We pray that each of you may be similarly comforted during your hour of trial as we have been at the passing of our husband, father and grandfather.

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Edward, Marvin, Carlos and Phil

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Gossip spreads much faster than the truth; that's why there is so much talk of scandal and so little about really important matters.

### SLIGHTLY IMPROVED

Wendelle Green, Plainview, who suffered a stroke at his home Saturday of last week, was showing only slight improvement Wednesday according to a report from his mother-in-law, Mrs. L. A. Blair, Lockney. Mrs. Green will be remembered here as the former Lois Rexrode.

Green is still receiving medical care at Plainview Hospital and Clinic Foundation where his condition is still considered serious. His general health was said to be slightly improved, however. He is still unable to speak as a result of partial paralysis.

### HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Delbert Bybee, who underwent an operation recently at Medical Center in Plainview, was released from the hospital Thursday of last week and is now able to be out.

### Providence

By Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

Christmas time is a time of sharing. Do your part and share what you can with someone who may be forgotten this Christmas and you will be the one who receives the most. You'll feel so much better later.

The impressive Manger scene is up again at Trinity Lutheran Church. Additional scenery has been placed on the grounds this year. The public is invited to share with the community in enjoying this impressive scene. This has become a traditional Christmas part of the Church to present this impressive Manger Scene with the public. So come by and enjoy it.

Mrs. Bill Rogers returned to Lubbock for medical care of her back. Her daughter, Darlene is spending the week with the Wilfred Stoerners till her mother returns. We hope her condition improves.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner and family were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stoerner and sons, the occasion being Hubert's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Quebe and son were in Amarillo on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Howard and family visited Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Schaffner this past week end. Mr. and Mrs. Howard hope to move near Lockney but the house they were to move into burned last week after they had started working on the house. We do hope they will be able to move back to the community.

**Trinity Lutheran Church**  
A. K. Windecker, Pastor  
Attendance Sunday: Sunday school 92. Divine Worship 144. Calendar of Week: Ruth Circle Christmas party Tuesday, Dec. 16th, Junior Lutherans Christmas party Saturday morning 9 a. m. Church Wednesday, Luther League will meet at church to work on Christmas scene for the float for Lockney parade Friday.  
Sunday: Sunday school 10 a. m. Divine worship 11 a. m. Sunday school practice 3 p. m. Please be present if you have a part. Christmas caroling at 5 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 21.

**Tea Given By Mrs. Windecker**  
The parsonage of Trinity Lutheran church was beautifully decorated for a tea for ladies of the congregation. The entertaining rooms were decorated with the holiday theme. On the coffee table the open Bible with the scripture passage marked telling the Bible message. White wax candles spelled out the word NOEL. The serving table was covered with a lace table cover, a madona with three white candles burning. A silver service on the end of the table. Mrs. Ted Boedecker, chairman of Women of Church, poured spiced tea or coffee. Refreshments of fruit canke, candy, nuts were cleverly arranged and decorated Christmas cookies on silver trays. Mrs. A. K. Windecker greeted the guests at the door. Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner assisted in serving.

Those calling between the hours of three to five were Mmes. Ted Boedecker, Walter Boedecker, Ben Brandes, L. B. Brandes, Fred Steinfeld, Donald Borchardt, Fred Borchardt, R. C. Matthews, Don McLaughlin, Ben Quebe, E. M. Quebe, Helmut Quebe, A. D. Schaffner, Elmo Lee Schaffner, Marvin Scheele, Wilfred Stoerner, Weldon Foster, Albert Sammann, B. F. Sammann, Jr., O. W. Schmidt, Weldon Smith, Sam Newman, Bill Sammann, Ruby Kunkel and Miss Helen Newman.

The afternoon circle of the women of church held their Christmas party Friday night in the educational unit of the church. The serving table was beautifully decorated. Greenery and red candles were used. A

Christmas tree decorated with holiday tinsel graced the educational unit. A turkey supper and all the trimmings was served. The program consisted of the explanation of the symbols of Christmas such as tree, candles and ect. Lyndia, Diane, Louann and David sang Christmas songs. Lyndia played Silent Night on the organ. Gifts were exchanged. The following were present to enjoy the supper and the evening of fellowship. Rev. and Mrs. A. K. Windecker and family, Messrs. and Mmes. Marvin Schele, Elmo Lee Schaffner and family, Bill Sammann, A. M. Dietrich, Virgil Brasher, Tom Word and Lou Ann, Hubert Stoerner and sons, Ben Brandes, Karl Sammann, Ted Boedecker, Merlin and Larry, Mrs. Ben Quebe, Mrs. A. D. Schaffner, Henry Schmidt and son.

### Lone Star HD Club Has Xmas Party

Lone Star Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. J. L. Lovvorn Tuesday afternoon for their annual Christmas party.

Mrs. E. O. Barrett, club president, opened the meeting and Mrs. Melvin Brock gave the devotional from Luke 2. Mrs. Lovvorn led in prayer.

Mrs. Clois King gave two stories, "If He Had Not Come", "Wonderful Christmas."

Mrs. Hoyette Hodges gave the readings "The Week Before Christmas", "Christmas Humor" and extended to each guest a personal "Christmas Greeting." She also led the group in a game appropriate for the holiday season. Mrs. Joe Nance led the guests in singing Christmas carols.

Gifts from the beautiful Christmas tree were then distributed.

Dainty refreshments of open faced sandwiches, pickles, olives, holiday cake, nuts, candy, spiced tea and coffee were served to Mmes. Melvin Brock, Charlie Merrick, Clois King, Hubert Frizzell, Bailey Henderson, Hoyette Hodges, G. B. Johnston, W. D. Nance, M. A. Martin, E. O. Barrett, Dale Willhite, Joe Nance, Jim Nance, Albert King and the hostess. Mrs. Bailey Henderson will be hostess for the next meeting January 6 at her home.

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### Connie Reed Has Birthday Party

Mrs. Connie Reed honored her daughter, Connie Luene with a party on her eleventh birthday, Saturday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock in the skating rink.

After skating, the children were served cake and hot chocolate.

Those enjoying the event were Linda Abbott, Vicki Rogers, Carol Howell, Johnny Martin, Janette Dodson, Beatrice and Ermelinda Sanchez, Dale Brown, Cliffla Austin, Bill Hays, Nancy Karen Mills, Stanley Watson, Teresa S. Jimenez, Byron Schacht, Rebecca Becho, Linda Sue and Judy Ann Elliot, Guadalupe Solis, Phil Lemons, David Mitchell, Steve Stansell, Sharon Colson, Jackie Mickey, Danny Davis, Joe Castro, Mike Flores, Jerry, Billy and Martha Cunningham, Tommy Joe Sherman, Donna Jean Latimer, Cheri Chatham, Judy Lynn Smith, Roger Dorman, Robert Moody, Carolyn Ellis, Jo Ann Zavala, Kay Pate, Darlene and Connie Luene

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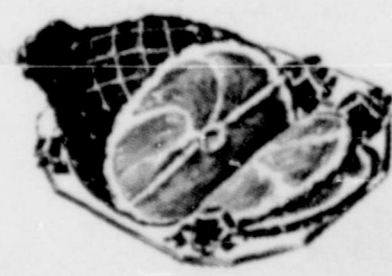
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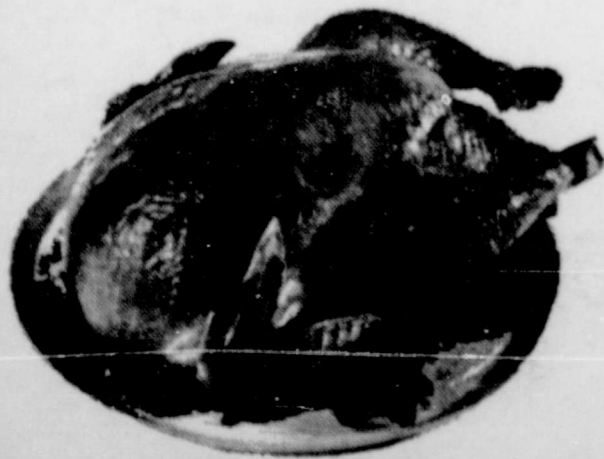
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### E. J. Fosters Celebrate Anniversary With

More than 200 guests attended the silver wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Foster at their country home Sunday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Those in the houseparty included the couple's two children, Lt. and Mrs. Eddie J. Foster of Wichita Falls at Miss Betty Jean Foster of the home. Others assisting with hospitalities were Messrs. at Mmes. Vestal Hastings, Carol and Hershel of Tulla, J. R. Be Carolyn and Steve, Hersh Carthel, Charlie Boedecker, Flo Jackson, Clyde Hill, Ike Johnson, Herman Huffman, Har Workman, Glenn Caskey, Artesia, N. M., Sonny Perry, Amarillo, A. W. Copley, La and Don of Muleshoe, and E. St Tannahill; Mrs. Dell Swindle and Bruce Casl both of Albuquerque; Mr. Payton Powers, E. A. Bon I. L. Rhodes, Dwight Jack and Miss Barbara Carruth. Rev. E. Lee Stanford off the anniversary prayer music was furnished by Carruth, LaVon and Don ley, Mrs. Glenn Caskey Mrs. Fred Mercer. Songs in ed those used in the ceremony uniting the couple.

Miss Birda Hastings, daughter of the late Mrs. Flo Hastings, and E. J. Foster married December 24, 19 the bride's home in Clare Miss Hastings was tea school at Zita, near A and the bridegroom was gaged in petroleum tra out of Artesia, New Mexi the time of their marriage, resided in Artesia until t of 1948 when they spent months in Lubbock. They ed to Lockney in 1949, n their home on a farm miles northwest of town they continue to live.

All of the wedding p tended the silver anni except Mrs. Foster's sis San Francisco, a brothe is snowbound in Monta the minister. Most of th ples the newly weds ass with during their early r life were present. As a dence, all those who w able to come sent re identical reasons. Eith or their children had rel itities in their Christn grams.

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The refreshment s covered with a silver s and appointed in al