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All But Four Teaching Posts in Schools Filled

Two Resignations in Past Week; Ten New Teachers Hired

A merry-go-round of teacher hiring and teacher resignations, which has been under way since last Spring, has left Supt. C. S. Denham of Ozona Public Schools figuratively gasping for breath.

As the score stood yesterday — it may be different today — there had been a total of two resignations, three new teachers hired and a net shortage of four from the full faculty strength for the opening of the regular school term in September.

The new faculty list, as of yesterday, contains the names of ten new teachers who have accepted contracts since the close of schools in the Spring. The remaining vacancies are divided evenly between the high school and the Latin-American school, with two each, one in the high school, the manual training post which was not manned last year.

Miss Virginia Moore of Palestine, who taught Spanish and History in high school last year, and Miss Betty Turner, third grade teacher, are the two members of last year's faculty who have submitted resignations during the past weeks. Miss Moore, although she has not announced her plans, is expected to teach in the Palestine schools and Miss Turner has been elected to teach in the Dallas public schools.

The faculty list now in prospect for the coming year includes Miss Martha Moore of Ron, Texas, for the kindergarten position. Miss Moore, who will succeed Miss Faye Strother, is a graduate of North State Teachers College, receiving a B. S. degree in 1943, and taught last year at Avalon, Texas.

Miss Joyce Collin will return as teacher of the first grade. Miss Collin is studying and teaching this summer at Saltillo, Mexico, in the summer school sponsored by Texas State College for Women.

As second grade teacher, Miss Peggy Charquist of Brady has been employed in recent days. Miss Charquist received her B. S. degree from Daniel Baker College in 1938 and for the past four years has been teaching in the San Angelo Public Schools. She taught fourth grade in the San Angelo schools and directed auditorium activities.

Miss Gladys Barr of Tioga, Texas, has accepted the position as third grade teacher. Miss Barr has been teaching for the past three years at Whitesboro, Texas, and is a member of the graduating class of North Texas State Teachers College this summer, taking her B. S. degree in education.

For the fourth grade post will be Miss Mary Beth Johnson of Lubbock. Miss Johnson received her B. S. degree from Hardin-Simmons University in 1939 and did graduate work at West Texas State Teachers College in Canyon. She has had five years teaching experience, the last two in the Borger, Texas, public schools.

The fifth grade post will be filled again by Mrs. C. S. Denham, who this fall will begin her 15th year of teaching in Ozona public schools.

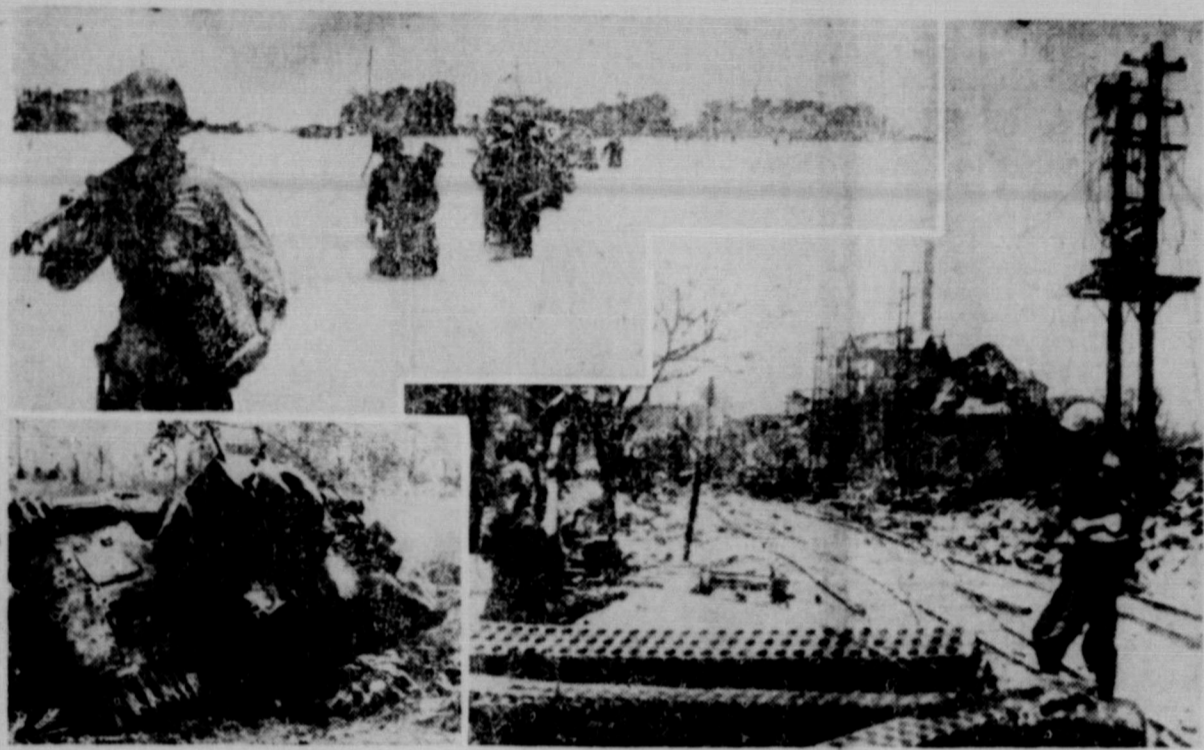
Miss Katie Sue Good of Robert Lee will fill the position of public school music teacher in Junior High school. Miss Good, who has an excellent musical background, received her Bachelor of Music degree from North Texas State Teachers College last Spring and has done practice teaching in the elementary high schools at Denton during her college work. She is taking additional studies in piano this summer at N.T.S.T.C.

Miss Ann Amthor, who taught language arts in Junior High last year, will return to that post this fall. Miss Amthor, whose home is in San Saba, has spent most of the summer there, but is visiting now in California.

Miss Virginia Sue Craven of Weatherford, Texas, has accepted the position as teacher of social studies and Spanish in Junior High school.

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Japs Feel U. S. Might at Saipan



The army lands on Saipan beachhead to reinforce troops on newly acquired base as shown in upper left photo. Lower left shows Jap tank knocked out by leathernecks when they first landed at Saipan. The infantry does its part at Saipan. Right shows them surveying ruins of Jap sugar refinery wrecked by Yank aerial bombs before our troops landed.

800 GI's Scramble to Enter Events in Typical Texas Rodeo Staged at 15th Army Airforce Base in Italy; Ozonan Enters

A clipping from Stars and Stripes, U. S. Army service newspaper, dated July 10, giving an account of a super-rodeo, which the newspaper called "the finest wild west show this side of heaven," has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Bert Couch from their son, Sgt. Joe Couch, attached to the 15th Army Airforce based in Italy.

Sgt. Couch was among the "more than 800 servicemen who fought to get their names down on the entry list" as the newspaper account described it, but failed to place in any of the events, he wrote his parents, because he didn't have his boots and spurs. He sent a cablegram asking for this equipment and they are on the way against the possibility of other service men's rodeos in Italy.

"A three-day session of the finest wild west show this side of heaven came to a climactic end Thursday night at the Foglia Stadium when ex-screen star Madeline Carroll presented trophies to the triumphant GI's who walked off with first places in the various events," the newspaper's account read.

"Under the auspices of the American Red Cross and the personal guidance of Ted Seidel, Rahway, N. J., the rodeo got off to a flying start Tuesday when more than 800 service men fought to get their names down on the entry list. During the three-day meet more than 60,000 Allied service men and women filled the stands to view the show which was opened by the crowning of Pvt. Dorothy Wood, Phoenix, Ariz., WAC, "Queen of the Rodeo."

"Nine complete features made up the daily program which was staged twice a day. Wild bronc riding, fancy roping and tying, wild cow milking and other events kept the crowd roaring throughout the performances.

"Chariots, made from materials obtained from wrecked fighter and bomber planes and just plain junk, swirled and spun in races which should have had Nero turning in his grave.

"A two-man team made up the milking contest with one man holding the cow while the other attempted to fill a coke bottle with the white substance. Hot dogs, doughnuts, ice cream and lemonade kept the hungry crowd at bay.

"An honorary trophy was presented to one overly enthusiastic Tommy who entered all of the events. It was titled "To Competent Man."

Winners listed in the article included boys from Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Arizona, Oregon and Missouri.

Mrs. H. B. Tandy, Kerry and Mills, returned yesterday from Abilene where they went to visit Mrs. Tandy's sister, Mrs. W. H. Knight, whose husband, W. H. Knight, C/M 1c, U. S. Coast Guard, is being transferred from his former station in Florida to California.

Youth Caravan Plans Made by Local Groups

Week-Long Program Here Open to All Youth of Ozona

Plans for the Youth Caravan, a week-long program for the youth of Ozona from 12 to 30, under the leadership of four young ladies of college age who will be here July 29 through August 4, were laid at a meeting of Youth Fellowship leaders here Tuesday night on the lawn at the home of Mrs. B. P. Ingham.

Rev. M. C. Stearns, pastor of the Methodist Church, Mrs. R. A. Harrell, superintendent of young people's work in the church and Youth Fellowship officers completed plans for the Youth Caravan, coming to Ozona for the first time this year.

The Caravan sessions, designed to instruct and guide youths in their Fellowship programs, will be held afternoons and evenings in the high school building. All youths from 12 to 30 in the city are invited to attend. An extensive program for the week has been planned by leaders.

Names of the young ladies who will make up the group to work with Ozona youths and leaders will be announced next week. The group will be in charge of the Sunday morning service at the Methodist Church on July 30 and will be presented in a special program at the Rotary Club meeting on August 1.

Hot, Dry Weather Continues in W. T.

Hot and dry continued to be the order of the day in West Texas during the past week. A blistering sun heating down on range lands has left grass and weeds seared and ranchmen report range lands over most of the county parched and dry.

Scattered showers have saved the day in areas visited, but the intense heat long continued will soon burn off what vegetation is still standing up under the droughty conditions. Temperatures have ranged upwards from 100 through most of the past week.

Rev. Sterling Stratton, pastor of the Baptist Church at Mertzon, will supply the pulpit at the First Baptist Church here next Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Clyde Childers, who is conducting a revival meeting in Mound, Texas. Rev. J. A. Kidd of Alpine, associational missionary, preached here last Sunday morning.

Four Crockett Co. Men Leave for Army Induction Station

Four Crockett county men left Monday afternoon for El Paso for induction in the armed forces, filling this county's call for July. One of the group, Pablo Diaz, is a resident of Ozona but registered at Big Lake and was transferred here from that board. Others in the party were Ricardo S. Munoz, Melchor Cardenas and Ezekiel Rios. Transferred to Clovis, N. M., for induction was Daniel Rios.

480-Acre Crockett Lease with 7 Wells Purchased by Lesco

Lesco, Inc., of Dallas has purchased from the F&J Co., Inc., of Rankin a 480-acre lease with seven producing wells in the Crockett field in extreme northwestern Crockett County.

This was revealed in an application by Lesco for a permit to drill the eighth test on the lease, filed with the Railroad Commission Saturday.

The lease is in section 17, block 14, University land. The seven wells have current daily allowances totaling 37 barrels, the largest, No. 7 University, being allotted 15 barrels daily.

Lesco, No. 8 University, a scheduled 3,000-foot, cable tool test, will be 2,970 from the north, 330 feet from the west line of section 17. It is due to start July 25.

17th Deep Well In Todd Field Is Completed

Conoco No. 10 Flows 30 Barrels Oil First Hour

The Todd Deep field, about 15 miles northwest of Ozona, gained its seventeenth oil producer from the erinoidal section of the Pennsylvanian lime last week. The field, producing high gravity oil from the deep level, is due to get a pipeline outlet soon from the Texas-New Mexico Pipeline Co., now handling its production by means of tank trucks.

Continental Oil Co. and others' No. 10 J. S. Todd estate unit block flowed 30 barrels of oil the first hour after being washed following gun perforating of 5 1/2-inch casing between 5,700 and 5,920 feet with 777 shots.

Flowing casing pressure was 650 pounds, tubing pressure 650 pounds. The well is in the C SE SW 29-WX-GC&SF.

Continental and others' No. 11 Todd, C SW SW 29WX-GC&SF, had set surface casing and will begin drilling as soon as the rig from No. 10 Todd is available.

Amerada No. 5-A Todd estate, C SW NE 25-AX-GC&SF, was drilling at 2,137 feet in line.

Aug. 12-13 Dates For Ozona's First War-Time Rodeo

Nation's Top Ropers to Compete in Snappy Two-Day Show

Saturday and Sunday, August 12 and 13, have been set as the definite dates for Ozona's first war-time rodeo, which is being arranged under auspices of the reorganized Crockett County Fair Association.

Invitations are going out this week to the nation's top-flight ropers and rodeo performers and the two-day show here is expected to attract a galaxy of performers whose talents are seldom combined in any but the country's largest western shows. In fact, such ropers as Toots Mansfield, world champion calf roper, James Kinney, Walton Poag, Harry Howard and other well-known performers have indicated their intentions to make the Ozona show.

The daily program will include calf roping, team roping, ribbon roping, boys' goat roping, girls' barrel races and other events, including some fast matched ropings between the top rodeo hands assembled. The two-day event will be augmented by a dance on the open-air platform both Friday and Saturday evenings to which all comers are invited. Association music committees are now contacting various leading orchestras and promise a top musical orchestra. Half Brahma calves, as salty as they come, and Mexico steers have already been purchased and are on tap for the event. The grounds, stands, chutes and pens are now being inspected and necessary repairs made in preparation for the show. More than \$300 in prize money, in addition to the entrance fees, will be put up by the association for the various roping events.

Mrs. Sue Mayfield, Sister of Ozonan, Dies in Del Rio

Sister of Scott Peters Laid to Rest in Services Saturday

Mrs. Sue Mayfield, 64, a sister of Scott Peters, active vice president of the Ozona National Bank, died shortly before noon Friday at her home in Del Rio after an illness covering a period of four years.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon from the First Methodist Church in Del Rio, with the Rev. M. D. Council, pastor, officiating. Burial followed in the Del Rio cemetery. Many Ozona friends of the family attended the services.

Mrs. Mayfield, who had been a resident of Val Verde County for 39 years, was born October 29, 1879, in Valley Mills, Bosque county, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Peters. She was married to J. C. Mayfield at Valley Mills in 1900. The couple resided in Sutton County, where they held extensive ranch interests, until about 1905, when they moved to Val Verde county to continue ranching in the Juno country.

Mrs. Mayfield was an active member of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church in Del Rio.

Survivors include a son, J. C. Mayfield, Jr., a daughter, Mrs. J. O. Taylor, Jr., and three grandsons, Jimmy Taylor, John Edward Taylor and J. C. Mayfield, III. Several brothers and sisters also survive.

Bill Cooper, manager of the Ozona water works system, is attending a three-weeks school of instruction in water works and sanitary system operation, being conducted in San Angelo three nights each week. W. A. Eandy of Austin, itinerant instructor from the A & M College staff, is teaching the short course. The school will close next week, session being held Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings of each week.

Slight Interest Apparent in Demo Primary Saturday

Light Vote Predicted in County with only One Local Contest

Only slight interest is being manifested locally in the first Democratic primary election slated for next Saturday.

With only one contest for county office in this county, a two-way race for the office of sheriff, political observers are predicting one of the lightest vote in many years in Saturday's election. However, the contest between Sheriff Frank James, incumbent, and M. E. Corbell, for the office of sheriff, assessor and collector of taxes, was warming up during the past week and that contest may serve to bring out more voters to the polls than is indicated by the interest barometer this week.

There is slight interest, likewise in any of the state races, and none of the district offices in this area, from congressman down, will offer any spice to the election since all district incumbents, like the other county and precinct officers here, are unopposed for re-election.

The primary ballot contains the names of nine aspirants for the office of governor, including Gov. Coke R. Stevenson, who is opposed by Herbert E. Mills of Galveston county, Gene S. Porter of McLennan, Winnie Fisher Cunningham of Walker county, Martin Jones of Nacodoches county, W. J. Winton of Grayson county, William F. Grimes of Harris county and Alex M. Ferguson of Grayson county.

For lieutenant governor, John Lee Smith, incumbent, is opposed by William David Turner of McLennan county, Lee Satterwhite of Travis county and Mat Davis of Upshur county.

Attorney General Grover Sellers has two opponents, Jesse E. Martin of Tarrant county and Fred R. Erisman of Gregg county. For associate justice of the Supreme Court of Texas, Judge Richard Critz of Williamson county, incumbent, is opposed by Gordon Simpson of Smith county, Tom Smiley of Karnes county, and Charles T. Rowland of Tarrant county.

Judge F. L. Hawkins of Ellis county, seeking re-election as judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals, is opposed by Joseph Dickson of Baylor county, Beauford H. Jester of Navarro county, is unopposed for re-election as railroad commissioner, as are Jesse James, state treasurer, and Bascomb Giles, land commissioner.

For the office of comptroller of public accounts, George H. Shepard, incumbent, is opposed by Clifford E. Butler of Harris county, and Harold K. Shelton of Harris county. L. A. Woods, state superintendent of public instruction, also drew two opponents, Walter Scott McNutt of Marion county and Earl Rodgers of Hays county. J. E. McDonald, Ellis county, commissioner of agriculture, is still another with dual opposition, Edgar E. Hunter of Harris county, and Virgil E. Arnold of Harris county.

Unopposed district, county and precinct office holders whose names appear on the ballot for re-nomination to their respective posts include Joseph McGill, El Paso county, for associate justice, Court of Civil Appeals, 8th district; R. E. Thomason, El Paso county, U.S. representative from 16th Congressional district; H. L. Winfield, Pecos county, state senator, 29th Senatorial district; C. H. Gilmer, Edwards county, state representative, 86th district; Hart Johnson, Pecos county, district attorney, 112th district; Houston S. Smith, county judge; George Russell, county clerk; Tom Casbeer, county treasurer; N. W. Graham, county attorney; W. P. Conklin, county surveyor; Rob Miller, Chas. E. Black, J. W. Owens, and E. R. Kinser, county commissioners; W. M. Johnigan, justice of the peace, Prec. 1; Tom Smith, constable, Prec. 1; Bryan E. McDonald, county Democratic chairman and

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THURSDAY JULY 20, 1944

THE STATE — UNITED

These weeks are the season of the National Conventions at which delegates representing all the great States assemble to choose party standard-bearers and platforms. They symbolize the workings of a democracy which Hitler sneered at and of which the Japs were contemptuous—to their everlasting disillusion and regret.

They are the States United, for all their divergent political views, and the rolling roster of their very names resounds like thunder throughout the world.

Let no one here or abroad ever mistake the meaning of our democracy. Listen to the roll-call of the States which were born in freedom, which grew to strength and power in freedom, and which will ever unite to defend it!

Mr. and Mrs. George Bean, Louise, Doris and Joe Bean, and Muggins Davidson left Friday for a trip into New Mexico. They expect to be gone about ten days.

Joe B. Chapman, second class seaman, U. S. Navy, is on duty somewhere in the South Pacific aboard a U. S. Naval craft, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chapman, have learned. Joe's address is Joe B. Chapman, S-2c, U.S.S. L.C.I. (G) 397, care of Fleet Postoffice, San Francisco, Calif.



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Ledge Petroleum Co. Plans Crockett Test

Ledge Petroleum Co. of Dallas has applied for a permit to drill a proposed 2,500-foot, cable tool wildcat in western Crockett County on the Henry M. Half-Bivins estate south of the Noelke field and 10 miles southeast of Iraan.

The test will be 330 feet from the north and west lines of the northeast quarter of section 63, block 1, I&GN Ry. Co. Survey.

A. J. Rife has filed notice of a change in location for his No. 2 F. W. Harter in the Noelke field from 990 from the south, 413 feet from the east and west lines of a 50-acre lease in section 27-GG-Martha T. Wilton to 330 from the north, 413 feet from the east and west lines of the lease.

Bland Tandy, son of Major and Mrs. H. B. Tandy, who left last week for Lubbock for active service in the U. S. Navy, has been sent to San Diego for boot training, his mother learned.

Dog License Tags Are Now on Sale at Office of Sheriff

Dog tags have arrived and are now on sale at the sheriff's office. Sheriff Frank James announced this week.

The license tags, required on all dogs in Crockett county as the result of a recent dog license election in which voters approved the new tax and licensing system, sell for \$1 each. Unless the license tags are worn, dogs running at large in the county will be subject to extermination at the hands of law officers under the provisions of the special tax law.

Pvt. Carl North, U. S. Marine Corps, arrived Tuesday from Camp Elliot in California for a visit with his mother, Mrs. J. J. North, and other relatives. Pvt. North has been stationed in California camps after returning from service in the South Pacific, where he saw action in Guadalcanal and other island campaigns.

Mrs. Hugh Childress is in a San Angelo hospital under treatment, and this week was reported improved. Mrs. Childress was taken to the hospital after becoming ill at her home here Saturday.

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Delaine Breeders Offers Rams and Ewes In Junction Sale

The top rams and ewes from the leading breeders of Texas will go through the auction ring at the Hill County Fair Ground at Junction, Texas, July 28th, when the Texas Delaine Breeders Association will offer more than 225 rams and 50 ewes for sale at the third Annual Ram and Ewe Sale.

All animals in the sale will be grouped into two classes by Dr. J. C. Miller and J. M. Jones, nationally recognized authorities on Delaine sheep and wool.

The following committees are planning the sale. Executive and Sales — Roy Murr, Herbert Simon and Clint Brown.

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J. H. Williams, Ozona grocery store operator, who was taken to a San Angelo hospital after suffering a heart attack several weeks ago, has been returned to his home here. Mr. Williams is still confined to his bed but his condition is reported as improved.

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Points in Sheep Raising Outlined In Rotary Talk

Some of the more scientific aspects of the sheep raising business were reviewed in an interesting talk before the Rotary Club Tuesday by Bill Baggett, young Crockett county rancher and graduate of A & M College.

The different breeds of sheep from which present popular strains are derived were described by the speaker and the differences in wool type and production from the different breeds outlined.

Nelson Jones, local oil field worker, paid a fine of \$18 in justice court the first of the week on a charge of speeding and disturbing the peace.

Car Ceiling Price Violations Checked

Complaints regarding violations of the used car ceiling price regulation are reaching the OPA district office in San Antonio, and the local War Price and Rationing Board has been advised to be on the lookout for similar violations, J. R. Bailey, board chairman, said today.

Certain dealers are reportedly refusing to sell used passenger automobiles, which became subject to specific ceiling prices on July 10, unless the would-be buyers have a used car to trade in, and in many instances are refusing to give the proper trade-in value.

The used car ceiling price regulation expressly prohibits this. A dealer who tries to force a customer to trade in "any other vehicle or commodity" is guilty of so-called "tie-in agreement" which is a violation of OPA regulations.

It is also reported that certain dealers in the San Antonio OPA district are informing their customers that used car models earlier than 1937 are not covered by the regulation. This is incorrect. The regulation does not list models earlier than 1937, but it provides that if a car is a "1936 or earlier model," and the make is listed, the "ceiling" is that of the 1937 model of the same make, body type, passenger capacity and wheel base. If the make of the early-model car is not listed, the ceiling price is the same as that of the 1937 model of the most com-

parable listed car.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS By Boyce House

Mr. Dooley, who was the favorite philosopher in your dad's day, said that a prophet is a man who foresees trouble — no man would listen a minute to any prophet that prophesied pleasant days.

Not long ago, a burglar entered a residence at night in Fort Worth and, from the room in which the baby was sleeping, he called to the parents a threat that, if they did not give him all the money in the house, he would kill the child.

Such ruthlessness as this is on a par with the barbarism of the Japs and the Nazis, and it makes one wonder if maybe it wouldn't be a good thing to revive the whipping post and include in the punishment meted out by the law to such cowards and curs — besides a prison sentence — 25 lashes on their backs.

Around Texas:

Like "Boom Town," the oil movie, is Brownwood, scene of one of the big Army camps of the nation. There are souvenir shops with trinkets that suggest the range and others with a touch of Old Mexico; instantaneous photograph booths and six picture shows in three blocks.

Pastoral beauty characterizes the landscape between Hico and Dublin — flocks of sheep, with lambs bounding about; happy farm-houses with white chickens in the yard and a few proud turkey gobblers strutting, and "the cattle on a thousand hills."

Passing through Collinsville recently, this observer remembered the day, over 12 years ago, when "Alfalfa Bill" Murray, then governor of Oklahoma and mentioned as a candidate for the presidential nomination, came back to his birthplace (actually, he was born in a rural community out from Collinsville). There were flags and bunting that day everywhere; a band played and, despite a cold drizzle, there was a big crowd to hear Murray speak, an overcoat turned up around his ears. Where is Murray now — and where is that cold weather?

George W. Hester, Seaman Guard, stationed at Albany, Calif., visited friends in Ozona this week on a 13-day leave from his duties in the U.S. Navy.

FOR SALE — 3-room house in Barnhart. Can be moved. If interested, write Barnhart, Box 129 or call at Barnhart Cafe. 15 4tp

Mrs. L. C. Pyatt and two children arrived Tuesday night from Hammond, La., for a visit with Mrs. Pyatt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Couch. Mr. and Mrs. Couch met them in Del Rio Tuesday afternoon.

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This action is made necessary by the present shortage of labor. Vacation periods for our employes at this season will leave us with an acute shortage of help for this six-weeks period, making curtailment of service necessary.

We regret the necessity of this inconvenience for our customers but it is the only solution to the present problem. We hope you will not find it too inconvenient to bring us your laundry and dry cleaning work and call for it at completion during this period. We will appreciate your cooperation.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Stockman has been authorized to make the following announcements of candidacy for political office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 22, 1944:

- For County Judge:
HOUSTON SMITH
- For Sheriff, Assessor and Collector of Taxes:
FRANK JAMES (Re-election)
M. E. CORBELL
- For County Treasurer:
TOM CASBEER (Re-election)
- For Commissioner, Prec. 4:
E. R. KINSER (Re-election)
- For Commissioner, Prec. 1:
ROB MILLER (Re-election)
- For Commissioner, Prec. 2:
CHAS. S. BLACK (Re-election)
- For Commissioner, Prec. 3:
J. W. OWENS (Re-election)
- For County & Dist. Clerk:
GEORGE RUSSELL (Re-election)
- For Congress, 16th District:
R. E. THOMASON, El Paso (Re-election)

Citizens of Crockett County:

Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated in the primary July 22, 1944.

I have been in Crockett County fourteen years in the service of the public. I am a property owning taxpayer that likes to live in Ozona and see it become a better place to live.

Anyone desiring to check the tax records will find that I have done a good job of collecting and handling of funds. The Sheriff's office is on a cash basis. By that I mean the county does not have to furnish us cars and money to operate on through the year.

These things along with two years experience are something to consider. Now as I have said before, I welcome constructive criticism, and will try to improve any situation that is not in line with public opinion.

I would like for the voters of Crockett County to consider the above statements carefully and give me a chance to do a better job in the Sheriff's office in 1944 and '45.

FRANK JAMES
Candidate for Re-Election to the Office of Sheriff, Assessor and Collector of Taxes Crockett County

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Teachers —

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High. She is a graduate of Baylor University, class of 1944, and this summer is studying in the University of Mexico.

Joe Ripple will return as Junior High principal and teacher of arithmetic and Spanish and athletic coach. Mrs. Ripple, who taught last year in the Latin-American school, has resigned her post and plans to open a class in speech during the winter.

As junior and senior band instructor, Miss Virginia Whipkey of Colorado City will be on hand in the fall. Miss Whipkey is a graduate of Baylor University and last year taught instrumental music and had charge of junior band work in the Kingsville, Texas, schools.

Except for the vacancy created by resignation of Miss Virginia Moore, teaching Spanish and his-

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tory, the high school faculty will remain the same as last year. Miss Hazel Kirbie, English; Miss Clementina Parker, home economics and general science; Miss Marian Gibson, commercial subjects; and L. B. T. Sikes, principal, athletic coach and teacher of mathematics and science, will return to their respective posts. Supt. Denham hopes this year to fill the manual training post.

In the Latin-American school, Miss Zona Howard of Bonita, Texas will teach the first grade. Miss Howard is taking her B. S. and B. A. degrees this summer from Texas State College for Women. She has been teaching the last two years in a rural school at Leo.

Mrs. Nell Smith will return to her post as second grade teacher in the Latin-American school and for the third grade will be Miss Mary Bess Hardgrave of Sander-son, Texas, a 1944 graduate of Abilene Christian College. Miss Mary Cliff Mangum will again teach the fourth grade and for the fifth grade post will be Miss Isla Jean Stearns, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. M. C. Stearns, who was graduated this year from Southwestern University in Georgetown. Miss Stearns did some substitute work in the Latin-American school during the last term.

Miss Margaret Hill of Eldorado will begin her fifth year as teacher of home making in the Latin-American school, and C. L. McDonald, who has filled the post of principal and teacher of mathematics and science the past two years, will be on hand again this fall.

Election —

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John R. Bailey, Charlie Black, Jr., Jeff Owens, Watt Turner, Clayton Smith, John W. George and Peery Holmsley, precinct chairmen.

Cpl. Vernon D. Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wilson of Ozona, after undergoing special training at Scott Field, Ill., and Sedalia Field at Warrensburg, Mo., received his silver wings on June 15 as radio operator and radio mechanic in the Army Air Forces. Cpl. Wilson, who visited his parents here last week, was transferred on July 1 to Bear Field, Ft. Wayne, Ind. He was accompanied on the visit here with his parents by Miss Doris Schmitt of East St. Louis, Ill.

Gloomy Outlook for Light Trucks Result WPB Production Ban

John W. Reed, District Manager of the Office of Defense Transportation at San Angelo, Texas today announced receipt of notice not to accept applications for light motor trucks following denial by the War Production board of the ODT's request for resumption of light truck production beginning with the first quarter of 1945.

There is little likelihood for new light motor trucks being available for the nation's truck operators during the first quarter of 1945 as a result of this action on the request of the ODT for a minimum program of light trucks for essential civilian needs, Mr. Reed said. The WPB's decision was based upon the demand for trucks by the armed forces, Reed said.

A total of 41,000 light trucks for the first quarter of next year was, however authorized by WPB on a suspended AA-3 basis. This, the

ODT emphasized, does not constitute an authorization to produce until specifically validated by the WPB at some later date. It permits planning for production, but not actually production.

"Consequently," it was pointed out, the outlook for new light motor trucks in the first quarter of 1945 is indeed gloomy.

The ODT official explained that there has been no production of light trucks since completion of the March, 1942, schedules. Since March 9, 1942, the beginning of truck rationing, there have been approximately 28,000 light trucks available from the national pool of trucks for essential civilian uses: Ordinary peacetime production of trucks for this class averages 300,000 a year. Such equipment is used principally in agricultural work, and to a lesser extent in building maintenance and services essential wholesale and retail distribution, oil field production and exploration, and in public utility work.

On August 7, next, all trucks re-

maining in the pool which have not been taken up by the various agencies holding authorized quotas against them will be transferred to a common pool available equally to all agencies. The ODT is hopeful that it can gain a few more light trucks for civilian use as a result of this action.

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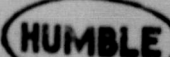
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