

## T-P Committee Leaves Only 16 Farmers on List

Sixteen farmers from over the entirety of Parmer county, representing the outstanding applications made before August 10, were chosen by the Parmer county Tenant-Purchase committee, Friday, to undergo consideration for the final selection of applicants in the T-P program, instigated in the county this year.

Parmer county will officially be granted five tenant-purchase loans during the present year, Thos. G. Moore, FSA supervisor and executive secretary, said today, which is a good number for a first year program. The number will be added to each succeeding year, he went on to say.

Of particular interest in the selection of the final candidates was the fact that the majority are young men, with an average age of 36.1 years. All have families, and have been engaged in the farming business for a number of years, with several being spent in Parmer county.

In the last selection, five applicants will be given priority, Moore said, with the remaining eleven men being named as alternates of the first or second rank.

Providing one or more of the top-bracket farmers cannot purchase the land they desire under T-P regulations, the first alternate will be given an opportunity. Should he also be unable to comply with requirements as to price, etc., of land, the second alternate will get his chance to buy a farm under the program.

Preceding the actual selection of applicants, a general meeting was held at the courthouse on Thursday morning, for discussion of the program. Taking part were: Tom J. Finley, district R-R supervisor; Dwight J. Thompson, assistant T-P specialist; T. Euel Linder, assistant farm management specialist; Mrs. Ruby D. Mathews, district home supervisor; R. C. Nelson, SCS engineer; County Agent Jason O. Gordon, and Supervisor Moore.

Moore stated that the 270 applications received for Tenant-Purchase loans were all above average, insofar as farm detail was concerned, adding that it was very evident that the program was attracting considerable attention locally.

The final naming of applicants will be made on either August 29th or 30th, officials said. The date was first set for August 29th, but owing to conflicts, it is expected to be changed to August 30th, after which the program will actually get underway.

Following is a list of the final sixteen names, given in alphabetical order, and with the postoffice addresses listed:

- Newell E. Bonds, Bovina; Charlie L. Caloway, Bovina; E. L. Cochran, Farwell; Elmo Dean, Friona; M. T. Glascock, Farwell; Levi Johnson, Farwell; B. H. Kube, Farwell; E. R. Lawhon, Mulshoe; Thomas L. Rhodes, Bovina; J. D. Stevens, Friona; R. A. Shanks, Mulshoe; J. R. Wilson, Mulshoe; Valter Wagnon, Mulshoe; Claude B. Watkins, Farwell.

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### BUS DRIVERS EMPLOYED

At a meeting of the Farwell school board, held on Monday night, three bus drivers were employed to serve for the coming term. Stanley Hillhouse was given the job of driving one bus and keeping all machines in order. Other bus drivers hired were Clyde Massongill and Lenton Pool, both of whom served on the same jobs last year.

### Bridegroom of Three Weeks Victim of Gun

J. Floyd Bates, 22 years old, and a bridegroom of only three weeks, was an accidental victim of a gunshot wound, at his father's farm east of Bovina, late last Wednesday afternoon.

The young man, according to information gathered here, shot himself in the temple with a .22 calibre rifle while crawling through a fence at his father's place. He died a few minutes later while being rushed to a Clovis hospital in an ambulance.

Bates, an employee of the Farm Security Administration, with offices in the courthouse in Farwell, was visiting in the home of his father, B. B. Bates, of east of Bovina. He and his two smaller brothers, Leon and Frankie, 10 and 12 years of age, had been engaged in shooting birds about the farmhouse.

The elder Bates' attention was directed to a bird some distance from the house in an adjoining field. As he was attempting to crawl through the fence, his trousers caught on the barbed wire. Holding the rifle in his right hand, Bates was trying to free his trousers with the other hand, when he dropped the weapon and it was discharged. The bullet struck him in the temple.

Funeral services were held last Friday afternoon in the Methodist Church at Bovina, with Rev. J. N. Hester, pastor, in charge.

Bates is survived by his 18-year-old bride of three weeks, the former Miss Von Kathryn Biggs of Hedley, Tex.; his father, B. B. Bates; a sister, Mrs. D. W. Sides of Shreveport, La.; and eight brothers, Coy of Friona, Robert of Friona, Earl of Clovis, and J. R., Wayne, Dean, Frankie and Leon, all of Bovina. He is also survived by two grandmothers, Mrs. R. S. Wilson of Clovis, and Mrs. Mary E. Bates of Lubbock.

### WHEAT SOWING TO BEGIN

Many farmers of this section are making preparations to begin sowing wheat within the next few days, it was revealed here this week. Some of them will begin their sowing operations before the close of the present week, while most of the Fall planting will not get underway in earnest until the first of next week.

Recent rains have put the wheat fields in this section in prime shape for planting, and most farmers here agree that "the best time to plant wheat is when you have the moisture."

## 7 Contests Appear on Run-off Ballot

### Local School Schedules are Announced

While there is only one Parmer county office race involved in the democratic run-off primary election to be held next Saturday, six district and state races make up a total of seven contests appearing on the official ballot for the voters to act upon.

The seven races yet to be settled by the voters involve candidates for congress, railroad commissioner, chief justice of the supreme court, state

Claude Rose of the Fox Drug Store, announced this morning that arrangements had been made to receive returns from the run-off primary on Saturday night. A large bulletin board has been erected and returns will be posted as they are received from the various boxes of the county. Due to the fact that the ballot is very short, most boxes in the county should be ready to announce the total vote soon after closing time at 7 o'clock.

senator, state representative, district attorney and county clerk.

All indications point to a fairly large vote in Saturday's run-off, with the candidates throwing all their strength into the campaign during the past week. Chief interest in Parmer county, quite naturally, will be in the clerk's race—the only exclusive county race on the ballot.

However, the congressional contest has created no little interest here, with both the candidates bringing their campaigns to this county during recent days.

Up to this week, activity in the state senatorial contest has been rather mild, but all indications pointed to increased interest as the campaign draws to a close.

Parmer county voters appear to be taking very little interest in the railroad commissioner and the chief justice of the supreme court campaigns, but the race for representative seems to be drawing its share for attention as election day draws near.

The listings as they will appear on the ballot in Saturday's run-off primary are:

- For Congress: Deskins Wells, Eugene Worley.
- For Railroad Commissioner: Olin Culbertson, Pierce Brooks.
- For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court: James P. Alexander, H. S. Lattimore.
- For State Senator: Max Boyer, Grady Hazlewood.
- For State Representative: Tom W. Deen, L. G. Mathews.
- For District Attorney: Milton Tamum, John B. Honts.
- For County and District Clerk: Charles Lovelace, D. K. Roberts.

### Associate Dealership Taken By Karl Gast

Officials of the Haynes Motors & Company of Clovis, this week announced the selection of Karl Gast as their associate dealer in Texico-Farwell, for Chevrolet and Buick automobiles.

Mr. Gast stated today that he would keep a small stock of Chevrolets in stock here at his place of business. He will carry a complete line of Chevrolet parts, it was added. Ronnie Blair, who has been acting as salesman for the Haynes Motors & Company, will continue in that capacity.

### 22 ABSENTEE VOTES CAST

Twenty-two absentee votes had been cast in the Parmer county run-off primary, a check-up at the county clerk's office revealed late Tuesday afternoon. Absentee voting will close this (Wednesday) afternoon with the closing of the clerk's office, it was announced.

### Texico Boy Named N. M. State Farmer

Preston Martin, a graduate of the Texico high school and for the past six years a prominent member of the local Future Farmers of America chapter, was awarded the title of New Mexico State Farmer, at the state-wide gathering of FFA boys in Camp Murray White, last week.

Martin entered FFA work under Supervisor Black at the local school, and since becoming a member of the organization has served as vice president of the Texico chapter. His specialty in the work has been devoted to swine and row crops.

Seventeen members of the local chapter, accompanied by L. A. McCasland, new ga man, and Supt. L. A. Hartley, were in attendance at the state meet, and report a most enjoyable and instructive gathering.

Various topics of the work were discussed by representatives of different groups, as well as state organization visitors, and a good deal of time was devoted to athletic and other contests.

### Commodities Available For School Children

Undernourished school children of the county may be provided with plenty of foods of various kinds through the Federal Surplus Commodities Commission, Mrs. Alice Lovelace, county welfare worker, announced here today.

Mrs. Lovelace stressed the fact that distribution of the commodities would not necessarily be confined to children of relief families, but rather to children who appeared to be undernourished.

She said that distribution of such foods would be made only through the schools of the county, and that application for commodities must be made through her office. Citing that at present there were only two school cafeterias in operation, Mrs. Lovelace said that under a new set-up, school children in attendance where no cafeteria is maintained may be allotted certain prepared foods, such as fruit juices and canned fruit.

"No distribution can be made without proper application being filed in advance," she added.

### GOOD SHOWER FALLS

A good, heavy shower that turned out to be rather local in its scope, fell in the immediate Texico-Farwell neighborhood Friday night. The rainfall here measured .62 of an inch. Other sections of the county, particularly north of Bovina, reported rain on the same night. No rain was reported at Lariat, Oklahoma Lane, Lazbuddy or Friona.

With the end of this week, Farwell school students will have only a half-week remaining before the 1940-41 study season gets underway, according to a schedule of enrollment given by Supt. T. J. Carter, today.

On Thursday morning, August 29, members of the senior class are asked to gather at the school for enrollment; Thursday afternoon will see registration of the juniors; while the sophomores will enroll Friday morning and the freshmen Friday afternoon, August 30th.

General grade school enrollment will be on Friday morning, the official added, stating that registration was being broken up into groups to facilitate the handling of the expected large enrollment.

The entire faculty has been called to assemble at the school building on Saturday morning, August 31st, for the purpose of getting the year's work in line, officials have announced.

### Offer New Course

A new course will be offered to freshmen and sophomores in the form of Junior Business Training, Supt. Carter said, which will include some work in occupational guidance, work in commercial law, a unit in good management both at home and at school.

In addition, there will be units devoted to banking, insurance and home owning. "We hope to remedy some deficiencies in spelling and arithmetic through the medium of this course," Supt. Carter concluded.

### Texico Enrolls 30th

Enrollment at the Texico school will be held on Friday, August 30th, Supt. L. A. Hartley has announced, with both the grade and high school students to be registered during the day.

Saturday afternoon at 2:30, members of the Texico faculty are requested to meet at the school building for the first general faculty meeting of the year, the school head went on to announce, and stressed the fact that it is important that all teachers be present at this time.

Both Farwell and Texico will officially begin the 1940-41 school term on Monday, September 2nd, (which, incidentally, is Labor Day) and officials have stated that general assemblies will be held, with short programs being given and announcements made.

Supt. Harley has asked that any alumni or patrons of the school, who are interested in attending the program on Monday morning be on hand, and Supt. Carter has likewise extended an invitation to the public.

### Soil Conservation Meeting on Monday

A special Soil Conservation and Land Use Planning meeting was held on Monday at the local courthouse, for the purpose of studying the program and lining out definite plans for the four demonstration farm units in Parmer county.

The four men on whose farms the demonstrations will be conducted for a period of five years are: Otho Whitefield, Charley M. Rogers, Jack Dunn and J. T. Eubanks, Agent Jason O. Gordon said, stating that the meeting Monday was held to answer last-minute questions before the work actually gets underway.

E. E. Reynolds, area conservationist, R. C. Nelson, area engineer, Don King, range examiner, and Mr. Chapman, head of the SCS camp at Littlefield, were the principal speakers of the day, outlining the advantages which are obtainable under SCS if the program is properly carried out.

Beginning today (Wednesday), Mr. King, in company with Agent Gordon, will visit the demonstrators, and the five-year agreements will be drawn up. The program is being conducted for the purpose of promoting interest in Soil Conservation work.

### TO ENTER HOSPITAL

Buck Breaziale plans to leave here the latter part of this week for Amarillo, where he will enter the Veterans' Hospital for an operation for hernia.

### OPENS STORE IN TEXICO

J. E. Foreman of Clovis, opened a second-hand store in Texico last Saturday. His location is just west of the Selman pool hall. Mr. Foreman said he planned to add more goods to his stock as the business increased.

## Silo Work SCHEDULED to Start Here Soon

"It's time to start talking about silos,"

Such was the opinion voiced this week by the county agricultural agent, Jason O. Gordon, and FSA supervisor Thos. G. Moore, when they stated that time was now at hand to start making plans for the building of trench silos in this county.

With harvest appearing likely in the next few weeks, following encouragement by recent rains, it is predicted that Parmer county will have a large feed crop this year, of which a good deal should go down in silos looking toward that "rainy day" that

always comes when least expected. "Sweet sorghums which have been planted on lay-out land under the Triple-A program may be allowed to mature fully before cutting, if they are to be put down in silos," the agent stated, in spiking a rumor to the effect that the crop must be cut in its early stages, whether or not it was to go into silos.

"Sorghums make excellent silage, and since a good deal of this crop has been planted on lay-out land, the sensible thing to do would be to lay the crop away, protected from all hazards, in trench silos," he continued.

Mr. Moore stated that already FSA clients were considering the advisability of starting additional silo ditches within the near future, and was of the opinion that the number of feed trenches in the county would greatly increase this year.

"Persons wishing to use the county machinery to dig the silos are asked to contact their precinct commissioners immediately," Agent Gordon concluded, "in order that a schedule of working days may be prepared. The commissioners will meet on Monday, August 26th, to prepare the schedule, and it is extremely advisable that all applications be in before that date."

### MARKETS

The following prices were being offered by local buyers Wednesday. All prices are subject to market fluctuations.

#### Grain Quotations

Wheat, bu.	\$. 58
Milo, cwt.	\$. 95
Cafir, cwt.	\$. 90

#### Produce

Hy hens, lb.	10c
t hens, lb.	7c
s, No. 1, lb.	14c
per doz.	12c
at, lb.	25c
hides, lb.	4c

## Texico-Hollene Road to Receive All-Weather Caliche Surfacing

### MISS LOVELACE RESIGNS

Miss Mary Lovelace, for the past two years a member of the Farwell grade school faculty, tendered her resignation on Tuesday of this week, resigning to accept a position as high school English teacher and girls' physical education director at Aspermont, Texas.

Supt. T. J. Carter, who made public the announcement, stated that he was sorry to lose Miss Lovelace from the local staff, where she handled the fourth and fifth grades, but was pleased that she had secured an advancement in the profession.

Miss Lovelace, daughter of Mrs. T. E. Lovelace, of near Farwell, is a graduate of McMurray College, at Abilene, Texas, and has done additional work in a California school. She came to the local faculty two years ago for her first assignment, and has made a commendable record both in scholastic and athletic work.

### TO SPEAK FOR WELLS

Olan Schleuter, a member of the Parmer County Tenant-Purchase committee, will go to Amarillo Friday, where he will deliver a brief address in the interest of the candidacy of Deskins Wells for congress, over radio station KGNC. Schleuter will be only one of a score of prominent Panhandle farmers who will speak for Wells on the same program. The exact hour for the broadcast has not been learned here.

### Junction Sheriff Here; Removes Bryant Coffee

Sheriff J. G. Graham of Junction, came to Farwell Monday and claimed Bryant Coffee, who has been held in the Parmer county jail following his plea of guilt on a swindling charge at the July term of District court.

Coffee pleaded guilty to issuing a fraudulent check to Lee Sudderth in payment of some sheep, which were shipped to Oklahoma City markets. Sheriff Graham said the defendant was wanted at Junction on a similar charge.

Coffee was given two years' sentence here, and has been held for the Junction officer in the Parmer county jail since his conviction.

### Tri-County Dairy Day Program on Thursday

A Dairy Day program, sponsored by the Roosevelt-Curry-Parmer county dairy improvement association, will be held at Eastern New Mexico college in Portales, on Thursday of next week, beginning at 9:30, Texas time, Agent Jason O. Gordon said this week.

At this time, discussions by members of the association will be devoted to herd testing, feeding, and breeding, the agent added. Also, breeders of various type animals will appear on the program to give a resume of those special types.

Dean Pattison, chairman of the association, will act as presiding officer of the meeting, and E. E. Anderson, dairyman of the New Mexico Extension Service, will be the visiting speaker, basing his talk on "Feed Rations."

Agent Gordon stressed the fact that this was strictly a layman's meeting, and that all topics would be discussed in the down-to-earth manner understandable to all dairy herd owners. Any person in this territory interested in hearing the discussions is cordially urged to attend.

### CHICAGO SCOUTS THROUGH

A forty-passenger air-conditioned bus, loaded down with 33 Boy Scouts from the West Suburban Council of Chicago, passed through here Monday on a tour that will carry them to Carlsbad Caverns, Juarez, Mexico, and other places of interest along the border.

Turning back into New Mexico, they will spend a few days at their own camp along Cimarron Canyon in northern New Mexico before resuming their trip homeward. They were in charge of Scoutmaster F. K. Dawson.

W. J. Matthews, Texico mayer, this week that he had been given definite assurance that the Texico-Hollene road would be surfaced with caliche, "at once".

Mr. Matthews said he was not in a position to state definitely just when work could be expected to get underway, but he had been led to believe it would be started before the close of the present week, possibly by Wednesday or Thursday.

The entire length of the road, extending from Texico to Hollene, via Bellview, a distance of 31 miles, was graded the past spring and is now in splendid condition for dry weather travel. The route has been designated as a state highway, and all improvements are to be made by the State Highway Department of New Mexico.

Mr. Matthews said a Mr. White, a representative from the district engineer's office at Roswell, was here last week and made arrangements to secure surfacing material from the

G. W. Paul caliche pit just north of Texico. Four other pits along the route have been located, Mr. Matthews added, from which material may be obtained for the work.

"We have been working on this project for a long time," Matthews stated, "but we did not want to give out any information until we were definitely certain that the work would be done. Now we have been assured by District Highway Engineer Johnstone and Governor Miles that the job will be completed."

Machinery for doing the work is already on the way here, Mr. Matthews has been informed, and it appears likely that actual construction will get under way within the next day or two.

The Texico-Hollene road taps one of the best agricultural sections in this area, and grain men point out that an all-weather road will bring a good deal of grain here that has formerly gone to other shipping points.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Roger Shaw

'Battle of Britain' On as Nazi Bombers Increase Momentum of Mass Attacks; British Are Forced Out of Shanghai; Italy Stages Minor African Offensive

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

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THE WAR:

Step-Up

Reports from both London and Berlin indicated that long awaited aerial blitzkrieg against the British isles had been stepped up to the point where as many as 500 Nazi planes were making periodic attacks on shipping ports and air-dromes.

Apparently the German tactics had a threefold objective: (1) to challenge Britain's sea control of the English channel by damaging naval harbors and shore establishments; (2) weakening of British air defenses by bombing airports, silencing ground guns and attempting to wear down British pilots by forcing them to maintain 24-hour patrols; (3) a bolstering of the morale of the German people by continued reports of air victories.

As usual London and Berlin in turn each claimed to have the upper hand in the first days of this "battle of Britain." Nazi leaders declared that in the first raids the ports of Margate, Dover and Portsmouth (naval yards) had been ruined by constant bombings. British sources reported a large number of Nazi warplanes shot down (as many as 60 in one day) and government spokesmen praised what they called the "heroic work" of the British fighter plane pilots.

Down East

The most interesting new phase of the II German war was not in the least degree German. It came as John Bull's worst setback in the whole fracas, since last September, and Hitler had virtually nothing to do with it. It was simply this:

The Japanese kicked the British out of the wicked Chinese city of Shanghai. Here England has controlled the so-called international settlement for a century. In North China, where corrupt Shanghai is queen-city, there still are 10,000 British subjects, and nearly a billion dollars' worth of British invested capital. But out the British garrison went, and it was sent far south to Hongkong, a British commercial island just off Canton. Hongkong probably will be next. Already, the Japanese are penetrating French Indo-China, which doubtless won't be "French" very much longer.

That's Not All

There are 500,000,000 folks in the British empire. Of these, about 70,000,000 are whites, and the rest are multi-colored. Some 400,000,000 of them live in India. In the II German war, they have been practical-



MAHATMA GANDHI

From Missouri or Irish Free State?

ly neutral, although some Indian regulars in the British army have seen service. England is anxious to get India into the war, and so offered Mahatma Gandhi "full and equal" dominion status, like Canada or Australia, but not until after the war. The Indians were too foxy. They replied they would be a great help—if they were given complete

NAMES

... in the news

Governor Stassen, Norse-German-Czech governor of Minnesota, outlined plans for a local home guard, made up of war veterans, as suggested by Mr. Roosevelt.

Senators Minton of Indiana and Holt of West Virginia went into each other's personal characteristics and family histories, in the bitterest congressional debate seen in perhaps a century. Alcohol, slacker activity and billingsgate added to the senatorial spice, and fist-shaking gave a subtle punch to the proceedings. The issue was based on a single potent word: conscription.

Secretary Morgenthau had uniformed guards put around his office in Washington. Officials declined to explain the order, treasury or no treasury. Mystery!

independence, right now. Churchill had always been the No. 1 foe of Indian home-rule, and the Indian nationalists simply didn't trust him. In the last war, India had dished up millions of soldiers and workers, and many, many millions of good, hard dollars. What Churchill really wanted, was another crack at these untold, untapped resources. But Gandhi, as usual, was from Missouri—or, perhaps, from the Irish Free State.

In Africa

The Italians in Ethiopia staged an offensive against little British Somaliland, on the Red sea. Mussolini's local legions started out by doing very well, and won some bush-league initial successes. It looked as if the Somali capital of Berbera, was going to get it, and the Italians captured some tanks and sunk some airplanes, as they forged ahead. London did not worry much about Berbera. That hell-hole is no gold mine like Shanghai, Hongkong, Bombay or Calcutta, where imperial profits stack up.

MOSLEY'S:

Upper Crust

One of the funniest aspects of the war developed. It was this. Perhaps 400 of Sir Oswald Mosley's blackshirts—male and female—are



MRS. OSWALD MOSLEY

She has her sunbaths on the prison lawn.

interned in the Brixton and Holloway jails in London. Mosley is a wealthy blueblood, and so are most of his Fascist followers: people who are used to the best, in everything.

These Fascists have turned the two jails into pleasure resorts. One lady Fascist ordered 26 bottles of champagne in a single day. The wardens have turned into waiters. The government has had to advertise for more wardens, to do more watering. Lady Mosley, sister of Hitler's famous girl-friend, Unity, takes sunbaths in a bathing suit, on the prison lawn. Good Sir Oswald eats via an outside caterer, wears silk shirts, and sports a different, newly tailored ensemble each week.

DEFENSE?

Nat-Guard

The senate passed the measure of National Guard mobilization, by 71 to 7. The National Guardsmen, who didn't seem to know what they were in for, could be sent absolutely anywhere in the Western hemisphere, or to the far-flung Philippines, for that matter. Most of them were business men, and could ill be spared from key positions. Married men were exempted if they resigned within three weeks after they were called up. As a whole, the National Guard is supposed to have Willie tendencies, and not Rooseveltian ones. But Mr. Roosevelt hastened to assure the Guardsmen that it was most unlikely they would be sent far afield—something like a 100 to 1 shot. This tended to cool their disgruntlement. New York's crack high-society cavalry became an armored-car outfit and New York's ditto-infantry turned into coast artillery anti-aircraft. So did Harlem's ditto-infantry Negroes. The entire New England National Guard had two tanks (from Hartford, Conn.), and it was authentically asserted by war department bigwigs that we wouldn't have a real army till 1944.

NO SHIPS:

For Hitler

England did one thing that will calm many an American heart. She promised categorically to surrender none of her warships to Germany, in case the latter won the war. England indicated she would scuttle them instead. This was fine news all round. The English begged, too, for 50 to 100 Yankee destroyers. It seemed that British naval losses, in the destroyer class, had been very heavy indeed.

FARM TOPICS

BETTER STOCK IS CROSS BRED

Purebred Animals Are Not Best Producers.

By L. M. WINTERS  
(Professor of Animal Husbandry, University Farm, St. Paul.)

Most of our older ideas on animal breeding and improvement are due for considerable revision in the light of fundamental present-day knowledge.

The "purebred philosophy" which reached its peak about 1920 must now give way to new and more scientifically accurate methods of making live stock more efficient and profitable. The old idea that a purebred animal is better because it is purebred will not stand the acid test of breeding studies now in progress at research institutions. Equally incorrect is the belief that our present breeds of farm animals possess all of the good characters they need or that it is possible to give them.

In the past years we have relied on type and body conformation as measuring sticks for profitable farm animals. We know now that speed and thrift of gains, size of litters, pounds of wool and lamb per ewe as well as pounds of butterfat produced are far more accurate tests of real efficiency.

The excellent progress made so far in the improvement of live stock with purebred sires should by no means be ridiculed. However, this is only one step in the improvement process. The old ideas that purebred animals are always best and that appearance is a good indicator of performance must now yield to such developments as crossbred swine and completely new breeds developed from crosses of present breeds. Experiments at Minnesota clearly show that crossbred hogs are more efficient producers of pork than purebreds. Likewise the Maine Experiment station has proved that there is very little relation between the so-called type standards and production of dairy cattle. Beef cattle similar in type often differ greatly in their ability to make efficient gains.

Future live stock breeding work will be directed at increasing efficiency rather than improving appearance of farm animals. Proved sires, cow and sow testing, inbreeding, crossbreeding and artificial insemination are valuable tools that will be used widely in the future to develop more profitable live stock.

Fly-Trap for Live Stock

Aids Pestered Animals

Farm animals soon learn to make frequent use of a device for brushing off and trapping horn flies that are such a pest to live stock in summer. It is a cage-like structure that fly-pestered animals pass through, leaving their tormentors behind in traps to be destroyed.

The framework of the cage is a structure 7 feet wide, 6 feet high, and 10 feet long with a fly-tight roof. Canvas flaps hang from the ceiling and brush off flies on the backs and side of animals walking through. Other canvas flaps on frames attached to the floor brush the legs and bellies. Simple wire fly traps are arranged at the sides of the passage to catch the flies brushed off by the canvas flaps.

The device is usually set up at some strategic spot through which the animals must pass several times a day—in a lane to the pasture, in the entry to a dairy barn, or on the way to the water tank or pond. Live stock soon learn to make for the "brusher-offer" when flies torment them.

Roughage Fed Cow Affects Milk Color

Recent studies have shown that the type of roughage fed to dairy cows greatly affects the amount of yellow color in milk.

Green pasture grasses and legumes head the list of feeds which produce high color. Closely following pasture on the list is grass and legume silage of good quality. Good field cured hay, when new, and corn silage are only fair, while hay of poor quality and beet pulp produce milk which is very low in color.

The yellow color of milk is due to a pigment called carotene. When carotene is taken into the body, it is converted into vitamin A. An increase in the yellow color of the milk of a cow means, therefore, an increase in vitamin A potency.

Hoe and Honk

Geese are saving a lot of Arkansas cotton from ruin by gobbling weeds 16 hours a day. Farmers in a western Mississippi county today keep flocks of from 75 to 100 geese busy in cotton patches from sunup to sunset. Pesticiferous Johnson grass is especially relished by these birds, which eat steadily up and down the rows in both wet and dry weather. Some of the farmers sell their geese after the cotton season, while others keep them the year round.



WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON  
(Consolidated Features—WNU Service.)

MARSHALL E. DIMOCK, now slated, according to report, for appointment to the National Labor Relations board, got along famously

with both factions of labor until last winter when he, together with

Oscar Chapman, assistant secretary of the interior and Norman Littell, assistant attorney general, started to organize that convention of liberals to be held in Salt Lake City. The project perished as the consequence, so at least it is said, of a statement by John L. Lewis that the convocation had for one of its primary objects the formulation of plans to assist in the launching of a third-term boom. Since then suspicion has been entertained that the symbol, two crossed fingers, has not accurately suggested the relationship between the two men.

While still a professor at the University of Chicago, Dimock was appointed consultant to the national resources commission. Then Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins retained him to survey the procedure of the immigration and naturalization service and afterward named him as her second assistant secretary with full authority over that agency. It was a post that had been vacant for two years as a result of the appointment of Arthur J. Altmeyer as a member of the social security board.

Here Dimock served with efficiency until last July when he was transferred to the department of justice following removal of the immigration and naturalization service from the labor department. If he goes to the NLRB he will succeed J. Warren Madden, the chairman whose five-year term of office expires the latter part of this month. And, if he does receive the appointment, it is not certain he will be named chairman, although the possibility exists.

In various outgivings designed to acquaint both labor and business with his theory that there was no quick route to social stabilization Dimock has often spoken with tolerance and cogency, but with firmness as well. As for instance: "Business must accept a new order in a period of administrative growth and experimentation." He was speaking, among other things, of the Wagner act and the fair labor standards act. Growing pains he regards as an inevitable result of so much new legislation in recent years. "They will diminish," he has said, "as administrators gain more experience."

NEW YORK.—Current interest in Dr. Gerhardt Alois Westrick, noted German supreme court lawyer, relates to the secrecy cover-

Secrecy Covers Movements of German Lawyer

ing his movements rather than his presence in the United States, which, indeed, was generally known in business and government circles. His arrival in this country from Germany via Russia to California, thence to New York, last February was duly noted, as was that of his wife and two sons, aged eight and six, a fortnight ago.

His visit, he said at the time, involved a special mission dealing with post-war economic adjustments. The fact that, as a lawyer, he has represented the interests of many American firms in Germany supplied plausibility to the reason advanced for his presence here. But an element of mystery developed as a result of his whereabouts after arriving in New York. He lived in various hotels, and finally established headquarters at the Waldorf-Astoria. Here with a secretary, the handsome Baroness Irmgard von Wagenheim, taking messages and receiving telephone calls, the doctor himself was rarely in evidence. Inquiries as to where he might be found elicited vague response.

Eventually he was discovered as tenant of an attractive residence in Westchester where at this writing he has not been available to callers.

A man of fine physique, 51 years old, gray hair and penetrating green eyes, he is a law partner in Berlin of Dr. Heinrich Albert who was active in this country as a German propagandist before the United States entered the World war in 1917. Accredited in the state department's diplomatic list as a commercial counselor to the German embassy, it is asserted that at least part, if not all, of his mission here relates to the interests of Joachim von Ribbentrop, foreign minister of the Reich, with whom he has been closely associated for many years.

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# Bovina Happenings

in the mountains. Hubert Ellison and family, and J. C. Denny and family returned home Thursday after a short vacation.

W. E. Williams and family returned Friday after a short vacation in the mountains.

Miss Vila Mae Venable and Miss Dora Blalock were Hereford visitors, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Free, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stone and family, of Weed, Calif., are visiting relatives here at this time.

Miss Margaret Barron of Amarillo, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Barron, at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Loyd and family visited relatives in Friona, Sunday.

Miss Mary Wanda McKenney of Singer, Tex., is visiting her father, Slim McKenney, this week.

Miss Bonnie Jean Belew is visiting friends in Amarillo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Vestal and son, Pete, visited Mrs. Ebie Raburn in Farwell, Saturday.

Wyth Isles has returned to his home in Clovis after spending the past few days with friends here.

Mrs. Bob Johnson's mother, of Lubbock, is visiting here at this time.

Slim McKenney and James Watkins were business visitors in Muleshoe, Monday.

Hubert Davison and family are spending the week in Dallas attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith and son, Wayne, left Sunday for a week's vacation to the mountains in New Mexico and Arizona.

Mrs. Mae E. Abott returned home Sunday after taking care of business in Littlefield the past week.

Word was received here Sunday afternoon that Harry J. Charles was married.

Mrs. T. J. Warren, of Amarillo, visited her daughter, Mrs. Newman Carr, Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Englant and son, Bobbie, returned home Sunday evening after spending the past ten days in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Glover and son, Jimmie, returned home Sunday from East Texas after attending a reunion there.

Misses Vila Mae Venable, Marie Langer and Teetum Wilkerson were visitors in Hereford, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Millhaland of Stephenville, Texas, are visiting in the Kimbrow home at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hober of Colorado, are visiting in the Giles Williams home this week.

Billie Johnston, of Clovis, is visiting in the Bob Johnston home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ayres visited Sunday in Amarillo with Charley Rury, who is receiving care in the Veterans Hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ward visited Mrs. Barnett, who is receiving medical care in Amarillo, Sunday.

Mrs. Odis White left Sunday to join her husband at Panhandle, where he is employed.

Jack Waltman took his mother, Mrs. Mary Waltman, to her home at

Spur, Thursday.

Miss Wanda Womack is now employed in Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Boddy of Texico, visited in the Milford Ingram home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Douglas of Oklahoma, have moved back for the thrashing season here.

Bill King was a business visitor in Lubbock, Monday evening.

Garland Geren, of Dimmitt, visited in the Will Green home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Warren and young son, Tommie, of Amarillo visited in the Jack Carr home Sunday.

Troy Free, of Amarillo, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams and family visited in Amarillo Sunday with Mrs. C. J. Jackson, who is recovering from an operation.

Donald Belew is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. R. A. Hamlin was a business visitor in Farwell, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. U. B. Wheeler visited friends in Friona, Sunday.

Joe McKenney is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary McKenney, at Singer, Texas, this week.

Miss Ruth Loyd and Miss Edith Loyd, of Friona, visited in the Travis Loyd home the past week.

The Methodist meeting is reported as having good attendance, and all are invited to come.

**Curry County POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

I am a candidate for the nomination for county commissioner of Curry County, N. M., of district No. 2, subject to the Democratic primary on Sept. 14, 1940. Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

O. T. McDANIEL.

My record as your commissioner 1933-36 is of record. Investigate and vote for the candidate you feel will best serve you. If I am the choice of the majority in the Curry County Democratic primary on Sept. 14, I pledge my best service to look after the interest of the taxpayers. B. E. ACKER, candidate for county commissioner, district No. 2.

A vote for MAE HOOD, candidate for the nomination of county clerk of Curry County, on Sept. 14, is a vote for experience, efficiency, courtesy and economy. She is a widow and her election will be the means of a livelihood; she has no other means and has never before asked for public office; she was reared on a farm and is a pioneer of Curry County.

I use this means of announcing to the voters of Curry County that I am a candidate for the office of district attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on Sept. 14. If you want a district attorney that is capable, fair and aggressive, I solicit your earnest consideration. HOWARD F. HOUK.

In offering my services for the office of county school superintendent, I feel that I am well qualified for the position, having devoted most of my time to the teaching profession in Curry County for the past several years. I will appreciate any consideration the voters may give my candidacy at the Democratic primary on Sept. 14. B. A. ROGERS.

In presenting myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of county clerk of Curry County, I feel no hesitancy in saying that I am duly qualified for the position. I will consider your support and influence a personal favor. CARL OSBORNE.

Responding to the solicitations of many of my friends, I have consented to let my name go on the ballot for the Democratic nomination for the office of state senator of Curry County. For more than 30 years I have been actively engaged in the practice of law in New Mexico, and feel that I am well qualified for the office. I will appreciate your vote and influence in the primary on Sept. 14. WALTER W. MAYES.

In 1939, the United States imported merchandise from Latin America, valued at approximately 500 million dollars. Agricultural items made up as much as 80 percent of these imports.

Empress Catherine II, known as the Great, was not a Russian at all but a German.

**Enjoy Picnic at Ceda Glen**

A number of Bovina people enjoyed an outing at Ceda Glen, Sunday. Among those making the trip were: Mr. and Mrs. Matt Jesko and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jesko and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hermes and family, Anthony Hermes; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reisinger and children, Miss Ann Reisinger; Mrs. Mary Voges and son, Ralph, of Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jesko and family, and Rev. Aloysius Craven, of Hereford.

After the noon hour the day was spent swimming, hiking, and taking pictures.

It is estimated that in fifty years, 000,000 years to cut Zion canyon, Utah, to its present depth.

**Rainbow Girls Are Guests**

Members of the Bovina chapter of the Order of Eastern Star and Masonic Lodge were host and hostesses to the Faith Chapter of Rainbow Girls of Clovis, Monday night.

Guests were greeted by members of the Bovina chapter as they entered. A hand-painted guest register in the colors of the rainbow organization was signed by each guest, with Mrs. Marjory Warren Carr presiding.

W. O. Cherry, worthy patron of the Bovina chapter, presented the gavel to Mrs. Dorothy Sutter, mother advisor of the Rainbow Girls. The Girls presented an exceedingly impressive imitation ceremony.

Those taking part were: Louise Love, Juanita Minker, Alma Lee Ross, Virginia Pierce, Nita and Mae Walker, Marjorie Oswald, Patsy Prothro, Betty Goyle, Abernathy, Adra Gafford, Dorothy Vaughn, Evelyn Cotton, Margaret Marshall, Marjie Jo Campbell, Jean Leslie Frances Brown, Genevieve S. Griffith, Maurine McCrory, Louise Lee, Hyrvanah McFarland, Joan Wallace, Carmen Cole, Jean Schaefer, Mrs. Dorothy Sutter.

Appropriate music was played by Mrs. Edith Cherry and Mrs. Carr as the guests entered the dining room, where they were served at a lace-covered buffet table presided over by Mrs. Willie Mae Ross and Mrs. Joe Looney. Sandwiches, cake, mints, salad and punch in the rainbow colors were served.

Mrs. Flora Nittler acted as chairman of the refreshment committee.

Guests registered were: Milton Brown, Morgan T. Jones, Elsie Fern, Ida Mae Elliott, Agnes Brown, C. H. Elliott, all of Clovis; Ina Richardson of Dimmitt; Bessie Boggess, and Ed Boggess, of Hereford; J. E. Biggs of Hedley, Texas;

W. O. Cherry, Reagan Looney, Edith Cherry, Lorena Brock, Willie Mae Ross, Lucy Looney, Orpha Parker, Sallie Potts, J. C. Denny, C. A. Norton, Lillie Norton, Bessie Denney, Thelma Perkins, Ela Hillhouse, Opal Ray Buchanan, Newman Carr, Clyde Perkins, Ieola Kepley, Erie Carr, Katie Ellison, Hazel Anglin, Flora Nittler, Thelma Jersig, Mae Porter, H. T. Reynolds and B. B. Bates.

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I take this means of telling you that my election as your next County and District Clerk means more to me than you could believe. I would consider it a singular honor to be County and District Clerk of Parmer county. Should you see fit to elect me to this office, I shall try to reward your confidence by making you the best possible official that my ability will permit.

I am running solely on my own merits and shall very greatly appreciate your considering my candidacy.

# D. K. ROBERTS

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Wells' Staunchest Supporters



Feeding the hundreds of white Leghorn chickens is one of the evening chores of Mrs. Deskins Wells, wife of the leading candidate for Congress, and their 8-year-old daughter, Diane, when they are at the ranch home of Mrs. Wells' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Temple Atkins, pioneers of Wheeler county. Like thousands of other mothers and their little daughters over the Panhandle, they take time out to pet the friendly white chickens. Both Mrs. Wells and Diane go with Deck Wells on many of his campaign trips over the Panhandle.

PLEASANT HILL

Miss Mary Curtis was married last week to Roy Ballow.  
 Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Moorman and children left last week for Hot Springs, N. M.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hartzog have returned from Port Arthur, Texas.  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Whitner and family spent Sunday in the High-tower home.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jefferson and family visited in the W. P. Kays home, Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Hille Delozier and Mrs. Harvey Rankin and children called in the Jack Parker home, Sunday evening.  
 This community was favored with a nice rain, Friday evening.  
 Mrs. C. E. Barnes and son, Sammie, and rs. Belle Smith visited at Jack Parker's home, Monday evening.  
 Clyde Lynn Barnes is running a tractor north of Claude.  
 Mrs. Ethel Barnes is in Clovis at her mother's, recuperating from a sick\* spell.  
 Petroleum once sold for \$40 a barrel. The national average now is around \$1.

Final Campaign Week Finds Wells Gaining

Plunging into the final week of his congressional campaign, Deskins Wells of Collingsworth county continues to pile up a strength unprecedented in the political history of the Panhandle, bearing out the earnest belief of Deck Wells and his friends that the people of the Panhandle—the independent voters—want a man of accomplishment, with an agricultural background as their representative in Congress.

Wells led his opponent 6,000 votes in the primary, carrying 22 out of 28 counties. He was especially strong in the agricultural sections.

"This thing stands out everywhere I go, on the high plains or under the saprock. The people want a man to work for them who understands their needs. They want a man young enough to give his youth in service for the Panhandle, but old enough to show mature judgment and clear thinking," Deck Wells said.

Wells, son of an old pioneer family, was born and raised on a farm near Wellington.

Deskins Wells, his wife, and hundreds of his friends, from his home county and from every county of the district, have during the last four weeks conducted a whirlwind campaign which has reached every community of the Panhandle. Abandoning political strategy, this campaign has become one great crusade of friends. Some of them have known Deck Wells all his life. Some of them are as new as his present campaign. But everyone of them, knowing that Deck Wells is a man to tie onto, is

working from dawn to midnight for him.

"The people of the Panhandle know my platform," Wells continued. "They know I am for the farm program, for old age pensions, for national defense, for oil conservation, for the recognition of the rights of labor and for the strict enforcement of immigration laws. But more than that, they know that Deck Wells will be a representative of every person in the 18th Congressional District, serving no clique or special groups," he said.

Deskins Wells proved his sincere interest in serving the real welfare of the people when he demonstrated that he would make a personal sacrifice in making his word good. Early in the race it appeared that Marvin Jones might be willing to serve the people of the Panhandle for another term, and Deskins Wells was one of the three candidates who said they would withdraw from the race if Marvin Jones ran. Now, by the will of the people, Deskins Wells is the only man remaining in the race who was willing to make this personal sacrifice for the good of the district.

Deskins Wells is able to serve the Panhandle. He has had 15 years practical, down-to-earth business experience with people in every walk of life. In recognition of this, his home town twice chose him its mayor. During these two terms, Deskins Wells reduced the bonded indebtedness of Wellington from \$220,000 to \$163,000.

Success in his chosen profession as an editor was recognized when he was chosen president of the Panhandle Press Association, and later of the Texas Press Association.

Governor W. Lee O'Daniel last year appointed him as one of the five men to serve on the Texas Coronado Quarto Centennial Commission. He is still serving on this commission.

Since his entry into the Congressional race, Deskins Wells has received the unqualified endorsement of practically every group in Collingsworth County. First group to endorse him was the Collingsworth County Agricultural Association, which he helped to form, and of which he serves as secretary-treasurer. Three chapters of Future Farmers of America are actively supporting Wells.

The Ministerial Association of Wellington put their approval on Deck Wells.

F. O. Masten, president of the Master Farmers of the United States and Canada, and president of the Master Farmers of Texas, and Guy Beasley Master Farmer of Texas, have said: "Deck Wells is the man for the farmers to send to Congress. He's practical, and he can get things done."

OKLAHOMA LANE

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. John Keiffer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hubbell have reached Oregon on their vacation and are having a swell time.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sides are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ray Sykes, and Mrs. S. H. Sides is trying his luck at fishing, also.

Mr. and Mrs. David W. Sides and children have returned to Shreveport, La., after attending the funeral of Floyd Bates, Mrs. Sides' brother. Mrs. Tom Foster and young daughter, Rebecca Ann, have returned home from a Clovis hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Johnson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Jennings, attended church at Dora, N. M., last Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Verner visited in the Ellis R. Barry home, Sunday.

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BECAUSE—Max Boyer received a letter from the Governor commending and thanking him for his cooperation and help in assisting the old people and others included in the Social Security program, which letter was written on May 30, 1939.

BECAUSE—Max Boyer, when he saw that no program would be passed by the Legislature, after the Senate had killed all measures passed by the House, and he had voted for SJR 12, he then voted to adjourn the legislature which was costing the taxpayers of this state over \$5,000 per day.

BECAUSE—Max Boyer has always fought for the rights of the average citizens.

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(This ad paid for by Parmer County friends of Max Boyer.)

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To be your servant as County and District Clerk of Parmer County would be the fulfillment of my greatest desire. I have made an honest effort to qualify myself for the position I am now seeking and I feel no hesitancy in stating that I am qualified.

I have spent practically all of my life among the people of Parmer County, and this is the first time I have ever sought public office.

The people of Parmer County do not owe me anything, but if they see fit to elect me their servant next Saturday I will be under an obligation to them to devote the best of my energies to making them a capable, agreeable and efficient official.

If you can see fit to support my candidacy, I shall be grateful to you for your consideration.

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John Honts

—got a plurality of the votes in his home county and the four counties north of the Canadian River, where he and his opponent are both well known.

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—solicits your vote and influence in his race for District Attorney.

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**GENERAL HUGH S. JOHNSON**  
*Says:*

**THE UNPREDICTABLE**

NEW YORK.—General Pershing said that no matter what else we do to mix up in the European war, we shall never send an expeditionary force to Europe. On all the military probabilities he is right, as he usually is on such questions. But the unerring certainty of strategic planning is its unerring uncertainty—its utter unpredictability.

Who would have dreamed in 1913, for example, that before November, 1918, we would have more than 2,000,000 American soldiers in France—a larger combat force than Great Britain ever had there? I'll tell you some who didn't dream it—the President of the United States and the general staffs of Germany, France, England, Austria, Italy, Belgium and the U. S. A.

When the first selective draft started I wrote a memorandum, in July, 1917, suggesting that it be for 1,000,000 men—not to take them before they were ready, but to classify and warn those who would have to go. It came back ink-spattered by an angry pen-point that had punctured the paper and spurred indignation. It was initialed "W. W." and said, in effect, that the American people would never stand for a draft of a million men, that our contribution was to be largely in money and supplies, that it was absurd to think of an offensive in any such terms—just as General Pershing says today.

That was perfectly understandable. The Allies were then saying that all they advised was a "token" American force of a few divisions to "show the flag" and boost French and British morale, and that they needed our factories, our supplies, our money and the available shipping to keep business as usual much more than they would ever need our untrained levies. The enemy general staffs agreed. They did not count on Americans in mass until we actually began to send them, after the British debacle of March, 1918.

We in the selective draft organization never agreed. As the system started, it was not geared to get 100,000 men a month. In December, 1917, I revised the entire machine to examine and classify the whole 10,000,000 pool of man-power. A result was that when the pressure came in 1918 and the Allies began to scream for "men in their undershirts," it was enabled to step up the monthly taking from some 30,000 or 40,000 to 400,000 men a month—without a ripple. I shall always believe that this change did much to win the war.

Anyway, it burned in on my mind the fact that no man is smart enough to foresee the course of war once the fateful decision is made to engage in it. We do a lot of talking about "defensive" war and "defending" the Western hemisphere. No country at war can completely decide its own policy any more than Joe Louis could decide what he had to do against Max Schmeling in their first fight. The enemy has something to say about that. If we get into this shindy we may have to send men in the army to Europe, Africa or eastern Asia. We almost certainly will have to send men in the navy and marines to all those places. As has frequently been remarked in this space, in a knock-out fight you can't afford to "hit soft," and you can't enter any fight with one hand tied behind your back or one foot hobbled to a post.

Germany is fighting this war as England always fought her wars—to win. If we get into it, that is the way we must fight—with everything we have and anywhere on the surface of the globe where a powerful blow may bring victory. Let's make no mistake about that or be fooled into any action on the error that any war is a picnic or that either combatant can call his shots without regard to what the enemy may do.

**PATRIOTIC UNDERSTANDING**

I can't see much the matter with the President's avoidance of a direct endorsement of the Burke-Wadsworth conscription bill in its present form. He has at least twice indicated his belief in the principles of selective service.

The cost of registration is utterly negligible. You simply use the existing local machinery for registration for elections. The service is voluntary and uncompensated. The only expense is for forms, stationery, postal and telegraph bills. That will have to be borne whatever the age limits, and the additional cost for registering men up to 64 would hardly equal that of governmental mimeographed political handouts for one day.

How can you "register only those you need"? Registration isn't selection for service. You can't tell what you need—or rather what you ought to take—until you see what you've got.

The Burke-Wadsworth bill is confusing and out of that confusion is growing a distinct, heart-sickening political approach to this subject.

This column is not in the least in favor of any "coalition" departure from the two-party system.

But this selective service business is absolutely necessary for defense—which our people do want.

**Spotlight**  
*By* GRANTLAND RICE

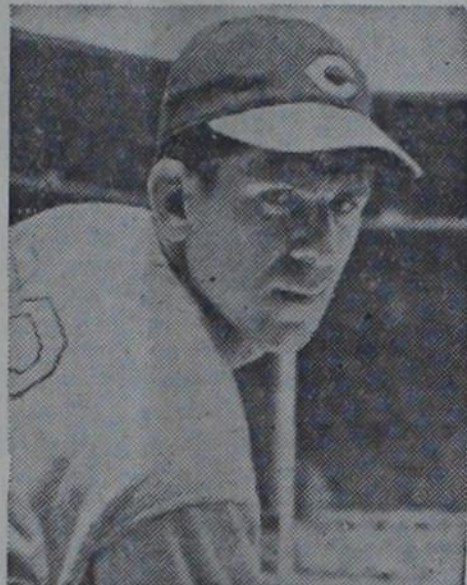
THE phrase "Kentucky rifleman" is authentic, for I have eaten the venison that followed in the wake of Paul Derringer's unerring aim on the trail of a deer.

In the last few years any number of batters have had a harder time in the wake of his fast ball, curve and control.

Paul Derringer has played a leading role in the Red drive for the last two years, despite the fact that seven years ago he was rated all through and on his way over the hill. That was the year that pitching for both Cardinals and Reds he won 7 games and lost 27, far below the meager average of .206, far below tail-end form.

Six years after this dashing debacle Paul won 25 and lost 7, one of the most startling reversals I know in all sport.

Paul Derringer was born in Springfield, Ky., 34 years ago this



PAUL DERRINGER

coming October. He is around 6 feet 4, weighing 210 pounds.

He began unveiling his right arm in Danville in 1927, 13 years ago. In 1933 St. Louis traded Paul to Cincinnati for Leo Durocher and others now unknown. Both teams got star men.

Mandarin Durocher, now guarding the destinies of the Dodgers, would just as soon that Derringer had been traded to another club, preferably Brooklyn.

**The Serious Athlete**

Paul is what you would call a serious athlete. There is no great amount of levity in his nature. Those who don't know him might call him surly or sulky, but he isn't. Quiet people are often thrown into this class, when they should be awarded chaplets of laurel or wild apple blossoms.

Outside of baseball he likes to hunt and he doesn't mind being alone.

Today Paul Derringer comes close to being the best all-around pitcher in baseball. He is certainly the smartest.

Six years after he turned in his .206 average with the Reds he gave the same city a winning average of .781. This upward leap of 575 points is close to the high-jump record of all time. But it still belongs to Paul Derringer.

He was on his way over the high hill seven years ago. He had made three World series starts and had lost them all. He had taken more than his share of hammering. But a year ago in his older age he won 25 games and he'll win 25 or more this season.

His main specialty seems to be one and two-hitters. He has been closer to more no-hit games than any pitcher in the trade.

Unless some peculiar series of episodes takes place, the same Derringer will be heard from in loud tones in the next World series.

**Another Entry**

You can add the name of Freddy Fitzsimmons to this all-star list.

Freddy was 39 years old on Sunday. The Dodger star began pitching for Muskegon in the Central league just 20 years ago. He stuck with the Giants for 13 years until Bill Terry decided there was no longer any winning stuff left in Freddy's right arm.

So Terry traded him to Brooklyn. This season, after 20 years of pitching, Fitzsimmons has already won 10 games for Brooklyn against a lone defeat. He has the highest pitching percentage in baseball.

Having pitched away 202 major league victories, Fitz is just warming up. He has an all-time life average around .000, which is nothing to leer at after you have been around since 1920.

Fitz is one of the fine characters of baseball. He is one of the main credits to the game that has carried him along into middle age—middle age as far as active competition is concerned.

And with 10 out of 11 for 1940 he is now headed for his greatest year.

**Those Who Come Back**

The most somber line ever written in sport was this: "They don't come back."

Nothing was ever farther from the truth. No other line has ever had a more depressing effect on some stars.

The true fact is they keep on coming back. We have just related the two cases of Derringer and Fitzsimmons. Then there is Schoolboy Rowe.

**Kathleen Norris Says:**

*Why Enemies at All, Ever?*

(Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.)



Anything like conferences, concessions, understandings, plans, maps never enters the heads of European leaders. Arms are still the only arguments, on the other side of the water.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

**YEARS** ago when a small brother of mine received as a birthday present what seemed to him a dazzlingly complete set of tools, he went out to speak to the fine old Portuguese who puttered about as a general carpenter and gardener and handy man on my father's farm.

"I've been thinking about our tools, Joe," said eight-year-old Fred, "and I think the best rule for us now is no more borrowing and no more lending!"

As often happens, the phrase of a child fits a much larger situation than a child's mind can grasp. The idea of stopping all lending and borrowing, as soon as one has reached the point where one need no longer borrow, is applicable to the state of affairs in Europe today.

This principle was very evident in Europe. England and France had all the wealth they needed, and desired to maintain the status quo; Italy and Germany were poor and wanted to change existing conditions.

The legitimate way for any nation to enlarge its wealth and extend its borders has always been by violence and seizure. For 2,000 years the battle has been to the strong; churches, philosophers, educators, politicians and the great mass of peoples have all agreed that if any nation COULD take a thing by force, that nation was legally entitled to it—until a more forceful nation came along. Victories have been shaky things, trembling along for a few years until the vanquished could gather strength enough to turn them into defeats. Age-old resentments have smoldered between countries ever since history began; the conquered country only awaiting its hour to rise and struggle again.

**To the Strong.**

One country pushes great business ventures into another. The invaded country protests; its currency stands at a ruinous value, the richer country, pouring its merchants in, carrying off treasure in its ships, is draining it of its wealth, year after year. So an uprising takes place, and an "episode" occurs, and then the richer, distant country has an excuse for sending men and guns, and smashing down an unarmed people's pride and power, and holding military and mandatory rights in that country henceforth. Perhaps the ruler who gives those powers has no right to do so; perhaps there is open treachery on both sides.

That doesn't matter. The better armed country has won. It can now bleed the other country white, garrison it, take every advantage of its poverty, its demolished currency, its ignorance and helplessness.

**A Vicious Cycle.**

It would be a silly waste of time to enumerate the repetition of this endless process. It has for 19 hundred years been considered the right process. Armies of invasion have been formally blessed; prayers have been fervently offered that they may be successful in murdering on a larger scale than their enemies. Territories seized, in our lifetime, by successful troops, have been serenely occupied and claimed by the triumphant countries.

This was the old way. Let's not be too hasty, therefore, in condemning those nations that still cling to it as the right way. For the surprising and wonderful thing is not that men still have faith in war, but that ANY nation begins to feel—and some nations are beginning so to feel—that there is something wrong with it. War is the natural thing.

**WHY WAR?**

Kathleen Norris makes a bold and revealing study of this important question. In her opinion, war is natural—in Europe. Miss Norris points out that for centuries the only "legitimate" way for a nation to increase in wealth or size has been seizure. She finds that nations cry "Peace!" only when they have their arms full of booty which some other nation might try to steal back.

Children are born fighters; might rules in the nursery until some better thing has been put into small hearts and minds. And war has ruled the world for a long, long time.

**Go 'Moral' to Protect Booty.**

But now, partly because of the modern educators of newspapers, news reels, telegraph, radio, suddenly great countries begin to be a little ashamed of their long histories of violence and conquest. They begin to hold up shocked hands at those bad countries that try to steal what they need, instead of just politely asking for it. They are horrified that anyone is still so old-fashioned and stupid as to think that guns are arguments. Having for hundreds of years forced the most brutal possible terms upon their enemies, they are pained and surprised that any country is still talking of reprisals and impositions.

"Why must you go on fussing about what we stole from you?" they ask plaintively. "We are rich and comfortable and satisfied, and it's becoming extremely old-fashioned to go on fighting this way. If you haven't enough oil wells or wheat fields or seaports—forget it! We're using all we need, and we mean to hold several we don't need, and that's all there is to it!"

Anything like conferences, concessions, understandings, plans, maps—anything like sympathy with your neighbors, friendly talks, payments, apparently never enters the heads of European leaders. When they become frightened over the weakness of their positions then they begin feverishly to arm. Arms are still the only arguments, on the other side of the water.

**Cry 'Peace' With Pockets Full.**

Oh, of course they SAY "peace!" But they say it as robbers might, leaving your house with his arms full of your possessions. They say it as a rich sleepy old lady might to a noisy outburst from beggar children. "Do go away and stop bothering me. If you haven't any bread, try eclairs!" They never say it in honest generosity; they never say, "We'll forgive, we'll forget, we give back this and help you buy that." Never.

But one great nation has done something in her short history to start a new fashion. America has always been shy about taking war spoils. After the great war she innocently protested against the complete partition and theft that was going on so gaily among the allies. It wasn't her way to rob a fallen enemy, even under the dignified disguise of a "treaty." She would have none of it.

**The American Way.**

Earlier, she made the Louisiana purchase and paid for it, and France has never questioned her claims to it, nor hated her for having it. America, to a chorus of derisive laughter from Europe, paid for the Philippines. When she wanted Alaska, she bought it; Europe couldn't get over the joke! A great nation, with an army, buying a place that was undefended, almost unoccupied, and that could have been taken at the cost of only a few American and Russian lives!

But America made a friend and not an enemy of Russia, and that isn't so bad an investment.

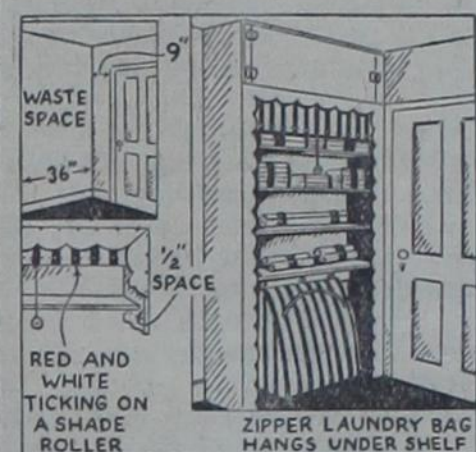
**HOW TO SEW**

by Ruth Wyeth Spears

EVERY Homemaker knows how many steps could be saved if table linens could have a special closet in the kitchen or pantry. In one home that we know of space for such a closet was going to waste all because cupboard doors or drawers would conflict with the door shown here in the small sketch. At the right you see how that space became an efficient linen closet after all—complete even

laundry bag is made too. Watch for it, next week.

NOTE: As a service to our readers Mrs. Spears has prepared a series of homemaking booklets. No. 5, just published, contains 32 pages of clever ideas fully illustrated and a description of the other numbers. To get your copy send order to:



to a smart laundry bag for soiled napkins and table covers. The high compartment has a door of plywood. Below this are shelves with a curtain on a shade roller. The curtain runs up and down between the shelves and the scalloped board that frames the closet, as shown at the left. This board is 1/2 inch thick and four inches wide. The scallops were marked by drawing around a teacup and were cut out with a jig saw. I want to tell you how the

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**HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS**



Grass stains can easily be removed from linens, cottons or white stockings by rubbing the stains with molasses before washing.

Make cuts in marshmallows, insert bits of butter and jelly. Arrange on crackers and broil or bake until the marshmallows are puffy and brown.

When laundering curtains of voile, scrim or any material which has to be ironed, if they are folded so the selvage ends are together and ironed, they will hang perfectly even and straight.

Mustard and baking powder settle in cans and should be stirred lightly before using.

Clean paint brushes used for enameling with turpentine. When used to shellac, clean with denatured alcohol.

All vegetables should be put on to cook in boiling water. This holds the major portion of the mineral matter and starch within.

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**OUR PLEDGE**

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**Graham Crackers**

Reports from all over the district indicate that the race between Deskins Wells and Eugene Worley, for the Congressional seat vacated by Marvin Jones, is drawing an unusual amount of interest.

Both these young men are clean, upright and honorable. So far as this writer has been informed, there has not been a single reflection cast upon the character and integrity of either of these fine young men, which leads us to add that the 18th Congressional district will have a worthy representative in Congress, regardless of which of these young fellows the voters might pick in Saturday's election.

Deck Wells was born and reared in Collingsworth county. The people there have known him all his life. They have had the opportunity to study him from every angle for the past 38 years. Taking into consideration this fact, the voters of his home county went to the polls in the first primary and put their endorsement upon him EIGHTY-ONE PER CENT STRONG over the whole field of eleven other candidates.

That's a pretty good endorsement for anybody to receive from people who have known a man his entire lifetime.

Up in Wheeler county, the home of Eugene Worley, the voters apparently were not so certain about their Congressional candidate. And the unofficial report of the first primary shows that Mr. Worley failed to carry his home county. True, the vote was close, with Worley trailing the

highest man in the race by 52 votes. While at the same time, over in Collingsworth county, Deck Wells led his nearest opponent by 2132.

Surely such popularity on the part of Wells by his home people must be deserving. The voters of Parmer county evidently were not far wrong when they gave him a margin of almost 7 to one over his present opponent in the first primary. His plurality in the second primary, Saturday, should be even greater.

As a guest writer in Old Tack's column in the Amarillo News of Tuesday, Curtis Douglass, defeated candidate for state senator, has given some good thoughts that every defeated candidate should read.

J. A. Berry says the reason he likes to loaf in the county treasurer's office is that there are plenty of good chairs, and a good spittoon handy.

After next Saturday the boys on this side of the state line will have a chance to dismiss politics from their minds, but the boys over in New Mexico are just now beginning to get warmed up for what promises to be some lovely campaigns. With a governor, congressman, and United States senator to be selected this year, New Mexico faces one of her hottest campaign years in recent times.

Some people's idea of freedom of the press is that you should give them all the publicity they ask without charge.

**BEST CROP IN YEARS, OPINION OF TEMPLE**

"We have the best crop prospects we have had in years," stated J. C. Temple, agricultural director of the Capitol Freehold Land Trust, early this week following a county-wide survey over Parmer.

He admitted that in a few limited sections the crops would be short, due to scarcity of rainfall, but taking the county as a whole, he argued, the crop conditions are above average for this time of the year.

Early crops of sudan and Indian corn, Mr. Temple said, are below normal with many fields already ruined by dry weather. He pointed out, however, that most of the crops of the county are late and had suffered very little when the rains began to come several days ago.

"Give us one more good, general rain," he added, "and we'll raise the biggest feed and cotton crop we have had in a number of years."

**Firemen Win Game Over Sunshiners**

With Hyatt doing a good job of pitching and the effective stick work of Champ Porter and Clyde Massongill, the Texico Firemen took the Clovis Sunshiners into camp on the local grounds last Sunday by a score of 16 to 10.

It was the local's seventh win in the last nine games.

Hyatt had the Clovis boys well in hand throughout most of the game but costly errors accounted for the heavy score. Champ Porter, playing his first game at second for the locals, led the hitting spree with five safeties out of six times at bat, including a three-bagger and two doubles. Clyde Massongill connected with the only home run of the game, scoring two men ahead of him.

Next Sunday, August 25, the Firemen will play Melrose, at that city.

**Wells Confident Of Victory in Run-Off**

Deskins Wells, 38-year-old congressional candidate of Wellington, was in Farwell last Wednesday evening on one of his swings over the district in his "dawn to midnight" campaign.

Wells, who emerged high man in a 12-man race in the first primary by about 6,000 votes, expressed his confidence in Saturday's voting by stating that he had reasons to believe he would lead his present opponent by heavy odds. Wells carried Parmer county by approximately 7 to 1 over his present opposition in the first primary.

"Most of my energies are being centered on the rural vote," Wells said while here. "It was the rural vote that gave me the big lead in the first primary, and it will be the same vote that will give me the nomination next Saturday."

"The Collingsworth Agricultural Association has endorsed my candidacy, the farmers and ranchmen of my county are for me, and with the endorsement of the people who have known me all my life, I feel confident of victory at the polls."

Wells carried his home county by a vote of eighty-one percent over a field of eleven opponents in the July primary.

**GOES TO WASHINGTON**

Lee Bradshaw, civil engineer who has been connected with the Works Progress Administration on a number of projects over the Panhandle the past several years, left here Tuesday for Washington, D. C., on official business, taking a plane at Amarillo. Mrs. Bradshaw remained here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kyker.

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- For Congress, 18th District: **DESKINS WELLS**
- For State Senator: **MAX BOYER**
- For County and District Clerk: **D. K. ROBERTS CHARLES LOVELACE**
- For District Attorney: **JOHN B. HONTS (Of Dalhart) MILTON TATUM (Of Dalhart)**
- For Representative, 120th District: **L. G. MATHEWS (Of Floydada)**

**Worley Brings His Campaign to Parmer**

Eugene Worley, of Shamrock, brought his Congressional campaign to Parmer county, Monday, when he made three speeches in the interest of his candidacy. He spoke at Farwell and Bovina in the afternoon, and wound up his Parmer county engagements at Friona in the evening.

He was introduced on all three occasions by J. D. Thomas of this city. Worley cited his record in the Texas legislature and said, "My experience there is the same sort of experience that started many of our trusted leaders on their way up the ladder in public service."

The candidate discussed farm and other legislation passed while he was a member of the House. "While in the legislature I worked successfully for the Panhandle for an expansion of rural aid, for the statewide soil conservation measure, and I co-operated to the fullest extent in bringing relief and guidance to the thousands of migratory farm workers in Texas. "While in the legislature I voted

for the submission of the social security problem to the people. That is what the governor and the people wanted. It was the democratic and human thing to do."

Worley outlined briefly his public career and said, "In this race no one has attacked my public record. Despite this fact I have been under a handicap. In the first place, my friends told me that I could not make the congressional race without a lot of money and political backing. I am glad to say I have done that. I'm still doing it. It probably would have been nice to have the money for a highly advertised campaign and talk to the voters from an air-conditioned broadcasting booth. I haven't had that experience.

"It is my desire to represent all the people and not a few cliques."

**Max Boyer Defends Record in Address**

Max Boyer, of Perryton, defended his record as a member of the state legislature in an address here last Saturday afternoon, by declaring that he voted with the governor on tax measures submitted for the raising of the old age pensions.

Boyer served four years as a member of the House, and invited the people of this county to inspect his record, now available at every courthouse in Texas, to see for themselves how he had voted in their behalf.

He was introduced here by Chas. Crume, local precinct committeeman.

With the discovery of two new moons recently, the planet Jupiter now has a family of 11 known satellites.

**METHODIST CHURCH**

Our Church School begins at 10:00 o'clock.

Morning worship, 11:00. Subject: "Handling Life's Second Best." The Leagues will meet promptly at 7:30.

There will be no evening service, due to the revival meetings that are in progress here.

This week the Pastor, with a large group of our young people, is attending the Youth Crusade Caravan, for the Eastern side of our district, being held at the First Methodist Church, Clovis. This will come to a close Friday night. Those that are not attending these programs are missing a real treat.

E. J. Sloan, Pastor.

**NEW OFFICE WORKER**

Miss Lovilla Clay, who has been employed in the Hereford Farm Security office, is now a member of the Parmer county FSA force, having arrived here the past week to succeed J. Flody Bates, who was accidentally killed on Wednesday.

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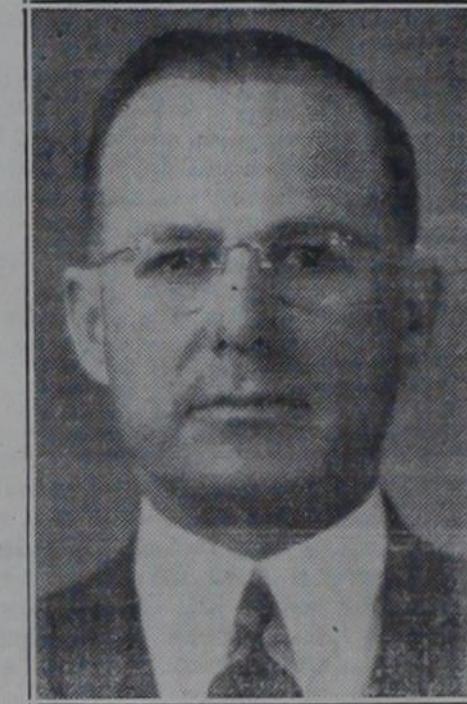
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**PORK & BEANS—Van Camp's, 3 for 20c**

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# Local Happenings

Jason O. Gordon spent Sunday in Lubbock, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Schwalbe and new daughter.

Frank Seale, assistant in the local FSA office, spent the weekend visiting friends and relatives in Lubbock.

Press Abbott, of Bolna, attended to business matters at the courthouse, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wallace, of Hereford, visited friends and relatives in Farwell over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kepley and daughter, Gloria, were visitors in Causey, N. M., Sunday.

Permanent Waves, \$1.00 and up. Mrs. W. F. Orr's Beauty Shop, Farwell, 24-1f.

Mr. and Mrs. David Harrison are vacationing in the Taos region of New Mexico, this week.

Olan Schleuter made a business trip to Snyder, Texas, on Monday of this week.

Mrs. Wallace, of Tyler, Texas, is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bess Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dunlap, of Dallas, visited in the E. E. Booth home recently, and while here installed an air-conditioner in the home.

Mrs. W. H. Graham and Miss Euvette Stiles, of Farwell, and Miss Maurie Miller, of Clovis, were business visitors in Amarillo, Monday.

Mrs. Bess Henneman, who has been visiting in Clayton, N. M., for the past several weeks, returned to her home in Farwell, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bradshaw, who had spent several days with relatives in Slaton, Texas, returned to Farwell the latter part of last week.

A. C. Henneman, son of Mrs. Bess Henneman, who has spent the summer with his grandparents at Clayton, N. M., has returned to his home.

Miss Helen Katherine Blair is spending this week in Tatum, N. M., with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. D. Bilbrey.

Horace Schloss, district court reporter of Hereford, and Olan Schleuter spent last Sunday in the Roswell and Ruidoso sections of New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry London and family departed the first of the week on a vacation trip that will take them to points in Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Triplett spent last weekend visiting their son, Baylor, who is located at Albuquerque, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Weston, of Fort Worth, parents of Mrs. Tom Grady, are here visiting in the Grady home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike McCuan have gone to Hood County, where they will spend a couple of weeks visiting with relatives and old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Beckman left Thursday for a short trip to the mountains. They plan to stop by Pike's Peak, visit in Denver, and other places of interest.

Miss Euvette Stiles and Mrs. McGee returned home on Wednesday evening of last week, after spending several days with relatives near Bronwood, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Wilde and son, of Miami, Florida, are here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nabors, parents of Mrs. Wilde, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Fred Paine, of Causey, New Mexico, and Mrs. Fred Long, of Muleshoe, spent the past week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Turner Paine of Oklahoma Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cain have been taking a short vacation during the past few days. Last week they visited in Lubbock, and this week are visiting relatives in Canadian.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hodges departed last Thursday for Red River, N. M., where they expect to spend a week enjoying the climate and scenery of that summer resort.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed A. Haseloff and family, of Vernon, Texas, visited with his sister, Mrs. John Kaltwasser, and family, last week, after spending a few days vacationing in Ruidoso, N. M.

Mrs. Cora Williams and grandsons, Bobby and Clarence Williams, all of Amarillo, visited briefly in the B. E. Nobles home, Tuesday afternoon. They were enroute home after visiting the Carlsbad Caverns.

Miss Mary Lovelace, who has spent the past several weeks visiting in Aspermont, Texas, returned to her home in Farwell on Monday. She will leave soon for Aspermont, where she will teach this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Schwalbe, of Lubbock, announce the arrival of Linda Kay, at a Lubbock hospital on Thursday, August 22nd. The young lady weighed 8 lbs. and 8 oz. at birth. Mr. Schwalbe formerly taught in the Farwell school, and is well known here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong and young son, and Mrs. Jason O. Gordon departed Saturday for Sweetwater, Texas, to spend several days visiting friends and relatives. Robert Franklin Armstrong, who has been there for some time, will return home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lindop returned home Sunday afternoon after a week's vacation, during which they visited such points of interest as Las Cruces, New Mexico; El Paso, Texas; and Juarez, Mexico. They report a most enjoyable trip.

Miss Nada Lee Martin, who has visited the past two weeks in Paducah, Texas, returned here Sunday and spent the day, going on then to her work in Muleshoe. She was accompanied here by Jack Wilkins, who visited in Farwell.

Miss Marjorie Reeder, and Cleo and Gerald Reeder, all of Portales, visited over the weekend with Miss Euveta Stiles, in Farwell. Miss Stiles had spent a couple of days in Portales, and was accompanied here by the guests.

Mrs. D. K. Roberts and daughter, Miss Zena Belle, and Mitz Walling visited in Amarillo, Sunday. They went there for the purpose of seeing Rev. and Mrs. Frank M. Richardson and family, of Galveston, Texas, who were there at that time. Rev. Richardson is a brother of Mrs. Roberts.

VACATION IN MOUNTAINS  
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. G. Moore and son, Garland Jr., of this city, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Sprague, of Clovis, enjoyed a brief vacation in the New Mexico mountain region the past weekend. They visited in Tres Ritos, Taos, and Cimarron Canyon, and report a most pleasant outing.

entertainment, either in the way of talks or songs.

At the conclusion of the gathering at the church, the young people assembled at the water tower park, where they spent an enjoyable social hour. Refreshments of punch and cake were served by the local delegation.

SCOUT TROOP HOME  
The Farwell Girl Scout troop, accompanied by Mrs. Jason O. Gordon, Mrs. G. C. Danner, Mrs. Roy Bobst and E. F. Lokey, returned home Wednesday night of last week from La Junta Canyon, in the Rocky mountains above Las Vegas, New Mexico, after a three-day outing. They report an enjoyable time, and added that the weather was perfect during their stay.

VISIT IN MILLER HOME  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Warner Forbes, who were recently married in Hammond, La., visited with the V. H. Miller family one day last week. They were enroute to Los Angeles, Calif., to make their home. Mr. Forbes is a nephew of Mrs. Miller and the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Erle E. Forbes, former residents of Clovis, and who are well known in Curry county.

CLUB TO HOLD LUNCHEON  
Mrs. Claude Rose announced this week that the annual luncheon of the Texico-Farwell Woman's Club, which signifies the opening of another club year, would be held at La Vista, in Clovis, on September 12th, at one o'clock, Texas time. The luncheon was formerly slated to be held at the Harvey House, in Clovis, which was recently discontinued. Members are asked to note the change.

MISS OLIVE LOVETT WEDS  
ESSLEY GRISSOM, 17TH  
Miss Olive Lovett of Albuquerque, N. M., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Lovett of this city, was married the past Saturday, August 17th, to Essley Grissom, of Albuquerque, in the home of the groom. Rev. L. H. French of the Presbyterian Church of that city, read the vows in the double-ring ceremony.

The bride was attractively attired in a brown velveteen spectator sports dress, semi-military in style, and wore a corsage of Johanna Hill roses combined with static. Her accessories were of brown suede.

Miss Dorothy Lovett, sister of Mrs. Grissom, acted as bridesmaid, and wore navy blue with white accessories. Her corsage was of gladiolas. Joe Mecey, of Albuquerque, attended the groom.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for an extensive

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honeymoon trip. They plan to tour the West Coast, going by way of Phoenix and San Diego, and returning by a northern route. They will return to Albuquerque about September 30th, to make their home.

Mrs. Grissom, a former resident of Texico, graduated from the local school in 1933. She has made her home in Albuquerque for the past seven years, where she attended the University of New Mexico, and since 1936 has been employed by the Soil Conservation Service. She is a member of Beta Sigma Phi sorority.

Mr. Grissom, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Grissom, is owner and manager of Strong's Book Store in Albuquerque. He finished high school in that city, and has attended the University, being a member of the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity. He is also active in the affairs of the 20-30 club.

Mrs. Lovett, mother of the bride, spent the weekend in Albuquerque attending the wedding, and among others present were Mr. and Mrs. Grissom, the groom's parents, and his sister, Miss Doris Grissom.

### TO GRADUATE

Miss Fay Thompson, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Lee Thompson, will be among the graduates to receive her degree at the Texas Technological College in Lubbock on Friday evening of this week. Miss Thompson is receiving her degree in home economics.

Judge and Mrs. Thompson plan to be present for the graduating exercises.

# Specials

## For This Week-End

GRAHAM CRACKERS Liberty Bell, 2 lb. box	19c
DENCO PORK & BEANS No. 2 1/2 can, each	10c
FAULTLESS SPINACH No. 2 can, 2 for	25c
WHITE SWAN PINEAPPLE 9 oz. can, 3 for	25c
SHREDDED COCOANUT 1 lb. celo bag	19c
PURE APPLE JELLY 2 lb. jar	25c
WHITE SWAN SALAD DRESSING Quart jar for	28c
RANCH STYLE MEXICAN BEANS 3 cans for	20c
HERSHEY'S CHOCOLATE SYRUP 1 lb. can	10c
GREEN BEANS No. 2 can, 3 for	25c
IODIZED SALT 2 boxes for	15c
SLICED BACON Per pound	19c
SUGAR 10 lb. cloth bag	49c
CRACKERS Sun-Ray, 2 lb. box	16c
COCOA Mother's, 2 lb. can	19c
MATCHES Diamond, 6 boxes	19c
JELLY Rex, 5 lb. pail	39c
P-Nut Butter 2 lb. jar	25c
TEA White Swan, 1/4 lb.	19c
COFFEE H & H, 1 lb. tin	25c

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# HALLS

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<b>TEA</b> White Swan, 1/4 lb. <b>19c</b>	<b>Salad Dressing</b> Miracle Whip, quart jar <b>34c</b>	<b>COFFEE</b> Schilling, 1 lb. can <b>24c</b>
<b>Corn Meal</b> 10 lb. bag <b>27c</b>	<b>APPLES</b> New Roswell crop, peck <b>29c</b>	<b>Spaghetti</b> Heinz, large can <b>11c</b>
<b>YAMS</b> Portales, new crop, lb. <b>5c</b>	<b>SUGAR</b> 10 lb. bag <b>48c</b>	<b>OATS</b> Quaker, 5 lb. pkg. <b>25c</b>
<b>Fly Spray</b> Kili-Ko, quart can <b>39c</b>		<b>SYRUP</b> Pure sorghum, 1/2 gal. <b>29c</b>

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**LEGAL NOTICES**

**House Joint Resolution No. 45**  
**A JOINT RESOLUTION**  
 proposing an amendment to Article 8, Section 9, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new Section thereto to be known as Section 9-A; providing that the Commissioners Court of Red River County, after a majority vote of the resident qualified electors owning taxable property therein, shall have the authority to levy a tax not to exceed Twenty-five (25) Cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for a period not exceeding fifteen (15) years for the purpose of refunding the outstanding warrant indebtedness of the County by the issuance of bonds under the provisions of the General Laws regulating the refunding of outstanding debts of the County; providing for the necessary proclamation; and appropriating funds to defray the expenses of the proclamation; publication, and election.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**  
 Section 1. That Article 8, Section 9 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding thereto another Section to be known as Section 9-A, which shall read as follows:

"Section 9-A. Upon the vote of a majority of the resident qualified electors owning taxable property therein so authorizing, the Commissioners Court of Red River County, Texas, may levy an annual tax not to exceed twenty-five (25) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for a period not to exceed fifteen (15) years for the purpose of refunding all the outstanding warrant indebtedness of the General Fund of such county and issue bonds under the provisions of the General Law regulating the issuance of bonds to refund said indebtedness.

"At such elections, the Commissioners Court shall submit for adoption the proposition of whether such outstanding warrant indebtedness of the General Fund of such County shall be refunded into bonds, the amount of special tax to be levied, and the number of years said tax is to be levied. The funds raised by such taxes shall not be used for purposes other than those specified in the plan submitted to the voters.

"The provisions of this Section 9-A shall apply only to Red River County; and the provisions hereof shall be self-enacting without the necessity of an enabling act of the Legislature of the State of Texas, but shall become effective immediately after the official canvass of the result has been made and it is determined that this amendment has been adopted

by a majority of the voters of the State."

**Sec. 2.** The foregoing Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State on the first Tuesday following the first Monday in November, 1940, at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the Amendment to the Constitution providing that the Commissioners Court of Red River County may, upon a vote of the qualified electors therein, levy a tax and issue bonds to refund the outstanding warrant indebtedness of the General Fund of such County"; those voters opposing such Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the Amendment to the Constitution providing that the Commissioners Court of Red River County may, upon a vote of the qualified electors therein, levy a tax and issue bonds to refund the outstanding warrant indebtedness of the General Fund of such County."

**Sec. 3.** The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.

**Sec. 4.** The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof

as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election, which shall be refunded to the State of Texas by Red River County out of its General Fund or any other available fund. Provided that no election shall be held until Red River County shall first deposit with the State Treasurer the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) with which to pay such expense of said election.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 4**  
**A JOINT RESOLUTION**  
 proposing an Amendment to Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature authority to provide for appeal direct to the Supreme Court in cases involving injunctions granted or denied on grounds of constitutionality or unconstitutionality of any statute or administrative order; providing for the submission of this amendment to the voters of this State; and providing for the necessary proclamation and expenses of publication.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**  
 Section 1. That Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 3-b, which shall read as follows:

"Section 3-b. The Legislature shall have the power to provide by law, for an appeal direct to the Supreme Court of this State from an order of any trial court granting or denying an interlocutory or permanent injunction on the grounds of the constitutionality or unconstitutionality of any statute of this State, or on the validity or invalidity of any administrative order issued by any state agency under any statute of this State."

**Sec. 2.** The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the general election to be held on the 5th day of November, 1940, at which election all voters favoring such proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR THE AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF TEXAS AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PROVIDE FOR APPEALS DIRECT TO THE SUPREME COURT IN INSTANCES INVOLVING THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF CERTAIN LAWS AND ORDERS."

and those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST THE AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF TEXAS AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PROVIDE FOR APPEALS DIRECT TO THE SUPREME COURT IN INSTANCES INVOLVING THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF CERTAIN LAWS AND ORDERS."

**Sec. 3.** The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

**Sec. 4.** The sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

**House Joint Resolution No. 8**  
**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**  
 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas to be known as Section 30b of Article 16; providing that the provisions of Article 16, Section 30, of the Texas Constitution limiting the duration of all offices not fixed by the Constitution to two (2) years, shall not apply to appointive offices of any municipalities that are placed under the terms and provisions of Civil Service but the duration of such offices shall be governed by the provisions of the Civil Service Law applicable thereto; providing for an election on the question of adoption or rejection of such amendment; making an appropriation therefor; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof; prescribing the form of ballot.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**  
 Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto a new Section to Article 16 to be known as Section 30b which shall read as follows:

"Section 30b. Wherever by virtue of Statute or charter provisions appointive offices of any municipality are placed under the terms and provisions of Civil Service and rules are set up governing appointment to and removal from such offices, the provisions of Article 16, Section 20, of the Texas Constitution limiting the duration of all offices not fixed by the Constitution to two (2) years shall not apply, but the duration of such offices shall be governed by the provisions of the Civil Service law or charter provisions applicable thereto."

**Sec. 2.** Such proposed Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas at the general election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the 5th day of November, 1940, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the State Constitution providing that Article 16, Section 30, of the Constitution shall not apply to appointive offices of any municipality placed under the terms and provisions of Civil Service."

Those voters opposing said Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

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If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast is in favor of the Amendment the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

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the voters of this State; and providing for the necessary appropriation to defray necessary expenses for the submission of this amendment.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**  
 Section 1. That Section 26 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so that the same will hereafter read as follows:

"Section 26. (a) The Secretary of State shall appoint a convenient number of Notaries Public for each county who shall perform such duties as now are or may be prescribed by law. The qualifications of Notaries Public shall be prescribed by law.

(b) Nothing herein shall affect the terms of office of Notaries Public who have qualified for the present term prior to the taking effect of this amendment.

(c) Should the Legislature enact an enabling law hereto in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such law shall not be invalid by reason of its anticipatory character."

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# Speaking of Congressmen

## We Need a Man of Integrity and Leadership



Deskins Wells proved these qualifications when as Mayor of Wellington, Texas, he brought bonded indebtedness of the city from \$200,000 to \$163,000 in four years—and again in the Primary when he carried his Home County of Collingsworth by a margin of 81%, a figure far higher than any other candidate in the Congressional Race!

# Deskins Wells

Deck Wells is the preferred candidate of the farmers and ranchers and people in small towns as shown by the vote from agricultural counties. Wells, who led his nearest opponent approximately 6,000 votes, was first in Hemphill, Briscoe, Parmer, Randall, Sherman, Castro, Collingsworth, Dallam, Deaf Smith and Ochiltree Counties. Wells was second in Hartley, Lipscomb, Roberts, Childress, Cottle, Hall, Motley, Swisher, Hutchinson, Hansford, Moore, Oldham, Armstrong, Donley, and Gray Counties.

There is reason for such an overwhelming vote in the Agricultural counties where DECK WELLS is widely known—Because DECK WELLS has spent 15 of his 38 years in working and serving men and women who live on farms, on ranches and in small towns. Having grown to manhood on a stock farm, DECK WELLS knows the problems of farmers and ranchers; having edited a newspaper in a small town, he knows the ambitions and desires of men and women who live in rural communities; having successfully operated a small town business he knows from experience the problems which they offer.

Parmer County gave DECK WELLS a nice vote in the 1st Primary on July 27. Let's join the men and women who know Deck Wells at home—let's give this man who has Proven his friendship to the men and women of rural communities an even GREATER MAJORITY on Saturday, August 24! THOSE WHO KNOW HIM ARE FOR HIM

# Let's Give Deck Wells the Big Majority He Deserves

# WIN WITH WELLS

(This advertisement paid for by Parmer County friends of Deskins Wells)

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 6**  
**A JOINT RESOLUTION**  
 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas amending Section 26 of Article IV so as to provide that Notaries Public be appointed by the Secretary of State of the State of Texas; providing for the submission of this amendment to the voters of this State; and providing for the necessary appropriation to defray necessary expenses for the submission of this amendment.

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**SANTA FE CARLOADINGS**

The Santa Fe Railway System carloadings for the week ending Aug. 17, 1940, were 18,195, as compared with 18,265 for the same week in 1939. Received from connections were 5,381 as compared with 4,972 for the same week in 1939. The total cars moved were 23,526, as compared with 23,237 for the same week in 1939. The Santa Fe handled a total of 18,290 cars during the preceding week of this year.

In Missouri, the average asphalt or concrete road lasts about 30 years, the average macadam or oil road 10 years.

Texas farmers and other landowners receive more than \$132,000,000 a year from the Texas petroleum industry in lease and royalty payments.

Four-fifths of all the oil produced in Texas is also refined in Texas, making petroleum refining the state's largest manufacturing industry.

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### Gordon Heads Live-stock Division at South Plains Fair

LUBBOCK—Three general superintendents have been appointed to serve during the 27th annual Panhandle South Plains Fair, which begins in Lubbock, September 30th.

C. C. Jobson, Lubbock County farm agent, will serve as General Superintendent of the Agricultural Department. Jason O. Gordon of Farwell, Parmer county agent, will be General Superintendent of Livestock. Miss Delia Wilkinson will serve as General Superintendent-Director of the Woman's Department.

In the livestock department, the following division superintendents and assistants have been announced: Beef cattle, George P. Kuykendall, Lubbock, and Tom W. Green, Abilene; dairy cattle, R. N. McClain, Plainview and Wesley M. Roddy, Denison; milking shorthorns, Frank Weil, Hale Center and Thomas M. Ingram, Idalou. The superintendent of the swine department has not been announced as yet, but Orbra Miller, of Floydada, will be the assistat.

Judges for the livestock division will be W. L. Stangel for beef cattle; Roy C. Mowrey for swine; and N. Casey Fine for dairy cattle. George Samson, of Post, will be the judge in the agricultural department.

The premiums in the Woman's Department will be increased substantially. The various superintendents and directors of that department will be announced next week.

Fair officials are still counting on the night grandstand attraction, the Entrada of Coronado, as being one of the most outstanding attractions even shown on the South Plains. The Entrada is expected to attract thousands from the neighboring state of New Mexico.

Included in the famous Swenson collection of coins, now housed in the Texas Memorial Museum at Austin, are 2217 bronze pieces, 1,117 silver pieces, 87 gold, and 1846 metal and gilt. The earliest coin included in the collection dates back to seven centuries before Christ.

Tommy Henrich of the Yankees never gets on a train without a crossword puzzle.

"No one 'URGED' me to run for this office, therefore--

### ELECT GRADY



### HAZLEWOOD SENATOR

Received 38% of all votes cast in 6 short weeks of campaigning. Thank You Folks! Thank You! Keep it up and elect a senator who will represent the average men and women.

### ISN'T FOUR LONG YEARS LONG ENOUGH TO—

PAY PENSIONS? Pass other needed legislation? "I'll do more than cooperate with Gov. O'Daniel. I'll try to pass some other appropriation bill like he told the last legislature to do. You can't pass any needed legislation with the legislature ADJOURNED."

FARM PROBLEMS: "I have been operating a farm near Hereford the past several years. I was raised on a farm. We had so many cows to milk, so many mules to strip feed for, so many hogs to chop, we had to get up by 5 o'clock to get to Sunday School on time. I know what hard work is, and I know the average man's problems."

QUALIFIED: Ten years in the district attorney's office filled with plenty of action and service to the

people. I'll not be 'HAMSTUNG' with political obligations if elected."

### COTTON LOANS ON 1940 CROP

COLLEGE STATION—All Texas farmers cooperating with the AAA will be eligible to obtain Commodity Credit Corporation loans at the full loan rates of their 1940 cotton crops.

No definite time has yet been set when all the necessary forms and instructions will be available so that loan applications can be accepted. George Slaughter, chairman of the state AAA committee said, but the material is now being printed and will be shipped to the loan agencies as soon as possible.

The loan rate will be based on 15/16 inch middling cotton, net weight basis, with differentials for grade, staple, and location, instead of on 7/8 inch middling as was the case last year, the chairman pointed out. The rate in Texas for 15/16 inch middling, net weight basis, will range from 9.16 cents in West Texas to 8.90 cents at all Gulf ports. As in 1939, the net weight loan rate is placed 40 points above that for the gross weight bale to compensate for the smaller number of pounds on which the loan is extended.

The full loan rate will be available only to cooperating cotton producers who have not on any farm knowingly planted or permitted the planting of cotton in 1940 in excess of the cotton acreage allotment established for the farm for the 1940-41 marketing year. As required by law, non-cooperators will be eligible to receive a loan at 60 percent of the rate applicable to cooperating producers, and only on that part of their production in excess of their farm marketing quotas. Non-cooperators must have their loan documents approved by the AAA county committee.

Loans will be made directly by the Commodity Credit Corporation and by banks and other local lending agencies under arrangements similar to those pertaining to previous cotton loans. The loans will bear three percent interest and will be callable on demand with the maturity date fixed for July 31, 1941. Loans will be available until May 1, 1941. All cotton to be eligible for the loan must be classed by Board of Cotton Examiners of the Agricultural Marketing Service of the Department of Agriculture.

Few slaughters made in Texas in 1939, Slaughter pointed out, because the loan was not announced until most Texas cotton had been sold.

### Wheat Loans Pass Ten Thousand Mark

COLLEGE STATION—More than 10,000 Texas wheat farmers already have placed their 1940 wheat under the loan to hold it for a better market and yet obtain some cash for immediate needs.

During June and July (the first loans were made late in June) the county AAA committees approved 10,179 warehouse-storage loans for a total of \$7,469,485 on 10,279,099 bushels, according to P. C. Colgin, state AAA wheat loan supervisor. The loans approved are far in excess of the number and amount approved at the same time last year, the supervisor said.

Meanwhile, more applications for farm storage loans already have been received by the state office than were made during the entire time the loan was offered last year. No figures were yet available as to the number and amount of farm-storage loans approved.

Since the loans will be available until December 31, and since the wheat market shows no signs of picking up, Colgin believes the number of loans made under the 1940 program will greatly surpass the number made under the 1939 program. Last year, 10,807 loans were approved, including 239 farm storage loans.

Producers who have collected crop insurance indemnities are taking advantage of the loan, the supervisor said, predicting that a good part of the indemnity wheat would be placed in the loan. This is the first year in which indemnity wheat has been eligible for the loan.



At Your Service Sir....

With a complete line of Phillips 66 Products and Lee Tires and Tubes.  
**Phillips 66 Service Station**  
W. T. North, Mgr.

### Demonstration Club Notes

**Rhea Club**  
The Rhea club women entertained the Oklahoma Lane ladies in the club room, August 14th, with a party. Games and contests were carried out during the evening, each lady receiving a gift of some kind. Mrs. Brown, using the cotton theme in her recreation, gave each lady tiny pieces of cotton print, which when put together, formed an apron. Mrs. Lee Thompson received an apron as high score, and Mrs. Ellis Barry received a spool of cotton thread as consolation prize. Mrs. J. R. Caldwell also received a prize for high score in a mental quiz.

A very artistic plate was served to the guests. The sandwiches formed miniature bales of cotton, punch and cookies furnished an attractive touch and a cotton blossom and leaf were used as plate favors.

The following guests were present: Mesdames Alta Roberson, A. B. Wilkison, J. R. Caldwell, Clyde Perkins, Lee Thompson, W. E. Verner, Ellis R. Barry, and C. E. Foster.

**Oklahoma Lane Club**  
The Oklahoma Lane demonstration club will meet Friday, August 23rd, in the club room, for a demonstration on poultry dressing, cooking and serving. Everyone is urged to be present, and be on time at 2.30.

### LAST CALL FOR AAA GARDENS

COLLEGE STATION—A fall garden, which meets certain specifications, will qualify for benefits under the 1940 Agricultural Conservation program, providing payment is not already forthcoming for a spring or summer garden.

According to B. F. Vance, assistant administrative officer in charge of the state AAA office, if compliance has already been checked on a particular farm and no certification was made with regard to the home garden, a second check may be made to determine if the fall garden measures up to AAA requirements.

In issuing this last call for AAA gardens, Vance is joined by Jennie Camp, specialist in home production planning for the A. & M. College Ex-



### They Say:

Dallas County: "I shall vote for Judge H. S. Lattimore because of his record as a judge and a man. He is a superb lawyer and an experienced and learned judge who works hard and writes clearly and forcibly. His life as a man proves him to be a good citizen who upholds the ideals of Texas."  
—Richard B. Humphrey, of Dallas.

Harris County: "I am voting for Judge H. S. Lattimore because as a man, a lawyer and a jurist I believe him to be the better equipped man in the race for the high position of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court."  
—John O. Douglas, of Houston.

Hidalgo County: "There are four particular reasons which determine my course in supporting Judge Lattimore." (The first three deal with Judge Lattimore's opponent). Fourth: "Your vote came primarily from the intelligent, responsible, uncontrolled, independent voters of the State. I find upon investigation among a great many of the men and women who voted for me, that most of them favor you over your opponent."  
—Gordon Griffin, of McAllen.

Travis County: "The State Supreme Court needs a lawyer with democratic ideals, naturally endowed to be Chief Justice, and H. S. Lattimore is that in full."  
—Jefferson G. Smith, of Austin. (His friends filed his name but he withdrew it before election date.)

JUDGE LATTIMORE LED THE FIRST PRIMARY 52,000 VOTES OVER FIVE OPPONENTS

tension Service. "A fall garden," she points out, "will add another bit to the family's cash income and will add a lot to the family's food supply for the fall and winter months."

Although only half the counties in Texas have been heard from, reports submitted to August 6 indicate that already 129,518 white farm and ranch families in 120 counties and 9,352 Negro families in 28 counties are seeking benefits for home gardens under the 1940 program. If these 138,870 gardens qualify for payments, the aggregate payment to Texas farm families for this practice alone will be \$208,305.

The Loyal Repenski Troop, one of the most famous equestrian acts in the circus world, will be a feature act in "Americana," the huge outdoor revue to be presented in front of the grandstand at the 1940 State Fair of Texas, October 5 to 20.



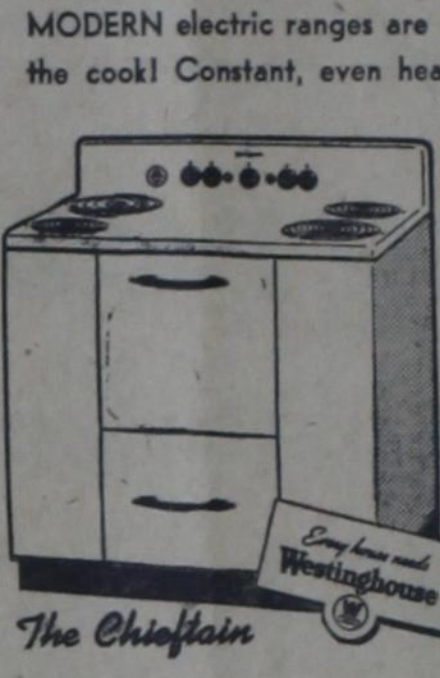
LET'S PROMOTE  
**Gene Worley**  
to CONGRESS

- 6 years experience in the Texas Legislature.
- Without opponent for 3rd term.
- Cooperated with Governor O'Daniel.
- Endorsed by Wheeler County Agricultural Assn.
- Got in Run-off single-handed.
- Opposed by Amarillo political machine

AN EXTRA \$100  
COLLEGE STATION—Twenty Floyd County farm families will realize an average of \$100 a year extra income through the organization of an egg marketing association.  
The association, according to the Floyd county agricultural and home demonstration agents, D. F. Bredthauer and Edith Lois Wilson, is the outgrowth of work by the local land use planning committee.  
A subcommittee authorized to develop local markets reported among other things, that farm eggs were being penalized because of their low grade.  
The 20 families agreed to form a demonstration association. A committee visited the farm of each member, inspected the flock and equipment and made recommendations for increasing the production and marketing infertile eggs.  
A sales committee contacted a local buyer and agreed to deliver 1,000 dozen infertile, high quality eggs each week at a price 4 cents a dozen above the local market.  
After a 30-day period of improvement, the members began delivery of the eggs. Extra income to date has averaged \$40 per week.



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MODERN electric ranges are designed to cook the food—not the cook! Constant, even heat goes into the food and none escapes to make your kitchen hotter. You can even bake or roast on the hottest days. But coolness is only one advantage that can only be found in electric cookery.

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### Is This the Kind of Cooperation Gov. O'Daniel Wanted

The last session of the legislature ADJOURNED June 21, 1939.

While the legislature was working on revenue bills to pay OLD AGE PENSIONS, TEACHERS' RETIREMENT, AID TO THE BLIND, and other social security obligations, MAX BOYER'S record is as shown below:

(1) MAX BOYER voted on May 10, 1935, (immediately following his vote for S.J.R. 12) to ADJOURN the legislature. HE WAS THE ONLY ONE OF THE ENTIRE DELEGATION OF FIVE PANHANDLE REPRESENTATIVES VOTING FOR ADJOURNMENT. See Pages 3203-4, House Journal.

(2) MAX BOYER, on May 19, 1939, WROTE AND INTRODUCED a resolution himself, being House Concurrent Resolution No. 156, to ADJOURN the legislature without providing for the funds which Governor O'Daniel had requested. Again MAX BOYER was the ONLY ONE of the entire delegation of five Panhandle representatives voting for adjournment. See House Journal, Pages 3458-9.

(3) On June 1, 1939, another motion to ADJOURN the legislature was made and those who wanted to work out the Social Security and Old Age Pension Problem voted to table the motion to ADJOURN. But MAX BOYER voted against the motion, and by his vote again tried to ADJOURN the legislature at that time. See House Journal, Pages 3802-3.

(4) On June 5, 1939, MAX BOYER WROTE and INTRODUCED a resolution to ADJOURN the legislature. His motion failed, but he voted in favor of ADJOURNMENT. See pages 3861-2, House Journal.

Governor O'Daniel wrote everyone of the 94 representatives who at ANY TIME voted for S.J.R. 12, including MAX BOYER, a letter of thanks for their vote on ONE DAY (May 10) and stated: "If we CONTINUE to do all we can, etc." But disregarding the governor's plea for continued work, MAX BOYER followed his vote in favor of S.J.R. 12 on May 10 with a vote to ADJOURN (H. J. 3203) the legislature, although the remainder of the five Panhandle representatives voted against him. The legislature did not adjourn until 42 days after Mr. Boyer's FIRST VOTE TO ADJOURN. During those 42 days, the remaining Panhandle delegation CONTINUED their work to pay social security obligations.

Could the legislature CONTINUE its efforts if adjourned?  
Could the legislature PAY PENSIONS if adjourned?  
Could you plow your crop after you quit?

WAS THIS THE KIND OF CO-OPERATION GOVERNOR O'DANIEL ASKED?  
**WHAT IS THE TROUBLE?**

The contributors of this advertisement cordially invite you to inspect the above record as shown by the Official House Journal.  
(Paid for by Wheeler and Gray county followers of Gov. O'Daniel)

The Washington MERRY-GO-ROUND

Washington, D. C. THE LINDBERGH DISAGREE There have been two backstage developments regarding the radio broadcasts of Colonel Lindbergh.

The two men who originally got the flying colonel on the air are Fulton Lewis, enterprising radio newscaster, and William R. Castle Jr., undersecretary of state during the Hoover administration.

Mysterious Colonel Smith. Another man who has been close to Lindbergh is Col. Truman Smith, of U. S. army intelligence, and the army's chief specialist on Germany.

For instance, when Germany moved into Poland last year, Colonel Smith was able to tell the war department the points which the German army would take, and almost the exact hour it would take them.

Translated into bushels of wheat at current market prices, the expenditures approved for the program since January this year tell a more impressive story.

Assuming a farm price of 70 cents a bushel and an average yield of 30 bushels per acre, we arrive at a gross production of \$21 per acre.

Opposite Lindberghs. Mrs. Dwight Morrow, widowed mother-in-law of Colonel Lindbergh, isn't the only member of his family who disagrees with him on his anti-British, pro-appeasement views.

The mother of two small boys and fearful of the limelight, Mrs. Lindbergh has shrunk from a public expression of her strong anti-Nazi beliefs. But personally she feels just as forcefully about them as her gangling husband does about his opposite convictions.

Our federal government is the fastest growing "industry" in the United States. Recent official figures show public employment in 1939 as 125.3 per cent of 1929—despite a small decrease in the combined state and local payrolls over the decade.

With U. S. naval strategists more and more worried about what is going to happen to the British fleet, it is interesting to examine some of the details regarding the forced surrender of the French fleet.

President Roosevelt had definite assurances from the French ambassador that the French fleet would co-operate with the British if France was forced to surrender.

Chief moral to be gained from this incident is the difficulty facing any British fleet loan to the United States. The Germans undoubtedly have a list of the relatives of British officers.

MERRY-GO-ROUND en National Youth officials here are applicants what they hope doing for a living 10 years ago, 10 per cent say, "wife and 90 per cent say, "governments."

Washington Digest

Congressional Expenditures Pass Twenty-One Billion Dollar Mark

This money Could Buy Entire Railway System of U. S., Or House One-Fourth of Families in Nation, According to Survey by A. F. I.

William Bruckart, for many years Washington correspondent whose letters appeared in this newspaper, died suddenly Sunday, August 4. Temporarily the Washington letter will be written by Carter Field and others.

WASHINGTON. — For the first time in American history one session of congress has authorized federal expenditures in excess of \$20,000,000,000.

The nation was astonished and indignant in 1913 when two sessions of congress appropriated \$1,000,000,000. It was our first "billion dollar congress."

In 1934, we had our first \$10,000,000,000 session. Six years later, between January 3 and August 15, 1940, the third session of the Seventy-sixth congress authorized spending to the extent of \$21,439,678,000.

How much is \$21,000,000,000. It would buy outright the entire railroad system of the United States—every mile of track, every bridge, terminal and yard, every piece of rolling stock and locomotive equipment, every mile of telephone and telegraph equipment, plus every station and siding.

The official reports of the Interstate Commerce commission place the current value of American railroads at roughly \$20,000,000,000. The nation built up this railroad system over a period of 115 years.

It is difficult for the mind to grasp such spending. But we may reduce the authorizations of the present session to familiar terms. Let us assume that the whole amount authorized since January had been devoted to building houses at \$3,000 each. That would be a substantial house—better than the average American home today.

They Call It POLITICS By CARTER FIELD WASHINGTON. — Aid to Britain has slipped into second place, with our own preparedness now first.

There is a very strong following for this theory throughout the country, entirely distinct from the group which sentimentally favors Britain either as a country or as a form of government, in contrast with the dictatorship. Actually it is believed here that the Republican high command feels the same way, with the exception of the vice presidential nominee, Charles L. McNary.

Phyllis Kennedy ought to succeed if anybody should—first she broke her back, and later she accepted advice that wasn't very good and lost a grand opportunity—and now she's started toward the top again.

In 1933 she was dancing with a troupe in Denver, and fell and fractured her spine. Doctors said she'd never walk again. Two years later she was dancing once more.

She's working now in "Honey-moon for Three," and Lloyd Bacon, who's directing, is helping by building up her role. Watch her—she's bound to get ahead this time!

Douglas Fairbanks Jr. may have been something of a playboy some years ago, but now he's nothing if not a solid citizen. Married happily, and the proud father of a three-year-old daughter, he's not only the star of Columbia's "Before I Die," but its co-producer as well.

Spoiled Her Record Things had gone from bad to worse and Mrs. Jones could stand it no longer. So she gave the servant notice.

Only One Day! Texas now formally devotes a day to the mother-in-law, which seems like skipping the problem.

JEALOUSY Fat Lady Bug—Why, Miss Wasp, your thin waist is out of style.

Two of a Kind Jimmie—Dad, why don't more hair grow on your head?

Steward's Hint "Doesn't this ship tip a great deal?"

LET US TELL YOU MORE ABOUT IT

All taxes were 54 per cent of combined net before taxes. Seven corporations earned a profit but landed in the red after paying taxes.

Taxes were \$3.05 per common share outstanding, against dividends of \$1.62 per common share paid for the year.

These corporations maintained average employment of 3,378,255 persons.

Conclusion of the study: "Ever-mounting tax burdens are not only a handicap to the national welfare, but also raise added problems for every manufacturer and business man. They directly affect every employee and stockholder. They increase the cost of doing business, and reduce or wipe out profits."

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Star Dust STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO By VIRGINIA VALE

HOLLYWOOD is all agog over a contest that's to take place on August 25th at the RKO studios. The participants are Jack Oakie and George Bancroft, and the event is—of all things!—a table-setting contest!

It all started when a Los Angeles department store persuaded ten prominent men about town to set tables as each thought they should be set. Oakie and Bancroft saw the exhibit, and the argument was on, each being perfectly sure that he could out-do the other if ever—heaven forbid—he had to set a table.



VIVIAN LEIGH can glassware and keep expenditures down to \$40. The loser will set a table and serve dinner for 16 of the winner's friends.

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Current Wit and Humor

PASS! Some officers were discussing an Irishman, a private in their regiment, whom, it was alleged, no one could frighten.

One decided he would try to "put the wind up" Patrick. Arraying himself in all the fearful and awesome habiliments of His Satanic Majesty, he stealthily approached Pat when the latter was on sentry-go.

In response to the challenge: "Who goes there?" he answered in sepulchral tones: "The Devil." "Pass, Devil," replied the sentry. "You know where to go!"



FIRST FISH—How did the doctor weigh the new baby at your house? SECOND FISH—On our scales, of course.

Not in Her Line The buxom wife had returned from her shopping expedition in a towering temper, and was pouring out her troubles to her patient husband.

Just Like Nations One day the landlord of a block of flats called on one of his tenants, a young artist.

The New Home The town council recently moved a respectable family—father, mother, two daughters and a son—out of a derelict cottage into a neat little council house.

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Ask Me Another A General Quiz

The Questions

- 1. How long was a round of boxing when John L. Sullivan ruled the ring? 2. How long was Abraham Lincoln President before the Civil war broke out? 3. What is the largest stadium in America? 4. What universities compete for the Little Brown Jug on the gridiron each year? 5. What is a Pyrrhic victory? 6. Does each star in the American flag represent a particular state? 7. Do kangaroos ever roost in trees? 8. Do the Japanese ever say "no"?

The Answers

- 1. Until one of the fighters scored a knockdown over his opponent. 2. Six weeks. 3. Soldier field, located in Chicago, Illinois, takes this honor. Its seating capacity will handle a crowd of 125,000 persons. 4. The University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, and the University of Minnesota at Minneapolis. 5. One gained at too great a cost. 6. No, the stars represent the states collectively, not individually. 7. Australia boasts of kangaroos that roost in trees. They are clumsy climbers, but have remarkable jumping powers and a tenacious grip. 8. No. And they never say "yes" as these two words do not exist in their language.

True Benefactor

Whoever could make two ears of corn, or two blades of grass, to grow upon a spot of ground where only one grew before, would deserve better of mankind, and do more essential service to his country, than the whole race of politicians put together.—Swift.

FOR COOL, HAPPY FEET RUB WITH MEXICAN HEAT POWDER

Trained Heart The man anywhere with a trained head apart from a trained heart is a menace, however many degrees he may write after his name.—Anon.

OLIN HOTEL QUIET LOCATION You Will Enjoy the Friendly Atmosphere and Service

Gentle Joy Joy descends gently on us like the falling dew, and does not patter down like a hail-storm.—Richter.

Watch Your Kidneys! Help Them Cleanse the Blood of Harmful Body Waste

DOAN'S PILLS

MERCHANTS

Your Advertising Dollar buys something more than space and circulation in the columns of this newspaper.

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HELP! HELP! HELP! HELP! HELP! HELP!

# TRAPPED!

**USED CARS ARE DRIVING US CRAZY!**

They're All Over the Place!  
Every Way You Look!

SO . . . WE ARE GOING TO

# SELL THEM!

\$5,000 Stock, 18 cars and trucks, many Makes and Models—Many reconditioned and guaranteed.

**SAVE UP TO 45%**  
By buying during this Clearance Sale

**ON THE SPOT!**

1935 Master Chevrolet—Motor, paint, and upholstery extra good, new tires. **\$195**

Many more bargains just like this. Everything goes—come help us drive them out. Terms to suit your convenience.

## SIKES MOTOR CO.

Phone 2361 Farwell, Texas  
HELP! HELP! HELP! HELP! HELP! HELP!

### STRICKEN AT ROSWELL

Miss Patsy Ann Fry, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fry of Mattoon, Ill., was stricken with an attack of appendicitis while visiting in Roswell, Sunday, and was taken to a hospital where she underwent a successful operation.

The little lady, with her mother, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Sikes here last week, and had gone to Roswell to visit other relatives. Mrs. Fry is Mrs. Sikes' sister.

### TO TESTIFY AT OLTON

County Judge Lee Thompson and County Commissioner T. E. Levy have been subpoenaed to appear in district court at Olton today (Wednesday) as witnesses in a court action there. Both Parmer county officials witnessed the results of an automobile wreck in the western edge of Lamb county last fall, in which one or two persons were killed.

### TO MOVE BUSINESS

Noble Goldsmith, operator of the Goldsmith Produce, this week announced that he would move his place of business to the location formerly occupied by Kyker's barber shop on Main street in Farwell. He will be open for business in his new location on Sept. 2.

### MOVE TO LITTLEFIELD

The Smith & Nation used car business, which has been in operation in Farwell for the past few months, was moved to Littlefield the latter part of last week by the operators. They expressed the belief that the new location offered a better field for their business.

### F. F. A. BOYS MAKE TRIP

Twenty Farwell F. F. A. boys, accompanied by their sponsor, T. A. McCustion, enjoyed an outing the past weekend, when they threw down their bed rolls in Ceda canyon for a three-day stay. The time was devoted to swimming, hiking, and other recreational activities, with the party returning here Saturday evening. The trip was made by bus, with Felix Monroe as driver.

"Cultured" people of the 17th century used an apple scoop, a utensil in the shape of a hollow chisel, to eat raw apples.

# Binder Twine



Cuban — Belgian — Mexican, all lattice wrapped. . .

# Roberts Seed Co.

TEXICO, NEW MEXICO.

## Of Interest to Farmers

By Garlon A. Harper, Sec'y Parmer County AAA

Apparently at this time there is quite a lot of confusion among some farmers of the county in regard to the present regulations in connection with rechecking farms after the farm has been measured. Under the regulations which have been outlined by the State AAA Committee, it is necessary to charge the producer for rechecking farms in order to show destroyed cotton in cases where the cotton allotment has been overplanted. We are trying to make this charge as light as possible and in almost all cases the entire charge is only \$1.00.

There is also a charge for re-measuring farms in order to determine whether an error was made during the first measurement. This charge is simply a deposit which the producer makes and which will be refunded to the producer if it is found that the original measurements were substantially incorrect.

We are very anxious that all farmers in the county understand the situation. It is realized of course that

the measurements which are made on the error may be one hundred percent accurate; however, we have spent much time and expense in obtaining the most accurate set of measurements which we can possibly get. Time after time we have warned our acreage reporters that accurate measurements must be obtained for all fields on each farm which is measured. We honestly believe that these men are doing the best job which could be done under the circumstances. Therefore, we believe that it will be very desirable if all farmers in the county will cooperate with us in getting approval for correct measurements for each farm. Again we would like to stress the point that any farmer who believes the measurements to be incorrect may make a deposit at the office and have the farm rechecked. If the recheck indicates that our first measurements were in error we will be more than glad to refund the deposit which was required.

We will be glad to discuss this matter with any farmer who might be interested in either of these items

### Clubbers Return From Ceda Canyon Meeting

Returning to their homes in Parmer county last Wednesday evening, forty-nine county 4-H club boys, sponsors and bus drivers, concluded their annual expedition to the district 4-H club encampment, held in Ceda Canyon the first three days of last week.

Agent Jason O. Gordon stated that the meeting was attended by approximately 350 boys and sponsors from the nineteen counties in the district. Of particular interest to the locals, was the rifle match, in which Gilbert Watkins, of Oklahoma Lane, placed third with a score of 189.

Special emphasis was placed on the feeding of cattle and hogs, with A. L. Smith, animal husbandman; E. M. Regenbrecht, swine husbandman; L. L. Johnson, state agent; Jimmie Potts, assistant state agent; K. J. Edwards, district agent, and G. G. Gibson, dairyman, all making talks on the various points of the work.

Dr. E. M. Wagner of Lubbock, was also a visiting speaker, and talked to the boys on various health topics. Attending from Parmer county were: C. L. Caloway Jr., Malcolm Reynolds, John Drager, Robert Leach

Jr., JeDon Porter, Bobby Hart, Earl Deaton, Floyd Owens, Jimmie Baxter, John McFarland, Lewis Welch, Tom Childs, James Williams, Mack Gough, Dan Dunn, Perry Barnes Jr., Charles D. Julian Jr., Charles A. Ross Jr.

Stacy Queen Jr., Tom Barnes, Kenneth Thompson, Kenneth Watkins, Dan Roberts, Gilbert Watkins, James Smith, Joe Moore, Donald Watkins, Wendell Christian, Leon Grissom, Donald Christian, C. W. Grissom, Eugene Smith, Eugene Vermer, Ben Roberts, Billy Christian; Melvin Suddeth, A. J. Jesko, Jimmie Jesko, Harold Wilson, Bernard Jesko, Merl Johnston, Nelson and Billy Joe Foster, Bill Buchanan; E. H. Young and C. D. Julian, sponsors; Charles Summers and Bill Hanna, drivers; and Agent Jason O. Gordon.

### T-P Committee

(Continued from page one) well; Ralph G. Wilson, Friona; and Frank Wilson, Bovina.

Mr. Moore emphasized that the list given above was not arranged in the order that might possibly be the final selection, and added that several of the men listed at Muleshoe were actual residents of Parmer county, but received their mail from Muleshoe.

## "I'll Never Wash at Home Again"

This is what most of our satisfied customers are saying once they have used our service. You too will be pleased.

## TEXICO LAUNDRY

Back of Fire Station J. C. Wheeler

## Triplett Brothers

Curry County's Oldest Merchants

Specials for Friday and Saturday

- COFFEE—White Swan, 3 lb 75c; 1 lb 26c
- Flour—Great West, 48 lb \$1.29; 24 lb 71c
- PEN JELL—2 Pkgs. . . . . 22c
- FLY SWATTERS—2 for . . . . . 9c
- SARDINES—No. 1, Tall cans, 3 for . . . . . 25c
- Chocolate Syrup—Hershey, Pint can . . . . . 10c
- PRESERVES—Pure strawberry, 1/2 gal. 69c
- SOAP—P & G, 10 bars . . . . . 29c
- COMPOUND—8 lb. carton . . . . . 75c
- CORN—Whole grain, lrg. can, 2 for . . . . . 19c
- PEAS—Blue heaven, lrg. can, 2 for . . . . . 19c
- SPINACH—No. 2 can, 2 for . . . . . 15c
- SALAD DRESSING—W. S., pints . . . . . 19c
- Fruit Cocktail—No. 1 tall can, 2 for . . . . . 29c
- PINTO BEANS—Extra nice, 5 lbs. . . . . 29c
- CATSUP—White Swan, 14 oz. . . . . 15c
- STICK CANDY—1 lb. pkg. . . . . 14c
- PORK & BEANS—No. 2 1/2 can, 3 for . . . . . 25c

## FARWELL HIGH SCHOOL

All our note book binders this year are embossed with the above lettering in your school colors . . . at no additional cost to you.

You'll be proud to own one!

## Fox Drug Store

Committee Chairman Named  
Charley M. Rogers, of the Rhea community, was named as chairman of the committee to do the culling work, Moore said. In order that offices may rotate, lots were drawn by the committeeman, with Rogers receiving the three-year term; Olan N. Schleuter, of Farwell, drawing the two-year tenure; and Bill Gammon, of Friona, getting the one-year term.

At the conclusion of the present fiscal year, another man will be selected from among farmers of the county to succeed Gammon, as it is not permissible for a man to succeed himself. After a committeeman has been retired for one year, he may be re-elected to the post.

Applications on File  
In conclusion, Moore stated that all applications now on hand for loans would be kept on file in the local office, but when selections were made in 1941, the applicants must renew their papers, since a year might bring about a drastic change in their financial status as recorded at present.

Tribune Job Printing Is Best

### TOP MARKET PRICES

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## GRAINS--SEEDS

Accurate Weights—Courteous Treatment

Let Us Handle Your Government Loan Wheat

## FARWELL ELEVATOR COMPANY

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Mansell Cranfill, Mgr. Carl Bullok, Asst.

## Why Do We Sell So Cheap--

LEMONS Per dozen . . . . . 13c	LETTUCE Per head . . . . . 3 1/2c
BANANAS Per dozen . . . . . 13c	SPUDS 10 lbs. No. 1 . . . . . 15c
BREAD Sliced, 2 loaves 15c	CABBAGE Per pound . . . . . 2c
MACARONI 2 boxes for . . . . . 5c	PEACHES No. 1 tall can . . . . . 7c
Grape Juice Quart . . . . . 28c	Salad Dressing Quart jar 16c
Grape Nuts 2 boxes for . . . . . 25c	CORN White Swan, No. 2 can 11c
SUGAR 10 lb. cloth bag 42c With each \$3 purchase	BOLOGNA Per pound . . . . . 12c
TEA Bright & Early, glass free 1/4 lb. pkg. 13c	Beef Roast Choice, per lb. . . . . 17c
COFFEE White Swan 1 lb. can . . . . . 23c	STEAK Per pound . . . . . 20c
Admiration 1 lb. jar . . . . . 23c	
3 lb. jar . . . . . 64c	

We Reserve the Right to Limit

## STATE GROCERY AND MARKET LINE