

HEAVY RAINS SOAK PLAINS

BONDS TO ARRIVE JUNE 15

AMPLE MOISTURE FOR PLANTING CROPS

Charges Blackmail



NEW YORK... Alfred E. Smith, Jr. (above), brought about the indictment of two men on his complaint of blackmail of more than \$10,000 in cash, and in which a young woman figured. Smith claims to have also given promissory notes up to \$10,000.

VETS ASSURED SPEEDY SERVICE BY POSTOFFICE

Postmaster Cancels Annual Leave Of Employees During June

Postmaster W. D. T. Storey announced Tuesday that he had full information on hand to the effect that the soldiers' bonus money would reach the local postoffice on or immediately after June 15th.

Mr. Storey further stated that all adjusted service bonds will be issued in \$50.00 bonds, while checks will be issued to veterans entitled to less than \$50.00.

In an interview with Mr. Storey he said: "The front office of the local postoffice will be set up to take care of the applications of veterans for payment. All registered mail will be delivered to addressees only. No other person will be allowed to open for this mail. None of the registered mail will be forwarded from this office to another office. Should we be unable to deliver any registered mail to addressees, it will be necessary to return it to the sender. "During the month of June all annual leave is cancelled by the post-office department for all clerks. This is in order that the large volume of registered mail may be properly handled."

CCC Enrollment Is Now Underway

Tentative plans are being made for a CCC enrollment to take place some time in July, according to an announcement made by the Texas relief commission.

Applications for CCC enrollments are being taken by the Texas Relief Commission case workers with the assistance of the county welfare workers, and since the Texas Relief commission will cease functioning the last of June it is necessary that the applications be made at once, it was announced.

Following are the rules governing the eligibility of the enrollees:

Boys between the ages of 17 and 28 inclusive, single, unemployed and from families now receiving assistance through Texas relief commission, Works Progress administration, settlement administration, or Co-Operative Welfare organizations. Only one boy from each family will be allowed to serve at a time. If applicant has previous CCC service he must have an honorable discharge and must have served at least four months, unless it was prior to October 21, 1933, and must have been out of camp at least 60 days.

E. G. Courtney, Lamb county case worker, will receive the applications from this county. Mr. Courtney's office is located in the relief building south of the Littlefield city hall.

DELEGATES FROM 19TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT NAMED

At the State Democratic meeting at San Antonio Tuesday Congressman George Mahon of Colorado, Tom Garrard of Tahoka, Meade Griffin of Plainview and Dr. W. A. Jackson, head of the department of government at Texas Tech, were named delegates to the national Democratic Convention from the 19th congressional district.

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The suit will be tailored by the Union Park Clothing company in New York City, whose London representatives are exclusive tailors

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WPA COMMUNITY SEWING ROOM PROJECT BRINGS LITTLEFIELD \$398.00 MONTHLY PAYROLL

At the present time work is being furnished to 10 NYA girls and 17 women at the Littlefield WPA community sewing room, which was started November 27 last.

Under the system prevailing the girls are employed 23 hours and the women 70 hours during a two week period.

This project represents a payroll of \$398.50 a month to the city, and in addition furnishes wearing apparel to the needy.

According to Miss Lula Hubbard, in charge, 2296 garments have been completed to date, 35 garments being finished in one day, Monday of this week.

Miss Hubbard also stated that 4900 yards of material had been converted into finished garments, including dresses, shirts, overalls, infant's wear, blankets and quilt tops.

The sewing room now have on hand enough material to keep the staff busy for six months, including 1800 yards of outing; 1114 yards of denim; 1100 yards of percale; 900 yards of bleached muslin; 800 yards of chambray, and a quantity of snaps and fasteners.

Miss Hubbard also stated to the Leader representative that she was informed a quantity of material had been shipped from Washington to Lubbock for the local sewing room, which would be a six months' supply.

Local Santa Fe Agent Attends Traffic Meeting

Employees of the Santa Fe operating and traffic departments held their regular meeting in the library building of the Santa Fe division at Slaton Monday evening at which H. C. Pumphrey, local Santa Fe agent, was in attendance.

The meeting was presided over by E. O. Bagenstoss, Lubbock.

A. E. Meyer, Amarillo, auditor for the Panhandle & Santa Fe, was the principal speaker.

Others making talks were E. Kancher, Lubbock, division freight and passenger agent, G. C. Jefferies, Slaton, division superintendent, Charles Taylor, chief clerk, H. C. Pumphrey, Ralph Trolinger and I. M. Robinson, Lubbock, traveling agents and L. H. Hungate, transportation inspector.

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Fried First Doughnut



NEW YORK... Major Helen Purviance (above), of the Salvation Army, is credited with "frying the first doughnut in France" for our doughboys during the World War. She is now dean of women at the Army Training College here and was given a party last week.

Two Buildings On Phelps Avenue Change Ownership

A deal was consummated last week whereby J. E. Brannen purchased the building on the East side of Phelps Avenue formerly owned by W. N. Jones, and occupied by the Littlefield Motor company, and the adjoining building owned by Pete Flaxman of Plainview and Mrs. Toru Baird of Blossom, Texas, which was formerly occupied by the Littlefield Bakery and Cawthon Plumbing shop.

Mr. Flaxman was a former Buick dealer of Littlefield.

The real estate transaction was handled by Mike Brewer.

The South building is being re-decorated, and as soon as completed will be occupied by Mr. Brannen, who is moving his hardware stock from the building now occupied by him next door to Renfro Bros. to the new location.

Person Losing Black Purse Urged To See Constable Ratliff

L. A. Ratliff, Littlefield Constable, reported to the Leader office Tuesday that a black purse, apparently gone through and abandoned, had been found by Thaxton Bros. in their wash room at the rear of their hardware establishment, and handed to him in the hope of returning it to the owner.

For purposes of identification the purse contains a snapshot of a young girl.

Anyone losing such a purse is urged to get in touch with L. A. Ratliff.

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE TO BE HELD SUNDAY

High School Graduates To Receive Diplomas Friday Evening

The entire closing exercises of the local schools will be held during the coming week. The Baccalaureate service will be held in the high school auditorium Sunday evening, May 31 at 8:30 p. m. The grammar school graduation will be held on Thursday evening and the high school commencement program will be held Friday evening. Both programs will be held in the high school auditorium at 8:30 according to dates above.

The Baccalaureate service is being held at a different time this year. Always in the past the service has been held at the eleven o'clock hour but owing to the urgent requests of the various ministers of the town it was decided to place the program at the evening hour. Miss Laura Virginia Bills will be in charge of the music for the occasion. Members of the various choirs of the city have kindly consented to lend their assistance in the fine singing that will be had. Rev. A. A. Brian will deliver the sermon. This duty, or opportunity, is passed around among the local ministers from year to year.

The Baccalaureate program will be as follows:

Processional—"March of the Priests," Mendelssohn.

Doxology—Miss Laura Virginia Bills.

Invocation—Rev. J. W. Hendrix.

Gloria Patri.

"Come Thou Almighty King", choir.

Announcements.

"All Hail the Power", choir.

Scripture Reading, Rev. A. A. Brian.

Anthem "Send Out the Light", choir.

Sermon, "Set Thine Heart Toward", choir.

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CITY COMMISSIONERS REFINANCE BONDS

After considerable work on the part of the City Commission, and as a result of a two day conference with Elcock and Martin, attorneys for the bondholders at Wichita, Kansas, they succeeded in making arrangements for the re-financing of the City Bonded indebtedness, which is approximately \$305,000.

Mayor L. R. Crockett, Commissioner H. C. Arnold, W. G. Street, City Secretary, and E. S. Rowe, City Attorney, made the trip to Wichita, Kansas, Thursday last, on the City business, returning home Monday.

Soon after arriving in Littlefield Monday the following notice of acceptance by wire was received by Mayor L. R. Crockett:

"Proposition of settlement and re-financing accepted stop final acceptance being mailed you today." According to Secretary Street, the

Over Four Inches Falls Over Littlefield Section In Four Days

The citizens of Littlefield, Lamb county, and the whole south Plains are rejoicing over the first general rain of the year, and the heaviest fall in several years.

Slow soaking rains began falling here Friday afternoon, and with the exception of short intervals, continued until Wednesday morning, when it let up for a while, showering again in the afternoon, when a total of 4 2-100 inches were recorded by L. C. Cawthon, official weather reporter. From Sunday at 8 p. m. until 6 a. m. Monday a total of 1 53-100 inches of moisture fell.

The moisture fell slowly, penetrating the ground to a depth that met the sub-soil making it especially beneficial to the land.

The rains are reported to have covered a territory extending from Fort Sumner, N. M., on the west to Wichita Falls on the east; from Texline on the New Mexico line north of Dalhart to Fort Worth along the Denver; from Amarillo to Austin and from Clovis to Comanche and southwest to Hobbs, N. M. Excellent planting seasons were reported from all sections.

Up to Tuesday afternoon reports received from various communities indicated the following rainfall: Pep 3 1-2 inches, Spade 4 1-2 inches, Fieldton 5, Bula 4, Valleyview 4, Sudan 5, Amherst 4, Anton 3, Shallowater 4, Levelland 3.75, Olton 3, Plainview 3.50, Canyon and Happy 3, Tulla 4, Hale Center 3.75, Muishoe 3.75, Lehman and Bledsoe 3, Roperville 4, Meadow to Seagraves 3.5, Enocks and Morton 4.

In interviewing E. C. Cundiff, who has been a resident of Littlefield since 1917, he said "this is the

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Application Filed To Operate Early Bus From Lubbock

According to Postmaster W. D. T. Storey, an application has been filed before the Railroad Commission for a permit to schedule a bus out of Lubbock at 6 o'clock each morning, to carry passengers, to take the place of the bus now arriving here at 10:30, in which event it is the plan to operate a special mail bus connecting with the Sweetwater train, and arriving in Littlefield possibly before noon each day, to carry the mail exclusively.

It is hoped that these plans will materialize in the near future, announced Mr. Storey.

Odd Shaped Turkey Egg On Display Here

T. J. Rhoten of Littlefield brought to the Leader office Tuesday a very unique shaped turkey egg, in that it is formed like a squash, with only a soft shell. The general belief of those viewing this egg is that it is undeveloped. It is on display in the Leader office window.

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above figures represent the City's entire indebtedness, with the exception of the water system revenue bonds, which are owned by the Federal Government.

In an interview with Mr. Street Tuesday, he said:

"Owing to the financial conditions, and the failure of many of the taxpayers to pay their taxes, the city was in default as to several bonds, which had matured, also as to a considerable amount of past due interest on the bonded indebtedness of the city.

"In April the Bankers Life Company, who are the owners of \$50,000 of the original water works bonds, filed suit against the city, in the Federal District Court at Lubbock, asking for judgment for \$7500, the amount of their past due interest, with the intention of later asking

LARGE NUMBER IN COUNTY SIGN WORK SHEETS

Over 2200 Farmers Cooperate in Soil Conservation Plan

More than twenty-two hundred farmers of Lamb county have signed up work sheets under the new Soil Conservation program, which represents about 85 per cent of the farmers of the county, according to Donald Turner, County Agent.

In order for a farmer to qualify for payments there must be on the farm in 1936 a minimum acreage of soil conserving crops equal to 20 per cent of the cotton base plus 15 per cent of the feed, wheat and corn base. The base cotton acreage will be about the same as last year unless an adjustment is made by the committee. The base acreage last year was the acreage allowed to plant, plus the rented acreage. The feed base is the acreage planted to grain sorghum, corn and wheat last year less the feed planted on cotton rented acres.

Acreage diverted from cotton may be planted to soybeans, cowpeas, or any legumes interplanted with a feed crop, either one row peas with one row feed, two rows of peas with two rows of feed, or one row peas with two rows feed. For example if cotton is reduced twenty acres, plant forty acres two rows peas and two rows feed. This will be counted twenty acres peas and twenty acres of feed. Acres diverted from the feed base may not be interplanted.

Farmers planting soil conserving crops different from that shown on the work sheet or using a different per cent of acreage diverted will qualify, and need not call at the county office to make the change on the worksheet, as this change will be taken care of at the time application for a grant is made later on in the summer.

The state committee has extended the final date for signing work sheets to June 10, 1936, and it is important that every farmer sign a work sheet. Many producers may actually be in compliance and eligible for grants who are not aware of the fact.

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Erosion Control Methods Save Water, Pasture

There was a considerable difference in moisture penetration following the rain of about two inches near Memphis, Texas, on April 26, 1936. Tests were made on terraced and pasture furrowed land on the Soil Conservation ECW camp area and compared with unterraced land.



soil to a depth of twenty-four-inches in and near the contour pasture furrows. The rain penetrated to a depth of ten or twelve inches on a portion of the pasture that had not been furrowed.

On the F. A. Finch ranch, also west of Memphis, moisture was found to a depth of three and one-half feet in and near the pasture furrows while eight feet above the furrows moisture penetrated to only fourteen inches.

W. P. Rogers, who had contour listed some of his terraced row crop land before the rain had moisture to an average depth of twenty-five inches, while on similar adjoining land farmed in straight rows the soil was wet to a depth of sixteen inches.

J. H. Scoggins had moisture to a depth of twenty-three inches on terraced and contour listed row crop land and on adjoining fields farmed in straight rows the depth of moisture was eighteen inches.

These farmers and many others were ready for rains and conserved in nearly every case all the rain which fell for use by crops and grasses.

NEW RULINGS ANNOUNCED BY STATE COMMITTEE

Land owners having multiple tenants on a contiguous block of farms may fill out a master work sheet instead of separate work sheets for each farm, it was announced by the State Soil Conservation Committee.

They also pointed out that payments will be prorated among all tenants similar to the way old parity payments were distributed and the land owner will be held responsible for compliance.

Of great importance to Texas farmers, members of the State committee commented, is the new rule that two rows of corn or grain sorghum interplanted with one row of cowpeas will count as two thirds

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HELEN RUTH CONNELLEY

DENTON, May 19—Tastes of the First Lady of Texas are seen in the selection of most beautiful girls at Texas State College for Women (CIA). Mrs. James V. Allred, wife of the Governor, chose Misses Jane

Howard, Wharton; Helen Ruth Connelley, Wichita Falls; Elisabeth Baugh, Temple, and Patsy Nance, Coleman for top honors from their respective classes. Misses Elizabeth Dolsen, Taylor,

Helen Langford, Kilgore; Ruth Ritter, Terrell; and Dorothy Freels, Yoakum, were also named for the distinction, and their pictures with those of the first group will appear in The Daodalian, yearbook of the college.

soil depleting crops and one-third soil-conserving. The county committee will determine the percentage of land occupancy.

Sudan grass has been ruled soil-conserving regardless of use and can be harvested for hay or seed, as a pasture, or left on the land.

The same is true of oats if followed by a summer legume after harvesting.

The State Soil Conservation Com-

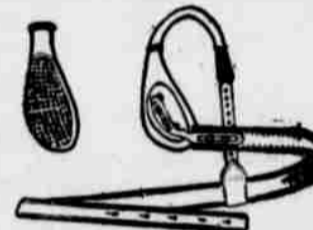
mittee assumed that crops will be grown and compliance will be sufficiently late to allow for this purpose.

It was also announced at the same time that the base rice acreage and production for 1936 will be the base that was established in 1935, except where producers are eligible for upward adjustment.

Upward adjustments will be made where the years of 1929 and 1930 were excluded from the previous base calculations; where the producer did not grow rice in one or more years in base period; where production was below a 10 barrel acreage on account of uncontrollable natural causes.

stage scores of thrilling western-type entertainments for Texans and their visitors from outside of the state. Some of the celebrations to

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Western Color Features Many Big Celebrations

Fort Worth, Texas, May 19.—Days of the old pioneer Wild West will be relieved in the Texas cattle country this summer in many rodeo and pioneer roundup celebrations planned in conjunction with the Centennial year observance of the Lone Star State.

Plans are being made now to

be repeated this year, such as Midland's Western rodeo and Stamford Cowboy reunion, are nationally famous.

Fort Worth, center of the widespread Southwestern cattle industry, will take the lead with the glamorous Texas Frontier Centennial from July 1 to December 1. Elaborate entertainment planned there will make the cattle city the play center of the nation during the five months of the Frontier show.

Among other colorful entertainments planned are events at Pampa and Midland in June; at Pecos, Stamford, Falfurrias, Canadian, Eagle Pass, and Borger in July and Big Spring, San Angelo, Odessa, and Lubbock in September.

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Children's ANKLETS

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Silk Knitted Slips—

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Printed Batiste Gowns—

Also rayon. Special, EACH **\$1**

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Regular \$1.19 value, EACH **95c**

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Standard quality and width, Yd. **23c**

Flaxon—

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81x99 Garza Sheets—

Fine quality bleached, EACH **\$1**

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Many new patterns, 10 YARDS **\$1**

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Heavy grade, 5 YARDS **95c**

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Fast color, 17c quality, 7 YARDS **\$1**

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For men and boys, 2 FOR **\$1**

Boys' Khaki Trousers—

Every size. \$1.39 quality, PAIR **\$1**

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LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

RENFRO BROTHERS GROCERY PLAN EXTENSIVE IMPROVEMENTS

Renfro Bros. Grocery & Market, which Raymond and Norman Renfro own and operate, Monday completed leasing arrangements for the building immediately south of their present location on Phelps street, and extensive improvements are now underway towards the establishment of a much larger and convenient shopping center by means of additional space recently acquired by Renfro Bros. was formerly owned by Brannen's Hardware, adds Renfro's additional space of 4250 square feet store space.

Work is underway Monday in the remodeling of the Renfro establishment. The awnings have been torn down, which will be replaced by new ones. The partition between the store and the newly acquired space will be torn down, and the entire building remodeled throughout, including decorating.

In announcing the improvements Renfro said: "We are remodeling the store and re-arranging the stock to make the most modern 'self-service' establishment possible, although we plan to still maintain the old-fashioned service to our customers, and to take care of our customers who do not wish to help themselves. We are going to enlarge our stock, considerably, carrying new lines, especially for the farmers, re-arrange stock so that it will be as convenient as possible for our customers to select from. In other words, we have as large a stock, as up to date in every way, and convenient grocery establishments in cities

much larger than Littlefield." All improvements as announced will not be carried out simultaneously; various improvements will be developed from time to time. The store will not close at any time during the remodeling, but business will be carried on as usual. The Renfro Bros. have been in business in Littlefield since 1929.

Seniors Honored At Centennial Banquet Thursday

Seniors of '36 were honored Thursday evening at a Centennial banquet at the Methodist church with the junior class as hosts. The Centennial idea was carried out in decorations and in the following program: Toastmaster—Hall Rowe. Invocation—F. A. Hemphill. Welcome Address—Hall Rowe. Response—Ted Kilpatrick. Quartet—Ruth and Josephine Wells, Vernell Caviness and Alene Robbins. Texas through a microscope—A. B. Sanders. Paeant—Members of junior class. Song—Assembly. Special numbers were given by Bobby Taylor and the Taylor orchestra furnished music throughout the evening.

Miss Lora Mae McFarland and Coach Jones, sponsors of the junior class were in general charge of the banquet which was served by the local order of the Eastern Star.

LAST RITES HELD WEDNESDAY FOR MRS. B. SWANNER

Dies As Result of Appendicitis and Other Ailments

Mrs. B. A. Swanner, 51, of 3 1/2 miles northeast of Littlefield, passed away at the Littlefield hospital shortly after midnight Wednesday morning, May 27, following an operation for appendicitis and other ailments. Funeral services were conducted at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist church, Littlefield, with Rev. Hard Richards, Primitive Baptist pastor of Anton, officiating. Interment in charge of Hammons Funeral Home, took place in the Littlefield cemetery. Pallbearers were: Gene and Ralph Attaway, Leonard and Cecil McCoy and Avel and Raymond Swanner, nephews of the deceased. Deceased was a member of the Primitive Baptist church and had been a resident of this section for the past four years, coming here from Falls county. She is survived by her husband and the following children: J. D. of Waco; Marvin and Jack of Littlefield; Roland of Waco; Mrs. Clinton Williams of Pop; Mrs. Billie Cooper and Mrs. Lowell Walden, Littlefield; and five grandchildren.

BULA NEWS

Everyone is rejoicing over the good rains we have been getting. Several having to replant some. Brother McMaster preached at the Methodist church Sunday. Singing was held at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. Plans were made to organize a singing class. Mrs. N. S. Bagwell, of Claude, Texas has been spending a few days with her niece, Mrs. John Blackman and family. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. King of Sudan spent Sunday in the L. R. Gilbert home. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Nordyke of Lubbock spent the week end here. Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. John Blackman enjoyed several games of "pitch" and ice

cream and cake in Shorty Bussy's home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hubb and Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Adduddell shopped in Sudan Saturday.

Viola Bain spent Saturday night with Ruth Light.

Billie Cook returned to his home at Clarendon after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cook.

Mrs. F. F. Simmons and son shopped in Lubbock Friday.

Dr. A. Hubbard has moved to Lubbock to practice.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bain and family and Mrs. G. C. Terry and daughters also Miss Freda Gene Terry ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Blackman.

Patients Admitted To Local Hospital During This Week

Patients received by the local hospital during this week are:

Mrs. Rasberry of southeast of Littlefield was admitted Saturday, suffering from pneumonia. She is reported to be improving. Mrs. J. M. Hardin of Anton underwent an operation for appendicitis Sunday, and is getting along nicely.

Robt. A. Bigham was admitted Sunday morning for medical treatment. He is reported to be getting along nicely, and will soon be able to return to his home.

P. L. Payne of the Government Loan office underwent an operation after his appendix had ruptured, Monday at the local hospital, and is reported to be "holding his own," though in a rather critical condition.

Donald Wester, son of Supt. and Mrs. Wester of Spade, had his tonsils removed Monday, returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. G. W. Simpson of 4 miles south of Littlefield was admitted for medical treatment Monday and is showing improvement.

Mrs. Florence King of Olton underwent an operation for appendicitis Wednesday, and is getting along fine.

AMHERST

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cassel and family have moved to Lovington, N. M. Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Smallwood and daughter Gaby Mae were here

this week on business.

Mrs. Wilma Woakes and children have returned here for the summer. Mrs. Noakes is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Palmer and teacher in the Corpus Christi schools.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Graham left Sunday for Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Boyles have moved to Duncan, Okla.

Mrs. Lester LaGrange and Mrs. C. A. Duffy entertained Sudan, Littlefield and Olton friends with a bridge party last Wednesday afternoon.

Rep. and Mrs. R. R. Gilbreath are attending commencement at McMurray college at Abilene this week. Their daughter, Eula Lee receives her degree.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. McGee were attending to business here during the week end.

Mr. James Duffy and Mrs. Ray Sooy of Mangum, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Duffy last week.

Mrs. S. D. Hay of Olton installed the officers of the Parent-Teacher association last Thursday.

Mary LaGrange is on a fishing trip in northern New Mexico with her aunt, Mrs. L. E. Slate of Sudan and Mr. Slate.

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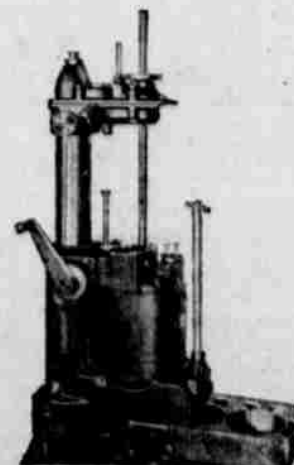
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SOCIETY.

Mother-Daughter Banquet Given By B. & P. W. Club

One of the outstanding social events of the past week was the Mother-Daughter banquet given by the local B. & P. W. club at the Methodist church Monday evening, which was served by the Sorosis class of the Methodist church.

Bowls of Red and Purple Snapdragons decorated the tables, while Centennial roses, Daisies and lavender Snapdragons formed the centerpiece.

Favors were corsages of Rainbow daisies and gladiolas.

Following an address of welcome to the Mothers from the outgoing president, Miss Gladys Jones, a reading by Dr. Hazel Nelms was enjoyed, followed by a song by Misses Gladys Jones and Wynn Mason, with Miss Evelyn Garlington at the piano, and introduction of Mothers by Mrs. W. E. Jeffries, who gave a very fitting

address of appreciation to the Daughters.

The program also included a vocal number by Miss Jones and Mrs. Pat Boone; introduction of B. & P. W. members by Miss Ethy Lou Edwards, various songs by the entire gathering, and talks by the Mothers.

Following the program officers for the ensuing year were installed as follows: President, Miss Fern Hoover; Vice-President, Miss Bernice Westbrook; Secretary, Miss Agatha Gore; Treasurer, Miss Laura Sue Bass; and Parliamentarian, Miss Ethy Lou Edwards.

Miss Gladys Jones, outgoing President, was presented with a pin from the club, the presentation being made by Mrs. H. W. Wiseman.

Miss Mary Belle Montgomery was in charge of general arrangements, assisted by the menu committee, composed of Mrs. T. S. Sales, chairman, and Mrs. Payne Wood and Miss Mary Jo Wilson, and the program committee, on which Miss Ethy Lou Edwards, Miss Fern Hoover, and Miss Montgomery served.

Engagement of Miss Holland and Arthur Mueller Announced

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Colene Holland, member of Spade School Faculty, and Arthur Mueller of Littlefield, was announced Friday afternoon at a miscellaneous shower given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Sneffield, in which all Spade community joined wholeheartedly in honoring the bride-to-be.

The home was beautifully decorated with cut flowers of pleasing variety. The program included a game, "Romance in Song," and a dramatization of "Young Lochinvar," modernized to fit the occasion.

A very complimentary number of delightful gifts were presented in a rather unique manner. The plan of presentation was that of a pie, sung about in the age-old nursery rhyme—"Sing a Song of Sixpence," and when the pie was opened "the gifts which were displayed seemed "fit to set before a King," or a queen, as it might be.

Following the presentation of the gifts refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to about sixty guests, the place cards announcing the wedding to take place Sunday, May 31.

The large gathering, together with the beautiful array of gifts, was but a token of the high esteem in which the honoree, Miss Holland, is held in the Spade community, where she has been a member of the school faculty for the past four years, and where she is appreciated by all.

Attending from Littlefield were: Mesdames M. G. Vinther, R. A. Biggam, E. Mueller, W. D. T. Storey and T. S. Sales.

Mesdames Gardner, Green and Henson Entertain at Bridge

One of the most delightful parties of the past week was the Bridge given by Mrs. W. H. Gardner, Mrs. L. T. Green and Mrs. Calvin Henson at the Green residence on east Seventh street Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Nine tables were arranged for the games.

A profusion of beautiful roses and larkspur graced the entertaining rooms for the occasion.

Pot plants centered the card tables, which were presented as cut prizes following the games.

Mrs. Dennis Jones was awarded the high score prize, while the second high prize was carried away by Mrs. R. E. Lewis.

Those attending were: Mesdames Arbie Joplin, A. B. Sanders, F. O. Boles, W. G. Street, Lena Howard, E. S. Rowe, C. E. Payne, R. E. Bird, S. J. Farquhar, J. D. Dodgen, O. P. Wilemon, R. T. Badger, R. E. McCaskill, Jack Farr, W. C. Thaxton, Van Clark, L. C. Hewitt, J. H. Barnett, J. C. Hilburn, W. J. Aldridge, Ed Melver, Alph Wright, J. T. Elms, J. W. Keithley, R. E. Lewis, Roy Young, Willie Rumback, Warren Rutledge, Dennis Jones, James Nix, Floyd Hemphill, T. Wade Potter, Mancel Hall, W. O. Stockton, John Porcher, and Miss Eva Gertrude Chisholm, to whom refreshments were passed following the games.

Mrs. L. C. Strawn Honored at Shower Thursday Afternoon

Honoring Mrs. L. C. Strawn, formerly Miss Odessa Wills, Mrs. Lee Bennett entertained at her home on East Seventh Street, with a miscellaneous bridal shower Thursday afternoon.

Some interesting games were played, led by Miss Naomi Whitaker and Mrs. Maurine Logan, after which a large basket and box of gifts were presented to the bride of honor.

Ice cream and cake were served to the following guests: Mesdames Spires, Fink, Eugene Johnson, Curtis Wills, J. W. Wills, Robert Parker, L. K. Whitaker, Edwin Logan, L. C. Strawn, Chisholm, and Misses Louise Chisholm, Florence Parker,

Naomi Whitaker, and Messrs L. C. Strawn, Edwin Logan, Chisholm and the hostess, Mrs. Lee Bennett.

Those sending gifts that were not present: Mesdames T. S. Sales, Kirk, Shaw, Gaylon Williams, C. E. Strawn, Foust, Audis Greer, B. L. Cogdill, Willis, Steffy and Misses Dorothy Newgent, Myrtle Marion Shaw, Marie Rutherford, Edythe Walker and Edna Byers.

Mrs. LaGrange and Mrs. P. A. Duffey Joint Hostesses

Mrs. Lester LaGrange and Mrs. P. A. Duffey of Anherst were joint hostesses at a bridge party Wednesday afternoon of last week, when a number of Littlefield players attended.

Mrs. Foster of Sudan scored high in the games; Mrs. Pat Boone received the second prize, while the traveling prize went to Mrs. Grupe of Sudan.

Attending from Littlefield were: Mesdames Pat Boone, C. E. Cooper, J. M. Stokes, H. W. Wiseman, and W. D. T. Storey.

Engagement of Couple Announced at Coffee Sunday

The engagement of Miss Winnell McCoy of Lubbock and Homan Arnett of Spade Ranch was announced at a coffee given by the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. P. C. McCoy, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Elton McCoy, at 1311 Sixteenth Street, Lubbock.

Small scrolls, each tied with a maine bow and a rose carried the names of the couple and their wedding date, June 7. A color scheme of yellow and blue was used.

Mr. Arnett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Arnett of Lubbock.

El Martis Club Entertained by Mrs. O. P. Wilemon

Members of the El Martis club were entertained by Mrs. O. P. Wilemon at the Quinton Bellomy residence Tuesday afternoon of last week, when two tables of bridge were enjoyed.

High score prize was awarded Mrs. E. S. Rowe, while the second high was carried away by Mrs. J. H. Barnett.

Following the games, a lovely salad course was served the following guests: Mesdames W. G. Street, E. S. Rowe, J. D. Dodgen, J. H. Barnett, L. C. Hewitt, S. J. Farquhar, W. H. Gardner and J. O. Garlington.

Mrs. Sid Hopping Entertains at Bridge Luncheon

Mrs. Sid Hopping was the gracious hostess Friday at 12:30 noon, when she entertained at a bridge luncheon at her home in Olton.

Following the luncheon two tables of bridge were enjoyed, Mrs. Dennis Jones scoring high in the games.

Those enjoying this social affair were: Mesdames C. E. Cooper, Pat Boone, C. E. Payne, Bill Pass, O. P. Wilemon, R. E. Bird, Dennis Jones and W. O. Stockton.

Mrs. Vernie Wright Plans Vacation Trip; To Visit Son Tilden

Mrs. Vernie Wright is planning on leaving Littlefield June 2 on a month's vacation trip.

She will spend a week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. White at Dallas, from where she will go to Galveston and sail June 10th for New York. She will visit her son Tilden, a cadet, at West Point, for a week, Mr. Wright has been at West Point since July 1, and will be what is known as "third class man", or upperclass student" after June 12.

Mrs. Wright will return home by way of Washington and spend a few days sightseeing in and around that city, after which she will visit Niagara Falls, and other points in the north before returning home about July 3.

Brother of Mancel Hall is Married at Lubbock Saturday

The marriage of Miss Mary Jo Griffith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Griffith of Lubbock, and Homer A. Hall, son of Mrs. Christine Hall, also of Lubbock, and brother of Mancel Hall of this city, took place Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in the First Methodist church, with the Rev. R. C. Campbell, pastor of the First Baptist church, reading a double ring ceremony.

The bride and bridegroom and their attendants were dressed in white. The bride entered with her father, who gave her in marriage. Her dress was of white chiffon and she wore her mother's betrothal bracelet and carried a prayer book and orchid. Her hat was of white violets.

Mrs. Lee Black of Crowell was

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B. KERSEY OF AMARILLO PURCHASES LITTLEFIELD GROCERY AND MARKET

Mrs. Jack Henry Hostess Tuesday Bridge Club

Mrs. Jack Henry was hostess to members of the Tuesday Bridge club Tuesday afternoon at her home on East Seventh street, when two tables of bridge were enjoyed.

Mrs. O. P. Wilemon scored high in the games, while Mrs. Quinton Bellomy received the second high prize.

Those attending were: Mesdames Wilemon, Bellomy, Dennis Jones, Roy Young, Willie Rumback, of Littlefield, and Mrs. George Broome and Mrs. Paul Whitfield of Anton, to whom a salad course was passed.

A deal has been completed whereby B. Kersey of Amarillo has become owner of the Littlefield Furr Food Store, according to an announcement made this week. Mr. Kersey will take charge of the local store Monday.

Prior to coming to Littlefield, Mr. Kersey was manager of one of the Furr Food stores in Amarillo, and had been with the Furr interests there for ten years. He also served as manager of a Dallas grocery for 20 years.

Mr. Kersey announced that no change would be made in the personnel of the store other than he was moving to Littlefield to manage the store. Dates for the formal opening of the store under the new management will be announced at an early date.

J. C. Smith returned Saturday from a trip to El Paso on business for Porcher produce.

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matron of honor, Miss Evelyn Sloan was maid of honor and Misses Gladys Hall and Florence Griffith, sisters of the couple, were bridesmaids. They wore white organdy dresses and polk bonnets and their corsages were of roses.

George Carter served as best man. Dayle Vannoy and Wayland Griffith were groomsmen and George Pratas, C. O. Cheaney and Jerry Strickland were ushers.

Immediately following the ceremony Mrs. Griffith entertained with a reception at the Lubbock hotel in honor of the couple.

The happy couple are now on a ten day tour of New Mexico, following which they will be at home at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Mancel Hall were among the large number of out of town relatives attending the wedding and reception.

Mrs. G. M. Shaw to Present Pupils in Recital Thursday

Mrs. G. M. Shaw will present her pupils in a recital at the Methodist church Thursday evening at 8:15 o'clock.

The public are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Westbrook Recuperating at Home of Sister

The many friends of Miss Bernice Westbrook will be glad to learn that she is recuperating at the home of her sister in Houston, following her operation for appendicitis about two weeks ago, and is getting along nicely.

Miss Fern Hoover received a card from Miss Westbrook last week to this effect.

James L. Courtney Weds Texarkana Girl Thursday

Miss Catherine Phillips of Texarkana and James L. Courtney, formerly of Littlefield, but now of that city, were married Thursday evening, May 21, at 8:30 o'clock in a quiet and simple ceremony at the First Methodist church, Texarkana, with the Rev. Walter W. Armstrong, pastor of the Texas Methodist church, officiating in the ring ceremony in the presence of members of the immediate families.

The bride was becomingly dressed in pale yellow crepe with which she wore white accessories and carried an arm bouquet of sweetheart roses.

The couple are making their home at Texarkana, where Mr. Courtney is connected with the Tri-State Oil Company, Inc.

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69c value, 2 for

Dress Shirts—\$1
For Men, 2 for

Work Shirts—\$1
79c value, 2 for

Broadcloth—\$1
Or Print, 15c value, 10 Yds.

Step-Ins—\$1
39c value, 4 Pairs

Shorts or Shirts—\$1
6 Garments

Pants and Shirts—\$1
(To match) Summer weight. Garment

Ladies' Dresses 79c
\$1.00 Value

Ladies' Dresses—\$1
69c Values, 3 for

Cooper's B.V.D's \$1
69c Values, 3 for

Shirts and Pants—\$1
Khaki, \$1.59 value. Each

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Sizes 12 1/2 to 14 3 FOR
- BOYS' POLO SHIRTS—\$1
Blue, White and yellow, 2 FOR
- MEN'S WASH PANTS—\$1
One assortment, special PAIR
- MEN'S OVERALLS AND WORK PANTS—\$1
Heavy, blue, special, PAIR
- LADIES' SHOES—\$1
Assortment white, brown, and black PAIR
- LITTLE BOYS' WASH SUITS—\$1
Assorted colors 2 FOR
- SILVERWARE—\$1
Forks, spoons, butter knives, sugar shells, 20 pieces, with certificates
- CHILDREN'S SANDALS—\$1
White, pink and black. Sizes 3 to 8, \$1.19 values. PAIR
- CHILDREN'S UNIONALLS—\$1
Striped. Sizes 1 to 8 2 FOR
- MEN'S MUSLIN NIGHT SHIRTS—\$1
No starch EACH
- MEN'S ALL WOOL SWIM SUITS—\$1
EACH
- MEN'S WORK SHIRTS—\$1.50
"Five Brother" 2 FOR
- MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS—\$1
Values up to \$1.25 EACH
- BLISTER CREPE—\$1
Printed and plain, assorted colors 3 YARDS
- LACE CLOTH—\$1
Woven designs, all colors 2 1/2 YARDS
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Shaw Accepts Position With The McMakin Bus Co.

Shaw of Littlefield has accepted a position with the McMakin Coaches at Eubock as publicity man for all their lines. Mr. Shaw states this company operates around 1200 to 1400 bus miles daily, buses travelling through Brownfield, Odessa, McCamey, Seminole, Hobbs, N. M. and into Carlsbad, N. M. Beginning May 31 Mr. Shaw says they will put on a week end schedule operating between Lubbock and the Carsbad Caverns.

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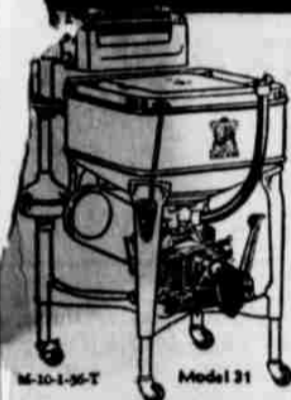
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SUDAN'S GRADUATING CLASS LARGEST IN HISTORY OF SCHOOL

Sudan School Exercises were held Friday evening, May 15, when Deputy State Superintendent G. D. Holbrook made the principal address. Principal W. N. Bobbitt presented the awards and Supt. W. D. Biggers presented the diplomas.

There were thirty-four members of the graduating class this year. This was the largest class in the history of Sudan High school. The list of graduates is as follows:

Denver Nunley, Raybon Lam, Mary Will McNeely, Ona Faye Speck, Viola Bain, J. B. Crump, Wayne Crump, Annie Damron, Bill DeLoach, Alice Marie Glascock, Phipps Gleason, Delbert Harvey, Tempy Hill, Kathryn Hunt, Bobbie Lee Killingsworth, Hershel King, Marie Lancaster, Bessie Jim Nichols, Vera Padgett, Mildred Palmer, Nadine Payne, Ray Perkins, Carroll Preston, Albidene Ramsey, Willie Mae Seymore, Frances Shaffer, Louise Stuart, Joanna Thomason, Edyth Tyler, Virginia Vereen, Alva Vernon, Bill Whitwell, Hugh White, Zora Withrow.

On Thursday night the grade school exercises were held with Principal Hutchinson giving the promotion certificates to 24 seventh grade students. The program for the evening was a pageant in keeping with the Texas Centennial.

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State Ad Valorem Tax Rate Reduced From 77c To 62c

State ad valorem tax rate has been reduced from 77c to 62c and the State will have a cash balance of more than three million dollars in all of the operating funds, except the Confederate Pension fund, at the end of the current fiscal year, Governor James V. Allred told the Texas Bankers Convention last week.

"This cash balance of three million dollars," the Governor said, "will be maintained even after the increase of the scholastic per capita apportionment from \$17.50 for the current year to \$18.50 by the State Board of Education."

The \$18.50 per capita apportionment is the largest ever made by the State of Texas. It will effect the destiny of about 1,558,000 scholastics.

During the Allred administration about three million dollars will have been paid for the Centennial. Every debt of the available free school fund has been paid and appropriations for rural aid have been increased by two million dollars per year.

Since September of last year \$2,731,000.00 has been set aside for sinking fund and interest on the State's bonded indebtedness. The State owes at this time \$13,537,750.00 on the twenty million dollar relief bonds voted in 1933.

Taxpayers have been saved approximately four and three-quarter million dollars by the slash in the State ad valorem rate from 77c to 62c the Governor pointed out.

Enroll For Membership In "Service Craftsmen"

More than 3000 mechanics, shop foremen, service salesmen and service managers of Pontiac dealers throughout the United States have enrolled for membership in the select group of service men known as the Pontiac Service Craftsmen, according to L. K. Marshall, general service manager of the company.

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TO SPEAK ON "TEXAS PIONEER SPIRIT" AT AMHERST MAY 29TH

"The Texas "Pioneer Spirit" is the subject of a commencement address with a Centennial theme to be given at Amherst High school May 29 by Mrs. William Dings, assistant professor of Latin at Texas Technological college. She addressed graduates at Roaring Springs High school May 22.

MORTON MAN SUFFERS LOSS OF LEFT FOOT

In an effort to get relief from the infection from which he had been suffering the past three years, Creed Watkins of Morton, a sufferer from Bergers disease, submitted to having right foot amputated Tuesday of last week at the Lubbock sanitarium.

Mr. Watkins, when first attacked by this infection some five years ago, lost his left leg in the same way and later a part of his finger.

He is reported to be getting along nicely.

MANION RICE SHIPS 230 CARS OF GRAIN

The Manion Rice Elevator Co. has shipped 230 cars of grain in the last few months. Of these, 130 was threshed grain and sudan, and 100 cars of maize heads. They also have some grain yet to move.

PEP HAS POST OFFICE; M. A. BURKE IN CHARGE

The village of Pep, situated on the Morton and Sudan road and which is about half way between the two towns, now has a Postoffice. Mr. M. A. Burke, a merchant of that place, was appointed postmaster, and the order creating office became effective Wednesday of last week.

The new office is served by Littlefield Star Route No 1, which also serves Morton and Bula in southern Bailey County. This route is over 100 miles in length.

SIGNS NORRIS BILL

President Roosevelt Thursday signed the Norris bill authorizing expenditure of \$410,000,000 over the next 10 years for rural electrification.

JUDGE GRAHAM ADDRESSES BLEDSOE SCHOOL PUPILS

Judge Graham, of Morton acting in his capacity as superintendent of the schools made the principal address at the graduation exercises at the close of the school Friday, May, 15. There were two who graduated from the high school and two from the grades.

Bledsoe has had a very successful term of school.

Superintendent Gerald Peters did not offer himself for re-election and the high school principal, E. A. Butts has been offered that position. The man to succeed Mr. Butts has not yet been selected.

Guy Aldridge To Spend Summer Vacation At Home

Guy Aldridge, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Aldridge of Littlefield, is expected home for the summer vacation immediately following commencement at New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, May thirtieth to June 2nd.

Young Aldridge is one of one hundred ten boys from Texas enrolled at N. M. M. I. Seventeen cadets from Texas are being graduated from New Mexico Military Institute this year and twenty-two are receiving High School certificates at the graduation ceremonies.

Patients Admitted To Local Hospital During Past Week

Patients admitted to the local hospital the past week are as follows: Miss Flora Maestes of Littlefield was admitted Wednesday of last week suffering from ruptured appendix. She underwent an operation, and is in a serious condition, according to those in charge.

Hubert Dykes of Beck's community was operated on for removal of his appendix Friday, and is getting along nicely, and will likely be able to return home this week end.

Mrs. C. M. Puckett of Enchs was admitted Friday for medical treatment, and is progressing nicely.

Mrs. L. R. Crockett had her tonsils removed at the local hospital Saturday morning, returning to her home Sunday.

L. A. Duffer of Spade, who suffered a ruptured appendix, and underwent an operation at the local hospital May 13, is still confined there, but will likely be able to return home this week end.

COCHRAN COUNTY ASSESSMENTS SHOW INCREASE FOR YEAR

The assessment of values of all taxable property for Cochran County, reaches the total, according to the assessment rolls for County and State taxes, of \$5,333,000.00, showing an increase of about \$100,000.00 over last year.

Lady Took Cardui When Weak, Nervous

"I can't say enough for Cardui if I talked all day," enthusiastically writes Mrs. L. H. Caldwell, of Statesville, N. C. "I have used Cardui at intervals for twenty-five years," she adds. "My trouble in the beginning was weakness and nervousness. I read of Cardui in a newspaper and decided right then to try it. It seemed before I had taken half a bottle of Cardui I was stronger and was soon up and around."

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Pioneer Home To Be Exhibited At Texas University

Among the many interesting exhibits now being erected in Gregory gym on the campus of the University of Texas for the University Centennial Exposition is a typical pioneer home.

The rooms and furnishings are being built entirely by hand and constructed of native wood from Bastrop County. CCC workers at the Bastrop Buescher Park are providing the materials.

This structure will be the central unit of the display in botanical history of Texas. It will consist of an entry room, a living room and a bedroom—the same as these used in the early days in Texas. The house will be 12 by 38 feet.

The exhibit is being prepared to acquaint Centennial visitors with the types of building wood found nearby Austin.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Senator, District No. 30—**G. H. NELSON**
For Tax Assessor and Collector—**ROY GILBERT**
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—**J. T. BELLOMY**
L. E. KEY
W. H. (Hiram) BELL
J. F. (Jim) GIBSON
NEWT. CANTRELL

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3—**ROY L. GATTIS**
G. M. VANN
For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 4
J. B. SIKES
M. W. BREWER
For County Clerk—**STANLEY DOSS**
For Sheriff—**F. A. LOYD**
LEE BRUCE
C. W. (Wess) CAMPBELL
For County Treasurer—**MRS. W. P. McDANIEL**
For District Court Clerk—**I. B. HOLT**
For County Judge—**SIMON D. HAY**
C. W. BENGE
L. R. CROCKETT
For County Attorney—**HERBERT C. MARTIN**
BILLY HALL
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SIDELIGHTS ON UNEMPLOYMENT

Technically, of course, everybody who isn't working is unemployed. But whether he is unemployed because he does not want to work, because he is unable to work, because he never did work and does not intend to begin now, or whether he is actually a victim of the depression, having once been a habitual worker and now unable to find employment, are questions which need to be answered before any intelligent understanding of the "unemployment situation" can be arrived at.

In the absence of any such count and classification, it is the easiest thing in the world for political demagogues to assert that there are ten or twelve million persons who once had jobs but are now unemployed. A little thought will demonstrate that this cannot possibly be true.

Industry at its peak, using the word in its strict sense of manufacturing, never employed as many as ten million workers, and the National Industrial Conference Board reports that industry as a whole is now employing more than 80 per cent of its former high. Those figures are borne out by a survey which one newspaper, the New York Sun, has been making among all the large manufacturers and business houses of the United States. An amazingly high percentage of them report that they are now employing more workers than they were in 1929.

Who, then, actually constitute the army of the unemployed? Well, there are the farm workers who have lost their jobs because of droughts and reduction of crop acreage. Their number is estimated variously up to two million. Then there are the younger potential workers who have been unable to land jobs since they reached working age. No reasonably approximate figures of their number is available, but it may run to a couple of million. A high percentage of these, however, is being absorbed rapidly in retail trade, which is running ten per cent higher in volume and in number of employees than in 1929, on the national average.

All in all, we come to the conclusion that there are only a few more than three million employables in trade and industry who are actually unemployed.

EVERYBODY PAYS TAXES

How many folks know how much they contribute toward the cost of government? It is a safe bet that few, if any, can give the right answer. But it is certain that everybody does pay taxes, directly or indirectly.

If every commodity purchased, and every bill received for anything, could bear on its face a note stating the amount of the total charge representing taxes, paid at one point or another in the process of production and distribution, it would not take long for the general run of people, who imagine that taxes are paid only by the rich, to realize that they are carrying a tax burden even heavier in proportion to their means.

Taxes have a direct bearing on wages. The income of every employee depends basically on the earning power of the business that employs him, and on the ability of the employer to pay adequate real wages. "Real" wages are not measurable in dollars, but in the commodities which the current dollar will buy. When the prices of food, clothing, rent and the other necessities of life go up by reason of increased taxes, the effect is a reduction in the real wages of workers. The wage-earner pays taxes not alone in the prices of the things he buys, but in the reduced power of his employer to pay him higher wages.

One of the big motor car companies reports that its taxes last year were 21 per cent of its payroll. A large railroad system figures that this year's taxes will come to 22 per cent of its payroll. Of course, somebody has to pay for the cost of government, local, county, state and national, but whether it is necessary to pay such a high price for government is a live question which more and more people are asking.

The realization that taxes come out of everybody's pockets, in higher prices and lower wages, is spreading. When every man comes to a full understanding that neither he nor anybody else escapes taxation, he is going to begin to find out just where the tax money goes, who spends it and for what.

Last Rites Held For Peritonitis Victim Monday

Florinda Maestas, aged 14, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felipe Maestas of north section of Littlefield, passed away at the local hospital Sunday, May 24, about 12 o'clock, noon, following an illness of about two weeks. Peritonitis was given as cause of death.

Funeral services were conducted at the residence Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Father Gabriel of Lubbock, and interment, in charge of Burleson Funeral home, took place in the Littlefield cemetery.

Deceased was admitted Wednesday of last week in the Littlefield hospital suffering from ruptured appendix, and although everything possible was done to prevent spreading of the poison, she died four days later.

She was survived by her parents, two sisters and one brother.

Rumback Hotel Redecorating; Laying New Rugs

Considerable improvements are being carried out by the Rumback Hotel.

New floor coverings have been laid in the reception hall and office and in several bedrooms, Hammons Furniture, furnishing the rugs.

The rooms are also being redecorated throughout.

T. Wade Potter Is Delegate To State Democratic Meeting

At the Lamb County Democratic Convention held early this month, T. Wade Potter was elected delegate from Lamb County to the State Democratic Convention at San Antonio, which opened Tuesday morning.

Mr. Potter left Littlefield Monday to attend the meeting.

Sudan Troop Turns In Largest Number Of Registrations

Troop No. 39 of Sudan has turned in the largest number of camp registrations to date. Scoutmaster J. C. Hutchinson has reported 12 scouts registered thus far for camp. Troop No. 10 of Lubbock reported ten registrations. Fifty-five advance registrations have been made to date for camps at Camp Post by scouts over the South Plains Council.

There are three camp periods at Camp Post, June 7-13; June 14-20; and June 21-27. July 12-22 there will be another scout camp to Sacramento Mountains in New Mexico for ten days.

PRIZES FOR BEST ESSAY BEING GIVEN TO BOY SCOUTS

Dallas, May 26.—Boy Scouts are being invited by Paramount director King Vidor, native Texan, to write essays on their impressions of the Texas rangers, with an all-expense visit to the Texas Centennial Exposition as the prize for the best.

More than 30,000 Texas Boy Scouts are expected to participate in the contest.

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The campaign to sell Texas Centennial half-dollars will be pushed in Dallas and in Fort Worth during the Texas Centennial Central Exposition and the Frontier Day

celebration in Fort Worth. During the National Tomato Festival at Jacksonville, a campaign will be conducted in that city for the sale of coins.



Congratulations Graduates---

To the members of the graduating classes, to their mothers and fathers, and to the members of the Littlefield High School Faculty on the completion of a successful school year.

It is a pleasant task to wish each of you Health, Wealth and Happiness.

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