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THE COUNTY SEAT NEWSPAPER

## Big Political Rally Here Saturday Night

Candidates Invited—Raymon Holt is Chairman—J. W. Lummus Will Direct Local Band

Final details were completed today for a huge political rally and speaking to be held here Saturday night, to which all district, county and precinct candidates are invited. This meeting has been arranged in response to demands of both district and county office-seekers who want to discuss issues of their candidacy with voters of the northern two-thirds of Wheeler county in particular as well as the whole county in general.

With the first primary election just one week from Saturday, this will likely be the last general meeting in the county. Some last-minute private campaigning will probably continue during a part of next week; however, several of the candidates state they have about completed the rounds.

The meeting will be held on the west court house steps and lawn, affording every convenience for Wheeler shoppers to "listen in." Raymon Holt, Wheeler banker, has consented to act as chairman and announcer for the evening. A loud-speaker will be installed to extend the audition range. Equipment owned by Ralph Martin of Mobeetie has been engaged for this purpose.

### Lummus to Direct Band

One of the features of the meeting will be a band concert by the Wheeler Municipal band, under direction of J. W. "Dub" Lummus, former leader of the musical organization, now living at Kellerville. In a telephone conversation this afternoon, Lummus agreed to come and direct the band for this occasion. Friends of Lummus and of the band as a civic organization will be gratified at the chance to see and hear him wield the baton again.

Wheeler citizens are glad of this opportunity to extend a hearty welcome to candidates and the general public at large, whether voters or not, to come to the Wheeler county seat on Saturday night, July 16, and meet friends and acquaintances in an old-fashioned neighborly visit while political aspirants make the welkin ring as they extol their merits and qualifications for this or that office.

The gathering is in no sense a novelty. A similar county-wide rally was held at Shamrock a short time ago. Tonight one is being held in Lefors and tomorrow (Friday) night, Pampa will be host at a rally. Saturday night of this week, as has been said, is candidates' night in Wheeler, when they—one and all—will be cordially welcomed and courteously heard.

## Sheriff Candidate Makes a Statement

To the Voters of Wheeler County: As this political campaign draws to a close, I want to express my gratitude to the citizenship of this county. Though I am just a common



dirt farmer, you have accepted my race with favor. You have agreed with me that any man with normal intelligence and determination to do right and possessed of energy and willing to work and understands his oath of office and believes in law enforcement can make a good sheriff whether he ever saw the court house before or not.

To the many who have pledged me their support, I am indeed grateful. Though I have worked hard and tried to see every voter, of course I have not. And to those I have not seen and cannot see, I say "Vote for Shorty Reynolds for sheriff and you will never have cause to regret it." Shorty Reynolds will be in the runoff. The people are thinking, they

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## Evangelist



REV. GEO. W. McCALL  
Above is presented a likeness of Rev. Geo. W. McCall of Dallas, state Baptist evangelist, who will lead a series of revival meetings in the First Baptist church of Mobeetie, beginning Sunday, July 17. Dr. McCall is recommended highly by Dr. Geo. W. Truett of Dallas. He is said to be a preacher of power and great influence in this state. Rev. T. W. McKneely, pastor of the Mobeetie church, invites the public to hear Dr. McCall.

## Miss Wertha Tarter Weds Man from Vega

Miss Wertha Tarter of Perryton and Mr. H. H. Leonhardt of Vega were married at the home of the bride's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Martin, Wichita Falls, on Saturday evening, July 2.

Mrs. Leonhardt is a sister of Jake Tarter, county agent of Wheeler county, and is well and favorably known here and at Wellington, where she completed her grade and high school work in 1929 and later graduated from W. T. S. C. at Canyon. She taught school until a year and a half ago, when she was appointed home demonstration agent of Ochiltree county where she had efficiently performed the duties of her office.

Mr. Leonhardt is a graduate of Iowa State College of Agriculture and is working on his master's degree at A. & M. College Station. He is a civil engineer in the soil conservation service, with headquarters at Vega, where he has just completed their new home.

## Hattie Womack Asks Support in Campaign

"Because of demands upon my time by duties of the office," stated Miss Hattie Womack today, "it may prove impossible for me to meet every voter personally, as I would like to do, and solicit his or her support in my campaign for re-election to the position of county treasurer.

"Therefore I employ this means to explain the situation, believing any and all voters whom I do not see personally will understand that none are missed intentionally, and their support and vote on July 23 will be deeply appreciated," concluded Miss Womack.

Hattie Womack has made a splendid record as treasurer, maintaining a high standard of service, courtesy and attention to details of her work. She pledges, that if elected, to make every effort to continue the fine record of the past.

Mrs. Ernest Wood and niece, Neta Roy, of Crosbyton came Friday to visit their aunt and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Green, and children until Sunday when they were accompanied home by the former's mother, Mrs. C. E. Roy, who had spent the week with her sister, Mrs. J. P. Green, and family.

## POLL TAX EXEMPTION ERROR CORRECTED

Correction is cheerfully made of a statement appearing in this paper last week concerning poll tax exemptions which has caused the county chairman and assessor's office some inconvenience. Persons becoming of age on Feb. 1, 1938, and up to election day may vote without an exemption certificate. Jan. 31 was the closing date for issuing exemptions, therefore none can be issued, but such persons may vote without question except in cases where the voter is not well known to the election judges who may require an affidavit attesting to the applicant's becoming of age within the specified period.

## Railroad Helps With Losses in Collision

Admits Share of Liability, Paying \$1,074.17 Toward Repair of Wrecked Road Grader

From a member of the Wheeler county commissioners' court it was learned early this week that the Santa Fe Railroad has accepted partial responsibility for a collision on June 27 between one of its trains and a county-owned motor grader at a crossing near Jowett, and agreed to pay \$1,074.17 to apply on repairing the wrecked road machine. This sum will be used to defray cost of new parts and does not include labor.

Labor charge to put the grader back in operation is estimated at about \$500, but may exceed that when actual conditions are learned through inspection when repair work is being made.

It will be remembered the crash occurred while Frank Lee, operator of the road unit, was engaged in filling a wash-out adjacent to the tracks on the highway crossing three-quarters of a mile east of Jowett, between Mobeetie and Briscoe. Although the road implement was barely close enough to the tracks to be caught, it was hurled aside by the impact and badly damaged.

Lee sustained fractured bones and a head injury which kept him in the hospital here for several days. He has since been released and is apparently recovering, although still suffering inconvenience from injuries received in the collision.

## COUNTY COURT HAS RATHER LIGHT TWO WEEKS SESSION

Convening early last week for a regular two weeks term, county court has had a rather light docket. On motion of the county attorney, 31 criminal cases of long standing were dismissed on grounds of insufficient evidence.

Of something more than a dozen matters called for hearing, most of them were settled out of court, passed or continued for service. The action of Ed R. Wallace vs. Clyde Bearrow ended in a compromise.

In the trial of the State of Texas vs. George Mulligan, highway violator, defendant was fined \$1.00 and costs.

The jury was dismissed today for the remainder of the week.

## Potts Makes Appeal



To My Friends and the Voters of Wheeler County:

Although I have made an honest effort to see each one of you personally, I find it is almost an impossibility, and I realize there are many whom I will be unable to talk to before the primary election.

Friends, the issue is simple: I think you will all agree that both my opponent and myself are qualified for the office of tax assessor-collector. My opponent is a young man and has received thousands of dollars for his work in the various offices of the Wheeler county court house. I am a mature man; have worked hard all my life and have never received one dollar salary from Wheeler county or the State of Texas.

Now all I ask is that when you go to cast your vote you consider these facts and do unto me as you would be done by. I thank you.  
THOMAS M. POTTS.

## METHODIST VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL CLOSING PROGRAM

The Methodist Vacation Bible school is reported as doing splendid work in its several departments. Rehearsal for the final program will be held Saturday morning in a closing devotional service, with refreshments for all. The program marking the end of the school for beginners, primaries and juniors is to be presented at 8 o'clock in the church Sunday evening. The public is invited.

## Goodrich in Vigorous Race for State Place

Only West Texas Candidate for Attorney General's Office Gets Liberal Endorsement

Lewis Goodrich, the only candidate from West Texas in the attorney general's race, who has been vigorously and tirelessly carrying his straightforward platform to thousands of Texas voters in other sections of the state, will spend the final week before the first primary working among the people he regards as "home folks," he said this week.

Goodrich has no doubt that the big majority of the voters of the Panhandle and West Texas are "going to bat" for him in the primary, yet he wants to personally ask as many as possible for their votes and support, and to thank them for work they have been doing in his behalf. "If the people of the Panhandle-Plains will just stay with me, I am going to be all right," he said recently.

The West Texan, in his travels about the state, has found plenty of support in all sections for his firm belief that the people of the great Lone Star state are becoming heartily tired of hearing the identical brand of political "hokey" in this campaign that has been dished up year after year. Many have given him to understand that they are ready to vote for a man who has no connection with political rings or vested interests, who can go into the important office of attorney general prepared to do his full duty without hindrance from any quarter. That is just what Goodrich can and will do.

Sticking to his forthright promise to perform his whole duty if elected, Goodrich has been emphasizing to the thousands who have heard him that any candidate who undertakes to promise more is kidding himself, and the voters, too.

Goodrich has the unqualified endorsement of men who have served on grand juries of Gray, Wheeler, Roberts and Lipscomb counties, composing the 31st judicial district, which he has served as district attorney for five years. He has the endorsement of members of the bar of those counties. And he has the backing of his home town, Shamrock, as shown by recent straw poll, in which he received 95 per cent of all votes cast.

## For Superintendent



ALLEN KAVANAUGH

Allen Kavanaugh's four years college training, extensive university training and seven successful years experience as principal of the Plainview school prove he is highly qualified to serve as county superintendent. The Wheeler county teachers have elected him to the following offices: President of the Superintendents-Principals organization; secretary of that organization for two years; chairman of the curriculum revision study classes among Wheeler county teachers; member of the Interscholastic League committee for six years.

The Plainview school, under his supervision, has won first place in the rural division of the County Interscholastic League meet for the last four consecutive years.

Kavanaugh's thorough qualifications and youthful energy have won the confidence and admiration of Wheeler county teachers.

## MARVIN JONES IN RADIO TALKS 4 DAYS NEXT WEEK

Congressman Marvin Jones will deliver a series of four radio addresses over Station KGNC at Amarillo, beginning Monday, July 18, and continuing through Thursday, July 21. The time of the addresses will be from 7:00 to 7:15 p. m. each evening. The addresses will cover topics of special interest to the Panhandle, including discussions of soil and water conservation, the farm program, and the credit structure.

## His Qualifications



BILL PERRIN

In asking for support in his campaign for district clerk, Bill Perrin requests the voters of Wheeler county to consider these facts of his qualifications: He worked his way through school; had two years pre-law in college; is preparing for examinations at this time, and has had several years business training. Perrin promises that, if elected, he will conduct the duties of the office in an efficient and business-like way, with equal service to all and special favors to none.

## Mobeetie Concern to Hold Close-Out Sale

Nathan M. Hunt Hardware-Furniture Announces Quit-Business Disposal of Stock

Utilizing a full page advertisement in this issue of The Times to enumerate hundreds of items, all priced at a reduction, the Nathan M. Hunt hardware and furniture store at Mobeetie announces a quit-business sale starting Friday morning of this week. Scheduled to run two weeks, the event will end July 30, according to present plans.

Assertedly a bona fide close-out of every item, including store fixtures, is being offered for quick disposal.

Col. A. L. Baker, a sales specialist, has been engaged as manager and promotion director of sales stimulator plans expected to hasten movement of the merchandise into the hands of consumers.

Hunt has not announced his future plans upon completion of the sale. His store has been one of the substantial establishments of Mobeetie for a good many years and its closing will no doubt prove a distinct loss to business circles of the town.

## Agricultural Group Meet Tuesday Night

A regular monthly session of the Wheeler Community Agricultural association is announced for next Tuesday night, July 19, in the court house here. This is according to J. A. Bryant, president of the group, who states the program will include:

Contouring and Benefits Derived from It—B. A. Zorns.  
Sweet Clover as a Soil Builder and Its Uses as Feed—W. B. Hooser.  
Grasshopper Poison and How It Should be Put Out—Jake Tarter.

Each of these subjects treat on matters of timely interest to every member of the association and the president urges the largest possible attendance in order that an interesting and profitable meeting will result.

Mrs. Arnold Waldo and children and O. L. Tuttle motored Saturday to Sanatorium to spend a few days with Mr. Waldo, who is a patient in the sanatorium.

## J. D. MERRIMAN HAS CANE FOR SAFETY

When J. D. Merriman, county surveyor and long-time Wheeler resident, is seen on the street with a flashy red and white cane some might imagine it a sport accessory. But such is not the case, for the stick is an invention of a national society for the protection of persons with defective sight.

Upper part of the cane is painted white and the lower part red, indicating the bearer is blind or partially so and may need assistance to cross the street in safety. From southeastern Florida to northwestern Washington all boys, girls, men and women—without hesitation—are ready to see safely across any person carrying one of these canes.

Merriman received the token from George Kilander as a gift from a family by the name of Smith in Huntington, Ind.

## Many People Attend Annual Short Course

Wheeler County Furnishes Its Quota of Men and Women at Adult Agricultural Sessions

From the news bureau at College Station, where the annual sessions are being held, came a release early this week saying that more than 2,500 adults were expected to attend the Texas A. & M. College Short Course, scheduled for July 13, 14 and 15, yesterday, today and tomorrow. Roy Snyder of the Extension Service and general chairman, made the prediction concerning this year's attendance.

Advance registration indicated that all rooms for women would be filled, he said. This means that approximately 1,450 women, 1,250 of them home demonstration club members, would be present.

About 1,050 men were expected. In addition to the farmers and ranchmen attending the special meetings on cotton improvement, soil conservation, and economic conditions, a number of special groups will make the Short Course the occasion for meetings.

Such groups include the Co-operative Institute which will hold its fourth annual meeting for representatives of farmers' co-operatives; the Texas Agricultural Writers; the Texas Experiment Station workers; Texas Certified Seed Breeders; the Texas Cotton Improvement committee; the Agricultural Committee of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce; Texas Agricultural association, and county agricultural and home demonstration agents.

Approximately 2,300 club boys and girls, representatives of the 50,000 Texas 4-H club members, attended the July 6-7-8 Junior Short Course. Wheeler county has contributed its quota to both sections of the Short Course, sending a choice group of 4-H club boys and girls to the junior meet last week.

For the adult session this week a contingent of outstanding county club women including Mrs. Milt Williams, County Council chairman, and Mrs. Jim Trout, vice president of District 1, left here late last week. Miss Dalton Burleson, county home demonstration agent, and her assistant, Miss Rose Erisman, are also in attendance.

Men from the county include Jake Tarter, county agent, W. B. Hooser, assistant agent, and a few representatives from communities of the county.

## COUNTY SONG CONVENTION AT KELTON NEXT SUNDAY

The Wheeler County Singing convention will meet at Kelton next Sunday, July 17, for an afternoon session, states a notice received here from E. J. Cooper, president of the organization. A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend this meeting, concludes the communication.

Yreva Sue Carter is spending the week in Miami with her aunt, Mrs. Burl Chessher, and family.

## Ample Experience



C. BRYAN WITT

Twelve years of successful teaching experience in Wheeler county, as friends in Pakan, Porter, Twitty, Briscoe and Wheeler communities affirm is a part of C. Bryan Witt's qualifications for county superintendent, the office he is now vigorously seeking, subject to the will of the voters on July 23. Witt favors an effort to stimulate an active community spirit in all school communities; promises an honest effort to cooperate at all times with boards and trustees in carrying out the wishes of patrons in the districts, and declares his experience and training is adequate to care for the needs of all the communities.

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## THAT "GENERAL FEELING"

The recent improvement in security values, after many months of disheartening declines, has been received with mixed sentiment. Under normal conditions, the gains would be regarded as the start of an upward cycle. But under the abnormal conditions prevailing today, there is a strong and well-grounded fear that the gains would be merely temporary, and that they constitute only a flurry of no real significance.

In other words, what the country lacks today is confidence. That "general feeling" of uncertainty and worry is as strong as it ever was, and perhaps stronger. Millions of people feel much as if they were living above a volcano that might erupt at any moment. There is no stability. And to say that this sentiment is unjustified, as some of the politicians do, is claptrap.

The tax problem has barely been touched. The national debt, in spite of past promises to reduce it, soars to new record after new record. More labor troubles are imminent. The government, instead of encouraging productive private business, has continued with its mimical policies, and it threatens to go further into business on its own hook, at the expense of existing private investments. The chaotic political situation is a thorn in the side of industry and investment.

No one expects such problems as these to be solved at once. But if an honest start were made to deal with them, there would be an amazing restoration of confidence. If government actually co-operated with business—if government put into effect a plan for gradually reducing the debt—if government gave the investor assurance his savings would not be destroyed by government itself—we would be on the way to stability. And then improvement in security values or in industrial production or in other economic matters, would be greeted with faith and optimism, investment of capital and "real" jobs.

## DEFINING DRUNKEN DRIVING

The criminal court of appeals in Oklahoma has undertaken a definition of "driving while intoxicated" in line with the state's law on that subject. It adopted the rule which California has followed, which is that a person is punishable when he has drunk enough liquor to cause him to violate the rules of careful driving and to become indifferent to the rights and safety of others.

It is a good rule in many respects, but the need of a stronger, more definite, one has become apparent in Texas and other states. The newer tendency in traffic enforcement is to penalize any driver who has been drinking, regardless of the degree of intoxication he has attained.

It goes on the theory that the autoist who has drunk a single glass of beer is somewhat less safe, somewhat less competent to operate a car, than one who has not drunk at all. It is a harsh rule, but conditions attest the wisdom of it.

A rule that involves the degree of intoxication seems to us to give rise to endless quibbling. Some men can

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be very drunk indeed and still be able to drive competently. Some, with just a very little liquor imbibed, react to it in ways that make it unsafe for them to drive.

The best rule is one which makes drinking, not drunkenness, the test, which assumes that if an autoist has done any drinking at all, he has become an unsafe driver.

"If you drive, don't drink; if you drink, don't drive." Texas is trying to write that excellent rule into its enforcement methods in connection with the drunk driver problem. It is a far better way than trying to discriminate among the suddenly drunk, the wildly drunk, the playfully drunk, the over-confident drunk and all the rest.

## PUNITIVE LEGISLATION

The National Editorial association, meeting in convention at White Sulphur Springs, West Virginia, adopted a resolution of nation-wide importance concerning punitive legislation affecting business. The resolution reads:

"Whereas, there has been a tendency both at Washington and at the capitals of many states for legislative measures to be introduced and sponsored which are discriminatory and punitive in their application, and

"Whereas, there is considerable fear and hesitation among business men because of the uncertainties arising from such a tendency, and

"Whereas, we believe it the duty of the congress of the United States and our state legislature, in view of unemployment and other distressed conditions and uncertainty among business leaders, to encourage, aid and assist business rather than take any action through discriminatory and punitive taxes which, in our opinion, would further retard commerce and would tend to increase living costs, therefore be it

Resolved that the National Editorial association goes on record as opposing such legislative enactments and

"We further recommend that the Board of Directors be requested to dispatch a copy of the above action duly signed by its officers to the members of any legislative committee at Washington or at a state capital at such time when united action by the non-metropolitan weekly and daily papers of America is deemed, in the board's judgment, to be prudent."

That resolution, coming from the country press of America, is highly encouraging. These newspapers have become more and more concerned with legislation and taxation which unfairly penalize business. And the majority of editors have come to the sound conclusion that all such laws and class taxes are indefensible in a democratic country.

## WHY HE LOST

One of the most amusing stories of the present election year, but not amusing to the victim, comes from Dadeville, Ala., where G. L. Evers, a merchant, was candidate for tax collector.

He ordered 2,500 books of matches from a Chicago firm, on which his name was printed with the legend: "Honest and able—may you find me worthy of support in the coming primary."

The consignment was received and put aside without inspection until the night of a big rally, when Evers, still without looking at the printing, began passing the matches out to the crowd. Soon jeers and derogatory expressions reached his ears, and he discovered that his match books were the cause.

Instead of the wording he had ordered, the book covers were found to bear the line "Don't drink water; drink beer." Now Evers and most of his home town's citizens are Baptists and prohibitionists, so the effect may be imagined. His two opponents used the match manufacturer's error against him, and he ran third in the primary.

Now he is suing the manufacturer

for \$125,000, because the mistake subjected him and his family to contempt and ridicule, damaged his business and spoiled his chances for election.

It was a tough break for a good man. But he should have had his campaign material printed at home, anyway.—Wellington Leader.

## Our Exchanges

Items of interest culled from newspapers on The Times' exchange list.

Several Miami citizens are making an effort to have Congressman Marvin Jones come here at an early date and deliver an address. Jones was extended an invitation at Canadian Saturday by County Judge J. A. Mead. Since Congressman Jones attended school in Miami during his boyhood days it is appropriate that he favor local citizens with a speech while he is on vacation from his duties in Washington.—Miami Chief.

An absent-minded professor got up one morning to let the ice man in. He couldn't find his bathrobe so he put on his wife's. And when the ice man opened the door he kissed the professor. The professor still thinks that the ice man's wife had a robe just like it and forgot where he was.—Donley County Leader.

That Canadian, unlike many sections of these United States, had a "safe and sane" Fourth of July week end is vouched for by the sheriff's department where it is reported there was not a serious accident, either during the rodeo, or at any time over the past week end. Large numbers of persons were reported killed elsewhere from accidents of various kinds. With the rodeo on here and a large amount of traffic the local record is considered quite remarkable.—Canadian Record.

My old daddy often advised me to let the other fellow's wife, pocket-book, religion and politics alone, and it would keep me out of a lot of life's troubles and quarrels. It's a pretty good axiom at that.—W. E. Campbell in Booker News.

The city council has authorized the signing of a tentative contract with the Brazos River Gas company, buying the McLean and Alaneed properties of the company for the city. The purchase price of \$70,000 will be paid in monthly payments consisting of two-thirds of the gross income until the property is paid for, with a mortgage on the property and no down payment.—McLean News.

Delays encountered in spudding in the Robinson & Jones, Nellie Kute-man No. 1 oil well have been overcome and officials of the crew say that in all probability the well will spud in Friday. The spudding in was originally set for last Sunday but delays in laying water lines held up plans. One water well has been drilled and a second one is nearing completion, officials said today.—Clarendon News.

Application has been filed with PWA for another men's dormitory on the campus of W. T. Registrar D. A. Shirley was in Fort Worth Saturday to attend a meeting of the Board of Regents as representative of President J. A. Hill. The regents approved the filing of a number of requests for the seven teachers colleges of the state, including the dormitory for W. T. The new building will cost \$180,000 and will be larger than Stafford Hall.—Canyon News.

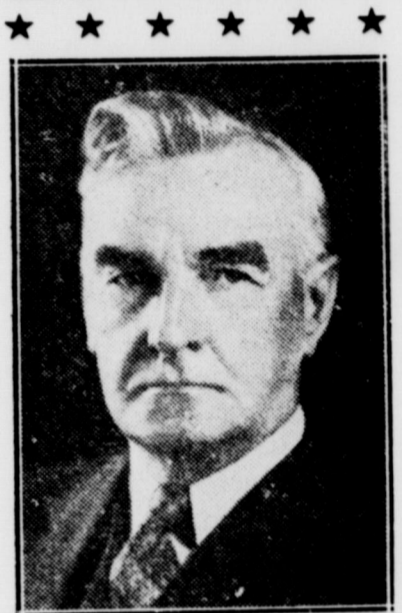
As we have said before, we still think about the meanest and most miserable thing a friend can do is send a card from a cool climate or the mountains and say, "Wish you were here." And too, we notice that these cards always arrive on the hottest day in the season.—Lefors News.

The well being dug on the Cun-

ningham farm, just west of the town-site, was again shot Wednesday in an attempt to get by some tools lost in the well. A number of pieces of the bit were fished out and an effort made to drill on down past the obstruction. Little progress has been made because of fishing trouble for a number of days.—White Deer Review.

It's morally wrong to sell a farmer relief and serve him dictatorship. There will not be much freedom left whenever a farmer has to take orders from fair-headed lads whose pull has often been the main reason for them being in some agency's office.—Moore County News.

A holiday on July Fourth is in celebration of the independence of the United States but how about one on the Fifth to recuperate from sunburn, antbite, poison ivy, indigestion and other evils contracted on the Fourth, suggestively queries the Memphis Democrat.



**M. J. R. JACKSON**  
Candidate for Nomination  
to the Office of  
**CHIEF JUSTICE**  
Of The  
**Court of Civil Appeals**  
Amarillo, Texas  
In the Democratic Primary  
July 23, 1938

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## VOTE FOR

# Lewis M. Goodrich

Candidate for

**ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS**



When Lewis M. Goodrich, a Wheeler county man and by the same token a citizen of the Panhandle, submitted his announcement last January as a candidate for the office of attorney general of the State of Texas he did so on one of the briefest platforms ever offered by a candidate for a state office. He declared (and still stands by it): "If elected attorney general of Texas I solemnly promise—

1. That the office of attorney general shall serve the best interests of ALL the people of Texas, any other interests notwithstanding.
2. That I shall give all that is within me personally and shall surround myself with carefully chosen assistants for whose integrity and ability I can vouch.
3. That I shall have only the foregoing obligations to perform with no debts, political or otherwise, to pay.

Knowledge of Goodrich's ability, his attainments and his qualifications for the office which he seeks warrants the support of every voter throughout this region—and he earnestly solicits that support in the primary July 23, 1938.

(Political Advertisement)

# For Re-election to Congress



# Marvin Jones

WHAT OTHERS SAY ABOUT HIM:

"On the subject of agriculture, Marvin Jones is the best informed man in the United States."  
—Vice President John Garner.

"One of the most skilled legislators in the House."  
—Speaker W. B. Bankhead.

"Marvin Jones is one of the most powerful floor fighters in the House of Representatives."  
—Washington Herald.

**MARVIN JONES HAS LIVED IN THE PANHANDLE OVER THIRTY YEARS, KNOWS ITS NEEDS AND IS INTERESTED IN ITS FUTURE**

MARVIN JONES COMMITTEE, Lewis Field, Chairman.

## ROGUE THEATRE

The Three  
**MESQUITEERS**

The Purple Vigilantes

Fri.-Sat. July 15-16 Sat. Mat.

Clark Myrna Spencer  
GABLE LOY TRACY

TEST PILOT

The biggest airplane story in  
five years and Metro's best  
picture in 1938

Pre.-Sun.-Mon. July 16-17-18

Judge Hardy's  
Children

It's the best Judge Hardy picture  
to date

Mickey Rooney, Cecelia Parker  
Ann Rutherford, Lewis Stone  
Wednesday July 20-21 Thursday

## Hubbard Birthday Party

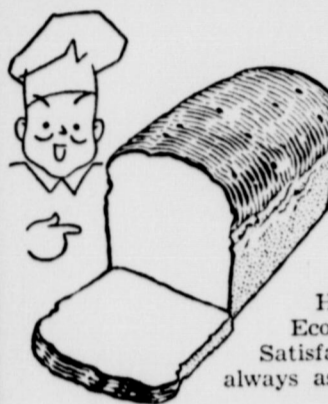
Mrs. Bernice Hubbard gave a Saturday in honor of her son, Cl Franklin's 11th birthday anniversary which falls on July 4.

Refreshments of cake and cream were served to Naomi M. Imogene Crowder, Patricia Ann Hubbard, Clyde Guynes, Billy K. Kenneth Crowder, Eugene and Hubbard, Mrs. C. C. Crowder and honoree.

## Methodist Society Recesses

Members of the W. M. S. of the Methodist church and the Porter circle met with Mrs. Raney Tuesday afternoon with J. D. Merriman in charge of the program. "Our Missions in Korea" assisted by Mesdames S. E. W. M. Wiley and E. C. Raney.

The society discontinued its meetings until after the revival. The meeting will be a breakfast, and study given at the home of J. M. Porter on Aug. 23.



**WHEELER-MADE BREAD**  
**CITY BAKER**  
C. H. DAVIDSON

## Watkins Fly Spray

A summer-time necessity for the eradication of insect pests in the home and on livestock.

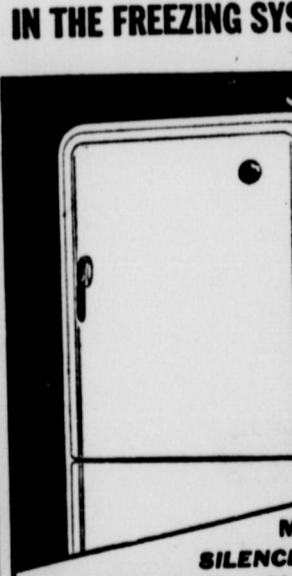
## Watkins Stock Tonic

This tonic supplies the deficient elements in dry summer pastures and feed, thereby maintaining production of dairy cows, keeping the animals in first condition. Let us explain the advantages of Watkins Stock Tonic for livestock.

## "Doc" Watkins

At Bud Burgess Shoe Store  
Wheeler

# NO MOVING PARTS IN THE FREEZING SYSTEM



**SERVELELECTROLUX**  
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**Hubbard Birthday Party**

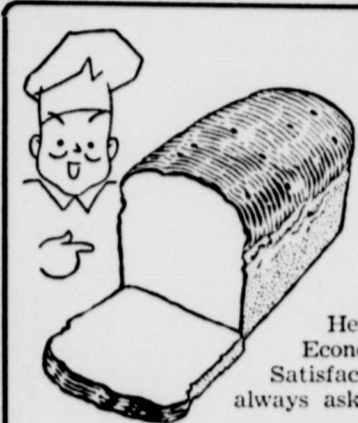
Mrs. Bernice Hubbard gave a party Saturday in honor of her son, Charles Franklin's 11th birthday anniversary, which falls on July 4.

Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to Naomi Merritt, Imogene Crowder, Patricia Ann Hubbard, Clyde Guynes, Billy Kenner, Kenneth Crowder, Eugene and Edgar Hubbard, Mrs. C. C. Crowder and the honoree.

**Methodist Society Receives**

Members of the W. M. S. of the Methodist church and the Millie Porter circle met with Mrs. E. C. Raney Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. D. Merriman in charge of the program, "Our Missions in Korea, assisted by Mesdames S. E. Wren, H. M. Wiley and E. C. Raney.

The society discontinued its meetings until after the revival. The next meeting will be a breakfast, social and study given at the home of Mrs. J. M. Porter on Aug. 23.



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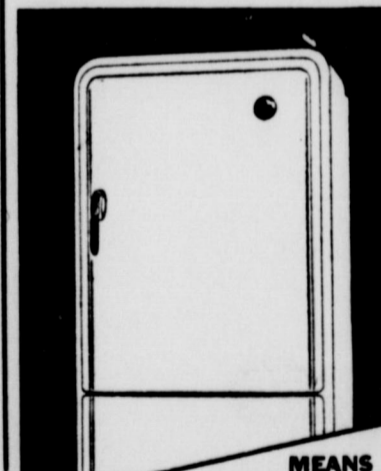
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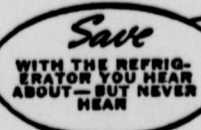
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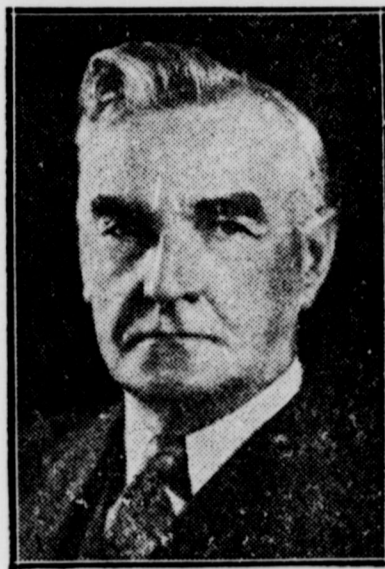
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**Chief Justice Asks First Elective Term**

M. J. R. Jackson became associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals at Amarillo in 1924. He served in that capacity until 1937, when he was appointed to succeed Chief Justice R. W. Hall, who died while serving in that position. Justice Jackson is asking now for his first elective term as chief justice.

Justice Jackson is one of the state's outstanding jurists. As an



M. J. R. JACKSON

attorney and as a jurist he has won wide recognition.

He was born in Montgomery county, Ala., and came to Texas in childhood with his family. He was educated in the public schools of Texas and Southwestern University at Georgetown, Texas.

Justice Jackson was admitted to the Texas bar in 1898. He served as the Madison county attorney from 1898 until 1900 and practiced law in that county until 1905, when he moved to Amarillo.

He practiced law in Amarillo from 1905 until 1924.

Judge Jackson was elected associate justice at the November election 1924 and upon the resignation of Judge Boyce shortly after the election, Governor Pat M. Neff appointed Jackson who served under the appointment until Jan. 1, 1925, when he assumed office under his election.

With Judge Jackson as chief justice, the court has won wide recognition for its handling of the cases that have come before it. The court covers a territory larger than some states. It serves 46 counties, including all of the Panhandle.

Chief Justice Jackson is the only Amarillo man on the bench. The associate justices are W. N. Stokes of Vernon and A. J. Folley of Floydada.

**Local Club Girls on Short Course Program**

Several 4-H club girls from eight Northwest Texas counties appeared on the July 7 program of the Texas A. and M. College Junior Short Course, which was attended by 2,300 Texas club boys and girls.

The invitation to speak came through Miss Onah Jacks, state girls' club agent, and Miss Jennie Camp, specialist in home production planning, both of the Texas Extension service.

Vera McQuatters and Edith Allen of Lamb county spoke on interesting features of fruit and vegetable soils; Norma Lee Hively, Collingsworth county, told of poultry flock management; and Beryl Dodson and Lena Mae Wilson of Ochiltree county told of home vegetable production under Panhandle conditions.

Cleda Hammack and Ruth Waldrup, Cochran county, and Marjorie Ruth Warren and Betty Riley of Wheeler county presented a discussion of the character qualities of various varieties of vegetables.

Two Dickens county girls, Eloise Sharp and Louwanna Dunlap, demonstrated the preparation of refreshments from products grown by 4-H club girls.

Methods of producing and storing eggs were discussed by Bernice Klinkerman and Betty Bryant of Wichita county and Henrietta Ostermann and Leona Zott of Archer county and Roberta Johnson and Allie Marie Brashear of Fisher county.

**Miss Waters Gives Party**

Miss Arlie Ruth Waters gave a lawn party at the home of her parents, Sheriff and Mrs. Raymond Waters, Friday evening from 6 to 8 o'clock.

Iced punch and cookies were served to Doris and Peggy Jean Manney, Patsy and Celeste Wiley, Louise Tillman, Pauline Miller, Mary Jo Ivy, Joe Page, Paul and Bill Buck Waters and the hostess, Miss Waters.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our appreciation to the people of the entire community for the kind words and deeds extended during the illness and death of our dear wife and mother; also the beautiful floral offerings.

G. H. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Parks and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Haynes.

My nose is red only when I blow it; then it's blew.

**Local News Items**

Miss Helen Gilmore went to Canyon Wednesday of last week to do some extra work at W. T. S. C. Her father, Supt. J. L. Gilmore, took her to Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Holt and son, Larry, and Mr. and Mrs. Damaris Holt of Lefors spent Monday evening with the men's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holt, and family.

Earl Farris of Coronado, Calif., returned home last week after a three weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Farris, and children and friends.

Rev. A. C. Wood went to Shamrock Wednesday to bring home Mrs. Wood who had spent two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Henry, and family.

Maurita, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dunn, Mobeetie, had her tonsils removed Tuesday morning at the Wheeler hospital. Miss Dunn is spending the week with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Lee and daughter, Lonell, and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Lee and son, Harold Loyd, and the men's mother, Mrs. I. B. Lee, left Sunday on a week's vacation and fishing trip to Cowles, N. Mex. They are expected home by Friday.

Miss Lula Barr left Wednesday for Moran, Kans., to spend a month with her grandfather and aunt, A. T. Duzan, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith. Miss Barr accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Warren, Bronson, Kans., and her mother, Mrs. Holt, as far as Wichita, Kans.

Mrs. J. J. Lowrie, who had spent six months with her daughter, Mrs. Will Courtney and husband at Walters, Okla., came home Saturday to visit her daughter and sons, Mrs. J. M. Burgess and J. H. and Elmer Lowrie, and families. Mrs. Lowrie also visited other relatives while away.

Mrs. Ed Andress and son, W. K. Andress, of Sunset came Friday to bring home the latter's sister-in-law, Mrs. G. W. Andress. She had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McFarling, at McKinney for five weeks after spending two weeks at Sanatorium, where she went through the clinic. Mrs. Andress and son returned Saturday evening to Sunset.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Barnes and children entertained the following friends and relatives with a picnic dinner on Sweetwater creek, July 4: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Welch and son, Lin, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hefley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mullinix and brother, Billy, Twitty; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Welch and son, James Eddie, Shamrock, and Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Welch, Clovis, N. Mex.

Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Raney and daughter, Miss Ethel Claire, Orveta Puett, Genevieve Britt and her cousin, Miss Dorothy Hewitt, of Shreveport, La., all motored Monday to Amarillo to attend the speaking of President Franklin D. Roosevelt. Miss Raney remained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Skaggs where she is the house guest of their daughters, Misses Esther and Johnnie Ruth, for the week.

**I GIVE YOU TEXAS**

By BOYCE HOUSE

Biggest thing of its kind in the state (in fact, there is nothing else quite like it) is the appreciation barbecue that Burris Jackson of Hillsboro gives—jointly with other citizens of Hillsboro—each year in honor of two or three outstanding Texans.

The affair has kept growing and growing until, last year, a thousand out-of-town invitations were sent and, so widespread is the fame of the fellowship and other worthwhile features of the occasion, there were 700 acceptances.

Everything is planned with the greatest care, a committee even going to Fort Worth to select the best meats. This year, Jackson is thinking about opening an office two months ahead of time and placing someone in charge so as to get out from under the load of work and responsibility.

There is something pathetic about the way that former notables in Capital City hotel lobbies cling to the titles that were theirs during their days of power and glory. Old eyes light up and old forms straighten when someone greets them as "Judge" or "Senator."

Do you know what a "bittern" is? Anyway, District Judge Ralph Yarborough knew and was the only one at a recent luncheon club meeting in Paris who received a mark of 100 on an "intelligence test." A "bittern" is a bird that you see at sea.

All during his term of office, a governor was repeatedly invited, in hunting season, to visit a noted ranch. The chief executive was too busy to go but, after he left office,



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**Briscoe News**

(By Times Correspondent)

Mrs. Verne Lohberger and Vada Vaughn were Wheeler shoppers Friday afternoon. Vada had supper with Mrs. Lohberger that night, then Mrs. Lohberger and husband motored her home.

Mrs. Fred Hobart was a caller on Vada Vaughn Tuesday morning.

Mrs. L. J. Hudson returned home Tuesday after being at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Frank Hudson, of Wellington who had been in a car wreck.

Mrs. H. A. Patrick of Commerce, Texas, sister of Mrs. M. H. Vaughn, is visiting relatives here for two weeks.

W. M. Lohberger motored to Amarillo Saturday on business.

Those who have been on the sick list for the past week include Vada Vaughn, Verne Lohberger and Gertrude Hudson.

**Celebrates 87th Birthday**

Mrs. S. A. Haddox celebrated her 87th birthday Sunday, July 10, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. H. Vaughn, of near Briscoe. Twenty-six persons enjoyed the birthday dinner.

Relatives present included a daughter, Mrs. H. A. Patrick, of Commerce; Grandchildren, Mrs. Ernest Evans and husband, Mrs. Leonard Fulks and husband, Mrs. Oden Hudson and husband, Mrs. B. F. Meadows and Vada and E. T. Vaughn; great-grandchildren were Martha Glynn Evans, Leroy Hudson, Nelda Fulks and Gerald Meadows. Friends present were Rev. and Mrs. Reavis, Hubert and Margaret Reavis, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Atherton and family and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Evans.

Pictures were made of all present, and a very enjoyable day reported. The relatives and friends hope to meet again on the same date next year to celebrate the 88th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Haddox.

**Locust Grove**

(By Mrs. A. L. Hestilow)

Mrs. Bill Chenault was a business visitor in Shamrock Friday.

Al Jolly of Twitty was a caller in the community Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Cash Walker and son of Briscoe visited relatives here Wednesday.

Edison May and Dub Jolly visited in Wheeler Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Riley and Mrs. A. L. Hestilow and daughters visited Sunday and Monday with relatives and friends at Clarendon. They also saw President Roosevelt.

Mrs. Lonnie Shoop and children of Kellerville spent last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Holley.

Miss Zinnie Mae Holley spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Holt Green of Wheeler.

**Food Specials**

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

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| <b>Marshmallows,</b> 11¢<br>per lb.                        | <b>PEAS,</b> 10¢<br>MAJESTIC BRAND, No. 2 can             |
| <b>Pink Salmon,</b> 10¢<br>No. 1 tall can                  | <b>Matches,</b> 15¢<br>per carton                         |
| <b>COFFEE,</b> 89¢<br>Bright & Early, 4-lb. bucket         | <b>Crackers,</b> 15¢<br>2-lb. box                         |
| <b>Dreft,</b> 26¢<br>1 box 25¢<br>1 box 10¢<br>35¢ All for | <b>BUTTER, Creamery</b> 25¢<br>Brookfield or Quality, lb. |
| <b>HAMBURGER MEAT</b> 10¢<br>per lb.                       | <b>CHEESE</b> 23¢<br>American, Pimiento or Swiss, lb.     |
| <b>BOLOGNA</b> 11¢<br>per lb.                              | <b>FISH—ROCK BASS</b> 15¢<br>fresh caught, per lb.        |

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**Local News Items**

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Long of Reydin, Okla., were Sunday evening dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. Glenn R. Walker.

Rev. G. W. Simmons of Amarillo was in Wheeler the first of the week on business and visited relatives while here.

Mrs. Clifford Tillman came home Monday from Letors where she has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Shipman, and children.

Mrs. Fred Harris, Wichita, Kans., returned home Monday night after spending 10 days with her mother, Mrs. E. M. Clay, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Clay, and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Pace and children, Betty, Helen and Bobby, of Atlanta, Ga., came Saturday and visited Mrs. Pace's aunt, Mrs. C. N. Wofford, and children until Tuesday morning.

Robert Stiles of Waco came Tuesday to attend to some business and visit relatives for a couple of days. He is staying at the home of his sister and husband, Dr. and Mrs. Glenn R. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Opal Myers and son, Eldwin, came home Saturday from north of Mobeetie where Mrs. Myers and son spent three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owens, while Mr. Myers was working in the harvest field.

**Professional Column**

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Mrs. S. E. Walker and sons, Bus, Huffman and Norris, of Twitty were in Wheeler Saturday, visiting friends and shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cole visited her mother, Mrs. A. Converse, at Pampa and other relatives at Miami during the week end.

Miss Dorothy Hewitt of Shreveport, La., is a house guest at the T. M. Britt home east of Wheeler. Miss Hewitt is a cousin of Mrs. Britt.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley McMillin and son, Keith, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Lee George of Allison to Oklahoma City Tuesday on a two days pleasure trip.

Gray Bean of Denver, Colo., came Saturday to spend a week or 10 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bean, and children, Misses Audrey, Mazie and Robert.

Mrs. Lula Mae Farley of Amarillo spent the week end in Wheeler with her daughter, Barbara, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Irons, and daughter, Miss Pauline.

Miss Anna Mae Puett, who is working in the bank at Canadian, came home Saturday to spend a few days with her parents, Judge and Mrs. W. O. Puett, and friends.

Lewis Hubbard, who has been employed at the John Lewis garage, returned Saturday from Pampa where he has been under the doctor's care for two weeks. He is suffering from a floating kidney.

Mrs. H. E. Nicholson and son, Harold, and Misses Katie Topper, Capitola Wilson and Maxine Fields motored Monday to Amarillo and heard President Roosevelt speak and attended a show that night.

Mrs. Ansel McDowell and son, Ansel, Jr., went to Wellington Friday and visited relatives until Sunday when her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Parsons, Sr., brought them home and visited here until late that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Elliott and son, Doyle, and her brothers, Jeff and Ben Griffin, of Pampa spent Sunday evening at the A. B. Griffin home visiting Mrs. Elliott's sister, Mrs. Claude Casey, of Schoolfield, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. McCrohan motored Thursday to Denver, Colo., and Rocky Mountain National park where they enjoyed an outing. They returned home Monday night via Amarillo where they heard President Franklin D. Roosevelt speak.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Biggs and son, Jimmy, of Memphis came Sunday to bring home his mother, Mrs. J. D. Biggs, who had spent a month with relatives in that section. The Biggs family were guests of her sister, Mrs. M. L. Gunter, while in town.

Miss Bernie Addison of Amarillo came Thursday night to spend a few days with friends. She was a house guest at the J. L. Gilmore and H. M. Wiley homes while here. She was accompanied home Monday by Misses Marilyn, Marthals, Melba and Patsy Wiley.

Mrs. Buford Conwell and son, Kent, of Pampa came Friday and visited relatives until Monday evening when her sister, Mrs. Holt Green, took them home and spent the night. Mrs. Green was enroute to Austin where she will take the beauty operator's examination.

Gordon Phillips returned last week from Joshua where he and his family had been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Phillips, and other relatives. Mrs. Phillips and children remained at Rockdale for a longer visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. E. Cook.

Mrs. E. M. Clay and daughter, Mrs. Cecil Denson, and children, Mary Bob and Robert, of Wichita, Kans., motored Sunday to Amarillo and visited the children's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Denson, until Monday morning when they returned to Wheeler. Mrs. Fred Harris, Wichita, Kans., who was also visiting her mother, Mrs. Clay, took her place Monday morning at the Russ Dry Goods store.

**Plainview Items**

(By Mrs. Macy Sanders)

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Lamb and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lamb were in Wheeler Friday on business. They visited Mrs. Claude Lamb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sanders, of Pleasant Hill community. Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Lamb also visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Scott, of Kelton.

Mrs. Milt Bullard and daughter, Alice Gene, came Saturday to spend the week end with her husband. She is attending school at Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Macy Sanders spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Lamb. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Peppers Sunday.

Several farmers suffered loss of crops in this community on account of the hail storm Thursday evening of last week.

R. W. Griswold's brother of Fort Worth, who has been ill for the last

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four months, died Sunday morning at the Griswold home. The body was carried to Fort Worth for burial, with M. M. Nix in charge.

Miss Minnie Lee Phillips spent the week end with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Franks.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lamb spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lamb of Samnorwood.

**Pleasant Hill**  
(By Times Correspondent)

Atwell Hatchford of Lela spent Saturday with Jimmie Dee Dowell.

Mrs. J. C. Nix and son, Jimmie Dee, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Myrl Nix of Lela. Bobby Nix came home with them and spent the night.

Miss Marie Trostle is spending a while in Dallas with friends and relatives.

**Davis Items**  
(By Mrs. Zura Bullock)

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cooper attended the singing convention at Meridian, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper and small daughter, Evelyn Bullock, Gene Anderson, Janice Dale and Clyde Bullock attended the carnival at Erick Saturday night.

Mrs. Luther Bullock and Bettie Jean Gipson returned home Saturday from College Station where they had been attending the 4-H Short Course. They reported a nice trip. The 4-H club girls and their sponsor, Mrs. Bullock, are deeply indebted to R. H. Forrester for paying the expenses of Bettie Jean. Forrester has always been behind 4-H club work in Wheeler county, actively, as well as in words.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Gipson and children were visitors in the home of his brother, Lee, Sunday.

Jane Kenney entertained her Sunday school class Sunday afternoon with a swimming party and supper in her home afterwards.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kenney and daughters visited her sister, Mrs. Clint Mixon and Mr. Mixon, of Mobeetie Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Gipson was shopping in Erick Saturday afternoon.

A. S. Anderson returned Wednesday from a week's visit in Oklahoma City with his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peterman attended the show at Shamrock Saturday night.

Wilmouth Muse is improving at this writing. He was injured at Canadian while riding a steer in the rodeo.

**Allison News**  
(Times Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCoy spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Ralph Woods, and husband at Shamrock. Mrs. Woods came after them and brought them back.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Begert and children left Wednesday for their home in Amarillo after spending the week with relatives here.

Mrs. Ida Begert is in a hospital at Shattuck, Okla., pending a gottle operation. She will probably be operated Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cobb and son left for McLean Saturday to visit his mother who is ill. She is still very low at this writing.

Frank Tipps and family attended the show at Shamrock Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Levitt and children were in Wheeler Saturday. Mary Garner spent from Saturday until Monday with her grandmother, Mrs. Morris, at Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peeples, Doris Richardson and Mrs. L. K. Fields, students at Canyon, spent the week end here.

Mrs. Clifton Newberry and young daughter are visiting in the parental Lute Funston home for a few days.

Mrs. A. B. Evans returned home Saturday from Henderson, Texas, where she has been at the bedside of her mother for several days. Her mother is recovering.

Mrs. Nell Ball left Monday from Shamrock for College Station to attend Short Course this week. Mr. Ball accompanied her to Shamrock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown and children were dinner guests in the M. Hamilton home Sunday.

Ben Parks and family were in Canadian Monday.

Mrs. Fred Begert, Jr. motored to Sayre, Okla., Sunday to visit her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Earn Begert and Fred Begert were in Shattuck Sunday.

Grandma Funston from Reydin is visiting her son, Lute Funston, and family this week.

Onetta and Bernice Joiner were in Wheeler Saturday afternoon.

Miss Lorene Harris and Josephine Poole were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Rena Johnson.

**Quarterly Report**  
OF THE  
County Treasurer, Wheeler County, Texas  
Ending June 30, 1938

Onetta and Bernice Joiner were in Wheeler Saturday afternoon.

Miss Lorene Harris and Josephine Poole were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Rena Johnson.

**Jury Fund**

Balance April 1st, 1938 \$15,156.91  
Receipts during quarter 1,518.28  
Total balance and receipts 16,675.19  
Disbursements during quarter 13,713.30  
Balance June 30, 1938 2,961.89

**General Fund**

Balance April 1st, 1938 7,900.44  
Receipts during quarter 17,317.07  
Total balance and receipts 25,217.51  
Disbursements during quarter 11,595.44  
Balance June 30, 1938 13,622.07

**Court House and Jail**

Balance April 1st, 1938 4,323.99  
Receipts during quarter 414.38  
Total balance and receipts 4,738.37  
Disbursements during quarter NONE  
Balance June 30, 1938 4,738.37

**Commissioners Precinct No. 1**

Balance April 1st, 1938 (overdrawn) 1,493.06  
Receipts during quarter 7,872.76  
Net balance and receipts 6,379.70  
Disbursements during quarter 4,395.62  
Balance June 30, 1938 1,984.08

**Commissioners Precinct No. 2**

Balance April 1st, 1938 4,549.75  
Receipts during quarter 6,389.16  
Total balance and receipts 10,938.91  
Disbursements during quarter 5,592.42  
Balance June 30, 1938 5,346.49

**Commissioners Precinct No. 3**

Balance April 1st, 1938 4,619.99  
Receipts during quarter 8,929.52  
Total balance and receipts 13,549.51  
Disbursements during quarter 7,236.26  
Balance June 30, 1938 6,313.25

**For District Attorney**  
**W. R. Frazee**  
Admitted to Bar, 1926

Active practice as lawyer measured in terms of years rather than days.

Also qualified by years of service as court reporter in this district.

Seeking promotion through usual channel, on basis of MY OWN qualifications.

Please investigate the public records; they do not mis-state the facts.



**Commissioners Precinct No. 4**

Balance April 1st, 1938 9,847.37  
Receipts during quarter 9,191.69  
Total balance and receipts 19,039.06  
Disbursements during quarter 5,699.61  
Balance June 30, 1938 13,339.42

**Wheeler County Road Bond and Bridge Sinking Fund**

Balance April 1st, 1938 43,991.17  
Receipts during quarter 7,600.76  
Total balance and receipts 51,591.93  
Disbursements during quarter 9,411.52  
Balance June 30, 1938 42,180.41

**Sinking Fund**

Balance April 1st, 1938 4,734.54  
Receipts during quarter 9,478.24  
Total balance and receipts 14,212.78  
Investments during quarter 13,629.11  
Balance June 30, 1938 583.67

**Sunday School Lesson Exposition**

By C. C. M.  
July 17, 1938  
**DEBORAH: EMERGENCY LEADERSHIP**  
Scripture Text: Judges 4:1-14  
Lesson Scope: Judges 4:1-5  
Devotional Reading: Ps. 46:3

**Angle of Approach**

Our lesson today is concerned and the people to whom Joshua had given that land. They have it for an abiding possession, condition of faithfulness to Joshua had led the people in land and divided it by lot twelve tribes. Each tribe was up that task of driving out what remained of their enemy in their ment.

This lesson is at a time of apostasy—i. e. they had turned from the true God and were into idolatry. Therefore, their had oppressed them and brought national humiliation. This oppression and depression led them to a turning back unto God, Jehovah. Having no leadership, whom God could bring deliverance, He substituted a prophetess, Deborah.

**Introduction**

After the death of Moses successor, Joshua, Israel had national leaders. Following Israel passes into what is known as the period of the Judges, "men were raised up to lead successful revolts against foreign oppressors, having emancipated the nation shown thereby their call of God looked to by the people to their rights."

There were six major opponents of Deborah gave deliverance from their one, 120 years after her death.

No sooner had one enemy expelled than Israel turned again from God into wicked and corrupt ways and into idolatry which God sent another opponent.

**When Ehud was Dead**

Othniel, Caleb's younger son was the first Judge to bring deliverance to Israel from the oppression of a king of Mesopotamia, after there were 40 years of rest (Judges 3:7-11). The children of Israel did that which was evil; they delivered them into the hands of King of Moab. Ehud, of the tribe of Benjamin, brought deliverance, and the rest for 80 years (Judges 3:15-30). But Ehud could not live all his life.

Without a leader of national reputation and faithfulness to Israel soon contracted inter-tribal animosity and began itching after the Gentiles. And Israel did that which was evil.

Is there not strong evidence that you and I, the world of today now living in a period of transition when the nations are without leaders who have any inclination to consider the God of all the world, the Creator of the heavens and earth, when a great national leader may also have the psychological preparation for becoming an international leader, the world will not miss him and give him a name (Rev. 13th chapter).

**Jabin King of Canaan**

Jabin's mighty captain who commanded the "army of the Gentiles," a mound

**Strange Superstitions**



IN CHINA, A STRANGE SUPERSTITION ON NEW YEAR'S EVE FOR THE EVIL FOR THE COMING YEAR TO OFFSET THE SIN OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR, MUST VISIT THREE DIFFERENT FAMILIES, WITH DIFFERENT NAMES AND BEG FROM EACH A PIECE OF TORTOISE-SHELL WHICH MUST BE EATEN AT MIDNIGHT.

**Fred Farm Garage**

AUTO REPAIR  
MACHINE WORK  
Cylinders Reconditioned

Sunday School Lesson Exposition

By C. C. M.

July 17, 1938

DEBORAH: EMERGENCY LEADERSHIP

Scripture Text: Judges 4:1-9, 12-14. Lesson Scope: Judges 4:1-5:31. Devotional Reading: Ps. 46:3-11.

Angle of Approach

Our lesson today is concerning a land and the people to whom Jehovah had given that land. They were to have it for an abiding possession on condition of faithfulness to Him. Joshua had led the people into the land and divided it by lot to the twelve tribes. Each tribe was to take up that task of driving out what remained of their enemy in their allotment.

This lesson is at a time of national apostasy—i. e. they had turned away from the true God and were turned unto idolatry. Therefore, their enemy had oppressed them and brought national humiliation. This oppression and depression led them to repentance and a turning back unto their God, Jehovah. Having no political leadership, whom God could use to bring deliverance, He substituted a prophetess, Deborah.

THE HEART OF THE LESSON Introduction

After the death of Moses and his successor, Joshua, Israel had no great national leaders. Following Joshua, Israel passes into what is known as the period of the Judges, "men who were raised up to lead successful revolts against foreign oppressors and, having emancipated the nation and shown thereby their call of God, were looked to by the people to maintain their rights."

There were six major oppressions. Deborah gave deliverance from the third one, 120 years after Joshua's death.

No sooner had one enemy been expelled than Israel turned back again from God into wicked and corrupt ways and unto idolatry, for which God sent another oppressor.

When Ehud was Dead

Othniel, Caleb's younger brother, was the first Judge to bring deliverance to Israel from the oppression of a king of Mesopotamia, after which there were 40 years of rest (Judges 3:7-11). The children of Israel "again did that which was evil" and God delivered them into the hands of the king of Moab, Ehud, of Benjamin, brought deliverance, and the land had rest for 80 years (Judges 3:12-30). But Ehud could not live always.

Without a leader of national reputation and faithfulness to Jehovah, Israel soon contracted internationalitis and began itching after the ways of the Gentiles. And Israel "again did that which was evil."

Is there not strong evidence that we (you and I, the world over) are now living in a period of the world when the nations are without strong leaders who have any inclination to consider the God of all the earth and Creator of the heavens as well? But when a great national leader (who may also have the psychological moment for becoming an international leader) arises, the world will recognize him and give him allegiance (Rev. 13th chapter).

Jabin King of Canaan

Jabin's mighty captain was Sisera who commanded the "Harosheth of the Gentiles," a mound near the

Local News Items

Mrs. J. G. Cowden was quite ill during the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Steen of Briscoe attended the Saturday night preview at the Rogue.

T. P. Hyatt returned last week from California where he spent several weeks with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Zirkle and son, Larry Don, came home Monday from Fort Collins, Colo., where Mr. Zirkle attended summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnston of Mobeetie were Sunday dinner guests of her sister and husband, Sheriff and Mrs. Raymond Waters, and children.

Mrs. D. O. Beene returned last week from Oklahoma where she visited her father, Mr. Wheeler, for two weeks.

J. M. Watson went to Corsicana last week to visit his sister, Mrs. G. A. McElvaney, and other relatives for a week or two.

Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson had for their Sunday dinner guests, Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Coleman and daughter. Mr. Coleman is the pastor of the Assembly of God church.

Bill Griffin of Breckenridge returned home Thursday of last week after attending to business and visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Griffin, and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Guthrie and Miss Anna Mae Puett were in Clarendon Monday afternoon and saw President Franklin D. Roosevelt and his party when their train stopped there enroute to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Paris of Whittier, Calif., left Saturday for their home after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Lewis, and his relatives at Miami and Laketon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pendleton and children of Pampa spent the week end near Wheeler with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pendleton and Mr. and Mrs. John Cornelius, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Chessher and baby of Pampa were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Jones and children. They were accompanied home that night by her brother, Travis Jones, who will spend several days in the Chessher home.

Foot of Mount Carmel, controlling the western entrance of the Plain of Esdraelon, through which the river Kishon flowed. He had 900 "chariots of iron," dreaded by the people then as much, perhaps, as the people today dread our modern armored tanks. A formidable force gathered for action against Israel! But let's see what happened.

Deborah, a Prophetess There were no leaders in Israel, a fact well known by both Jabin and Sisera. Little did they realize that Jehovah, the God in Israel, could make such use of a woman as to bring about their own destruction.

As long as men's hearts are not for God and righteousness, God cannot use from among their number one for leadership. But, if there are godly women, Jehovah can make use of them.

Deborah inspired leadership in Barak and pointed the way and gave him instructions of God's will and plan. He was humble and godly. She was godly and humble. Both were strong in faith. Together, following God's will, they were wonderful.

A leader behind the leader, though not at the front, is often the greater of the two. Sometimes it is the only way a great leader can take the lead. Some mothers might do well to stay out of the lime light and help their sons to the place of "the son of a great woman."

And They Showed Sisera That Barak had succeeded in gaining the strategic position of the top of Mount Tabor was shown Sisera. This position overlooked Harosheth, Sisera's position. Deborah had informed Barak that the Lord would draw the armies of Sisera into his hands.

Sisera drew together his chariots of iron and his great army to the river Kishon and there they perished and "the river Kishon swept them away" (Chapter 5:21). "From the heavens fought the stars, from their courses they fought against Sisera" (5:20). "And Jehovah discomfited Sisera, and all his chariots, and all his host, with the edge of the sword before Barak; and Sisera alighted from his chariot, and fled away on his feet" and was himself slain by a woman, Jael (4:15 and 17); and "there was not a man left."

Kishon, although only about 35 miles long, is the largest river in Palestine. It drains the "plain of Esdraelon," where were fought all the great battles of Scripture; where the Crusaders struggled and over which Napoleon led his armies. Such a battlefield was it that it gained the name of Megiddo—"the place of battle." Here is where the great and final war will be fought—the battle of "Armageddon" (Rev. 16:13-16).

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie May and children moved Friday to Shamrock to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dunaway and granddaughter, Nancy Carolyn Foss, of Borger came Friday to visit the ladies' brother, J. H. Richards, and family and to take home Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stewart and children who had spent several days at the H. H. Herd and J. H. Richards homes.

Mrs. Claude Casey and son, Carol Leon, of Schoolfield, Va., came Saturday to make an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Griffin, and children. Mr. Casey and his Pine State Play Boys band of Charlotte, N. C., who are making records at this time expect to come to Wheeler later for a visit and the band boys may locate in Texas.

Mobeetie Happenings

(By Times Correspondent)

Misses Maxine Patterson and Mayme Dell McKneeley visited Sunday with Miss Aileen Lancaster.

David Dysart, who has been visiting friends and relatives here for the past six weeks, returned to Denver Wednesday.

Gea Baird was operated on for appendicitis last week.

J. W. Johnson, Henry Johnson and Hugh Albert Bailey went to Amarillo Monday to see the president.

Elwyn Dysart came home from Canyon Monday and will be employed by Jake Tarter.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gatlin took Grandmother Stice to visit her sons near Canyon.

Mrs. Jennie Herrmann and Mrs. W. W. Moore from Oklahoma City are visiting with Mrs. A. W. Hathaway.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Upham and Mrs. Morris Felts from Panhandle visited with Mrs. A. W. Hathaway last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Seitz visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meadows of Miami, Sunday.

Melvin and Loyd Roberts of Colton spent the week end in the W. H. Roberts home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Roberts spent Sunday at the Palo Duro Canyon.

Mrs. Ralph Higdon and children and Miss Mildred Lindsay of Canyon spent the week end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Hancock of Borger and Mr. and Mrs. Billie Melton of Wheeler visited Sunday in the A. B. Melton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Trimble spent Sunday in the Ed Tarvin home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roberts spent Sunday fishing near McLean.

Tuesday was guest day at the quilting. A large crowd was present.

Union News

(By Times Correspondent)

Mrs. C. D. Trusty spent Tuesday with Mrs. Herman Roper.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Prather and children made a trip to Wheeler Saturday.

Miss Nellie Bartram, who had been working in Canadian, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Roper made a business trip to Wheeler Saturday.

Mrs. W. L. Mahan and sons, W. L. and Clip and daughter, Mrs. Odessa Lynch and son, Bobby Gene, were Wheeler shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Roper and Dale Ladd made a trip to Pampa Sunday. They were accompanied home by Lynn Ladd who had been staying in Pampa. He returned to his home in Shamrock Monday.

Several from this community attended the candidates' speaking and amateur program in Mobeetie Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley were Wheeler visitors Saturday.

Dalton and Lawrence Scribner left Thursday for their home in Cortez, Colo. They were accompanied by their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Prather, and Red and Enos Morgan.

John B. Dunn and son, R. L., attended to business in this community Friday.

R. William Brown was looking after business here Thursday.

Henry Johnson and Hugh Bailey visited Misses Ervine Scribner and Nellie Bartram Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Blackwood visited in Mobeetie Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Corcoran and children visited relatives and friends in this community last week.

Movie Chatter

By a Rogue

The Three Mesquiteers

The many followers of the Three Mesquiteers will welcome them back to the Rogue Friday and Saturday in "The Purple Vigilantes." You can expect Tucson Smith, Stony Brooke and Lullaby Joslin to entertain you in their own usual methods. Then, too, there will be Edgar Kennedy in a good two reel comedy. So you may see a good western and enjoy the cool breeze at the air-conditioned Rogue.

Test Pilot

Last week for Preview, Sunday and

Monday we gave you "In Old Chicago" which was a million dollar production and the biggest picture for the year from studios of Twentieth-Century-Fox. This week we give you another million dollar production, Test Pilot, which is hailed as the biggest from Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. The cast includes Clark Gable, Myrna Loy, Spencer Tracy and Lionel Barrymore. And says Lee Guthrie, "I betcha a dollar that you will say it's great."

Judge Hardy's Children

Another of those marvelous Judge Hardy Family pictures comes to the Rogue for Wednesday and Thursday, July 20-21. The last one shown in Wheeler was "You're Only Young Once," and if you saw it you will remember that it was swell. The newest of this series is "Judge Hardy's Children," and the cast includes Mickey Rooney, Cecelia Parker, Ann Rutherford and Lewis Stone. If you have not been seeing these pictures, then get in on them now, because they are fine.

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Teachers, librarians, parents, leaders of boys' clubs and hundreds of thousands of boys, themselves, enthusiastically recommend THE AMERICAN BOY MAGAZINE for all boys over twelve.

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In his race for Governor four years ago 457,821 votes were cast for Tom Hunter—within 2% of his election. An intensive survey of the State indicates that in this race more than a half million votes will be cast for his election. Join these half million citizens with your vote in the interest of a fair, sound, sensible, economical State Government.

C. E. Cary

Candidate for

District Attorney



TO THE VOTERS OF WHEELER COUNTY:

I take this opportunity to thank the voters of Wheeler county for the cordial support that I have received from them all over the county. Your genuine courtesy and kind reception of me and of my family have afforded me a joy which I shall never forget.

I sincerely thank those of you who have so cordially expressed yourselves favorable to my candidacy for the important office of District Attorney and who have given their valuable assistance in placing my candidacy before their friends.

To those of you who have not yet made up your minds as to whom you will support for District Attorney as well as those who may be of a mind at this time to vote for one of my opponents, I earnestly urge you to consider my candidacy seriously.

I invite your attention to the fact that prior to my engaging in the practice of law I taught school for 13 years. This work necessarily required a college education.

Following my experience as a teacher I served as Justice of the Peace in Gray County during the boom days and there had occasion to handle a large number of criminal cases, both felonies and misdemeanors. My experience there with felonies was in examining trials where I personally conducted the investigations, which is exactly the same character of work the District Attorney is required to do in the preparation of his cases.

Following my service as Justice of Peace the people of Gray County promoted me to the office of County Judge for two terms, in which capacity I continued to handle a considerable number of criminal cases, and especially a large number of cases in which very young offenders of the law were involved.

My experience in handling these cases has given me a broad understanding of the young law violator and has brought me to the conclusion that a large number of very young law violators can be rehabilitated and started back on the road to useful citizenship.

I believe that, in many cases, it is far better to give a worthy young person a second chance to right himself than to give him a "boot" into the penitentiary. After all, we are interested in building a better civilization and we must build a better citizenship if we are to accomplish that purpose.

In my experience as judge of the courts and as a practicing lawyer I have personally handled thousands of criminal cases which experience adequately fits me to perform the serious duties of District Attorney.

I invite your attention to the fact that the matter of sending a man accused of crime to the penitentiary or to the electric chair is very serious and that my vast experience along the lines outlined above will be a valuable asset to me in determining what will constitute justice both to the state and to the individual.

I urge you not only to cast your vote for me but to use your influence with your friends in my behalf and I promise you faithful and efficient service in the office of District Attorney of such character as will give you pleasure and pride in saying that you had a hand in placing me in that important position.

Sincerely yours,

C. E. CARY

Candidate for District Attorney

CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION



GEO. H. SHEPPARD Comptroller of the State of Texas

A good rule to follow in public as well as private business: When a man asks you for a job, demand to know his qualifications. George H. Sheppard is asking you for re-election as your State Comptroller. His qualifications, as outlined by a non-partisan newspaper writer in an article several months ago: "Since Sheppard has held office, a variety of improvements have been made in his department, resulting in increased collections of about \$10,000,000 a year."

In other words, had a less qualified man been your comptroller, the taxpayers would have been called on for an additional \$10,000,000 in taxes.

Born in McLennan County, George H. Sheppard was reared on a ranch in West Texas; was educated in the public schools; served as a teacher, as tax assessor of Nolan County; as president of the State Tax Assessors Association; as mayor of Sweetwater; as a director of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. He was called upon to serve as Comptroller during the darkest period that office ever has known when gross inefficiencies were revealed by a Legislative investigation.

Under his administration, the State Ad Valorem Tax rate has been reduced 28c on the \$100 valuation—yet state appropriations to the schools have been increased to the highest level in Texas' history. This has been possible by steadfastly holding to one aim in administering tax laws: There is but one equitable administration of taxes, and that is to collect for the state all that's due the state.

To continue this high record of efficiency, re-elect George H. Sheppard.

(Paid Pol. Adv. authorized by R. C. Jackson)

Reduce the Tax

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Strange Superstitions advertisement featuring an illustration of a man and a woman, and Fred Farmer's Garage advertisement.



VOTE FOR

## Judge L. P. Bonner

For Chief Justice

## Court of Civil Appeals

for the Seventh Supreme Judicial District of Texas

at Amarillo, Texas

Democratic Primary, July 23, 1938

"Was it a big wedding?"  
"Big? Why, I got in line twice to kiss the bride, and nobody noticed me."

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of voters in the Democratic Primary, July 23, 1938.

### STATE OF TEXAS

For Representative, 122nd District:  
EUGENE WORLEY.  
(For re-election).

For District Judge:  
W. R. EWING.  
(For re-election).  
R. H. FORRESTER.

For District Attorney:  
W. R. FRAZEE.  
CLIFFORD BRALY.  
C. E. CARY.

### COUNTY OF WHEELER

For County Judge:  
W. O. (Oliver) PUETT.  
(For re-election).  
D. A. HUNT.  
J. H. TEMPLETON.

For Sheriff:  
JESS SWINK.  
RAYMOND WATERS.  
(For re-election).  
J. T. (Shorty) REYNOLDS.

For County Superintendent of Schools:  
ALLEN KAVANAUGH.  
C. BRYAN WITT.

For District Clerk:  
HOLT GREEN.  
(For re-election).  
BILL PERRIN.

For County Attorney:  
HOMER L. MOSS.  
(For second term).

For County Clerk:  
F. B. (Dick) CRAIG.  
(For re-election).  
HARRY WOFFORD.

For County Tax Assessor-Collector:  
TERRELL GUNTER.  
THOMAS M. POTTS.

For County Treasurer:  
HATTIE WOMACK.  
(For re-election).  
MISS TAMSEY RILEY.

For Commissioner:  
Precinct No. 1—  
H. J. FINSTERWALD.  
E. E. (Ed) JOHNSTON.  
O. E. SIMS.  
W. L. BOBO.

For Commissioner:  
Precinct No. 2—  
ARTHUR WHITENER.  
H. H. WALSER.  
JIM TROUT.  
(For re-election).  
W. O. MILLER.

For Justice of the Peace:  
Precinct No. 1—  
JULIUS F. CARTER.  
C. C. MERRITT.  
A. C. WOOD.

### NOTICE

We, Hubert Tindall and Ansel McDowell, owners of the McDowell Drug Co. located on Lot 4, Blk. 29, Texas St., Wheeler, Texas, declare our intentions to apply for a permit to dispense Medicinal Liquor on physician's prescriptions. (adv. 3042c)

## Committeemen Listed for Primary in July

Most of Democratic Precinct Heads Chosen in 1936—Several Vacancies Filled

Names of precinct committeemen who will officiate in the approaching party primary on Saturday, July 23, were announced this week by A. B. Crump, county Democratic chairman. Most of these precinct heads were elected in the 1936 primary, the same procedure to be followed again this year for two years hence.

Due to various causes, four vacancies had occurred during the past two years. These have been filled by the county committee and are preceded by a \* in the following list. Chairman Crump has been empowered to fill by appointment any vacancies occurring between now and election date.

Given below, in their order, will be found the precinct number and name, the number of registered voters, the committeemen and their addresses. "Unders," those becoming of age and registered since Jan. 1, 1938, are included in the figures. "Overs," of which no legal record is kept, are not included.

No. 1—Mobeetie, 404; Oliver Elliott, Mobeetie.

No. 2—Briscoe, 98; W. H. Taylor, Gageby.

No. 3—Wheeler, 288; \*D. O. Beene, Wheeler.

No. 4—Allison, 117; \*W. V. Hickerson, Allison.

No. 5—Stanley, 224; Clarence Robinson, Wheeler.

No. 6—McBee, 139; T. M. Britt, Wheeler.

No. 7—Porter, 59; J. A. Young, Twitty.

No. 8—Gracey, 124; Luther McCombs, McLean.

No. 9—Heald, 54; C. A. Myatt, McLean.

No. 10—Lela, 157; W. M. McMurry, Shamrock.

No. 11—Center, 79; J. W. Henderson, Twitty.

No. 12—Shamrock, 560; H. P. Mundy, Shamrock.

No. 13—Benonine, 12; J. E. Mitchell, Texola, Okla.

No. 14—Ramsdell, 33; \*A. L. Morgan, Shamrock.

No. 15—Locust, 39; C. H. Riley, Twitty.

No. 16—Kelton, 78; Claude D. Davis, Kelton.

No. 17—Twitty, 74; M. A. Pillers, Twitty.

No. 18—Magic City, 99; \*E. C. Smith, Magic City.

No. 19—Corn Valley, 58; J. H. Gordon, Mobeetie.

No. 20—Pakan, 53; Paul Macina, Shamrock.

No. 21—Shamrock, 404; Henry Holmes, Shamrock.

Grand total of registered voters this year is 3,153, while that of two years ago was 3,675.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Jeff Mixon, Mobeetie, has been a patient in the hospital since Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hicky, Allison, a baby boy, Sunday, July 10. His name is Lindel Larit.

E. Baird, Mobeetie, underwent an appendix operation last Thursday night. He is doing nicely.

Thurman Horn, Briscoe, had his tonsils removed Tuesday.

Mrs. Wayne Taylor, Allison is a patient in the hospital.

Mrs. E. E. Johnston, Mobeetie, entered the hospital Wednesday for medical treatment.

Mrs. N. F. Morris, Mobeetie, entered the hospital today for treatment.

Miss Keesee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Keesee, Allison, had her tonsils removed Wednesday.

Chas. B. Sandifer had his tonsils removed today.

Duane Bradford had his tonsils removed July 14.

Miss Mary Ruth Vinson, nurse, has been quite ill this week.

Coene Carter had the misfortune to fracture two bones in her left hand Tuesday while operating a clothes wringer.

**SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT AT PAMPA EARLY IN AUGUST**

Beginning Monday night, August 8, the Panhandle's third annual district softball tournament will be held in Pampa again this year, with the Pampa Junior Chamber of Commerce as sponsoring organization. So states a special communication received today from Pampa.

All games will be played at night, with double elimination necessary for removal from tournament. Winner will play winner and loser play loser as long as possible.

Any softball team in the 20 north Panhandle counties is eligible to participate in the tournament providing that team is a member of the National Softball association and pays a small local entrance fee. Membership in the National association will be \$2 for a team that is a member of a four or more team league of no league.

Membership fees must be in the hands of Alton Hall, Panhandle softball commissioner, at Pampa, not later than July 26.

Wheeler Times Wantads are result getters and cost only 5c a line.

Times Wantads—5c a line.

## Club Notes

Happenings of Interest by and for Home Demonstration Club Women of the County.

The conquest of rural poverty, resulting in greater stability among the low-income farmers, and opportunities for the children of the coming generation, is reflected in Wheeler county, according to Vera R. Martin, home management supervisor for the Farm Security administration.

Near the beginning of a new fiscal year for this department of agriculture, we look back over the accomplishments of the farmers in this county who have received help from the program. We note that scores of families have had more to eat, and more to wear, than they have had in years and that their net worth has been rising along with their standard of living.

A number of families have been completely rehabilitated and no longer need financial aid from this supervised agricultural and credit agency, she also states that as present borrowers repay their loans and prove they can make good without any further help from the FSA, her agency is then able to extend this aid to other worthy families.

There are 81 farm families in the Wheeler county group. The progress thus far, of course is varied, but she declares that a great majority of them are happier today than they have been in years and are looking forward to the future with a degree of confidence that did not exist when they were on or near the relief status. One contributing factor in this respect has been the health and sanitation program sponsored by the FSA through the home management supervisors. Adequate diets and necessary medical attention, made possible through this and other cooperating agencies, have resulted in definite progress of these families.

Records show that the families with whom she is working in this rehabilitation program have increased their net worth largely through producing the family's living at home and by selling the surpluses. Many of the farm women working with this program have purchased pressure cookers and canning equipment with funds borrowed from the Farm Security administration. Many now own profitable flocks, nearly always a source of extra income, because of initial loans obtained from the FSA.

In addition to improved health conditions and material gains, many low-income farm families in this county have shown definite home improvement involving comfort and beautification.

Miss Martin attaches a great deal of importance to the making of family budgets and home records. "As I check over the records of all the families with whom I have been working this past year," she said "I observe that most of those showing the greatest progress are the ones who made a budget at the beginning of the year and then lived within that budget for each month of the year. We ask our farm families to keep close records of income and expense and it is surprising to learn how helpful these records are in a program of rehabilitation."

Miss Martin is enthusiastic about her work with the FSA program. She believes there is yet a long, long road ahead for the rural people of this section. "However," she says, "there are dividends all along the way. Not only human dividends—seeing people become self-sufficient and happy, seeing children enjoy health and opportunity—but cash dividends for the people engaged in other lines of business, because as these low-income farmers get extra money to spend, there will be better business for every one."

### DOWN ON THE FARM

When your farm becomes a madhouse With a million buzzing flies, When your stock grows wild and crazy While your wife breaks down and cries.

When the boy comes in bawling That the team has run away Call up your Watkins dealer To bring you out some spray.

When the cows begin to shimmy And tap dance in the pail And swipe you 'cross the kisser With a wet and soggy tail Then kicks you in the middle If you live to get away Call up the Watkins dealer To bring you out some spray.

It will end your fly craze trouble About the house and barn You can live in peace and comfort With our fly spray on your farm.

Give me a chance to prove it Just ring me up today Call up the Watkins dealer. To bring you out some spray. —Says Troy Shipman.

C. V. Hale and son, Glen, returned Thursday night from Fort Worth where they visited their son and brother, J. R. Hale and family and also visited relatives in Dallas and several other places, including Sunset, where they were guests of Mr. Hale's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Andress, and children.

## Local News Items

Supt. and Mrs. J. L. Gilmore and son, Earl, and Misses Ruth Faye Garrison and Lula Barr motored Monday to Amarillo to hear President Roosevelt speak.

Mrs. Ollie V. Hubbard and daughter, Miss Evonne, Miss Birdella Genthe and niece, Louise Genthe, motored Monday to Amarillo and heard President Roosevelt speak.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Henry, Shamrock, are the parents of a son, Wayne Wilson, born Friday, July 1. Mrs. Henry is the daughter of Mrs. A. C. Wood of Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hockett and children of Eldorado, Ark., who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Mitchell, and children returned home Saturday via Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cole and son, Lloyd Anthony, of Frederick, Okla., came Saturday to visit Mr. Cole's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Robison, and children. Lloyd Anthony remained for a longer visit while his parents returned home that evening by way of McLean.

J. M. Lawrence, manager of the Cicero Smith Lumber company, and Mrs. Lawrence left Saturday morning on a week's outing and fishing trip to Cowles, N. Mex. Herbert Whitener will be in charge of the lumber yard during the manager's absence.

Mrs. Sam Watson and daughter, Miss Dorothy Lee, motored last week to San Antonio to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Guest, and to attend a family reunion during the week. A brother, Rube Guest, of Cordell, Okla., accompanied them. They are expected home this week.

Mrs. Cora Holt, Uniontown, Kans., and her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Warren, Bronson, Kans., stopped in Wheeler Sunday night and visited the former's brother-in-law and wife, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holt, and children until Wednesday. The party were enroute home from a month's vacation spent in California and the west coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Sal Bolton and children of Sanford and Clint Johnson and daughter, Juanita of Pampa were Sunday afternoon guests at the G. A. Bolton home.

Birl Hight, manager of Woolridge Lumber company left today on a two weeks vacation trip to Long Beach, Calif., to visit his wife and son, Mrs. Hight and Edwin Earl. Clarence Beasley will be in charge of the lumber yard during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer motored Sunday to Childress to bring home their daughter, Miss Marcell, who had spent the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Meek, and other relatives.

Mrs. F. B. Craig and sons, F. B. jr., and Lewis, and Mrs. O. Lewis motored Friday afternoon to Miami to take the former's father-in-law, M. M. Craig, sr., to spend a few weeks with his sons, M. M. jr., and Harry Craig and families.

## W. O. PUETT

for

## COUNTY JUDGE

Wheeler County



An examination of certain records of Wheeler county has revealed some pertinent facts which we as voters and taxpayers feel should be passed on to other voters and taxpayers who have not had the privilege of checking these records.

We find that in 1936, the Commissioners Court of Wheeler county, acting under the advice of County Judge W. O. Puett, refunded \$40,000.00 Road Bonds, Series of 1931, shortened the maturities and lowered the interest rate from 5 1/2% to 4 1/2% and thereby saved the taxpayers a net sum of \$18,800.00.

In 1937, \$275,000.00 Road Bonds, Series of 1928, were refunded with a net saving of \$47,030.00 to Wheeler county taxpayers.

Again, in 1938, Puett recommended to the court that \$12,000.00 of the old North Fork Bridge Bonds, Series of 1907, be called for payment. This transaction saved \$3,375.00 tax dollars in interest to Wheeler county.

Total net saving on the above transactions: \$69,205.00.

During the three and one-half years that W. O. Puett has been county judge, the county has operated under a county tax rate of \$1.00 per \$100.00 valuation, the LOWEST in many years. This reduction in tax rate has resulted in a further saving of approximately \$50,000.00 to taxpayers of the county.

In the face of the above statements, we recommend that W. O. PUETT be retained in the office of COUNTY JUDGE another term.

Prepared and paid for by FRIENDS of W. O. PUETT and sane, economical county government.

# Mid-Summer CLEARANCE SALE

We are not going to wait until your needs are over to make these great reductions, but offer them right now, when summer goods is in demand.

Men's Dress Oxfords \$2.98 and \$2.69 values, now <b>\$1.98</b>	Men's Scout Work Shoes Priced at <b>\$1.79</b>	Ladies' Shoes \$3.95 values now <b>\$2.95</b> \$2.95 values now ---- \$1.95
Ladies' Sandals \$1.98 values now <b>\$1.49</b>	Men's Dress Straws \$1.95 and \$1.50 hats now <b>98c</b>	Men's Palm-Braid Hats Hand woven; 98c values now <b>79c</b>
Others 49c	Others 49c	All Dresses reduced; \$1.25 dresses now <b>79c</b>
Ladies' Hats All reduced to <b>25c and 49c</b>	Chiffon Dresses with slip; \$3.95 value <b>\$2.95</b>	Children's White Pants Sanforized; sizes 8 to 16 <b>79c</b>
Men's Light Weight Wool Pants \$3.95 value, now <b>\$2.95</b>	Printed Wash Silks formerly 69c, now <b>49c</b>	Unbleached Muslin for quilts, yard <b>5c</b>
Brighten up the home! Colorful Cretonne now, per yard <b>13c</b>	Plain and Printed Scrim 17c and 15c values now <b>10c</b>	Men's Horsehide Gloves now <b>49c</b>
49c Quality Voile now, yard <b>25c</b>	8-ounce Feather Ticking special, now <b>19c</b>	High-grade Sparta Sheets special at <b>59c</b>
Art Ticking Beautiful patterns Regular 22c, now <b>15c</b>	Hawk Brand Khaki Shirts during this sale <b>98c</b>	Men's Work Pants special at <b>98c</b>

Money-saving values which will please you prevail all over our store. "A price to fit every purse"

# M. M. ILHANY

Dry Goods—Groceries

Wheeler, Texas

Big Sale and Voting Contest Starts Friday Morning, July 15, at 9 o'clock — Ends Saturday Nite July 30

BUY COURTESY CARDS of your contesting friends. They increase their votes greatly. Courtesy cards be applied on accounts or traded out.

STORE OPEN EVENINGS

M. M. ILHANY Texas

TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS FREE VOTE DAYS. Every person over 18 years old that comes to our store on these days and registers will receive 500 extra votes.

500 FREE VOTE COUPON Contestants gather up these coupons from your neighbors and bring them to our contest manager and get your voting ticket. Make a home to home canvass.



Tom Wood went to Pampa Wednesday. He was enroute to Lefors to visit his brother-in-law, Joe Clarke, and look for a job.

## WANT ADS

**FOR SALE**  
BARGAINS  
I used 1937 model Voss washer and tubs, \$35.00, \$5.00 down and \$3.00 per month.  
I used Automatic washer, \$20.00, \$5.00 down and \$3.00 per month.  
Panhandle Power & Light Co.  
Wheeler, Texas. 301c

FOR SALE—International hay baler.  
Bert Davis, Brisbane, Texas. 3014p

FOR SALE—Established service station, paying proposition, priced very reasonable because other business prevents giving necessary time to this. O. G. Argambright, 27th east corner square, Wheeler. 277fc

PIGS FOR SALE—Mostly red ones.  
Lee Black Wheeler. 3013p

J. E. AUSTIN has a fine registered Jersey bull for sale. 2922p

**WANTED**  
DAY or CONTRACT carpentering, concrete work or tank building, equipment and teams, only. See R. P. Grayson, Allison, Texas. 2916p

**STEADY WORK—GOOD PAY**  
Reliable men wanted to call on farmers in Wheeler county. No experience or capital required. Make up to \$12 a day. Write McNESS CO., Dept. S, Prospect, Ill. 3011p

**FOR RENT**  
FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, Mrs. C. G. Sandifer. 3011p  
COW PASTURE—In middle of town, \$2.00 per month. Billie Wiley. 297fc

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
PUBLIC enemy No. 1—  
ALCOHOL 3:55p

# White Shoes

\$1.98 Values Now

\$1.49

Others reduced in proportion.

Russ Dry Goods

General Outfitters

"Always Something New"

## Wheeler Youth Shows Up Good in Baseball

R. B. "Obe" Stephens, 17-year old Wheeler high school boy, is doing things with the Magnolia baseball team in Pampa.

In a recent issue of the Pampa Daily News, "Obe" was recorded as hitting two home runs, a two and a three bagger, and credited as the winning pitcher against the Rig-builders.

The account read: "Obe Stephens, a 17-year old school boy, shows great promise for the big leagues some day. He has the fans yelling all the time. It is said that he has a million-dollar arm."

"Dollar Eyes," as he was commonly known when in school here, is returning to high school this fall and will likely occupy a backfield berth on the Mustang football team. He played center last year.

## MASONIC LODGE ANNOUNCES SPECIAL EVENT NEXT WEEK

Arrangements are being made by Wheeler Lodge No. 1099, A. F. & A. M. to accommodate what is expected to be the largest gathering ever attempted by the lodge on next Wednesday night, July 20, at the hall here. The occasion will be in honor of the conferring of the third degree upon Harold Nicholson, son of a distinguished member of the order and former district deputy grand master, Dr. H. E. Nicholson.

The degree will be conferred in full regalia, participated in by a number of notable visiting Masons, Lee Gutrie, secretary of Wheeler lodge, is sending special invitations to a selected group of Masons, some of whom live at a distance, inviting them to this meeting, at which 150 or more are expected. Refreshments will be served, announces Gutrie.

## TO THE VOTERS, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PCT. NO. 1

I am taking this opportunity to express appreciation of your votes and support on my behalf. I have tried to see all of you personally and aimed not to miss a single one of you. I fully appreciate your loyalty and kindness.

To the voters who for any reason have seen fit to give their support to either of my opponents I wish to say that you have not provoked my enmity thereby. You have the liberty to choose and I would not think of robbing you of your rights as an American citizen.

To one and all, I appreciate your fine friendship and kindness so graciously bestowed upon me.

C. C. MERRITT,  
Candidate for Justice of the Peace

## MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER LAST THURSDAY FOR MRS. HUBBARD

Mrs. Albert Owen honored Mrs. Bernice Hubbard with a miscellaneous shower at the Owen's home in the west part of Wheeler Thursday afternoon of last week.

Refreshments of cookies and ice cream were served to Mesdames E. C. Roney, J. T. Crowder, C. C. Crowder, Ollie V. Hubbard, Hazel Crowder, Choice Bridges, Lawrence and Malcolm Crowder, Miss Evonne Hubbard and the honoree and hostess.

Those sending gifts were Mesdames E. D. Gaynes, Terrell Gunter, Bill Owen, Buster Johnson, C. J. Meek, Jess Crowder and Miss Beulah Hubbard.

## 4-H CLUB BOY TELLS OF TRIP TO SHORT COURSE

Editor's Note: The Times appreciates the privilege of presenting a very interesting report of his trip to Short Course, submitted by Price Moore, member of the Papan Boys 4-H club, as follows:

"I have been requested to send you a brief account of our trip to Short Course. I happened to be one of the fortunate boys allowed to make this trip from Wheeler county.

"We left Shamrock July 4, the party consisting of nine boys and nine girls, two sponsors and our pleasant and efficient bus drivers. After due time we arrived at our destination, where we found many other people from all over Texas, 2,600 4-H club boys and girls.

"We had a nice place to stay, play of softball swim and other recreations, which we greatly enjoyed. Our group won second place in softball. The country was quite different to this Panhandle of ours. I saw my first plowing among stumps. I wondered how they could get around them satisfactorily, but it seems they managed nicely. Crops were so much further advanced than in this part of the state.

"We received instructions in our special work and were taught how to mix for our calf feeding, etc. In fact, we spent a very profitable and enjoyable six days. It was over all too soon.

"I am sure we will all be better boys and girls since this trip, as it has given us a much broader view of life.—PRICE MOORE."

## OBITUARY MRS. G. H. PARKS

Mrs. G. H. Parks of Allison passed away Friday, July 1, at the Parks farm home after a long illness. Besides being a faithful wife and loving mother, Mrs. Parks was a neighbor and friend of sympathetic understanding, always ready to help those about her who suffered misfortunes which she could help relieve.

She had been a devoted member of the Methodist church since the age of 12 years, and had also been a member of the Eastern Star order for several years.

Bera Tapps was born June 7, 1887 in McClellan county, Texas, and died July 1, 1938, at Allison, Texas, at the age of 51 years and 23 days.

On March 17, 1905, she was married to G. H. Parks and to this union were born three children; one daughter preceding the mother in death.

Besides the devoted husband, she is survived by a son, Ben Parks, Allison, a daughter, Mrs. Elbert Haynes, Berger, and six grandchildren, three sisters and two brothers: Mrs. Jim Whorton, Lubbock; Mrs. Frank Branson, Panhandle; Mrs. P. V. Sandlin, Weatherford, Okla.; Joe Tapps, Whitt, and Bill Tapps, Panhandle, and a number of other relatives and a host of friends.

Funeral services were conducted at Allison Sunday afternoon, July 3, followed with a brief service conducted by the Eastern Star lodge at the cemetery near Texola, Okla., where interment was made.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Graham, Big Spring, and Mrs. Floyd Kirby, Lela, were Monday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayter.

## Local News Items

Marvin Hubbard was a Wednesday business visitor in Canadian.

Mrs. Buster Johnson of Kelton was a Wednesday shopper in Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Covington of Pampa visited last week with J. F. Forest.

Mrs. Byron Pendleton, who has been quite ill since Saturday, is improving.

Misses Lela Mae Gaines and Cleary Douglas made a trip Sunday to Amarillo.

Morrice Barnes went to Childress Sunday to spend three weeks working and visiting relatives.

Tirey Hardin, manager of Puckett's store at Mobeetie, was a Wednesday business caller in the county seat.

Mrs. M. E. Red of Corn Valley returned Wednesday from Oklahoma and Arkansas, where she spent six weeks with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell Haskins of San Diego, Calif., were Tuesday afternoon guests of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayter.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Moss motored Monday to Amarillo and attended President Roosevelt's speaking.

Bodie and Everett Cole, Billy Martens and Bob Tillman returned Monday night from Amarillo, where they attended the speaking by President Roosevelt.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Holt of Walsh, Colo., came Tuesday evening to visit their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holt, and children, and Mrs. Holt's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bowers, and other relatives for a few days.

Mrs. A. L. Crutehfield and J. W. Abbott of Sayre, Okla., were united in marriage Saturday, July 9, at the Methodist parsonage in Wheeler by Rev. E. C. Roney. They were accompanied by the former's children, Mrs. Dez Castleberry, Sayre, and L. C. Crutehfield, Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crump returned home Tuesday night from Amarillo where they attended the visit of President Roosevelt. Mr. Crump looked after business while Mrs. Crump spent most of the three days resting at the hotel. She spent a short time with her brother, Tom Stanley, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coppock and daughter, Jo Ann, of Iowa Park returned home Wednesday evening after a visit with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayter. Jo Ann spent nearly six weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Coppock and daughter spent part of the week in the mountains at Thoreau, N. Mex.

## SHERIFF CANDIDATE MAKES A STATEMENT

(Continued from First Page)

are applying to this matter their experience and wisdom and they have come to the conclusion that the sheriff's force of this county needs new blood. Yes, I will be in the runoff and in the second primary no difference which opponent opposes me I will continue to solicit and to expect the support of my friends.

Let us turn out a full vote and I thank you one and all from the depths of my heart.

Respectfully,  
J. T. (Shorty) REYNOLDS.

## GROCERY SPECIALS Friday and Saturday

RICE, Fancy whole grain, 10 lbs.	39c
NAVY BEANS large, 10 lbs.	39c
POST TOASTIES 3 large pkgs.	25c
CANNED PEAS per can	5c
BULK CANDY per lb.	10c
CANDY BARS 3 for	10c
TEA, 1/4 lb. with tumbler	15c
FLOUR 48-lb. sack	98c
BLISS COFFEE 1-lb. can	21c
Good Prunes per gallon	29c

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Stina Cain went to Amarillo Saturday to join Mrs. Cain, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Eckert, and other relatives since Wednesday of last week. They will return home this week.

R. J. Puckett, Harrison Hall, Albert Gunter, Scotty Risner, Jack Pitcock, Robert Guynes and Quincy Deering motored Monday to Amarillo to see the president of the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Watson and daughter, Dolores, of Pampa came Friday of last week and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Watson, until Monday evening when all returned home except Dolores, who remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. Jake Tarter and son, Jack, accompanied Mr. Tarter to Nocona where they will visit Mrs. Tarter's father, R. G. Atkins, while Mr. Tarter attends the meeting at College Station. They are expected home the last of the week.

# In New Location

This is to inform all friends, former customers and prospective patrons that my blacksmith shop is now located in new quarters directly across the street in front of its previous location and the first door east of the John Lewis garage.

Equipment has been installed in the new place, light and power connections made, and the shop is in full operation.

## COMPLETE BLACKSMITHING AND GENERAL REPAIR WORK

Anyone needing blacksmith services performed promptly and in a thoroughly workmanlike manner, are invited to call on this shop at any time. Modern fixtures permits satisfactory handling of practically any job, from the simplest to the more complicated.

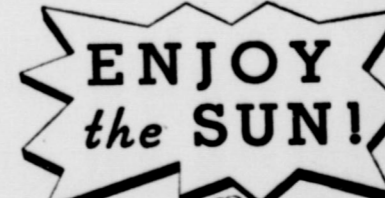
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If the sun sneaks up on you and gives you a painful burn unawares, get comfort with this greaseless liquid. It quickly soothes pain, counteracts blistering.

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# Water Works Enters New

City Council in Session Wednesday Orders Bond Election to Finance Improvement

ELECTION AUG. 5

Voters Asked to Approve Issuance of \$53,000 Revenue Bonds to Match Federal Grant

In compliance with instructions from the regional PWA office at Worth, the local city council in special session yesterday with Mayor R. J. Holt presiding, for action, enters the Wheeler water sewer project into a phase of activity.

The council passed an order for an election on Aug. 5 when tied voters of the town will be to approve an issue of \$53,000 of revenue bonds for the "purpose of paying a portion of the cost of acquiring and constructing a works and sewer system in said town and pledging the revenues of said town to the payment thereof."

Official notice of the election containing full details of the proposition will be found on another page paper.

As is stated elsewhere in columns, the proposed bonds are revenue bonds only; that is, they are not taxation bonds and their issue cannot cause additional taxes levied on real or personal property for the purpose of meeting the issue. Payment of the issue must come from the operation of the revenue derived from the proposed new water works sewer system.

The election, which is dated Friday, Aug. 5, will be held at Ernest Lee building on the west side of the square. Presiding judge by the council is A. B. Crump, officials are T. S. Puckett, Hattie Lee, clerk; Naomi clerk.

Several weeks ago the federal government made a grant of and a loan of \$53,000 to Wheeler for the purpose of acquiring and constructing a water works and sewer system. The grant takes care of itself, contingent acceptance of the loan. The bond issue is to meet this loan.

When voters go to the polls matter they will have an opportunity to show their faith in the town and their willingness to prove a project that will be of estimable value from a civic standpoint. Expansion of water works plant and installation of modern sewer facilities will be one of the greatest steps in the history of Wheeler and is a move which it is believed—and every citizen will join wholeheartedly.

## Pampa Boosters (Wheeler Band T)

Award Made in Appreciation Band Took in Top of Fiesta at Pampa

Headed by Mayor E. S. Carr, a group of Pampa boosters organized various civic organizations Tuesday's Lions club as a neighborly gesture and for the purpose of trophy to the Wheeler band.

Mayor Carr made the presentation of the attractive memento representative of the Pampa Jubilee of Commerce. Mayor of Wheeler, son-in-law of Carr, accepted the gift on behalf of a joint municipal-school board which was deposited with Supt. Carr more for display with other trophies at school.

The award was not the contest, stated Mayor Carr, difference in sizes of bands. Panhandle made a contest unfair. But it was given in recognition of the band's participation in the Top of Texas fiesta some weeks ago.

Besides Carr, the Pampa club included W. B. Weatherford, superintendent of school, Gantz and H. P. Lusby, the Pampa BCD, and H. Berg, representing the Pampa weekly newspaper.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. I. turned Sunday night from and fishing trip to Cowl where they spent a very vacation. Herbert Whit charge of the Cicero Sr yard during the manage

*Elect*  
A young practicing attorney.  
The candidate who carried his home county, Gray, by a majority of the votes in 1936 primary race for district attorney.  
An attorney who graduated from the law school of the University of Texas, your university.  
An attorney who has maintained a law office within the 31st Judicial District longer than either of his opponents.

# CLIFFORD BRALY

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY

31ST JUDICIAL DISTRICT